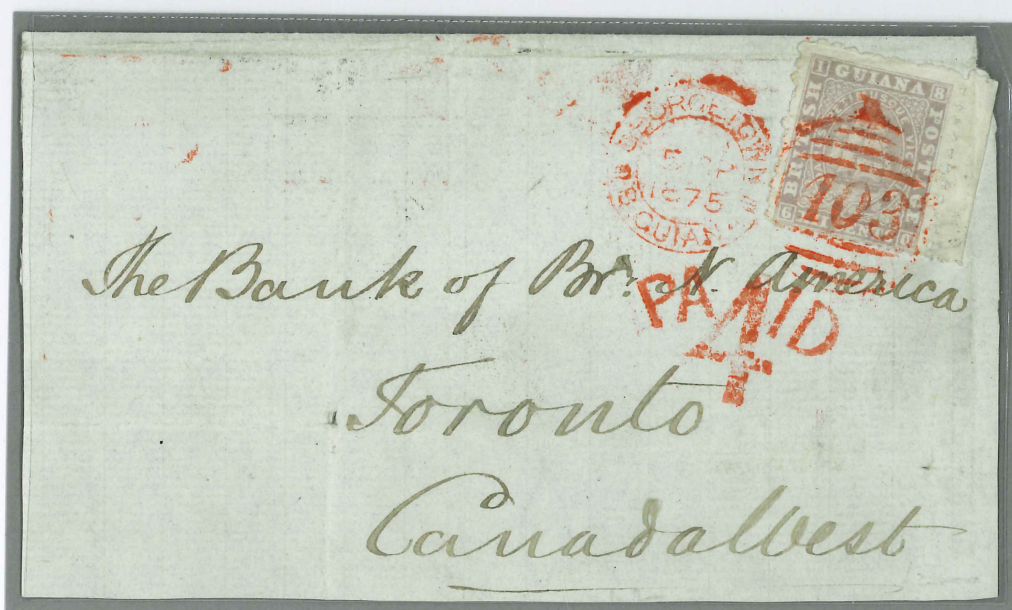


## Second Setting



August 1869 - Double weight letter to London, franked by pair of 2nd setting, types E-A, perf. 10. Reverse shows clear coded "E 2 C" cancel of origin of Betervervagting (East Coast of Demerara) and received in London on 15 September.

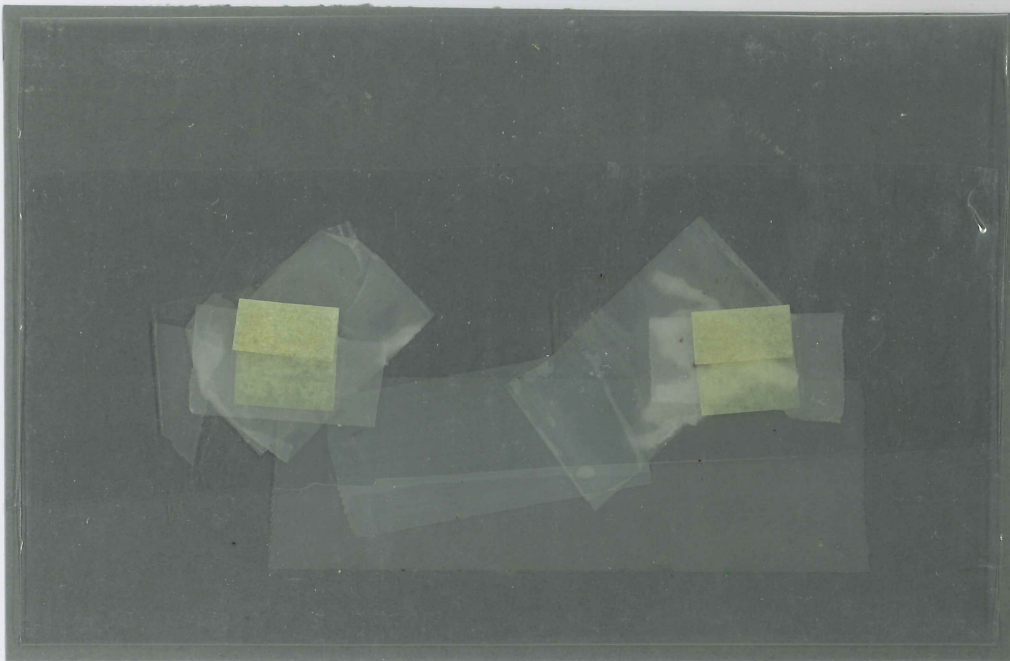
## Third Setting



5 September 1875 - 3rd setting, type E, perf. 10 tied by iconic Georgetown triplex cancel featuring "PAID" accountancy mark. Sent to Canada via St. Thomas (BVI, 13 Sept.) and Halifax (23 Sept.) with Toronto backstamp (also 23 Sept.)



## Combination Frankings to France



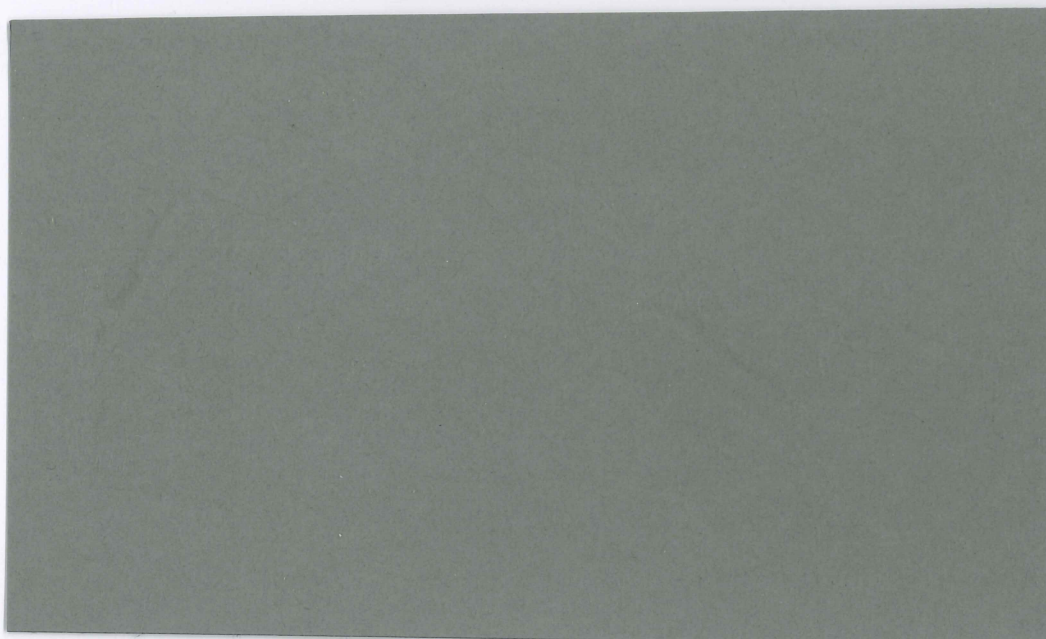
August 1866 - 24c.  
2nd Setting, perf.  $12\frac{1}{2}$ ,  
type A, used with pair  
of 4c. (32c. total) from  
Berbice ("A04" cancel  
and New Amsterdam  
backstamp), final  
backstamp 29 August.  
Note accountancy  
"1/3d" and "1 1/2" and  
red "PD" (prepaid).



July 1868 - 24c. 3rd  
Setting, perf.  $12\frac{1}{2}$ , type  
B2, used with 8c. (32c.  
total) from Berbice "A04"  
cancel, via London (29  
July), final backstamp  
"2(9) JUL" (error). Note  
accountancy "1/3d" and  
red "PD."



6c. Printed Matter Rate to England



1867 - "Book Post" (Printed Matter) rate to England paid by 2nd Setting, perf. 10, type A.

