

ROQUE

Matanzas Province
Fifth Class

REALA
FARMACIA

Don Francisco -
Del Pino

Matanzas.

Por la Escriba de D. Estig. Porto,

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Por el Ministro Delano de la
R. A. D. A. Provincial y Jues del Juz. do
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ROQUE

Del cap. Pedro } Habana
de Palma, }

1843. Palmillas to Havana, posted in Roque. Unpaid single-weight letter. This is the only type of marking from this town, recorded in 1843. Its population was only 115. UNLISTED.



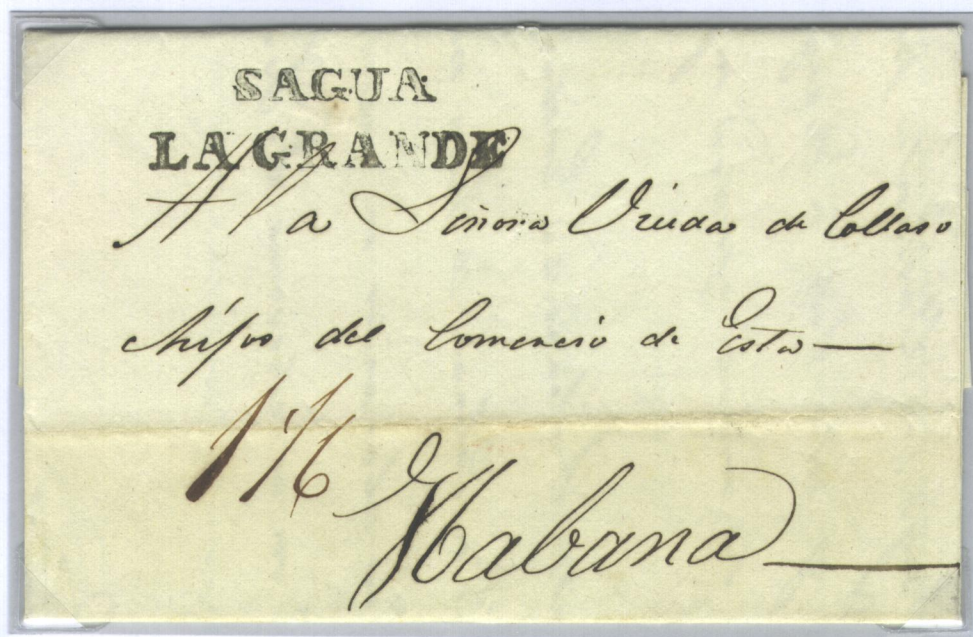
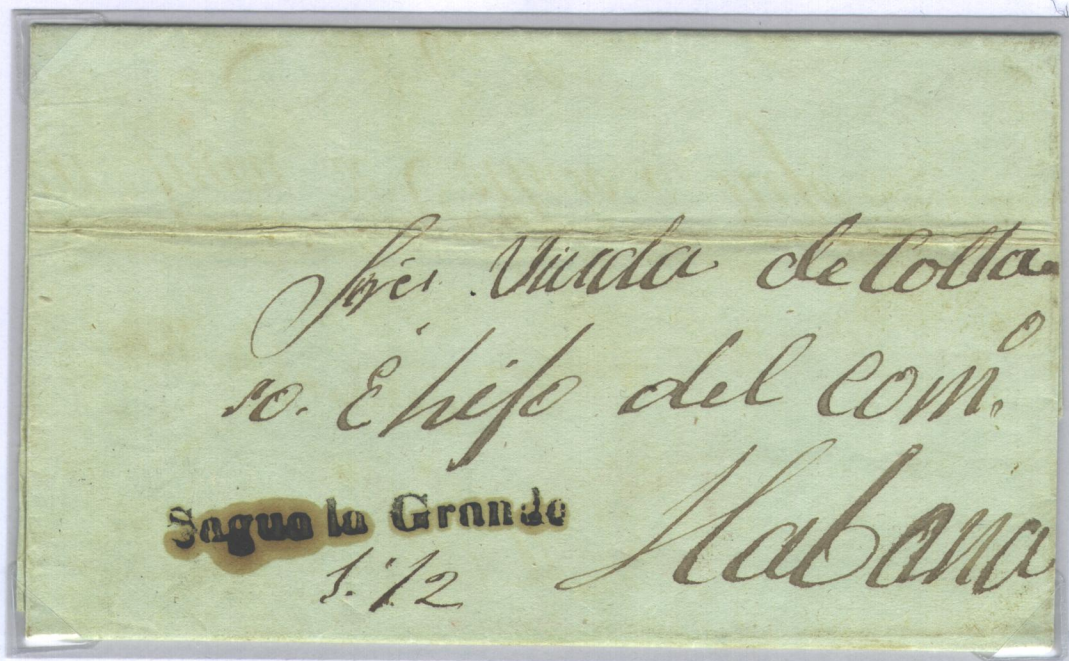
1858. Prepaid official mail wrapper from San Jose de las Lajas to Jaruco. The oval grill was used to indicate official mail prepayment when official mail stamps, issued in 1858, were not available. This is the only type of marking from this town, recorded between 1854 and 1861. Its population was 1,100. RR.



