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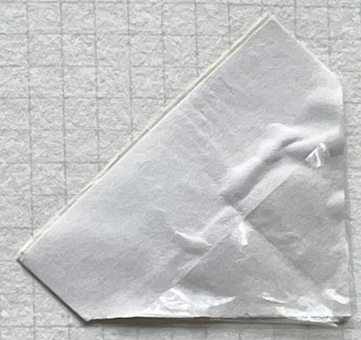

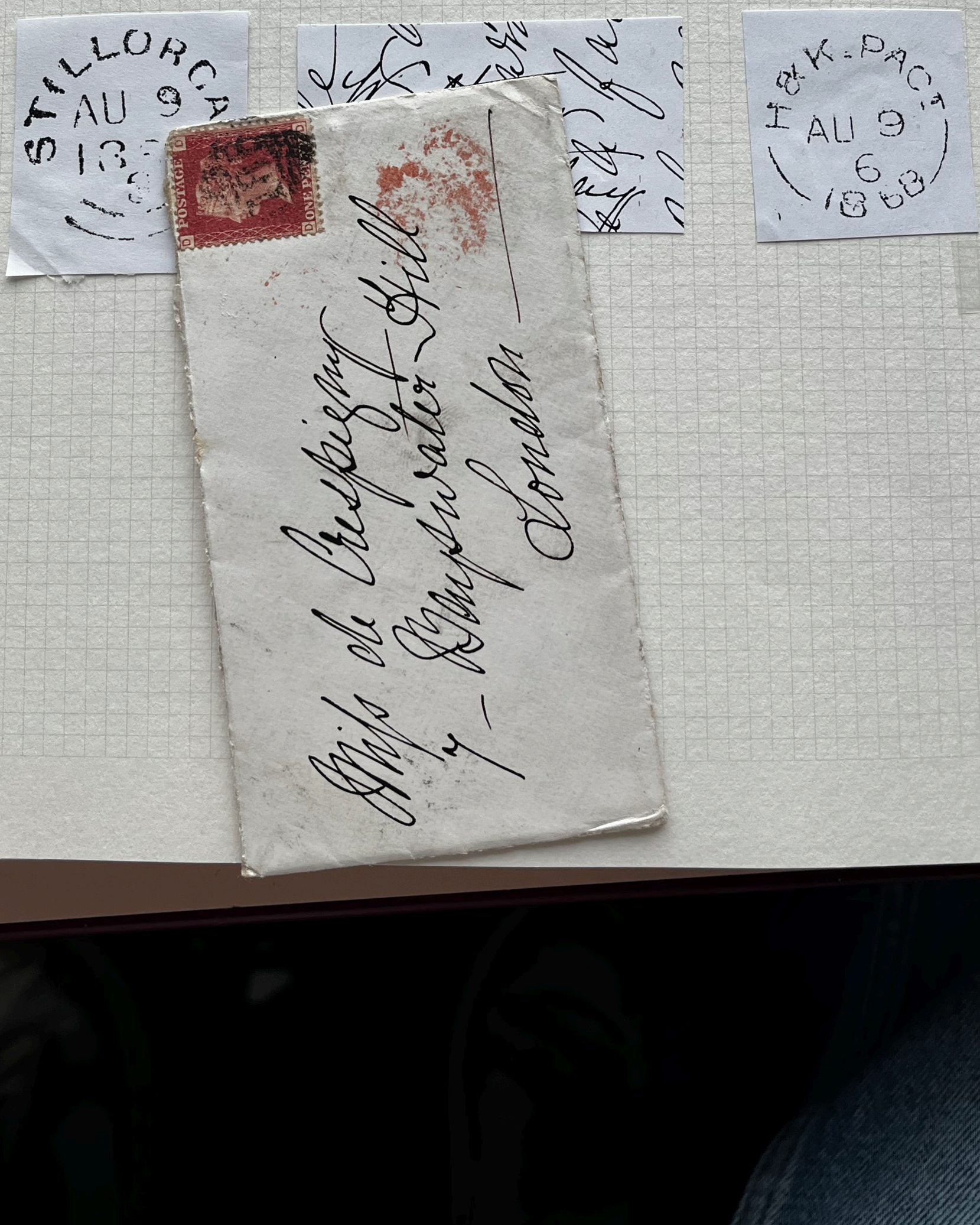

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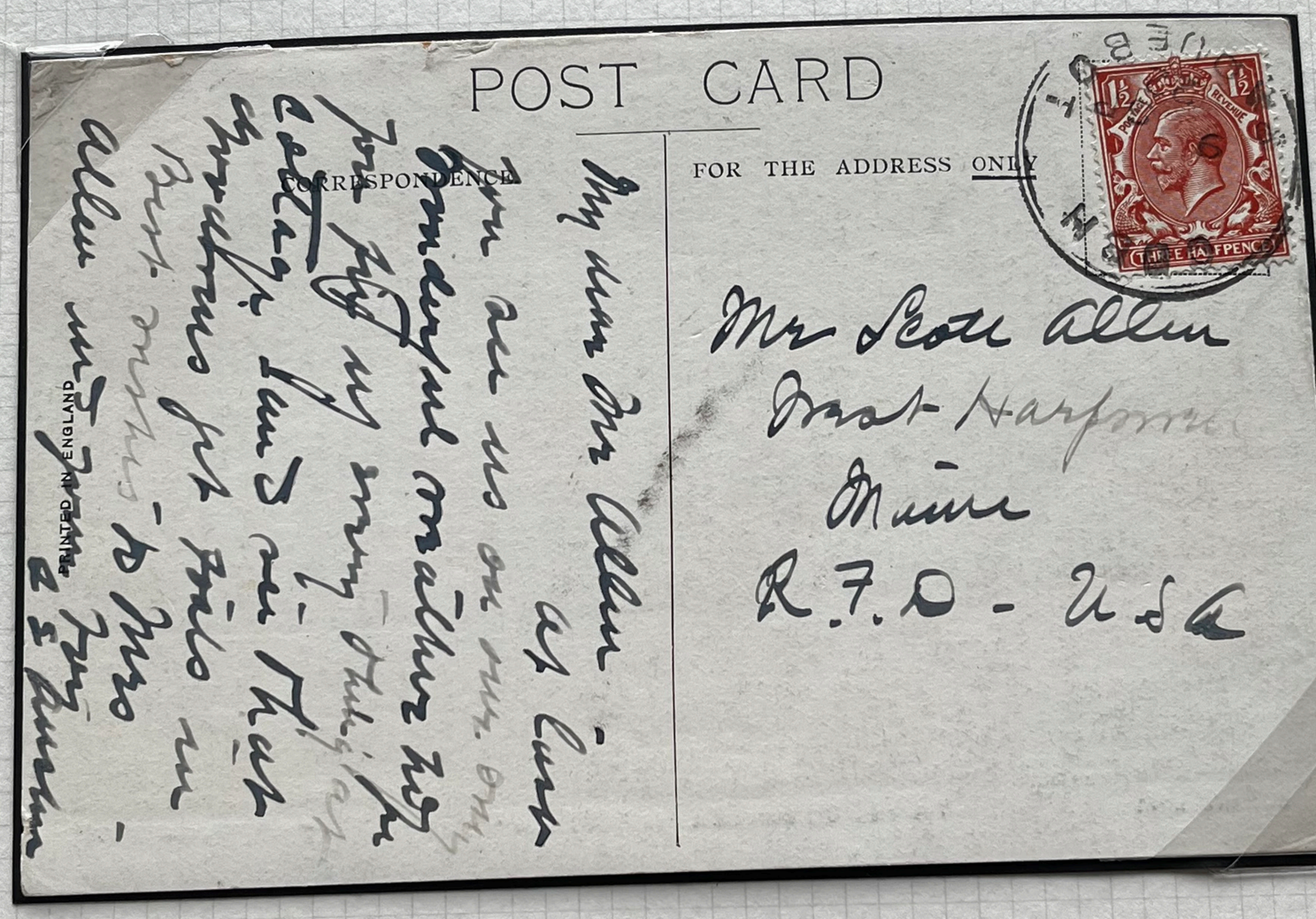

