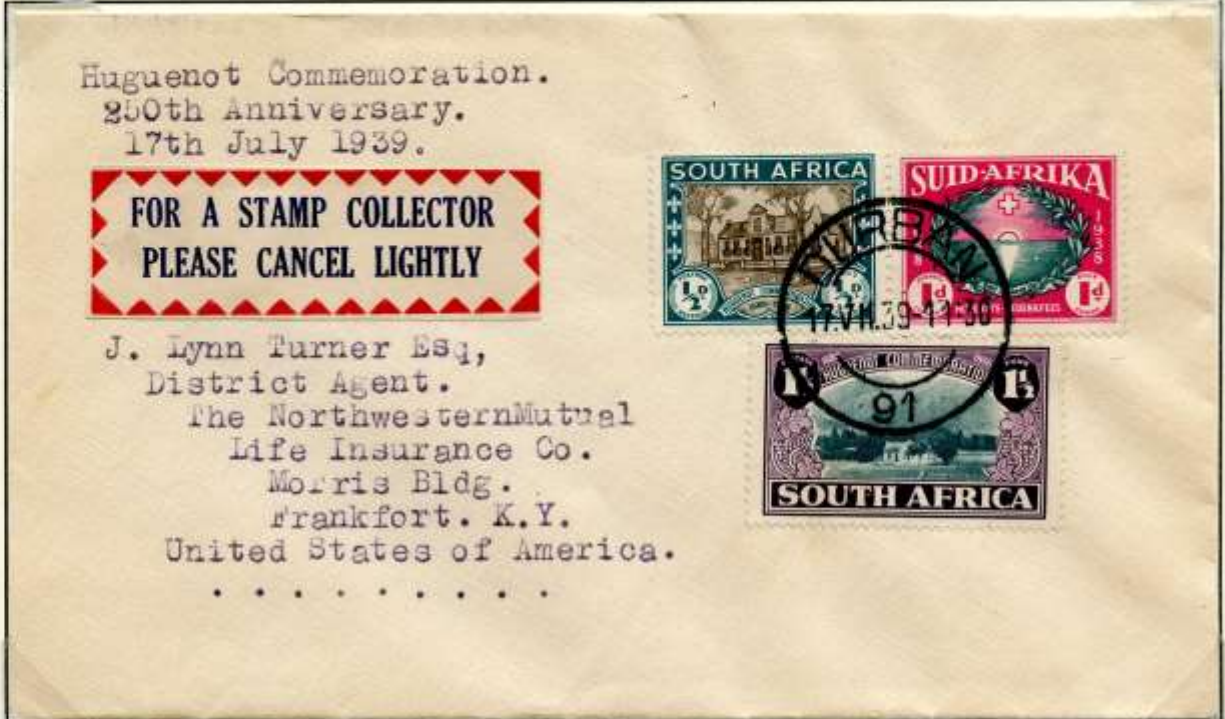


# INSTRUCTIONAL MARKING

## "PLEASE CANCEL LIGHTLY"

Not all postal clerks care about how mail is handled. But an effort is made by some philatelist to get philatelic mail in pristine condition. Here are two items that made the grade.

This cover is a home made philatelic cover with words and nice stamps indicating the event commemorated. The red and blue label cannot be missed!



This cover was posted from Durban on 17 June 1939.



This excellently embossed cachet cover is well laid out in colour and design. The label at the bottom is not as obvious as the top cover. It appears to be in excellent condition after posting.

This cover was posted from Swanhill on 6 January 1958.

It appears that these label with instructional marking worked.