

HYDERABAD

**Pre-Stamp Period
British Postal Service**

"C/41" Hyderabad

1/2 Anna

1 Anna

"C/46" Hingolee



1 Anna

"C/56" Secunderabad



2 Annas

"C/43" Bolarum

4 Annas

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Large Oval "POST PAID / HYDERABAD" Mark



Domestic Letter from Hyderabad to Madras dated July 10, 1818 with notation of "PNP (Postage Not Paid) 6 annas". Madras GPO arrival date stamp of July 18, 1818 is struck on the front.

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HYDERABAD

Pre-Stamp Period
British Postal Service

HYDERABAD

Diamond-Shaped "C/41" Obliterator



1/2 Anna Rate Intra-State Letter



Outgoing "Soldier's Letter" with
SECUNDERABAD Diamond-Shaped "Dotted" Cancellation

8 Pies Concession Rate "Soldier's Letter" from Camp "SECUNDERABAD" to Scotland



March 9, 1867

Sent from "Pte George Burns 2nd 21st Royal Fusiliers' at Secunderabad"
to Edinburgh, Scotland via Sholapoor and Bombay

"SECUNDERABAD SUBURBAN" March 9, 1867 Date Stamp



MOMINABAD Diamond-Shaped "48" Cancellation

1 Anna Rate Double Weight Local Letter from Mominabad to Secunderabad



May 23, 1859

Mominabad was in Bhir State in Hyderabad, separated into two portions by the Jivanti River. The part which lies south-west of the river was called Mominabad. This boxed "MOMINABAD / / Paid." mark was introduced in 1850, and this is the later use in 1859.

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British Postal Service

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Diamond-Shaped Numeral "78" Obliterator