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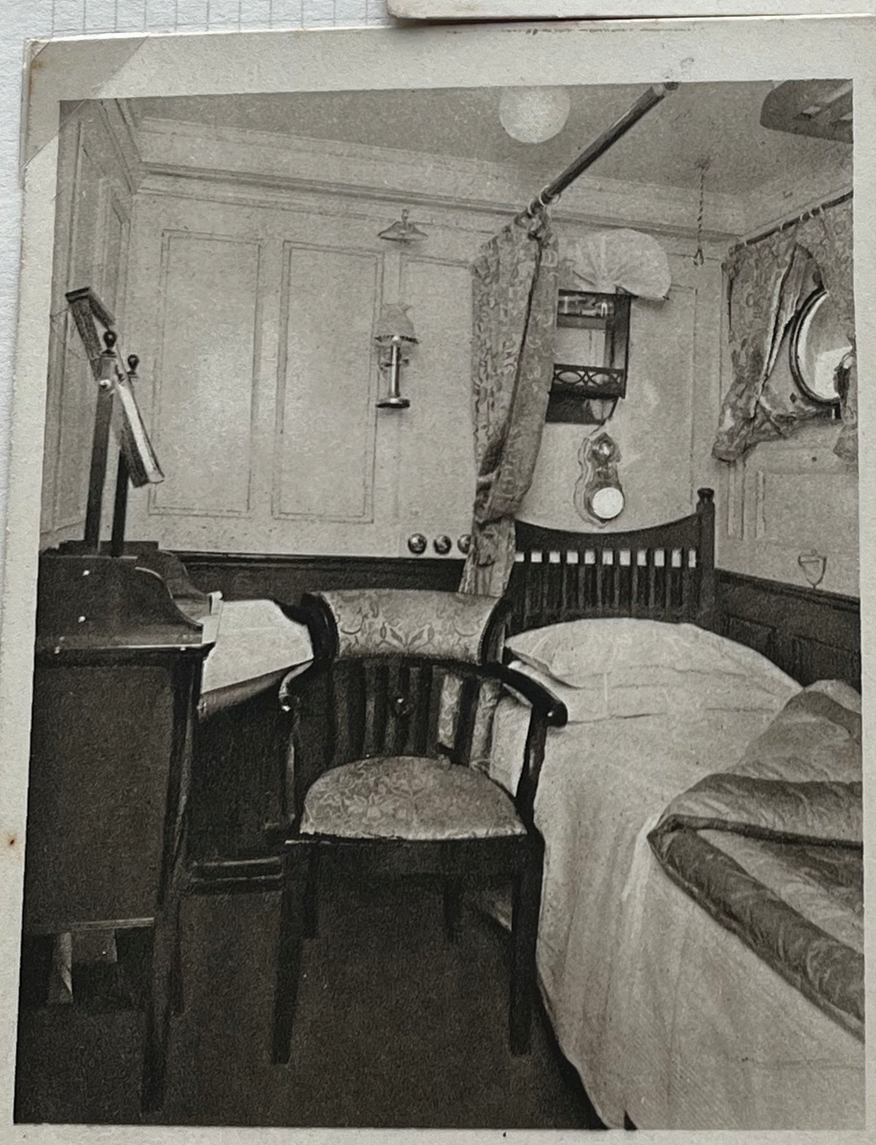

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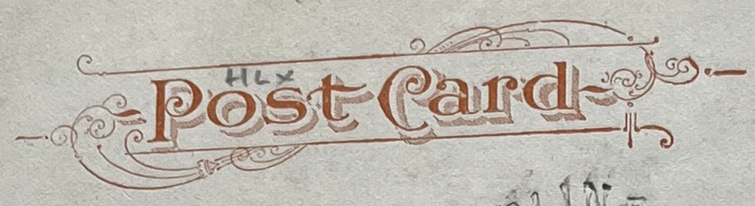

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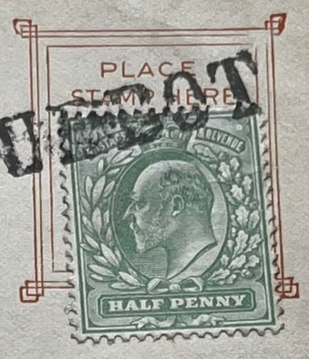

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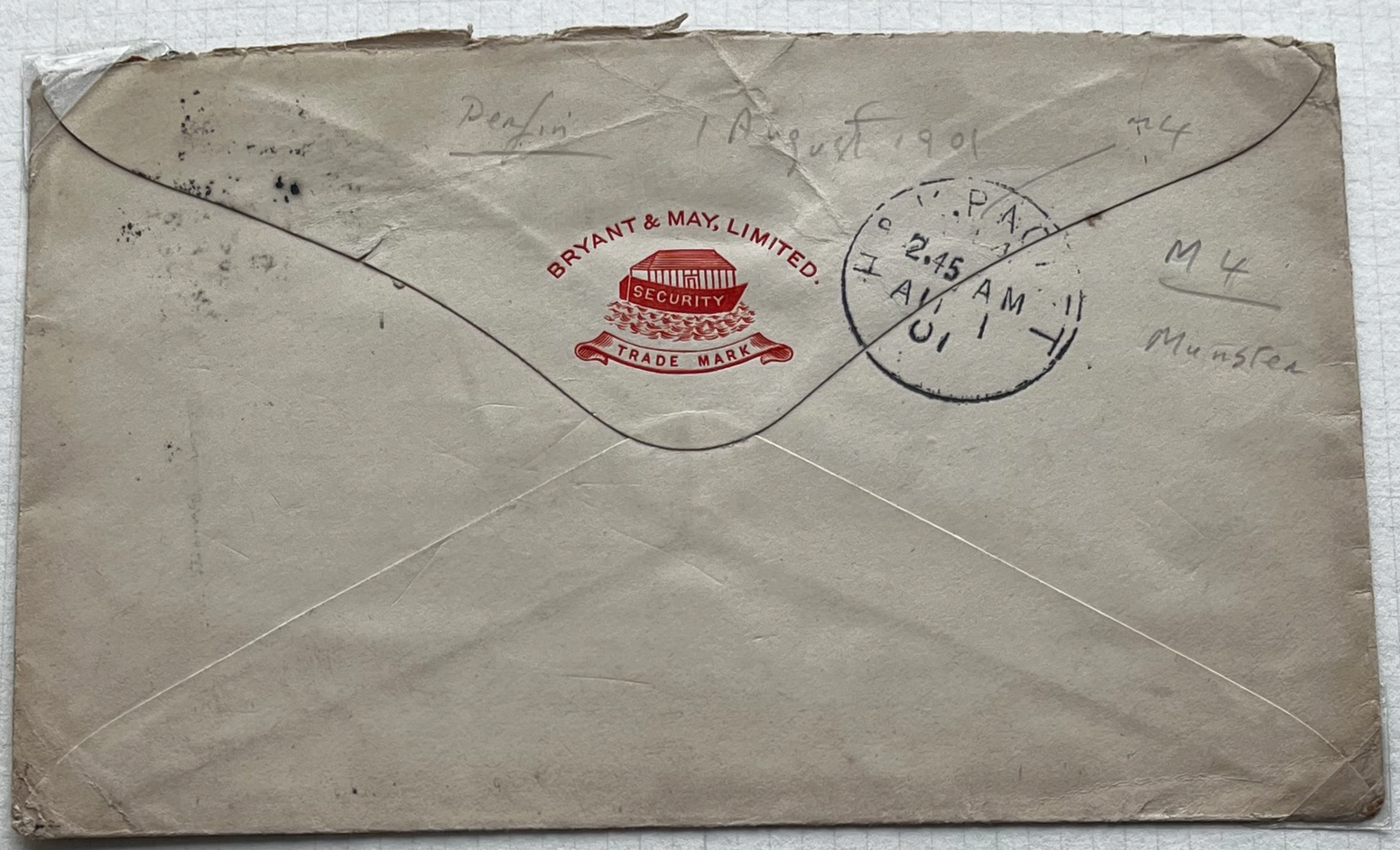
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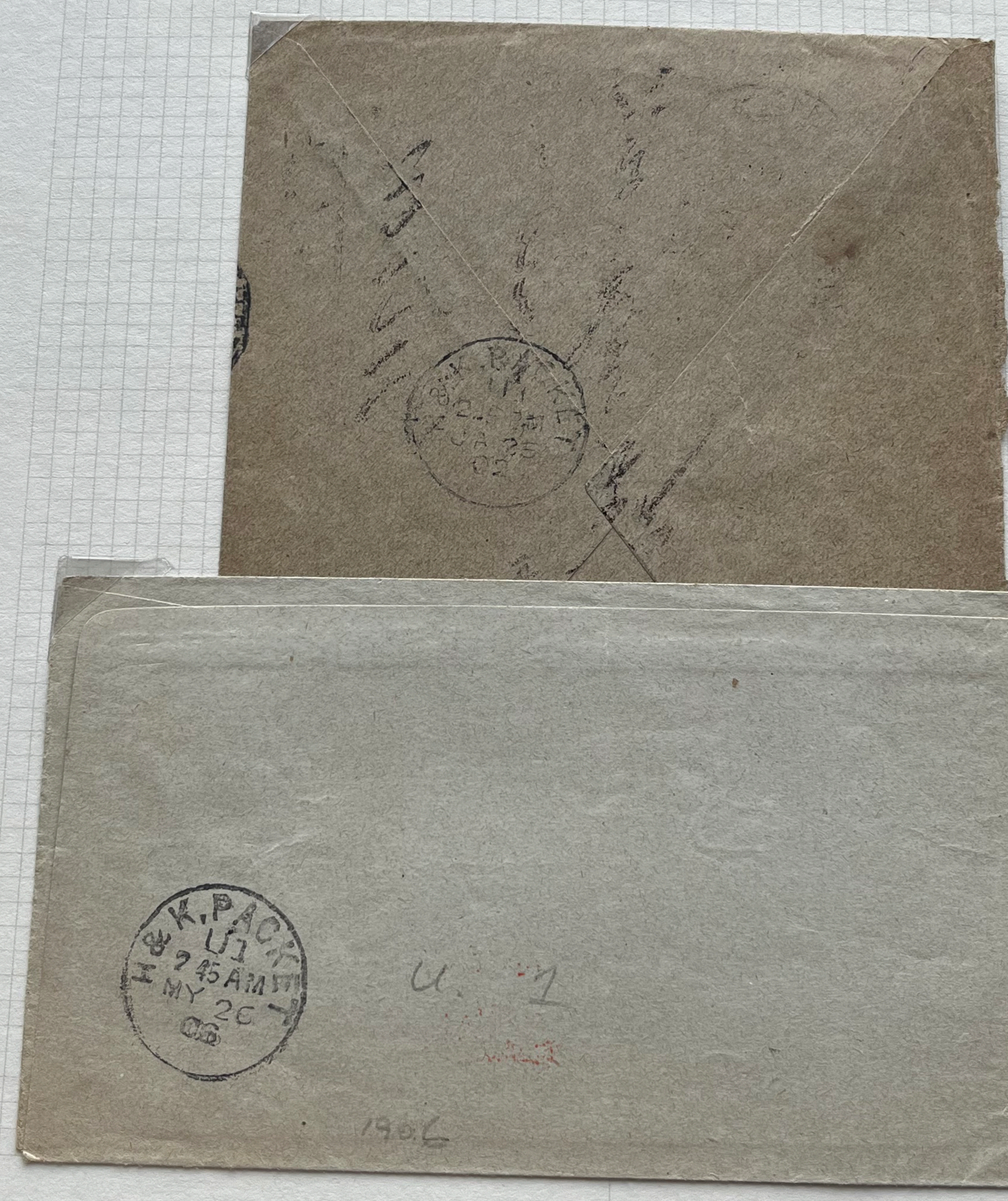
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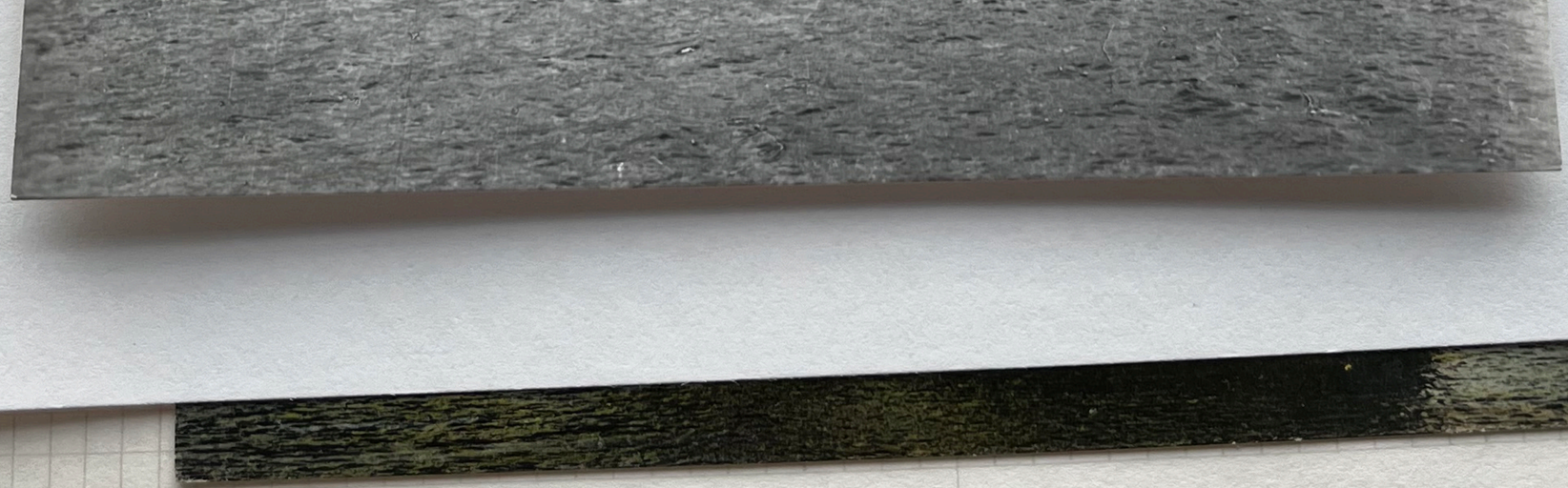

