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<GAC9902> G.A.C. (unidentified initials, possibly G. A. Camp)

"The Postal Affairs of Cuba"

MK, Vol.13, No.8, WNo.425, 23 Feb 1899, p.79.

Comments on the report of the U.S. commission which investigated postal conditions in Cuba at the beginning of the U.S. administration.

<GAC9903> G.A.C. (unidentified initials, possibly G.A. Camp)

"Improvement of Postal Service in Cuba"

MK, Vol.13, No.9, WNo.426, 2 March 1899, p.89.

Summary of the report of the U.S. commission which investigated postal conditions in Cuba at the beginning of the U.S. administration.

<GAGE6600> Gage, Alexander D.

Priced Catalogue of Postal Stationery of the World

Editor: Edward Fladung (see <FLAD6600>); but Alexander D. Gage holds the copyright.

Pasadena, California, U.S.A.: Higgins & Gage, Inc.

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>.

<GAHL8400> Gahl, Norman

Bibliografía Filatélica y Postal: España y sus Ex-Colonias 1500-1980

(Philatelic and Postal Bibliography: Spain and Its Ex-Colonies 1500-1980)

Co-author: Natalio S. Nathan (see <NATH8400>).

Madrid, Spain: Museo Postal y de Telecomunicaciones (Postal and Telecommunications Museum), 1984, 551 pp., ill. 1000 copies printed. In Spanish, but with English translation of most annotations so that it can be used with full benefit by English-speaking persons.

Borrowing from <ELIA8502>: A comprehensive bibliography of books and pamphlets dealing with the philately and postal history of Spain and her former colonies. The main listing offers 1785 titles arranged chronologically from 1514 to 1981. Most of the material is of Spanish origin, but a considerable number of foreign publications are included. Listings are well cross-referenced and there are numerous illustrations. In addition, there are appendices for postal route maps, revenue stamps, and periodicals (both philatelic and official). Literature listings for the early centuries represent an outstanding record of literature likely to be of direct or tangential interest to the postal historian. All citations of relevance to Cuban philately contained therein have been included in this bibliography.

<GAHL8810> Gahl, Norman

"A Job Well Done"

AP, Oct 1988, pp.931-932 (2).

A short note with comments (corrections) on the April 1988 article "British Post Offices in the Spanish West Indies--The Consular Mail System in Cuba and Puerto Rico" by Pedro M. Rodríguez (see <RODR8804>).

<GAHL9501> Gahl, Norman

Additions/Corrections to Bibliography of Cuban Philatelic Literature

Correspondence from Norman Gahl to Ernesto Cuesta containing additions and corrections to <CUES9203>. This correspondence started with a letter dated 3 January 1995 and continues to date with the last being 8 January 1997 and include 16 series of photocopies containing additions and corrections to the bibliography.

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In these letters Mr. Gahl has provided numerous corrections, additions, and suggestions for improvement of the bibliography, most of which have been incorporated into this PACIFIC 97 Edition. Mr. Gahl's revision of the GRANADA 92 Edition of this bibliography has been extremely thorough and to it is owed in great measure the improvement of this PACIFIC 97 Edition.

<GAIN0012> Gainsborg, E.

"Correspondence/Cuba Y 1/4"

SGMJ, Vol.XI, No.126, 31 December 1900, p.139.

Letter from Gainsborg to the editor insisting (incorrectly) that the Y in Y 1/4 means "and", thus making the value of the stamp 2 1/4 reales.

Galería Filatélica—Listed under GF

<GALVJ89600> Gálvez Jiménez, Miguel

Catálogo General de Sellos de Correos de España y Colonias

(General Catalog of the Postage Stamps of Spain and Colonies)

Madrid, Spain: 1896, Span.

Citing <GAHL8400>, p.148: "Gálvez took over the shop and catalog of Leopoldo López (see <LOPE9000>) and carried on with year numbering, making this year the 5th edition. This general catalog was later continued by the son, Manuel Gálvez Rodríguez."

<GALVJ89707> Gálvez Jiménez, Miguel

"Don Antonio Fernández Duro"

ME, Yr.I, No.7, 1 July 1897, pp.1-2.

Posthumous biographical sketch.

<GALVJ89800> Gálvez Jiménez, Miguel

Catálogo de Sellos de Correos y Telégrafos de España y Sus Colonias

(Catalog of the Postage and Telegraph Stamps of Spain and Its Colonies)

Madrid, Spain: Imprenta Hijos de M.G.Hernández, 1898, 66 pp, Span.

Citing <GAHL8400>, p.156: This was extracted from a world catalog that was begun by Gálvez in 1898. These "separatas" continued to be printed yearly until the 11th edition of 1922 (however, if published yearly, 1922 would have been the 25th edition--??).

<GALVJ92300>* Gálvez Jiménez, Miguel

Catálogo de los Sellos de Correos, Telégrafos y Fiscales con sus Pruebas y Ensayos de España y Colonias. Parte I.
(Catalog of the Postage, Telegraph, and Revenue Stamps of Spain and Colonies with Corresponding Proofs and Essays. Part I)

Madrid, Spain: M. Gálvez, 17th ed., 1923, 392 pp., ill., priced, Span.

Citing <GAHL8400>, p.214: This was the 17th edition and the best of the catalogs <LOPE9000> and <GALVJM89600>. It was called "Part I" and was intended to have a second part, but it never did.

<GALVR4700> Gálvez Rodríguez, Manuel

Catálogo Normal Gálvez de Colonias y Ex-Colonias Españolas 1947

(Standard Gálvez Catalog of Spanish Colonies and Ex-Colonies 1947)

Madrid, Spain: Published by M. Galvez, printed by Imprenta La Rafa, 1947, 164 pp. (10 x 20.5 cm.), ill., Span., priced. Cuba covered on pp.89-120 (32).

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Fairly good coverage of Cuban stamp issues from the first issues under Spanish Administration for use in Cuba and Puerto Rico, through the U.S. Administration and up to 1946 during the Republic. Lists regular postage stamps, airmails, special delivery stamps, postage dues, souvenir sheets, postal tax stamps, telegraph stamps, Spanish official mail stamps used in Cuba, "sellos de cierre oficial" (stamps for officially sealing letters that become opened in the mails), and the revolutionary stamps of 1874 and 1897.

<[GALVR5100](#)> Gálvez Rodríguez, Manuel

Catálogo Especial Gálvez de Colonias y Ex-Colonias Españolas 1950-51

(Specialized Gálvez Catalog of Spanish Colonies and Ex-Colonies 1950-51)

Madrid, Spain: Published by M. Galvez, printed by Imprenta La Rrafa, 1951, pp.i-vi & 204-358 (10 x 20.5 cm.), ill., Span., priced. Cuba covered on pp.204-266 (63).

Update of <GALVR4700> but with more detailed coverage of Cuban stamp issues (almost double the number of pages on Cuba than in <GALVR4700>).

<[GALVR6100](#)> Gálvez Rodríguez, Manuel

Catálogo Gálvez de Pruebas y Ensayos de España. 1960.

(Gálvez Catalog of Spanish Proofs and Essays. 1960.)

Madrid, Spain: Published by Gálvez Sucrs., printed by Imprenta La Rrafa, 1961, 162 pp., ill., Span.

Although this is a catalog of proofs and essays of Spain, some of the designs of 19th century proofs and essays were almost identical to the designs used on Cuban stamps of the Spanish administration, making the catalog very useful as a reference for the study of Cuban proofs and essays of the period. In fact, some of the proofs and essays illustrated could fit very well in a Cuban collection.

<[GAND7509](#)> Gándara, Raúl

"Curiosidades Cubanas" ("Cuban Curiosities")

Puerto Rico: Sociedad Filatélica de Puerto Rico (Puerto Rican Philatelic Society), Boletín Puripex XXI, special bulletin issued on occasion of the Puripex XXI stamp exposition held in Hato Rey, Puerto Rico, 14-21 Sep 1975, pp.17, 39, 42-43, and 45, Span. Based on <ROOK7403>.

<[GANN0200](#)> Gannett, Henry

A Gazetteer of Cuba

Washington, D.C.: U.S. Government Printing Office; Department of the Interior; Bulletin of the United States Geological Survey No.192, Series F, Geography, 29; 1902; 113 pp., ill. with 8 maps.

