

# THE POSTAL RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN THE KINGDOM OF ITALY AND THE AUSTRIAN EMPIRE-1861/1875

The aim of the exhibit is to show the mutual postal exchange between Italy and Austria from the birth of the Kingdom of Italy (March 17, 1861) up to the advent of the GPU (June 30, 1875).

During this period of fourteen years, we first meet covers franked only to the mutual border or sent "via Switzerland" unpaid or paid to destination; then, from May 15, 1862, we come back to the old 1854 Austro/Sardinian Convention with covers paid to destination and different rates according to the distances; due to the outbreak of the Third Independence War (Summer 1866) the postal relationships were interrupted and covers had to be sent through Switzerland; after the end of the war (September 1866) the earlier situation returns but with different borders due to the loss of Venetia by Austria; finally, from October 1, 1867 a new Convention came into use with uniform rates and a reduced rate for neighboring offices.

The exhibit is divided into six chapters as follows:

- I March 17, 1861 to May 14, 1862: covers franked only to border or "via Switzerland"**
  - I-1 Covers from the Kingdom of Italy to the Austrian Empire;
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- IV Early September 1866 to September 30, 1867: resumption of the 1862 Convention**
  - IV-1 Covers from the Kingdom of Italy to the Austrian Empire;
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  - V-1 Covers from the Kingdom of Italy to the Austrian Empire;
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- VI 1861 to June 30, 1875: mutual exchange of foreign letters to or over each other's borders**
  - V-1 Austrian mediation on Italian or Foreign covers sent to or beyond Austria;
  - V-2 Italian mediation on Austrian or Foreign covers sent to or beyond Italy.

## Highlights (double red framed):

multicolour franking, special services, reduced rates, first day covers, "via Switzerland" routings, exotic origins or destinations; provisional use of Austrian stamps in the liberated Venetia.

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I-1) March 17, 1861 to May 14, 1862



20cents

Single letter rate (10gr.) paid to the Italian border, from Toscolano (21.2.62) to Riva. Charged 5Nkr on delivery in Austria for the first inland distance, up to 75km. from the border.



20cents

Single letter rate paid to the Italian border from Milan (27.5.61) to Mantua. Charged 5Nkr on delivery in Lombardy -Venetia for the first inland distance, up to 75km. from the border.

I-1) March 17, 1861 to May 14, 1862



**20cents** Single letter rate paid to the Italian border from Bologna (22.3.62) to Venice. Charged 5Nkr on delivery in Lombardy-Venetia for the first inland distance, up to 75km. from the border.



**5grana (20cents)** Single letter rate paid to the Italian border from Maddaloni (8.5.62) to Padua, franked with the special stamps in use on the Neapolitan Provinces. Charged 5Nkr on delivery in Lombardy-Venetia for the first inland distance, up to 75km. from the border.

I-1) March 17, 1861 to May 14, 1862



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**10grana(40cents)** Double letter rate paid in cash (signed on the back) to the Italian border, from Palermo (30.4.61) to Venice. **Charged 10Nkr on delivery in Austria for the second inland distance, up to 150km. from the border. Double Italian letters, over 10 grams of weight, could be charged on delivery as single Austrian rate (one Austrian lot = 17,5 gr.). Last day before introduction of Sardinian stamps in Sicily.**



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**20cents** Single letter rate paid to the Italian border from Palermo (1.10.61) to Venice. **Charged 10Nkr on delivery in Lombardy-Venetia for the second inland distance, up to 150km. from the border. The stamps cancelled with the red linear "DA SICILIA" at Genua.**

I-1) March 17, 1861 to May 14, 1862



**20cents** Single letter rate paid to the Italian border from Florence (27.5.61) to Venice. Charged 10Nkr on delivery in Lombardy-Venetia for the second inland distance, up to 150km. from the border.



**20cents** Single letter rate paid to the Italian border from Florence (28.5.61) to Venice. Charged 10Nkr on delivery in Lombardy-Venetia for the second inland distance, up to 150km. from the border. Till the second half of 1861, the distances from the border were counted from entry at Desenzano/Peschiera and not from the nearest entry of Pontelagoscuro/Occhiobello.

I-1) March 17, 1861 to May 14, 1862



20cents Single letter rate paid to the Italian border from Ferrara (13.3.62) to Trieste. Charged 15Nkr on delivery in Austria for the third inland distance, over 150km. from the border.



40cents Double letter rate paid to the Italian border from Milan (29.12.61) to Brünn. Charged 15Nkr on delivery in Austria for the third inland distance, over 150km. from the border. Double Italian letters, over 10 grams of weight, could be charged on delivery as single Austrian rate (one Austrian lot = 17,5 gr.).

I-1) March 17, 1861 to May 14, 1862



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**5grana(20cents)** Single letter rate paid to the Italian border from Molfetta (22.5.61) to Trieste, with the special stamps in use on the Neapolitan Provinces. Charged 15Nkr on delivery in Austria for the third inland distance, over 150km. from the border.



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**10grana(40cents)** Double letter rate paid to the Italian border from Molfetta (21.6.61) to Trieste, with the special stamps in use on the Neapolitan Provinces. Charged 15Nkr on delivery in Austria for the third inland distance, over 150km. from the border. Double Italian letters, over 10 grams of weight, could be charged on delivery as single Austrian rate (one Austrian lot = 17,5 gr.).



**80cents** Double registered letter rate paid to the Italian border from Milano (26.10.61) to Mestre. Charged 10Nkr on delivery in Veneto as double weight for the first inland distance, up to 75km. from the border. Delivered as not registered mail. From the second half of 1861 the inland Austrian distance was countered from the nearest border and not from Desenzano.



**5cents** Printed matter paid to destination from Milan (20.10.61) to Udine. In this period the wrappers and the printed matters were exchanged free of charge on delivery.



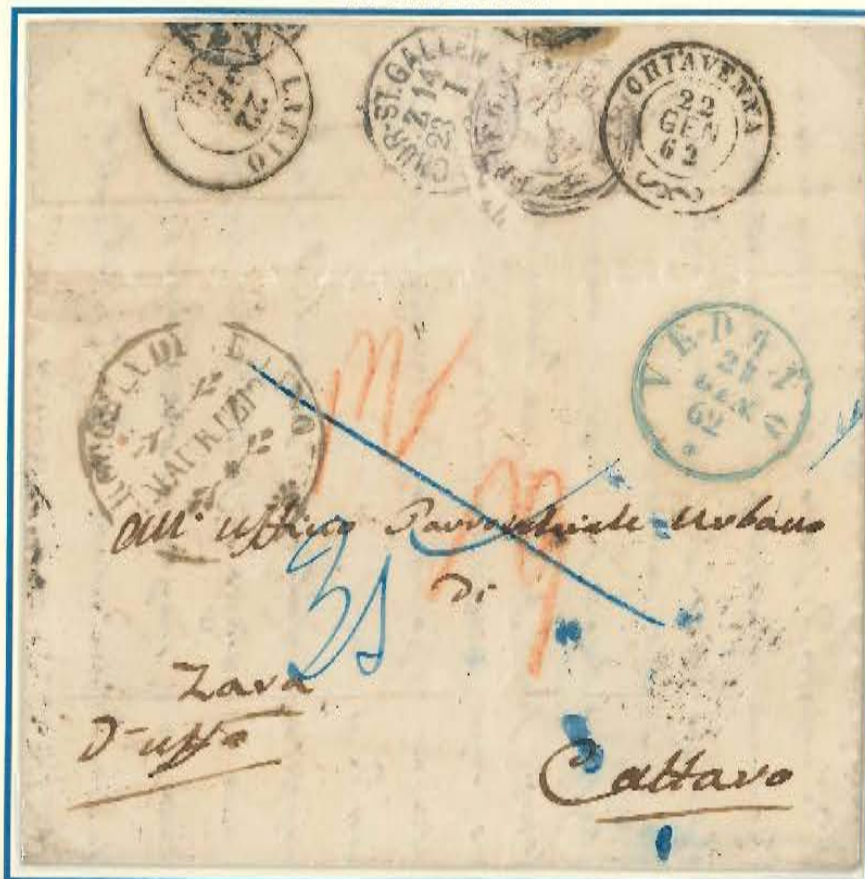
Printed matters



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**5cents** Printed matter insufficiently paid (2cents) from Ancona (10.4.62) to Venice. Charged 10Nkr on delivery as cover for the second Austrian distance; refused and sent back to Ancona; franked with 3cents more, marked on the front with St. Andrew's cross indicating payment to destination and delivered free of charge. In this period printed matters are always delivered free of charge.

"via Switzerland"



35Nkr Unpaid letters couldn't be exchange directly but were sent through Switzerland to allow recovery of rate due to Italy. This letter from Vedano (21.1.62) to Cattaro, was charged on delivery 35kr: 10Nkr to Italy, 10Nkr to Switzerland and 15Nkr to Austria (third distance).



120cents Single registered letter rate paid to destination "via Switzerland" from Modena (31.12.61) to Zamosuyvar. Registered letters had to double the single rate of 60cents: 20cents to Italy, 15cents to Switzerland and 25cents to Austria.

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I-1) March 17, 1861 to May 14, 1862

From the Provisional Government of Tuscany "Via Switzerland"



**60cents** Single letter rate paid to destination "via Switzerland" from Florence (5.8.61) to Wien. In this period letters through Switzerland could be exchanged also from Tuscany at this rate: 20cents to Italy; 15cents to Switzerland and 25cents to Austria.



**120cents** Single registered letter rate paid to destination "via Switzerland" from Florence (14.3.62) to Baden. Registered letters had to double the single rate of 60cents.

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I-1) March 17, 1861 to May 14, 1862

Insufficiently paid letters



20cents Double letter rate (11grams) insufficiently paid, sent through Switzerland to allow recovery of the missing rate to Italy, from Milan (30.8.61) to Verona; charged on delivery 45Nkr: 30Nkr for double Italian and single Swiss rate plus 15Nkr for single third Austrian distance rate.



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20cents Double letter rate (11grams) insufficiently paid, from Milan (16.9.61) to Mantua; sent directly "via Descanzano" and not through Switzerland. Charged on delivery 8Nkr (for the double Italian rate; docketed: Art.20/ Diritto italiano C.mi 20) plus 5Nkr (inland first Austrian distance rate). It seems that from September 1861 there was money exchange between the two Postal Administrations.