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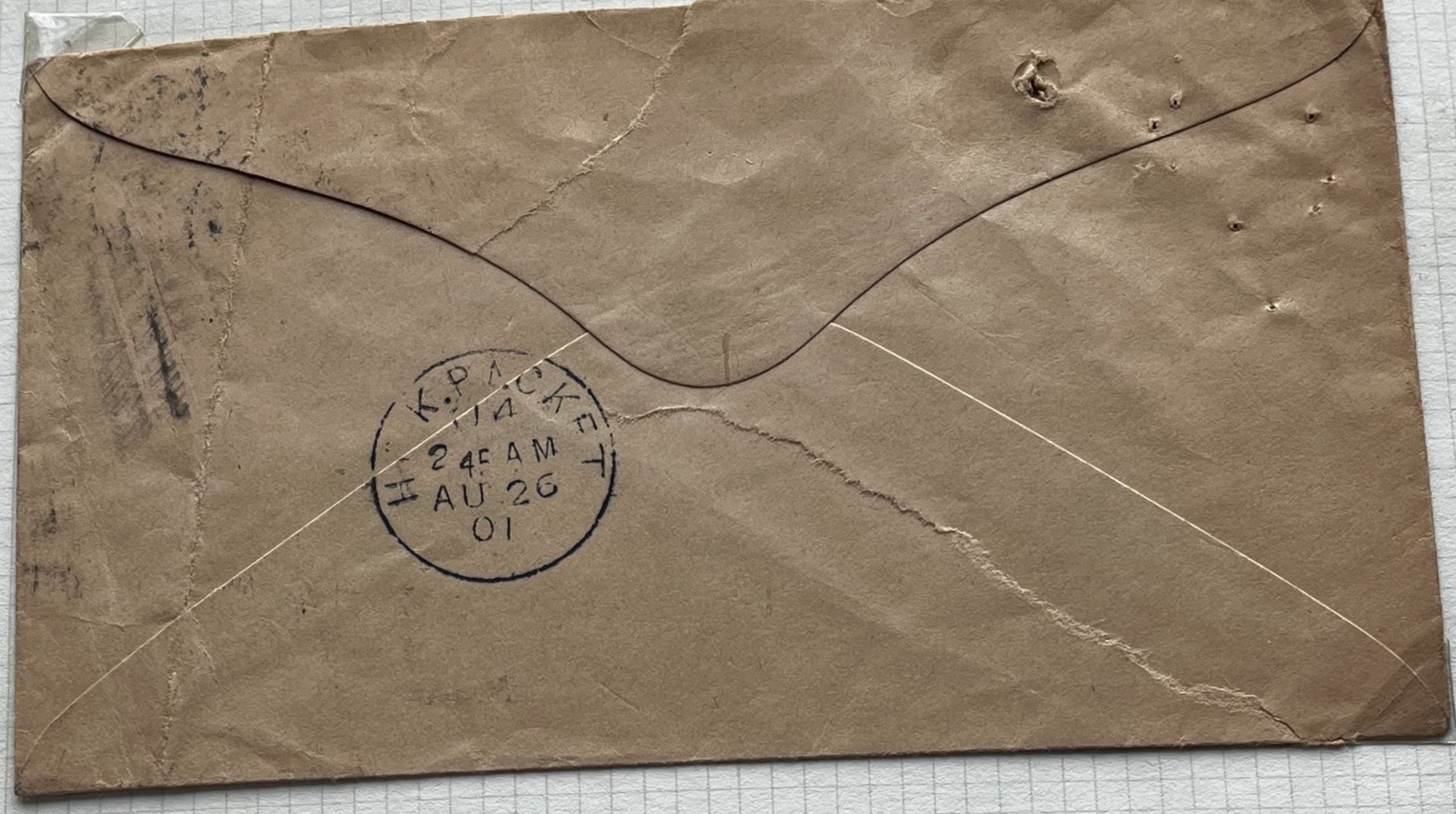