May 16, 1856

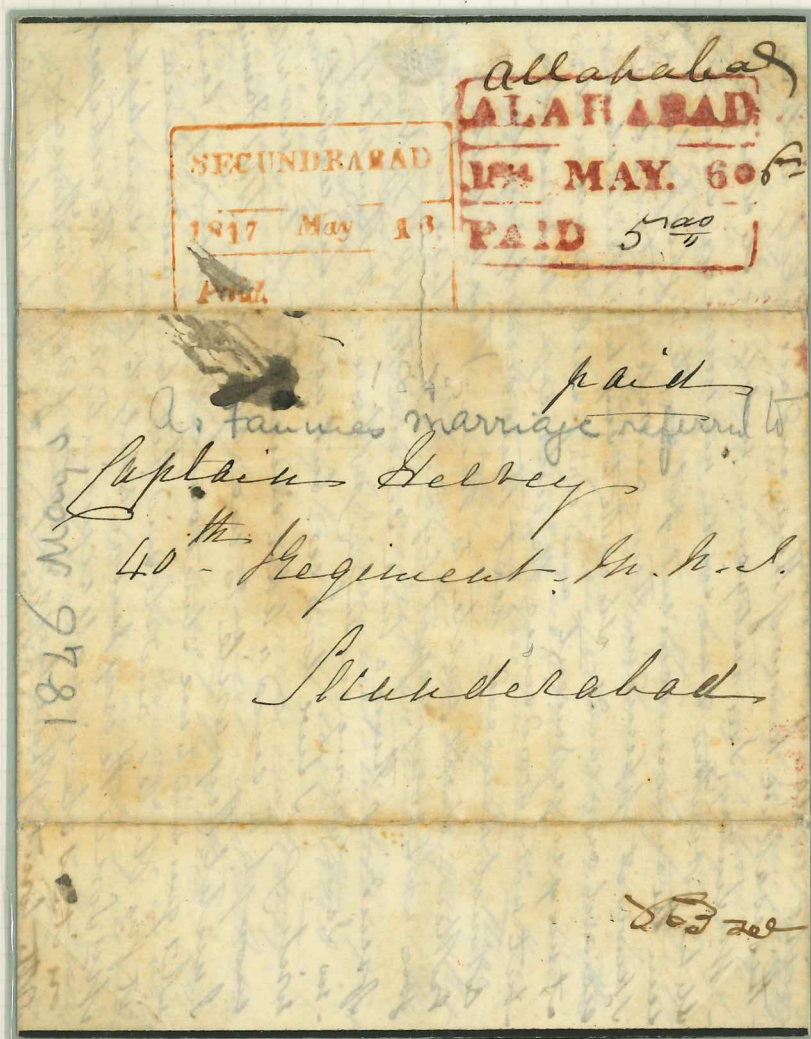
Elichpoor to London

2 Annas Rate Incoming Letter



Kemptee to Elichpoor May 26, 1856

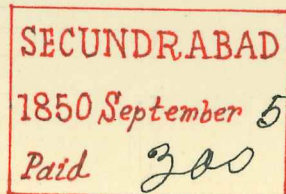
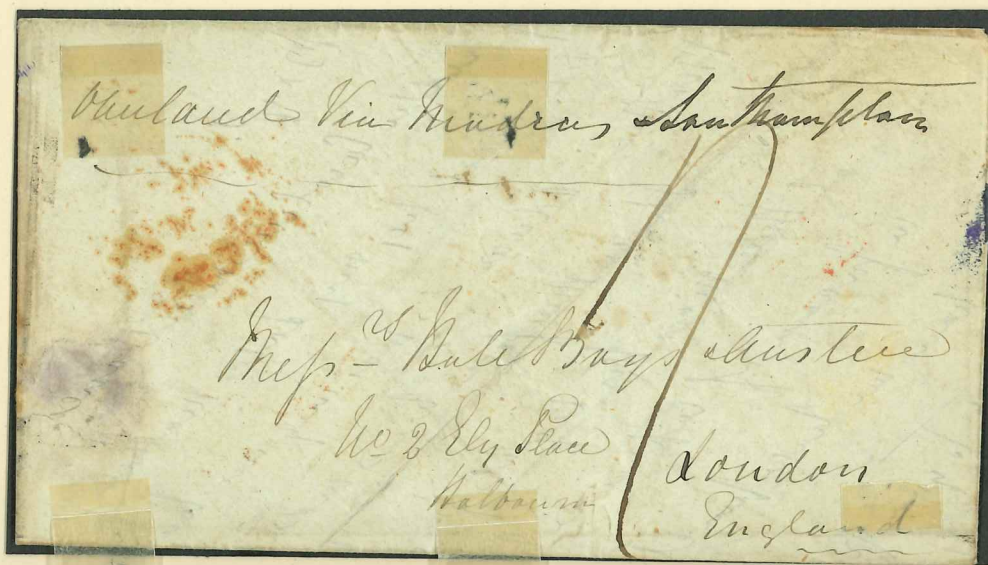
HYDERABAD



HANDSTRUCK POSTAGE STAMP

(INDIA PRE - STAMP COVER)

1850 (SEPTEMBER 5) folded entire letter sheet send from SECUNDERABAD via MADRAS to LONDON, backstamp shows in red :“ SECUNDERABAD / 1850 SEPTEMBER 5 / PAID 3 AS TO MADRAS ” - date and rate with destination in manuscript - GILES TYPE - 2 but no section marking as recorded thus rare; “ MADRAS / G.P.O. / 1850 SE 11 ” - GILES TYPE - SD 2land also LONDON arrival stamp “ NP / 26 OC 26 / 1850 ” .



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NANDER Type-18 "N" Cancellation

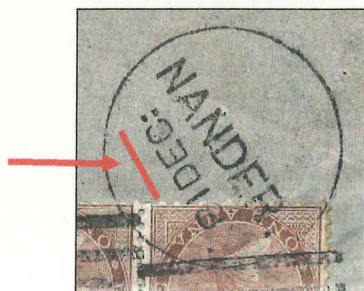
Type-18 cancellation was considered to have been used in very short period until the Type 17 with "M-6" type cancellation was introduced. "M" of the Type-17 Cancellation indicated the Madras Circle whereas following number "6" meant Hyderabad. In Type-18 cancellation "B" was used in Bombay, however "N" has not been recorded, and this is the only known cover showing "N" with the Date Stamp of NANDER.

7 Annas Rate Registered Letter from Nander to Hyderabad



**December 18 WITHOUT YEAR Date Stamps of Nander
with December 24 (Without Year) Arrival Date Stamp of Hyderabad**

INVERTED MONTH "DEC" of Nander



Incoming "Registered" Letter

3 Annas Rate Inland Letter from Mooltan to Secunderabad



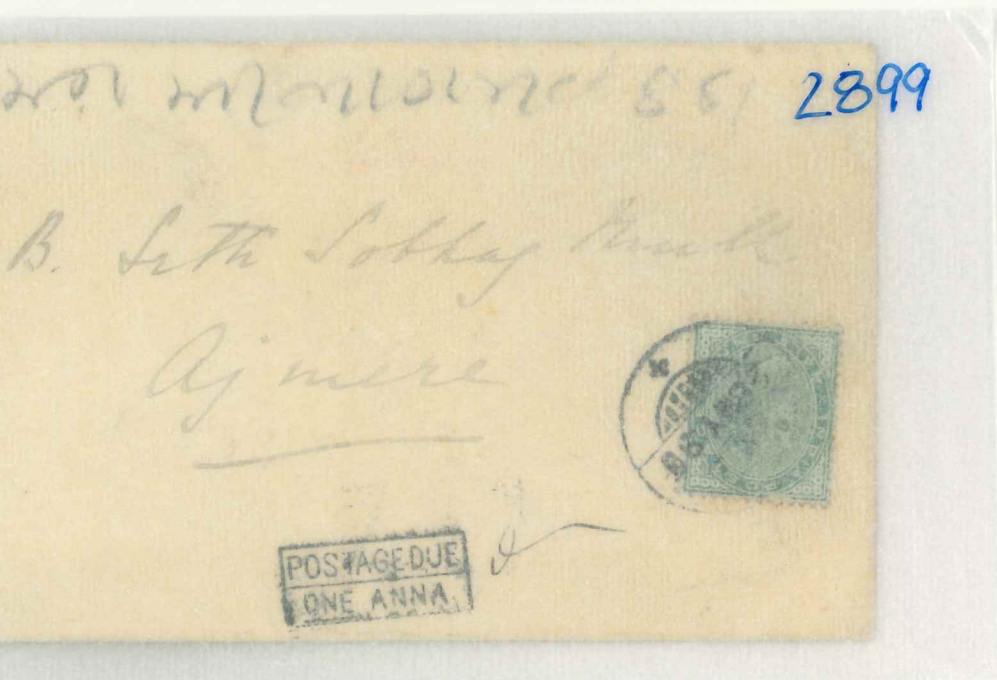
December 2, 1882

3 Annas Rate Registered Inland Letter sent from Mooltan to Secunderabad, 1/2 Anna Stationery was cancelled by Small Circle "Registered" Date Stamp of December 2, 1882 with stamps cancelled by Mooltan Duplex "8 Bars No. 1" Cancellation. Sent via Derhi on December 4, 1882, with arrival Date Stamp of "SECUNDERABAD / HYDERABAD / TERRITORY / " shown below. Small Yellow Label stated "Please return cover to postman for transmission to Inspector Genl., R.M.S. Calcutta"

