

*all <sup>new</sup> Numbers need Check*

JAMAICA POSTMARKS.

THE PAID TYPES.

The Paid markings that are listed in this section can be divided into two distinct groups, which have called the Early and Later Types.

The Early Types - PD1 to PD14 - the Pre-stamp markings, are believed to be fully listed and described in the typescript of my book, and I do not propose to give full details of them here. I have however, listed them very briefly, in order that you may check on any such item in your collection.

The Later Types - PD15 onwards, are fully described and I have included all the known details that are in my possession. Anything that you may be able to add to the information presented here, especially regarding these later types, will prove of great interest to me, and enable this section to be presented in a more complete form at some future date.

As is usual in these working notes, I would suggest that the designations given herein are adhered to in any correspondence we may have on this subject.

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The Early Types.

Type PD<sup>1</sup>

31 mm. The words "JAMAICA/PAID" forming a circle with no exterior frame line, and with the date in the centre.

Red.

13 Nov 1820.

9 Feb 1824.

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Type PD3.

25 mm. The words "JAMAICA/PAID" forming a circle with no exterior frame line, and with the date in the centre.

Red. 13 Sep 1824. 25 Apr 1839.  
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Type PD4.

28½ mm. The so called "rare-type". It has the word "KINGSTON" placed above the date, all contained in a single lined circle, surmounted by a curved box which contains the word "PAID".

Red. 2 Aug 1839. 30 Mar 1840.  
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Type PD4.

The first of three sub-types or renewals. 29 mm. It has large seriffed capitals and the wording reads "JAMAICA/PAID" with the date in the centre and "tram-lines" on either side.

Red. 29 Jul 1841. 13 Nov 1852.  
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Type PD4a.

As PD4 but 28 mm. There are many small differences in the size and shape of the lettering.

Red. 14 Jul 1842. 25 Dec 1867.  
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Type PD4a.

As PD4 but 28 mm. Differs in the shape and size of the lettering.

Red. 7 Apr 1862. 13 Jan 1874.  
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3.

Type PD6.

25 mm. Has sans-serifed capitals and the wording reads "KINGSTON-JAMAICA/PAID", with the date in the centre and "tram-lines" on either side.

Red. 8 Sep 1847. 23 Nov 1860.  
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Type PD6a.

25 mm. As PD5 but with an index letter placed immediately below the date plugs.

Red. 7 Jan 1848. 18 Feb 1852.  
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Type PD7.

The numeral "½".

Red. 4 Jun 1861.  
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Type PD8.

The numeral "1".

Red. 26 Apr 1856. 23 Jul 1857.  
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Type PD9.

The numerals "1½". (See notes regarding its use after Type S5 in the Ship Letter Section and after Type PAQ1 in the Paquet Section).

Red. 1857. 5 Oct 1876.  
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since those days :-

The following types have been put into use

Type PD15. *PD15*

*INSERT UTILITY PAID Types used on 1st + 2nd PROVISIONAL 1905 C.M.P.D. PD16, 16a and b*

This consists of the words "JAMAICA PAID" with the date below it, and set up in two straight lines. The sans-serifed letters and figures are 2½-3 mm in height, with the exception of the last two figures of the "year-plug", which are smaller than the others, being about 2¼ mm in height and very noticeable. The wording is surrounded by a single lined rectangular frame, which has slightly chamfered corners and measures about 30x11 mm.

*Placed in three cells*

The outline of a single lined circle surrounding this frame is only the edge of the handstamp's holder, and does not show on all examples.

*Also known used to pay postage on newspapers.*

(For my own use - JAMAICA PAID 27 mm.)

5 NO 1878 19½ mm.

1½ mm Gap (wixt lines).

Red.

5 Nov 1878.

*11 Rp. 1900*  
~~1898~~ £5½.

*Letter known placed on 1878. In most cases of a double lined circle in red ink. 10 a 3 stamped with PD15*

Internal letters are known from Mandeville to Spanish Town and other places in 1894 and bearing no stamps. This was because of an unexpected shortage of adhesives, and the letter was usually endorsed in red pencil with "Pd 1d". (On Cover @ £5½).

*(6/11/1894 - P.M. 1894)*

*Mass from M.B. 1897*

*Endorsement to PD in description*

Type PD16. *PD16*

*PD16*

A double-lined circle with dots at each side, and the word "JAMAICA" curved around the bottom. In the centre are placed the doubly-underlined word "JAMAICA" and the date plugs in two lines. According to "Nicholson" it was sent out about 1890 but it is now known before that date.

Black.

29 Sep 1901.

10 Jun 19?? (VR2)

Red.

1898.