I-2) March 17, 1861 to May 14, 1862

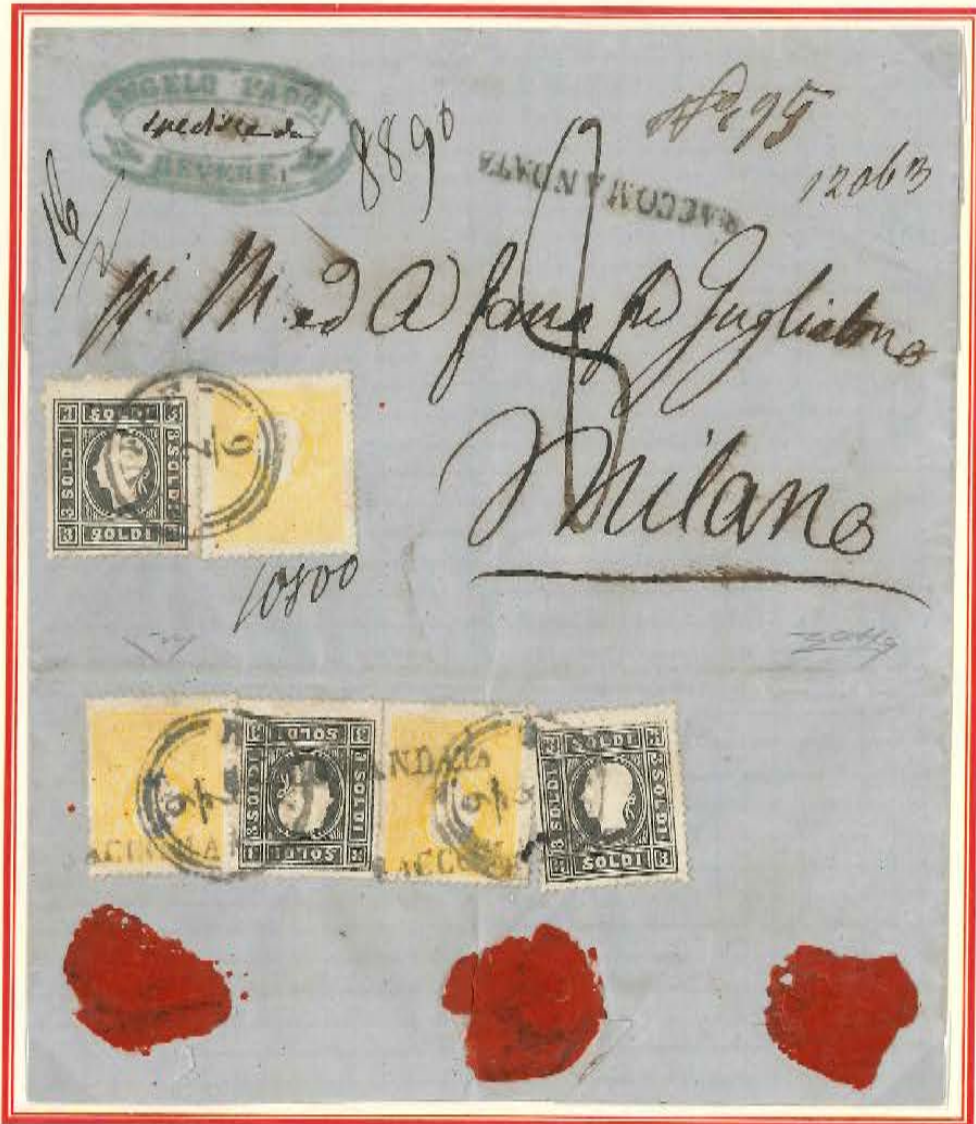


**5soldi** Single letter rate from the first Austrian distance (up to 75km.) paid to the border, from Adria (31.3.61) to Bologna. **Charged 2tenths on delivery (20cents of Italian lira) for domestic rate.**



**5soldi** Single letter rate from the first Austrian distance (up to 75km.) paid to the border from Verona (22.6.61) to Desenzano. **Charged 2tenths on delivery (20cents of Italian lira) for domestic rate.**

I-2) March 17, 1861 to May 14, 1862



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**5soldi + 10soldi (backside, for Austrian registration fee)**

Single registered letter rate (first Austrian distance) paid to the border, from Revere (2.6.61), to Milan. Charged on delivery 8tenths: 2tenths each 10grams (16grams weight, docketed on top left front side) plus 4tenths for Italian registration fee.

I-2) March 17, 1861 to May 14, 1862



**10soldi** Single letter rate (second Austrian distance) paid to the Italian border from Venice (19.1.61) to Naples. Charged 2tenths in Italy and 5grana on delivery at Naples.



part backside



**10soldi + 10soldi (backside for Austrian registration fee)**

Single registered letter rate (second Austrian distance) paid to the Italian border from Venice (10.11.61) to Milan. Charged 8tenths on delivery: 4tenths for double weight (plus of 10grams but less of 1 Austrian lot, 17,5grams) plus 4tenths for the Italian registration fee.

I-2) March 17, 1861 to May 14, 1862



**10soldi** Single letter rate (second Austrian distance), paid to the Italian border from Feltre (4.5.61) to Turin. Charged 4tenths on delivery for double letter rate, plus of ten grams weight but less than 17,5 grams (1 Austrian lot).



**10soldi** Single letter rate (second Austrian distance), paid to the Italian border from Feltre (4.5.62) to Milan. The letter starts one day before resumption of the Convention and arrives one day after resumption, so it was considered unpaid and charged on delivery 4tenths: rated as cover from first Austrian to second Italian distance according to the new Convention.



I-2) March 17, 1861 to May 14, 1862



**15soldi** Single letter rate (third Austrian distance), paid to the Italian border from Tolmezzo (18.3.61) to Milan. Charged 2tenths on delivery for single letter rate. Second day of the Italian Kingdom.



**15Nkr** Single letter rate (third Austrian distance), paid to the Italian border from Wien (25.11.61) to Milan. Charged 4tenths on delivery for double letter rate (docketed 12grams/2 on top left front), plus of 10grams weight but less than 17,5grams (1 Austrian lot).

I-2) March 17, 1861 to May 14, 1862



30Nkr Double letter rate (third Austrian distance), paid to the Italian border from St. Lorenzen (30.12.61) to Naples. Charged 6tenths in Italy and 15 grana on delivery for triple letter rate, plus of twenty grams but less than 2 Austrian lots.



25soldi Single letter rate from Udine (9.7.61) to Recanati, sent "per Trieste" and from there "via di mare" with the Austrian Lloyd; paid 15soldi for the third Austrian distance and 10soldi for the Lloyd entitlements. Charged 05 bajocchi at Ancona (old Pontifical rate) converted in 2 tenths on delivery at Recanati.

I-2) March 17, 1861 to May 14, 1862



6tenths Single letter rate sent unpaid from Venice (21.2.62) to Brescia. Sent through the Switzerland and charged on delivery 25cents to Austria, 15cents to Switzerland and 20cents to Italy.



35Nkr Single letter rate paid to destination through Switzerland (docketed 35 on the back side) from Cattaro (19.1.62) to Messina. Despite the St. Andrew cross indicating payment, barred on the front side, inexplicably sent via Desenzano and charged on delivery 2tenths for the Italian rate.

"via Switzerland"



**5soldi** Single letter rate from the first Austrian distance, insufficiently paid from Venice (19.12.61) to Lovere. Sent through Switzerland to allow the recovery of the missing entitlements for Austria and Switzerland. Postage value completely lost and charged on delivery 6tenths: 25cents to Austria, 15cents to Switzerland and 20cents to Italy.



**45Nkr** Single letter rate sent through Switzerland, paid to destination, from Pola (22.3.62) to Saltrio, Como. The letter pays single Austrian and Swiss rate (15 + 10Nkr each Austrian lot) but double Italian rate (20Nkr) weighing more than 10 grams.

II-1) May 15, 1862 to middle June 1866



20cents

Double letter rate paid to destination from Guidizzolo (16.5.62) to Peschiera. Second day of resumption of the Convention; double 10cents rate for offices close together up to 15km.



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60cents

Double registered letter rate paid to destination from Guidizzolo (30.7.63) to Peschiera. Double 10cents rate for offices close together up to 15km., plus 40cents for the registration fee.



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**25cents** Single letter rate paid to destination from Modena (31.12.62) to Venice. **First Italian to first Austrian distance.**



**50cents** Double letter rate paid to destination from Brescia (14.5.63) to Mantova. **First Italian to first Austrian distance.**



75cents Triple letter rate paid to destination from Ferrara (5.11.64) to Massa. First Italian to first Austrian distance.-



65cents Single registered letter rate from Nuvoletto (17.1.65) to Storo. First Italian to first Austrian distance: 25cents plus 40cents for the registration fee.



**75cents** Insufficiently quintuple rate (70grams) letter from Brescia (24.1.63) to Padua, first Italian to first Austrian distance. Paid 10cents more of the Italian entitlements (13cents. every 15 grams) and erroneously charged on delivery 10Nkr instead of 16Nkr. From October 1, 1862 the postage value affixed to the letter were countered charging on delivery.



II-1) May 15, 1862 to middle June 1866



40cents Single letter rate paid to destination from Bergamo-Bassa (25.8.63) to Triest. **First Italian to second Austrian distance.**



80cents Single registered letter rate from Desenzano (2.9.63) to Triest. **First Italian to second Austrian distance: 40cents plus 40cents for the registration fee.**

II-1) May 15, 1862 to middle June 1866



25cents Insufficiently single letter rate from Toscolano (8.6.63) to Pordenone. First Italian to second Austrian distance. Paid 12cents more ("DEBITO ITALIANO CENT.12") of the Italian entitlements (13cents every 15 grams) and charged on delivery 5Nkr: 10Nkr. for the second Austrian distance less 12cents (5Nkr) overpaid by the sender. Postage value countered in charging on delivery.



80cents Double letter rate paid to destination from Brescia (16.3.65) to Triest. First Italian to second Austrian distance



21Nkr Single letter rate sent unpaid from Desenzano (15.5.62) to Wien. First Italian to third Austrian distance. **First day of the new Convention.**



50cents Single letter rate paid to destination from Modena (6.4.66) to Wien. First Italian to third Austrian distance. Charged 5Nkr. (inland rate) for the new sending from Wien to Praguc.



25cents Single letter rate sent insufficiently paid from Bergamo-Bassa (12.12.62) to Wien. First Italian to third Austrian distance. Paid 12cents more of the Italian entitlements (13cents every 15 grams) and charged on delivery 10Nkr: 15Nkr. for the third Austrian distance less 12cents (5Nkr) overpaid by the sender. From October 1, 1862 the postage value affixed to the letter, had to be considered in charging on delivery.



90cents Single registered letter rate paid to destination from Modena (10.8.63) to Szamos Uyvar. First Italian to third Austrian distance: 50cents plus 40cents for the registration fee.

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**40cents** Single letter rate paid to destination from Lecco (21.2.63) to Padua. **Second Italian to first Austrian distance.**



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**40cents** Single letter rate paid to destination from Milan (20.8.63) to Padua. **Second Italian to first Austrian distance.**



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**10grana(40cents)** Single letter rate paid to destination from Naples (16.8.62) to Venice. **Second Italian to first Austrian distance with the special stamps in use on the Neapolitan Provinces. The 10grana stamp is a forgery to defraud postal administration.**



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**80cents** Double letter rate from Milan (12.9.63) to Venice. **Second Italian to first Austrian distance.**



**50cents** Single letter rate, sent insufficiently paid from Rimini (7.12.64) to Fonzaso. Second Italian to second Austrian distance. Paid 22cents more ("DEBITO ITALIANO CENT.22") of the Italian entitlements (28cents every 15 grams) and charged on delivery 1Nkr: 10Nkr for the second Austrian distance less 22cents (rounded up to 9Nkr) overpaid by the sender. From October 1, 1862 postage value were countered in charging on delivery.



**80cents** Triple letter-rate insufficiently paid from Cardano (16.3.64) to Verona. Second Italian to first Austrian distance. Paid 4cents less ("CREDITO ITALIANO CENT.4") of the Italian entitlements (28cents every 15 grams) and charged on delivery 17Nkr: 15Nkr for triple first Austrian distance plus 4cents (rounded up to 2Nkr) for deficient Italian entitlements.

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55cents

Single letter rate paid to destination from Turin (9.6.62) to Treviso. Second Italian to second Austrian distance.



40cents

Single letter rate insufficiently paid from Milan (15.9.62) to Udine. Second Italian to second Austrian distance, charged on delivery 21Nkr as unpaid letter. Postage value completely lost, till September 30, 1862.



II-1) May 15, 1862 to middle June 1866



110cents Double letter rate paid to destination from Turin (21.7.62) to Triest. Second Italian to second Austrian distance.



220cents Quadruple letter rate from Como (28.10.63) to Belluno. Second Italian to second Austrian distance.



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**65cents** Single letter rate paid to destination from Florence (10.1.63) to Wien. **Second Italian to third Austrian distance.**



**60cents** Single letter rate, sent insufficiently paid from Florence (20.12.62) to Wien. **Second Italian to third Austrian distance. Paid 32cents more of the Italian entitlements (28cents every 15 grams) and charged on delivery 2Nkr: 15Nkr. for the third Austrian distance less 32cents (13Nkr) overpaid by the sender. From October 1, 1862 postage value computed in charging on delivery.**



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105cents

Single registered letter rate paid to destination from Florence (20.1.63) to Wien. Second Italian to third Austrian distance: 65cents plus 40cents for the registration fee. The letter, suspected carrying money (that was found as "un quarto di Napoleone d'oro") was opened in Venice and not delivered. The Convention didn't allow sending money inside the covers.



