

007

Russia

2 x 10 Kop - Registered - Kiev to Chexbres

Kiev - 3 Sep 1916 - Chexbres - 5 Oct 1916

K Re-directed to Montana-Vermala and again to Bex

Montana-Vermala - 5 Oct 1916

Bex - 6 Oct 1916

CENSOR MARK?





001

# Germany

Pre-stamp from Leipzig to Wohlen

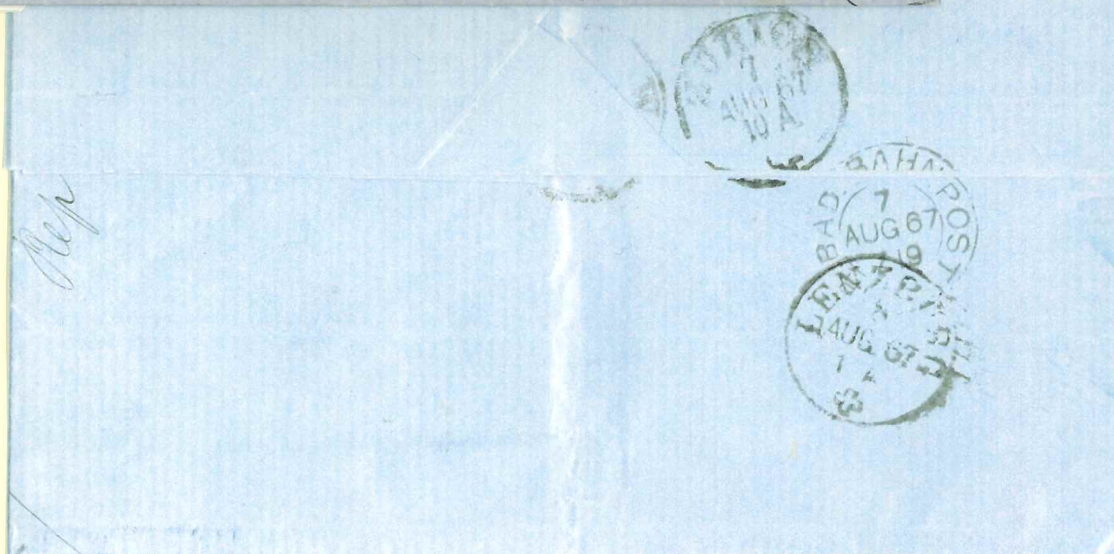
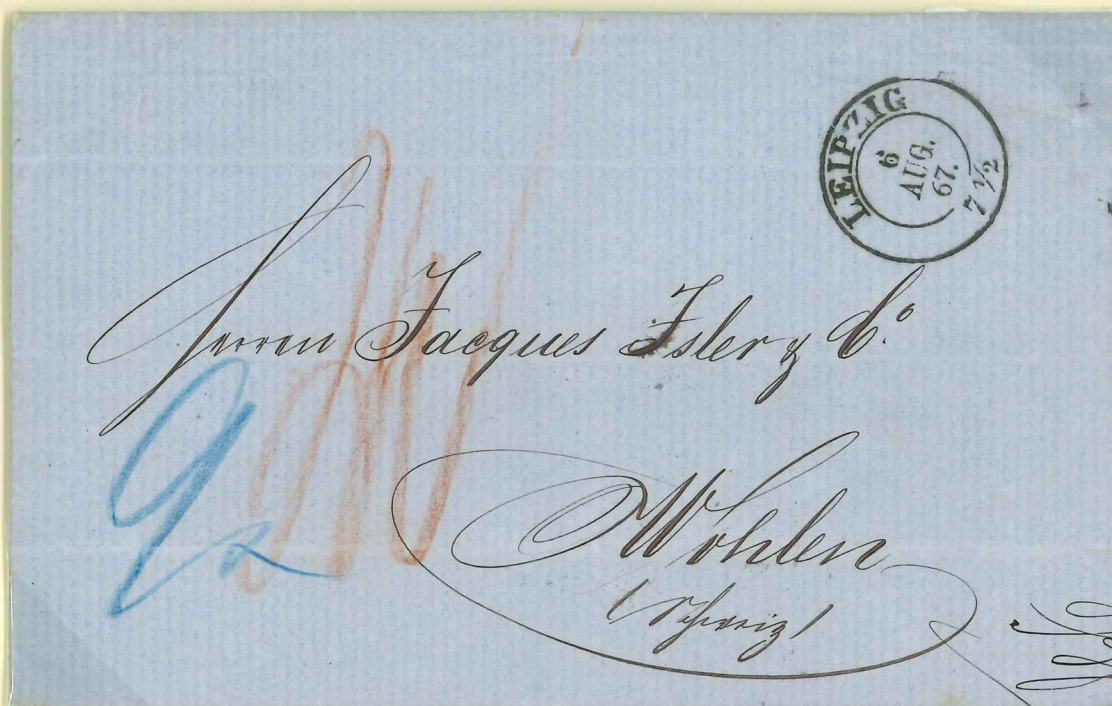
Leipzig – 6 Aug 1867 – Wohlen – 8 Aug 1867