30 Jun 1902.

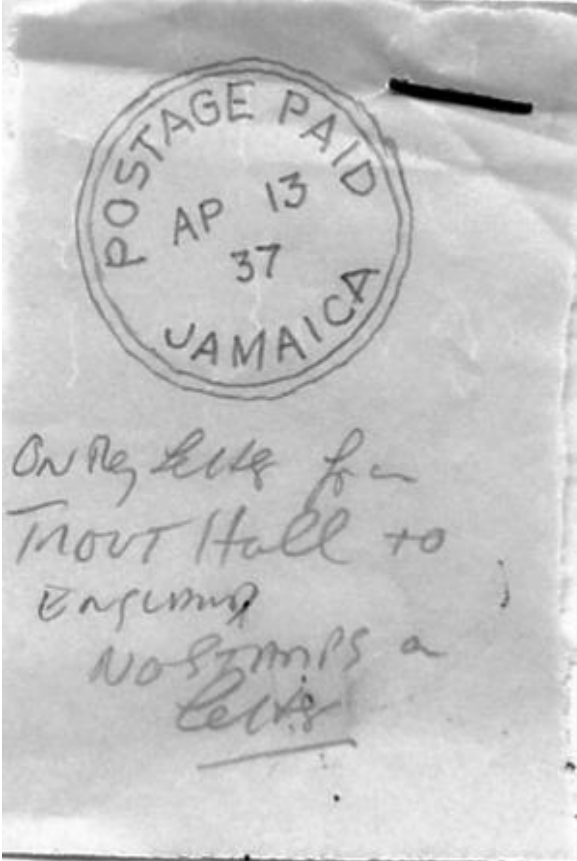
*often found in company with m/s paid to m/s*

PD17.

*as PD16 but stamp for JAMMCA. No dots at sides PAID in large letters Not on red ink*

*Black 1 Aug 1910 2 Jun 1915 often seen on newspaper wrappers*

PD19



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PD 18 Purple  
6 Jul 1925  
22 Nov 19

Type PD18. 19

According to 'Nicholson' this marking was sent out in 1925. He only noted one example of it, and I have ~~not seen or recorded any others~~. It is a double-lined circle with the words "POSTAGE PAID" curved around the top and "JAMAICA" curved around the bottom. There is no date in the centre.

Purple

6 Jul 1925.

~~from also in 1945 - magazine wrapper, edas when~~

Type PD18. 19 AMD1a.

The first Paid Marking to be used in the Automatic Letter Cancelling Machine at Kingston. It consists of the Automatic Machine Dater - Type AMD1a, used in combination with the Automatic machine Canceller - Type AMC1.

This paid marking is also cross-listed in the Automatic Letter Cancelling Section as Type AMD1a. IT IS OFTEN FOUND USED IN CONJUNCTION WITH CERTAIN OF THE "FREE" MARKINGS.

Black. 1 Sep 1917. 31 Mar 1925.

Times seen :- 6-30 AM, 10-AM,

Type PD18. 20 AM-M2.

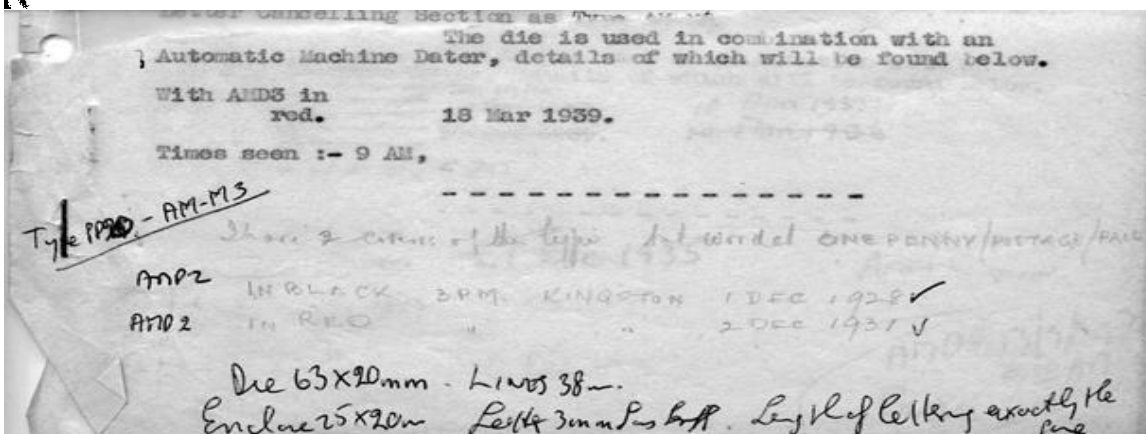
The second Machine Paid Marking. It consists of a die inscribed "POSTAGE PAID" in large, sans-serifed capital letters 5 mm in height and 44 mm in length, surrounded by a single lined rectangular frame which measures 49 x 20 mm. This Paid Marking is also listed in the Automatic Letter Cancelling Section as Type AM-M2.

This Paid Die is used in combination with one of several of the Automatic machine Daters, full details of which are given below.

With AMD2 in black. 22 Sep 1926. 22 Sep 1928.  
23 Sep 1926. 30 Sep 1926.

Times seen :- 9 AM, 3 PM,

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With AMD3 in red. 1 Mar 1937.

