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<FAJA8709> Fajarnés y Tur, Enrique

"Correo marítimo ordinario y metódico establecido en el siglo XVIII entre España y las Indias Occidentales"
("Ordinary and Methodical Maritime Posts Established in the 18th Century Between Spain and the West Indies")
Madrid, Spain: Revista de Correos, Yr.22, No.850, 25 Sep 1887, pp.1039-1042 (4), Span.

This article consists of three parts: Part I is a brief commentary on the lack of published information about the Spanish maritime mail service with the Indies. Part II reproduces the Royal Order issued by King Carlos III of Spain on 6 August 1764 establishing regular maritime mail service between Spain and the West Indies. Part III reproduces the Royal Instruction of 24 August 1764 for the operation of this service between the port of La Coruña in northern Spain and the Indies. The article is followed by a brief commentary by the editor of the journal reflecting on the deficiencies of the maritime mail service, citing a subsequent Royal Order that tried to correct those deficiencies, and ending with some philosophical musings on the impact of the Spanish maritime mail service in the development of the Americas (see <VELA8709>).

<FAJA8900> Fajarnés y Tur, Enrique

Contribución al Estudio de la Historia del Correo en España
(Contribution to the Study of the History of the Posts in Spain)

Palencia, Spain: Imprenta M.G.Hernández, 1890, 22 pp. + index, Span.

Divided in 3 parts: Part 1: Post of Aragón and Catalonia; Part 2: Maritime Mail Between Spain and the Indies; Part 3: Army Mail in Minorca--1781. Biographical information on the author is available from diariodeibiza.es.

<FAWD6600> Fawdry, C. W.

"The Early Postal Markings of Cuba"
España, Vol.IX, No.3, WNo.35, 1966, pp.2-3.

<FAWD6607> Fawdry, C. W.

"Cuba and Puerto Rico. The 1/2 Real Stamp of 1857."
GSM, Vol.39, No.11, July 1966, pp.181-183, ill.
Good article on the void corner variety of this stamp.

<FC> El Filatelista Cubano (The Cuban Philatelist)

Miami, Florida: Quarterly journal of the Círculo Filatélico Cubano de Miami (The Cuban Philatelic Circle of Miami); edited by Agustín J. Cantens, Jr., the Circle's founder. Four issues (Vol.I: Jul, Sep, Dec 1971 and Mar 1972) were published entirely in Spanish under the title El Filatelista Cubano. Starting with the third issue of Dec 1971, a parallel publication, The Cuban Philatelist, Vol.I, No.1, also dated Dec 1971, started to be published as the "English edition of El Filatelista Cubano" translating most, but not exactly all its content into English. These parallel editions only lasted for two issues, the second being issue No. 4, of El Filatelista Cubano, dated March 1972, that was paralleled in English by The Cuban Philatelist, Vol.I, Nos.2 & 3, also dated March 1972. Thereafter, El Filatelista Cubano ceased publication and The Cuban Philatelist became a bi-lingual journal starting with Vol.II, Issue No.1, dated July 1972, indicating under its title that it was the "Official Organ of the Cuban Philatelic Club, Inc." when the former Círculo Filatélico de Miami was incorporated and renamed The Cuban Philatelic Club, Inc. of America. The four published issues of El Filatelista Cubano were:

[Vol.I, No.1, Jul 1971, 6 pp.](#)

[Vol.I, No.3, Dec 1971, 14 pp.](#)

[Vol.I, No.2, Sep 1971, 10 pp.](#)

[Vol.I, No.4, Mar 1972, 12 pp.](#)

(Issues of The Cuban Philatelist are listed under CP in this bibliography).

<FC7107> El Filatelista Cubano

"El Club Filatélico de Cuba" ("The Philatelic Club of Cuba")
FC, Vol.1, No.1, July 1971, p3, ill., Span.

One page history of the Philatelic Club of Cuba with highlights from its founding in 1926 until its demise with the advent of the Castro revolution.

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<FC7109a> El Filatelista Cubano

"Cuba Libre. Patriotas en los Sellos de Cuba"
("Free Cuba. Patriots on Cuban Stamps")
FC, Vol.1, No.2, September 1971, pp.3-4, Span.

<FC7109b> El Filatelista Cubano

"Historia Postal Cubana. Los Sellos de Cuba y Puerto Rico de 1873 a 1876."
("Cuban Postal History. The Stamps of Cuba and Puerto Rico from 1873 to 1876.")
FC, Vol.1, No.2, September 1971, pp.5-6, Span. See <CP7207> for an English translation by Mercedes C. Stein..

<FCa> Filatelia Cubana (Cuban Philately) -- Sociedad Filatélica de Cuba (SFC)

La Habana, Cuba: Official journal of the Sociedad Filatélica de Cuba (Cuban Philatelic Society); published monthly from Yr.I, No.1, April 1938 to Yr.II, No.3, August 1939 (possibly later). This is item 37560 in <HORN9600>.

<FCb> Filatelia Cubana (Cuban Philately) -- Federación Filatélica Cubana (FFC)

La Habana, Cuba: Federación Filatélica Cubana (FFC) (Cuban Philatelic Federation), Oct-Dec 1965, Yr.1, No.1, to Jan-Jun 1990, Yr.25, No.1; followed by scattered issues in 1995, 1998, 2002-04, 2006. Unauthored articles appearing in this journal are listed under entry key **FCb** and heading **Filatelia Cubana (FFC)**. This journal is item 37570 in <HORN9600>.

Official journal of the "Federación Filatélica Cubana" (founded under the Castro government and run under its auspices). Although the journal is slanted heavily toward current Cuban philately, good articles of preCastro Cuban philately are regularly included. A 30 page [subject index](#) of the entire journal provided by Juan Hernández Machado is available.

Following is a list of the numbers published with their dates (I'm missing originals of nos. followed by an *):

[Yr.1, No.1, Oct-Dec 1965](#); no other Nos. were published in Yr.1;*

[Yr.2, No.1, Jan-Mar 1966](#); [No.2, Apr-Jun 1966](#);

[Yr.2, No.3, Jul-Sep 1966](#); [No.4, Oct-Dec 1966](#);

[Yr.3, No.1, Jan-Mar 1967](#); [No.2, Apr-Jun 1967](#);

[Yr.3, No.3, Jul-Sep 1967](#); [No.4, Oct-Dec 1967](#);

[Yr.4, No.1-2, Jan-Jun 1968](#); [No.3-4, Jul-Dec 1968](#);

[Yr.5, No.1-2, Jan-Jun 1969](#); [No.3-4, Jul-Dec 1969](#);

[Yr.6, No.1-4, Jan-Dec 1970](#);

[Yr.7, No.1-4, Jan-Dec 1971](#);

[Yr.8, No.1-2, Jan-Jun 1972](#); no other Nos. were published in Yr.8;

No issues were published in 1973;

[Yr.9, No.1, Jan-Apr 1974](#); [No.2, May-Aug 1974](#); [No.3, Sep-Dec 1974](#);

[Yr.10, No.1, Jan-Apr 1975](#); [No.2, May-Aug 1975](#); [No.3, Sep-Dec 1975](#);

[Yr.11, No.1, Jan-Apr 1976](#); [No.2, May-Aug 1976](#); [No.3, Sep-Dec 1976](#);

[Yr.12, No.1, Jan-Apr 1977](#); [No.2, May-Aug 1977](#); [No.3, Sep-Dec 1977](#);

[Yr.13, No.1, Jan-Apr 1978](#); [No.2, May-Aug 1978](#); [No.3, Sep-Dec 1978](#);

[Yr.14, No.1, Jan-Apr 1979](#); [No.2, May-Aug 1979](#); [No.3, Sep-Dec 1979](#);

[Yr.15, No.1, Jan-Apr 1980](#); [No.2, May-Aug 1980](#); [No.3, Sep-Dec 1980](#);

[Yr.16, No.1, Jan-Apr 1981](#); [No.2, May-Aug 1981](#); [No.3, Sep-Dec 1981](#);

[Yr.17, No.1, Jan-Apr 1982](#); [No.2, May-Aug 1982](#); [No.3, Sep-Dec 1982](#);

[Yr.18, No.1, Jan-Apr 1983](#); [No.2, May-Aug 1983](#); [No.3, Sep-Dec 1983](#);

[Yr.19, No.1, Jan-Apr 1984](#); [No.2, May-Aug 1984](#); No.3--not published;

[Yr.20, No.1, Jan-Apr 1985](#); [No.2-3 1985 \(no month date present\)](#);

[Yr.21, No.1 1986 \(no month\)](#); [No.2 1986 \(no month\)](#); [No.3 1986 \(no month\)](#);

[Yr.22, No.1, Jan-Apr 1987](#); [No.2, May-Aug 1987](#); [No.3, Sep-Dec 1987](#);

[Yr.23, No.1, Jan-Apr 1988](#); [No.2, May-Aug 1988](#)

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Issue No.3 of Yr.23 was not published--see note in Issue No.1, Yr.24, p.24.

With Issue No.1 of Yr.24 the traditional format of the publication was abandoned in favor of a larger page size. The page size changed from 6x9 in. to 7.25x10.5 in. for the next four issues.

[Yr.24, No.1, Jan-Apr 1989](#):# [No.2, May-Aug 1989](#); [No.3, Sep-Dec 1989](#);

[Yr.25, No.1, Jan-Jun 1990](#); (last issue published until 1995);

After 1990, the continuous year date is dropped. Only two issues are published between 1990 and 2002 during the tough economic times after the fall of the Soviet Union and its cessation of economic support to Cuba. The traditional format of the publication is abandoned in favor of a larger page size.

[Issue No.1, Yr.1995](#), (no month date), 52 pages, size 7.3x10.5 in. (18.5x26.7 cm.);

[Issue No.1, Jan-Apr 1998](#), 52 pages, size 8.5x11.2 inches (21.5x28.5 cm).

A new size format and numbering system starts to be used after another lapse in publication from 1998 to 2002. The size of the next six issues is approximately 5.75 x 8.25 in. (15 by 21 cm.).

[Issue No.1, Yr.2002](#) (no month date), 16 pp. This issue is dated September-December 2001 in a footer on p.2.

[Issue No.2, Yr. 2002](#) (no month date), 16 pp. This issue is dated September-December 2002 in a footer on p.2.

Issue No.2 in its first couple of pages makes reference to the journal's sporadic publication after 1998 due to the financial difficulties of the times in the island.

[Issue No.1, Yr.2003](#), 16 pp. This issue is labeled Yr.2 in a footer on p.2.

[Issue No.4, undated](#) (probably early 2004 from content) 16 pp. This issue indicates that this is the fourth issue in the new smaller format that started being used with Issue No.1 of 2002—this is in spite of the fact that the Yr.2003 issue was labeled Issue No.1 rather than No.3.

[Issue No.5, Year 2004](#), 16 pp.

[Issue No.6, Year 2006](#), 16 pp. (this is the last published issue of the journal).

<[FCb-Marcofilia](#)> **Filatelia Cubana (FFC)**

"Marcofilia"

Running section in *Filatelia Cubana* from issue No.1 to the last issue, although the section does not appear on all issues of the journal. The section was dedicated to the reporting and illustration of Cuban commemorative cancellations primarily of the Castro era, but occasionally included some Republic cancellations. See Section 19 of <[HERNM0708](#)> for a comprehensive index of the contents of this section for the entire run of the journal.

<[FCb6510a](#)> **Filatelia Cubana (FFC)**

"Editorial: Recuento de una Labor" ("Editorial: Recount of an Undertaking")

FCb, Yr.1, No.1, Oct-Dec 1965, pp.1-10, Span.

Report of the creation of the Cuban Philatelic Federation by the Cuban Revolutionary Government of Fidel Castro to place all activities related to the collecting of stamps in Cuba under full government control via the Federation. The article copies the various government law decrees to that effect, including the creation of the journal *Filatelia Cubana* as the official journal of the Federation.

<[FCb6510b](#)> **Filatelia Cubana (FFC)**

"Agencias postales extranjeras en Cuba durante el Siglo XIX"

("Foreign Postal Agencies in Cuba During the 19th Century")

FCb, Yr.1, No.1, Oct-Dec 1965, pp.11-14 (4), Span.