Bad Bahnpost-Zug 19 – 7 Aug 1867

Zurich – 7 Aug 1867

Lenzburg – 8 Aug 1867

R. Bad Bahnpost-Zug 19 – 7 August 1867  
Zurich cds – 7 August 1867 – Lenzburg cds – August 1867



002

Mozambique

10 Reis Postal Stationery Card  
15 Reis stamp added

Telegrapho Chai-Chai – 7 Sep 1910

Chai-Chai is a remote location in  
Mozambique

Laurenco Marques Central 8 Sep 1910



Card inscribed – Europa via Cabo

(Europe via the Cape of Good Hope)



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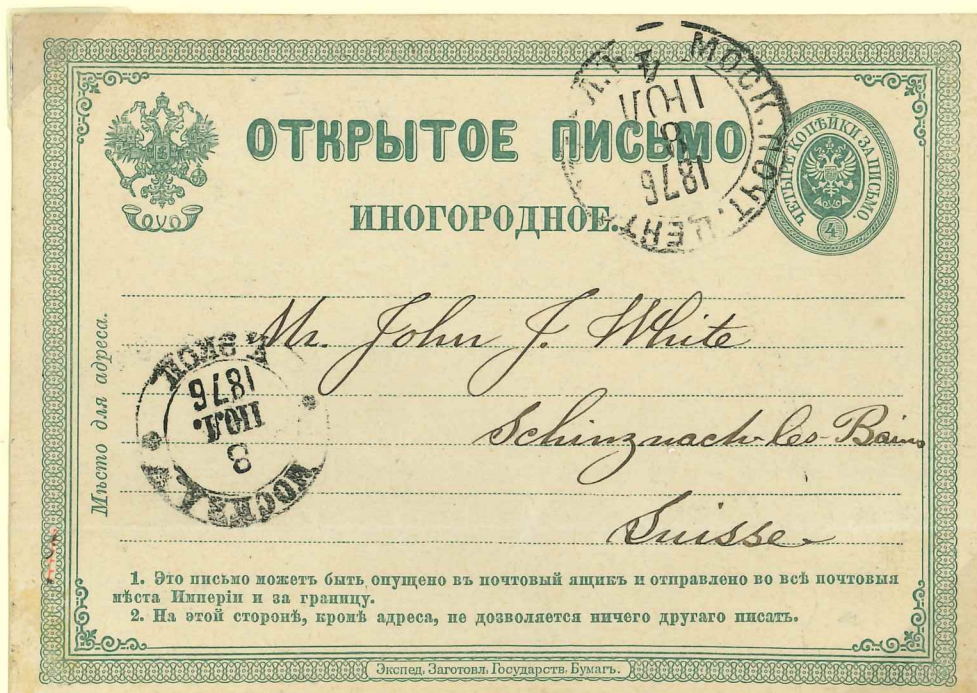
To the Swiss Alps from Russia

Russia

4 Kop Postal Stationery Card

4 Kop Postal Stationery Card  
Moscow to Schinznach les Bains

Two different Moscow postmarks in 1876  
No postmarks on reverse



005

10 Nov  
 Italy  
 10 cents Postal Stationery Card  
 Novaro to Gruz  
 Novaro - 15 Sep 1890 - Gruz - 16 Sep 1890  
 Winterthur - 16 Sep 1890  
 Gruz (Winterthur) cds 16 September 1890



Grusch is written on the card in blue crayon.  
 Grusch is quite a small village located east of Landquart  
 in the Graubunden some distance from Winterthur.  
 The seven days which elapsed between the Novara and Winterthur cancels  
 may indicate an attempt to deliver the card at Grusch.  
 The office at Gruze bei Winterthur was closed on 1 February 1937



