

REPLY PAID POST CARDS (1)

The Reply Paid Post Card consisted of two pre-paid halves attached to each other. This allowed the addressee to write a reply on the Reply half and mail the card without charge within Rhodesia. For mailing to other countries, postage stamps could be affixed to pay the appropriate postage rate. However, there was nothing to prevent the two pre-paid halves being detached and used separately. Shown are two examples of Mashonaland Reply halves being used as "normal" post cards to overseas destinations.



Posted Victoria 16 April 1898 to Germany.



Posted Bulawayo 17 December 1898 to England.