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#### **BANGKOK**

6c CC 10c CC 24c CC



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2c CA 4c CA 6c CA 8c CA 10c CA



#### **STRAITS**

2c CC 1868 4c CC 1868 6c CC 1868 8c CC 1867 12c CC 1867 10c/12c CC 1881



### **HONG KONG**

5c CC 1880 10c CA 1882





Dimensions:	Est. 30 mm x 25 mm
Colour:	Black
Observed on:	Straits, "Bs", Hong Kong
Earliest Use:	1880
Latest Use:	1884

Several covers are know.

STIRALTS ALL "CC" 2¢ SG-11 6¢ SG-13 8¢ SG-14 12¢ SG-15











ALL "CA"

2656-15 4656-17 6656-19 8656-20 10656-21















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When Daniel Thomas Windsor (1834-1902), a French national, arrived at Bangkok in 1862, he was a poor man but at his passing on 18 February 1902 at Jersey, Channel Islands at age 68, he was very well to do. At times he went by Daniel Windsor and at other times Thomas Windsor. Initially he worked for the King of Siam as secretary and interpreter. After going into business, he went through a succession of firms with various partners before retiring.

Windsor along with Adolph Markwald and G.L. Halphen in Paris as silent partners established D. Windsor & Co in 1868. The business was located close to Messrs. A. Markwald & Co and near the North German Consulate. Windsor was the managing proprietor and ran the firm with the help of one assistant. The firm was liquidated in January 1871. No firm chops for this firm have surface at the time of this writing.

Alexis Amandus Redlich (1837-1904) from Hamburg was a clerk with Oxford & Co in Hong Kong in 1863. He relocated to Bangkok and from 1864 to 1868 was listed as a merchant. In March 1866, the Austrian Consulate opened in Bangkok and Redlich was appointed as the first Consul for that country. In 1868, he traveled to Hamburg in his official capacity. On 17 May 1869, the Austrian Consulate was replaced by that of the Austro-Hungarian Empire. Redlich found work with A. Markwald & Co.

On 14 August 1871, Redlich, joined in partnership with Windsor as Windsor, Redlich & Co. Their office was at the rear of the Portuguese Consulate, and they had an office in Hamburg. They were merchants, owners of the Steam Rice Mill and agents for several insurance companies. One of their clerks was Filomeno Manuel de Jesus from Macao. He left the firm in 1877 to found his own firm F. de Jesus & Co.

On 31 December 1881, Redlich left the partnership and a day later Mr. Otto Weber became a partner. At various times in the late 1880s and early 1890s Weber was Consul for Sweden and Norway and Acting-Consul for Denmark.

Paul Rose was working for the firm and could sign per procuration. Alexis Redlich died on 28 May 1904 at Hamburg, Germany. He was 66.

