



Paquettes of Polaris

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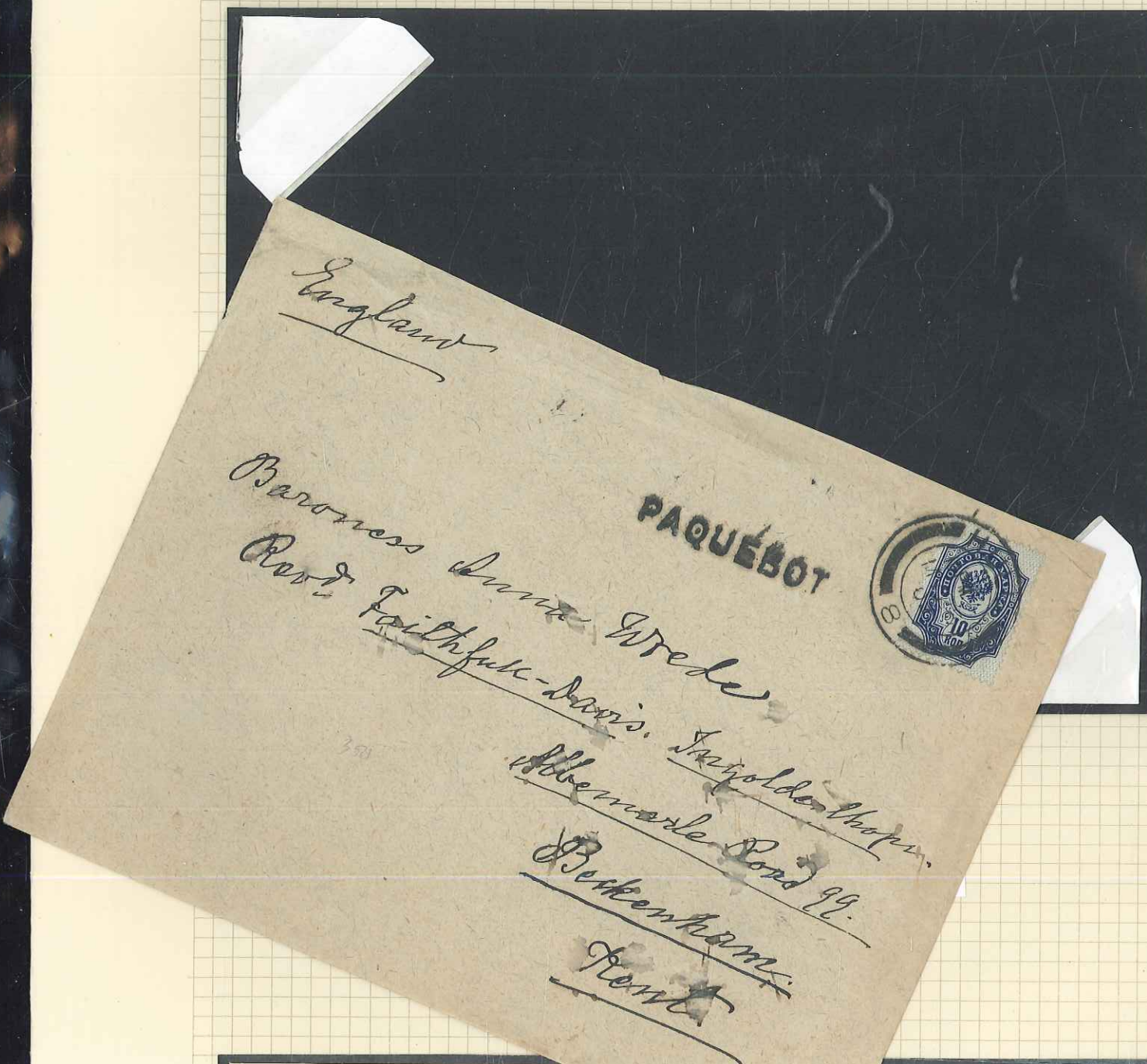
Via Lincoln

England



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1902 SHIP MAIL TO ENGLAND

Cover to BECKENHAM, Kent, posted at Hull, 10k Russian stamp cancelled on arrival at Humberside port of HULL May 28 1902 with straight-line PAQUEBOT (Hoskin Type 99) applied alongside.

Received BECKENHAM next day (backstamp).



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1841 SHIP MAIL TO ENGLAND

Folded letter dated "ST.PETERSBURG 17 October 1841", marked "via Hull Steamer" and addressed to LONDON.

Transit c.d.s. of SCHIFFSBRIEF/HAMBURG 6 Nov 1841 on front and Hamburg Forwarding Agent's endorsement on reverse.

Also on reverse: HULL SHIP LETTER (Robertson Type S9) struck in black and LONDON arrival in red 11 No 1841.

At this time the relatively short Hamburg-Hull route was preferred, being served by four ships per week compared with only two for London.



