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## PHILATELIC SIDE LINES



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## Philatelic Side Lines

Hydrometer Labels<br>Lock Seals<br>Beer Stamps<br>Cigarette Stamps<br>Customs Cigarettes<br>Small Cigar Stamps<br>Small Snuff Stamps<br>Foreign Offices of the<br>English Post Office<br>Foreign Offlces of the<br>French Post Office<br>French Colonial Abbreviations



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REALIZING the need of a convenient check list for various unlisted stamps etc., the Springfield Stamp Club ventures to present this brochure. - Great care has been taken to include only those varieties which we actually know to exist, either by personal inspection or upon the testimony of collectors who are well versed in these stamps. Certain varieties which we believe exist, but of which we have no proof, are listed with a star. Certain other varieties are marked with an R , signifying that they are listed in the catalog of Ch Koussin. TThe reports of the Bureau of Engraving and Printing and those of the Commissioner of Internal Revenue have furnished much valuable information, ©The committee desires to have errors and omissions in these lists brought to its attention.

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## HYDROMETER LABELS.

A hydrometer is a glass instrument used for determining the specific gravity of liquids. Those used in the manufacture of spirituous liquors contain a label inserted under the supervision of the Internal Revenue authorities certifying to their accuracy.

All these labels are printed in black and with the exception of No. 2 and No. 3 , bear the portrait of Washington. These two bear the portraits of the Commissioners.

Series. Commissioner.

| 1 | 1866 | E. A. Rollins. |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2 | 1870 | Alfred Pleasonton. |  |  |
| 3 | 1871 |  |  |  |
| 4 | 1872 | J. W. Douglas. |  |  |
| 5 | 1875 | D. D. Pratt. |  |  |
| 6 | 1877 | Green B. Raum. |  |  |
| 7 | 1884 | Walter Evans. |  |  |
| 8 | 1885 |  |  |  |
| 9 | 1889 | John W. Mason. | Red No. |  |
| 10 | ${ }^{1}$ |  |  |  |
| 11 | ، | " | A |  |
| 12 | " | " | B | " |
| 18 | " | " | C | " |
| 14 | " | " | D | " |
| 15 | " | " | E | " |
| 16 | 1893 | Joseph S. Miller. |  |  |
| 17 | 1896 | Wm. S. Forman. | A | " |
| 18 | 1897 | Wm. S. Forman. | B | $\cdot$ |
| 19 | 1898 | N. B. Scott. | A | " |
| 20 | '" |  | B | " |
| 21 | 1899 | G. W. Wilson. | A | " |
| 22 | " |  | B | " |

231901 John W. Yerkes.
No control number.
*These have not been seen but probably exist.

## LOCK SEALS.

These labels are used by Internal Revenue officers and are placed inside the special locks used at bonded warehouses, etc., being so inserted that they are mutilated by the insertion of the key.
Series of 1875. Size, 18x48mm.
COLOR. CONTROL NUMBERS.
$\begin{array}{cc}1 & \text { Blue, } \\ 2 & " . \\ 3 & \text { Buff, } \\ 4 & \text { B }\end{array}$
Orange,
61
Yellow,
Red,
"
"
Vic.et,
Violet,
$4 \geq 0$,
Green, "
E! tacts,
Black, "
"
"

| 22 | Black, |
| :--- | :---: |
| 28 | $"$ |
| 24 | $"$ |
| 25 | $"$ |
| 26 | Green, |

${ }^{2} 7$ Green.

Red.
Blue.
Orange.
Red.
Blue.
Red.
Blue.
Green.
Red.
Blue.
Green.
Red.
Blue.
Red.
Blue.
Green.
Green.
Yellow.
Red.
$\therefore$ Red, serial letters.
Red, T after number.
$\because \mathrm{A}, \mathrm{B}, \mathrm{C}, \mathrm{E}, \mathrm{F}, \mathrm{G}, \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{J}$, $\mathrm{K}, \mathrm{M}, \mathrm{P}, \mathrm{R}, \mathrm{S}, \mathrm{T}$, U.V, Y,Z.

