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Introduction

Postage stamps and related objects are miniature communication tools, and they tell a story about cultural and political identities and about artistic forms of identity expressions. They are part of the world's material heritage, and part of history. Ever more of this postal heritage becomes available online, published by stamp collectors' organizations, auction houses, commercial stamp shops, online catalogues, and individual collectors. Virtually collecting postage stamps and postal history has recently become a possibility. These working papers about Africa are examples of what can be done. But they are work-in-progress! Everyone who would like to contribute, by sending corrections, additions, and new area studies can do so by sending an email message to the APH editor: Ton Dietz (dietzaj@asc.leidenuniv.nl). You are welcome!

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Cape of Good Hope postage stamp 1853:

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Egypt postage stamp 1914:

https://upload.wikimedia.org/wikipedia/commons/4/4b/Post_Stamp_Egypt.jpg

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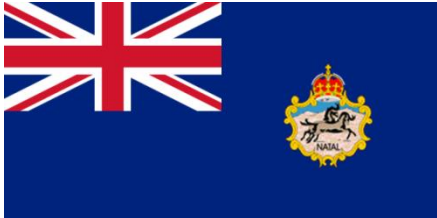
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SOUTH AFRICA

Postal history and postage and other stamps of Natal

Ton Dietz, African Studies Centre Leiden, January 2017

Introduction

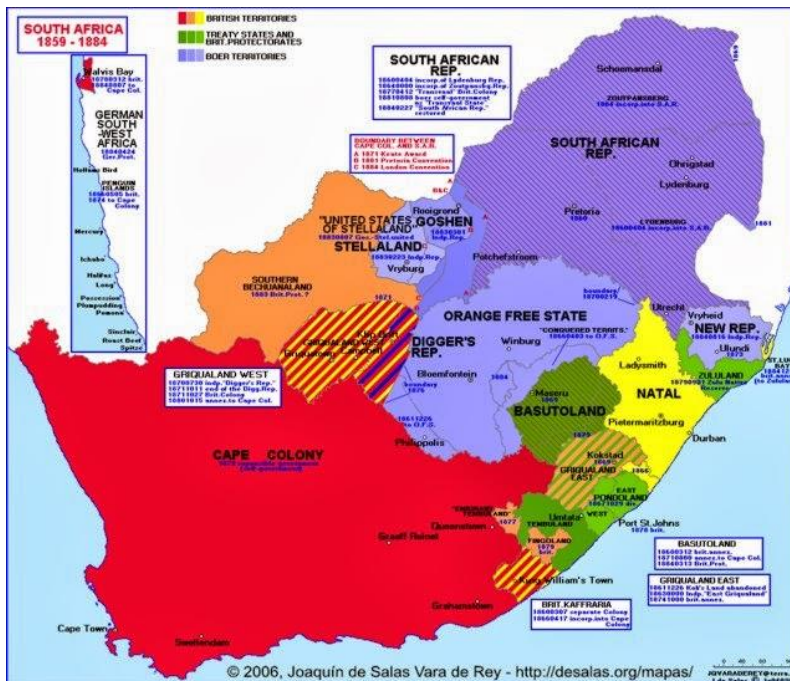


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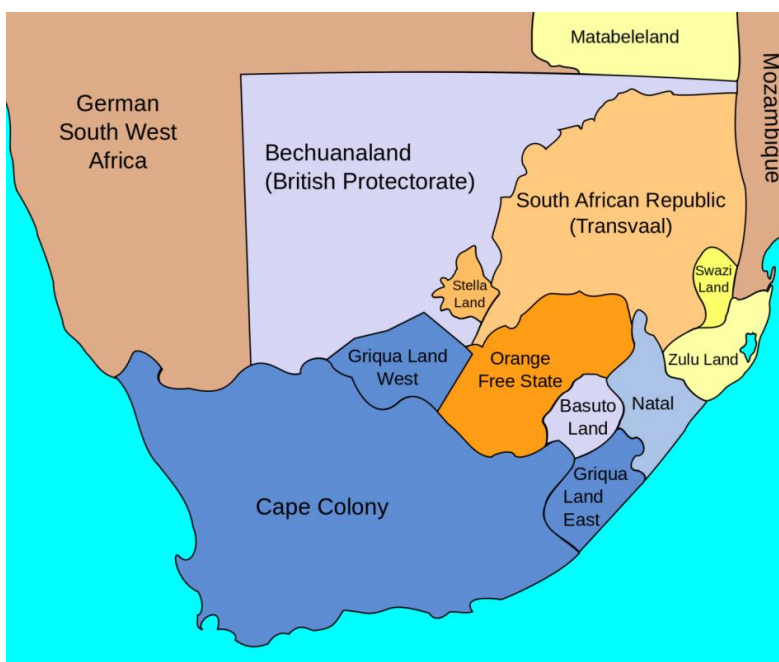
Map about the situation 1859-1884



[http://2.bp.blogspot.com/-](http://2.bp.blogspot.com/-DN6oOF2RRmo/UI53UjddFAI/AAAAAAAAARU0/U47X4eX_c2Y/s1600/188459SA-1884.jpg)

[DN6oOF2RRmo/UI53UjddFAI/AAAAAAAAARU0/U47X4eX_c2Y/s1600/188459SA-1884.jpg](http://2.bp.blogspot.com/-DN6oOF2RRmo/UI53UjddFAI/AAAAAAAAARU0/U47X4eX_c2Y/s1600/188459SA-1884.jpg) “Quick History: Natal was a British crown colony in south-eastern Africa between 1843-1910. The Capital was Pietermaritzburg, and the population was 1,200,000 in 1908. South Africa region in 1884-Natal in yellow. The British had annexed the Boer colony of Natalia in 1843, not without some misgivings by the Boer settlers, and administered Natal from Cape Colony until 1856. Population growth was initially small, at least in part because of the powerful Zulu presence. Stamps for Natal were issued from 1857-1909. A sugar industry were established in Natal, and over 150,000 indentured Indians arrived in Durban harbor to work the plantations. When Mahatma Gandhi arrived in Durban in 1893, Whites were outnumbered by Indians in the colony...In 1910, Natal was united with Cape of Good Hope, Orange Free State, and Transvaal to form the Union of South Africa.”

Map 1885



<https://upload.wikimedia.org/wikipedia/commons/thumb/5/54/SouthAfrica1885.svg/2000px-SouthAfrica1885.svg.png>

Map ca 1905?



http://www.stampsoftheworld.co.uk/w/images/e/e2/Natal_Location.png

Natal, a brief history

“The **Colony of Natal** was a **British colony** in south-eastern Africa. It was proclaimed a British colony on 4 May 1843 after the British government had annexed the **Boer Republic of Natalia**, and on 31 May 1910 combined with three other colonies to form the **Union of South Africa**, as one of its **provinces**. It is now the **KwaZulu-Natal** province of South Africa. The Indians who were brought to this country from India called it 'Netaal Tapu' (island of Neta).

It was originally only about half the size of the present province, with the north-eastern boundaries being formed by the **Tugela** and Buffalo rivers beyond which lay the independent Kingdom of **Zululand** (KwaZulu in **Zulu**). The present province was also enlarged by the addition of **Griqualand East** to the south.

Fierce conflict with the **Zulu** population led to the evacuation of **Durban**, and eventually the Boers accepted British annexation in 1844 under military pressure. A British governor was appointed to the region and many settlers emigrated from Europe and the Cape Colony. The British established a sugar cane industry in the 1860s. Farm owners had a difficult time attracting Zulu labourers to work on their plantations, so the British brought thousands of indentured labourers from India. As a result of the importation of Indian labourers, Durban became the home to the largest concentration of **Indians** outside of India”.

https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Colony_of_Natal

Postage Stamps of Natal

“The first stamps of Natal were issued on 26 May 1857. They were uncoloured designs embossed in plain relief on coloured wove paper and were imperforate. The first stamps of Natal after these were issued in 1859, with the Chalon portrait of [Queen Victoria](#). Between 1869 and 1895, postage stamps of 1859-67 and fiscal stamps were overprinted 'POSTAGE' in various styles or additionally surcharged 'Half-Penny'. Stamps of [King Edward VII](#) were issued between 1902 and 1909. Six official stamps of King Edward were also issued”

https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Postage_stamps_and_postal_history_of_Natal

“Although Natal was one of the earliest in the field of issuing stamps, it never enjoyed the popularity and appreciation received by other classic issues, such as world's first stamp "Penny Black" in 1840 or even Cape of Good Hope issues of "Cape Triangulars" in 1853.

This could be due to the fact that at the beginning there was no proper postal services in Natal until 1850, when the first Government Post Offices were established on February of that year, at the capital Pietermaritzburg, D'Urban, Bushman's River (later Estcourt) and Klip River (later Ladysmith). Prior to that, the postal facilities were limited as they were established by various missionaries. Other “Private Post Offices” were also created between Pietermaritzburg and Durban, in March 1846, by Natal Witness newspapers which were mainly used by their subscribers. More government post offices were opened initially Pinetown, Richmond, Verulam, Howick, Mooi River, Colenso, Weenen, Sterkspruit (later Caversham), Greytown, Umhlali, Umzinto and Isipingo by 1859. By 1880 the number of post offices in Natal had passed over 70. This saw the end of private postal services.

With the opening of the government post offices, the public had the option to use pre-paid stamps at a lower cost of than non-prepaid rate:

- local letters were charged at 1d per half ounce with pre-paid as compared to 4d for non-pre-paid
- overseas letters were charged at 6d per half ounce and these needed to be pre-paid
- the soldiers’ letters bearing the signature of the commanding office, had a preferential rate of 1d, this was also the case for newspapers

However on the introduction of postage stamps in 1857, pre-payment of the postages was made obligatory for all letters.

<http://www.philatelytoday.com/NatalStamps.html>

“Postal services were organised from 1845 to 1850 by the Natal military garrison and by *The Natal Witness* newspaper, but these were suppressed by the colonial government in 1850 which set up its own service from Pietermaritzburg to Durban, initially using hand-struck markings and in May 1857 introducing adhesive stamps. The first issues were embossed in relief on various colours of paper and thus do not reproduce well..”

<http://firstissues.org/countries/natal.php>

“NATAL. A British settlement was founded in 1824 in what is now Durban (formerly D'Urban). In 1839 Afrikaans speaking Voortrekkers established the Natalia Republic in this area. On 4 May 1843 the territory was proclaimed as the British Colony of Natal. In 1897 Zululand was annexed to Natal. On 31 May 1910 Natal became a province in the Union of South Africa. Natal stamps were first issued on 26

May 1857. From 19 August 1910 till 31 December 1937 stamps of Natal were valid for use in any part of the Union of South Africa."

<http://www.stampdomain.com/country/southafrica/>

Catalogue references:

M = Michel Süd- und Zentralafrika 2007, Natal, pp. 919-923

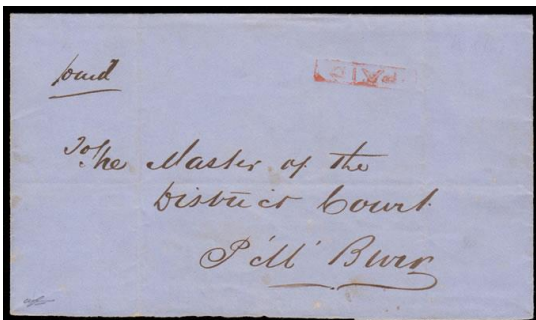
Y=Yvert et Tellier Tome 6, Timbres d'Outre-Mer F-N 1991, pp. 894-896

Natal prior to 1857



<http://www.filat.ch/images/pictures/jiurf056.jpg> "NATAL 1852 PAID MARK OF DURBAN ON LETTER, RARITY!", and " c1852 Neat small format wrapper from Durban addressed to "J P Symons, Long Market Street, PM Burg" bearing a lovely crisp strike of the elusive red boxed PAID oblong handstamp (Hart PS2) used at the Durban post office. VF, very rare, few existing, connoisseur's exhibition piece!"

<http://www.filat.ch/images/pictures/jpnkpa6cw.jpg> "c1852 Neat small format wrapper from Durban to Pietermaritzburg bearing a VF bold strike of the elusive red boxed PAID oblong handstamp used at the Durban post office. VF, very rare, connoisseur's exhibition piece!"



<http://www.filat.ch/images/pictures/jiurg056.jpg> "c1852 Neat folded wrapper from Durban addressed to "The Master of the District Court, PM Burg" bearing a strike of the elusive red boxed PAID oblong handstamp (Hart PS2) used at the Durban post office. Endorsed "Paid" at top. F-VF, very rare, few existing, exhibition piece!"

<http://www.filat.ch/images/pictures/bsruv056.jpg> "1855 Neat small format envelope to London bearing an excellent blue strike of Durban Crown over Natal datestamp of 11 MR. The "8" rating mark reflects the ship letter postage of 8d per ½oz paid to the Cape only (It was not possible to

prepay postage further from Natal). Couple minor imperfections, a lovely example of this early mail, scarce. ^As Natal's postal markings developed it had become desirable to reflect date of handling within the implements. The first dated handstamp was this circular postmark containing a crown at top, NATAL at base and the date in the middle. It is accepted that this canceller type was only used at the Durban post office and introduced in late 1853.^”



<http://www.filat.ch/images/pictures/gprksv6cw.jpg> “c1852 Wrapper from Pietermaritzburg to Cape Town endorsed "per the Sir Robert Peel" and rated at "1/4" being the rate for carriage by coastal vessel to Cape Town. Bears VF bold strike in red of the elusive boxed PREPAID oblong handstamp as used at the General Post Office in Pietermaritzburg. Very rare, connoisseur's exhibition piece, this being the example illustrated by Hart, Kantey & Leon.”

Natal 1857

According to <http://www.philatelytoday.com/NatalStamps.html> “The first Natal stamps were issued in 1843 on coloured wove papers. These were a set of 7 embossed stamps ranging from the 1d value up to 1s. When used on cover, these stamps were mostly pen cancelled”. However, all other sources report that the embossed stamps started to be issued in 1857, and continued up to 1861.

Description	paper	date of issue	Scott #	S.G. #
embossed in plain relief on coloured paper				
1 penny	blue	September 1859	5	1
1d	rose	1859	6	2
1d	buff	1861	7	3
3d	rose	26th May 1857	1	4
6d	green	26th May 1857	2	5
9d	blue	26th May 1857	3	6
1 shilling	buff	26th May 1857	4	7
engraved, perforated				
1 penny rose-red	?	1860	8	9
3d blue	?	1859	9	10

<http://firstissues.org/countries/natal.php> They add: "The dies for the embossed stamps were engraved by William Wyon in London and the stamps struck by Messrs. May and Davis at the Natal Treasury in Pietermaritzburg."



3p: <http://www.philatellytoday.com/NatalThreePence.jpg> (M#1; Y#4)

6p: <http://www.philatellytoday.com/NatalSixPence.jpg> (M#2; Y#5)

9p: <http://www.philatellytoday.com/NatalNinePence.jpg> (M#3; Y#6)

1 sh: <https://encrypted-tbn2.gstatic.com/images?q=tbn:ANd9GcTMLhsYYzdW0oP4Iutr7nmCrnpKxqswjolsvLo7d5BV0pUWvqgH> (M#4; Y#7)



http://a4.img.bidorbuy.co.za/image/upload/user_images/611/1328611/1328611_121121103122_natal3.jpg

Also see:

<http://www.natalia.org.za/Files/7/Natalia%20v7%20article%20p28-33%20C.pdf>

In 1957 memory stamps have been issued (without postal value), to commemorate the 100th anniversary of these 'embossed stamps' of Natal in 1857.



http://a3.tbn.bidorbuy.co.za/image/fetch/dpr_1.0,f_auto,t_btbnx/http://images-02.delcampe-static.net/img_large/auction/000/239/286/946_001.jpg



<http://firstissues.org/images/natcom.jpg> "a 1990 South Africa commemorative shows the 1/- (Sc4, SG7) design ".