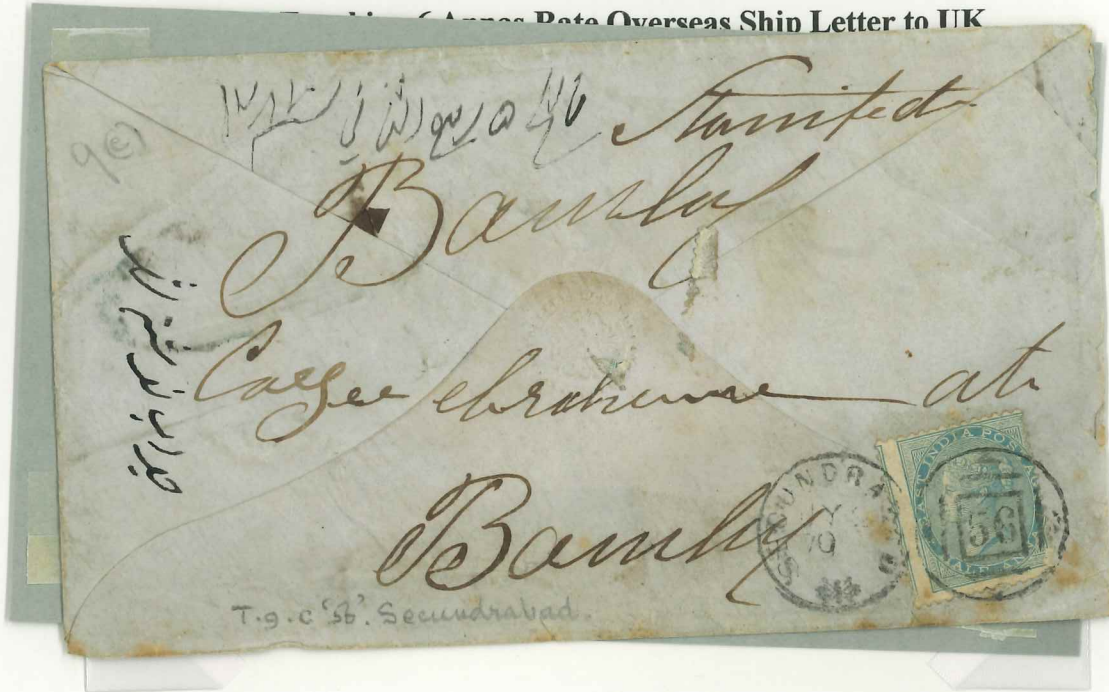
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SECUNDERABAD Diamond-Shaped "C/56" Cancellation



September 3, 1857

Mixed Franking of 2 Annas Lithographed Issue and De La Rue type 4 Annas stamps was unusual for 6 Annas French Overland Mail Letter sent via Bombay and Marseilles.

6 Annas Rate Overseas Ship Letter to UK



September 5, 1860

HOOMNABAD Diamond-Shaped "C / 54" Cancellation

1/2 Anna Rate Inland Letter from "HOOMNABAD" to Bombay



October 25, 1858

Arrival Date Stamp of Bombay dated October 30, 1858

HOMINABAD Diamond-Shaped "C / 54" Cancellation

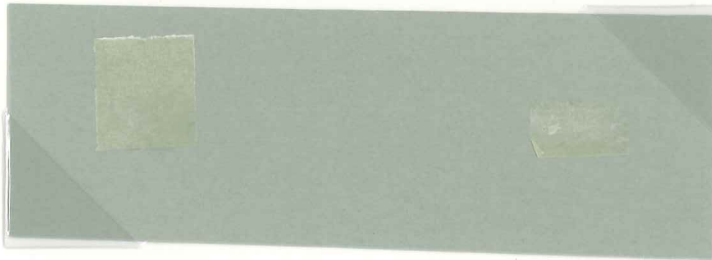
1/2 Anna Rate Inland Letter from "HOMINABAD" to Bombay