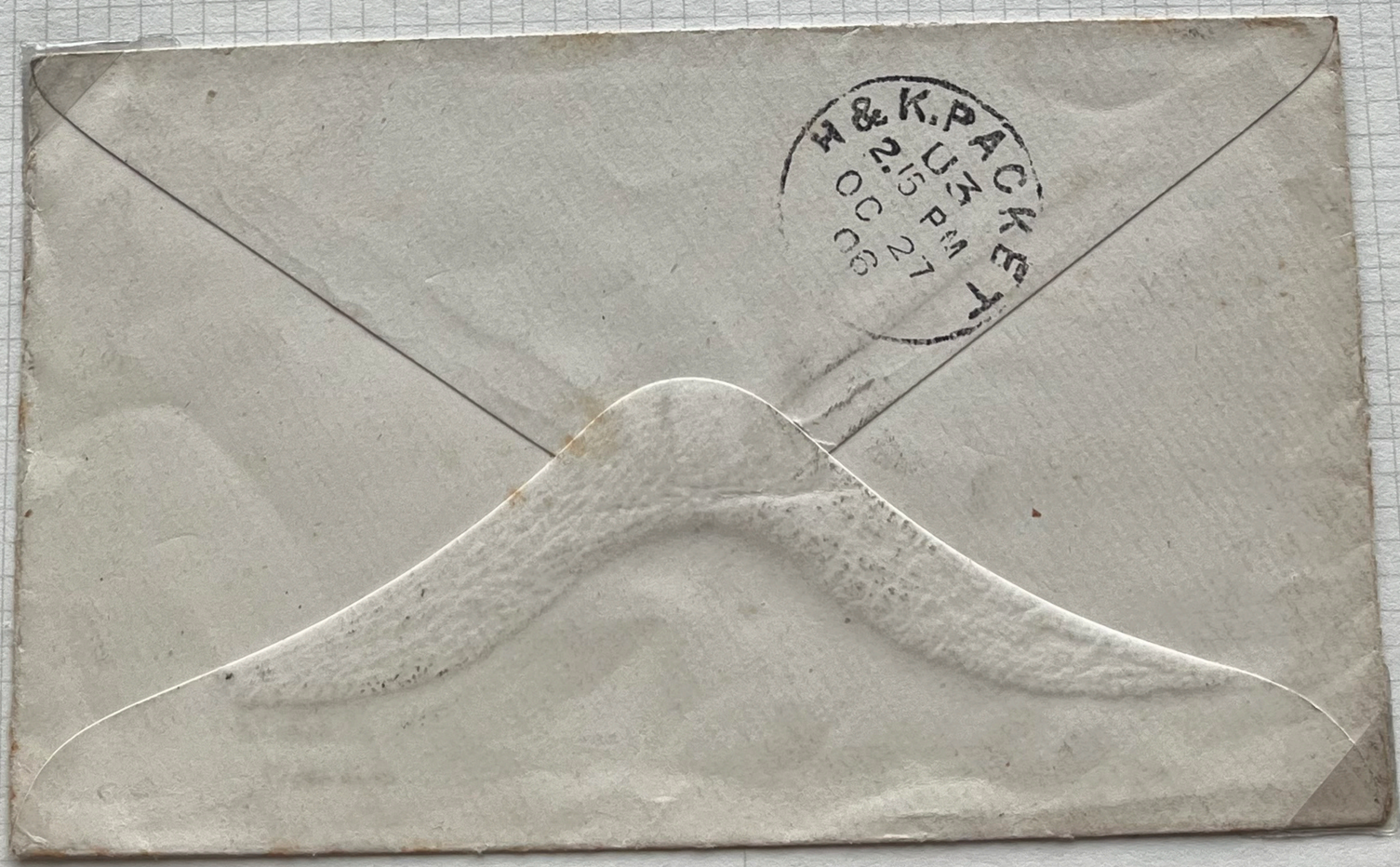

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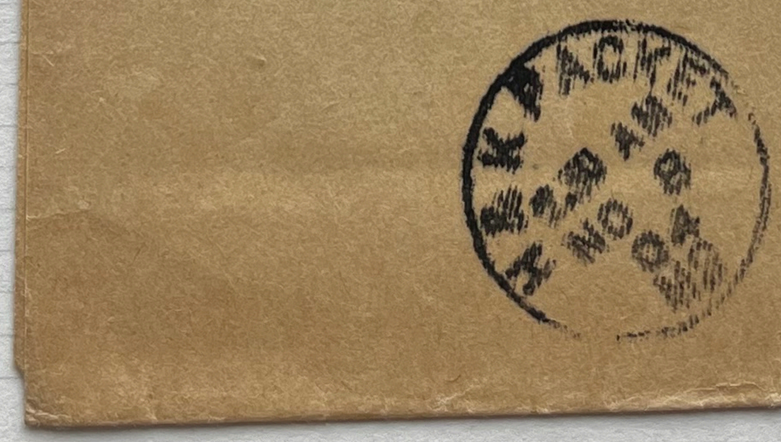

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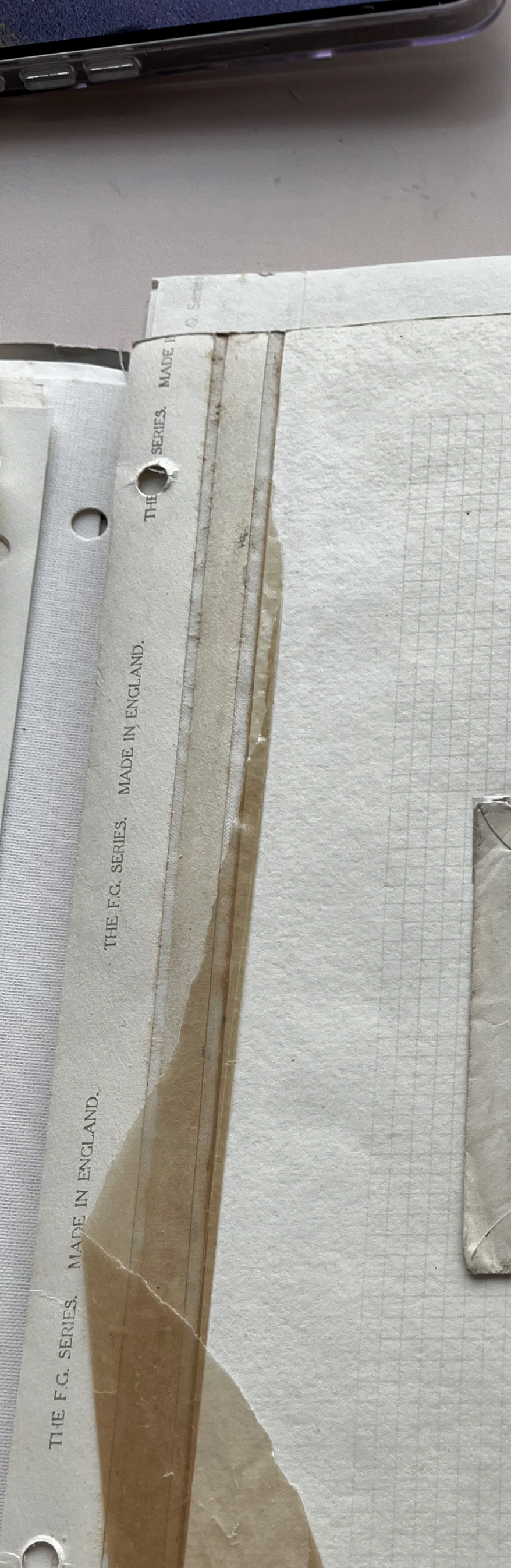
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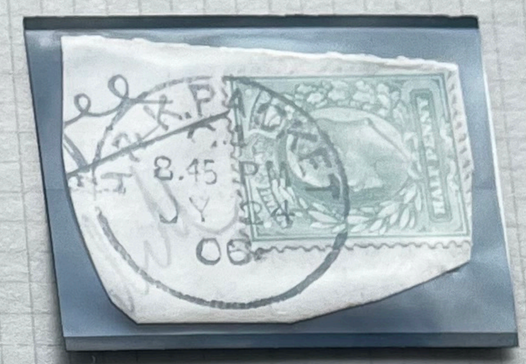

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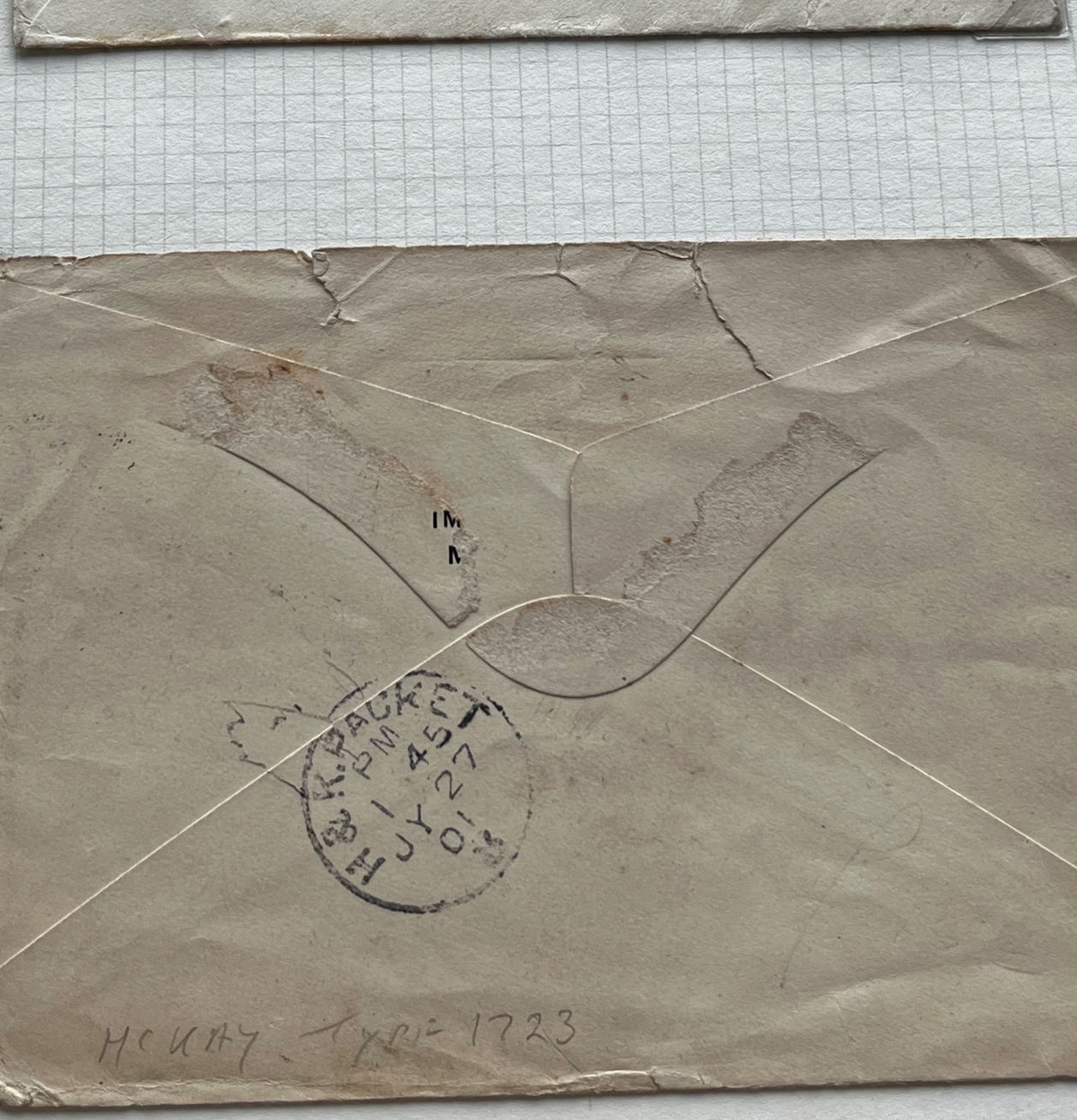