This gazetteer provides introductory overviews of Cuban geography and topography (illustrated with a foldout topographical map of the island), mineral resources, climate, civil divisions, history, population (illustrated with five maps showing different aspects of population distribution in the island), and agriculture (showing distribution of sugar cane and tobacco cultivation areas). The main body of the gazetteer is an alphabetical listing of the cities, towns, and villages in the island at the turn of the century with a brief description of their geographical and civil division location, area, and population. Interspersed between the names of cities, towns, and villages are the names of rivers, mountains, and other named topographical places in the island. Of significance to the philatelist are the names of the cities, towns, and villages for the identification of postal markings on stamps and covers.

<[GANZ8304](#)> Ganz, Cheryl

"ZRS4 Akron"

Co-author: William O. Boss (see <BOSS8304>)

AP, Apr 1983, pp.309-319, ill.

Historical account of this dirigible, including detailed listings of its flights until its demise and illustrations of the dirigible and many of the commemorative covers carried on its flights. Includes reference to a Cuban visit to Guantánamo Bay in January 1933 and illustrations of several commemorative covers of that visit.

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<GARA8110> Garay Unibaso, Francisco

"El Correo Marítimo Español a Indias" ("The Maritime Mails to the Indies")
Poseidon, Bulletin No.25, Oct 1981, pp.70-99 (30), Span. Special issue on the occasion of the "Exposición Temática 'El Buque', NULES--81", ("Thematic Exposition 'El Buque', NULES-81"), held 10-13 Oct 1981 in Nules, Castellón, Spain. This is part I of a two part work of which <GARA8211> is part II. Both are precursors of <GARA8700>. See <GARA8409> and <GARA8509> for translations into German.

<GARA8211> Garay Unibaso, Francisco

"El Correo Marítimo Español a Indias" ("The Maritime Mails to the Indies")
Poseidon, Bulletin No.36-37, Nov-Dec 1982, pp.84-115 (32), Span. Special issue on the occasion of the "Exposición Filatélica Nacional homenaje a Fco. Javier de Uriarte y Borja" ("National Philatelic Exposition in Honor of Fco. Javier de Uriarte y Borja"), held 25-29 Nov 1982 in Puerto de Santa María, Spain. This is part II of a two part work of which <GARA8110> is part I. Both are precursors of <GARA8700>.

<GARA8409> Garay Unibaso, Francisco

"Die spanische seepost nach Westindien" ("The Maritime Mails to the Indies")
Arbeitsgemeinschaft Schiffspost, Report No.56, Sep 1984, pp.1550-1558 (9); continued in later issue of Dec 1984, pp.1892-1894 (3). Translation of <GARA8110> into German.

<GARA8509> Garay Unibaso, Francisco

"Die spanische seepost nach Westindien 1493-1802" ("The Maritime Mails to the Indies 1493-1802")
Spanien-Rundbrief, No.53, Sep 1985, pp.1565-1580 (16). Translation of <GARA8110> into German.

<GARA8800> Garay Unibaso, Francisco

Correos Marítimos Españoles a la América Española

(Yndias Occidentales), Vol. I - De 1514 a 1827

(Cuba, Pto. Rico, y Sto. Domingo), Vol. II - De 1827 a 1861

(Spanish Maritime Mails to Spanish America)

Vol. I: West Indies, 1514 to 1827

Vol. II: Cuba, Puerto Rico and Santo Domingo, 1827 to 1861)

Bilbao, Spain: Ediciones Mensajero, 1988 (date not explicitly indicated), Vol. I: 246 pp., Vol. II, 243 pp., sparsely illustrated, Span. A Vol. III was published in 1991, but it deals with maritime mails to Philippines. Vol.IV was published in 1996 and deals with the Cia. Transatlántica Española del Marqués de Comillas.

Refer to <ROSE9102> for a one page book review of Volumes I and II.

Quoting from <ROSE9102>: "Volume I deals with the establishment of the fleets and convoys that carried America's riches to Spain, the creation of the position of Correo Mayor de Indias (Postmaster General of the Indies), the territorial divisions of Spanish America, the founding and development of the Spanish Royal Mail in 1764, the routes to Havana and Buenos Aires, and the low period for the Spanish Navy from 1802 to 1827. Volume II starts with the creation of the maritime mail company Empresa de Correos Marítimos of Havana in 1827, its ups and downs to its cessation in 1851, the scramble among other shipping companies to fill the gap, the establishment of the Cia. de Vapores Españoles Correos Transatlánticos in 1861, and its development as the major carrier of mail."

<GARA8906> Garay Unibaso, Francisco

"Apuntes para conocer la importancia de la marina en las comunicaciones del Imperio Colonial Español"

("Notes that Reveal the Importance of the Navy in the Communications of the Spanish Colonial Empire")

Madrid, Spain: Boletín de la Exposición Filatélica Nacional Conmemorativa del Bicentenario de la Expedición

Malaspina (1789-1794) (Bulletin of the National Philatelic Exposition Commemorating the Bicentennial of the

Malaspina Expedition (1789-1794)); the exposition was held at the Museo Naval in Madrid, 19-25 June 1989; pp.21-29 (9), ill., Span.

<GARA9012> Garay Unibaso, Francisco

Excerpts from Spanish Maritime Mails to Spanish America

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Spanien-Rundbrief, No.74, Dec 1990, pp.2540-2548 (9);
Spanien-Rundbrief, No.75, Mar 1991, pp.2569-2579 (11), for a total of 20 pp.
Translation of excerpts of Part I of <GARA8800> into German.

<GARA9112> Garay Unibaso, Francisco

Excerpts from Spanish Maritime Mails to Spanish America
Spanien-Rundbrief, No.78, Dec 1991, pp.2660-2674 (15);
Spanien-Rundbrief, No.79, Mar 1992, pp.2708-2715 (8);
Spanien-Rundbrief, No.80, Jun 1992, pp.2748-2755 (8);
Spanien-Rundbrief, No.81, Sep 1992, pp.2794-2802 (9);
Spanien-Rundbrief, No.82, Dec 1992, pp.2856-2872 (17), for a total of 57 pp.
Translation of excerpts of Part II of <GARA8800> into German.

<GARA9400> Garay Unibaso, Francisco

“Las Comunicaciones Marítimas Españolas Pasan por Canarias”
 (“The Spanish Maritime Routes Go Through the Canary Islands”)
Article in Cinco Siglos de Historia y Filatelia de Canarias, published in Santa Cruz de Tenerife, Canary Islands, Spain by Imprenta AFRA, S.L, 1994. The cited article is on pp.67-107 (41), illustrated, in Spanish.

<GARC0005> García, Alvaro

"Goodbye Mister Rathbone"
"Adiós Mister Rathbone"
CPa, Vol.12, No.35, Second Third 2000, pp.65-68 (4), ill., Eng & Span.

<GARC2304> García, Rafael R.

Directorio Filatélico de Cuba (Philatelic Directory of Cuba)
La Habana, Cuba: Cooperativa de Prensa (Press Cooperative), Estudios Filatélicos Cubanos (Cuban Philatelic Studies), Apr 1923, 32 pp. See <GARCyymm>
A directory of Cuban philatelists of the time. Ignacio Ortiz-Bello of Miami, Florida, has a copy in his library.

<GARC3206> García, Rafael R.

"Catálogo de los Sobres-Aéreos de Cuba" ("Catalog of Cuban First Flight Covers")
RAFC, Vol.I, No.1, Jun 1932, pp.15-16 (2);
RAFC, Vol.I, No.2, Aug 1932, pp.17-20 (4);
RAFC, Vol.I, No.3, Oct 1932, pp.26-28 (3), Span. This last issue indicates that publication of the catalog will be continued, but since no other issues of RAFC are available to us, it is not known whether publication continued as indicated.

This is basically the material used by the author in the catalog he published in 1937 (see <GARC3700>), but contains some valid information left out in the 1937 publication.

<GARC3306> García, Rafael R.

"Ejército Invasor Stamps" ("Invasion Army Stamps")
MK, Vol.47, No.23, WNo.2213, 5 June 1933, p.271.
Historical article on the War of Independence issue of 1933.

<GARC3405># García, Rafael R.

"The Cuban Lindbergh Covers"
APJ, Vol.5, No.8, WNo.49, May 1934, pp.28-29, ill., in English, translated from Spanish by Roy C. Votaw, but no indication provided of whether the original Spanish version was ever published.

<GARC3506># García, Rafael R.

“The first international Sky Train flight”

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APJ, Vol.6, No.?, Issue ?, Jun 1935, pp.3-?

<[GARC3511](#)> García, Rafael R.

