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## GEOFFREY FLACK TIBETAN STAMPS AND POSTAL HISTORY OPINION

Date: May 18, 2004

Number: 0625

In my opinion the stamps illustrated on the right are a Complete Mint Set of the 1934 Issue of Tibet (Scott #14-18). The stamps are genuine, but privately perforated.





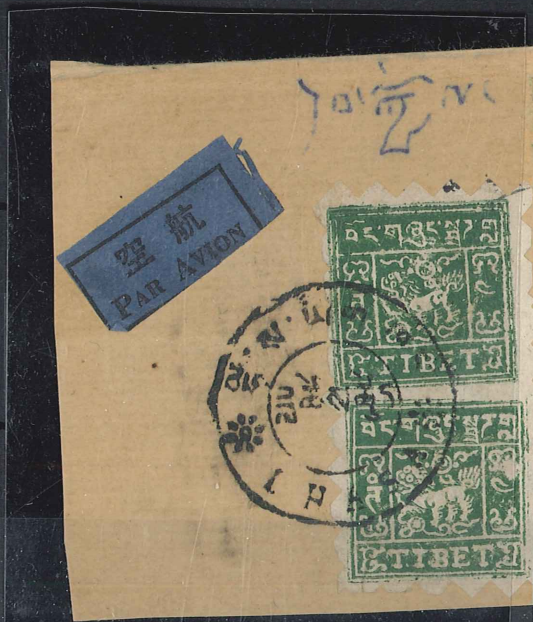


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**S34** #9-13 Complete commercially used Originally Perforated set (VG/F). 2/3tr & 4tr are nice four margin copies. Much scarcer used than mint. (Cat. \$435) \$165 (US)









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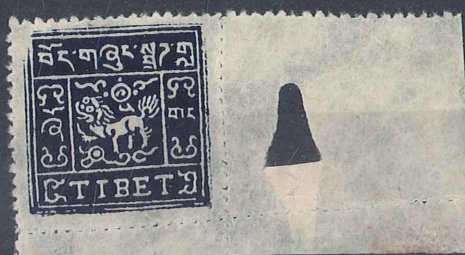
**LHASA Type VIII**  
**Double Ring Complete**  
 early use of cancel

## GEOFFREY FLACK TIBETAN STAMPS AND POSTAL HISTORY OPINION

Date: October 30, 2007

Number: **1781**

In my opinion the Tibetan stamp illustrated on the right are genuine 2tr Scarlet with Original Perforations. Setting Ia, Cliché 4 showing the "paper staple" in the right margin. The earliest printings of this stamp were sold in booklets of five sheets (no complete booklets of this value have survived) .. the sheets were held together by three paper staples in the right margin. VF+ Mint margin copy.



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**#10 2/3tr Deep Blue. Setting I, Original Perfs. VF++ Mint**  
 Corner copy (Cliché 12) showing the **paper staples** in the right  
 margin. **Beautiful stamp! \$120 (US)**





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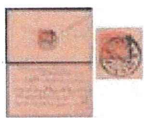


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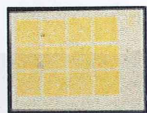




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**Perforated 1/2tr Orange (#9) on commercial 1934 cover from Phari to Lhasa.** Stamp tied by a double ring PHARI Type VIII (Hel. T44) cancel. The cover is **manuscript dated "4/12/34"**. The 1/2tr Rate was only used in the early 1930s and is scarce. Genuine perforated stamps are scarce commercially used & dated internal covers from this period are seldom seen. (Opened for Display) **Very Good Rate Cover!** (*Ex. Bibbins*)





33s0179

Tibet #14 Complete Mint sheet of the  
 ½ Tranka, Chrome, Setting IVa. Pin-  
 Perforated (Private Perfs – done in the  
 early 1950s). Very Fine Condition





33c0068

Tibet: Scarce 1934 1/2tr Rate Combination Cover from Kalimpong, India to Lhasa via Pharijong. F.w. India Geo. V 1a 3p tied by KALIMPONG cds dtd 4 SEP 34. PHARIJONG Type B3 (Hel. B50) transit dtd 7 SEP. 34. Additionally f.w. 1/2tr Deep Orange (Scott #9), Setting I, Original Perforations tied by PHARI Type VIII (Hel. T44). Scarce & Attractive 1/2tr Rate Combination Cover!





## GEOFFREY FLACK TIBETAN STAMPS AND POSTAL HISTORY OPINION

Date: March 8, 2004

Number: 0585

In my opinion the Tibetan stamps illustrated are genuine examples of 1/2 Trangka Deep Orange Perforated (Setting I, W103). Fine Commercially Used Block of four with SHIGATSE Type VIII (Hel. T46 Cancel.)

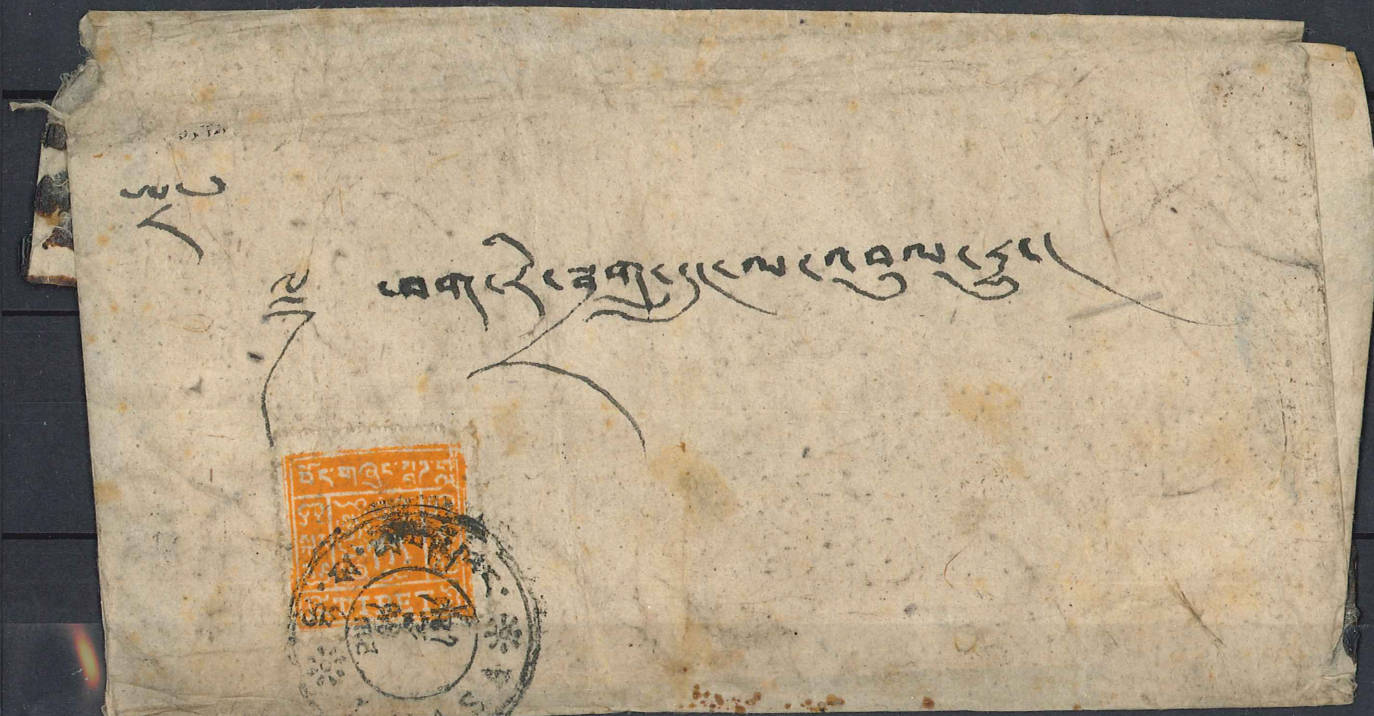


33s0197

TIBET: #9 1/2 Trangka Deep Orange Perforated (Setting I, W103). Fine Commercially Used Block of four with SHIGATSE Type VIII (Hel. T46 Cancel.) Genuine copies of Tibet #9-13 are rare – most examples which come on the market are forged or are later printings with private perforations. (Cat. \$380 as singles) (Guaranteed Genuine – Certificate)

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## GEOFFREY FLACK TIBETAN STAMPS AND POSTAL HISTORY OPINION

**Date:** October 7, 2009

**Number:** 2600

In my opinion the Tibetan cover illustrated on the right is a genuine commercially used cover from Lhasa to Phari. F.w. 1/2tr Orange (original Perforations, Scott #9) tied by LHASA Type VIII (Hel. T42) cancel. Dtd "13 day, 1st Month" (No year, circa 1934-35). F/VF Condition.



