DALMANUTHA / DALMANUTHA RAIL

approx. 10 km NE of Belfast (Mat)

PAK opened 1.1.1897, [(closed during Boer War)], PA re-opened before 15.10.1902, moves to and from RAIL, open → Union (Ency)

Add 1x

25 mm DC.ZAR

DALMANUTHA / Z.A.R., (6)-stars at sides, date as dd mmm yy

** *** 98 Add – 22 AUG 00[1] Aab

[1] Probably philatelic

Add

Aab

DALMANUTHA RAIL Add 1

25 mm DC

DALMANUTHA / R.O., (small xs) at sides, date as dd mmm yy

23 DEC 02 PC – 1 MAR 19 PC

PC

Add

Put 1

26 mm DC

DALMANUTHA / x, date as dd mmm yyyy

9 OCT 1905 Aab – 30 JUN 1924 Put

Seen in purple-black ink (1913)

Aab

BP

DARKTON (Swaziland)

approx. 40 km S of Barberton (PG)

included here because postal services operated as part of ZAR and Transvaal postal services during the period covered by this catalogue, and Swaziland was incorporated into the ZAR between 1895 and 1902

PAK opened 1889, closed 1894; temporarily
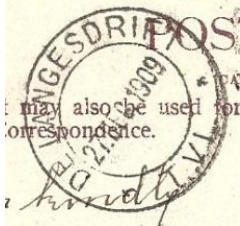
opened 19-30.3.1895 for Swazi Convention; PK re-opened 1.8.1896, [closed 16.10.1899, PO re-opened 1.9.1908 (Visser 2013)], open → Union (Ency)

Was a PWK in 1898 (PG map)

Add 2

SQC

DARKTON / SWAZIEL, date as dd / mmm / yy

(28 NOV 91 PC) – 8 FEB 92 (Visser 2013) – 20 MRT 95 (Visser 2013)

Seen in purple (1891)

SG

BP

BP

Put 1

24 mm DC.ZAR

DARKTON / Z.A.R., 5-stars at sides, date as dd mmm yy

(5 FEB 94[1] (Visser 2013)) – 28 APR 95 BP – 16 AUG 98 D&vdH – (29 JAN 00[2] (Visser 2013)) – 28 JUN 00 CB[2]

[1] Questionable because before Swaziland became a ZAR protectorate in 2.1895 (Visser 2013 p. 462 Note 3).

[2] Questionable because after date of closure (Visser 2013 p. 462 Note 4).

BP

BP

CB

Add 3

24 mm DC

DARKTON / SWAZILAND, small xs at sides, date as dd mmm tyy

11 FEB 10 (Visser 2013) – 7 APR 10 (Visser 2013)

tcl: - seen

Add

DASPOORT

scale bar |ₗₗₗₗₗₗₗₗₗₗₗₗₗₗₗₗₗₗₗₗₗₗₗₗₗₗₗₗₗₗₗ| cms

approx. 5 km NW of central Pretoria

PA opened 1.1909, open → Union (Ency)

Put 1, Add 1a

25 mm DC

DASPOORT / PRETORIA, (small xs at sides), date as dd mmm tyy

23 DEC 08 Aab – 30 JAN 29 Put

tcl: [letter], (blank) seen

Aab

DASSIEKLIP

approx. 10 km NW of Volksrust (PG)

PAK opened 1.6.1897, (closed during Boer War), PA re-opened late 1902, no longer listed 4.1905 (Ency)

Add 1

24 mm DC.ZAR

DASSIEKLIP / Z.A.R., 5-stars at sides, date as dd mmm yy

7 FEB 9(9) BP – 29 MRT 00 Add

BP

Add

DAVEL

approx. 20 km E of Bethal (Mat)

PA opened 5.5.1906, open → Union (Ency)

Put 1, 1a, Add 1b

25 mm DC.TRA

DAVEL / TRANSVAAL, small xs at sides, date as dd mmm tyy

9 JUL 07 BP – xx JAN 29 Aab

tcl: A, P, ■ seen

BP

PC

PC

scale bar |||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||| cms
0   1   2   3   4   5

DEAN

approx. 25 km SW of Klerksdorp (Mat)

PA first listed 10.1908, open → Union (Ency)

Add 1

25 mm DC.TRA

DEAN / TRANSVAAL, small [asterisks] at sides, date as dd mmm yy

23 JAN 13 Add

Add

DE BEER'S KRAAL

approx. 30 km W of Ventersdorp (Mat, as Reismierbult)

PA first listed 4.1909, open → Union (re-names REISMIERBULT 1.3.1911) (Ency)

No date-stamp yet seen.

