

7.1. Opening of Brunei Mosque.

24.9.1958

Recess-printed by Bradbury & Wilkinson. Watermark Multiple block CA. Perf. 13.5.
Plate blocks of six. **Cylinder numbers 1-1** for colours (left) and vignette (right).



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4. The Sultan Omar Ali Saifuddin Definitives

(1952 -1972)

This long-lived series of definitives was printed by De La Rue & Co. on different papers and with various watermarks, but with a constant comb perforation of 13. No special SPECIMEN were made. The series appeared on 1 March 1952 and was invalidated on 1 December 1976. The remaining stamps were destroyed in mid-1977.

The following printings can be distinguished:

- 4.1. Normal paper (non-fluorescent and fluorescent) with watermark **Multiple Script CA** and gum arabic. Issued 1.3.1952.
- 4.2. Normal paper (non-fluorescent and fluorescent) with watermark **Multiple Block CA** and gum arabic. Cent value only. Issued 17.3.1964.
- 4.3. **Glazed paper** (fluorescent) with watermark Multiple Block CA and PVA gum. Cent and dollar values. Issued from 28.11.1969.
- 4.4. Glazed paper (fluorescent) with PVA and PVA-D gum, but with watermark Multiple Block CA **sideways**. Some cent values. Issued from 17.11.1972.



1.3.1952



17.3.1964



27.5.1970



17.11.1972

The Sultan's portrait (vignette) was engraved by Hubert Woyty-Wimmer, an Austrian artist who had joined De La Rue in the late 1940s. Woyty-Wimmer had also engraved a number of Austrian and Irish stamps, plus banknotes for De La Rue.



Prof. Hubert Woyty-Wimmer
(1901-1972)

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4. The Sultan Omar Ali Saifuddin Definitives.
Printer's Proofs and Similar Items.



Foto negative of One Cent value in final stamp size on thick celluloid film. The purpose of this film is not known.



Printer's proof of the 2 cents value on greenish paper.
Stamp frame in final colour (orange) on reverse side.



Vignette printing proofs on plain white paper.

4.1. Watermark Multiple Script CA.

Issued on 1 March 1952. Perforation Comb 13.
All values printed from frame and vignette plates No.1, except the 12c. for which frame plate No.2 was used. There were up to 10 releases (10c., 25c.) of these stamps.

Standard set of cent values with principal colour shades.



4.1. Watermark Multiple Script CA.

1.3.1952

The set of 14 values from the bottom right corners of the sheets of 50 showing the (black) vignette plate No. 1 below stamp No. 50. The number of the frame plate would be to the left below stamp No. 49. Part 1: 1c. to 12c.



4.1. Watermark Multiple Script CA.

1.3.1952

Part 2: 15c. to \$5. The \$1 value shows the (green) frame plate.



4.1. Watermark Multiple Script CA.

Issued on 1 March 1952. Perforation Comb 13.

The dollar values (with missing perforation hole at the top corners).



Missing perforation hole at bottom corners (rare).



View from the hill behind the British Residency onto Brunei River, Kampong Ayer (Water Village) and part of Brunei Town to the right (1971). The dollar values show the same scenery in the early 1920s.

1 cent (black) - 1.3.1952

Wmk. Multiple Script CA. Perf. Comb 13. Left-hand half of sheet of 50.

The attached backing paper was added to avoid that sheets stuck together in the tropics.



THOMAS DE LA RUE & CO

1 cent (black) - 1.3.1952

Wmk. Multiple Script CA. Perf. Comb 13. Right-hand half of sheet of 50.
The attached backing paper was added to avoid that sheets stuck together in the tropics.

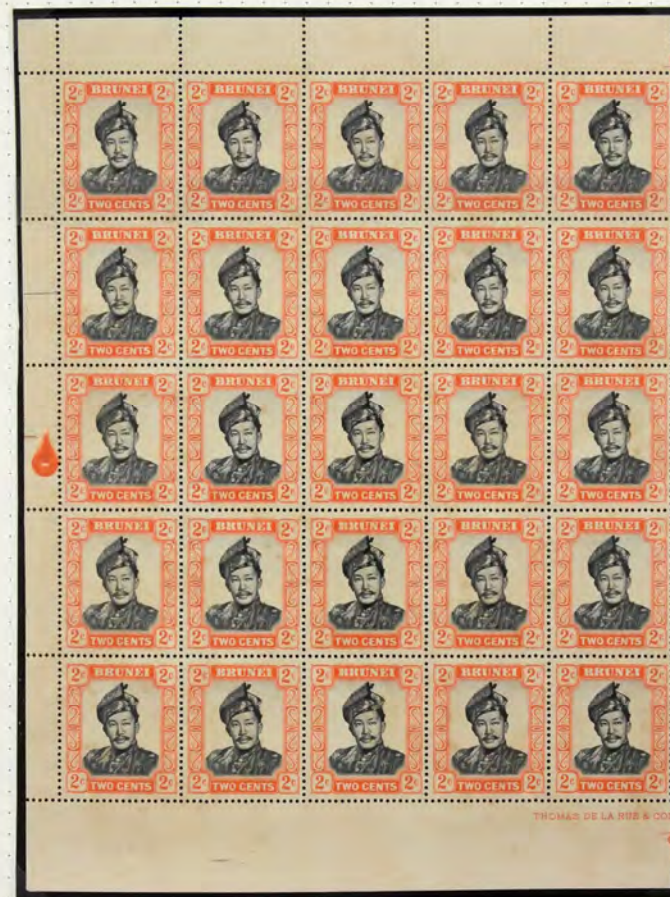


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2 cent (black & orange) - 1.3.1952

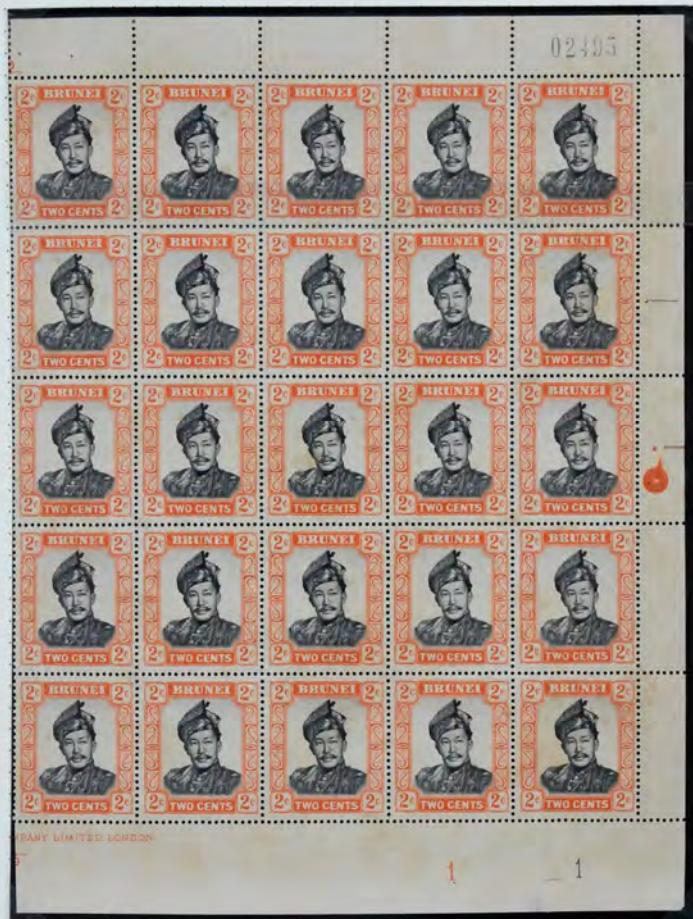
Wmk. Multiple Script CA. Perf. Comb 13. Left-hand half of sheet of 50.



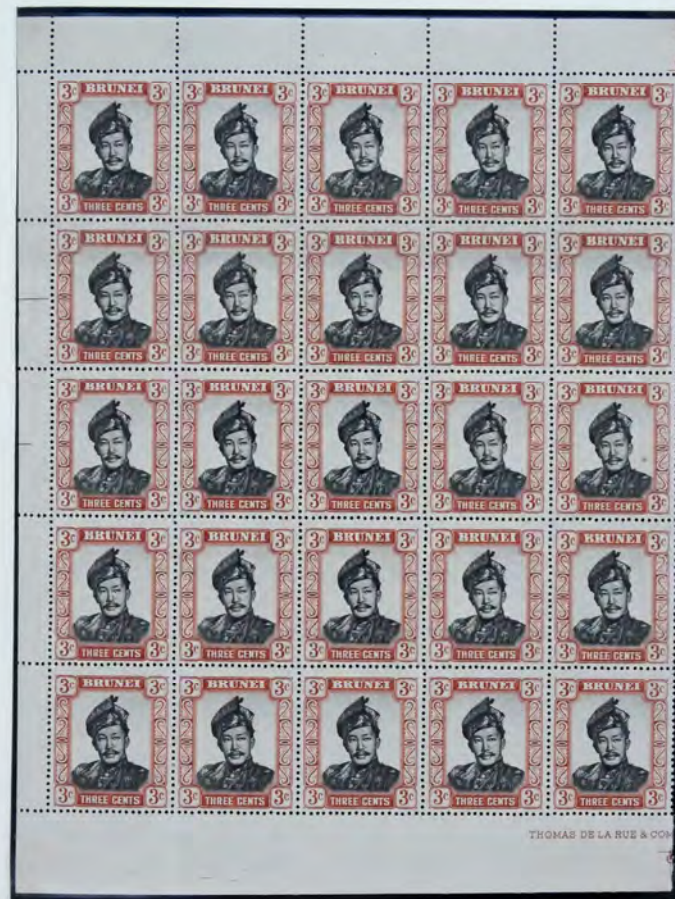
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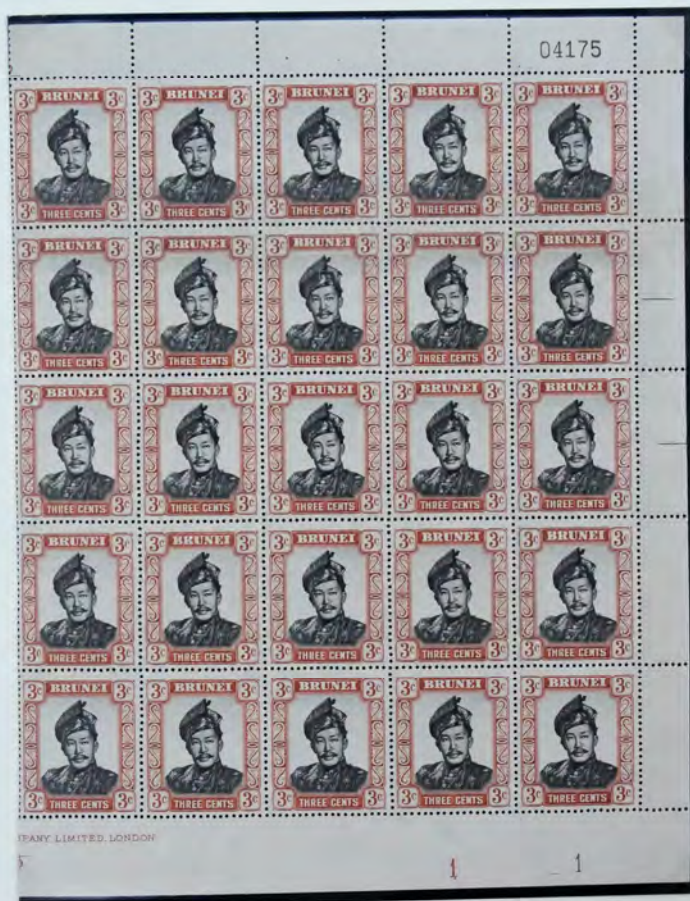
2 cent (black & orange) - 1.3.1952
Wmk. Multiple Script CA. Perf. Comb 13. Right-hand half of sheet of 50.



3 cent (black & lake-brown) - 1.3.1952
Wmk. Multiple Script CA. Perf. Comb 13. Left-hand half of sheet of 50.



3 cent (black & lake-brown) - 1.3.1952
Wmk. Multiple Script CA. Perf. Comb 13. Right-hand half of sheet of 50.



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8 cents (black & crimson) - 1.3.1952
Wmk. Multiple Script CA. Perf. Comb 13. Complete sheet of 50 (folded).



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25c. black and purple / reddish purple. 1952-1955.

Watermark Multiple Script CA. Shades of purple from various printings with presumed dates of issue in Brunei according to G. South (1958). Colours after Stanley Gibbons Stamp Colour Key.



Dull purple (1.3.1952)
Non-fluorescent



Reddish purple
(8.10.1953)
Non-fluorescent



Deep reddish purple
(12.5.1954)
Non-fluorescent paper



Deep dull purple
(26.6.1955)
Fluorescent paper !

25 cents (black & reddish purple) - 8.10.1953

Wmk. Multiple Script CA. Perf. Comb 13. Complete sheet of 50 (folded).



FRANCY LIMITED, LONDON

4.1. Sultan Omar Ali Saifuddin Definitives of 1 March 1952.
Dollar Values in blocks of four (slightly tropicalised).



FIELD POST OFFICE 51
12 AU 65



The 10 cent value (watermark Multiple Script CA) in coil strips made from sheets for stamp vending machines.

There were only three such vending machines in the State: One at the General Post Office at Brunei Town, one at the old airport terminal, and one at the Seria post office.



Stamp vending machine (empty) at the Seria post office (1975). The coils shown were taken from a similar machine of the old airport terminal.



Old cigarette picture (Lambert & Butler) showing how coil stamps were manufactured from sheets.

4.1. The Sultan Omar Ali Saifuddin Definitives of 1 March 1952.

Watermark Multiple Script CA. Perforation Comb 13. **Plain paper** without fluorescent brighteners. Used values from 1 cent to 50 cents with principal colour shades.



4.1. The Sultan Omar Ali Saifuddin Definitives of 1 March 1952.

Watermark Multiple Script CA. Perforation Comb 13. The used set of 14 values on paper of varying **fluorescence** from different printings.



4.1. The Sultan Omar Ali Saifuddin Definitives 1952 - 1958.

Watermark Multiple Script CA. Perforation Comb 13.
Used dollar values with colour shades.



