Iceland

1931

Zeppelin Mail

Islandfahrt
Graf Zeppelin 1931

Firma Zumstein & Cie.,

Bern

Par avion
Loftleiðis

Iceland

1942 Registered cover from Isafjördur, via Reykjavik, to New York. Opened by censor and resealed with 5283 label.

Iceland

Reverse side showing numerous receiving marks, including the Reykjavik transit mark partially covered by reseal label.

Iceland

1942 Cover to London opened by censor and re-sealed with 'Examiner 6028' label.

REYKJAVIK
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EXAMINER 6028

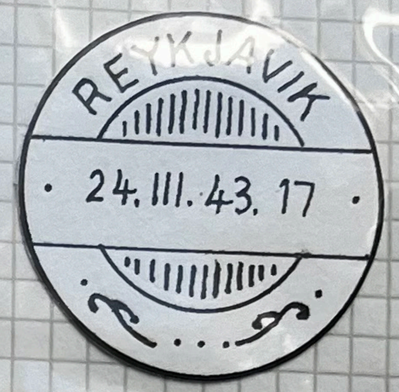
Messrs.
Perkins, Bacon Ltd.,
5 Fyefoot Lain,
London, E.C.4.
England.

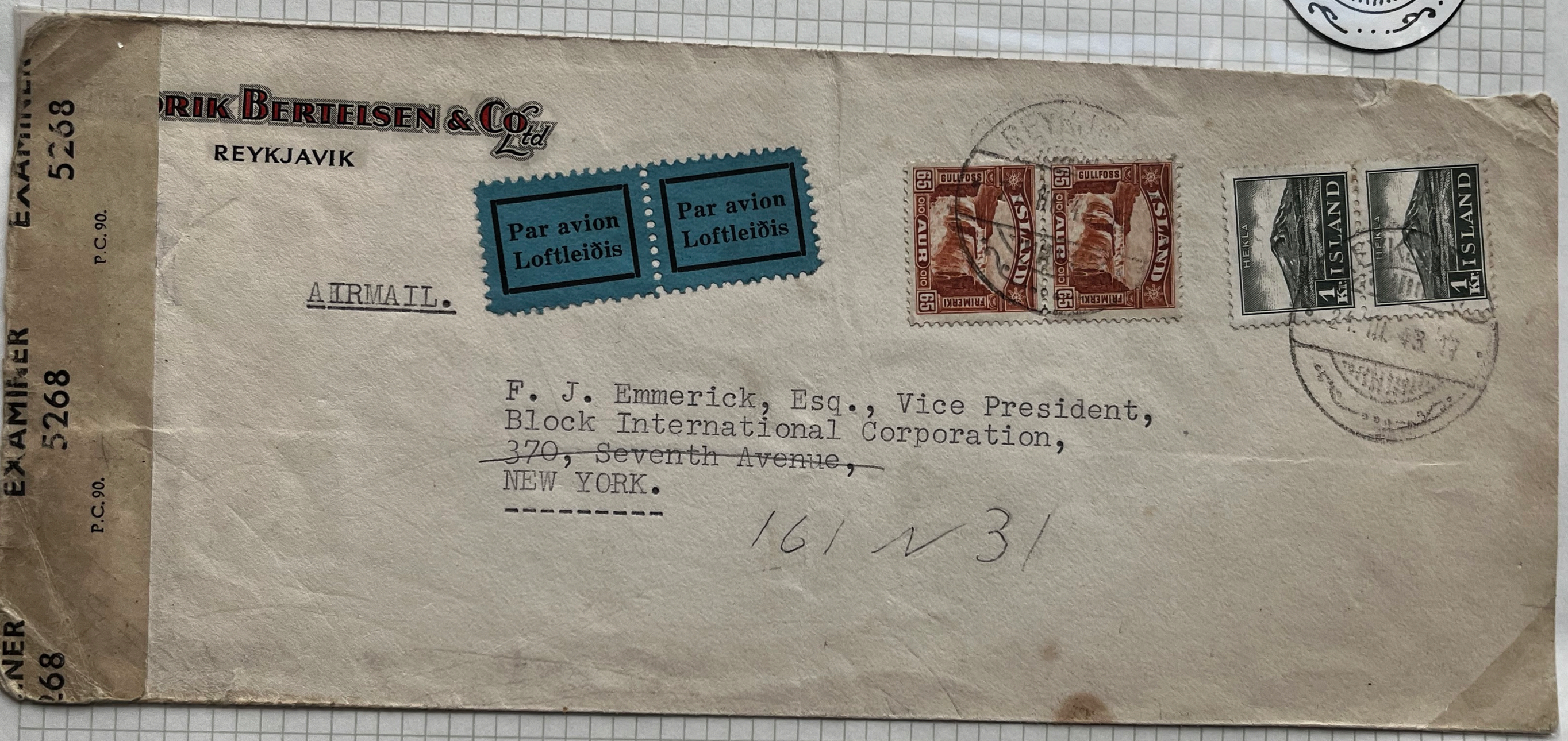
ISLAND 45 AUR GEYSIR

REYKJAVIK

Iceland

