

DENMARK

The Frederik IX Issues 1948 – 1960

On First Day Covers

This exhibit shows the First Day Covers of Denmark's definitives bearing the portrait of King Frederik IX and issued between 1948 and 1960. It follows the Christian X series of the 1940s and precedes the Frederik IX series of 1961 to 1974. It includes the provisionals and semi-postals created by overprinting and surcharging these stamps, and excludes postal stationery. The collection was formed over twenty years and was shown at national and regional shows over a 10-year period. It evolved into an 8-frame exhibit, to which a few more items have been added for this publication. Below is the track record of awards.

AMERICOVER 2001, Denver: vermeil, APS 1940-1980 medal of excellence, best foreign FDC

VAPEX 2001, Virginia Beach: silver

Philatelic Show 2001, Boxborough: vermeil, SCC bronze

MIDAPHIL 2002, Kansas City MO: vermeil

York County Stamp Show 2003, York PA: vermeil, AAPE award of honor

Greater Houston Stamp Show 2003, Houston: vermeil

NAPEX 2007, McLean VA: silver

AMERICOVER 2007, Stamford CT: gold, best foreign FDC

OKPEX 2007, Oklahoma City: silver

SCOPEX 2008, Bellefonte PA: vermeil

LANCOPEX 2009, Lancaster PA: gold

Alan Warren, June 2011

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Synopsis

Denmark: Frederik IX Issues on First Day Covers

This exhibit shows the stamps of the Frederik IX series issued 1948-1960 by Denmark, including the overprints, on First Day Covers. It does not include postal stationery with the same design nor the postal ferry overprints (which were not used on FDCs). The covers are shown in chronological order as the stamps issued. In some cases there is rate information. However, many FDCs are overfranked for the service for which they were intended.

Cachets

A major focus is on cachet varieties including color, imprint, and envelope size variations. Some printed address and corner card imprints are included as examples of commercial envelopes used in the servicing of the FDCs. The exhibitor has not found any literature sources that provide detailed information on the cachetmakers. Danish FDC servicers and cachetmakers did not normally enclose printed stuffers that reflected their business, as is often the case with United States First Day Covers. However, a few examples are shown.

Markings

Unofficial cancels were rarely obtained by servicers or collectors. A few examples are shown, especially in those cases where the stamp was issued without advance notice and without official FD postmarks. Auxiliary markings are shown in some cases to reflect more unusual or special handling of the mail. A number of foreign destinations are shown with indication of arrival or back stamping as appropriate. Almost all of the covers are addressed, reflecting their usage in the mails. The 15-øre gray issued August 23, 1950 was unannounced. A second day cover is shown. The exhibitor has not seen a FDC of this issue in over 20 years.

In a few cases, despite the period of issuance of these stamps, examples are shown of censored covers. Although the Second World War was long since over, Austrian authorities continued to examine the country's incoming mail.

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Denmark: The Frederik IX Issues 1948-1960 on First Day Covers

This exhibit shows chronologically the FDCs of the Frederik IX definitives of Denmark issued between 1948 and 1960, including the surcharged and overprinted stamps. Postal stationery with this design is excluded as well as the postal ferry issues. The stamps were designed by Viggo Bang, engraved by Svend Ewert, and printed on unwatermarked paper in sheets of 100 and perforated 12³/₄. More than two-thirds of the covers shown were sent to destinations outside Denmark. Some of the more unusual ones include Antigua, Argentina, Bermuda, Curaçao, Czechoslovakia, Guatemala, Israel, Liberia, Malta, New Zealand, Pitcairn Island and South Africa.

Cachet varieties are shown as well as auxiliary markings illustrating special services provided during transit. Unofficial cancels were rarely pursued in Denmark and only a few examples are seen. In a few cases dealers enclosed an advertising insert or stuffer, but this was not normally the practice as it was in the United States during this time. Despite the fact that the period of use was well after the close of World War II, several examples of censored FDCs are shown as Austria still inspected incoming mail into the early 1950s.



Combination FDC with the first nine values of the Frederik IX issue bearing cancels from February 12, 1948 to May 25, 1950.

Key items have boxed text.

Exhibit Plan: Frame 1: 20, 15-øre 1948; Frame 2: 15, 25-øre 1948; Frame 3: 25, 30-øre 1948; Frame 4: 40, 50-øre 1949; Frame 5: 50, 60, 75, 45-øre 1949-50; Frame 6: 45, 15, 70, 35, 55, 25, 30-øre 1950-52; Frame 7: 60, Netherlands Aid, 80, 90, 65, 95-øre 1953; Frame 8: 25-øre, provisionals, Greenland Aid and World Refugee Year 1955-1960.

12 February 1948



IX-MED GUD FOR DANMARK
„Frimærke Nyt“
København V.



IX-MED GUD FOR DANMARK IX

»Frimærke Nyt«
København V.

1. Dagskuvert Nr. 17
First day cover no. 17



Herr
Aage Pleilstrup,
Ørbækvej 10,
Odense.

gaard
an Ave
ing, Conn.
U.S.A.

Three different size envelopes for Frimerke Nyt (*Stamp News*) cachet no. 17, with caption in brown ink on largest envelope.

12 February 1948



HANS MAJESTÆT
KONG FREDERIK D
FIRST DAY COVER



Mr. B. Andersen,
434 Ocean Ave,



Hr. Stehlik Oldrich,
Zlin,
Mostni 1695,
Czechoslovakia.

Bikube (Beehive) cachet no. 5 with and without imprint below portrait. In the second case, to Czechoslovakia, there is an impression but the ink was not applied.

12 February 1948



Fogh's portrait cachet to Malta, correctly rated at 40-øre abroad.

007

12 February 1948



P. Falkenberg (stamp and rare book dealer) cachet no. 13 to Antigua;
b.s. St. Johns 30 March, correctly rated at 40 øre.

008

12 February 1948



All-purpose cachets. The one above depicts the central post office in Copenhagen.



12 February 1948



All-purpose cachet made by Hermann Müller of Copenhagen, endorsed Tryksager (printed matter) to Argentina. First weight step was only 8 øre; b.s. Buenos Aires 28 April.

12 February 1948



Examined in occupied Vienna (W.N.) with VT-2c paper resealing tape (29 mm wide) and VM-3a handstamp. Correctly rated for second weight step at 65 øre plus 15 øre airmail supplement.

12 February 1948



Commercial corner card above, and STENA cachet to Vermont, b.s. Poultney 4 March.



12 February 1948



Populær Filateli (Danish philatelic journal name) cachet no. 16 sent as printed matter, b.s. Guatemala 12 March, and J.R. no. 1 cachet incorrectly printed "I.R."



12 February 1948



Commercial corner card (above) and all-purpose cachet of community slaughterhouse.



12 February 1948



Two general purpose 4-language cachets.



12 February 1948

First day cover



»Med Gud for Danmark«

Herr Johs. Schmidt,

Ø. Boulevard 17.

Nakskov.

General purpose Frederik IX FD post card.
Privately printed cachet to Australia, correctly rated
for 40-øre foreign plus 100-øre airmail supplement.

FIRST DAY COVER

OTTO LOMHOLT
COPENHAGEN F
DENMARK



U.S.A. Specialists,
16 Austral Str.
Malabar.

N S W AUSTRALIA

LUFTPOST
PAR AVION
BY AIR MAIL

12 February 1948



Maximum first day card.

17 June 1948



Frimærke Nyt and Bikube cachets.



17 June 1948



Herr Sture Wahlrøt
 Dalgatan 17
 Upsala
 Sverige

Two Falkenberg cachets. No. 1 was printed in 1942 about the time of the Round Tower issue, and No. 7 in 1945 for the King Christian X 75th birthday issue.



Mr. Ben Andersen
 434 Ocean Ave
 Seaford Ny..
 New York
 U. S. A.

17 June 1948



Two Falkenberg cachets. No. 3 was printed in 1943 for the Danish Airlines 25th anniversary issue, and No. 13, which is correct for the Frederik IX issue.



17 June 1948



To New Zealand (above), 4-language cachet to Germany (below).



17 June 1948



Two varieties of general purpose 4-language cachets.



17 June 1948



First Day Cover

Danish FDC service STENA
Box 9 - Hellerup - Denmark

STENA cachet and correctly printed J.R. no. 1 cachet (see 20 øre issue of 12 February for "I.R." imprint). Since the surface rate for letters to the United States was 40 øre, these were sent unsealed as printed matter.



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J. R. Nr. 1

Printed matter.

17 June 1948



Recycled 1947 cachet sent to APO 867 (St. Lucia, British West Indies).
Below, cachet of label collectors society, to Germany.

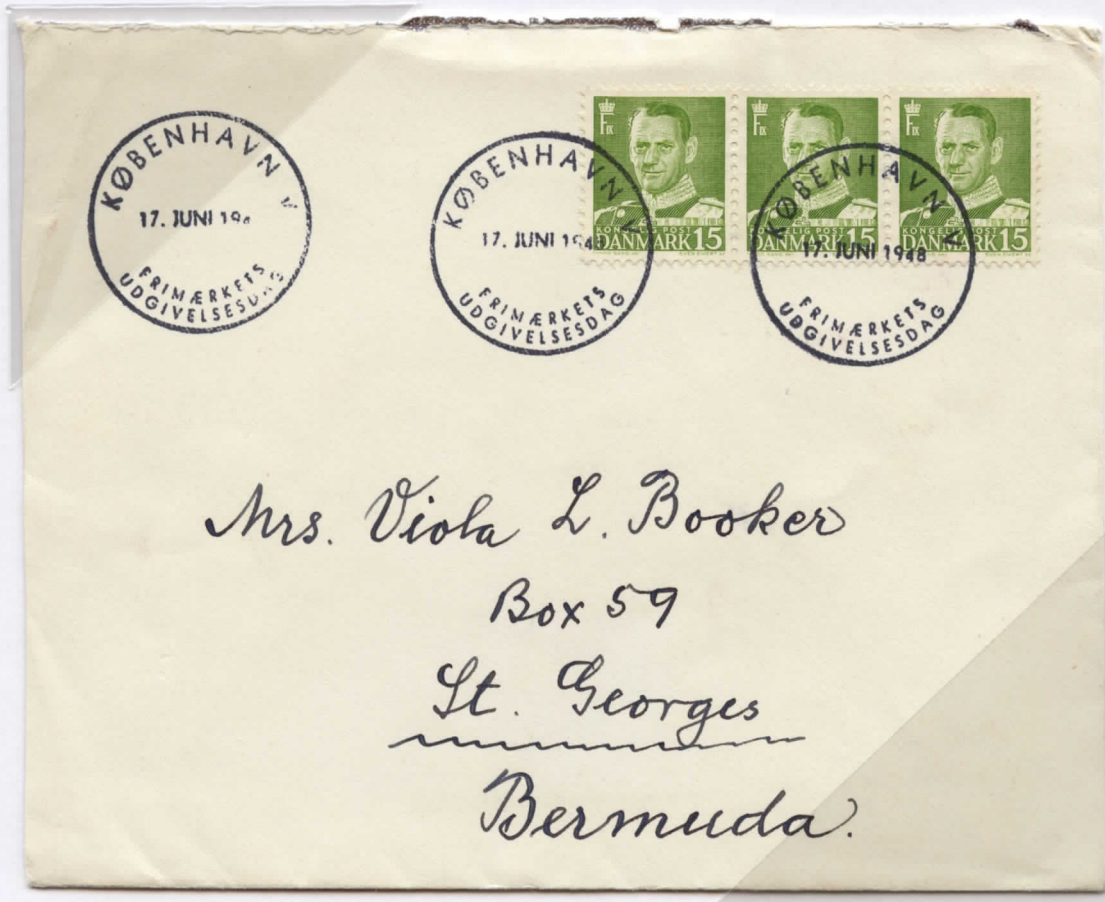


17 June 1948



Mrs Agnes. Spiller.
"Cavalier."
Nord Dakota.
U.S.A.

Mixed franking of pair of Frederik IX 15 øre and two Christian X issues with unofficial FD cancel at Copenhagen, correctly rated for 2nd weight step airmail. Cover to Bermuda is 5 øre overpaid.



Mrs. Viola L. Booker
Box 59
St. Georges
Bermuda.

17 June 1948



Two Populær Filатели cachets—unofficially cancelled at Rønne (above) and to Czechoslovakia, b.s. Dvory u Karlovych Varu 19 June.



17 June 1948



Commercial corner card



*Herr Flemming Olsen
Langg. 75 III
Valby.*

KONFEKTUREFORRETNINGEN
„KURANT“
ERIK V. OLSEN
VALBY LANGGADE 75
KØBENHAVN - VALBY

Førstedags Stempel ★ Abstempelung des ersten Tages ★ First Day Cover

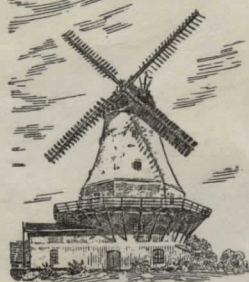


Tryksager

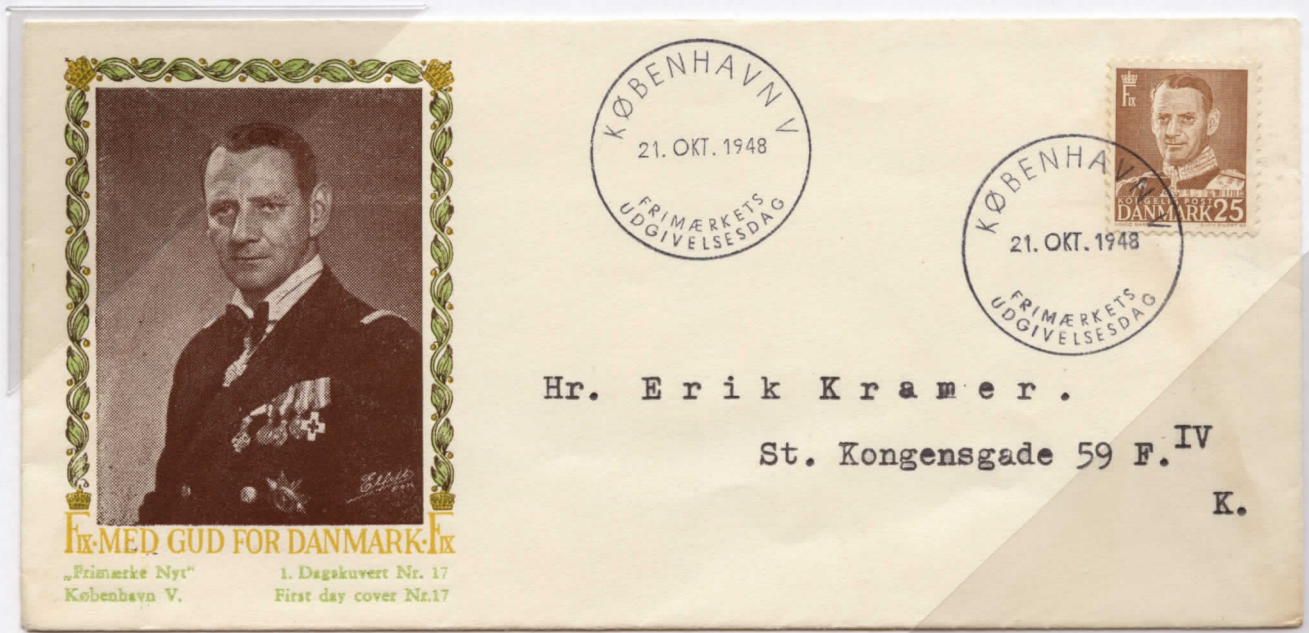
*Mr E. Saaja Echagui
Medio*

*Carrientes 1785:
Buenos. Aires
Argentina*

Hermann Müller all-purpose cachet to Argentina as printed matter.



21 October 1948



Two Frimærke Nyt cachets with differences in envelope size, and color and type size of 2-line imprint.



21 October 1948



FREDERIK DEN IX
Konge af Danmark

FØRSTEDAGSKUVERT
FIRST DAY COVER

P. FALKENBERG - KØBENHAVN V. - NR. 13



Mr. Alheics P.Mc.Clokey.
91 W. Fern Str.
Philadelfia.(20) P.A.
U.S.A.

Falkenberg cachet (10 øre overpaid surface rate) and Bikube cachet (5 øre overpaid for airmail up to 10 g).

Luftpost



HANS MAJESTÆT
KONG FREDERIK D. 9. AF DANMARK

FIRST DAY COVER

BIKUBE NR. 5

LUFTPOST
PAR AVION



Sørensen. Bros
7214 Greenwood Ave
Seattle - Washington
U. S. A.

21 October 1948



PRIMERA
DISTRIBUCION

Hermann Müller all-purpose cachet to Argentina as printed matter,
b.s. Buenos Aires 27 November.



21 October 1948



Populær Filateli cachet to USA at 8 øre printed matter rate plus 30 øre registry plus 50 øre airmail up to 20 g = 88 øre, with registry b.s. at Chicago 23 October and Fort Logan 25 October. All-purpose cachet below.



21 October 1948



Two all-purpose cachets showing the central post office in Copenhagen and the training ship *Danmark* with the Kronborg castle in the background. The surface rate to the United states was 40 øre.

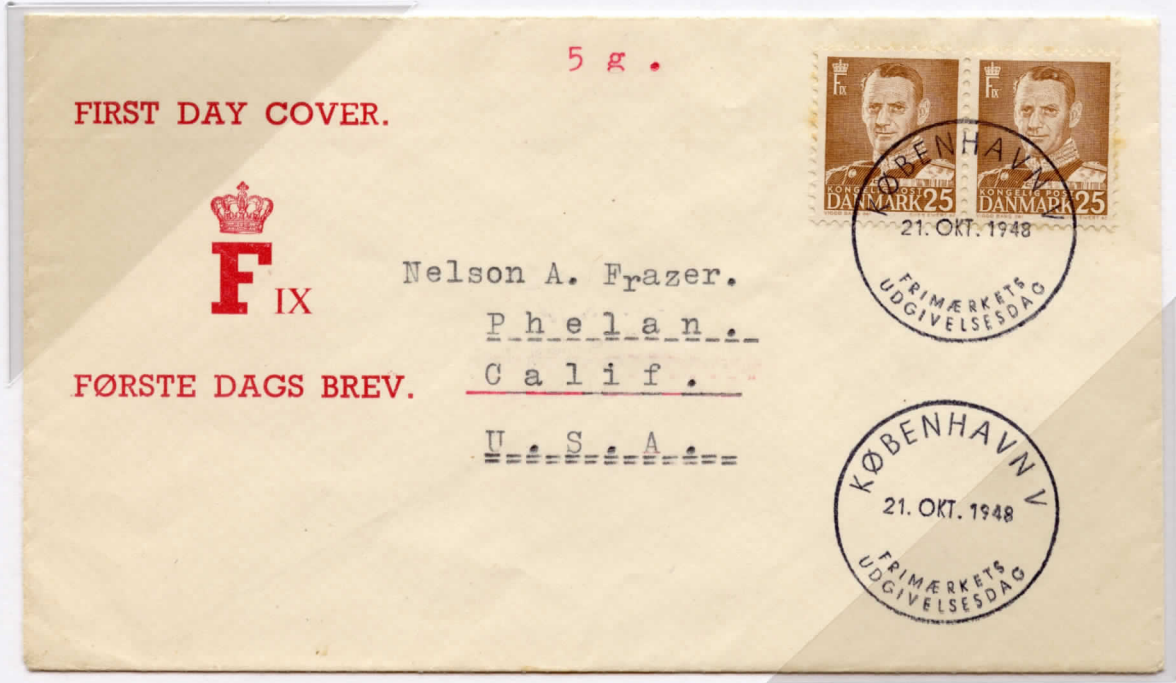
21 October 1948



Two varieties of 4-language general purpose cachets.



21 October 1948



Unknown cachet for the Frederik IX issue, and STENA cachet.



21 October 1948



Falkenberg cachets intended for other stamp issues.



21 October 1948

Recycled 1973 exhibition cachet to APO 867
(St. Lucia, British West Indies).

Fogh cachet specially made on oversize
envelope for dealer in Varde, Denmark.



036



21 October 1948



All-purpose cachet above. Post card cachet below was prepared to celebrate the tenth anniversary of the establishment of Stamp Day in Denmark in 1938, celebrated a little over two weeks after the release of the 25 øre Frederik IX stamp, which pays the correct post card rate to the U.S.



21 October 1948



4-language general purpose cachet with *Recommandé* (Registered) crossed out.
To Bermuda.



21 October 1948



Stampacc cachet no. 1, and J.R. cachet to Germany as printed matter.



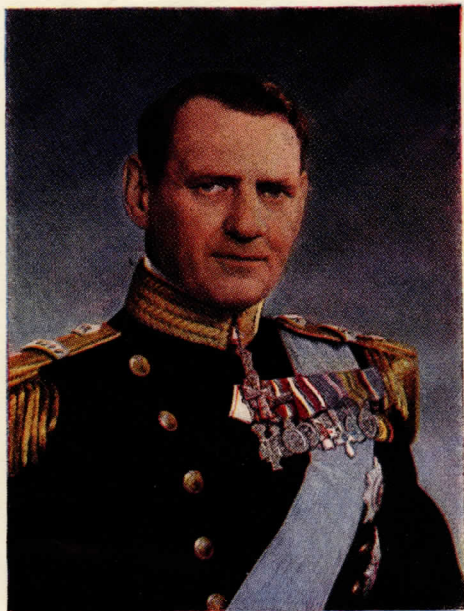
21 October 1948



Falkenberg and Bikube cachets.