\$5 Black & brown-purple (15.2.1956) and \$2 Black & scarlet (1.3.1952).
Late use with postmark Kuala Belait 25 JY 72.



\$1 Black & green
(1.3.1952)



\$5 Black & maroon
(1.3.1952)



\$1 Black & bronze-green
(23.7.1958)



\$1 Black & bronze-green with broad
perforation teeth at bottom of stamp.
Postmarked Brunei 1 OC 1959.



\$5 Black & brown-purple in block of
four postmarked Seria 19 OC 60.

4.1. Stamps of the 1952 issue on Cover.

Complete set of the Sultan Omar Ali Saifuddin definitive series on first day cover
addressed to Sandakan (North Borneo) with postmark of Brunei dated 1 MR 52.
The absence of a backstamp indicates that the cover was probably postmarked by favour.



4.1. Stamps of the 1952 Issue on Cover.

Philatels registered air mail cover from Kuala Belait dated 16 MY 52 to St. Neots, Hertshire (not Cambridgeshire), England. Back-stamped Singapore 21 MAY 52 and St. Neots 24 MY 52 with two types of oval registration postmarks.

The cover bears the complete set of definitives issued on 1 March 1952, except the 10 cent value. The 1c, 2c, 3c, 4c, 6c, and 12c stamps are affixed to the reverse side.



4.1. The 1952 Issue on FDC.
Reg. covers from Kuala Belait to Sandakan.
Backstamped Sandakan 4 MAR 52.



4.1. Stamps of the 1952 Issue on Cover.

Complete set of the Sultan Omar Ali saifuddin definitives on registered FDC of 1 MR 1952 from Brunei Town to Hong Kong. Backstamped Singapore 4 MAR 52.



4.1. The Issue of 1952.

Examples of postmarks used during the period 1952-1963.

The dates given indicate the known period of usage
(Mainly from E.B. Proud, 1987).



25 mm circular date stamp.
Proud type D16.
1.12.1958 - 18.5.1965.



25 mm circular date stamp.
Proud type D7.
3.12.1958 - 13.5.1967.

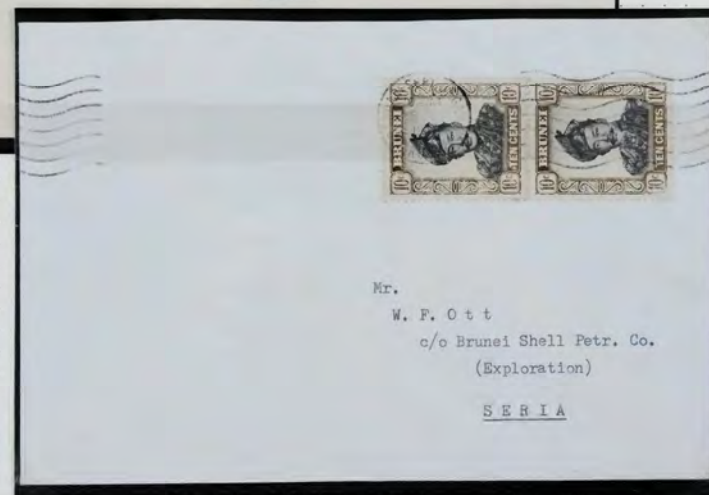
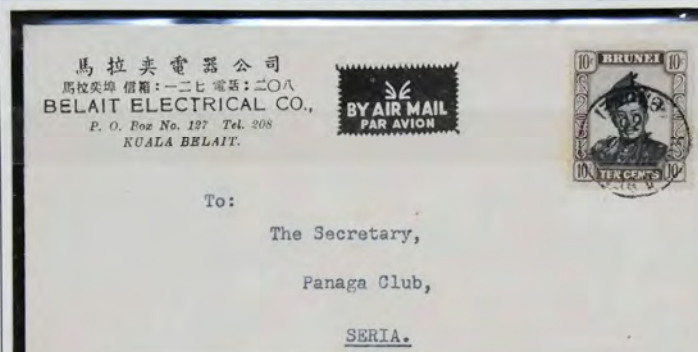




25 mm circular date stamp.
Proud type D7.
7.1.1957 - 7.9.1967.

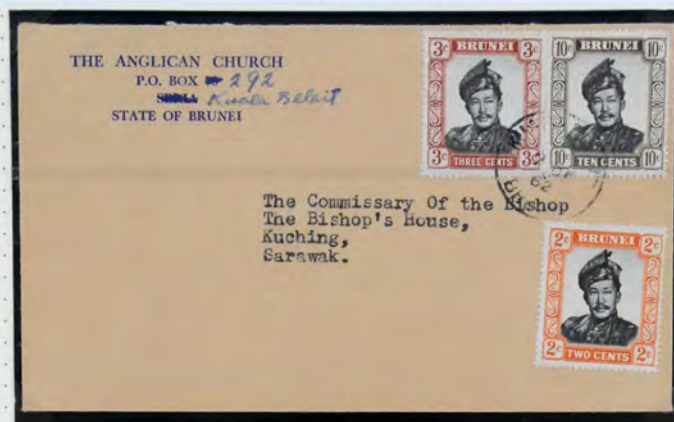


4.1. Stamps of the 1952 Issue on Cover. Local letter rates (Brunei).



Above a cover from Kuala Belait dated 7 OC 60 to the Shell Panaga Club at Seria. The franking of 10 cents is correct according to the schedule of 16.1.1958, but not to that of 1.8. 1959 (12c.).
Below a cover from Bandar Seri Begawan to Seria (probably of 1972) with a pair of the 10 cents vending machine stamps that were still available at the old Brunei airport at the time. However, the stamp rolls had got stuck together which explains the rubbed-off surface of the stamps.

4.1. Stamps of the 1952 Issue on Cover.
Local letter rates (Sarawak).



Surface mail cover from Kuala Belait to Kuching, Sarawak, dated 7 DE 62. The cover is over-franked by 3 cents. The correct rate would have been 12 cents (schedule of 1 August 1959).



Surface mail cover from Seria to Kuching, Sarawak dated 29 JA 63 with the correct postage of 12 cents (schedule of 1 August 1959). Note that the 12c. stamp is printed on fluorescent paper!

4.1. Stamps of the 1952 Issue on Cover.
Local letter rates (Sarawak, Singapore).



Registered cover from Kuala Belait (HSBC) to Miri, Sarawak, dated 2 SEP (?) 61. Correctly franked with 12c. letter rate and 25c. for registration (Schedule of 1.8.1959).



Registered (air mail) cover from Tutong to Singapore dated 27 MR 61. Backstamped Brunei 28 MR 61 and Singapore 28 MAR 61. The franking of 46c. (6c. on reverse) is 1c. above the required letter postage for 1/2 oz. (20c.) and the registration fee (25c.).

4.1. Stamps of the 1952 Issue on Cover.
Local letter rates (Singapore).

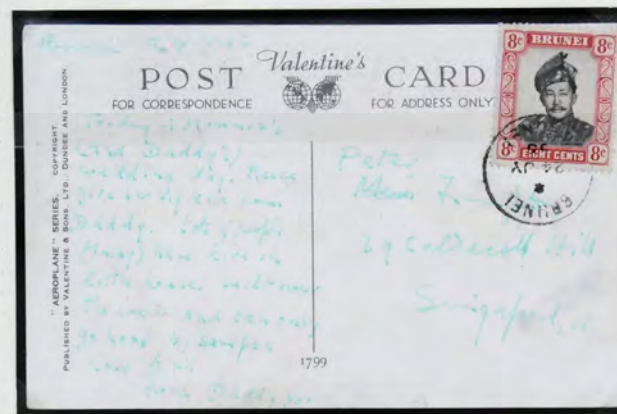


Registered air mail cover from Brunei (Town) to Singapore dated 17 OC 60.
Franking of 45c. (20c. letter plus 25c. registration) acc. to schedule of 1.8.1959.



Air mail cover from Kuala Belait to Singapore dated 24 JY 56.
12 cents rate (1st oz.) according to schedule of 1 April 1953.

4.1. Stamps of the 1952 Issue on Cover.
Local letter rates (Singapore, Malaya).



Postcard from Brunei (Town) to Singapore dated 24 JY 56.
8 cents rate according to schedule of 1 January 1946 (?).



Air mail cover from Kuala Belait to Ipoh, Malaya, dated 23 NO 56.
12 cents air mail rate according to schedule of 1 April 1953.

4.1. Stamps of the 1952 Issue on Cover.
Local letter rates (Malaya).



Two air mail covers from Kuala Belait (19 DE 56 ?, 2c. on reverse) and from Seria (28 AU 56) to the same address in Ipoh, Malaya. Letter rate of 12c.

4.1. Stamps of the 1952 Issue on Cover.
British Commonwealth letter rates (U.K.).

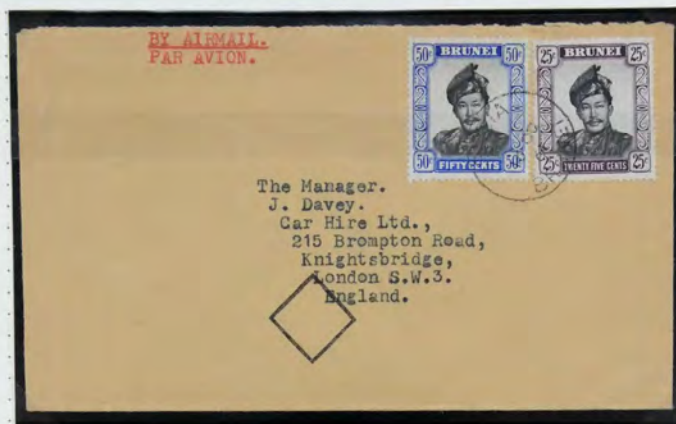


Official registered air mail cover from Brunei Town to Claverdon, England, dated 6 DE 52. Backstamped Singapore 9 DEC 52. The total postage affixed is 65 cents: 20c. on front (one 4c. stamp missing) and 45c. on the reverse side. The rate is correct and consists of 50c. air mail fee and 15c. for registration.



Surface mail cover from Seria to Blackpool, England, dated 11 AU 52. The franking of 12 cents is correct.

4.1. Stamps of the 1952 Issue on Cover.
British Commonwealth letter rates (U.K.).



Air mail cover from Seria to London dated 16 OC 61
with correct postage of 75 cents (schedule of 1 August 1959).



Air mail cover from Brunei Town to London dated 18 NOV 63
with correct postage of 75 cents (schedule of 1 August 1959).

4.1. Stamps of the 1952 Issue on Aerogramme.
British Commonwealth air letter rate to U.K.



Aerogramme from Seria to England dated 11 AP 56. Although sent by the postmaster of Seria, the franking of 30 cents is 5 cents short of the postage required by the schedule of 1.2.1954 ! The aerogramme contains no message, only the signature of the postmaster Abang Ali.

4.1. Stamps of the 1952 Issue on Aerogrammes.
British Commonwealth air letter rates to U.K.



Brunei (Town) 20 SP 1956.
30 cents rate. Postage
schedule of 1 Feb. 1954.



Brunei (Town) 15 AU 58.
35 cents rate. Postage
schedule of 1 Sept. 1957.

4.1. Stamps of the 1952 Issue on Aerogrammes.
British Commonwealth air letter rates to U.K.



Brunei (Town) 27 JU 59.
35 cents rate. Postage
schedule of 1 Sept. 1957.



Kuala Belait 8 MR 67.
35 cents rate. Postage
schedule of 1 Aug. 1959.

4.1. Stamps of the 1952 Issue on Cover.
British Commonwealth letter rate (U.K.)



Airmail cover from the Postal Agent of the Labi postal agency to England dated 24 AP 59. Backstamped Kuala Belait 28 AP 59. The franking of 80 cents is 10c. above the required postage (schedule of 1 February 1954).



Copy of reverse side of the cover above.

4.1. Stamps of the 1952 Issue on Cover.
British Commonwealth letter rates (U.K.).



Two air mail covers from Kuala Belait to London and Berkshire postmarked 3 FE 54 and 19 OC 57, respectively. Both bear the correct postage of 70 cents (postage schedule of 1 February 1954).

4.1. Stamps of the 1952 Issue on Cover.
British Commonwealth letter rates (U.K.).



Registered air mail cover from Brunei Town to London dated 28 JA 58.
The envelope is correctly franked with 90 cents (75 c. on reverse side)
to cover the letter rate of 70 c. and the registration fee of 20c.



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Registered air mail cover from Bangar (Temburong) to Blackpool, Lancs.,
dated 12 JU 52. Backstamped Brunei 14 JU 52 and Singapore 17 JUN 52.
The franking of 70 cents is correct (55c. letter rate plus 15c. registration).

4.1. Stamps of the 1952 Issue on Cover.
British Commonwealth letter rates (U.K.).



Air mail cover from Panaga Club
(Seria), postmarked Kuala Belait
16 MR 54, to London with the
correct franking of 70 cents.

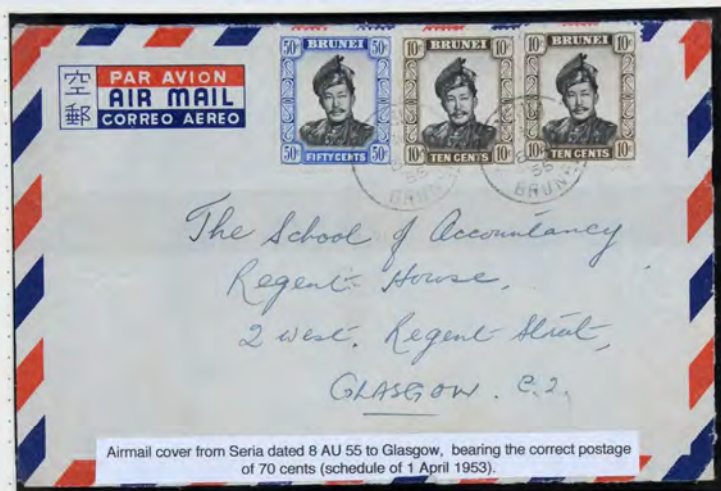


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Air mail cover from Seria, dated
29 MY 56, to Sevenoaks, Kent,
bearing the correct postage of
70 cents (Schedule of 1.4.1953).

4.1. Stamps of the 1952 Issue on Covers.
British Commonwealth letter rates (U.K.).



Airmail cover from Seria dated 8 AU 55 to Glasgow, bearing the correct postage of 70 cents (schedule of 1 April 1953).