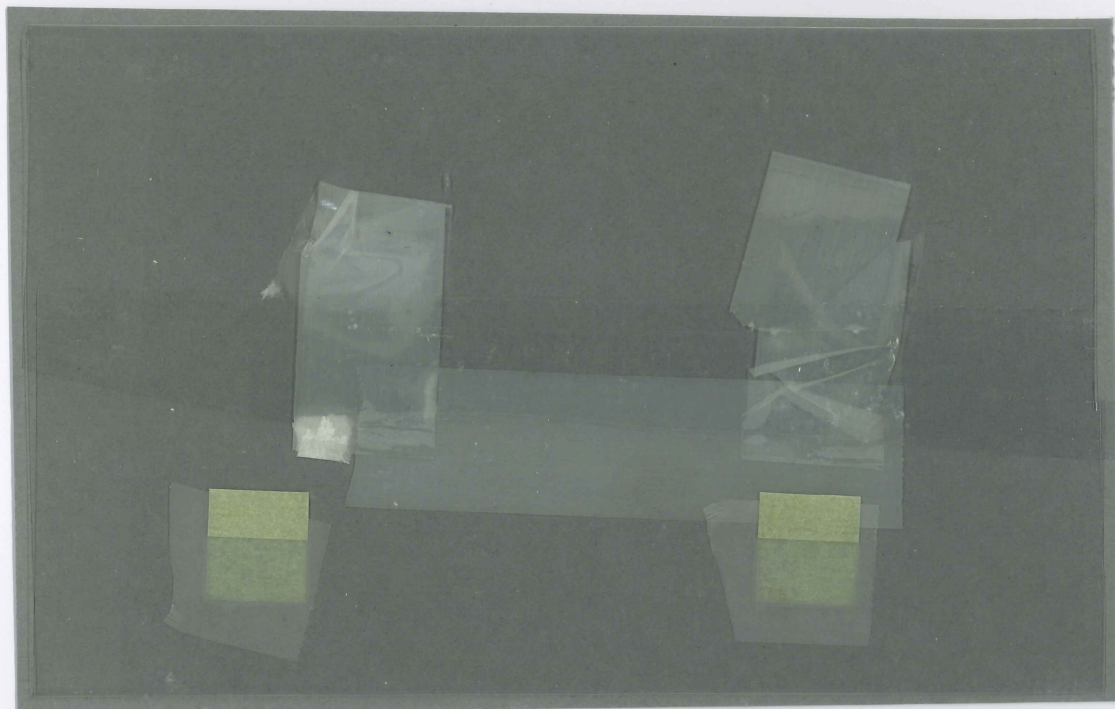
16c. Total Franking to France



1876(?) - Pair of 6c. Fourth Setting, perf. 10, types D-E plus 4c. all tied by "A03" cancels, sent to Nantes via London (faint "PAID" datestamp below franking). Single weight ( $\frac{1}{2}$  oz.) letter rate, 14c. for Royal Mail steamer plus 2c. for British Guiana.



## Mail to Caribbean Destination



8 July 1862 - Second Printing from 1st Setting, perf. 12, **predating the earliest recorded usage** of this printing by T&H (Georgetown datestamp on reverse), paying double rate internal postage and charged "8" due in **St. Lucia** (backstamped 11 November)-

## Double Weight Internal Mail



9 July 1864 - Fourth Printing from 1st Setting, perf. 12½, **predating earliest recorded usage** of this printing recorded by T&H (same-day Demerara datestamp on reverse). Sent from William's Town (coded "A 3 C" cancel on franking).



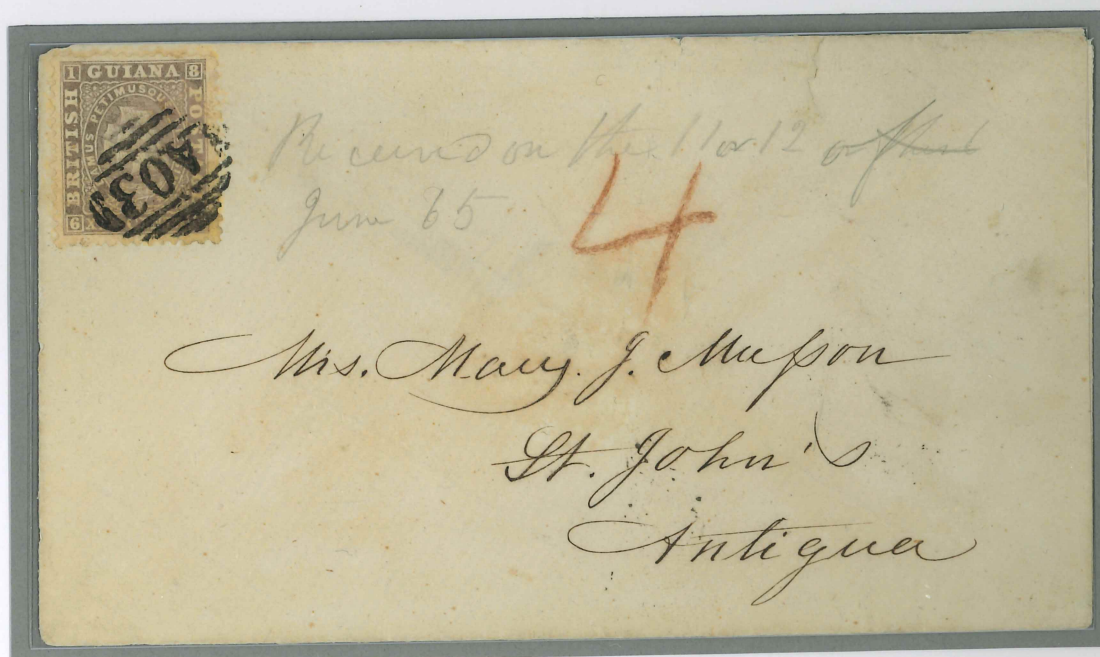
FIRST SETTING, SECOND PRINTING

Thin Paper - Perforated 12



USED TO ST. LUCIA

23 January 1865 - From Georgetown ("A03" cancel, datestamp on reverse) with backstamp of 26 January 1865. Note crayon "4" marks showing amount due to British Guiana.

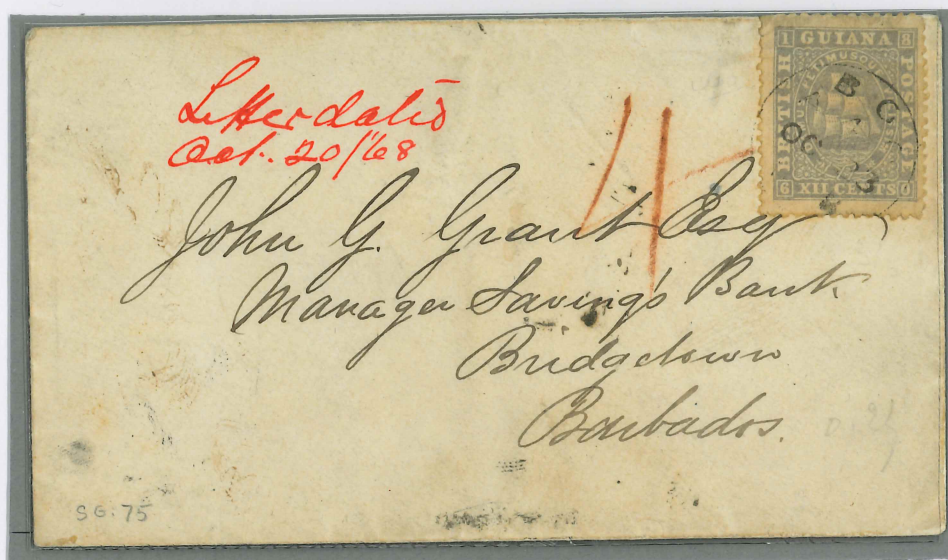


USED TO ANTIGUA

7 June 1865 - Georgetown ("A03" cancel, datestamp on back), backstamped 11 June. "4" due to British Guiana.



## Second Setting



23 October 1868 - Type C with coded "A 4 C" cancel of Henrietta used via Georgetown (23 Oct.) to **Barbados** (25 Oct. backstamp). Note manuscript "Letter dated Oct. 20 / '68" at left and "4" accountancy in crayon.



August 1869 - Double weight letter to London, franked by pair of 2nd setting, types E-A, perf. 10. Reverse shows clear coded "E 2 C" cancel of origin of Beterverwagting (East Coast of Demerara) and received in London on 15 September.

## Third Setting



Perf. 15, type C



## 1863-71 24 ("XXIV") Cents - Larger Design of 1863

375,500 printed from four settings (the 2nd through 5th for this value), the 2nd through 4th composed of **two types**, the 5th of **five types**, repeated to form sheets of 50. **Few blocks or strips known** for this value.



4th Setting, Types A-B  
Perf. 10



4th Setting, Types A-B  
Perf. 10



5th Setting, Types A-B-C  
Perf. 10



4th Setting, Types A-B  
Perf. 10

## Pair Used via French Mail to London



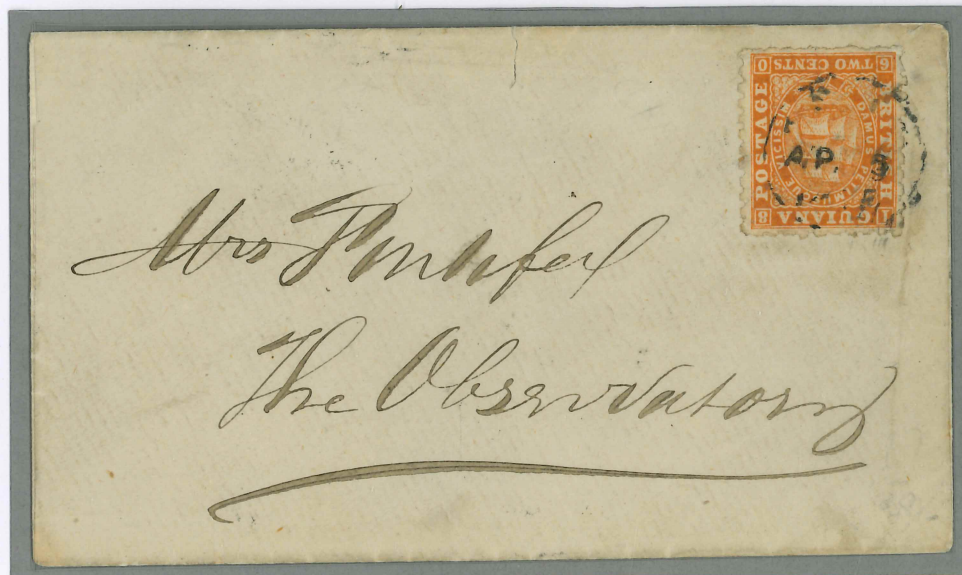
2 August 1866 - 2nd Setting, perf. 12½, types A-B, used from Georgetown ("A03" cancels plus datestamp on back) to Great Britain, received at London on 31 August.