  
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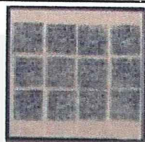
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#15 2/3tr Setting IVa<sup>2</sup> in Grey Blue (W136)  
complete mint sheet with private  
perforations

**15-11 2/3tr Setting IVa Complete**  
**Sheet Mint Grey-Blue (W136) Pri-**  
**vate Perfs \$110 (US)**



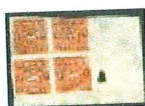
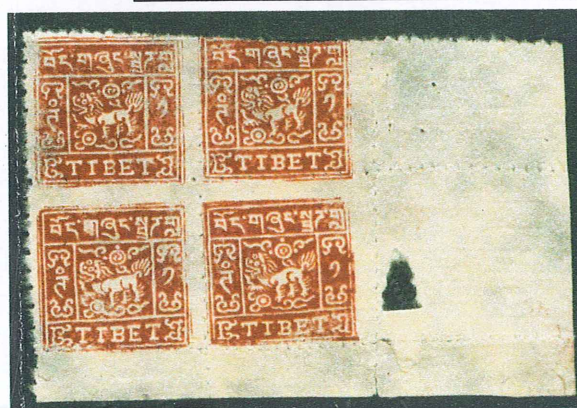


## GEOFFREY FLACK TIBETAN STAMPS AND POSTAL HISTORY OPINION

**Date:** October 11, 2008

**Number:** 2281

In my opinion the Tibetan stamps illustrated on the right is a genuine 1 Trangka Carmine Lake (Setting I) block of four with ORIGINAL PERFORATION. To the right of Cliché 12 is the paper staple – used to tied five sheets together in a booklet. Fine/VF Condition.



**33s0425**

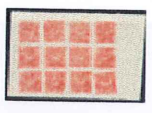
TIBET: #11 1 Trangka Carmine Lake (Setting I) block of four with ORIGINAL PERFORATION. To the right of Cliché 12 is the paper staple – used to tied five sheets together in a booklet. Very Scarce & Attractive Multiple, VF Condition. (Guaranteed Genuine – Certificate)

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33s0183

Tibet #16 Complete Mint sheet of the  
1tr Orange Red, Setting III, Private  
Perforations. VF/Mint Sheet



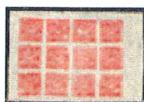


## GEOFFREY FLACK TIBETAN STAMPS AND POSTAL HISTORY OPINION

Date: May 20, 2004

Number: 0645

In my opinion the sheet of Tibetan stamps illustrated on the right is genuine complete mint sheet of the 2 Trangka. (Scott #17) Waterfall's Setting Ia 2<sup>nd</sup> State (Bibbins' 1a Variation) in Scarlet Vermilion (Waterfall #176) Printed on very soft smooth paper. Private Perforations.



33s0159

#17 Complete mint sheet of the 2 Trangka. Waterfall's Setting Ia 2<sup>nd</sup> State (Bibbins' 1a Variation) in Scarlet Vermilion (Waterfall #176) The Scarlet-Vermilion printings date from 1944-45. Printed on very soft smooth paper. Private Perforations. Scarce Early Setting. (Guaranteed Genuine – Certificate)

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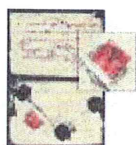


## GEOFFREY FLACK TIBETAN STAMPS AND POSTAL HISTORY OPINION

Date: October 12, 2007

Number: 1733

In my opinion the Tibetan cover illustrated on the right is a genuine 2tr Rate Commercial (hand-made) cover from Gyantse to Lhasa. F.w. a PERFORATED 2tr Deep Scarlet (Scott #12) tied by GYANTSE Type VIII (Hel. T41) cancel. The cover is manuscript dated "May 15" – no year, Circa 1940.) Three intact Wax Seals.



33c0189

TIBET: Very Scarce 2tr Rate Commercial (hand-made) cover from Gyantse to Lhasa. F.w. a PERFORATED 2tr Deep Scarlet (Scott #12) tied by GYANTSE Type VIII (Hel. T41) cancel. The cover is manuscript dated "May 15" – no year as usual, Circa 1940.) Three intact Wax Seals. Commercial covers f.w. stamps with Original Perforations are Very Scarce. (Guaranteed Genuine – Certificate).

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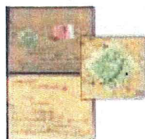


## GEOFFREY FLACK TIBETAN STAMPS AND POSTAL HISTORY OPINION

Date: October 12, 2007

Number: 1730

In my opinion the Tibetan cover illustrated on the right is a genuine 1955 Combination Cover from Kalimpong to Lhasa via Gyantse. Originally f.w. India 2a tied by KALIMPONG cds (dtd SEP 55). At Gyantse the cover was additionally f.w. a 4tr Green tied by poor GYANTSE Type VIII (Hel. T41) cancel. The stamp has been separated by "Pinking Shears" (This seldom seen practice was mentioned by Waterfall and was the



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TIBET: Very Scarce & Attractive 1955 Combination Cover from Kalimpong to Lhasa via Gyantse. Originally f.w. India 2a tied by KALIMPONG cds (dtd SEP 55). At Gyantse the cover was additionally f.w. a 4tr Green tied by poor GYANTSE Type VIII (Hel. T41) cancel. The stamp has been separated by the very seldom seen "Pinking Shear Perforations". (This seldom seen practice was mentioned by Waterfall and was the subject of an article by J. Brewer in the Postal Himal.) – These "Pinking Shear" Perforations are very scarce and much sought after. F/VF Condition (Guaranteed Genuine – Certificate).

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## GEOFFREY FLACK TIBETAN STAMPS AND POSTAL HISTORY OPINION

Date: May 14, 2004

Number: 0616

In my opinion the sheet of Tibetan stamps illustrated on the right is a genuine complete mint sheet of the 4 Trangka. Setting II in Grey Green. The stamp in the bottom right is the larger replacement cliché – separately listed by most catalogues. (Scott#18a) Very Fine Condition - Private Perfs.



33s0143

Tibet: #18 & 18a Complete mint sheet of the 4 Trangka. Setting II in Grey Green. There are two Grey-Green printings, this is much clearer than the other. The stamp in the bottom right is the larger replacement cliché – separately listed by most catalogues. (Scott#18a) Very Fine Condition - Private Perfs. (Guaranteed Genuine – Certificate) \$115

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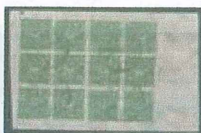
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**Tibet**

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USED: 1933-60 perf setting 1a 4t emerald (Waterfall 200) complete sheet of twelve, later printing with cliché 8 showing damaged lion's chest, cto used by Lhasa type VIII cancels, scarce



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**33s0085 #13 4tr Yellow-Green, Setting 1a, Original Perforations.** Very thin paper. About Fine/Used LHASA Type VIII cancel. \$60 (US)







33s0193

Tibet #14-18 F/VF Mint, All early Printings. Wide margins should allow for plating.



33s0392

TIBET: #14-18 Very Fine complete Used Imperf. Set of the Third Issue of Tibet. Much scarcer used than mint. (Guaranteed Genuine - Certificate)



# GEOFFREY FLACK TIBETAN STAMPS AND POSTAL HISTORY OPINION

Date: June 13, 2008

Number: 2194

In my opinion the set of stamps illustrated on the right is a genuine complete used Imperf. set of the Third Issue of Tibet. (Scott #14-18) Fine/VF Used.



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TIBET: #14 1/2tr Yellow GYANTSE Type B-3 (Hel. MAR 46). The stamp and but not postally used - U creations.



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TIBET: #15 2/3tr Grey Blue with British India GYANTSE Type B-3 (Hel. B48) cancel (dtd 5 MAR 46). The stamp and cancel are genuine - but not postally used - Unusual philatelic creations.

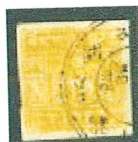


## GEOFFREY FLACK TIBETAN STAMPS AND POSTAL HISTORY OPINION

Date: May 10, 2009

Number: 2416

In my opinion the Tibetan stamp illustrated on the right is a genuine 1/2tr Yellow (Scott #14) cancelled with MEDAGONGKUR IX (Hel. T53) CTO cancel.

