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1891 KING ALFONSO XIII ISSUE

5 c. de peso emerald
"Surgidero de Batabanó" blue oval cancel

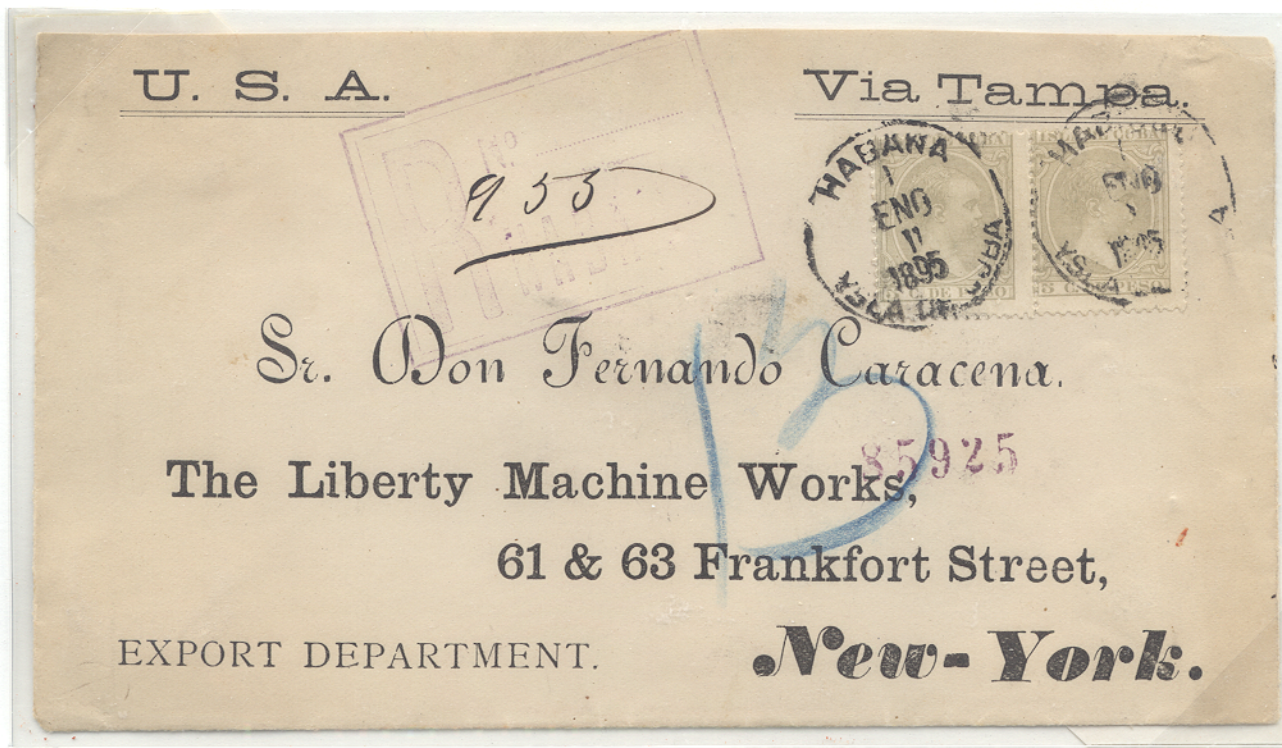


Spectacular "CORREOS / 14 NOV. 95 / SURGIDERO DE BATABANO" blue oval cancellation tying a 5c. de peso emerald stamp to the front of a single weight letter to Boston, Massachusetts.

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Registered letters to the U.S.

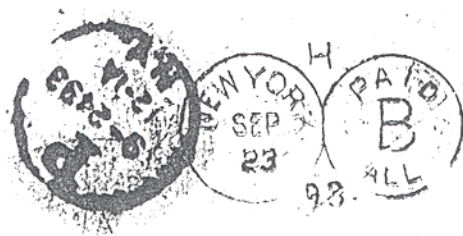


Single weight registered letters from La Habana and Cárdenas to New York paying the 5c. single weight letter rate and 5c. registry fee with two 5c. stamps of the 1891 issue.

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Quintuple letter rate to the U.S.



Five 5c. emerald stamps paying five times the single weight letter rate on a cover sent from Habana via Tampa to New York.

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Single weight letters to Europe



Pairs of 5c. stamps paying the 10c. single weight letter rate to France and Italy. The top letter was posted on 24 May 1893 at La Habana. The bottom letter was posted on 17 Dec 1895 at Caibarien, Oriente province, and went to Milan via La Habana.