154477 B2 (1)

FOURTH ISSUE.

Typographed by De La Rue & Co., London, originally in sheets of 240 in panes of 60, later in sheets of 200.

Perf. 14.

Watermark III : Star over crescent in two types, narrow  or wide 

1879, April 1.













Colours changed.

1881, Jan.





1882, Jan. 25

1884, Feb. 1. Surcharged.



FOURTH ISSUE.

5 para brown
Narrow watermark .

Wmk. upright



Dark brown



Pale brown

Wmk. inverted



Varieties.

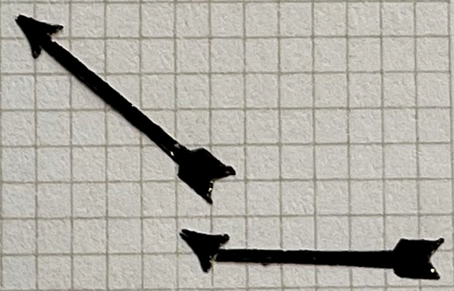
Joined inscription



Uneven tablet



Broken circle



Broken



Weak impression



Perf. misplaced

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5 para brown

Narrow watermark.

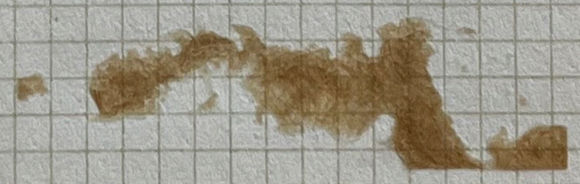
Joined inscription
on upper left stamp.



Wide watermark.



Shades



Block of four.



Broken circle



5 shaved off



Cloud in sky

NONE

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FOURTH ISSUE.

10 para mauve.

Narrow watermark.

With inverted watermark only.





Shades

Flaw

Varieties.

Block of four



Var. white dots



Perf. misplaced.

NOTE

FOURTH ISSUE.

10 para lilac-rose.

Narrow watermark.

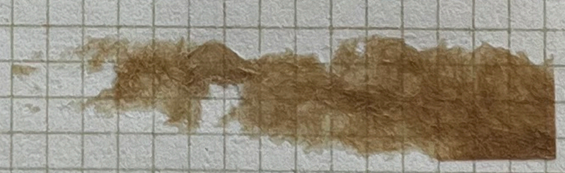
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Shades





Coloured flaw.

Block of four

Varieties.



Var. white dots

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FOURTH ISSUE.

10 para grey.

Narrow watermark.

Wmk. upright



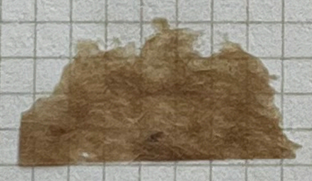
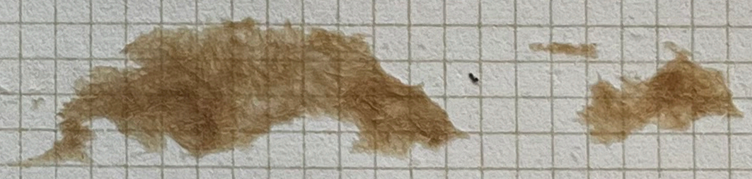









Shades

Block of eight



Flaws



Extra character

Block of four

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FOURTH ISSUE.

Wmk. upright

20 para blue

Narrow watermark



Shades

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FOURTH ISSUE.

20 para blue.

Narrow watermark.

Wmk. inverted.







Shades

Blocks of four

Varieties.



Col. flaw

Blurred sky

Thick skyline

Blind eye

FOURTH ISSUE.

1 piastre rose.

Narrow watermark.

Wmk. inverted



Rose



Pale rose



Rose-red

Varieties.



Damaged pyramid



Weak impression

Flaw

Broken inner frame

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FOURTH ISSUE.

Wmk. upright.

1 piastre rose.

Narrow watermark.

SAWAKIN (SUDAN)



Rose



Pale rose.



Rose-red



Block of eight with gutter margin

NONE

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FOURTH ISSUE.

2 piastres yellow.

Narrow watermark.

Wmk. upright





Shades.