<[FCb6510c](#)> **Filatelia Cubana (FFC)**

"Emisiones de Cuba" ("Cuban Issues")

FCb, Yr.1, No.1, Oct-Dec 1965, pp.15-19 (5), ill., Span.

Full discussion of Cuba's 1959 stamp issues, including official documents.

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<[FCb6510d](#)> Filatelia Cubana (FFC)

"Marcofilia" ("Special Event Cancellations")

FCb, Yr.1, No.1, Oct-Dec 1965, pp.23-25, ill., Span.

Description and illustration of cancellations commemorating special events published as a regular feature in all issues of the journal. This issue lists special event cancellations for the year 1965.

<[FCb6601a](#)> Filatelia Cubana (FFC)

"Habilitación de la Emisión de 1855 con 'Y 1/4' para el uso local o interior de la Ciudad de la Habana"
("Surcharging of the 1855 Issue with 'Y 1/4' for the Local or Interior Use of the City of Havana")

FCb, Yr.2, No.1, Jan-Mar 1966, pp.9-13 (5), ill., Span.

<[FCb6601b](#)> Filatelia Cubana (FFC)

"Primer Aniversario del Museo Postal Cubano"

("First Anniversary of the Cuban Postal Museum")

FCb, Yr.2, No.1, Jan-Mar 1966, pp.14-16 (3), ill., Span.

<[FCb6601c](#)> Filatelia Cubana (FFC)

"Emisiones Cubanas" ("Cuban Issues")

FCb, Yr.2, No.1, Jan-Mar 1966, pp.17-20 (4), ill., Span.

Full details of several 1959 issues.

<[FCb6601d](#)> Filatelia Cubana (FFC)

"Reseña Sobre la Emisión Comemorativa del Primer Aniversario de la Revolución"
("Overview of the Commemorative Issue of the First Anniversary of the Revolution")

FCb, Yr.2, No.1, Jan-Mar 1966, pp.20-25 (6), ill., Span.

Very detailed study of the issue.

<[FCb6601e](#)> Filatelia Cubana (FFC)

"Marcofilia: Exhibición Filatélica *Conquista del Espacio*"

("Marcophilately: Philatelic Exhibition *Conquest of Space*")

FCb, Yr.2, No.1, Jan-Mar 1966, pp.28-31 (4), ill., Span.

<[FCb6601f](#)> Filatelia Cubana (FFC)

"Actividades Filatélicas: Santiago de las Vegas—Vanguardia 1965"

("Philatelic Activities: Santiago de las Vegas—Vanguard 1965")

FCb, Yr.2, No.1, Jan-Mar 1966, pp.32-37 (6), Span.

<[FCb6604a](#)> Filatelia Cubana (FFC)

"Legislación Filatélica" ("Philatelic Legislation")

FCb, Yr.2, No.2, April-June 1966, pp.2-4 (3), Span.

Official government regulations to be observed by Cuban collectors in the purchase and exchange of philatelic material. Entry <AF6303> covers the same subject.

<[FCb6604b](#)> Filatelia Cubana (FFC)

"Historia Postal Cubana. Los Sellos de Cuba y Puerto Rico de 1873 a 1876."

("Cuban Postal History. The Stamps of Cuba and Puerto Rico from 1873 to 1876.")

FCb, Yr.2, No.2, April-June 1966, pp.8-9 (2), ill., Span.

<[FCb6604c](#)> Filatelia Cubana (FFC)

"Algo de historia sobre los 'Habilitados' de Puerto Príncipe"

("A Little Bit of Background on the Puerto Príncipe Surcharged Stamps")

FCb, Yr.2, No.2, April-June 1966, pp.9-11 (3), Span.

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<[FCb6604d](#)> Filatelia Cubana (FFC)

"Emisiones de Cuba Revolucionaria"
("Revolutionary Cuba Stamp Issues")
FCb, Yr.2, No.2, April-June 1966, pp.16-22 (7), ill., Span.

<[FCb6604e](#)> Filatelia Cubana (FFC)

"Actividades Filatélicas. La Biblioteca y la Actividad Filatélica Juvenil"
("Philatelic Activities. The Library and Philatelic Youth Activities")
FCb, Yr.2, No.2, April-June 1966, pp.23-28 (6), ill., Span.

<[FCb6604f](#)> Filatelia Cubana (FFC)

"Marcofilia" ("Marcophily")
FCb, Yr.2, No.2, April-June 1966, pp.29-33 (5), ill., Span.
Description and illustration of cancellations commemorating special events from February to April 1966.

<[FCb6604g](#)> Filatelia Cubana (FFC)

"Maximafilia" ("Maximaphily")
FCb, Yr.2, No.2, April-June 1966, pp.34-36 (3), ill., Span.

<[FCb6604h](#)> Filatelia Cubana (FFC)

"Canje Filatélico Internacional. Tarifas Postales Aéreas"
("International Philatelic Exchange. Airmail Postal Rates")
FCb, Yr.2, No.2, April-June 1966, pp.39-49 (11), Span.
Comprehensive list of airmail rates for the benefit of stamp collectors' exchange.

<[FCb6607a](#)> Filatelia Cubana (FFC)

"Legislación Filatélica" ("Philatelic Legislation")
FCb, Yr.2, No.3, Jul-Sep 1966, p.3, Span.
Resolution No.272 of the Ministry of Communications announcing the 16 stamp issues planned for 1967.

<[FCb6607b](#)> Filatelia Cubana (FFC)

"Historia Postal Cubana. La Expedición Punitiva de España Contra Méjico en 1861 y los Sellos de Correos de Antillas Españolas Utilizados por las Tropas de las Mismas."
("Cuban Postal History. The Punitive Expedition of Spain to Mexico in 1861 and the Spanish Antilles Stamps Used by the Expeditionary Forces.")
Unlisted author: José Luis Guerra Aguiar (see entry <[GUER6607](#)>).
FCb, Yr.2, No.3, Jul-Sep 1966, pp.4-7 (4), ill., Span.

Short but excellent philatelic study of this little known episode and its philatelic ramifications.

<[FCb6607c](#)> Filatelia Cubana (FFC)

"Emisiones de Cuba Revolucionaria" ("Issues of the Cuban Revolution")
FCb, Yr.2, No.3, Jul-Sep 1966, pp.12-15 (4), Span.

This article is divided in two sections: 1) "Los habilitados para dos centavos" ("The stamps surcharged two cents"), and 2) "Hallazgos Reportados" ("Reported Discoveries"). The first section is a study of the surcharge varieties in the surcharged stamps Scott 641-643, with identification of the plate positions where the varieties occur. The second section discusses several errors and varieties found in stamps of the Cuban Revolution that were unlisted in catalogs at the time.

<[FCb6607d](#)> Filatelia Cubana (FFC)

"Crónica de Novedades Cubanas" ("Chronicle of Cuban Novelties")

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FCb, Yr.2, No.3, Jul-Sep 1966, pp.25-30 (6), ill., Span.

This is a new feature of the journal dedicated to reporting new Ecofil catalog entries for the last trimester, new issues appearing during the current trimester corresponding to the journal's publication, and upcoming new issues for the months ahead. Catalog listings provide date of issue, catalog numbers, denominations, and color of the stamps together with an illustration of one of the stamps from each set. Current issues are preceded by an introductory paragraph describing them and are accompanied by illustrations of all of the values in the set. Forthcoming issues are listed with a descriptive title, denominations planned, and estimated date of issue, but no illustrations are provided.

<[FCb6607e](#)> **Filatelia Cubana** (FFC)

"Actividades Filatélicas" ("Philatelic Activities")

FCb, Yr.2, No.3, Jul-Sep 1966, pp.31-33 (3), Span.

Account of recently passed and ongoing philatelic activities throughout the island.

<[FCb6607f](#)> **Filatelia Cubana** (FFC)

"Marcofilia" ("Marcophily")

FCb, Yr.2, No.3, Jul-Sep 1966, pp.34-36 (3), ill., Span.

Description and illustration of cancellations commemorating special events from June to September 1966.

<[FCb6607g](#)> **Filatelia Cubana** (FFC)

"Canje Filatélico Internacional" ("International Philatelic Exchange")

FCb, Yr.2, No.3, Jul-Sep 1966, pp.37-43 (7), Span.

Rules for the conduct of international philatelic exchanges and extensive list of names, addresses, and offerings and want lists of philatelists from all over the island.

<[FCb6610a](#)> **Filatelia Cubana** (FFC)

"Editorial--Desarrollo de la Filatelia Cubana" ("Editorial--Development of Cuban Philately")

FCb, Yr.2, No.4, Oct-Dec 1966, pp.1-2 (2), Span.

Short editorial extolling the achievements of the Cuban revolution in promoting philately throughout the island as a major cultural initiative and demeaning the philatelic patrimony of the island before the revolution. Philately before the revolution is pictured as a hobby of an affluent oligarchy whereas the philately promoted by the revolutionary government is presented as a vehicle for the cultural development of the masses. This is quite a distorted view of philately in Cuba pre and after the revolution. The large number of philatelic journals of substantive content that were published during the first six decades of the Republic is a testament of the widespread interest of philatelic among the general public during that period. Philately during the revolutionary period has been converted into a vehicle of indoctrination of the masses for the revolutionary state and serious philately has simply been transferred into the hands of a new revolutionary oligarchy.

<[FCb6610b](#)> **Filatelia Cubana** (FFC)

"Cuba en el Extranjero" ("Cuba Abroad")

FCb, Yr.2, No.4, Oct-Dec 1966, pp.3-4, Span.

Transcription of comments published by Mr. Jal Cooper, editor of the India Stamp Journal, in the February 1966 issue of the journal, with respect to the embargo on the sale in the U.S. of Cuban stamps of the revolutionary period placed by the U.S. Government in February 1962. The article is basically anti-american propaganda alledging the U.S. is in violation of UNESCO, UPU, and the Postal Union of the Americas and Spain conventions and agreements when in fact none of those treaties have any jurisdiction over an internal law or prohibition imposed by the U.S. on its own citizens.

<[FCb6610c](#)> **Filatelia Cubana** (FFC)

"Hablemos de Filatelia" ("Let's Talk About Philately")

FCb, Yr.2, No.4, Oct-Dec 1966, p.5, ill., Span.

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Report of the start of a radio news hour dedicated to Cuban philately by the Cuban radio station CMQ under the sponsorship and control of the Cuban Philatelic Federation. The intent is to bring to the Cuban philatelic public advance news and reports of philatelic events taking place in the different philatelic circles all over the island, details of new issues, instruction about various aspects of philately, and an opportunity to ask questions on any aspect of philately of their interest. The article reports that the first such broadcast took place on 6 March 1966 and that to the date of publication 43 broadcasts had taken place.

<FCb6610d> Filatelia Cubana (FFC)

"Viet Nam"

FCb, Yr.2, No.4, Oct-Dec 1966, pp.6-7, ill., Span.

Short piece in support of the vietnamese people in their fight against the U.S. during the Viet Nam War. The article illustrates a first day cover of a set of stamps issued by Cuba to show solidarity with the vietnamese people and a couple of special event cancellations for philatelic exhibitions held in Cuba on 20 July 1964 and 2 Sept 1966 with the same theme.

<FCb6610e> Filatelia Cubana (FFC)

"Museo Postal Cubano" ("Cuban Postal Museum")

FCb, Yr.2, No.4, Oct-Dec 1966, p.8, ill., Span.

Another short piece showing an engraving of the first post office established in La Habana in 1765 and illustration of two stamps issued on Stamp Day 1963, one showing the mailbox at the post office and the other patrons depositing mail at the mailbox. The last paragraph of the article indicates that the Cuban Postal Museum contains many historical documents shedding light on the operation of the island's first postal administration.

<FCb6610f> Filatelia Cubana (FFC)

"Historia Postal Cubana. La Primera Emisión de Sellos de Correos Impresa en Cuba."

("Cuban Postal History. The First Stamp Issue Printed in Cuba.")

FCb, Yr.2, No.4, Oct-Dec 1966, pp.9-15 (7), ill., Span.

Excellent study of the "Map" stamp issue of 1914 (Scott 253-262).

