

EGYPTIAN POSTAL MARKINGS - 1865-1879

Amendments to the data sheets

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The last issue of the data sheets covers the information available to February 1974. Because more information has already come to light and will doubtless continue to do so, it was agreed at the Egypt Study Circle meeting of the 16th April 1977 that amendments to the data sheets should be published in the Quarterly Circular as a matter of course in the interest of keeping members up to date.

We owe this first listing mainly to Peter Feltus, whom I had the pleasure of meeting for the first time during his April visit to London. He provided most of the information herein, which incorporates all data of which he has so far been notified, as well as his own finds.

I hope this listing will encourage more readers to cress-check the material in their collections against the data sheets (which it should be noted were the culmination of the work on the study carried out for so many years by R. Seymour Blomfield - ESC No. 15), and report any new findings.

Apart from setting the record straight, such data. is invaluable to a wide range of studies in postal history.

TYPE	TOWN	EARLIEST	LATEST	COMMENT
I-2	Alessandria			In blue-green
I-2.1	Kafer-Zayat	13Jly67(PRF)		
I-2.5n	Atfe		16Aug75(PRF)	
	Ramle	12May68(AS)		
II-2n	Alessandria		12Jly69(EH)	
	Ghisa	1	30ct68(PRF)	
	el-Gisr		8Jly69(EA)	
II-4n	Magaga	19Aug69(EH)		
	Porto Said	5Aug69(PRF)	17Aug69(PASS)	New
III-2n	Bilbes		2Feb80(PRF)	
	Ghisa	18Jly74(PRF)		
III-3n	Mehalla	5Mar77(EH)		
IV-1	Scirbin			In blue
IV-2n	St. Schutz	8May76(KO'C)		
IV-2.5n	St. Schutz		?Mar72(PASS)	
V-2n	Alessandria	18Apr80(PRF)		
V-4n	Hartum			In blue
	Luxor		19Fel 80(PRF)	
Cas-2	Alessandria	9Jan68(PRF)		
	Benha		?Jan80(AS)	
	Damiata	7 ? 670 3)		
	Mansura	12Nov68(AS)		
	Tanta		30Sep79(AS)	
	Zagazik		30Sep79(AS)	In blue
	Zifta & Mitg	?Jrn69(AS)		
Fra-3n	Porto Said	23Sep70(PRF)		
	Siut		1Feb73(EH)	New
PS-2	Scebin e1 Kom	IPVa (AS)		
PS-5	Manfallut	IPVa (AS)	In blue	
	Mellau	IPVa	(AS) IPVd (AS)	New
PS-7	Alessandria		In green	

PS-15.1	Cairo	IPVa (AS)		
PS-16	Alessandria		IPVI-377G	
Reg-3n	Smirne		27Mar69(EA)	
	Suez	29Dec70(EH)		
Reg-6	Porto Said		26Mar83(EH)	
Seal-A1	Asyut		1Mar72(EH)	In blue,
	Girga		10Apr73(EH)	
	Qena		3Apr73(EH)	
Seal-A5	Saqis	30Dec67(EA.)		
Seal-RA2	Mahallet Abou Aly		5Jly91(EA)	
Sta-6	Alessandria	3Aug74(BC)		
	Fesene		6Oct75(AS)	Struck FESENE
	Minia		?Oct79(JG)	
	Samanud	11Oct74(PRF)		
	Scebin el Kom		27Sep79(JG)	
Tax-1.2n	Cairo to Alessandria	5Oct73(JRD)		
Tax-1.3n	Bombay to Cairo		25Aug73(EH)	New
	Cospoli to Alessandria	7Aug66(EH)		New
	Russia to Metelino	15Mar71(EH)	22Mar71(Byam)	
	Smirne to Cospoli	3Mar71(PRF)		New
Tax-1 .4n	Alessandria to Cospoli	21Jun71(EH)		New
Tax-1 .7n	Alessandria to Port Said		18Jan71(JRD)	
	Cospoli to Alessandria	3Jly66(EH)		New
TL-2	Caire	14Dec69(EH)		

The following are added to the list of sources:-

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