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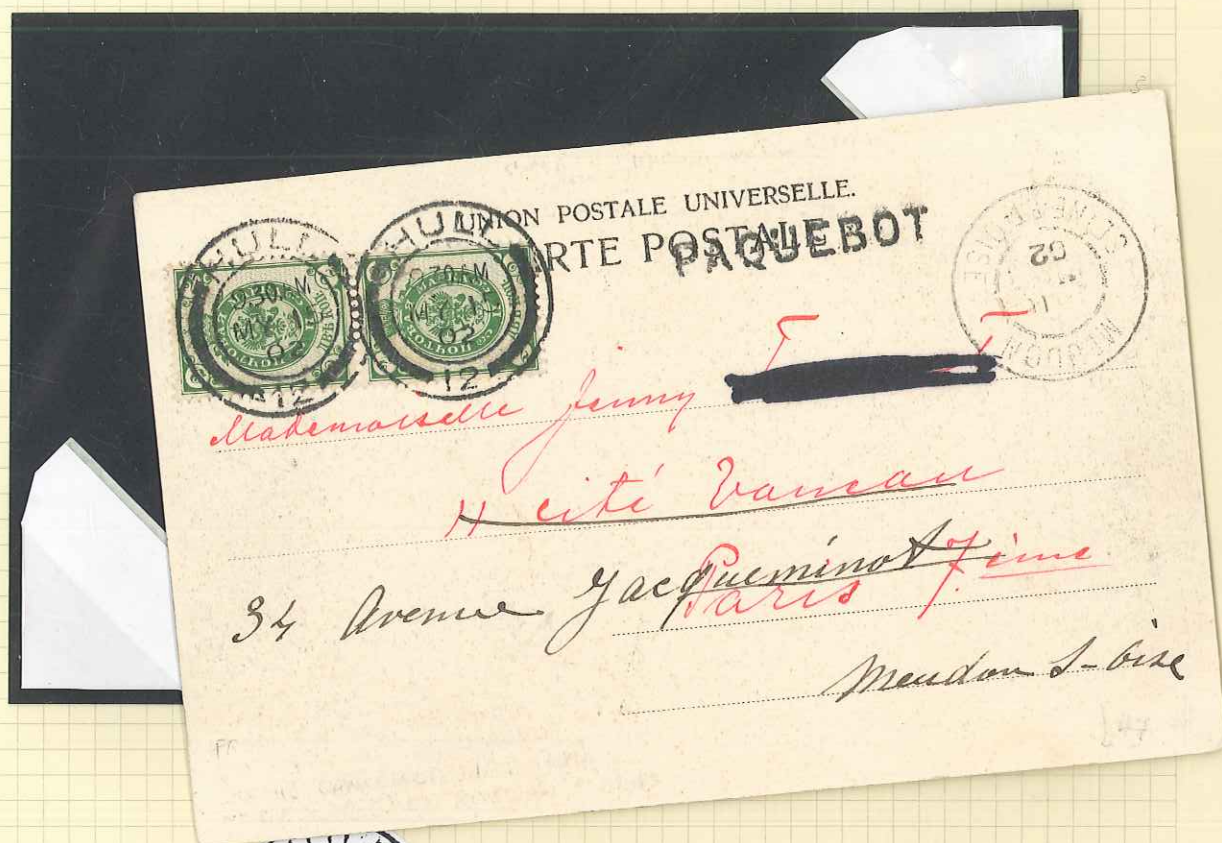
America. Armoured Steamer.

Sida för adressen. — Osoitteen puoli. — Сторона для адреса. — Côté réservé à l'adresse.



HULL.

*Wednesday.
S.C. on Sun. Night about 5 min.
R.C.B.*



PAQUEBOT

1902 SHIP MAIL TO ENGLAND

Finnish viewcard to PARIS, redirected to MEUDON, France, pair Russian 2k stamps cancelled on arrival at Humberside port of HULL May 13 1902 with straight-line PAQUEBOT (Hoskin Type 99) applied alongside. Received MEUDON 10 June 1902. (CSC)

The Finnish Steamship Company (FÅA) ran a service from Helsinki to Hull via Abo and Copenhagen.



1844 SHIP MAIL TO ENGLAND

Folded letter dateline ST.PETERSBURG 6/18 July 1844 to LONDON with instructions for routeing via HULL and per s.s. VICTORIA.

Received HAMBURG, where cds applied

SCHIFFS BRIEF-POST/HAMBURG/ 24 Jul/1844

Dispatched to HULL per s.s. VICTORIA as instructed.

On reverse green HULL/SHIP-LETTER/ 27 JY 1844 in bevelled rectangle and red LONDON cds of receipt 29 JY 1844.

Charged 6 (pence) on arrival, corrected from 8 (pence).

The s.s. "Victoria" was a ship of 600 tons belonging to the Hull Steam Packet Company, operating a service from Hull to St.Petersburg via Copenhagen and back.

From 1847 letters carried by private ship had to be pre-paid.



1846 SHIP MAIL TO ENGLAND

Cover to LONDON endorsed in MS "P Steamer via Lubeck" and handstamped VIA HULL. On reverse boxed ST. PETERSBURG/21 SEP 1846. Received HAMBURG, where cds applied

SCHIFFSBRIEF-POST/HAMBURG/12 OCT 1846

and oval framed T (taxé) for same date in red.

HULL/SHIP-LETTER/B. 12 OCT 1846

in bevelled rectangle struck in green on reverse on arrival in England.

Red LONDON cds of receipt next day.