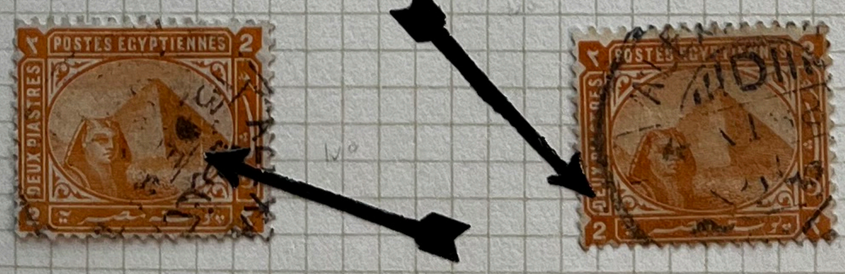
Wmk. inverted





Shades

Varieties.



White line across

Dot before D

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Wmk. upright

2 piastres yellow.

Wide watermark.





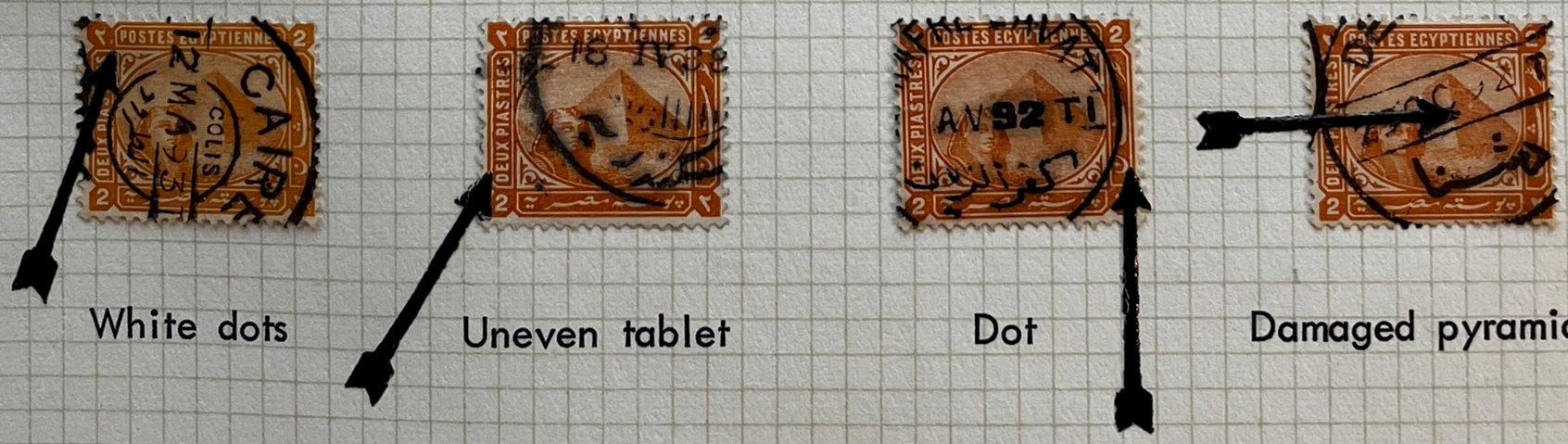


Shades.

Varieties.



Weak impression



White dots

Uneven tablet

Dot

Damaged pyramid



Rose in wig

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FOURTH ISSUE.

5 piastres green.

Narrow watermark.



Wmk. upright



Shades.

Wmk. inverted





Shades.



Block of four

FOURTH ISSUE. 1884, Feb. 1.

20 para on 5 piastres.

Surcharge by lithography at the Government Printing Office, Boulac.

Proof of surcharge.

Narrow wmk. upright





Shades.

Surcharge à cheval.