February 6, 1868

GUNGA KHAIR Diamond-Shaped "C / 45" Cancellation

1/2 Anna Rate Local Letter from Gunga Khair to Hyderabad



January ??, 1866

Arrival Date Stamp of Hyderabad dated January 22, 1866



"C / 47" Cancellation

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September 5, 1865

Arrival Date Stamp of Hyderabad dated September 8, 1865

SECUNDERABAD Diamond-Shaped "C / 56" Cancellation

6 Annas Rate Registered Overseas Ship Letter via Marseille to U.K.



June 8, 1858

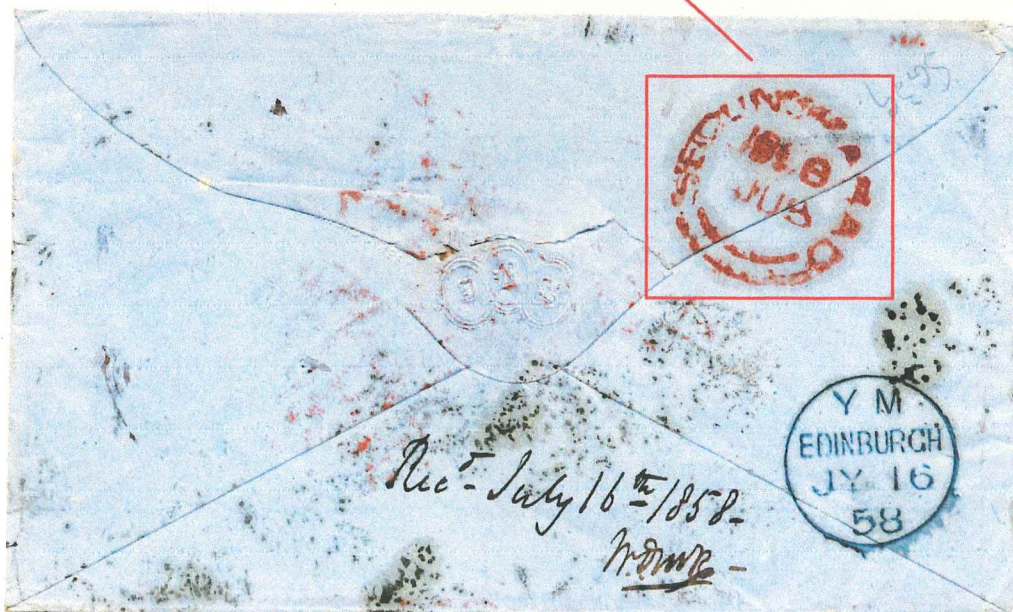
Secunderabad Double Circle Date Stamp was struck on reverse

"Hyderabad" Transit Double Circle Date Stamp of June 10, 1858

"London PAID" Transit Date Stamp of July 15, 1858

"Edinburgh" Arrival Date Stamp of July 16, 1858 on Reverse

Secunderabad Date Stamp



Reverse of the cover

SECUNDERABAD Diamond-Shaped "C / 56" Cancellation

10 Annas 8 Pies Rate Registered Overseas Ship Letter via Marseille to U.K.



August 20, 1865

6 Annas Rate Overseas Ship Letter via Marseille to U.K.



January 6, 1861

6 Anna Rate was equivalent to 18 Pence, for 1 Shilling Overseas Ship Letter Rate & 6 Pence Double Weight French Transit Fee

SECUNDERABAD Diamond-Shaped "C / 56" Cancellation

1/2 Anna Rate Inland Letter from Secunderabad to Calcutta



September 10, 1860

Small inland letter sent from Secunderabad to Calcutta through British India postal network with double circle date stamp "SECUNDERABAD / 1860 / SP 10". Arrival date stamp of G.P.O. Calcutta of September 13, 1860 was struck. Address and letter were written in Urdu, and there was no English translation of the address.

1 Anna Rate Inland Letter from Secunderabad to Nuacurdaud



December 2, 1861

Double weight Inland Letter from Secunderabad to Nuacurdaud cancelled by Diamond-Shaped "C / 56". Secunderabad Date Stamp of December 2, 1861 was struck as well as Nuacurdaud arrival Date Stamp of December 7, 1861.

HYDERABAD Duplex "HYDRABAD / 41" WITHOUT "YEAR" in Date Stamp

Missing "YEAR" in Date Stamp



2 strikes on 8 Pies Block of Four

1/2 Anna Rate Local Letter in Hyderabad



December 11, 1865

with Arrival Double Circle Date Stamp of "HYDRABAD" alongside

HYDERABAD Duplex "HYDERABAD / 41" WITHOUT "YEAR" in Date Stamp

4 1/2 Annas Rate Registered Letter within Hyderabad



December 21, 1865

1/2 Anna Rate Local Letter within Hyderabad



October 25, 1865

HYDERABAD Duplex "HYDERABAD / 41" with Errors in Date Stamp

Year / Month / Date Missing in the Date Stamp

1/2 Anna Rate Local Letter in Hyderabad



October 5, 1866

Single weight local letter sent in Hyderabad with date stamp of October 5, 1866. Also Hyderabad Arrival Date Stamp of October 6, 1866 was struck on front. Arrival date stamp was in order of "Year / Date - Month", instead of "Year / Month - Date" order.

"INVERTED DATE" with Erroneous Year of "187" instead of 1869

1/2 Anna Rate Inland Letter from Hyderabad to Jaulnah



April 30, 1869

Single weight local letter sent from Hyderabad to Jaulnah with INVERTED Date "AP 30". Year "187" was erroneously shown instead of 1869, which was shown in the Jaulnah Arrival Date Stamp of May 4, 1869.

HYDERABAD Duplex "HYDERABAD / 41" in Gothic Characters

"41" in Gothic Characters



"HYDERABAD" Date Stamp



March 11, 1867



September 10, 1867



February 21, 1867

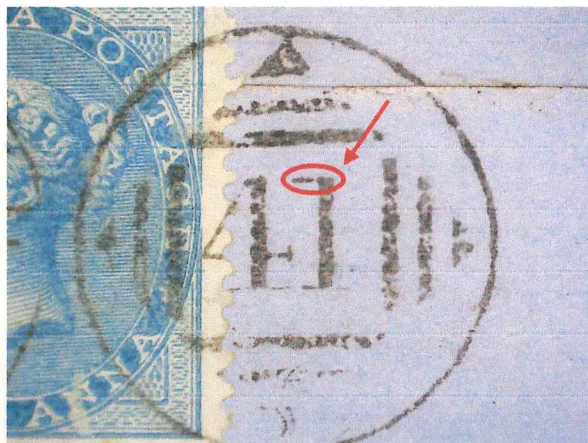
5 Annas Rate Registered Letter from Hyderabad to Bombay