1861. Prepaid official mail wrapper from San Jose de las Lajas to Guanabacoa. A handstamp on the reverse shows that two reales were paid, indicating it weighed up to $\frac{3}{4}$ ounces. RRR (in black).

This is the only "straightline" marking known used as a circular date stamp with the manuscript date in its center.

1834. Sagua la Grande to Havana. Unpaid letter of up to ½ ounce. Its population was 2,807. This is the first type of postmark from this town, recorded between 1834 and 1837. R.

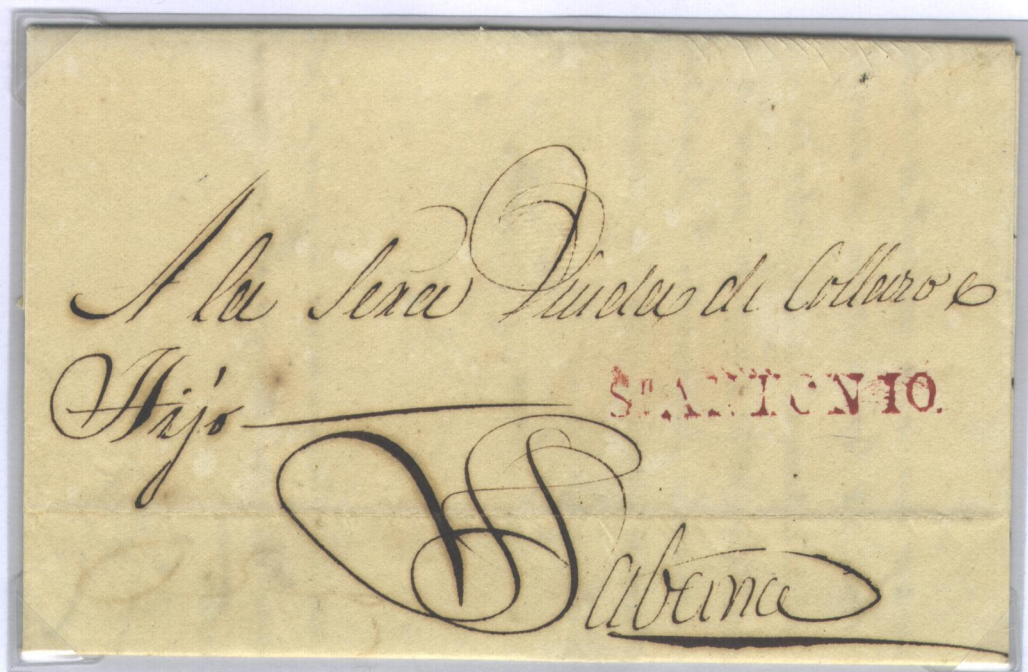


1834. Sagua la Grande to Havana. Unpaid letter of up to ½ ounce. This is the second type of postmark from this town, recorded from 1837 to 1842. ME.