Red, $Z$ before number. Green, B, D, H, K or V after number. Blue, N before number. Blue, N after number. Red, with serial letters A,B,C,D, F, $\mathrm{K}, \mathrm{M}$, R, T, V,WX, Blue, with D, H or U before number.

28 Ultramarine, Red,with serial letters. A,B,C,D,E,F,G, K,L,M,N, P, R,S,T, U,V,W,X.
Series of 1879. Size, 11x24.mm

|  | color. | CONTROL NUMBERS. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 51 | Brown, | Red. |
| 52 | " | Green. |
| 53 | " | Blue. |
| 54 | Buff, | Green. |
| 65 |  | Blue. |
| 56 | Red, | Red. |
| 67 |  | Green. |
| 58 | " | Blue. |
| 59 | Green, | Green. |
| 60 |  | Blue. |
| 61 | Orange, | Red. |
| 62 |  | Blue. |
| 63 | Black, | Green. |
| 64 |  | Blue. |
| 65 | * | Yellow. |
| 66 | " | Red. |
| 67 | " | Red, A. B. |

The use of this small seal has probably been given up as there have been none printed since 1892, according to the reports of the Bureau of Engraving and Printing.

The red, violet and orange seals can be found in various shades, but the compilers do not deem them of sufficient interest to give them separate numbers.

## BEER STAMPS.

Act of July 13, 1866.
Circular stamp with scalloped edge surrounding a central disk inscribed with size of cask in words and figures; "STAMP" in curved label above disk. Large numerals at sides.

Rate of Tax $\$ 1.00$ per Barrel.

| 1 | $121 / 2$ | cents, orange. |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 2 | $162 / 3$ cents, green. |  |
| 8 | 25 | cents, blue. |
| 4 | $331 / 3$ cents, maroon. |  |
| 5 | 50 | cents, brown. |
| 6 | $\$ 1.00$, | black. |
| 7 | $\$ 2.00$ | red. |
|  | March 2, 1867. |  |

Similar to last issue but with oblong disk in place of the word "STAMP."
$8121 / 2$ cents, orange.
$9 \quad 162 / 3$ cents, green.
$10 \quad 25$ cents, blue.
$11331 / 3$ cents, maroon.
1250 cents, brown.
13 \$1.00, black.
$14 \$ 2.00$, red.
1870.

Square stamps with blank place in center inscribed "Place for cancellation." Colored wavy lines in central space.
A violet lines; B, yellow lines.

|  |  | A.B. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 15 | $121 / 2$ cents, brown. | $\mathrm{x} \times$ |
| 16 | $162 / 3$ cents, orange. | x |
| 17 | 25 cents, green. | $\mathrm{x} \times$ |
| 18 | $331 / 3$ cents, ? | x |
| 19 | 50 cents, scarlet. | $\mathrm{x} \times$ |
| 20 | \$1.00, blue. | - x |
| 21 | \$2.00, black |  |

Series of 1871.
Commencing with 1871 each issue is dated and the central vignette of the stamps is
printed in black with frames of the colors as noted in the list. Each stamp of this series bears the plate letter and a number denoting its position in the sheet of twenty. A, white paper; B, (1872) violet paper; C (1874) greenish paper.

| 28 | $12 t / 2$ | cents, blue. | A. | B. | . |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 23 | $162 / 3$ | cents, | vermilion. | x | x |
| x |  |  |  |  |  |

Series of 1875.
31 121/2 cents, blue.
$32162 / 3$ cents, brown.
$33 \quad 25$ cents, green.
$34331 / 3$ cents, violet.
3550 cents, orange.
$96 \quad \$ 1.00$ lake.
37 \$2.00, brown.
Series of 1878.
A. green silk paper; letter and figures.


