

IRELAND
OFFICIAL MAIL.

RIALTAS SEALADACH NA HEIREANN
On His Majesty's Service.

BAILE ATHA CLIATH
LEARN IRISH JUL 14
OFFICIAL D 6:30PM
PAID " 1922



J. F. Williamson Esq.

Dolecoed Hotel,

Llanwrtyd Wells,

Breconshire, S.O.

Wales.

Registrar of Petty Sessions Clerks' Office,
15 Upper Fitzwilliam Street, Dublin.

14. July 1922. Official cover from Petty Sessions Office to Wales with official cachet in purple and boxed "DUBLIN OFFICIAL PAID" in red.

RIALTAS SEALADACH NA HEIREANN
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The Principal

Albert Agricultural College

Glasnevin

Co Dublin

29. MARCH 1922. Official cover to Glasnevin, Dublin over stamped with "RIALTAS SEALADACH NA HEIREANN" in purple h.s. and "DUBLIN OFFICIAL PAID" ds in red.

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Urgent



DÁIL EIREANN
(Parlimint Shealadach)

S. Ghabhain Uí Dubhthaigh, TD
39, Mespil Rd.,
Dublin.

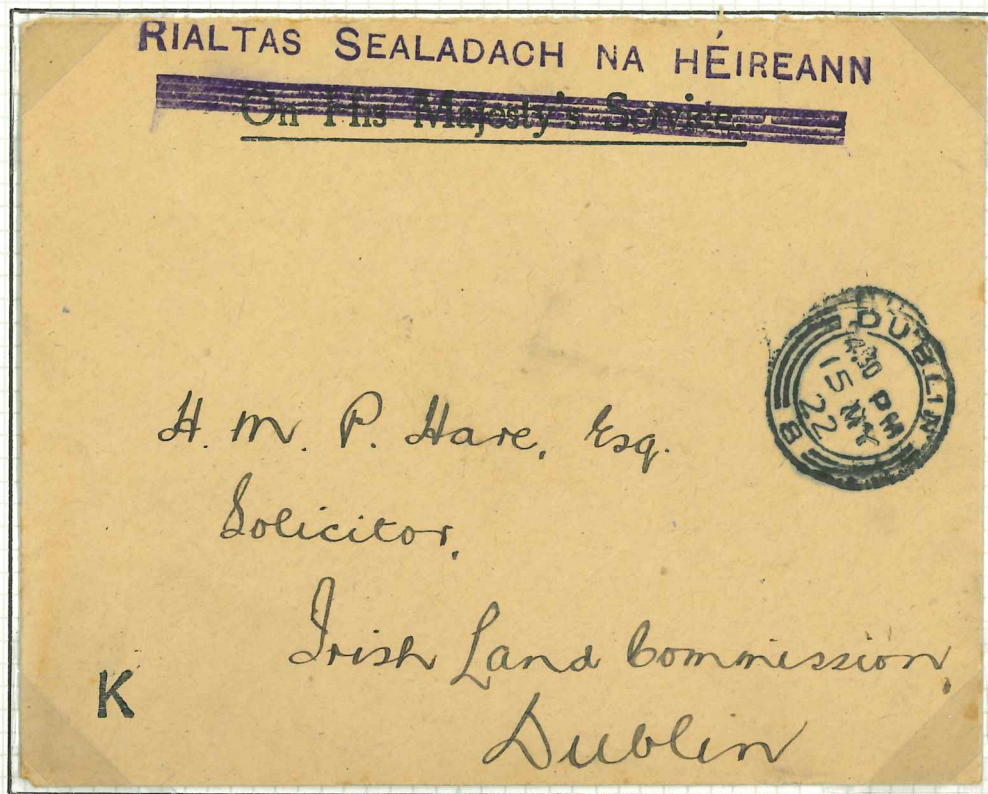
Fé Dheabha



1922 Printed Provisional
Parliament DAIL EIREANN
envelope to Gavan Duffy T.D.
with oval PARLIMINT SHEALADACH
cachet in green and RATHMINES
D.O. e.d.s. 15.0N.22 (error
for NO).

Gavan Duffy was one of the
signatories to the Anglo-
Irish Agreement (The Treaty)
of 1921.

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Official O.H.M.S. cover hand stamped "RIALTAS SEALADACH NA HEIREANN" in dark purple. Cancelled DUBLIN 15 MY 22.

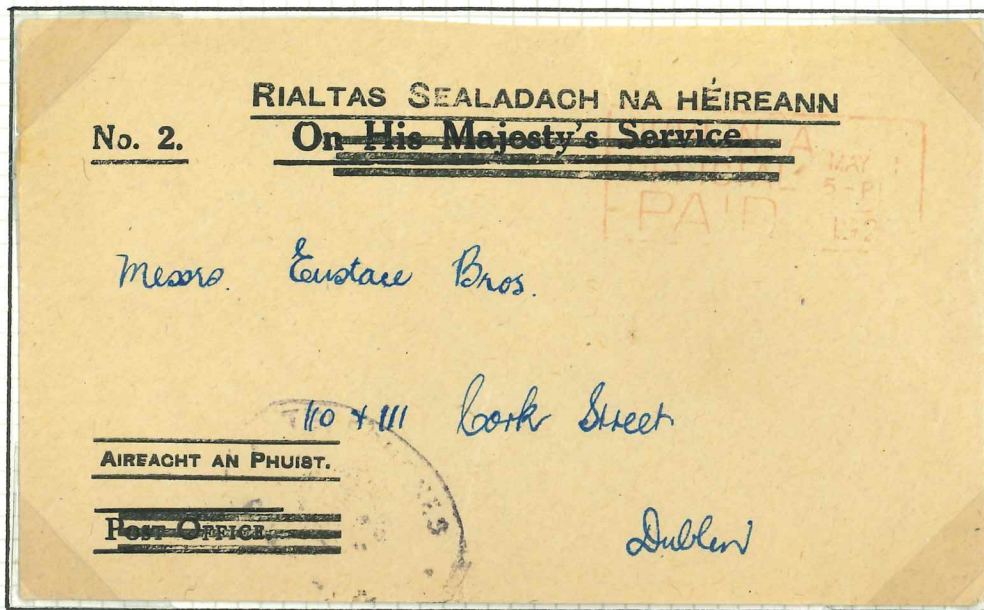


O.H.M.S. envelope to Devon, England with Dollard overprint on 4d grey-green tied by Galway Krag machine. Cancel dated 8. MAR. 1922. Overprint misplaced to top right

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POST OFFICE



O.H.M.S. Post OFFICE No2 small envelope used locally in Dublin.