Times seen :- 9 AM,

With AMD4 in red. 21 Dec 1950 18 Apr 1951. 15 May 1957  
 NOT ON CARD

Times seen :- 4-PM,

With AMD6 in black. ~~29 Sep 1954.~~ 26 JUNE 1953 4 APR 1955  
 Times seen :- 12 PM. 5-PM NOT ON CARD  
 AMD7 8 Dec 1956 4-PM

PD21



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PD22

Type PD20.     AM-M4

The third Machine Paid Marking. It consists of a Paid Die inscribed with the words "HALF PENNY/POSTAGE/PAID", in three straight lines, enclosed by a rectangular single lined frame, which has seven straight lines, about 42 mm. in length, projecting from the right-hand side. The overall measurements of the die are 67 x 20 mm, and of the rectangular enclosure 25 x 20 mm. The lettering is in sans-serifed capitals 3 mm in height? (For my use only - HALF PENNY 22 mm. POSTAGE 16 mm. PAID 11½ mm. 2 mm Gaps at top and bottom and between rows of words. 3 mm Gaps between lines at right-hand sides).

This Paid Marking is listed in the Automatic Letter Cancelling Section as Type AM-M4.

The die is used in combination with an Automatic machine Dater, details of which will be found below.

With AMD3 in	<sup>10 Nov 1936</sup> <del>12 Nov 1937</del>	18 Nov 1939
red.	<del>18 Mar 1939.</del>	<del>18 Mar 1936</del>

Times seen :- 9 AM, 5 PM

WHL AMD3 in  
 black 21 Dec 1935

Note card

The 12 AM

AMD5 13/9/1947  
 9:30 AM  
 BLACK

Letters are known <sup>used</sup> from Providence around  
11 Oct 1945, unsorted, with the  
word "paid" in blue ink in Top Right  
corner, together with the Providence  
cds type DCI. All unsorted etc

Letters from <sup>in September 1921</sup> Woodford <sup>unsorted</sup>  
and <sup>red ink</sup> "PAID" in <sup>red ink</sup> on envelope

If you can add any further details to the  
details information given here, please list on a separate piece  
of paper and let me have it as soon as possible. All such  
information will be acknowledged where, and whenever necessary.

Another POSTAGE PAID Marking is PD20  
but frame size  
Letters 5m + small square.  
Seen with AD 6?  
16/11/1966  
2 4977

Rough Bib. and Ack.

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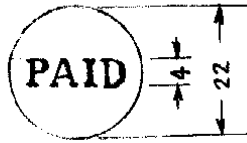
*Jamaica Philately*  
C.C. Lawford.  
L.C. Conway

15 Sep 1966 in Red  
As type DCI but with postage PAID  
at top.  
2mm.  
Cover ✓

(As  
TND  
70a?)  
TND in Purple (CANTON)  
Dovetail Circle 32mm  
with "POSTAGE PAID" at Top  
and "JAMAICA" at Center  
Date 2 JAN 1968 IN SQUARE with  
ADDRESS below

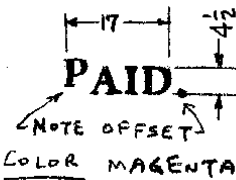
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SIZE IN MM.



COLOR MAGENTA  
ON LETTER FROM  
ST. ANNS BAY DATED  
7 APRIL 1857  
TO LONDON

ALSO ON COVER PAGE  
ST. ANNS BAY P-3 DATED 7 APR 1857  
KINGSTON PD-4 DATED 9 APR 1857 (RED)  
RED LONDON PAID DATED 2 MAY 1857



COLOR MAGENTA  
ON LETTER FROM  
MORANT BAY DATED  
21 JUNE 1843  
TO LONDON

THESE ARE ONLY TWO COPIES I HAVE EVER  
HEARD OF. EACH CAME FROM DIFFERENT  
SOURCES.

ALSO ANOTHER ON LETTER FROM  
MORANT BAY DATED  
16 SEPT. 1841  
TO LIVERPOOL

BOTH COVERS HAVE RED BRITISH ARRIVAL MARKS

MR. THOMAS FOSTER  
"ALLWAYS", HARLAND RISE,  
COTTINGHAM, EAST YORKSHIRE  
ENGLAND

1628 S. E. 10TH ST.  
FT. LAUDERDALE, FLORIDA  
U. S. A.  
APRIL 18, 1958

ABOVE IS REQUESTED INFORMATION. I CANNOT HELP YOU ON THE  
ANNOTTO BAY SHIP LETTER. THE A63 ON BRITISH STAMPS IS LIKE-  
WISE A STRANGER TO ME.

DO YOU HAVE ANY JAMAICA MATERIAL ON WHICH YOU MIGHT LIKE TO  
DO A LITTLE HORSE TRADING? I AM WELL HEELED ON STAMPLESS  
COVERS.

VERY TRULY YOURS,

*Byron R. Cameron*

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