5cents Single printed matter (up to 17,5 grams) paid to destination, from Milan (14.9.62) to Trento.



5cents Single printed matter paid to destination, from Bergamo-Bassa (23.12.62) to Bassano.

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Newspapers and wrappers

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Nel Regno d'Italia L. 5, 00



le Feste c. 5

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COLLA CIVILTÀ

mo quelli che succedono ai festivi.

LE ASSOCIAZIONI

ESCLUSIVAMENTE

In Torino all'Ufficio del Giornale, via della Zecca casa Birago, N° 34, piano terreno. — In Roma da sig. Alessandro Defani, via del Seminario, N° 428 — In Firenze dal librai Luigi Mannelli. — In Napoli alla libreria francese, strada Medina, N° 64. — In Brescia dal librai Boglietti.

Non si ricevono lettere e pieghi, se non franchi. Non si restituiscono i manoscritti.

Fortiter et suaviter.

SAP. VII.



partecipe il ministero, ni moti, il colonnello nero arrestati, e tra e d'Alessandria; ma duto accetta, accetta,

E finalmente dal seno stesso del ministero esce il dottore Guerzoni e si protesta reo come gli altri. Egli « assume la sua parte di colpa e proclama quanto più alto si possa: *Anch'io sono delinquente* ». Sicchè dei varibaldini che seppero

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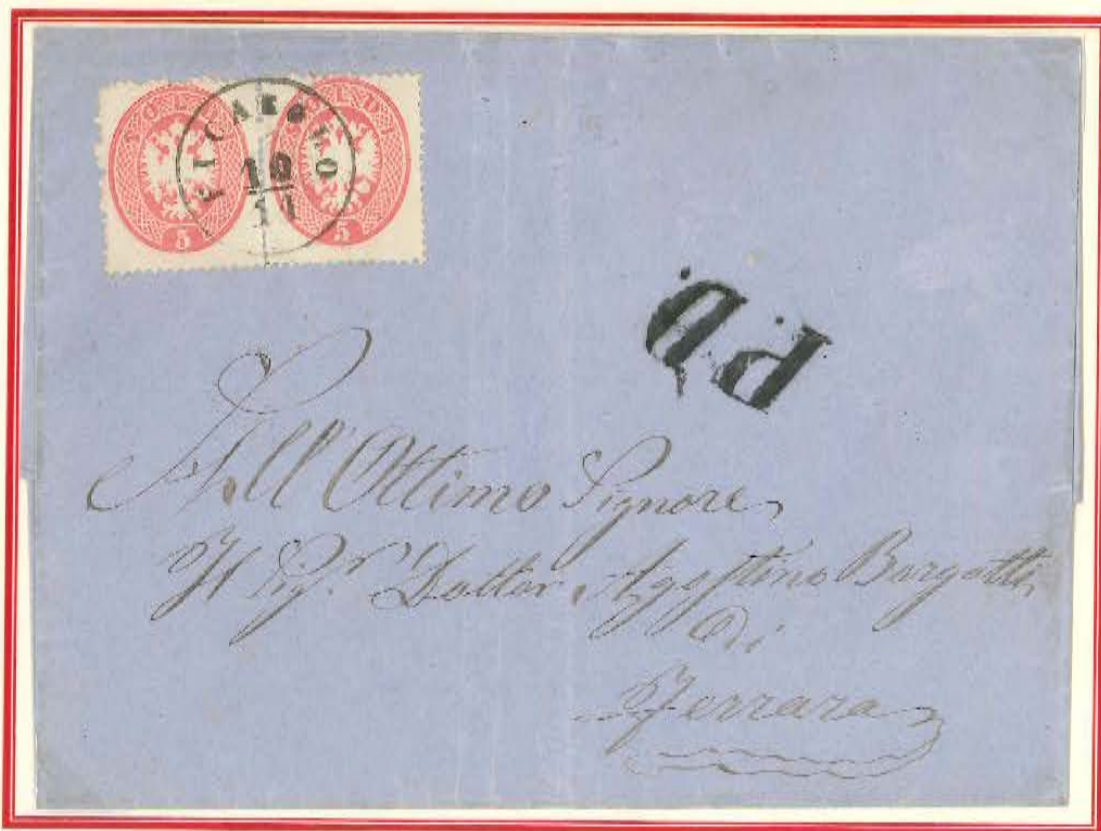
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**5 or 10cents** Single or double rate for newspapers and wrapper (up to 15grams and up to 30grams) sent paid to destination from Torino (31.5.62), Firenze (22.9.65) and Amb.c da Torino a Milano (8.1.66); charged on delivery 2kr. as censorship for the foreign newspapers with the special Austrian newspapers tax stamps or with tax marking.



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**5soldi** Single letter rate paid to destination from Ficarolo (24.9.63) to Ferrara. **Reduced rate for offices close together up to 15km.**



**10soldi** Double letter rate paid to destination from Ficarolo (10.11.63) to Ferrara. **Double reduced 5soldi rate for offices close together up to 15km.**



**5soldi** Single letter rate insufficiently paid from Venice (17.5.62) to Ravenna. First Austrian to first Italian distance, charged on delivery 2,5tenths as unpaid letter. Third day of the convention's resumption.



**20soldi** Double letter rate correctly paid to destination, from Venice (18.5.62, one day later the cover above) to Ravenna. First Austrian to first Italian distance; we can read inside: "on the one of sixteen, I used the normal stamp, so you had to pay a small charge but nothing I knew about the "Lega" was resumed from fifteen nor indeed any information is affixed at the post office"!



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**10Nkr** Single letter rate paid to destination from Riva (18.4.66) to Desenzano. **First Austrian to first Italian distance.**



**20soldi** Double letter rate paid to destination from Venice (2.4.65) to Parma. **First Austrian to first Italian distance.**





**16soldi** Single letter rate paid to destination from Padua (15.5.62) to Milan. First Austrian to second Italian distance. First day of the new Convention.



**16soldi** Single letter rate paid to destination from Revere (26.6.62) to Milan. First Austrian to second Italian distance.

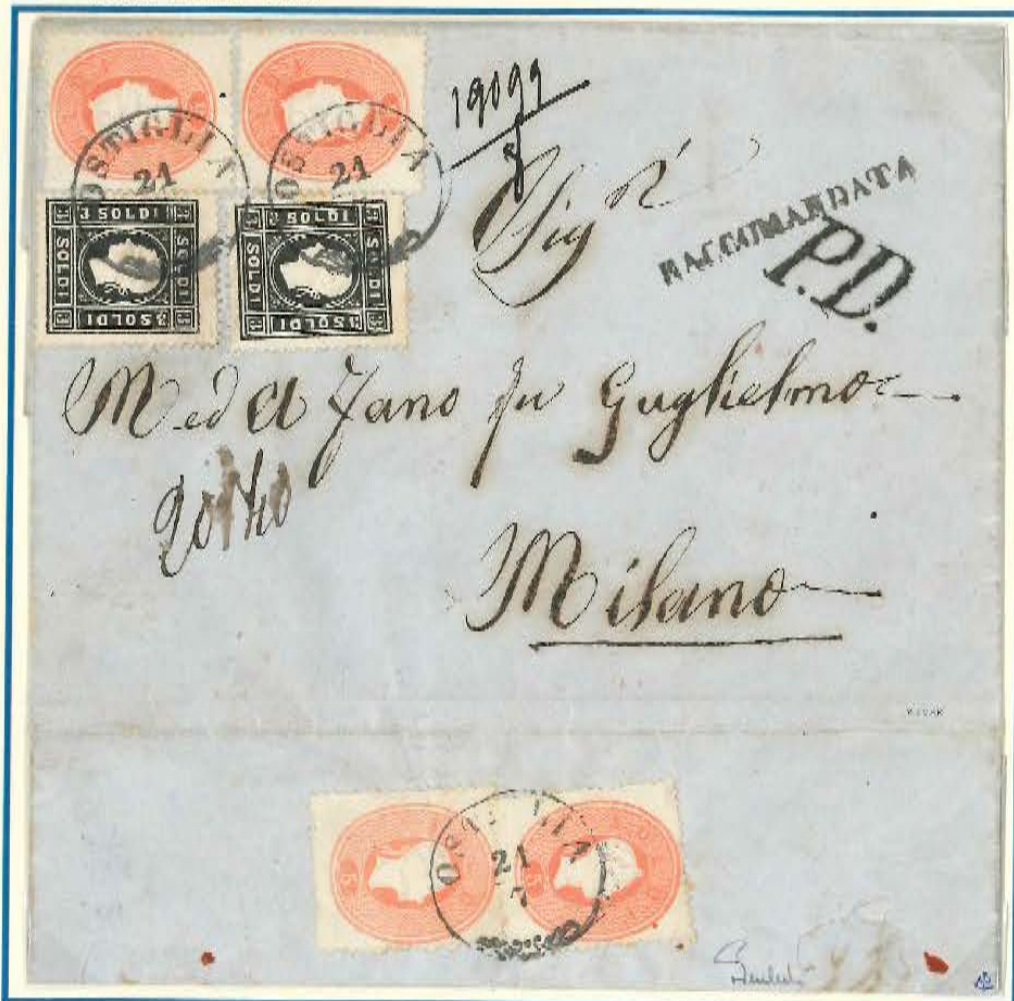
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II-2) May 15, 1862 to middle June 1866



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**16soldi** Insufficiently double letter rate paid to destination from Revere (3.6.62) to Milan. First Austrian to second Italian distance; charged on delivery 8tenths as unpaid double letter; postage value totally lost.



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**16soldi+10soldi (for Austrian registration fee)** Single registered letter rate paid to destination from Ostiglia (21.7.62) to Milan. First Austrian to second Italian distance.



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**16soldi** Single letter rate paid to destination from Sermide (19.8.63) to Milan;  
First Austrian to second Italian distance.



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**17soldi** Single letter rate paid to destination from Verona (4.5.63) to Milan; First Austrian  
to second Italian distance. Overpaid 1soldo.



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**16soldi** Single letter rate sent paid to destination from S. Bonifacio (17.4.66) to Milan. First Austrian to second Italian distance.



**32soldi** Double letter rate sent paid to destination from Venice (6.8.62) to Genes. First Austrian to second Italian distance.



**16soldi**

Single letter rate for a demand claim from Padua (12.1.64) to Bormio. According to the Convention, the rate for the claims was the same of the letters: first Austrian to second Italian distance.



**16Nkr** Single letter rate sent paid to destination from Triest (2.5.65) to Modena. Second Austrian to first Italian distance.



**16soldi** Double letter rate insufficiently paid from Treviso (5.6.62) to Ravenna. Second Austrian to first Italian distance, charged on delivery as totally unpaid letter: 40cents x 2=8tenths.



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**21soldi** Single letter rate sent paid to destination from Udine (4.6.62) to Milan. **Second Austrian to second Italian distance.**



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**21soldi** Single letter rate sent paid to destination from Palma (27.3.63) to Milan. **Second Austrian to second Italian distance.**



**10soldi** Single letter rate insufficiently paid from Castel Franco (18.11.65) to Milan. **Second Austrian to second Italian distance, charged on delivery 3tenths for the second Italian rate. N.A.= "Non Addebitato"** because the postage stamp value was correct for the Austrian entitlement.



**42soldi** Double letter rate sent paid to destination from Ceneda (24.11.62) to Milan. **Second Austrian to second Italian distance (21Nkr x 2).**

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21soldi Single letter rate sent paid to destination from Udine (16.2.64) to Milan. Second Austrian to second Italian distance.



21Nkr Double letter rate sent insufficiently paid from Trieste (2.10.63) to Milan. Paid 1Nkr more than double Austrian entitlements (10Nkr x 2) and charged on delivery 6tenths for double Italian entitlements (28cents x 2 rounded up to 60cents).