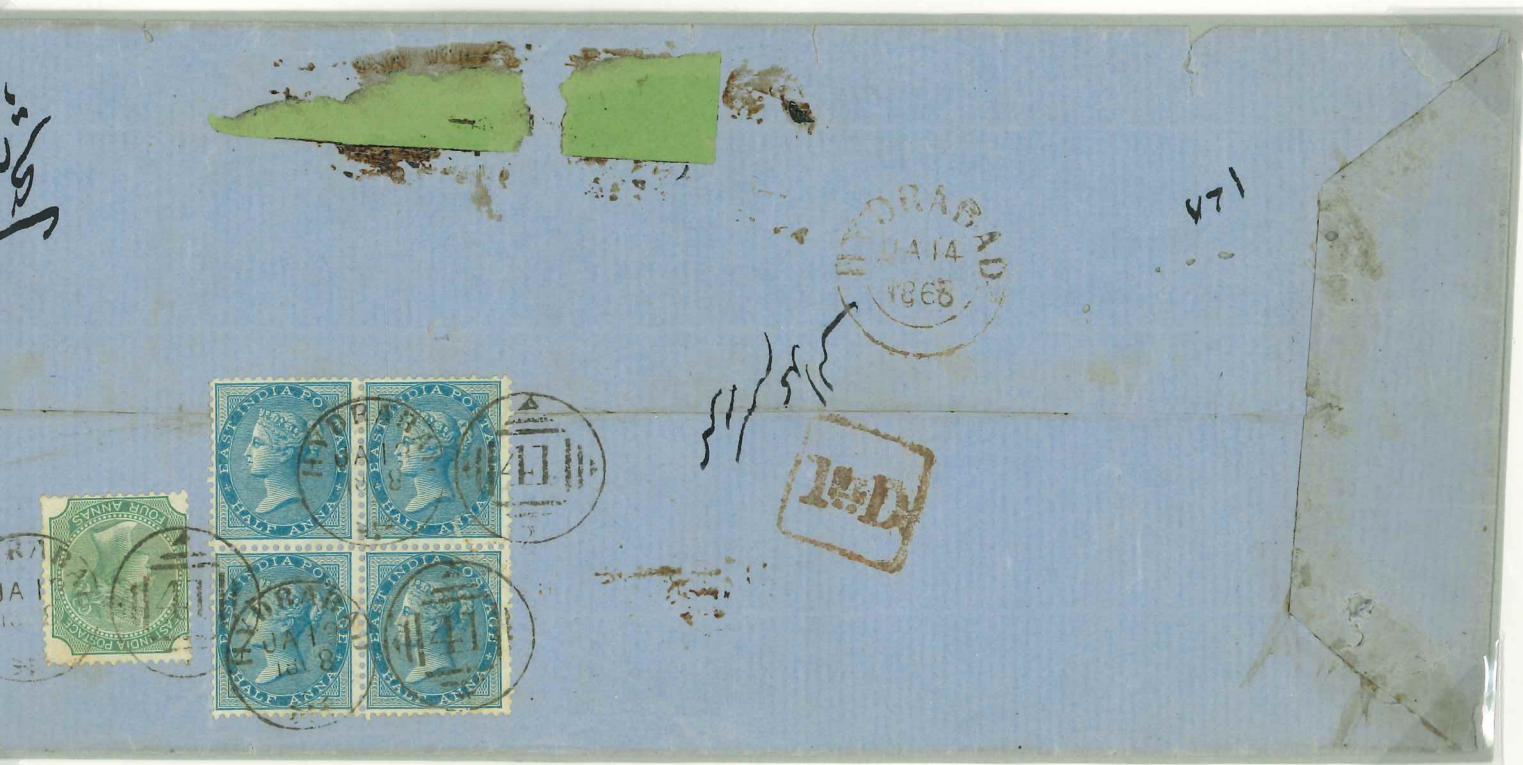
June 2, 1867

HYDERABAD Duplex "HYDRABAD / 41" with Straight Top "1"

STRAIGHT TOP "1"



6 Annas Rate Registered Letter within Hyderabad



January 13, 1868

with Arrival Double Circle Date Stamp of "HYDRABAD" dated January 14, 1868

HYDERABAD Duplex "HYDERABAD / 41" in Gothic Characters

1/2 Anna Rate Local Letter from Hyderabad to Jaulnah



November 29, 1872

Single weight local letter sent from Hyderabad to Jaulnah, with "TOO LATE" mark for train with "N.E. Line Section 3" Train Cancellation of December 2, 1872 and Jaulnah Arrival Date Stamp of December 3, 1872.

1 Anna Rate Inland Letter from Hyderabad to Surat



July 13, 1873

Double weight inland letter sent from Hyderabad to Surat via Bombay. Bombay Transit Date Stamp of July 18, 1873 was struck on front, and Surat Arrival Date Stamp of July 19, 1873 was struck on reverse.

HYDERABAD Duplex "HYDERABAD / 41" with YEAR ERAZED by Thick Bar

1/2 Anna Rate Inland Letter from Hyderabad to Inggiahpett



July 1, 1872

Single weight inland letter sent from Hyderabad with duplex-41 date stamp of July 1, 1872, of which YEAR was erased by Tick Bar. Inggiahpett Arrival Date Stamp of July 4, 1872 was struck on front to prove that this letter was sent in 1872.

1/2 Anna Rate Inland Letter from Hyderabad to Futwood



January 8, 1873

Single weight inland letter sent from Hyderabad to Futwood of January 8, 1873, of which YEAR was erased by Thick Bar. Bombay Transit Date Stamp of January 10, 1873 was struck on front.

