

Guadeloupe Postal History

Part III

Grand Prix d'Honneur

Washington 2006

Edward Grabowski

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- UPU continued
 - 25c rate
- Reduced rate military mail

Universal Postal Union

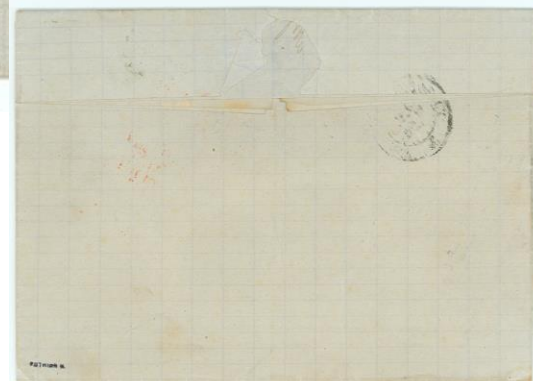
- July 1, 1876 – May 14, 1878
 - 40c/15 grams
- May 15, 1878 – February 15, 1879
 - 35c/15 grams
- **February 16, 1879 and thereafter**
 - **25c/15 grams**
- Non-UPU rates

UPU Rate of 25c

- Effective February 16, 1879
- Use of Ceres, Type Sage, Dubois, Provisional and Group Type Issues
- Effective for overseas mail until after World War I
- French Community rate reduced to 15c in 1899



Pointe-a-Pitre, May 10, 1879
25c UPU rate



Paquetot Anglais



Messieurs H & C. Bourbeau



Bordeaux



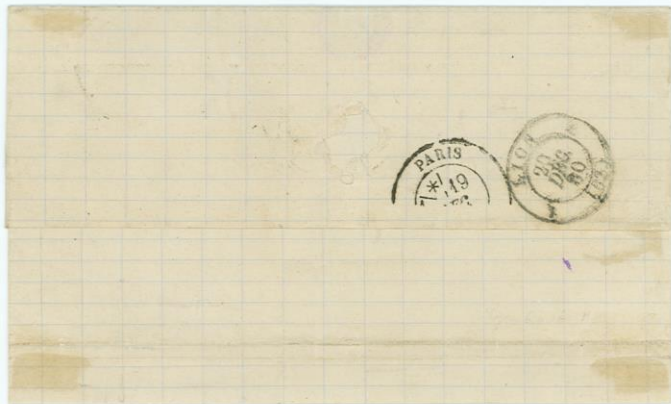
Pointe-a-Pitre, June 26, 1879
25c UPU rate



Pointe-a-Pitre, March 14, 1870
25c UPU rate



Pointe-a-Pitre, May 26, 1880
25c UPU rate



Pointe-a-Pitre, November 25, 1880
25c UPU rate



Pointe-a-Pitre, March 5, 1882
25c UPU rate



Pointe-a-Pitre, October 26, 1880
25c UPU rate



Pointe-a-Pitre, November 10, 1880
25c UPU rate



Pour le prochain packet.



M^{me} Madame Lamothé de Clairville.

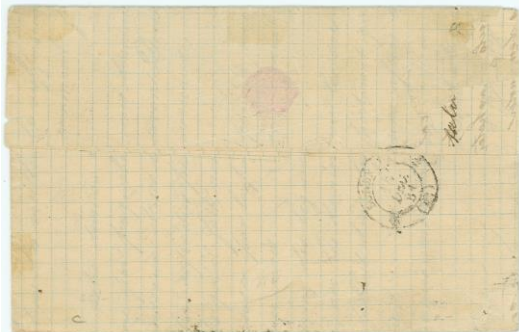
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Paris

France



Pointe-a-Pitre, April 9, 1881
25c UPU rate



Basse-Terre, November 26, 1881
25c UPU rate



Monsieur J. Levarrasseur

Dir^t

Rouen.