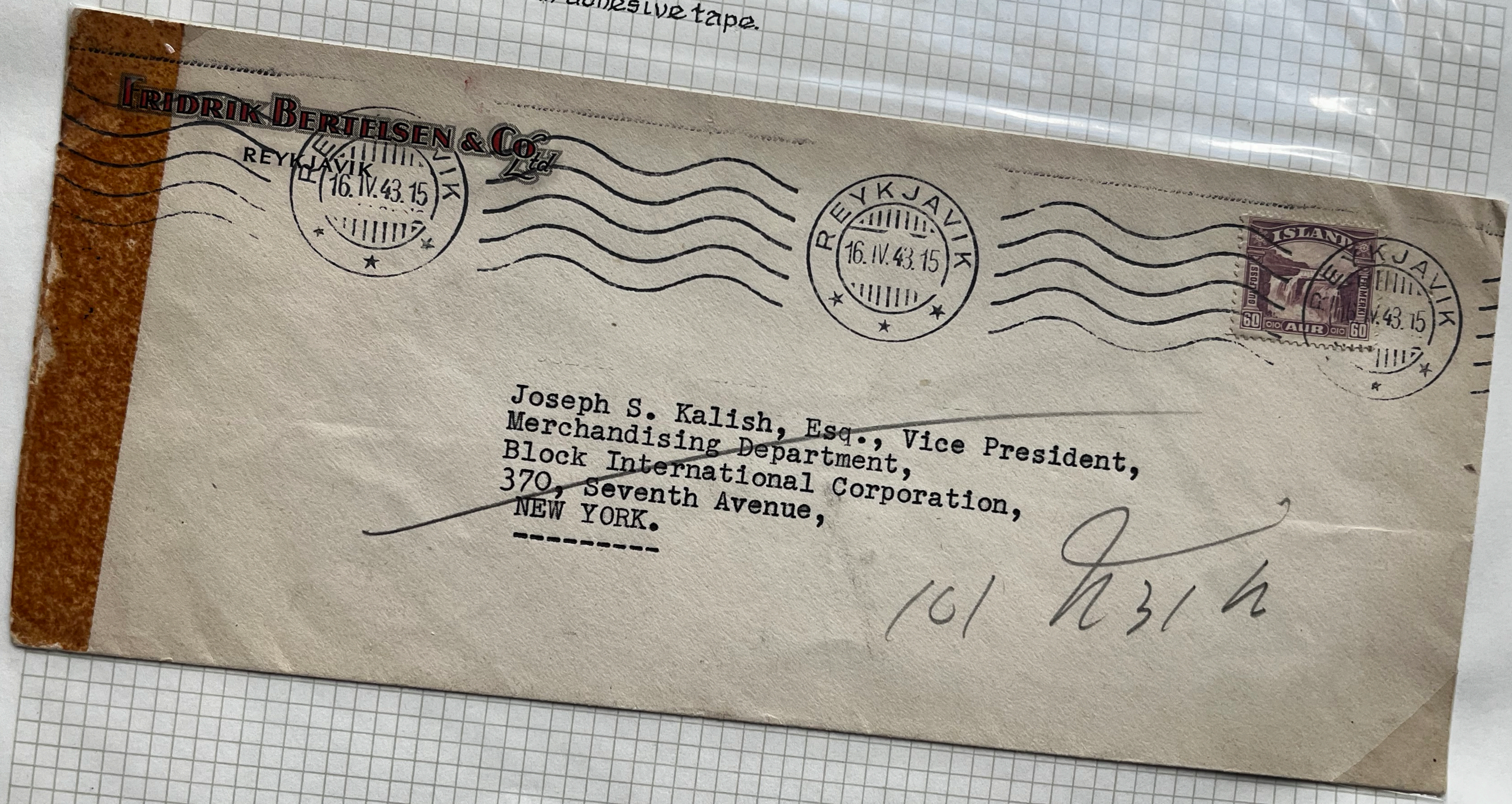
Airmail cover to U.S.A. dated March 1943, resealed with a British censor label.





Iceland

Cover to U.S.A. dated April 1943, censored and resealed with the American adhesive tape.



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MADE AND PRINTED IN ENGLAND

Iceland

1943 'Printed Matter' cover to U.S.A. censored and resealed with the American adhesive tape. The rate has increased to 12 Aur.

BARRINGTON ALBUM LEAF
No. 44
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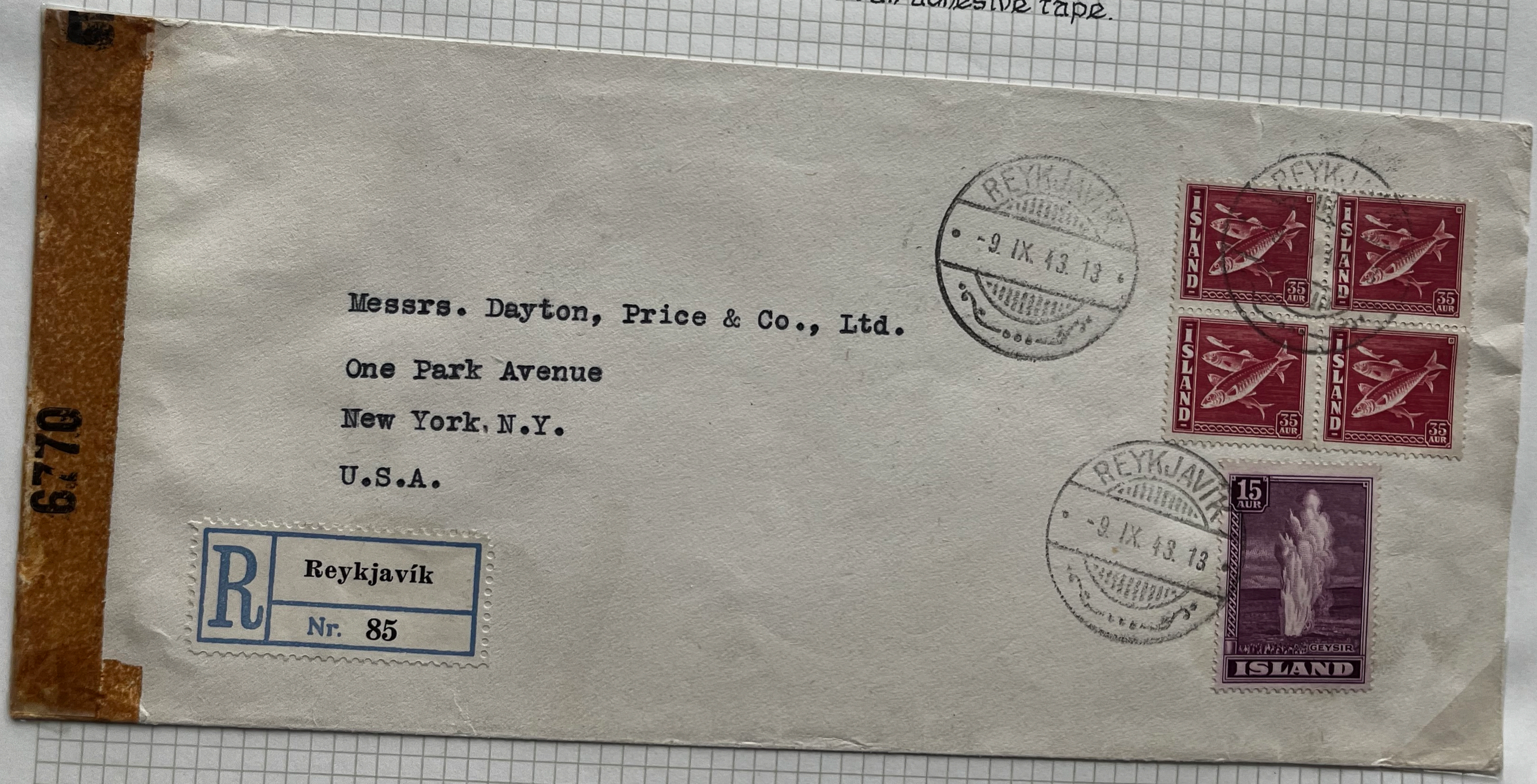
Iceland

1943 Registered cover to U.S.A. which took almost a month to reach it's destination. Censored and resealed with the American adhesive tape.