21 October 1948
Two varieties of Fogh cachet.



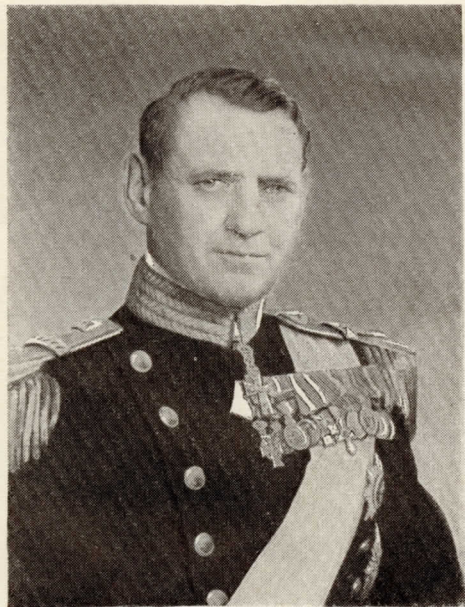
Herr Vagn Gaunø Jensen.
Valkyriegade 16, I, tv.
N.

21-4



1947

FIRST DAY COVER



Herr Sofus Christiansen,
c/o Larsen,
Sofiegade 19,
K.

21-4



1947

FIRST DAY COVER

18 November 1948



All-purpose cachet normally used in Finland.



*Kerr Harry Nielsen
Jens Wedelsgh. 6.
Tønsberg
Norge.*



J.R. cachet no. 1



Hr. Fuldmægtig
S.M. Rønbøl,
Knarreborg.

FØRSTEDAGSKUVERT



042

J. R. Nr. 1

18 November 1948



Two Frimærke Nyt no. 17 cachets on different size envelopes and with different size type and color 2-line imprints beneath the portrait.



043

18 November 1948



Stampacc cachet no. 1, and Falkenberg cachet intended for the Christian X 75th birthday issue.



18 November 1948

Recommandé



LE JOUR D'EMISSION
FIRST DAY COVER
ERSTTAG—BRIEF
FØRSTADAGSBREV

Ing. Roy Dessen /231/
Sveavägen 33
STOCKHOLM Su'de

Two varieties of 4-language cachet.



Herr Arne Sandén,

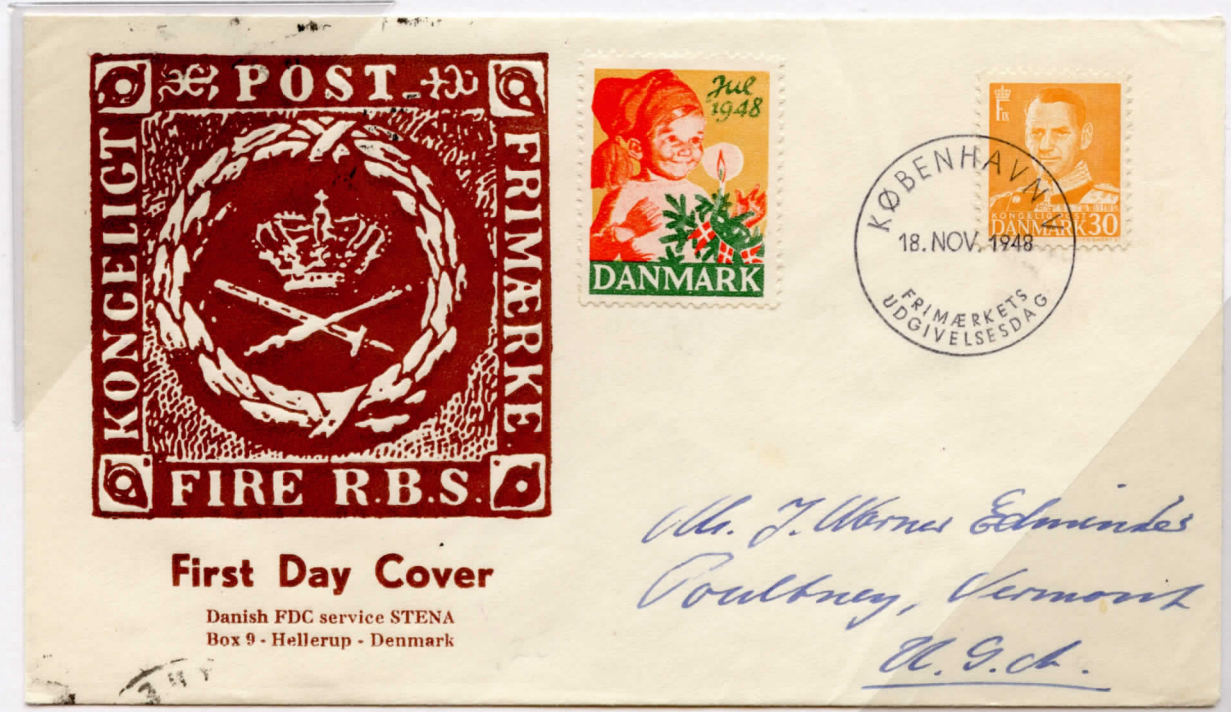
Ljungvägen 4,

Spånga,

Sverrig.

Førstedags Kuvert
Ersttag-Brief
First day cover
Le jour d'émission

18 November 1948



STENA cachet and unknown.



046

18 November 1948



Falkenberg cachet no. 3 intended for the Danish Airlines anniversary issue, on two different size envelopes. The one to Holland has an unofficial cancel at Haderslev.



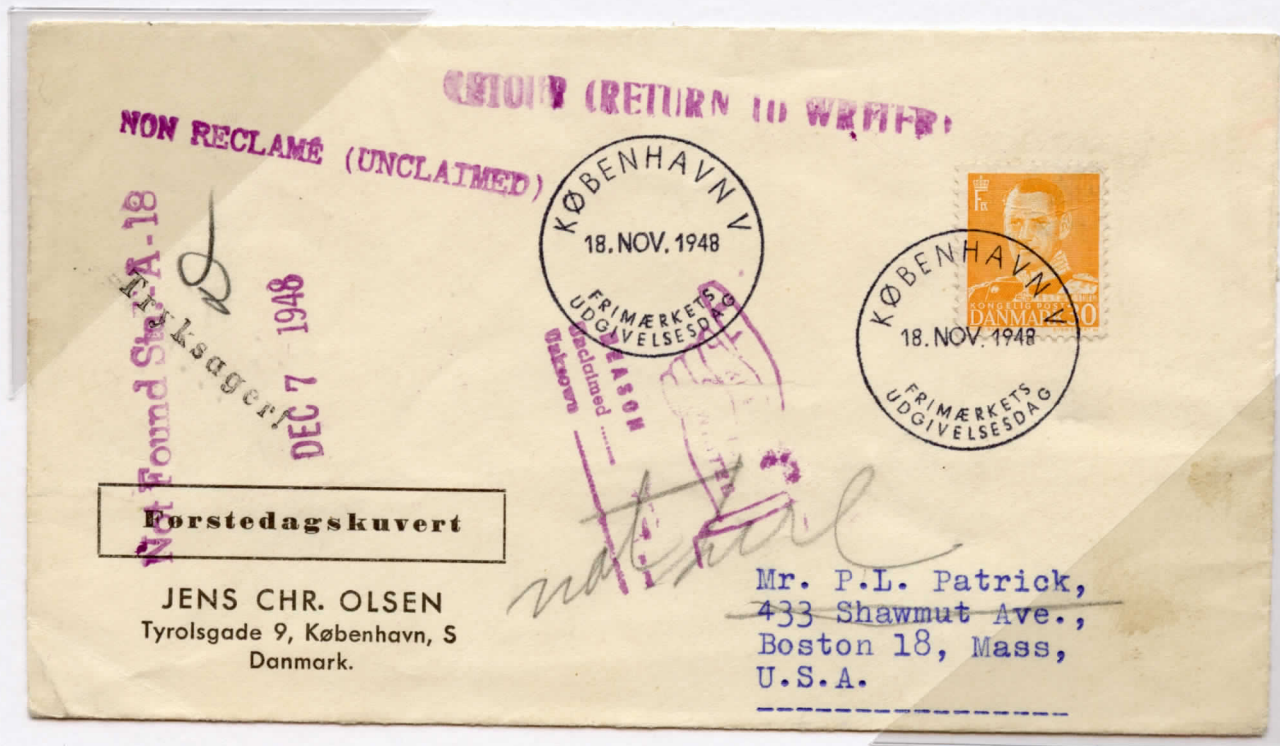
18 November 1948



View card cancelled FD, and usage to Czechoslovakia as printed matter.



18 November 1948



Personal all-purpose cachet, non-deliverable, returned to sender; b.s. Boston parcel post station 9 December, Boston Station A 12 January, Boston Dead Letter Branch 24 January. Below is unofficial FD cancel at Aarhus where the cachet and cancellation mark the 150th anniversary of the horse drawn mail coach or Diligence. Includes tied Christmas seal.



18 November 1948

*Received open -
no contents - Ft. Logan P.O.,
Agnes M. Radam,
Lisali Moore*



All-purpose cachet below, and Populær Filateli above franked with 120 øre. For a letter the rate was 40 øre overseas, 30 øre registry, and 40 øre airmail = 110 øre. A notation on the reverse, signed by two postal employees, states "Received open - no contents - Ft. Logan P.O." B.s. Chicago AMF 21 November and Fort Logan registry office 22 November.



18 November 1948



HANS MAJESTÆT
KONG FREDERIK D. 9. AF DANMARK
First day cover Bikube Nr. 6

Herr
B. Andersen,
434 Ocean Avenue,
Seaford, N.Y.
U. S. A.

Bikube cachet above.
Fogh cachet to Malta, b.s. Valletta, Malta, 22 November.



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1947

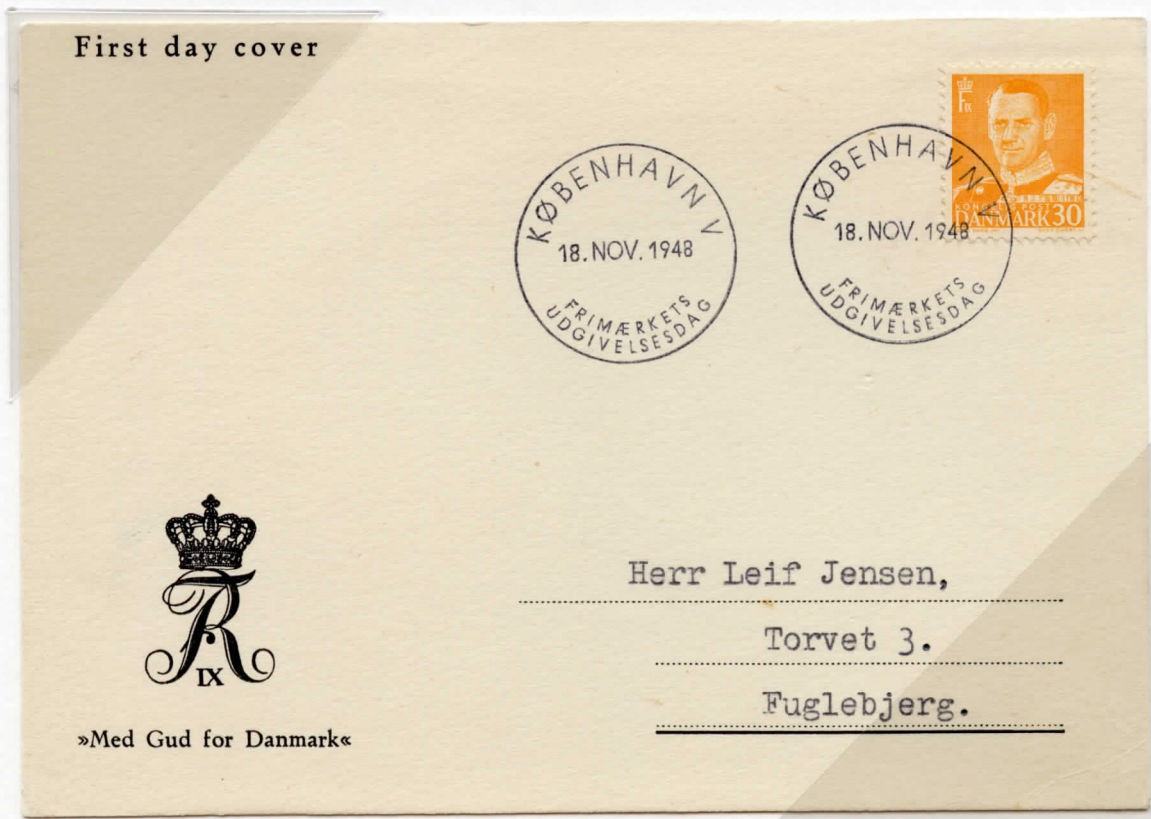
FIRST DAY COVER

Mr. Peter Buttigieg
22 Alexandria Street
Cospicua. M A L T A.

18 November 1948



A third envelope size variety of the "Frimærke Nyt" cachet, to Curaçao.
Frederik IX general purpose cachet on post card.



18 November 1948



FDC to England with enclosure, and error in printed Registration label with freak "No." and "Nr." double strike.

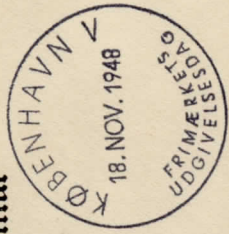


Medicinsk Anatomisk Institut
Københavns Universitet
NØRRE ALLÉ, KØBENHAVN, Ø



A.S. FERRER
90 STRAWBRIDGE &
CLOTHIER, 12TH-FLOOR
8TH AND MARKET ST.
PHILADELPHIA, PA.
U.S.A.

Lippmool



18 November 1948

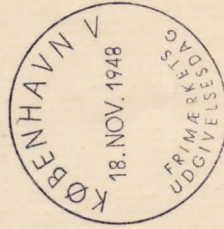
Corner card FDC, and Fogh cachet on large envelope made specially for a dealer.

054

Forstедagskuvert

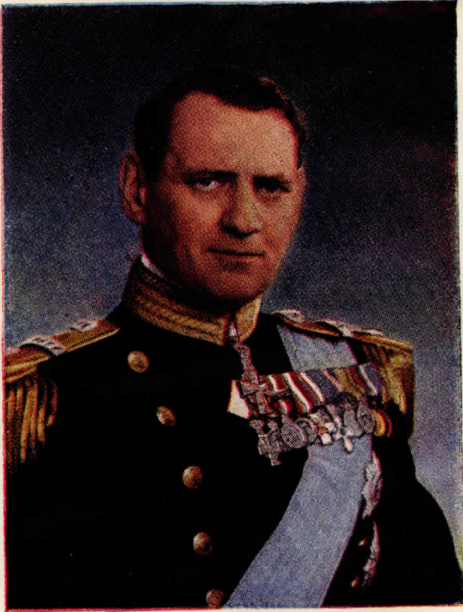


Med Gud for Danmark



Frk Inger Pedersen,
Nygade 16.
Silkeborg.

18 November 1948



Herr Axel Kartman.
Worsaasvej 12.
V.

21-4



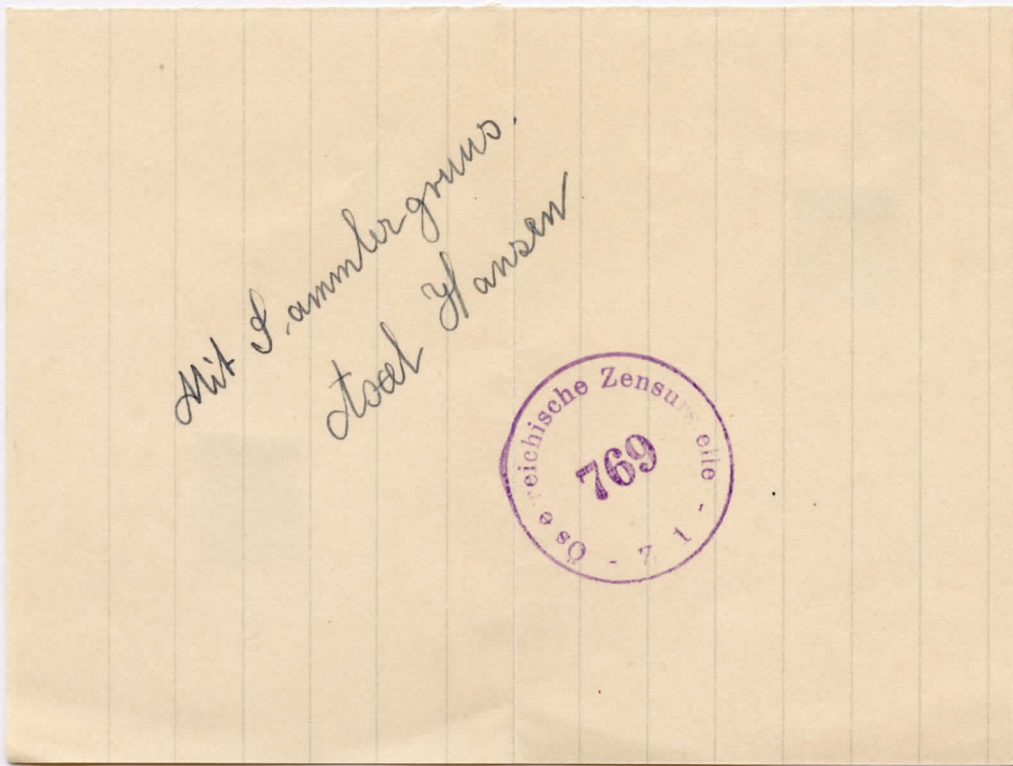
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FIRST DAY COVER

Fogh cachet.

055

18 November 1948



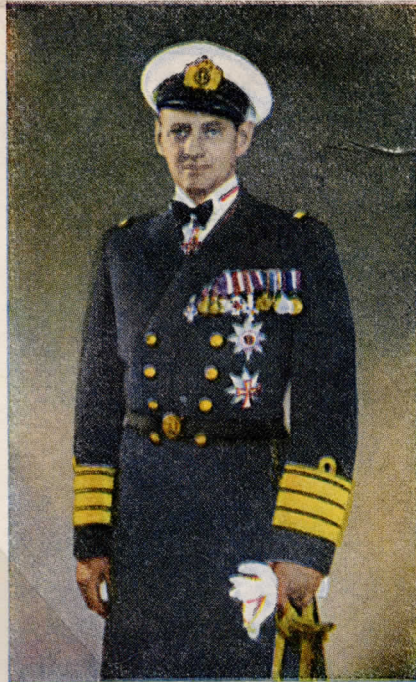
Unsealed FDC with note enclosed by sender, which was also stamped by the examiner as well as the back of the cover. This handstamp VM-7a, with "Z I" in the circle, was used from 1947 to 1952.

15 September 1949



FREDERIK DEN
Konge af Danmark
FØRSTEDAGSKU
FIRST DAY COVER

F. FALKENBERG - KØBENHAVN V. - NR. 13

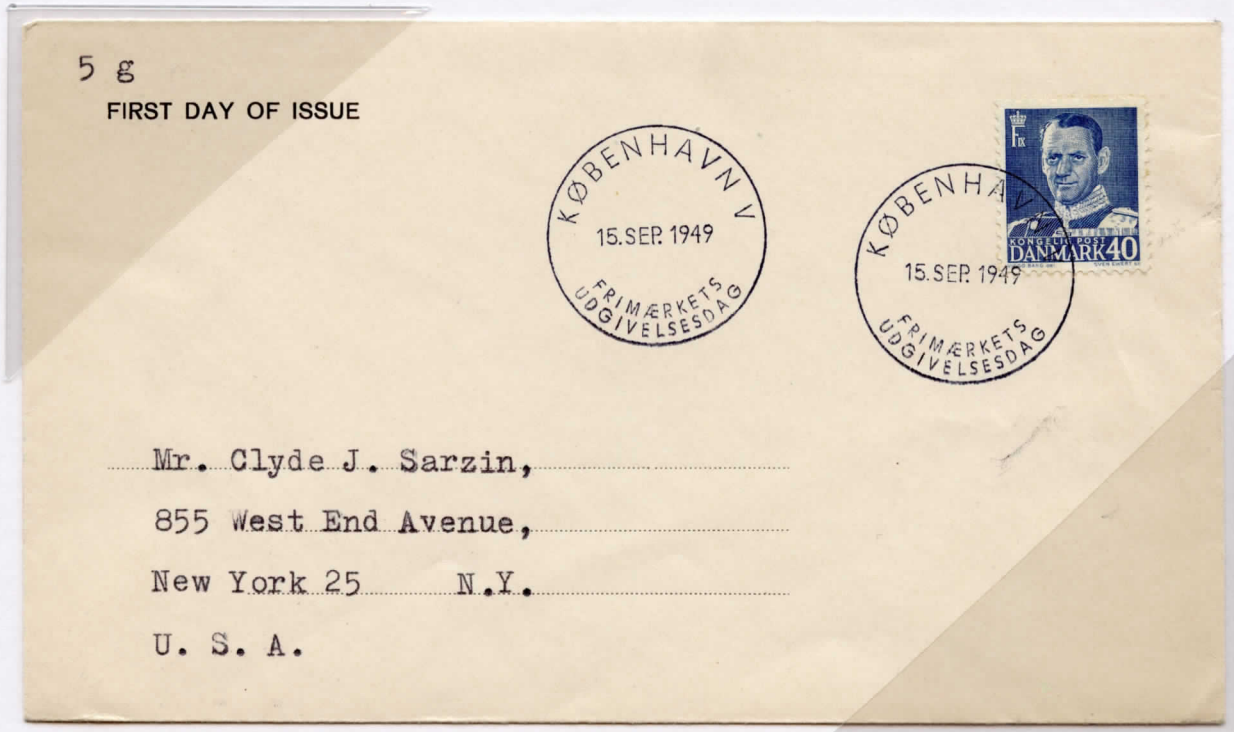


FREDERIK DEN IX
Konge af Danmark
FØRSTEDAGSKUVERT
FIRST DAY COVER

Mr. A. Bach-Nielsen.
R 2. Box 119.
E. Washington Ave.
Vineland, New Jersey.
U.S.A.