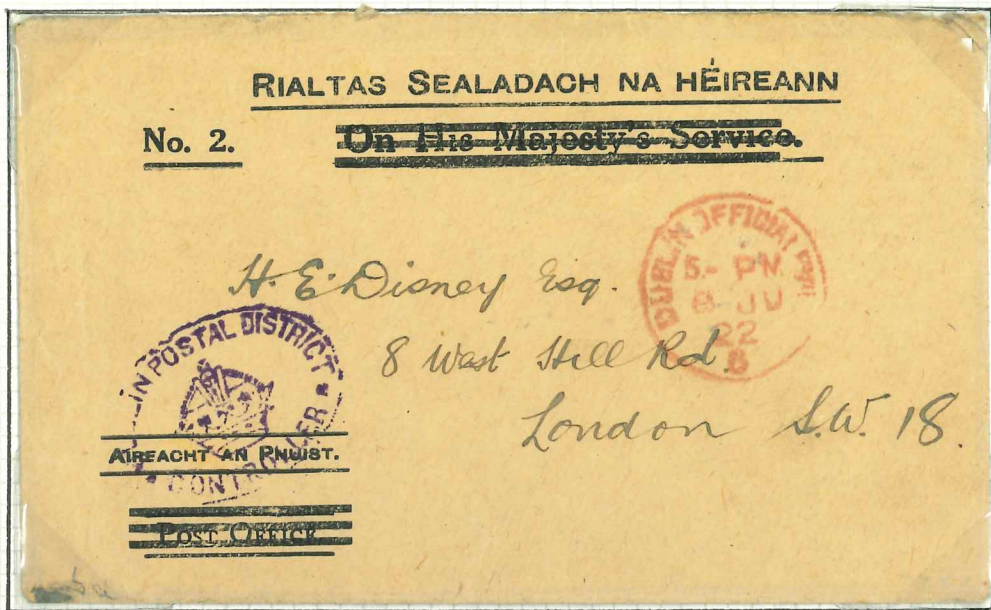
O.H.M.S. Post OFFICE cover (No.2) overprinted "RIALTAS SEALADACH NA HEIREANN" in black and "AIREACT AN PHUIST" also in black.

Made and Printed in England

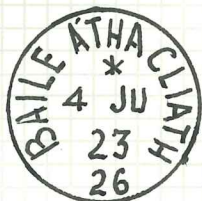
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O.H.M.S. Post Office envelope (No.2) overprinted "RIALTAS SEALADACH NA HEIREANN" in black, and "AIREACHT AN PHUIST" also in black, with red DUBLIN OFFICIAL PAID cds. dated 8 JU 22.



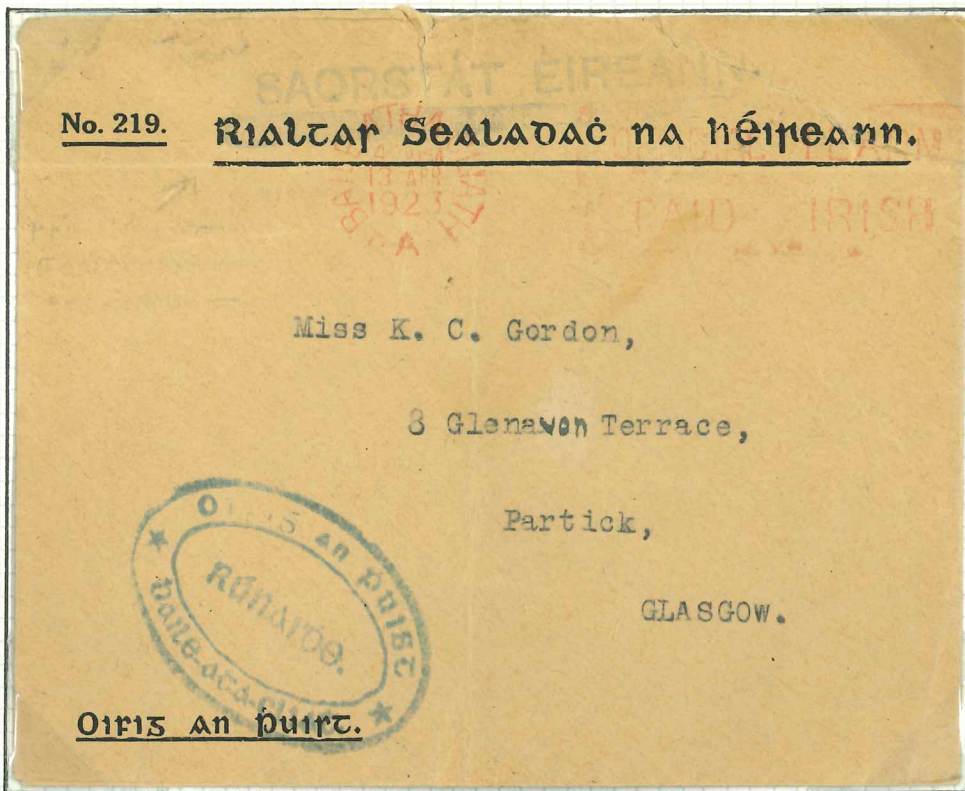
5d brown used on registered official Post Office envelope. 5d being the registration fee required Tied Dublin c.d.s. 4. Ju. 23.

"O.H.M.S." overprinted RIALTAS then with m.s. Saorstát. Notice "EIREANN" is not overprinted.

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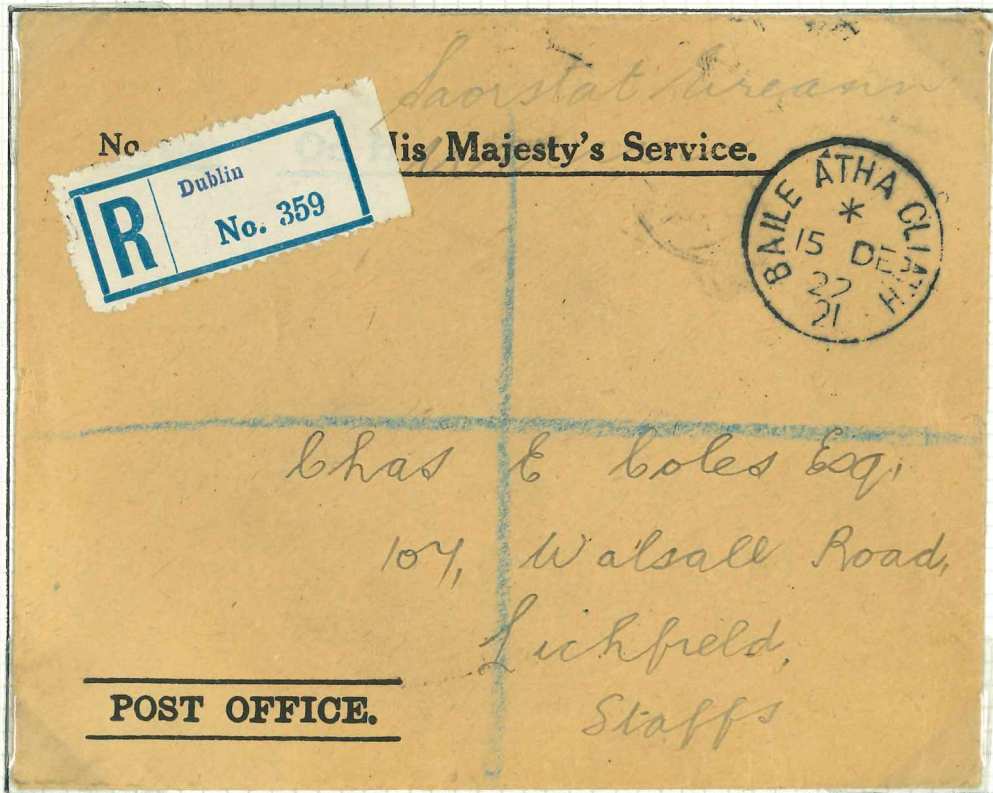
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"RIALTAS" official post office envelope (No 219) with hand struck SAORSTAT ÉIREANN in purple.