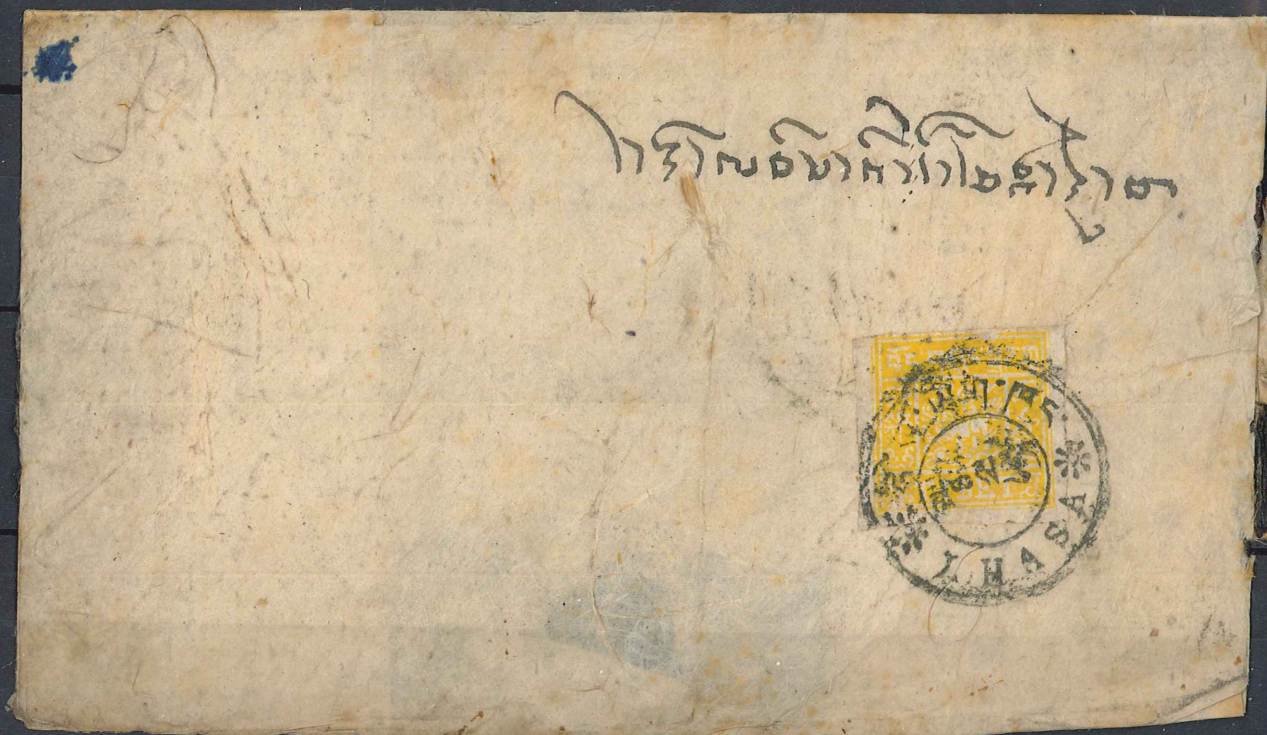


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TIBET: #14 1/2tr Yellow cancelled with the very scarce MEDAGONGKUR IX (Hel. T53) CTO cancel. CTO examples of the eastern Tibet cancels are Scarce - they are extremely rare commercially used. (Guaranteed Genuine - Certificate).

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## GEOFFREY FLACK TIBETAN STAMPS AND POSTAL HISTORY OPINION

Date: October 7, 2009

Number: 2602

In my opinion the Tibetan cover illustrated on the right is a genuine commercially used cover from Lhasa to Phari. F.w. 1/2tr Yellow tied by LHASA Type VIII (Hel. T42) cancel. Dtd "17 day, 1st Month" (No year, circa 1936). Scarce Rate. F/VF Condition.



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## GEOFFREY FLACK TIBETAN STAMPS AND POSTAL HISTORY OPINION

**Date: May 10, 2009**

**Number: 2415**

In my opinion the Tibetan stamp illustrated on the right is a genuine ½tr Yellow (Scott #14) tied to piece by complete LHASA Type VII cancel. The early Lhasa cancels are very seldom seen on 1933 Issue stamps (Circa 1933-36)

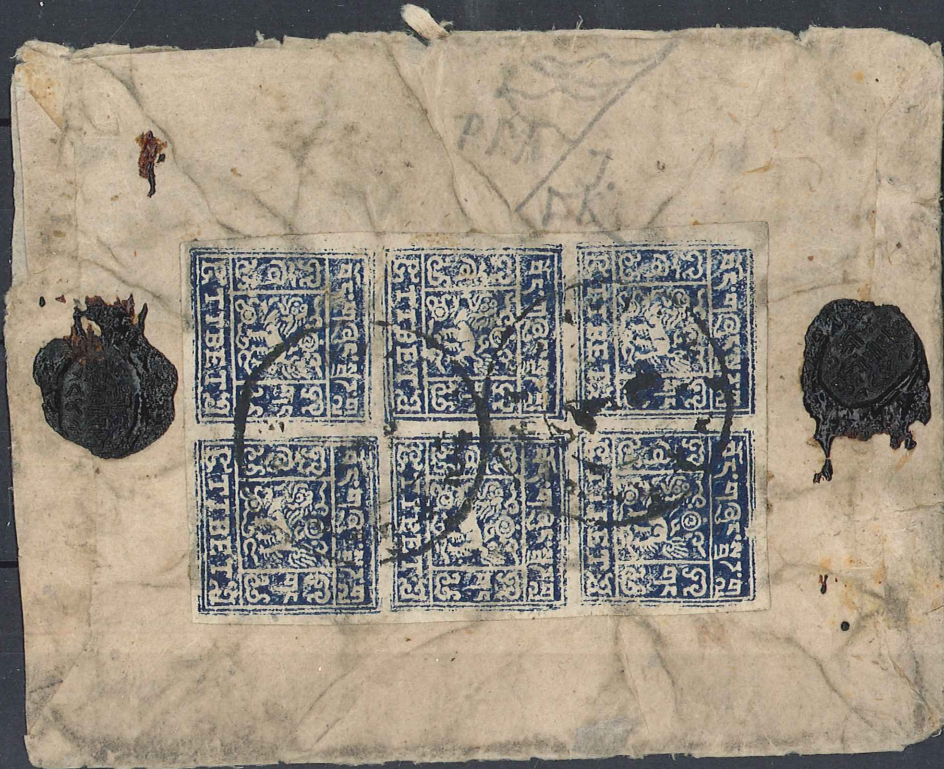


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TIBET: #14 ½tr Yellow tied to piece by complete LHASA Type VII cancel. The early Lhasa cancels are very seldom seen on 1933 Issue stamps (Circa 1933-36) (Guaranteed Genuine – Certificate).

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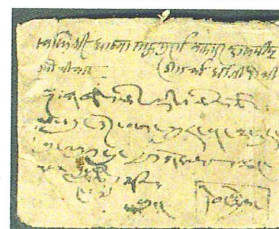


## GEOFFREY FLACK TIBETAN STAMPS AND POSTAL HISTORY OPINION

**Date:** January 15, 2008

**Number:** 1935

In my opinion the Tibetan cover illustrated on the right is a genuine Registered hand-made Commercial cover from Phari to Shigatse f.w. a half sheet of 2/3 Trangka Grey Blue (Clichés 12, 5 / 1, 2 / 11, 9 – Setting III, Waterfall #132) tied by indistinct PHARI Type VIII cancels. Hand-drawn Registration. The cover is not dated, but is Circa mid-1940s. Two intact wax seals.



**33c0222**

TIBET: Attractive Registered hand-made Commercial cover from Phari to Shigatse f.w. a half sheet of 2/3 Trangka Grey Blue (Clichés 12, 5 / 1, 2 / 11, 9 – Setting III, Waterfall #132) tied by indistinct PHARI Type VIII cancels. Hand-drawn Registration. The cover is not dated, but is Circa mid-1940s. Two intact wax seals. Large multiples on cover are scarce & much sought after. (Guaranteed Genuine - Certificate).

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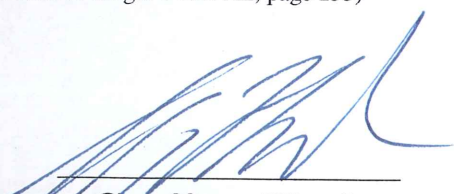


## GEOFFREY FLACK TIBETAN STAMPS AND POSTAL HISTORY OPINION

**Date:** February 2, 2009

**Number:** 2330

In my opinion the Tibetan cover on the right is a genuine 1952 Nepal-Tibet Combination cover from Kathmandu to Lhasa via Pharijong. The Nepalese stamps were not cancelled in Nepal & were subsequently cancelled on arrival with PHARIJONG Type B-3 (Hel. B50) cds (dtd 24 OCT 52). Additionally f.w. Tibet 2/3tr Indigo Blue & 1tr Orange Red (making the controversial unregistered rate) tied by PHARI Type VIII (Hel. T44) cancels. It appears that the Tibetan writing on the cover was written by a Nepalese who copied the address. (Illustrated in Singer's NEPAL, page 253)

  
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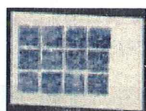
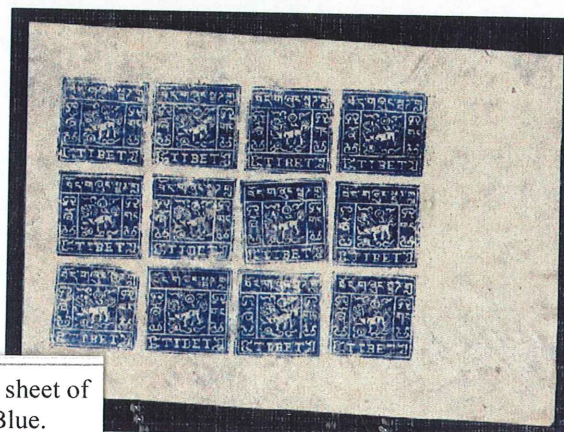


## GEOFFREY FLACK TIBETAN STAMPS AND POSTAL HISTORY OPINION

Date: July 15, 2006

Number: 1088

In my opinion the sheet of Tibetan stamp illustrated on the right is a genuine UNLISTED mint sheet of the 2/3 Trangka, Setting II, In Grey-Blue. This Setting II printing in Grey-Blue is the same shade as the first printing of Setting III and was in all likelihood the last printing of Setting II. It is unrecorded and undoubtedly very scarce. VF+ Sheet.