"Cuban Air Labels & Air Etiquettes"

APJ, Vol.7, No.2, Issue 67, November 1935.

<[GARC3700](#)> García, Rafael R.

El Correo Aéreo en Cuba. Primeros Vuelos--Nacionales, Internacionales, Históricos, Conmemorativos.

(The Cuban Airmail Service. First Flights--National, International, Historic, Commemorative.)

Habana, Cuba: Club Filatélico de la República de Cuba (Philatelic Club of the Republic of Cuba), 1937, 40 pp., Span. See <[KRON4012b](#)> for a critique of this work.

A comprehensive priced catalog of Cuban first flight covers. It includes national and international flights plus a small section labeled historic and commemorative flights. Supplements to the catalog were published in AF (see <[GARC4011a](#)>, <[GARC4304b](#)>, <[GARC5304](#)>) and in BFC (see <[GARC5204](#)>). <[GARC4011a](#)> adds flights missed in the original catalog and updates the catalog for the period 1937 to 1940. <[GARC4304b](#)> updates the catalog for the period 1940 to 1943. <[GARC5204](#)> comprises <[GARC4011a](#)> and <[GARC4304b](#)> and updates the catalog from 1941, where <[GARC4304b](#)> ended, to 1951. All of these supplements follow the catalog numbering scheme of the original catalog. <[GARC5304](#)> is a list of 12 first flights from 1936 to 1953 that are not assigned catalog numbers.

<[GARC3905](#)> García, Rafael R.

"Cuba. Some Uncatalogued 20th Century Varieties."

AP, Vol.52, No.7, May 1939, pp.628-632 (5). Reprinted in <[GARC7501](#)>.

<[GARC4009](#)> García, Rafael R.

"Leyenda de los Matasellos Cubanos de Máquina—Avance al Catálogo de Souvenirs de Cuba"

("Cuban Machine Slogan Cancellations—Advance to the Catalog of Cuban Souvenirs")

Unpublished as such: This list was appended to a note sent to one of Mr. García's clients in the United States, Mr. George A. Peterson, Jr., who was interested in the subject (see <[PETEGyymm](#)>).

<[GARC4011a](#)> García, Rafael R.

"Suplemento al Catálogo de Sobres Aéreos El Correo Aéreo en Cuba"

("Supplement to the Catalog of First Flight Covers The Cuban Airmail Service")

AF, Yr.V, No.22, Nov 1940, p.16, Span. First supplement to <[GARC3700](#)>; see <[GARC4304b](#)> for second supplement and <[GARC5204](#)> for an additional update.

<[GARC4011b](#)> García, Rafael R.

"Leyenda de los Matasellos Cubanos de Máquina" ("Text of Cuban Machine Slogan Cancellations")

AF, Yr.V, No.22, Nov 1940, p.28, Span.

First recording of Cuban slogan cancels.

<[GARC4304a](#)># García, Rafael R.

"Variedades de Cuba" ("Cuban Stamp Varieties")

AF, Yr. VIII, No.23, April 1943, pp.23-24, ill., Span.

Good list of several uncataloged varieties. Some are illustrated.

<[GARC4304b](#)> García, Rafael R.

"Suplemento al Catálogo de Sobres Aéreos" ("Supplement to the Catalog of First Flight Covers")

AF, Yr.VIII, No.23, April 1943, p.27, Span. Second supplement to <[GARC3700](#)>; see <[GARC4011a](#)> for first supplement and <[GARC5204](#)> for an additional update.

<[GARC4307a](#)> García, Rafael R.

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"Se debe a Cuba la Primer Sobrecarga Postal" ("The World's First Postal Surcharge Was Cuban")
AF, Yr.VIII, No.25, Jul-Dec 1943, p.15, Span. Reprinted later in Span. and Eng. in same journal; see entries
<GARC4503>, <GARC4605a>, and <GARC4608>.
Brief account of the Y 1/4 surcharge, the first official postal surcharge created in the World.

<GARC4307b> García, Rafael R.

"Cuba y el Centenario del Sello Postal Panamericano"
("Cuba and the Centennial of the Panamerican Postage Stamp")
Coauthor: Dr. Ernesto Bello Hernández (see entry <BELL4307>).
AF, Yr.VIII, No.25, Jul-Dec 1943, pp.17-18. Reprinted and translated into English in <GARC4311>.
See <BELL4307> for annotation.

<GARC4311> García, Rafael R.

"Cuba y el Centenario del Sello Postal Panamericano"
"Cuba and the Centennial of the Panamerican Postage Stamp"
Coauthor: Dr. Ernesto Bello Hernández (see entry <BELL4311>).
Ninth American Philatelic Congress and the Pan American Centennary of the Postage Stamp.
Washington, D.C.: Pan American Union, 26-28 Nov 1943, 103 pages. The cited article appears on pp.58-63.
The Spanish version is a reprint of <GARC4307b> and appears on pp.58,60,62.
An English translation is provided on pp.59,61,63.

<GARC4408a> García, Rafael R.

"Sellos Fiscales de Cuba" ("Cuban Revenue Stamps")
AF, Yr.IX, No.28, Aug-Sep-Oct 1944, p.12, ill., Span.

This is the introduction to the catalog of Cuban revenue stamps that would be published by the author in several installments of the AF journal, starting with p.13 of the current issue that is dedicated to the "Recibos y Cuentas" revenue stamps (see GARC4408b).

<GARC4408b> García, Rafael R.

"Catálogo de Sellos Fiscales de Cuba: Sección Recibos y Cuentas"
("Catalog of Cuban Revenue Stamps: Recibos y Cuentas Section")
AF, Yr.IX, No.28, Aug-Sep-Oct 1944, p.13, ill., Span.

Listing of the 1871 through 1883 Recibos y Cuentas revenue stamps of Cuba. The listings include prices for unused and used stamps, mentions that it is not unusual to find these revenue stamps used as postage stamps and provides values for them postally used as singles, on cover, and as bisects on cover.

<GARC4410> García, Rafael R.

"Sellos Fiscales de Cuba: Derecho Judicial" ("Cuban Revenue Stamps: Derecho Judicial")
AF, Yr.IX, No.29, October-December 1944, pp.9-10, ill., Span.
Listing of the 1856-1864 imperforate "Derecho Judicial" revenues of Cuba. No prices are provided with this listing. A short note at the end of the listing indicates that the ½, 1, and 2 reales values of these stamps are known used as postage stamps to frank correspondence and the same is true of other low denomination revenue stamps.

<GARC4501># García, Rafael R.

"Sellos Fiscales de Cuba: Emisión del Consejo Provincial de Matanzas."
("Cuban Revenues: Issue of the Matanzas Provincial Council.")
AF, Yr.XX, No.30, Jan-Mar 1945, p.17, ill., Span.

Listing of the revenue stamps issued in 1903 by the provincial council of Matanzas, again without prices. The listing is accompanied by a short note about these revenues indicating that they saw little acceptance and were removed from circulation by November 30 of the same year of issue and indicates that used samples in good

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condition are rather rare. The note also mentions that these stamps exist perforated and imperforated, that some can be found as tete-beche pairs, and that errors in the printing and perforation are abundant.

<GARC4503> García, Rafael R.

"Owed to Cuba the First Postal Surcharge"

WPG, Vol.40, No.4, WNo.1221, 31 March 1945, p.84. English translation of <GARC4307a>. The title is a poor literal translation of the title of <GARC4307a>; later corrected in <GARC4605a> and <GARC4608>.

<GARC4504># García, Rafael R.

"Sellos Fiscales de Cuba" ("Cuban Revenue Stamps")

AF, Yr.XX, No.31, April-June 1945, p.52, ill., Span.

Unpriced listing of the "Giro" revenues of 1868 that the author mentions were in circulation until 1877, but were temporarily replaced in 1869 by overprinted stamps of commonly used denominations such as 40c., 75c., 4.50E, 7.50E, etc. that are quite rare. The overprinted stamps that the author is referring to in the note are the "Habilitado por la Nación" overprinted stamps ordered to be so overprinted by the Spanish revolutionary junta that took over the Spanish government from the monarchy at the end of 1868 and into 1869. The listing notes that these giro stamps are found in two tones: light bistre and bistre, the lighter tone corresponding to an early printing. It also notes that the 3 Escudos value exists with an inverted numeral 3.

<GARC4507># García, Rafael R.

"Sellos Fiscales de Cuba" ("Cuban Revenue Stamps")

AF, Yr.XX, No.32, July-September 1945, p.11, ill., Span.

