

Types of cancellers:

As an aid to searching, descriptions of date-stamp types start with a brief code indicating what kind of date-stamp it is, following the approach used by Frescura (2018) but adapted for the different kinds used in the ZAR and Transvaal:

DC	double circle
DC.ICB	double circle, inner broken
DC.IHM	double circle, inner half moons
DC.IUG	double circle, inner circle broken and linked to outer by horizontal lines (as in London Underground logo)
DO	double oval
OCT	octagon
RDR	rectangular dated registration
SC	single circle
SC.R	single circle relief
SO	single oval
SQC	squared circle
SQC.ICB	squared circle, inner circle broken
SQ.OCT	squared octagon
TC	triple circle
TDC	truncated double circle
/ RO	R.O. at bottom
/ TRA	TRANSVAAL at bottom
/ TVL	TVL at bottom
/ ZAR	Z.A.R. at bottom
/ ZA	ZUID AFRIKA at bottom