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TIBET: Complete UNLISTED Mint sheet of the 2/3 Trangka, Setting II, In Grey-Blue. This Setting II printing in Grey-Blue is the same shade as the first printing of Setting III and was in all likelihood the last printing of Setting II. It is unrecorded and undoubtedly very scarce. VF+ Sheet. Very Scarce Printing of Setting II! (Guaranteed Genuine – Certificate)

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Interesting combination cover from Calcutta, India to Pharijong, Tibet. F.w. India Geo. VI 1½a tied by indistinct cancel dtd 1949. The back of the cover is additionally f.w. Tibet 2/3tr Blue (Scott #15) and 2 Shokang Official (Scott #04) tied by indistinct Phari Cancel. The return address on the cover is interesting: "Radio Supply Stores Ltd, Importer of Wireless Apparatus and Radio Engineers, 3 Dalhousie Square, Calcutta". In the late 1940s Tibet was trying to develop a Wireless Telegraph system with the help of the British Wireless operator – Robert Ford. We know that in 1950 a wireless telegraph system operated for a few months .. using regular Tibetan stamps as well as special wireless telegraph stamps. The use of an "Official" stamp on what appears to be a commercial cover is difficult to explain .. possibly the Tibetan stamps were added later to a genuine commercial cover from Calcutta to Phari. (?).





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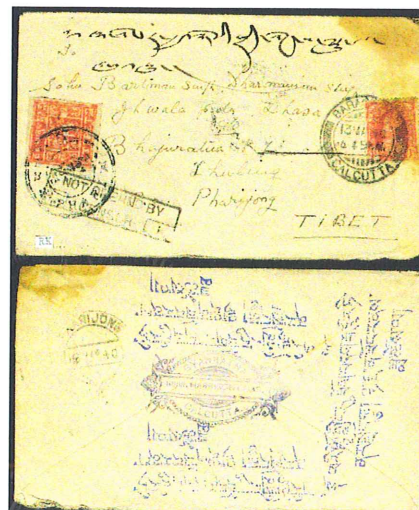
## GEOFFREY FLACK TIBETAN STAMPS AND POSTAL HISTORY OPINION

**Date:** January 15, 2008

**Number:** 1932

In my opinion the Tibetan cover illustrated on the right is a genuine 1940 Combination Cover from Calcutta to Lhasa via Pharijong. F.w India Geo. VI 1a Carmine tied by BARA BAZAR / CALCUTTA cds (dtd 13 MAY 40). PHARIJONG Type B-3 transit (dtd 16 MAY 40). Additionally f.w. 1tr Scarlet tied by double ring PHARI Type VIII (Hel. T44) cancel. The cover bears a boxed "NOT OPENED BY / CENSOR" marking. This "War Time" cover was part of the "Gyanratna" correspondence. "Gyanratna" was the largest Tibetan trader and maintained an office and warehouse in Calcutta. The cover bears three unrecorded "PHARI TO LHASA" Directional marks in Violet. Only a few covers, circa 1940 or earlier, are known with Directional Markings – most cover with Directional marks date from the late 1940s or early 1950s. Badly toned on the corner.

  
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## GEOFFREY FLACK TIBETAN STAMPS AND POSTAL HISTORY OPINION

Date: October 11, 2008

Number: 2278

In my opinion the Tibetan stamp illustrated on the right is a genuine 1tr Rose Carmine (early printing) cancelled by genuine British-India PHARIJONG (Hel. Type B-50) cancel (dtd 9 MAR 46). It is quite unusual to find Tibetan stamps with British India cancels.



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33s0422

TIBET: #16 1tr Rose Carmine (early printing) cancelled by genuine British-India PHARIJONG (Hel. Type B-50) cancel (dtd 9 MAR 46). It is quite unusual to find Tibetan stamps with British India cancels. (Certificate)



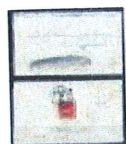
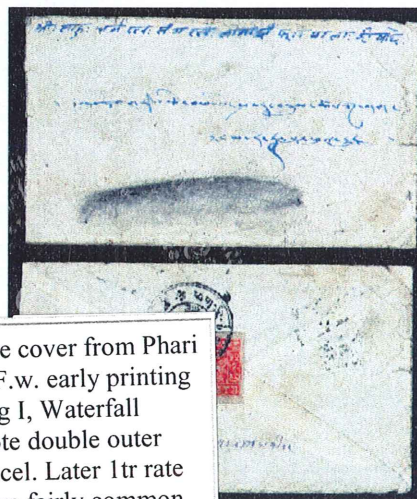


## GEOFFREY FLACK TIBETAN STAMPS AND POSTAL HISTORY OPINION

**Date:** September 30 2006

**Number:** 1178

In my opinion the Tibetan cover illustrated on the right is a genuine commercially used 1tr rate cover from Phari to Lhasa, Circa late 1930s. F.w. early printing of 1tr Rose Carmine (Setting I, Waterfall #145) tied by very early (note double outer ring) PHARI Type VIII cancel. VG/Fine Condition



33c0091

TIBET: Very Scarce 1tr rate cover from Phari to Lhasa, Circa late 1930s. F.w. early printing of 1tr Rose Carmine (Setting I, Waterfall #145) tied by very early (note double outer ring) PHARI Type VIII cancel. Later 1tr rate covers (circa early 1950s) are fairly common, but this 1tr Rate used in the late 1930s is very scarce. Condition VG/Fine (Guaranteed Genuine – Certificate)

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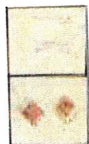


## GEOFFREY FLACK TIBETAN STAMPS AND POSTAL HISTORY OPINION

**Date:** March 4, 2007

**Number:** 1467

In my opinion the Tibetan cover illustrated on the right is a genuine 4tr Rate cover from Lhasa to Gyantse. F.w. two 2tr Orange tied by LHASA Type VIII (Hel. T42) cancels. The cover bears a LHASA TO GYANTSE Directional Mark in Violet (Hellrigl Type 2). Hand-drawn "Pennant" Trader's Mark of the Dhakwa Family (A Nepalese Trading Family with shops in many shops in Tibet). There is no Registration marking, but the rate indicates the cover was Registered.



**33c0119**

TIBET: 4tr Rate cover from Lhasa to Gyantse. F.w. two 2tr Orange tied by LHASA Type VIII (Hel. T42) cancels. The cover bears a LHASA TO GYANTSE Directional Mark in Violet (Hellrigl Type 2). Hand-drawn "Pennant" Trader's Mark of the Dhakwa Family (A Nepalese Trading Family with shops in many shops in Tibet). There is no Registration marking, but the rate indicates the cover was Registered. (Guaranteed Genuine - Certificate)



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Tibet: Interesting partial cover f.w. a 1tr Deep Scarlet Vermilion, Cliché 4, Setting II (Waterfall #150) tied by LHASA Type VIII (Hel. T42) cancel. Cliché 4 appears in the top right corner of Settings I ad II – plate flaws indicate this is from Setting II. This scarce Dark Scarlet Vermilion shaded dates from 1941. This cover front bears an violet Directional Mark (printed twice) – this marking is NOT RECORDED by Hellrigl in his article on the Directional Markings of Tibet. (This printing of the 1tr was used in 1941-42 .. a very early usage of Directional Markings. Scarce & Unusual! 125,00 USD