Printed Matter to USA



1867(?) - 3rd Setting, type C, perf. 10 used from Georgetown, with scarce red **accountancy duplex** (T&H fig. 3) used to Philadelphia where 2c. was due.



Single Weight Rate,  
Internal Mail

3 April 1875 - 4th Setting, type D, from Mahaica (coded "E 5 C") to Georgetown (same-day backstamp) with "W 1 C" coded transit (Hague?) on back.

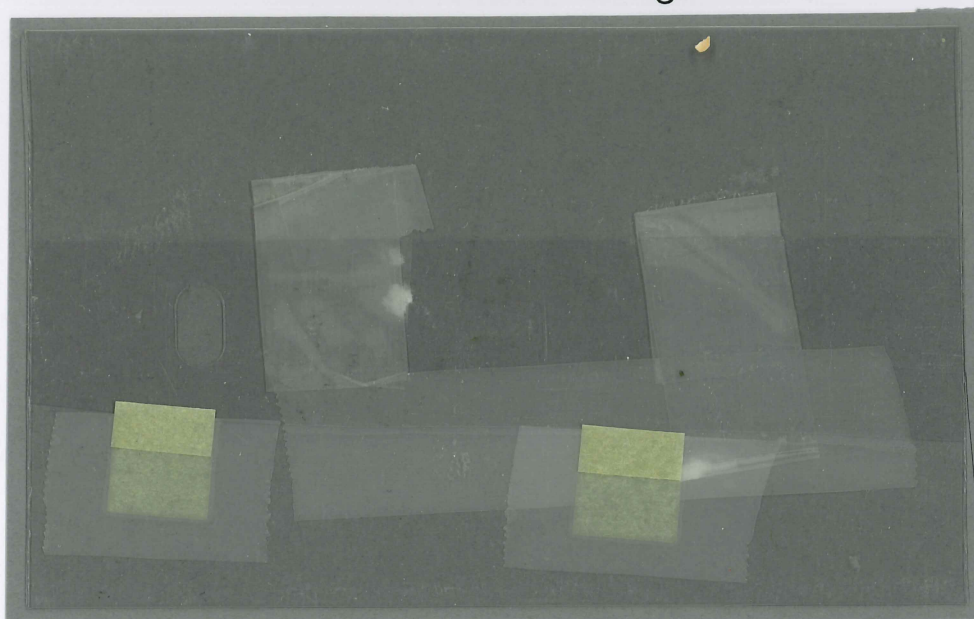
31 March 1875 - 4th Setting, perf. 12, used from William's Town (coded "A 3 C" cancel, also on back) to Georgetown, with "A03" cancel on franking and same-day town backstamp.

Both covers are from the Pontifex correspondence,





Earliest Known Usage



**25 July 1860** - First Setting, 1st printing, perf. 12, used from Demerara ("A03" cancels, dated backstamp) to Mahaicony (coded "E 7 C" backstamp dated 27 July).



**23 April 1862** - **Latest known use** of 1st printing per T&H.

Uncommon Bisect Usage



**26 April 1868** - Imperforate Third Setting bisect paying 2c. local rate within Georgetown area. Discovered only in 1965, this cover is described by T&H, page 54.





3rd Printing, perf. 12½

FIRST SETTING, THIRD & FOURTH PRINTINGS

Thin & Medium Papers - Perforated 12½.

54,000 total delivered in April 1863.



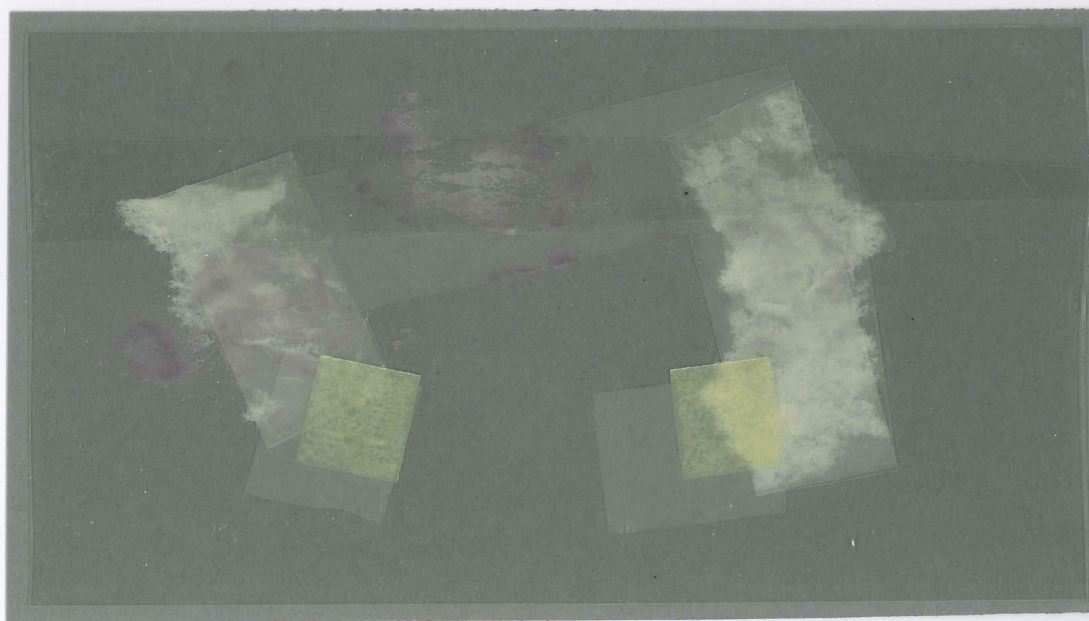
4th Printing, perf. 12½

To Wales via Dutch Steamer



July 1863 - Perforated 12½ on thin paper, from Georgetown ("A03" duplex) via London (received 29 July) to Wales. Sent on the "Nieuw-Rotterdam" (6 July datestamp on back) plus backstamps of Carmarthen and Aberayron (Wales) dated 30 July.

From Dutch Guiana to London



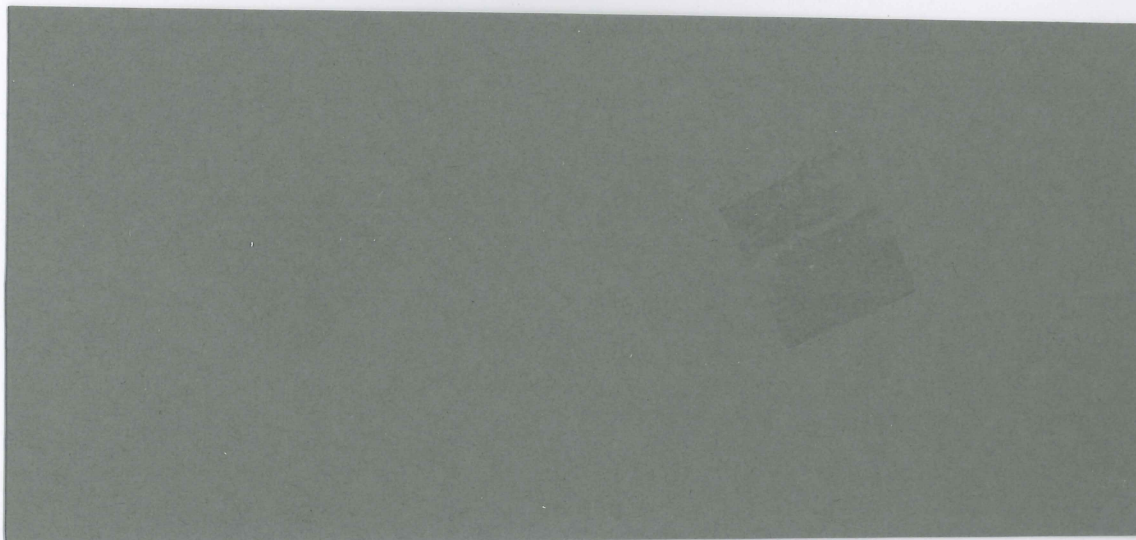
20 September 1864 - Perforated 12½ on medium paper, applied at Georgetown on letter originating at **Paramaribo** and received at London on 14 October. Note "fr." at foot = "Paid."



### 1860-66 Eight Cents - Wide Spaced Value Tablet

63,000 printed from a stone of 100 individual clichés in four printings, the first two perf. 12 on thick or thin papers, the last two perf. 12½ on thin or medium paper.

### Ten Cents Franking - French Guiana to Guadeloupe



23 March 1862 - 8c. First Setting, First Printing used with 2c. on a cover originating at French Guiana (cancel under 2c.) with Georgetown datestamp on reverse, sent to Basse-Terre, Guadeloupe, endorsed "Packet."