Used:



<http://www.filat.ch/images/pictures/ttwe107.jpg> "1857 3d rose & 6d green embossed (SG 4&5). Two representative used examples, small imperfections. Scarce stamps"



http://lot-images.atgmedia.com/SR/37237/2915310/465-2014930125739_540x360.jpg "Natal 1857-61 3d rose SG4, fu blue cds on piece, ironed out horiz. bend expertised on back"



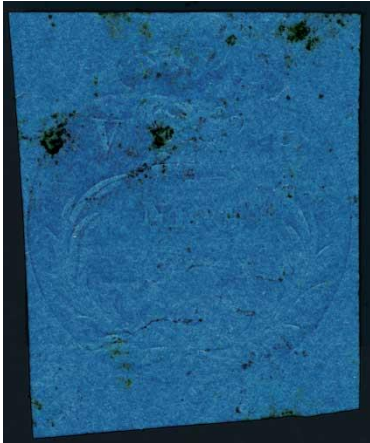
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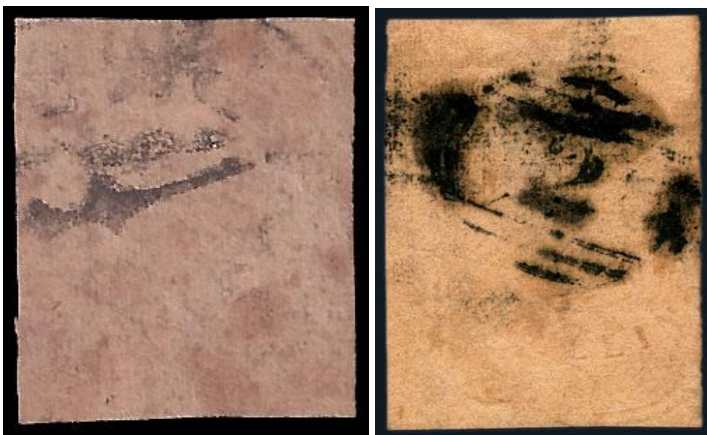
<http://firstissues.org/images/Nat1.jpg>



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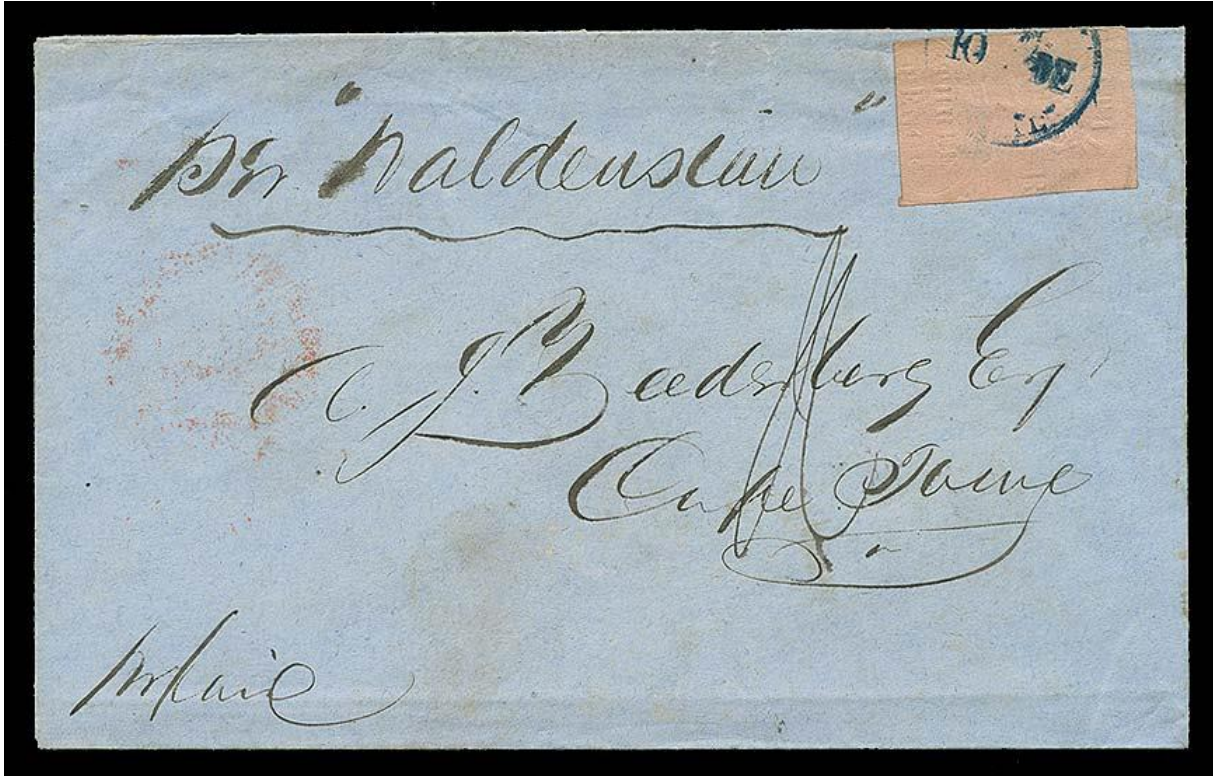


http://www.harmerschau.com/lotphotos_large/102/154349.jpg "South Africa; Natal, 1857, Embossed, 9d Blue, SG #6, unwatermarked, full margins all round, crisp embossing, two certs (PF 2008 stating mint with small gum stains), RPS (2009 stating used), in our opinion it leans towards the PF judgment that it is mint, as the black marks are indicative of gum soaks, 1st issue typically canceled by small cds with crown or manuscript, handsome Very Fine appearance, PF (2008), RPS (2009) certs."

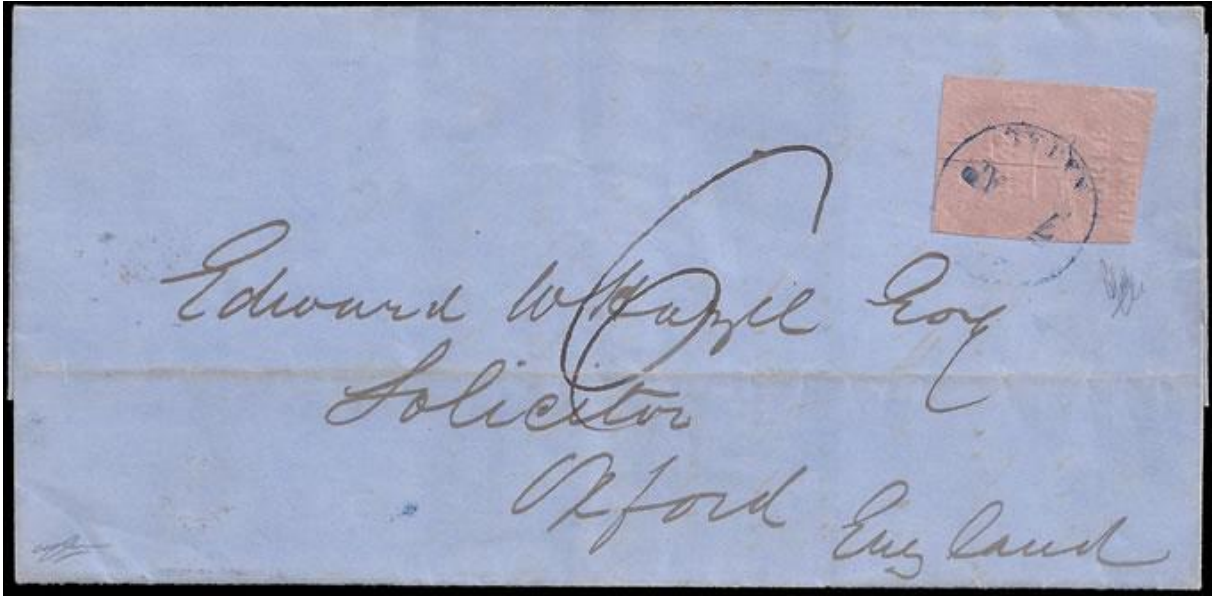


<http://www.filat.ch/images/pictures/grtx107.jpg> "NATAL 1857 1/- BUFF EMBOSSED WITH CERT, RARE. 1857 1/- buff, embossed (SG 7). A small sized example cancelled with Pietermaritzburg oval. An exceedingly rare stamp"

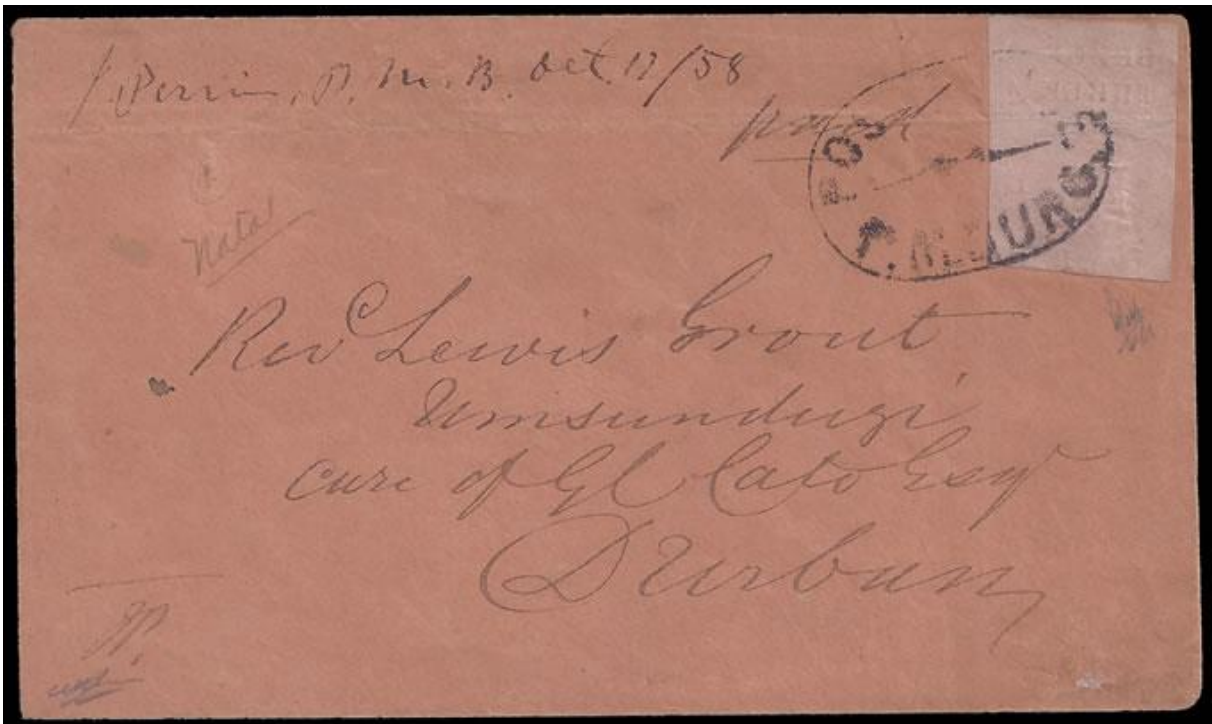
http://www.harmerschau.com/lotphotos_large/102/154350.jpg "South Africa; Natal, 1857, Embossed, 1/- Buff, SG #7, "2" single barred oval cancel of Durban, nice margins all round, no faults, about as nice as it gets"



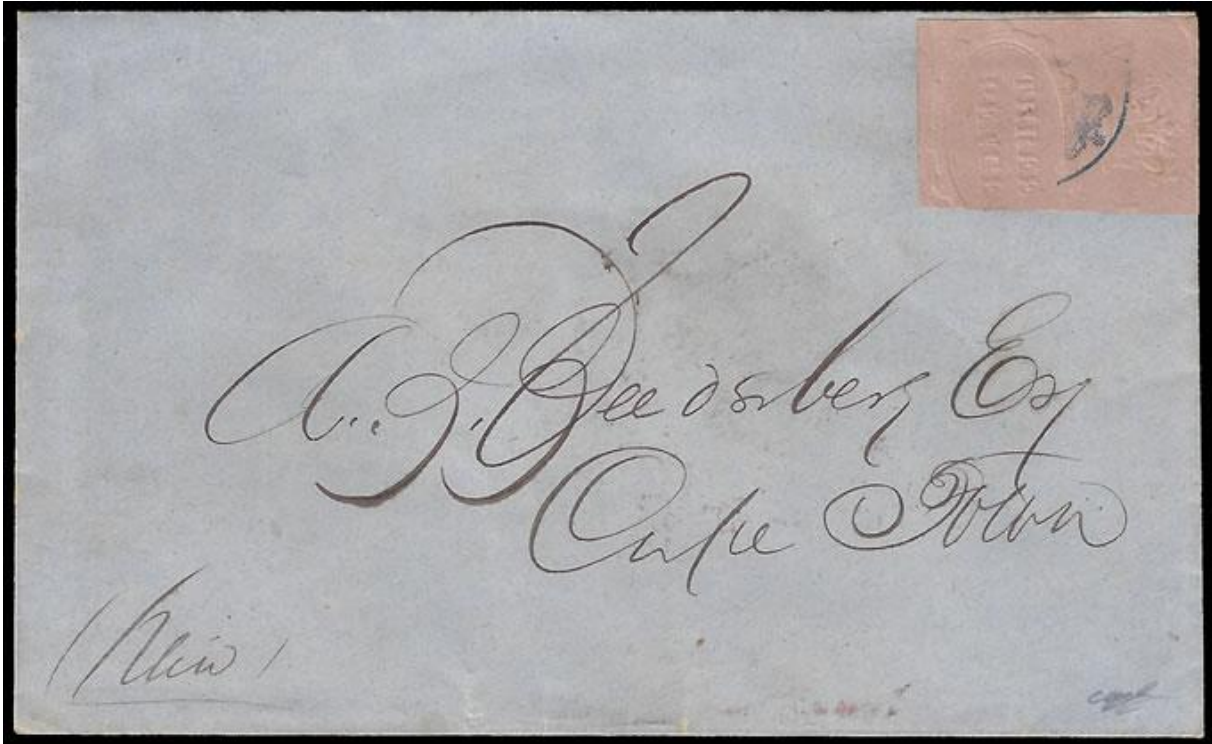
<http://www.rhodesia.co.za/Images/large/NA42.jpg>: "1858 (December), cover to Cape Town bearing embossed 3d rose tied by NATAL (10 Dec) single circle datestamp struck in blue. Endorsed 'Per Waldensian' and 'Prepaid'. Cape Town (18 Dec) arrival backstamp in red. The Waldensian was a 300 ton barque-rigged steamer owned by John T. Rennie of Aberdeen who placed the ship in service between Durban and Cape Town in 1857. The Waldensian and its sister ship, the Madagascar, were licensed by the Natal Government to carry mails between the two colonies. The Madagascar was wrecked in 1858 and the Waldensian in 1862 when the service was abandoned (SESA Vol 10, p579 & 583). The flap with tear. A scarce cover from this short-lived service."



<http://www.filat.ch/images/pictures/vruiy124.jpg> "1859 Blue folded entire from Durban to Oxford bearing 3d rose embossed (SG 4) tied blue crown Natal cds 7 AP. Adhesive somewhat small but nicely proportioned with crisp cancel and clearly visible embossing. Vertical knife cut not detracting; not mentioned on certificate. "6" charge mark in manuscript. London arrival cds JU 2 on reverse. Overall a pleasing example of this franking. Scarce"



<http://www.filat.ch/images/pictures/gpbgy124.jpg> : "1858 Small format envelope bearing 3d rose embossed (SG 4) tied good strong strike of Post Office PM Burg oval addressed to Durban. Adhesive with good visible embossing and nice regular shape, average size. Endorsed with dateline "J Perrin, PMB, Oct 12 1858" at top. Backflap missing, the adhesive crossed by letter crease, nonetheless a pleasing example of this franking. Scarce."



<http://www.filat.ch/images/pictures/wsicd056.jpg> "1859 Neat blue envelope to Cape Town bearing 3d rose embossed (SG 4) cancelled part blue crown Natal cds. Adhesive small-sized with nice regular shape and superb embossing. Cape Town unlined cds arrival mark MY 19 1859 on reverse. Fresh, most attractive. A pleasing example. Rare."