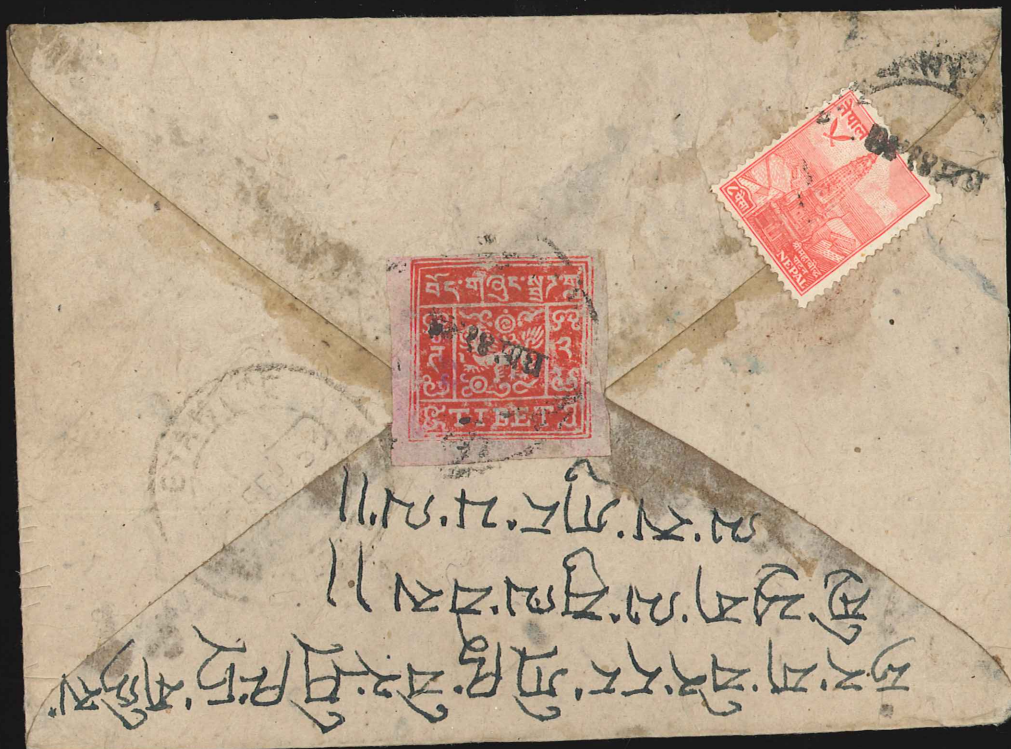
(LHASA pour PHARI)





	<p>33c0034</p>	<p>Scarce 1938 1tr rate Combination cover from Calcutta to Lhasa via Pharjong. F.w. India Geo. VI 1a tied by BARA BAZAR / CALCUTTA cds dtd 12 DEC. 38. PHARIJONG Type B-3 (Hel. B50) transit dtd 15 DEC 38. Additionally f.w. 1tr Carmine-Rose Cliché 4, Setting I tied by PHARI Type VIII (Hel. T44) cancel. The cover is from the Gyantse Correspondence. Gyantse was the largest Tibetan trader - maintaining offices in Calcutta and most Tibetan towns. Scarce 1tr (First Setting) Rate Cover!</p>
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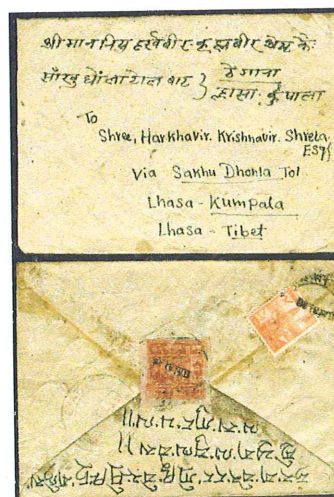
**Date:** February 2, 2009

**Number:** 2329

In my opinion the Tibetan cover on the right is a genuine unregistered 1953 Nepal-Tibet combination cover from Kathmandu to Lhasa via Gyantse. F.w. Nepal 8p Vermilion (regular unregistered foreign rate) tied by KATHMANDU cds (dtd 20/09/14/ Magh = Feb. 13, 1953). The Tibet 2tr red (unregistered rate within Tibet) had already been affixed in Kathmandu and bears the same KATHMANDU cancel. On arrival in Gyantse the cover was cancelled with a GYANTSE Type B-3 (Hel. B48) transit (dtd ... FEB 53). Normally the Tibetan stamps would have been added in Gyantse and cancelled by a Tibetan Postmark of Gyantse. When Tibetan stamps were affixed in Kathmandu they were usually not cancelled until arrival in Tibet. This cover is unusual, but genuine in all respects. (Illustrated in Singer's NEPAL, page 254).



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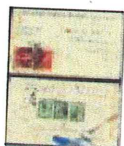
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33c0134

TIBET: Attractive 1954 combination cover from France to Lhasa, Tibet via Gyantse. F.w. French 30f stamp tied by slogan cancel & TARBES (Pyrennies) cds (dtd 4.12.54). Additionally f.w. a pair of 2tr Rose (Scott #17) tied by GYANTSE Type VIII (Hel T41) cancel. Interesting usage!





33c0183

NEPAL / TIBET: Rare 1942 Censored Nepal / Tibet combination cover from Kathmandu to Lhasa via Pharijong. Originally f.w. Nepal 4p Green (SG 52 x 3) – the scarce and seldom seen 12 pice rate. (The normal rate was 8 pice – L. Martyn stated that he had only seen two other covers from this period f.w. the 12p rate.) PHARIJONG Type B-3 (Hel. B50 ) transit (dtd 23 NOV 42.). Additionally f.w. two 2tr Carmine Rose (one stamp with surface rub) tied by PHARI Type VIII (Hel. T44) cancel. The cover was censored and bears both Censor Tape and "Opened by Censor" straight line cancel in black. This commercial cover bears the circular trader's mark of the Tuladhar Trading family of Nepal. Nepal / Tibet Combination covers from this War Time period are Rare and Censored covers from Nepal to Tibet are equally Rare. (Ex. A. Singer)



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## GEOFFREY FLACK TIBETAN STAMPS AND POSTAL HISTORY OPINION

**Date:** July 20, 2006

**Number:** 1131

In my opinion the Tibetan cover illustrated on the right is a genuine combination cover from Kathmandu, Nepal to Lhasa, Tibet via Pharijong. F.w. Nepal 8p Scarlet (SG 59) tied by Nepalese cds ). Additionally f.w. Tibet 2tr (x3) tied by PHARI Type VIII (Hel. T44). Nepal-Tibet combination covers are Rare. VF/Condition (opened for display).



33c0088

NEPAL-TIBET COMBINATION COVER. Rare & Attractive combination cover from Kathmandu, Nepal to Lhasa, Tibet via Pharijong. F.w. Nepal 8p Scarlet (SG 59) tied by Nepalese cds (dtd not translated, but circa 1940s). Additionally f.w. Tibet 2tr (x3) tied by PHARI Type VIII (Hel. T44). Nepal-Tibet combination covers are Rare. VF/Condition (opened for display). (Guaranteed Genuine - Certificate)

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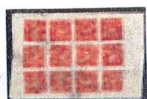


## GEOFFREY FLACK TIBETAN STAMPS AND POSTAL HISTORY OPINION

Date: December 24, 2005

Number: 0936

In my opinion the sheet of Tibetan stamps illustrated on the right is a genuine complete Mint sheet of the 2 trangka, Indian Red, Setting Ib. Unlike anything listed by Waterfall .. the colour is very close to Stanley Gibbons Colour Key's 'Indian Red'. Very Clear and attractive printing on very thin paper. VF/Condition. (Scott #17)



33s0288

Tibet: #17 2 trangka, Indian Red, Setting Ib. Unlike anything listed by Waterfall .. the colour is very close to Stanley Gibbons Colour Key's 'Indian Red'. Very Clear and attractive printing on very thin paper. VF/Condition. Beautiful & Scarce First Setting Printing. (Guaranteed Genuine - Certificate)