Par le vapeur Francis



Basse-Terre, August 9, 1881
25c UPU rate



Pointe-a-Pitre, December 9, 1880
Double 25c UPU rate



Steamer Via St Thomas et Havana

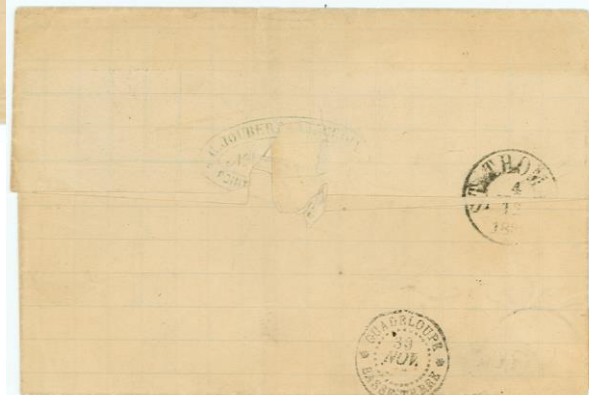
Monsieur Lemoine

Saint Pierre

Miquelon



Pointe-a-Pitre, November 29, 1880
To Saint Pierre & Miquelon
Special non-UPU rate of 35c





Pointe-a-Pitre, November 9, 1881
to Saint Pierre & Miquelon
25c UPU rate





Pointe-a-Pitre, July 10, 1881

25c UPU rate

Unusual Ceres – Dubois combination

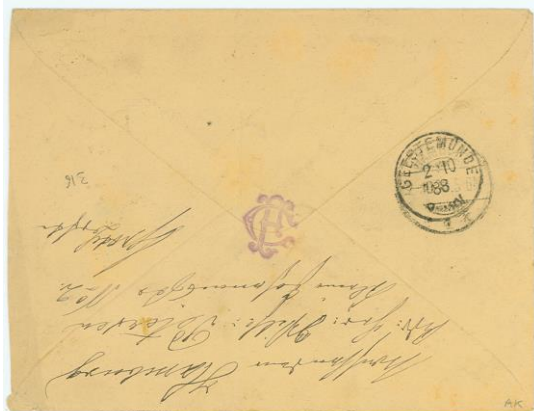


Pointe-a-Pitre, July 10, 1881
 25c UPU rate
 Unusual Ceres – Dubois combination

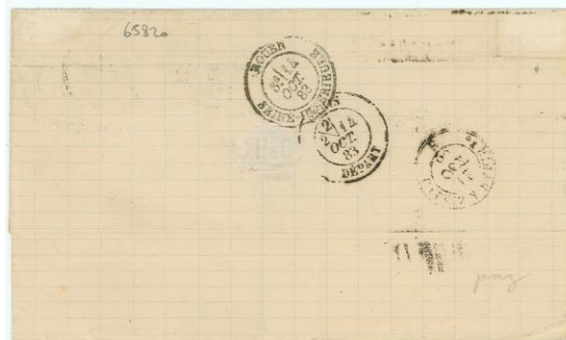


Pointe-a-Pitre, February 9, 1884
 25c UPU rate
 Exceptional Ceres – Dubois combination
 two recorded





Basse-Terre, September 14, 1888
25c UPU rate



Pointe-a-Pitre, September 26, 1883
25c UPU rate

Steamer français

Monsieur Joseph Laval



Marseille



Pointe-a-Pitre, September 10, 1889
25c UPU rate

Use of French Type Sage Issues

- Chance use of French Type Sage issues
- Pointe-a-Pitre, January 2, 1889
- Double weight letter
- Accepted for postage or not noticed
- Exceptional usage