### Twelve Cents Franking - Georgetown to England



23 September 1862 - 8c. 2nd Setting, Perf. 12 used with 4c. cancelled with Georgetown italic "A03" duplex datestamp, backstamped at Blackburn on 14 October and with London / Paid transit of 13 October.



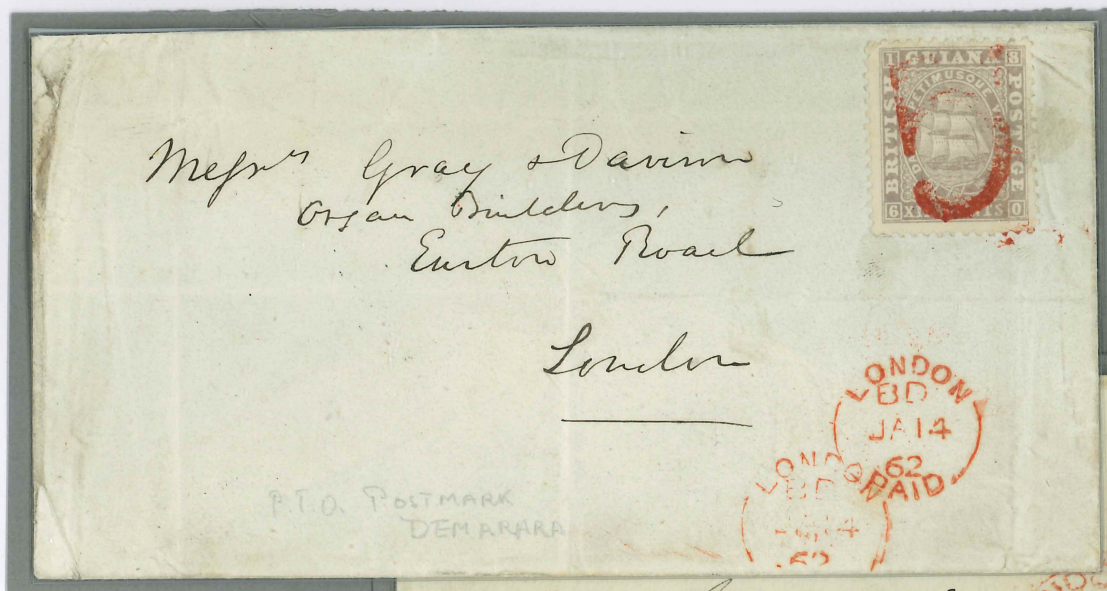
FIRST SETTING, FIRST PRINTING

Thick Paper - Perforated 12

Iconic "5d" Accountancy Marks as Cancels



23 December 1860 - Early usage of **First Setting, First Printing** from Demerara (Georgetown) with London / Paid receiver on face (31 January 1861).

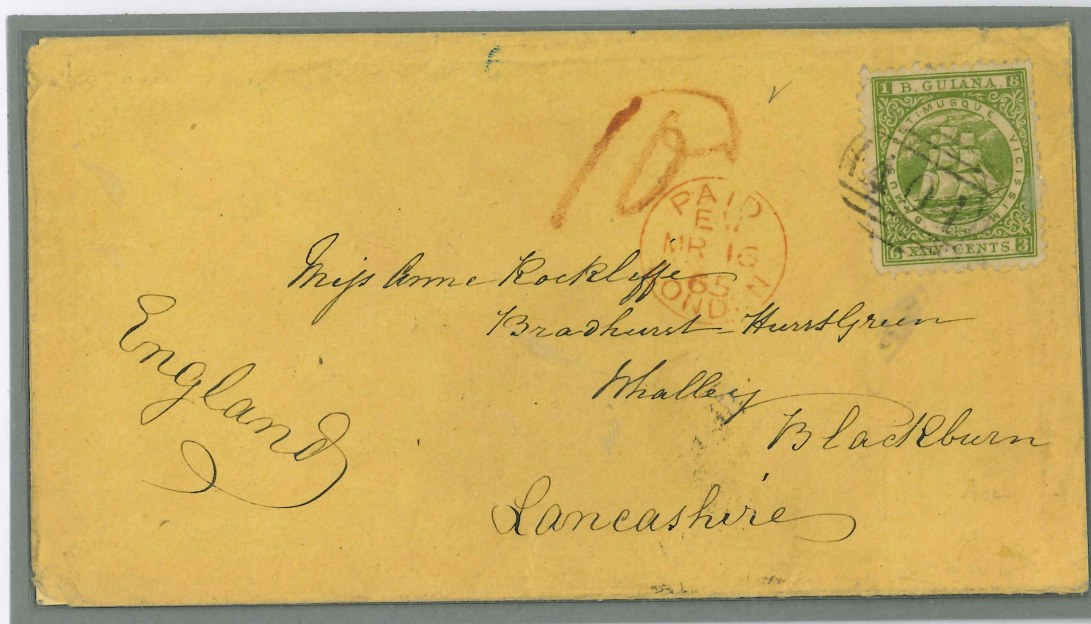


23 December 1861- Georgetown to London, with "... Paid" receiver on face (14 January 1862)

25 October 1861 - Georgetown (datestamp on reverse) to England with London/Paid transit of 19 November 1861.

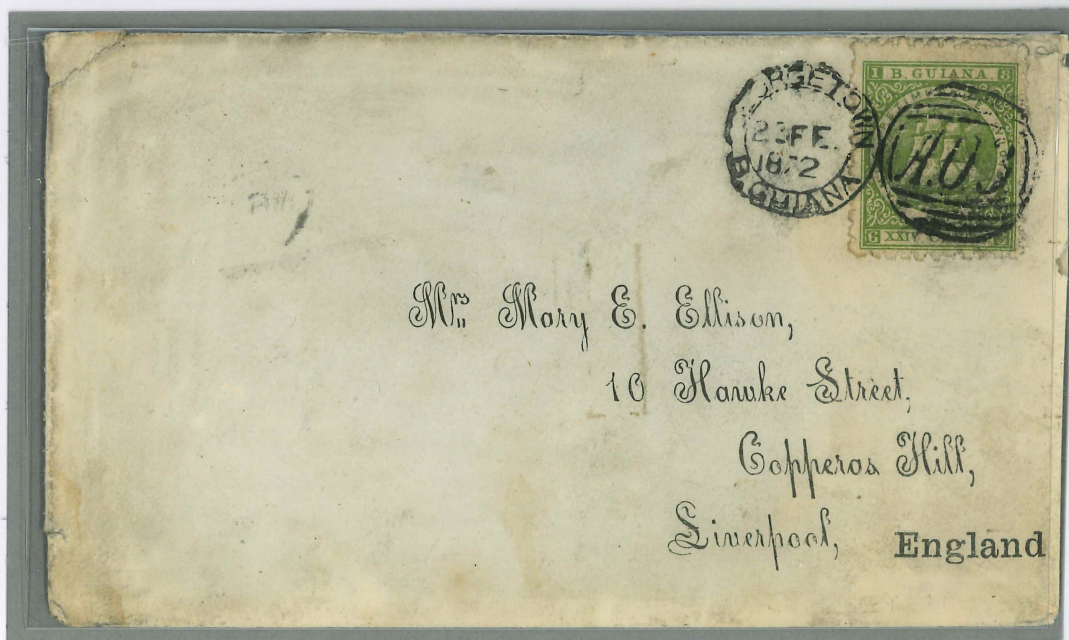






22 February 1865 - Berbice ("A04" cancel plus New Amsterdam datestamp on back) via Demerara (23 February) and London (16 March), received the same day (both Whalley and Blackburn backstamps).

8 December 1869 - From Mahaica (coded "E 5 C" datestamp) via Georgetown (same-day duplex cancel) to London, received 3 January 1870, Stamp from 4th Setting, type A, perforated 10.



23 February 1872 - 4th Setting, type A, perf. 10 used from Georgetown (italic "A03 duplex datestamp") sent direct to Liverpool, received there 14 March.





7 January 1873 - Georgetown (duplex cancel) to London, received 29 January. Stamp is 4th Setting, type B, perf. 10.

### Georgetown Cancel Error

7 January 1874 (cancel shows 1873) - **Corner margins example**, 4th Setting, type A, perf. 12½, used to London, received 27 January 1874.



6 May 1875 - From Belfield (coded "E 4 C" cancel, overstruck by Georgetown duplex), received London on 31 May.



## Dutch Guiana to London via Georgetown



5 July 1866 - From Paramaribo, Dutch Guiana, with 2nd setting perf. 12, type B, via Georgetown ("A03"), arriving in London later in July.



20 October 1866 - From Paramaribo, Dutch Guiana, with 2nd setting perf. 12½, type A, "A03" of Georgetown, arriving in London 12 Nov.