Registered airmail cover from Kuala Belait to London dated 7 OC 61. Backstamped Singapore 8 OC 61 and London 10 OC 61. The franking is correct: 75c. letter rate plus 25c. registration fee (schedule of 1 August 1959).

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4.1. Stamps of the 1952 Issue on Cover and Use for Revenue.
British Commonwealth letter rates (U.K.).



Pair of 50 cents used for payment of revenue. Cancelled with 41 mm "Collector of Stamps" rubber stamp dated 2 JUN 1954.



Registered surface mail cover from Brunei Town to Scotland dated 23 AP 52. Backstamped Singapore 30 AP 52. The franking is correct: 25c Commonwealth Rate plus 25c registration fee.

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4.1. Stamps of the 1952 Issue on Cover.
British Commonwealth letter rate (U.K.)



Registered air mail cover from Seria dated 20 MAR 61 to England. Backstamped Singapore 28 MAR 61. The franking of \$ 1.75 corresponds to the postage for 1oz. (2 x 75c.) plus 25 c. registration fee.

4.1. Stamps of the 1952 Issue on Cover.
British Commonwealth letter rates (U.K.).



Registered airmail cover from Kuala Belait to England dated 16 AP 63. Backstamped Singapore 18 APR 63. The franking of \$1.00 tallies with the schedule of 1.8.1959: 75c. letter rate plus 25c. registration fee.



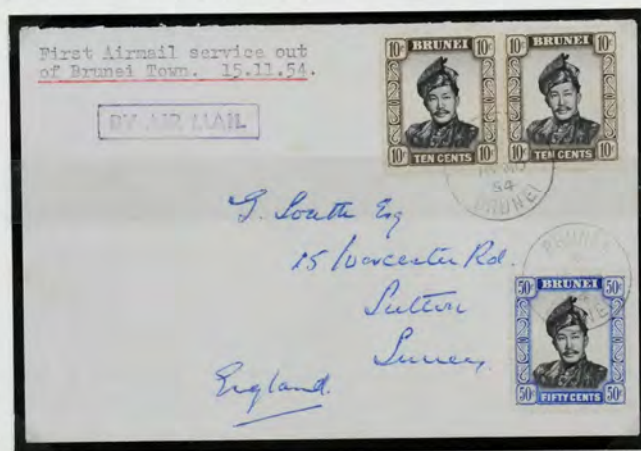
Airmail cover from Brunei Town to London dated 1 JA 53. The franking of 50c. is probably correct, although the postage schedule for this year id not known.

4.1. Stamps of the 1952 Issue on Cover.

British Commonwealth letter rates (U.K.).

Post-War Airmail from Brunei.

From 1946, all mail was transferred to Labuan from where the airmail was transported by local aeroplanes to Singapore and the surface mail by the next ship bound for Singapore. In 1949 the airmail service from Labuan to Singapore became twice weekly, thrice weekly in 1950 and five times a week in 1952. With the Brunei airport completed in 1954 two flights a week were carried out directly from Brunei as from 15 November 1954 by the Malayan Feeder Airways Service. This cover was carried on the first flight on 15. 11. 1954. The franking of 70c. corresponds to the postage schedule of 1.4.1953.



The envelope is addressed to **George South** (1916-1988). George South collected and displayed Brunei, Finland, Malaya, and Colombian Airmails. Hon. Secretary RPSL 1961-74, President 1978-80. Member of Expert Committee. Instrumental in the amalgamation of BPA and PCGB, to form British Philatelic Federation. London Medal of RPSL 1980. Lichtenstein Award 1986. Judge at international exhibitions and Chairman of London Exhibition, Earl's Court, 1980. Chairman of Board of Election for Roll of Distinguished Philatelists from 1977. Roll of Distinguished Philatelists 1974.- ©The British Philatelic Trust, 2003.

4.1. Stamps of the 1952 Issue on Cover. British Commonwealth letter rates (Canada).



Registered cover from Brunei (Town) to Grimsby, Ontario, dated 3 JY 52. The cover was obviously sent by air. Assuming a registration fee of 25 cents and a weight of 1/2 oz., in 1952 the air mail rate to Canada would have been \$1.25.

Backstamps:
Singapore - 5 JUL 52
Montreal - 10 JUL 52
Toronto - JUL (?) 11
Grimsby - JUL 11, 52

4.1. Stamps of the 1952 Issue on Covers.
British Commonwealth letter rates (Canada).



Surface mail cover from the GPO at Brunei (Town) to Canada dated 6 AP 59. The franking of 8 cents is according to the obsolete Commonwealth rate established on 1.1.1946. The rate had already been increased to 12 cents for the first ounce on 16 January 1958.



Air mail cover from Brunei (Town) to Canada dated 23 JY 56. Backstamped Brampton, Ont., 30 VII 56. The franking of \$1.02 is two cents above the rate scheduled on 1 February 1954.

4.1. Stamps of the 1952 Issue on Cover.
British Commonwealth letter rates (India).

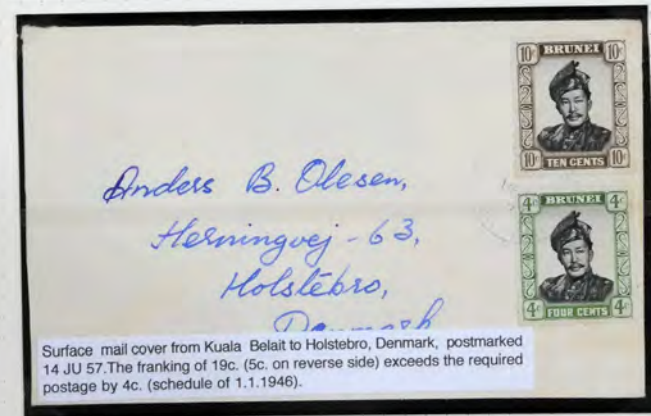
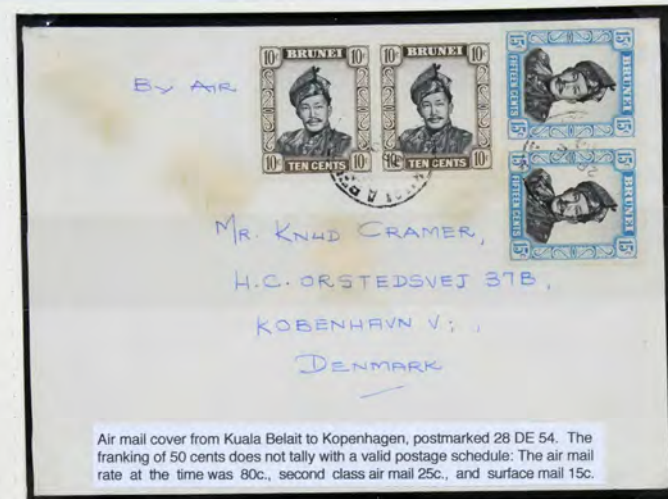


Air mail cover from Setia postmarked Kuala Belait (? DE 52) to Bombay, India. Backstamped Bombay G.P.O. 16 DEC 52. Franked with the correct rate of 35 c.

4.1. Stamps of the 1952 Issue on Covers.
Foreign letter rates (Israel and Netherlands).



4.1. Stamps of the 1952 Issue on Cover.
Foreign letter rates (Denmark).



4.1. Stamps of the 1952 Issue on Cover.
Foreign letter rates (Germany).



Surface mail cover from Seria dated 29 JA 58 to Offenburg, West Germany. Backstamped Kuala Belait 29 JA 58. The total franking of 25 c. is 5 c. in excess of the required 20 c. (Schedule of 16.1.1958).



A similar cover, addressed by the same hand, from Brunei Town dated 26 MY 58 to Berlin-Pankow, East Germany. Franked with 25 c. (5c. above requirement).

4.1. Stamps of the 1952 Issue on Cover.
Foreign letter rates (Germany).

Aerogramme from Brunei Town dated 21 MY 64 to Germany. The franking of 40 cents (10c. on the reverse side, not postmarked) tallies with the postage schedule of 1.8.1959.



Late use of the 1952 stamps on an air mail cover from Kuala Belait to Nauheim, Germany, dated 25 JA 75. The franking of 84 c. slightly exceeds the correct rate (for 1/2 oz.) of 80 c. (schedule of 1.8.1959).

4.1. Stamps of the 1952 Issue on Cover.
Foreign letter rates (Germany).



Air mail picture postcard from Brunei Town to Berlin dated 6 JY 63.
The franking of 45 cents is correct (schedule of 1 August 1959).
The 15 c. stamps are printed on fluorescent paper!



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Air mail cover Kuala Belait to Nauheim, Germany, dated 29 OC 71,
with the correct postage of 80 cents (schedule of 1 August 1959).
This is one of the last uses of the 1952 10 cents coil stamps.

4.1. Stamps of the 1952 Issue on Cover.
Foreign letter rates (Germany).



Registered air mail cover from Bangar (Temburong) to Nauheim, Germany, dated 16 JA 75 with late use of the \$2 stamp of 1952. The franking of \$2.04 (4c. on reverse side) exceeds the required \$1.80 (80c. letter rate plus \$1 reg.) by 24 cents. \$1



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Air mail cover from Tutong to Nauheim, Germany, dated 20 DE 71,
with the correct franking of 80 cents (schedule of 1 August 1959).
At that time only the 1 c. stamps of the 1952 issue were available.

4.1. Stamps of the 1952 Issue on Cover.
Foreign letter rates (Netherlands)



Aerogramme from Kuala Belait dated 31 AU 60 to Groningen, Netherlands (Groningen arrival stamp 5 IX 60). Passed on to Voorburg (near Den Haag). The franking of 45 cents corresponds exactly to the postal rates schedule of 1 Aug. 1959. The aerogramme was written by a Mrs. H. van der Laan and describes some facets of the Shell life in the early 1960s.



Air mail cover from Kuala Belait dated 3 MY 54 to Utrecht, Netherlands. The franking of eight different definitives amounts to the exact rate of 80 cents acc. to the rate schedule of 1 February 1954.

4.1. Stamps of the 1952 Issue on Cover.
Foreign letter rates (Netherlands)

An air mail picture postcard from Seria (21 MY 59) and an air mail cover from Seria (14 SP 60) to Nijmegen and Vlaardingen, respectively. The postcard is over-franked by 5 cents (40 cents being the rate according to schedule of 1.10.1956). The cover franking (94 cents) exceeds the required postage of 85 cents by 9 cents (schedule of 1.8.1959).



4.1. Stamps of the 1952 Issue on Cover.
Foreign letter rate (Netherlands)



Registered air mail cover from Kuala Belait dated 26 NOV 63 to The Hague, Netherlands. Backstamped Singapore H and Singapore Airport 28 NOV 63. Being a sealed envelope from The Chartered Bank the cover was inspected and re-sealed by the Dutch Customs. The affixed franking of \$ 1.10 is 5c. in excess of the required total postage of \$ 1.05.

4.1. Stamps of the 1952 Issue on Cover.
Foreign letter rates (Japan, Netherlands).



Official (air mail) cover from Seria to Japan postmarked 22 AP 64. The franking of 55 cents tallies exactly with the postage schedule for air mail of 1.9.1957.



Air mail cover from Seria to the Netherlands dated 19 MY 59. The franking of 95 cents exceeds the schedule of 1 Sept. 1957 by 10 cents.

4.1. Stamps of the 1952 Issue on Cover.
Foreign letter rates (Austria, Sweden)



Surface mail cover from Seria dated 3 FE 58 to Vienna, Austria. Backstamped Kuala Belait 3 FE 58. With only 8 cents affixed, the cover is underpaid by 12 cents (schedule of 16.1.1958).

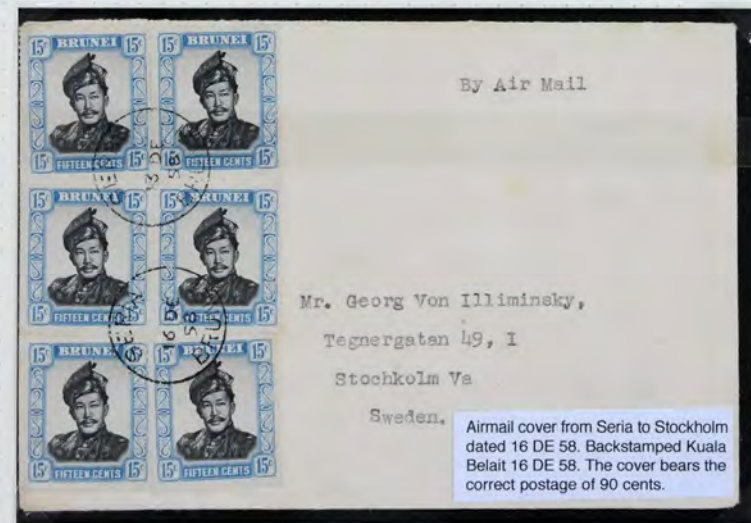


Air mail cover from Seria to Tingsryd, Sweden, dated 1 JY 55. The total franking is 77 cents (16c. on rverse side), i.e. the cover is underpaid by 8 cents (85 cents acc. to schedule of 1.2.1954).

4.1. Stamps of the 1952 Issue on Cover.
Foreign letter rates (Sweden)



Aerogramme from Kuala Belait to Stockholm, dated 8 JA 57. The franking of 50c. is 10c. in excess of the required postage.



Airmail cover from Seria to Stockholm dated 16 DE 58. Backstamped Kuala Belait 16 DE 58. The cover bears the correct postage of 90 cents.

4.1. Stamps of the 1952 Issue on Cover.
Foreign letter rates (Hungary, India).



Surface mail cover from Seria to Budapest, Hungary, dated 20 OC 58. Backstamped Kuala Belait 21 OC 58 and Csillaghegy 14.59. The cover is under-franked by 5 cents (correct postage: 15 cents).



Air mail cover from Kuala Belait to South India dated 7 AU 62. The cover bears 35 cents which is 5 cents less than the required postage of 40 cents (schedule of 1.8.1959).

4.1. Stamps of the 1952 Issue on Cover.
Foreign letter rates (USA).

Two unsealed surface mail covers from Kuala Belait to USA dated 16 NO 56 and 13 JU 58. The franking of 12 cents corresponds to the foreign printed papers rate. (Schedule of 1.8.1959).