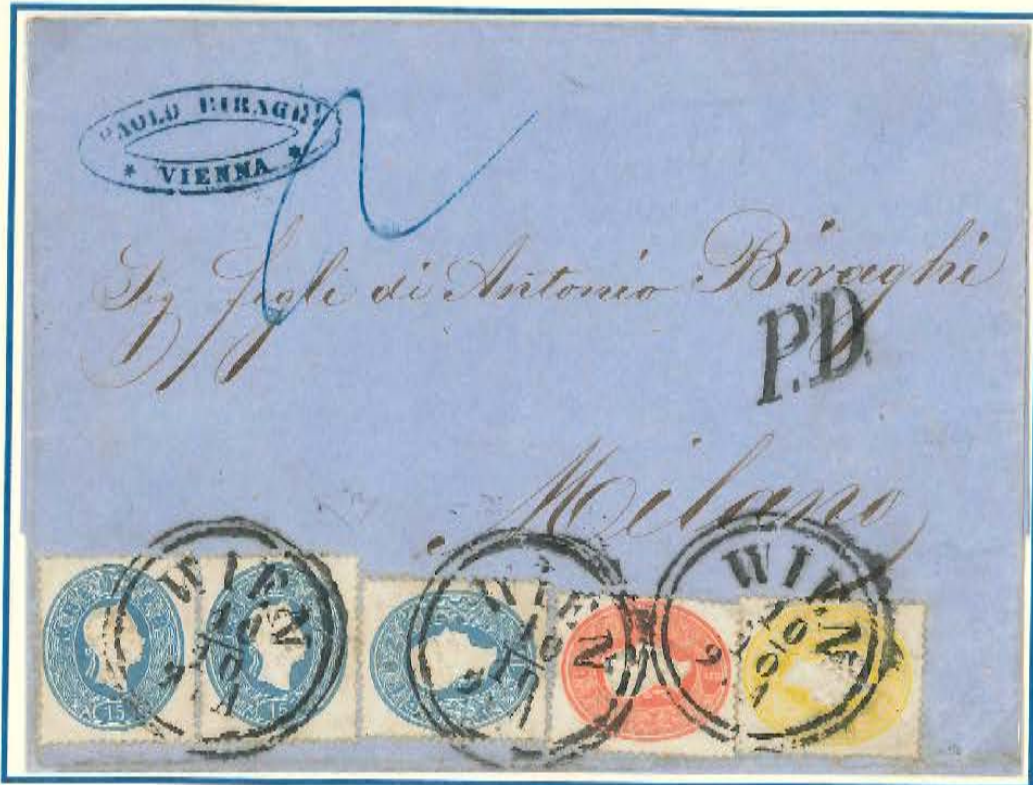
**26Nkr** Single letter rate sent paid to destination from Wien (2.8.62) to Milan. **Third Austrian to second Italian distance.**



**26Nkr** Single letter rate sent paid to destination from Wien (15.5.63) to Ferrara. **Third Austrian to second Italian distance.**



**27Nkr** Single letter rate sent paid to destination from Wien (3.7.62) to Milan. **Third Austrian to second Italian distance, overpaid 1Nkr.**



**52Nkr** Double letter rate paid to destination from Wien (10.10.62) to Milan. **Third Austrian to second Italian distance.**



27Nkr Single letter rate sent paid to destination from Wien (1.9.64) to Milan. **Third Austrian to second Italian distance, overpaid 1Nkr.**



52Nkr Double letter rate paid to destination from Wien (5.9.64) to Milan. **Third Austrian to second Italian distance.**



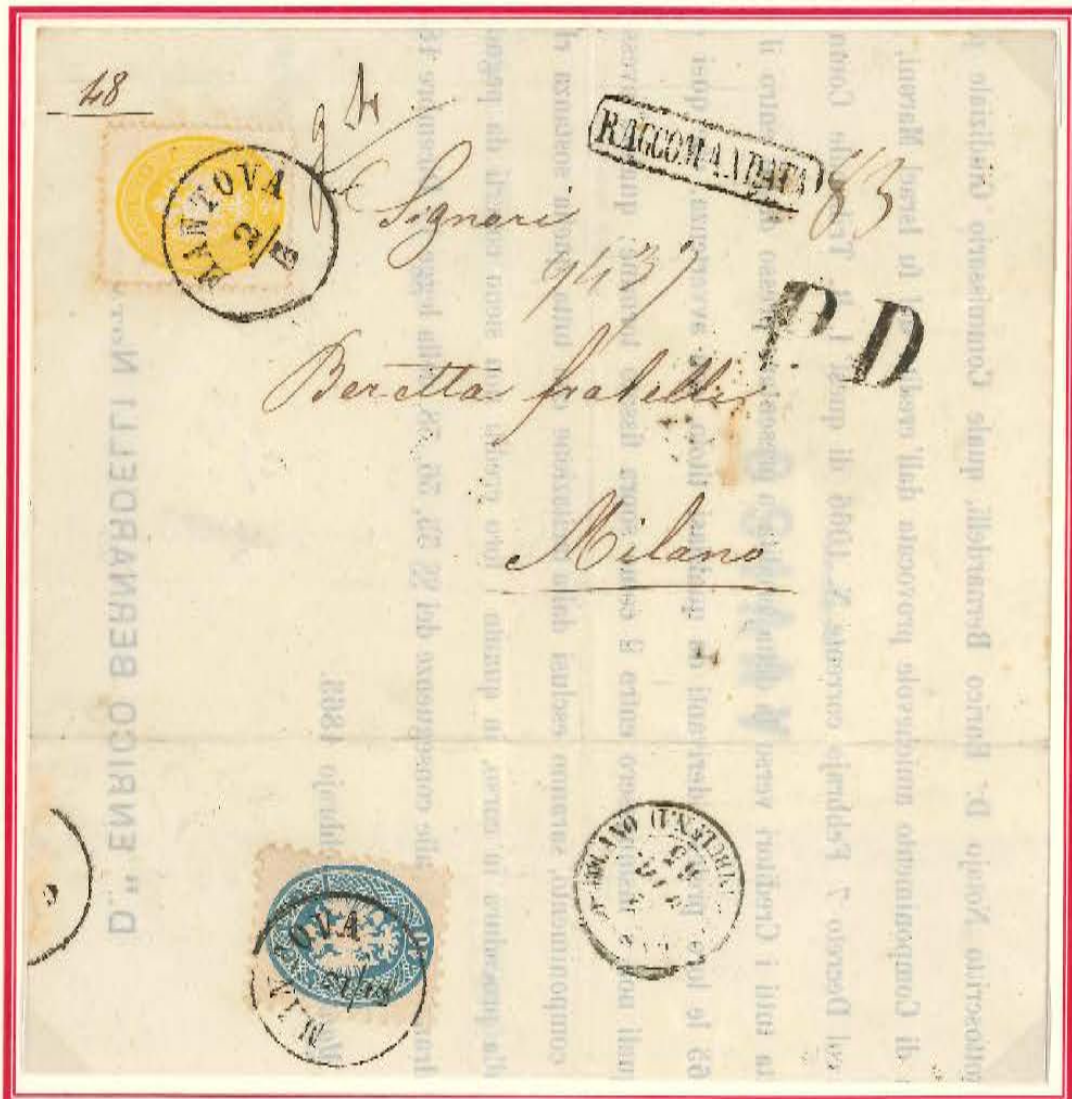
25Nkr Single letter rate insufficiently paid from Trieste (21.12.64) to Ancona. **Third Austrian to second Italian distance paid 10Nkr more of the Austrian entitlements (15Nkr) "DEBITO AUSTR. SOLDI 10"; charged on delivery half a tenth for the Italian entitlements (28cents, rounded to 3tenths) less 10kr (25cents) overpaid Austrian rate.**



26Nkr Double letter rate sent insufficiently paid from Wien (11.10.63) to Florence. **Paid 4Nkr less of the Austrian entitlements (15Nkr. x 2) "CRED. AUS. S.di 4"; considered on delivery as triple rate and charged 9,5tenths for triple Italian entitlements (28cents x 3) plus 4Nkr (10cents) underpaid Austrian rate.**



**4soldi** Double wrapper rate paid to destination from Padua (26.10.62) to Alexandria.



**2soldi +10soldi (for Austrian registration fee)** Single registered printed matter rate paid to destination from Mantua (2.3.65) to Milan.



"Via Switzerland"



**60cents** Single letter rate paid to destination from Florence (12.7.66) to Sanguinetto. Sent through the Switzerland, the rate was as follows: 20cents to Italy, 15cents to Switzerland and 25cents to Austria.



**20cents** Single letter rate insufficiently paid from Schio (14.8.66) to Mantua. Sent through the Switzerland; charged in transit 10Nkr to Switzerland and 15Nkr to Austria (25Nkr on delivery). First recorded use of the Italian stamps at Schio.



"Via Switzerland"



20cents Single letter rate insufficiently paid from Bergamo-Bassa (14.7.66) to Verona. Sent through the Switzerland, charged on delivery 10Nkr to Switzerland and 15Nkr to Austria.



40cents Single letter rate insufficiently paid from Torino (19.7.66) to Mantua. Sent through the Switzerland; uncharged on transit through Switzerland because the postage value of 40cents was enough for Italian and Swiss entitlements; charged on delivery 15Nkr for domestic Austrian rate.

"Via Switzerland"



60cents Single letter rate paid to destination from Bergamo-Bassa (21.8.66) to Wien. Sent through the Switzerland; the rate was as follows: 20cents to Italy, 15cents to Switzerland and 25cents to Austria.

"Via Switzerland and Austria to Bayern"



60cents Single letter rate paid to destination from Florence (11.8.66) to Kissingen. Sent through the Switzerland and Austria; the rate was as follows: 20cents to Italy, 15cents to Switzerland and 25cents to D.Ö.P.V.

III-2) Middle June to early September 1866

"Via Switzerland"

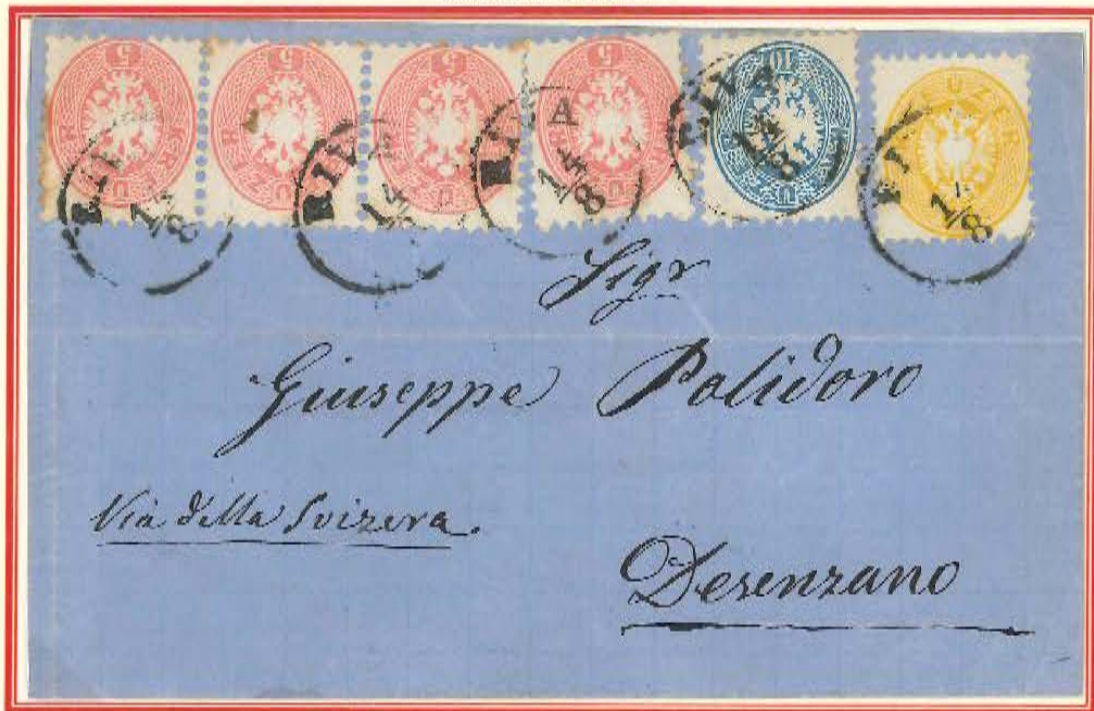


**35soldi** Single letter rate sent paid to destination from Vicenza (22.6.66) to Cremona. Sent through the Switzerland: 15soldi to Austria, 10soldi to Switzerland and 10soldi to Italy



**35soldi** Single letter rate sent paid to destination from Venice (21.6.66) to Brescia. Sent through the Switzerland: 15soldi to Austria, 10soldi to Switzerland and 10soldi to Italy

"Via Switzerland"



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32Nkr Single letter rate sent paid to destination from Riva (14.8.66) to Desenzano. Sent through the Switzerland: 10Nkr to Austria (second distance), 10Nkr to Switzerland and 10Nkr to Italy; overpaid 2kr.