Two Falkenberg cachets, with lower one lacking the printed line indicating that this is his cachet no. 13.

15 September 1949



Two all-purpose cachets.



15 September 1949



Stampacc cachet and all-purpose cachet, both correctly rated to USA.



15 September 1949



„Frimærke Nyt“
København V

1. Dagskuvert Nr. 18
First day cover no. 18

*Mr. Harold S. Brown
1840. Pelallack St
Regina Sask
Canada*

Frimerke Nyt cachet registered to Canada, b.s. Montreal registry section 28 September, Fort William & Winnipeg RPO 29 September, and Regina 30 September. Bikube cachet below correctly rated.



HANS MAJESTÆT
KONG FREDERIK D. 9. AF DANMARK

FIRST DAY COVER

BIKUBE NR. 5

Mr. Donald R. Graf

Box 547

North Tonawanda

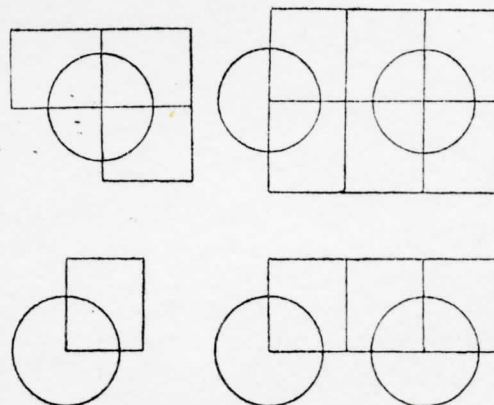
N.Y.

U.S.A.

15 September 1949



Corner card, unofficially cancelled at Randers. The pink slip has a gummed edge and is applied to the cover, calling attention to postal clerks that the item is philatelic, and to cancel as requested by collectors. The reverse shows how singles and multiples should be cancelled. The slip is attached at the edge of the cover back and folded over the stamps. The template was removed and placed inside the FDC, probably at the destination post office (handstamp arrival date Oct. 3).



15 September 1949



Populær Filатели cachet endorsed "Received in Damaged Condition, Littleton, Colo." (crossed out), and "Received Unsealed at P.O., Littleton, Colo."; b.s. Chicago AMF 17 September and Fort Logan 19 September. Unknown cachet below.



15 September 1949

FØRSTEDAGSKUVERT

FIRST DAY COVER



Herr direktør P. A. Sørensen,
Aage Beksvej,
Hornbæk
pr. Randers.

VILH. NELLEMANN A/S
Cyklar en Gros
RANDERS · TELF. 1730

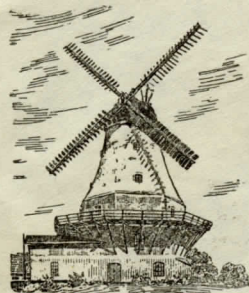
Corner card



Førstedags Stempel ★ Abstempelung des ersten Tages ★ First Day Cover



Mr E Loay Echagüe



*Corrientes 1785
Buenos Aires
Argentina*

Hermann Müller all-purpose cachet, correctly rated as letter to Argentina.



15 September 1949



Recycled cachet for a 1947 exhibition, and another variety of "Frimærke Nyt" cachet. Engineer Jens Nyboe was transferred from St. Lucia (APO 867) to Trinidad (APO 869). The top cover with "Hallen" AFB address should have been Waller.



15 September 1949



Example of late censorship in Austria, and J.R. 1 cachet for the Frederik IX series.



15 September 1949



Used on air letter sheet above and collector's club cachet below.

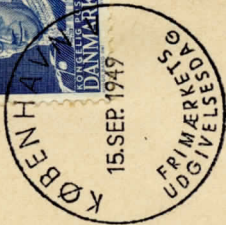
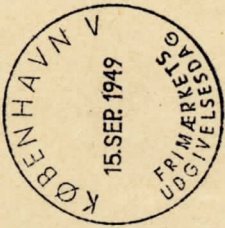


15 September 1949

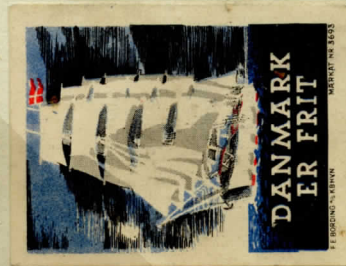
General cachet of the Damsø Stamp Club, and printed envelope of a book dealer in Holte, with label cachet "Denmark is free."



*Mr. Per Bording
Katholmvej
Vanløse*



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*Mr F Wilding
8 1/2 Franklin Road.
Victoria B.C. Canada*



MOGENS FUNCH · BOG- & PAPIRHANDEL · HOLTE

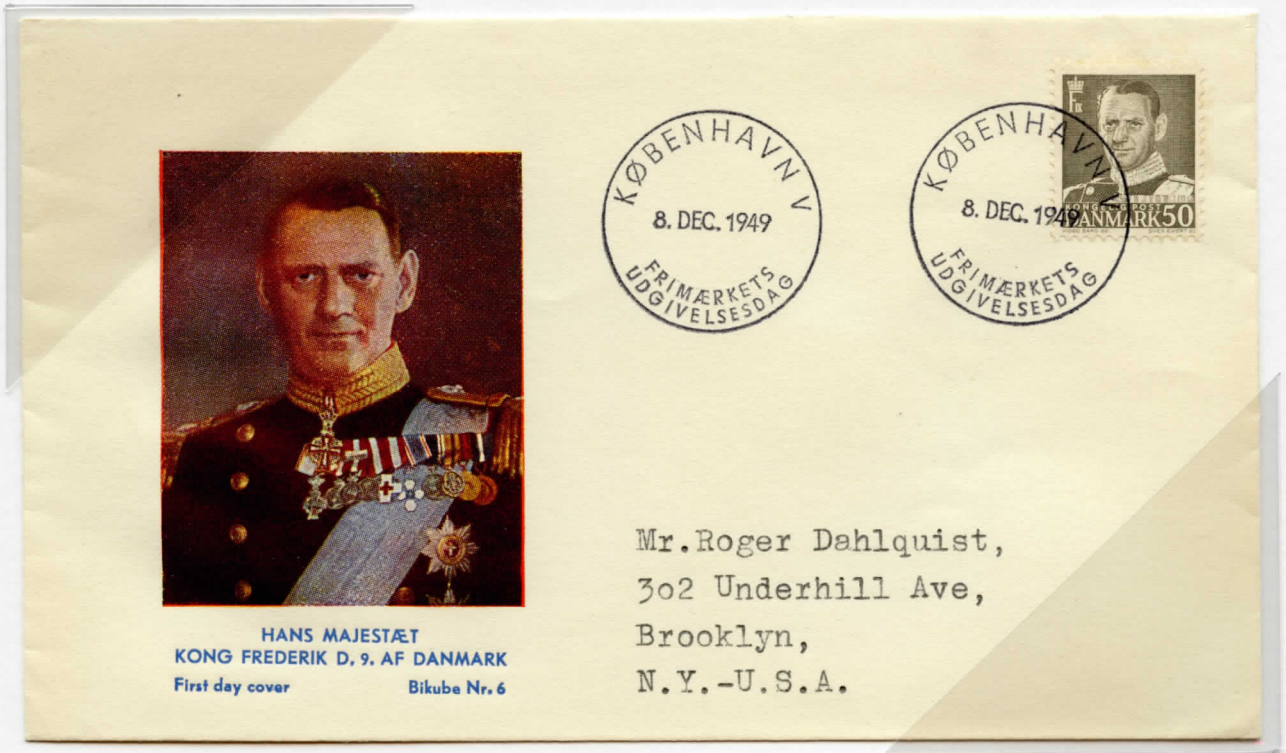
15 September 1949



Two general purpose cachets.



8 December 1949



Same cachet portrait adopted by Bikube and Frimerke Nyt.

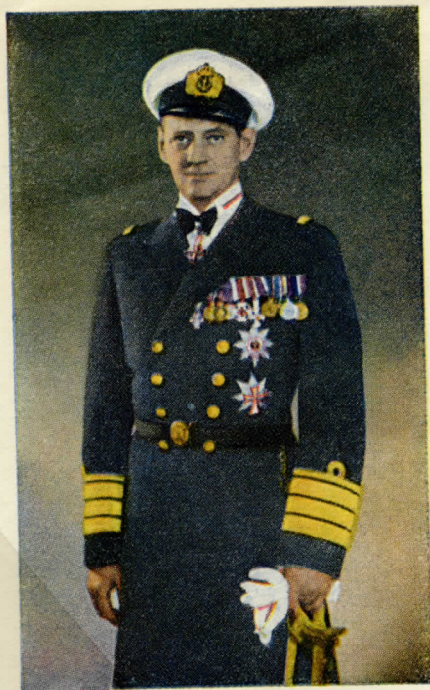


8 December 1949



*Mr. J. Warner Edminister,
Paulden*

FREDERIK DEN
Konge af Danmark
FØRSTEDAGSKU
FIRST DAY COVER



FREDERIK DEN IX
Konge af Danmark
FØRSTEDAGSKUVERT
FIRST DAY COVER

Mr. T. Helmer Hansen
7122 Narrows Ave
Brooklyn
N. J.
U. S. A.

Falkenberg cachet varieties. Upper cover has no imprint indicating cachet no. 13. Lower cover has the imprint, but it is largely hidden due to paper fold.

8 December 1949



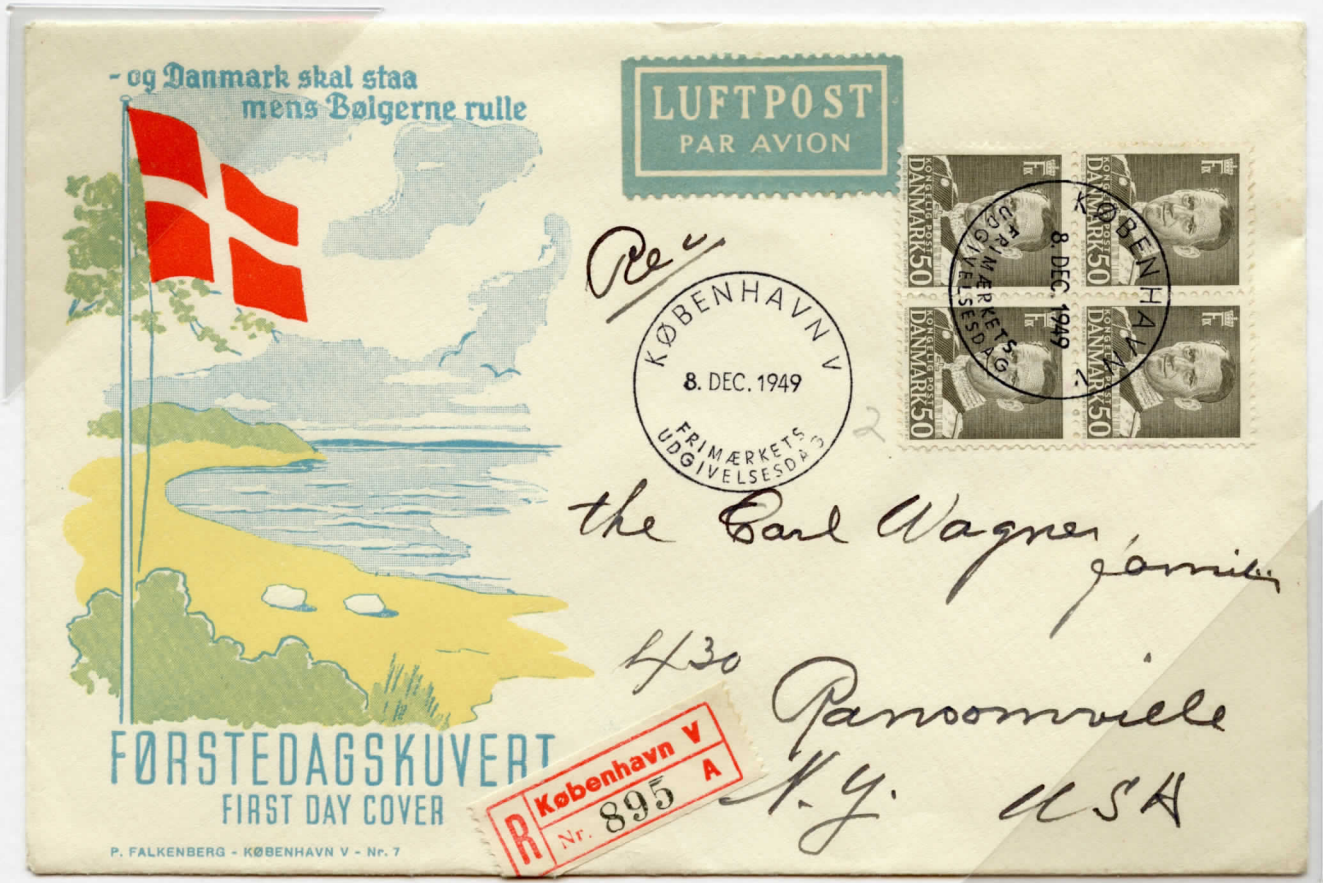
Populær Filateli cachet to Natal, South Africa, b.s. Warner Beach 3 January 1950, and unknown cachet.



8 December 1949



Stampacc cachet (above), and Falkenberg registered to USA, b.s. New York AMF 11 December and Ransomville 12 December.



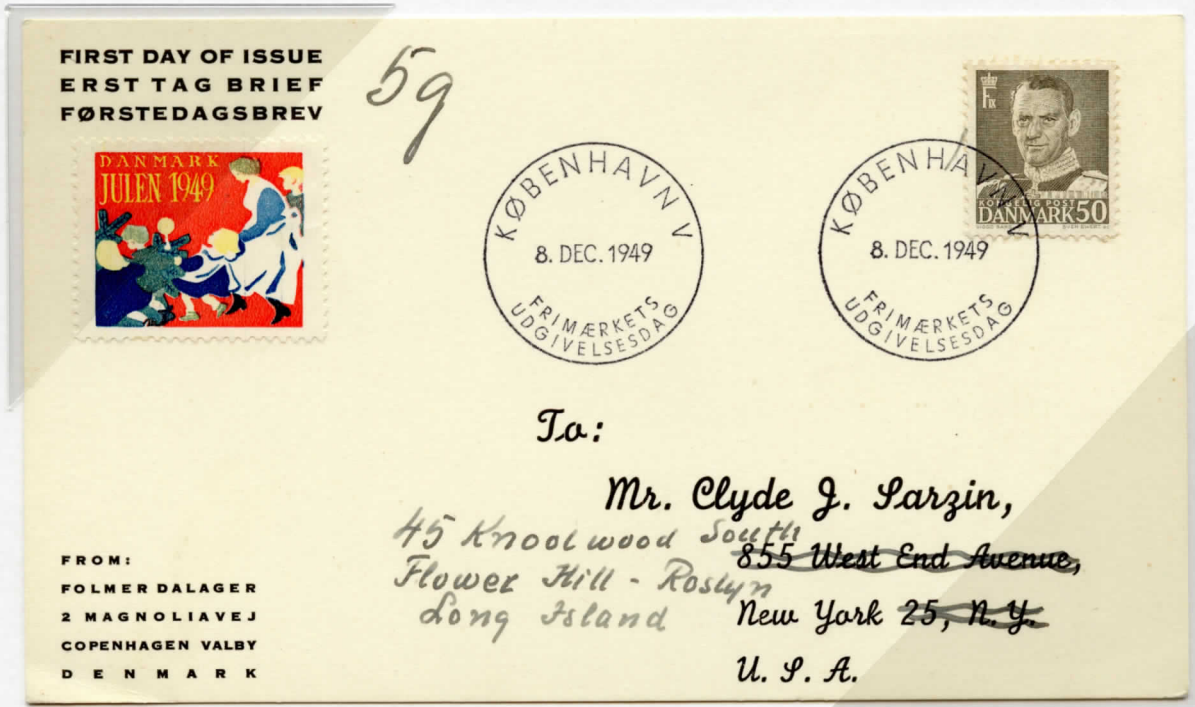
8 December 1949



Bikube no. 9 and Fogh cachets.



8 December 1949

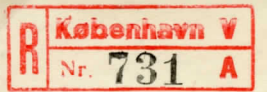


Post card with corner card and 3-language all-purpose cachet, and unofficial cancel (below) at Rønne.



8 December 1949

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LE JOUR D'EMISSION
FIRST DAY COVER
ERSTTAG - BRIEF
FÖRSTADAGSBREV

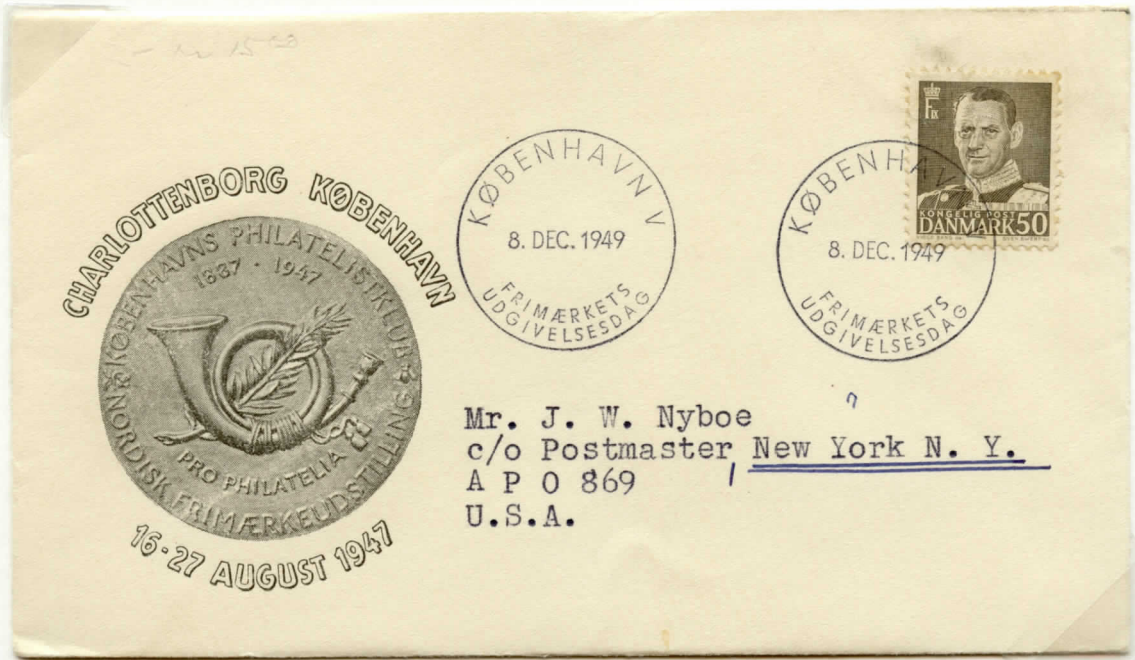
Herr Stig Wenander (16)

~~BJÖRKETORP (Su/da)~~

4-language cachet to Sweden correctly rated for 20-øre plus 30-øre registration.
Homemade cachet with paste-on photo of the King and handwritten text.



8 December 1949



Recycled 1947 exhibition cachet, and general purpose cachet.



8 December 1949

- = Im Briefumschlag keine schriftliche Mitteilung.
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Z. 1/4.



Censored to Vienna, with resealing tape (VT-2c, 29 mm, used 1948-1950) and censor handstamp (VM-7a, used 1947-1952). Enclosure stamped by same examiner indicates that no written communication was in the envelope.

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8 December 1949



Cachet of the Damsø Stamp Club, and J. R. 1 cachet.



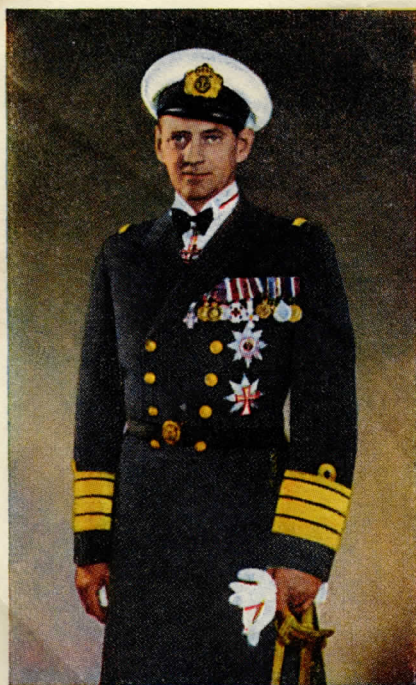
2 February 1950



Mr. Ben Andersen

FREDERIK DEN
Konge af Danmark
FØRSTEDAGSKU
FIRST DAY COVER

P. FALKENBERG - KØBENHAVN V. - NR. 13



FREDERIK DEN IX
Konge af Danmark
FØRSTEDAGSKUVERT
FIRST DAY COVER

A.B. Frimærkshuset
Mästersamuelsgatan 3
Stockholm

Sverige.

Falkenberg no. 13 with and without imprint.

2 February 1950



Frimærke Nyt no. 18 and Bikube no. 6 using same portrait. Cover above to Austria is b.s. Graz 6 February.



2 February 1950



Frimærke Nyt No. 18 above to Curaçao, b.s. New York AMF February 14, Oranjestad, Aruba February 6, and St. Nicolaas, Aruba February 7. Below, Fogh cachet.



2 February 1950



Frimærke Nyt no. 17 to South Africa, b.s. Warner Beach, and Populær Filateli no. 16.



2 February 1950



Bikube no. 9 and general purpose cachet.