Voir l'adresse
CH^S HAYOT & C^{IE}

Pointe-à-Pitre

GUADELOUPE



M^{RS} BESSE, Neveux CABROL Jeune



BORDEAUX

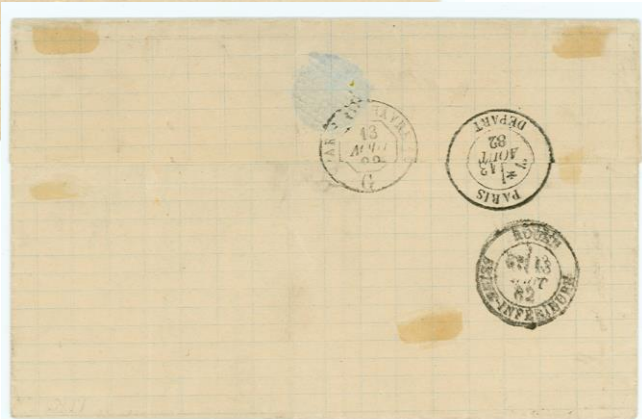


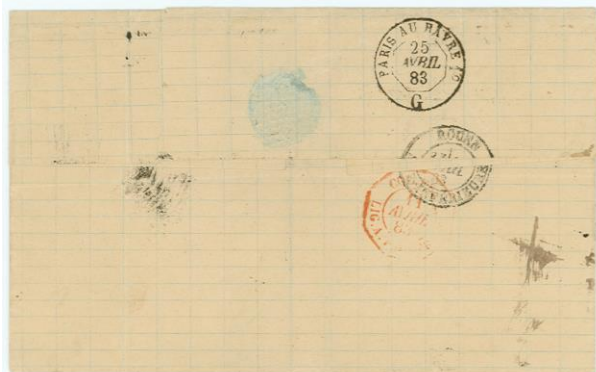


Pointe-a-Pitre, May 26, 1882
25c UPU rate



Basse-Terre, July 23, 1882
25c UPU rate





Basse-Terre, April 9, 1883
25c UPU rate



Pointe-a-Pitre, September 9, 1884
25c UPU rate

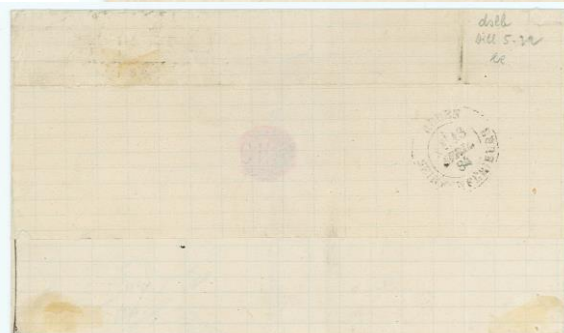


Pointe-a-Pitre, January 24, 1886
25c UPU rate
ST THOMAS – Salles 1444



Pointe-a-Pitre, July 9, 1884
25c UPU rate





Pointe-a-Pitre, March 26, 1884
25c UPU rate
Large 5 plate variety

250

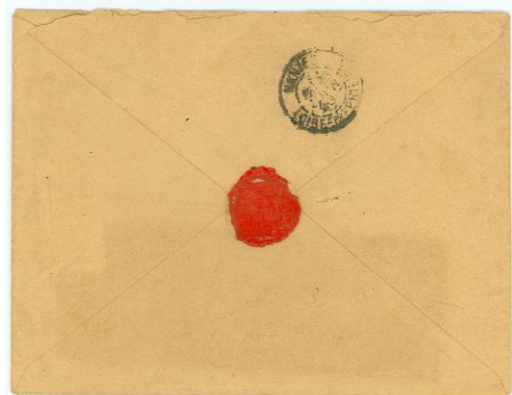
PARIS 1889

Monsieur A. Maury
8 Cité Malesherbes
Paris

PARIS
5/18
MAIS
89
ETRANGER



Basse-Terre, March 3, 1889
25c UPU rate



Pointe-a-Pitre, June 12, 1890
25c UPU rate



Pointe-a-Pitre, October 25, 1889
25c UPU rate



Pointe-a-Pitre, March 25. 1891
25c UPU rate



Monsieur Alfred Fverchtgott
Contrôleur du bureau des postes

Ischl
Autriche



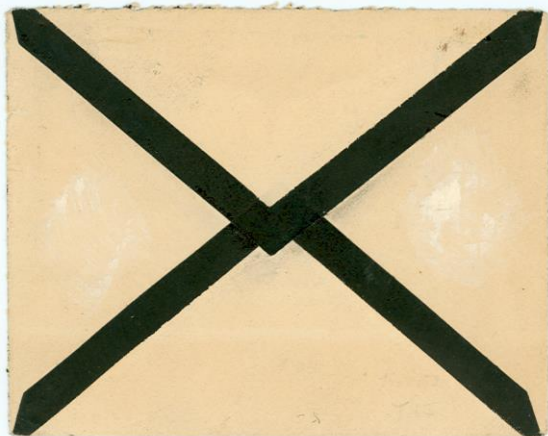
Basse-Terre, March 12, 1891
25c UPU rate



Monsieur Victor Déjean
Dentiste
12 Rue Notre Dame des Champs
Paris.