Dublin official paid in red dated 13. AP 1923.



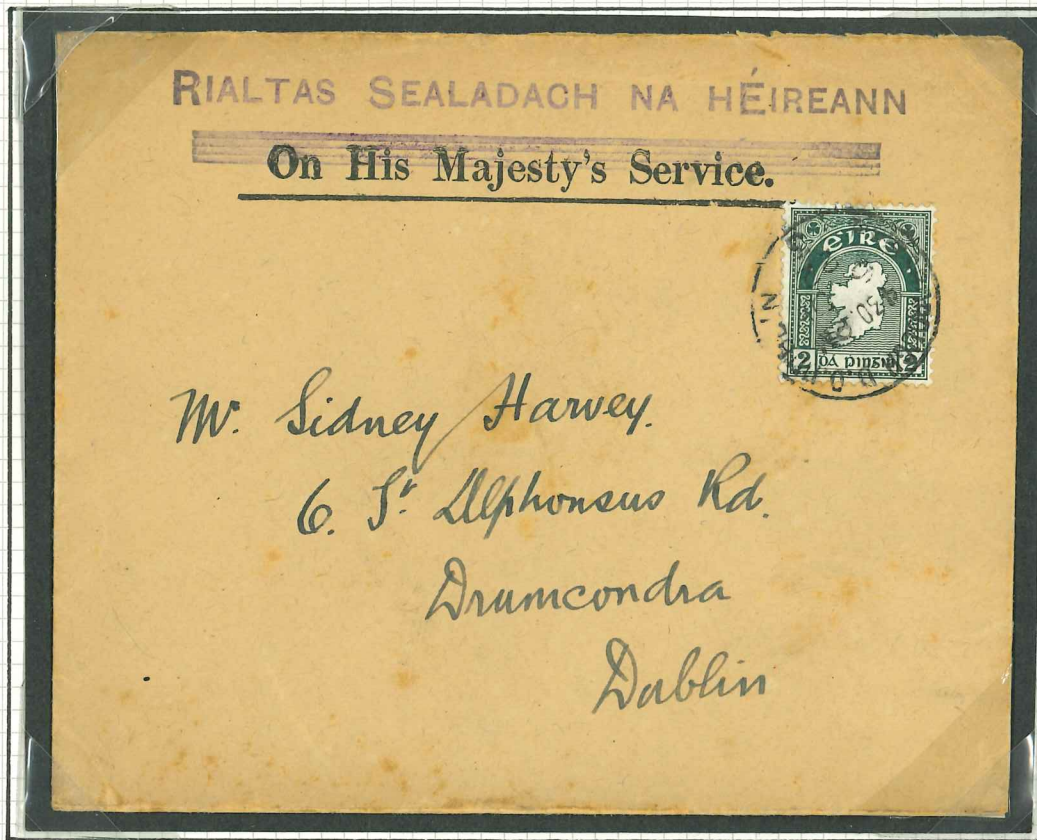
Back stamped.

"O.H.M.S." Post office envelope overprinted "SAORSTAT ÉIREANN" in manuscript. The cover was sent registered, but without any stamp to pay the registration fee.

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6. DECEMBER 1922. O.H.M.S. cover hand stamped in purple "RIALTAS SEALADACH" used on the first of issue of Ireland's first postage stamp the 2d grey-green showing the map, and tied Phibsborough D.O. Dublin 6. DE.22 c.d.s.

From 6th December 1922 "Rialtas Sealadach Na hÉireann" became "Saorstát Éireann."

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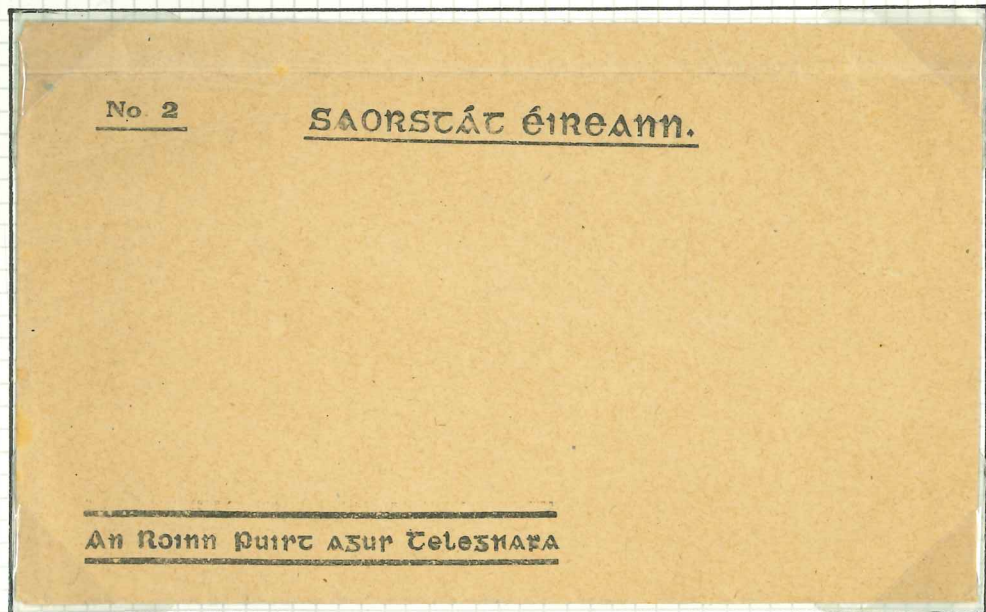
POST OFFICE



Back-stamped.

SAORSTÁT ÉIREANN official Post Office envelope No. 2. with Roman lettering registered and used with "se" 6d definitive to cover registration fee from Dublin to Derby with DUBLIN single ring c.d.s. dated 1. MR. 26.

"AIREACHT AN FUIST" replaced by "AN ROINN FUIST AGUS TELEGRAFA"



Circa 1923 SAORSTÁT ÉIREANN official Post Office envelope No. 2 with Gaelic lettering and AIREACHT AN FUIST (Post Office) replaced by An Roinn Fuirce agus Telegrafa (Dept of Posts and Telegraphy) also in Gaelic lettering.