Surcharge misplaced

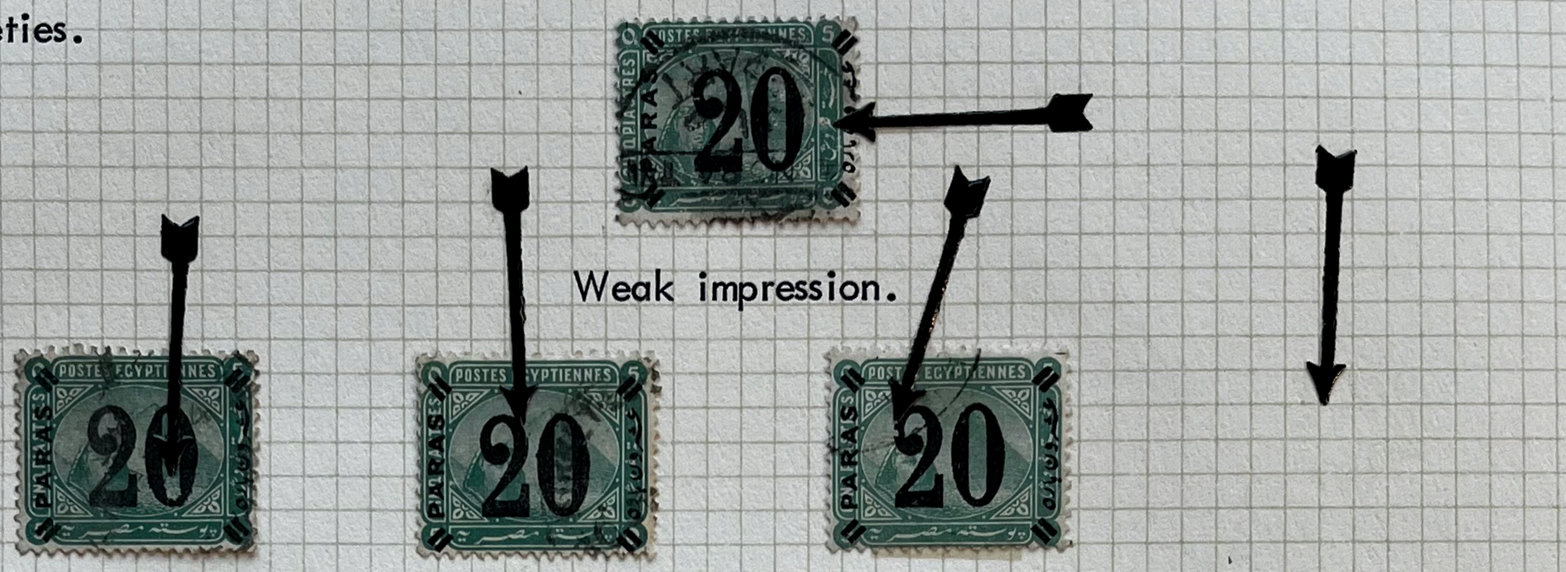
Narrow wmk. inverted

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FOURTH ISSUE. 20 para on 5 piastres.

Narrow wmk. upright

Varieties.



Weak impression.

Damaged figures



Damaged bars



Broken S.



Guide Lines Double guide lines

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FOURTH ISSUE (cont.), typographed by De La Rue & Co., London.
Perf. 14. Watermark III (star over crescent).

1884, Dec. 15. Colours changed.

1888, Jan. 1. Colours changed and lower values in new currency.

1892, Jan. 1. Additional value.

1893, Aug. 1. Colours changed.

1902 - 1906. Previous values and additional value, all on chalk-surfaced paper.

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10 para green.

Watermark upright.

Narrow watermark

Shades

Wide watermark








Shades



Block of nine



Damaged mouth



Extended corners

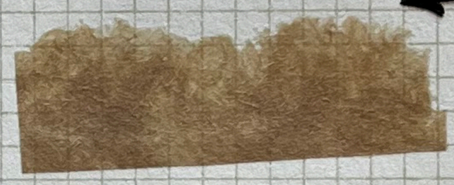
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10 para green.



Damaged pyramid.



Damaged pyramid

Block of four



Uneven tablet



Var. white dots



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FOURTH ISSUE.

20 para rose.

Wide watermark

Wmk. upright







Shades



Flaw.

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FOURTH ISSUE.

1 piastre blue.

Ordinary paper. ✓

Watermark upright.

Narrow watermark.

Wide watermark.









Shades

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FOURTH ISSUE.

1 piastre blue.

Ordinary paper. (ALL BLUE)

Wide watermark.

Watermark upright

With gutter margin

Imperforate



Blocks of four



Damaged frames

Stop after P.

Cloud in sky

Worn plate

Watermark inverted



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5 piastres grey.

Chalk-surfaced paper. (all bar 8)

All with wide watermark.