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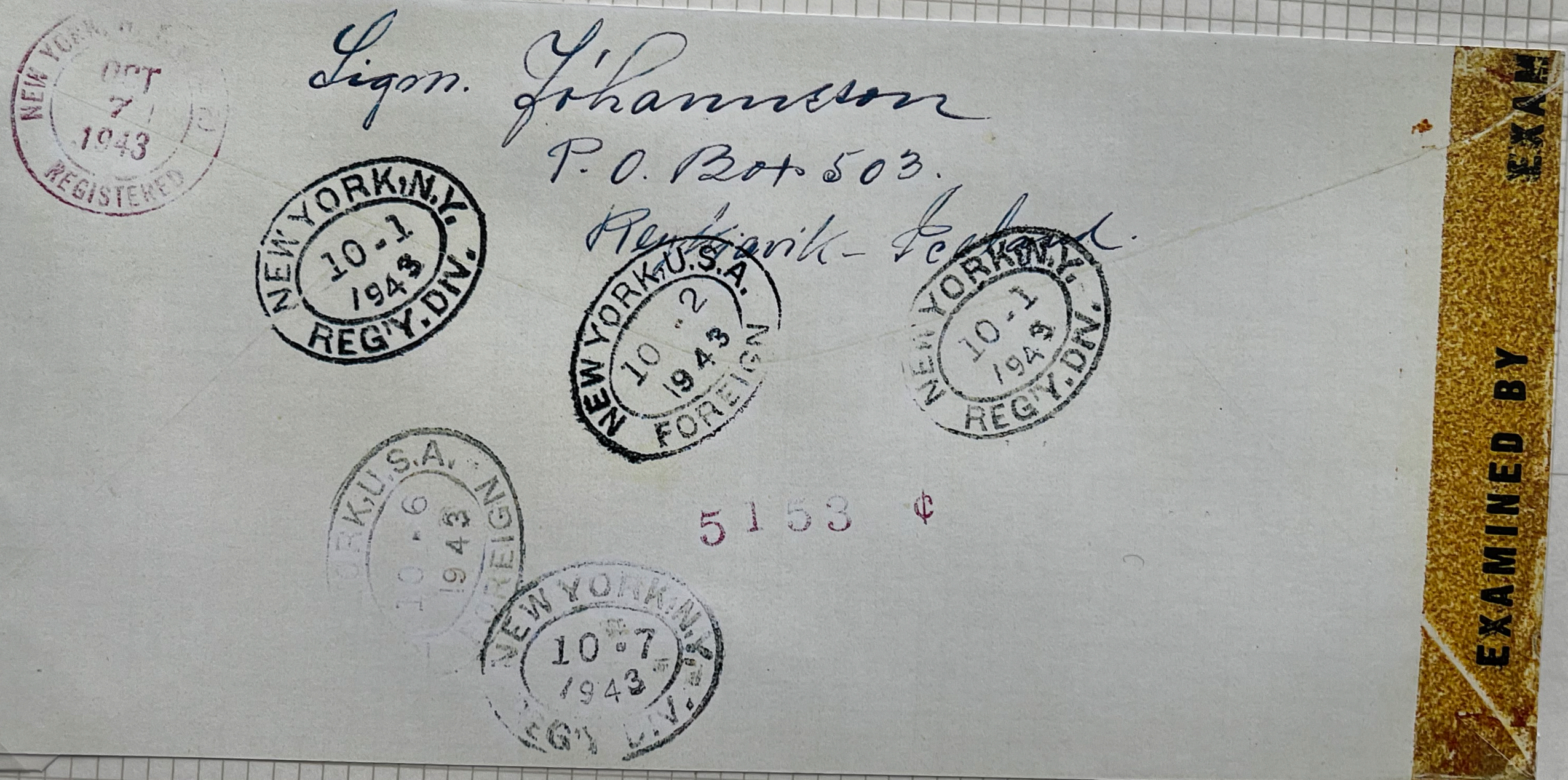
Iceland

The cancellations show that it took a week to clear the New York postal system.



Iceland

1944 Cover to London opened by censor and re-sealed by 'Examiner 6941' label.

REYKJAVIK
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EXAMINER 6941

51—851—W.H.H. Ltd.