TRANSITIONAL PERIOD

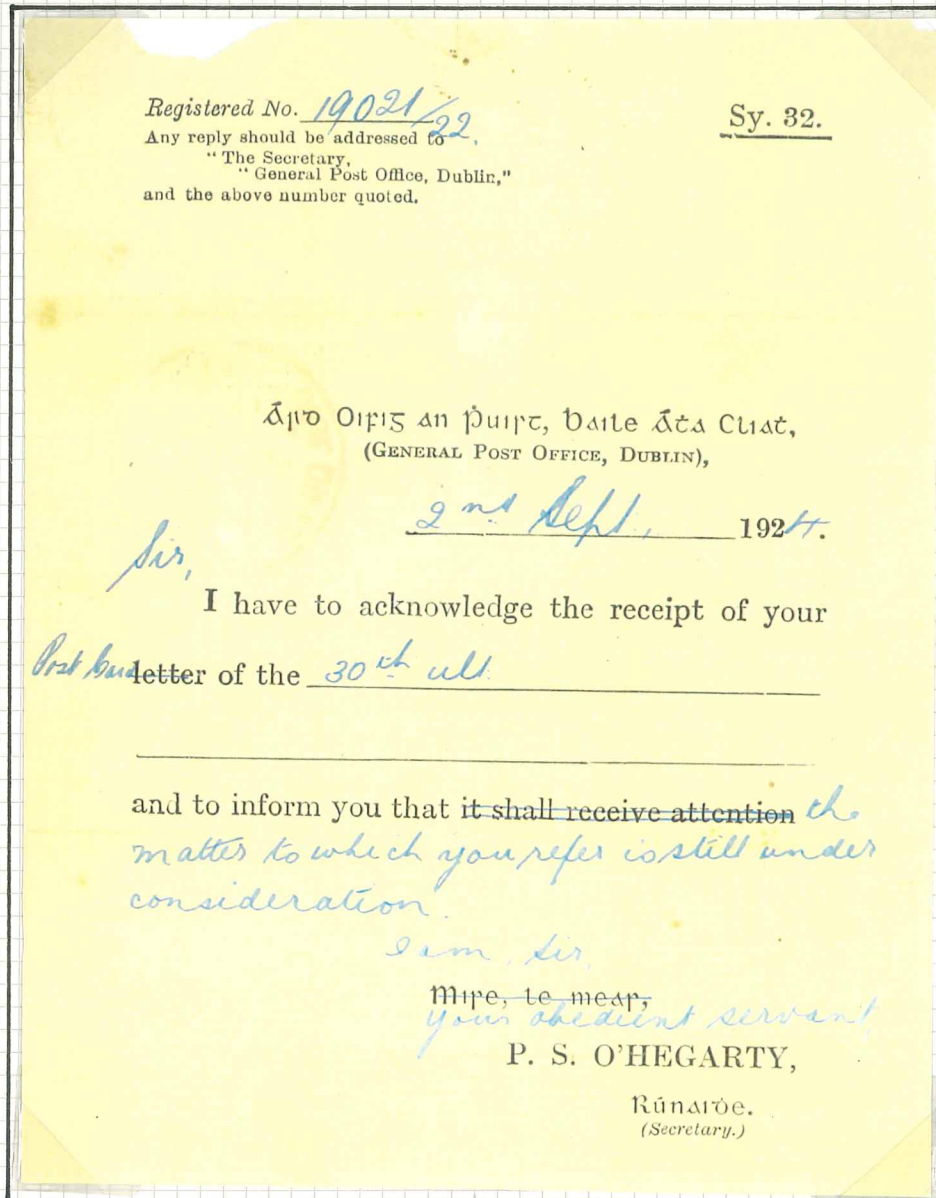
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Folded letter acknowledging receipt of post-card received by the Post Office to Cardiff from Dublin with OFFICIAL PAID Single ring date-stamp inked and dated 2. SP. 24.

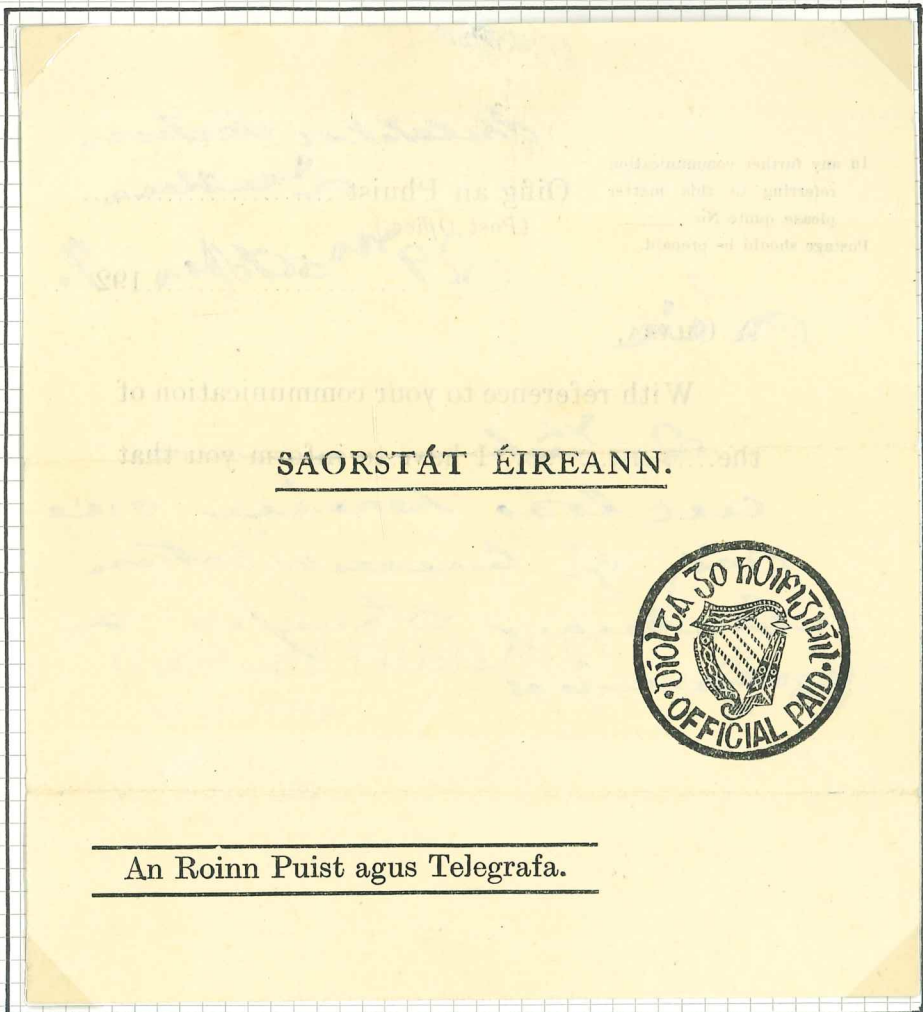
Made and Printed in England



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Official Mail

Post Office



Backstamped

SAORSTÁT ÉIREANN official Post Office No 2 envelope from the philatelic section registered and used with O'Connell 2d and 3d commemoratives to cover the registration fee.

As indicated on the accompanying letter the reason for the correspondence.

Quote:-
"enclosed here with one set of Emancipation Centenary stamps as requested"

Signed by
H.R. Sargent
Controller D.P.O.