Unpriced listing of the provincial Santiago de Cuba "Cédulas" and "Matrículas y Grados" revenues of 1891-93. The second group of listed stamps is incorrectly labeled 1893 instead of 1892.

<GARC4605a> García, Rafael R.

"Se debe a Cuba la Primera Sobrecarga Postal" "The World's First Postal Surcharge"

AF, Yr.XX, No.35, May-Jun 1946, pp.8-9, Span. and Eng.

Reprint of <GARC4307a> (Spanish) and of <GARC4503> (English).

<GARC4605b># García, Rafael R.

"Sellos Fiscales de Cuba" ("Cuban Revenue Stamps")

AF, Yr.XX, No.35, May-June 1946, p.28, ill., Span.

Unpriced listing of the Holguín municipal tax revenues (Arbitrios Municipales) of 1887 and the 1888-90 Havana municipal tax revenues overprinted "HOLGUIN" with bisected uses noted, including an illustration of a bisect and full stamp on piece. Mr. García notes that in his opinion these are the rarest of all Cuban revenue stamps.

<GARC4608> García, Rafael R.

"The World's First Postal Surcharge"

AP, Vol.59, No.11, August 1946, p.967. Reprint of <GARC4503> or <GARC4605a> with the title corrected.

<GARC4701> García, Rafael R.

"Un Sello Desconocido"

("An Unknown Stamp")

AF, Yr.XXI, No.38, January-March 1947, p.33, Span.

Discusses the differences between the 2 1/2 c. of 1882 and the same value of the 1888 issue.

<GARC4704> García, Rafael R.

"Catálogo de Sellos Fiscales de Cuba (Continuación)" ("Catalog of Cuban Revenue Stamps (Continuation)")

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AF, Yr.XXI, No.39, April-May-June 1947, p.40, ill., Span.

Priced listing of the "Timbre Móvil" revenue stamps of Cuba from 1886 to 1898, including prices for unused, used, and postally used copies. In an explanatory note preceding the listings Mr. García indicates that these stamps in 1886 substituted the "Recibos y Cuentas" stamps listed in <[GARC4408b](#)> and that the 1898 Timbre Móvil issue substituted even more species of revenue stamps until eventually in 1914, during the Republic, all revenue stamps were replaced with the "Sellos del Timbre Nacional" issue of 1914 and subsequent years. The note also indicates that these stamps were often used postally, sometimes bisected.

<[GARC4710](#)> **García, Rafael R.**

"Catálogo de Sellos Fiscales de Cuba: Pagos al Estado"
("Catalog of Cuban Revenue Stamps: Payments to the State")
AF, Yr.XXI, No.41, Oct-Nov-Dec 1947, pp.20-21, ill., Span.

Unpriced listing of the "Pagos al Estado" Cuban revenue stamps that were used from 1886 to 1897. An introductory note describes the format of these stamps and a final note indicates that these stamps were never used postally nor are they known to have been used bisected.

<[GARC5000](#)> **García, Rafael R. (chairman of a group of editors)**

"CUBA. Official Government Flights and Special Flights"
AAMC, Volume Two of Two Volumes, 1950 Edition, Section 18 on Cuban flights, pp.1023-1034 (12), ill.
Contributing editors were: Luis Angulo Pintado, George D. Kingdom, Rafael Oriol, and Dr. Tomás A. Terry.
For annotation see <[AAMC5000](#)>.

<[GARC5111](#)> **García, Rafael R.**

"Catálogo de Tarjetas Postales de Cuba Siglo XX" ("Catalog of XXth Century Cuban Postal Cards")
BFC, Yr.1, No.10-11, 30 November 1951, p. not numbered, Span.

The title is misleading: the work is simply a list of postal cards, stamped envelopes, and wrappers and provides no significant information.

<[GARC5202](#)> **García, Rafael R.**

Letter to George A. Peterson, Jr. dated Feb.4, 1952
Unpublished, one page, in English.

The letter contains some information on Cuban Republic postcards Edifil Nos.70-72 and their reprints and usages. It states that these are the only Cuban postcards up to that date other than Edifil No.69, failing to mention the surcharged postcard Edifil No.73 that was issued in 1944.

<[GARC5204](#)> **García, Rafael R.**

"Suplemento General al Catálogo de Sobres y Primeros Vuelos de la República de Cuba"
("General Supplement to the Catalog of Covers and First Flights of the Republic of Cuba")
BFC, Yr.2, No.2, 30 April 1952, p.5 (unnumbered), Span.
BFC, Yr.2, No.3, 30 June 1952, p.4 (unnumbered), Span. This part is labeled II.

Supplement to <[GARC3700](#)>. It comprises <[GARC4011a](#)> and <[GARC4304b](#)> and additionally updates the catalog from 1941, where <[GARC4304b](#)> ended, to 1951.

<[GARC5206a](#)> **García, Rafael R.**

"Suplemento al Catálogo de Sobres y Primeros Vuelos de la República de Cuba II y Leyendas de los Matasellos Cubanos" ("Second Supplement to the Catalog of Covers and First Flights of the Republic of Cuba and Text of the Cuban Cancellations")
BFC, Yr.2, No.3, 30 June 1952, p.4 (unnumbered), Span.

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Continuation of <GARC5204>. It contains part three of the supplement listing flights from foreign countries to Cuba, and historic and commemorative flights. As in the case of entry <GARC5204>, the listings are poorly typed and do not inspire confidence in thoroughness, but nonetheless, may contain information of use to the specialist.

<GARC5206b> García, Rafael R.

"Leyendas de los Matasellos Cubanos. Slogans in Cuban Cancellations"
BFC, Yr.2, No.3, 30 June 1952, p.4 (unnumbered), Span.

<GARC5303a> García, Rafael R.

"También Se Coleccionan: Los Sellos Fiscales Sindicales"
("They Are Collectible: Trade Union Revenue Stamps of Cuba")
AF, Yr.XXVI, No.58, March 1953, p.8, ill., Span.

The only known list of trade union dues stamps with 22 samples illustrated. Unfortunately, the list is skimpy since the one page article is intended to only show the reader a sampling of the stamps.

<GARC5303b> García, Rafael R.

"Y Además" ("And Furthermore")
AF, Yr.XXVI, No.58, March 1953, p.9-10, Span.

One page account of the official mail stamps lithographed in Havana which were not well known because of their similarity with those printed in Spain and initially used in Cuba and because they were unlisted in the catalogs until Gálvez listed them in his specialized catalog of Spanish colonies shortly before publication of this article.

<GARC5305> García, Rafael R.

"Tercer Suplemento al Catálogo de Sobres Aéreos"
("Third Supplement to the Catalog of First Flight Covers")
AF, Yr.XXVI, No.60, May 1953, pp.6-7, Span.

Third supplement to <GARC3700>. This supplement is a list of 12 first flights from 1936 to 1953 that are not assigned catalog numbers as is done in previous supplements.

<GARC5306> García, Rafael R.

"Un Sello Común Que Se Vuelve Raro"
("A Common Stamp That Becomes Scarce")
AF, Yr.XXVI, No.61, June 1953, p.4, Span.

The article tries to explain why Scott No.305 is scarce, but the explanation is not very clear and the article's title is misleading because Scott No.305 was never a common stamp. The author notes that at the time Scott 305 was issued the regular mail postal rate was raised from 2 to 3 cents, but makes no mention of the fact that Scott No.305 was only produced as part of a booklet that contained two panes of 1c stamps and only one pane of 2c stamps—to make available the right combination of stamps to service the new postal rate. The author recounts that he noted that the 2 cent stamps being sold in a booklet were different from the ones being sold in sheets. Further investigation revealed that a batch of booklets had been produced using sheets of stamps produced using a flat plate printing press while waiting for a new rotary press to arrive and that the 2c sheets that he had seen being sold were produced by the new rotary press. All of the 2 and 3 cent stamps from the flat plate printing press were used to produce booklets which explains why all of these stamps have straight edges. Some leftover 1c sheets were sold separately and that is why the 1c value is found with perforations all the way around. After noticing that the subject booklets were scarce, the author tried to locate as many of them as possible at various post offices in the island—only to find that most of them had already been sold and used for postage. The article ends stating that the number flat plate printing press booklets produced was large and that since most were sold to the public and used,

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collectors should be on the lookout for used copies. The advise was apparently not well heeded, because used examples of Scott 305 are extremely hard to find.