<FCb6610g> Filatelia Cubana (FFC)

"Seminario Internacional de Tiempo Libre y Recreación—La Filatelia, Recreación Educativa y Cultural"

("International Seminary on Free Time and Entertainment—Philately, Educational and Cultural Entertainment")

FCb, Yr.2, No.4, Oct-Dec 1966, pp.16-22 (7), ill., Span.

This article is subdivided into the following sections:

Definiciones de Filatelia—Definitions of Philately

La filatelia como factor educativo de la personalidad—Philately as an educational factor in personality formation

La filatelia como vehículo de cultura—Philately as a cultural vehicle

La filatelia como fomento de la amistad entre los pueblos—Philately fostering friendships between countries

La filatelia como elemento de recreación—Philately as a source of entertainment

El desarrollo de la filatelia en Cuba—The development of philately in Cuba

The first five sections are generic in nature along the lines of their titles without much interest to the specialist.

The last section is a historical overview of the development of philately by the Cuban revolutionary government extolling the achievements in quickly placing the hobby within the reach of the general public throughout the entire island for their cultural development and entertainment (actually an excellent vehicle for marxist indoctrination of the masses). There is also the obligatory paragraph denouncing the practice of philately before the revolution as a speculative activity principally practiced by a few individuals concentrated around Habana for their personal enrichment or ostentation, be they dealers or collectors.

<FCb6610h> Filatelia Cubana (FFC)

"Marcofilia. La Cancelación, Centro y Objeto de la Colección"

("Marcophily. Cancellations, Center and Focus of a Collection")

FCb, Yr.2, No.4, Oct-Dec 1966, pp.23-31 (9), ill., Span.

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The focus of this article is the collecting of commemorative cancellations not regular cancellations. The article provides guidance for the collecting of commemorative cancellations and then describes several events held from September to December 1966 and illustrates the commemorative cancellations were prepared for each event.

<FCb6610i> Filatelia Cubana (FFC)

"Canje Filatélico Internacional" ("International Philatelic Exchange")
FCb, Yr.2, No.4, Oct-Dec 1966, pp.32-38 (7), ill., Span.

Notes on the procedures to be followed in the international exchange of philatelic material followed by a list of philatelists from all over the island soliciting exchanges of philatelic materials.

This piece is divided into three sections as follows:

La Reserva Filatélica y el Canje Internacional (The Philatelic Reserve and the International Philatelic Exchange),
Observaciones sobre el Canje Filatélico (Observations on Philatelic Exchanges), and
Solicitudes para el Establecimiento de Intercambios (Applications for Establishing Philatelic Exchanges)

<FCb6610j> Filatelia Cubana (FFC)

"Crónica de Novedades Cubanas" ("Chronicle of Cuban Novelties")
FCb, Yr.2, No.4, Oct-Dec 1966, pp.39-45 (7), ill., Span.

Chronicle of new Cuban issues from July to December 1966. These listings illustrate sample stamps for each issue and provide some detailed background and printing information for each issue.

<FCb6610k> Filatelia Cubana (FFC)

"Actividades Filatélicas. La Organización Filatélica Juvenil"
("Philatelic Activities. The Philatelic Youth Organization")
FCb, Yr.2, No.4, Oct-Dec 1966, pp.46-52 (7), ill., Span.

Report on the organization of philatelic circles in the provinces and their supervision by the Cuban Philatelic Federation.

<FCb6701a> Filatelia Cubana (FFC)

"Cuba en el Mundo de la Filatelia" ("Cuba in World Philately")
FCb, Yr.3, No.1, Jan-Mar 1967, p.3, Span.

The title of this item is the title of a short wave radio program on Cuban philately that is transmitted to Latin America and the Mediterranean area of Europe. The item lists dates, times, and frequencies of transmissions.

<FCb6701b> Filatelia Cubana (FFC)

"Hallazgos Reportados" ("Reported Discoveries")
FCb, Yr.3, No.1, Jan-Mar 1967, pp.12-16 (5), ill., Span.

Report of errors and varieties found in stamps of the Cuban Revolution that were unlisted in catalogs at the time.

<FCb6701c> Filatelia Cubana (FFC)

"Postal History. Consideraciones sobre las tres emisiones cubanas de sellos correspondientes a los años 1855, 1856 y su clasificación a los efectos postales."
("Postal History. Observations on the Cuban Stamp Issues of 1855 and 1856 and Their Postal Classification.")
Unlisted author: José Luis Guerra Aguiar (see entry <GUER5904a>).
FCb, Yr.3, No.1, January-March 1967, pp.17-22 (6), Span. Reprint of <GUER5904a>. For English translation see <GUER7510> or <CP7510>.

<FCb6701d> Filatelia Cubana (FFC)

"LXXV Aniversario de la Literatura Filatélica Cubana" ("75th Anniversary of Cuban Philatelic Literature")
FCb, Yr.3, No.1, Jan-Mar 1967, pp.23-24, 46 (3), Span.

Historical overview of the major Cuban philatelic publications of the last 75 years. The first two pages of this article is a very good overview of Cuban philatelic literature of the last 73 years, but unfortunately the article then discredits the content of the enormous philatelic production of those 73 years and starts extolling the role of the

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journal of the Cuban Philatelic Federation, [Filatelia Cubana](#) in spreading philatelic knowledge to the mass public. This is an unfortunate distortion of the reality of the richness of Cuban philatelic literature of those first 73 years that is amply documented in this bibliography. Writing in the year 2009, the philatelic literature of the Castro regime pales in comparison to that produced by the Cuban philatelic community in exile during the same period.

<[FCb6701e](#)> [Filatelia Cubana](#) (FFC)

"Marcofilia. Cancelaciones con Bandeleta de Propaganda"

("Marcophily. Slogan Cancellations")

[FCb](#), Yr.3, No.1, January-March 1967, pp.25-34 (10), ill., Span.

The subheading of this regular feature of the journal is actually the title of its first section dealing with slogan cancellations from 1959 to February 1967. This section is followed by three other sections. The second section is titled "Cancelaciones Conmemorativas de Eventos, Fechas, etc." ("Cancellations Commemorating Events, Dates, etc.") and covers such cancellations for the period 1960 to 1964. The third section is titled "Cancelaciones de Primer Día de Circulación" ("Cancellations of the First Day of Use") and covers first day cancellations from 1963 to 1966. Each of the preceding three sections have an introductory overview followed by illustrations of the corresponding cancellations. The fourth section goes back to cancellations commemorating special events or dates that took place in early 1967 or are scheduled to take place later that year and cover each event in greater detail, illustrating in one case the special cancellation issued for each day of the event.

<[FCb6701f](#)> [Filatelia Cubana](#) (FFC)

"Crónica de Novedades Cubanas" ("Chronicle of Cuban Novelties")

[FCb](#), Yr.3, No.1, January-March 1967, pp.36-37, ill., Span.

Chronicle of new Cuban issues from December 1966 to January 1967. These listings illustrate sample stamps for each issue and provide some detailed background and printing information for each issue.

<[FCb6701g](#)> [Filatelia Cubana](#) (FFC)

"Los sellos cubanos en los catálogos internacionales" ("Cuban Stamps in International Catalogs")

[FCb](#), Yr.3, No.1, January-March 1967, pp.38-46 (9), Span.

This simply a cross reference table between the Ecofil catalog published by the Cuban Government's (Empresa Comercial Filatélica/Commercial Philatelic Company) and the French Yvert catalog with prices in French francs and the British Gibbons catalog with prices in British pounds. Equivalencies between the currencies cited and the Cuban peso of 1967 are provided. The listings cover the issues from 1959 to 1966. See [FCb6704h](#) for a cross reference covering the period from 1902 to 1958.

<[FCb6704a](#)> [Filatelia Cubana](#) (FFC)

"Editorial—Promoción de la filatelia en el seno del Pueblo" ("Editorial—Promoting philately among the people") and "Plan de Trabajo del Ministerio de Comunicación, de la Unión de Pioneros de Cuba y de la Federación Filatélica Cubana Encaminada al Desarrollo de las Actividades Filatélicas por los Escolares de la Enseñanza Primaria" ("Work Plan of the Communications Department, the Cuban Pioneers Union, and the Cuban Philatelic Federation for the Development of Philatelic Activities for Primary School Children")

[FCb](#), Yr.3, No.2, Apr-Jun 1967, pp.1-4 (4), Span.

Editorial promoting the practice of philately among the people and especially among children through programs at their schools and work plan of the mentioned government agencies/organizations for the development of philatelic activities for primary school children. These are basically government plans for using philately as a tool for marxist indoctrination of young children in their formative years.

<[FCb6704b](#)> [Filatelia Cubana](#) (FFC)

"Emisiones de Cuba Revolucionaria. Emisión el Origen del Hombre"

("Revolutionary Cuba Issues. The Origins of Man Issue.")

[FCb](#), Yr.3, No.2, Apr-Jun 1967, pp.6-9 (4), ill., Span.

The story behind the stamp issue.

<[FCb6704c](#)> [Filatelia Cubana](#) (FFC)

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"Historia Postal Cubana. El Efémero Período Anexionista de la República Dominicana por España en el Siglo XIX" ("Cuban Postal History. The Brief Period of Annexation of the Dominican Republic by Spain in the 19th Century")
Unlisted author: José Luis Guerra Aguiar (see entry <GUER6704>).
FCb, Yr.3, No.2, Apr-Jun 1967, pp.16-18 (3), ill., Span.
Article on the use of Cuban stamps in the Dominican Republic from 1861 to 1865.

<[FCb6704d](#)> **Filatelia Cubana** (FFC)

"Marcofilia: La Exposición Nacional de 1911"
("Marcophily. The 1911 National Exposition")

FCb, Yr.3, No.2, Apr-Jun 1967, p.19-20, ill., Span.

The subheading of this regular feature of the journal is actually the title of its first section dealing with the commemorative cancellations prepared in Cuba on occasion of the first Cuban National Exposition of industry, agriculture, the arts, etc. held in Havana from February 2 to March 13, 1911. These cancellations were applied at the postal station "E" (Estación "E") established in the exposition grounds for the occasion. An undated circular cancel and a registry cancel were used and are illustrated. Background information of a non-philatelic nature on the exposition is provided.

Several other subsections on various cancellations commemorating special events follow the first section.

A brief description of each event is followed by illustrations of the cancellations issued to commemorate the event. Following are the additional sections.

Primer aniversario programas radiales filatélicos—First anniversary of radio programs on philately

Ataque al Palacio Presidencial (12 de marzo)—Attack on the Presidential Palace (March 12)

Cancelaciones aniversarios de ciudades cubanas—Anniversary cancellations for Cuban cities

Día internacional de la cosmonáutica—International Cosmonautics Day

Día del Sello—Stamp Day

Habana 1967—Philatelic Exhibition Habana 1967

Saludo al primero de mayo—Salute to May First.

<[FCb6704e](#)> **Filatelia Cubana** (FFC)

"Crónica de Novedades Cubanas" ("Chronicle of Cuban Novelties")

FCb, Yr.3, No.2, Apr-Jun 1967, p.26-30 (5), ill., Span.

Chronicle of new Cuban issues from January to June 1967 and projected issues from July to December of 1967.

These listings illustrate sample stamps for each issue and provide some detailed background and printing information for each issue.

<[FCb6704f](#)> **Filatelia Cubana** (FFC)

"Hallazgos Reportados" ("Reported Discoveries")

FCb, Yr.3, No.2, Apr-Jun 1967, p.31, ill., Span.

Report of errors and varieties found in stamps of the Cuban Revolution that were unlisted in catalogs at the time.

This entry is reporting an error of a missing yellow color in the 10c value of the set of stamps issued by Cuba to show solidarity with the vietnamese people during the Viet Nam War.

<[FCb6704g](#)> **Filatelia Cubana** (FFC)

"Canje Filatélico Internacional" ("International Philatelic Exchange")

FCb, Yr.3, No.2, Apr-Jun 1967, pp.32-41 (10), Span.

Notes on the procedures to be followed in the international exchange of philatelic material followed by a list of philatelists from all over the island soliciting exchanges of philatelic materials. This is followed this time by a philatelic dictionary translating Spanish philatelic terms into English and French to assist philatelists in their international communications.

<[FCb6704h](#)> **Filatelia Cubana** (FFC)

"Los sellos cubanos en los catálogos internacionales" ("Cuban Stamps in International Catalogs")

FCb, Yr.3, No.2, Apr-Jun 1967, pp.42-52 (11), Span.