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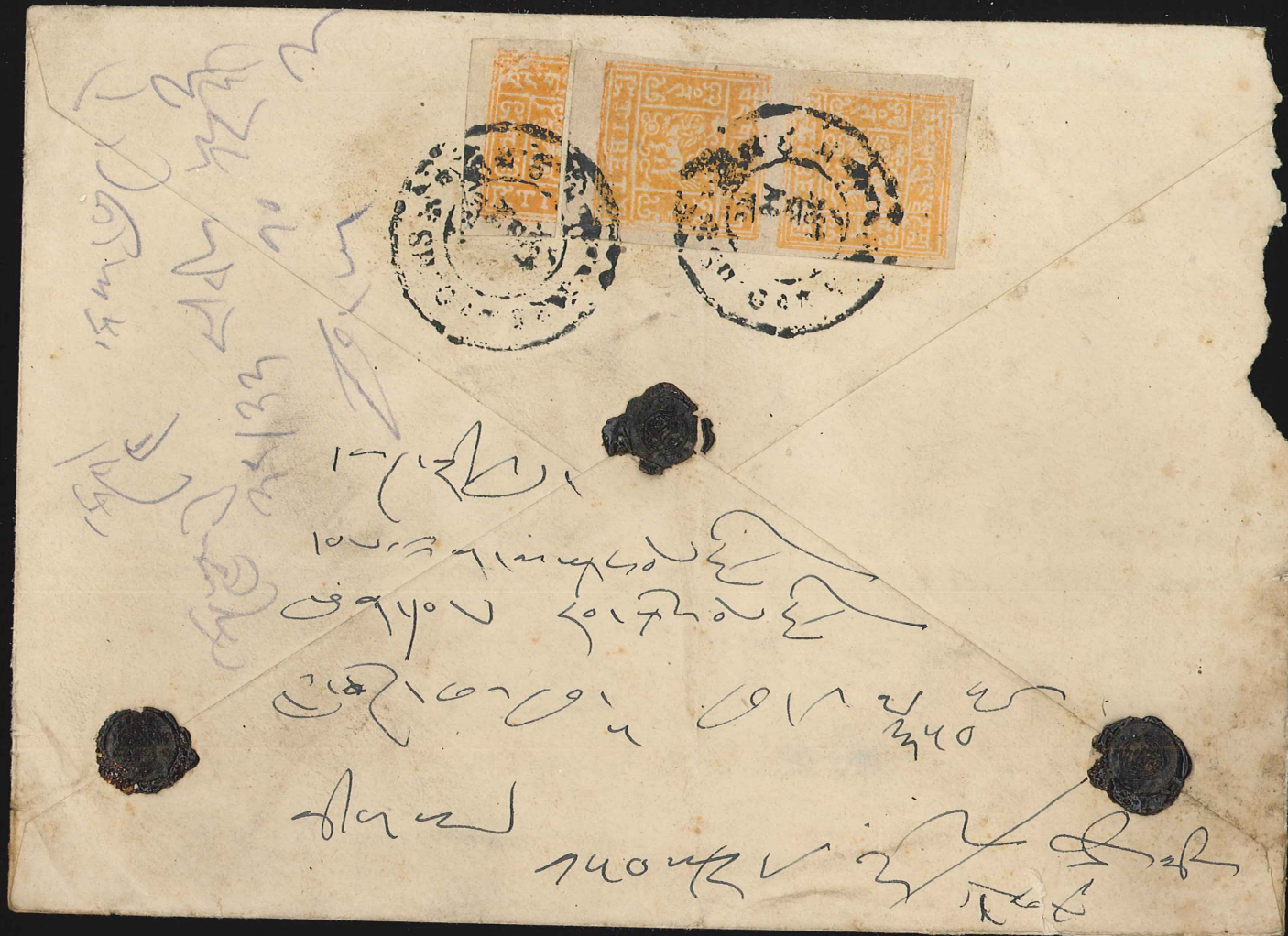
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33s0107 #17 2tr Yellow Pair of the "Error of Colour"! \$125  
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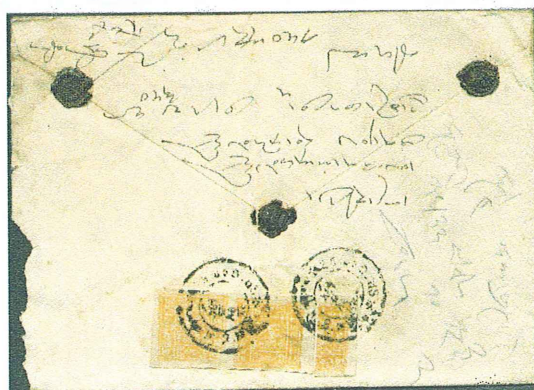


## GEOFFREY FLACK TIBETAN STAMPS AND POSTAL HISTORY OPINION

**Date:** June 11, 2010

**Number:** 2695

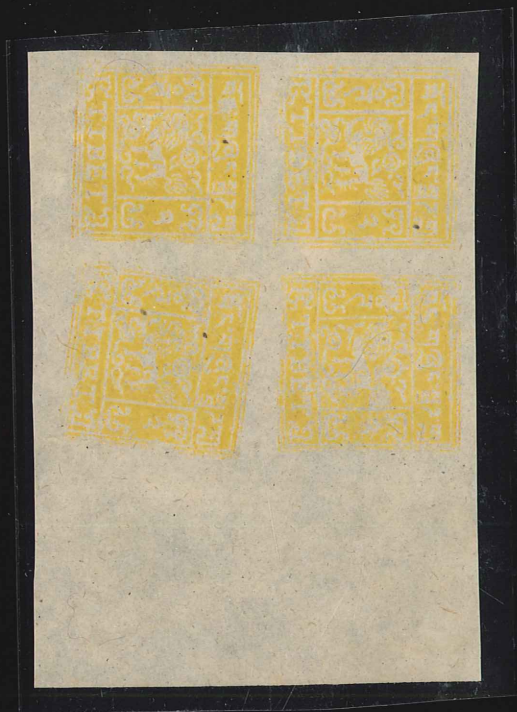
In my opinion the Tibetan cover illustrated on the right is a genuine 5tr Rate Registered "Bisect" Commercial Cover from Shigatse to Phari. F.w. a pair of 2tr Orange + ½ x 2tr Orange tied by SHIGATSE Type VIII (Hel. T46) cancels. (Due to a shortage of 1tr stamps the postal authorities allowed bisected 2tr stamps to be used instead of the 1tr value.)



  
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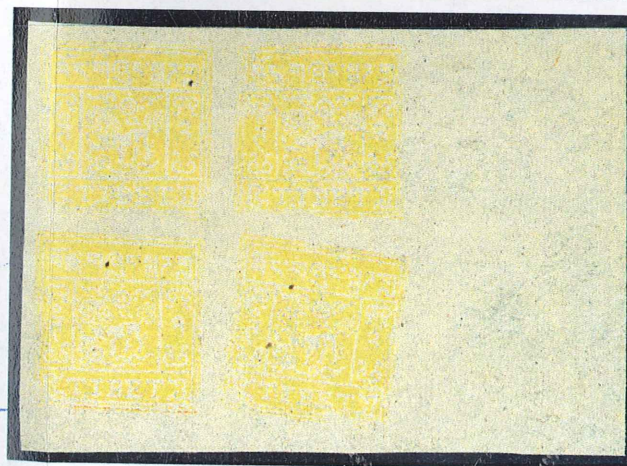



## GEOFFREY FLACK TIBETAN STAMPS AND POSTAL HISTORY OPINION

**Date:** February 10, 2007

**Number:** 1386

In my opinion the block of Tibetan stamp illustrated on the right is a genuine 2 Trangka (Scott #17), Yellow, Setting II (Cliché 5.3 / 7, 1). VF Mint block of this Scarce 'Error in Colour' variety.



  
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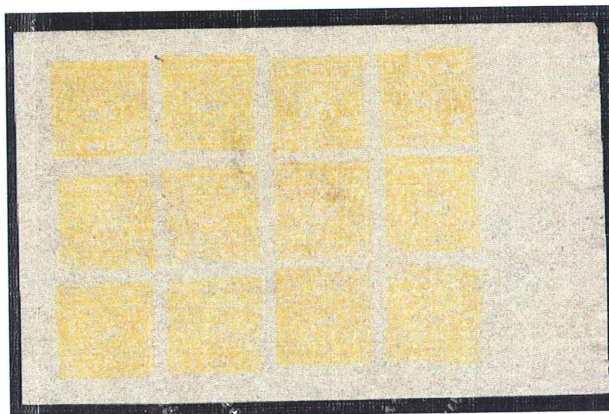


## GEOFFREY FLACK TIBETAN STAMPS AND POSTAL HISTORY OPINION

Date: July 15, 2006

Number: 1104

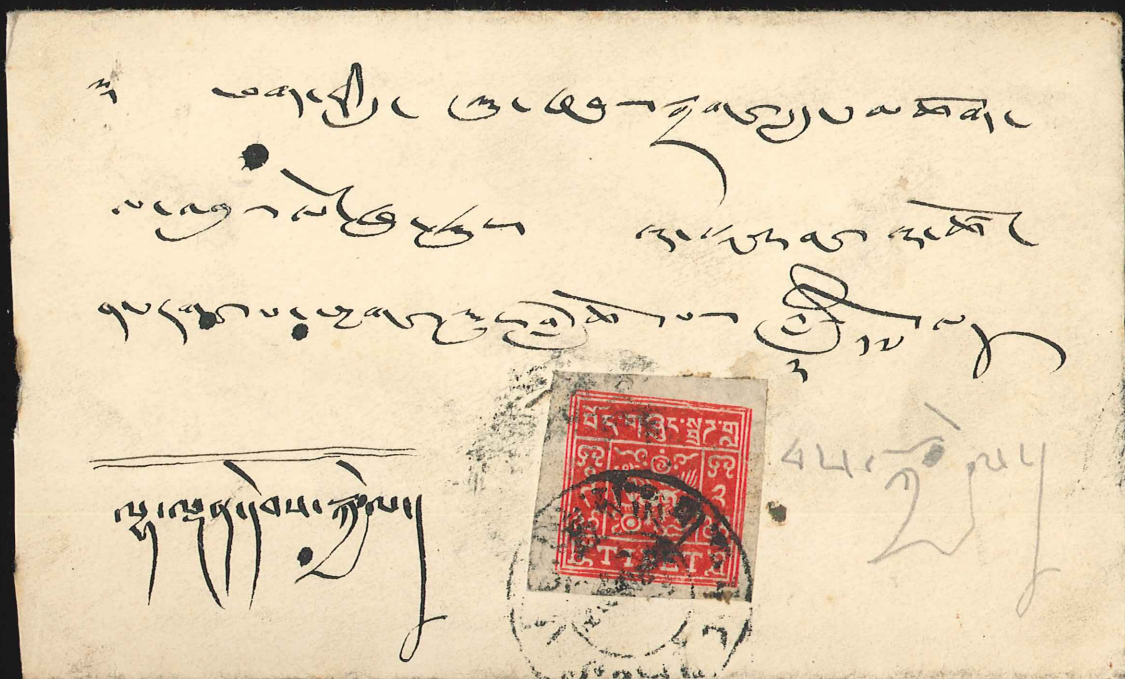
In my opinion the sheet of Tibetan stamps illustrated on the right is a genuine 2tr Yellow, Setting IIa. This is the so called "Error of Colour". Waterfall believed there were two shades but he only listed one (W-197). He assigned it "500 points" making it the scarcest 2tr sheet.