<[GARC5511](#)> García, Rafael R.

"Los Sellos Fiscales de Cuba" "Cuban Fiscal Revenue Stamps"
AF, "CUPEX" Special Issue, Nov 1955, p.126, Span. & Eng., ill.

<[GARC5810](#)> García, Rafael R.

Letter to Armand E. Carroll dated Oct. 6th, 1958

Copy in my personal library, two typewritten pages, in English.

Letter to a client offering for sale a list of Cuban rocket mail material with items individually priced. Highlights are covers of the three trial flights of Oct.1, 3, and 8 at \$1.50, \$2.00, and \$2.50 (on p.1) or \$2.00 (on p.2).

<[GARC7501](#)> García, Rafael R.

"Cuba--Some Uncatalogued Varieties."

CP, Vol.4, No.3, January 1975, pp.5-6. Reprint of <[GARC3904](#)> but without any images illustrating the text.

<[GARCyymma](#)> García, Rafael R.

Anuario y Censo de Filatelistas Cubanos (Yearbook and Census of Cuban Philatelists)

No publication information available, but believed circa 1923. See <[GARC2304](#)>.

<[GARCyymbb](#)># García, Rafael R.

"Covers"

AMC, ddmmyyyy, p.23.

This is a one page advertisement offering various Cuban first flight covers at listed prices.

<[GARCA5900](#)># García de Arboleya, José

Manual de la Isla de Cuba—Compendio de su Historia, Geografía, Estadística y Administración
(Handbook of the Island of Cuba—Compendium of its History, Geography, Statistics, and Administration)

Habana, Cuba: Imprenta del Tiempo, 1859, xx pp. with 5 maps and 32 illustrations, in Spanish.

Following are some sections of interest:

pp.103-111: División Territorial (Territorial Breakdown)

pp.113-130: Población (Population)

pp.190-223: Comunicaciones—Comercio (Communications—Commerce)

pp.296-301: Incomplete section that deals with revenue fees and postal organization and fees.

<[GARCC4706](#)> García Castañeda, J. A.

"Cuba y sus Sellos Postales Conmemorativos" ("Cuba and Its Commemorative Stamps")

Holguín, Cuba: Notas del Museo García Feria (Notes of the García Feria Museum), June 1947, 40 pp., mimeographed, not illustrated, Span.

Full coverage of the commemorative stamps of Cuba to time of publication, including authorization, legislation, funding, history of the issue, etc. An excellent reference.

<[GARCF7709](#)> García-Frutos, Silvia (Editor)

Hoja Mensual (Monthly Sheet)

Miami, FL, September 1977 to December 1978. Monthly newsletter for the members of the CPSA resident in the Miami area. Edited by Silvia García-Frutos. Published monthly except in June and October 1978. The newsletter was a single sheet of paper sometimes printed only on one side, sometimes on both sides. It mainly contained news, meeting notices, and activities for the Miami members of the CPSA.

Known issues are as follows:

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Sep 1977, 1p.

Dec 1977, 1p.

Yr.2, No.3, Mar 1978, (missing)

Yr.2, No.6, Jul 1978, 2pp.

Yr.2, No.9, Nov 1978, 1p.

Oct 1977, 1p.

Yr.2, No.1, Jan 1978, 1p.

Yr.2, No.4, Apr 1978, 1p.

Yr.2, No.7, Aug 1978, 1p.

Yr.2, No.10, Dec 1978, 2pp.

Nov 1977, 2pp.

Yr.2, No.2, Feb 1978, 1p

Yr.2, No.5, May 1978, 1p.

Yr.2, No.8, Sep 1978, 1p.

<GARCF7910a>* García-Frutos, Silvia

"Sobres de Primer Dia--Experimento del Cohete Postal" "First Day Cover--Postal Rocket Experiment"

BM, No.1, October 1979, p.2, ill., Span. & Eng.

On the existence of FDCs of the Postal Rocket Experiment postmarked 14 October 1939, one day ahead of the official date of issuance.

<GARCF7910b>* García-Frutos, Silvia

"Our Bulletin Is Back Again"

BM, No.1, October 1979, p.3, Span. & Eng.

Note on the resumption of publication of the official bulletin of The Cuban Philatelic Society of America, Inc. (previously called The Cuban Philatelic Club, Inc. of America) under the new name of El Boletín (previously called The Cuban Philatelist and last published in March 1979) (see entries <BM> and <CP>).

<GARCF7910c>* García-Frutos, Silvia

"Cohete Postal Cubano--15 de octubre de 1939" "Cuban Rocket Mail--October 15, 1939"

BM, No.1, October 1979, p.5, ill., Span. & Eng.

Short note on the Cuban rocket mail experiment on its 40th anniversary. Photos of Scott C31 and its overprint.

<GARCF7911a>* García-Frutos, Silvia

"Sobres de Primer Dia" "First Day Cover"

BM, No.2, November 1979, p.2, ill., Span. & Eng.

On the 29th anniversary of issue of the first Cuban Christmas stamps, Scott 469-479, with illustration of an FDC.

<GARCF7911b>* García-Frutos, Silvia

"Sellos de Puerto Príncipe" ("Puerto Príncipe Stamps")

BM, No.2, November 1979, p.3, ill., Span. & Eng.

Short note on the surcharged stamps of Puerto Príncipe with an illustration of an ex Tows trial proof strip of five.

<GARCF7911c>* García-Frutos, Silvia

"Hojitas del Cohete--Souvenir Sheet" "Cuban Rocket Mail Souvenir Sheet"

BM, No.2, November 1979, p.6, ill., Span. & Eng.

Announcement of the issuance by the Cuban Philatelic Society of America, Inc. of a souvenir sheet to commemorate the 40th anniversary of the "Rocket Mail Experiment". The sheet is illustrated.

<GARCF8001a>* García-Frutos, Silvia

"Sobres de Primer Dia" "First Day Cover"

BM, No.3, January-February 1980, p.2, ill., Span. & Eng.

Short note on the 25th anniversary (the previous December) of the stamp (Scott 535) issued to commemorate the 3rd Boy Scouts National Camp. Two covers illustrated, one FDC of Scott 535 and a partial view of a cover with an FDC

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cachet of María Luisa Dolz franked with a Cuba Scott 535 and a U.S. Scott 995 (showing Three Boy Scouts, Statue of Liberty, and Scout Badge).

<GARCF8001b>* García-Frutos, Silvia

"Máximo Gómez"

BM, No.3, January-February 1980, p.3, ill., Span. & Eng.

Short note on the free-franking privileges extended to General Máximo Gómez by Order No.58 of August 8, 1899, of the General Postmaster of Cuba, Mr. Rathbone. One free-franked cover shown.

<GARCF8003a>* García-Frutos, Silvia

"Sobres de Primer Dia" "First Day Cover"

BM, No.4, Mar-Apr 1980, p.14, ill., Span. & Eng.

Short note on the occasion of the 125th anniversary on April 24 of the issuance of the first postage stamps used in Cuba. Two FDCs of the stamps issued to commemorate the centenary of Cuba's first postage stamps are shown, one showing the unofficial souvenir sheet printed to promote the philatelic exhibition "CUPEX" held in Cuba in 1955 at the time of the centenary.

<GARCF8003b>* García-Frutos, Silvia

"Correo Interior--Uso de la Y 1/4"

"Correo Interior--Use of the Y 1/4"

Subtitled: "Notas filatélicas del Archivo Nacional, Gobierno Superior Civil--Legajo 822, No.27618"

"Philatelic Notes from the Cuban National Archives, Superior Civil Government--File 822, No.27618"

BM, No.4, Mar-Apr 1980, p.15, ill., Span. & Eng.

Short note on the Interior Mail Service of the city of Havana, the use of the Y 1/4 surcharged stamps to frank Havana interior mail, and the use of the rare straightline cancellation "Correo Interior" (Interior Mail) found on only a few Y 1/4 covers of that period. An illustration of a "Correo Interior" cover is shown.

<GARCF8003c> García-Frutos, Silvia

"Dr. B. Cruz-Planas"

BM, No.4, Mar-Apr 1980, p.17, ill., Span. & Eng.

Short biographical notes on Dr. Buenaventura Cruz-Planas, who assembled the greatest collection of Cuban stamps and postal history known to date and which today forms the core of the Cuban Postal Museum.

<GARCF8003d> García-Frutos, Silvia

"Errores y Variedades" "Errors and Varieties"

BM, No.4, Mar-Apr 1980, p.18, ill., Span. & Eng. Photos by Arturo A. Codina.