AURUNGABAD Duplex "AURUNGABAD / 14"

4 1/2 Annas Rate Registered Letter to Boondee,



December 23, 1872

with Boxed "REGISTERED" mark in red, showing hand written place of post as "Aurungabad Deccan"

"SHAJAPURE" Transit Date Stamp in Hexagon Shape of December 23, 1872

Railway "2 SECT 5 / NE LINE" Transit Date Stamp of December 24, 1872

"BOONDEE" Transit Date Stamp in red of December 24, 1872

SECUNDERABAD DECCAN Duplex-Circle "M" Cancellation

6 1/2 Annas Rate Overseas Registered Ship Letter to UK



Sent from Secunderabad on November 1, 1883 to London with December 7, 1883 Arrival Mark of Oval "Registered London" on reverse

6 1/2 Annas Rate Overseas Ship Letter to UK



Sent from Secunderabad on December 23, 1884 to London with Bombay Transit Mark on reverse

ELLICHPUR Diamond-Shaped "78" Cancellation

6 Annas Rate Registered Letter within Hyderabad



August 22, 1865

Registered letter sent from Ellichpur to Hingolee. Hingolee was the cantonment of the Hyderabad Subsidiary Force, so that this letter was addressed to Military Officer at 1st Infantry.

Copy of the FRONT



Hingolee arrival double-circle date stamp of August 24, 1865

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MOMINABAD Diamond-Shaped "48" Cancellation in BLUE

8 Annas Rate Overseas Ship Letter to U.K. via Brindisi



April 12, 1871

Sent from Mominabad to Bombay via "South East Railway 2nd Section" on April 13, 1871 & "South East Railway 1st Section" on April 14, 1871. Arrived Bombay on April 14, 1871, where loaded on "S.S. Surat" to Suez, and re-loaded on "S.S. Brindisi" from Alexandria to Brindisi for further overland route to London with arrival date stamp on May 8, 1871.

HYDERABAD RESIDENCY Cancellations

1/2 Penny Rate Local Letter from Hyderabad Residency to Kuchawan

Kuchawan Road
Arrival Date Stamp



November 13, 1893



HYDERABAD RY.S

November 10, 1893

Kuchawan
Arrival Date Stamp



November 14, 1893

3 1/2 Annas Inland Registered
Letter from Hyderabad
Residency to Bombay

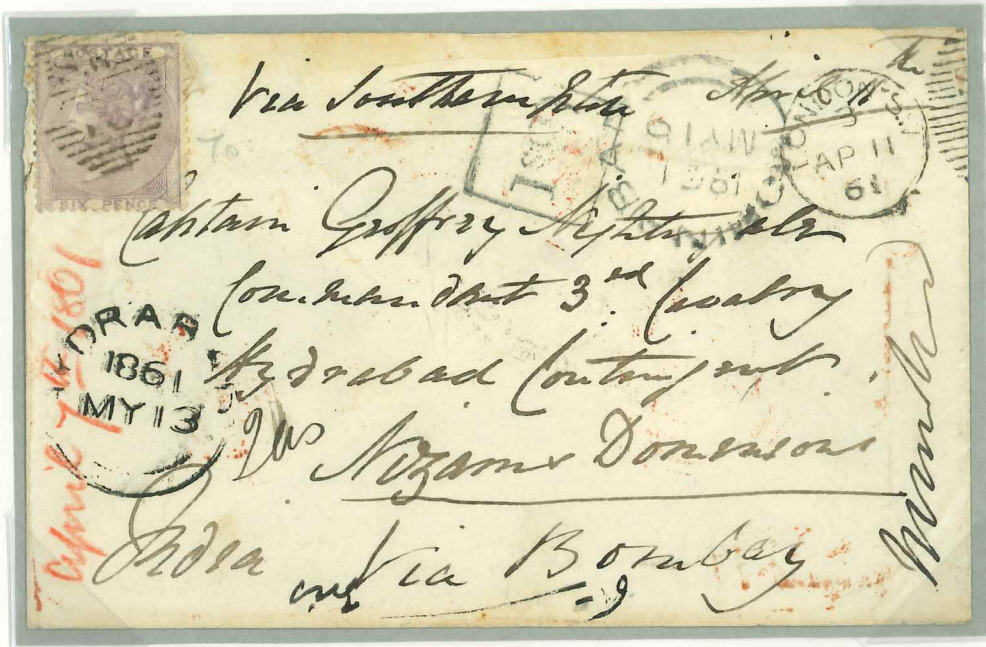


HYDERABAD. R.S. /
DECCAN

February 1, 1897

Incoming Overseas Ship Letter

6 Pence Rate Incoming Overseas Ship Letter from U.K. to Mominabad



London April 11, 1861

Hyderabad BLACK (for PAID Letter) Transit Date Stamp of May 13, 1861
Mominabad BLACK Arrival Date Stamp of May 16, 1861

10 Pence Rate Incoming Overseas Ship Letter from U.K. to Bolarum



Cancelled by Manuscript "Stamped" with hand written date of January 17, 1867

Reverse of the cover
Transit & Arrival Date
Stamps of London, Bombay,
Hyderabad and Bolarum



Bolarum arrival date stamp of
February 13, 1867

Hyderabad transit mark of
February 12, 1867

Incoming Overseas Ship Letter

1 Shilling 1 Penny Rate Incoming Overseas Ship Letter from U.K. to Hyderabad



July 1, 1870

Sent from London to Hyderabad

8 Pence Rate Incoming Overseas Ship Letter from U.K. to Secunderabad



April 4, 1878

Preston to Secunderabad

POST OFFICE
 Transit Mark of
 April 12, 1878
 on reverse



HYDERABAD RESIDENCY Cancellation

Double Circle Comb Type "HYDERABAD R.S." Cancellation



April 27, 1911

2 Annas 6 Pies Rate Registered Letter sent from Hyderabad to Bombay without "X" in the field C of the cancellation. 1 Anna 14 Pies value stamps were affixed on the 1/2 Anna Rate Postal Envelope.