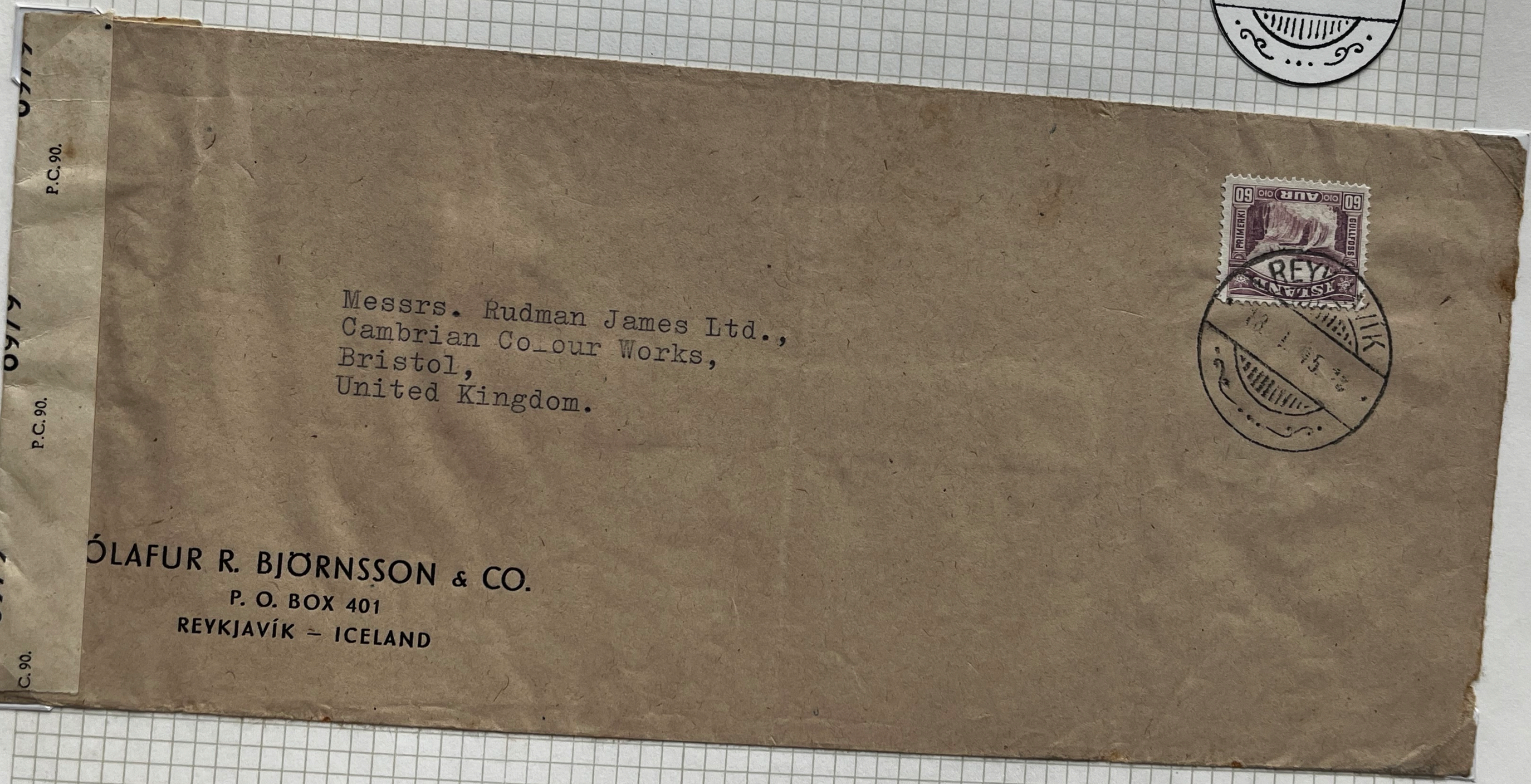
Messrs. Dayral & Tauber,
7 Great Pulteney, Street,
LONDON, W. 1,
England.

V. SIGURÐSSON & SNÆBJÖRNSSON H.F.
REYKJAVÍK ——— ICELAND

HARRINGTON ALBUM LEAF
MADE IN ENGLAND

Iceland

1945 Cover to Bristol opened by censor and re-sealed by 'Examiner 6979' label.



Iceland

1945 Registered Airmail cover to U.S.A. which cleared the New York post office in one day and reached it's destination in California on the 26TH May.

Iceland

1945 'On Active Service',
Airmail cover to England.
Not opened by Censor.

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Iceland

1948 Parcel and Customs Declaration Form. The stamps and airmail sticker being applied to the form which then accompanied the parcel to its destination, in this instance, Scotland.

Iceland

1948 Registered Airmail cover to Vienna.

Posted at Hvolsvöllur, forwarded to Reykjavik where it was backstamped and despatched to Austria, probably via Denmark or Britain.

Two Austrian censor marks were applied, one under and one on top of the re-seal paper.

'Received on 9TH July 48' in manuscript.

Iceland

Registered Airmail cover to U.K. Although the cancellation is unclear the 2 Krona rate dates the cover to around 1949.

Iceland

1950 Late Mail Cover.

Normally mail was cancelled at Reykjavik and back stamped Copenhagen on arrival in Denmark.
Late mail, being put uncancelled on board ship, was hand stamped on arrival 'Fra Island' (From Iceland) and the stamps cancelled with the circular Copenhagen cancel.
This cover has been handled in reverse.

FRA ISLAND

This is the 33½ m/m mark introduced in 1930,

and the 36½ m/m of the same date.

Iceland

1950 Airmail cover to U.S.A. from Keflavik, where the Americans set up an airforce base.

Iceland

1953 Airmail cover to U.K.

Iceland

1953 Airmail cover to U.K. bearing a Christmas Seal.

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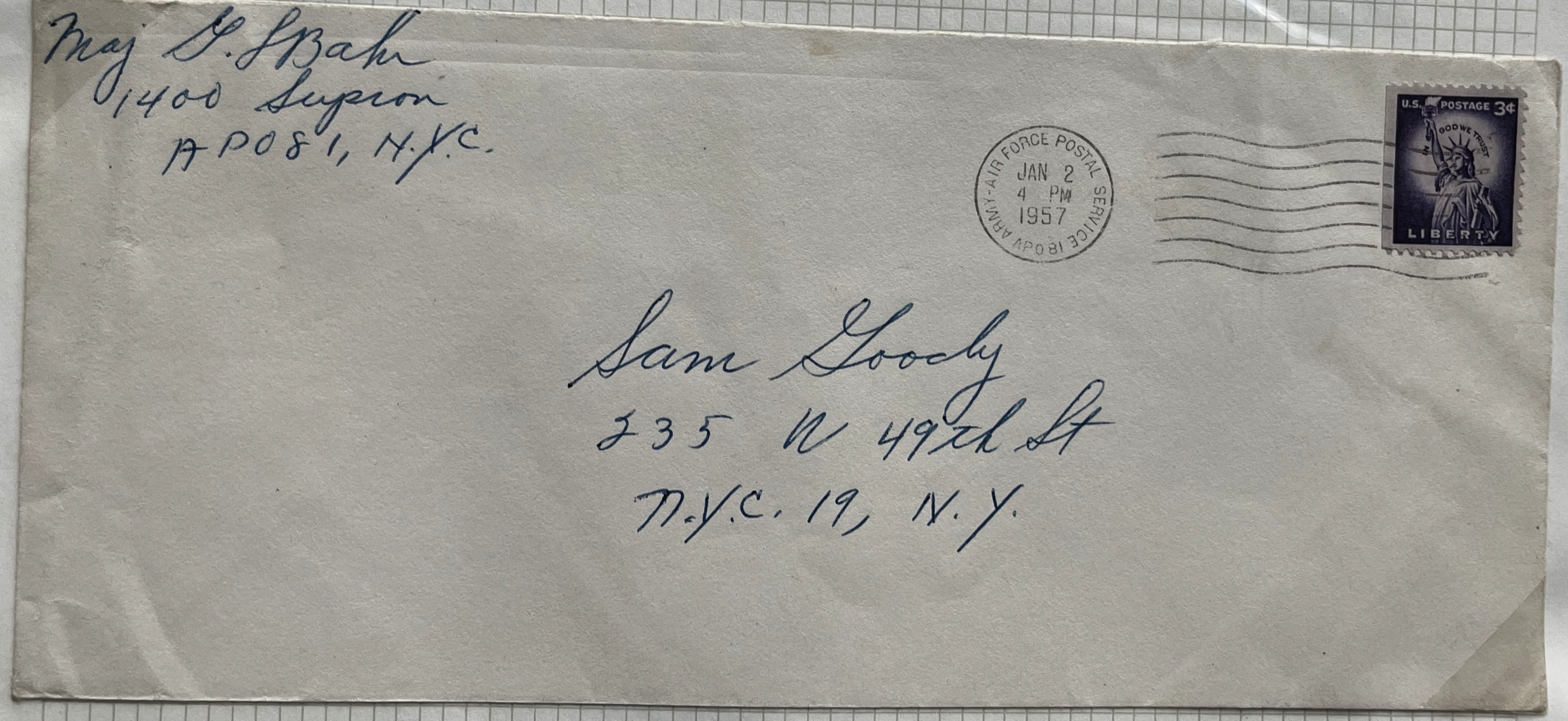
1957 A.P.O. 81 cover to U.S.A. 'Army-Airforce Postal Service A.P.O. 81' operated at Keflavik airforce base from May 1951 until October 1961. Mail was sent direct to the U.S. post office in New York, not via the Icelandic post office. U.S. internal postage rates applied and U.S. stamps were used.