Illustration and description of some of the printing varieties occurring in the U.S. stamps overprinted for use in Cuba during the U.S. Administration (Scott 221-226). See <GARCF8104> for a follow-up.

<GARCF8104> García-Frutos, Silvia

"Errores y Variedades" "Errors and Varieties"

BM, No.9, April-May 1981, p.61, ill., Span. & Eng. Photos by Arturo A. Codina.

Many more illustrations and descriptions of some of the printing varieties occurring in the U.S. stamps overprinted for use in Cuba during the U.S. Administration (Scott 221-226) than those presented in <GARCF8003d>.

<GARCF8106>* García-Frutos, Silvia

"Sellos de Correos Usados Solamente en Cuba Bajo la Dominación Española y Su Correcta Clasificación en el Catálogo" "Postage Stamps Used Only in Cuba During the Spanish Domination and Its Correct Catalog Number"

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BM, No.10, June-September 1981, pp.67-72 (6), Span. & Eng.
Short but challenging approach to cataloging of early Cuban stamps issued under the Spanish Administration.

<GARCF8110>* García-Frutos, Silvia

"Un Nuevo Correo en Cuba"

"A New Postal Service in Cuba"

BM, No.11, October-December 1981, pp.79-80 (2), Span. & Eng.

<GARCF8201>* García-Frutos, Silvia

"Centros Invertidos" "Inverted Centers"

BM, No.12, January-April 1982, pp.87-89 (3), ill., Span. & Eng.

Account of the inverted centers occurring in the stamps issued on Feb. 1, 1910 (Scott Nos.239a, 240a, 244a, E1a). Some major known pieces of the inverts are illustrated.

<GARCF8209a>* García-Frutos, Silvia

"Nuevos Sellos Imperforados" "New Imperforate Stamps"

BM, No.13, Sep-Oct 1982, pp.99-100 (2), ill., Span. & Eng.

Report on the finding and subsequent sale of imperforate stamps of the famous chess world champion José Raúl Capablanca (Scott Nos.463-465, C44C48, E14) and Cuban independence fighter General Máximo Gómez (Scott Nos.324-331, C18-C21, E8).

<GARCF8209b>* García-Frutos, Silvia

"Catálogo de Waterlow & Sons de Pruebas" "Catalogue Waterlow & Sons/Specimen"

BM, No.13, Sep-Oct 1982, pp.99-100 (2), ill., Span. & Eng.

This is a listing from the contents of <ROBSLL6800>.

<GARCF8301># García-Frutos, Silvia

"Homenaje al Dr. Tomás Terry" ("Homage to Dr. Tomás Terry")

BM, No.14, January-April 1983, p.117, ill., Span. & Eng., though title only in Spanish.

Report of the dinner offered by the members of the Cuban Philatelic Society to Dr. Tomás Terry on September 12, 1982, when Dr. Terry was visiting in Miami. Biographical notes on Dr. Terry included.

<GARCF8305>* García-Frutos, Silvia

"An Unusual Cover" "Una Carta Extraordinaria"

BM, No.15, May-August 1983, p.120, ill., Eng. and Span.

Report by Mr. F. J. Salichs of the finding of an unusual franking with U.S. stamps and an "N.A." marking on a folded letter from New York City to Havana.

<GARCF8401> García-Frutos, Silvia

"French Consular Agencies in Santiago de Cuba—Ligne D (Annexe). Cachet de Provenance: Type B – Santiago de Cuba PAQ. FR. D No. 1."

BM, No.17, January-April 1984, p.66, ill.

This seems to just be a copy of a page from an exhibit showing two examples of unpaid letters illustrating the increased 10 and 12 décime rates following the Franco-Prussian War. The second letter shown bears a "cachet de provenance" in red from Santiago de Cuba that is not recorded in Salles (<[SALL6107](#)>).

<GARCF8405>* García-Frutos, Silvia

"Importancia del Correo Insurrecto Durante Nuestras Guerras de Independencia"

"The Importance of the Revolutionary Postal System During Our War of Independence"

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BM, No.18, May-August 1984, pp.72-73, ill., Span. & Eng.

<**GARCF8409**>* **García-Frutos, Silvia**

"Editor's Note"

BM, No.19, September-December 1984, p.82, Eng. and Span.

Brief report on the results of the auction program of the Cuban Philatelic Society of America, Inc.

<**GARCF8501**>* **García-Frutos, Silvia**

"The Bad Ones Are Not So Bad, They Are Good!"

"Los malos no son tan malos... son buenos"

BM, No.20, January-April 1985, p.4, Eng. and Span.

Short generic article on fake stamps, with mention of the existence of numerous fakings of Cuban stamps, especially the classics of the Spanish Administration.

<**GARCF8505a**>* **García-Frutos, Silvia**

"Nota del Editor" ("Editor's Note")

BM, No.21, May-August 1985, p.15, Span. & Eng., though title only in Spanish.

Brief note from the editor of the BM, Mrs. García-Frutos, announcing that in the future the only official regular means of communication with the CPSA's membership will be via the BNJ being published by the New York-New Jersey Chapter of the CPSA under the editorship of Dr. Roberto M. Rosende of Yonkers, New York. However, the BNJ ceased publication in Dec 1985 and the role of CPSA communicator reverted to the BM.

<**GARCF8505b**>* **García-Frutos, Silvia**

"Fantasías - Cinderellas"

BM, No.21, May-August 1985, p.20, ill. (but with very poor photo that fails to show the surcharge that is the main subject matter of the article), English and Spanish versions.

Article claiming that the small "1866" surcharge found on some Scott No.22 stamps have no basis for authenticity and are mere fabrications to be treated as fantasies or cinderellas.

<**GARCF8608**>* **García-Frutos, Silvia**

"¿Sabía Usted...?" "Did You Know?"

BM, No.23, Aug 1986, p11, ill., Span. & Eng.

Report of the existence of an imperforate block of 4 of Scott 278, the 10 c. value of the 1925-28 Cuban patriots issue showing Tomás Estrada Palma.

<**GARCF8609**> **García-Frutos, Silvia**

"El Primer Aerograma en Cuba" "The First Aerogram in Cuba"

BM, No.24, Sep-Dec 1986, two unnumbered pages corresponding to pp22-23 counting from the page numbering in the preceding issue, ill., Span. & Eng.

This article incorrectly states that the first Cuban aerogram was issued on January 18, 1949, when in fact the first Cuban aerogram was issued on that same day but in 1957 (see <EDIFILd>, p.339). It also states that two values of 5 and 8 cents were issued when the denomination of the 1957 aerogram was 10c. Also, the article shows on p.23 a 5c. U.S. aerogram instead of showing the purported first Cuban aerogram.

<**GARCF8609**>* **García-Frutos, Silvia**

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BM, No.24, Sep-Dec 1986, one unnumbered page corresponding to p.25 counting from the page numbering in the preceding issue, ill., Span. & Eng.
Report of the existence of an imperforate block of 4 of Scott E6, the 1927 10 c. special delivery stamp. The article makes a reference to the imperforate block of four reported in <GARCF8608>, but erroneously identifies it as Scott 279 instead of 278.

<GARCF8705>* García-Frutos, Silvia

"¿Sabía Usted...?" "Did You Know?"

BM, No.26, May-Aug 1987, p.14, ill., English captions to figures only, in spite of bilingual title.
Illustration of the hard cover of the mailmen's booklet of 30 2c. stamps of the 1917-18 patriots issue (Scott 265b) and a horizontally imperforate strip of 5 stamps of the 1c. stamp of the 1944 Columbus issue (Scott 387).

<GARCF8709a>* García-Frutos, Silvia

"The Noble Y 1/4"

BM, Vol.IX, No.27, Sep-Dec 1987, pp.20-22, ill., Eng. & Span.

<GARCF8709b>* García-Frutos, Silvia

"Nota del Editor" ("Editor's Note")

BM, Vol.IX, No.27, Sep-Dec 1987, p.23, Eng. & Span.

Announcement from the editor of several changes in format and content of the bulletin that are being implemented as of this issue. The editor promises regular publication of the bulletin every two months, but notes that this won't be possible without the full cooperation of society members.

<GARCF8709c>* García-Frutos, Silvia

"La historia detrás del sello" "The History Behind the Stamp"

BM, Vol.IX, No.27, Sep-Dec 1987, pp.28-29, ill., Span. & Eng.

