

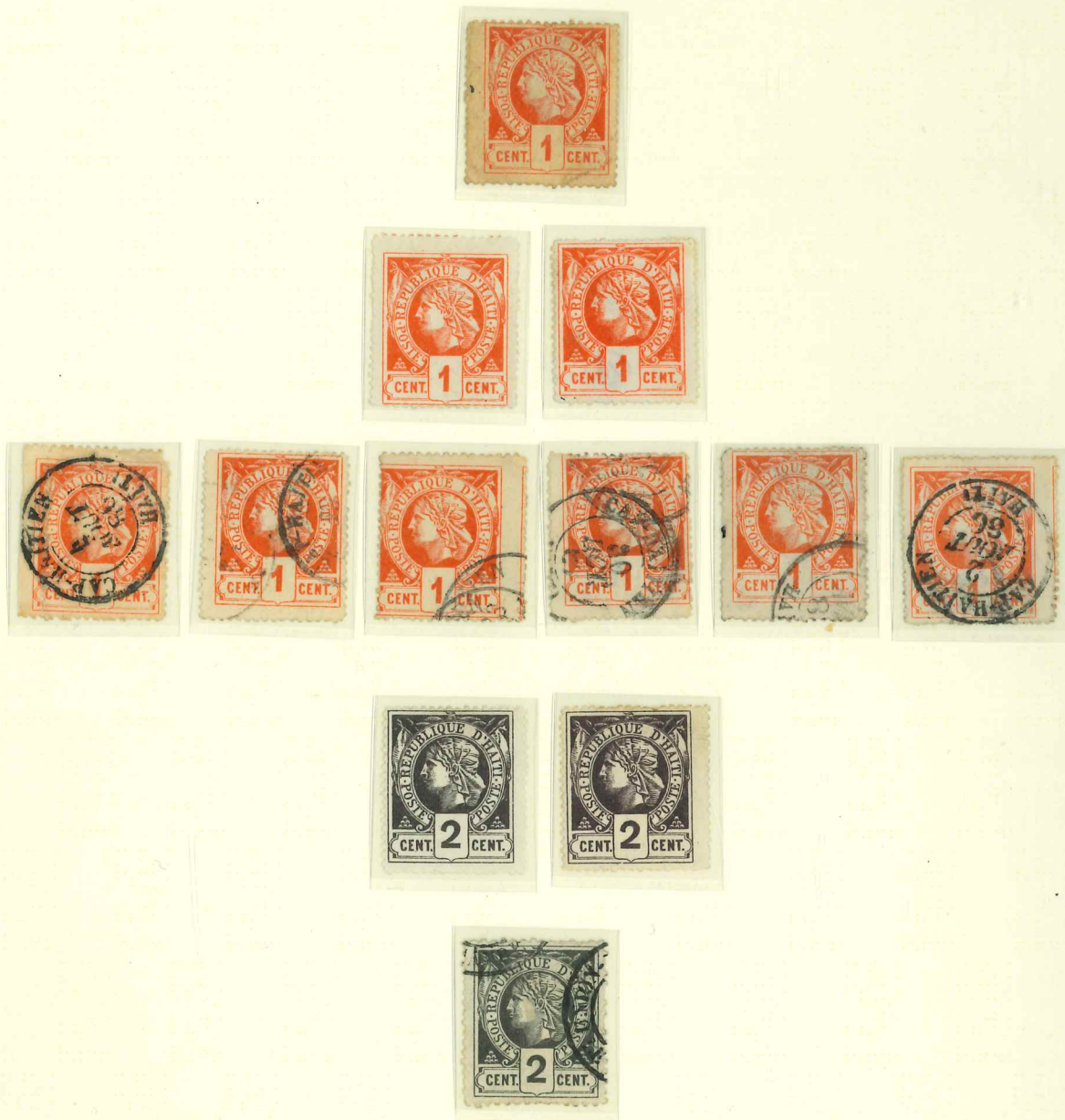
# HAITI

## LIBERTY HEAD ISSUES

### POSTAL FORGERIES

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#### Perf. 16



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Perf. 16

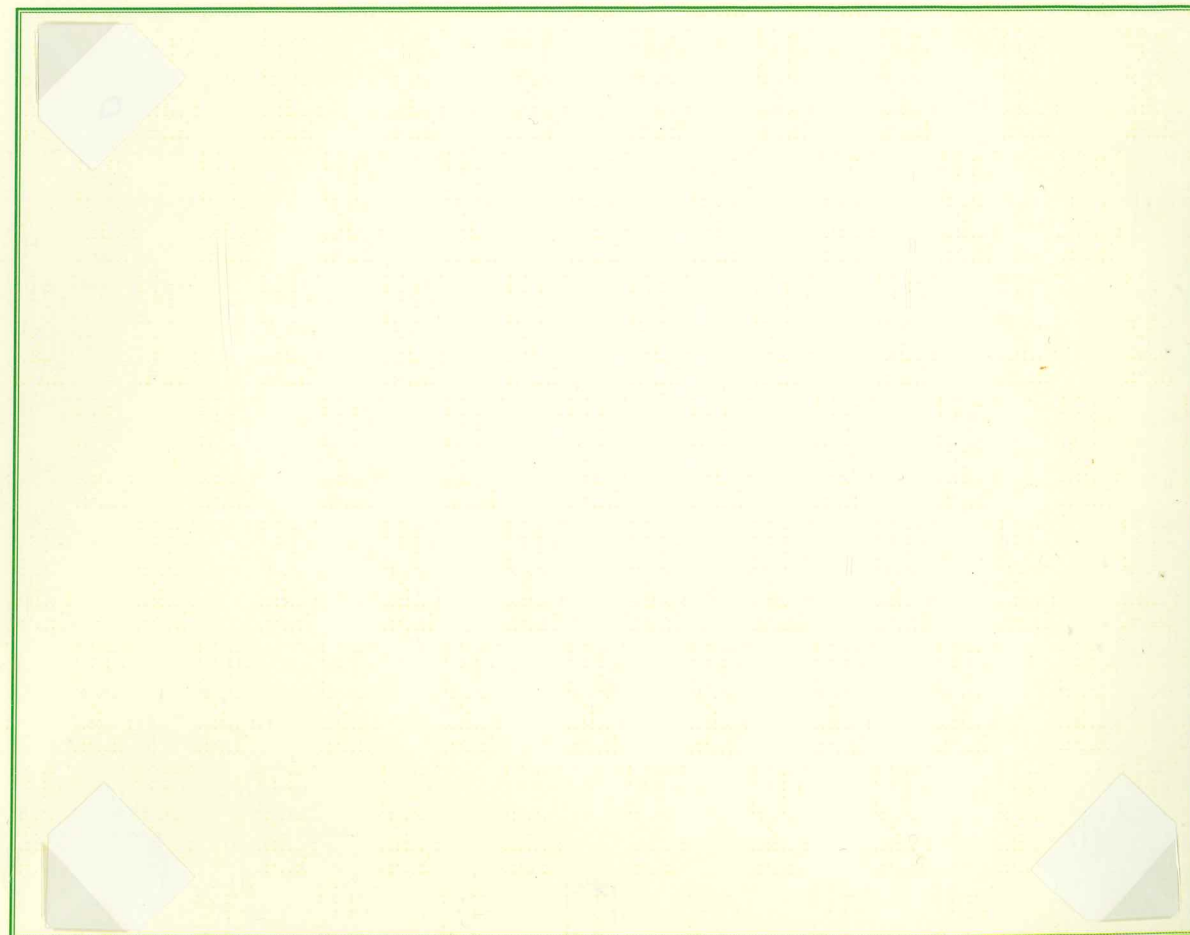


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Postal forgeries perf. 14



15 October 1885, from Cap Haitien to Dresden (Germany) on board the HAPAG ship Borussia, arrived on 11 November. Correctly franked 10 centimes with a pair of the 5 cent. green cancelled by blue crayon figures and Cap Haitien datestamp also in blue.