DE BEURS, JOHANNESBURG see **BEURS, JOHANNESBURG**

DE DEUR

approx. 15 km N of Vereeniging (Mat)

PA first listed 9.1909, open → Union (Ency)

New

24 mm SC

DE DEUR / T V L, date as dd mm / yy

2* AU 09 Aab

Aab

Put 1

29 mm DC.TRA

DE DEUR / TRANSVAAL, small xs at sides, date as dd mmm yy

9 SEP11 Aab – 3 FEB 14 Put

Post-Union date, but probably pre-Union canceller.

Aab

PC

DEELPAN

approx. 60 km SW of Lichtenburg (Mat)

PA opened 1.4.1906, ?temporarily closed 1907/1908, re-listed 9.1909, open → Union (Ency)

Put 1

25 mm DC.TRA

DEELPAN / TRANSVAAL, small xs at sides, date as dd mmm yy

1 AUG 32 Put

tcl: A seen

Post-Union date, but probably pre-Union canceller.

DE JAGERSDRIFT, DE JAGERS DRIFT

approx. 40 km SW of Vrijheid (PG)

PAK opened 11.9.1892, apparently closed briefly early 1897, re-opened 1.7.97, closed 1899, ?re-opened, closed 1902; transferred to Natal after Boer War (Ency)

Existence of Natal date-stamp (Add 1y) dated AU 21 1899 (illustrated in Add) requires explanation.

Uncertain

52/42 x ? mm

Rectangular box cachet with projecting wide bars, containing date as dd mmm yy / De JAGERSDRIFT / DIST. UTRECHT

1 NOV 92 Aab / auct cat

Aab / auct cat: ca. three-fifths life size

Add 1x

24 mm DC.ZAR

DE JAGERSDRIFT / Z.A.R., 5-stars at sides, date as dd mmm yy

3* APR 95 PC – 10 NOV 98 BP

PC

Add

DE LANGESDRIFT

approx. 20 km S of Standerton (Mat)

PAK first listed 1899, (closed during Boer War), PA re-opened ?1904, open → Union (Ency)

Put 1

26 mm DC.TVL

DE LANGESDRIFT / TVL., date as dd mmm yyyy

28 MAR 1908 ALR – 17 APR 1914 Put

ALR

PC

DELMAS

approx. 35 km E of Springs

[TO opened 1.2.1907], PA opened before 6.1907, open → Union (Ency)

Add 1x

26 mm DC.TRA

DELMAS / TRANSVAAL, date as dd mmm yyyy

18 JUL1910 BP – 7 JAN 191* Add

Post-Union date, but probably pre-Union canceller.

BP

Add

DELMORE

approx. 20 km E of Johannesburg

[TO renamed from HALFWAY RTO 15.10.1906], PA first listed 1.1908, open → Union (Ency)

Put 1, Add 1*

26 mm DC.TRA

DELMORE / TRANSVAAL, date as dd mmm yyyy

13 NOV 1907 Add[1] – 5 FEB 1920 Aab

[1] EKD before date of opening given by Ency.

