

P.A. LACE DIAMOND MINE (Kroonstad District)

Sometimes LACE DIAMANT MIJN. **Opened Oct 1899. Renamed S.O. CROWN MINE 15 Dec 1909.** No recorded mark.

P.O. LADYBRAND (Ladybrand District)

Opened 1871. Occupied 17 May 1900. Reopened by 31 May 1900. Still open in 1910.



487
16-bar numeral canceller 17.
27 Nov 73 – 6 Jul 03



488
Borderless double circle 25/17mm. **LADYBRAND** above and **O.F.STATE** below.
12 Aug 73 – 18 Feb 79

Variety: · Centre plug omitted



489
Double circle 24/16mm. **LADY BRAND** above with square stops on both sides and **O.V.STAAT** below.
29 May 74 – 18 Apr 90

Variety: · Date inverted



489A
Borderless circle 22mm. **LADY BRAND** above with stops on both sides and **O.V.STAAT** below. From Type 489 with circles worn away.
16 Nov 88 – 12 Dec 90

Variety: · Date inverted



490
Single circle 26mm. **LADYBRAND** above with 8-ray asterisks on both sides and **O.V.S.** below. Often letter 'P' above date. Year in small figures.
1 Jan 82 – 16 Feb 85

Variety: · No year (00)



491
Single circle 26mm. **LADY BRAND** above with 6-ray asterisks on both sides and **O.V.S.** below. Often letters 'K', 'T' or 'W' above date.
19 Jan 85 – 6 Apr 91

Variety: · No year (00)



492
Single circle 26mm. **LADYBRAND** above in serifs with 8-ray asterisks on both sides and **O.V.S.** below. Year in small figures.
7 Jan 84 – 17 Oct 84

Variety: · No year (00)



493
Borderless circle 22mm. **LADY BRAND** above with 6-ray asterisks on both sides and **O.V.S.** below. From Type 491 with circle worn away.
3 Mar 90 – 20 Apr 91

Variety: · No year (00)

494

Single circle 23mm. **LADYBRAND** above with stops on both sides and **O.V.S** below.

21 Mar 91 – 20 Nov 99

Variety: · No year



494A

Single circle 34mm containing O.V.S. Arms with **POST-KANTOO LADY BRAND** above and **ORANJE-VRY STAAT** below.

1880s - 1890s



495

Double-edged circle 30/28mm. **LADYBRAND.** above and **O.V.S.** below with decorations above and below date.

25 Sep 91 – 13 May 95



496

Double-edged circle 31/29mm. **LADYBRAND** above and **O. V. S.** below. Circles often connected by dry ink

1 Sep 93 – 20 Jan 94



497

Single circle 25mm. **LADYBRAND** above with stops on both sides and **O.V.S** below.

25 Jan 96 – 18 Apr 00

Variety: · No year (00)



498

Single circle 23mm. **LADYBRAND** above with stops on both sides and **O.V.S** below. OC for '00'. From Type 494.

2 May 00 – 22 Dec 00

Varieties: · Year characters reversed with inverted 'C' for first 0 in '00'



499

Single circle 23mm. **LADYBRAND** above and blank below. Inverted 'C' for first 0 in '00'. From Type 494.

9 Nov 00 – 29 Nov 00



500

Single circle 22mm. **LADYBRAND** above and wide-spaced **O.R.C** below. Often time of day above date.

4 Dec 00 – 21 Dec 04



501

Single circle 24mm. **LADYBRAND** above and stop below.

1 Jun 00





502

Double circle 26/16mm. **LADYBRAND** above with short bars on both sides and **O.R.C.** below.

22 Jan 05 – 26 Nov 10

Variety: · O.R.C. removed (26.11.10)

502A

Double circle 26/16mm. **LADYBRAND** above with *thick* short bars on both sides and **O.R.C.** below.