S. ANTONIO

Havana Province
Third Class

1834. San Antonio to Havana. Unpaid single-weight letter. This is the only type of postmark from this town, recorded between 1832 and 1842. Its population was 3,180. R.



1839. San Antonio to Havana. Unpaid official mail wrapper of up to 1.75 ounces. RRR.



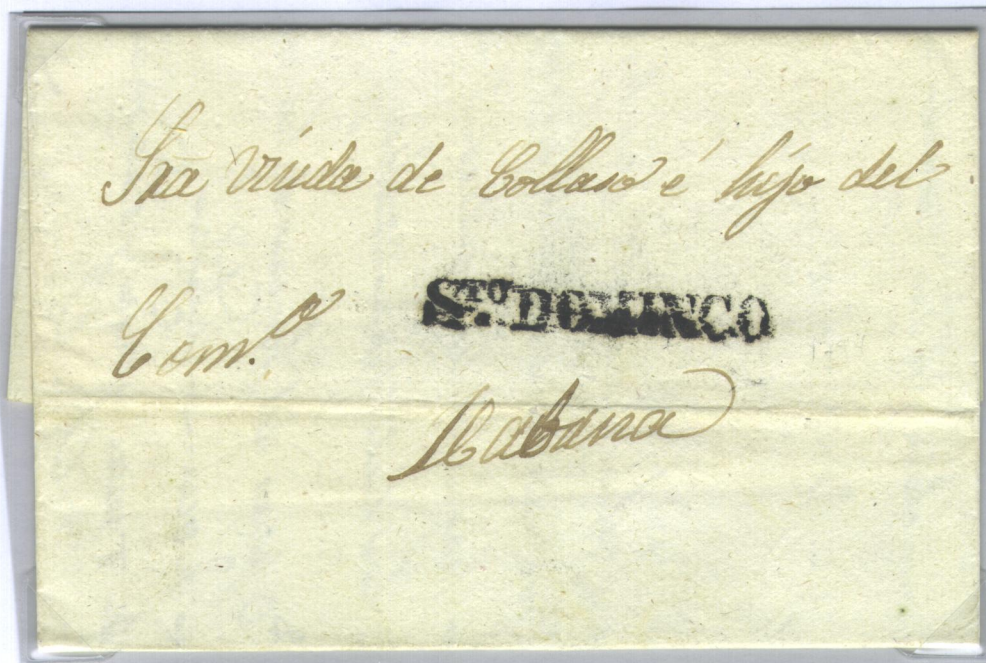
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Las Villas Province
Fourth Class

Las Villas Province
Third Class

1839. San Fernando to Havana. Unpaid letter of up to ½ ounce. This is the only type of postmark from this town, recorded between 1838 and 1839. Its population was only 420. RRR.



1837. Santo Domingo to Havana. Unpaid single-weight letter. This is the only type of postmark from this town, recorded between 1837 and 1839. Its population was only 176. RRR.