Bombay Arrival Date Stamp of April 28, 1911 was struck on reverse

HYDERABAD RESIDENCY Cancellations

Double Circle Comb Type "HYDERABAD R.S. / x" Cancellation



March 10, 1898

2 Annas 6 Pies Rate Overseas Ship Letter sent from Hyderabad to London

Arrival Date Stamp of Paddington of March 25, 1898 was struck on reverse

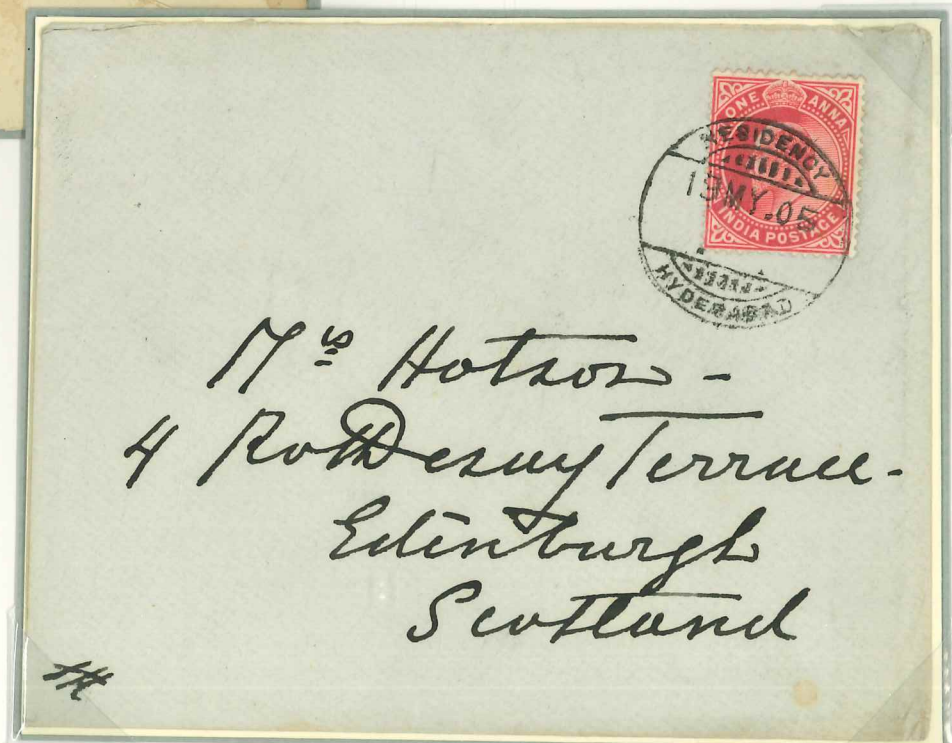
Double Circle Comb Type "RESIDENCY / HYDERABAD" Cancellation

Emblem of the Hyderabad Residency in Red on the envelope flap

May 19, 1905

Anna Soldier's Concession Rate Overseas Ship Letter sent from Hyderabad to Edinburge

Arrival Date Stamp of Edinburgh of June 4, 1905 was struck on reverse



LINGASAGOOR Diamond-Shaped "C/47" Cancellation in Blue

1/2 Anna Rate Inland Letter from Lingasagoor to Bombay



January 20, 1859

Sent from Lingasagoor to the Portuguese Secretary of the Government of Portuguese in GOA, forwarded Bombay via Portuguese Consular agent, to the Bros Fernandes, who was the Portuguese Political Agent in Bombay

AKOLA Diamond-Shaped "185" Cancellation

1/2 Anna Rate Inland Letter from Akola to Bombay



July 9, 1866

Stamp was cancelled by Diamond-Shaped Numeral "185" with "AKOLA" Date Stamp of July 9, 1866 on reverse. Stamp was additionally over-struck by the Double Circle Date Stamp of "J.T. BUSRY / HYD. COMMISSION"

"J.T. BUSRY / HYD. COMMISSION"



PYTUN Diamond-Shaped "156" Cancellation

5 Annas Rate Registered Letter to Hyderabad



October 26, 1869

Sent from PYTUN with Diamond-Shaped Numeral "156" Cancellation to Hyderabad. PYTUN was the Sub-Office of Aurungabad, therefore the handling of registration was processed at the transit main post office "Aurungabad" where boxed "REGISTERED" mark with hand written date of October 27, 1869 was struck. Hyderabad arrival date stamp of October 31, 1869 was also struck along the registration mark.

Circular Date Stamps of PYTUN & AURUNGABAD



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1864. HYDERABAD to DAVAREPET franked with 1/2 an. (8) and 1 an.

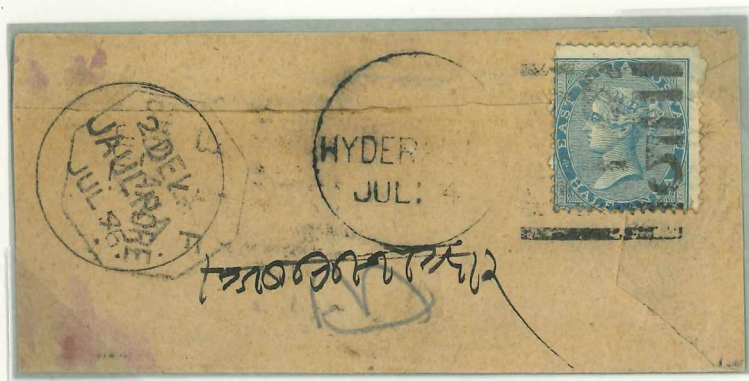
HYDERABAD Type-17 "M-5 & M-6" Cancellation

"M-5 & M-6" in LARGE Characters

"M-5" HYDERABAD

"M-5" was allocated to Masulipatam, NOT Hyderabad. However this example shows "M-5" with HYDERABAD date stamp of July 4 without Year. This is the only known "M-5" Example used in Hyderabad.