3 Sep 05 – 3 Dec 08

Variety: · O.R.C. removed (10.6.12)

502T



Single circle 26mm . Numbered postage due taxe mark of **43** beneath large capital **T**.

17 Jun 06 – post 1910

503



Double circle 26/16mm. **LADYBRAND** above (which sits *above* both sides of date) with square stops on both sides and **O.R.C.** below. Sent from London 6 Jun 1906.

16 Sep 09 – 20 Aug 10

Variety: · O.R.C. removed (7.6.10)

503A



Black circle 30mm enclosing a white circle 1mm wide. **LADYBRAND** above and ornament below with **O.R.C.** in centre. Negative sealer for official use.

Sent from London 12 Sep 1907.

504



Single circle 26mm. **LADYBRAND** above with very short bars on both sides and **O.R.C.** below.

12 May 08 – 13 Jul 08

504A



Numbered Adhesive Registration Label with capital **R** and **LADYBRAND** below.

7 Feb 08 - 29 Nov 08

R.T.O. LADYBRAND RAIL (Ladybrand District)

Opened as **T.O.** 1906. R.T.O. 1907 and operated by Central South African Railways. Still open in 1910.



504AA

Single circle 26mm. **RAILWAY TELEGRAPHS** above and **LADYBRAND** below. Year in full.

28 Apr 12

P.A. LAKE WARDEN (Hoopstad District)

Opened 1 Oct 1906 when it *absorbed* **GROOTFONTEIN**. Closed 31 Dec 1907.



504B

Boxed type numeral canceller **18**.

Issued Sep 1906. Withdrawn 31 Dec 1907.

S.O. LANDPLAATS (Winburg District)

Opened as **P.A.** 1 Aug 1903. S.O. 1 Aug 1905. Still open in 1910.



505

Double circle 27/17mm. **S.O. LANDPLAATS** above with square stops on both sides and **O.R.C.** below. Sent from London 28 Nov 1906.

24 Jan 08 – 8 Dec 09

P.A. LANGEWACHT (Bethlehem District)

Opened 15 Nov 1903. Closed Jan 1906.



506

Double-edged circle 39mm. **P.O.A. LANGEWACHT**, above and **DIST. BETHLEHEM, O.R.C.** below. Year in full.

8 Dec 03 – Jan 06

P.A. LANGHOEK (Jacobsdal District)

Opened 1896. *Transferred* to **WATERVAL WEST** Apr 1898. No recorded mark.

S.O. LANGHOEK (Bethlehem, later Vrede, District)

Opened as **P.A.** 1 Aug 1903. S.O. 15 Sep 1904. Closed 28 Feb 1905. Reopened as S.O. Jul 1905. Still open in 1910.



506A

Boxed type numeral canceller **14**.

Issued Jun 1904. Withdrawn Sep 1904.



506B

Double-edged circle 39/37mm. **S.O., LANGHOEK**, above and **VREDE**. below. Year in full.

21 Dec 05 – 9 Oct 06



507

Double circle 27/17mm. **S.O. LANGHOEK** above with square stops on both sides and **O.R.C.** below. Sent from London 28 Nov 1906.

12 Jan 09 – 5 Apr 10

P.O. LANGLAAGTE (Boshof District)

Opened as P.A. Sep 1893. P.O. 1902. Closed circa 1907.



507A

Single circle 22mm. **LANGLAAGTE** above and **O.V.S.** below.

26 Oct 87 – 29 Dec 99

Varieties: · No year · Single figure for year

P.A. LANGSPRUIT (Bethlehem District)

Sometimes LANGS SPRUIT. Opened 1887. Closed circa 1889.



508

Single circle 22mm. **LANGS SPRUIT** above and blank below.

19 Dec 87

P.A. LANGVLAKTE (Rouxville District)

Formerly ELANDSKLOOF when renamed 15 Dec 1905. Still open in 1910.



508A

Boxed type numeral canceller 81.

Issued Dec 1905. Withdrawn Jul 1907.

508B

Boxed type numeral canceller 71.