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This is a complement to [<FCb6701g>](#) covering the stamps from 1902 to 1958

[<FCb6707a>](#) **Filatelía Cubana (FFC)**

"Sobre la Proyectoada Re-estructuración de Nuestra Federación"
("On the Projected Restructuring of Our Federation")

FCb, Yr.3, No.3, Jul-Sep 1967, pp.1-2 (2), Span.

Notes on the proposed restructuring of the Cuban Philatelic Federation.

[<FCb6707b>](#) **Filatelía Cubana (FFC)**

"Historia Postal Cubana. El Primer Sello Emitido por el Gobierno de la República de Cuba."
("Cuban Postal History. The First Stamp Issued by the Government of the Republic of Cuba.")

FCb, Yr.3, No.3, Jul-Sep 1967, pp.9-13 (5), Span. Source of this entry is [<WEISb0211>](#).

[<FCb6710a>](#) **Filatelía Cubana (FFC)**

"Historia Postal Cubana. Apuntes Históricos sobre el Correo en Cuba durante el Siglo XVIII."
("Cuban Postal History. Historical Notes on the Postal Service in Cuba During the 18th Century.")

FCb, Yr.3, No.4, Oct-Dec 1967, pp.3-8 (6), ill., Span.

[<FCb6801a>](#) **Filatelía Cubana (FFC)**

"Conozca Sus Sellos" ("Know Your Stamps")

FCb, Yr.4, Nos.1-2, Jan-Jun 1968, pp.20-21 (2), ill., Span.

The story behind the stamp. Biographical notes on Dr. Delgado Amestoy.

[<FCb6801b>](#) **Filatelía Cubana (FFC)**

"Emisiones Prohibidas" ("Forbidden Issues")

FCb, Yr.4, Nos.1-2, Jan-Jun 1968, pp.38-46 (9), Span.

Cuban stamp issues condemned by the F.I.P. are presented on p.43. Also see [<FIAF7300>](#).

[<FCb6807>](#) **Filatelía Cubana (FFC)**

"Cuba en el Mundo de la Filatelia" ("Cuba in the Philatelic World")

FCb, Yr.4, Nos.3-4, Jul-Dec 1968, pp.20-21, Span.

[<FCb6901>](#) **Filatelía Cubana (FFC)**

"Primer Congreso Nacional de la Federación Filatélica Cubana"
("First National Congress of the Cuban Philatelic Federation")

FCb, Yr.5, Nos.1-2, Jan-Jun 1969, pp.28-51 (24), ill., Span.

[<FCb6907>](#) **Filatelía Cubana (FFC)**

"Algunas Cosas Respecto a los Sellos de la Chambelona"

("Some Notes About the 'Chambelona' Stamps")

FCb, Yr.5, Nos.3-4, Jul-Dec 1969, pp.42-47 (6), ill., Span.

Very good notes trying to throw some light on this little known and highly controversial issue.

[<FCb7201>](#) **Filatelía Cubana (FFC)**

"Presencia de la Amistad Cubano-Chilena en la Filatelia"

("Presence of Cuban-Chilean Friendship in Philately")

FCb, Yr.8, Nos.1-2, Jan-Jun 1972, pp.30-32 (3), ill., Span.

Report of 1971 first flights from Cuba to Chile and vice versa with illustrations of four covers.

[<FCb7401>](#)# **Filatelía Cubana (FFC)**

"Errores Generalizados de Catalogación en los Sellos de Antillas Españolas"

("Generalized Errors in the Cataloging of Spanish Antilles Stamps")

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FCb, Yr.9, No.1, Jan-Apr 1974, pp.40-46 (7), ill., Span. Also listed as <[MPC7401](#)> and reprinted without all except one illustration in <[AFa7411](#)> = <[MPC7411](#)>.

<[FCb7405](#)> **Filatelía Cubana** (FFC)

"Las Marcas Desconocidas en la Emisión Regrabada de 1905"

("The Secret Marks in the Re-engraved Issue of 1905")

FCb, Yr.9, No.2, May-Aug 1974, pp.8-13 (6), ill., Span. See <[SPAJ7501](#)> for English translation.

<[FCb7409](#)># **Filatelía Cubana** (FFC)

"Los Sellos de la Chambelona" ("The Chambelona Stamps")

FCb, Yr.9, No.3, Sep-Dec 1974, pp.11-16 (6), ill., Span.

More on the controversy of this issue.

<[FCb7501a](#)> **Filatelía Cubana** (FFC)

"HABANA 74 y IV Congreso" ("HABANA 74 and Congress IV")

FCb, Yr.10, No.1, Jan-Apr 1975, pp.2-9 (8), ill., Span.

<[FCb7501b](#)> **Filatelía Cubana** (FFC)

"La Primera Emisión de Sellos Postales de Antillas Españolas"

("The First Issue of Postage Stamps of the Spanish Antilles")

FCb, Yr.10, No.1, Jan-Apr 1975, pp.39-44 (6), ill., Span.

See <[MPC7510](#)> for reprint without most of the illustrations.

<[FCb7501c](#)> **Filatelía Cubana** (FFC)

"Marcofilia" ("Philatelic Cancellations")

FCb, Yr.10, No.1, Jan-Apr 1975, pp.54-56 (3), ill., Span.

<[FCb7505a](#)> **Filatelía Cubana** (FFC)

"El Correo Local de la Habana" ("The Local Mail of Havana")

Unlisted author: José Luis Guerra Aguiar

FCb, Yr.10, No.2, May-Aug 1975, pp.8-13 (6), ill., Span. This is the same as entry <[GUER7505](#)>.

Another review of the Y 1/4 surcharged stamps. Well illustrated.

<[FCb7505b](#)> **Filatelía Cubana** (FFC)

"Perfil de un Científico Campesino" ("Profile of a Rural Scientist")

FCb, Yr.10, No.2, May-Aug 1975, pp.50-51 (2), ill., Span.

Story behind the stamp. Biographical notes on Dr. André Voisin.

<[FCb7509](#)> **Filatelía Cubana** (FFC)

"Los Falsos Postales de la Primera Emisión de Antillas Españolas"

("The Postal Forgeries of the First Issue of Spanish Antilles Stamps")

Unlisted author: José Luis Guerra Aguiar

FCb, Yr.10, No.3, Sep-Dec 1975, pp.14-24 (11), ill., Span. This is the same as <[GUER7509](#)>. See

<[GUER7604](#)> and <[GUER7609](#)> for reprints. <[GUER7604](#)> identifies Guerra Aguiar as the author.

Very good presentation of 16 different postal forgeries.

<[FCb7601a](#)> **Filatelía Cubana** (FFC)

"Proceso Evolutivo de las Marcas Postales Cubana"

("The Evolutionary Process of Cuban Postal Marks")

FCb, Yr.11, No.1, Jan-Apr 1976, inside front cover and inside back cover (2), ill., Span.

This piece just illustrates how Cuban postal markings evolved from the pre-philatelic stampless period to the early stamp period by describing the postal markings on four covers. The markings illustrated are a Matanzas

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straightline cancel on a cover to Habana, a Jibara Baeza cds on an official mail cover to Holguín, a Trinidad straightline cancel tying a first issue stamp to a cover addressed to Habana, and a Habana local mail cover with a Y 1/4 stamp tied by a Habana cds. There is not much substance to the piece--maily a space filler .

<FCb7601b> Filatelia Cubana (FFC)

"El Primer Sello de Correos Utilizado Exclusivamente en Cuba"
("The First Postage Stamp Used Exclusively in Cuba")

FCb, Yr.11, No.1, Jan-Apr 1976, pp.2-12 (11), ill., Span. Reprinted in <PORT8210>.

<FCb7605> Filatelia Cubana (FFC)

"Habilitados por la Nación" ("HABILITADO Por La NACION Overprinted Stamps")

Unlisted author: José Luis Guerra Aguiar

FCb, Yr.11, No.2, May-Aug 1976, pp.10-16 (7), ill., Span. This is the same as entry <GUER7605>.

Fine article, profusely illustrated, based on an earlier one by Barreras (see <BARR90206> and <BARR91104b>).

<FCb7609> Filatelia Cubana (FFC)

"Las Emisiones Postales Cubanas Durante la Dominación Española"

("Cuban Postal Issues During the Spanish Administration")

FCb, Yr.11, No.3, Sep-Dec 1976, pp.10-11 (2), ill., Span.

<FCb7701> Filatelia Cubana (FFC)

"Características de los Sellos Legítimos y Falsos en el Período de Cuba Colonial Española"

("Characteristics of the Genuine and Counterfeit Stamps of the Cuban Spanish Colony Period")

Author: Carlos Echenagusía G.

Part 1, FCb, Yr.12, No.1, Jan-Apr 1977, pp.20-23 (4), ill.;

Part 2, FCb, Yr.12, No.2, May-Aug 1977, pp.12-15 (4), ill., Span. This is the same as entry <ECHE7701>.

<FCb7709> Filatelia Cubana (FFC)

"El Sello de 2 Centavos Prensa Plana de Libritos de Carteros--1930"

("The 2 Cents Flat Press Printed Booklet Pane Stamp of 1930")

FCb, Yr.12, No.3, Sep-Dec 1976, pp.23-25 (3), ill., Span.

<FCb7801a> Filatelia Cubana (FFC)

"Una Visita al Museo Postal Cubano"

FCb, Yr.13, No.1, Jan-Apr 1976, pp.12-13, ill., Span.

<FCb7801b> Filatelia Cubana (FFC)

"Los Enteros Postales" ("Postal Stationery")

FCb, Yr.13, No.1, Jan-Apr 1976, pp.18-20, ill., Span.

<FCb7805a> Filatelia Cubana (FFC)

"Los Resellados de 1883" ("The 1883 Surcharged Stamps")

FCb, Yr.13, No.2, May-Aug 1976, pp.25-29 (5), ill., Span.

FCb, Yr.13, No.3, Sep-Dec 1976, p.32, ill., corrigendum.

<FCb7805b> Filatelia Cubana (FFC)

"205 Aniversario de la Universidad de La Habana"

("205th Anniversary of the University of Havana")

FCb, Yr.13, No.2, May-Aug 1976, pp.30-32 (3), Span.

<FCb7809> Filatelia Cubana (FFC)

"Páginas Interesantes de la Historia Postal de Cuba: El Correo de Nueva Orleans"

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("Interesting Cuban Postal History Pages: The New Orleans Post")
FCb, Yr.13, No.3, Sep-Dec 1976, pp.27-32 (6), ill., Span. Reprinted in <RF7905>.

<[FCb7905](#)> **Filatelia Cubana (FFC)**

"Nace Hace 100 Años: Servicio de Correos en los Ferrocarriles Oficinas Ambulantes"
("Born 100 Years Ago: The Railroad Post Office Mail Service")
FCb, Yr.14, No.2, May-Aug 1979, pp.6-10 (5), ill., Span.

<[FCb7909](#)> **Filatelia Cubana (FFC)**

"La desconocida 'segunda emisión' de sellos del 'Mapita' "
("The Unknown 'Second Issue' of the 'Map' Stamps")
FCb, Yr.14, No.3, Sep-Dec 1979, pp.14-16 (3), ill., Span.
Proof of the existence of a second issue (or printing?) of the "map" stamps of 1914-15 (Scott Nos.253-262).

<[FCb8001](#)> **Filatelia Cubana (FFC)**

"Origen de los diseños empleados en la emisión del centenario del nacimiento del Generalísimo Máximo Gómez Baez, de 1936" ("Origin of the Designs Used in the 1936 Stamp Issue Commemorating the Centenary of the Birth of the Generalissimo Máximo Gómez Baez")
FCb, Yr.15, No.1, Jan-Apr 1980, pp.35-40 (6), ill., Span.

<[FCb8105a](#)> **Filatelia Cubana (FFC)**

"¿sabía usted que...?: Sellos de correos cancelados con una T"
("did you know...?: Postage stamps cancelled with a T")
FCb, Yr.16, No.2, May-Aug 1981, pp.48-49 (2), ill., Span.
This is a piece composed of three sections: the first section talks about postage stamps of the first several issues cancelled with a T for use as postage due stamps; the second section talks about the designs of the unissued Christopher Columbus stamps of 1935 (Edifil NE 1 to 9); and the third section on p.49 talks about Cuban perfins.