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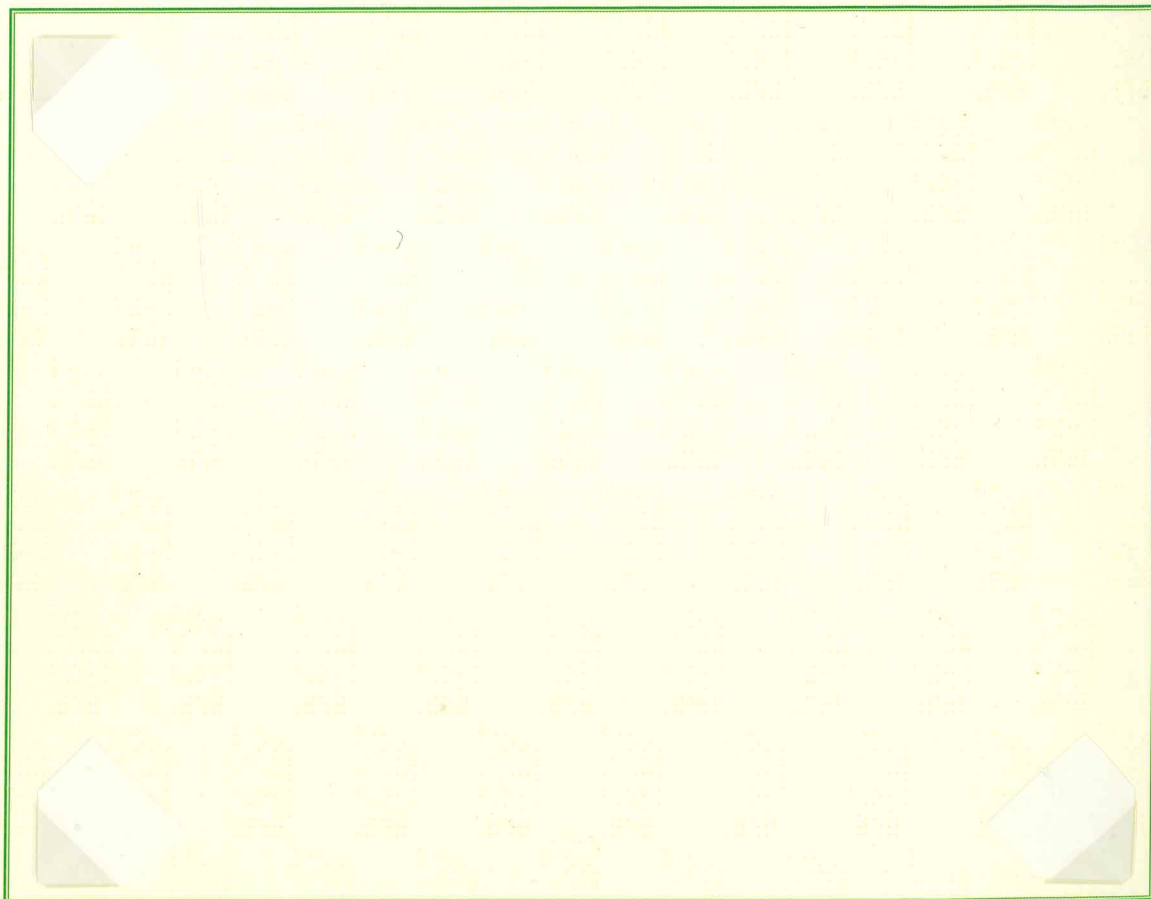
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### Perf. 14



THE ONLY ONE COVER FRANKED WITH A PERF. 14 FORGERY STAMP



12 November 1888, from Cap Haitien to Paris (France), overrated 14 centimes (instead of 12c.) and franked with two singles of the 7 centimes perforated 14.