2 February 1950

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ERST TAG BRIEF
FØRSTEDAGSBREV

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To:

Mr. Clyde J. Larzin,

45 Knollwood South
~~855 West End Avenue,~~
Flower Hill - Roslyn
New York 25, ~~N. Y.~~

Long Island

U. S. A.

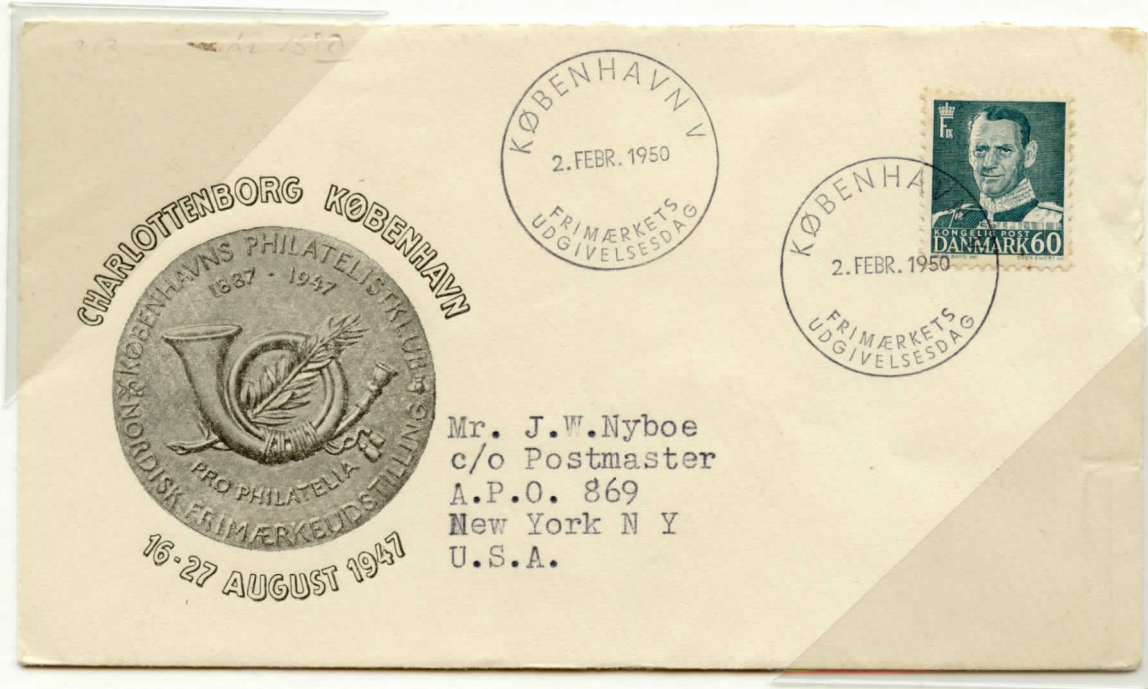
FROM:
FOLMER DALAGER
2 MAGNOLIAVEJ
COPENHAGEN VALBY
D E N M A R K

Privately printed and general purpose cachets.



Valer Magnusson
Pagterallé 12
Valby

2 February 1950



Mr. J.W. Nyboe
 c/o Postmaster
 A.P.O. 869
 New York N Y
 U.S.A.

Recycled 1947 exhibition cachet, and cachet of the philatelic sales office of the Danish postal service.



Hr. Niels Engström,

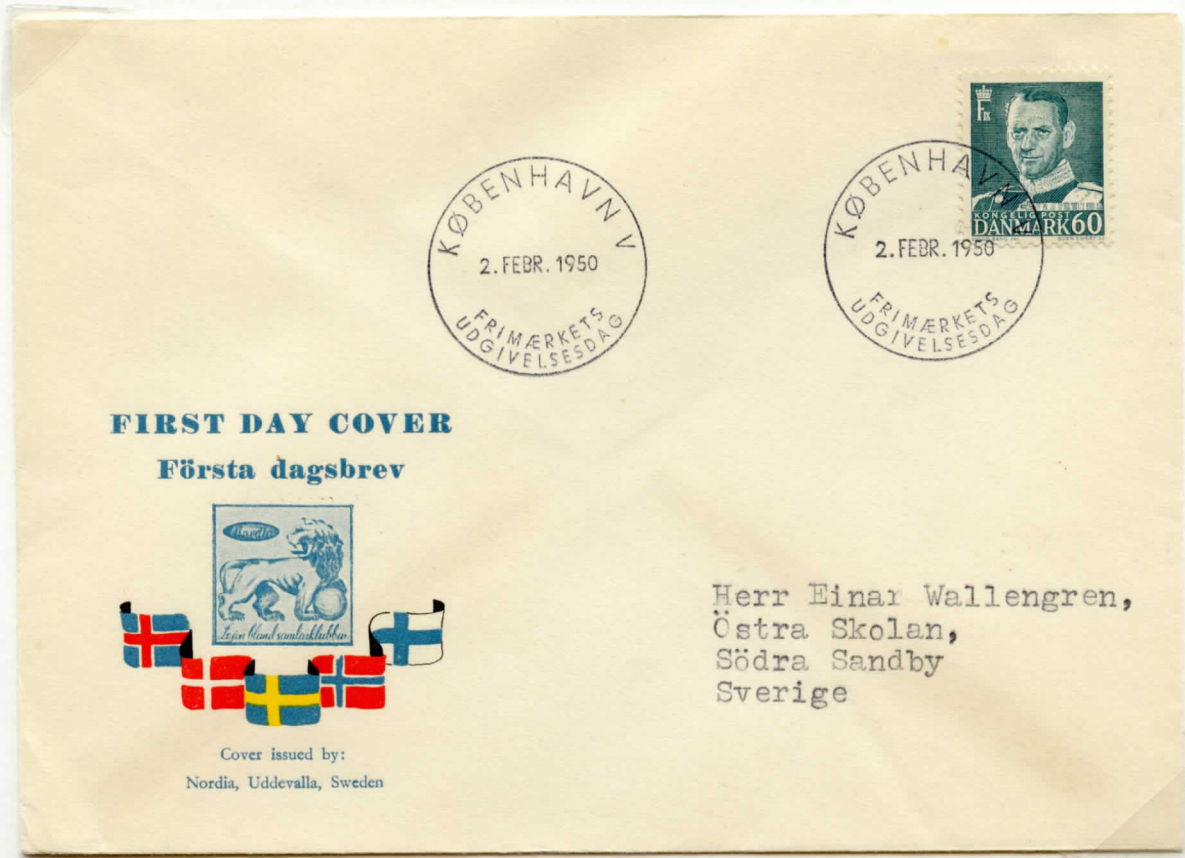
Helsingborg.

POSTVÆSENETS SALGSKONTOR
 FOR FRIMÆRKESAMLERE
 Bernstorffsgade 32,¹
 KØBENHAVN V.

2 February 1950



Censored to Austria (above), and general purpose cachet.



23 February 1950

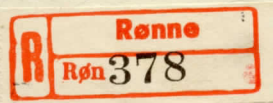


FREDERIK DEN
Konge af Danmark
FØRSTEDAGSKU
FIRST DAY COVER

P. FALKENBERG - KØBENHAVN V. - NR. 13



FREDERIK DEN IX
Konge af Danmark
FØRSTEDAGSKUVERT
FIRST DAY COVER



Mr. Theodore E. Stevenson
73. Tremont Street,
Boston 8

Mass.

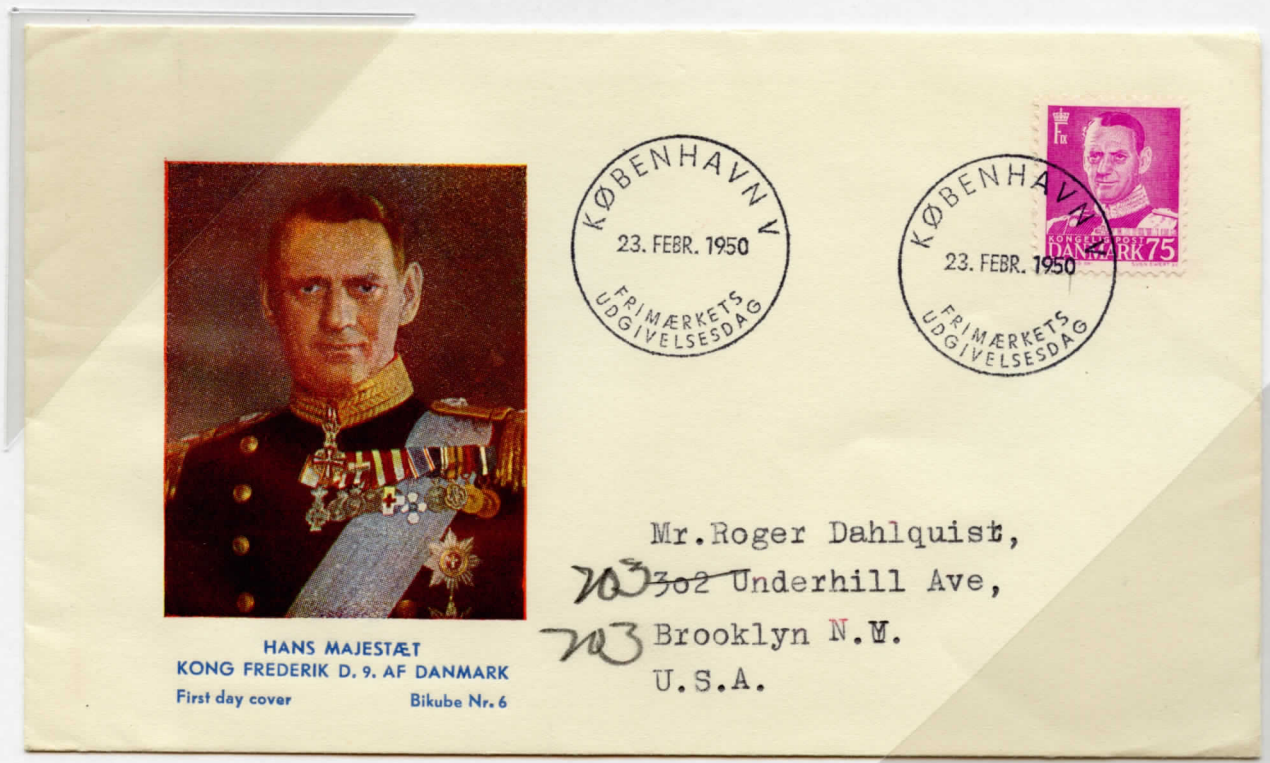
U. S. A.

Falkenberg no. 13 with and without imprint. Bottom cover unofficially cancelled at Rønne.

23 February 1950



Frimærke Nyt no. 18 and Bikube no. 6 using same portrait.



23 February 1950



“Frimærke Nyt” cachet variety, and general purpose cachet.



23 February 1950



Same design used for Frimaerke Nyt no. 21 and Bikube no. 9. The latter bears manuscript notes "No response 3-11" and "Not in during delivery hours, notice left 3-13," and was eventually forwarded to the Chicago address; b.s. New York registry 6 March, Antioch 9 March, Chicago registry 10 March, Chicago Lakeview Station 11 March. Rate was 40 øre plus 30 øre registry, or 5 øre overpaid.



23 February 1950



Frimærke Nyt No. 21 above to Curaçao, b.s. New York AMF February 25, Oranjestad and St. Nicolaas, Aruba February 27. Below, unknown cachet to USA, b.s. New York registry division March 6, and Wooster, Ohio May 7.



23 February 1950



Poplær Filateli no. 16 and Falkenberg no. 7.



23 February 1950

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ERST TAG BRIEF
FØRSTEDAGSBREV

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To:

Mr. Clyde J. Larzin,
45 Knollwood South,
~~855 West End Avenue,~~
Flower Hill - Roslyn
New York ~~25, N. Y.~~
Long Island
U. S. A.

FROM:
FOLMER DALAGER
2 MAGNOLIAVEJ
COPENHAGEN VALBY
D E N M A R K

Private and commercial all purpose cachets.



Mr. A. Bach-Nielsen.

R 2. Box 119.

E. Washington Ave.

Vineland, New Jersey.

U.S.A.

FØRSTEDAGSKUVERT DANMARK N.B.

23 February 1950



Fogh cachet.

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23 February 1950



Censored to Austria above; general purpose cachet below.



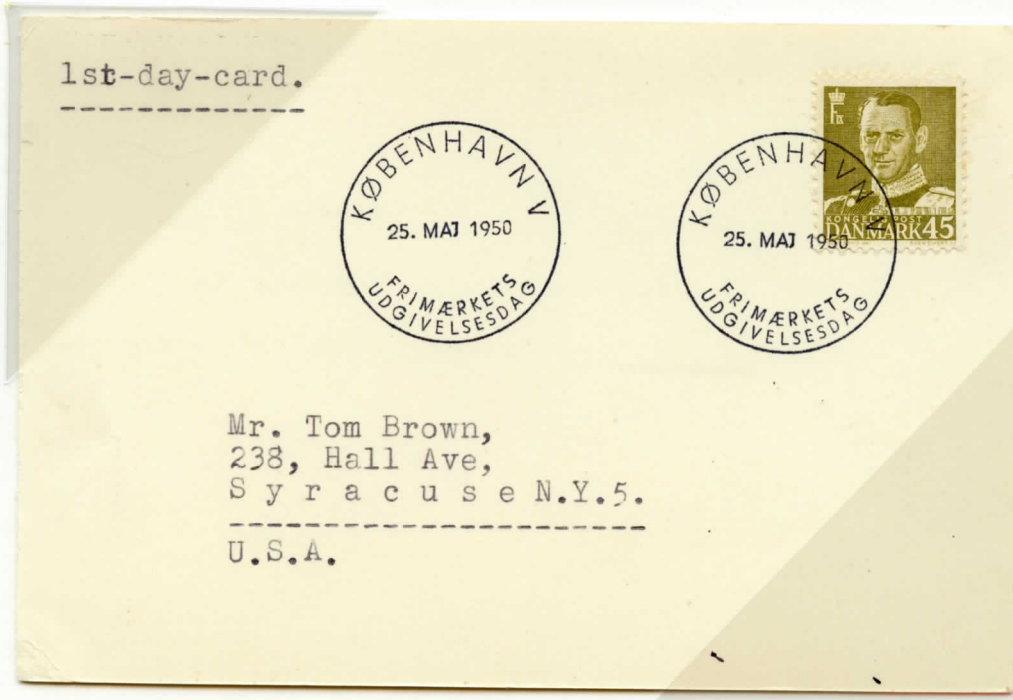
25 May 1950



Same design on Frimærke Nyt no. 18 and Bikube no. 6.



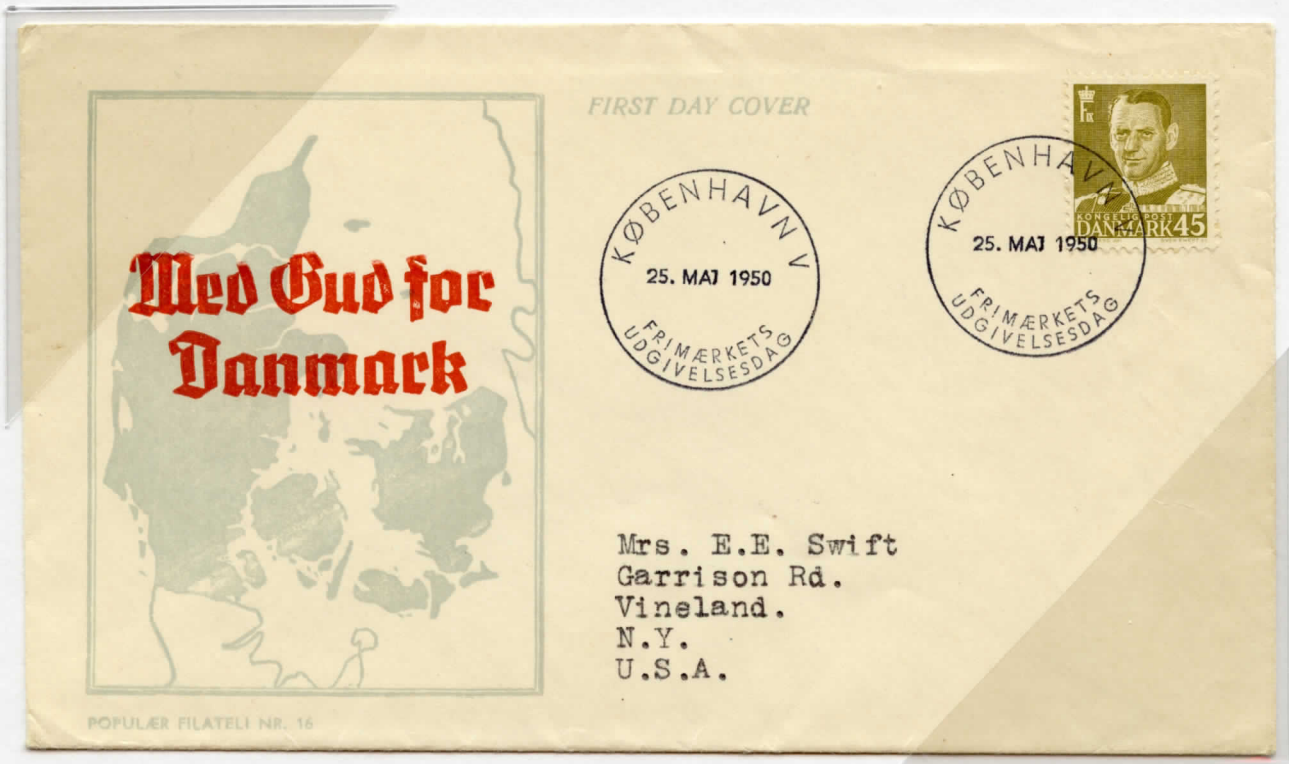
25 May 1950



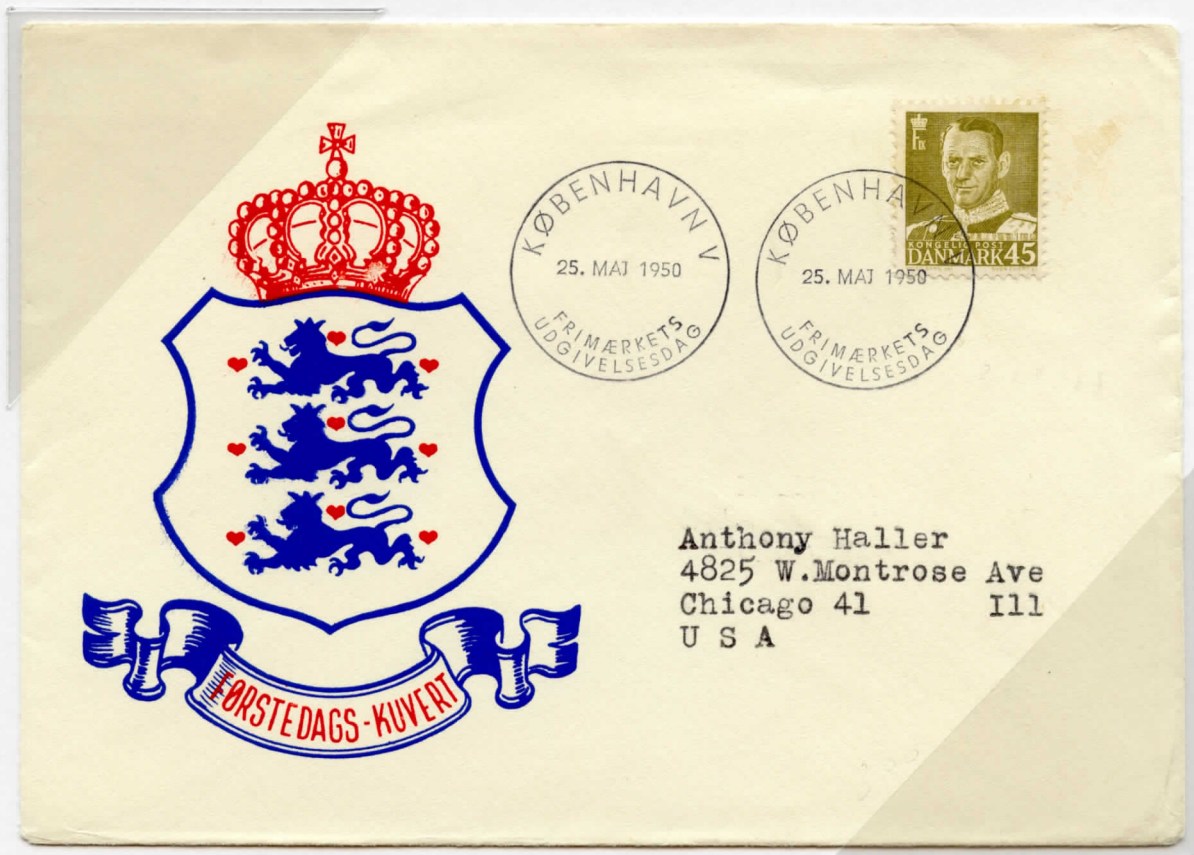
Homemade post card above, and handstamp cachet below.



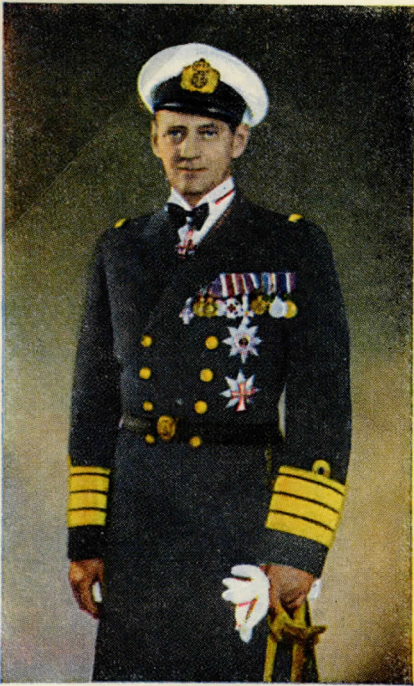
25 May 1950



Populær Filateli no. 16 and general purpose cachet.