Issued Aug 1907 to replace '81'.

S.O. LEEUWBANK (Vrede, later Frankfort, District)

Opened as P.A. 1893. Closed intermittently during the war. Reopened Apr 1903. S.O. 1 Mar 1908. Still open in 1910.



509

Single circle 22mm. **LEEUBANK** above and **O.V.S.** below.

10 Dec 98 - 18 May 00

Varieties: · Year as '5', '9' or '19' (00)



510

Double-edged circle 33mm. **POSTAL AGENT**, above and **LEEUBANK**. below. Year in full.

27 Sep 03



510A

Boxed type numeral canceller 52.

Issued Mar 1905. Withdrawn May 1908.



511

Double circle 26/16mm.

S.O. LEEUWBANK above with square stops on both sides and **O.R.C.** below.

Sent from London 23 Apr 1908.

P.A. LEEUWPAN (Winburg District)

Opened 1878. Transferred to WITPAN 23 Jun 1882. Reopened Apr 1895. Closed intermittently during the war. Reopened Apr 1903. Closed 8 Mar 1905.



512

Double circle 25/16mm. **LEE UWPAN** above and **O.V. STAAT** below.

22 Jan 1880



512A

Single circle 24mm. **LEE UWPAN** above with stops on both sides and **O.V.S.** below.

22 Sep 96 – 22 Aug 99

Variety: · Year as '6' · No year (97)

P.A. LEEUW RIVER MILLS (Thaba 'Nchu District)

Opened 15 Jan 1903. Closed 31 May 1904.



513

Triple-edged circle 35mm. **P.O.A.** above and **LEE UW RIVER MILLS**, **O.R.C.** below. Year in full.

13 Jul 03 – 23 Nov 03

P.A. LEEUWRIVIER (Thaba 'Nchu District)

Opened 24 Jun 1882. No other information available. No recorded mark.

R.O. LEEUWSPRUIT RAIL (Heilbron District)

Opened Nov 1896. No other information available. No recorded mark.

P.A. LEEUWVLEI (Bloemfontein District)

Opened Jan 1892. Closed Jul 1906. Reopened Jul 1907. Still open in 1910.



514

Single circle 22mm. **LEE UWVLEI** above and **O.V.S.** below.

5 Jan 94 – 13 Jul 97

Varieties: · Year as '5' (95) · No year (94)



514A

Boxed type numeral canceller 15.

Issued 1 Jun 1904. Withdrawn Jun 1906.
Reissued Feb 1910.

P.A. LE SOUVENIR (Ladybrand District)

Sometimes LE SOUVENIER. **Opened Sep 1883**. Closure date unknown. Reopened Jan 1892. Closed intermittently during the war. Reopened 18 Dec 1902. Closed Jun 1904.



515

Single circle 26mm. **LE SOUVENIR** above and **O.V.S.** below.

25 Jan 88 – 21 Sep 89

Varieties: · Month inverted · Year and month inverted · Circle failed to print

515A



Single circle 22mm. **LE SOUVENIR** above and **O.V.S.** below.

5 Mar 94 – 7 Oct 98

Varieties: · No centre plug · No date · Year as '49' (94)

516



Double-edged circle 34/32mm. **LE SOUVENIR**, above and (probably) **O.R.C.** below. Year in full. *Partial impression.*

May 03 – Dec 03

P.A. LEVENSBRON (Lindley District)

Formerly TWEEFFONTEIN when **renamed 1 Jan 1906**. Closed 30 Nov 1906. Reopened 1 Jan 1908. Still open in 1910.



516A

Boxed type numeral canceller 12.

Continuing use from former office. Withdrawn Nov 1906.



516AA

Boxed type numeral canceller 110.

Issued 1 Jan 1908.

P.A. LIBERTAS (Senekal District)

Opened 1 May 1908. Closed Jul 1909. No recorded mark.