<[FCb8105b](#)> **Filatelia Cubana (FFC)**

"Clave reservada que para la confrontación de los efectos contraseñados debe tenerse en las Espondedurías de Efectos timbrados y en las Administraciones de Correos"
("Reserved key for the verification of surcharged species that should be kept at post offices and at Postal Administrations")
FCb, Yr.16, No.2, May-Aug 1981, p.57, ill., Span.

<[FCb8201](#)> **Filatelia Cubana (FFC)**

"¿Sabía Ud. qué...?" ("Did You Know...?")
FCb, Yr.17, No.1, Jan-Apr 1982, pp.36-40 (5), ill., Span.
This is a piece composed of four sections: the first section talks about the British postal agencies in Cuba, the second section talks about the French postal agencies in Cuba, the third section talks about the free franking privileges extended to Cuban independence General Máximo Gómez by the U.S. Postmaster General during the U.S. Administration of Cuba and later extended by the Republic, and the fourth piece talks about maximum cards in general but without any specific reference to Cuba.

<[FCb8301](#)> **Filatelia Cubana (FFC)**

"Primeras Emisiones Cubanas"
("First Cuban Stamp Issues")
FCb, Yr.18, No.1, Jan-Apr 1983, pp.50-52, ill., Span.

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<FenC> La Filatelia en Cuba (Philately in Cuba)

La Habana, Cuba: Independent philatelic journal published every two months by Rafael Gómez during two periods. Issues of the first period indicate that the printing runs consisted of 1000 copies; numbers printed not indicated for the second period. Referenced by <HORN9600> as items nos. 37600 and 37620. The Collectors Club of New York has originals of the issues marked (CCNY) below; photocopies of those issues are also available at the APRL, the library of the U.S. National Philatelic Museum, and the Richter Library of the U. of Miami. Mark R. Tyx purchased a run of this journal at the October 2003 Huys-Berlingin AG auction of the Joseph Hackmey philatelic library (Lot 7224); those issues are marked Tyx in the listing below. Size of the first 8 issues is 17 by 24-25 cm.; thereafter size is 15.5 by 22.5 to 23.5 cm. In addition to the numbered pages in each issue, there is printed material in the inside front and back covers.

Known issues of the journal are:

1st period: [Yr.I, No.1, Apr-May 1917, pp.1-16 \(Tyx\)](#)
[Yr.I, No.2, Jun-Jul 1917, pp.1-18 \(CCNY, Tyx\)](#)
[Yr.I, No.3, Aug-Sep 1917, pp.1-18 \(CCNY, Tyx\)](#)
[Yr.I, No.4, Oct-Nov 1917, pp.1-18 \(CCNY, Tyx\)](#)
[Yr.II, No.5, Jan 1918, pp.1-18 \(CCNY, Tyx\)](#)
[Yr.II, No.6, Feb-Mar 1918, pp.1-18 \(CCNY, Tyx\)](#)
[Yr.II, No.7, Apr-May 1918, pp.1-18 \(Tyx\)](#)
[Yr.II, No.8, Jun-Jul 1918, pp.1-18 \(CCNY, Tyx\)](#)
[Yr.II, No.9, Aug-Sep 1918, pp.1-18 \(Tyx\)](#)
[Yr.II, No.10, Oct-Nov 1918, pp.1-18 \(Tyx\)](#)
[Yr.III, No.11, Jan-Feb 1919, pp.1-20 \(Tyx\)](#)
[Yr.III, No.12, Mar-Apr 1919, pp.1-18 \(Tyx\)](#)
[Yr.III, No.13, May-Jun 1919, pp.1-20 \(Tyx\)](#)
[Yr.III, No.14, Jul-Aug 1919, pp.1-24 \(Tyx\)](#)

2nd period: The cover design changes in the 2nd period
[No.1, Jan-Feb 1921, pp.1-12 \(CCNY, Tyx\)](#)
[No.2, Mar-Apr 1921, pp.1-12 \(CCNY, Tyx\)](#)
[No.3, May-Jun 1921, pp.1-12 \(Tyx\)](#)
[No.4, Jul-Aug 1921, pp.1-12 \(Tyx\)](#)
[No.5, Sep-Oct 1921, pp.1-12 \(Tyx\)](#)
[No.6, Nov-Dec 1921, pp.1-12 \(Tyx\)](#)
[No.7, Jan-Feb 1922, pp.1-12 \(Tyx\)](#)
[No.8, Mar-Apr 1922, pp.1-16 \(Tyx\)](#)
[No.9, May-Jun 1922, pp.1-16 \(Tyx\)](#)
[No.10, Jul-Aug 1922, pp.1-16 \(Tyx\)](#)
[No.11, Sep-Oct 1922, pp.1-16 \(Tyx\)](#)
[No.12, Nov-Dec 1922, pp.1-16 \(Tyx\)](#)
[No.13, Jan-Feb 1923, pp.1-16 \(Tyx\)](#)
[No.14, Mar-Apr 1923, pp.1-16 \(Tyx\)](#)
[No.15, May-Jun 1923, pp.1-16 \(Tyx\)](#)
[No.16, Jul-Aug 1923, pp.1-20 \(Tyx\)](#)
[No.17, Sep-Oct 1923, pp.1-20 \(Tyx\)](#)
[No.18, Nov-Dec 1923, pp.1-20 \(Tyx\)](#)
[No.19, Jan-Feb 1924, pp.1-20 \(Tyx\)](#)
[No.20, Mar-Apr 1924, pp.1-20 \(Tyx\)](#)
[No.21, May-Jun 1924, pp.1-20 \(CCNY, Tyx\)](#)
[No.22, Jul-Aug 1924, pp.1-20 \(Tyx\)](#)
[No.23, Sep-Oct 1924, pp.1-20 \(Tyx\)](#)

<FERI8304> Feria, F.

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“Publican Album para Sellos de la República de Cuba”

(“An Album for Stamps of the Republic of Cuba is Published”)

Miami, Florida: Diario de las Américas, 10 Apr 1983, p.4-D, ill., Span.

Announcement of the publication by Ignacio A. Ortiz Bello, Cuban philatelist, dealer, and philatelic writer, of a stamp album for Cuban stamps of the Republic of Cuba from its inception on 20 May 1902 until 31 December 1958, organized in chronological order and beautifully illustrated with images of the stamps. The article indicates that the album is intended to promote Cuban philately, especially among the youth, and is being offered at the extremely reasonable price of \$10. The article also provides brief biographical notes on Mr. Ortiz Bello and his philatelic career, including his founding of the “Club Cubano de Coleccionistas” (“Cuban Club for Collectors”).

<[FERN3511](#)> **Fernández, M.**

"Cuban Airpost Stamps"

APJ, Vol.7, No.2, Issue No.67, November 1935, pp.8-9.

<[FERNA3401](#)> **Fernández, Mateo**

"Plancha desconocida para la emisión del año 1859 de España"

("Unreported plate of the 1859 issue of Spain")

ABC, Friday, 5 Jan 1934, ill, Span. Partial publication information is from <[FERNA9905](#)>.

Though the subject matter is Spanish, the information is also relevant to the parallel issue for Cuba.

<[FERNA3511](#)> **Fernández, Mateo**

"Interesante característica de las emisiones de 1865 y 1867 a 69"

("Interesting characteristics of the 1865 and 1867 to 69 issues")

ABC, Friday, 8 Nov 1935, ill., Span. Partial publication information is from <[FERNA9911a](#)>.

Though the subject matter is Spanish, the information is also relevant to the parallel issues for Cuba.

<[FERNA3512](#)> **Fernández, Mateo**

"La emisión de 1874 de España"

("The 1874 issue of Spain")

ABC, Friday, 20 Dec 1935, ill., Span. Partial publication information is from <[FERNA9911b](#)>.

Though the subject matter is Spanish, the information is also relevant to the parallel issues for Cuba.

<[FERNA9905](#)> **Fernández, Mateo**

"Plancha desconocida para la emisión del año 1859 de España"

("Unreported plate of the 1859 issue of Spain")

RF, No.350, May 1999, pp.41-43 (3), ill, Span. Reprint of <[FERNA3401](#)>.

<[FERNA9911a](#)> **Fernández, Mateo**

"Interesante característica de las emisiones de 1865 y 1867 a 69"

("Interesting characteristics of the 1865 and 1867 to 69 issues")

RF, No.355, Nov 1999, pp.149-150 (2), ill, Span. Reprint of <[FERNA3511](#)>.

<[FERNA9911b](#)> **Fernández, Mateo**

"La emisión de 1874 de España"

("The 1874 issue of Spain")

RF, No.355, Nov 1999, pp.157-159 (2), ill, Span. Reprint of <[FERNA3512](#)>.

<[FERND8103](#)> **Fernández Duro, Antonio**

Reseña Histórico-Descriptiva de los Sellos de Correo de España

(Historic-Descriptive Review of the Postage Stamps of Spain)

Madrid: Imprenta Central a cargo de Víctor Saiz, Calle de la Colegiata, Número 6, 28 Mar 1881, 253 pp., ill.

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Excellent compendium of postal regulations and legislation for the period 1850-1878, including a description of the postal species issued in support of them. Spanish ultramarine possessions are covered. The following sections are listed in the index: 1) stamps for the kingdom and foreign countries, 2) postcards, 3) official franchise, 4) military franchise, 5) private franchises, 6) newspaper stamps, 7) stamps for Cuba, Puerto Rico, Philippines, and Fernando Póo, and 8) overseas postcards. The sections pertaining directly to Cuba are on pages 215 to 225 on the stamps of the Spanish Antilles issued for use in both Cuba and Puerto Rico, pages 225 to 227 on the stamps issued specifically for Cuba from 1877 to 1881, and pages 249 to 250 on the postcards for use in Cuba and Puerto Rico. Additionally on pages 239 and 244 there are references to the use of the Spanish Antilles issues of 1856 and 1870 used in the Philippines. Also of special interest to Cuban philatelists for historical background and comparison purposes are pages 135 to 140 in the Spanish section of the book that covers the "Habilitado por la Nación" overprints that were used in Spain and that were also sent to Cuba, Puerto Rico, and the Philippines. Finally, it is important to note that many of the Spanish postal regulations and legislation also applied to the Spanish ultramarine possessions and need to be taken into consideration by the Cuban philatelist. A case in point is the royal decree of 15 February 1856 making the prepayment of all correspondence obligatory as of 1 January 1857 for all overseas possessions which is fully quoted on pages 49-51. Thus the entire book merits careful review by those interested in the history of Spanish Cuba philately.

<FERNL0304> Fernández López, María Rosa

"Apuntes para un catálogo de sellos cubanos con perforaciones de empresas"
("Notes for a catalog of Cuban perfins")
Co-author: Alfredo Díaz Gámez (see <DIAZ0304>)
RF, April 2003, pp.289-291, ill., Span.

<FERNP0709> Fernández Pombo, Alejandro

"De La Habana ha venido una hoja bloque cargada de recuerdos"
"From La Habana comes a souvenir sheet full of remembrances"
RF, Yr.XL, No.441, Sep 2007, pp.541-542 (2), ill., Span.

<FERNS9700> Fernández Sanz, Juan José

"Las primeras revistas de Correos y Telégrafos"
("The First Postal and Telegraph Journals")
Madrid, Spain: Servicio de Publicaciones Universidad Complutense, *Historia y Comunicación Social*, 2; 1997, pp.141-163 (23), Span.
Contains references to journals with information for overseas Spanish colonies and specific mention of the first such journal published outside of Spain, Item 16) Revista General de Comunicaciones (General Communications Journal), started publication 1 Jan 1879, La Habana; pp.157-158.
Other references to overseas Spanish colonies are:
Item 5) Revista Peninsular-Ultramarina de Caminos de Hierro, Telégrafos, Navegación e Industria (Peninsular-Overseas Journal of Railroads, Telegraphs, Navigation, and Industry), 1856, Madrid; p.146-148; and
Item 8) Anuario de los Correos y Postas de España y sus Provincias Ultramarinas (Yearbook of the Mail Service and Routes of Spain and Overseas Provinces), 1856, Madrid; p.150-15.