1/2 Anna Rate Local Letter sent from Hyderabad to Jaulnah

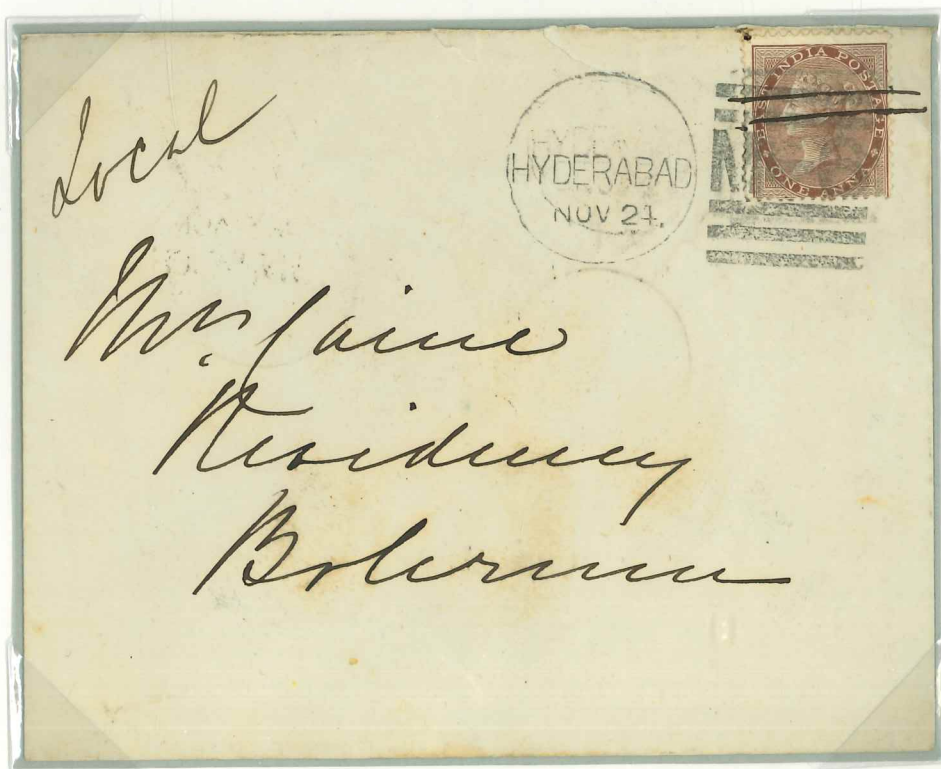


July 4

Sent from Hyderabad to Jaulnah with Sholapore transit date stamp of July 4 and arrival date stamp of Jaulnah of July 6. Year was missing from these date stamps.

"M-6" HYDERABAD

1 Anna Rate Local Letter sent from Hyderabad to Bolaram



November 24
with Bolaram arrival date stamp of November 25 on reverse

HYDERABAD Type-17 "M-6" Cancellation

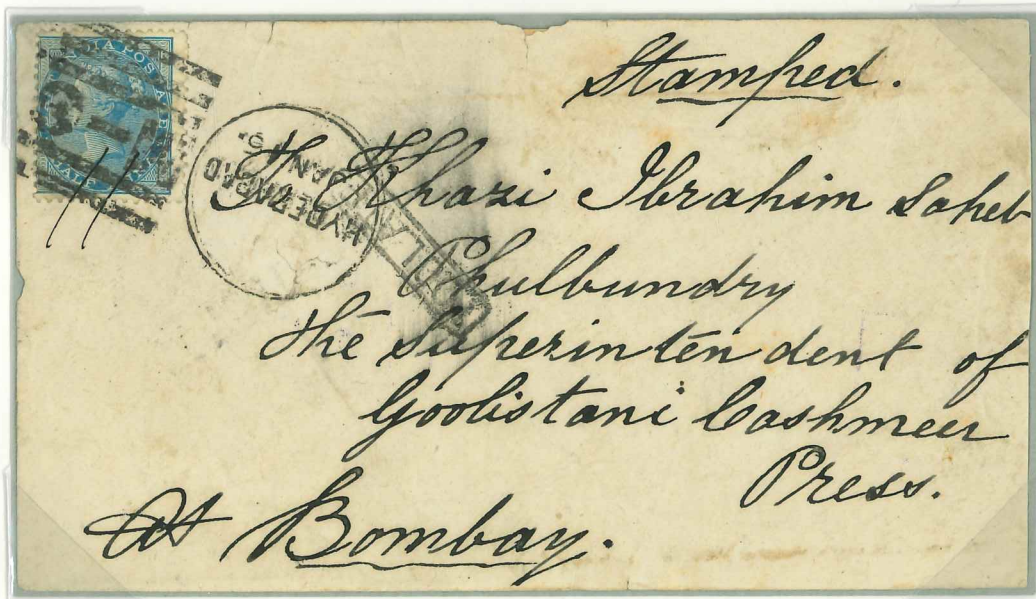
"M-6" in SMALL Characters

1/2 Anna Rate Inland Letters sent from Hyderabad to Bombay



Hyderabad November 21, 1872

(Earliest Known Use of "M-6", whereas earliest example of "M-1" of Madras was November 13, 1872)



Hyderabad January 15, 1874
with Bombay Arrival Date Stamp of January 17, 1874 on reverse

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