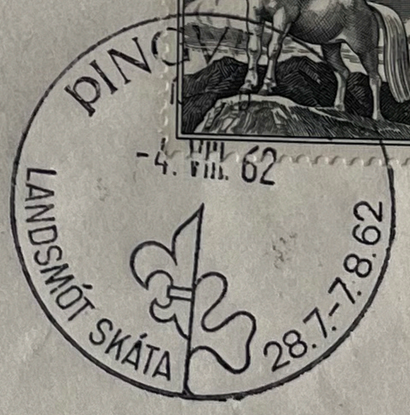


Iceland

1958-60

Icelandic Pony

1962 National Scout Camp

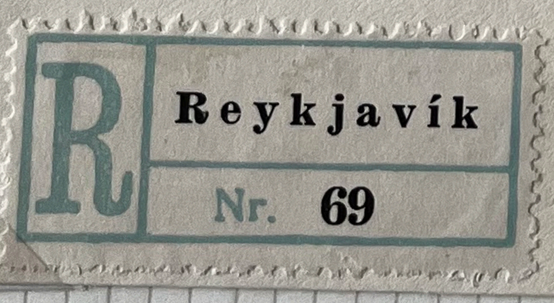


Scouts' National Camp
THINGVELLIR
1962

Iceland

1959

Wild Life



U. R. Wailly,
Box 26,
Roxbury 19, Mass.
U. S. A.

Iceland

1960

World Refugee Year

The Outcast

1960

Europa

Iceland

1962

Registered first day cover to
commemorate the Scout Jamboree at Thingvellir

Rec.-imprimé

4946

R Þingvellir Nr. 130

OVERTURE
OPENING-DAY
ÖFFNUNGSTAG

G. LINDMAN
Box 193
STOCKHOLM 1 (SWEDEN)

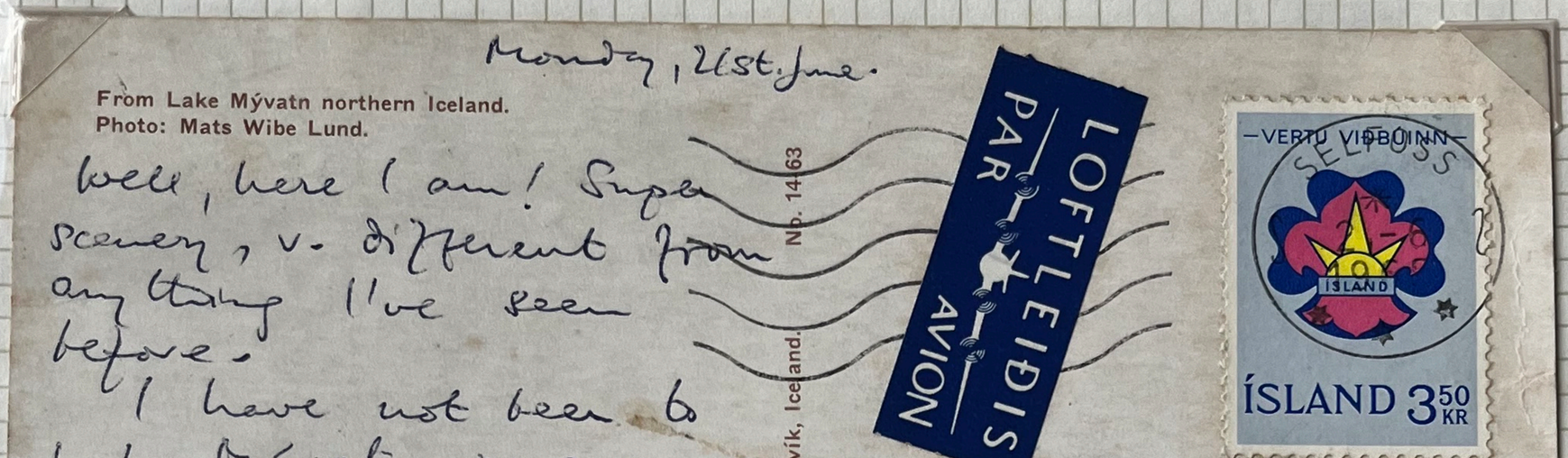
Among the delegates
⇛ Dwight D. Eisenhower ⇚
(President U.S.A.1952-60)

Iceland

1963 Airmail cover to Canada, posted at Halldorsstadir and carrying a 'Loftleidir' (Icelandic Airline) sticker.

Iceland

1965 Postcard from Selfoss to England. The airmail sticker has been applied on top of the cancellation, probably at Reykjavik.



Monday, 21st June.