<http://www.filat.ch/images/pictures/jnbgx123.jpg> "1858 Neat small format envelope to Ireland bearing 3d rose embossed (SG 4) tied Durban blue crown Natal cds 10 DE. Adhesive normal sized with good shape and reasonable embossing. Endorsed "per English Mail" at top and with 6d charge handstamp on front. 3d Port Charge in Natal, taxed 6d for an incoming packet letter on arrival in England as Natal stamps were not recognised. Transit, arrival marks on reverse. Pleasing example of this franking, scarce destination, being one of only two 3d covers and a piece recorded to addresses in Ireland. Rare."



<http://www.filat.ch/images/pictures/gpuba056.jpg> "1858 Blue envelope to Ireland bearing 3d rose embossed (SG 4) tied partial blue crown Natal cds (indistinct November date). Adhesive small to normal-sized with nice regular shape. Endorsed "Paid 8d" at left, "per English Mail" at top and with 6d charge handstamp on front. December transit, arrival marks on reverse. Overall ageing/soiling, a pleasing example of this franking & scarce destination. Rare. Only one other 3d cover and a piece are recorded addressed to Ireland."



<http://www.filat.ch/images/prpuw051.jpg> "1858 Neat small format envelope to London bearing 3d rose embossed (SG 4) tied blue crown Natal cds 25 MR. Adhesive somewhat small but nicely proportioned with crisp cancel. Endorsed "Paid" at top, "6" charge mark in manuscript. London arrival cds MY 26 on reverse. Overall a very pleasing example of this franking. Rare".



<http://www.filat.ch/images/pictures/qbpa095.jpg> "1858 Folded blue entire from Durban to Pietermaritzburg bearing 3d rose embossed (SG 4) tied by blue crown/Natal cds of 2 NO. Adhesive small-sized with nice regular shape, fresh appearance and VF embossing ("three pence" of value clearly visible). Addressed to "D D Buchanan Esq, Attorney" with (hopeful!) endorsement "free" at lower left. Some wrinkling/folds, generally F-VF. Rare."



<http://www.filat.ch/images/pictures/qscng056.jpg> "1858 Small format envelope bearing 3d rose embossed (SG 4) tied light Post Office PM Burg oval to Richmond. Adhesive with fine embossing and nice regular shape. Endorsed "paid" & "1858", at top. With tiny decorative flower drawing. Overall a pleasing example of this franking. Rare."



<http://www.filat.ch/images/pictures/fpkiu6cw.jpg> "1859 Neat small format inland entire letter Pietermaritzburg to Durban bearing 3d rose embossed (SG 4) tied good complete strike of oval Post Office PMBurg. Adhesive design cut in but with good size and nice regular shape. Endorsed "Paid" at top left. F-VF, rare."



<http://www.filat.ch/images/pictures/qrgpy6cw.jpg>



<http://pictures.philasearch.com/A09081/S34/9101.jpg>: "1857, Embossed Issues, 6 d. green (normal condition) on large fragment, black oval VRYBURG POST OFFICE and red CAPE TOWN JY/18 1857 alongside."



<http://www.filat.ch/images/pictures/pgkrf123.jpg> "1858 Envelope Durban to England franked 6d green embossed (SG 5) tied by Durban Crown 8 SE cancellation. The adhesive with reasonable embossing and good colour. "1/-" English charge mark on front for an incoming Ship Letter as the Natal stamp was not recognised at that time. On reverse Plymouth cds OC 31 58 London cds NO 1 58. A double rate letter with 3d being port charge in Natal, such rates usages being rare. Overall pleasant appearance. The 6d embossed of Natal a rarity. (cv£1100 stamp only)."

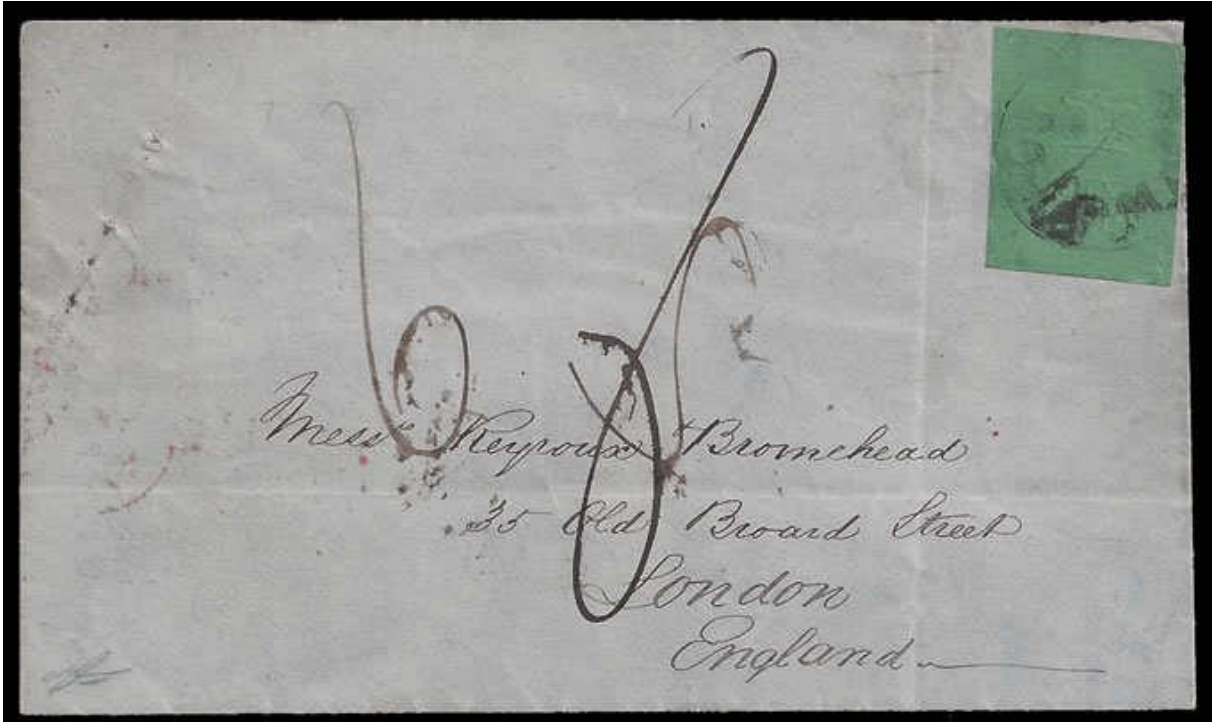


<http://www.filat.ch/images/pictures/luspm6cw.jpg> "1858 Neat part (complete front panel with single back flap) folded entire Pietermaritzburg to London franked 6d green embossed (SG 5) tied by Post Office PMBurg oval (type A1). The adhesive nicely shaped and fully sized, somewhat flat embossing. "6" manuscript charge mark. On reverse excellent strike of Liverpool Ship transit mark AP 10 and London arrival cds AP 12. Overall very pleasant appearance. The 6d embossed of Natal a rarity on cover."



<http://www.filat.ch/images/pictures/grgpy6cw.jpg> "1859 Envelope Pietermaritzburg to England endorsed "Steamer Feb 5th 59" franked embossed 6d green (SG 5) tied by Post Office PMBurg oval (type A1). The adhesive cut-in at right; otherwise with good embossing, crown & value clearly visible. Large handstamped "6d" applied in Devonport on front. On reverse Plymouth Packet Letter MR 23, Manchester & Bolton cds's. Some light soiling, toning, overall pleasant appearance. The 6d embossed of Natal on cover a rarity."

http://www.filat.ch/images/pictures/grgpy6cw_1.jpg



<http://pictures.philasearch.com/A09315/S201509/761.jpg> : "1857 Envelope Pietermaritzburg to England franked 6d green embossed (SG 5) tied by Post Office PMBurg oval (type A1). The adhesive normal-sized for these; with good embossing, value clearly visible. "6" and "8" (latter deleted) charge marks on front. On reverse London cds DE 31. Overall pleasing appearance. The 6d embossed of Natal a rarity."

Natal 1859-1861



<http://www.philateltoday.com/NatalOnePenny.jpg>

<http://pictures.philasearch.com/A09337/S185/v1276.jpg>



<http://stampauctionnetwork.com/f/116/2337.jpg> "1859 1p Embossed on Rose paper, large margins all around, clear embossing, unusually light and unobtrusive cancel, small internal paper split, otherwise a very fine example of this rare stamp"

<http://stampauctionnetwork.com/f/116/2338.jpg> "1861 1p Embossed on buff, full margins around, clear embossing, lightly cancelled, slight soiling, otherwise very fine"

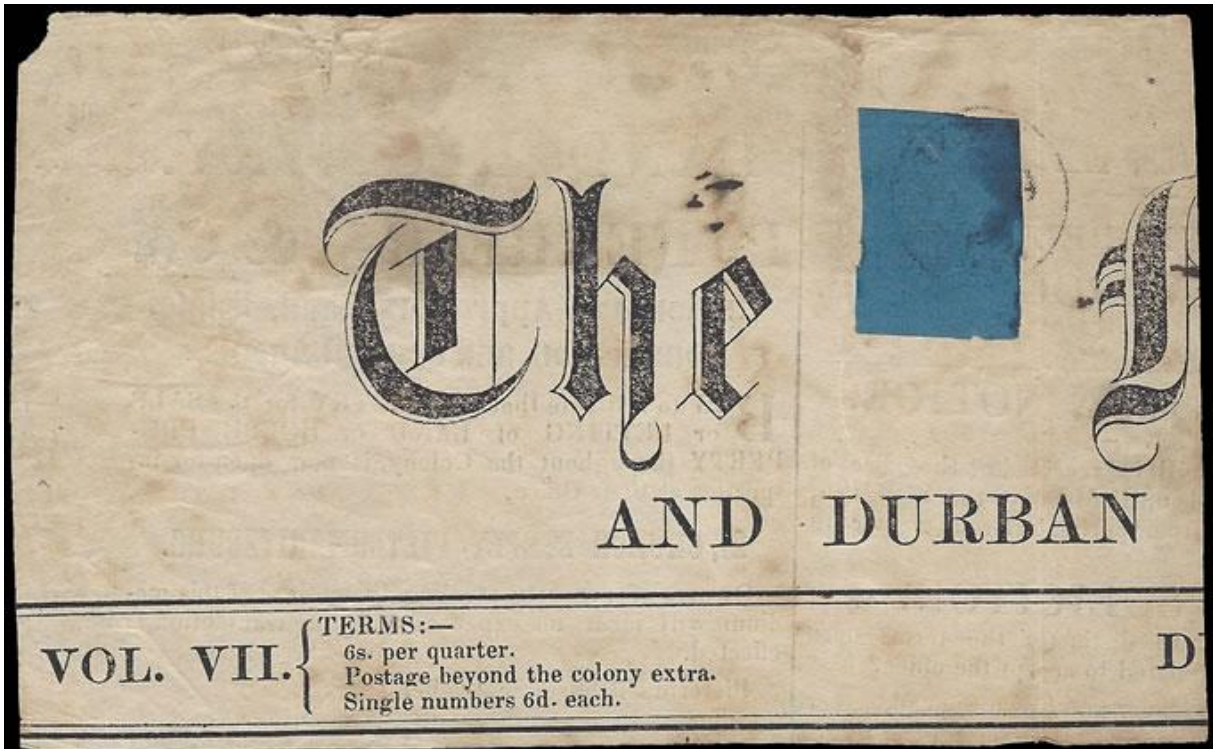
<http://stampauctionnetwork.com/f/116/2336.jpg> "1859 1p Embossed on blue, used, deep paper color, full margins, crisp embossing, lightly cancelled, very fine"

(M#5; Y#1: 1d on pink paper; M#6; Y#3: 1d on brown paper; M#7; Y#2: 1d on blue paper)



<http://pictures.philasearch.com/A09352/S62/16180.jpg> : "Embossed 1d rose, small thin at edge, small DURBANS d/ring cds, v.g.u. Rare." M#5

<http://pictures.philasearch.com/A09425/S1130/1543.jpg> : "NATAL, 1858, 1p Rose (6; SG 2).> Large margins, strong and clear embossing, Pietermaritzburg oval cancel, Very Fine" M#5



<http://www.filat.ch/images/pictures/lgnw6cw.jpg> " 1859 Part NEWSPAPER MASTHEAD header (140x85mm) of "The Natal Mercury" franked at 1D NEWSPAPER RATE. This special postage rate paid by a single 1d blue embossed (SG 3). Adhesive of regular square shape, tied black crowned Natal cds. Few pieces illustrating this rate have survived. F-VF, rare. Ex Basden. Dated from advertisement of reverse "September 1 1859"." M#7



<http://www.filat.ch/images/pictures/anbnke6cw.jpg> "1859 COMPLETE NEWSPAPER being the December 21st edition of "The Natal Courier (and Pietermaritzburg Advertiser)" mailed to London at the 1D NEWSPAPER RATE. This special postage rate was paid by a single 1d blue embossed (SG 3) tied by black cancellation. The adhesive design is complete with sharp clear embossing. Very few complete newspapers illustrating this rate have survived. A great rarity for connoisseur!" M#7



<http://www.filat.ch/images/pictures/qbnkrf6cw.jpg> "c1859 Folded wrapper front with large part top flap bearing STRIP OF THREE 1d blue embossed (SG 1) tied by black grille / retta cancellations. The adhesive designs complete with superb sharp clear embossing. Addressed to "The Hon Surveyor General, Pietermaritzburg." Outstandingly fine, very scarce multiple, a rarity for connoisseur!" M#7

Natal 1859-64 Definitive Postage Stamps



http://www.stampsoftheworld.co.uk/w/images/3/38/Natal_1859_Definitives_a.jpg (M#8, 1860, perf.14; M#11, 1862, wm1, perf.L14-15, M#A11, 1863, perf.13; M#12a 1864, wm2, perf.12.5, and M#12b 1870 changed colour; Y#8; Y#11; Y#12)

<https://s-media-cache-ak0.pinimg.com/564x/0b/5f/67/0b5f67c5ab5be83a686152418f522d99.jpg>

https://upload.wikimedia.org/wikipedia/commons/thumb/1/19/Stamp_Natal_1863_1p.jpg/220px-Stamp_Natal_1863_1p.jpg

<http://www.stampworld.com/media/catalogue/Natal/Postage-stamps/F6-i.jpg> "1864 Queen Victoria
- New Watermark; WM: 2 Perforation: 12½"; M#12



<http://pictures.philasearch.com/A09081/S201605/215.jpg> : "1859: 1 P. rose-red, without watermark, mint never hinged / mint block of 9 (only 3 copies with hinge), with full original gum in fresh preservation. A scarce unit! ~ 1 P. rosarot, ohne Wz., postfrischer/ungebrauchter Neunerblock (3 Marken mit Falz) mit vollem Originalgummi in sehr frischer Erhaltung. Eine seltene Einheit! (SG 9)"
M#8



http://www.stampsoftheworld.co.uk/w/images/f/f1/Natal_1859_Definitives_b.jpg (M#9A, 1859
perf.14; M#9C, 1861, perf.14+16; Y#3 and 3a without perf.).



<http://pictures.philasearch.com/A09315/S201509/899.jpg>: “1862 PLATE PROOF of Chalon Head 3d in blue on un gummed Star watermarked paper. Left marginal. Rare.”

<https://s-media-cache-ak0.pinimg.com/236x/d3/64/e7/d364e73e419172960893f5d38750a87f.jpg>



<http://pictures.philasearch.com/A09315/S201509/929.jpg>: “1862 Chalon Head 6d grey, rough perf (SG 13). VF/M large part OG example of this elusive stamp in unused condition”

<http://pictures.philasearch.com/A09315/S201509/916.jpg>: “1862 PLATE PROOF of Chalon Head 6d (SG 13 etc) in black on thick card. VF, close but clear margins all round. Attractive, rare.”



http://www.stampsoftheworld.co.uk/w/images/f/f5/Natal_1859_Definitives_d.jpg (M#10, 1862, perf.14-16; M#13a lila and M#13b dark violett, 1864: wm2, perf.12.5; Y#10 grey violet; Y#13 violet)

<https://s-media-cache-ak0.pinimg.com/564x/f4/78/6c/f4786c6ecae687604b8e7f323356676f.jpg>

http://stampforgeries.com/wp-content/uploads/2014/11/Natal_QV_6p_Forgery2.jpg , with “1”= Pietermaritzburg.

