

Vardø got "kjøbstad" ownership in 1789. A Class 2 post office was established in 1778, but later degraded to a Class 3 post office, until it was upgraded again to a Class 2 post office in 1869. A 1-ring circular date-stamp (type 1) was delivered to the post office on March 28, 1854, and a numeral canceller "334" in August 1856

Numeral canceller:



4 Sk Coat of Arms I
"334"
3 copies known



Domestic letter of July 20, 1858, from Vardø to Tromsø, franked with 4 Sk Oscar stamped with 3-ring numeral canceller "334" in black ink, envelope side-marked with "VARDØ" origin postmark (type 1) in blue

Circular dated handstamp type 1: large letters



4 Sk Oscar
type 1 cds
in ultramarine



Domestic letter of May 26, 1860, from Vardø to Tromsø, franked with 4 Sk Oscar tied with "VARDØ" origin date-stamp (type 1) in black and envelope correctly side-marked with the date-stamp in black