

Control "Q" used on piece and cancelled with a double ring cancel Pretoria Z.A.R. Dated 10 JUL 00

Pretoria fell to Lord Roberts on the 5th June 1900. There was no postal service until 18th June when it was announced that G.B. Victorian stamps as well as V.R.I. stamps were available Control "Q" was registered on September 1898.



British Protectorate Oil Rivers.

Now known as Nigeria and was named as palm oil was the mail industry.

Control "E" was registered March 1889.

The ½d stamp were overprinted to requirements control "K" is also known overprinted British Protectorate Oil Rivers

According to records the number over printed is 37.000 stamps and were printed as when required.



Control "B" overprinted I.R. OFFICILAL and hand stamped SPECIMEN The control was registered September 1887



Imperforated un gummed plate proof on issued colour on buff paper



Used on the 1st day of issue 17th April 1900



Control "F" registered September 1889 with GWR perforated initials