<http://1.bp.blogspot.com/-5wOJw9jNH9o/UkoBkcXNJvl/AAAAAAAAARQE/QyOG09jbVEk/s1600/imgNatal16S.jpg> , with "2"=
Durban.



<http://www.stampworld.com/media/catalogue/Natal/Postage-stamps/F7-i.jpg> "1864 Queen Victoria
- New Watermark WM: 2 Perforation: 12½"; M#13



<http://pictures.philasearch.com/A09315/S201509/913.jpg> : "1859-63 PLATE PROOF of Chalon Head
6d in rose-pink on Crown CC watermarked paper. VF, scarce."

Natal 1867 Definitive Postage Stamps



http://www.stampsoftheworld.co.uk/w/images/3/39/Natal_1867_Definitives_a.jpg (M#14; Y#14)

Natal 1867 Revenue Stamps



<http://www.rhodesia.co.za/Images/large/NA318.jpg>: "Revenue 1867 QV 1/- green BLOCK OF TWELVE (6x2) with interpanneau margin at left. Fiscally cancelled with manuscript 'July 31 1884' in black. Odd perforation fault, otherwise very fine. An impressive and very scarce multiple. SG 25"

Natal Revenue Stamps 1867-1884



<http://www.rhodesia.co.za/Images/large/NA337.jpg>: "Revenue 1859 'ONE / (Crown) / NATAL / PENNY' rectangular 1d embossed on blue paper (19x24mm). Very fine."



<http://www.rhodesia.co.za/Images/large/NA344.jpg>: "Revenue c1868 'NATAL / V (Crown) R / SIX / PENCE' embossed on pink surfaced paper, perf 12½ (44x46mm). Very fine used with part of a commercial oval cancellation. Very scarce, especially this fine."



<http://www.rhodesia.co.za/Images/large/NA346.jpg>: "Revenue 1868 'NATAL / V (Crown) R / ONE / SHILLING / AND / SIX / PENCE' embossed on blue surfaced paper, perf 12½ (36x42mm). Fine used, tied to small piece by 'STAMP OFFICE' (OCT 7 / 1870) oval date-stamp. Very scarce."



<http://www.rhodesia.co.za/Images/large/NA345.jpg>: "Revenue c1868 'NATAL / V (Crown) R / TWO / SHILLINGS / & / SIX / PENCE' embossed on green surfaced paper, perf 12½ (37x43mm). Very fine used, tied to small piece by manuscript and 'PAID' cancellations. Unobtrusive horizontal crease. Rare."



<http://www.rhodesia.co.za/Images/large/NA347.jpg>: "Revenue 1869 'ONE / (Crown) / NATAL / PENNY' embossed on yellow surfaced paper, perf 12½ (22x43mm). Fine used, dated '13/1/69' in manuscript and initialled. Very scarce." M#Stempelmarken 1; also in use as postage stamp



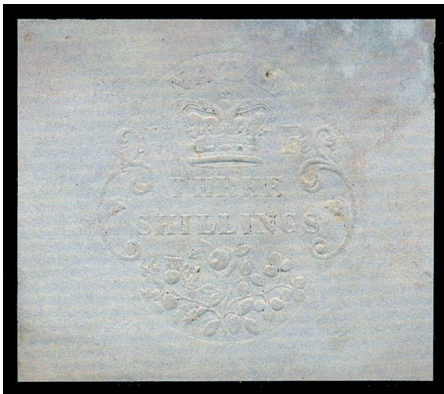
Id yellow paper (Revenue) http://catalogue.klaseboer.com/vol1/html/s_afr/natafis1.jpg



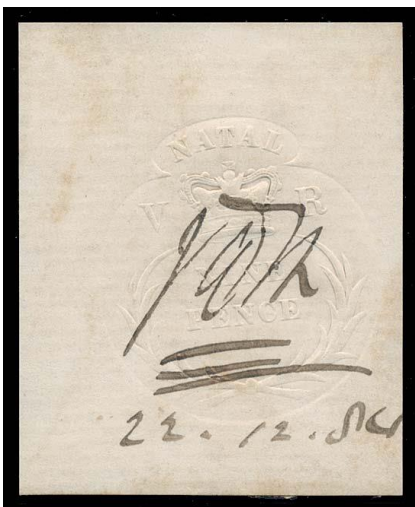
<http://i.ebayimg.com/images/g/DmgAAOSwZVIXklw/s-l1600.jpg> (M#1+M#2 + Revenue)



<http://www.rhodesia.co.za/Images/large/NA340.jpg> : "Revenue 1871 'NATAL / V (Crown) R / FOUR / PENCE' embossed on thick, bluish grey paper (36x39mm). Fine used with manuscript date '1871 / Dec 23rd'. Scarce."



<http://www.rhodesia.co.za/Images/large/NA341.jpg> : "Revenue c1880 'NATAL / V (Crown) R / THREE / SHILLINGS' embossed on thick, bluish grey laid paper (47x 41mm). Fine and scarce."



<http://www.rhodesia.co.za/Images/large/NA342.jpg> : "Revenue 1884 'NATAL / V (Crown) R / NINE / PENCE' embossed on thick cream paper (43x53mm). Very fine used with initials and dated '22.12.84'. Scarce, especially this fine."

Natal 1868 Proofs



<http://pictures.philasearch.com/A09315/S201509/836.jpg> : "1868 De La Rue (?) "Additional embossed dies". PROOF IMPRESSIONS comprising 13 duties: 2/-, 2/3, 2/6, 5/-, £1, £1/5/-, £2, £2/10/-, £5, £8, £10, £20 and £25, struck in rose-carmine on thin card, each also overprinted SPECIMEN (Samuel D9). A few minor imperfections. A magnificently attractive showpiece array for connoisseur. Believed to be unique. Exceptional."

Natal 1869 (1875!) Revenue Stamps



<http://www.rhodesia.co.za/Images/large/NA208.jpg>: Revenue 1869 QV 1d imperforate colour proof in yellow, handstamped 'CANCELLED' (Samuel type D4), affixed to small piece. Ex the DLR archives. Copy of clear BPA certificate (2006, for 1d and 6d). Very rare." M#Stempelmarken 3 and 4: Y#Fiscaux-postaux 1 and 1A)

<http://thumbs.ebaystatic.com/images/g/KMsAAOSwEppUPtg1/s-l225.jpg>

<http://www.rhodesia.co.za/Images/large/NA207.jpg>: Revenue 1869 QV 6d imperforate colour proof in rose, handstamped 'CANCELLED' (Samuel type D4), affixed to small piece. Ex the DLR archives. Copy of clear BPA certificate (2006, for 1d and 6d). Very rare".

Natal 1869 Definitives

Surch: POSTAGE (and with [I] or without [II] a dot after POSTAGE) or Postage (with dot), in three different lengths: 12.5 mm [I], 13.5 mm [II] and 14.5 mm [III] ['Natal'= 12.5 mm].



<http://www.stampworld.com/media/catalogue/Natal/Postage-stamps/H-i.jpg> (M#15-I; Y15-I)

http://images.bidorbuy.co.za/user_images/449/1402449/1402449_150704161259_Natal_SG_50_us_ed.jpg (Idem)

(M#15-II; Y#15-II illustration not yet found)



http://catalogue.klaseboer.com/vol1/html/s_afr/nata19.jpg M#19-I (c12.5 mm); Y#19

<https://cdn.philasearch.com/A09415/S125/775.jpg>; "1869 1d rose Q Victoria overprinted
"Postage."^ SG Type 7c (13¾mm), wmkd CC, perf 12½, fine"; M#19II (c13.5mm); Y#19b-III

<https://cdn.globalauctionplatform.com/1d2a5191-206e-437f-943f-a49f0100f4d7/05e3761f-c861-41ad-c81b-cd59ac428306/155x155.jpg> M#19-III (c14.5 mm); Y#19b-IV

http://www.stampsoftheworld.co.uk/w/images/9/9e/Natal_1869_Definitives_a.jpg M19-III (15
mm); Idem

Y#19a double surcharge: illustration not yet found



http://www.stampsoftheworld.co.uk/w/images/8/84/Natal_1869_Definitives_c.jpg M#16-I (top)
Y#16-I

https://encrypted-tbn0.gstatic.com/images?q=tbn:ANd9GcTpy3I4xKZlBeGxleNOTt-v65_dLE2T24Xh0bLVozgEO0LqM5iv M#16-I (bottom); Y#16-I

<http://thumbs.ebaystatic.com/images/g/9z0AAOSwRgJXkAgY/s-l225.jpg> M#16-I (low centre); Y16-I

M#16-II; Y#16II not yet found



<https://s-media-cache-ak0.pinimg.com/736x/90/33/81/903381a1a303bdfa44cb1ef891e12891.jpg>
M#21-I; Y#20

http://images.delcampe.com/img_large/auction/000/271/183/995_001.jpg M#21-II; Y20a-III

M#21-III; Y#20a-IV not yet found



<http://www.frimerkehuset.no/fh/lager/21830.jpg>; M#17-I; Y#17-I

<http://www.stampworld.com/media/catalogue/Natal/Postage-stamps/H2-i.jpg>; Idem



<http://www.stevedrewett.com/images/6549.jpg> M#17-II; Y#17-II

<https://cdn.globalauctionplatform.com/1d2a5191-206e-437f-943f-a49f0100f4d7/222738c8-0714-4380-a8c6-dd29ef9c3586/540x360.jpg> Idem

<http://www.stampworld.com/media/catalogue/Natal/Postage-stamps/I2-i.jpg> Idem



http://www.stampsoftheworld.co.uk/w/images/d/d3/Natal_1869_Definitives_d.jpg M#21-I; Y#21



<https://www.sandafayre.com/stockimages/49180164.jpg> M#21-II; Y#21a-III (2x; as well as M#19-II; Y#19b-III)



<http://www.stampworld.com/media/catalogue/Natal/Postage-stamps/J10-i.jpg> : "1869 Overprinted
"Postage." - 14,5-15,5 mm Long Overprint; 23. August WM: 2 Perforation: 12½-16"; M#21-III;
Y#21a-IV



<http://www.stampworld.com/media/catalogue/Natal/Postage-stamps/H3-i.jpg>; M#18-I; Y18-I

<http://thumbs.ebaystatic.com/images/g/vpkAAOSwpx9W-tKO/s-l200.jpg> Idem



<http://i.ebayimg.com/images/g/-PYAAOSw0QFXBlw~/s-l500.jpg> M#18-II; Y#18-II



<http://www.stampworld.com/media/catalogue/Natal/Postage-stamps/J3-i.jpg> ; "1869 Overprinted
"Postage." - 12,5 mm Long Overprint; 23. August WM: 2 Perforation: 12-16" ; M#22-I; Y22

M#22 ("Postage." Surcharge II and III not yet found [=Y#22a-III and Y#22a-IV]; only a forged stamp;
without a dot behind "Postage")



http://stampforgeries.com/wp-content/uploads/2014/11/Natal_QV_1s_Postage_Overprint_Forgery.jpg

Natal 1870 Definitives optd POSTAGE in curve



<http://pictures.philasearch.com/A09352/S62/16191.jpg>: "1s green with green overprint, fine mint."
M#23a; Y#26



http://www.stampsoftheworld.co.uk/w/images/2/20/Natal_1870_Definitives_2a.jpg M#23a; Y#26
(surcharge green)

<http://pictures.philasearch.com/A00004/S205/1152.jpg>: "Natal 1870: 1 s. green, wmk. CC., perf. 14, overprinted with curved POSTAGE in carmine by De La Rue, a good used example with perfs. re-cut at top and top left, nevertheless a splendid example of an extraordinarily rare stamp." M#23b; Y#26b)
(surch. carmin red)

http://www.stampsoftheworld.co.uk/w/images/0/01/Natal_1869_Definitives_e.jpg M#23c; Y#26a
(surch. Black)

Natal 1870-1873 Definitive optd POSTAGE up and down



<http://www.sandafayre.com/stockimages/40244912.jpg> M#24; Y#23



<http://www.stampworld.com/media/catalogue/Natal/Postage-stamps/L1-i.jpg> M#25; Y#24

http://www.stampsoftheworld.co.uk/w/images/8/84/Natal_1870_Definitives_b.jpg Idem



http://www.stampsoftheworld.co.uk/w/images/d/d5/Natal_1870_Definitives_c.jpg M#26; Y#25

Natal 1873 Revenue stamp, also [rarely] used as postage stamp



[http://i.ebayimg.com/18/!B658wlwB2k~\\$\(KGrHqZ,ljQEybvwFUpeBMyqE1t-2!~ 35.JPG](http://i.ebayimg.com/18/!B658wlwB2k~$(KGrHqZ,ljQEybvwFUpeBMyqE1t-2!~ 35.JPG) ;
M#Stempelmarken 3 and 4 (1875) and 2 (1873); Y#Fiscaux-postaux 1, 1A and 1B.



<http://www.filat.ch/images/pictures/frpnu083.jpg> : "1859-63 PLATE PROOF of Chalon Head 6d in rose-pink, a left marginal block of four on gummed Crown CC watermarked paper. Couple gum creases, VF, rare."

Natal 1873 Definitive optd POSTAGE upwards



http://a5.img.bidorbuy.co.za/image/upload/user_images/855/1139855/1139855_140519120243_1MG_0009.jpg: "Natal - NATAL - 1873 - SG63 - 1 SHILLING PURPLE-BROWN - FINE USED" M#27; Y#27

<http://thumbs.ebaystatic.com/images/g/3ucAAOSwzJ5XYiPY/s-l225.jpg> Idem

Natal 1874 Definitives



1d pink; http://www.stampsoftheworld.co.uk/w/images/0/01/Natal_1874_Definitives_b.jpg
Postmark DURBAN M#28; Y#29

http://www.stampsoftheworld.co.uk/w/images/5/56/Type_M1.1.jpg

<http://www.michael-hamilton.com/images/NAT58357.jpg> "OVAL OF 14 BARS, Natal postmark. on QV 1d Crown CA wmk (SG.99)."



<http://www.stevedrewett.com/images/3526.jpg> "NATAL - 1899 1d rose (SG 99) with unusual V.R.I. overprint and 'JHP' initials. 1899 1d rose (SG 99) adhesive (shaved perfs at bottom) handstamped diagonally 'V R I' in black ink (no stops) of an unknown font and with 'J.H.P.' initials in manuscript above. Very unusual item."



http://www.stampsoftheworld.co.uk/w/images/6/68/Natal_1874_Definitives_f.jpg ; M#29 (A: perf 14; C: perf 14:12.5); Y#30 and Y#30a



http://www.stampsoftheworld.co.uk/w/images/5/54/Natal_1874_Definitives_g.jpg ; M#30 (A: perf 14; C: perf 12.5); Y#31 and Y#31a



http://www.stampsoftheworld.co.uk/w/images/2/2e/Natal_1874_Definitives_h.jpg ; M#31; Y#32



<http://poststamp.dk/wp-content/uploads/AfSaNa32c2715-199x250.jpg> M#32a (pink); Y#33a

http://www.stampsoftheworld.co.uk/w/images/a/ac/Natal_1874_Definitives_c.jpg ; M32b (lilac); A perf 14; C perf 15.5:15); Y#33b and Y#33c

<https://s-media-cache-ak0.pinimg.com/564x/c2/c8/55/c2c8550e90b76aa3ff86fc47582be3a6.jpg> ; idem; but in Y: Y#33, separate for "carmin"



http://images.bidorbuy.co.za/user_images/449/1402449/1402449_140204152542_scan0011.jpg : M#33 (karmin red); Y#23a

http://www.stampsoftheworld.co.uk/w/images/e/e3/Natal_1870_Definitives_a.jpg Idem

Natal 1875



<http://media.stampworld.com/media/catalogue/Natal/Postage-stamps/S-s.jpg> M#34; Y#34

Y#34a double surch,: illustration not yet found

Natal 1876



<http://media.stampworld.com/media/catalogue/Natal/Postage-stamps/T-s.jpg> M#35; Y#36

http://img.bidorbuy.co.za/image/upload/user_images/309/1109309/160728115127_Scan071.jpg

Idem

<https://s3-ap-southeast-2.amazonaws.com/ctpstamps/020.jpg> Idem, two different versions

Y#36a inverted: illustration not yet found



<http://www.frimerkehuset.no/fh/lager/22921.jpg> M#36; Y#35

<http://pictures.philasearch.com/A09315/S201509/856.jpg> : "1875-76 1d yellow SURCHARGE MISPLACED (SG 82var). F/M, large part OG, tiny imperfections. Scarce, attractive."



