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January 7th, 2023

Forgery to Java, 1926



Possibly repaired cover with forgeries added.

Transjordan sanction busting cover with forged 1924 stamps



Another repaired cover similar to previous. The Palestine problem requiring undercover mail did not exist in 1924!

Comparison of previous cover with genuine cover from 1970





The differences in the handwriting suggests that the forgery was produced from a repaired genuine cover.

Paper used for National Day 92 issue, stamps and miniature sheet





Photographed under ultraviolet light

The fluorescent flecks appear to be on the gummed side. The same paper was used for the 2022 Foundation Day issue.

Pre-print paper fold



The paper was unfolded before perforating.