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*The Tehran- Rasht route was one of the most important trading route at the time as it was connecting Iran to Russia and Europe.*

*For the convenience of the travellers who wanted to mail letters or postcards along this route, a number of mailboxes were provided at the Stagecoach Stations.*

*The keepers of these Stagecoaches were supplied stamps of Ahmad Shah hand stamped in French "Relais" and Farsi in black ink meaning the Stagecoach Station.*

Scott #520



*2 Chahi Sepia & Carmine Relais  
 Signed by Mr. Sadri*

Scott #521



*3 Chahi Green & Gray Relais  
 Signed by Mr. Sadri*

Scott #522



*6 Chahi Carmine & Gray Relais  
 Signed by Mr. Sadri*

Scott #523



*13 Chahi Blue & Violet Relais  
 Signed by Mr. Sadri*