P.A. LIJNFONTEIN (Boshof District)

Sometimes LYNFONTEIN. **Opened Jul 1898**. Closed circa 1908. No recorded mark.

P.A. LINDEQUESDRIFT (Heilbron District)

Opened 1898. Occupied 25 May 1900. Reopened circa June 1900. Closed circa 1903.



516B

Single circle 24mm. **P.A.K. LINDEQUESDRIFT** above with stops on both sides and **O.V.S.** below.

23 Jan 99 – 14 Aug 99

Variety: · Date inverted

P.A. LINDIQUESFONTEIN (Kroonstad District)

Opened 1887/88. *Renamed* REITZBURG 1 Dec 1890.



516BA

Single circle 24mm. Misspelt **LIVDIQUESFONTEIN** above and **O.V.S.** below. No year.

13 Sep 90

P.O. LINDLEY (Bethlehem, later Lindley, District)

Opened 1878. Occupied 17 May 1900. Reopened 1 Nov 1902. Still open in 1910.



516C

11-bar numeral canceller 30.

Feb 84 – Jul 91



516D

Single circle 26mm. **LINDLEY** above with 8-ray asterisks on both sides and **O.V.S.** below. Year in small figures.

8 Feb 84 – 29 Jan 86



517

Double-edged circle 28/26mm. **LINDLEY**, above and **O.V.S.** below with decoration above date. Often circles connected by dried ink.

5 Jun 91 – 28 May 92



518

Single circle 22mm. **LINDLEY** above and **O.V.S.** below.

12 Sep 92 – 5 Apr 00

Varieties: · No year · Year as '19' (00)

519



Single circle 23mm. **P-K-LINDLEY** above and **O.V.S.** below. Often letter 'A' above date. *Thin type.*

15 Nov 92 – 7 Sep 97

Varieties: · No year · Year as '9'

520



Single circle 23mm. **P-K-LINDLEY** above and **O.V.S.** below. Often letter 'A' above date. *Thick type.*

11 Jan 96 – 17 Dec 99

Varieties: · No year · Year as '6' or '9'



521

Single circle 22mm. **LINDLEY** above and wide-spaced **O.R.C** below. Often time of day above date.

20 Jan 03 – 18 Jun 06

521T



Single circle 26mm . Numbered postage due tax mark of **31** beneath large capital **T**.

18 Aug 07 – post 1910

522



Double circle 26/16mm. **LINDLEY** above with square stops on both sides and **O.R.C.** (15mm wide) below. Sent from London 6 Jun 1906.

13 Oct 06 – 2 Jul 09

Variety: · O.R.C. removed (30.6.10)

522A



Black circle 30mm enclosing a white circle 1mm wide. **LINDLEY** above and ornament below with **O.R.C.** in centre. Negative sealer for official use.

Sent from London 12 Sep 1907.

522B



Double circle 26/16mm. **LINDLEY** above with short bars on both sides and **O.R.C.** (14mm wide) below.

20 Feb 05 – 8 Aug 12

Variety: · O.R.C. removed (10.11.11)

522C

LINDLEY

Unenclosed **LINDLEY** of 23mm. Used on Registered items.

1 Oct 09

523



Double circle 27/17mm. **LINDLEY** above with rectangular stops on both sides and **O.R.C** below.

Sent from London 31 Oct 1906.

R.S.T.O. LINDLEY RD. RAIL (Bethlehem, later Lindley, District)

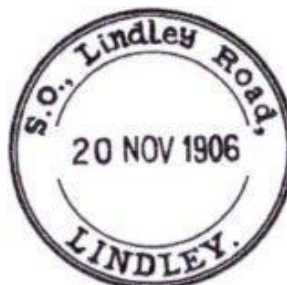
Opened as **P.A. 1 Oct 1905**. S.O. 20 Jun 1906. S.T.O. 1 Jul 1906. S.O. 1907. R.S.T.O. 1909. Still open in 1910.

523A



Boxed type numeral canceller **92**.