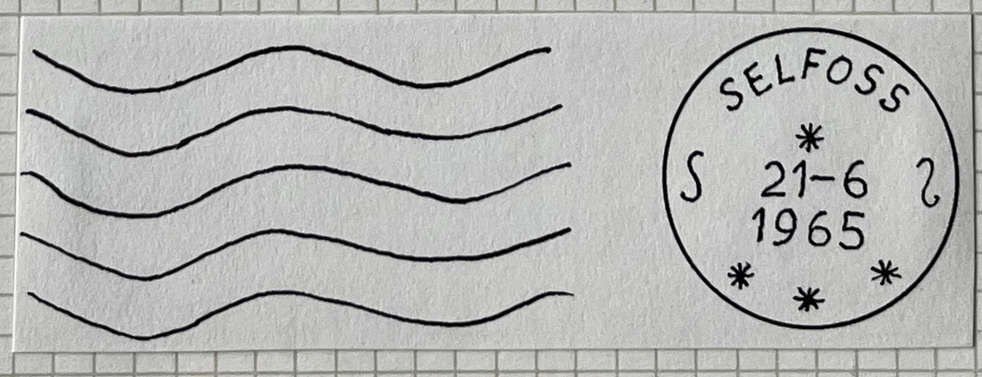
Well, here I am! Super scenery, v. different from anything I've seen before.

I have not been to Lake Mývatn or even have left S.W. Iceland at all, but nevertheless I've seen many different scenes.

It was most pleasant to see you on Whit-Saturday — hope you will be up again before long. Best wishes,

Lionel

G. Rice Esq.,
Meriton,
2, Downsway,
Merrow,
GUILDFORD,
Surrey,
BRETLAND.



Iceland

1968 Registered Airmail cover tied with Reykjavik No. 1 cancellation and back stamped at London Receiving Office.

Mr. D.A.Webb,
20, Park Road,
Cowes,
Isle-of-Wight,
England.

Iceland

1968

150TH Anniversary of National Library

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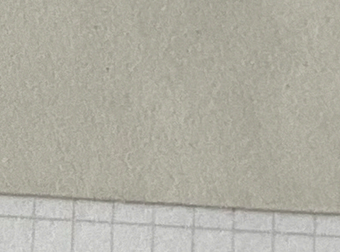

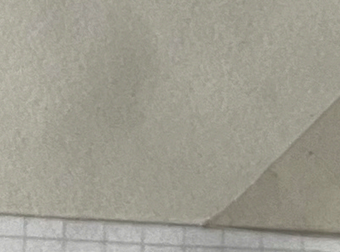

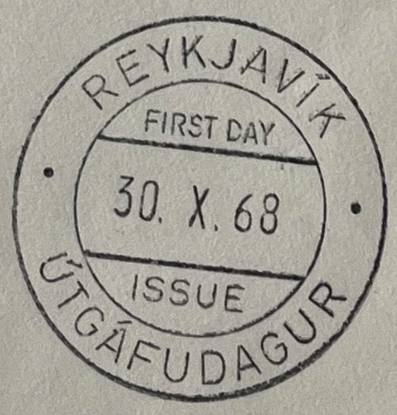

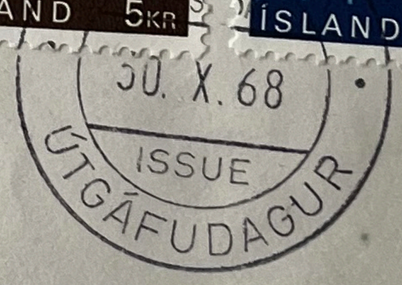

Iceland

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1969 Registered Airmail Cover againtied with Reykjavik No. 1 cancellation, but not back stamped at London.
Airmail sticker differs from previous cover.

Iceland

1969 Airmail postcard from a U.S. service-man at Keflavik, to a fellow radio enthusiast in Sussex.

Radio G8KS Confirming
our QSO of 10 Feb. 1969
at 1258 ~~ST~~-GMT 14,244 mc
2x ur ssb ~~fone~~ sigs RST 5-9+
ew
Xmtr SWAN 400 TxCVR ~~wt~~
Rcvr 400 W. P.E.P.
Ant Gnd. Plane "Hustler" 4BTV
Tnx "Les" for the shout.
Hpe to be able to furnish
QSL cards for 10 & 15m.
Contacts: we will try.
QRV daily 1200-1300 GMT
☐ Pse QSL Tnx ☐
73's Paul

Cooper Printing Co., 515 West Jefferson St., Kirksville

TO: A.R.S. G8KS
Mr. S.L. Hill
31 St., Leonards Rd.
Eastbourne, Sussex
ENGLAND

LOFTLEIÐIS
PAR AVION

TF2WHI

PAUL T. WARD
REYKJAVIK, ICELAND

HOME ADDRESS:

STORAGERDI 20
REYKJAVIK
ICELAND

MILITARY ADDRESS:

ROICC, BOX 28, USNS

F P O NEW YORK, N. Y. 09571

Iceland

1969 Registered Airmail cover used as an address label on a parcel to England.

Mr. Christopher Jarrett,
Whitecroft-Scovill Ltd.,
Lydney, Glos
England.

Sender: Halfdan Helgason.
P.O.Box 1414.
Reykjavik. Iceland.

Iceland

1970 'Holland-America Line' postcard to U.S.A. from a passenger on the cruise ship 'Statendam'.

7/25/70

Holland-America Line

s.s. STATENDAM

- 24,294 gross tons
- swimming pools
- complete air-conditioning
- automatic stabilizers

Regular Transatlantic Service and Luxury Cruises

PRINTED IN THE NETHERLANDS

VELJUM ÍSLENZKT
ÍSLENZKAN IÐNAÐ

Dear Emily,

Sitting on the prom deck writing this. It is cold but sunny, so delightfully invigorating. We have been swimming each day & we feel wonderful.

It was so good to see you, and you certainly saved the day with the delicious champagne.

Love to you from Gtha, Dorothy & Dorothy.

Miss Emily Suzane

51-01 39th Ave.,

Long Island City,

New York 11104

U. S. A.

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RECEIVED
24 JUL 72
KEFLAVIK
ICELAND

1972 cover flown from England to Iceland and return, to commemorate the R·A·F· trans – Iceland expedition.