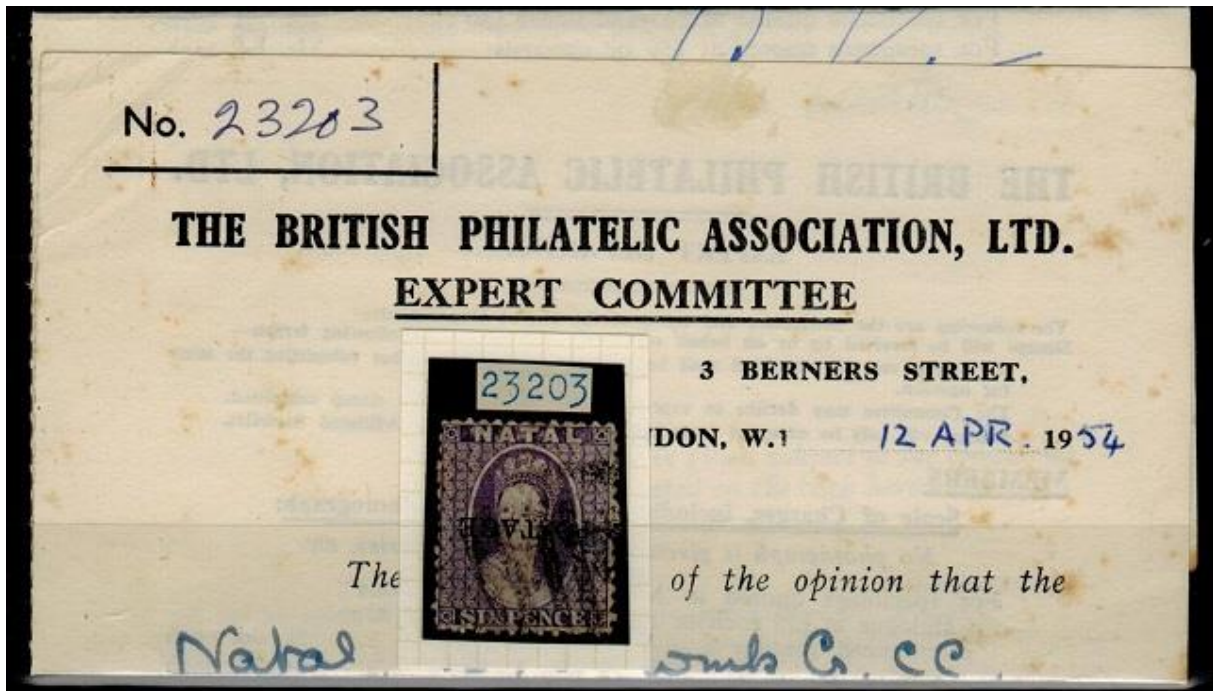
<http://www.stampworld.com/media/catalogue/Natal/Postage-stamps/T2-i.jpg> ; M#37; Y#37

<http://www.filat.ch/images/pictures/kgiy094.jpg> ; Idem

<http://1.bp.blogspot.com/-boPGsjz1jpA/UkoBvaVU-hI/AAAAAAAAARQU/fHcusoyhOsw/s1600/imgNatal47S.jpg> ; Idem



<http://www.rhodesia.co.za/Images/large/MN34.jpg>: "1879 (October), cover bearing QV 6d surcharged 'POSTAGE' (SG 83), barred oval cancel, addressed to Cheltenham, England. Durban (6th October) transit and Cheltenham (7th November) arrival backstamps. A neat and clean cover." (M#37; Y#37)



<http://www.stevedrewett.com/images/5979.jpg> "NATAL - 1876 6d violet used with INVERTED OVERPRINT. SG 83b.1876 6d violet in fine used condition showing the major error OVERPRINT INVERTED" (Y#37a)



<http://pictures.philasearch.com/A09315/S201509/763.jpg> : "1879 Envelope to England franked 6d OVPT INVERTED (SG 83b) tied complete numeral 2 cancel. Durban cds 13 9 1879 on front, Tottenham arrival cds OC 16 on reverse. A remarkable franking with the invert. Some light soiling, address neatly overwritten, F-VF, an exhibition showpiece. We record six such covers bearing inverted overprint frankings." (Y#37a)

Y#37b double surcharge: illustration not yet found



<http://www.stampworld.com/media/catalogue/Natal/Postage-stamps/T3-i.jpg> ; M#38; Y#38

<http://pictures.philasearch.com/A09352/S62/16195.jpg> Idem

http://images-00.delcampe-static.net/img_large/auction/000/355/232/951_001.jpg; M#38 Idem



http://1.bp.blogspot.com/-XJRVvt31xs/T_E0W6JQCqI/AAAAAAACyU/GwxpghjLQ-l/s1600/IMG1_0001.jpg : "Natal-1876-1 Shilling-(Green)-Postage Stamp-Local Overprint-Illustrated.

Shown below is the 1876 Natal 1 Shilling (green) stamp with "Postage" overprint. The stamp was overprinted locally. The overprint is very similar to an overprint used in the first issue of the stamp of 1869, The 1869 overprint is quite rare, only 60 are known to have been overprinted, making the 1869 variety quite valuable. The watermark for both issues of the stamp is a crown over "CC" and both have a perforation of 14. The watermark is illustrated below the stamp face illustration"

http://3.bp.blogspot.com/-Sz_VdlxMQb0/T_EwHIWcyII/AAAAAAACyI/nlk1u5DHTcs/s320/IMG1_0002.jpg

Y#38a double surcharge: illustration not yet found

Natal 1877 Definitive surch HALF



<http://www.stampworld.com/media/catalogue/Natal/Postage-stamps/U-i.jpg> ; M#39-I; Y#39

http://a3.tbn.bidorbuy.co.za/image/fetch/dpr_1.0,f_auto,t_btbnl/http://img.bidorbuy.co.za/image/upload/user_images/534/2113534/2113534_151025083013_Lot6861.jpg ; M#39-II; Y#39a

Natal 1877 Definitives surch



http://www.stampsoftheworld.co.uk/w/images/9/98/Natal_1877_Definitive_surch_HALF_a.jpg ;
M#40; Y#40

http://images.bidorbuy.co.za/user_images/014/2247014/2247014_150508194125_natal_half1.jpg ;
M#40 Y#40; misplaced surch.

<https://www.sandafayre.com/stockimages/43162575.jpg>; M#40; Y#40bA; inverted surch.

Y#40a "POTAGE": Illustration not yet found

Y#40bB double surch.: Illustration not yet found



http://www.stampsoftheworld.co.uk/w/images/2/2e/Natal_1877_Definitive_surch_HALF_b.jpg ;
M#41; Y#41

<http://www.stampworld.com/media/catalogue/Natal/Postage-stamps/V1-i.jpg> ; M#41; Y#41Aa



<http://www.stampworld.com/media/catalogue/Natal/Postage-stamps/V2-i.jpg> ; M#42; Y#42

http://www.stampsoftheworld.co.uk/w/images/2/21/Natal_1877_Definitive_surch_HALF_c.jpg ;
Idem

<https://www.sandafayre.com/stockimages/32297120.jpg>; M#42; Y#42bAB double/inverted surch.

Natal 1880



<http://i.imgur.com/K9Oitao.jpg> ; M#43; Y#28

http://www.stampsoftheworld.co.uk/w/images/1/17/Natal_1874_Definitives_a.jpg ; Idem, with postmark 1 (PMB)

Natal ca 1880 Railway Parcel Stamps N.G.R.



http://www.rhodesia.co.za/images/thumbnails/NA284_tn.jpg: "RAILWAYS c1880 3d (deep) slate 'Prepaid Parcel' stamp with 'NGR' monogram, perf 12½. Hinge thin, otherwise fine used. Very scarce. H&N PP 8.1"

http://www.rhodesia.co.za/images/thumbnails/NA334_tn.jpg : "RAILWAYS c1880 6d (dull Prussian) blue 'Prepaid Parcel' stamp with 'NGR' monogram, perf 12½. Light diagonal crease and irregular corner otherwise fine used and in above average condition for this issue. Very scarce. H&N PP 8.3"

<https://grahamlesliemccallum.files.wordpress.com/2014/08/natal-government-railways.jpg> : "A Prepaid Parcel stamp carrying the logo for the Natal Government Railways".



<http://i1199.photobucket.com/albums/aa464/mikestamp/2014-09-07/ngr1.jpg~original> "Okay, they're not going to win any awards for quality (few used railway parcel stamps do...) but they are remarkably scarce... The railway only operated from 1877 to 1912 before being subsumed into the South African Railways system".

Natal Revenue Stamps 1880



<http://www.rhodesia.co.za/Images/large/NA320.jpg>: "Revenue 1877 QV 1/- deep blue in a BLOCK OF EIGHT (4x2) with interpanneau margin at left. With manuscript cancellation dated 'April 2 / 84' in black. Light vertical crease affects two, otherwise very fine. A scarce multiple. Barefoot 82"

Natal 1881 Telegraph Stamps



<https://cdn.philasearch.com/A09442/S2/194.jpg>: “Telegraph stamps 1881 1d to 2s VF mint ~ SG T1-5 (ID:NAT-T1)”. M: not mentioned; Y#Telegraphe 1 (1p), 2 (3p), 3 (6p), 4 (1 sh), 5 (2 sh), 6 (5 sh), 7 (10sh), 8 (1£), 9 (5£).



<https://cdn.philasearch.com/A09442/S2/195.jpg>: “Telegraph stamps 1881 1d to £1 set of 8 VF mint handstamped SPECIMEN type NA1 ~ extremely scarce and attractive ~ SG T1s-8s (ID:NAT-T2)”



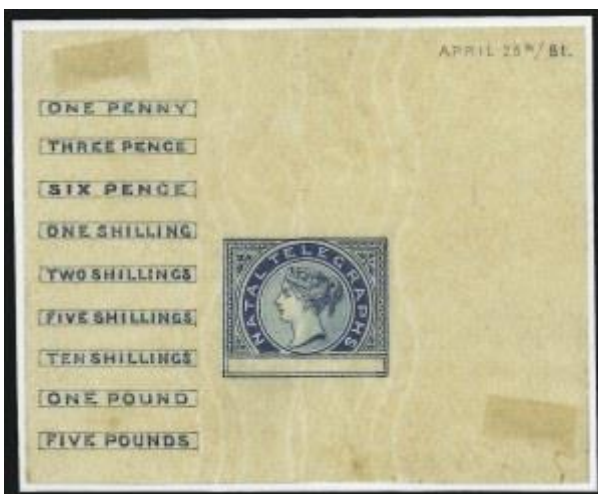
Quagga

www.delcampe.net

http://images.delcampe.com/img_large/auction/000/207/126/476_001.jpg?v=2



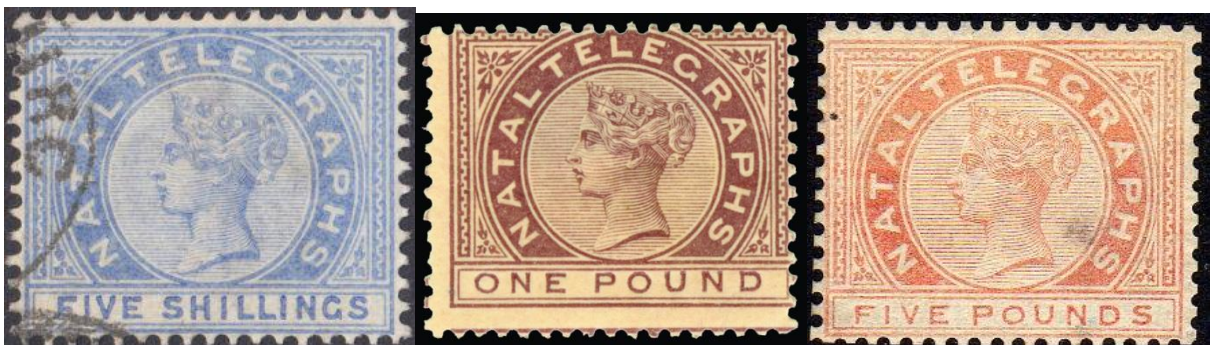
<http://pictures.philasearch.com/A09315/S201509/838.jpg> : "TELEGRAPH STAMPS: 1881 QV 1/- green: Bottom right corner BLOCK OF TEN IMPERF PLATE PROOFS, as issued, on gummed paper. Some gum wrinkles as expected for the issue. Rare & attractive piece"



https://siegelauctions.com/image_manip/image.php?src=/2015/1098/480.jpg



<http://www.gb-precancels.org/Telegraphs/World/images/Natal-1.jpg>



<http://www.gb-precancels.org/Telegraphs/World/images/Natal-sp-H6.jpg>

<https://cdn.philasearch.com/A09415/S125/788.jpg> "1881 £1 chocolate Q Victoria Telegraph stamp^, wmkd CA (sideways), perf 14, scarce, OG, HR, fine"

<http://www.gb-precancels.org/Telegraphs/World/images/Natal-AH-5L.jpg>

Natal 1882-1903 Revenue Stamps



<http://i1227.photobucket.com/albums/ee422/Britcollector/N1.jpg>

<http://www.filat.ch/images/pictures/ebpkm094.jpg>



<http://www.rhodesia.co.za/Images/large/NA56.jpg>: "Revenue 1882-86 QV 'keyplate' range: Crown CC 1d, 1886 Crown CA set of 14 values to £20 (complete except 4d) with both £1 colours, also 1901 1/- on 4/- provisional surcharge. All fine to very fine used. Rare group (20 stamps). B73-4, 76-89" M#D5-9.



<http://www.rhodesia.co.za/Images/large/NA57.jpg>: "Revenue 1886 QV 'keyplate' 4/- and 6/- (x 2) lilac and red with £1 green all tied to piece by large REGISTRY OF DEEDS OFFICE NATAL violet cds's dated 19 June 1889. Most attractive. B79, 81, 84"



<http://www.rhodesia.co.za/Images/large/NA58.jpg>: "Revenue 1886 QV 'keyplate' 9/- lilac and red. Two examples very fine used on piece small with REGISTRY OF DEEDS OFFICE violet oval dated 3 July 1898. A most attractive and elusive value. B82"



<http://www.rhodesia.co.za/Images/large/NA185.jpg>: "Revenue 1886 QV 'Keyplate' £1 dull green. Block of four with very fine large part oval UPPER TUGELA D(EPT?) / 3 JAN 99 / R.M.'S OFFICE oval datestamp struck in purple. A few paper wrinkles and some reinforced perfs at top though a scarce multiple. Barefoot 84"



<http://www.rhodesia.co.za/Images/large/NA60.jpg>: "Revenue 1886 QV 'keyplate' £20 green and black. Very fine used with manuscript cancel B88"

<http://www.rhodesia.co.za/Images/large/NA107.jpg>: "Revenue 1886 QV 'keyplate' £20 green and black. Horizontal pair, very fine used apart from some light creasing, with good colour (much original gum) and cancelled with circular datestamp and manuscript initials. A rare multiple. B88"



<http://www.filat.ch/images/pictures/hspkri083.jpg>

Natal 1882-89; with wm crown and CA



0.5p bluegreen: <http://media.stampworld.com/media/catalogue/Natal/Postage-stamps/W1-s.jpg>;
"1882 -1889 Queen Victoria, New Watermark, WM: 3 Perforation: 14" ; M#44a; 1884; Y#43 "vert"

0.5p greyish green: <http://media.stampworld.com/media/catalogue/Natal/Postage-stamps/W2-s.jpg>; M#44b; 1884; Y#43a "vert-bleu"

1p: <http://media.stampworld.com/media/catalogue/Natal/Postage-stamps/N1-s.jpg> ; M#45; 1884; Y#44

3p blue: <http://media.stampworld.com/media/catalogue/Natal/Postage-stamps/O2-s.jpg> ; M#46, 1884; Y#46 (two plates)

3p: grey: <http://media.stampworld.com/media/catalogue/Natal/Postage-stamps/O3-s.jpg> ; M#47, 1889; Y#47

4p: <http://media.stampworld.com/media/catalogue/Natal/Postage-stamps/P2-s.jpg> ; M#48, 1882; Y#48

6p: <http://media.stampworld.com/media/catalogue/Natal/Postage-stamps/Q1-s.jpg> ; M#49, 1882; Y#49



<http://pictures.philasearch.com/A09315/S201509/849.jpg> : "1882-89 IMPERF PLATE PROOFS (more recently described as being De La Rue sample colour standards) of 1d, 3d & 6d (SG 99, 100&103). The complete series of three in blocks of four each ovptd CANCELLED. VF, most attractive."