Pointe-a-Pitre, March 3, 1895
Double 25c UPU rate





Pointe-a-Pitre, November 11, 1891
25c UPU rate



Monsieur l'Abbe Tournier
11 Square de Messine
Paris

Basse-Terre, June 11, 1892
25c UPU rate

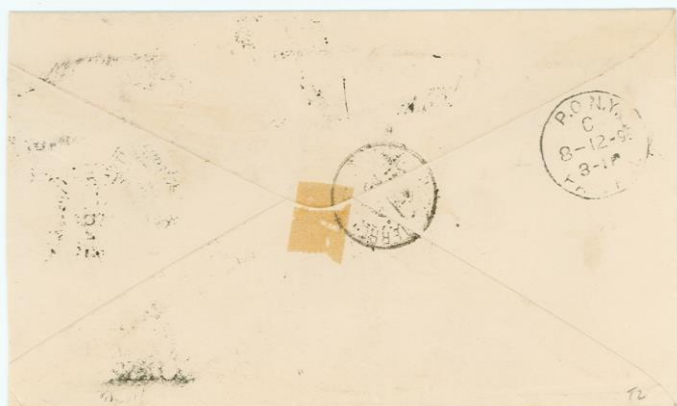




Pointe-a-Pitre, September 10, 1892
25c UPU rate



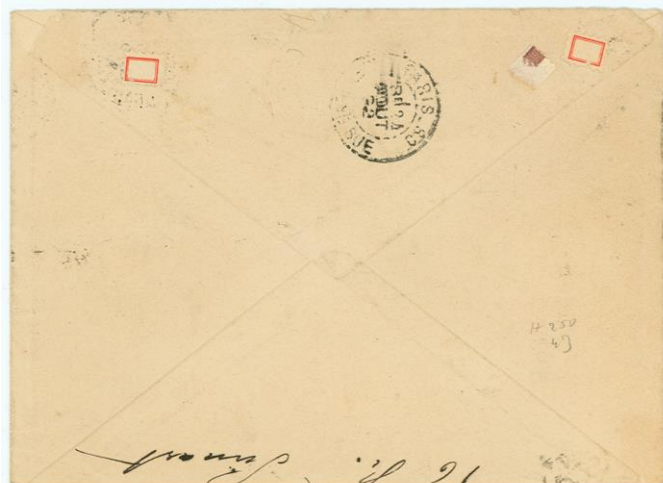