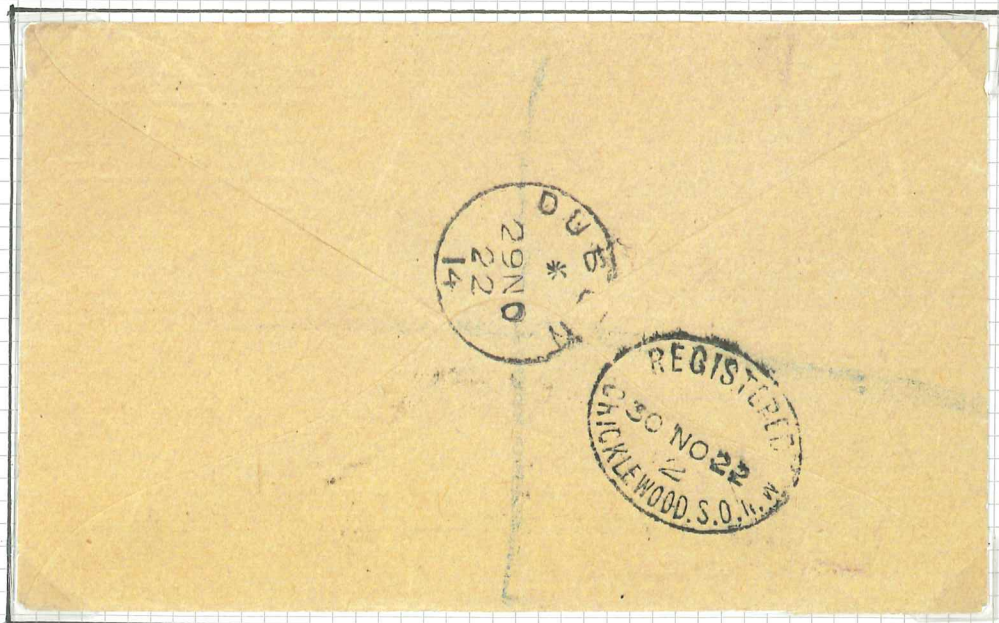
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9d olive-green Geo V with Thom 5/line overprint in red used on O.H.M.S. Post Office envelope sent registered to London. Tied DUBLIN 14. c.d.s. dated 29 NO 22.



Backstamped. DUBLIN and CRICKLEWOOD S.O. (LONDON).

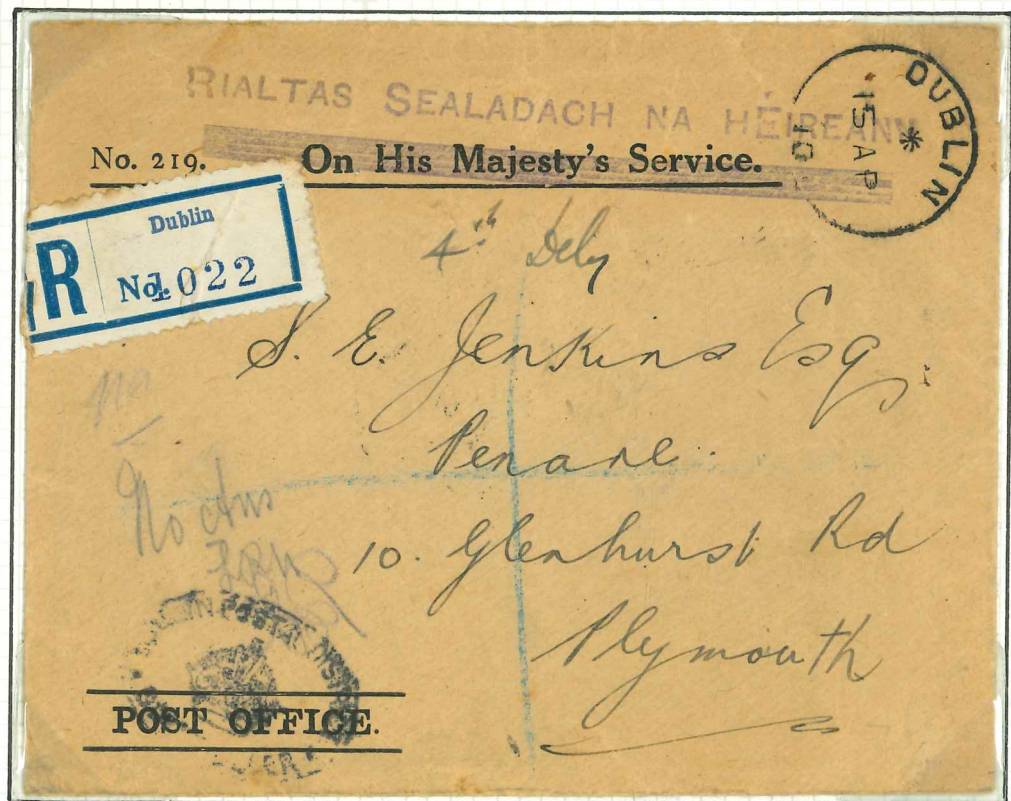
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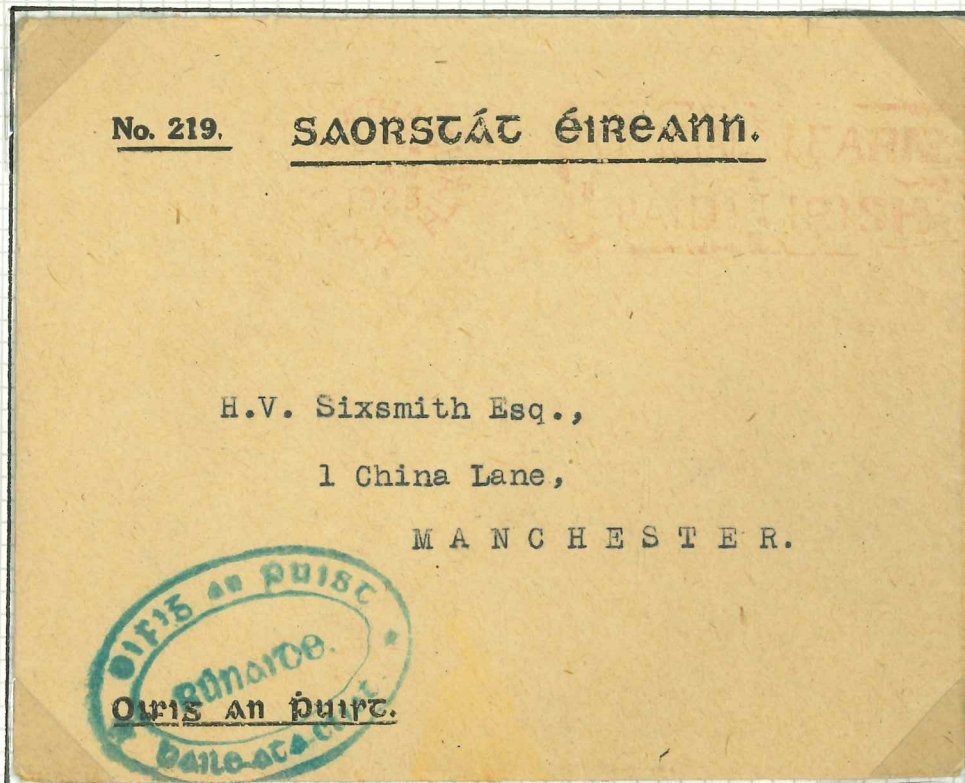
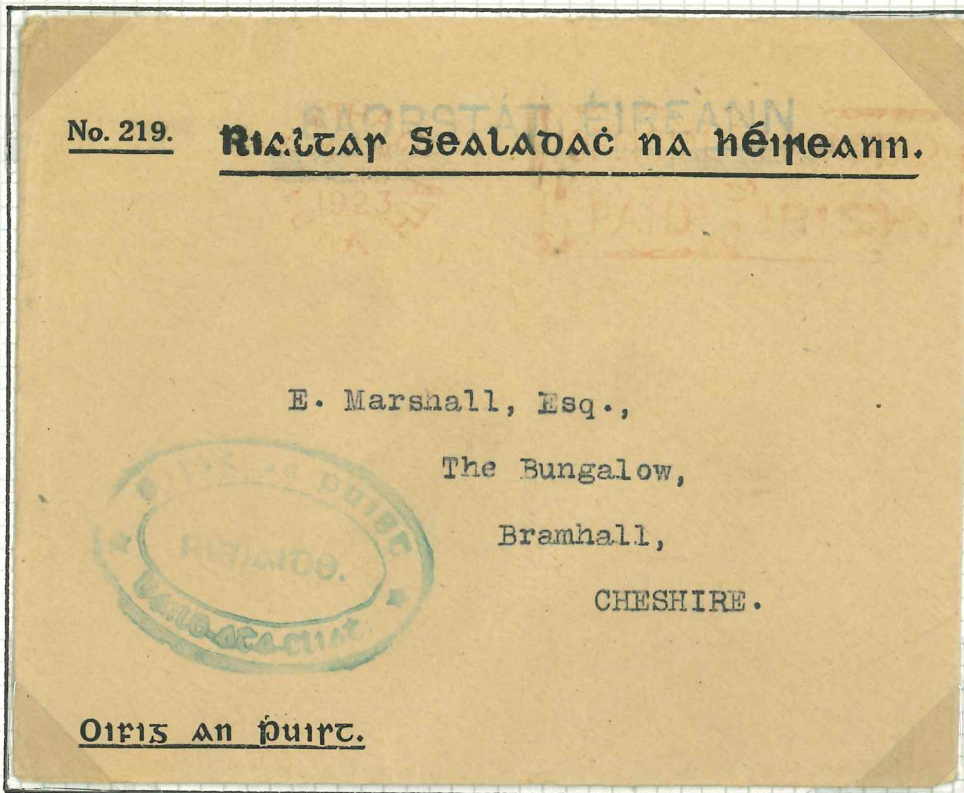