RECEIVED
25 JUL 72
R.A.F. BRIZE NORTON

DEPARTURE OF ROYAL AIR FORCE ICELAND EXPEDITION
BRITISH FORCES POSTAL SERVICE 1314
24 JUL 72

24 JULY 1972
Carried to RAF Lyneham and flown to Keflavik - Iceland in a Hercules C Mk 1 of Number 30 Squadron
Flight Number 3492
Aircraft Registration XV301
Captain Flt Lt C. K. Parsons
Flight Time 3hrs 45mins

25 JULY 1972
Flown from Keflavik to London - Heathrow in a Boeing 727 of Icelandair
Flight Number FL200
Aircraft Registration TT-FIA
Captain Viktor Adalsteinsson
Flight Time 2hrs 39mins

Royal Air Force
Detachment Cmdr.
Iceland Expedition
Keflavik

Iceland

1973 Postcard to U.K. with details of a visit to a power station and the snow conditions.

General view of central Reykjavik, with lake.

Sunday 21 Jan

Dear Mum & Dad,

This is the new power station up in the mountains. The snow conditions were the worst I have ever experienced. Hope everyone is well.

Love

David.

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ÍSLENZKAN IÐNAÐ
No. 160

Published by Sólarfilma s.f., Reykjavík, Iceland.

MR & MRS C.A.W. JONES

42, STEPHENSON ROAD

COWES I.O.W.

ENGLAND

Iceland

1973 Postcard to U.K. giving details of the volcanic eruption on the Westmann Islands.

Dear Mum & Dad,

The hill you see in the bottom left picture is the volcano that has just erupted. Everyone escaped by fishing-boat plane & helicopter, but the houses are beginning to be destroyed. The town handled about 15% of Iceland's fishing industry so it will be quite a disaster economically.

Love

David

VELIUM ÍSLENZKT
ÍSLENZKAN IÐNAÐ

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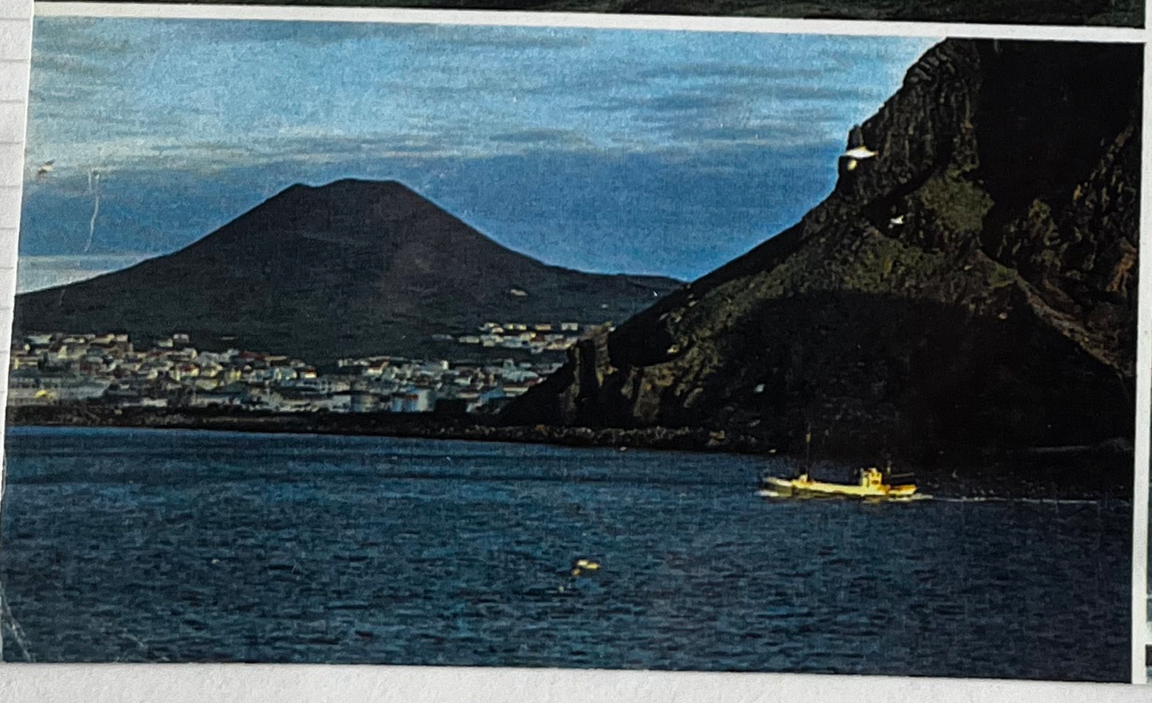
ENGLAND

Scenes from Heimaey, the biggest of the Westman Islands of the south coast of Iceland. In winter important fishing center.

Fiskerbyen Vestmannaeyjar på Heimaey, den største af Vestmannaøerne, ca. 10 km. fra Islands sydkyst. Om vinteren centrum for torskfiskeriet.

Fischerstädtchen Vestmannaeyjar auf Heimaey, der größten der Westmännerinseln. Unten links im Hintergrund der Vulkan Helgafell.