Aab

MH

DENVER

approx. 5 km E of central Johannesburg

PA opened 30.6.1903, SO 1.8.1903, PO 1904, open → Union (Ency)

scale bar 0 1 2 3 4 5 cms

Put 1

26 mm DC

DENVER / x, date as dd mmm yyyy

4 NOV 1903 Aab – 18 AUG 1906 Put

BP

PC

Put 2

25 mm DC.TRA

DENVER / TRANSVAAL, xs at sides, date as dd mmm tyy

14 APR 05 BP – 3 JAN 10 PC

tcl: A, D, E, G seen

Aab

PC

Put 3

26 mm DC.TRA

DENVER / TRANSVAAL, date as dd mmm yyyy

26 JUL 1912 Put – 1 NOV 1924 PC

Post-Union date, but probably pre-Union canceller.

PC

PC

DERBY

approx. 25 km N of Piet Retief (Mat)

PAK opened 1.9.1894, (closed during Boer War), PA re-opened before 30.6.1903, open → Union (Ency)

Add 1x

24 mm DC.ZAR

DERBY / Z.A.R., 5-stars at sides, date as dd mmm yy

7 DEC 97 Add – 26 APR 00 D&vdH

BP

AH

Add 1y

25 mm DC.TRA

DERBY / TRANSVAAL, [asterisks] at sides, date as dd mmm yy

30 AUG 09 Add

Add

DERDEPOORT

approx. 100 km NE of Zeerust (PG)

PAK opened 1.11.1895, [(presumably closed during Boer War)], PA last listed 7.1903 (Ency)

No pre-Union date-stamp yet seen.

DEVON

approx. 40 km E of Springs

PA re-named from NOOITGEDACHT (q.v.) 1.6.1906, open → Union (Ency)

Add 1v, 1va

25mm DC.TRA

DEVON / TRANSVAAL, (small xs at sides), date as dd mmm tyy

25 MAR 1908 Add – 30 NOV 11 MH

tcl: A, ■ seen

Add

MH

DE WILDT

approx. 20 km NW of Pretoria (Mat)

PA first listed 9.1909, open → Union (Ency)

Put 1

(28) mm DC.TRA

DE WILDT / TRANSVAAL, small xs at sides, date as dd mmm yyyy

23 DEC 1918 Put – 24 JUN 1924 BP

Post-Union date, but probably pre-Union canceller.

BP

DE WITTE KRANS

approx. 35 km NE of Bethal (Mat)

PA first listed 9.1909, open → Union (Ency)

Put 1

26 mm TC.TRA

DE WITTE KRANS / TRANSVAAL, date as dd mmm yy

14 JUL 10 Put

Post-Union date, but probably pre-Union canceller.

DIEPKLOOF (Pretoria)

Head Office Pretoria

PA opened 6.11.1905, closed 10.3.1906 (Ency)

No date-stamp yet seen.

Possibly the same agency as the next.

DIEPKLOOF (Middelburg)

approx. 50 km N of Middelburg (Mat)

PA opened ?1.3.1906, no longer listed 4.1907 (Ency)

No date-stamp yet seen.

DIEPSLOOT

approx. 30 km SW of Pretoria (Mat)

PA opened 1.3.1906, open → Union (Ency)

Add 1

25 mm DC.TRA

DIEPSLOOT / TRANSVAAL, [nothing at sides], date as dd mmm tyy

26 OCT 06 Aab – 9 MAY 10 Add

tcl: A, ■ seen

Aab

Add
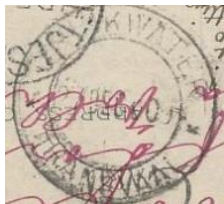
DOORDRIFT

approx. 60 km W of Rustenburg (Mat)

PA opened 6.1.1903, open → Union (Ency)

Put 1

25 mm DC

DOORDRIFT / x-cut block, date as dd mmm yy

20 NOV 05 PC – 26 OCT 06 Aab

PC

Aab

DOORNBOOM

probably NE of Pietersburg

PA first listed 9.1909, last listed 1.1910 (Ency)

Add 1

28 mm DC.TRA

DOORNBOOM / TRANSVAAL, date as dd mmm tyy

12 JUL 09 Add

tcl: A seen

Add

DOORNBULT

approx. 45 km S of Lichtenburg (Mat)

PAK opened 1.9.1898, (closed during Boer War), PA re-opened after 1.7.1902, open → Union (Ency)

Add 2

26 mm DC.TVL

DOORNBULT / TVL, small crosses at sides, date as dd mmm yyyy

18 JAN 1911 BP – 18 JUN 1915 Add

Post-Union date, but probably pre-Union canceller.