4.1. Stamps of the 1952 Issue on Cover.
Foreign letter rates (USA).



Two surface mail covers from Kuala Belait (22 JA 53) and from Seria (6 NO 53) to Yardville, NJ, USA. Both covers are franked with 16c., although the mail rate at the time was still 15c. (postage schedule of 1.1.1946).

4.1. Stamps of the 1952 Issue on Cover.
Foreign letter rates (USA).



Surface mail cover from Kuala Belait to USA dated 25 JA 54. The franking of 22c. (3c. on reverse side) is 7c. in excess of required postage (schedule of 1.1.1946).



Reverse side of airmail cover from Kuala Belait to USA dated 22 FE 56. The franking of \$1.05 (\$1.00 on front) is 5c. less than required (postage schedule of 1.2.1954).

4.1. Stamps of the 1952 Issue on Cover.
Foreign letter rates (USA).



Surface mail cover from Kuala Belait (14JU52) to Seattle, WA, USA, bearing the correct postage of 15 cents (schedule of 1.1.1946). According to a hand stamp on the reverse side the cover arrived on 2 September 1953, i.e. over 13 months after dispatch!



Surface mail cover from Kuala Belait (8SP61) to New York City, USA. Franked with 40 c., i.e. 10 c. above the required postage (30c. only according to schedule of 1.8.1959).

4.1. Stamps of the 1952 Issue on Cover.
Foreign letter rates (USA).



Surface mail cover from Seria to Yardville, NY, postmarked 23 AP 59. The franking of 28c. exceeds the required postage of 20c. according to the postage schedule of 16.1.1958.



Surface mail cover from Kuala Belait to Larchmont, NY, postmarked 19 JU 59. The franking of 16c. corresponds roughly to the printed paper rate of 12c. valid in 1959.

4.1. Stamps of the 1952 Issue on Covers.
Foreign letter rates (USA).



Surface mail cover from Kuala Belait to Indiana, USA, dated 25 MR 57. The cover is under-franked by 5 cents. The correct postage would have been 15 cents.



Surface mail cover from Kuala Belait to Iowa, USA, dated 1 NO 57. This cover is over-franked by 1 cent. The required postage was only 15 cents (schedule of 1.1.1946).

4.1. Stamps of the 1952 Issue on Cover.
Foreign letter rates (USA).



Reverse side of air mail cover from Brunei Town postmarked 4 AP 52 to USA. The franking of 95 cents is probably correct although the schedule for 1952 is not known.



Air mail cover from Kuala Belait to USA dated 17 OC 57. The cover is probably philatelic, as the actual postage required was only \$1.10 (schedule of 1.2.1954).

4.1. Stamps of the 1952 Issue on Cover.
Foreign letter rates (USA).



2nd class air mail cover from Brunei Town to Grove City, Ohio (USA), dated 22 DE 65. According to the schedule of 1 August 1959, the cover is over-franked by 20 cents.



Reverse side of 2nd class air mail cover from Kuala Belait to Bronx, N.Y. (USA), dated 26 JU 65. The affixed postage of 40 cents is correct (schedule of 1.8.1959).

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4.1. Stamps of the 1952 Issue on cover.
Foreign (aerogramme) rates (USA).



Aerogramme from Kuala Belait to Pennsylvania dated 7 AP 53. The franking is 1c. short of the required postage of 35c. (schedule of 1 April 1953).



Aerogramme from Kuala Belait to Michigan dated 3 AP 52. The franking of 40 cents is 5c. above the required postage of 35 cents.

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4.1. Stamps of the 1952 Issue on Covers.
Foreign (aerogramme) rates (USA).



Aerogramme from Brunei (Town) to Texas dated 22 SP 56. 45c. rate according to schedule of 1.2.1954.



Aerogramme from Seria to Florida dated 7 NO 59. Transit stamp of Kuala Belait 7 NO 59. 50c. rate according to schedule of 1.8.1959.

4.1. Stamps of the 1952 Issue on Cover.

Foreign (aerogramme) rates (USA).

Aerogramme from Kuala Belait to Iowa, USA, dated 5 FE 57. Franking and date stamps on reverse side. The applied postage of 45 cents is correct (schedule of 1.2.1954).



4.1. Stamps of the 1952 Issue on Cover.
Foreign letter rates (USA).



Surface mail cover from Brunei Town dated 12 FEB 57 to Portland OR, USA. The franking of 17 c. exceeds the required rate by 2 c. (schedule of 1.1.1946).

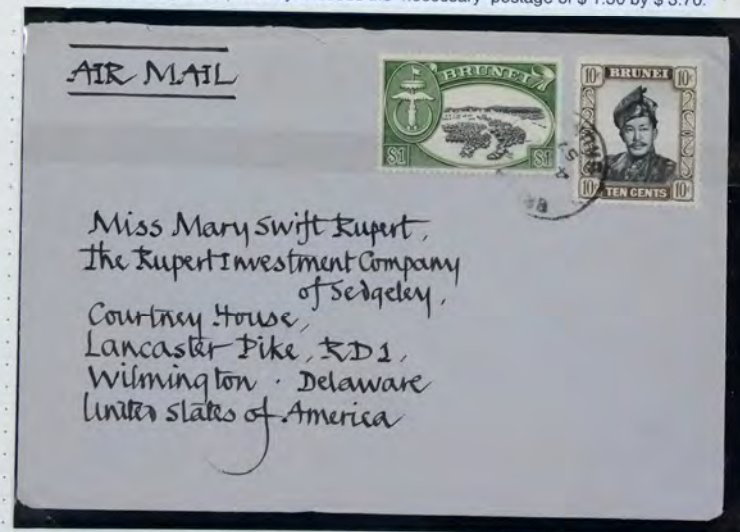


Air mail cover from Kuala Belait dated 23 MY 59 to Portland Oregon, USA. The franking of 35 c. suggests that the cover was sent as 2nd class correspondence (Schedule of 1.2.1954).

4.1. Stamps of the 1952 Issue on Cover.
Foreign letter rates (USA).



Registered air mail cover from Bangar (Temburong) to Elizabeth, N.J. (USA) dated 20 JA 53. Backstamped Brunei, Singapore and Elizabeth, N.J. FEB 21, 1953, i.e. the cover took one month to reach its destination! The cover is evidently philatelic: The franking of \$5 probably exceeds the necessary postage of \$ 1.30 by \$ 3.70.

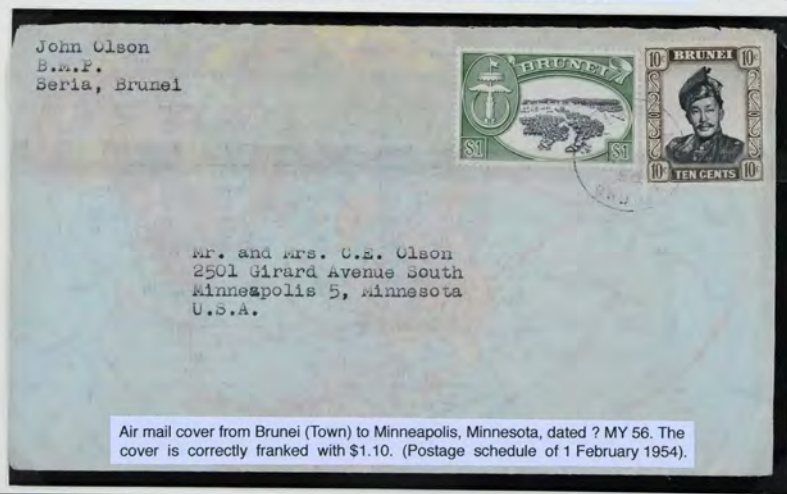


Air mail cover from Brunei Town to Wilmington, Delaware (USA) dated 4 MR 57. The postage of \$1.10 (for 1/2 oz.) is correct (schedule of 1 February 1954).

4.1. Stamps of the 1952 Issue on Cover.
Foreign letter rates (USA).



Surface mail cover from Seria to Portland, Oregon, dated 21 JY 58. Backstamped Kuala Belait 22 JY 58. The franking of 25c. is in excess of the required postage of 20 cents for the first ounce. (Postage schedule of 16 January 1958).



Air mail cover from Brunei (Town) to Minneapolis, Minnesota, dated ? MY 56. The cover is correctly franked with \$1.10. (Postage schedule of 1 February 1954).

4.1. Stamps of the 1952 Issue on Covers.
Foreign letter rates (U.S.A.).



Registered air mail cover from Kuala Belait to Woodstock, Vermont (USA) posted on 12 AU 59. Backstamps of Singapore (13 AUG 59) and Woodstock, VM (AUG 18 1959). The cover is obviously philatelic: The total franking of \$ 2.36 is far in excess of the required postage of \$ 1.40 (postage schedule of 1.8.1959).

4.2. Watermark Multiple Block CA.

1964 - 1969

The current definitives from 1c. to \$1 with the new watermark were issued between 17 March 1964 and 28 November 1969 in several releases. For the cent values partly new vignette and frame plates (No. 2) were used. Printed by De La Rue originally on non-fluorescent paper, subsequently several values appeared with more or less intensive fluorescence. The \$1 value seems to exist only on fluorescent paper. Perforation Comb 13.



The standard set of 13 stamps including the 6c. in grey (12.5.1964) and black (28.11.1969).

4.2. Watermark Multiple Block CA.

1964 - 1969

1 cent value in complete (folded) sheet of 50 with frame and vignette plates 1-1.
Issued 17.3.1964.



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4.2. Watermark Multiple Block CA.

1964 - 1969

1 cent value in complete (folded) sheet of 50 with frame plate 1 and new vignette plate 2.
Released in Brunei 14.5.1968.



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4.2. Watermark Multiple Block CA.

1964 - 1969

1c., 2c. and 3c. values in plate blocks.



Plates 1 - 1, 17.3.1964
Non-fluorescent paper



Plates 1 - 2, 14.5.1968
Fluorescent paper.



Plates 1 - 1, 17.3.1964
Non-fluorescent paper



Plates 1 - 1, 10.11.1964
Non-fluorescent paper

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4.2. Watermark Multiple Block CA.
1964 - 1969

4c. and 6c. values in plate blocks.



Plates 1 - 1. 12.5.1964
Weak fluorescence



Plates 1 - 2. 14.5.1968
Non-fluorescent paper



Plates 1 - 1. 12.5.1964
Weak fluorescence



Plates 1 - 2. 28.11.1969
Weak fluorescence

4.2. Watermark Multiple Block CA.
1964 - 1969

1c., 4c., 6c. and 8c. values in top right corner blocks.



Plates 1 - 2. 12.5.1964
Weak fluorescence



Plates 1 - 1. 12.5.1964
Weak fluorescence



Plates 1 - 1. 12.5.1964
Weak fluorescence



Plates 1 - 1. 12.05.1964
Weak fluorescence

4.2. Watermark Multiple Block CA.

1964 - 1969

10c., 12c., 15c. and 25c. values in top right corner blocks.



12.5.1964
Weak fluorescence



12.5.1964
Weak fluorescence



12.5.1964
Weak fluorescence



12.05.1964
Weak fluorescence

4.2. Watermark Multiple Block CA.

1964 - 1969

50c. and \$1 values in plate blocks.



50c. black & ultramarine (10.11.1964)
Plates 1 - 1. Weak fluorescence.



\$1 black & green (14.5.1968).
Plates 1 - 1. Weak fluorescence.



50c. blk. & bright ultramarine (17.3.1969).
Plates 1 - 2. Fluorescent paper.



\$1 black & bronze-green (13.5.1969).
Plates 1 - 1. Weak fluorescence.

4.2. Watermark Multiple Block CA.

1964 - 1969

Perforation Comb 13. Plain, non-fluorescent paper. Used set from 1c. to \$1.



4.2. Watermark Multiple Block CA.

1964 - 1969

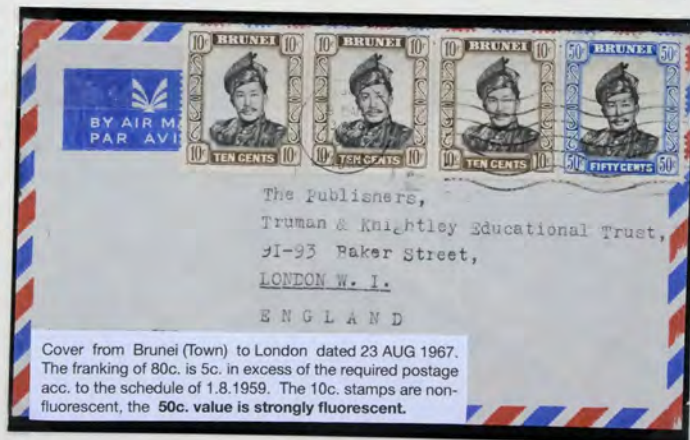
Perforation Comb 13. **Paper with added fluorescent brightener.**
Used set from 2c. to \$1 with colour shades.



4.2. Watermark Multiple Block CA.

1964 - 1969

Comparison of non-fluorescent with fluorescent values on covers.



4.2. Stamps of the 1964 Issue on Cover.

The 6c. values in black & grey (1964) and in black (1969) on covers to Singapore.



4.2. Stamps of the 1964 Issue on Covers.
Letter rates to Singapore.



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4.2. Stamps of the 1964 Issue on Cover.
Letter rates for Singapore and the Federation of Malaya.



4.2. Stamps of the 1964 on Cover.

Letter rates to the U.K.



Air mail cover from Brunei Town to London dated 4 ? 68. Correctly franked with 75 cents (postage schedule of 1 August 1959).



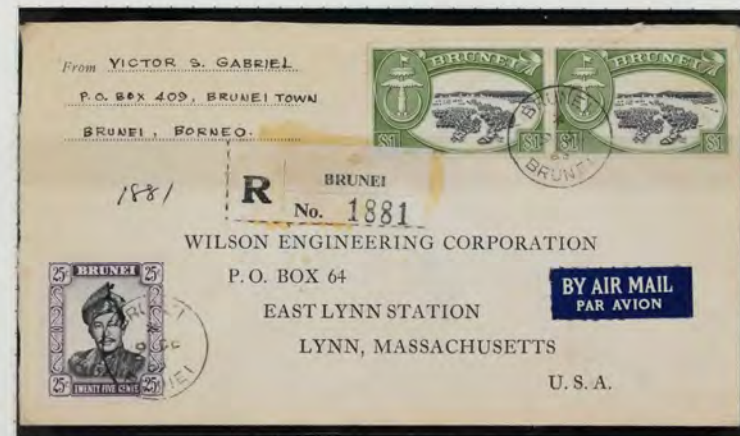
Air mail cover from Brunei Town to London dated 27 JY 66. Correctly franked with 75 cents (schedule of 1 August 1959).

