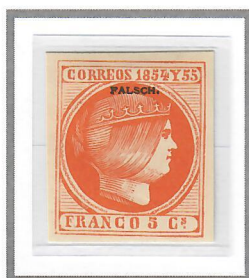


1855

5-CUARTOS

SMALL INNER CIRCLE NOT BROKEN BY TOP AND BOTTOM LABELS

Gooding #7F1 and #7F1A. Senf Brothers Forgery. Printed in Leipzig in about 1887 and issued in a dull red or orange shade (#7F1) and black (#7F1A). The word 'FALSCH' most often appears in black across the top of the head. It is also known cancelled over the word 'FALSCH', most often with manuscript markings. The 'C' in 'CORREOS' is higher up and does not touch the bottom frame line. The horizontal line in '4' of '1854' points up at the end. The 'C' in 'FRANCO' is very rounded and almost resembles an 'O'. The bottom curve of 'C' in 'Cs' is very rounded, giving the appearance of a 'G'.

**WITH BLACK 'FALSCH.' (FALSE) HANDSTAMP****WITH BLACK 'FALSCH.' AND BLUE 'SPECIMEN.' HANDSTAMPS****WITH 'FALSCH' OBLITERATED BY BLACK INK OR BOGUS CANCELS****PRINTED IN BLACK****ONLY TWO COPIES RECORDED**