<FERNVA5307 > Fernández Vázquez, Mirta

"Un Funcionario Modelo: Angel Torrademé Balado"
AF, Vol.XXVI, No.62, Jul 1953, pp.10-12, ill, Span.

Biographical notes on Angel Torrademé Balado taken from an article published in the magazine Bohemia sometime in 1952 on the 50th anniversary of the Cuban Republic celebrating the fact that Mr. Torrademé Balado had been in public service since its beginnings in various positions in the Ministry of Communications of Cuba and held at the time the title of "Jefe del Negociado de Asuntos Internacionales y Asuntos Generales" (Chief of International Services and General Matters). These biographical notes were transcribed for publication in AF by Mirta Fernández Vázquez who worked for many years under Mr. Torrademé Balado to honor him as he himself was about to complete his 50th year of public service in August 1953.

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<[FERNVI7801](#)> Fernández Viera, Alvaro

"Enteros Postales"

("Postal Stationery")

BCFD, No.18, January-March 1978, p.2, Span.

<[FERRA2504](#)> Ferrari de la Renotière, Philippe

Catalogue des Timbres Poste composant la collection de M. Ferrari de la Renotière (Douzieme Vente)

(Catalog of Postage Stamps comprising the collection of Mr. Ferrari de la Renotière (Twelfth Sale))

Paris, France: Catalog of the auction produced by Mr. G. Gilbert, auction held 22-24 Apr 1925, Cuba in lots 560-583 (24) on pp.58-60 and photo plate 15.

This sale included exceptional material of Cuba's Spanish colonial period (lots 560-573), including the famous Scott #15 Y1/4 surcharge with inverted fraction 4/1 offered together with an unused block of 9 of the same stamp as lot #561. Lots 574-582 (9) were of Puerto Príncipe surcharged stamps, and lot 583 offered a collection of Cuban telegraph stamps and some revenue stamps.

<[FERR0208](#)> Ferrer, Aurelio

"Pedido a Carta Abierta" ("Open Letter Order")

Co-author: Miguel Lázaro (also listed as <[LAZA0208](#)>)

RSFC, Yr.I, No.5, Aug 1902, p.67.

Letter complaining about the lack of recognition of rarity and value given to Cuban stamps by European dealers in their catalogs. The authors, tired of placing orders for advertised stamps and getting back replies that they are not in stock, place an "open letter" order in this article in RSFC for various rare Cuban stamps advertised in a recently received catalog from the French firm Yvert et Tellier requesting ten copies of each stamp in the list. The authors promise the readers that they will report on the results of this order, but no such report is known to have been published in later issues of the journal.

<[FERR0210](#)> Ferrer, Aurelio

"Se Impone" ("It Is Imperative")

RSFC, Yr.I, No.7, Oct 1902, pp.108-110 (3).

Extensive recommendations to the new government of Cuba on the needs for a complete fully Cuban new set of stamps, envelopes, wrappers, and other postal matter. An analysis of how and why the government should proceed.

<[FERRM5511](#)> Ferrer-Monge, José A.

"El Correo Marítimo en Cuba"

("The Maritime Posts in Cuba")

PAP, Vol.2, No.3, November 1955, pp.35-37 (3).

Reprint of original in PRF, but no further publication data given about the original.

Short account of the "Empresa de Correos Marítimos" which operated in the 19th century.

<[FERRM5512](#)> Ferrer-Monge, José A.

"Provisional Postage Due Stamps"

PAP, Vol.2, No.4, December 1955, pp.53-56 (4).

A discussion of the—at the time—uncataloged overprinted provisional postage dues used from 1914 to 1914. <EDIFILd> in its 2002 Edition has included a thorough listing of these stamps on pp.188-190.

<[FERRM6707](#)> Ferrer-Monge, José A.

"Cuba #232 -- An Unusual Cover and the Stamp Story Behind It"

First Days, Vol.12, No.6, WNo.69, July-Aug. 1967, pp.32-34, ill.

Reprinted in <[FERRM6905a](#)> and <[FERRM7307](#)>.

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A First Day Cover of the Habilitado issue of 1902 and the story of the issue.

<[FERRM6905a](#)> Ferrer-Monge, José A.

"An Unusual Cover and the Stamp Story Behind It"

WSC, Yr.42, No.89, WNo.3679, 27 May 1969, pp.1-2, ill. Reprint of <FERRM6707>.

<[FERRM6905b](#)> Ferrer-Monge, José A.

"Cuba 1949 Postal Stationery"

CCP, Vol.48, No.3, May 1969, pp.156-160,173 (6).

<[FERRM7203](#)> Ferrer-Monge, José A.

"Apuntes Filatélicos" ("Philatelic Notes")

FC, Vol.1, No.4, Mar 1972, pp.5-7 (3).

The part of this item relevant to Cuban philately starts in the bottom half of p.6 and continues at the top of p.7. That section discusses the watermarks of the 1899 stamps Scott 227-231 and E2-E3 or Minkus 237-242, 248, and the various watermark orientations. The author has examined a large accumulation of these stamps and noted various orientations that differ from those described in both catalogs. He solicits further information from other philatelists to try to reach some definite conclusions. Unfortunately, it is not known if the author pursued the matter further as no information on the subject is known to have been published subsequently.

<[FERRM7307](#)> Ferrer-Monge, José A.

"Cuba #232 -- An Unusual Cover and the Stamp Story Behind It"

CP, Vol.3, No.1, Jul 1973, pp.9-11, ill. Reprint of <FERRM6707> or <FERRM6905a>.

<[FERRM7509](#)> Ferrer-Monge, José A.

Draft notes used in preparation of <FERRM7806>

These are 77 pages of various bibliographic references and notes from the Ferrer-Monge library. Some of them are dated September 1975, so I used that date for the citation key, but many of the pages included are undated.

<[FERRM7512](#)> Ferrer-Monge, José A.

Revenue Stamps of Cuba. Second Draft

Unpublished draft of a catalog of revenue stamps of Cuba; 32 pp. The author was probably developing this catalog in cooperation with William McP. Jones, who eventually published <[JONE9005](#)>. In fact, the draft may have originated with Mr. Jones, but since there was no indication of authorship and it comes from the Ferrer-Monge library, I am listing it under his name.

<[FERRM7806](#)> Ferrer-Monge, José A.

"A Partial Bibliography of Cuban Literature"

PLR, Second Series, Vol.27, No.2, WNo.99, Second Quarter 1978, 30 June 1978, pp.68-89 (22);

PLR, Second Series, Vol.27, No.3, WNo.100, Third Quarter 1978, 30 Sep 1978, pp.132-151 (20).

See <FERRM7509> for draft notes used in preparation of this bibliography.

First published comprehensive bibliography of Cuban philatelic literature. It provided the serious student of Cuban philately with an invaluable key to the vast store of existing literature on Cuban philately. Published in two installments in the PLR, the complete work contained 657 references. Dr. Ferrer-Monge's bibliography was the inspiration and single most important source of information for this bibliography. Almost all entries in his bibliography have been included in this bibliography (Some entries of collateral material have been excluded. A [working copy](#) with my annotations is available in my private library).

<[FERRM8401](#)> Ferrer-Monge, José A.

"A Partial Bibliography of Cuban Literature: First Addendum"

PLR, Second Series, Vol.33, No.1, WNo.122, First Quarter 1984, pp.19-37 (19).

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Addendum to <FERRM7806> containing an additional 382 entries to complement the initial work. Almost all entries have been included in this bibliography (Some entries of collateral material have been excluded. A [working copy](#) with my annotations is available in my private library).

<**FERRS3808**> **Ferrer Salgado, César A.**

"El Sello Aéreo de Rosillo" ("Rosillo Airmail Stamp")
UFPI, Yr.I, No.3, 15 August 1938, p.10, Span.

<**FERRS8905**> **Ferrer Salgado, César A.**

Relación bibliográfica del BOLETIN del Círculo Filatélico "La Demajagua", de Manzanillo, Cuba
(Bibliographic relation of the issues of the Bulletin of the Philatelic Circle "La Demajagua" of Manzanillo, Cuba)
Typed communication dated May 19, 1989, listing the known issues of the bulletin of the Philatelic Circle "La Demajagua" from the city of Manzanillo Cuba. In the footer of the listing Mr. Ferrer Salgado indicates that in its beginnings the bulletin was simply a circular that was sent to the members informing them of the circle's activities, notices, and sale and exchange offers and its publication was irregular. It was not until issue No.15 of April-June 1977 that the bulletin started to be published more regularly on a quarterly basis with more extensive and informative content and consistent number of pages (usually 8 to 10 with some issues running into 12, 14, or 16 pages—always an even number). He also notes that in 1983 and 1987 the quarterly publication was altered for "various" reasons.

<**FFC0500**> **Federación Filatélica Cubana (FFC)**

Emisiones Cubanas, Año 2005
Cuban Stamp Issues, Year 2005

Undated one page listing of Cuban stamp issues for 2005. A reference number is provided for each item that looks like a catalog number, followed by brief description, and prices unused and used. No other information is provided.

<**FFC0600**> **Federación Filatélica Cubana (FFC)**

Emisiones Cubanas, Año 2006
Cuban Stamp Issues, Year 2006

Undated one page listing of Cuban stamp issues for 2006. A reference number is provided for each item that looks like a catalog number, followed by brief description, and prices for what are assumed to be unused stamps. No other information is provided.

<**FFC0603**> **Federación Filatélica Cubana (FFC)**

Habana '06—Exposición Internacional de Filatelia—Catálogo
(Catalog of Habana '06—International Philatelic Exhibition)

Habana, Cuba: FFC, 25 Mar—1 Apr, 2006, 20 pp., Span.

Catalog of the International Philatelic Exhibition HABANA '06, held in La Habana from 25 March to 1 April, 2006, to commemorate the 250th Anniversary of the establishment of the Cuban postal service.

<**FFC0700**> **Federación Filatélica Cubana (FFC)**

Programa de Emisiones Cubanas 2007
Planned 2007 Cuban Stamp Issues

Undated one page listing of Cuban stamp issues for 2007. Items in the list are numbered sequentially from 1 to 38, followed by a brief description, and three columns for numbers of stamps, souvenir sheets and blocks of 4 issued (the latter probably for stamp designs covering 4 stamps). The last two columns provide the date of issue and face value of the stamp or set of stamps, souvenir sheets, and blocks of 4. No other information is provided.

<**FFC0804**> **Federación Filatélica Cubana (FFC)**

Iera Copa—Cuba Filatelia (First Cup—Cuban Philately)
Habana, Cuba: FFC, 24-27 Apr 2008, 10 pp., Span.

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Catalog of the first philatelic competition by teams organized by the Cuban Philatelic Federation to commemorate Stamp Day 2008. Six teams composed of 5 exhibitors representing the entire country participated in the competition with the show award going to the team with the most points as judged by an international panel of two Latin American guest judges and four Cuban judges.

<FFC0810> Federación Filatélica Cubana (FFC)

II Exposición 2008—Historia Postal—Catálogo (Catalog of the II Postal History Exhibition held in 2008)

II Exposición 2008—Historia Postal—Palmarés (List of Awards Given at the II Postal History Exhibition)

Habana, Cuba: FFC, 28 Oct-2 Nov 2008, Catálogo 7 pp. (5.5 x 8.5 in.) and Palmarés 3 pp. (8.5 x 11 in.) plus covers, Span.

Catalog of the 2nd Postal History Exhibition comprising 24 exhibits in the competition, plus 4 in the court of honor, and 4 in a special non-competitive theme class. The catalog includes some introductory remarks providing background information about the exhibition by the President of the FFC, José Raúl Lorenzo. This is followed by a listing of the organizing committees and jury, and the program of activities for the four days of the exhibition. The final section of the catalog lists the titles of the exhibitions and their owners/presenters. The Palmarés provides a breakdown of the awards given followed by a listing of the award and point score received by each competing exhibit.

<FFC0905> Federación Filatélica Cubana (FFC)

“La filatelia cubana emerge pese al bloqueo”

(“Cuban Philately Advances in Spite of the Embargo”)

Published in Website www.cubavsbloqueo.cu, 26 May 2009, 2 pp., Span.