4.1. Stamps of the 1964 Issue on Covers.

Foreign letter rates (U.S.A.).



Airmail picture postcard from Brunei Town dated 5 OCT 64 to Los Angeles, and onwards to New York, with L.A. arrival stamp of 8 OCT 1964. The card bears the correct postage of 60 sen.



Registered airmail cover from Brunei Town dated 9 DE 65 to Lynn, Massachusetts. Backstamped Lynn, Mass. DEC 14, 1965. The franking of \$ 2.55 (30 sen on reverse side) corresponds to a weight of 2 oz.: 2 x \$1.15, plus 0.25 sen reg. fee (schedule of 1.8.1959).

4.2. Stamps of the 1964 Issue on Cover.

30c. surface and \$1.15 air mail rates to the USA.
(Postage schedule of 1.8.1959).



Surface mail cover from Kuala Belait to Tampa FL dated 20 MH 65.



Air mail cover from Kuala Belait to the same address in Tampa FL dated 22 AU 66.
The \$1 value with thick perforation teeth at bottom of stamp (rare).

4.2. Stamps of the 1964 Issue on Cover.

\$1.15 air mail rate to the USA.
(Postage schedule of 1.8.1959).



Two air mail covers from Kuala Belait to Primus PA, USA, dated 9 DE 64 and 18 MY 65.
The covers were sent by Jakob ("Jake") Schweighauser (1925-1999), then Exploration Manager of Brunei Shell Petr. Co.

4.2. Stamps of the 1964 Issue on Cover.

Commonwealth letter rates.

Air mail cover from Brunei Town to England dated 9 OCT 1967.
The applied letter rate of 75 cents is correct (Schedule of 1.8.1959).



Registered air mail cover from Brunei Town to London dated 2 FE 66.
Backstamped Singapore 3 FEB 66 and "Received" 7 FEB 1966.
The \$1 franking is correct: 75c. postage plus 25c. registration fee.

4.2. Stamps of the 1964 Issue on Cover.

Foreign letter rate.

Registered air mail cover (1 1/2 oz.) from Kuala Belait to Germany dated 31 MR 73.
The total franking with a complete set of the 1964 issue is \$2.59 (23c. on the reverse side).
The actual postage required would have been \$ 2.65 (3x80c., plus 25c. reg.), hence the cover is actually underfranked by 6 cents! Date of arrival 6.4.1973. Registration chit inside the envelope.



4.2. Stamps of the 1964 Issue on Cover.

Foreign letter rate.

Air mail cover from Kuala Belait to Germany dated 31 JY 72.
The cover is franked by 3 cents in excess of the correct rate of 80 cents.

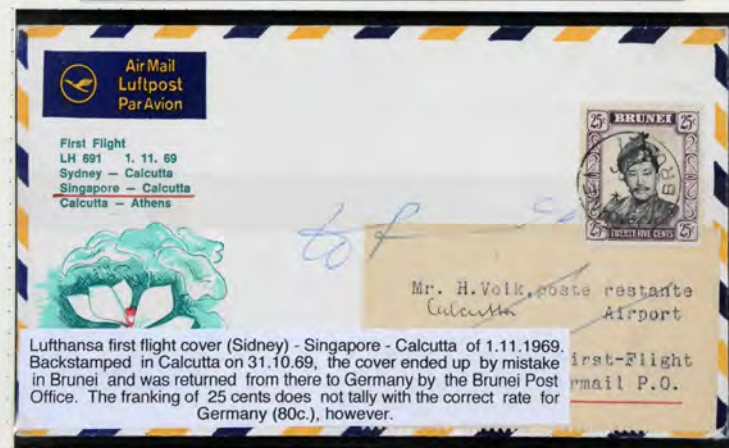


Air mail cover from Kuala Belait to Germany dated 11 SP 72.
The cover is over-franked by 20 cents.

4.2. Stamps of the 1964 Issue on Cover.

Foreign letter rates.

Air mail cover from Kuala Belait to Ireland dated 2 ? 70.
Correctly franked with 75 cents (Schedule of 1.8.1959).



Lufthansa first flight cover (Sidney) - Singapore - Calcutta of 1.11.1969. Backstamped in Calcutta on 31.10.69, the cover ended up by mistake in Brunei and was returned from there to Germany by the Brunei Post Office. The franking of 25 cents does not tally with the correct rate for Germany (80c.), however.

4.2. Stamps of the 1964 Issue on Covers.
Foreign letter rate (Switzerland).



Air mail cover from Seria to Schwanden (GL), Switzerland, dated 15 DE 69.
The postage of \$1.70 corresponds exactly to the rate for 1 oz. (2 x 85 cents).

4.2. Stamps of the 1964 Issue on Covers.
Foreign letter rate (Australia).



Registered (air mail) cover from Seria to Australia, dated 1 OC 68.
Backstamped Melbourne, Vic. 4 OC 68. The franking of 80 cents is correct: 55c. postage plus 25c. registration (schedule of 1.8.59).

4.2. Stamps of the 1964 Issue on Covers.
Foreign letter rates (USA and Germany).



4.2. Stamps of the 1964 Issue on Covers.

\$1.15 airmail rate (½ oz.) to the USA (postage schedule of 1.8.1959).
Covers sent in late 1964 to the parents-in-law of J. Schweighauser, an Exploration Manager of B.S.P.Co.



4.2. Stamps of the 1964 Issue on Cover.
Foreign letter rates (Malaysia, USA).



Registered air mail cover from Brunei Town to Malaysia dated 13 SP 69. Backstamped Kuala Lumpur 14 SEP 69. The franking of \$1.25 (75c. on reverse side) exceeds the required postage (20c. plus \$1.00 for registration) by 5 cents.



Reverse side of air mail cover from Brunei Town to Brooklyn, N.Y., postmarked 6 AU 64 and correctly franked with B\$1.15 for the USA.

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4.2. Stamps of the 1964 Issue on Cover.
Foreign letter rates (USA).

Two air mail covers from Brunei (Town) and Seria to USA postmarked 18 DE 65 and 1 MR ??, respectively. Both covers bear the correct postage of \$1.15.



The \$1 values show a rare perforation variety: The thick perforation teeth, usually at the top corners of the stamp, occur here at the bottom corners.

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4.2. Stamps of the 1964 Issue on Cover.
Foreign letter rates (USA).



Air mail cover from Kuala Belait to USA dated 10 SP 64 with a franking of \$1.20 (5c. in excess).



Air mail cover from Kuala Belait to USA postmarked 13 JY 65 bearing the correct postage of \$1.15 according to the schedule of 1.8.1959.

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4.2. Stamps of the 1964 Issue on Cover.
Foreign letter rates (USA).



Air mail cover from Kuala Belait to USA postmarked 17 DE 64. The cover was not sealed and bears the correct second class postage of 40 cents. (Postage schedule of 1 August 1959).



Air mail cover from Kuala Belait to USA dated 6 NOV 65 with the correct franking of \$1.15.

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4.2. Stamps of the 1964 Issue on Cover.
Foreign letter rate (USA).

Two air mail covers from Kuala Belait (10 AU 66) and Brunei Town (? MY 69), respectively, both bearing the correct postage of \$1.15 (schedule of 1.8.1959).



4.2. Stamps of the 1964 Issue on Aerogrammes.
35c. rate to the UK (schedule of 1 August 1959).

Examples from the correspondence of Breda and Roy Mercer from Brunei with their family in Southall, Middlesex, in 1967. The aerogrammes are **over-franked** by 1c. to 15c. as no stamps of 35c. had been issued.



4.2. Stamps of the 1964 Issue on Aerogrammes.

35c. rate to the UK (schedule of 1 August 1959).

Further examples from the correspondence of Breda and Roy Mercer from Brunei with their family in Southall, Middlesex, in July 1967. These aerogrammes are **under-franked** by 5c., but were not taxed for the missing postage.



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4.2. Stamps of the 1964 Issue on Picture Postcards.

Postcard rates to Singapore and Great Britain.



Air mail picture postcard from Brunei Town to Singapore postmarked 6 FE 67. The franking of 15c. is 3c. in excess of the required rate (schedule of 1.8.1959).



Picture postcard from Brunei Town to Newcastle-on-Tyne, England, postmarked on 23 MR 65. The franking of 40c. corresponds to the air mail rate of the schedule of 1 August 1959 and suggests that the card was sent by air.

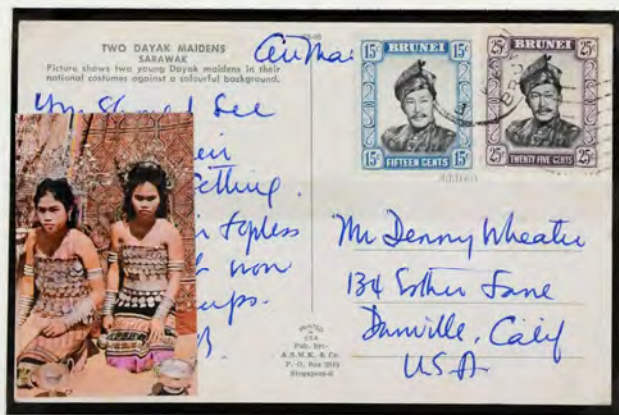
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4.2. Stamps of the 1964 Issue on Picture Postcards.

Postcard rates to Germany and USA.



Picture postcard from Kuala Belait to Kassel, Germany, postmarked 12 MR 69. The franking of 50c. is 5c. in excess of the required rate (schedule of 1.8.1959).



Picture postcard from Brunei Town to USA postmarked in 1966 (?). The card bears the correct postage of 40c. (schedule of 1.8.1959).

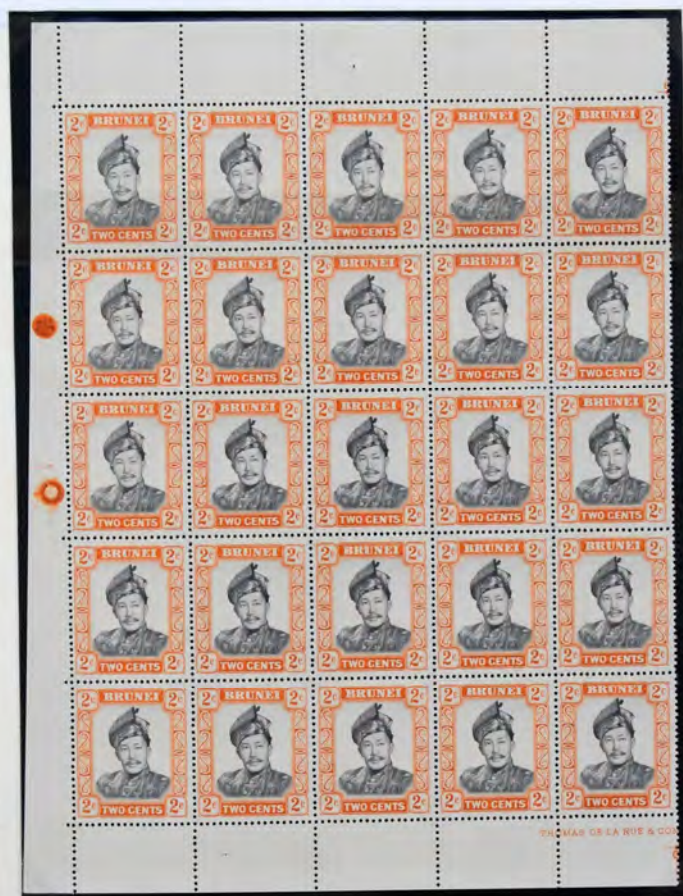
4.3. Glazed Paper. Watermark Upright.

Issued from 28.11.1969 to 30.6.1972. Perforation Comb 13.
Printed on glazed, fluorescent paper with PVA gum. Watermark Multiple Block CA, upright.
There were several releases, and, except for the dollar values, a second or third frame plate was introduced.



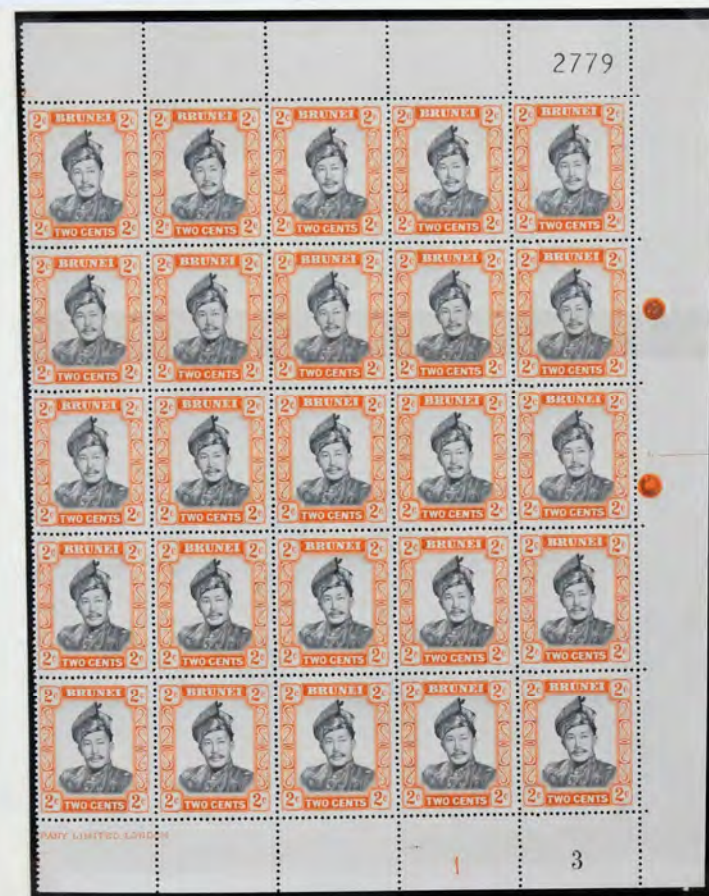
2 cents black & orange - 27.5.1970

Glazed paper. Watermark Multiple Block CA, upright. Left-hand part of sheet of 50. The orange dots on the margins indicate the screw-heads where the plate was held in place for printing.