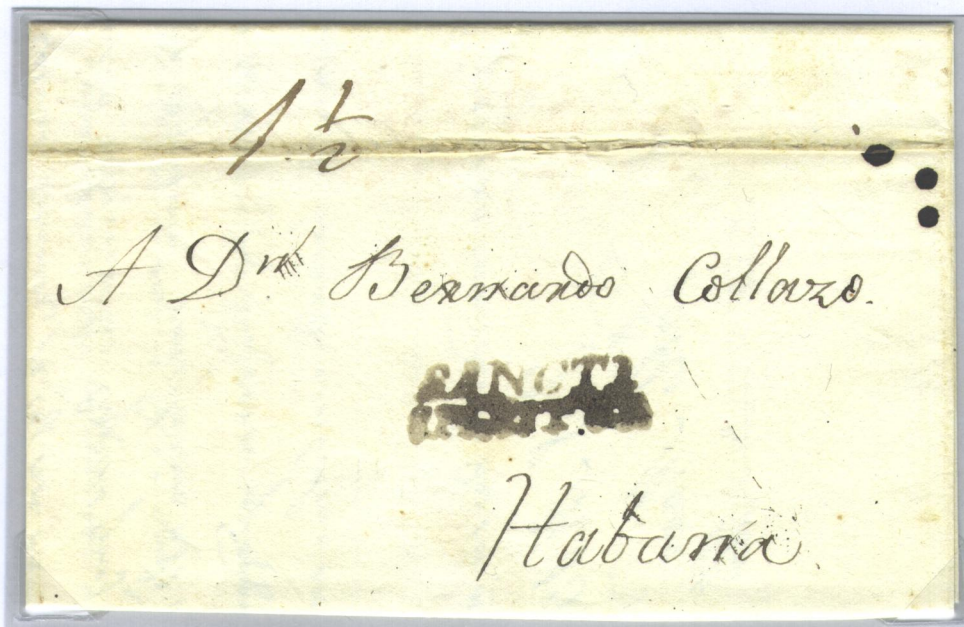
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Matanzas Province
Fourth Class

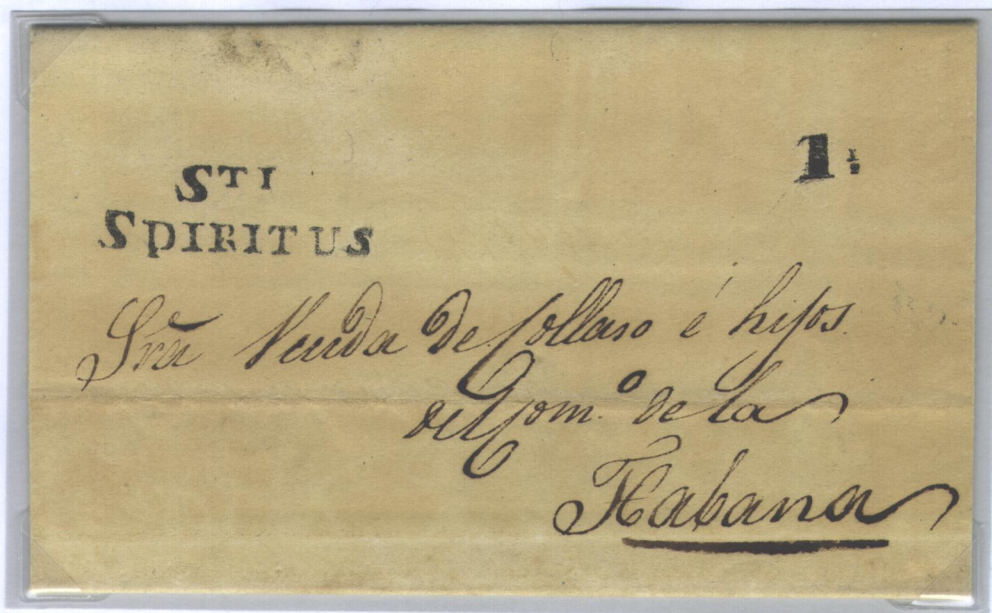
Las Villas Province
First Class

1839. Ceiba Mocha to Matanzas. Unpaid official mail of up to $\frac{3}{4}$ ounce. This is the only type of postmark from this town, recorded between 1839 and 1840. Its population was only 506. EXT.



1829. Sancti Spiritus to Havana. Unpaid letter of up to $\frac{1}{2}$ ounce. This is the first type of postmark from this city, recorded between 1799 and 1829. Its population was 7,500. RRR.

1832. Sancti Spiritus to Havana. Unpaid letter of up to ½ ounce. This is the second type of postmark from this city, recorded between 1831 and 1844. C.