25 May 1950



FREDERIK DEN IX
Konge af Danmark

FØRSTEDAG
FIRST DAY



Herr. A. Dam-Larsen.
Ingeniør
Svingelsvej No:104.



FØRSTEDAGSKUVERT DANMARK



Mr. A. Bach-Nielsen.
R 2. Eox 119.
E. Washington Ave.
Vineland, New Jersey.
U.S.A.

Falkenberg and general purpose cachets.

25 May 1950



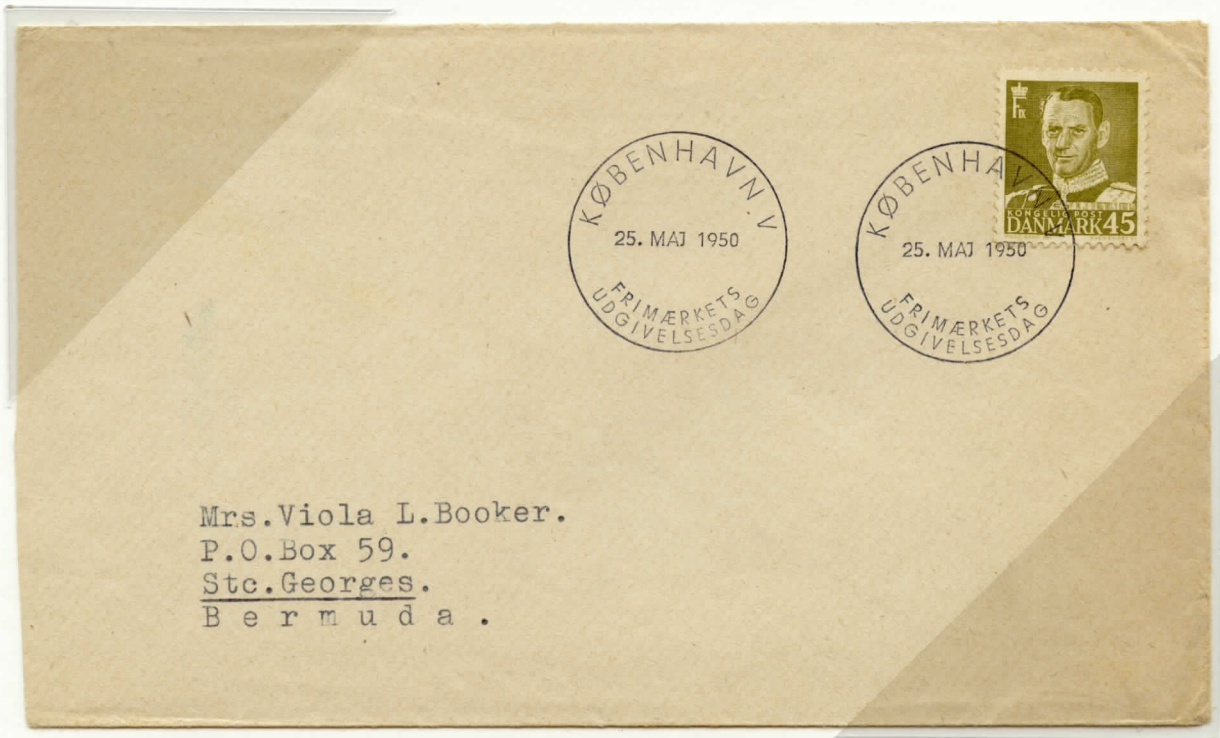
Same design used for Bikube no. 9 to Canada and Frimærke Nyt no. 21 to Italy (b.s. Catania 29 May). International surface rate was 40 øre.



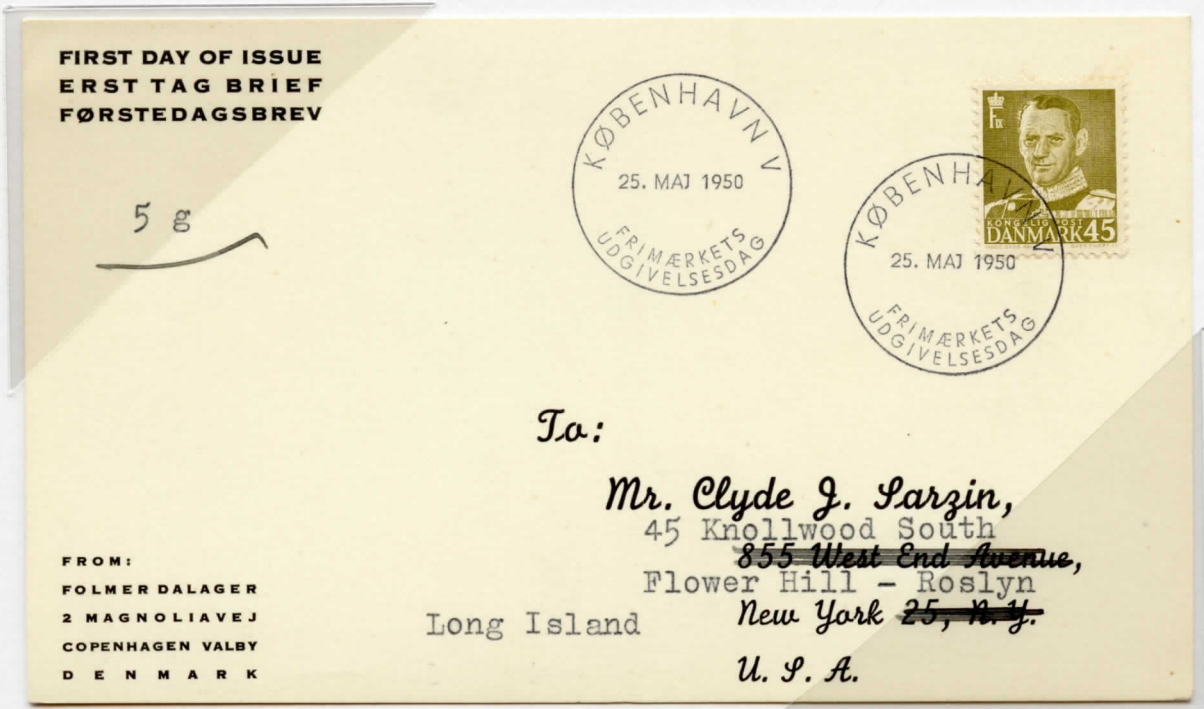
25 May 1950



Corner card above, and to Bermuda below.



25 May 1950



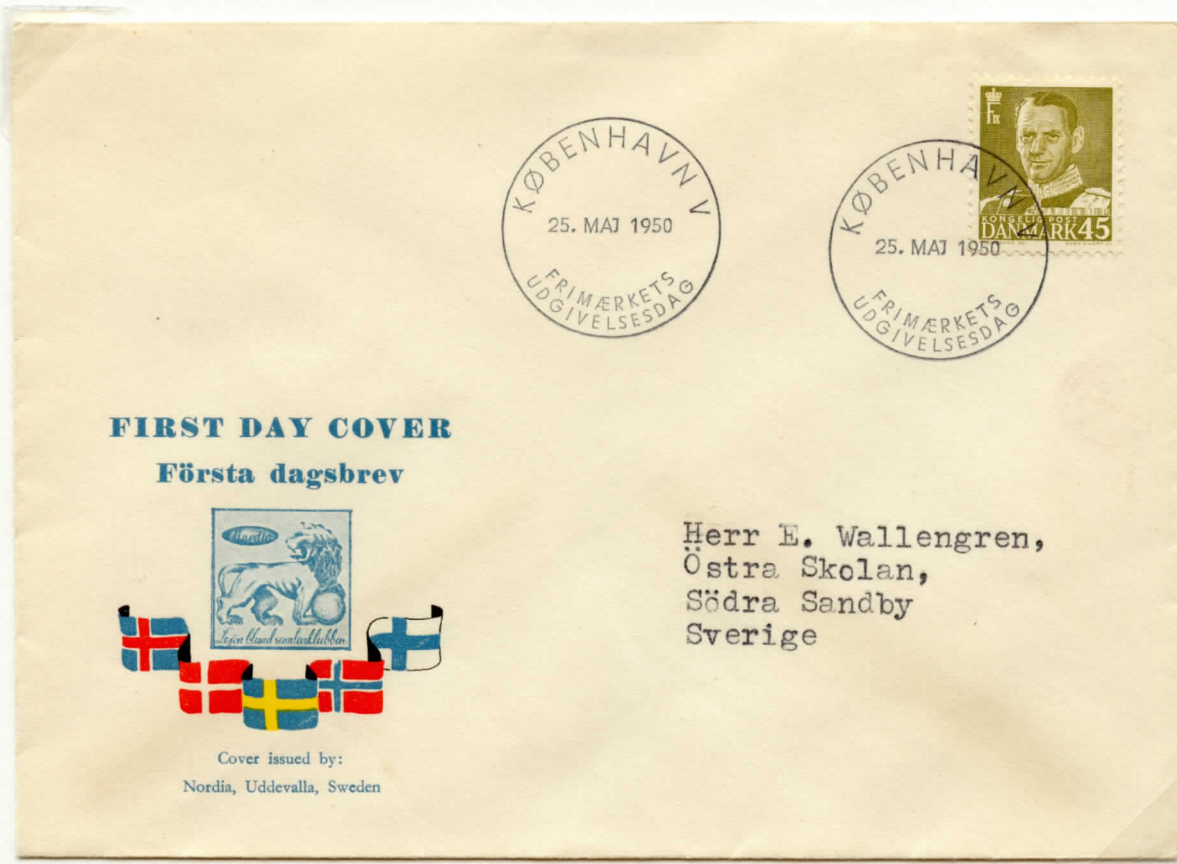
Private general purpose cachet above, and Fogh cachet below.



25 May 1950



Bikube No. 9 to Australia, and general purpose cachet.



“23” August 1950



Despite the “First Day Cover” cachet, this is a second day cover for the 15-øre gray released 23 August. The issue was unannounced.

23 November 1950

P. FALKENBERG

Niels Ebbesensvej 22 - København V.

Postgirokonto 85292

Billige

paa Filatelistartikler og Pakker m. m.

Tilbud

Ved Ordre bedes Beløbet altid indsendt pr. Giro, Check eller Frimærker for at spare den dyre Opkravsporto. Bestilling kan skrives paa Bagsiden til venstre paa Giroblanketten.

Extrafin Album, Springbind, med 50 svære Kartonblade Kr. 22,50

Fortryksalbum „Hele Verden“ for Begyndere, Skruebind Kr. 12,50

Prisliste for Stamps, Album 1950/51



FREDERIK DEN IX

Konge af Danmark

FØRSTEDAGSKUVERT

FIRST DAY COVER



Mr. Kenneth V. Noble
818 Garrison Avenue
Teaneck, N. J.
U. S. A.

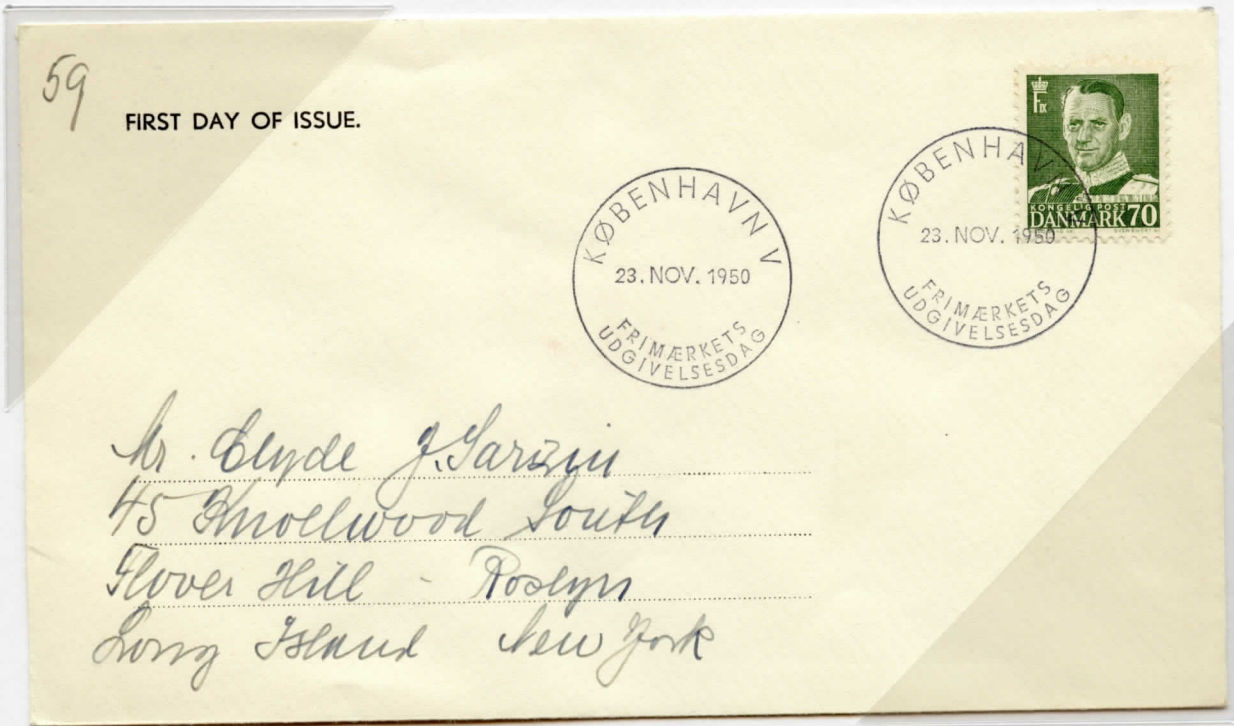
Falkenberg used one of his price lists as a stuffer in this FDC.

23 November 1950



Bikube no. 9, Magasin no. 13, and Frimærke Nyt no. 21 (to Argentina) all used the same design.

23 November 1950



Two general purpose cachets. The one below is a variety of the cachet on the next page, and has been hand-tinted with gilt.

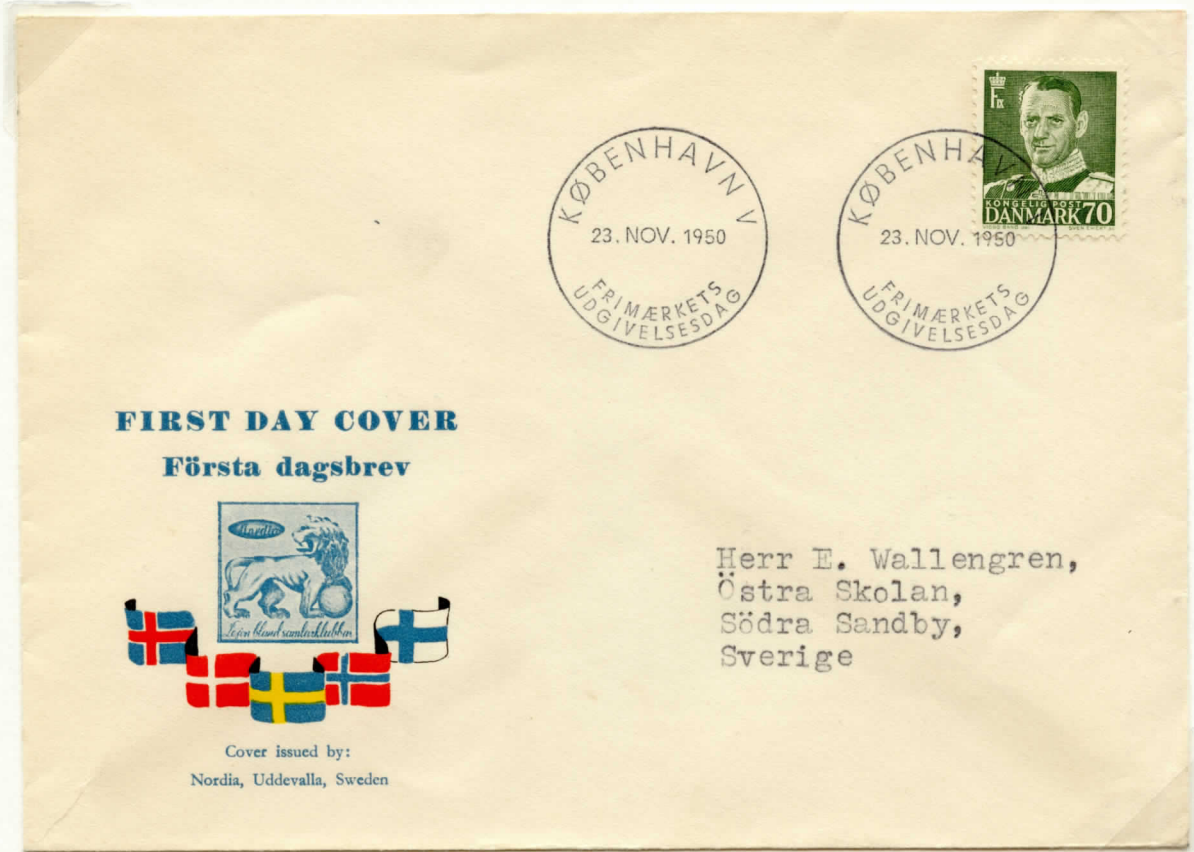


23 November 1950



Airmail to Australia and then surface to Pitcairn Island (Jusqu' à Australia). Correctly rated for 50 øre international plus 300 øre airmail supplement up to 10 g. 10 December 1950 arrival at Pitcairn.

23 November 1950



General purpose cachet.

8 February 1951



On this date two values of the Frederik IX issue were released, the 35 and 55 øre stamps. Frimærke Nyt no. 26 to Switzerland, and Bikube no. 6 cachets.



8 February 1951



Frimærke Nyt No. 26 above to Curaçao, b.s. New York registry division February 10 and St. Nicolaas, Aruba February 22. Below, Populær Filатели No. 19 to USA, apparently sent to Randers in error, about a hundred miles from Copenhagen, where it received a transit mark the same day.



8 February 1951

Førstedagskuverter

fra Sverige, Norge, Finland og Island

Førstedagskuverter fra disse lande kan nu indgå i Magasins abonnementsystem. Kuverterne leveres såvel med enkelte mærker som med fireblokke, hvor sådanne forekommer. Svenske frimærker kan ikke leveres i fireblokke, da mærkerne som regel udkommer i ruller.

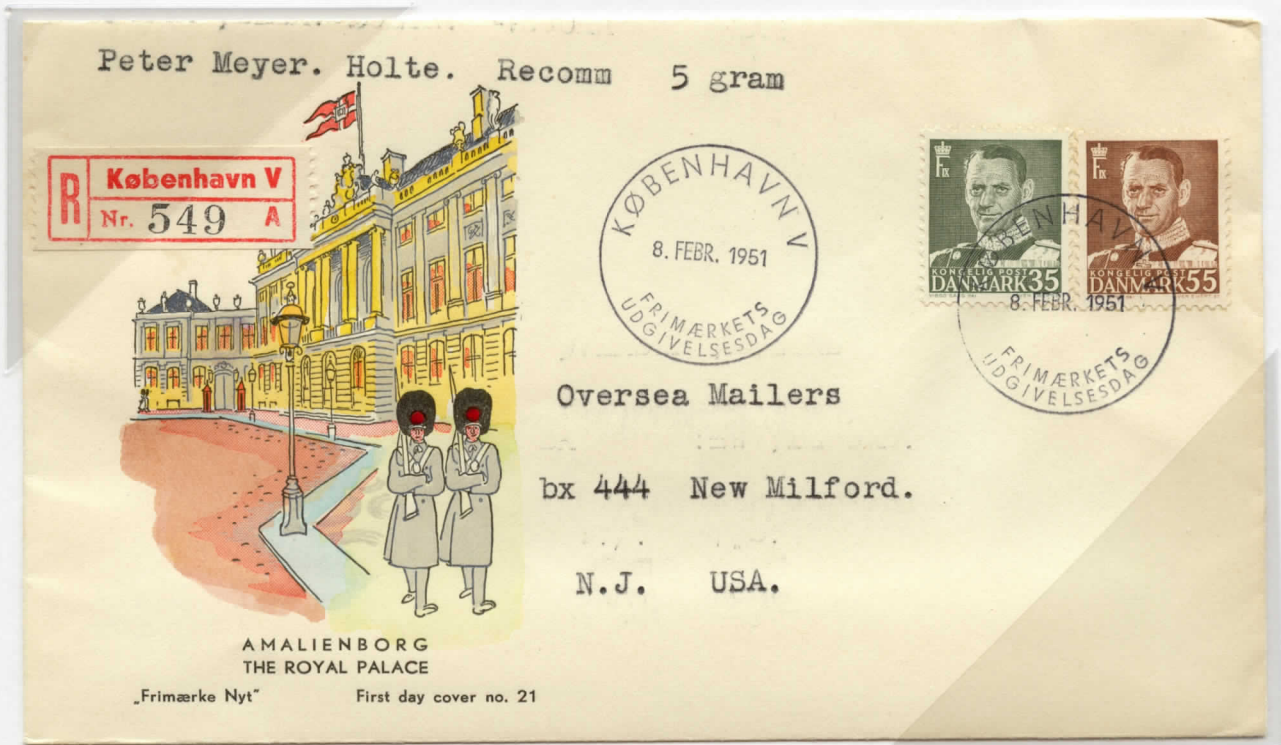
MAGASIN DU NORD

Frimærkeafdelingen.



Magasin no. 13 cachet and stuffer enclosed in FDC. Magasin du Nord offered first day covers of the Nordic countries on a subscription basis.

8 February 1951



Falkenberg no. 7 below, and Frimærke Nyt no. 21. The latter is the same design as Magasin no. 13 on preceding page, is hand-tinted, and addressed to U.S. cachetmaker Overseas Mailers.