|  |  | A. B.C. D.E.F. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 89 | $162 / 3$ cents, red brown. | $\mathrm{x} \times \mathrm{x}$ |
| 40 | 25 cents, green. | $\mathrm{x} \times \mathrm{x} \times$ |
| 41 | 331/3 cents, violet. |  |
| 42 | 50 cents, orange. | $\mathrm{x} \times \mathrm{x} \times \mathrm{x}$ |
| 48 | \$1.00, red. | $\mathrm{x} \times \mathrm{x}$ |
| 44 | \$2.00, brown. | - $\mathrm{x}-\mathrm{x}$ |

> 1898. Provisional Issue.

Diagonal red surcharge in two lines "TAX $\$ 2$ PER BBL. SERIES OF 1898 "
on last series. $\Lambda$, surcharge 4 mm . high. B, 5 mm . high. C, rubber stamp surcharge. A. B. C.

| 45 | $121 / 2$ | cents, bluc. | x | x |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |

Series of 1898
rate of tax $\$ 2.00$ per barrel.
5225 cents, blue.
$53331 / 3$ cents, brown.
5450 cents, green.
$55662 / 3$ cents, violet. (?)
56 \$1.00, yellow.
कॅ \$2.00, red.
58 S4.00, brown.
Series of 1901.
rate of tax $\$ 1,60$ per barrel.
5920 cents, blue.
$60262 / 3$ cents, yellow
6140 cents, green.
$62531 / 3$ cents, violet (?).
6380 cents, brown.
64 \$1.60, red.
65 \$3.20, brown.
1902. Provistonat, lssue.

Diagonal red surcharge in two lines "TAX 81 PER BBL. SERIES OF 1002.'
$66262 / 3$ cents, yellow.
(if $531 / 3$ cents, violet (?).
68 \$3.20, brown.
Series of 1902.
A. dark blue paper. B, light green paper. C, light blue paper.

| 69 | $121 / 2$ | cents, blue. | x |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| x | x | x |  |
| 70 | $162 / 3$ | cents, yellow. | x | $\mathrm{x} \times \mathrm{x}$


| 71 | 25 | cents, green. | $x$ | $x$ | $x$ |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 72 | 33 |  |  |  |  |
| 7 | cents, violet. | $x$ | - | - |  |
| 78 | 50 | cents, brown. | $x$ | $x$ | $x$ |
| 74 | $\$ 1.00$, | red. | $x$ | $x$ | $x$ |
| 75 | $\$ 2.00$, | brown. | $x$ | $x$ | $x$ |

## CIGARETTE STAMPS.

From 1868 to March, 1879, cigarettes were put up in packages of 500 , the tax upon which was paid by strip stamps which do not come within the limitations of this list. The act of 1879 brought into existence four new stamps, strip stamps for packages of 50 and 100 respectively and rectangular stamps for 10 and 20 cigarettes. It is to the rectangular stamps that we confine our list. Unless otherwise noted all are rouletted.

Series of 1879.
110 Black on greenish.
220 Black on greenish.
The 20 is chronicled by Roussin on white paper, perforate 13 but we have never seen or heard of a copy.

Series of 1883. Provisionals.
The same surcharged vertically in red "ACT OF MARCH 3, 1883 " in three lines reading up.
\& 10 Black on greenish.
420 Black on greenish.

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\text { Series of } 1883 .
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| 5 | 10 | Black on greenish. Perforated. |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| $* 6$ | 20 | Black on greenish. Perforated. |
| 7 | 10 | Black on greenish. |

820 Black on greenish.
910 Black on blue.
1020 Black on blue.
Series of 1891. Tax $\$ 3.00$ per 1000.
1110 Green on greenish.
1220 Green on greenish.
These stamps and subsequent issues for large cigarettes are somewhat longer than the other stamps.