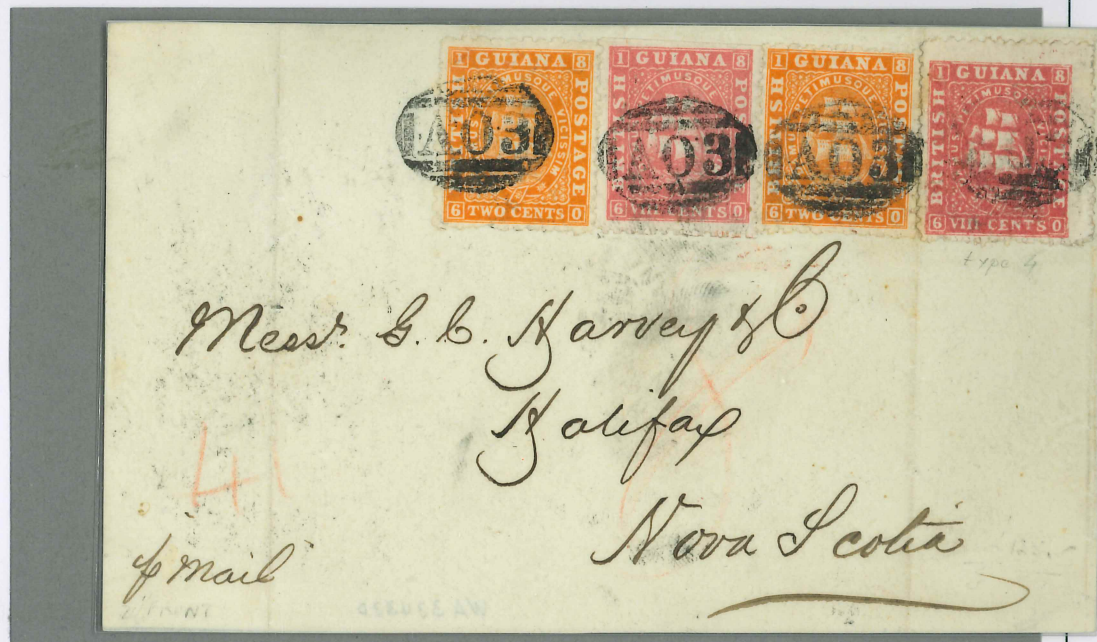
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Eight ("VIII") Cents - Close-spaced Value



3 October 1869 - 32c.  
total franking to France,  
from 2nd setting, perf.  
10. Backstamped  
French "Ligne C" (3  
October) and "Ligne  
A" (7 October) plus  
Dieppe (21/23 October).  
**Uncommon block** of  
four franking.

Two 8c. Second Setting,  
perf. 12½, used with  
two 2c. Third Setting on  
cover front to Halifax,  
Nova Scotia. Note  
crayon "4" credit to  
British Guiana.



7 September 1874 - Two 8c. Third  
Setting (early usage), perf. 12½,  
used with two 2c. Fourth Setting on  
cover front to Halifax, Nova Scotia.  
Note "8" credit to colony



Double Weight Internal Letters



Berbice ("A04" cancel) to Ruimveld on the Rio Demerary (part of Georgetown). Pontifex correspondence



27 January 1871 - Georgetown ("A03" cancels) to Plantation Skeldon, Berbice. Pontifex correspondence

Coded Cancellations



"E 6 C" of Dekinderen



"R" of RPO Georgetown



"A 1 C" of William's Town



"E 4 C" of Belfield



FOURTH SETTING

Perforated 10 or 15



16 March 1875 - Pair, perforated 10, types C-D, used from William's Town (coded "A 3 C" cancels) to Georgetown with same-day backstamp. Pontifex correspondence.



23 March 1875 - Pair, perforated 10, types B-C, used from William's Town (coded "A 3 C" cancels) to Georgetown with same-day backstamp. Pontifex correspondence.



FIRST SETTING, THIRD & FOURTH PRINTINGS

Thin & Medium Papers - Perforated 12½



7 September 1863 - Thin paper, perforated 12½, used from Georgetown (italic "A03" duplex) to London, received there 19 September 1863.



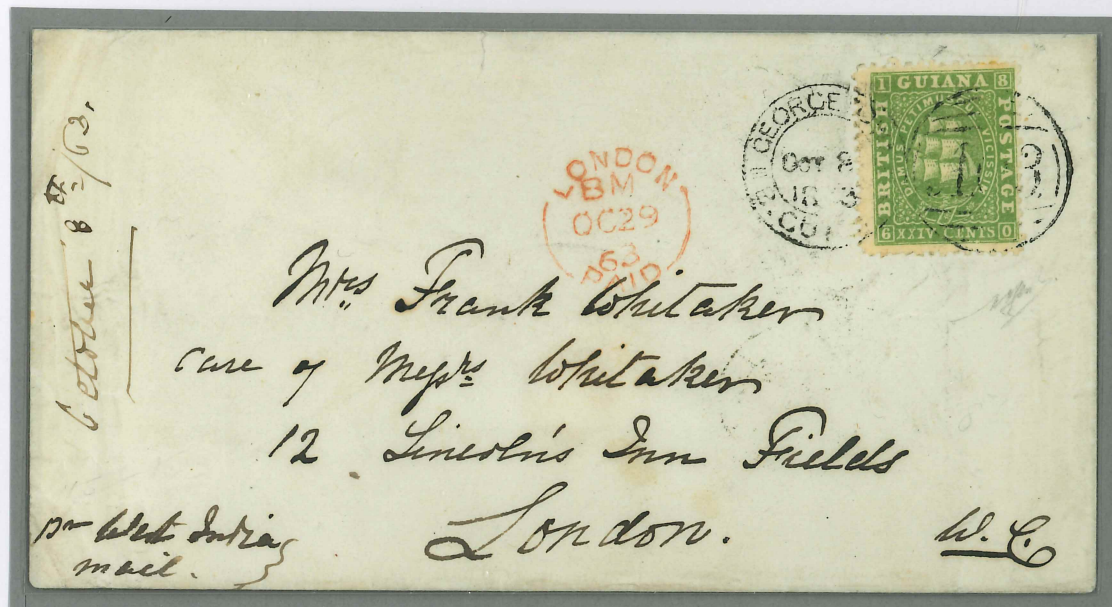
7 January 1864 - Thin paper, perforated 12½, used from Georgetown (italic "A03" duplex) to London, received there 29 January 1864.

The subsequent 24c. values, of a new design, are shown later in this exhibit.



## FIRST SETTING, THIRD &amp; FOURTH PRINTINGS

Thin &amp; Medium Papers - Perforated 12½



8 October 1863 - Perf. 12½ on thin paper, from Georgetown ("A03" duplex) to London (received 29 October). A cover of the same date, but with an earlier printing, was shown previously.

23 April 1864 - Thin paper, perforated 12½, used from Georgetown (double-ring datestamp) to London, received 7 March.

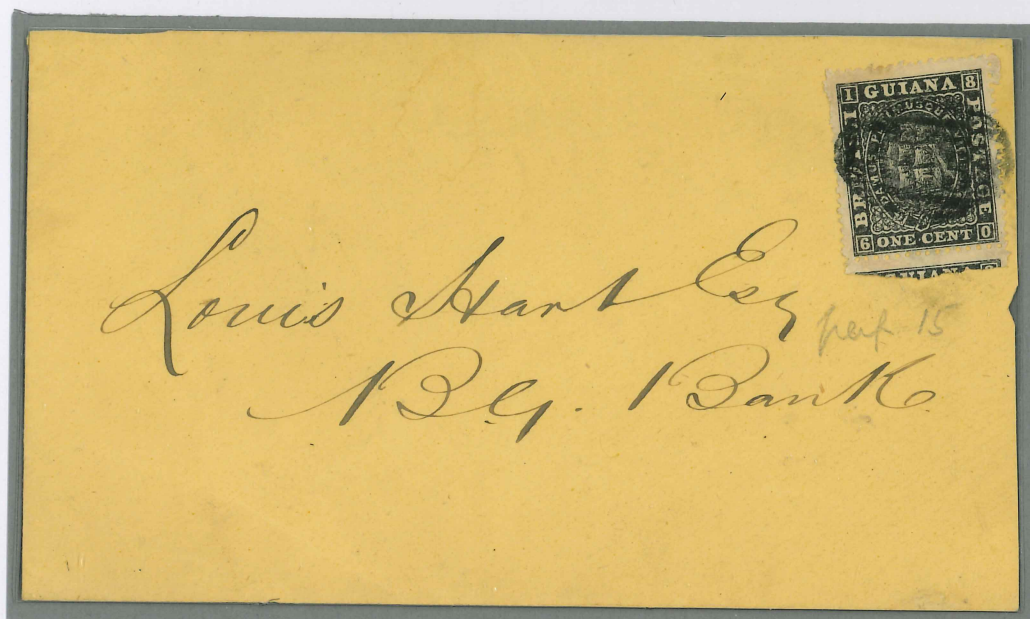


**Earliest Known Usage of 4th Printing** - 9 May 1864 - Single weight letter franked by medium paper, perf. 12½, received 28 May. See T&H page 74.



FOURTH SETTING

Perforated 10 or 15



1 October 1875 -  
Local usage within  
Georgetown, stamp  
type C and perforated  
15, with Georgetown  
datestamp on reverse.

28 October 1875 - Local usage  
of Type A, perforated 15, and  
backstamped at Georgetown.  
Pontifex correspondence.



Latest Known  
Usage

8 April 1876 - Type B,  
perf. 10, used locally  
from Georgetown  
(datestamp on reverse) to  
the hamlet of Stabroek.  
Latest date recorded by  
T&H (page 67).