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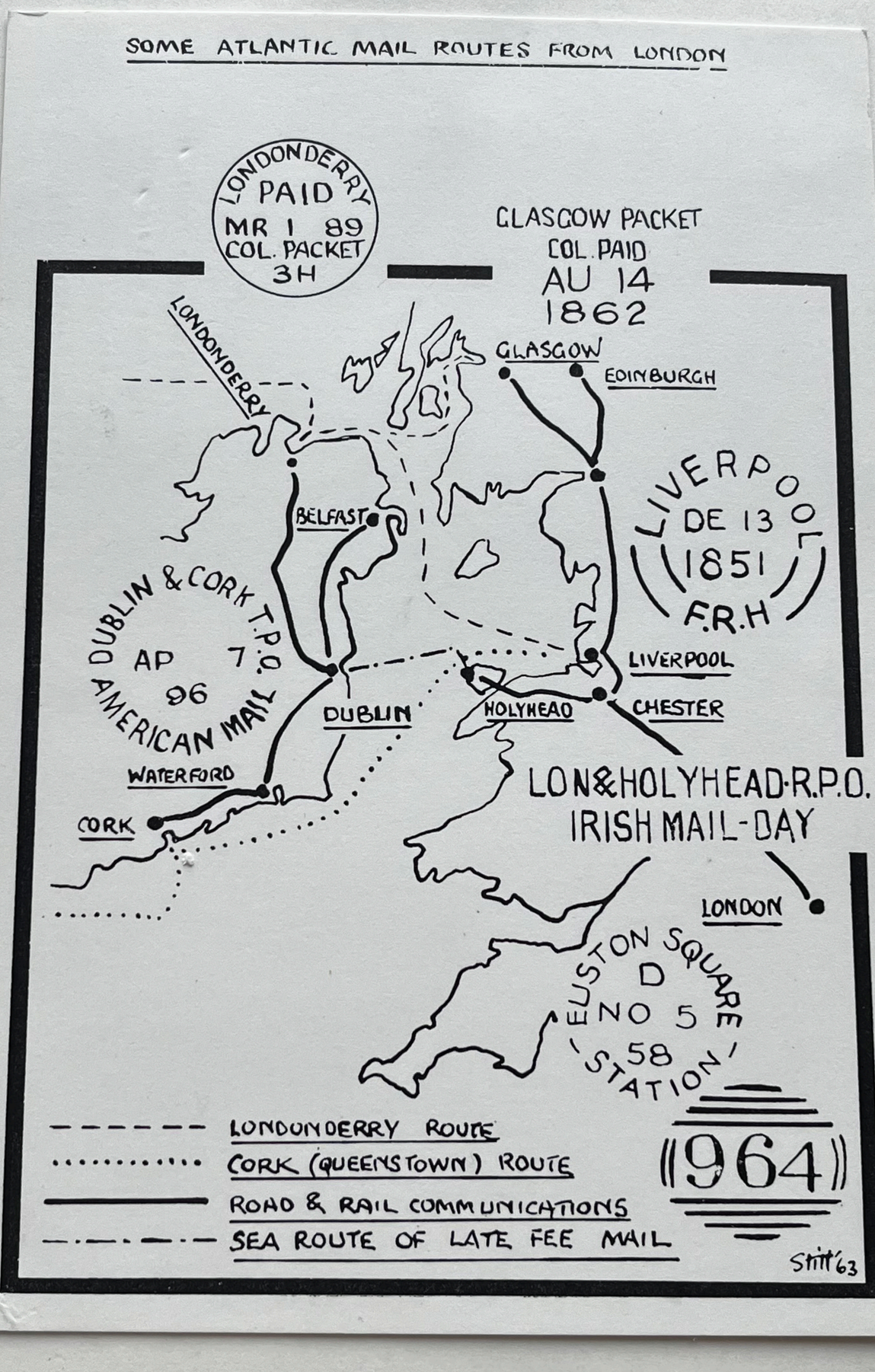

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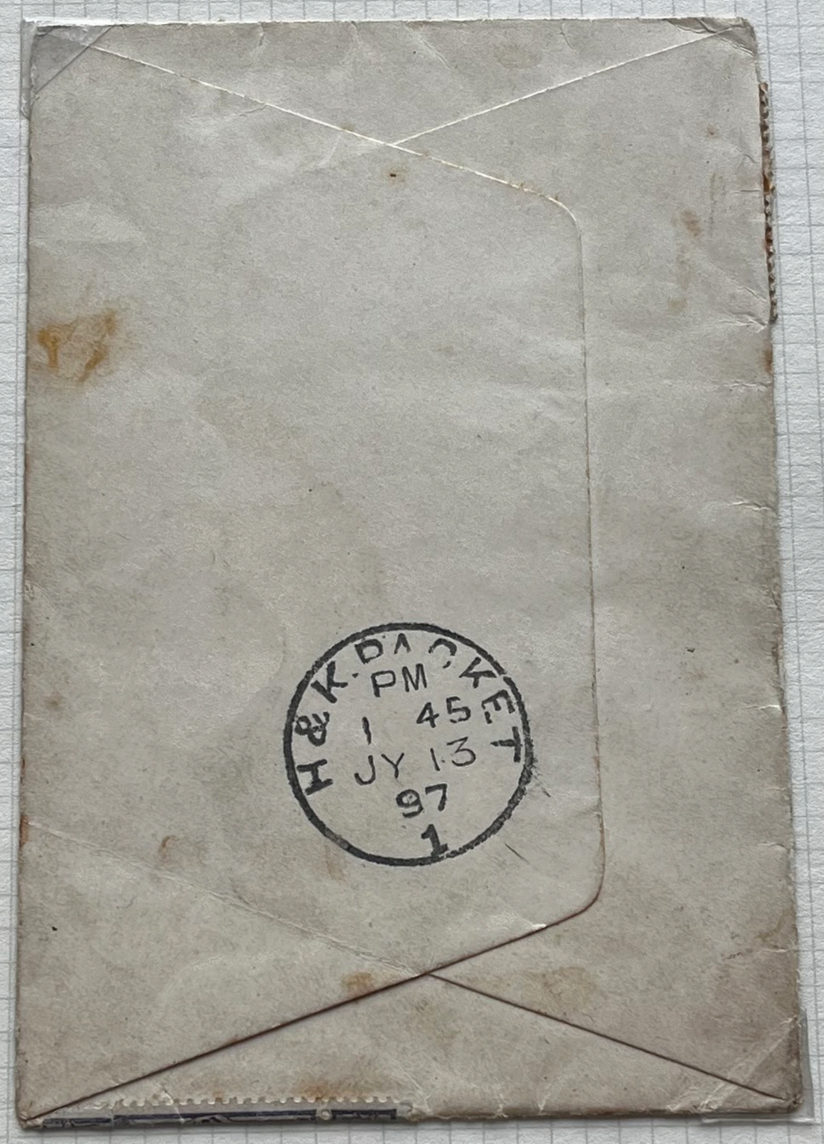

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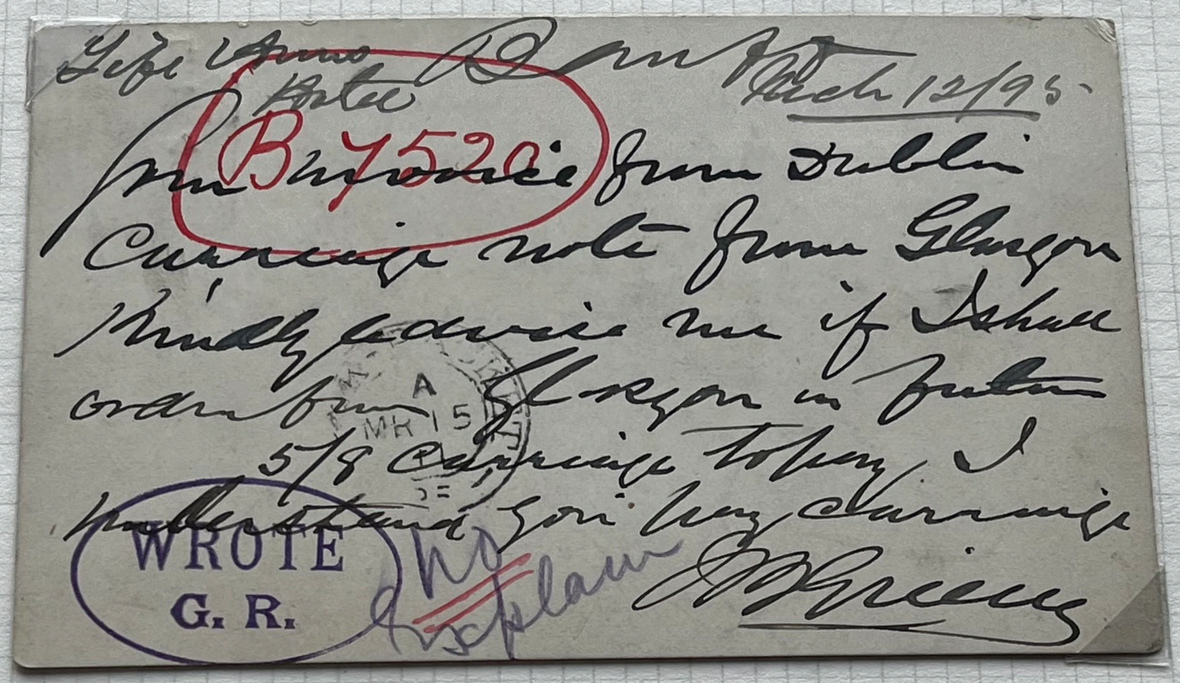