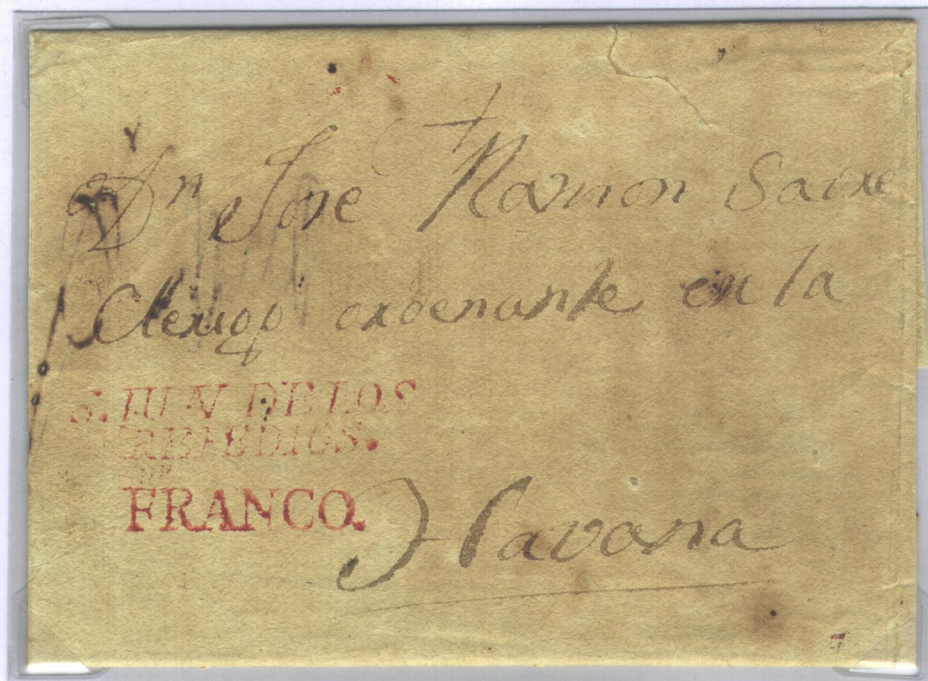


1836. Sancti Spiritus to Havana. Unpaid letter of up to ½ ounce. E.

SAN JUAN DE LOS REMEDIOS
(Remedios)

Las Villas Province
Second Class

c1819. Prepaid letter from Remedios to Havana. This is the second type of marking from this city, recorded between 1812 and 1840, and the earliest example of the FRANCO (PAID), known used until 1838. There is only one letter with the first type of postmark from this town in the Cuban Postal Museum (1793). C and R (FRANCO).



1832. Remedios to Havana. Unpaid single-weight letter. This city had 4,400 inhabitants.

SAN JUAN
DE LOS
REMEDIOS
(Remedios)

1823. Prepaid official
mail wrapper from
Remedios to Puerto
Principe (Camagüey).

1823

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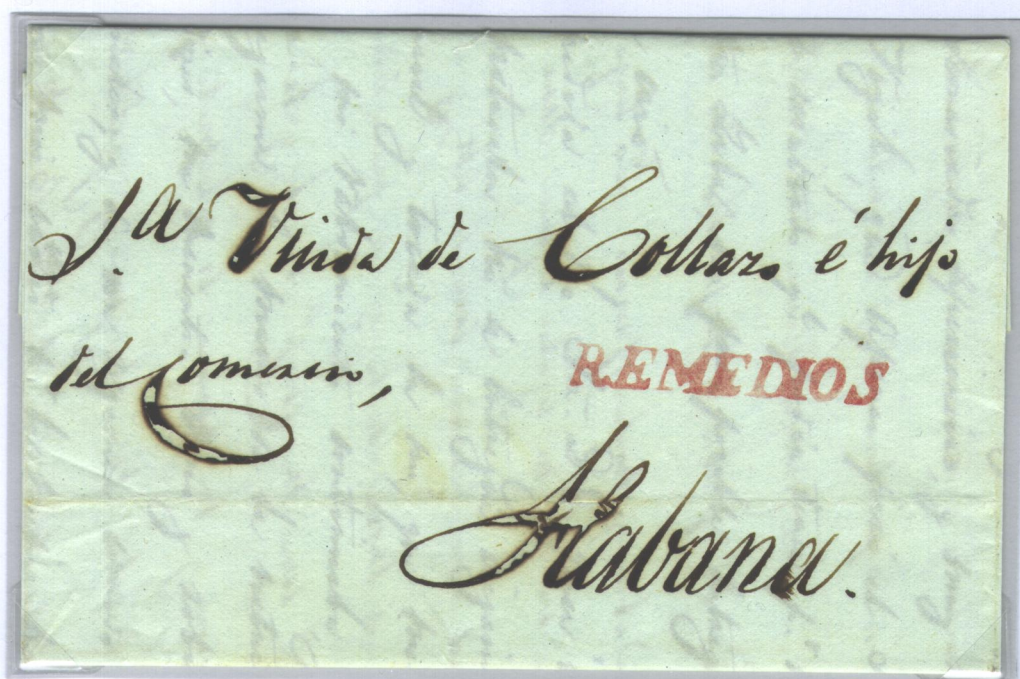
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S. JUAN DE LOS
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Puerto Principe