35Nkr Single letter rate sent paid to destination from Trieste (27.7.66) to Molfetta. Sent through the Switzerland: 15Nkr to Austria, 10Nkr to Switzerland and 10Nkr to Italy.

"Via Switzerland"



25Nkr

Single letter rate insufficiently paid from Roveredo (16.8.66) to Toscolano. Sent through the Switzerland and charged on delivery 3tenths only for Italian entitlements.



16soldi

Single letter rate insufficiently paid from Venice (15.9.66) to Turin. Sent through the Switzerland and charged on delivery 3,5tenths for Italian entitlements.

“Via Switzerland”



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**26Nkr** Single letter rate insufficiently paid from Wien (12.7.66) to Milan. Sent through the Switzerland and charged on delivery 2tenths for Italian rate.



**26Nkr** Single letter rate insufficiently paid from Wien (25.8.66) to Padua. Sent through the Switzerland and charged on delivery 4tenths for double Italian rate.

"Via Switzerland"



**45Nkr plus 10Nkr (on the backside for Austrian registration fee).** Single letter rate sent paid to destination from Trieste (11.8.66) to Bologna. Sent through the Switzerland: 15Nkr to Austria, 10Nkr to Switzerland, 20Nkr (over 10gr.) to Italy.



**6Nkr** Single printed matter rate sent paid to destination from Trieste (4.8.66) to Naples. Sent through the Switzerland: 2Nkr to Austria, 2Nkr to Switzerland and 2Nkr to Italy. The only printed matter known to me.

IV-1) Early September 1866 to September 30, 1867

Provisional use of Austrian stamps in the liberated Venetia



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**8soldi** Single letter rate sent paid to destination from Vicenza (21.7.66) to Modena. Provisional use of Austrian stamps with the Italian rate of 20cents (8soldi) during the first period of the Italian liberation: Vicenza was liberated on July 15.



**5soldi** Single inland Austrian letter rate from Sacile (12.8.66) to Conegliano. Both the towns were liberated on middle July so the cover was considered unpaid and charged on delivery 12Nkr (30cents) as unpaid Italian rate.





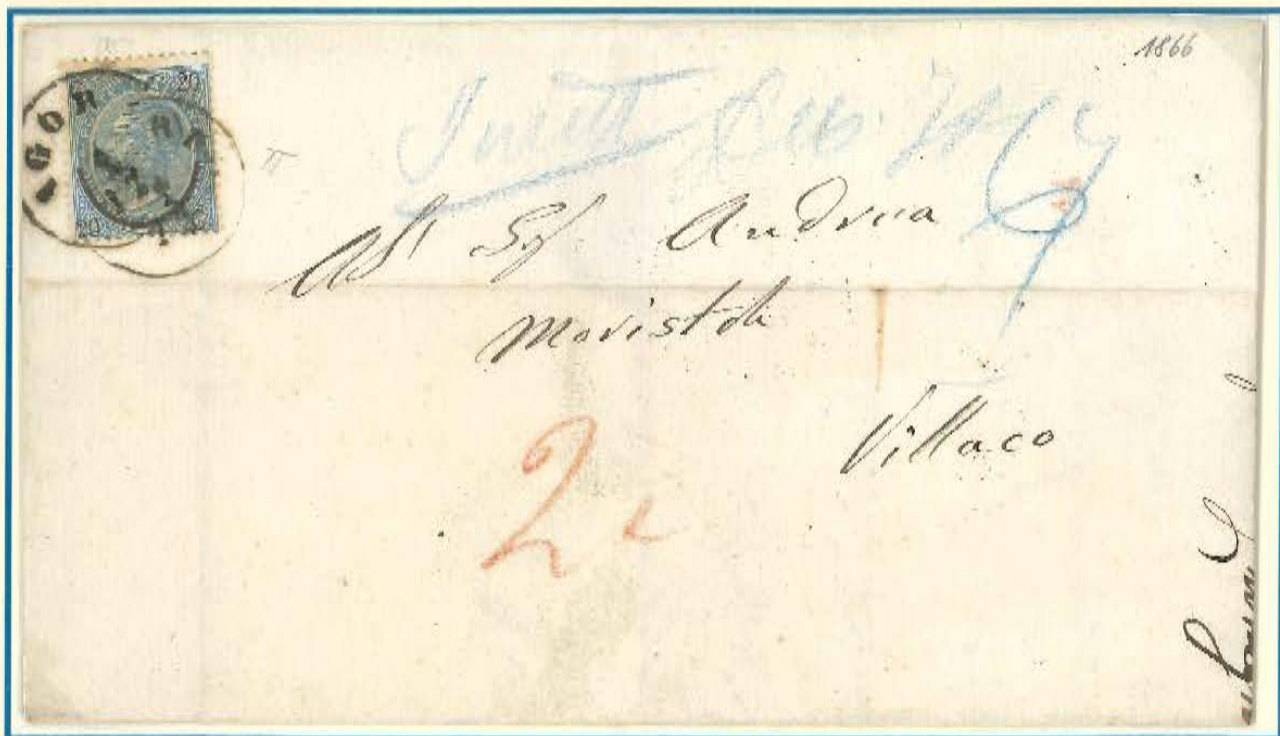
**20cents** Insufficiently paid single letter rate from Modena (27.9.66) to Venice. Paid 7cents more of the Italian entitlements (DEBITO ITALIANO CENT. 7), charged on delivery 2Nkr: 5Nkr (inland first Austrian distance) less 7cents (3Nkr) overdue Italian rate.



**200cents** Quadruple registered letter rate from Milan (25.9.66) to Mantua. Paid four time 40cents rate for covers from second Italian to first Austrian distance, plus 40cents for the registration fee.



**20cents** Insufficiently paid single letter rate from Pieve di Soligo (15.9.66) to Villaco. Paid 7cents more of the Italian entitlements (DEBITO ITALIANO CENT. 7), charged on delivery 12Nkr: 15Nkr (inland third Austrian distance) less 7cents (3Nkr) overdue Italian rate.



**20cents** Insufficiently paid single letter rate from Agordo (2.12.66) to Villaco. Paid 7cents more of the Italian entitlements (Insuff. Deb. It. C. 7), charged on delivery 2Nkr: 5Nkr (inland uniform Austrian distance) less 7cents (3Nkr) overdue Italian rate.

IV-1) Early September 1866 to September 30, 1867



25cents Single letter rate paid to destination from Bergamo Bassa (16.10.66) to Mantua. **Overpaid 5cents because Mantua was still Italian from October 11.**



25cents Single letter rate paid to destination from Udine (15.7.67) to Trieste. **First Italian to first Austrian distance.**



**50cents** Single letter rate paid to destination from Venice(2.12.66) to Wien. **First Italian to third Austrian distance.**



**100cents** Double letter rate paid to destination from Udine (26.1.67) to Wien. **First Italian to third Austrian distance.**



**60cents** Single letter rate insufficiently paid from Naples (6.12.66) to Steyr. Paid 32cents more of the Italian entitlements (DEBITO ITALIANO CENT. 32), charged on delivery 2Nkr: 15Nkr (inland third Austrian distance) less 32cents (13Nkr) overdue Italian rate.



**170cents** Double registered letter rate paid to destination from Massa (19.5.67) to Wien. Second Italian to third Austrian distance: (65cents. x 2) plus 40cents for registration fee.

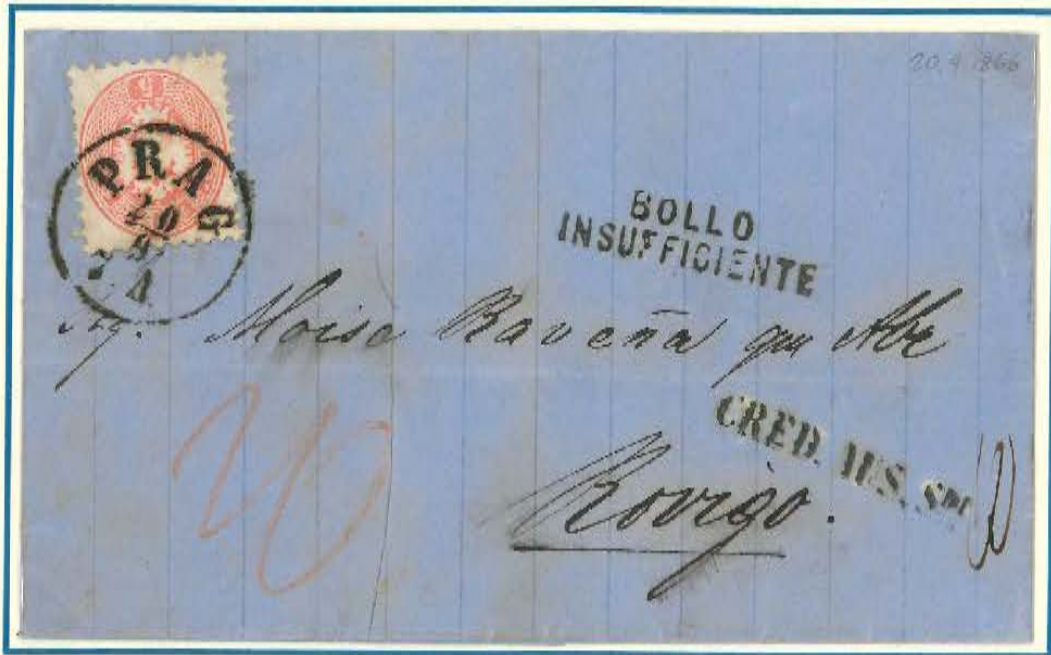
IV-2) Early September 1866 to September 30, 1867



5Nkr Single letter rate sent paid to the Austrian border from Mähr Schönberg (4.9.66) to Cittadella. Charged on delivery 2tenths (8Nkr) for internal Italian rate. N.A. (Non Addebitata) because nothing was due to Austria by Italy.



5Nkr Single letter rate sent paid to the Austrian border from Reichenberg (10.9.66) to Leghorn. Charged on delivery 3tenths for unpaid internal Italian rate. N.A. (Non Addebitata) because nothing was due to Austria by Italy.



5Nkr Single letter rate, insufficiently paid from Prague (20.9.66) to Rovigo. Charged on delivery 20Nkr: 10 to Austria (Credito Aus. S.di 10) and 10 to Italy for the second domestic distance.



5Nkr Single letter rate insufficiently paid from Wien (12.10.66) to Cittadella. Charged on delivery 16Nkr: 10 to Austria (Credito Aus. S.di 10) and 6 to Italy for the first domestic distance.



5Nkr

Single letter rate, insufficiently paid from Wien (18.10.66) to Padua. Charged on delivery 15Nkr: 10 to Austria (Credito Aus. S.di 10) and 5 to Italy for the first domestic distance.



10Nkr

Double letter rate insufficiently paid from Wien (16.10.66) to Padua. Charged on delivery 30Nkr: 20 to Austria (Credito Aus. S.di 20) and 10 to Italy for double first domestic distance.