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\text { Series of } 1893 .
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I9 10 Blue on blue.
I4 20 Blue on blue.
Series of 1897. Provisionals.
The same surcharged vertically in red "ISSUED UNDER ACT OF JULY 1897" in two lines reading up.
15 10 Blue on blue.
1620 Blue on blue.

$$
\text { Series of } 1897
$$

If 10 Red on blue.
1820 Red on blue.
Series of 1898. Provisionals.
Vertical surcharge (rubber stamp) in violet "SERIES OF 1898."
$19 \quad 10$ Blue on blue (on No. 15)
*20 20 Blue on blue (on No. 16)
Black surcharge (rubber stamp) in two lines "SERIES 1898" in various positions.
2110 Red on blue (on No. 17)
*22 20 Red on blue (on No. 18)
Vertical surcharge in two lines reading down in red brown "SERIES OF 1898 $\$ 1.50$ per M."

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\begin{array}{lll}
28 & 10 & \text { Red on blue (on No. 17) } \\
24 & 20 & \text { Red on blue (on No. 18) }
\end{array}
$$

Series of 1898 . Provisionals.
Vertical surcharge (rubber stamp) in violet "Series of 1898 " reading up. 20.10 Red on blue (on No. 17) *20̃a Surcharge reading down.
$26 \quad 20$ Red on blue (on No. 18) *26a Surcharge reading down.

Two line printed surcharge in dark blue "SERIES OF 1898."
2710 Red on blue (on No. 17)
2820 Red on blue (on No. 18)
No. 27 has the surcharge at the top and No. 28 at the bottom of the stamp.

Vertical surcharge in red brown "SERIES OF 1898 " reading down.
$\begin{array}{rrr}29 & 10 & \text { Red on blue (on No. 27) } \\ * 90 & 20 & \text { Red on blue (on No. 28) }\end{array}$
Red brown surcharge " $\$ 1.50$ PER M." reading down.

| 31 | 10 | Red on blue (on No. 27) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $* 32 \quad 20$ | Red on blue (on No. 28) |  |

Red brown surcharge in two lines "SERIES OF $1898 \$ 1.50$ per M." reading down.

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33 10 Red on blue (on No. 27)
34 20 Red on blue (on No. 28)
Só 10 Red on blue (on No. 17)
35a With inverted surcharge.
36 20 Red on blue (on No. 18)
s6a With inverted surcharge.
    Two line rubber stamp surcharge
"SERIES OF 1898."
Red surcharge in two lines at bottom of
stamp "SERIES OF 1898."
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\begin{aligned}
& 3720 \text { Green on greenish (on No. 12) } \\
& \text { Red surcharge in two lines reading up } \\
& \text { "SERIES OF } 1898 . \text {." } \\
& \text { Series of } 1898 . \\
& 4120 \text { Red on blue. } \\
& \text { 42 } 10 \text { Green on blue (Tax } \$ 3.60 \text { per } \\
& \text { 1000) } \\
& \text { Series of } 1901 . \\
& \begin{array}{lll}
43 & 10 & \text { Blue on dark blue ( } 54 \mathrm{c} \text {. per } \mathrm{M} \text { ) }
\end{array} \\
& 4420 \text { Blue on dark blue } \\
& 4510 \text { Green on dark blue ( } \$ 1.08 \text { per } \mathrm{M} \text { ) } \\
& 4620 \text { Green on dark blue } \\
& 4720 \text { Blue on pale green ( } 54 \mathrm{c} \text {. per M) } \\
& 48 \quad 10 \text { Green on pale green ( } \$ 1.08 \text { per M) } \\
& \text { * } 4910 \text { Blue on light blue ( } 54 \mathrm{c} \text {. } \text {. per M) } \\
& 5020 \text { Blue on light blue. } \\
& 5110 \text { Green on light blue ( } \$ 1.08 \text { "per } \mathrm{M} \text { ) } \\
& \text { 52 } 20 \text { Green on light blue. }
\end{aligned}
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$$
\text { Series of } 1902 .
$$

5310 Green on greenish ( $\$ 3.00$ per M)
6420 Green on greenish
5510 Green on pale green
$56 \quad 10$ Green on light blue
The so-called white paper varieties of this series are caused by exposure to strong sunlight.