8 February 1951



Mr. A. Bach-Nielsen.
R 2. Box 119.
E. Washington Ave.
Vineland, New Jersey.

U.S.A.

FØRSTEDAGS



Mr. A. Bach-Nielsen.
R 2. Box 119.
E. Washington Ave.
Vineland, New Jersey.

U.S.A.

FØRSTEDAGSKUVERT DANMARK

Blocks of four on covers to addressee in New Jersey. Both b.s. Vineland 24 February.

8 February 1951

Peter Meyer Holte. Recomm 5 gram

R København V
Nr. 554 **A**



Overseas Mailers.

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NEW MILFORD.

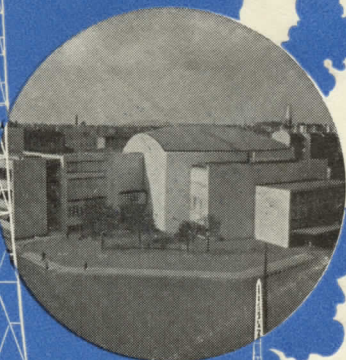
N. J. USA.

SØOFFICERS SKOLEN 250 AAR
THE NAVAL ACADEMY 250 YEARS
MAGASIN FIRST DAY COVER NO. 15

Cachets intended for other issues. Magasin no. 15 was for the 250th anniversary of the Naval Academy, and the Falkenberg no. 17 was for the 25th anniversary of Danish Broadcasting. The latter is unofficially cancelled at Virum, b.s. New York 26 February and Ransomville 27 February.

DEN DANSKE
STATSRADIOFONI

1925 · 1950



R Virum
Vir 814



Mr Carl Wagner.

RANSOMVILLE.

N. Y. USA.

Pec

FIRST DAY COVER

P. FALKENBERG - KØBENHAVN V - NR. 17

8 February 1951



Skoleskibet „Danmark“ ved Kronborg
FØRSTEDAGSKONVOLUT



*Hr. Olli Saramo
Ehrens vinda vagen 18
Helsingfors
Finland*

General purpose cachets to Finland and Bermuda.



Mrs. Viola L. Booker,
Box 59,
St. Georges,
BERMUDA.

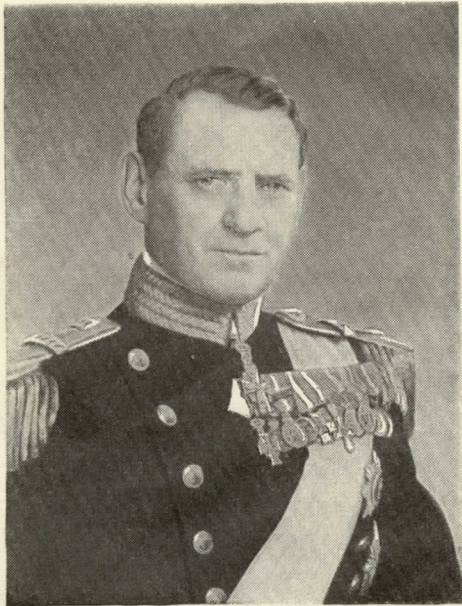
8 February 1951



General purpose cachet, and plate blocks.



8 February 1951

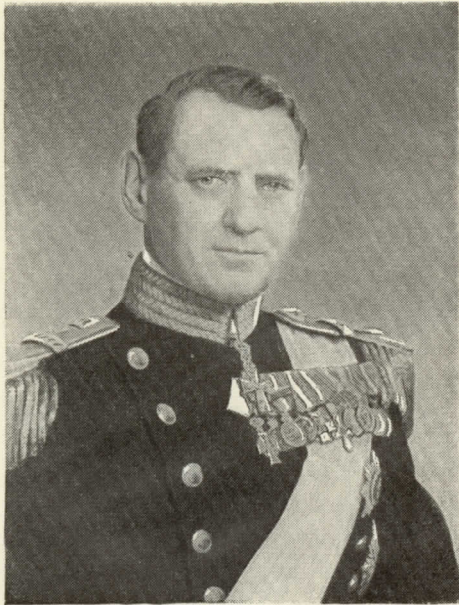


*Prinsfil
Lundslovvej 30
København*

21-4  1947

FIRST DAY COVER

Fogh cachet.



*Prinsfil
Lundslovvej 30
København*

21-4  1947

FIRST DAY COVER

25 June 1952



There was no official announcement or FD cancel for these two values. Magasin no. 19 general purpose cachet with Copenhagen city cancel.



25 June 1952



There was no official announcement or FD cancel for these two values. Tølløse cancel above on general purpose cachet, and city cancel below.



22 January 1953



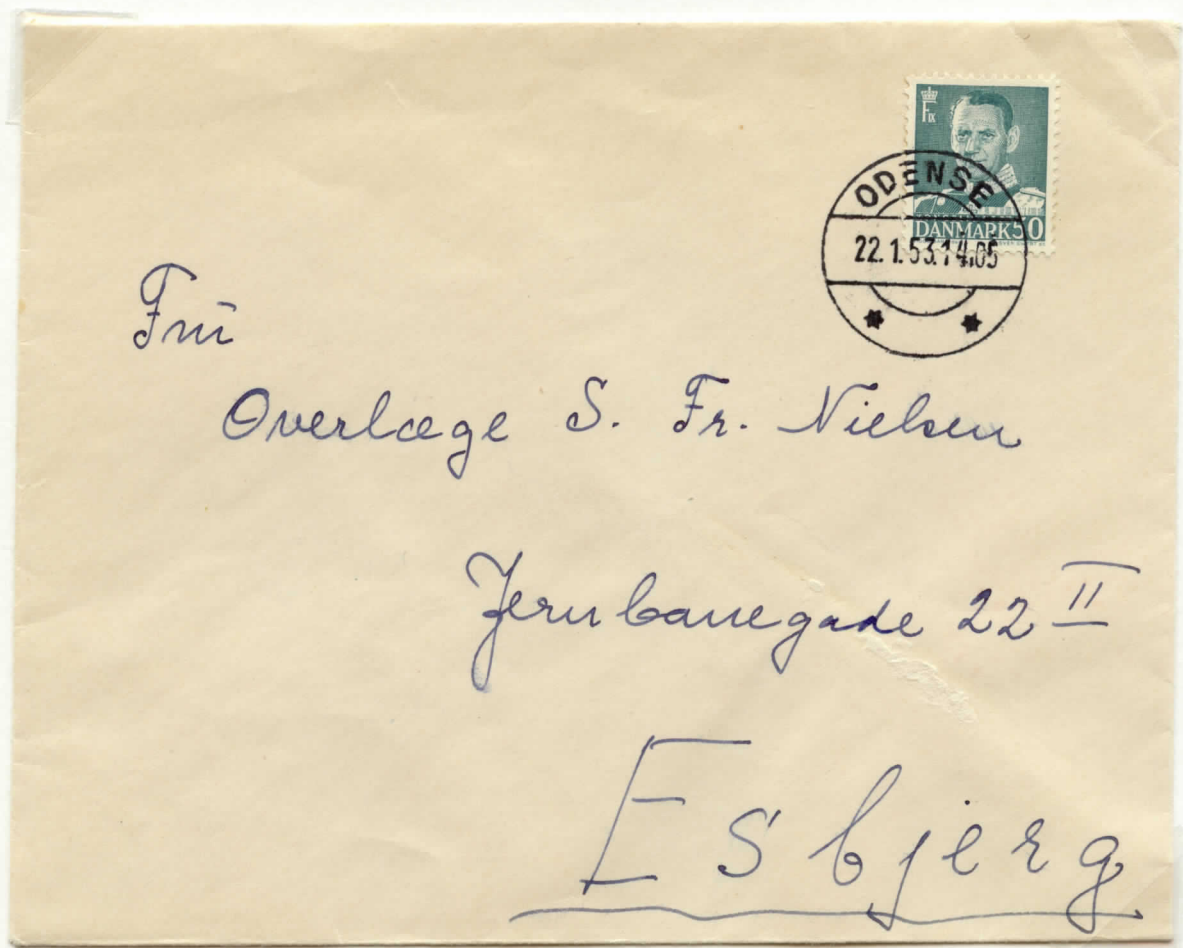
Another two values released in 1953 for which there was no official announcement or FD cancel. Tølløse cancel above, and city cancel below.



22 January 1953



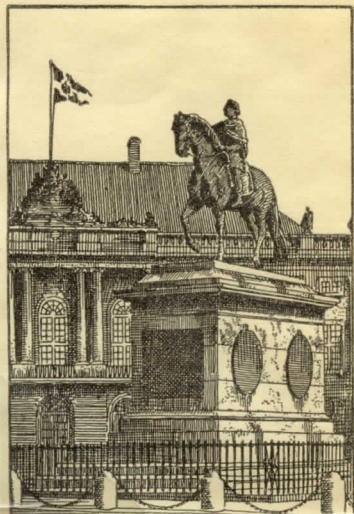
Magasin No. 19, and unofficial cancel at Odense.



13 February 1953

The 30 øre Frederik IX issue was surcharged 10 øre to aid flood victims in the Netherlands. Cancels at Ribe, Virum, and Copenhagen.

First Day Cover



Peter Meyer

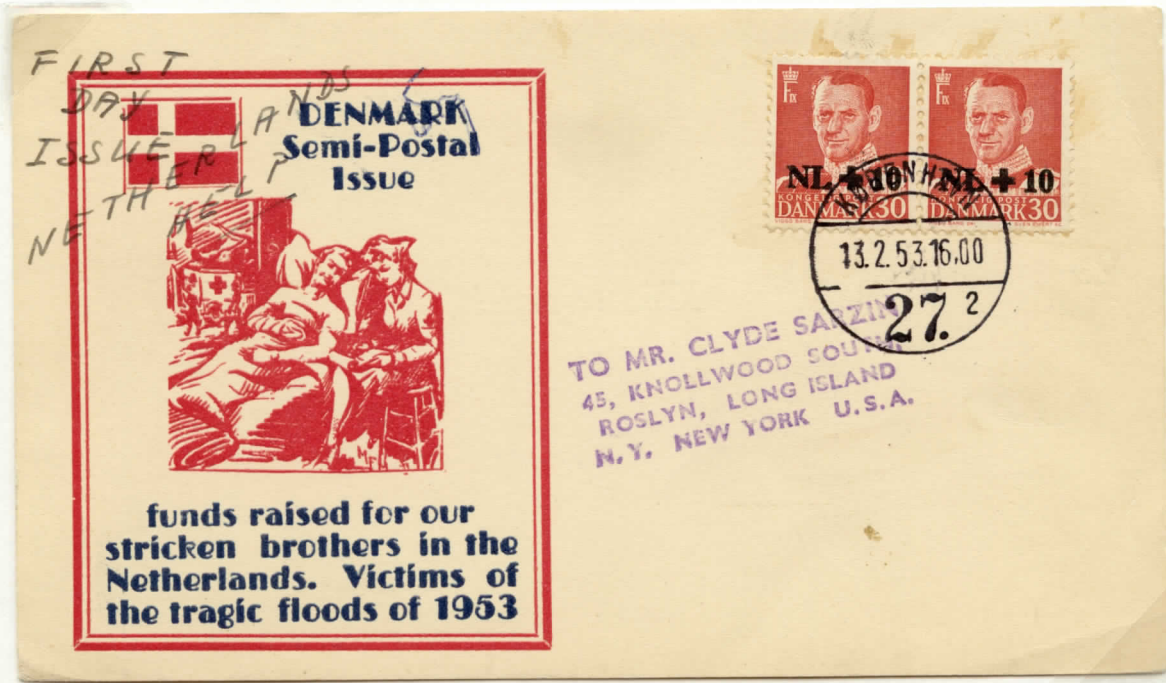
HOLLANDS-HJÆLPEN
FRA DANMARK 1953



Mr. Alfred B. Brack,
National Malting Company,
P.O. Box 1810, Paterson 1,
New Jersey, U.S.A.

Magasin First day cover no. 14H

13 February 1953



English language cachet on post card, and unofficial cancel at Aalborg.



5 March 1953



Two FDCs to Israel of the 80 and 90 øre on Fogh cachet no. 24 (imprint on back flap), b.s. Rison LZion 1 April. Fogh used the same portrait on earlier issues but in black and white.



5 March 1953

NYE
KATALOGER
1953

- Afa „Europa“, indbunden i Lærred Kr. 20,00
- Afa „Europa“, heftet..... Kr. 16,00
- Afa „Skandinavien“ Kr. 2,50
- Afa „4 Blok Katalog“ Kr. 1,00
- Standard Kataloget Kr. 4,75
- Julemærkekatalog Nr. 4 Kr. 1,00
- Yvert Kataloget „Hele Verden“
i 3 Bind Kr. 50,00
- Zumstein „Europa“ Kr. 22,75

ALT + PORTO

Bestilling og Betaling sker lettest pr. Giro 85292

P. FALKENBERG

Telefon Eva 386

Niels Ebbesensvej 22

København V.

Advertising stuffer used in Falkenberg no. 7.



Mr. Jorgen Bohn
 86 Ignacio Avenue
 San Francisco 24
 California
 U.S.A.

5 March 1953

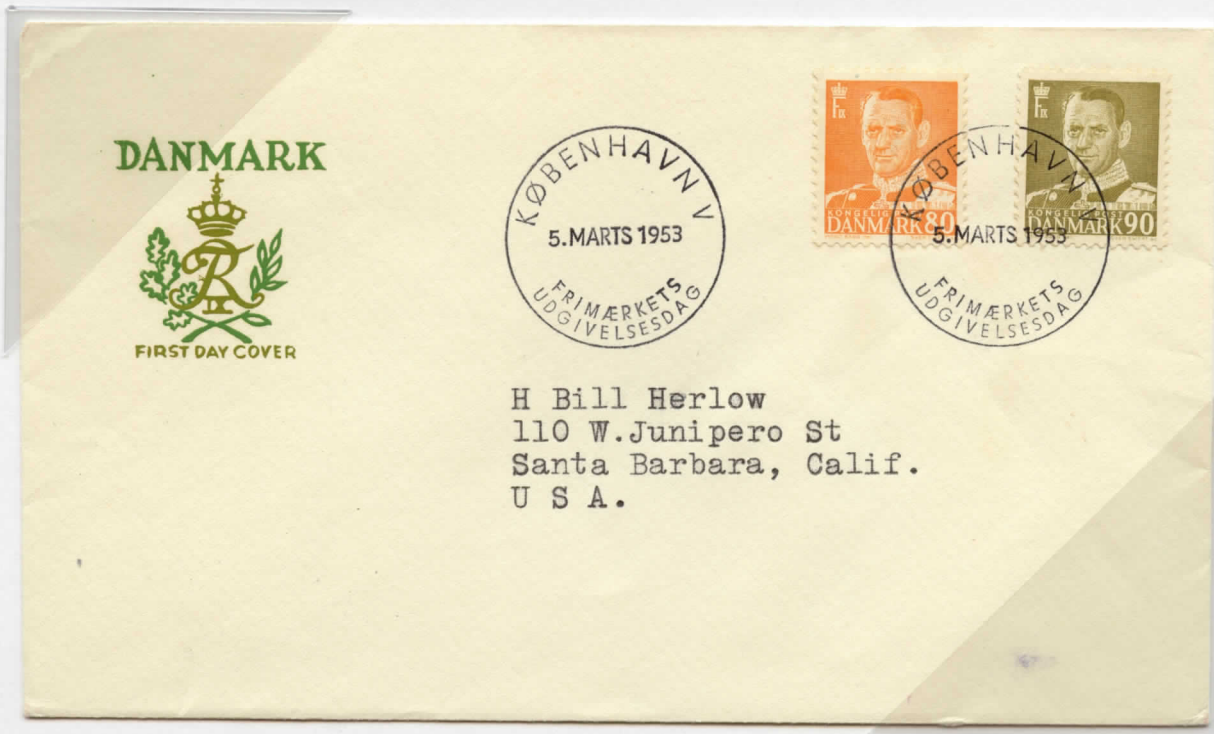


Use of pairs resulted in overfranking. International rate was 60 øre (0-20 g) plus 65 øre per 5 g airmail supplement to Liberia; b.s. Monrovia.

5 March 1953

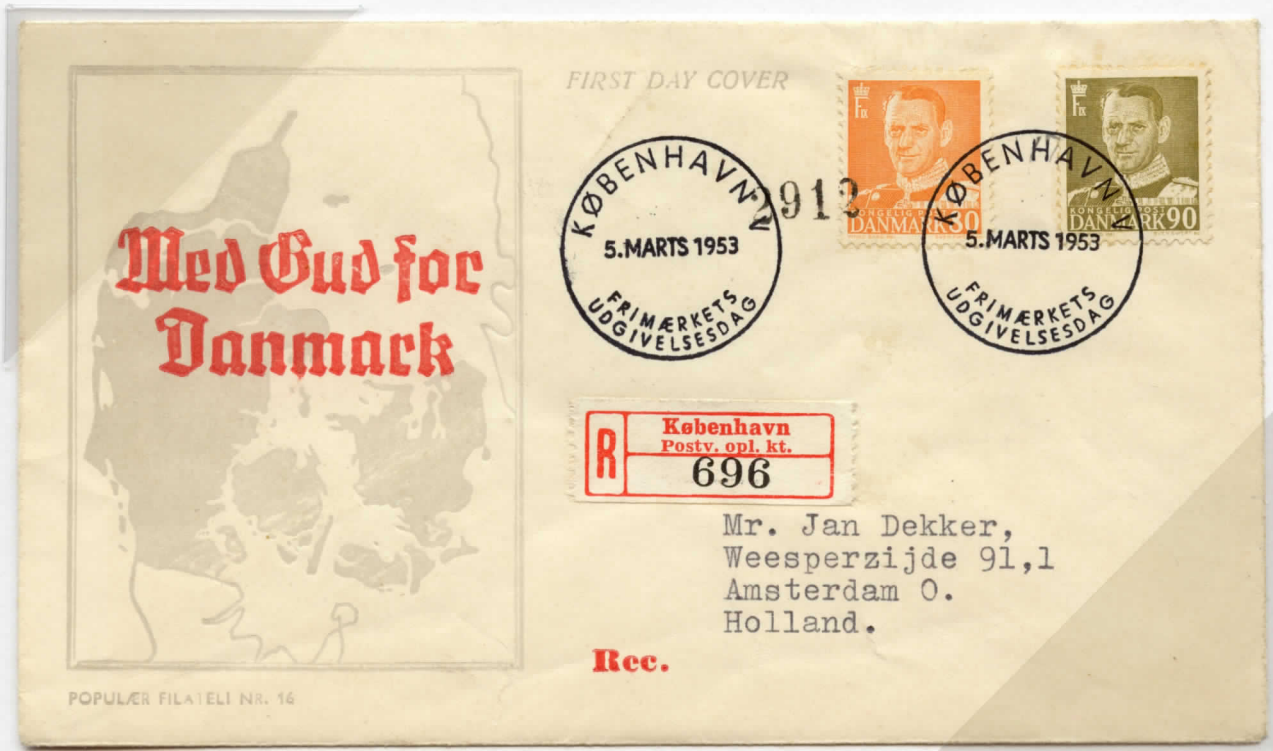


The DANMARK and foliage are in raised print similar to the thermograph cachets of the U.S., with color varieties of the crown and "First Day Cover".



H Bill Herlow
110 W. Junipero St
Santa Barbara, Calif.
U S A.

5 March 1953



Populær Filатели no. 16 and unknown cachet, both to Netherlands.



5 March 1953

General purpose and Magasin no. 13 cachets.



FØRSTEDAGSKU



Mr. Bach Nielsen.



Mr. Roger Dahlquist



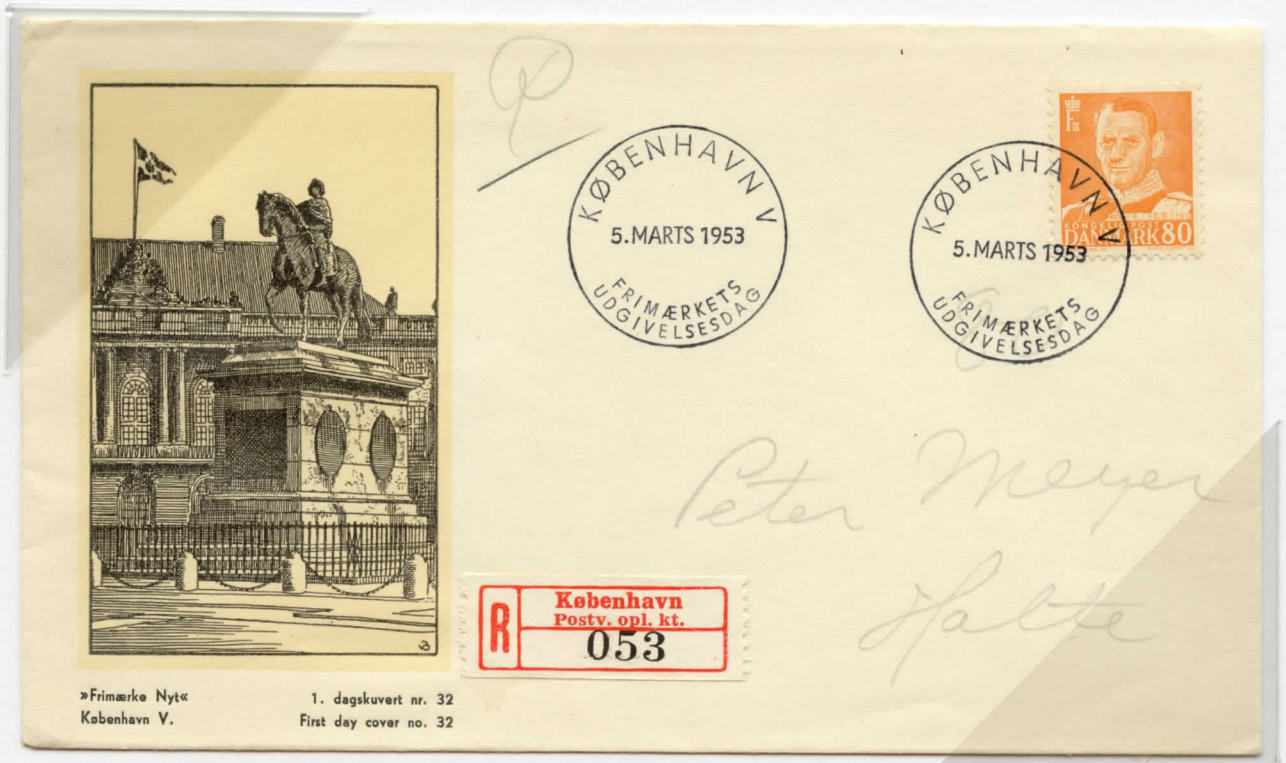
Mr. Roger Dahlquist,
302 Underhill Ave,
Brooklyn, N.Y.
U.S.A.