<http://www.rhodesia.co.za/Images/large/NA245.jpg>

Natal 1885 Definitives Surch in words



http://www.stampsoftheworld.co.uk/w/images/9/95/Natal_1885_Definitive_Surch_in_words_a.jpg ;
M#50; Y#51

Natal 1887-89



http://www.stampsoftheworld.co.uk/w/images/6/6f/Natal_1874_Definitives_1c.jpg ; M#51 I [5 lines on forehead] and II [7 lines on forehead], 2 plates, 1887 and 1889. Y#45 and Y#45a



http://www.stampsoftheworld.co.uk/w/images/9/90/Natal_1870_Definitives_1b.jpg ; M#52 (1888);
Y#50

http://images.bidorbuy.co.za/user_images/643/2917643/2917643_151114062931_Natal_0004.jpg
"1888". Idem

Y#50a double surch.

Natal 1888, Telegraph Stamp design; not issued



<http://www.gb-precancels.org/Telegraphs/World/images/Natal-H10c.jpg>: "Hiscocks describes this as an 1888 provisional listed by Morley and Robson Lowe but unconfirmed. I have it on good authority that these do exist, though exceedingly rare. My mockup is now based on the illustration of a 1942 article by A.E. Basden, "South African telegraph stamps" in The South African Philatelist Vol.18, No.12, p.136"

Natal 1891 Postcard



<http://www.stevedrewett.com/images/635.jpg>: "NATAL - 1891 1/2d+1/2d PSRC unused. H&G 5a. 1891-93 1/2d+1/2d Brown on buff postal stationery reply type postcard. Fine unused"

Natal 1891



http://www.stampsoftheworld.co.uk/w/images/4/4d/Natal_1885_Definitive_Surch_in_words_b.jpg
M#53; Y#52



http://www.stampsoftheworld.co.uk/w/images/e/eb/Natal_1885_Definitive_Surch_in_words_c.jpg
M#54: Y#53

Y#54a TWOPENGE; illustration not yet found

Y#54b HALFPENN; illustration not yet found

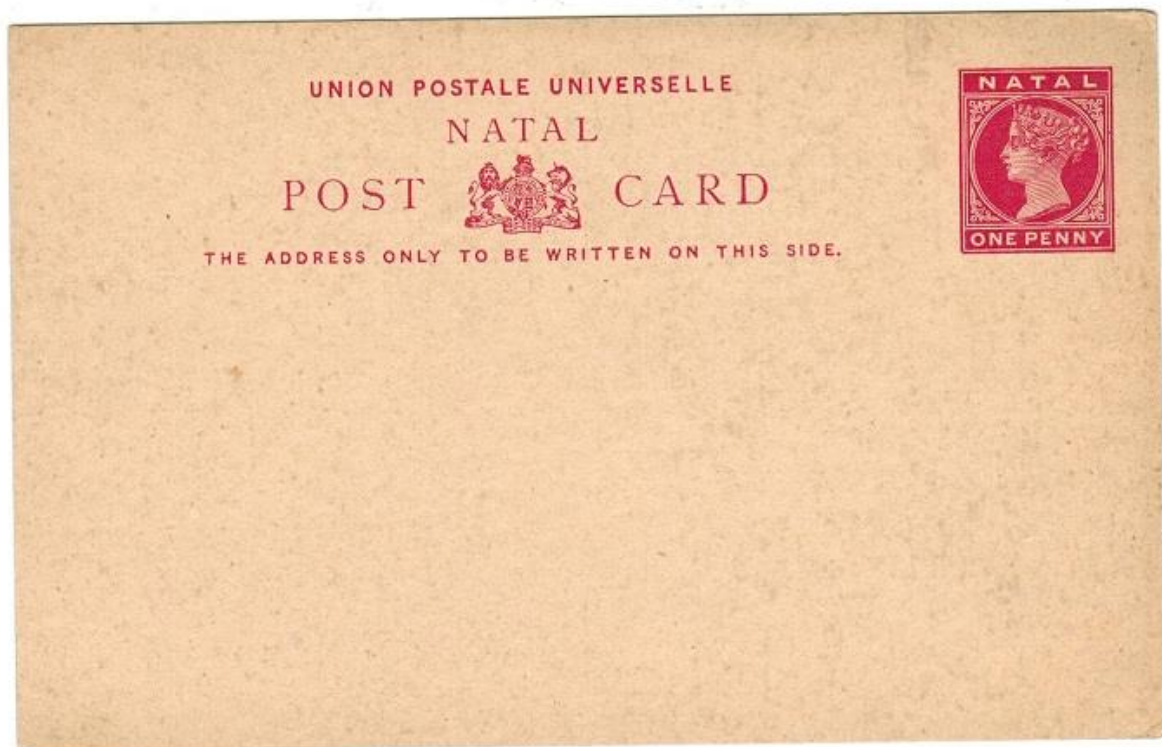
Y#54c inverted surch.; illustration not yet found

Y#54d double surch.; illustration not yet found



http://www.stampsoftheworld.co.uk/w/images/4/49/Natal_1874_Definitives_d.jpg M#55; Y#54

Natal 1893 Postcard



<http://www.stevedrewett.com/images/636.jpg>: "NATAL - 1893 1d PSC unused. H&G 7. 1893 1d Carmine on buff postal stationery postcard. Fine unused. H&G7. "

Natal 1894 Postcard



<http://www.stevedrewett.com/images/637.jpg> : "NATAL - 1894 1/2d (1d blocked out) PSC unused. H&G 9. 1894 1/2d Brown on buff (1d blocked out) postal stationery postcard. Fine unused. H&G9."



<http://pictures.philasearch.com/A09081/S34/24363a.jpg>; four pence postcard (with additional stamps). Date of issue unknown.

Natal 1895 Definitive surch



http://www.stampsoftheworld.co.uk/w/images/4/4a/Natal_1895_Definitive_Surch_in_words_a.jpg ;
M#56; Y#55

Y#55a Ealf-Penny

Y#55b no dot after POSTAGE

Y#55c double surch.

Y#55: eight varieties of "postage."

Natal 1895 surch HALF



http://www.stampsoftheworld.co.uk/w/images/7/71/Natal_1895_Definitive_surch_HALF_a.jpg ;
M#57; Y#56

<http://media.stampworld.com/media/catalogue/Natal/Postage-stamps/AD-s.jpg> ; Idem

<http://4.bp.blogspot.com/-fL63r7BH8-o/UkoCMMs7Znl/AAAAAAARQ8/JaeXZIHfI0/s1600/imgNatal80.jpg> ; idem



<http://www.stevedrewett.com/images/7581.jpg>

Y#56a: double surch.

Natal: Anglo-Boer War 1899-1902

Spink auction 2014 Anglo-Boer War

(see: https://www.spink.com/files/lotMain/14018/14018_387_1.jpg).

"BOER INVASION OF NATAL".



Nr 30: "Charlestown. A selection of pieces/loose adhesives (8 items) showing various handstamps comprising oval-framed "CHARLESTOWN,/Z.A.R." datestamp (3, one in red), oval-framed "Veld-Post, Z.A.R./CHARLESTOWN" (2, one on O.F.S. 21/2d.), "CHARLESTOWN.VPK ZAR" (2, one with "v" and "k" letters missing) and "CHARLESTOWN/30 MEI 1900" late use datestamp used shortly before the Boer retreat back across the border

1899 (13 Oct.) "Charlestown. Velddienst" envelope from a member of the "Holl Vryw Corps" (Hollander Voluntary Corps.) to Pretoria, showing a fine strike of the "VELDDIENST" handstamp in violet and with Volksrust c.d.s. below, arrival c.d.s. (16.1) on reverse. A rare handstamp with only five examples recorded. Photo. Note: Commandant G. Lombard led the Hollander Corps into Natal at Charlestown on the morning of 13 October".

Nr 31: "Charlestown. 1899 (Nov.) envelope to Johannesburg, bearing Transvaal 1/2d. green vertical pair sharing a light strike of the "V.P.K./CHARLESTOWN" handstamp in violet then forwarded to Volksrust and twice cancelled by c.d.s. (21.1), arrival c.d.s. (22.11) on reverse; envelope with minor soiling though a scarce cancellation. Photo."

Nr 32: "Charlestown. 1899 (28 Dec.) unstamped "Velddient" envelope sent by a native horse attendant and manservant with a Boer commando to a native lady at Stamford Winkle near Middleburg, endorsed by the commando and showing a part strike of the oval-framed. "CHARLESTOWN,/Z.A.R." datestamp in red, this colour in use for three days only, Volksrust.(28.12) and Pretoria (29.12) c.d.s. on reverse. One of only three covers from agterryers (rider behind) recorded. Photo."

Nr 33: "Colenso. 1900 (15 Jan.) envelope to Krugsdorp, bearing 1/2d. green pair tied by a fine strike of the scarce "COLENZO, 15 JAN 00" datestamp in violet, the reverse with Hoofdlaager (16.1), Johannesburg (18.1) and arrival (18.1) c.d.s.; also a piece bearing 1d. with the same datestamp for 14 February and Hoofdlaager c.d.s. Photo. Note: Colenso was occupied by O.V.S. Commandos under Commandant de Villiers on 6 November, to be joined by Z.A.R. Commandos later that day. The cover offered above was sent on the day of General Botha's visit to occupying troops."

Nr 34: "Colenso. 1900 (18 Jan.) 1d. card sent by a Dutch doctor, attached to Vrede Town ambulance unit station at Colenso, "Via Delagoa Bay" to Amsterdam, cancelled at Harrismith (20.1) and showing "POSTMEESTER GENERAAL" censor cachet in violet, Bloemfontein (23.1) and Amsterdam (9.3)c.d.s.; most unusual. Photo."

Nr 35: "Colenso. 1900 (6 Feb.) envelope (central vertical crease) to Bloemfontein, bearing 1d. rose-red and green neatly cancelled by a fine strike of the scarce "COLENZO, 6 FEB 00" datestamp in violet, arrival c.d.s. (10.2) on reverse. Photo."

Nr 36: "Dannhauser. 1900 (30 Jan.) envelope to Machadadorp, bearing 1/2d. green (2) sharing a superb strike of the oval-framed "DANNHAUSER" oval datestamp ("Z.A.R." excised) in violet with a further strike at left, "PK/Newcastle/31. Jan. 1900" datestamp in blue on reverse; fine and scarce. Also pieces (4) with adhesives cancelled by double-ring datestamp in violet, ovalframed "DANNHAUSER/Z.A.R." (2, one in red) and "Veld-Post, A.R./DANNHAUSER" oval datestamps. Photo. PROVENANCE: Bill Hart, June 1993 for cover".

Nr 38: "Elandslaagte. 1900 (4 Jan.) envelope (central vertical crease) to Pretoria, bearing 1d. rose-red and green (defective) tied by a fair strike of the "ELANDSLAAGTE/Z.A.R." oval-

framed datestamp with a further fine strike and “Gezien” handstamp (three strikes recorded) at right, arrival c.d.s. (6.1) on reverse. Photo. Note: Civilian mail from Elandslaagte was censored the day after the Boer Council meeting at Sandspruit. PROVENANCE: Bill Hart, June 1993”.



Nr 39: “Elandslaagte. 1900 (8 Jan.) envelope “via Lourenco Marques” to Belgium, bearing 1/2d. green and 1d. rose-red and green (2) sharing two fine strikes of the “ELANDSLAAGTE/Z.A.R.” oval-framed datestamp with “Z.A.R.” excised, two days after the

major offensive on Ladysmith, Pretoria (10.1) and Gent (22.2) c.d.s. on reverse; a rare and spectacular overseas usage. Photo. PROVENANCE: Bill Hart, June 1993”.

Nr 40: “Elandslaagte. 1900 (19 Feb.) envelope to Kroonstad, bearing O.F.S. 1/2d. orange pair sharing. “ELANDSLAAGTE/Z.A.R.” oval-framed datestamp with “Z.A.R.” excised with a further strike alongside and arrival c.d.s. (24.2) at foot, part Johannesburg c.d.s. (22.2) on reverse. Photo”.

Nr 41: “Glencoe. 1899 (1 Nov.) unstamped envelope to The Consul General for U.S.A. at Johannesburg, showing a fine strike of the “Veldpost Z.A.R./Glencoe,/1 Nov. 1899.” handstamp in violet, the earliest recorded date of use of this marking. Photo. Note: Glencoe was the rail junction to Dundee in the east and Newcastle in the north. It was occupied by Boer Forces on 18 October”.

Nr 42: “Glencoe. 1899 (1 Nov.) envelope (opened-out, a few fox marks) “Via Delagoa Bay” to Stellenbosch, bearing 1d. rose-red and green cancelled by fine “Veldpost Z.A.R./Glencoe,/1 Nov. 1899.” handstamp in violet with Volksrust c.d.s. (3.11) alongside, censor label (partially lifted) at top; also 1/2d. and 2d. tied on piece by “WASCHBANK” oval datestamp (31.1) and 1d. with large part “Feld-Post, Z.A.R./WESSELSNEK.” oval datestamp (17.2), both offices near Glencoe. Photo”.

Nr 44: “Hattingspruit 1900 (24 Apr.) double rate envelope to Switzerland, bearing 1/2d., 1d. (3) and 2d. cancelled by three fine strikes of the “Veld-Post, Z.A.R./HATTINGSPRUIT” oval datestamp in violet, Pretoria (26.4) and arrival (8.6) c.d.s. on reverse; a spectacular franking to an overseas destination. Also unaddressed envelope bearing 1d. with “HATTINGSPRUIT,/Z.A.R.” oval-framed datestamp and pieces bearing 1/2d. and 1d. values with double-ring datestamp (17.10, the earliest date recorded of any Boer cancellation in Natal) in violet. Photo”.

Nr 45: “Ingogo. 1899 (13 Dec.) envelope (horizontal crease and four fox marks on face) “via Newcastle” to a Boer soldier serving in Colenso with the Lydenburg Commandos, bearing 2 1/2d. blue and green with fine “INGOGO/RAIL” double-ring datestamp and with “P.K. Newcastle./Z.A.R./14 Dec 1899” datestamp in blue on reverse; a scarce cancellation used on the second to last day of usage. Photo. Note: Ingogo was taken by the Boers on 12 October, having by-passed both Mount Prospect and Charlestown. “

Nr 46: “1899 (25 Dec.) unstamped “en diens” envelope “met spaet” (with haste) to Kroonstad, showing fine “INGOGO,/Z.A.R.” oval-framed datestamp in violet with arrival c.d.s. (28.12) above, Volksrust c.d.s. (25.12) on reverse; the envelope soiled though a scarce cancellation on commercial cover. Also pieces bearing 1/2d. and 2d. values with the same cancellation, one with “Z.A.R.” excised. Photo. “

Nr 47: "Keerstation. 1899 (19 Dec.) envelope to Heidelberg, bearing 1d. rose-red and green with a superb strike of the "KEERSTATION,/Z.A.R." oval-framed datestamp in violet, Volksrust (20.12) and arrival (22.12) c.d.s. on reverse; fine and scarce. Photo".