The following varieties of the above have been seen surcharged for use in Porto Rico: Nos. $38,42,43,44,45,46,50,51$.

## CUSTOMS CIGARETTES.

## Series of 1879.

110 Black on white, imperforated.
220 Black on white,
310 Black on white, perforated.
420 Black on white,
g 10 Black on white, rouletted.
\& 20 Black on white,
Series of 1903.
$\gamma 10$ Black on white, rouletted.

## SMALL CIGAR STAMPS.

1897. Provisional Issue.

Cigarette stamps of 1893 surcharged in black in three diagonal lines "Tax $\$ 1.00$ per M. Cigars. Act of July 24, 1897."

1 10 cigars, blue on blue.
220 cigars, blue on blue.
Series of 1897.
$\$ 10$ cigars, black on blue.
420 cigars, black on blue.
1898. Provisional Issue.

Rubber stamp surcharge in violet "Series of 1898" reading up.

5 10 cigars, black on blue (on No. 3).
The necessity for this surcharge is not apparent as there was no change in the tax on these cigars by the act of 1898 .

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\text { Series of } 1901
$$

610 cigars, black on dark blue.
720 cigars, black on dark blue.
810 cigars, black on pale green.
910 cigars, black on light blue.

## SMALL SNUFF STAMPS.

1870. Class 32c.

A, white paper; B, violet paper.
A.B.

11 oz. Black Female head. $\mathrm{x} \times$
22 oz. Black Profiles of Lincoln. x
s 2 oz. Black Same;U.S.Int.Rev. x x Act of June 6, 1872.
A, green paper; $B$, violet paper.
A.B.
$41 / 3$ oz. Black Madison. $\quad$ R
51 oz. Black Washington. $\mathrm{x} \times$
62 oz. Black Hancock. x x
Series of 1875.
Green paper.
f $1 / 2$ oz. Black Sherman. x
81 oz. Black Dawes. x
92 oz . Black Woman seated. x
$101 / 2 \mathrm{oz}$. Black Monroe. x
11 i oz. Black Madison. x
Series of 1878.
A, green silk paper; B, violet paper; C, green watermarked paper.
A.B.C.

12 1/2 oz. Black Seward.
R $\mathrm{x} \times$
131 oz. Black Seward. R $\times \times$
142 oz. Black Seward.
$\mathbf{x} \times \mathbf{x}$
After this date all the stamps bear the portrait of Seward.

Red surcharge "Issued under act of Congress, Mar. 1, 1879' on last issue.
A.B.C.

15 1/2 oz. Black.
R $\mathrm{R}_{\mathrm{x}}$
161 oz. Black.
172 oz, Black.
R $\mathrm{R} \mathbf{X}$
R X X

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\text { Series of } 1879 .
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Green watermarked paper.
18 1/2 oz. Black.
191 oz. Black.
202 oz. Black.
213 oz. Black.

Red surcharge "Act of Mar. 3, 1883" on last issuc. Green watermarked paper.
22 1/2 oz. Black.
231 oz. Black.
242 oz. Black.
253 oz. Black.
Series of 1883.
A, gray watermarked paper; B, green watermarked paper.

| 26 | $1 / 2$ oz. Black. | A. F |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 27 | oz. Black. | x |
| 28 |  |  |
| 28 | 2 oz. Black. | -x |
| 293 | oz. Black. | -x |

Red surcharge "Act of October 1, 1890" on last issue.
30 1/2 oz. Black.
311 oz. Black.
322 oz. Black.
393 oz. Black.
Series of 1891.
A, green paper; B, blue paper; C, rouletted.

| 34 | $1 / 2$ | oz. Black. | x |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 35 | ? | ? |  |
| 36 | oz. Black. | oz. Black. | x |
| 37 | $\mathbf{x}$ | oz. Black. | x |

Red surcharge "Series of 1898 " on 1891 Blue paper rouletted.
98 1/2 oz. (?) Black.
391 oz. Black.
40 12/3 oz. Black.
$4121 / 2$ oz. Black.
Series of 1898.
A, rouletted; B, slot perf.