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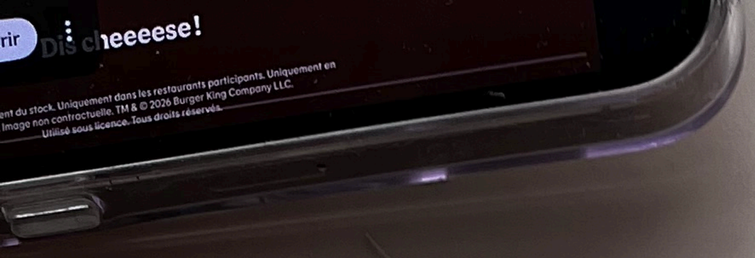

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To Messrs

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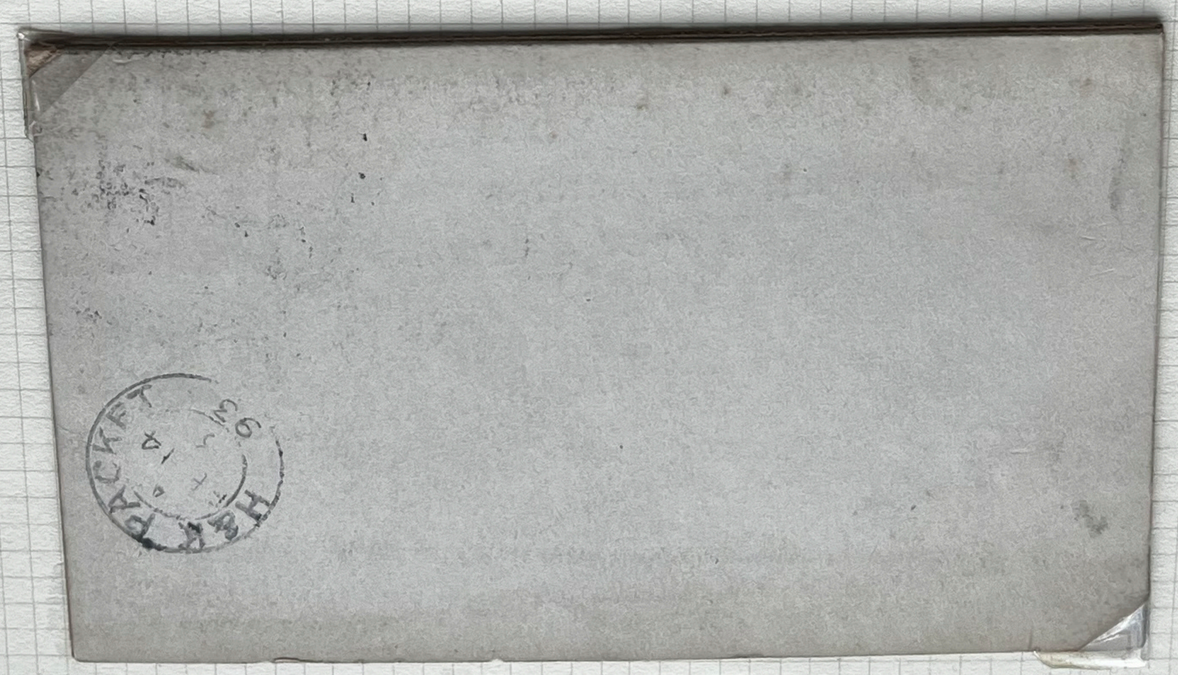