<GARCF8709d>* García-Frutos, Silvia

"Did You Know?" "¿Sabía Usted...?"

BM, Vol.IX, No.27, Sep-Dec 1987, p.30, ill., Eng. & Span.

One page showing blocks of four of the the known imperforate values of the "Mapitas" issue, Scott Nos.253,254/255,256-258,259/260,261-262 (only one block of the 2 and 10 c. values is shown, color not identified) and the Scott E1 special delivery stamp.

<GARCF8801>* García-Frutos, Silvia

"Rosillo 50 Years Later" "Rosillo 50 años después"

BM, Vol.IX, No.28, Jan-Feb 1988, pp.11-13 (unnumbered), ill., Eng. & Span.

<GARCF8803>* García-Frutos, Silvia

"Nota del Editor" ("Editor's Note")

BM, Vol.IX, No.29, Mar-Apr 1988, p.19, Eng. & Span.

Reference from the editor to a letter from Jorge L. Sosa of the Félix Varela Bicentennial Committee (see <SOSA8709>) requesting the CPSA's help in canvassing support for the issuance of a U.S. stamp in honor of Varela. The editor informs the CPSA membership that the society has requested from the post offices of the three most important cities where Varela lived in the U.S. that they prepare and use a special cancellation on November 20, 1988, the bicentennial of Varela's birthday and that the city of San Agustín has already honored the request.

<GARCF8805a>* García-Frutos, Silvia

"Nota del Editor" ("Editor's Note")

BM, Vol.IX, No.30, May-Jun 1988, p.37, Eng. & Span.

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<GARCF8805b>* García-Frutos, Silvia

"Parlá 75 Years Later" "Parlá 75 años después"

BM, Vol.IX, No.30, May-Jun 1988, pp.43-45 (3), ill., Eng. & Span.

<GARCF8807>* García-Frutos, Silvia ???

"The First Railroad in Cuba" "El primer ferrocarril en Cuba"

BM, Vol.IX, No.31, Jul-Aug 1988, pp.52-57 (6), ill., Eng. & Span.

<GARCF8811>* García-Frutos, Silvia

"List of Postal Propaganda Sheets" "Lista de hojas de propaganda postal"

BM, Vol.IX, No.33, Nov-Dec 1988, p.90, Eng. & Span.

<GARCF8903>* García-Frutos, Silvia

"First International Sky Train Covers"

CPa, Vol.I, No.1, Mar-Apr 1989, p.9, ill., Eng. only.

<GARCF8911> García-Frutos, Silvia

"Large front wrapper bearing a one 'libra' (Havana lithographed) official mail stamp, sent on May 23, 1863, to the Lt. Governor of San Antonio" "Envoltura oficial con el franqueo de una libra, litografiado en La Habana, enviada el 23 de mayo de 1863 al Gobernador de San Antonio"

CPa, Vol.I, No.3, Nov-Dec 1989, p.45, ill., Eng. & Span.

<GARCF9001>* García-Frutos, Silvia

"Did you know?" "¿Sabía usted?"

BM, Vol.XI, No.37, Jan-Feb 1990, p.23, ill., Eng. & Span.

Quoting the piece: "Did you know that Scott C17, 10¢, 1935 'PRIMER TREN AEREO' exists with double surcharge, but it is not listed by Scott and that Scott 387, 1¢, 1944 Christopher Columbus exists horizontally imperforate, but it is not listed by Scott either?"

<GARCF9003a>* García-Frutos, Silvia

"A proposed but not adopted stamp design of King Alphonse XIII of Spain"

"Diseño propuesto pero no aceptado de sello del Rey Alfonso XIII de España"

CPa, Vol.II, No.4, Mar-Apr 1990, p.1, ill., Eng. & Span.

<GARCF9003b>* García-Frutos, Silvia

"Did You Know? -- ¿Sabía usted?"

CPa, Vol.II, No.4, Mar-Apr 1990, p.19, ill., Eng. & Span.

Quoting the piece: "Did you know that Scott C129, Cagigal de la Vega, exists imperforate but is not cataloged? Two horizontal pairs and a 2 x 3 block of six are shown.

<GARCF9007a>* García-Frutos, Silvia

"Revenue stamps for business books used as postage (one of them bisected) on a letter mailed from Cienfuegos to Havana on December 27, 1873"

"Sellos fiscales para libros de comercio usados como franqueo (uno es bisectado) en una carta enviada desde Cienfuegos a La Habana el 27 de diciembre de 1873"

CPa, Vol.II, No.5, Jul-Aug 1990, p.25, ill., Eng. & Span.

<GARCF9007b>* García-Frutos, Silvia

"Did You Know? -- ¿Sabía usted?"

CPa, Vol.II, No.5, Jul-Aug 1990, p.25, ill., Eng. & Span.

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Quoting the piece: "Did you know that the series Scott Nos.668-69, C222-23 and the related souvenir sheets were also printed on safety paper similar to the one used to print the 1960-61 Christmas series?"

<GARCF9011>* García-Frutos, Silvia

"Military postal franking mark used by the Spanish army operating in México"
"Cuño de franquicia militar de las fuerzas españolas destinadas a México"
CPa, Vol.II, No.6, Nov-Dec 1990, p.45, ill., Eng. & Span.

Illustration of the only cover that bears the subject postal mark as a franking privilege instead of as a postal canceller.

<GARCF9101a> García-Frutos, Silvia

"Christie's Auction September 12, 1990 -- American Bank Note File"
BM, Vol.XII, No.40, Jan-Feb 1991, p.10-11 (2), ill., Eng. & Span.

Illustrates Cuban booklet specimens sold at the auction. Four items are shown: a full sheet of 15 booklet panes of Scott 234a (not 248a as indicated in the text) and three Scott 248a booklets with violet, carmine, and red covers (the first two with 4 panes, the last with 2 panes). All stamps in the sheet are overprinted SPECIMEN and punched with a small hole. The booklet covers are also overprinted SPECIMEN, but no information is provided about the booklet panes inside.

<GARCF9101b>* García-Frutos, Silvia

"Did you know?" "¿Sabía usted?"
BM, Vol.XII, No.40, Jan-Feb 1991, p.18, ill., Eng. & Span.

Quoting the piece: "Did you know that only once in history the Republic printed 'Maximum Cards' commemorating the Martí Centennial? Six cards were printed, each reproducing one of the stamps issued on August 25, 1953 (Scott 764-769). Only 100 cards each were printed and cancelled. They are extremely rare."

<GARCF9103> García-Frutos, Silvia

"Official wrapper from Palmilla (Matanzas province) to Havana"
"Cubierta oficial enviada de Palmilla (Prov. de Matanzas) a La Habana"
CPa, Vol.III, No.7, Mar-Apr 1991, p.1, ill., Eng. & Span.

Description and photo of the front of the subject wrapper. The wrapper was carried by a private courier to Nueva Bermeja where upon mailing it was applied a double circle NUEVA BERMEJA postal mark. This is the only cover that has been recorded with this postal mark.

<GARCF9105a> García-Frutos, Silvia

"Scott 248a. Booklet panes in full sheet, overprinted SPECIMEN"
BM, Vol.XII, No.41, May-Jun 1991, pp.41, ill., Span. & Eng.

<GARCF9105b>* García-Frutos, Silvia

"Correos de Alcance" "Supplementary Mail"
BM, Vol.XII, No.41, May-Jun 1991, pp.42-43, ill., Span. & Eng.

<GARCF9107>* García-Frutos, Silvia

"Más sobre el tema: Los cubanos ahora llevan el correo"
"More on the theme: The Cubans Now Carry the Mail"
CPa, Vol.III, No.8, Jul-Aug 1991, p.47 and ending on p.46, Span. & Eng. This is a follow-up on <NYP99007>.

<GARCF9109>* García-Frutos, Silvia

"267 Var. 1917"
BM, Vol.XII, No.42, Sep-Oct 1991, p.61, ill., Span. & Eng.

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Report of the discovery of an unlisted letter carrier stamp booklet of 30 3 cent stamps of the 1917 issue, Scott No. 267, perf. 12, unwatermarked. The article discusses the rationale for the existence of such a booklet and concludes that it probably is a unique item.

<GARCF911a>* García-Frutos, Silvia

“Letter from Havana to Veracruz bearing two French stamps, 40 cts. and 5 Francs (Napoleon issue), 'Anchor' cancelled and octogonal cds”

“ 'La Havane' April 14th 1872 -- Carta enviada de La Habana a Veracruz con sellos franceses de 40 cts. y 5 francos (serie Napoleón) con matasello de 'ancla' y fechador octogonal 'La Havane' 14 de abril de 1872”

CPa, Vol.III, No.9, Nov-Dec 1991, p.49, ill., Eng. & Span.