  
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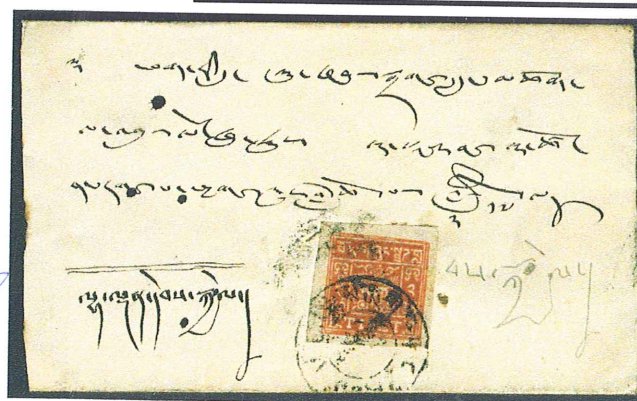


## GEOFFREY FLACK TIBETAN STAMPS AND POSTAL HISTORY OPINION

Date: October 7, 2009

Number: 2599

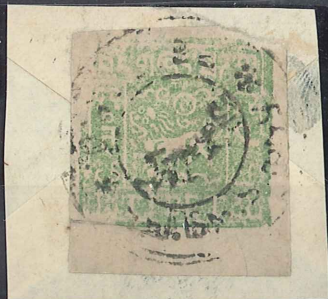
In my opinion the Tibetan cover illustrated on the right is a genuine commercially used 1935 2tr Rate Registered cover from Lhasa to Phari. F.w. 2tr Scarlet (early printing of Scott #17) tied by LHASA Type VII cancel (very rare on third issue covers). Hand-drawn "LHASA REGISTRATION". The cover is dated "25th Day, 2nd Month, Wood Pig Year" (1935). Dated Internal covers are rare. F/VF Condition.



  
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TIBET: #18a Small piece f.w. 4tr Grey Green, Cliché 13 (larger replacement Cliché) tied by Very Scarce PELTI P.O. Type VIII (Hel. T45) cancel. (Though not a clear cancel, it is definitely Pelti) A very scarce small town commercial usage.

## GEOFFREY FLACK TIBETAN STAMPS AND POSTAL HISTORY OPINION

Date: October 11, 2008

Number: 2277

In my opinion the Tibetan stamp illustrated on the right is a genuine 4tr Yellow Green (Setting I) cancelled by genuine British-India PHARIJONG (Hel. Type B-50) cancel (dtd 9 MAR 46). It is quite unusual to find Tibetan stamps with British India cancels.



  
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33s0421

TIBET: #18 4tr Yellow Green (Setting I) cancelled by genuine British-India PHARIJONG (Hel. Type B-50) cancel (dtd 9 MAR 46). It is quite unusual to find Tibetan stamps with British India cancels. (Certificate)

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**33c0099** clear printing of the 4tr Blue Green tied by GYANTSE Type VIII (Hel. T41) cancel. GYANTSE TO LHASA (Hel. Type 13) Directional marks (x2) in black.

## GEOFFREY FLACK TIBETAN STAMPS AND POSTAL HISTORY OPINION

**Date:** September 30 2006

**Number:** 1186

In my opinion the Tibetan cover illustrated on the right is a genuine commercially used cover from Gyantse to Lhasa. F.w. a very clear printing of the 4tr Blue Green tied by GYANTSE Type VIII (Hel. T41) cancel. GYANTSE TO LHASA (Hel. Type 13) Directional marks (x2) in black. Hand-drawn "floral" Trader's Mark and two intact Wax Seals. F/VF Condition.

  
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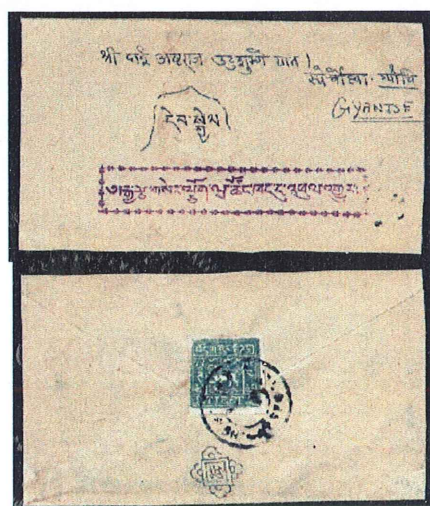
## GEOFFREY FLACK TIBETAN STAMPS AND POSTAL HISTORY OPINION

Date: September 30, 2006

Number: 1183

In my opinion the Tibetan cover illustrated on the right is a genuine commercially used Registered cover from Shigatse to Gyantse. F.w. 4tr Green (Cliché 13, Scott 18a – the larger replacement Cliché) tied by SHIGATSE Type VIII (Hel. T46) cancel with hand-drawn Registration marking. Very fine Violet SHIGATSE TO GYANTSE Directional Hand-stamp (Hel. Type 11). Attractive Hand-Drawn Trader's Mark. VF condition.


  
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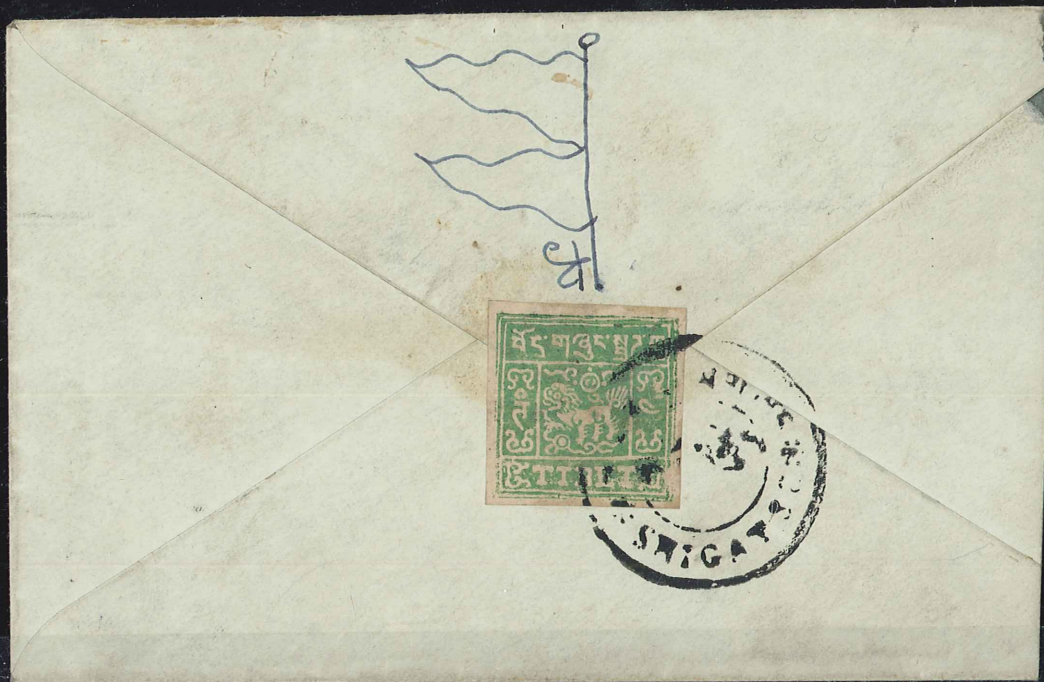




	<p>33c0075</p>	<p>TIBET: February 1954 Combination cover from Kalimpong, India to Lhasa via Gyantse. F.w. India 2a tied by KALIMPONG cds dtd 2 FEB 54. Backstamped with GYANTSE Type B-3 (Hel. B48) transit dtd 9 FEB 54. Additionally f.w. Tibet 4 Trangka Green tied by beautiful GYANTSE Type VIII (Hel. T41) cancel. Combination covers from the mid-1950s are scarce - this is the most beautiful example I have ever had. (Ex. Crocker)</p>
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*Shigatse pour Lhasa &*