AMALIENBORG
THE ROYAL PALACE

Magasin

First day cover no. 13

5 March 1953



Frimærke Nyt no. 32.



5 March 1953

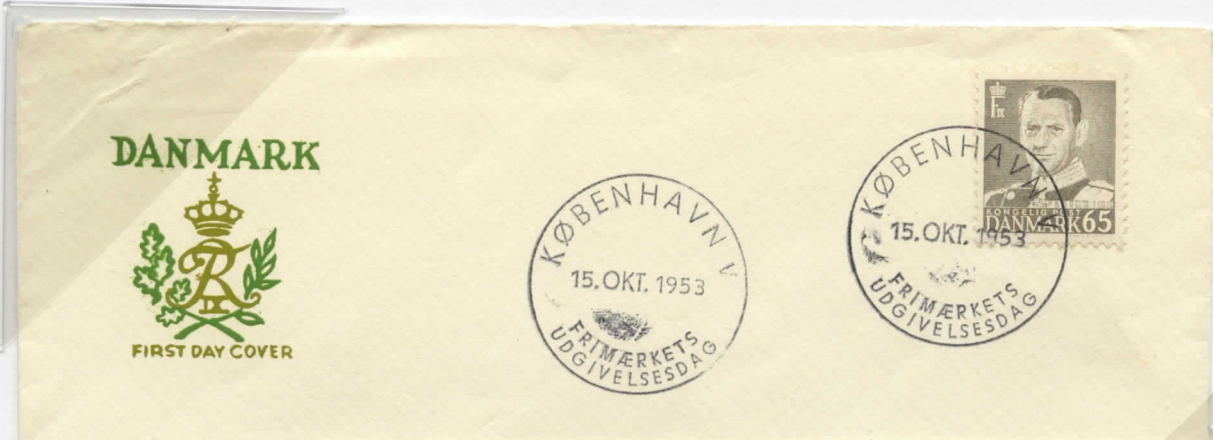


Hr. Einer Eriksen,
Jasminvænget 5,
O d e n s e .

General purpose cachet.

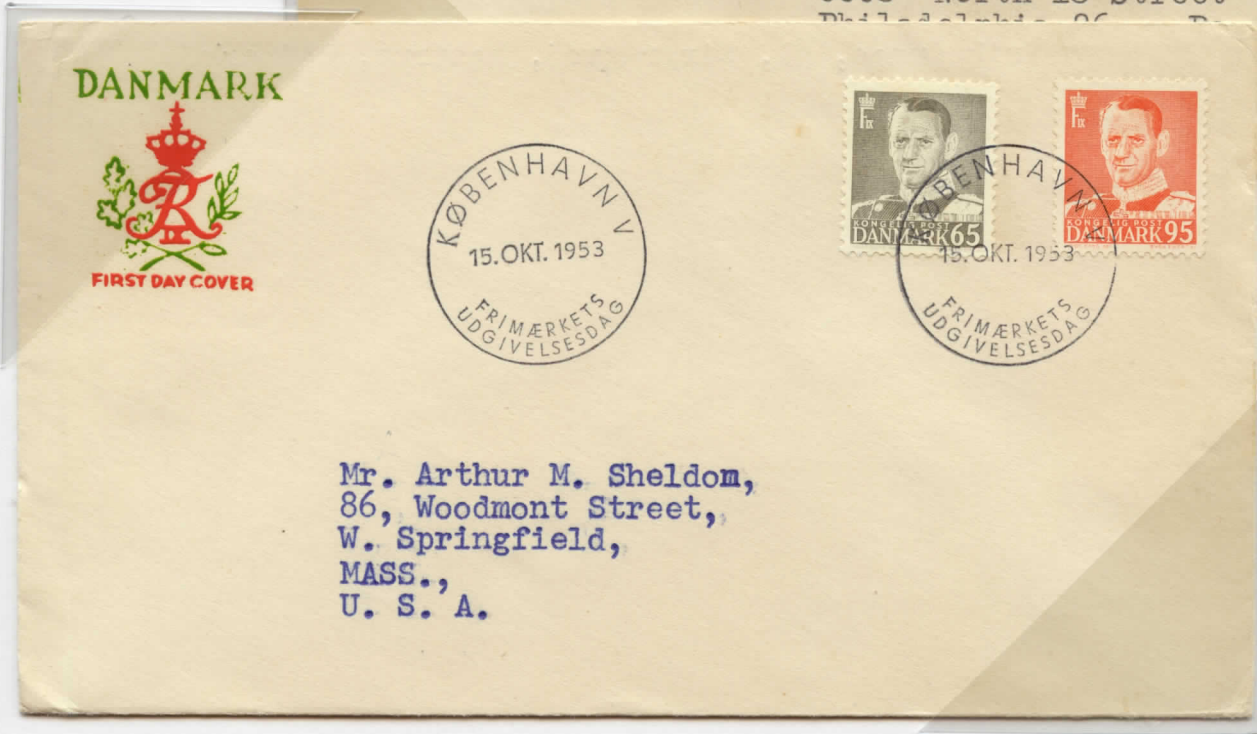
15 October 1953

Three color varieties of unknown cachet.



Reg.

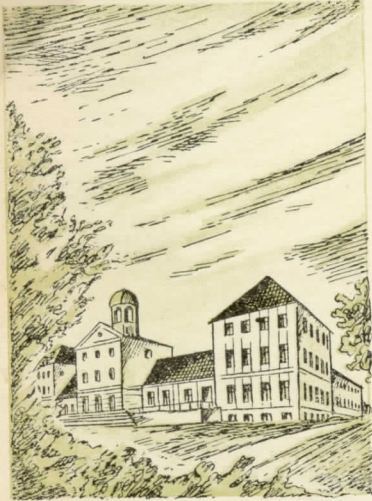
Edward A. Teitelman
6608 North 18 Street
Philadelphia, Pa.



Mr. Arthur M. Sheldon,
86, Woodmont Street,
W. Springfield,
MASS.,
U. S. A.

15 October 1953

FIRST DAY COVER



GRAASTEN SLOT



Mint Stamp Bank
Mrs. E. P. Harris
2052 West Main Street
Houston 6 Texas
USA



Fogh no. 27 and Falkenberg no. 7.

- og Danmark skal staa
mens Bølgerne rulle



FØRSTEDAGSKUVERT
FIRST DAY COVER

P. FALKENBERG - KØBENHAVN V - Nr. 7

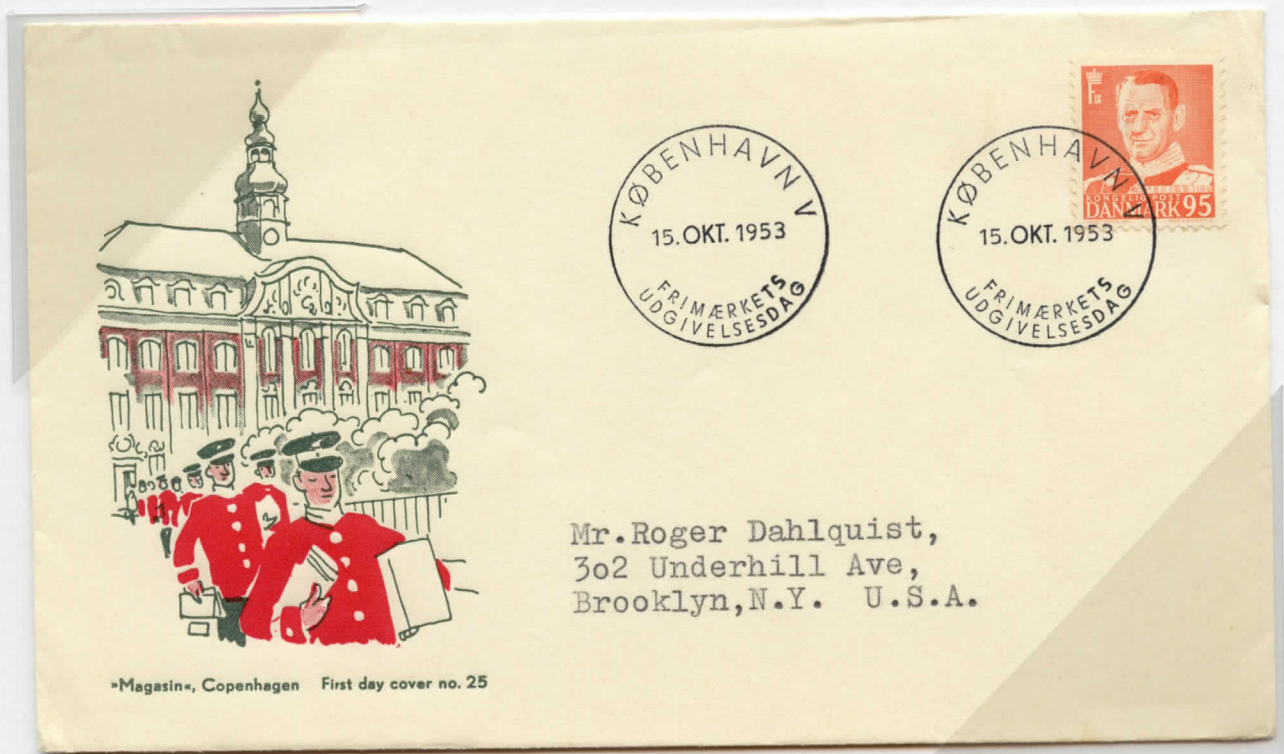


Mr. Adolf Bach-Nielsen.
R 1. Columbia Ave.
Newfield, New Jersey.
U.S.A.

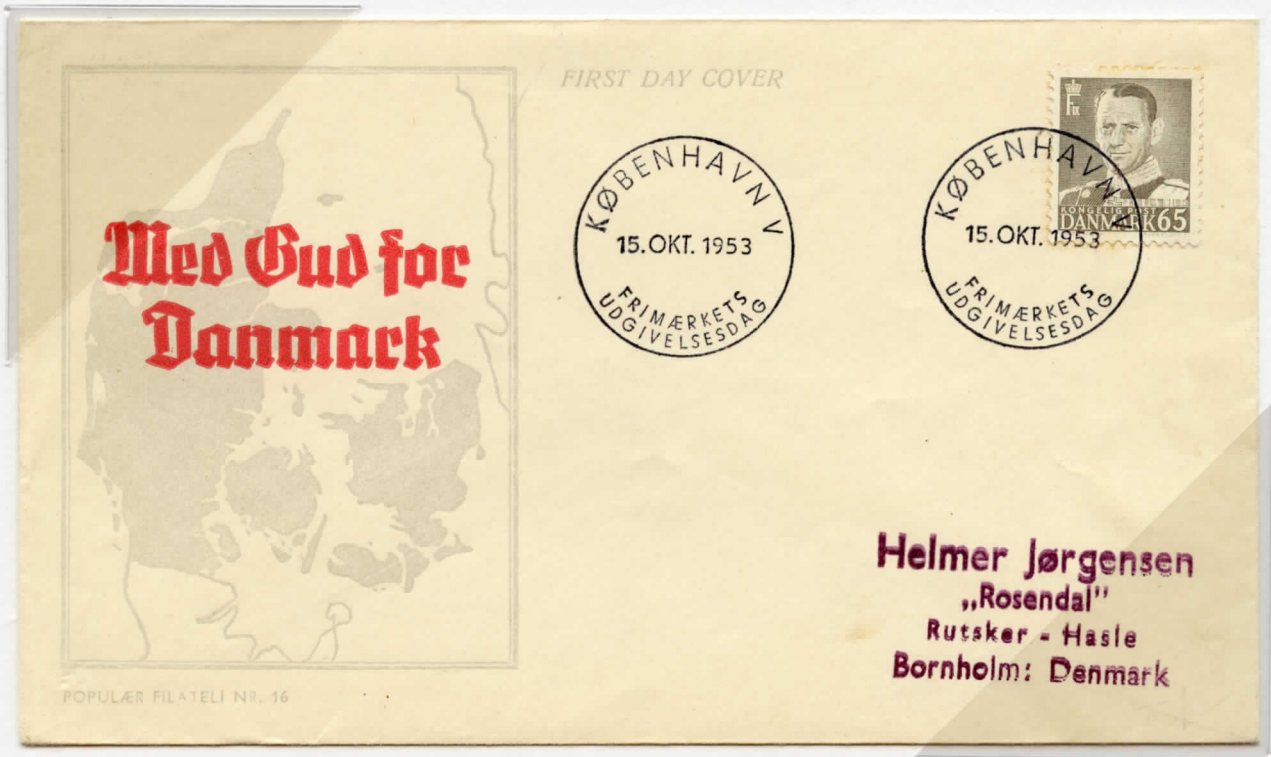
15 October 1953



Cachet varieties with differences in color and caption.



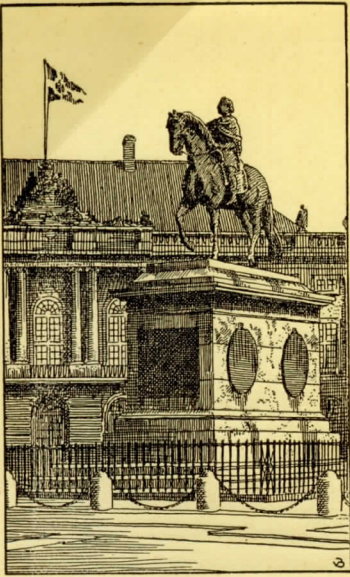
15 October 1953



Populær Filateli no. 16 and unknown.



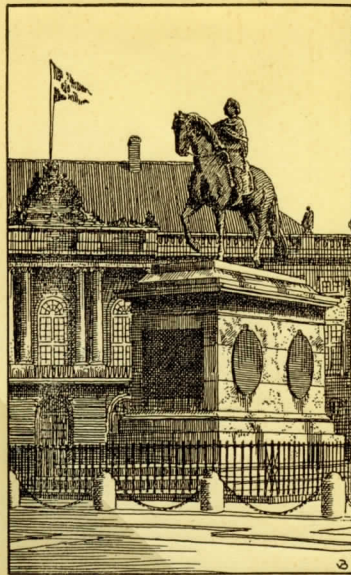
15 October 1953



»Frimærke Nyt«
København V.



Mr. Willard E. Mullikin,
734 West Center Street,
P o m o n a, Calif.
U. S. A.-



»Frimærke Nyt«
København V.

1. dagskuvert nr. 32
First day cover no. 32



Mr. Willard E. Mullikin,
734 West Center Street,
P o m o n a, Calif.
U. S. A.-

Matched pair to same addressee with Frimærke Nyt no. 32.

15 October 1953

76/10
Anmeldt den
Henligger til 22/10 9/13
OK

Since this registered letter could not be delivered during normal hours, it was held at the post office (marking on reverse) from 16 to 22 October. The **S** was a rubberstamp marking to indicate that the letter was being held at the Sønderbro post office for pick up. The blue manuscript 417 is possibly the line in the register book on which the addressee had to sign when claiming the letter.



15 October 1953



Frederik IX
Konge af Danmark
First day cover

P. FALKENBERG - KØBENHAVN



Mr. Jorgen Bohn
San Francisco 24



Frederik IX
Konge af Danmark
First day cover

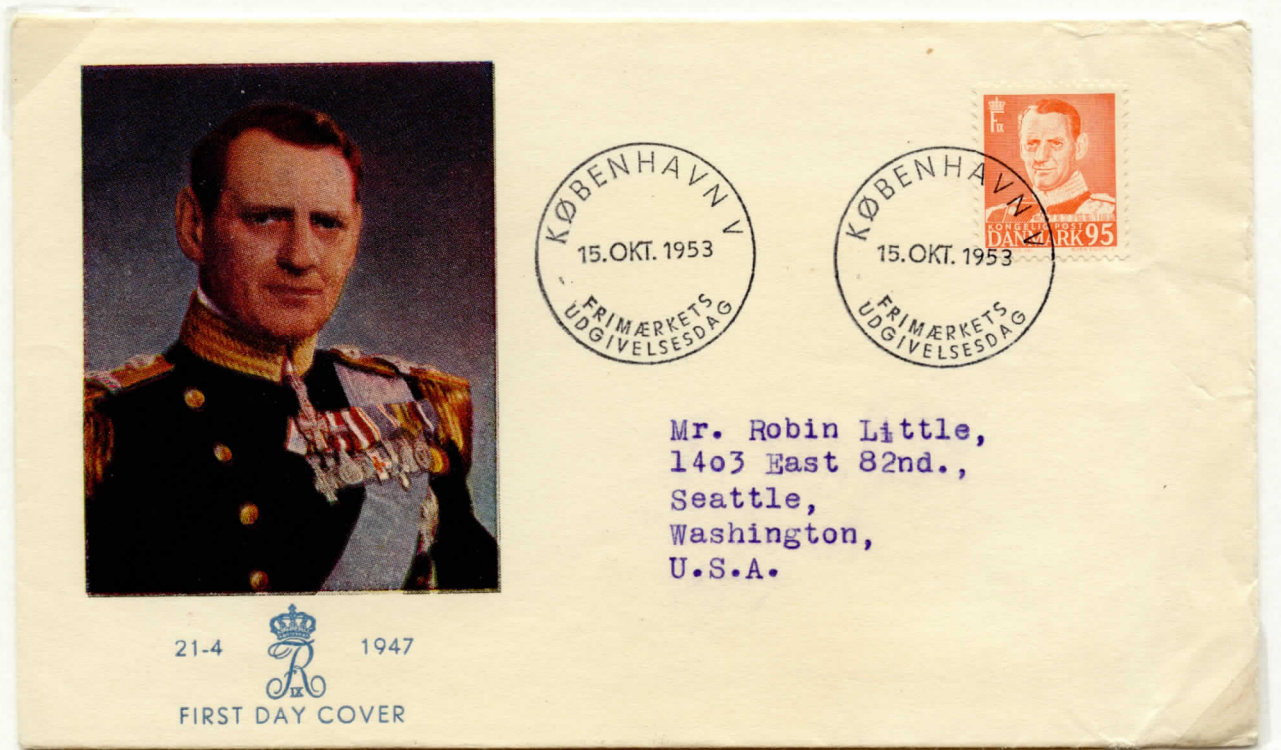
P. FALKENBERG - KØBENHAVN V - NR. 27



Mr. Jorgen Bohn
86 Ignacio Avenue
San Francisco 24
California
U.S.A.

Matched pair to same addressee with Falkenberg no. 27.

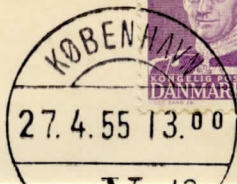
15 October 1953



Fogh's cachet No. 24 (identified on back).

27 April 1955

FIRST DAY
OF ISSUE



Fr.

Bankpildmægler Sv. Feilman

DANMARK



Clyde J. Sarzin
Roslyn, L. I.
N. Y., U. S. A.

The 25-øre value had no official FD cancel and was issued to meet the new local letter rate that went into effect 1 May 1955. Cancels at Copenhagen, Hellerup and Tølløse—the last on an unsealed cover to USA that more than paid the printed matter rate of 12-øre at the time.

27 April 1955



Magasin no. 25 cachet, and Frimærke Nyt no. 32 with pink cover sheet, placed over the stamps, requesting careful cancellation for collector use.



