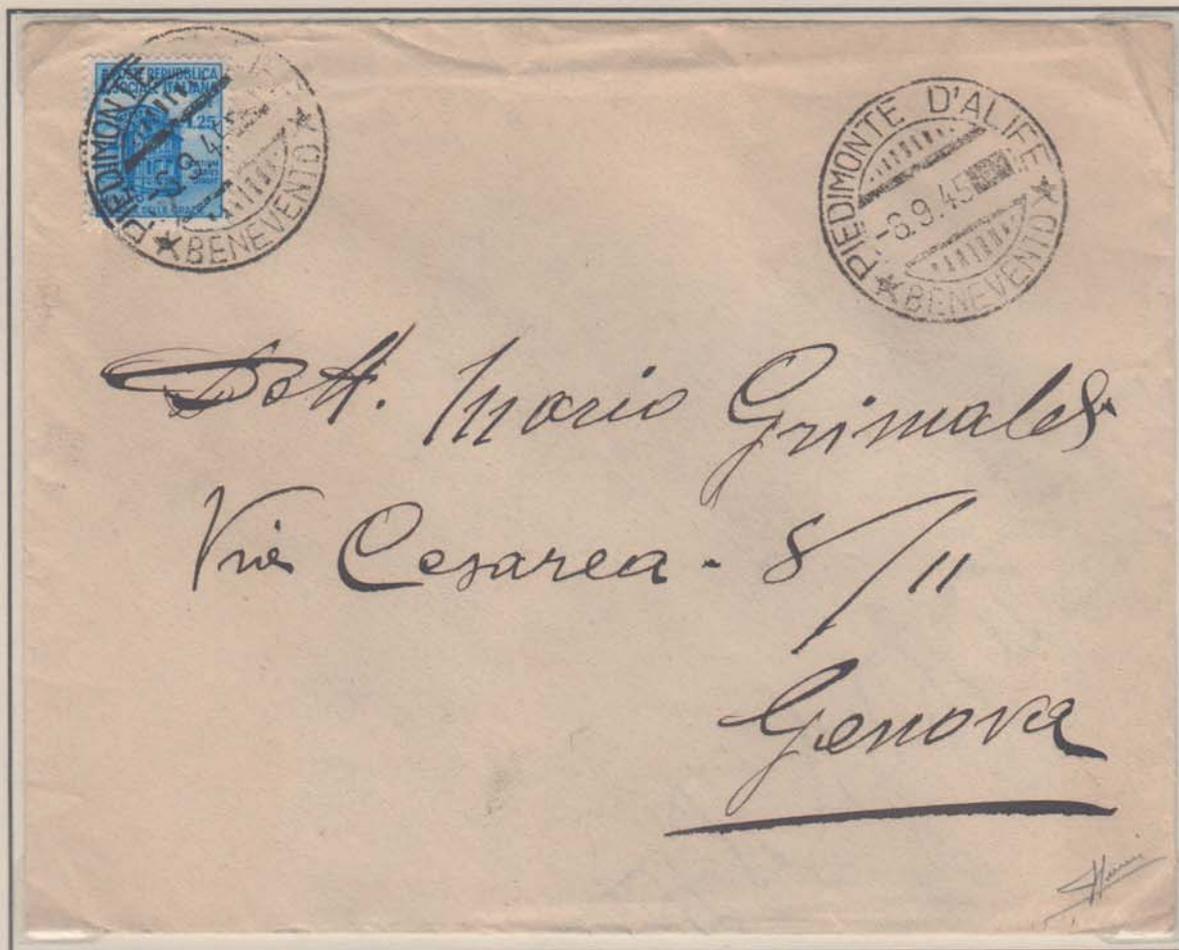


Late uses in Southern Italy



Postcard from Catania, Sicily to Reggio Emilia. Franked two 50 Centesimi second set, for 1 Lira postcard rate. These stamps were never valid in South, so postage due "T" sign was applied and the stamps were not cancelled. However, the destination province of Reggio Emilia is at North, where these stamps were still valid. No postage due applied and the postcard was properly delivered

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Cover from Piedmonte D'Alife, Benevento (Southern Italy) to Genova. Franked 1.25 Lire second set, 75 centesimi below the 2 Lire letter rate. Not taxed at origin. Still valid at North, where the rates were also lower. Not taxed at arrival as well.

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