IV-2) Early September 1866 to September 30, 1867



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**30soldi** Triple letter rate paid to destination from Mantua (10.9.66) to Brescia. **First Austrian to first Italian distance. First day of the Convention resumption.**



**30Nkr.** Double registered (10Nkr. for the registration fee affixed on the back) letter rate paid to destination from Condino (23.5.67) to Verona. **First Austrian to first Italian distance. The 10Nkr on the front cancelled in transit at Rovereto.**



**17Nkr**

Single letter rate paid to destination from Trieste (25.1.67) to Bologna. First Austrian to second Italian distance. Overpaid 1Nkr.



**21Nkr**

Single letter rate paid to destination from Wien (25.9.67) to Udine. Third Austrian to first Italian distance.



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**52Nkr** Double registered letter rate paid to destination from Wien (17.5.67) to Venice. **Third Austrian to first Italian distance.**



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**26Nkr** Single letter rate paid to destination from Wien (3.5.67) to Bologna. **Third Austrian to second Italian distance.**



15cents Single letter rate paid to destination from Udine (6.1.70) to Gradisca. Special reduced rate for offices neighboring within 30Km. according to the new Austro-Italian Convention.



25cents Single letter rate insufficiently paid from Desenzano (1.10.67) to Pergine. First day of the new Austro-Italian Convention. Paid 5cents less of the Italian entitlements (Credito Italiano cent. 05) and charged on delivery 14Nkr: 12Nkr for Austrian entitlements plus 2Nkr (5cents) for underpaid Italian rate.

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40cents Single letter rate paid to destination from Gargnano (26.1.75) to Wien. **Uniform rate according to the new Convention.**



80cents Double letter rate paid to destination from Venice (16.4.68) to Trieste. **Double uniform rate according to the new Convention.**



25Nkr Single letter rate sent unpaid from Venice (30.1.69) to Wien. The unpaid letter rate was fixed in the new Convention at 60cents/25Nkr.



40cents Single letter rate franked with an already used stamp, sent from Treviso (27.9.71) to Trieste. Charged on delivery 25Nkr as unpaid letter.



**20cents** Single letter rate insufficiently paid from Verona (12.6.68) to Ala. Paid 10 cents less of the Italian entitlements (Credito Italiano cent. 10) and charged on delivery 17Nkr: 13Nkr for the Austrian entitlements plus 4Nkr(10cents) for underpaid Italian rate.



**30cents** Single letter rate insufficiently paid from Rome (8.3.73) to Wien. Paid exactly for the Italian entitlement and charged on delivery 15Nkr (rounded by excess) instead of 13Nkr for the Austrian entitlements.



**120cents** Triple letter rate paid to destination from Rome (8.1.73) to Wien. Franked three time the uniform rate of 40cents.



**110cents** Double registered letter rate paid to destination from Milan (1.7.68) to Trieste. Franked two time the uniform rate of 40cents plus 30cents for the registration fee.

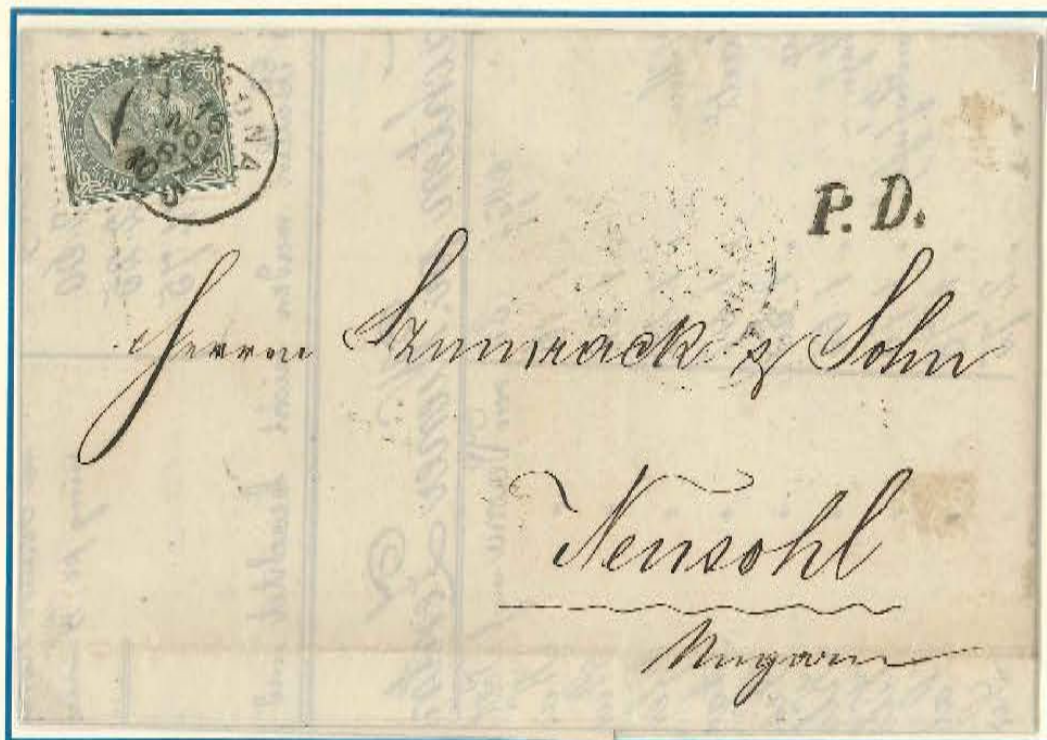




190cents Fourth registered letter rate paid to destination from Naples (30.9.70) to Wien. Franked four times the uniform rate of 40cents plus 30cents for the registration fee.



6cents Single printed matter rate paid to destination from Treviso (11.4.72) to Wien. Overpaid 1cent.



**5cents** Single printed matter rate paid to destination from Verona (16.11.67) to Neusohl, Kingdom of Hungary. The Hungarian Postal Administration became Independent from Austria on May 1, 1867 continuing to apply Austrian Postal Treaties.



**40cents** Single letter rate paid to destination from Rome (6.10.70) to Trieste. First date of the application of Austro-Italian Convention from the liberated Roman State. One of the two letters known to me with Pontifical stamps.

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V-2) October 1, 1867 to June 30, 1875



**4Nkr** Double printed matter rate paid to destination from Klagenfurt (1.9.68) to San Daniele del Friuli. Franked according to the new Austro-Italian Convention.



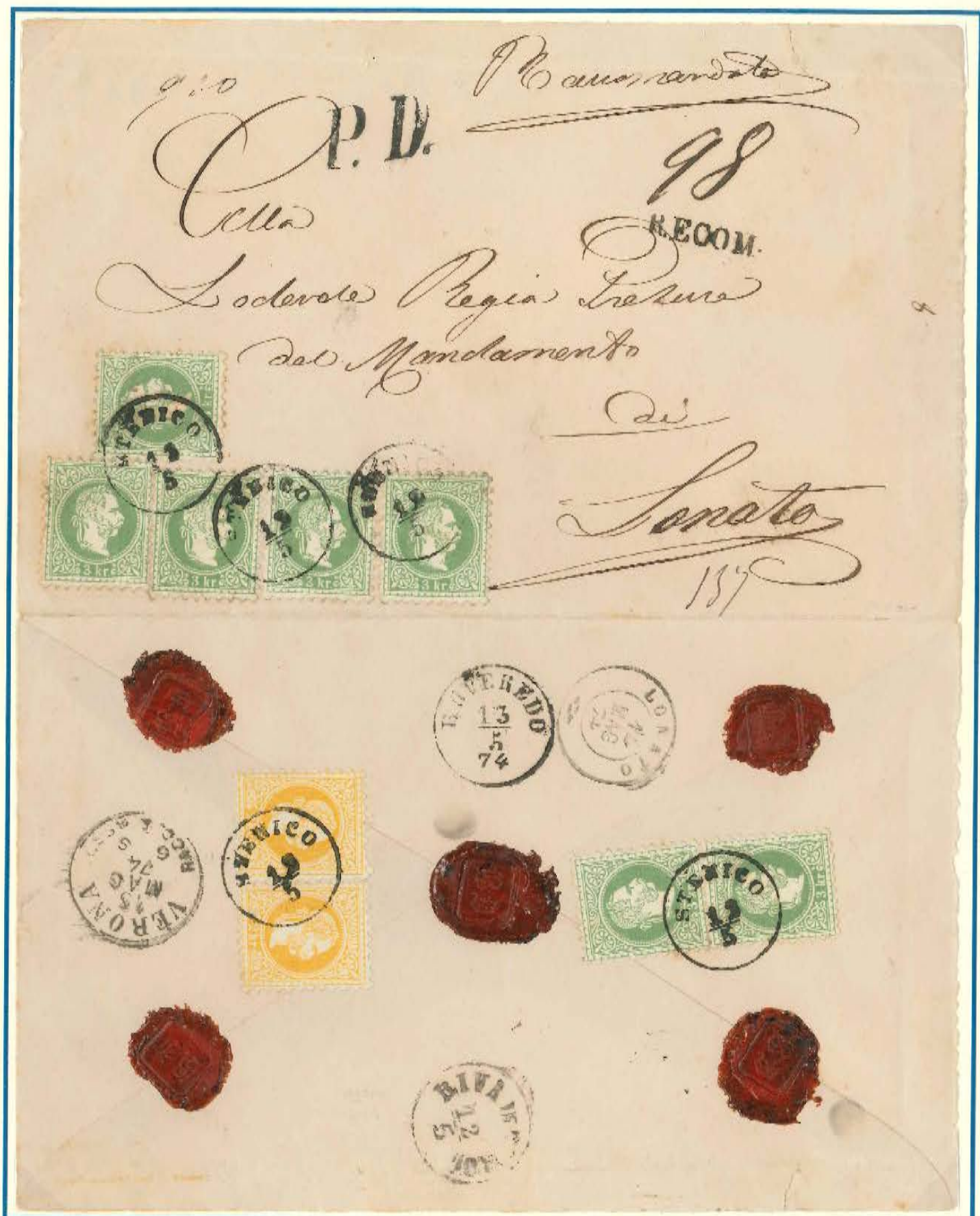
**5Nkr** Single letter rate paid to destination from Romans (17.7.74) to Palmanova. Special reduced rate for offices neighboring within 30Km. according to the new Austro-Italian Convention.



**15Nkr** Single letter rate paid to destination from Trieste (1.10.67) to Florence. Franked according to the new Austro-Italian Convention. First day of the new Convention.



**15Nkr** Single letter rate paid to destination from Trieste (30.7.69) to Florence. Franked according to the new Austro-Italian Convention.



**25Nkr** Single registered letter rate paid to destination from Sinico (12.5.74) to Lonato. Franked according to the new Austro-Italian Convention: 15Nkr. single rate plus 10Nkr for the registration fee.

V-2) October 1, 1867 to June 30, 1875



30Nkr Double letter rate paid to destination from Wien (1.10.67) to Milan. Franked two times the 15Nkr. rate.



15Nkr Postcard rate paid to destination from Wien (5.10.71) to Leghorn. From Jan.1, 1874 the new Austro-Italian Convention allowed sending Postcard at the letter rate.



**10Nkr** "Ricevuta di ritorno" paid to destination from Gimino (31.1.68) to Venice. Franked according to the new Austro-Italian Convention.



Backside



**25+10Nkr** Single rate value cover from Wien (7.1.72) to Verona. Franked according to the new Austro-Italian Convention 10Nkr for the registration fee (applied on the back side) and 25Nkr paid in cash: 15Nkr for the single letter rate and 10Nkr for the value insurance (10Nkr each 40FL.; 40FL. =100It. Lire). The value insurance always to be paid in cash.