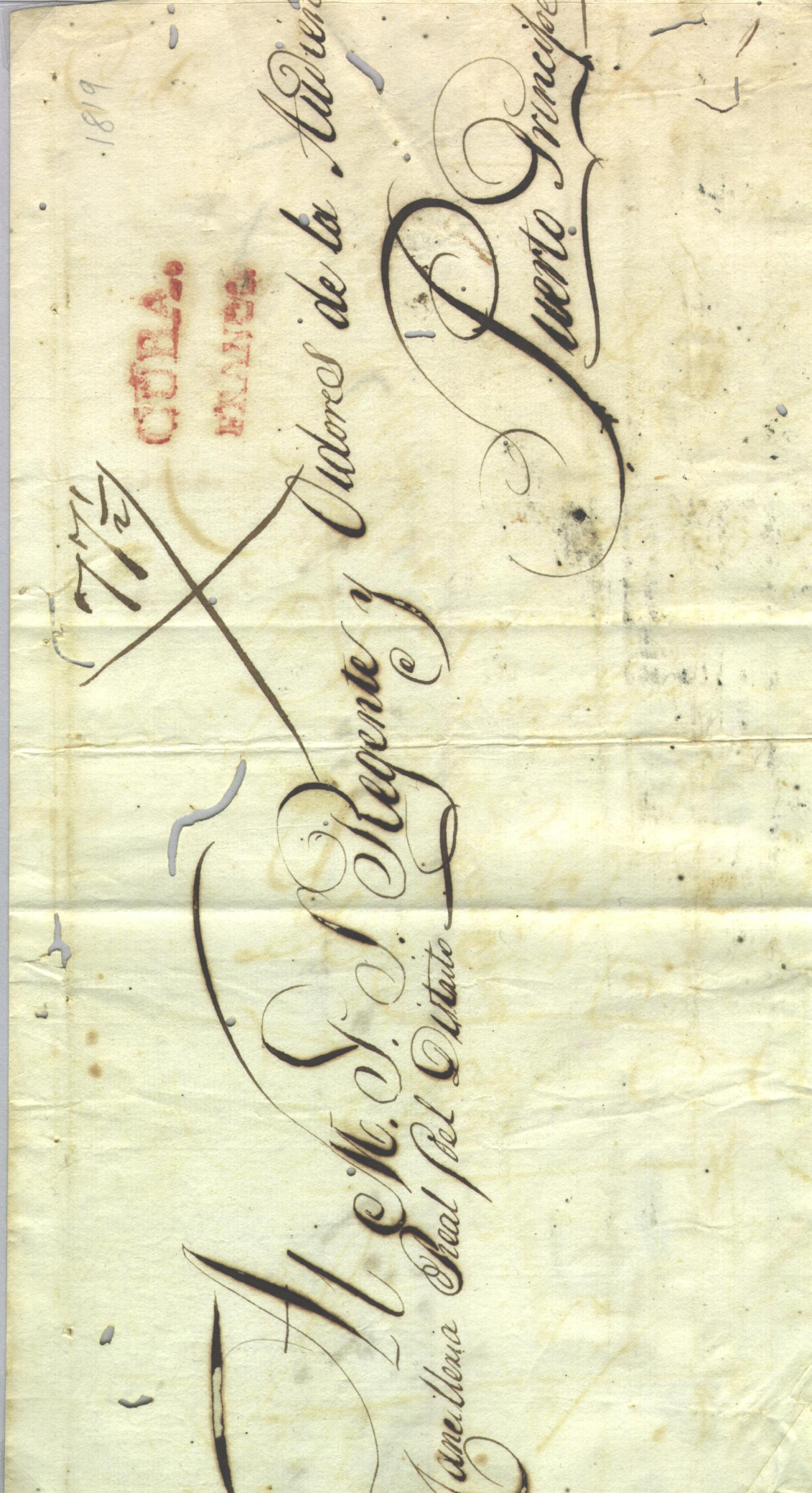
1827. Prepaid letter from Remedios to Havana. This is the third type of marking from this city, recorded between 1827 and 1838, which integrated the word FRANCO. R.