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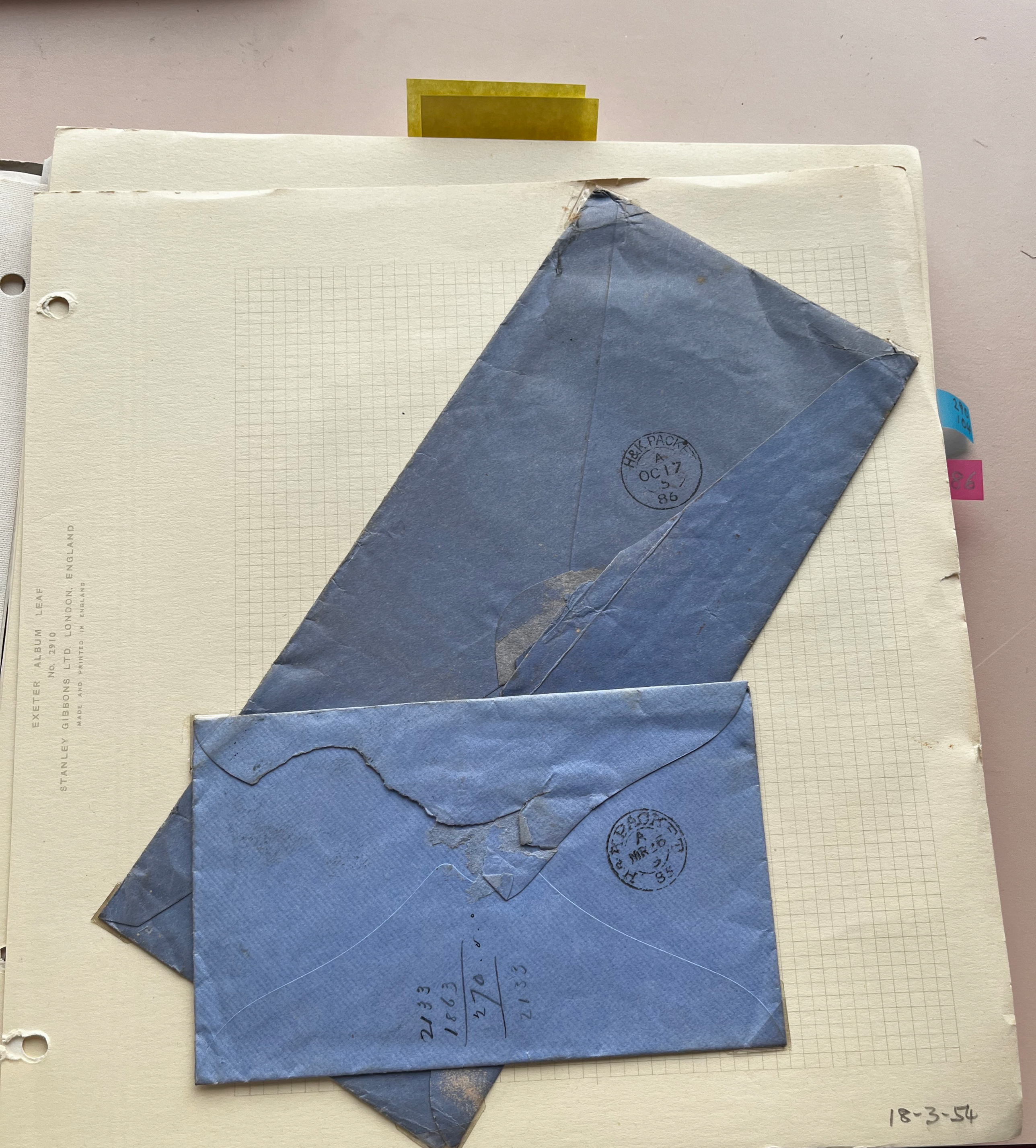
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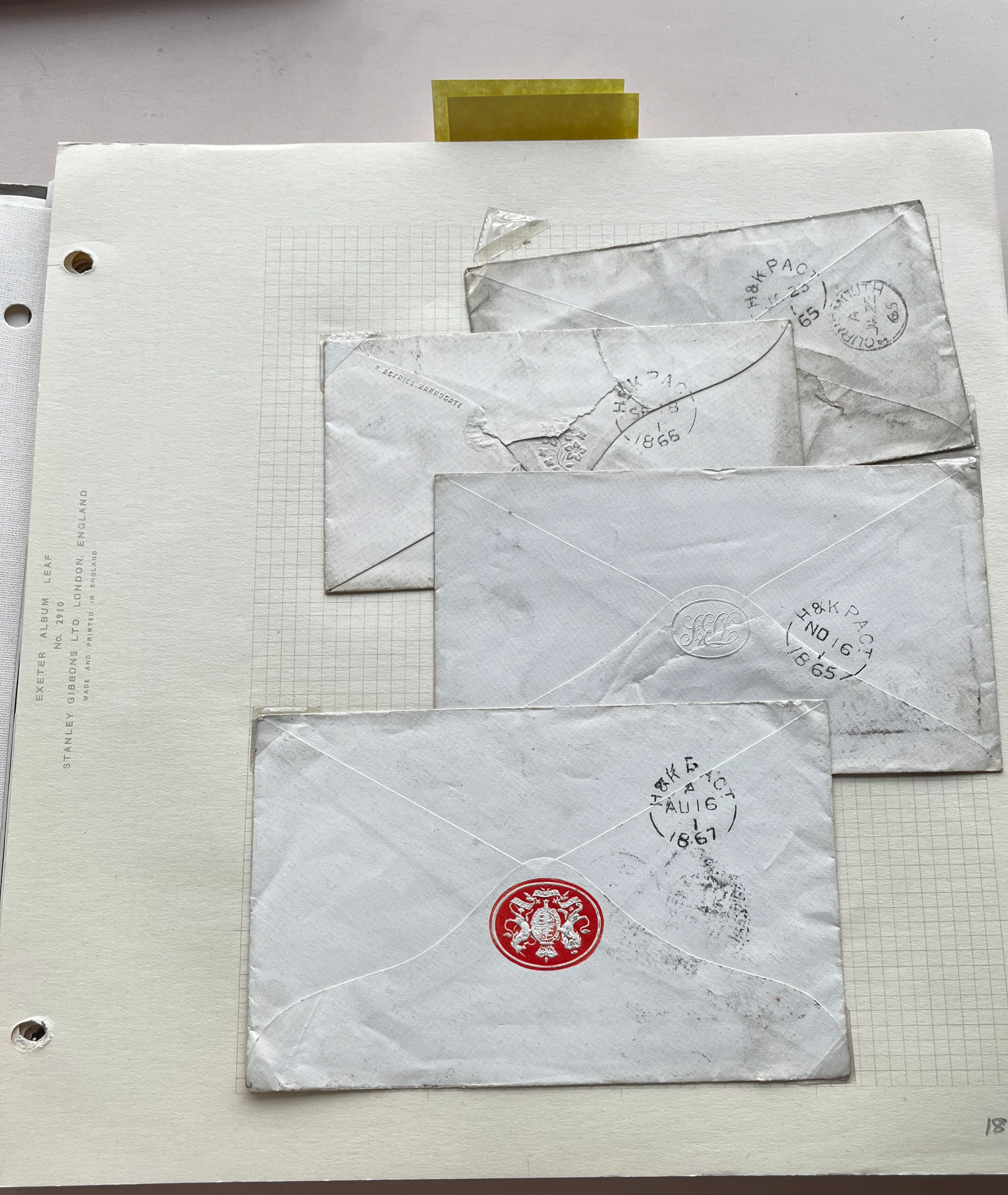
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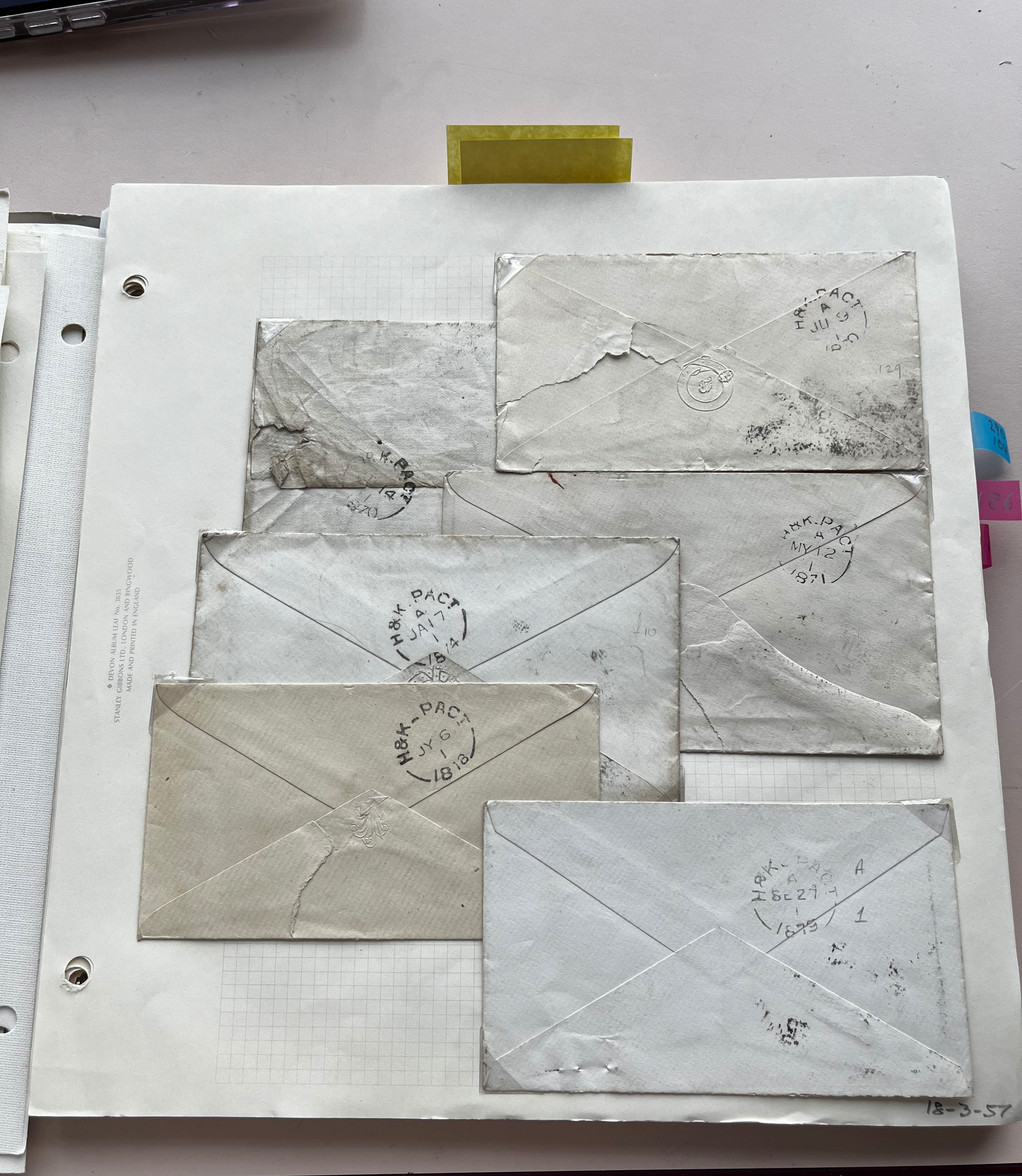
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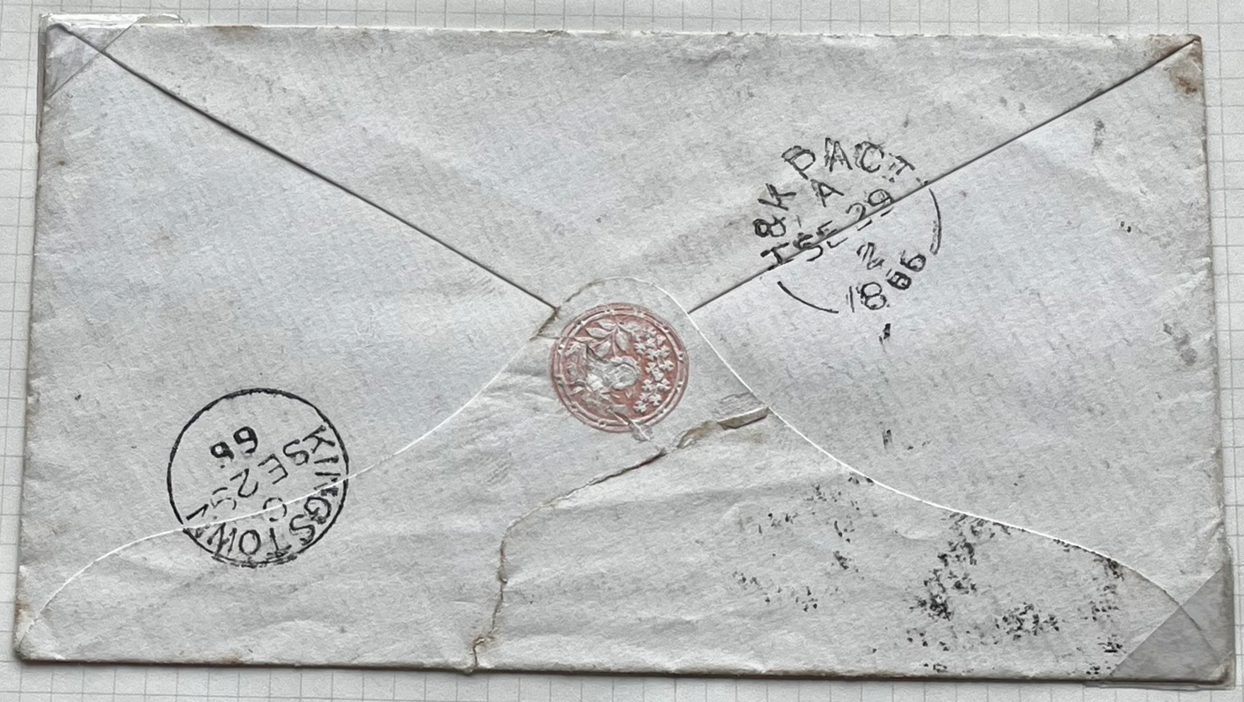

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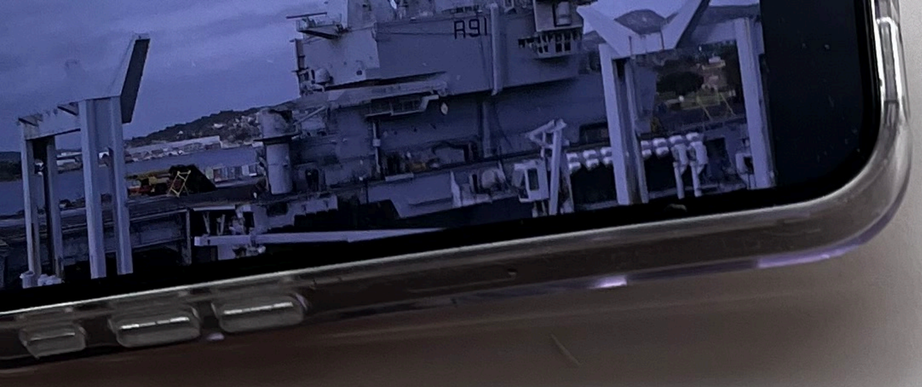

Carlisle Building
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THE FRAMED RECTANGULAR MARK Missent to Hd &Kn PACKET IS NOT COMMON. TWO SLIGHTLY DIFFERENT TYPES HAVE BEEN RECORDED, ONE OF 2nd JULY 1862, THE OTHER OF13th November 1862. THE LETTERS OF MISSENT BEING 3 AND 3½mm in height

IT SEEMS PROBABLE THAT EACH SET OF SORTERS CARRIED SUCH A STAMP, IN WHICH CASE A THIRD STAMP MAY BE FOUND.