2 cents black & orange - 27.5.1970

Right-hand part of sheet of 50.
Frame plate No.1 and vignette plate No.3 below stamps 49 and 50.



10 cents grey & pale brown - 11.10.1971

Glazed paper. Watermark Multiple Block CA, upright.
Coil strips manufactured from sheets. Note the glued paper joints!



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4.3. Glazed Paper. Watermark Multiple Block CA, Upright.

Plate blocks showing the numbers of the frame (1) and vignette plates (3).
The dates are the release dates by the Crown Agents, not the dates of issue in Brunei.



1 cent slate-grey.
Printed March 1972.
Released 30.6.1972.



2 cents black & orange. Released 27.5.1970.

The existence of unperforated and perforated bottom margins of this and other values on glazed paper suggests that these issues were printed in sheets of 100 that were subsequently cut into counter sheets of 50 stamps.



3 cents black & lake-brown.
Released 27.5.1970.

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4.3. Glazed Paper. Watermark Multiple Block CA, Upright.

Plate blocks showing the numbers of the frame (1) and vignette plates (3).
The dates are the release dates by the Crown Agents, not the dates of issue in Brunei.



4c. black & green. Released 22.4.1970.



4c. black & emerald. Date of release ?



6c. black & grey. Released 5.11.1970.



8c. black & crimson. Released 27.5.1970.



8c. black & brown-red. Released 19.11.1971.

4.3. Glazed Paper. Watermark Multiple Block CA, Upright.

Plate blocks showing the numbers of the frame (1) and vignette plates (3).
The dates are the release dates by the Crown Agents, not the dates of issue in Brunei.



10c. black & sepia.
Released 28.11.1969.



12c. black & violet. Released 5.11.1970.
This is the only value with frame plate No. 2.



15c. black & pale blue.
Released 20.4.1971.



25c. black & reddish violet.
Released 30.4.1971.

4.3. Glazed Paper. Watermark Multiple Block CA, Upright.

Plate blocks of the \$1 and \$2 values with the numbers of the frame (1) and vignette plates (1).
Also shown are the two printings of the 50c. value without plate numbers (1-3).
The dates are the release dates by the Crown Agents, not the dates of issue in Brunei.



\$1 black & bronze-green.
Released 5.11.1970.



50c. black & ultramarine.
Released 5.11.1970.



50c. grey & indigo.
Released 21.12.1971.



\$2 black & scarlet.
Released 5.11.1970.

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4.3. Glazed Paper. Watermark Multiple Block CA, Upright.

Blocks of four of the 1 cent and 4 cents values.
The dates are the release dates by the Crown Agents, not the dates of issue in Brunei.



1c. slate-grey.
Released 30.6.1972.



4c. black & green.
Released 22.4.1970.



4c. black & emerald.
Released 19.11.1971.

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4.3. Glazed Paper. Watermark Multiple Block CA, Upright.

Blocks of four and imprint blocks of the 8 cents value.
The dates are the release dates by the Crown Agents, not the dates of issue in Brunei.



8c. Black & crimson.
Released 27.5.1970.



8c. black & brown-red.
Released 19.11.1971.

4.3. Glazed Paper. Watermark Multiple Block CA, Upright.

The dates are the release dates by the Crown Agents, not the dates of issue in Brunei.



6c. black & grey.
5.11.1970



10c. black & sepia.
28.11.1969



12c. black & violet.
5.11.1970



15c. black & pale blue.
20.4.1971



25c. black & purple.
18.5.1970



25c. black & reddish
purple. 30.4.1971

4.3. Glazed Paper. Watermark Multiple Script CA, Upright.
Examples of sheet numbers.



4.3. Glazed Paper. Watermark Multiple Block CA, Upright. Issued from 28.11.1969 to 30.6.1972. Perforation Comb 13. Standard set with significant colour shades, used.



4.3. Glazed Paper. Watermark Multiple Block CA, Upright.
1c. to 8c. values in used blocks of four.



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4.3. Glazed Paper. Watermark Multiple Block CA, Upright.
8c. to 50c. values in used blocks of four.



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4.3. Glazed Paper. Watermark Multiple Block CA, Upright.
The \$1 value (5.11.1970).

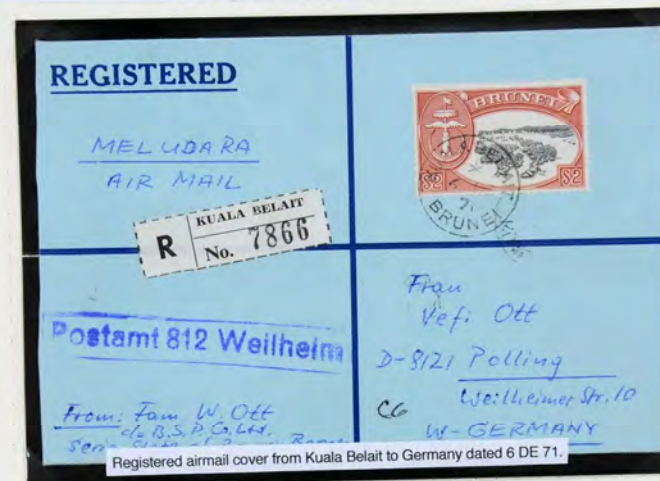


"Maximum card" with \$1 value on picture postcard of Kampong Ayer.
Postmarked Bandar Seri Begawan 5 AP 75.



Four \$1 stamps on piece with postmark of Kuala Belait 27 AP 74. Probably
from an airmail envelope to Europe with a weight of 2 1/2 oz. (5 x 80 cents).

4.3. Glazed Paper. Watermark Multiple Block CA Upright. Covers.
The \$2 and \$5 values (5.11.1970) on philatelic covers.



Registered airmail cover from Kuala Belait to Germany dated 6 DE 71.



Registered airmail cover from Kuala Belait to Germany postmarked 26 NO 73.

4.3. Glazed Paper. Watermark Multiple Block CA Upright. Covers.
Local letter rate 12c. first ounce (since 1.8.1959).



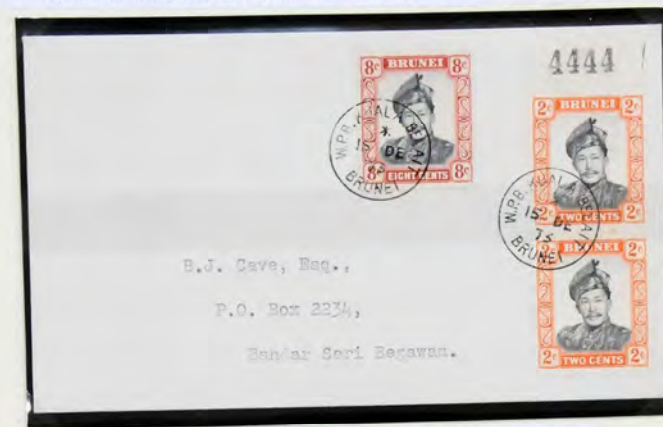
Local cover to Seria posted on 3 NOV 73 at the mail van of the travelling post office Seria (P.P.B. - Pejabat Pos Bergerak) operating along the Kuala Belait - Tutong road.



Local cover to Seria posted on 16 SP 75 at the mail van of the Brunei Mobile Post Office operating in the Brunei-Muara District.

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4.3. Glazed Paper. Watermark Block CA Upright. Covers.
Local letter rate of 12c. for first ounce and 25c. registration fee (as from 1.8.1959).



Cover to Bandar Seri Begawan dated 15 DE 73 with date stamp of Riverine Post Office W.P.B. (Wakil Pos Bergerak) Kuala Belait.

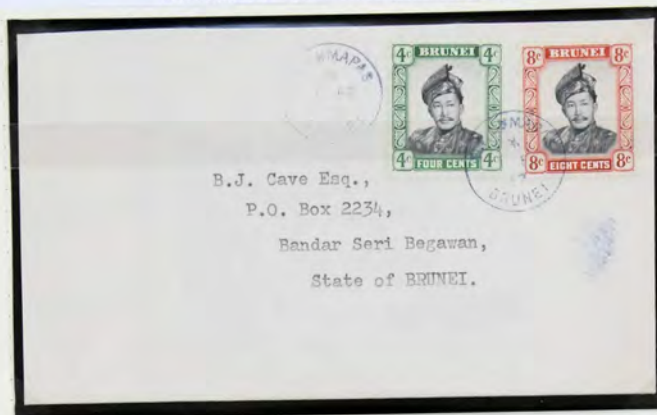


Local registered cover posted on 13 AP 74 at Seria bearing the correct postage of 12c. plus 25c. for registration (6c. affixed on reverse side).

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4.3. Glazed Paper. Watermark Multiple Block CA Upright. Covers.
Local letter rate 12c. first ounce (since 1.8.1959).



Local cover from Wakil Pos (Postal Agency) Lumapas to Bandar Seri Begawan posted in 1973. The P.A. was virtually defunct at the time and the postal agent could only assemble a postmark with a date plug of 1 FE 67!



Local cover from the International Airport (Lapangan Terbang Antara Bangsa) to Seria dated 22 JUL 1974, four days after the opening of the airport post office.

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4.3. Glazed Paper. Watermark Multiple Block CA, Upright. Covers.
The 10 cents value from coils used on postcard and on cover.



Postcard from Tutong to Seria dated 18 MR 74. (The SG Number is obsolete).



Cover from Tutong to Seria dated 20 MR 74. The cover was franked with 20 cents in order to show a joint pair of the coil stamp.

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4.3. Glazed Paper. Watermark Multiple Block CA Upright. Covers.
Local letter rate 12c. first ounce (since 1.8.1959).



Local cover from the International Airport to Seria dated 24 AUG 1974.



Local cover from Kg. Labi to Seria postmarked 2 FE 72 (with 1c. in excess).

4.3. Glazed Paper. Watermark Multiple Block CA Upright. Covers.
Covers bearing the local letter rate of 12 cents (until about 1973) and 10 cents (thereafter).



Local cover sent within Seria Town on 22 SP 72.
The cover is overfranked by 1 cent.



Local cover sent within Kuala Belait on 7 JUL (?) 74.

4.3. Glazed Paper. Watermark Multiple Block CA Upright. Covers.
Local letter rate 12c. first ounce (since 1.8.1959). Postage due covers.

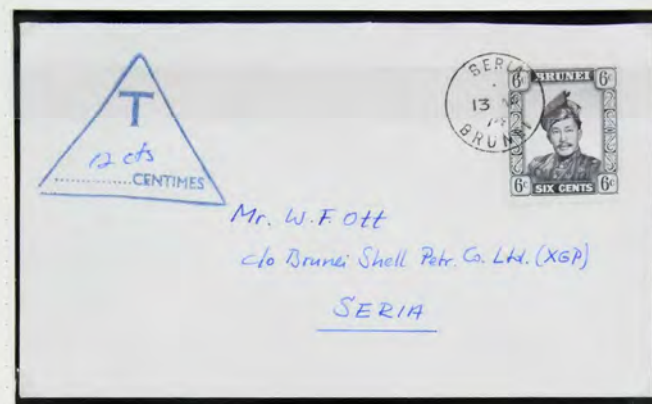


Local cover from Kuala Belait to Seria (13 AP 74) underpaid by 6 cents and charged 12 cents.

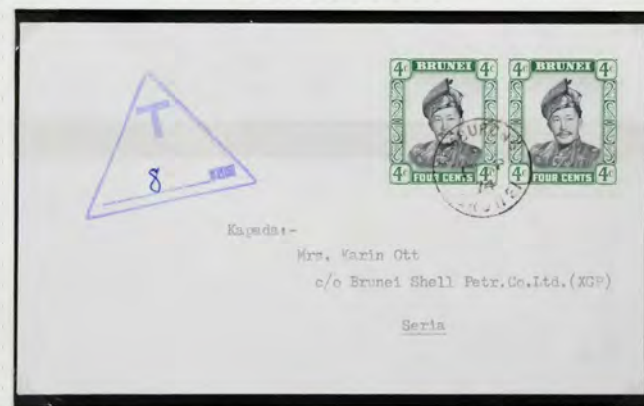


Local cover from Muara to Bandar Seri Begawan (15 AP 74) underpaid by 6 cents. Charged with 2 x 6 cents.

4.3. Glazed Paper. Watermark Multiple Block CA Upright. Covers.
Local letter rate 12c. first ounce (since 1.8.1959). Postage due covers.

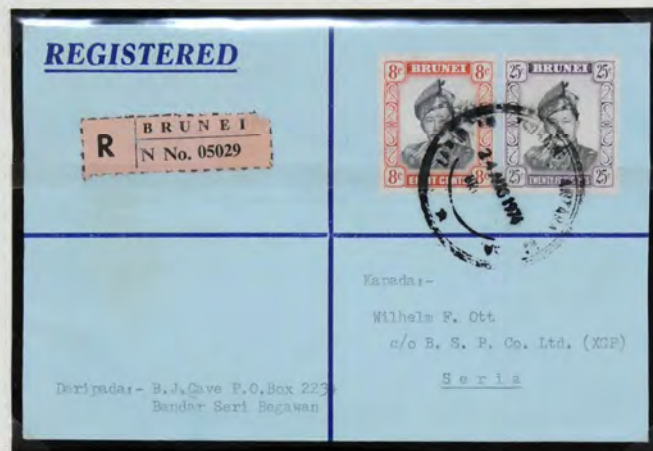


Local cover within Seria (13 AP 74) underpaid by 6 cents and charged with 2 x 6 cents.



Local cover from Temburong to Seria (17 AP 74) underpaid by 4 cents. Charged with 2 x 4 cents.