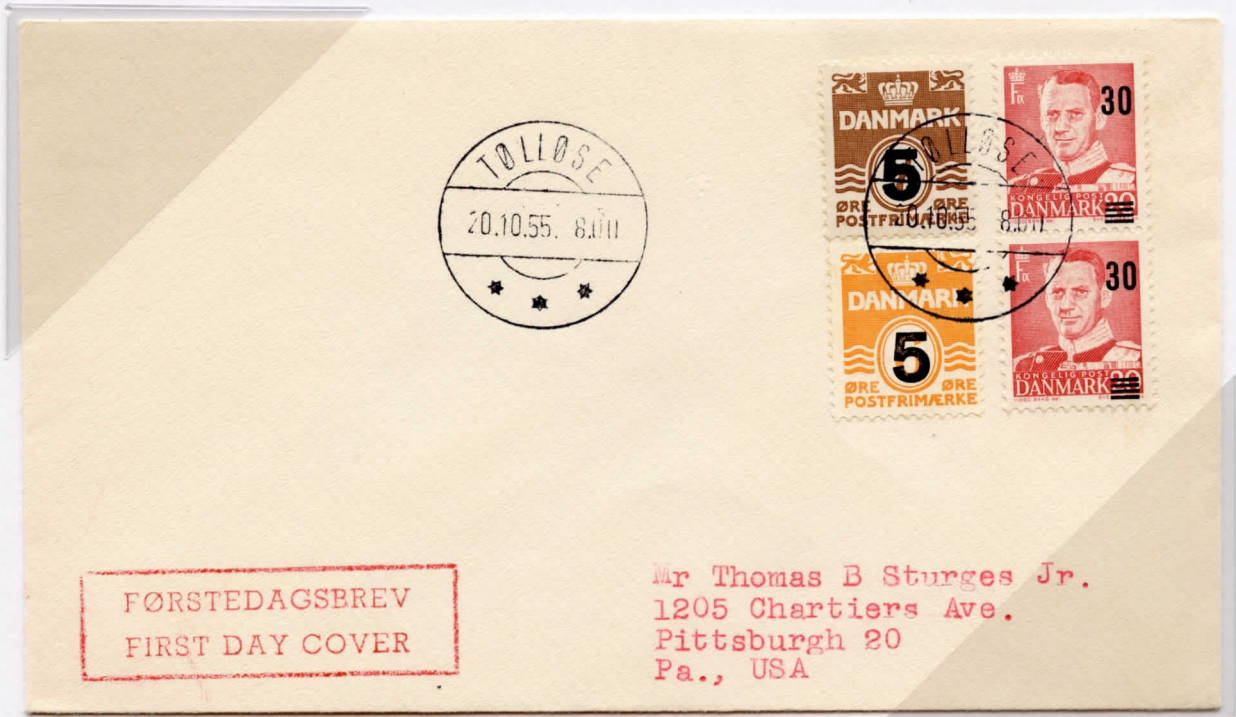
Frimærkerne
bedes afstemplet til
Samlerbrug.

20 October 1955



Provisionals were made by overprinting remaining stock of older stamps. These three values were first released 20 October 1955 with no special FD cancel. Two different Copenhagen zones shown.

20 October 1955



Provisionals on general purpose rubberstamped cachet, cancelled Tølløse, and Magasin no. 25.



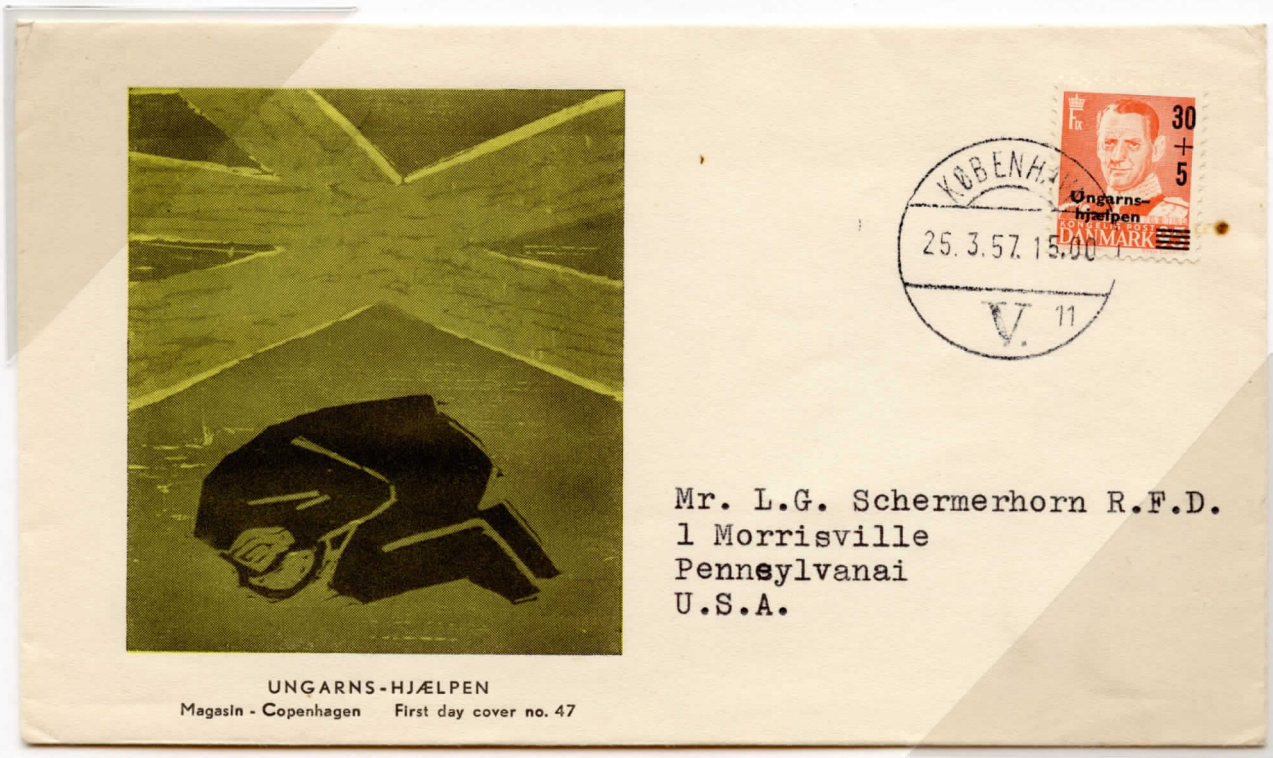
25 March 1957



The 95 øre Frederik IX issue was surcharged to provide aid to Hungarian refugees. Two different Copenhagen zones shown.



25 March 1957



Hungarian refugee aid issue on Magasin no. 47 made for this issue, and a general purpose Frederick IX cachet similar to J. R. 1 but unsigned.



25 March 1957



Hungarian refugee aid issue with two different Hirtshals cancels.

25 March 1957



Hungarian refugee aid issue with unofficial cancel at Tølløse, and on Fogh cachet.



25 March 1957



ing U. Mundi Andersen,

Provstejorden 14,

1180



1165

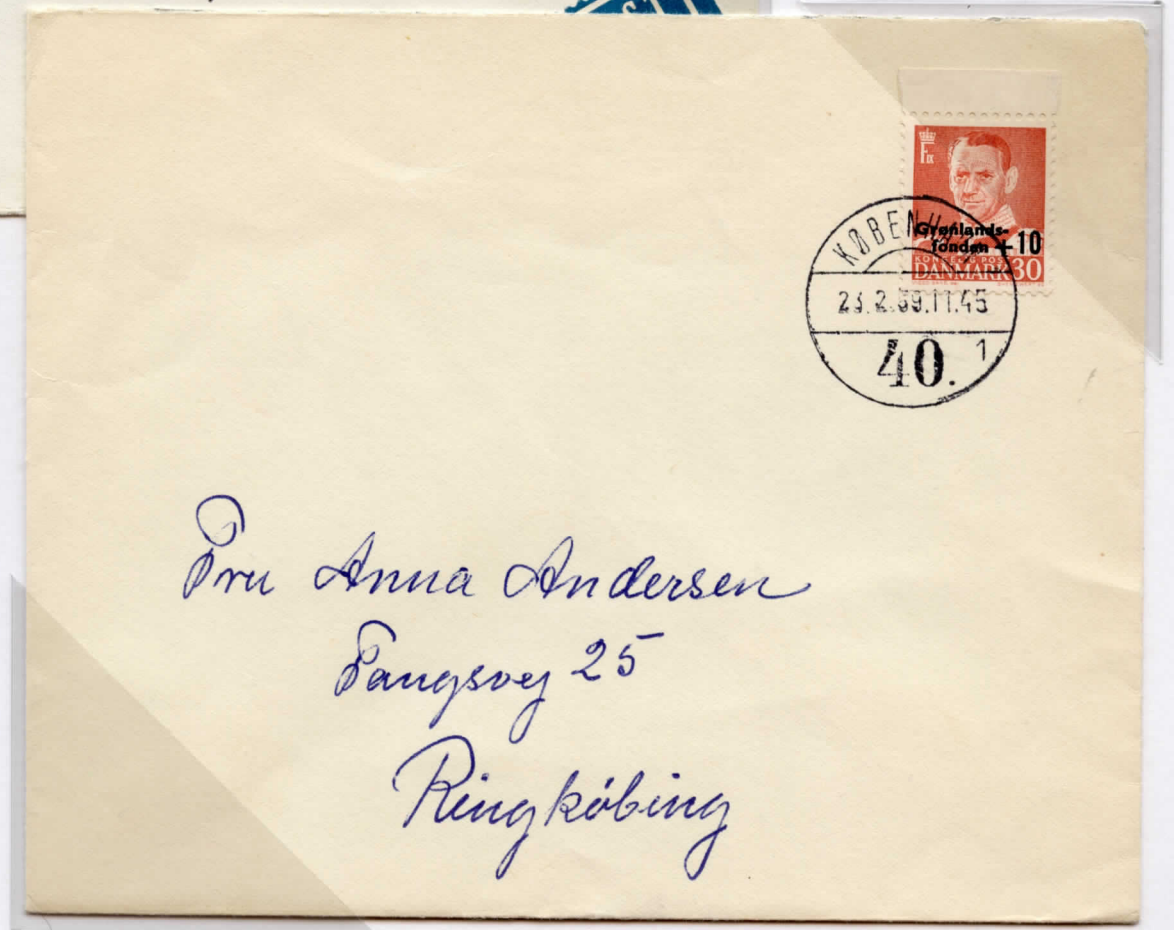


Tage Rosmadsen
 Hovedg. 17 Højby

Unofficial cancel at Aalborg, and plate blocks.

23 February 1959

30 øre Frederik IX issue surcharged to aid the families of those who died when the M/S *Hans Hedtoft* was lost off the coast of Greenland three weeks before. Two different Copenhagen zones. [See next page for letter enclosed in the FDC sent to Clayton Hinckley.]



Letter enclosed in Clayton Hinckley FDC on previous page,
explaining the reason for issuing the surcharged stamp.

Söborg, Feb. 16th, 1959.

Dear Mr. Hinckley,

I do not know if you read about the dreadful sea-accident, by which the Danish m/s "Kans Hedtoft" was lost in the Atlantic Ocean, and by which 95 people found their death.

The Danish Prime Minister took the initiative of establishing a National Fund to help the children and families of the perished people, and the Postal authorities used this sad occasion to issue an overprint, the surcharge of which goes to the Fund.

On the cover you will find the stamps, cancelled on the day of issuance (there was no time to make a special F.D. cover.) You'll also get a similar cover with Greenland stamps overprinted.

Most kind regards to you,

Arundson

23 February 1959



T.M.Sørensen,
Hirtshals

Greenland aid issue with label cachet cancelled Hirtshals, and uncacheted to Israel, b.s. Tiberias 12 March.



Mr. I Cohen
Degania "B"
Doar Na Emeq HaYarden
ISRAEL.

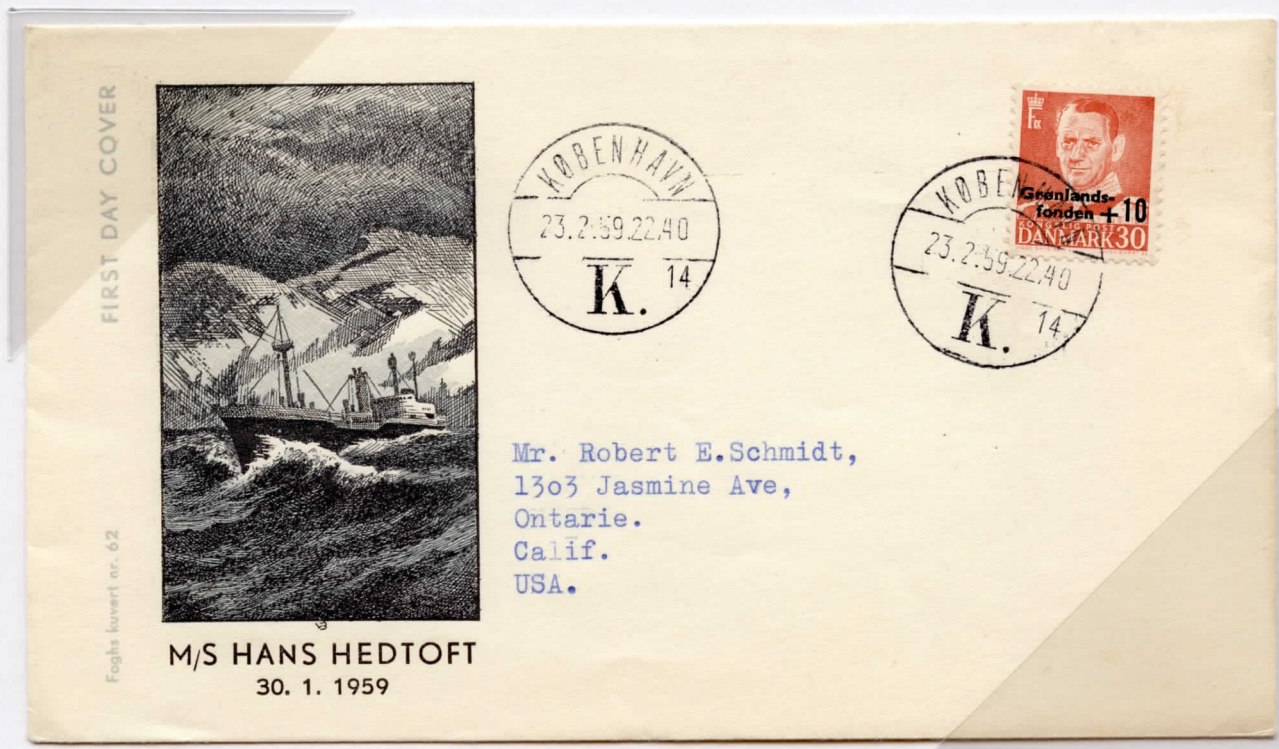
23 February 1959



Greenland aid issue on Magasin no. 54 and Frimærke Nyt no. 59.



23 February 1959



Greenland aid issue on Fogh no. 62, and unknown cancelled Tølløse.



23 February 1959



Unofficial cancel at Vejle.

7 April 1960

FIRST DAY COVER



Foghs kuvetter nr. 65

FLYGTNINGEHJÆLP



*Bostrom
Örebro 4
Sverige*

15 øre value overprinted to publicize World Refugee Year. Fogh no. 65, and Frimærke Nyt no. 63 cancelled Roskilde. The latter has a stamp variety with the M of DANMARK cut off at top left, which occurs in position 63 of every second sheet (1 in 200).



FLYGTNINGEHJÆLP

»Frimærke Nyt
København V

1. dagskuvert nr. 63
First day cover no. 63

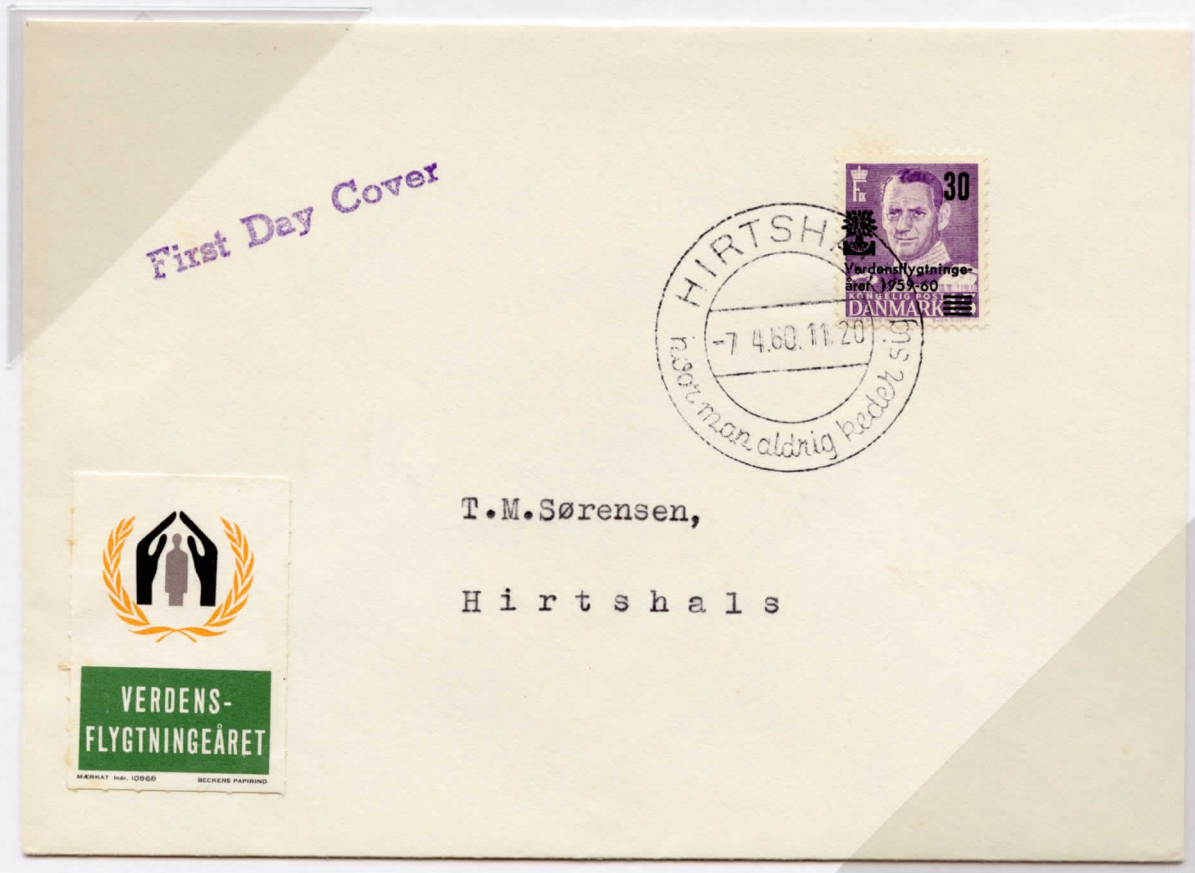


F. ARNDT
44 KLOSTERENGEN
ROSKILDE - DANMARK

7 April 1960



World Refugee Year overprint on Populær Filateli no. 54 with Aarhus old town museum cancel, and label cachet cancelled Hirtshals.



7 April 1960

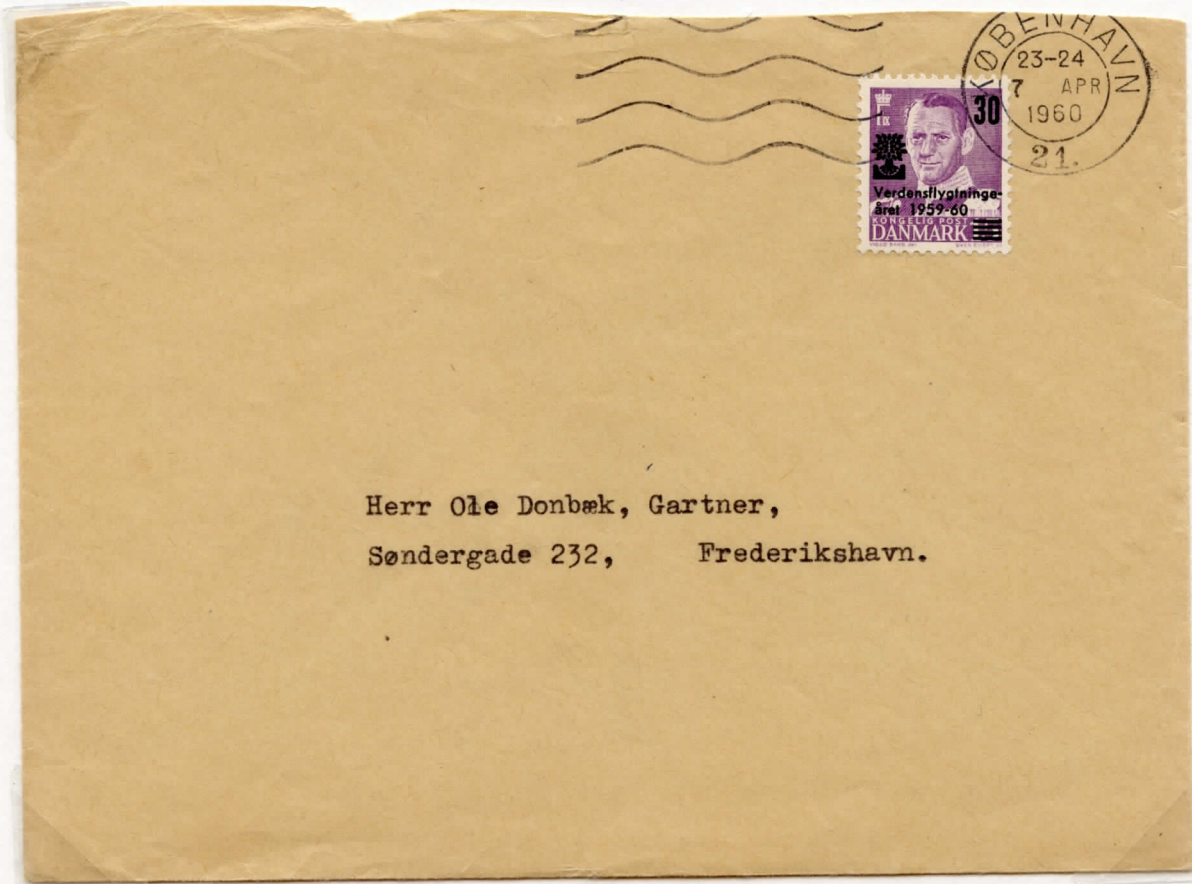
World Refugee Issue



Unofficial cancel at Tølløse, and museum cancel in Aarhus.



7 April 1960
World Refugee Issue



Herr Ole Donbæk, Gartner,
Søndergade 232, Frederikshavn.

Cancels at Copenhagen, and Birkerød to Switzerland.



Herrn

Otto Sackmann
Nordstr. 163
Zürich 37

SCHWEIZ

1961

A new series of Frederik IX definitives begins in 1961
with these *Frimærke Nyt* cachets.



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