HITLOCK, SECRETARY,
DERWRITERS OF NEW YORK,
WALL STREET,
NEW YORK, U. S. A



Pointe-a-Pitre, August 1, 1892
25c UPU rate
GUADELONPE printing variety



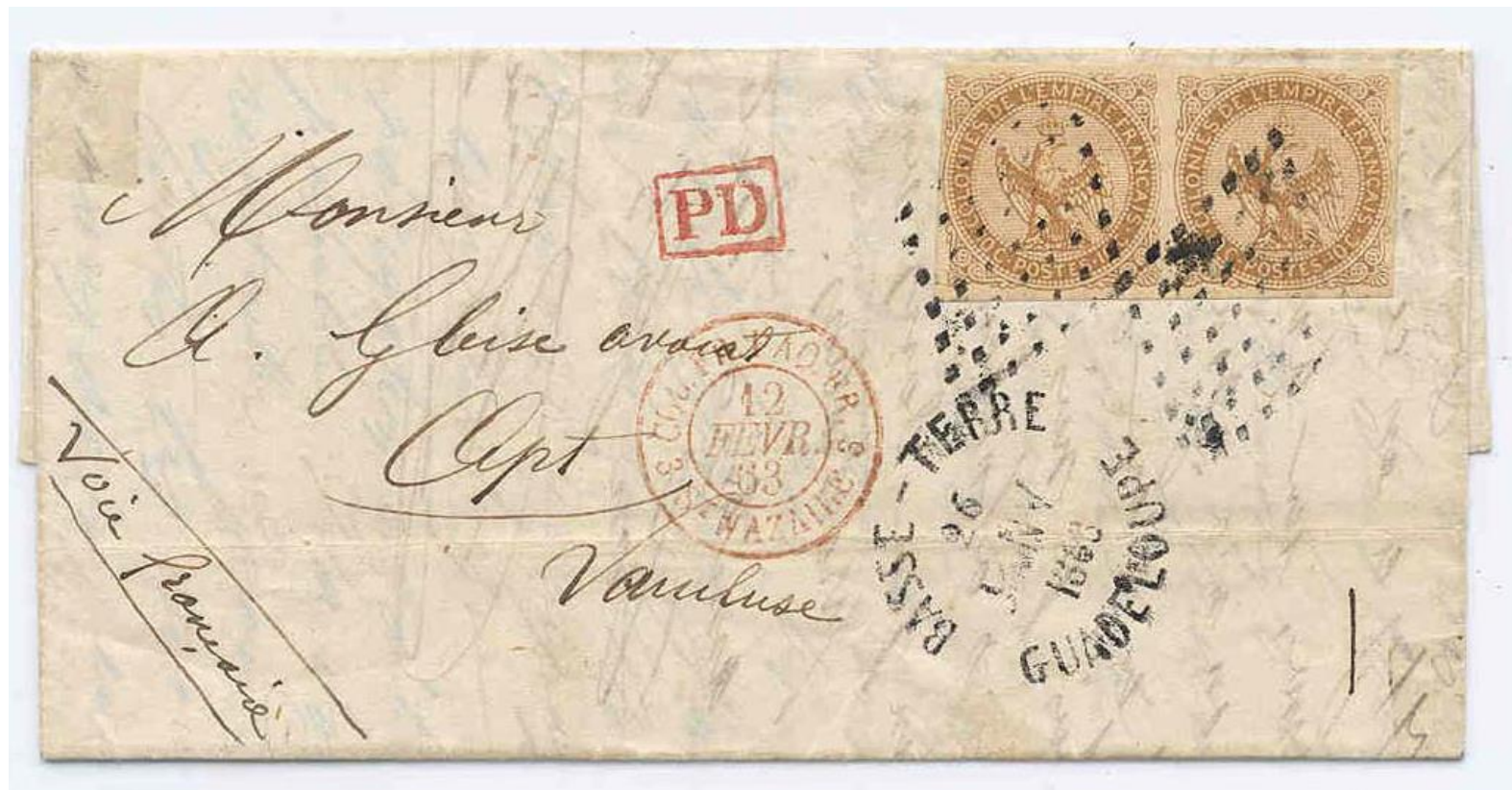
Monsieur l'abbé Poncin
Square de Messine
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Paris