4.3. Glazed Paper. Watermark Multiple Block CA Upright. Covers.
Local letter rate (12c. + 25c. registration).



JABATAN PERKHIDMATAN POS, BRUNEI. POSTAL SERVICES DEPARTMENT, BRUNEI. Resit Pos Barang? Pos Berdaftar Registered Postal Article Posting Receipt		Tarikh di-chap, Date Stamp
Di-terima satu barang pos berdaftar Bil. Received a registered postal article No.	Y No 05029	Di-alamatkan:- Addressed:-
Hanya di-tulis apabila barang itu di-INSURANKAN To be filled in only when the article is INSURED.		
Pengirim Sender	Alamat Address	Pegawai yang menerima Receiving Officer
Jumlah Insuran di-bayar \$ Insurance fee paid	Di-Insurankan sa-banyak \$ Insured for	Gram Grammes

Registered cover from the International Airport (LTAB) to Seria dated 24 AUG 1974. The affixed postage is correct: 12c. letter rate (4c. on reverse side) plus 25c. registration fee (postage schedule of 1.1.1971). Attached the registration chit for the cover. The date stamp used was a steel canceller from the GPO as the rubber stamp of the airport post office would not print through the carbon paper between the registration receipts.

4.3. Glazed Paper. Watermark Multiple Block CA Upright. Covers.
Printed matter rate 6c. for first 2 oz. Schedule of 1.8.1959 still in force in the 1970s.



4.3. Glazed Paper. Watermark Multiple Block CA Upright. Covers.
Local letter rate 12c. plus registration (25c.).



Two registered covers from Labi (27 MR 74) and from the International Airport (22 JUL 1974) to Seria bearing the correct postage of 37 cents.

4.3. Glazed Paper. Watermark Multiple Block CA Upright. Covers.
Local letter rate 12c. plus registration (25c.).



Registered cover from Bangar (Temburong) to Seria dated 17 AP 74. Total franking is 40c. (16c. on reverse side) which is 3 c. in excess.



Registered cover sent within Bandar Seri Begawan. Dates of postmarks on front and on reverse side are unreadable, probably from 1972-74.

4.3. Glazed Paper. Watermark Multiple Block CA Upright. Covers.
Rate to Singapore and Malaysia (20c. per 1/2 oz). Schedule of 1.8.1959.



Airmail cover from Bandar Seri Begawan to Kuala Lumpur dated 10 OCT 1971.



Airmail cover from Seria to Singapore dated 26 JU 69.

SCHAUBEK (bb 400)

4.3. Glazed Paper. Watermark Multiple Block CA Upright. Covers.
Rate to Singapore (20c. per 1/2 oz). Postage schedule of 1.8.1959.



Airmail cover from Bandar Seri Begawan to Singapore dated 26 JU 72.

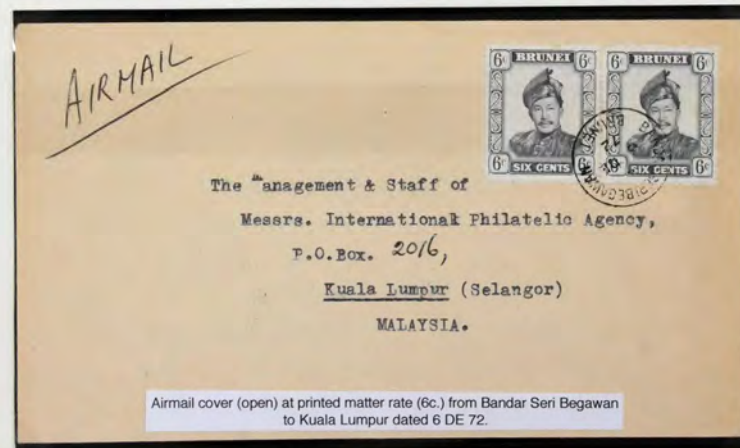
SCHAUBEK (bb 400)

4.3. Glazed Paper. Watermark Multiple Block CA Upright. Covers.
Letter rate to Malaysia and Singapore (20c. + 25c. registration).



SCHAUBEK (bb 400)

4.3. Glazed Paper. Watermark Multiple Block CA Upright. Covers.
Letter rate 12c. and printed matter rate 6c. for first ounce to Malaysia.



SCHAUBEK (bb 400)

4.3. Glazed Paper. Watermark Multiple Block CA Upright. Covers.
Special rate (?) of 15c. to Singapore.

ADMINISTRATION DES POSTES
DE BRUNEI

(A remplir par le bureau d'origine.
To be filled in by the office of origin.)

Envoi recommande {
Registered Article { (1)

Lettre-Bouteille-Boite
Letter-Box-Parcel
avec valeur declaree de
insured for (2)

depose au
bureau de poste de
Posted at the
Post Office of SERIA

(le sous le No.
on the 19 under No.

expedie par
sent by Mr. NUSLIH IBRAHIM

et adresse a M.
and addressed to Mr. IBRAHIM
A. RAHMAN.

(a) SERAN JAWAT SP 14

(1) Indicate in parentheses the nature of the
article (letter, printed paper, etc.)

(2) Strike out indication not required.

SERVICE DES POSTES
ON POSTAL SERVICE

BRUNEI 3 THREE CENTS 3
BRUNEI 12 TWELVE CENTS 12

M. MOCHIAH IBRAHIM
G. BINNIE PARTNERS
IBRAHIM A. RAHMAN
SERIA JCN. TRAVAT
Lieu de destination en gros caracteres.
Place of destination in block letters.
BRUNEI SP 14.
Pays de destination.
Country of destination.

Confirmation of despatch of a registered letter from Seria to Geylang, Singapore 14, by the Brunei Postal Service. Although being an official card it was franked with 15c. at Seria (date unreadable). The delivery was confirmed by the addressee with his signature at the Geylang post office on 29 AUG 72.

4.3. Glazed Paper. Watermark Multiple Block CA Upright. Covers.
Airmail rate to Singapore (20c. per 1/2 oz). Postage due covers.



Two airmail covers from Bandar Seri Begawan to Singapore dated 26 MR 72 and 21 NO 72. Both cover are underfranked by 5 cents and were accordingly charged 10 cents.

4.3. Glazed Paper. Watermark Multiple Block CA Upright. Covers.
Airmail (20c. per 1/2 oz.) and registration rates (25c.) to Singapore. From 1.8.1959.



4.3. Glazed Paper. Watermark Multiple Block CA Upright. Covers.
Airmail (20c. per 1/2 oz.) and registration rates (25c.) to Malaysia and Singapore.



Registered cover from Tutong to Johore Bahru dated 2 FEB 72.
Backstamped Johore Bahru 4 FEB 72.



Registered cover from Kuala Belait to Kuala Lumpur postmarked 24 AU 74.
15c. on reverse side. Backstamped Kuala Lumpur 27 OGO 74.

4.3. Glazed Paper. Watermark Multiple Block CA. Covers.

Two postage due covers from Kuala Belait to Malaysia and locally to Seria, dated 11 SEP 75 and 24 AP 75, respectively. The Malaysia cover was underfranked by 5 cent and charged 10 cents, whilst the Seria cover bore 6 cents less than the required 10 cents and was charged accordingly with 12 cents.



4.3. Glazed Paper. Watermark Multiple Block CA Upright. Covers.

Airmail (20c. per 1/2 oz.) and registration rates (25c.) to Singapore. From 1.8.1959.



Registered airmail cover from Seria to Singapore-15 dated 22MR 73. B/S Katong 24 MAR 73.



SCHAUBI Registered airmail cover from Seria to Singapore-1 dated 20 AP 71. B/S Singapore 21APR71.

4.3. Glazed Paper. Watermark Multiple Block CA Upright. Covers.
Airmail rate to the U.K. (75c. per 1/2 oz.). Schedule of 1.8.1959.



Airmail cover to England from Tutong dated 22 AU 74 (?).



Airmail cover from Bandar Seri Begawan to England dated 5 NOV 1974.

4.3. Glazed Paper. Watermark Multiple Block CA Upright. Covers.
Aerogramme rate to U.K. (35c.). Schedule of 1.8.1959.



Official aerogramme from Bandar Seri Begawan to England dated 19 JA 71.



Aerogramme sent from Bandar Seri Begawan to England on 11 OCT 1973.

4.3. Glazed Paper. Watermark Multiple Block CA Upright. Covers.
Underfranked aerogrammes to U.K. Actual rate was 35c. (Schedules of 1959 to 1984).



Aerogramme sent from Bandar Seri Begawan to London 15 MR 1971. Franked with 30 cents, 6 cents on reverse side.



Aerogramme sent from Kuala Belait to England on 12 DE 1974. Franked with 25 cents.

4.3. Glazed Paper. Watermark Multiple Block CA Upright. Covers.
Letter rate to Malaysia (20c.) and to Germany (80c.).



Airmail cover from Bandar Seri Begawan to Malaysia dated 26 OC 72. The 8c. stamps are in the black & crimson shade (19.7.1971).



Airmail cover from Kuala Belait to Germany dated 5 MR 73. The 8c. stamps (three on reverse side) are in the black & brown-red shade (27.5.1970).

4.3. Glazed Paper. Watermark Multiple Block CA Upright. Covers.
Airmail rate to Germany (80c. per 1/2 oz.). Schedule of 1.8.1959.



Airmail cover from Kuala Belait to Germany dated 19 OC 71.



Airmail cover from Kuala Belait to Germany dated 11 MR 71. The (philatelic) franking is 22c. in excess of the required postage.

4.3. Glazed Paper. Watermark Multiple Block CA Upright. Covers.
Airmail rate to Germany (80c. per 1/2 oz.). Schedule of 1.8.1959.



Airmail cover from Kuala Belait to Germany dated 13 AP 71. The cover is overfranked by 20 cents.



Airmail cover from Kuala Belait to Germany dated 6 AP 71.

4.3. Glazed Paper. Watermark Multiple Block CA Upright. Covers.
Airmail rate to Germany (80c. per 1/2 oz.). Schedule of 1.8.1959.



Airmail cover from Kuala Belait to Germany dated 20 JY 71.



Airmail cover from Kuala Belait to Germany dated 24 NO 71.

4.3. Glazed Paper. Watermark Multiple Block CA Upright. Covers.
Airmail rate to Germany (80c. per 1/2 oz.). Schedule of 1.8.1959.



Airmail cover from Kuala Belait to Hamburg dated 22 MR 72.

4.3. Glazed Paper. Watermark Multiple Block CA Upright. Covers.
Airmail rate to Germany (80c. per 1/2 oz.). Schedule of 1.8.1959.



Airmail cover from Tutong to Germany dated 9 JY 74.



Airmail cover from Kuala Belait to Germany dated 21 JY 72.

4.3. Glazed Paper. Watermark Multiple Block CA Upright. Covers.
Registered airmail rate to Germany (80c. per 1/2 oz. plus 25c. registration fee).
Postage schedule of 1.8.1959.

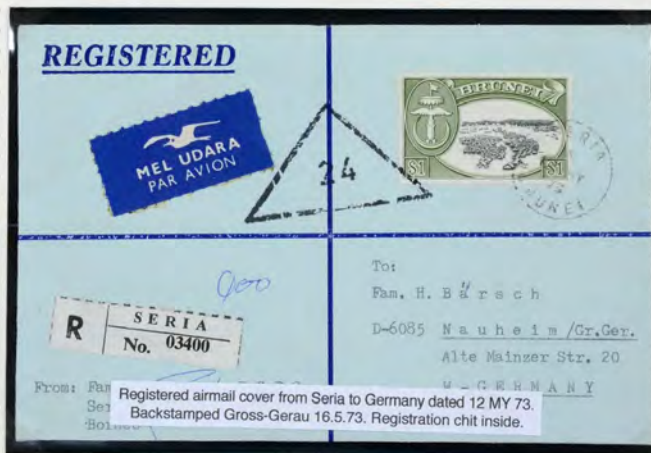


Registered air mail cover from Kuala Belait to Germany dated 7 DE 71. The franking of \$2.12 (12c. on reverse side) exceeds the postage for 1 oz. (\$1.85) by 27 cents. Registration chit inside envelope.



Registered airmail cover from Kuala Belait to Germany dated 28 FE 74. Registration chit inside envelope.

4.3. Glazed Paper. Watermark Multiple Block CA Upright. Covers.
Registered airmail rate to Germany (80c. per 1/2 oz. plus 25c. registration fee).
Postage schedule of 1.8.1959.



SCHAUBER (bb 400)

4.4. Glazed Paper. Watermark Sideways.

Issued from 17.11.1972 until 1974. Watermark Multiple Block CA, sideways. Glazed paper. Polyvinyl alcohol (PVA) and PVA-D (Dextrin) gum. Perforation Comb 13. Frame plate No.3 (all values) and vignette plate No.1 (all values, except 12c. with No. 2). This was the last of the Sultan Omar Ali Saifuddin issues. Stocks were withdrawn on 15 November 1976, and the remaining stamps were destroyed in mid-1977.

Set of eight values. PVA gum.
Issued from 17.11.1972 to 9.5.1973.

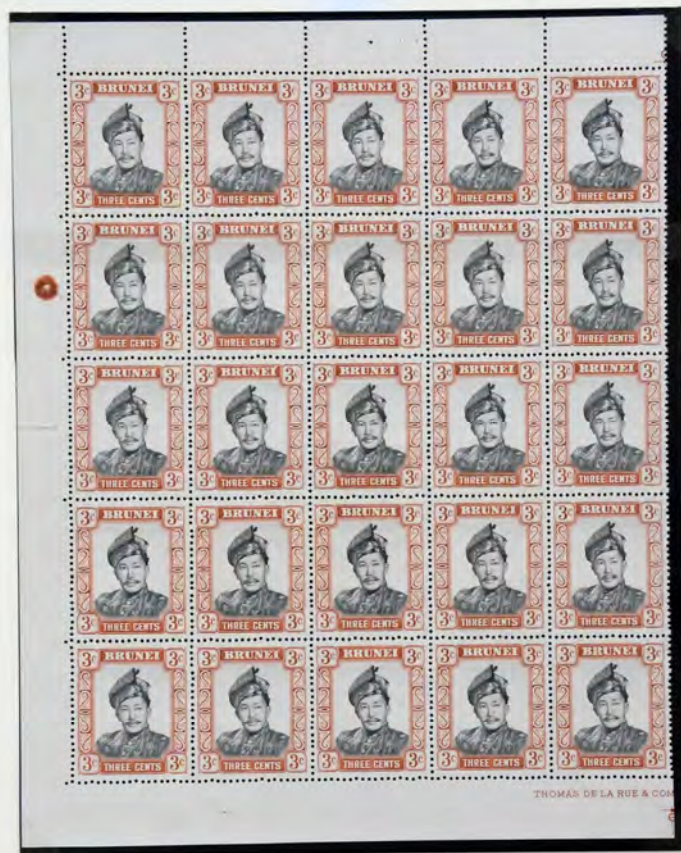


Values also issued with PVA-D gum.
Issued in 1974.