Red surcharge "Series of 1902 ' on last issue.
A. B.

46 1/2 oz. Black.

- x
$4 \gamma 21 / 2 \mathrm{oz}$. Black.
- $\mathbf{x}$

Series of 1902.
A, blue paper, rouletted; B, slot perf.; C, light green, rouletted; D, slot perf.; $E$, light blue, rouletted; $F$, slot perf.


FOREIGN OFFICES OF THE ENGLISH POST OFFICE.


Oval formed of parallel horizontal lines with letter in center.
C. Constantinople, 1857 to 1885.
G. Gibraltar, 1857 to 1859.
M. Malta. 1857 to 1859 (?).

| A01 | Kingston, Jamaica. |
| :--- | :--- |
| A02 | Antigua. |
| A03 | Demerara, British Guiana. |
| A04 | Berbice, British Guiana. |
| A05 | Bahamas. |
| A06 | British Honduras. |
| A07 | Dominica. |
| A08 | Montserrat. |
| A09 | Nevis. |
| A10 | Saint Vincent. |
| A11 | Saint Lucia. |
| A12 | Saint Christopher. |
| A13 | Tortola. |
| A14 | Tobago. |
| A15 | Grenada. |
| A18 | English Harbor. |
| A25 | Malta. |
| A26 | Gibraltar. |
| A27 to 83 Offices in Jamaica. |  |
| A91 | Virgin Islands (to 1867 only). |
| B01 | Alexandria, Egypt. |
| B02 | Suez, Egypt. |
| B32 | Buenos Ayres, Argentine. |
| C28 | Montevideo, Uruguay. |
| C30 | Valparaiso, Chile. |
| C35 | Panama, Colombia. |
| C36 | Arica, Peru. |
| C37 | Caldera, Peru. |
| C38 | Callao, Peru. |
| C39 | Cobija, Bolivia. |
| C40 | Coquimbo, Chile. |
| C41 | Guayaquil, Ecuador. |
| C42 | Islay, Peru. |
| C43 | Payta, Peru. |
| C51 | St. Thomas, D. W. Indies. |
| C56 | Carthagena, Colombia. |
| C57 | Greytown, Nicaragua. |
| C58 | Havana, Cuba. |
| C59 | Jacmel, Haiti. |
| C60 | La Guiara, Venezuela. |
| C61 | Puerto Rico (San Juan). |
| C62 | Santa Martha, Colombia. |
| C63 | Tampico, Mexico. |
|  |  |

C64 Vera Cruz, Mexico.
C81 Bahia, Brazil.
C82 Pernambuco, Brazil.
C83 Rio Janeiro, Brazil.
C86 Puerto Plata, Dominican Rep.
C87 St. Domingo, Dominican Rep.
C88 St. Jago (Santiago) de Cuba.
D22 Ciudad Bolivar, Venezuela.
D26 SpanishMailPacket,St.Thomas.
D47 Polymedia, Cyprus (1878-80).
D48 Headquarters Camp, Cyprus (1878-80).
D74 Pisco and Chinca Islands, Peru.
D87 Iquique, Peru.
E53 Port au Prince, Haiti.
E88 Colon, Colombia.
F69 Savanilla, Colombia.
F83 Arroyo, Puerto Rico.
F84 Aguadilla, Puerto Rico.
F85 Mayaguez, Puerto Rico.
F87 Smyrna, Turkey.
F88 Ponce, Puerto Rico.
G06 Beyrout, Turkey.
G17)
G18 Autumn Military manoeuvres.
G19)
942 Lamaca, Cyprus (1878-80).
969 Nicosia, Cyprus (1878-80).
974 Baffo, Cyprus (1878-80).
975 Famagousta, Cyprus (1878-80)
981 Limassol, Cyprus (1878-80).
982 Kyrenia, Cyprus (1878-80).
098 Platres, Cyprus (1878-80).
During the Crimean war a cancellation was made use of which was similar to the above but containing in the center a star with an " o " on each side. $\mathrm{o}^{*} \mathrm{o}$

