

# British East Africa

Postal rates

Mombasa

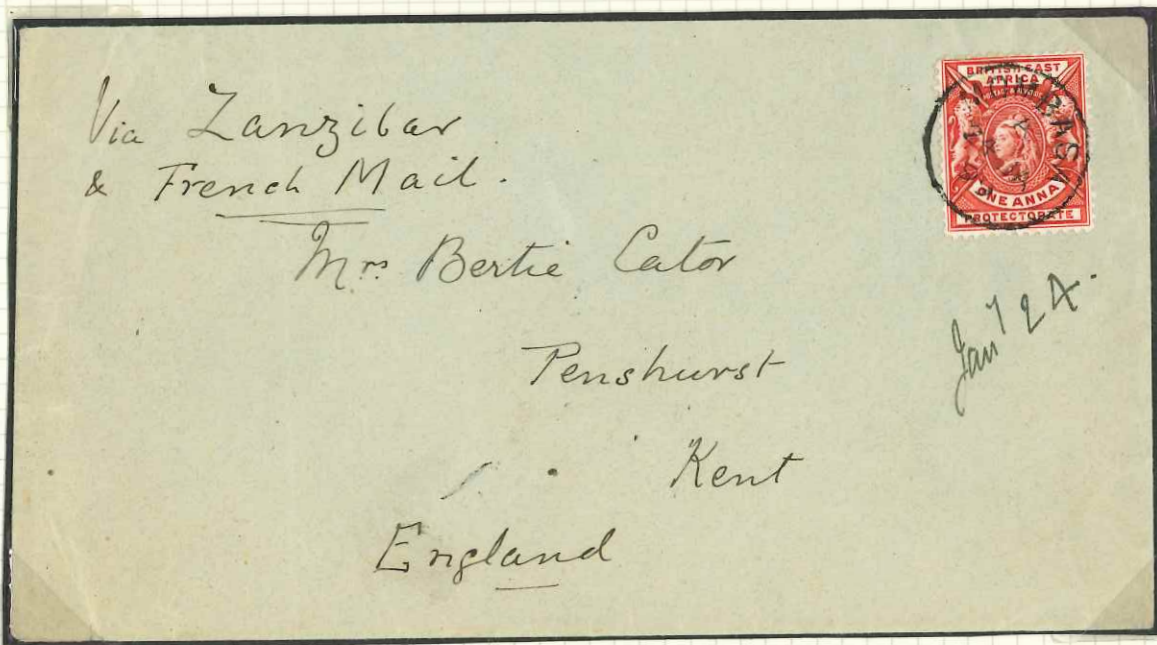
Single 'Empire' rate

1898-99

Rate change: Empire 'Uniform Penny Postage' introduced on  
Christmas Day, 1898



2½ anna rate: used on 26 December 1898, the day after the change.



1 anna rate: 24 January 1899. This rate is rare with the small circle postmark, which was replaced in early 1899.

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MOMBASA TO SWITZERLAND

7a. registered double rate to foreign countries



Mombasa · 20 Dec. 1898

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Addressed by Henry Holt, the Mombasa postmaster.

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MOMBASA to LONDON

RATED 10 ANNAS

(2½ AS. X 4)

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Quadruple

'Empire' rate



A. Bentley & Co.  
Office of Temple Bar  
8 New Burlington Street  
London. W.

*Imperial*

MOMBASA 27. MAR. 1898

Per Br. India s.s. 'GOA'  
Mombasa to Aden

LONDON 17. APL. 1898