Article describing the development of philately in Cuba during the Castro revolutionary period and its numerous achievements, noting that these were made in spite of the U.S. trade embargo with Cuba. This is political propaganda nonsense since the trade embargo only affected philatelic commerce with the U.S. and not with the rest of the world and it did not affect cultural interchanges, philatelic or otherwise. Unfortunately, the Castro government has consistently used philately to convey political propaganda as the theme of a multitude of its stamp issues, and thus places great emphasis on the hobby among its youth as another vehicle for their indoctrination.

<FFC0909> Federación Filatélica Cubana (FFC)

Exposición Nacional de Filatelia Temática y Juvenil Cienfuegos '90. Acta del Jurado y Palmarés.

Thematic and Youth National Exhibition Cienfuegos '90. Judges Deposition and Awards.

Cienfuegos: Círculo Filatélico de Cienfuegos (Cienfuegos Philatelic Circle), 5 pp.

One page deposition or summary by the judges and 4 pages listing the awards given to exhibitors.

<FFC0911> Federación Filatélica Cubana (FFC)

Catálogo VIII Campeonato Nacional de Filatelia, 18-23 Noviembre del 2009.

Catalog of the 8th National Philatelic Championship, 18-23 November 2009.

Cuba: Federación Filatélica de Cuba (Cuban Philatelic Federation), 18-23 Nov 2009, 16 pp., ill., Span.

The program contains a welcoming message by the president of the FFC, followed by a listing of the organizing committee and the jurors, the exhibition program, an article on Cuban philately, a listing of the participating exhibits, and a listing of the participating Cuban provinces. The article is “El Acuse de Recibo en Cuba” (“The Acknowledgement of Receipts in Cuba”) by José Ramón Mallón Bauzá (see <MALL0911>). The competition includes traditional philately, postal history, postal stationery, aerophilately, thematics, maximofilia, open class, youth class, one frame exhibits, and philatelic literature.

<FFC1004a> Federación Filatélica Cubana (FFC)

Boletín Número 2 del 2010 del C. Nac. de Jurados F.F.C.

Bulletin Number 2 of 2010 of the National Jurors Council of the Cuban Philatelic Federation

Distributed via e-mail by José Raúl Lorenzo, President of the FFC, 5 April 2010, 4 pp., Span.

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The bulletin announces the forthcoming XIV National Philatelic Congress to be held 27-28 November 2010 and calls for participation of all Cuban philatelists. The last three pages of the bulletin are dedicated to a conference by Joaquín Mestre Jordi titled “Tendencias Involuntarias en la calificación de las colecciones temáticas” (“Involuntary Tendencies in the Scoring of Thematic Collections”) that is of a generic type, not specifically focused on Cuban thematic philately.

<[FFC1004b](#)> **Federación Filatélica Cubana (FFC)**

Filatelía y Cine (Philately and the Movies)

Habana, Cuba: FFC, “Exposición Filatélica dedicada al tema del cine, con motivo del 50 aniversario de la Cinemateca de Cuba, proyecto conjunto con la Federación Filatélica Cubana”

(“Philatelic Exhibition dedicated to the topic of movies, on the 50th anniversary of Cuba’s Movie Library, a joint project with the Cuban Philatelic Federation”), held from 9 April to 3 May 2010 at the Charles Chaplin Gallery of Cuba’s Movie Library, 4 pp., ill, Span.

Brief brochure highlighting one of the philatelic exhibitions that unfortunately didn’t seem to have any Cuban philatelic content. The brochure does list the participation of another exhibit titled “Emisiones Postales Cubanas del Tema del Cine” (“Cuban Postal Issues on the Topic of Movies”) but no further details about it are provided.

<[FFC1004c](#)> **Federación Filatélica Cubana (FFC)**

Subasta Filatélica Nacional 2010

National Philatelic Auction 2010

FFC: 24 Apr 2010, 5 pp., no illustrations, Span.

The auction consisted of 91 lots of worldwide stamps and covers with a preponderance of Cuban material. Minimum prices were indicated for all lots in Cuban pesos (moneda nacional).

<[FFC1009a](#)> **Federación Filatélica Cubana (FFC)**

Exposición Filatélica MATEX ’10, Programa de Actividades

(MATEX ’10 Philatelic Exhibition Program)

Matanzas, Cuba: Círculo Filatélico de Matanzas (Matanzas Philatelic Circle), 16-19 Sep 2010, 2 pp., Span.

Program of activities for each day of the MATEX ’10 philatelic exhibition.

<[FFC1009b](#)> **Federación Filatélica Cubana (FFC)**

Subasta Filatélica Nacional

National Philatelic Auction

FFC: 19 Sep 2010, 4 pp., no illustrations, Span.

The auction consisted of 48 lots of worldwide stamps and covers and included 24 lots of Cuban material.

Minimum prices were indicated for all lots in Cuban pesos (moneda nacional). The auction was held to coincide with the MATEX ’90 Philatelic Exhibition (see <[FFC1009a](#)>).

<[FFC1010](#)> **Federación Filatélica Cubana (FFC)**

Venta Directa (Net Sale)

Cienfuegos, Cuba: Círculo Filatélico de Cienfuegos (Cienfuegos Philatelic Circle), 4 pp., no illustrations, Span.

Net price list of 83 lots of stamps and covers to be sold by the Cienfuegos Philatelic Circle on 9 October 2010.

Most of the lots offered are foreign with a few Cuban lots included towards the end of the list. Sale prices are in Cuban pesos (moneda nacional).

<[FHC0800](#)> **Filatelía Hernando Colón**

Oferta de Cuba: Prefilatelía—Epoca Colonial—República—Período Revolucionario. Sellos, Cartas y Postales (Cuban Offers: Prephilately—Colonial Era—Republic—Revolutionary Period. Stamps, Covers and Postcards)

Seville, Spain: Filatelía Hernando Colón, undated but issued in mid 2008, 50 page net price list of offerings of the subject matter with approximately 1500 lots, color illustrations on front and back cover, in Spanish. Included in the 50 page count, but not in the count of lots, are 7 pages of first day covers of the period 1969 to 2007. All prices in Euros including taxes. Pricing for most of the material offered is exceedingly high in terms of dollars.

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<FHol> FILAHOLGUIN

Holguín, Cuba: Official electronic Bulletin of the Círculo Filatélico “Mártires de Holguín” (Philatelic Circle “Martirs of Holguín”), published quarterly starting with Issue No.1, October-December 2010.

Editors: Juan Guillermo Arbella Gallardo and Nelson Carballido Fernández.

Known issues of the bulletin are as follows:

[No.1, Oct-Dec 2010, 4 pp.](#)

[No.2, Jan-Mar 2011, 6 pp.](#)

<FIAF7300> Federación Interamericana de Filatelia

“Proyecto de Lista de Emisiones Nocivas e Indeseables” (“Project to List Harmful and Undesirable Issues”)

BFIAF, No.3, 1973, pp.7, 13; Span.

“Lista de Emisiones Nocivas e Indeseables” (“List of Harmful and Undesirable Issues”)

BFIAF, No.4, 1974, pp.28, 34; Span. Also see [<FCb6801b>](#).

List of stamp issues that are not official stamp issues of the countries listed and that are considered to be harmful to philately and thus undesirable.

<FIEL3200> Field, D.

Field's Priced Catalogue of Air Mail Stamps and Airposts of the World

London, U.K.: D. Field, 1932, 1st ed., Cuba on pp.84-87 (4), ill., priced.

FilaHolguín—See <FHol>

FilaJagua—See <FJag>

Filatelandia—See <FLan>

Filatelia Cubana--See <FCa> and <FCb>

La Filatelia en Cuba--See <FenC>

Filatelia Hernando Colón—See FHC

Filatelia Pan-Americana--See <FPA>

El Filatelista Cubano--See <FC> and also see <CP>

<FINK6605> Fink, Ernesto

"Pleasure of Philately Rates as Great Unknown Until it is Sampled in Commie Cuba"

LINN, Vol.39, No.11, WNo.1957, 9 May 1966, pp.30-31.

Discusses the control of stamps and collectors' rights under the Castro regime.

<FJag> FILAJAGUA

Cienfuegos, Cuba: Organo Informativo del Círculo Filatélico de Cienfuegos (Information Journal of the Philatelic Circle of Cienfuegos). Editorial Council: Director—Fernando Fábregas Rodríguez, Design and Editing—Osmany Santos Macías, Corrections—Lisette Pulido Hernández.

Following are the only issues available:

[Yr.2-No.1-Jan-Mar-2008](#), 8 pp.

[Yr.2-No.2-Apr-Jun-2008](#), 2 pp.

[Yr.2-No.3-Jul-Dec-2008](#), 3 pp.

[Yr.3-No.1-Jan-Aug-2009](#), 4 pp.

[Yr.3-No.2-Sep-Dec-2010](#), 4pp.

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<FLAD6600> Fladung, Edward (editor)

Priced Catalogue of Postal Stationery of the World

Pasadena, California: Higgins & Gage, Inc.; edited by Edward Fladung; but Alexander D. Gage holds the copyright. Also listed under <H&G> and <GAGE6600>. For annotation see <H&G>.

[1st ed., 1966](#): Section 3 -- Cameroons to Czechoslovakia, contains 3 pp. on Cuban postal stationery, ill., priced.

[2nd ed., 1974](#): Section 3 -- Cameroons to Czechoslovakia, contains 8 pp. on Cuban postal stationery, ill., priced. For annotation see <H&G>.

<FLan> FILATELANDIA

Sagua La Grande, Villa Clara, Cuba: Official Quarterly Bulletin of the Philatelic Circle "José Luis Robau", published quarterly starting with Year 1, No.1 of October-December 1986, printed from typed stencils.

Known issues of the bulletin are as follows:

[FLan-Yr.01-No.01-Oct-Dec-1986](#), 16 pp.

[FLan-Yr.02-No.01-Jan-Mar-1987](#), ?? pp.

[FLan-Yr.02-No.02-Apr-Jun-1987](#), 14 pp.

Don't know how often the bulletin was published if at all in the missing years. The following bulletins are labeled "publicación cuatrimestral" (i.e., published every four months).

[FLan-Yr.14-No.02-Jun-Aug-2002](#), 8 pp.

[FLan-Yr.15-No.03-Sep-Dec-2002](#), 4 pp.—this should have also been Yr.14

[FLan-Yr.16-No.01-Jan-Apr-2003](#), 4 pp.—this should have been Yr.15

[FLan-Yr.16-Nos.02-03-May-Dec-2003](#), 8 pp.—this should also have been Yr.15

The next three bulletins are also labeled Yr.16 to correct for skipping Yr.15 .

[FLan-Yr.16-No.01-Jan-Apr-2004](#). ?? pp.

[FLan-Yr.16-No.02-May-Aug-2004](#), 4 pp.

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[FLan-Yr.17-No.02-May-Sep-2005](#), 4 pp.

[FLan-Yr.18-No.03-Sep-Dec-2005](#), 4 pp.—another Yr error—this should have also been Yr.17

[FLan-Yr.19-Nos.01-02-Jan-Jun-2006](#), 4 pp.

[FLan-Yr.19-No.03-Jul-Oct-2006](#), 3 pp.

[FLan-Yr.19-No.04-Nov-Dec-2006](#), 4 pp.

Don't know whether FLan was published in 2007; the next issue known is labelled Yrs.20-21, No.3 and is dated Nov 2008 to Jan 2009. Again the year designation does not seem to follow a logical progression from the previous known issues.

[FLan-Yrs.20-21-No.03-Nov2008-Jan2009](#), 6 pp.

[FLan-Yr.21-No.1-Feb-Jun-2009](#), **x pp. ???**

[FLan-Yr.23-No.02-Jul-Dec-2009](#), 6 pp.—2009 should have been Yr.21 to follow the previous Yr numbering.

<FLET1509> Fletcher, G.

"The World's Map-Stamps"

MP, Vol.33, No.18, WNo.734, 4 September 1915, p.139.

Very good information on the Map issue of Cuba of 1914-1915 (Scott 253-262).

<FLETC7307> Fletcher, H.G. Leslie

"Postal Forgeries of the World -- 51"

The Stamp Lover, Vol.65, No.4, Jul-Aug 1973, pp.112-113, ill, Span. Later incorporated into <FLETH7700>.