FIRST SETTING, THIRD PRINTING

Thin Paper - Perforated 12½



March 1865 (Late use) - Georgetown (Demerara backstamp) to Antigua, backstamped there on 27 March 1865. T&H records the latest known date for this printing as 7 February 1865.



FIRST SETTING, THIRD & FOURTH PRINTINGS

Thin to Medium Paper - Perforated 12½



3rd Printing

23 June 1864 (Demerara datestamp on reverse) to Antigua, crayon "4" was the colony's share of the postage. Received on 27 June (4 days in transit).



7 July 1864 - Georgetown to Antigua, received on 11 July. Endorsed "Packet."



23 September 1864 - Georgetown (Demerara datestamp on reverse) to Antigua, backstamped 27 September. Typical four days in transit and also endorsed "Packet."



5th Printing - perf. 10





FIRST SETTING, FIRST & SECOND PRINTINGS  
Thin & Thick Papers - Perforated 12

Only 7,000 of each of these printings delivered.



1st Printing, perf. 12

2nd Printing, perf. 12



**Early Usage:** 8 October 1863 - Perforated 12 on thin paper, from Georgetown ("A03" duplex) to London (received 29 October). T&H records no date for the 1st or 2nd printings prior to 23 September 1864.



**Early Usage:** 26 July 1863 - Two perf. 12 on thick paper, from Georgetown ("A03" duplex) to London (received 14 August). T&H records no date for the 1st or 2nd printings prior to 23 September 1864. Uncommon double weight franking; the rate to London was doubled from 12d. to 24d. in 1863.



# 1860-75 Waterlow Issues

## 24 ("XXIV") Cents - Original Design

### 1860-64 24 ("xxiv") Cents - Original Design of 1860

Apparently 68,000 printed from one setting used for four printings. The 1st and 2nd printings were perf. 12 on thick or thin papers respectively, the 3rd and 4th were perf. 12½ on thin or medium papers.



1st Printing, perf. 12



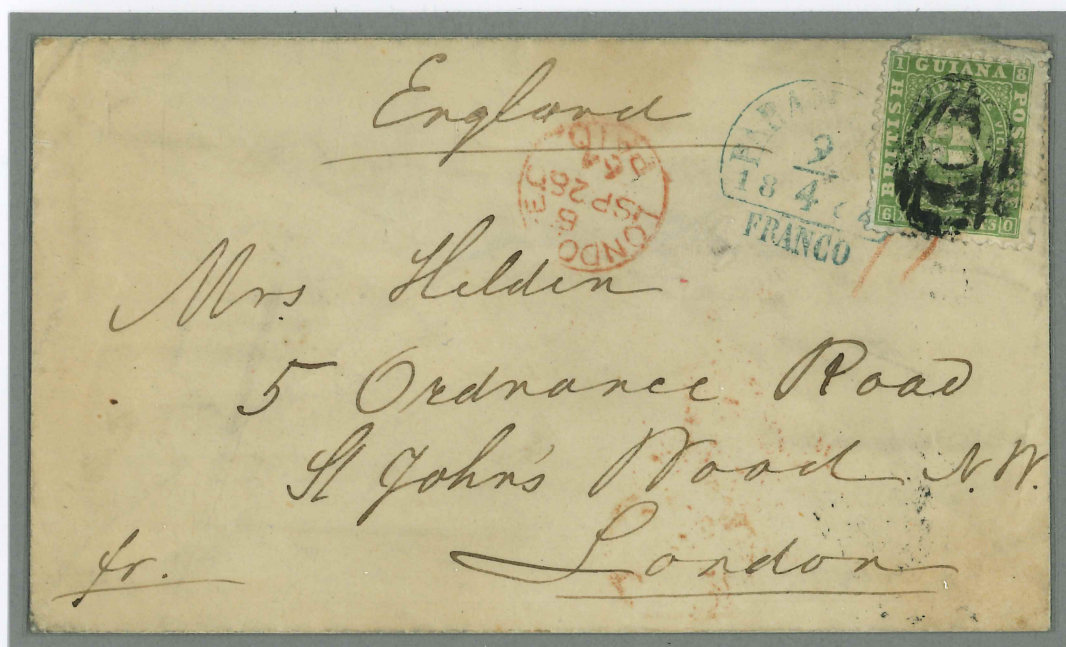
2nd Printing, perf. 12



3rd Printing, perf. 12½



4th Printing, perf. 12½



4 September 1864 - Paramaribo (**Dutch Guiana**), datestamp partly under franking, to London (26 Sept. "Paid" receiver. The 24c. (1st setting, 1st printing, perf. 12) was applied at Georgetown ("A03" cancel).



**Earliest Known Usage of 4th Printing** - 9 May 1864 - Double weight letter franked by pair, perf. 12½, received 28 May.



FIRST SETTING, FIRST & SECOND PRINTINGS  
Perforated 12

MULTIPLE FRANKINGS



1862(?) - First Printing pair paying presumed double weight postage to England, but stamped "More / to Pay" in transit at London and marked "2" (shillings) due.



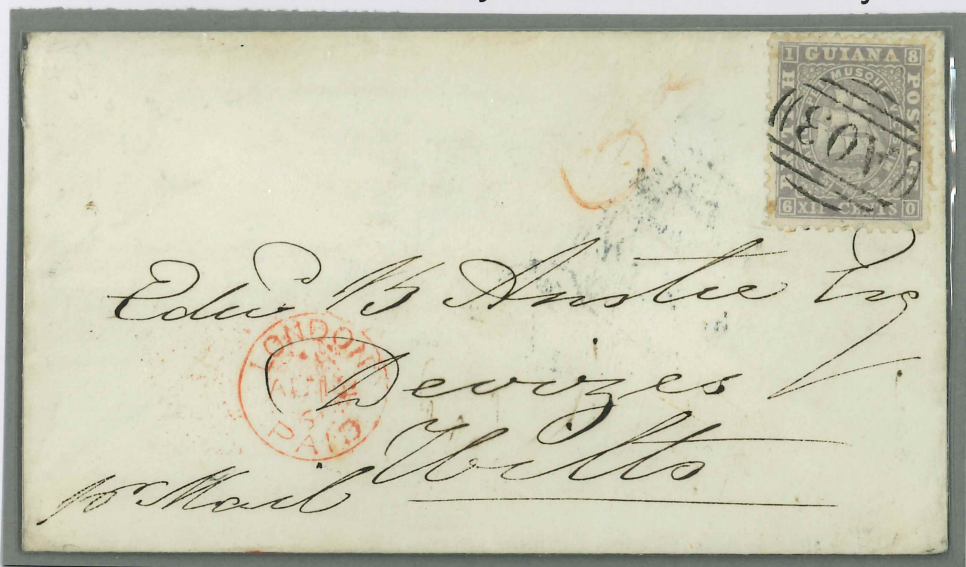
25 November 1865 - Second Printing pair paying double weight postage to England, showing Georgetown italic "A03" duplex datestamps and London arrival (14 December. Endorsed "Per West Indian Steamer."



