

Bahamas - One penny Queen Victoria (1859) - Spiro forgery



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The genuine stamp is engraved (Intaglio) while the Spiro forgery is lithographed. A simple observation of the details easily reveals the forgery. The Spiro Brothers of Hamburg often used the same cancels for their production.

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