BP

Add

DOORNFONTEIN

approx. 2 km NE of central Johannesburg

BO opened 1901/2, not listed 1.7.1902; re-opened, closed 15.12.1902; BO re-opened

scale bar | | | | | | cms (0 1 2 3 4 5)

1.2.1905, PO 1.3.1905 incorporating BEIT STREET, JOHANNESBURG office, open → Union (Ency)

Put 1 = Put 2

25 mm DC

DOORNFONTEIN B.O / JOHANNESBURG, small xs at sides, date as dd mmm tyy

16 MAY 05 BP – 11 JUN 36 Put

tcl: A, P, ■ seen

As described and drawn, Put 1 is larger (27 mm) and has no side ornaments. However all examples seen so far conform with the description of Put 2.

PC

PC

DOORNHOEK

approx. 25 km N of Nylstroom (Mat)

PA first listed 1.1909, open → Union (Ency)

Put 1, Add 1a

25 mm DC.TRA

DOORNHOEK / TRANSVAAL, small xs at sides, date as dd mmm tyy

21 AUG 10 BP – 15 JAN 26 Put

tcl: B, H, ■ seen

Post-Union date, but probably pre-Union canceller.

DOORNKLOOF

approx. 15 km S of Pretoria

Listed 1887, but not later (Ency)

No date-stamp yet seen.

DOORNKOP

Head Office Krugersdorp, Roodepoort, presumably in that area

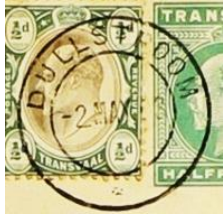PA opened 1.1.1904, closed 24.10.1904 (Ency)

No date-stamp yet seen.

DOORNPOORT

approx. 50 km N of Rustenburg

PAK opened 15.5.1898, [[(closed during Boer War)]], PA last listed 1.1904; PA re-listed 9.1909, open → Union (Ency)

New

24 mm DC.ZAR

DOORNPOORT / Z.A.R., 5-stars at sides, date as dd mmm yy

24 *** 98 Aab

Aab

Put 1, Add 1a

25 mm DC.TRA

DOORNPOORT / TRANSVAAL, date as dd mmm tyy

5 NOV 34 Put

tcl: A, (blank) seen

Post-Union date, but probably pre-Union canceller.

DORPSPLAATS

approx. 25 km SW of Ermelo (Mat)

PA first listed 10.1908, open → Union (Ency)

Add 1, 1a

25 mm DC.TRA

DORPSPLAATS / TRANSVAAL, date as dd mmm tyy

23 APR 18 Aab – ** *** 29 Add

tcl: J, - seen

Post-Union date, but probably pre-Union canceller.

Aab

DOVESDALE

approx. 15 km SE of Ventersdorp (Mat)

PA opened 1.7.1903, open → Union (Ency)

Put 1, Add 1a

25 mm DC

DOVESDALE / (blank), [asterisks] at sides, date as dd mmm yy

26 OCT 04 Aab – (23) *** (32) Put

Put suggested originally with TVL at base, but unlikely in view of this 1904 example.

Aab

BP

DRAAIKRAAL

approx. 65 km N of Belfast (Mat)

PA first listed 4.1909, open → Union (Ency)

Add 1x

26 mm DC

DRAIKRAAL / ?, date as dd mmm tyy

20 OCT ** Add

tcl: ? seen

Probably pre-Union canceller.