FIRST SETTING, FIRST PRINTING

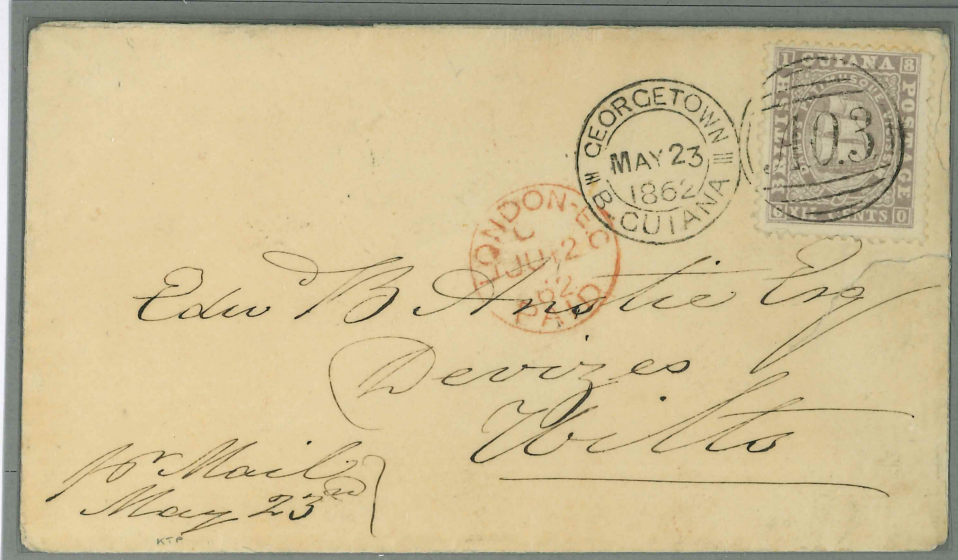
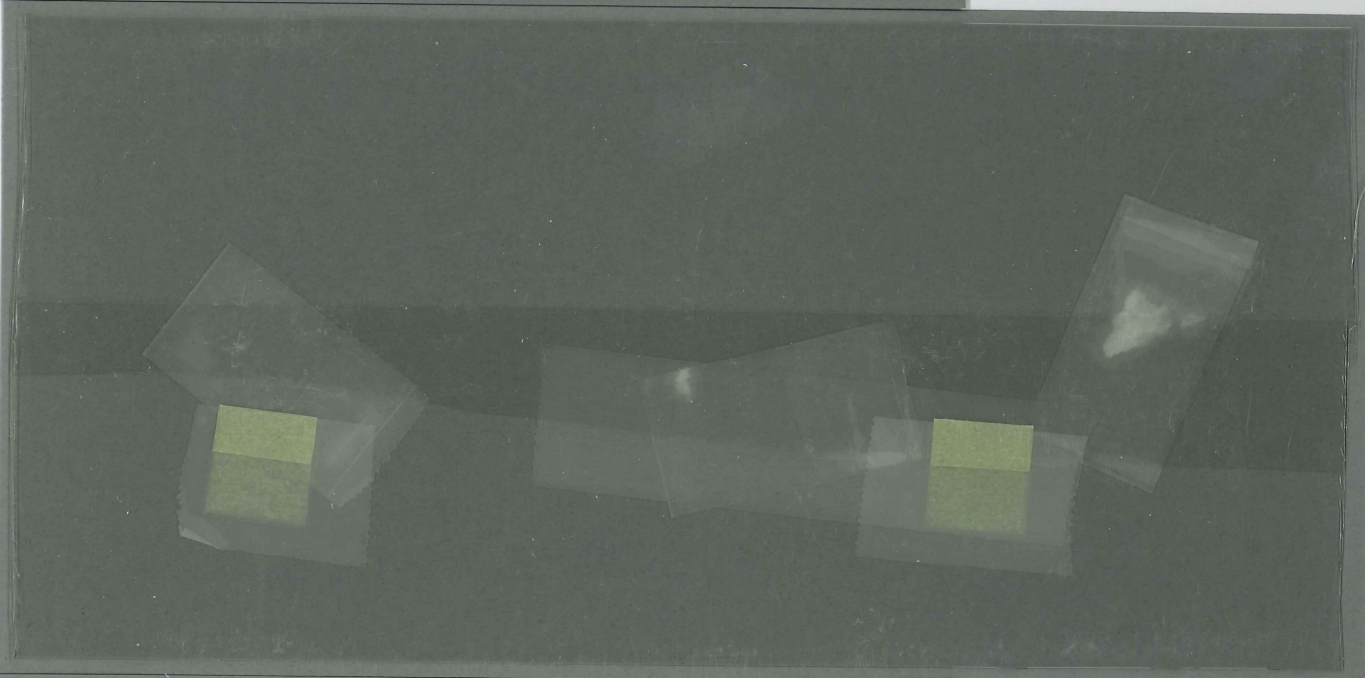
Thick Paper - Perforated 12

Crayon "5" Accountancy Marks



August 1861 - Demerara  
("A03" cancel) to England,  
with Devises backstamp.

BELOW: 22 June 1861  
- Demerara ("A03" cancel  
and backstamp) to London,  
received 13 July 1861.



23 May 1862 - Georgetown  
(new duplex italic "A03"  
datestamp-cancel) to England  
with London / Paid transit on  
face (12 June) plus Devises  
backstamp (22 June)



FIRST SETTING, SECOND PRINTING  
Thin Paper - Perforated 12



**EARLIEST KNOWN USE of 2nd Printing**

22 January 1863 - Queenstown (coded "A 3 C" datestamp) to England, via Demerara (23 January transit) and London (23 February) with backstamp of Devizes (14 February).

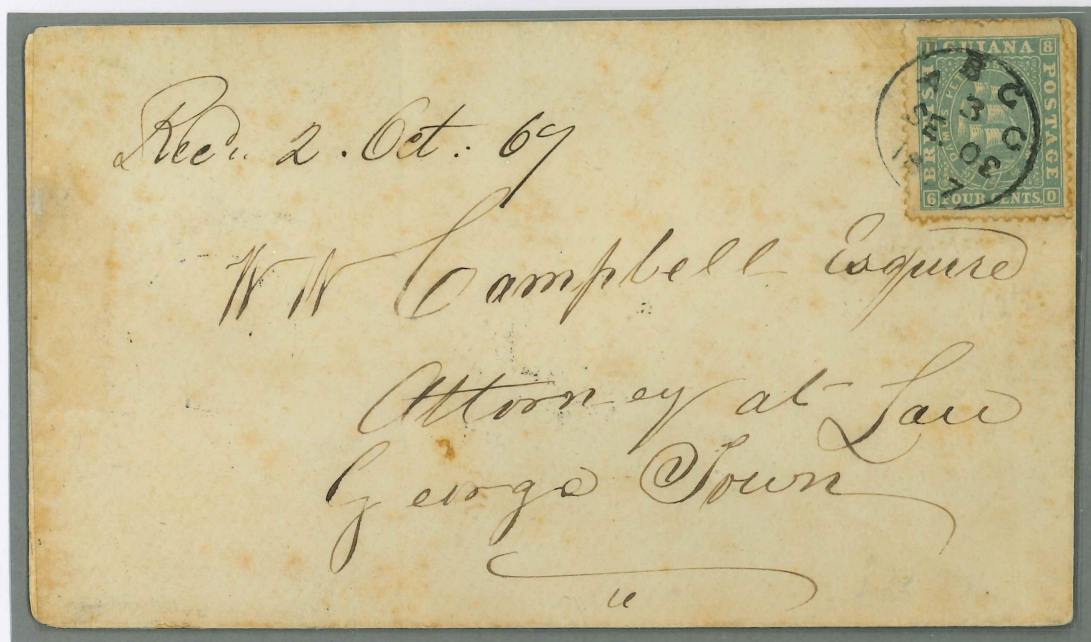


**USED TO JAMAICA**

1 November 1863 - From Demerara ("A03" cancel, datestamp on reverse) via St. Thomas (13 November backstamp) with Kingston receiver on face (21 November) - 3 weeks in transit! Note crayon "4" marks showing amount due to British Guiana.



Domestic Single Weight (½ oz.) Letters



Third Setting (1867)

30 September 1867 - Transfer type A used from Queenstown (coded "A3C" cancel, on stamp, (**inverted** "30"), with same on reverse (dated "OC 1" with "OC" **inverted**), to Georgetown with "Demerara" 1 Oct. transit backstamp, to Mahaicony. Stamp is perf. 12½.

Third Setting (1867)

13 January 1871 - Transfer type C used from Georgetown ("A03" cancel), to Plantation Sheldon at Berbice. Stamp is perf. 10. From the Pontifex correspondence.



Third Setting (1867)

25 April 1868 - Transfer type E, perf. 12½, used from Georgetown ("A03" cancel, Demerara datestamp on reverse, used to Mahaicony. Barlow correspondence.



## 1860-75 Waterlow Issues

## Four Cents - Only Design

Domestic Single Weight (½ oz.) Letters

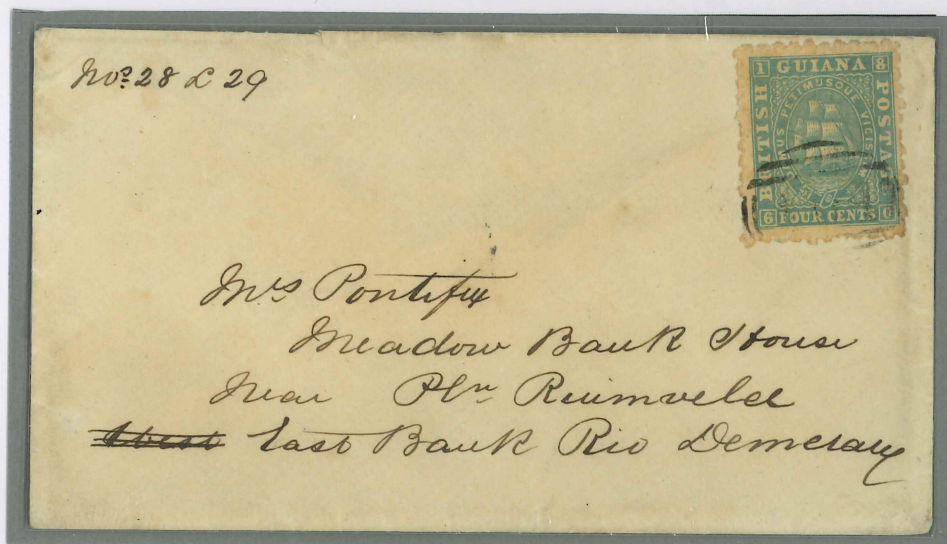


First Setting, 2nd Printing

28 April 1864 - From Queenstown (coded "A 3 C" cancel plus Demerara "A03" cancel) to Mahaicony, with additional strikes on reverse including "Demerara" datestamp (same day). Stamp is perf. 12. Penultimate usage known. Barlow correspondence.

Third Setting (1867)

2 February 1871 - Transfer type E used from Berbice ("A04" cancel), with Berbice and "Demerara" same-day backstamps. Stamp perf. 10. Note address: "East Bank Rio Demerary" attesting to the limited number of correspondents outside the two main towns. Pontifex correspondence.



Third Setting (1866)

27 September 1867 - Transfer type C used from Georgetown ("Demerara" datestamp tying franking) to Mahaicony. Stamp is perf. 10. Barlow correspondence.