006

To the Swiss Alps from GREECE

Greece

5 Drachmae Postal Stationery Card with added 5 drachmae adhesive

5 Drachmae Postal Stationery Card

5 Drachmae extra adhesive

Kerkira (Corfu) to Zurich

Kerika - 16 Oct 1914



008

To the Swiss Alps from Peru

4 centavos Postal Stationery Card

Peru

Lima to Courroux

4 Sol Postal Stationery Card

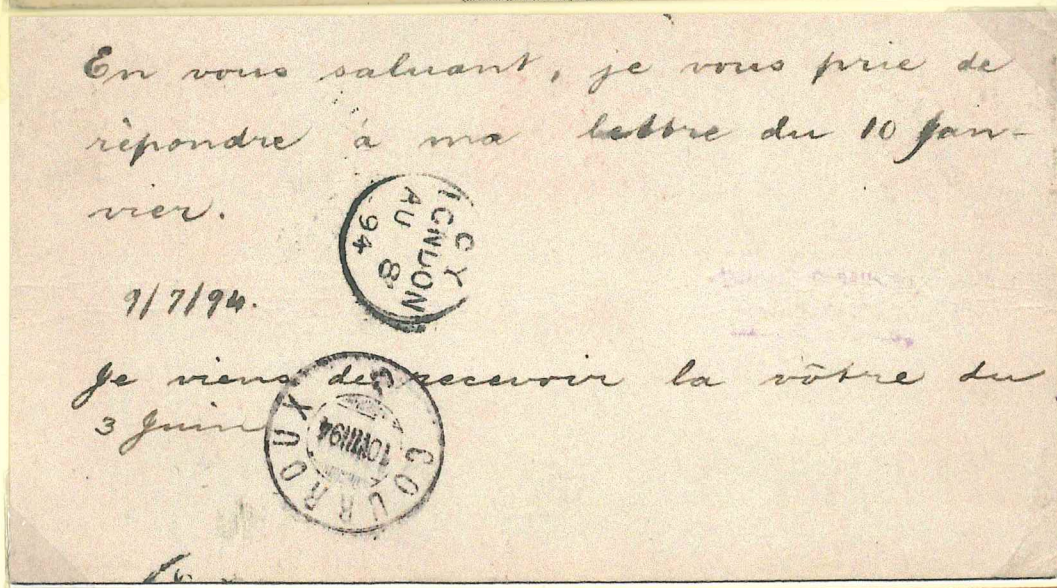
Lima cds - 11 July 1894

Lima - 11 Jul 1894 - Courroux - 10 Aug 1894

London transit cds - 8 August 1894

London transit mark - 8 Aug 1894

Courroux cds - 10 August 1894 on reverse





009

To the Swiss Alps from Haiti

2 centimes Postal Stationery Card

Haiti

Port au Prince to Geneva

2 Centimes Postal Stationery Card

Port au Prince cds - 31 August 1907

Port au Prince - 31 Aug 1907 - Geneve - 17 Sep 1907

Geneve Plain Palais - 17 Sep 1907





010

To the Swiss Alps from Paraguay

2 centavos Paraguay Stationery Card

2 Centavos Postal Stationery Card

Postmarks are not distinct but the card reads  
San Bernardino - 13 Sep 1912 - Solothurn

