

EGYPT.

SUEZ CANAL.

Entire letter written from Suez, dated 20th September 1868
addressed to Cairo.

SECTION *Chalouf*
AU PIQUET 198 à 202
Borel Lavalley et Cie.

All. Illus.^{me} Signore
Cavalier L. Vignale
Console di S. M. il Re d'Italia.
Cairo.

The letter was mailed by the firm of Boris Lavalley Et Cie
with label applied on reverse
'SECTION Chalouf
AU PIQUET 198 à 202'.

Chalouf al Tarraba is on the Suez Canal
which was completed and opened for traffic in 1868.
Postal Stations were established on the Suez Canal at 'Kilometro 34',
'Kilometro 83', Chantier VI, El-Gisir and
at Challuf al Tarraba (on August 16th 1868).

Presumably the writer was on voyage down the Canal, possibly in an Official capacity
and writing back to the Italian Consul in Cairo.

Unrecorded Label and Usage.