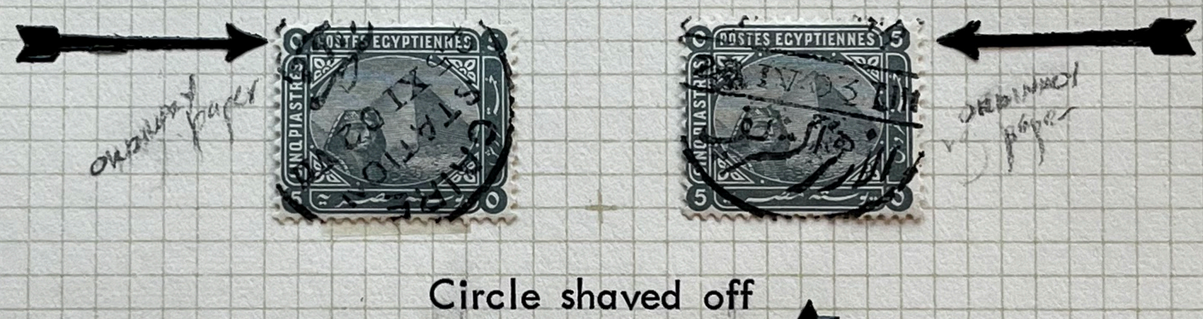
Varieties:



White flaw



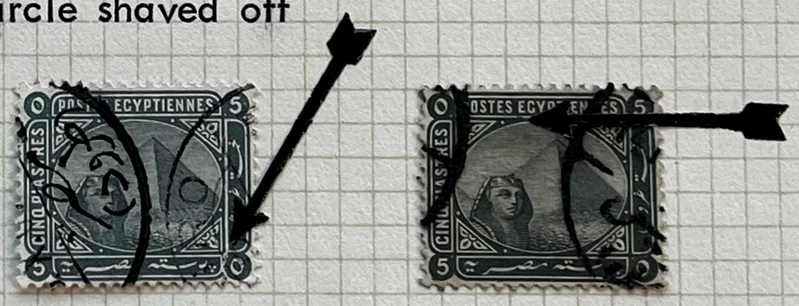
Blurred frame



Circle shaved off



Split frame



Cracked plate

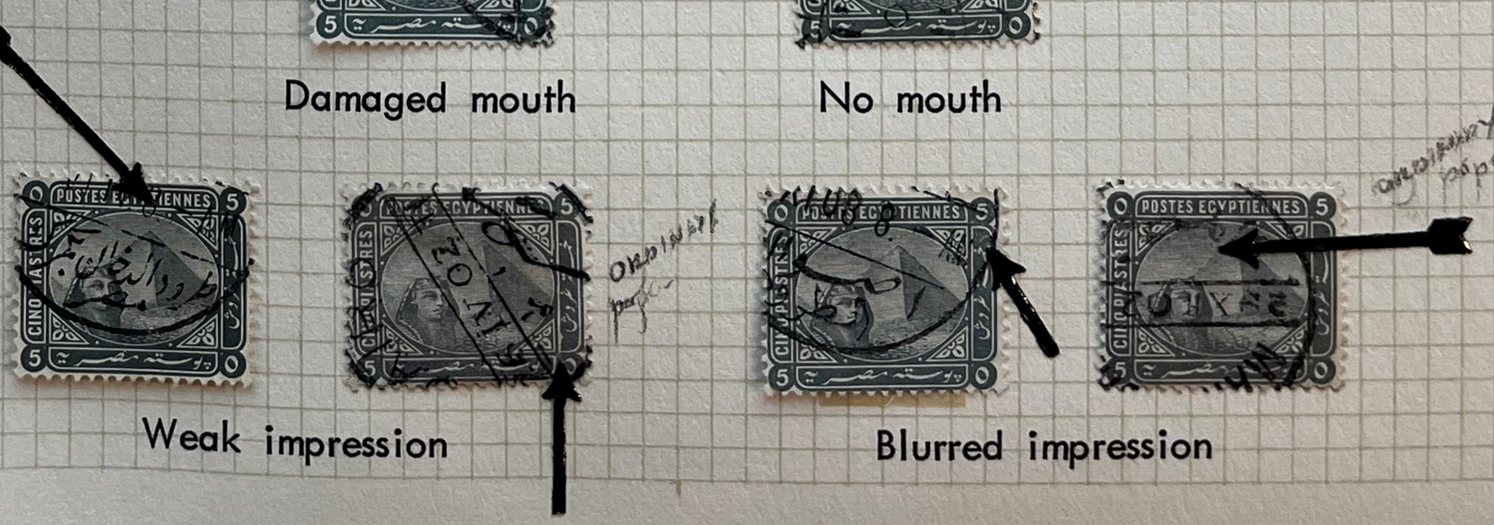
Coloured speck



Damaged mouth



No mouth



Weak impression

Blurred impression

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5 piastres grey.