Nr 48: "Keerstation1900 (26 Mar.) envelope "via Delagoa Bay" to Germany, bearing 1/2d. green and 1d. rosered and green (2, one defective) sharing a superb strike of the "Veld-Post, Z.A.R./KEERSTATION." oval datestamp in violet, Volksrust (26.3), Pretoria (28.3) and arrival

(12.) c.d.s. on reverse. A scarce and most attractive cover to Europe. Photo. PROVENANCE: Kenneth Griffith, September 2003. “

Nr 50: “Ladysmith. 1899 (31 Dec.) Greetings from the Battlefield 1d. card to Johannesburg cancelled by a superb strike of the “Hoofdlager/Ladysmith/31 Dec. 99” datestamp in violet, thought to have been a mark applied at H.Q. to celebrate the end of the century; the card torn in half and rejoined, just affecting the left edge of the datestamp. Rare with only about six examples recorded. Photo. PROVENANCE: Bill Hart, June 1993”.

Nr. 51: “Modderspruit. 1900 (14 Feb.) envelope to Krugersdorp, bearing 1d. red cancelled by a superb strike of the very rare “Modderspruit/14 Feb: 1900” datestamp in violet with Hoofdlager c.d.s. (14.2) alongside. Only three examples recorded, all used on the one day. Photo”.

Nr 52: “Modderspruit. 1900 (20 Feb.) envelope to Johannesburg, bearing 1/2d. to 1/- (eight values) all cancelled by strikes of the “Natallager, Z.A.R./MODDERSPRUIT” oval datestamp in violet; also 1/2d. pair sharing “MODDERSPRUIT/Natallager, Z.A.R.” oval datestamp (23.12) in violet. A rare cancellation with the word “Natallager” unique to this town. Photo. Note: Modderspruit station had water tanks to top up locomotives and was the depot for supplies to the Ladysmith area. PROVENANCE: Bill Hart, June 1993”.

Nr 53: “Mount Prospect 1900 (12 Jan.) unstamped “Veld Dienst” envelope (soiled and creased) to Nigel, Heidelberg District and showing a light strike of the “MOuNT PLEASANT” oval-framed datestamp with “Z.A.R.” excised, Volksrust (12.1), Heidelberg (14.1) and arrival (15.1) c.d.s. on reverse; also pieces bearing 1d. and 2d. with fine Mount Prospect and Ingagane oval datestamps in violet. Photo. “

Nr 54: “Mount Prospects. 1900 (7 Apr.) envelope to Pretoria, marked “Commandodienst” and bearing 1/2d. green pair sharing a superb strike of the “Veld-Post Z.A.R./MOuNT PROSPECT” oval-framed datestamp, Volksrust (7.4) and Pretoria (8.4) c.d.s. on reverse. Photo”.

Nr 55: “Newcastle. 1900 (29 Apr.) O.F.S. 1d. brown reply paid card to Holland, cancelled with a good strike of the “New Castle/29, April 1900” datestamp in blue with Pretoria (1.5) and Ginneken arrival (7.6) c.d.s.; also O.F.S. 2 1/2d. on 3d. tied on small piece by “P.K./Newcastle/12, Maart 1900” datestamp. Photo”.

Nr 56: “Newcastle. 1899 (26 Oct.) envelope to Pretoria, bearing 1d. on 2 1/2d. cancelled by a superb strike of the “P.K. Newcastle 26 10 99” datestamp in violet (used for four days only), forwarded on to Dundee where the stamp has been cancelled by double-ring datestamp (2.11), Volksrust (4.11), Dundee (3.11) and Pretoria (6.11) c.d.s. on reverse; scarce and most attractive with just five such strikes recorded. Photo. Note: Newcastle was occupied by the Boer Commandos on 14 October”.



Nr 57: “Newcastle. 1899 (30 Oct.) envelope to Johannesburg, marked “Veld Dienst” and bearing 1d. (3) and 1/2d. (blocks of four and eight, both on reverse) cancelled with fine strikes of the rare “P.K. Newcastle 30 10 99” datestamp in violet, arrival c.d.s. (1.10). A spectacular franking with this rare and short-lived datestamp. Photo”.

Nr 58: “Newcastle. 1899 (30 Oct.) envelope to Petrusville, marked “Veldt Dienst” and bearing 1d. rose-red and green cancelled by fine “P.K. Newcastle 30 10 99” datestamp (the

last day of usage of this marking), censor label at right and Johannesburg c.d.s. (1.11) on reverse; the censor label is the earliest recorded used at Johannesburg from the Boer invasion of Natal. Photo”.

Nr 59: “Newcastle. 1899 (28 Nov.) envelope “via Delagoa Bay” to Natal, bearing 1d. rose-red and green cancelled by fine “P.K. Newcastle/*Z.A.R*/28 NOV 1899,” datestamp in violet, large part Boer censor label, the reverse with a good strike of the rare local censor “Wd. ResidentVrederechter, Kantoor/Newcastle, 28 Nov 1899.” datestamp in violet, Johannesburg (29.11) c.d.s., British Officially Sealed label and Durban (6.12) c.d.s.; the envelope with face panel soiled and with vertical crease though the earliest of the five recorded strikes of the censor handstamp. Also 1/2d. green pair tied on piece by superb “PK/Newcastle/5. Maart 1900” datestamp. Photo”.

Nr 61: “Noordergrens. 1899 (Nov.) unstamped “In Veldienst” envelope from H. de Munnik at Bronkhorstfontein (handstamp on reverse) to a railway box number in Johannesburg, marked “Van it Pierault O.C. Rhodesia” and showing a fair to fine strike of the very rare “Postkant. Lager/NOORDER Grens” datestamp (date portion torn away through opening), Pietersburg (22.11) and arrival (25.11) c.d.s. on reverse; also a fine 27 December 1899 strike of the same handstamp on 1d. (3) on small piece (the only only strike recorded on adhesives) and a further piece bearing 1d. cancelled by oval-framed “P.A.K./Eerste Fabrieken” datestamp (28.5.1900) in violet, the only Boer army cancellation used within the borders of the Z.A.R. and the sole example recorded. Photo”.

“BOER MEDICAL SERVICES. Dutch Red Cross”

Nr 62 : [Elandslaagte]. 1899 (27 Dec.) printed Dutch Red Cross “AMBULANCE” envelope from a voluntary member “via Delagoa Bay” to Dr. J.A. Kortweg (senior officer) in Pretoria, marked Velddienst” and showing a good strike of the “ELANDSLAAGTE/Z.A.R.” oval-framed datestamp, arrival c.d.s. (29.12) on reverse; rare with six such ambulance covers recorded. Photo. Note: British troops attacked Boers under General Kock, occupying flat ground at Elandslaagte on 21 October. The Boers retreated back to Glencoe with heavy losses though reoccupied the area on 24 October”.

Natal 1902 Telegraph



<http://www.rhodesia.co.za/Images/large/NA104.jpg>: "TELEGRAPHS 1902 provisionals. QV 3d on 4d dull mauve. Block of four, showing different surcharge types on the upper and lower pairs. Very fine mint. Scarce. Hiscocks 11a, 12" Y#Telegraphe 10-II



<https://cdn.globalauctionplatform.com/dd32626d-980b-43b7-abef-a5e0010bf469/37b542c8-7970-4f1a-bfe6-a5ec00db9d25/540x360.jpg> "NatalTelegraph Stamps1902 3d. (Type 3) on 4d. narrow spacing, 6d. on 9d. narrow spacing, 1/- (Type 3) on 9/- narrow spacing, 1/- (Type 3) on £1 narrow spacing, 1/- (Type 3) on £1.10s. wide spacing and 1/- (Type 4) on £1.10s., some with hinge remnants and/or a little gum toned and the 6d. on 9d. with tiny thin spot, all of fine appearance."

Y#Telegraphe 10-I; 11, 12-I, 13-I, 14-I and 14-II



http://www.grosvenorauctions.com/dyn_pages/stamp_images/65/7544.jpg

Y#Telegraph 10b-III, 10-all, 11 (2x), 13-I, 14-I, 12-I

Also: Y#10a-II; 10d PENCE; 12a-II; 13a-II





<http://www.stevedrewett.com/images/2736.jpg> and <http://www.stevedrewett.com/images/2736-1.jpg> : "NATAL - 1902 part series of 8 NATAL FLAG postcards with differing inserts. 1902 part series of eight coloured picture p'cards depicting Natal flag each with different photo inserts. (Chakes rock, Burden bearers in Zululand, King George V & Queen, Queen, Amanzimtoi River, Council at Umlaloose River, Colense Bridge & Durban Bay. Five are inward from UK the other three used but unsent. A most attractive lot printed by Aristophot Company. (8 cards)."

Natal 1902 Definitives



http://www.stampsoftheworld.co.uk/w/images/e/eb/Natal_1902_Definitives_a.jpg ; M#58; Y#57

http://www.stampsoftheworld.co.uk/w/images/5/59/Natal_1902_Definitives_b.jpg; M#59; Y#58

http://www.stampsoftheworld.co.uk/w/images/2/2b/Natal_1902_Definitives_c.jpg ; M#60; Y#59



http://www.stampsoftheworld.co.uk/w/images/7/73/Natal_1902_Definitives_d.jpg; M#61; Y#60



http://www.stampsoftheworld.co.uk/w/images/e/ee/Natal_1902_Definitives_e.jpg; M#62; Y#61

http://www.stampsoftheworld.co.uk/w/images/2/2e/Natal_1902_Definitives_f.jpg; M#63; Y#62

http://www.stampsoftheworld.co.uk/w/images/b/bf/Natal_1902_Definitives_g.jpg; M#64; Y#63



http://www.stampsoftheworld.co.uk/w/images/9/91/Natal_1902_Definitives_h.jpg; M#65; Y#64

http://www.stampsoftheworld.co.uk/w/images/b/b4/Natal_1902_Definitives_i.jpg; M#66; Y#65

http://www.stampsoftheworld.co.uk/w/images/3/38/Natal_1902_Definitives_j.jpg; M#67; Y#66



http://www.stampsoftheworld.co.uk/w/images/d/d1/Natal_1902_Definitives_k.jpg ; M#68; Y#67

http://www.stampsoftheworld.co.uk/w/images/9/9c/Natal_1902_Definitives_l.jpg ; M#69; Y#68

http://www.stampsoftheworld.co.uk/w/images/8/8d/Natal_1902_Definitives_m.jpg ; M#70; Y#69



http://www.stampsoftheworld.co.uk/w/images/b/b6/Natal_1902_Definitives_n.jpg ; M#71; Y#70

http://www.stampsoftheworld.co.uk/w/images/5/5f/Natal_1902_Definitives_1o.jpg ; M#72; Y#71

http://www.stampsoftheworld.co.uk/w/images/2/2a/Natal_1902_Definitives_p.jpg ; M#73; Y#72



http://www.stampsoftheworld.co.uk/w/images/8/87/Natal_1902_Definitives_1q.jpg ; M#74; Y#73

http://www.stampsoftheworld.co.uk/w/images/b/bf/Natal_1902_Definitives_r.jpg ; idem, other colour

http://www.stampsoftheworld.co.uk/w/images/7/7a/Natal_1902_Definitives_1s.jpg ; M#75; Y#74



http://www.stampsoftheworld.co.uk/w/images/a/a7/Natal_1902_Definitives_t.jpg ; M#76; Y#75

<http://thumbs.ebaystatic.com/images/g/ptkAAOSw7hRWPEv/s-l225.jpg> ; idem

https://upload.wikimedia.org/wikipedia/commons/9/92/Stamp-Natal_1902_%C2%A320_green.jpg ; M#III; Y#76, specimen

<http://www.stampworld.com/media/catalogue/Natal/Postage-stamps/AF6-i.jpg> ; M#III; Y#76



<http://www.rhodesia.co.za/Images/large/NA360.jpg> , M#59, double print. "1902-03 KEVII 1d carmine. Bearing a second, forged impression of the entire design, purporting to be an unlisted variety 'DOUBLE PRINT'. The forged impression appears to be have been screened rather than typographed. Apparently unused. Unusual and imaginative. SG 127 + forgery"

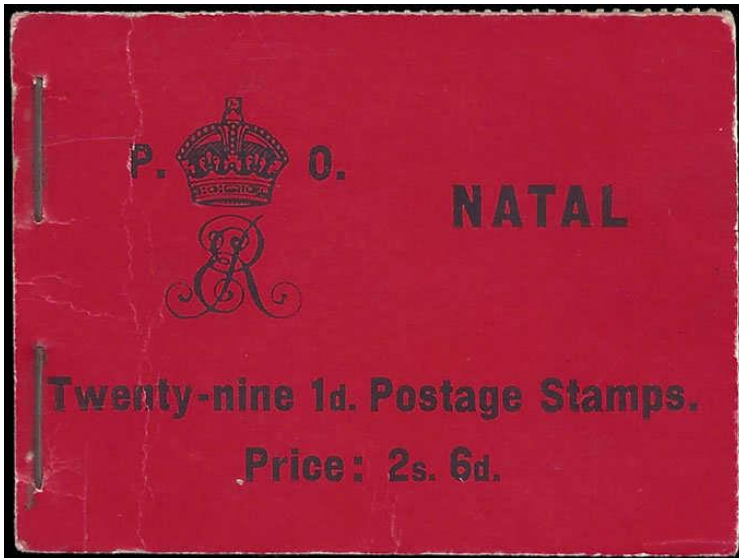
Natal 1904 2s6d Booklet



http://www.stampsoftheworld.co.uk/w/images/thumb/4/4d/Natal_Booklet_1904_Full_Pane.jpg/180px-Natal_Booklet_1904_Full_Pane.jpg



<http://www.rhodesia.co.za/Images/large/NA373.jpg> "1907 Booklet Stamp KEVII 1d rose-carmine overprinted 'NOT FOR USE'. Some offset, otherwise fine mint. Ex the booklet. SG 147a (partial)"

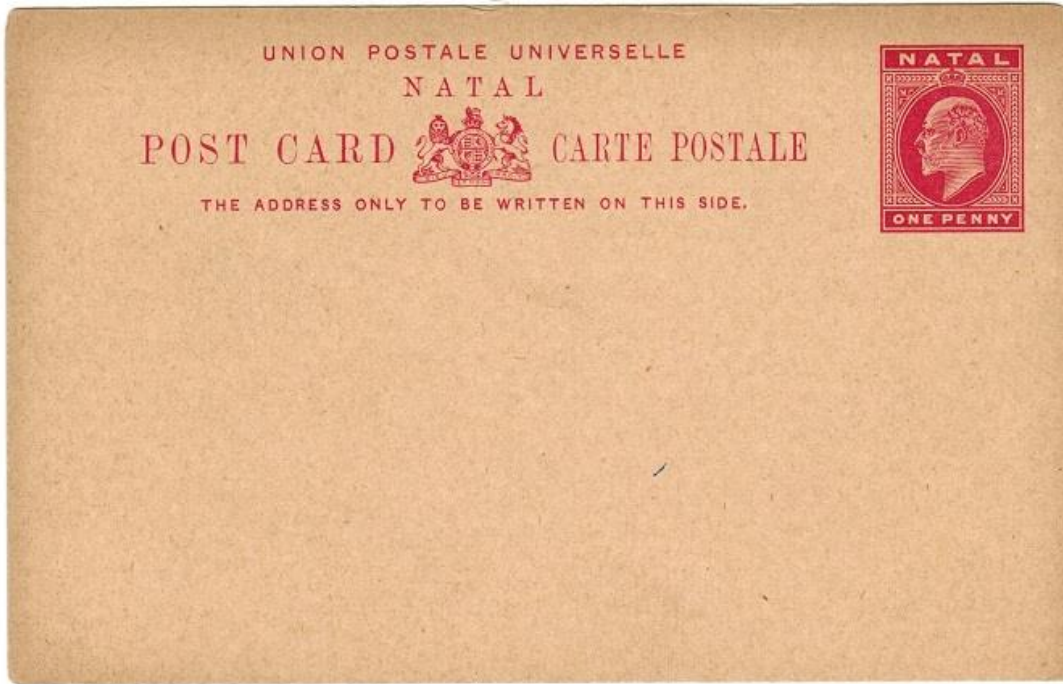


<http://pictures.philasearch.com/A09315/S201509/883.jpg> : "BOOKLET: 1907 KEVII 2/6 red cover (SG SB2). F-VF unexploded example (one pane of six stamps removed) containing four complete panes of six 1d's, the interleaves & covers intact. Stapled at left. Includes the rare first pane where the top left stamp is defaced by overprint "NOT FOR USE", the additional 1d defraying the cost of production - see footnote in SG. Some minor imperfections, generally very good condition for this exceedingly elusive booklet. An exhibition piece and great rarity!"

