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Internal and External Usages from Samanud.



January 6,1864: Internal cover from Samanud to Alexandria. 'Posta Europea/Samanud' handstamp in blue-green. Rated in crayon '120' = 1 piastre 20 paras.



October 16,1863: Letter from Abusir forwarded privately to Samanud by Krebser & Cie., where placed in the Posta Europea system and sent to Alexandria. Transferred to the Italian Post Office in Alexandria, prepaid in cash, with blue 'Alessandria D'Egitto/Poste Italiane' (Oct 19). Sent on via Ancona, Bologna, Luzern and Zurich to Bauma, Switzerland (Oct 28).

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