The post offices in the West Indies used British stamps from April, 1858 to May, 1860. Most of the offices in South and Central America were established about 1860-63 and were continued until the different countries in which they were situated joined the Universal Postal Union

## FOREIGN OFFICES OF THE FRENCH POST OFFICE.



Monaco.
Alexandrette. Syria,
Alexandria, Egypt.
A.

Baie, Switzerland.
2387

Beyrouth, Syria.
Constantinople, Turkey,
37665079

Dardanelles, Asia Minor,
Galatz, Roumania.
3704 5080

Gallipoli, Turkey (5086 till 1872),
3705 5081

Rodosto, Turkey (from 1872),
Ibraila, Roumania,
$3706 \quad 5082$
$3706 \quad 5082$
37075083
$3708 \quad 5084$
$\begin{array}{ll}3708 & 6084 \\ 4008 & 5085\end{array}$

Imboli, Asia Minor,
Jaffa, Syria,
Kerassounde, Asia Minor,
3767 5086

Lattaquie, Syria,
Mersina, Asia Minor,
Metelin, Asia Minor.
Rhodes, Island of.
Salonica, Turkey,
Samsoun, Asia Minor,
Sinope, Asia Minor (5097 till 1872)
$4009 \quad 5087$
$4010 \quad 5088$
37685089
$4011 \quad 5090$
$3769 \quad 5091$
37705092
37715093
37725094
$4012 \quad 5095$
$4013 \quad 5096$
40145097
Ordou. Asia Minor (from 1872),
Smyrna, Asia Minor,
37095098
Satina, Roumania, 40155099
Trebizonde, Asia Minor, 40165100
Tripoli Syria,
3773 5101
Tulscha, Roumania.
$4017 \quad 5102$
Varna, Turkey,
$4018 \quad 5103$
Volo, Greece,
Shanghai, China,
4019
Suez.Egypt.
Tanger, Morocco. 5106
Tunis, Tunis, 5107
Yokohoma, Japan, 5118
Cairo, Egypt, 5119
La Goulette. Egypt, 5121
Port Said, Egypt, 5129
Kustendje, Roumania, 5139
Enos. Turkey, 5153
Port Lagos. Turkey. 5154
Dedeagh, Turkey. $515 \overline{3}$
Cavalle, Turkey, ..... 5156
Constantinople-Galata. ..... 5243
Sousse, Tunis. ..... 5259
Monastir. Tunis, ..... 5260
Mahdia. Tunis, ..... 5261
Stax, Tunis, ..... 5262
Djerba, Tunis. ..... 5263
Tripoli, Tripoli. ..... 5264
Constantinople, Stamboul, ..... 5278
Gabes, Tunis, ..... 5307
le Bardo, Tunis, ..... 5308
Monte Carlo. ..... 7571
The diamond cancellation with a small anchor in the center in place of the office number was used on letters mailed on board the packet boats.

## FRENCH COLONIAL ABBREVIATIONS.

$\stackrel{\text { ASI }}{\text { CCH }}$| Assinie. |
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| Cochin China. |

CCN2 $\quad$ CCN4 ".

GAB Gaboon.
GOR Goree.
GNE Guiana.
GPE Guadeloupe.
INDE India
MQE Martinique.
MYE Mayotte.
NCE New Caledonia.
NSB Nosse Be.
OCN Oceania (Tahiti).
R Reunoin.
REN
SNG Senegal.
SPM St. Pierre-Miquelon

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