1842. Remedios to Havana. Unpaid single-weight letter. This is the fourth and last postmark from this city, used between 1840 and 1843. ME.

CUBA
(Santiago
de Cuba)

1819. Prepaid official mail wrapper from Santiago de Cuba to Puerto Principe (Camagüey). The second largest city in the island had a population of 24,000. These are the first types of town and FRANCO (PAID) markings from this city, both recorded between 1798 and 1826. The large X under the rate marking typically indicated pepayment. This document must have weighed about 15½ ounces. R and RRR (FRANCO).



CUBA
(Santiago de Cuba)

Oriente Province
Principal Post Office



1835. Santiago de Cuba to Havana. Unpaid single-weight letter. This is the second type of marking from this city, recorded between 1827 and 1837. ME.

1836. Official mail wrapper from Santiago de Cuba to Puerto Principe (Camagüey). Its contents must have weighed up to 4¼ ounces. UNLISTED.

Only recorded example of this marking in black.



CUBA
(Santiago de Cuba)

Oriente Province
Principal Post Office

1838. Santiago de Cuba to Havana. Unpaid single-weight letter. This is the third type of marking from this city, recorded between 1837 and 1842. RRR.



1842. Santiago de Cuba to Bordeaux, France. Unpaid double-weight letter sent by British packet via, St. Thomas and Falmouth. The British fee was 3 shillings, two pence, and the French charged 5 francs, 2 decimes. Very unusual usage of this marking on foreign mail. ME.

CUBA
(Santiago de Cuba)

Oriente Province
Principal Post Office

Used on incoming foreign mail.

1823. Kingston, Jamaica, to Madrid, Spain, via Santiago de Cuba. Unpaid single-weight letter charged 5 reales de vellón in Spain. It was posted in Santiago. Very unusual usage.



1839. Kingston, Jamaica, to Havana via Santiago de Cuba. Unpaid single-weight letter carried privately to Santiago where it entered the mail. Very unusual usage.

FRANCO
CUBA

Oriente Province
Principal Post Office

This marking was used exclusively by the Cuban private steamship company "Empresa Mercantil de Correos Marítimos," and it has been recorded between 1831 and 1837.



1831. Santiago de Cuba to San Sebastian, Spain. It is a single weight letter sent prepaid (4 silver reales) on board one of the *Empresa* steamers to Spain. RRR.

SAGUA

Oriente Province
Third Class

SANTA CATALINA
(Guantanamo)

Oriente Province
Third Class

1845. Sagua de Tanamo to Santiago de Cuba. Unpaid letter of up to $\frac{3}{4}$ ounce. This is the only type of postmark from this small town, known only in 1845. Its population was 471. EXT.



1844. Prepaid letter from Santa Catalina del Saltadero (Guantanamo) to Santiago de Cuba. Its population was 913. This is the only type of FRANCO (paid) postmark from this town, recorded only in 1844. EXT.