V-2) October 1, 1867 to June 30, 1875

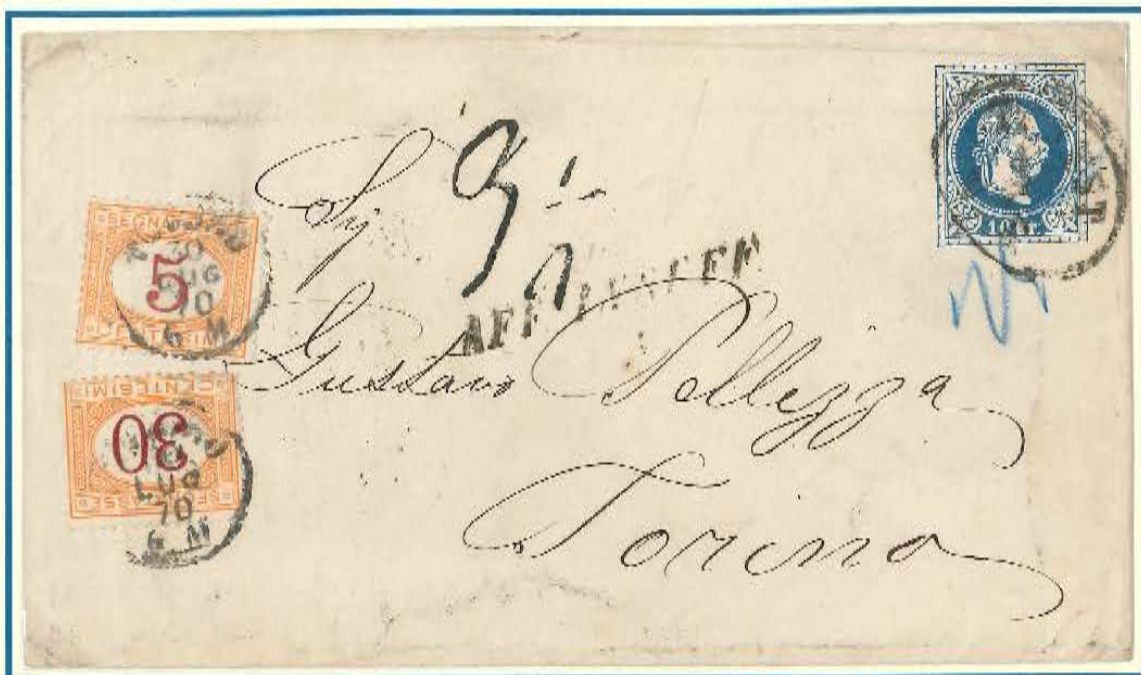


2Nkr Single letter rate insufficiently paid from Roveredo (17.7.70) to Milan. Charged on delivery 5,5tenths as unpaid letter (6tenths) less the postage value (2Nkr = 5cents)



5Nkr Single letter rate insufficiently paid from Wien (28.3.70) to Genes. Charged on delivery 5tenths as unpaid letter (6tenths) less the postage value (5Nkr = 12,5cents rounded down to 10cents)





10Nkr

Single letter rate insufficiently paid from Trieste (28.7.70) to Turin. Charged on delivery 3,5tenths as unpaid letter (6tenths) less the postage value (10Nkr = 25cents)



15Nkr

Double letter rate insufficiently paid from Roveredo (15.11.70) to Florence. Charged on delivery 8,5tenths as double unpaid letter (12tenths) less the postage value (15Nkr = 37,5cents rounded down to 35cents).

From the Hungarian Kingdom



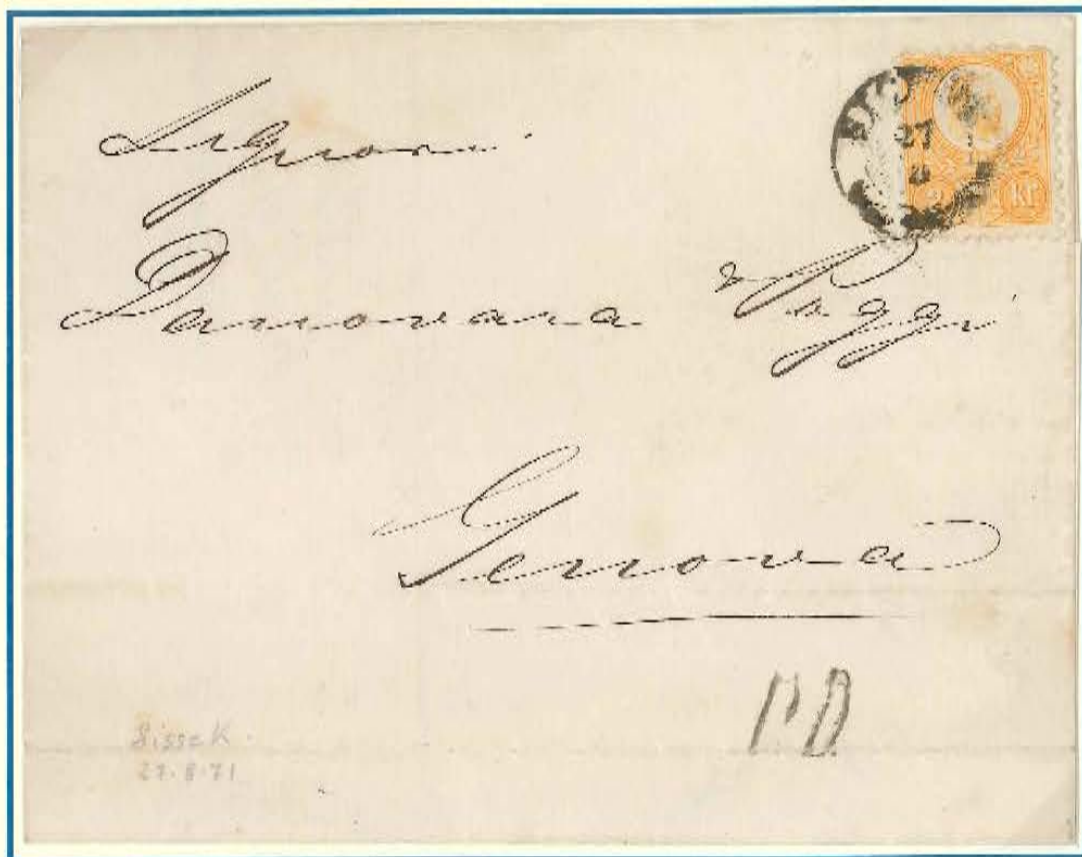
**25Nkr** Single registered letter rate paid to destination from Győr (14.7.72) to Naples. The Hungarian Postal Administration became Independent from Austria on May 1, 1867 continuing to apply Austrian Postal Treaties and using from May 1871 its own stamps.

V-2) October 1, 1867 to June 30, 1875

From the Hungarian Kingdom



5Nkr Single letter rate insufficiently paid from Brood (16.12.72) to Verona. Mistakenly sent to Venice where was charged on delivery 5tenths as unpaid letter (6tenths) less the postage value (5Nkr = 12,5cents rounded down to 10cents). Untaxed and correctly sent to Verona where was charged again 5tenths.



2Nkr Single printed matter rate paid to destination from Sissek (27.8.71) to Genes. The Hungarian Postal Administration became Independent from Austria on May 1, 1867 continuing to apply Austrian Postal Treaties and using from May 1871 its own stamps.

From the foreign Italian offices: Alessandria d'Egitto



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**100cents (1lira)** Single letter rate paid to destination from Alessandria d'Egitto (28.5.65) to Nogara. **With the resumption of the Austro-Italian Convention on May 15, 1862, covers could be sent paid to destination at 1lira rate.**



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**200cents (2lire)** Double letter rate paid to destination from Alessandria d'Egitto (5.5.64) to Venice. **With the resumption of the Austro-Italian Convention on May 15, 1862, covers could be sent paid to destination at 1lira rate.**

From the foreign Italian offices: Tunisi



**80cents** Single letter rate paid to destination from Tunisi (30.11.64) to Trieste. **With the resumption of the Austro-Italian Convention on May 15, 1862, covers could be sent paid to destination at 80cents rate.**



**60cents** Single letter rate paid to destination from Susa/Tunisi (3.8.70) to Trieste. **The new Austro-Italian Convention of October 1, 1867 allowed the reduction of the rate from 80 to 60cents.**

To Ionian Islands (then Greece from 1.1.1865)



**80cents** Single letter rate paid to destination from Leghorn (30.5.63) to Cephalonia. Probably overpaid for the French steamers but sent via Brindisi by the Lloyd Ships. Charged one penny on delivery for inland islands rate.



**65lepta** Single letter rate sent unpaid from Venice (23.4.75) to Corfu. Sent via Brindisi by the Austrian Lloyd and charged on delivery 65lepta by use of Greek postage due before G.P.U. and in the first month of use.

To Danubian Principalities



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85cents Single letter rate paid to destination from Asti (3.6.63) to Bucharest. From May 15, 1862 it was possible sending letters fully paid: 65cents till the output Austrian border plus 20cents for the Danubian Principalities.



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170cent Double letter rate paid to destination from Medole (15.6.63) to Bucharest. 65cents x 2 till the output Austrian border (130cents) and 20cents x 2 (40cents) for the Danubian Principalities.

To Ottoman Empire (Albania)



**60cents** Single letter rate paid till the Austrian Levant office of Antivari, from Venice (2.2.70) to Scutari. Charged on delivery 1 Piaster (20para x 2) for the route Antivari-Scutari.



**120cents** Double letter rate paid till the Austrian Levant office of Antivari, from Venice (16.12.70) to Scutari. Charged on delivery 1 Piaster for the route Antivari-Scutari.

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To Ottoman Empire (Turkey)



20cents Single letter rate paid to the Austro-Italian border from Milan (30.11.61) to Thessaloniki. Charged on Trieste 15Nkr converted on delivery in 2,10 Piasters plus 3 Piasters for the Austrian Lloyd and local entitlements.



110cents Single letter rate paid to destination from Milan (3.6.63) to Thessaloniki. The May 15, 1862 Austro-Italian Convention allowed sending covers to Austrian Levant offices via Trieste and Lloyd at specified rate.

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To Ottoman Empire (Turkey)



80cents Single letter rate insufficiently paid from Soresina (31.7.65) to Constantinople. The correct rate would have to be 110cents: 20cents to Italy, 40cents to Austria and 50cents to Austrian Lloyd. Charged at the Austrian Lloyd office 12Nkr converted on delivery in 2 piasters.



140cents Double 70cents letter rate paid to Austrian destination office from Milan (11.11.63) to Sistov. Rate for route by land via Pest, Alt-Orsova and Danube river. Charged on delivery 20para for the domestic rate.

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To Ottoman Empire (Cyprus Island)



60cents Single letter rate paid to destination from Venice (10.2.72) to Larnaca. Sent via Trieste and the Austrian Lloyd ships to the Austrian Levant office of destination.

Rhodes Island



120cents Double letter rate paid to destination from Florence (23.9.72) to the isle of Rhodes. Sent via Brindisi and the Austrian Lloyd ships to the Austrian Levant office of destination.

To Norway



60cents Single letter rate paid to destination from Leghorn (21.12.69) to Gremstad. Franked according to the new reduced rate of 1.8.69: 20cents to Italy (8Nkr), 15cents to Austria, 25cents foreign rate (10Nkr "Weiterfranco" docketed on the front).

To Russia



80cents Single letter rate insufficiently paid from Milan (3.12.68) to St. Petersburg. The correct rate would have to be 1lira: 20cents to Italy, 40cents to D.Ö.P.V. and 40cents to Russia. Docketed in transit 5Sbgr and 20Kop. on delivery (docketed on the back side).

From Roman States to Austria



**8bai.** Single letter rate paid according to the Italian League Convention but valid only to the Italian border from Rome (15.4.61) to Wien. Sent through Switzerland, owing interrupted Austro-Italian relationship and charged on delivery 35Nkr: 10Nkr to Italy, 10Nkr to Switzerland and 15Nkr to Austria



**8bai.** Single letter rate paid as for Italian League Convention from Rome (10.6.63) to Pieve, valid only to the Italian border. Sent through Italy and charged on delivery 13Nkr: 8Nkr to Italy and 5Nkr to Austria for the first domestic distance.



From Roman States to Austria



**40cents** Single letter rate paid according to the Austro-Papal Convention of April 20, 1868 from Rome (8.2.69) to Trieste. Paid only to the Italian border and charged on delivery 15Nkr for internal Austrian rate.