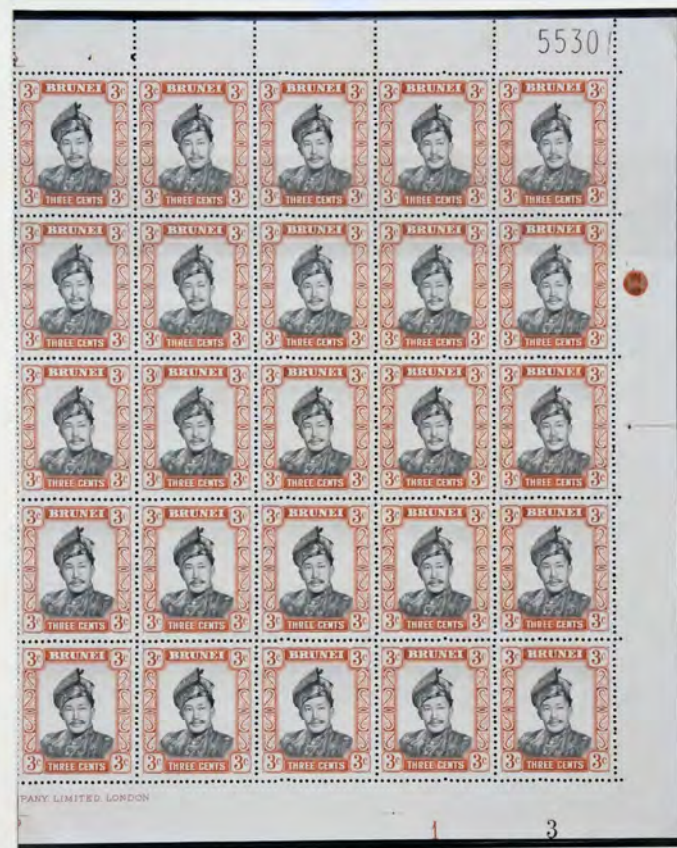
SCHAUBER (bb 400)

3 cents black & lake-brown - 17.11.1972.
Watermark Block CA, sideways. PVA gum.
Left-hand part of sheet of 50.



THOMAS DE LA RUE & CO

3 cents black & lake-brown - 17.11.1972.
Watermark Block CA, sideways. PVA gum.
Right-hand part of sheet of 50.



PARY, LIMITED, LONDON

4 cents black & green - 17.11.1972.
Watermark Block CA, sideways. PVA gum.
Left-hand part of sheet of 50.



4 cents black & green - 17.11.1972.
Watermark Block CA, sideways. PVA gum.
Right-hand part of sheet of 50.



2 cents black & orange - 9.5.1973.
Watermark Multiple Block CA, sideways. PVA gum.
Plate and sheet number blocks of four.



3 cents black & lake-brown - 17.11.1972.
Watermark Multiple Block CA, sideways. PVA gum.
Plate and sheet number blocks of four.



4 cents black & green - 17.11.1972.
Watermark Multiple Block CA, sideways. PVA gum.
Two blocks of four, one with sheet number.



4 cents black & green - 9.5.1973 (?).
Watermark Multiple Block CA, sideways. PVA-D gum.
Plate and sheet number blocks of four.



6 cents black & grey - 17.11.1972.

Watermark Multiple Block CA, sideways. PVA-gum.
Blocks with plate numbers and sheet numbers in different positions.



6 cents black & grey - 27.9.1974.

Watermark Multiple Block CA, sideways. PVA-D gum.
Pair with plate numbers. Foot of figure 1 (vignette plate) is missing.



10 cents black & sepia - 17.11.1972.

Watermark Multiple Block CA, sideways. PVA gum.



10 cents black & sepia - 24.7.1974 or 27.9.1974.

Watermark Multiple Block CA, sideways. PVA-D gum.



10 cents black & sepia - 24.7.1974 or 27.9.1974.

Watermark Multiple Block CA, sideways. PVA-D gum.



Normal wmk MBCA sideways.

Wmk. MBCA sideways, inverted.

Offset of key (vignette) plate
on reverse side of stamps.



Block of four from top right corner
of the sheet. No sheet number (!).
Wmk. MBCA sideways, inverted.

8 cents black & brown-red - 9.5.1973.

Watermark Multiple Block CA, sideways. PVA- gum.



12 cents black & violet - 17.11.1972 and 9.5.1973 (?)

Watermark Multiple Block CA, sideways.

Stamps with PVA gum released on 17.11.1972; with PVA-D gum probably on 9.5.1973.



PVA gum

PVA-D gum

15 cents black & pale blue - 17.11.1972 and 27.9.1974.
 Watermark Multiple Block CA, sideways.
 Stamps with PVA gum released on 17.11.1972; with PVA-D gum on 27.9.1974.



PVA gum



PVA-D gum



4.4. Glazed Paper. Watermark Sideways.
 Complete set postmarked P.P.B Seria (Pejabat Pos Bergerak Seria),
 (Travelling Post Office Seria).



4.4. Glazed Paper. Watermark Sideways.
Town Cancels (1).



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4.4. Glazed Paper. Watermark Sideways.
Town Cancels (2).



SCHAUBEK (bb 400)

4.4. Glazed Paper. Watermark Sideways.
Used stamps in blocks of four or larger units (1).



4.4. Glazed Paper. Watermark Sideways.
Used stamps in blocks of four (2).



4.4. Glazed Paper. Watermark Sideways.
Used stamps in blocks of four or larger units (3).



4.4. Glazed Paper. Watermark Multiple Block CA. Sideways.
The set of eight values on cover.



Registered cover from Tutong to Kuala Lumpur postmarked 20 JUN 74. Backstamped Kuala Lumpur 23 JUN 74 and Jin. Pantai Bharu 24 JUN 74. The franking of 60 sen is made up by the complete series of the eight values with wmk. Block CA sideways. The actual postage required was 45 sen only (20 sen letter rate plus 25 sen registration).

4.4. Glazed Paper. Watermark Multiple Block CA, Sideways. Covers.

Registered local cover from Tutong to Seria dated 10 AP 74. Backstamped Seria 10 AP 74.
The franking of 37 cents is correct (12c. postage + 25c. registration).
Registration chit inside the envelope.



Wmk. Multiple Block CA sideways

Wmk. Multiple Block CA upright

4.4. Glazed Paper. Watermark Multiple Block CA Sideways. Covers.



Dr. F. L. Dunn,
P.O. Box 1145,
Jalan Pantai Bahru,
KUALA LUMPUR 22 - 07
West Malaysia.

Airmail cover from Bandar Seri Begawan to Kuala Lumpur dated 7 JUL 74.
The cover bears the correct postage of 20 sen.



Registered airmail cover from Bandar Seri Begawan to Kuala Lumpur postmarked 20 JA 75.
Backstamped Kuala Lumpur 20 and 21 JAN 75. The cover represents a late usage of SOAS
definitives with wmk. Block CA sideways which had been superseded by the SHB series in
August 1974.

4.4. Glazed Paper. Watermark Multiple Block CA.
15c. used on advice of delivery card.

ADMINISTRATION DES POSTES DE BRUNEI (A remplir par le bureau d'origine.) (To be filled in by the office of origin.) Envoi recommande (Registered Article) ONE (1) Lettre-Boite-Colis (Letter-Box-Parcel) avec valeur declaree de (insured for) (2) depose au (bureau de poste de (Post Office of) TUTONG le (on the) 30/4/1975 under No. 01139 expedie par M. (sent by Mr.) B.S. CAVE et adresse a M. TASIM BIZ (and addressed to Mr. MAT LUI (a) NO. 9 JALAN 20-11 (at) SELANGOR K. LUNFO (1) Indicate in parentheses the nature of the article (letter, printed paper, etc.) (2) Strike out indication not required.	AVIS DE RECEPTION. ADVICE OF DELIVERY. (A remplir par l'expediteur qui mentionnera ci-dessous son adresse complete.) (to be filled in by the sender who will indicate below his full address.) M. B.S. CAVE Mr. P.O. Box 2234 Rue et numero. (Street and number) BANDAR SERI BEGAWAN Lieu de destination en gros caracteres. (Place of destination in block letters.) BRUNEI Pays de destination. (Country of destination.) SERVICE DES POSTES ON POSTAL SERVICE
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Advice of Delivery for a registered article posted at Tutong 30 AP 75 and addressed to Selayang Village (near the Batu Caves), then within the State of Selangor, now part of the Federal Territory of Kuala Lumpur. The postage of 15c. probably represents the additional fee for recorded delivery.

LE SOUSSIGNE DECLARE QUE L'ENVOI MENTIONNE D'AUTRE PART THE UNDERSIGNED STATES THAT THE ARTICLES MENTIONED OVERLEAF A ETE DUMENT LIVRE LE WAS DULY DELIVERED ON THE Timbre du bureau (Stamp of the office (of destination) du destinataire. (of the addressee.) Signature (1) de l'agent du bureau destinataire. (of the official of the office of destination) (1) Cet avis doit etre signe par le destinataire ou, si les reglements du pays de destination le comportent, par l'agent du bureau destinataire, et renvoyer par le premier courrier directement a l'expediteur. (1) This advice must be signed by the addressee or, if the regulations of the country of destination so provide, by the official of the office of destination, and then sent by first mail directly to the sender.	19 BATU CAVES 30/4/1975 SELANGOR
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Reverse side of advice card postmarked at the post office of Selayang, Batu Caves Selangor, 3 MEI 75 and signed by the recipient by fingerprint. Thereupon the card was returned to the sender's address at Bandar Seri Begawan indicated on the front side.

State of Brunei

Commemorative Issues

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Kensitas Silk Flag of Brunei ca. 1934.
Produced by Julius Wix & Sons Ltd. of
American Tobacco Inc., USA.

3.7. Silver Jubilee of Sultan Sir Ahmed Tajudin (22.9.1949).

Printed by De La Rue in sheets of 50. Watermark Multiple Script CA. Perf. comb 13.
8 cents value in plate block of 12. Plate Nos. 1-1, red (frame) and black (vignette).



3.7. Silver Jubilee of Sultan Sir Ahmed Tajudin (22.9.1949).

Printed by De La Rue in sheets of 50. Watermark Multiple Script CA. Perf. comb 13.
25 cents value in plate block of 12. Plate Nos. 1-1, orange (frame) and violet (vignette).



3.7. Silver Jubilee of Sultan Sir Ahmed Tajudin (22.9.1949).
 Printed by De La Rue in sheets of 50. Watermark Multiple Script CA. Perf. comb 13.
 50 cents value in plate block of 12. Plate Nos. 1-1, blue (frame) and black (vignette).



3.7. Silver Jubilee of Sultan Tajudin (22.9.1949)
 First-Day-of-Issue Covers.



Note the concurrent use of two different Brunei (Town) postmarks on the same day !

3.7. Silver Jubilee of Sultan Tajudin (22.9.1949).
8c. stamp on covers.



Registered local cover posted at Brunei Town and postmarked 7 JU (?) 50. The cover bears the correct franking of 23 c. (8c. postage plus 15c. reg.).



Another registered cover addressed to the British Resident in Brunei Town dated 7(?) JU 50. The 15c. stamp for registration is affixed to the reverse side.

3.7. Silver Jubilee of Sultan Tajudin (22.9.1949).
25c. stamp on covers.



Air mail cover from Brunei Town to Sandakan, North Borneo, postmarked 11 AP 50. The franking of 25 cents is philatelic, as the required postage was only 12 cents.



Registered cover from Brunei Town to Busby in Scotland dated 27 JA 50. This cover is probably also philatelic as the required postage would have been only 23 cents (8c. letter rate plus 15c. registration fee).

3.7. Silver Jubilee of Sultan Tajudin (22.9.1949).
50c. stamp on covers.



Registered cover from Brunei Town to Glasgow postmarked 27 JA 50. This one, and the cover below are probably philatelic as a postage of 23 cents (8c. letter rate plus 15c. reg.) would have been sufficient.



Another registered cover to Glasgow posted on the same day (27 JA 50).

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(bb 4-...)

3.7. Silver Jubilee of Sultan Tajudin (22.9.1949).
Covers.



Airmail cover from Kuala Belait to Haren, Netherlands, dated 29 SP 50. No postage schedule is known for 1950, but the franking of 65c. was probably correct.



Two sets of the 1949 commemoratives on an airmail cover from Kuala Belait To Kuala Lumpur dated 3 AU 50. The franking of \$1.66 is certainly philatelic.

SCHAUBEK

(bb 400)

1949 - 1970

"Kampong Ayer" (Water Village) values with missing perforation holes.
These stamps are characterized by a missing perforation hole at the top right corners, or, more rarely, at the bottom corners. The missing perforation pin was never replaced.

Silver Jubilee of Sultan Tajudin (1949).



Dollar values, Wmk. Multiple Script CA (1952).



Missing perforation
at bottom corners.

Dollar values, Wmk. Block CA, glazed paper (1970).



3.8. 75th Anniversary of Universal Postal Union (10.10.1949).

Printers: 8c. and 50c.: Waterlow & Sons Ltd.; 15c. and 25c.: Bradbury, Wilkinson & Co.
Perforations: 8c. and 50c.: C 13.5; 15c. and 25c.: C 11 x 11.5. Wmk. Multiple Script CA.



Waterlow & Sons Ltd.

Bradbury, Wilkinson & Co.

3.8. 75th Anniversary of U.P.U.

10.10.1949

The four values from the bottom right corners of the sheets and an unaddressed first day cover postmarked Kuala Belait 10 OC 49.



3.8. 75th Anniversary of U.P.U.

10.10.1949



Registered first day cover from Kuala Belait to USA dated 10 OC 49. Transit stamps of Singapore (13 OCT 49) and New York (OCT 18 1949) on reverse side. The franking of \$1.03 is 2 cents short of the required postage of \$1.05.



Registered air mail cover from Brunei (Town) to Canada dated 15 NO 49. Transit stamps of Singapore (17 NOV 49) and Montreal (22 NO 49), plus customs control stamp of Montreal on reverse side. This cover bears the correct franking of \$1.05. (2c. on reverse).