Ordinary paper

All with wide watermark.

Watermark upright



Shades.

Block of six.

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FOURTH ISSUE

5 piastres grey.

Ordinary paper.

All with wide watermark.

Varieties.





Flaws in sky



Flaw at eye



No mouth



Circle above E



Doubled left side



Weak inking

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10 para grey

Narrow watermark

Wmk. inverted







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FOURTH ISSUE.

1 millieme brown.

Ordinary paper

All with wide watermark.

Varieties



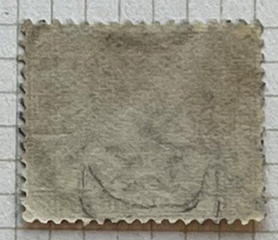
Blurred impression



Flaw on pyramid

Uneven frame

Extra dot



Misplaced watermark

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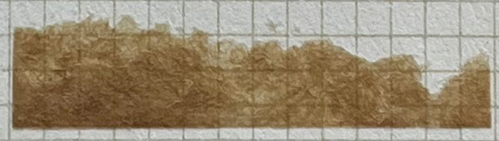
Ordinary paper.

All with wide watermark.

Watermark upright



Shades



Block of four

Watermark inverted



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FOURTH ISSUE.

2 milliemes green.

Ordinary paper.

All with wide watermark.

Wmk. upright



Shades

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FOURTH ISSUE.

2 milliemes green.

Ordinary paper. (all but 1)

All with wide watermark.

Watermark upright



CHALKY PAPER

Flaw in wig. LOP CONSTANT







Overinked

Watermark inverted









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FOURTH ISSUE. 3 milliemes maroon

All with wide watermark

Watermark upright





Shades



Block of four



Flaw at eye



Weak inking

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FOURTH ISSUE.

3 milliemes yellow.

Ordinary paper. ✓

All with wide watermark.

Watermark upright



Shades

Block of four

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FOURTH ISSUE.

3 milliemes yellow.

Ordinary paper. (allbuds)

All with wide watermark.

Watermark upright



Flaw in wig





Broken line





Flaw on pyramid



Coloured dot



Weak inking

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FOURTH ISSUE.

5 milliemes rose.

Ordinary paper. (all Lm+z)

All with wide watermark.

Watermark upright



CHALKY CHALKY







Shades.



Strip of six with gutter margin

FOURTH ISSUE.

5 milliemes rose.

Ordinary paper.

All with wide watermark.

Watermark upright



Solid right side.





Red clouds



White clouds

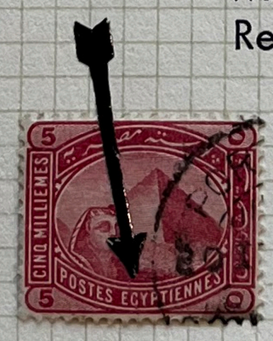




Minor white flaws



White flaw
Retouch ?



Red line across



Red line on pyramid

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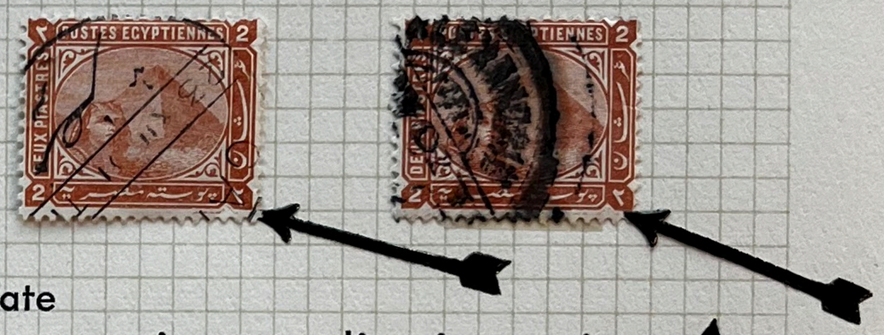
Ordinary paper.

All with wide watermark.

Varieties:



Additional line



Cracked plate causing white line.

causing extra line in margin



Minor white flaws

Broken corner



Uneven impression



Blind eye.

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2 piastres orange-brown.
Ordinary paper.
All with wide watermark.