O.H.M.S. Post Office envelope (No. 1064) overstamp "RIALTAS SEALADACH NA HEIREANN" in purple sent registered to SUTTON COLDFIELD with DUBLIN single ring date stamp 3. NO. 22. and "CONTROLLER" cachet in purple.



O.H.M.S. Post Office envelope (No. 219) overstamp "RIALTAS SEALADACH NA HEIREANN" in purple sent registered to Plymouth with DUBLIN single ring date stamp 15. AP. (year appears to be missing) and "CONTROLLER" cachet in black.

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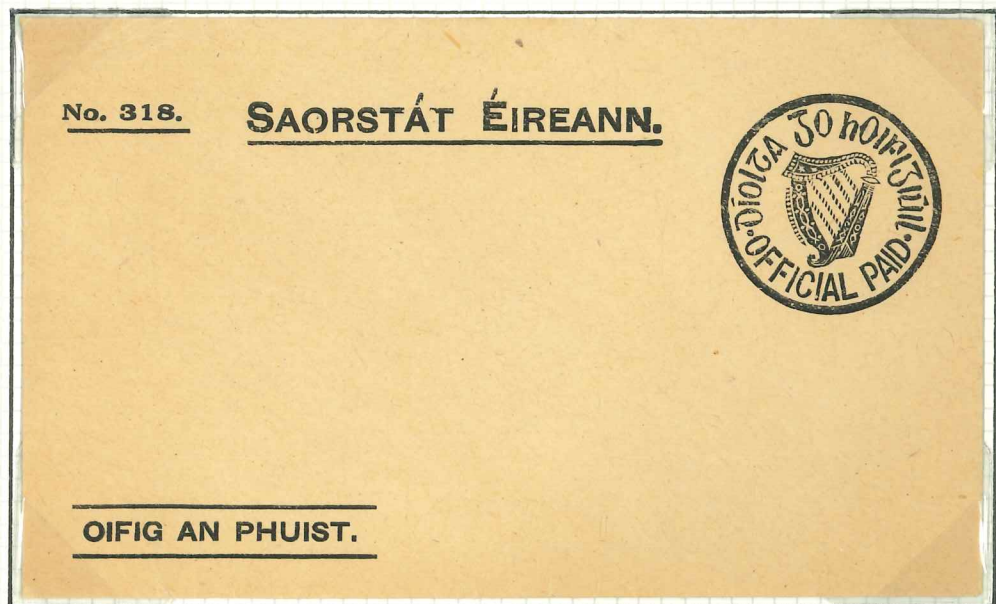
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SAORSTÁT ÉIREANN official Post Office envelope No 318 with single ring bi-lingual OFFICIAL PAID handstamp used from Galway to Edinburgh dated 27. AUG. 29 then redirected to Hawick.



Circa 1923 SAORSTÁT ÉIREANN official Post Office envelope No 318 with single ring bi-lingual OFFICIAL PAID hand stamp with harp.

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Transitional Period

Official Mail



Backstamped.



RIALTAS SEALACH NA h-EIRIANN

The Solicitor,
Irish Land Commission,

24, Upper Merrion street,
DUBLIN.

REGISTERED



Cover from solicitor in Swinford to the Land Commission in Dublin. allowed free of postage being official.
Registration fee paid by Deilard 1d and Thom 2d tied SWINFORD Co. MAYO cds 13 JU 22.

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RIALTAS SEALADACH NA HÉIREANN



Inspector of Taxes,

*1A. St. Paul's Square,
Bedford.*

Oifig Ioncum Stáit.

Official envelope from Dublin to Bedford, England with English "OFFICIAL PAID" hand stamp with crown removed and Dublin double ring c.d.s. dated 10.1A.23. By night after 6. DEC. 1922. "RIALTAS SEALADACH NA HÉIREANN" should have been overprinted "SAORSTAT EIREANN".

RIALTAS SEALADACH NA HÉIREANN



HENRY M. P. HARE, ESQ.,

SOLICITOR,

IRISH LAND COMMISSION,

24 UPR MERRION STREET,

DUBLIN.



Official envelope from the Courts of Justice to Irish Land Commission with "S.C.J." @ shield hand stamp in violet and double ring DUBLIN.4.OC c.d.s. with year missing. Again it would appear that as the "SC" would indicate in the shield that the hand stamp was applied after 6. DEC. 22 so "RIALTAS SEALADACH NA HÉIREANN" should have been overprinted "SAORSTAT EIREANN".

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RIALTAS SEALADACH NA HÉIREANN

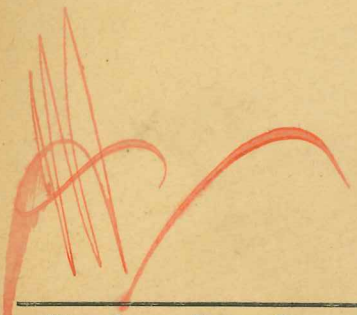
THE SOLICITOR,

Irish Land Commission,

21 ~~24~~ Upper Merrion Street,

DUBLIN.