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THE H & K PACKT. DUPLEX OBLITERATORS
THERE ARE AT LEAST THREE VARIETIES OF
THIS DUPLEX. NOTE SEVEN LINES BELOW AND
SIX ABOVE 186. RECORDED DATES ARE, NOV 12th
AND MAY 18th,1862 AND AUGUST 3rd 1863.

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18-3-80

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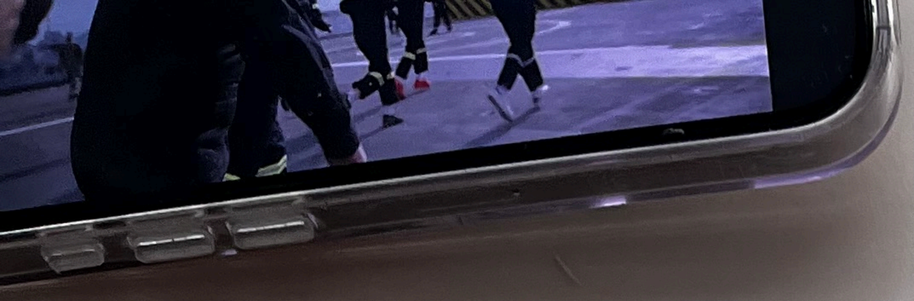

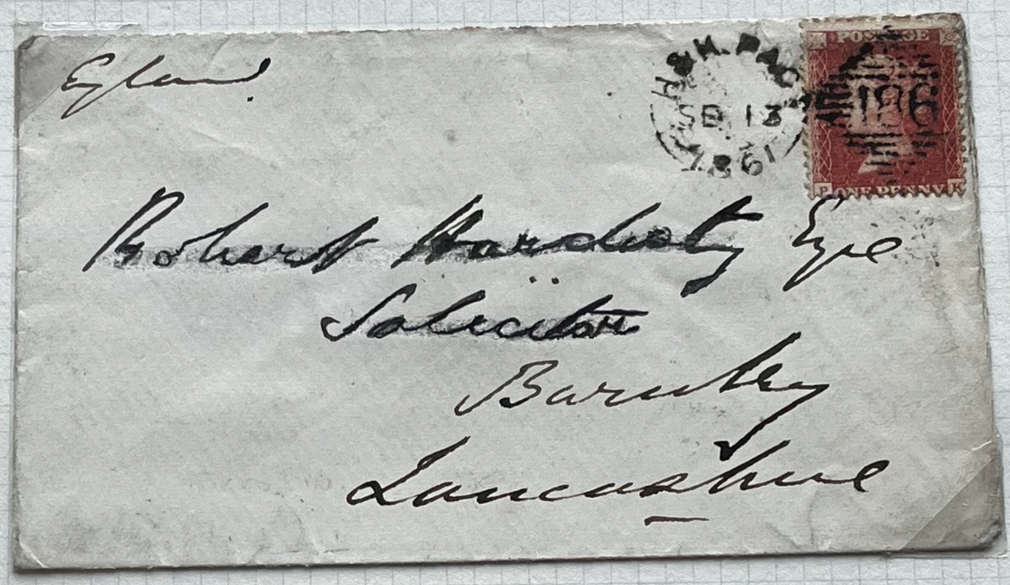
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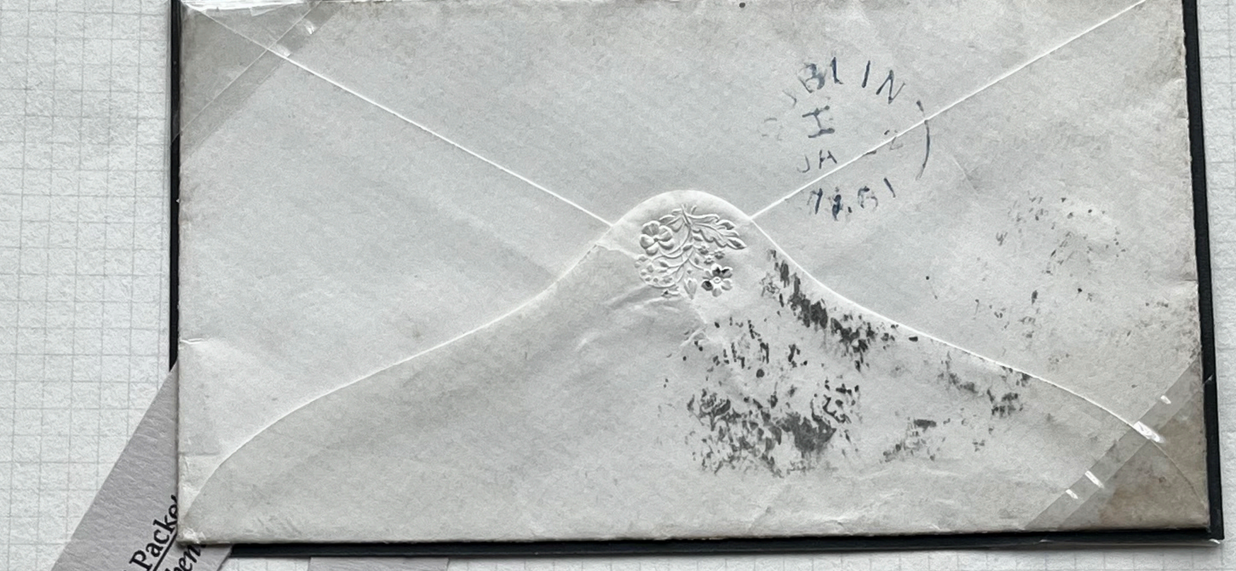

THE CANCELLATIONS

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18-3-82

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Type II—The "Broken-circle" type.

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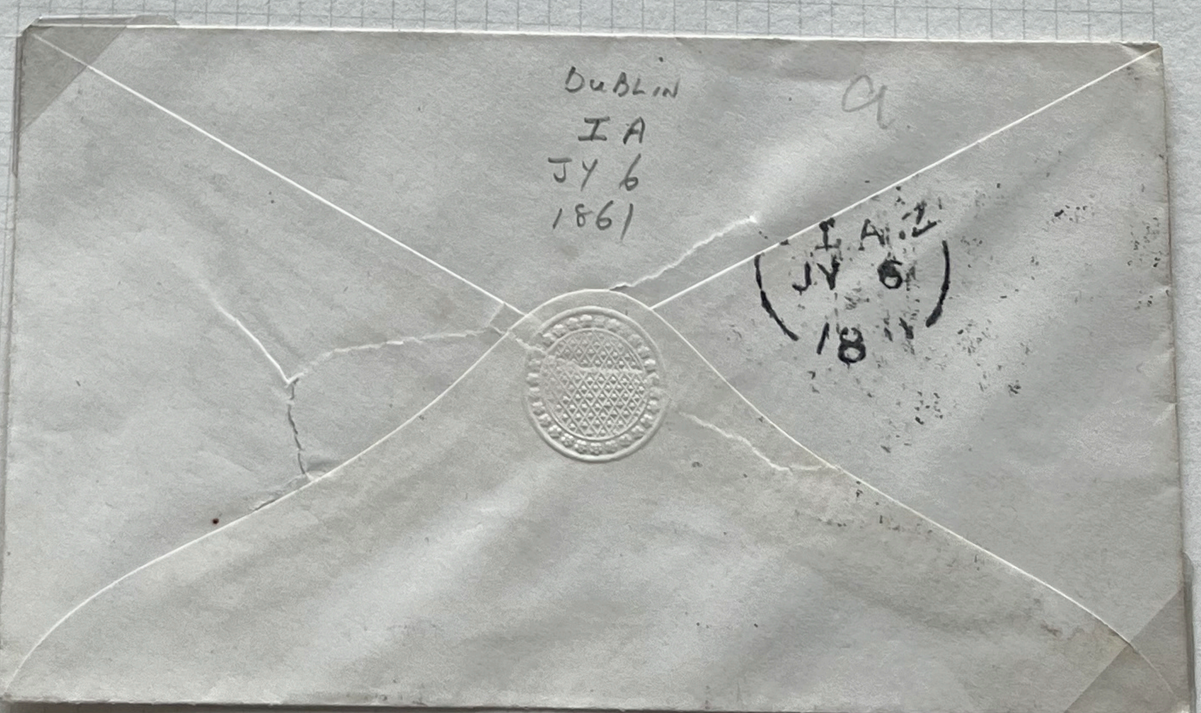
No
Code A.
Not
Sent
by Mail
DUBLIN
FE 18
1861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IA
JY 6
1861
a
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18-3-85

Sept
25
1886
Early

18-3-86

Mrs Ryan
60 upper Leeson St
Dublin.
Please return to
Annesdale

60

18-3-89