Issued 20 Jun 1906. Withdrawal date unknown.



523B

Double-edged circle 38/36mm. **S.O., Lindley Road,** above and **LINDLEY.** below. Year in full.

20 Jul 06 – 19 Jan 07

524



Double circle 26/16mm. **S.O.LINDLEY ROAD** above with rectangular stops on both sides and **O.R.C.** below. Sent from London 28 Nov 1906.

12 Mar 07 – 9 Aug 10

Variety: · O.R.C. removed (9.8.10)

P.A. LOMBAARDSDRIFT (Bloemfontein District)

Opened **1 Dec 1902**. Closed Aug 1903. Reopened 1 Dec 1903. Still open in 1910.

524A



Boxed type numeral canceller **1355**.

Issued Jun 1904. Withdrawn Sep 1904.

524B



Boxed type numeral canceller **24**.

Issued Sep 1904.

524C



Double-edged circle 34/32mm. **LOMBAARDSDRIFT,** above and **O.R.C.** below. Year in full.

1 Apr 03

P.A. LOURENSRUST (Vrede District)

Opened **1 Jan 1904**. Closed 29 Feb 1908. Reopened 15 May 1908. Still open in 1910.

524D



Double-edged circle 39/38mm. **P.O.A. LOURENSRUST,** above and **DIST. VREDE, O.R.C.** below. Year in full.

25 Nov 04 - 5 Jan 05

R.S.T.O. LOVAT RAIL (Lindley District)

Opened as **T.O. 20 Jun 1906** and operated by Central South African Railways with P.A. as a separate office. S.O. 1907. R.S.T.O. 1910 and remained open that year.

**524E**Boxed type numeral canceller **93**.

Issued 20 Jun 1906.

**525**Double circle 26/16mm. **S.O.LOVAT** above with square stops on both sides and **O.R.C.** below. Sent from London 28 Nov 1906.

12 Jan 07 – 6 Nov 10

Variety: · O.R.C. removed (13.3.11)

525ADouble-edged double circle 39/38/28mm. **S.O. LOVAT**, above and **LINDLEY**. (probably) below. Year in full. *Partial impression.*

6 Oct 08

**P.A. LOWLANDS** (Ladybrand District)Opened **Apr 1898**. Closed circa 1906. No recorded mark.**P.A. LUBBEN** (Heilbron District)Opened **Oct 1899**. Closed circa 1907. No recorded mark.**P.O. LUCKHOFF** (Fauresmith District)Formerly P.A. KOFFIEKUIL when **renamed 1894**. P.O. 1 Oct 1895. Closed 26 Mar 1900. Reopened by 15 May 1900. Closed circa Sep 1900. Reopened Nov 1902. Still open in 1910.**526**Single circle 22mm. **LUCKHOFF** above and **O.V.S.** below.

2 Oct 94 – 22 Sep 00

Varieties: · No year · Year as '8' (98), '9' (97) or '0' (00) · O.V.S. removed (25.8.00)

527Single circle 22mm. **LUCKHOFF** above and wide-spaced **O.R.C.** below. Often time of day above date.

12 Dec 02 – 20 Jun 10

Variety: · O.R.C removed (20.6.10)

527ABlack circle 30mm enclosing a white circle 1mm wide. **LUCKHOFF** above and ornament below with **O.R.C.** in centre. Negative sealer for official use.

Sent from London 12 Sep 1907.

527TSingle circle 26mm . Numbered postage due tax mark of **47** beneath a large capital **T**.

Post 1910.

**528**Double circle 26/16mm. **LUCKHOFF** above with short bars on both sides and blank below.

2 Dec 10 – 30 Jun 11

P.A. LUSTHOFF (Winburg District)Opened **Feb 1910** and remained open that year.**528A**Boxed type numeral canceller **58**.

Issued Feb 1910.

P.A. LYNFONTEIN (Boshof District)

See LIJNFONTEIN.