THE IRISH LAND COMMISSION.

Cover from LIOS TUATHAIL (LISTOWEL Co. KERRY) to DUBLIN. Dated 16 January 1924.

SAORSTÁT ÉIREANN.



Solicitor
The Secretary
Irish Land Commission
at Upper Merrion St
Dublin

Cover from CAISLEAN RIABHACH (CASTLEREA Co. ROSCOMMON) to DUBLIN
Dated 30 January 1924.

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SAORSTÁT ÉIREANN
RIALTAS SEALADACH NA HÉIREANN



The General Secretary,
Ancient Order of Hibernians,
Insurance Section,
1 Mountjoy Square,
DUBLIN.



Dublin Official Paid
13 January 1923.

No. 126.

SAORSTÁT ÉIREANN
RIALTAS SEALADACH NA HÉIREANN.



H. V. Sixsmith, Esq.,
1 China Lane,
MANCHESTER.

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Both official covers cancelled "DUBLIN OFFICIAL PAID" cds in Gaelic

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C. & E. 202.

SAORSTÁT ÉIREANN.



The Collector,

Customs and Excise,

Custom House,

DUBLIN

Na Coimisinéirí Ioncuim.

1920's Custom and Excise printed envelope SAORSTÁT ÉIREANN with imprinted circular bilingual OFFICIAL PAID and harp.

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SAORSTÁT ÉIREANN.

PRIVATE.



Mrs. S. H. Good

Long Quay

Kinsale

Co. Cork

If undelivered, return to—
The Inspector of Taxes at
CORK 3RD DISTRICT
1 Princes St. CORK.

Inspector of Taxes printed envelope 'SAORSTÁT ÉIREANN' with English circular framed 'OFFICIAL / PAID' handstamp with crown removed. Used from Cork to Kinsale dated 2. DE. 24.

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ΣΑΟΗΡΤΑΤ ΝΑ ΗΕΙΡΕΑΝΝ,



SOLICITOR,

IRISH LAND COMMISSION,

CHURCH PROPERTY DEPT.,

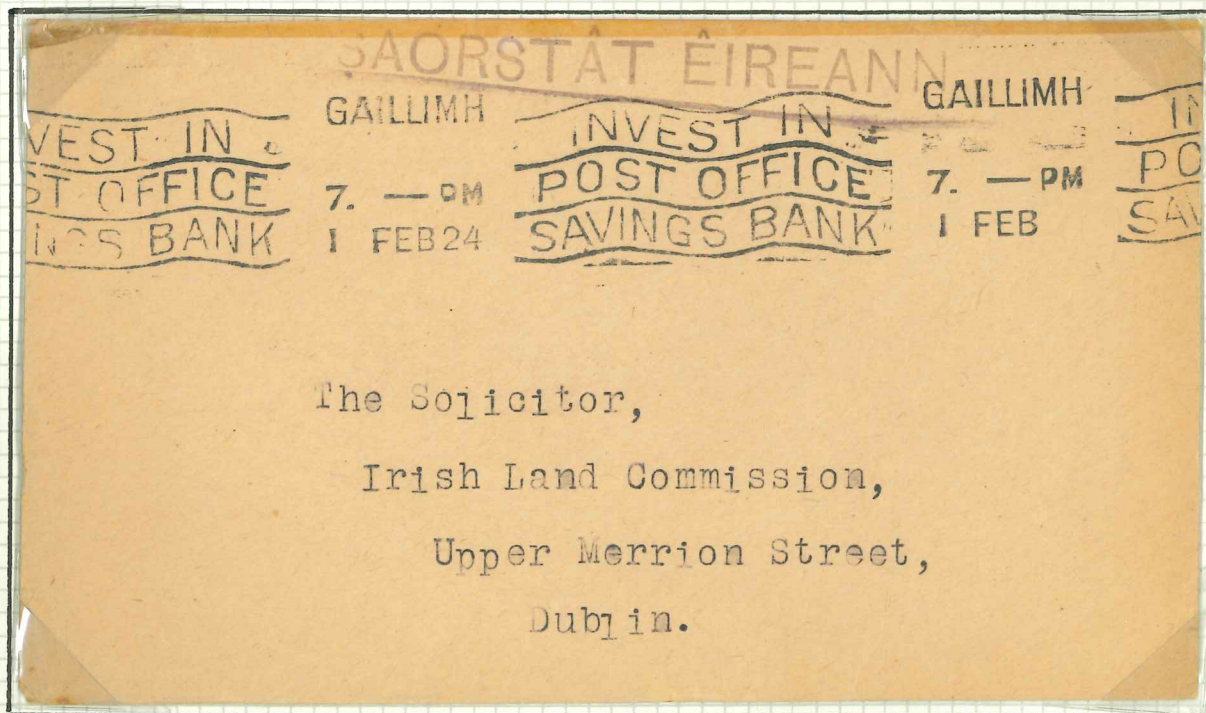
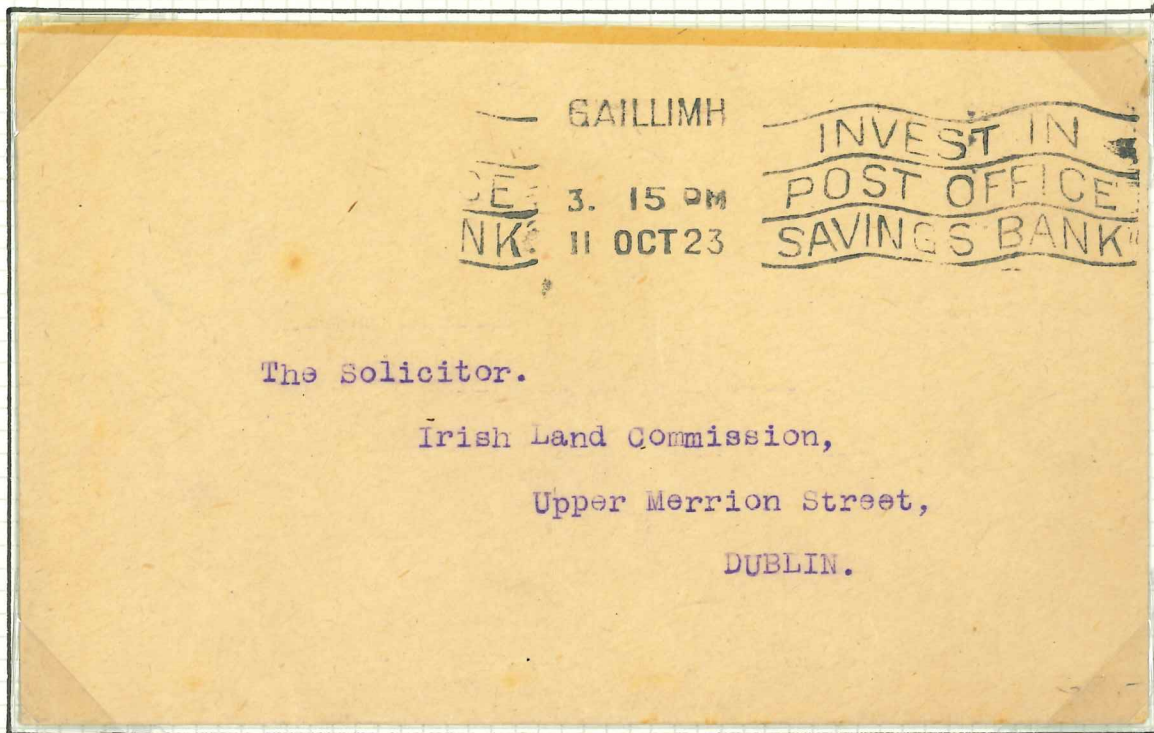
DUBLIN.