Tibet: Interesting commercial cover from Shigatse f.w. 4tr Pale Green tied by SHIGATSE Type VIII (Hel. T46) cancel. The cover bears a three line violet Directional Mark – NOT RECORDED by Hellrigl in his article on the Directional Markings of Tibet. Pennant Trader's Mark of the Dhakwa Trading family of Nepal. Nice example of an unrecorded Directional Marking. 135,00 USD



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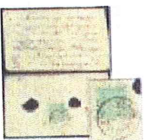
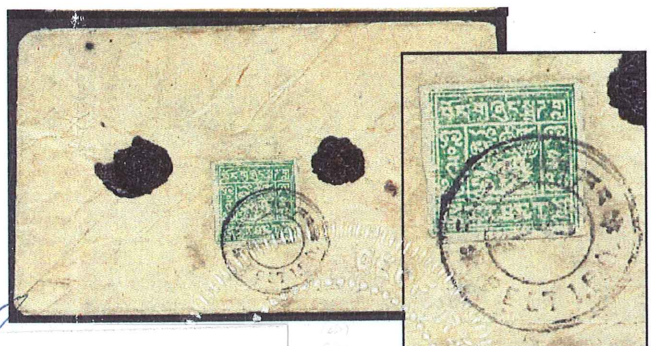


## GEOFFREY FLACK TIBETAN STAMPS AND POSTAL HISTORY OPINION

Date: October 12, 2007

Number: 1731

In my opinion the Tibetan cover illustrated on the right is a genuine Registered cover from Pelti to Gyantse and then forwarded to the Sakya Monastery. F.w. 4tr Green tied by clear and complete PELTI Type VIII (Hel. T45) cancel. The cover was addressed to the Monastery in Gyantse and then privately carried by courier to the Sakya Monastery. Two intact Wax Seals. Dated "Sept. 24" – no year, circa early 1950s. VF Condition.



33c0187

TIBET: Very Rare commercially used Registered cover from Pelti to Gyantse and then forwarded to the Sakya Monastery. F.w. 4tr Green tied by clear and complete Very Rare PELTI Type VIII (Hel. T45) cancel. The cover was addressed to the Monastery in Gyantse and then privately carried by courier to the Sakya Monastery (1½ days on foot). Two intact Wax Seals. Commercial mail from Pelti is Very Rare as is mail to or from a Monastery. Dated "Sept. 24" – no year as usual, circa early 1950s. Important cover in VF Condition. (Guaranteed Genuine – Certificate).

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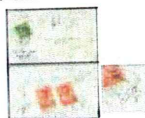


## GEOFFREY FLACK TIBETAN STAMPS AND POSTAL HISTORY OPINION

Date: March 4, 2007

Number: 1470

In my opinion the Tibetan cover illustrated on the right is a genuine 1956 Combination Cover from Kalimpong, India to Shigatse via Yatung and Gyantse. Indian stamps tied by KALIMPONG cancels (dtd 24.9.56) sent via Yatung where it received a CHINESE YATUNG (Hel. C294) transit (dtd 56.9.27) to Gyantse where it was additionally f.w. 4tr Deep Apple Green (Waterfall #223) tied by GYANTSE Type VIII (Hel. T41) cancel. Unidentified and unrecorded Blue three line Directional Mark Very unusual to find a Chinese transit mark on a cover which is finally delivered by the Tibetan Post Office



33c0123

TIBET: Scarce 1956 Combination Cover from Kalimpong, India to Shigatse via Yatung and Gyantse. Indian stamps tied by KALIMPONG cancels (dtd 24.9.56) sent via Yatung where it received a CHINESE YATUNG (Hel. C294) transit (dtd 56.9.27) to Gyantse where it was additionally f.w. 4tr Deep Apple Green (Waterfall #223) tied by GYANTSE Type VIII (Hel. T41) cancel. Unidentified and unrecorded Blue three line Directional Mark This is a very important cover – it is extremely unusual to find a Chinese transit mark on a cover which is finally delivered by the Tibetan Post Office. (Guaranteed Genuine – Certificate)



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## GEOFFREY FLACK TIBETAN STAMPS AND POSTAL HISTORY OPINION

**Date:** October 30, 2007

**Number:** 1777

In my opinion the Tibetan stamps illustrated on the right are genuine F/VF Used copies of the 4tr Green – both with Original Perforations. (The stamp on the left has perfs. on the left side only.) The stamps are tied to small pieces with Lhasa cancels. The left stamp is tied by LHASA Type VII (T15) cancel and the right stamp is tied by LHASA Type VIII (Hel. T42) cancel.



**33s0346**

TIBET: Scott #13 (x2) two F/VF Used copies of the 4tr Green – both with Original Perforations. (The left stamp is straight edge on three sides.) The stamps are tied to piece with Lhasa cancels. The left stamp is tied by LHASA Type VII (T15) cancel and the right stamp is tied by LHASA Type VIII (Hel. T42) cancel. The Type VII cancel is very scarce on 1933 Issue stamps. (Guaranteed Genuine – Certificate)

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33s0032

#18a 4 trangka Grey-Green This is Cliché #13 - the replacement cliché. It is slightly larger - 25 x 25mm and the hooks under the lion are different from the originals. **Commercially Used** - tied to piece by SHIGATSE cancel. **Important catalogue listed variety.**



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## GEOFFREY FLACK TIBETAN STAMPS AND POSTAL HISTORY OPINION

Date: October 11, 2008

Number: 2287

In my opinion the Tibetan stamp illustrated on the right is a genuine 4 Trangka Deep Yellow Green (Setting I) with ORIGINAL PERFORATION tied to piece by LHASSA Type VII cancel. This cancel is rarely seen on 1933 Issue stamps. VF Condition.



33s0432

TIBET: #13 4 Trangka Deep Yellow Green (Setting I) with ORIGINAL PERFORATION tied to piece by LHASSA Type VII cancel. This cancel is rarely seen on 1933 Issue stamps. VF Condition. (Guaranteed Genuine - Certificate)

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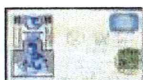


**L78** 4tr Yellow Green Cliché 10, Setting  
I cancelled by Very Rare partial commercially used **PENAM** Type IX (Hel. T55)  
cancel.



**PENAM**  
Type IX

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**33c0106**

Tibet: 1955 combination FDC cover from United Nations in New York to Lhasa, Tibet via Gyantse. United Nations stamp tied by UNITED NATIONS / NEW YORK cancel (dtd MAY 11 1955). Backstamped with Chinese YATUNG (Hel. C165) transit (dtd 55.7.7) & Chinese GYANTSE (Hel. C152) transit (dtd 55.7.10) At Gyantse the cover was f.w. a 4tr Blue Green tied by VF GYANTSE Type VIII (Hel. T41) cancel. This is a very interesting & unusual cover. The British India Post Office closed on April 11, 1955 and this cover was carried by the Chinese Post Office between Yatung and Gyantse where it was turned over to the Tibetan post office to be forwarded to Lhasa. (The cover was sent by Nick Ferrant, a Tibet collector who corresponded with Tsarong Shape's grand-daughter for a number of years.) A Scarce & Unusual cover showing both Chinese & Tibetan markings!



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### OPINION

Date: February 10, 2007

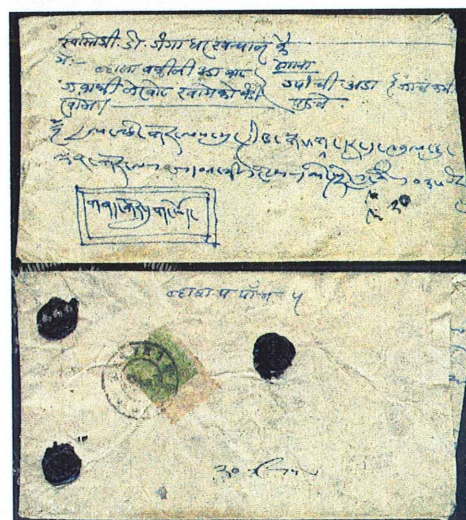
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In my opinion the Tibetan cover illustrated on the right is a genuine commercially used 1956 Internal Registered & Insured cover from Gyantse to Lhasa. F.w. 4tr Apple Green (Waterfall #223) tied by GYANTSE Type VIII (Hel. T41) cancel. Hand-drawn Registration Label which states the cover was INSURED for "6 Rupees". No additional postage was charged for the Insurance? The cover is dated: "September 20 Fire Monkey Year" = 1956. Hand-made (Tibetan Paper) cover with three intact wax seals

was sent to the "Nepalese Office" in Lhasa.



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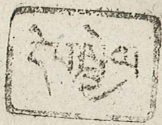


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