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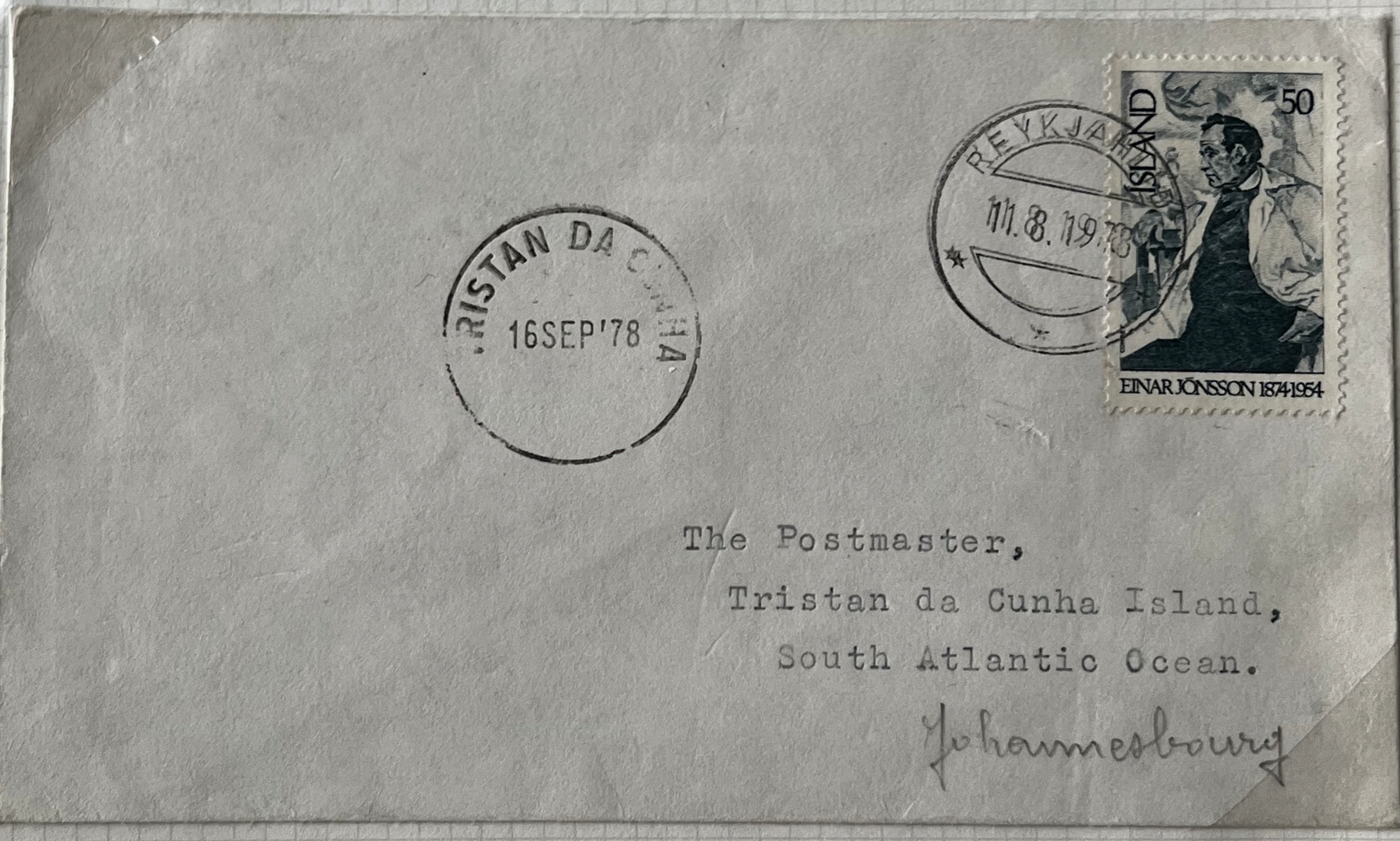
1978 Cover to Tristan Da Cunha, via South Africa, bearing a Tristan receiving mark.



The Postmaster,
Tristan da Cunha Island,
South Atlantic Ocean.

Johannesbourg

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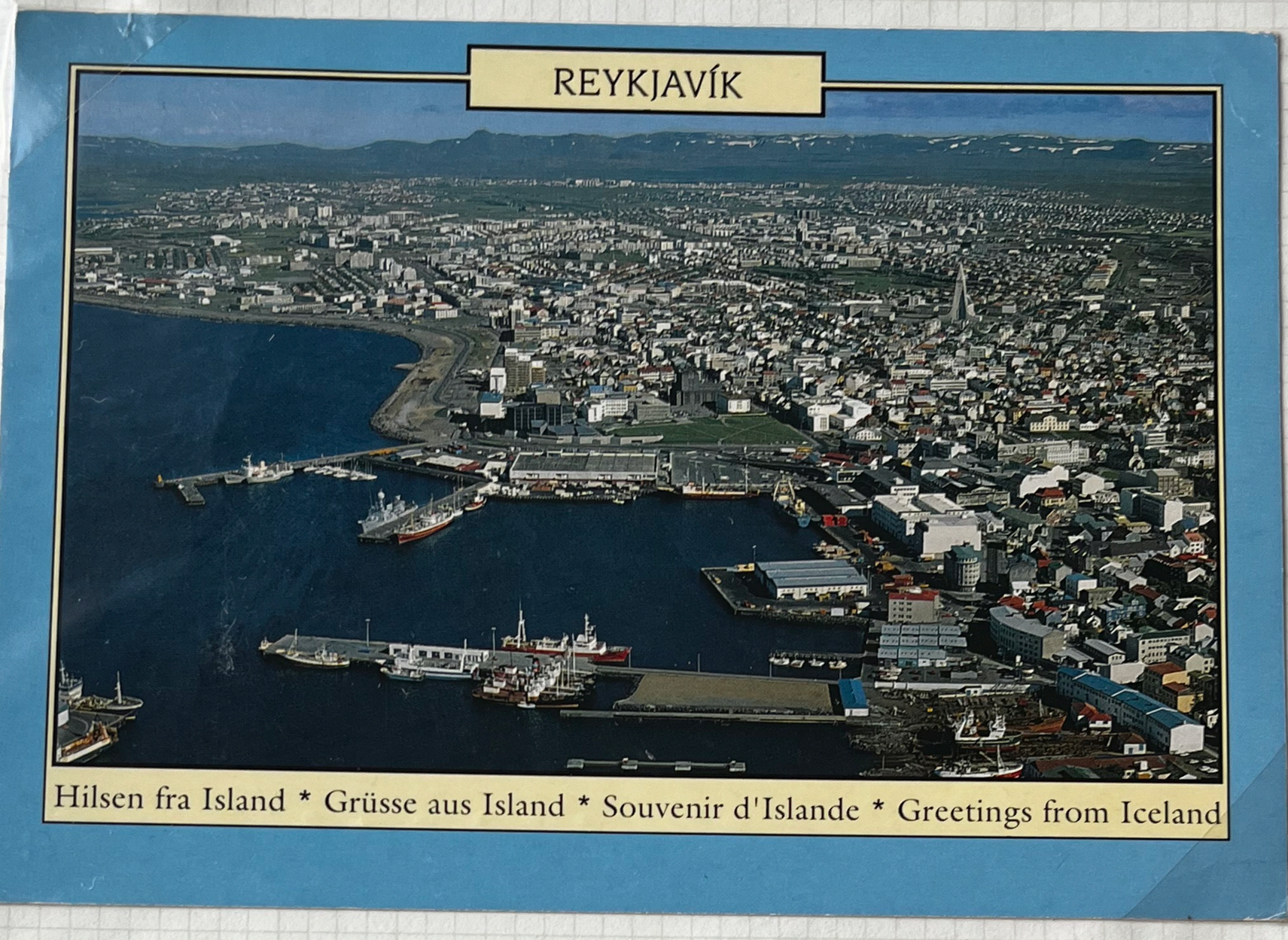
Aerial view of Reykjavik and the harbour.



Icelandic banknote of 1961.