Basse-Terre, August 10, 1892
25c UPU rate

Reduced Rate Military Mail

- Soldiers provided with a concession rate in lieu of standard rate
- Military rates:
 - 20c Oct. 1862 – Jan. 1872
 - 25c Jan. 1872 – Apr. 1878
 - 15c Apr. 1878 – Dec. 1898
- Unpaid military mail charged a penalty
- Special military datestamps created



Basse-Terre, January 26, 1863
 Before creation of **CORR D ARMEES** datestamp
 Service established by 20c rate and PD handstamp





CORR D ARMEES BASSE TERRE

October 24, 1864

ex Dubus



CORR D ARMEES BASSE TERRE

June 24, 1864

30c unpaid rate in lieu of 20c prepaid rate





CORR D ARM BASSE-TERRE
September 19, 1871
Underpaid double military rate
Treated as unpaid at 60c (2 x 30c)
Credited for 20c with 4 decimes due





CORR D ARM SAINTES

April 3, 1873 – 25c rate

Two Eagles covers from Saintes recorded





CORR D ARMEES P^{TE} A PITRE
April 10, 1878



CORR D ARM BASSE-TERRE
April 7, 1875

Use of Ceres of France

- Military letter – August 9, 1875
- Prepaid with 2 x current French Ceres stamps – 50c in lieu of 25c
- Initially rejected and letter charged 40c due
- Subsequently accepted and marked **PD** in Saint Nazaire





CORR D ARM BASSE TERRE
April 9, 1875

15c Military Rates



CORR D ARMEES P^{TE} A PITRE

November 26, 1880



CORR D ARMEES BASSE-TERRÉ
February 23, 1879



GUADELOUPE SAINT CLAUDE

May 20, 1881

CORR D ARMEES BASSE-TERRE transit

COR D ARM LIG B PAQ FR N° 3 transit





SAINTES (T DE H), October 22, 1882
COR D ARMEES LIG B PAQ.....



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voie française

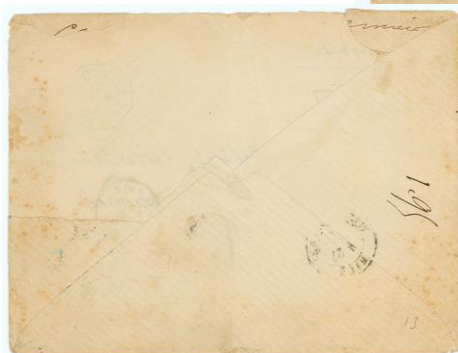


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Madame Adeline Nicolas
chez m^{re} le Docteur Masquel
26, rue Massena



Nice (Alpes-Maritimes)



COR D ARMEES SAINTES TDH, March 29, 1879
No validation of 15c rate – rate rejected
Sent at unpaid 25c rate, thus 5 decimes due

MINISTÈRE DE LA MARINE ET DES COLONIES

Monsieur



Monsieur Henri
Rue St-Jean
Pesamon
Doubs.

A

Comptable
à l'inspection
de la marine,
à Paris



Basse-Terre
August 19, 1882



Monsieur Charles Leger
64 Avenue de Villiers
à Levallois Perret
Seine
France



Correspondance de l'Armée
La Garde d'Artillerie
F. W. Bouché



COR D ARMEES SAINT-CLAUDE

December 9, 1890



Monsieur M. Dange d'Orsay
Directeur de la culture des tabacs, en retraite
et Madame

(Lot)

Cahors

Military mail posted on the French Packet
COR D ARMEES LIG B PAQ N° 1



Basse terre (St. Christophe) le 18^{bre} 83

MARIUS POIROT
Lieutenant de Vaisseau

présente ses hommages à son oncle
et à sa tante Dange d'Orsay; il

Division navale des Antilles. "Minerve."

Card inside envelope
Confirms Basse-Terre origin



COR D ARMEES SAINT CLAUDE
 February 1, 1893
CORRESPONDANCE D'ARMEES
CAMP JACOB
COR D ARM LIG D PAQ N° 1





COR D ARMEES POINTE-A-PITRE
August 28, 1892