<FLETC7311> Fletcher, H.G. Leslie

"Postal Forgeries of the World -- 53"

The Stamp Lover, Vol.65, No.6, Nov-Dec 1973, p.183, ill., Span. Later incorporated into <FLETH7700>.

<FLETC7700> Fletcher, H.G. Leslie

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Postal Forgeries of the World

England: Published by Harry Hayes as the "Harry Hayes Philatelic Study No.26", 1977, 140 pp. This work incorporates <FLETC7307> and <FLETC7311>. (Need better photocopy)

<[FOCK2802](#)> **Focke, Hermann**

"Cuba and Luxemburg"

MK, Vol.42, No.7, WNo. 1936, 13 February 1928, p.115.

Contains interesting notes about the Pan American Congress issue of 1928.

<[FOCK3711](#)> **Focke, Hermann**

"Cuban Craftmen Stamps"

MK, Vol.51, No.44, WNo.2443, 1 November 1937, p.611.

On the speculative motive of the "American Writers and Artists" issue, Scott 340-354, C24-C29, E10-E11.

<[FORB1500](#)> **Forbin, A.**

Catalogue Prix-Courant de Timbres Fiscaux (Catalog of Current Prices for Revenue Stamps)

Amiens, France: Yvert & Tellier, 3rd ed., 1915, 797 pp., ill., text in French, priced. Reprinted by Duane Zinkel, Madison, Wisconsin, 1975. Cuban revenues covered on pp.329-345 (17). (The first edition of 638 pp. was published in 1905 and the author is given as L'Hoste Forbin; the second edition of 734 pp. was published in 1909.)

Excellent listing of Cuban revenues of the Spanish Administration and of the Republic up to 1915. Also contains excellent listings of Spanish and Spanish Possessions revenues which is of great value as reference material for the Cuban philatelist. Forbin is to the revenues collector what Scott's Standard Postage Catalog is to the regular stamp collector.

<[FOST7101](#)> **Foster, Thomas**

"Cuba -- G.B. -- Jamaica Cover"

P, Vol.37, No.4, WNo.551, Jan 1971, p.99, no ill.

This is an analysis of the cover shown in <P7007>. See <JEWEL7104> for additional comments on the analysis.

<[FOUR2800](#)>* **Fournier**

Album de Fac-Similés (Album of Facsimiles)

Geneva, Switzerland: Published by Union Philatélique de Geneve, printed by F. De Siebenthat & Co., 1928, 167 unnumbered pages, in French. Reprinted in 1970 (see <FOUR7000>).

<[FOUR7000](#)> **Fournier**

The Fournier Album of Philatelic Forgeries

Reprint edition. Lowell Ragatz, editor.

Worthington, Ohio: J. Van den Berg, 1970, 175 pp. Cuba on pp. 9, 36, 157, 166. Reprint of <FOUR2800>.

<[FP92???](#)> **Fiscal Philatelist**

"Overprinted Fiscals"

FP, 1892, p.88. [Need month of publication and photocopy.]

<[FPA](#)> **Filatelia Pan-Americana**

Santiago de Cuba, Cuba: Independent publication, published monthly by Beatrice M. Ash. Ferrer-Monge reports in <FERRMJ8401> having record of Yr.I, No.VI, October 1928, through Yr.II, No.VII/VIII, Aug-Sep 1929.

Referenced in <HORN9600> as item no. 37680, citing the catalog of the library of the Collectors Club of New York as the source. Norman Gahl in letter dated 29 Oct 96 reports having seen Yr.1, No.1, dated May 1928, at an exhibit in Barcelona.

<[FPA2811a](#)> **Filatelia Pan-Americana**

"Notas Aéreas" ("Airmail Notes")

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FPA, Yr.I, No.VII, November 1928, p.4., Span.

Letter to the editor suggesting the post office issue special airmail envelopes distinguishable from those for ordinary use. Shortly thereafter, envelopes with printed borders for airmail use were issued.

<FPA2811b> Filatelía Pan-Americana

"De Todo Un Poco"

("A Little of Everything")

FPA, Yr.I, No.VII, November 1928, p.17., Span.

On the replacement of mail boxes inscribed "U.S. Mail" by new ones with a Spanish label.

<FPA2906a> Filatelía Pan-Americana

"Negociado de Sello y Material" ("Office of Stamps and Postal Supplies")

FPA, Yr.II, No.V, June 1929, p.7, Span.

Report of the Office of the stamps, postal cards, etc., sent to the post offices on the island during the month of November 1928.

<FPA2906b> Filatelía Pan-Americana

"Los sellos de la República...en armas"

("The Stamps of the Republic...in Arms")

FPA, Yr.II, No.V, June 1929, pp.11-12, Span.

Quotation of the Revolutionary Government's decree on the issuance of postage stamps.

<FPA2906c> Filatelía Pan-Americana

"Los sellos de Cuba del Capitolio"

("The Cuban Capitol Stamps")

FPA, Yr.II, No.V, June 1929, pp.16, Span.

<FPA3807> Filatelía Pan-Americana

"Variedades" ("Varieties")

FPA, Yr.XI, No.VI, July 1938, p.8, Span.

<FPI> Fraternidad Postal Internacional

Reference to this journal appears in "Intercambio de Prensa Filatélica" ("Philatelic Journals Exchange") on p.16 of AF, Yr.VIII, No.25, Jul-Dec 1943. The contact address provided is Apartado 220, Santiago de Cuba. Subscription price \$0.60. No further information about this publication is known.

<FREI8500> Freire Díaz, Joaquín

Historia de los Municipios en Cuba (History of Cuban Municipalities)

Miami, Florida: La Moderna Poesía, 1985, 638 pp., ill, Span.

History of each of the 126 Cuban municipalities during the Republican era (1902-1958). Historical, geographical, economical, and anecdotal information on each of the 126 municipalities, including notes on distinguished personalities born in each municipality. The information contained in this book should be of help to the postal historian trying to identify Cuban towns and places and their importance relative to postal communications.

<FRES1100> Fresquet Portela, Juan Carlos

"Primeras pruebas postales del Correo Insurrecto en Cuba"

("First Postal Proofs of the *Correo Insurrecto* (Insurgent Mails) in Cuba")

FF, No.1, 2011, p.22, ill., Span.

<FRIC7610> Fricke, Charles A.

"United States UPU Specimen Postal Cards Officially Overprinted 'ULTRAMAR'."

Los Angeles, Ca.: SESCAL Program, 15-17 Oct 1976, pp.33,35,37 (3), ill. See <TYX8306> for Spanish version.

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Reference to Cuban postal cards UPSS S1 and S2 (Scott UX1 and UX2) sent to the UPU as specimens with an official magenta "ULTRAMAR" (overseas/ specimen) handstamp overprint. Source of the handstamp is attributed to Portuguese postal authorities who applied this marking to UPU specimen stamps and postal stationery prior to distribution to Portuguese colonies overseas. See <TYX8301> for related article.

<FRIC7706> Fricke, Charles A.

"A Nondescript Classic U.S. Postal Card of 1898"
APb, Jun 1977, pp.456-457, ill.

Report of a U.S. postal card UPSS S14 from a Spanish-American War soldier, while in the trenches, dated July 14, 1898, and mailed from Siboney, Cuba to Ohio. The article provides background material on U.S. military and postal activities in Cuba in relation to the message on the postal card, including portions of an 1898 report of the U.S. Postmaster-General to Congress on the removal of the post office in Cuba to Siboney on July 6, 1898. The card subject of the article is referred to as a "forerunner" of Cuban postal card UPSS S1 (Scott UX1).

<FRIC8906> Fricke, Charles A.

"Duality of a U.S. possessions postal card"
Scott Stamp Monthly, June 1989, p.14, ill.

The article documents the accepted use of the same U.S. possessions postal card, Cuba Scott UX1, in the Republic of Cuba and in the U.S. in 1903 after the U.S. occupation of Cuba ended in 1902 (then two different countries and two different postal administrations). One postcard was sent from Havana to Switzerland, postmarked July 9, 1903, with a Cuba 1c. stamp (Scott 227) added to pay the 2c. international postcard rate; the other one was posted from Yonkers, New York, to Turkey on March 4, 1903, with a U.S. 1c. stamp (Scott 300) also added to pay the 2c. international postcard rate. For more discussion on the validity of the use in the continental United States and its territories and possessions of U.S. postal stationery overprinted for use in Cuba see <AJP90304>, <BREW8907>, and <TYX8907>.

<FRIC9407> Fricke, Charles A.

"A Limited Study of a Major Plate Variety of S17"
Postal Stationery, Jul-Sep 1994, pp.92-94(3), ill.

Description of a plate variety of the U.S. postal card UPSS S17 (Scott UX14) which was overprinted in 1899 for use in Cuba (Cuban postal card UPSS S1 (Scott UX1)). It is reasonable to expect that this variety may also exist in the overprinted Cuban postal cards.

<FRIC9407> Fricke, Charles A.

"Markings tell story on Cuban postal card"
SC, 6 Aug 1994, p.9, ill.

<FRIC9605> Fricke, Charles A.

"Is it early or the earliest?"
SMJ, Vol.14, No.7, May, 1996, p10, ill.

Discussion of whether the cancellation on a Cuba Scott 223 stamp on a patriotic cover showing the U.S. flag that was mailed from Military Station No.10, Havana, on January 28, 1899, is an early or the earliest reported postmark (ERP) on Cuba Scott 223. The conclusion by the author is that it is a very early use of this particular stamp and a good starting point for establishing an ERP date for the stamp. The cover illustrated in the article was much later offered for sale through eBay Internet in early January 2010 for a fixed price of \$1250 showing a copy of this article to support the asking price.

<FRIE89400> Friederich, Rudolf

Die Postwertzeichen Spaniens und seiner Kolonien The Postage Stamps of Spain and Its Colonies

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Berlin: Verlag von Dr. H. Brendicke, 1894, 336 pp., 20 plates, in German. Reprinted in two volumes, also in 1894: Vol.1--Spanien (Spain), 160 pp.; Vol.2--Kolonien (Colonies), vi + 176 pp. The colonies treated are Cuba, Puerto Rico, and Philippines up to January 1894. Cuba appears on pp.5-73; plates 1-3. Detailed coverage of the postage stamps and postal cards of Spain and its colonies of Cuba, Puerto Rico, and the Philippine Islands up to the issues of January 1894. The listing of Cuban postal cards issued under the Spanish Administration is the source for many varieties included in the Ascher worldwide postal stationery catalog <ASCH2500>. Excellent illustrations. Worth reviewing.

<FRIE89800> Friederich, Rudolf

"Y 1/4. Eine Studie" ("Y 1/4. A Study")

Berlin, Germany: Festschrift...des Berliner Philatelishten-Club, 1898. Cuba on pp.80-99.

<FRIE99100> Friederich, Rudolf

Los Sellos de Correos de España y sus Colonias The Postage Stamps of Spain and Its Colonies

Madrid, Spain: Editorial EDIFIL, S.A., 1991. Also published serially in installments by EDIFIL within its Revista de Filatelia from January 1991 to June 1993, 411 pp. plus 20 plates of photos. Spanish translation of <FRIE89400> revised and annotated by F. Javier Padín Vaamonde (does not indicate the original translator). Volume 2 of <FRIE89400> appears within this work as "Los Sellos de Correos de las Colonias Españolas" ("The Postage Stamps of the Spanish Colonies") with annotations by Francisco Aracil Sempere. This volume comprises Cuba, Puerto Rico, Philippines, and Fernando Poo. Pages pertaining to Cuba are 203-205, 209-288, notes on pp.401-406, and plates I to IV.

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RF, Yr.XXVI, No.274, Jun 1992, pp.309-324;

RF, Yr.XXVI, No.275, Jul-Aug 1992, pp.365-380;

RF, Yr.XXVI, No.276, Sep 1992, pp.421-435;

RF, Yr.XXVI, No.277, Oct 1992, pp.477-489;

RF, Yr.XXVII, No.285, Jun 1993, pp.303-313, notes and plates.

<FULC0200> Fulcher, Lionel William (editor)

Catalogue of the Revenue Stamps of Spain and Colonies,

Including the American Occupation and Revolutionary Issues

Catford, U.K.: Walter Morley, 1902, 98 pp. + ix pp. of advertisements, ill., priced. Cuba on pp.60-81 (22).