Varieties:



Weak inking in upper panel



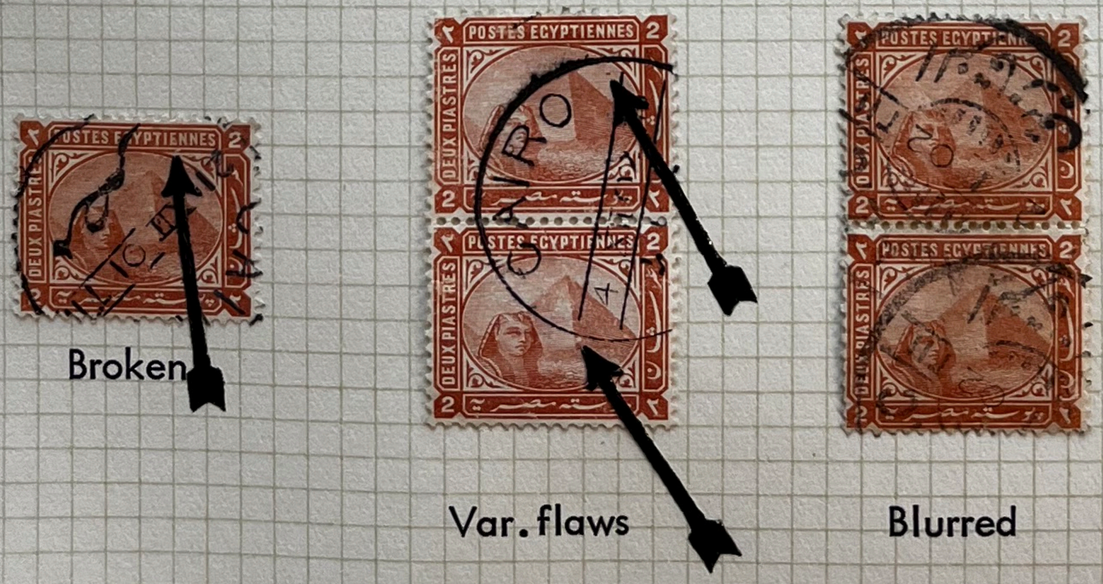
Ditto



Minor flaws



Blurred frame-lines



Broken

Var. flaws

Blurred

Broken

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Watermark upright



Shades.

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10 piastres mauve.

Ordinary paper.

All with wide watermark.



Inverted watermark

Varieties



surface thin

Flaw



Scar on cheek



Flaw on pyramid

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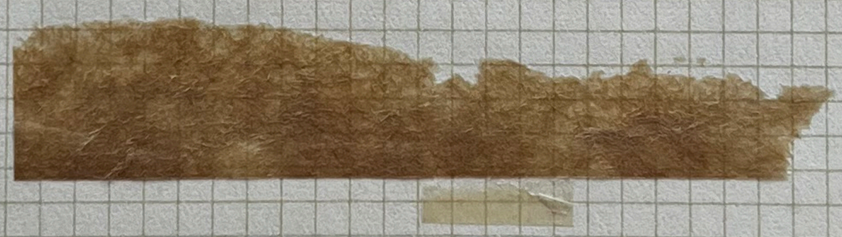
Ordinary paper.

All with wide watermark.

Watermark upright



Shades



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NONE

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1 millieme brown.

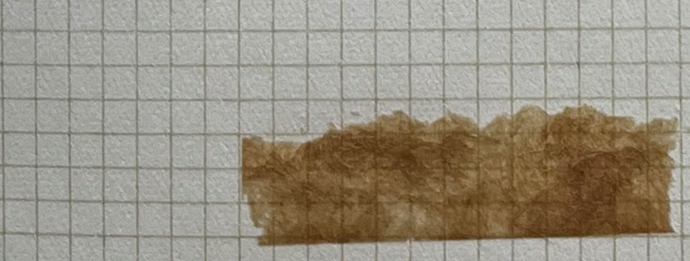
Chalk-surfaced paper.

All with wide watermark.

Watermark upright



Shades



Block of four

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1 millieme brown.
Chalk-surfaced paper. ✓
All with wide watermark.

Varieties:



Cloud in sky.



Minor white flaws



Colon before P



Flaw at mouth





Coloured line



Uneven inner frame

NONE

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2 milliemes green.

Chalk-surfaced paper. ✓

All with wide watermark.