Postmarks not legible, but card is dated

13 September 1912



011

To the Swiss Alps from England  
Great Britain

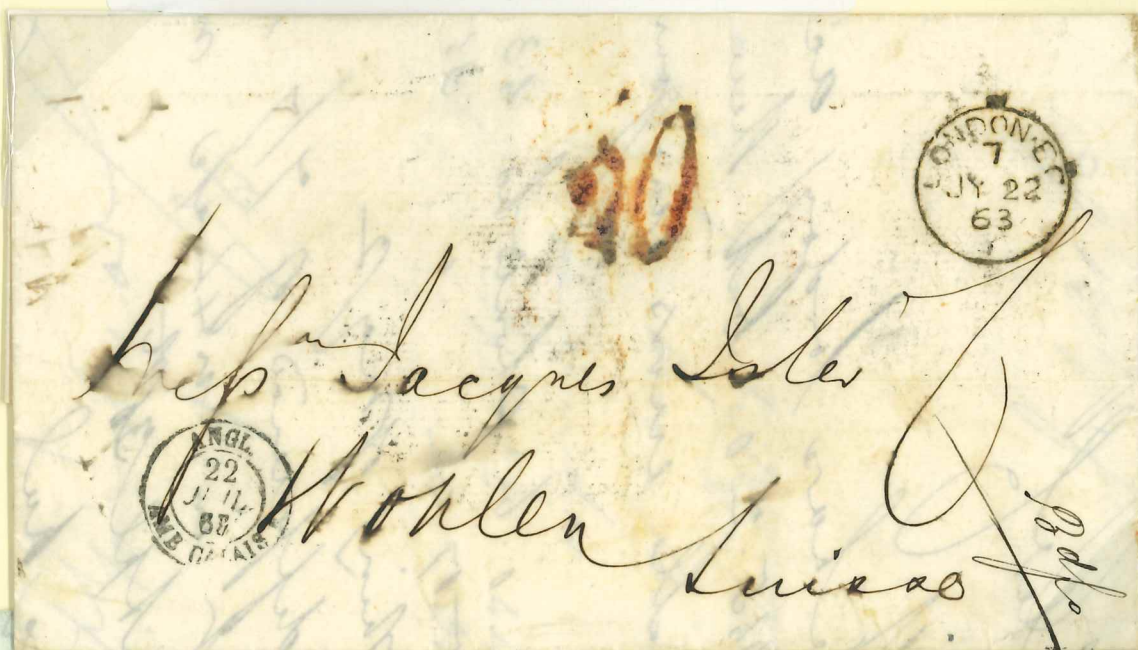
Pre-stamp – London to Wohlen

London – 22 Jul 1863 – Wohlen – 24 Jul 1863

Angl-Amb Calais – 23 Jul 1863 – Paris 23 Jul 1863

Red TPO – Basel 23 Jul 1863

Aarau – 24 Jul 1863 – Wohlen 24 Jul 1863





012

To the Swiss Hungary

5 Filler Postal Stationery envelope

5 Filler Post 5 Filler added stamp

Gospic (now in Croatia) to Weissenburg

Re-directed to Riesbach

Gospic - 6 Feb (1890) - Weissenburg - 11 Feb 1890

Weissenburg cds - 11 February 1890 - Amb(TPO) No 5 - 10 February 1890

Neumunster - 12 Feb 1890

Gospic is a town in the mountainous and sparsely populated region of Lika, Croatia



013

To the Swiss Agency British India  
 India  
 4 Anna 6 Pies Postal Stationery Envelope  
 Nandyal to London (Redirected to Switzerland)  
 Nandyal – 22 Jan 1894 – London – 12 Feb 1894  
 Bombay – 25 Jan 1894 London (Red) 12 Feb 1894  
 Framed rectangular 'Too Late' 12 February 1894  
 Locarno – 13 Feb 1894  
 on the back





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To the Swiss Alps from Austria

Austria

2 x 25 Heller and 1 x 5 Heller on Commercial cover

Cernozice-Caslavky (Bohemia) to Winterthur

Cernozice-Caslavky (Bohemia) to Winterthur

Cernozice-Caslavky/Cernowotz/Casiawek- 8 Jul 1915

Censor mark, Offener brief & Express label

Winterthur 1 - 11 Jul 1915 on reverse

Winterthur 1 cds - 11 July 1915 on reverse of envelope





Austria

055

2 Kreuzer Correspondenz-Karte

3 Kreuzer stamp added

Vienna to Cairo, Egypt

Wien 7/2 – 28 March 1894

Alexandria to Cairo TPO – 4 April 1894

Caire – 5 April 1894

Chouria (Caire) – 5 April 1894





056

Uruguay

3 Centesimos Postal Stationery Card

Fray Bentos to Hamburg

Fray Bentos obliterator – D 10

Montevideo cds – 22 August 1895

Hamburg – Uhlenhorst receiving cds – 18 September 1895



The card reads: Fray Bentos – 19/8.95

Mein lieber Hans (My dear Hans) and bears the signature Ernst.

Fray Bentos (named after a Jesuit priest) exists, it is a town although many of us possibly thought it was a brand of corned beef.

The big attraction of the town is the disused meat factory on the shore of the broad Rio Uruguay. No part of the beast went to waste: cattle were processed and packaged into more than 100 products on site. Apart from the familiar corned beef, braised steak and meat rissoles, tongues were minced into paté, nose hairs made into brushes and bone-meal into fertiliser. There were areas for processing leather and even a small section turning fats into soap.

Fray Bentos used to be known as 'la cocina del mundo', 'the kitchen of the world'. In 1993 the name was bought by Campbell's of soup fame - the original site is a slowly rotting National Historic Monument which is being turned into a museum, complete with its huge generators, turbines and dockside cranes exported in the nineteenth century from Loughborough, Stoke, Derby and Leeds.

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