# 1860-75 Waterlow Issues

## Four Cents - Only Design

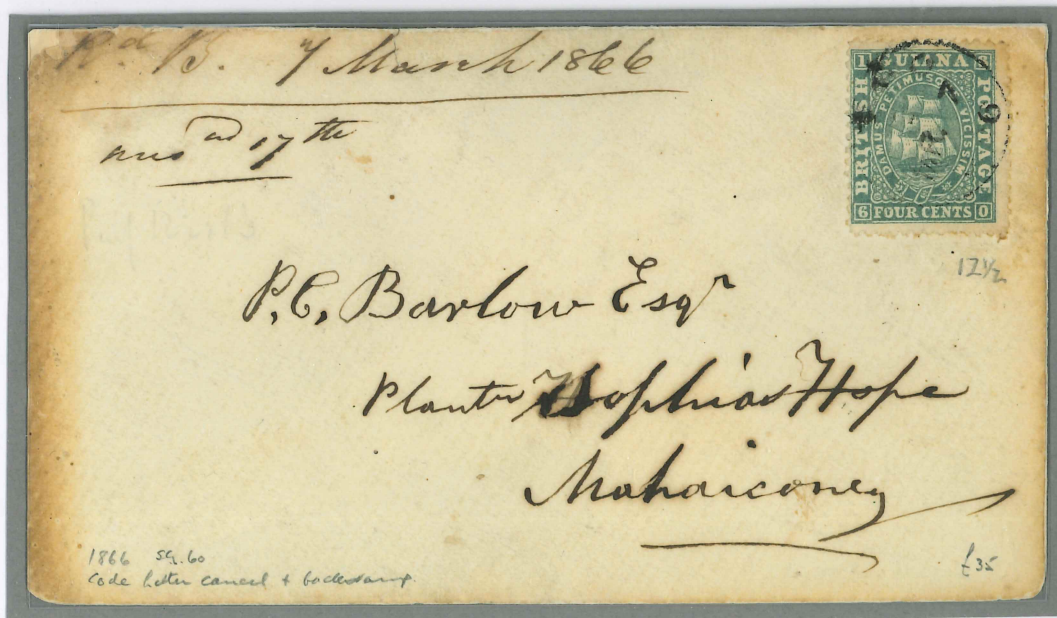
Domestic Single Weight (½ oz.) Letters



First Setting, 2nd Printing  
From Demerara  
("A03" cancel) to  
Mahaicony, docketed  
received 17 December  
1862 (earliest recoded  
date was 16 December).  
Stamp is perf. 12. Barlow  
correspondence.

First Setting, 2nd  
Printing

24 October 1863 -  
From Queenstown  
(coded "A 3 C"  
cancel) plus "A03" of  
Demerara (same-day  
transit backstamp) to  
Mahaicony, "E 7 C"  
backstamp. Barlow  
correspondence.

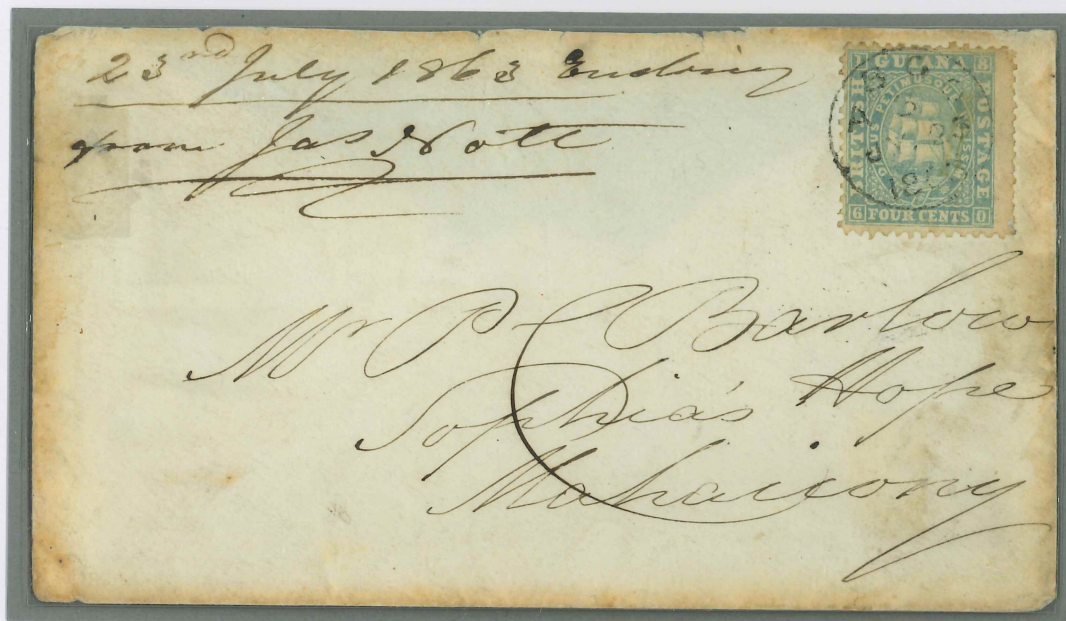


Second Setting  
(1866)

7 March 1866 -  
Transfer type B used  
from Queenstown  
(coded "A 3 C"  
cancel), via Demerara  
(8 March backstamp),  
to Mahaicony. Stamp  
perf. 12 ½. Barlow  
correspondence.



As of 3 January 1860, the **standard domestic letter rate** was set as 4 cents per ½ ounce. Letters to or from outlying areas went via Georgetown ("Demerara" dated backstamps).



First Setting, 2nd Printing

From Queenstown via Demerara (23 July 1863 backstamp) to Mahaicony, coded "A 3 C" datestamp tying franking is also dated 23 July 1863, backstamped 25 July. Barlow correspondence.



First Setting, 2nd Printing  
18 September 1863 - From Queenstown (coded "A 3 C" cancel), via Demerara (backstamp) to Mahaicony. Barlow correspondence.



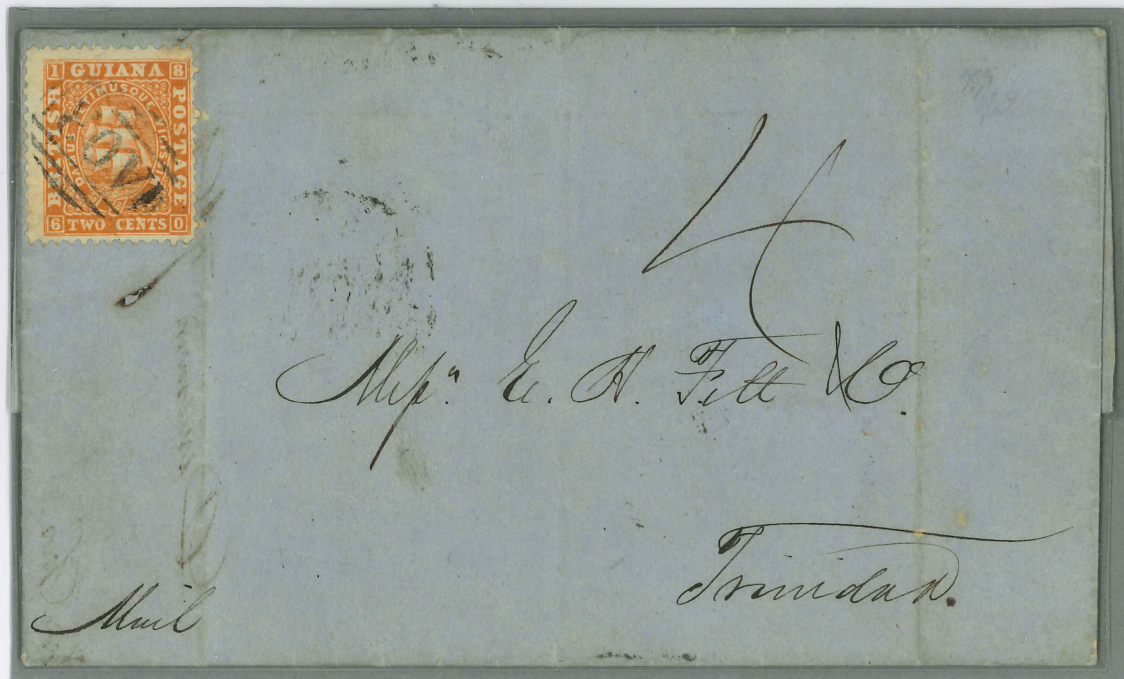
First Setting, 2nd Printing  
5 November 1863 - From Queenstown (coded "A 3 C" cancel), via Demerara (backstamp) to Mahaicony. Barlow correspondence.



Mail to Caribbean Destinations



7 November 1862 - Second Printing from 1st Setting, perf. 12, **earliest recorded usage** of this printing by T&H (Demerara datestamp on reverse), paying internal postage and charged "4" due in **St. Lucia** (backstamped 11 November)-



7 November 1862 - Second Printing from 1st Setting, perf. 12, **earliest recorded usage** of this printing by T&H (Demerara datestamp on reverse), paying internal postage and charged "4" due in **Trinidad** (backstamped 21 November)..



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