Watermark upright







Shades



Block of four

Ditto with gutter margin

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2 milliemes green.

Chalk-surfaced paper.

All with wide watermark.



LI joined

Inverted watermark



Circle



White line across



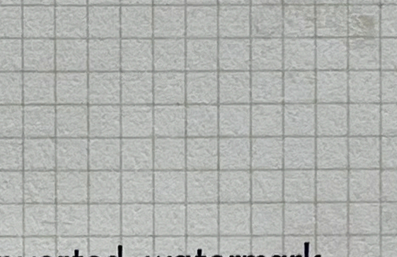
Weak inking







Blurred impression



Overinked



Damaged eye



Green flaw in S



White flaw

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FOURTH ISSUE. 3 milliemes orange.

Chalk-surfaced paper. ✓

All with wide watermark.

Varieties:



Overinked



Weak impression

Flaw on pyramid



Blind eye

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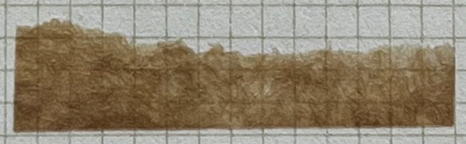
FOURTH ISSUE.

3 milliemes orange.
Chalk-surfaced paper. ✓
All with wide watermark.

Watermark upright



Shades.



Block of four

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FOURTH ISSUE. 4 milliemes vermilion.

Chalk-surfaced paper.

All with wide watermark.

Varieties:

BC

Inverted watermark



Coloured flaws



Blurred impression



White flaws

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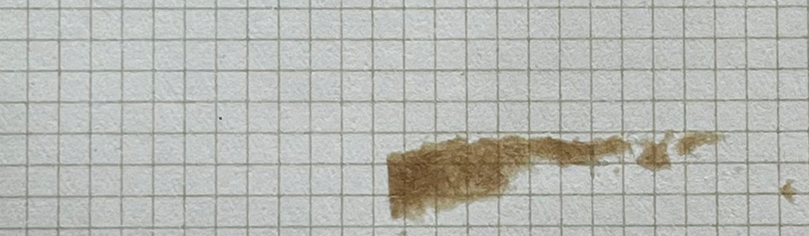
FOURTH ISSUE.

4 milliemes vermilion.
Chalk-surfaced paper.
All with wide watermark.

Watermark upright



Shades



Block of four

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FOURTH ISSUE.

5 milliemes rose.

Chalk-surfaced paper. ✓

All with wide watermark.

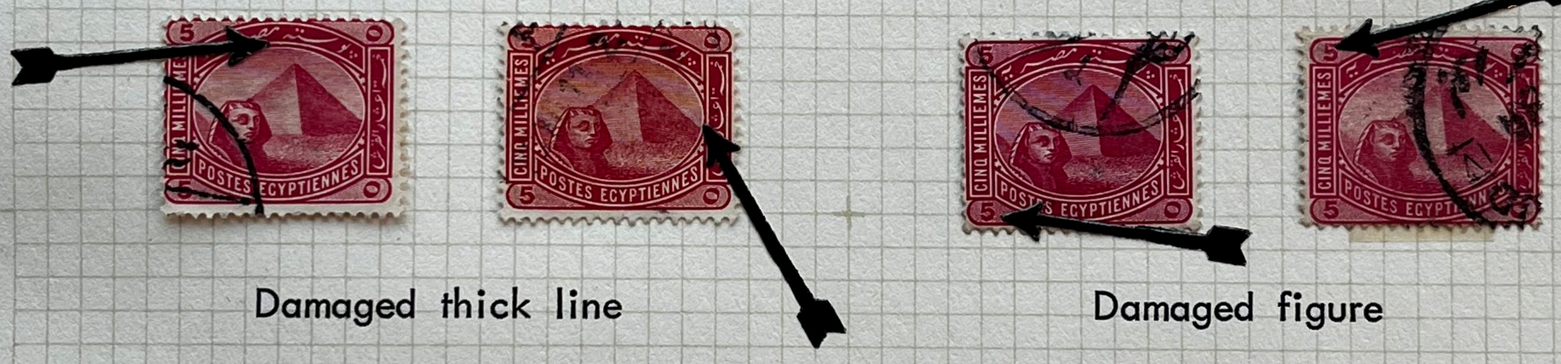
Varieties:



Minor white flaws



Coloured specks



Damaged thick line

Damaged figure



Coloured line



Scar on cheek



Red line across

G.H.S. AND ROYAL BLUE LEAF
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Shades



Block of four

Varieties:



Blurred impression

White flaw

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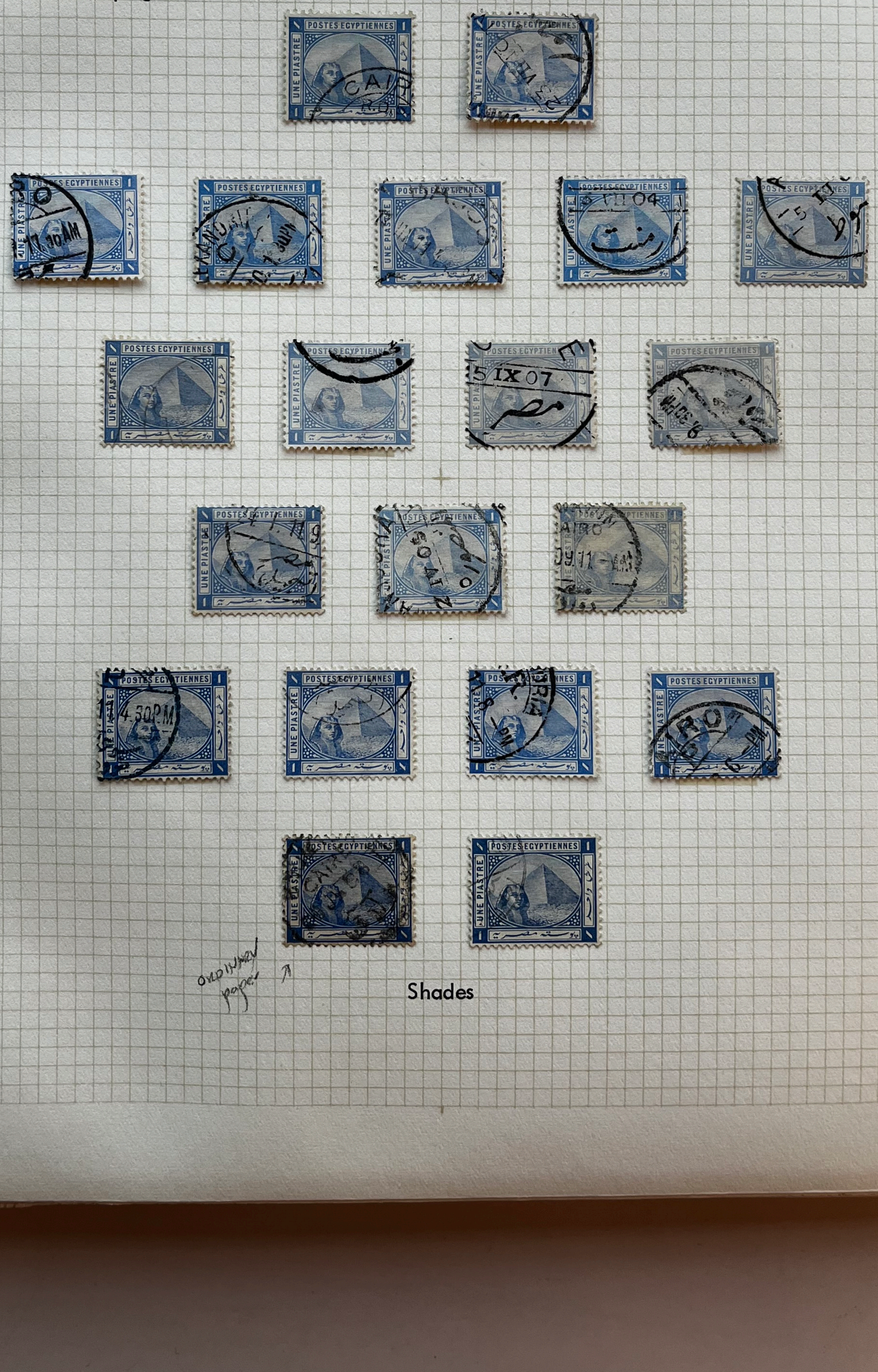
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1 piastre blue.

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Watermark upright



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Varieties:

Block of four



Blue streak across



Doubled lines



Var. blue specks







Damaged thick frame





Damaged thin frame







Blurred impression