Natal 1904 Postcards



<http://www.stevedrewett.com/images/638.jpg>: "NATAL - 1902 1/2d PSC unused. H&G 10. 1902 1/2d green on cream postal stationery postcard. Fine unused. H&G10."



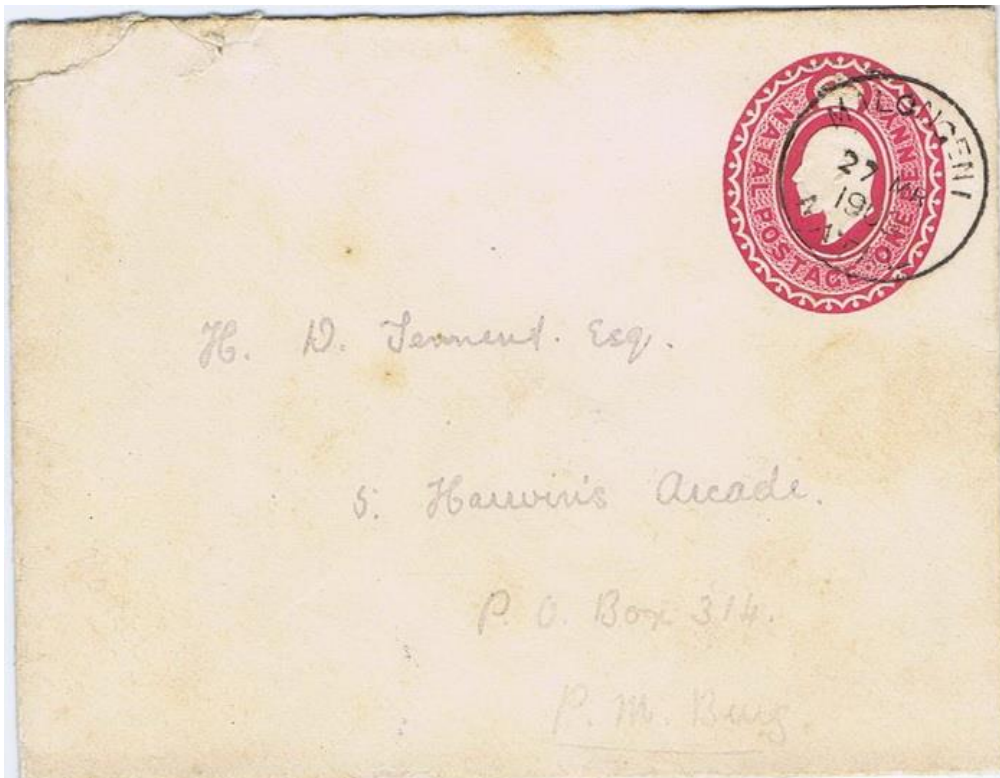
<http://www.stevedrewett.com/images/639.jpg> : "NATAL - 1902 1d PSC unused. H&G 106.1902 1d Carmine on buff postal stationery postcard. Fine unused. H&G11."



<http://www.michael-hamilton.com/images/NAT57688.jpg> "NATAL postal history: KE7 1d Post Card ovp'd "SPECIMEN", fine condition."



<http://pictures.philasearch.com/A09315/S201509/810.jpg>: "1903 FORWARDING AGENTS: KEVII ½d Stationery Envelope postmarked Richmond JY 21 addressed to "The Trappists, Marian Hill, Pinetown". Front shows the violet cachet of "TOM. C. FRANKLIN. / FORWARDING & COMMISSION AGENT. / RICHMOND" dated in manuscript "21.7.03." On reverse Durban cds JY 22, Pinetown arrival mark of the same date and clear POA 51 used at Marian Hill at the time. VF, scarce, the Forwarding Agent cachet unrecorded in the literature."



<http://www.forpostalhistory.com/images/2664.jpg> : “1909 1d postal stationery envelope to Pietermaritzburg cancelled by a fine strike of the single ring MALONGENI 27 MR 09 relief canceller. On the back are Dundee 28 MR and Pietermaritzburg MR 29 09 transit and arrival cancels. Malongeni is a small village 10 miles to the east of Dundee. This canceller is unrecorded by Putzel and is the first I have seen. A rare item!”

Natal 1904 -1908 King Edward VII - New Watermark; WM: 4 Perforation: 14



0.5p: <http://www.stampworld.com/media/catalogue/Natal/Postage-stamps/AE13-i.jpg> ; M#77; Y#77

1p: <http://media.stampworld.com/media/catalogue/Natal/Postage-stamps/AE14-s.jpg> ; M#78; Y#78

2p: <http://www.stampworld.com/media/catalogue/Natal/Postage-stamps/AE15-i.jpg> ; M#79; Y#79

4p: <http://www.stampworld.com/media/catalogue/Natal/Postage-stamps/AE16-i.jpg> ; M#80; Y#80

5p: <http://www.stampworld.com/media/catalogue/Natal/Postage-stamps/AE17-i.jpg> ; M#81; Y#81



1sh: <http://www.stampworld.com/media/catalogue/Natal/Postage-stamps/AE18-i.jpg> ; M#82; Y#82

2sh: <http://www.stampworld.com/media/catalogue/Natal/Postage-stamps/AE19-i.jpg> ; M#83; Y#83

2sh6p: <http://www.stampworld.com/media/catalogue/Natal/Postage-stamps/AE20-i.jpg> ; M#84;
Y#84

1£10sh: <http://www.rhodesia.co.za/Images/large/NA257.jpg>: “Revenue 1908 KEVII ‘Postage-Revenue’ issue. £1.10s brownish orange and deep reddish purple. Some rubbing, otherwise fine fiscally used with boxed datestamp. SG 162” M#85; Y#85

Natal 1904 "Official"



0.5p:http://www.stampsoftheworld.co.uk/w/images/9/9e/Natal_1904_Overprints_%22Official%22_%C2%BDd.jpg ; M#D1; Y#Service1

1p:
http://www.stampsoftheworld.co.uk/w/images/c/c5/Natal_1904_Overprints_%22Official%22_1d.jpg ; M#D2; Y#Service2

2p (and 3p):
http://images.bidorbuy.co.za/user_images/719/1569719/1569719_150407175224_RW4186-084.jpg ; M#D3 and 4; Y#Service3 and 4

3p:http://www.stampsoftheworld.co.uk/w/images/8/82/Natal_1904_Overprints_%22Official%22_3d.jpg ; M#D4; Y#Service4

6p:http://www.stampsoftheworld.co.uk/w/images/7/75/Natal_1904_Overprints_%22Official%22_6d.jpg ; M#D5; Y#Service5

1sh:http://www.stampsoftheworld.co.uk/w/images/0/06/Natal_1904_Overprints_%22Official%22_1Sh.jpg ; M#D6; Y#Service6



http://a4.tbn.bidorbuy.co.za/image/fetch/dpr_1.0.f_auto,t_btbn/http://img.bidorbuy.co.za/image/upload/user_images/193/955193/955193_160315160256_image.jpeg

Natal 1904-05 Revenue Stamps



<http://www.rhodesia.co.za/Images/large/NA338.jpg>: "Revenue 1904 QV head within an oval with wording 'NATAL REVENUE / ONE PENNY' embossed on portion of a gummed receipt (50x40mm) which has been affixed to backing paper. Very fine and scarce".

<http://www.rhodesia.co.za/Images/large/NA339.jpg>: "Revenue c1905 KEVII head within an oval with wording 'ONE (Crown) PENNY / NATAL REVENUE' embossed on portion (50x40mm) of a gummed receipt. Fine and scarce."

Natal ca 1905 Railways N.G.R.



1d: <http://www.rhodesia.co.za/Images/large/NA358.jpg>

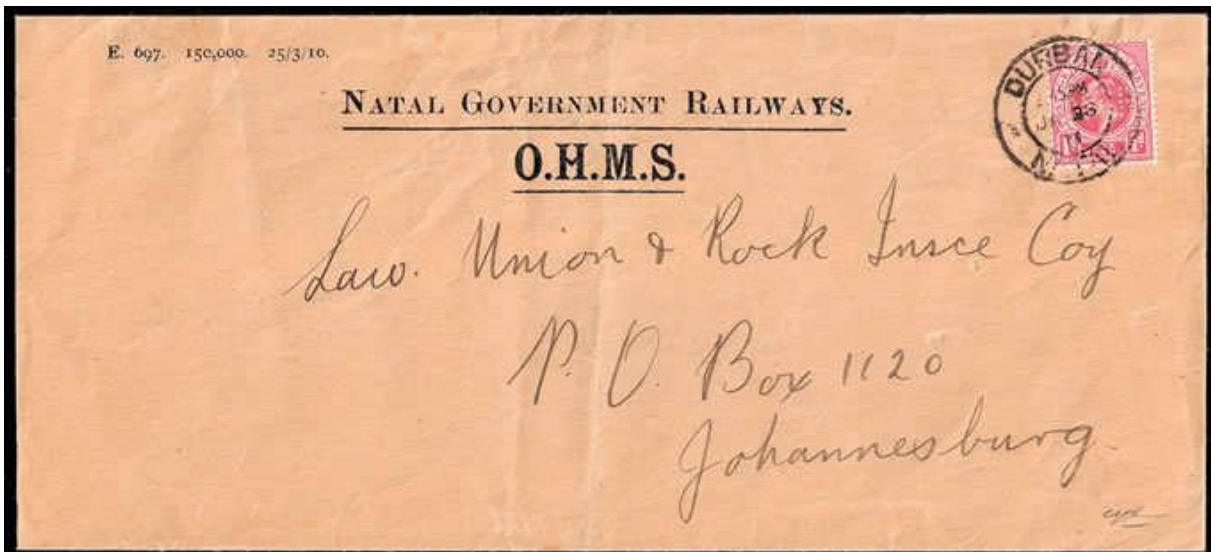
2d: <http://www.rhodesia.co.za/Images/large/NA355.jpg>: "RAILWAYS c1905 KEVII watermark Crown CA. 2d red and olive-green perforated 'NGR'. Slightly rounded lower left corner, otherwise fine mint. H&N NGR 3/N.4"

3d: <http://www.rhodesia.co.za/Images/large/NA356.jpg>

6d: <http://www.rhodesia.co.za/Images/large/NA357.jpg>



<http://www.rhodesia.co.za/Images/large/NA359.jpg> "RAILWAYS c1905 KEVII watermark multiple Crown CA. 1/- carmine and pale blue perforated 'NGR'. Very fine mint. Rare. H&N NGR 3/N.10.1"



<http://pictures.philasearch.com/A09315/S201509/780.jpg> : "1910 NATAL GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS OHMS envelope (size E697) franked KEVII 1d WITH OFFICIAL "NGR" PERFIN, BUT PERFIN NORMAL WAY (perforated in folded blocks). The letter from Durban (cde JA 23) to Johannesburg. F-VF, rare on cover thus"

Natal 1907



<http://pictures.philasearch.com/A09315/S201509/821.jpg> : "1907 AGENT GENERAL FOR NATAL HANDSTAMP: Specimen tracing of a certifying handstamp for Official Mail (1901-64), dated "14.03.07" and attached to a portion of Page 45 of the Official Certifying Handstamps Ledger. Unique"

Natal 1908-1909 King Edward VII - Inscription "POSTAGE" WM: 4 Perforation: 14



6p: http://www.stampsoftheworld.co.uk/w/images/f/f5/Natal_1908_Definitives_a.jpg ; M#86; Y#86

1sh: http://www.stampsoftheworld.co.uk/w/images/6/6b/Natal_1908_Definitives_b.jpg ; M#87; Y#87

2sh: http://www.stampsoftheworld.co.uk/w/images/b/be/Natal_1908_Definitives_c.jpg ; M#88; Y#88



2sh6p: <http://media.stampworld.com/media/catalogue/Natal/Postage-stamps/AG3-s.jpg> M#89;
Y#89

5sh: http://www.stampsoftheworld.co.uk/w/images/5/5e/Natal_1908_Definitives_e.jpg ; M#90;
Y#90

10sh: http://www.stampsoftheworld.co.uk/w/images/7/79/Natal_1908_Definitives_1f.jpg ; M#91;
Y#91



1£: http://www.stampsoftheworld.co.uk/w/images/0/0f/Natal_1908_Definitives_g.jpg ; M#92;
Y#92

NATAL 1908-1909 Revenue Stamps



<http://www.rhodesia.co.za/Images/large/NA353.jpg>: "Revenue 1908-09 KEVII 'Revenue-Revenue' issue. The complete set of 15, 6d to £20, including all duties with the colours reversed (6d, 1/- and 2/6) and also the later printing of the 10/- on yellow paper. The first 1/-, the 2/-, both 2/6 and the second 10/- all have watermark sideways. Very fine fiscally used. A very rare and attractive set (there was one printing of 6000 of each of the £10 and £20). Barefoot 108-123"

1909 Parcels Stamp Railways N.G.R.= Natal Government Railways

"The Natal Government Railways (NGR) was formed in January 1877 in the Colony of Natal. In 1877 the Natal Government Railways acquired the Natal Railway Company for the sum of £40,000, gaining the line from the Point to Durban and from Durban to Umgeni. This move, inspired in part by the neighbouring Cape Prime Minister John Molteno's 1873 establishment of the Cape Government Railways, was intended to drive the extension of Natal's railways inland, towards the Drakensberg and eventually the Orange Free State. The Natal Government Railways also adopted the Cape gauge. In 1910 the Union of South Africa was formed and in 1912 the NGR combined with the other colonies' railway companies (Cape Government Railways and Central South African Railways) to form the South African Railways and Harbours (SAR & H)".

https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Natal_Government_Railways



Railway network of Natal in 1910, immediately before the formation of the Union of South Africa;
https://upload.wikimedia.org/wikipedia/commons/thumb/d/d2/Natal_railways_map_1910.svg/350px-Natal_railways_map_1910.svg.png



1d: <http://www.michael-hamilton.com/images/NAT8655.jpg> : " ESTCOURT RAIL, Natal postmark(M.4.1) dated A/OC 5 09 on N.G.R. 1d PARCELS STAMP".

3d: <http://www.michael-hamilton.com/images/NAT8650.jpg> : "EDENDALE, Natal postmark. (N) dated NO 3 09 on N.G.R. 3d PARCELS STAMP., minor reverse tone spot."

6d: <http://www.michael-hamilton.com/images/NAT8651.jpg> "EDENDALE, Natal postmark.(N) dated NO 3 09 on N.G.R. 6d PARCELS STAMP, perf. Faults".

9d: <http://www.michael-hamilton.com/images/NAT8667.jpg> : "NOTTINGHAM ROAD, Natal postmark.(M.4.1) dated A/DE 23 09 on N.G.R. 9d PARCELS STAMP."

1 Sh: <http://www.michael-hamilton.com/images/NAT8656.jpg> "FRERE, Natal postmark. (M.3.2) dated C/SP 13 09 on N.G.R. 1/- PARCELS STAMP."

2 Sh: <http://www.michael-hamilton.com/images/NAT8658.jpg> : "HARTS HILL, Natal postmark(M.3.2) dated A/SP 30 09 on N.G.R. 2/- PARCELS STAMP".

1909 Parcels Stamp Railways C.S.A.R, with Natal postmark = Central South African Railways



1 d: <http://www.michael-hamilton.com/images/NAT8654.jpg> "ESTCOURT RAIL, Natal postmark. (M.4.1) dated A/SP 13 09 on C.S.A.R. 1d PARCELS STAMP."

1909 (?) Parcels Stamp Railways C.G.R. with Natal postmark = Cape Government Railways



<http://www.postmarks.co.za/images/Dargle%20Road%201911.jpg>