**40cents** Single letter rate paid as for the Austro-Papal Convention of April 20, 1868 from Rome (8.1.70) to Salzburg. Paid only to the Italian border and charged on delivery 15Nkr for internal Austrian rate.

From Roman States to German States - Bayern



25cents

Single letter rate paid only to the Italian border, from Rome (1.11.69) to Regensburg. Sent through Italy (according the Austro-Italian Convention of October 1, 1867) and charged in transit through Austria 32Nkr converted on delivery in 18Rhkr.

From Roman States to Danubian Principalities



8baj.

Single letter rate paid according to the Italian League Convention from Rome (7.2.62) to Bucharest, valid only to the Italian border. Sent through Italy and charged on delivery 33Nkr: 8Nkr to Italy 15Nkr to Austria and 10Nkr to the Principalities.



VI-2) 1861 to June 30, 1875

From Ionian islands (then Greece from 1865)



2.75pence

Single letter rate paid to destination from Corfu (18.6.63) to Leghorn. Sent through the Austrian Lloyd steamers.



6cents

Single letter rate sent unpaid from Corfu (9.3.67) to Genes. Sent through the Austrian Lloyd steamers.

From Greece



65lepta Single letter rate paid to destination from Piraeus (28.10.67) to Genes. Sent through the Austrian Lloyd steamers and the docking of Brindisi.



130lepta Double letter rate paid to destination from Sira (4.12.67) to Genes. Sent through the Austrian Lloyd steamers and the docking of Brindisi.

From Greece to France



**80lepta** Single letter rate paid to destination from Patras (1.10.67) to Lyon. Sent through the Austrian Lloyd steamers to Brindisi and then via Italy to destination.

From Greece to Russia



**100lepta** Single letter rate paid to destination from Argostoli (9.4.73) to Taganrog. Sent through the Austrian Lloyd steamers to Brindisi and then via Italy and Wien to destination.

From Ottoman Empire (Albania)

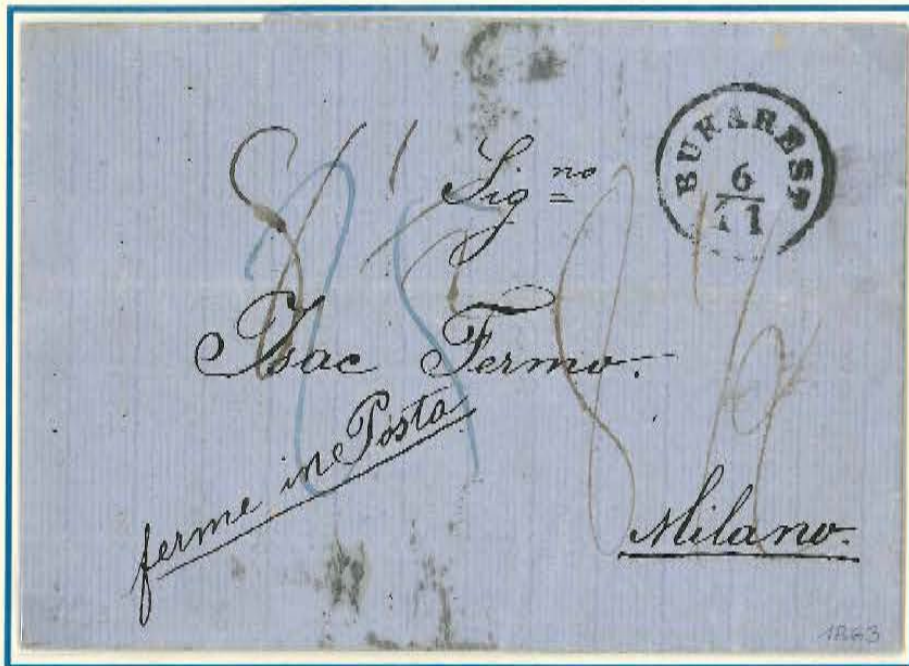


**1piaster** Single letter rate paid to the Austrian office of Antivari, from Scutari (19.12.70) to Venice. Sent through Trieste by the Austrian Lloyd steamers, charged on delivery 70cents (28Nkr rate, as letter from Austrian Levant Offices).



**1piaster 20para** Double letter rate paid to the Austrian office of Antivari, from Scutari (9.12.71) to Venice. Sent through Trieste by the Austrian Lloyd steamers, charged on delivery 70cents (28Nkr rate, as letter from Austrian Levant Offices).

From Danubian Principalities



**8,5tenths** Single letter rate sent unpaid from Bucharest (6.11.70) to Milan. Sent by overland through Austria; charged in transit 25Nkr (10 to Principalities and 15 to Austria) = 62,5cents plus 20cents for Italian rate rounded up to 85cents.



**70cents** Single letter rate sent unpaid from Braila (3.5.70) to Messina. Sent by overland through Austria; charged in transit 20Nkr = 50cents plus 20cents for Italian rate.

From Austrian Levant



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**28soldi**

Single letter rate paid to destination from Constantinople (24.4.68) to Imola. Sent through Brindisi by Italian steamers with the new rate from October 1, 1867.



**70cents**

Single letter rate sent unpaid to from Chania, Crete Island, (18.4.75) to Gallipoli. Sent through Brindisi by Italian steamers, charged on delivery 70cents (28soldi).

From Austrian Levant



**25soldi** Single letter rate paid to destination from Thessaloniki (15.12.70) to Turin. Sent through Brindisi by the Austrian Lloyd steamers with the new rate from October 1, 1867.



**50soldi** Double letter rate paid to destination from Thessaloniki (12.12.72) to Venice. Sent through Brindisi by the Austrian Lloyd steamers with the new rate from October 1, 1867. From the Austrian Levant office of Thessaloniki we always find letters overpaid 2soldi.

From Old German States (Bayern) to Roman States



**12Rh.Kr** Single letter rate paid to Italian output border, from Munich (8.8.68) to Rome. Franked according the October 1, 1867 Convention: 6Rh.Kr D.Ö.P.V. plus 6Rh.Kr for the Italian transit: charged on delivery 25cents for Roman domestic rate.

From Old German States (Württemberg) to Austria "via Italy"



**18Rh.Kr** Single letter rate from Reutlingen (3.3.63) to Riva. Sent paid to the output Italian border via Switzerland: 6Rh.Kr inland rate; 6Rh.Kr Swiss transit; 6Rh.Kr Italian rate. Charged 5Nkr on delivery for domestic Austrian first distance.

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From North German Union



3,5Gr. Single letter rate paid to destination from Aachen (30.3.69) to Bologna. Sent through Austria and paid according to October 1, 1867: 2Gr. to D.Ö.P.V. and 1,5Gr. (Weiterfranco) to Italy.



3Gr. Single letter rate paid to destination from Wiesbaden (1.8.71) to Brescia. Sent through Austria and paid according to April 1, 1869 Convention: 9Rh.Kr or 3Groschen each Loth.

From Russia



**21Kop** Single letter rate paid to destination from Odessa (19.5.69) to Genes. Sent by overland through Austria; the rate was about 85cents: 65cents till Italian border and 20cents domestic Italian rate.



**42Kop** Double letter rate paid to destination from Cerkask (7.4.66) to Genes. Sent by overland through Austria; the rate was about 170cents: 130cents Italian border and 40cents double domestic Italian rate.

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From Russia



**1lira** Single letter rate sent unpaid from Berdyansk (8.1.72) to Genes. **Charged in transit 30Nkr (15Nkr to Russia and 15Nkr to Austria) = 75cents, plus domestic Italian rate rounded up to 25cents.**



**1lira** Single letter rate sent unpaid from Berdyansk (6.1.73) to Genes. **Charged in transit 30Nkr (15Nkr to Russia and 15Nkr to Austria) = 75cents, plus domestic Italian rate rounded up to 25cents.**

To Roman States



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**13soldi** Single letter rate paid to the Italian border, from Venice (10.4.64) to Rome. Franked according to the Austro-Italian Convention of May 15, 1862: 5sd. for Austrian first distance plus 8sd. for the Italian transit. No charge on delivery.



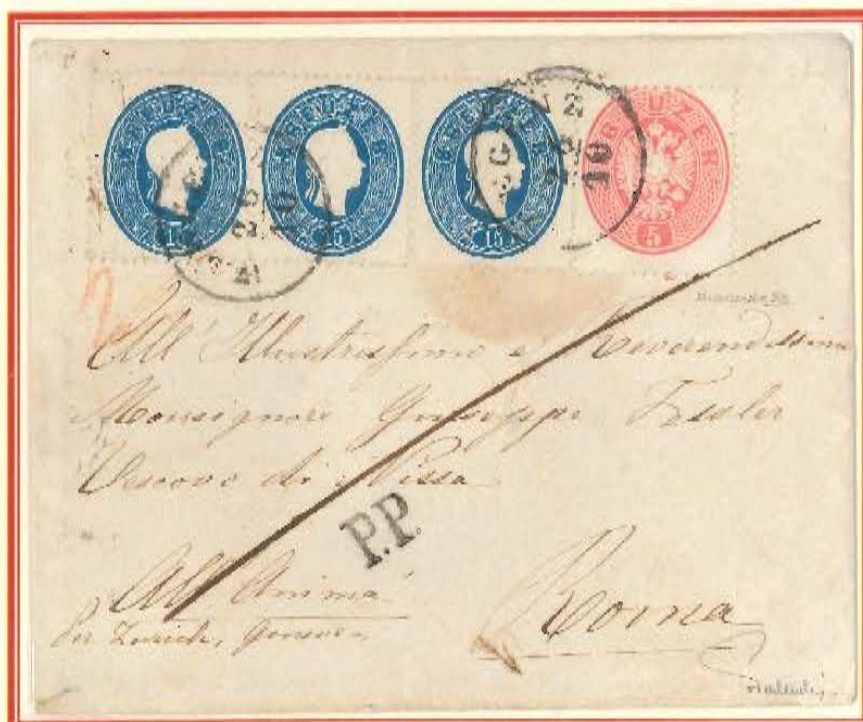
**23Nkr** Single letter rate paid to the Italian border, from Trieste (21.10.63) to Rome. Franked according to the Austro-Italian Convention of May 15, 1862: 15Nkr for Austrian third distance plus 8Nkr for the Italian transit. No charge on delivery.

To Roman States "via Switzerland"



35Nkr

Single letter rate paid to the Italian output border, from Trieste (14.8.64) to Rome. Franked 15Nkr for Austrian rate plus 10Nkr for Switzerland and 10Nkr for Italian transit. No charge on delivery



50Nkr

Double letter rate paid to the Italian output border, from Bregenz (26.10.63) to Rome. Franked 10Nkr for double first Austrian distance plus 20Nkr. for double Switzerland and 20Nkr. for double Italian transit. No charge on delivery

To Roman States



16Nkr Single letter rate paid to destination from Trieste (24.3.68) to Rome. Franked according to the Convention of October 1, 1867 for letters till 15grams of weight.



15Nkr Single letter rate paid to destination from Trieste (14.11.70) to Rome. Franked according to the new Convention of April 20, 1868: 7Nkr to Austria and 8Nkr to Italy.

To Roman States



45Nkr Triple letter rate paid to destination from Trieste (9.8.69) to Rome. Franked according to the reduced rate of April 20, 1868.



4Nkr Single printed matter rate paid to destination from Trieste (30.3.65) to Rome. Franked according to the October 1, 1867 Convention: 2Nkr to Austria and 2Nkr to Italy each 40grams. No charge on delivery.

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35Nkr Single letter rate paid to destination from Wien (7.10.68) to Malta. Sent to destination through Italy via Trieste and Siracuse.

to Switzerland



10Nkr Single letter rate insufficiently paid from Trieste (20.11.68) to Borgonuovo. Sent through Italy and charged in transit according the October 1, 1867 Austro-Italian Convention: 3,5tenths (60cents less the postage value, 10kr = 25cents). Charged on delivery 50cents: 35cents to Italy plus 15cents for the first domestic Swiss rate.