Add

DRIEFONTEIN (Volksrust)

approx. 25 km NE of Volksrust (PG)

PAK opened 19.7.1889, (closed during Boer War), PA re-opened by 30.6.1903, open → Union (Ency)

DRIEFONTEIN (TVL) Add 2

24 mm DC.ZAR

DRIEFONTEIN / Z.A.R., 5-stars at sides, date as dd mmm yy

24 JUN 95 BP – 13 FEB 99 PC

PC

PC

DRIEFONTEIN (TVL) Add 3 (= DRIEFONTEIN (NATAL) Put 1, Add 1*)

26 mm DC

DRIEFONTEIN / x-cut block, date as dd mmm yy

xx JUN 04 PC – 20 JUL 17 Put

Add

Aab

DRIEFONTEIN (Germiston)

approx. 15 km NE of Johannesburg (Mat)

PA opened 12.6.1903, re-named MAY 1.11.1906 (q.v.) (Ency)

DRIEFONTEIN (TVL) Put 1

26 mm DC

DRIEFONTEIN (GERMISTON) / X-cut stop, date as dd mmm yy

14 DEC 03 Aab – 22 AUG 06 Put.

Aab composite image

scale bar |ııı|ııı|ıııı|ıııı|ıııı|ıııı|ıııı|ıııı|ıııı| cms

DRINKWATER

probably approx. 20 km S of Ermelo

PA first listed 9.1909, open → Union (Ency)

Put 1

? mm DC.TRA

DRINKWATER / TRANSVAAL, small xs at sides, date as dd mmm tyy

25 DEC 09 Put – 27 DEC 09 Aab

tcl: (E) seen

Dameter unreported.

Aab: diameter ?

DUIVELSKANTOOR

Listed 1887-1889 but not later; possibly became DUIVELSKLOOF (Ency)

No date-stamp yet seen.

DUIVELSKLOOF

approx. 80 km E of Pietersburg (Mat)

PA opened 1.1.1905, PO 15.3.1910, open → Union (Ency)

Put 1

26 mm DC.TRA

DUVELSKLOOF / TRANSVAAL, [dots] at sides, date as dd mmm yyyy

3 SEP 1905 BP – 23 AUG 1922 Put

PC

PC

DULLSTROOM

approx. 45 km SW of Lydenburg (Mat)

PAK opened 1.12.1887, PK 1899, (closed during Boer War), PA re-opened by 30.6.1903, PO 15.12.1908, open → Union (Ency)

Add 1x

24 mm DC.ZAR

DULLSTROOM / Z.A.R., 5-stars at sides, date as dd mmm yy

22 SEP 96 BP – 26 NOV 00 Add

BP

AWH

Put 1

25 mm DC

DULLSTROOM / x-cut block, date as dd mmm yy

2 MAY 03 Aab – 28 AUG 13 Put

Aab

BP

Add 1y

SQC.ICB

DULLSTROOM, date as dd mmm YYYY

11 JUN 1900 Add – 10 JUL 1900 BP

Presumably used at telegraph office (Add)

BP

BP

DUNDEE (Natal)

occupied …. can supply

can supply

DU TOITS SPRUIT

approx. 40 km N of Potchefstroom (Mat)

PA first listed 1909, open → Union (Ency)

Put 1, Add 1a, Add 1b

25 mm DC.TRA

DU TOITS SPRUIT / TRANSVAAL, date as dd mmm tyy

18 NOV 09 Aab – ** *** 44 Add

tcl: K, -, (blank) seen

Aab

DWAALFONTEIN

Head Office Middelburg, presumably in that area

PA opened 13.12.1904, closed before 6.1907 (Ency)

Add 1

(27) mm DC.TVL

DWAALFONTEIN / TVL, ? at sides, date as dd mmm yyyy

14 JUN 190* Add

Add

DWARSRIVIER / DWARS RIVER

approx. 45 km S of Louis Trichardt (Mat)

PAK opened 15.11.1892, (closed during Boer War), PA re-opened 30.12.1902, open → Union (Ency)

Add 1x

24 mm DC.ZAR

DWARSRIVIER / Z.A.R., 5-stars at sides, date as dd mmm yy

*3 JAN 95 BP – 9 APR 00 BP

BP

BP

Put 1

25 mm DC

DWARSRIVIER / (x-cut stop), date as dd mmm yy

28 MAY 55 Put

Post-Union date, but probably pre-Union canceller.