ESTATE OFFICE,
84 O'CONNELL STREET,
LIMERICK.

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Two covers from Galway to Dublin both with Galway "Ktag" machine cancel with slogan dated 11.OCT.23 and 1.FEB.24.

Top cover possibly on official business, although no indication that is so. Bottom cover hand stamped "SAORSTAT ÉIREANN".

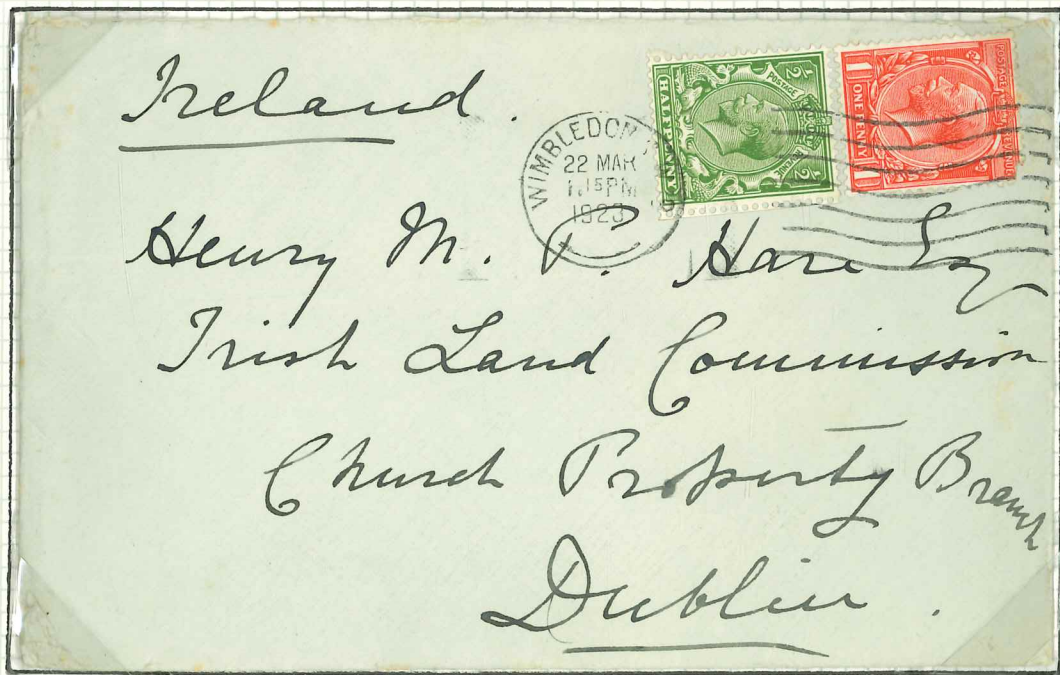
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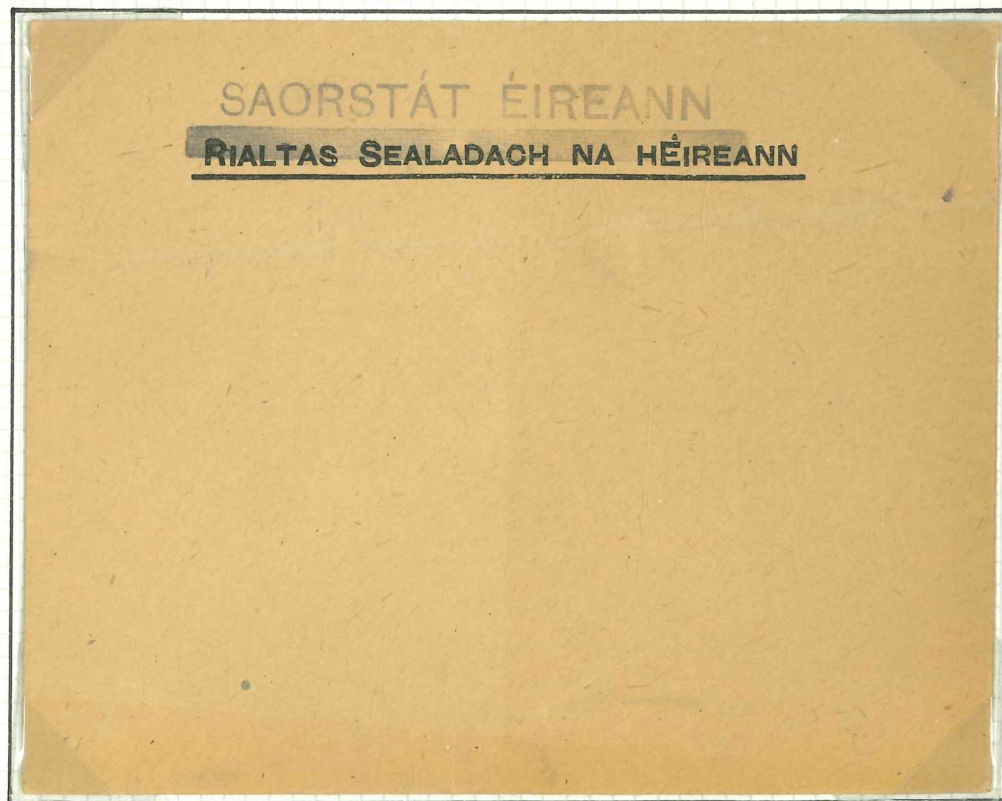
F2 Official envelope from Dublin to Bournemouth England.



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Cover used to Leinster House Dublin with red Dublin official paid cancel.



c. 1923 Official "RIALTAS SEALADACH NA HEIREANN" cover hand stamped "SAORSTAT EIREANN"

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Dublin I.R. 4.

No. 285



INCOME TAX
PRIVATE

If undelivered, return to—
The Inspector of Taxes,
General District,
14, Upper O'Connell Street,
Dublin.



JOIN
THE
VOLUNTEER

Made and Printed in England

OFFICIAL MAIL.

DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS WERE REQUESTED TO PROMOTE THE USE OF GAELIC - HENCE "POST OFFICE" DELETED AND REPLACED IN MANUSCRIPT BY "AIREACHT AN PHOIST"

9. DECEMBER 1922

DONEGAL TO DUBLIN

Rialtas Sealadach na hÉireann

No. 318. On His Majesty's Service.



Michael F. O'Donnell Esq.
12 Leinster Square

Rathmines

Aireacht an Phoist.

Post Office.

Dublin.

If undelivered, to be returned to the Postmaster of the District in which the letter is posted.

No. 320.

RIALTAS SEALADACH NA hÉIREANN.
On His Majesty's Service.



M. F. O'Donnell Esq.
12 Leinster Square

Rathmines

Dublin

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