<GARCF911b> García-Frutos, Silvia

"The American Bank Note Co. Archives" "Los archivos de The American Bank Note Co."

CPa, Vol.III, No.9, Nov-Dec 1991, pp.52-67 (16), ill., Eng. & Span.

<GARCF9211>* García-Frutos, Silvia

"3¢ on 2¢, June 16, 1953. Sobrecarga Invertida. Inverted Surcharge."

BM, Vol.IV, No.12, Nov-Dec 1992, pp.41, ill., Eng. & Span.

<GARCF9303a> García-Frutos, Silvia

"¿Sabía usted?" "Did you know?"

CPa, Vol.V, No.13, Mar-Apr 1993, p.2, ill., Span. & Eng.

<GARCF9303b> García-Frutos, Silvia

“Isla de Pinos” “Island of Pines”

CPa, Vol.V, No.13, Mar-Apr 1993, front cover plus pp.4-13 (11), ill., Span. & Eng.

<GARCF9403a> García-Frutos, Silvia

“Terry--Nota del Editor--Editor’s Note”

CPa, Vol.VI, No.15, Mar-Apr 1994, p.2, Span. & Eng.

<GARCF9403b> García-Frutos, Silvia

“Tome Nota” “Make a Note”

CPa, Vol.VI, No.15, Mar-Apr 1994, p.17, ill., Span. & Eng.

<GARCF9407a> García-Frutos, Silvia

“Forwarding Agents” “Agentes Reencaminadores”

CPa, Vol.VI, No.16, Jul-Aug 1994, pp.24-31 (8), ill., Eng. & Span.

<GARCF9407b>* García-Frutos, Silvia

“Sellado Oficial” “Official Sealing”

Co-authored with: Ignacio Prats (see <PRAT9407>) and Alfredo Valdés (see <VALD9407>).

CPa, Vol.VI, No.16, Jul-Aug 1994, front cover plus pp.32-43 (13), ill., Span. & Eng.

<GARCF9411a>* García-Frutos, Silvia

“Más Sobre los Agentes Reencaminadores” “More About Forwarding Agents”

CPa, Vol.VI, No. 17, Nov-Dec 1994, pp.54-57 (4), ill., Span. & Eng.

<GARCF9411b>* García-Frutos, Silvia

“Correo de Alcance” (“Supplementary Mail”)

CPa, Vol.VI, No. 17, Nov-Dec 1994, p.57, ill., Span. & Eng. See <GARCF9105b>.

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<GARCF9411b>* García-Frutos, Silvia

“Did you know...” “¿Sabe usted...”

CPa, Vol.VI, No. 17, Nov-Dec 1994, p.59, ill., Span. & Eng.

...what to look for in the variety #512a of the Jones & Roy Handbook? This is the “wavy line over the machete” variety; unfortunately, the article points the reader to two photos of stamps bearing the variety in which the variety does not show because it did not reproduce well. Also note that the name of one of the authors of the handbook is misspelled “Roig” instead of “Roy”.

<GARCF9503>* García-Frutos, Silvia

“Imperforate Proofs, Trial Color Proofs and Progressive Proofs, 1953-1960”

“Pruebas, Pruebas con Ensayo de Color y Pruebas Progresivas Imperforadas, 1953-1960”

CPa, Vol.VII, Nos.18-19, Mar-Aug 1995, front cover plus pp.2,4-34 (33), ill., Eng. & Span.

<GARCF9511a>* García-Frutos, Silvia

“Cambio de batuta” “Change of Guard”

CPa, Vol.VII, No.20, Nov-Dec 1995, p.38, Span. & Eng.

Announcement of the retirement of Silvia García-Frutos as editor of the CPa with the present issue of the journal and the takeover of editorial responsibilities by Yamil Kouri del Pino. The article contains some historical notes about the BM and the CPa and the role the retiring editor played in their success since 1979.

<GARCF9511b>* García-Frutos, Silvia

“Our Lady of Charity Souvenir Sheet” “La Hojita de Nuestra Señora de la Caridad del Cobre”

CPa, Vol.VII, No.20, Nov-Dec 1995, front cover plus pp.2,4-34 (33), ill., Eng. & Span.

Account and illustration of some of the more noticeable varieties of the Lady of Charity souvenir sheet (Scott C149a).

<GARCF9806> García-Frutos, Silvia

Cuba: Errors and Varieties—Republican Era

Black and white photocopy of the collection exhibited at the NAPEX 98 Philatelic Exhibition held 5-7 June 1998 at the McLean Hilton of Tysons Corner, Virginia; 128 pages (8 frames of 16 pages each). The collection received a Vermeil medal at the exhibition. Available in PDF files: [Frames 1-4](#) and [Frames 5-8](#).

<GARCF9901> García-Frutos, Silvia

“Errores y Variedades/Errors and Varieties: Capablanca”

CPa, Vol.11, No.31, First Third 1999, p.26, ill., Eng & Span.

Account of various errors and printing varieties found in the Capablanca issue of 1951.

<GARCF9909> García-Frutos, Silvia

“Bogus Cuban Stamps for the 1960 Olympics”

“Los Sellos Cubanos Falsos de las Olimpiadas de 1960”

CPa, Vol.11, No.33, Last Third 1999, pp.95-96, ill., Eng & Span.

<GARCF0101a> García-Frutos, Silvia

“Victoriano Patiño (1922-2000)”

CPa, Vol.13, No.37, First Third 2001, p.8, Eng & Span.

Obituary of Victoriano Patiño, Cuban exile resident of Puerto Rico who at the time of his death was President of the Puerto Rican Philatelic Society.

<GARCF0101b> García-Frutos, Silvia

“Ricardo del Campo (1918-2001)”

CPa, Vol.13, No.37, First Third 2001, p.8, Eng & Span.

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Obituary of Ricardo del Campo, Cuban exile resident of Miami who was an established dealer in Cuba in the 1940s and 50s and continued as a dealer in Miami until his death. He specialized in Cuban philately and was an expert in the field and always a source of excellent Cuban philatelic items.

<GARCF0109> García-Frutos, Silvia

“More About the YSLA DE CUBA Numbered Circular Date Stamps”

“Más Sobre los Fechadores numerados YSLA DE CUBA”

Co-author: Jorge Marí (also listed as <MARI0109>)

CPa, Last Third 2001, p.96, not illustrated, Eng. & Span.

This article is a follow-up to <CUES9807> correcting some errors in the previous article and listing additional examples of these numbered datestamps obtained from various cited sources. The article points to the existence of examples of these datestamps going back as far as 1881, but this fact is disputed by the CPa Editor who points out that if that were so, surely they would have been used first in Havana, but no such examples are known to exist. Since publication of the article I have developed an inventory of these cancellations in my FILACUBA Website at the following address: <http://www.philat.com/FIL/NCDS/NCDS-Archive.html>. Numerous additions to the towns reported here and in the original article have been identified and several of the town numbers reported in this article have been corroborated, but some corrections have also surfaced. Colón has been verified to be #10, Bahía Honda is still ambiguous—either 28 or 29, #107 is definitely Guara not Guareiras which we believe is #109, and Isabel de Sagua is definitely #125—not #124.

<GARCF0201> García-Frutos, Silvia

“An Unreported Cancellor: CANCELADO”

“Un Matasello No Reportado: CANCELADO”

CPa, Vol.14, No.40, First Third 2002, pp.14-15, ill., Eng & Span.

<GARCF0205> García-Frutos, Silvia

Cuba: Postal Stamps Used for Revenues

Black and white photocopy of the collection exhibited at the NAPEX 98 Philatelic Exhibition held 31 May to 2 June 2002 at the McLean Hilton of Tysons Corner, Virginia; 80 pages (5 frames of 16 pages each). The collection received a Vermeil medal at the exhibition.

<GARCF0304> García-Frutos, Silvia

Cuba: Postal Stamps Used for Revenues

Black and white photocopy of the collection exhibited at the NAPEX 98 Philatelic Exhibition held 31 May to 2 June 2002 at the McLean Hilton of Tysons Corner, Virginia; 112 pages (7 frames of 16 pages each). The collection received a Vermeil medal at the exhibition. Available are black and white photocopies of selected pages of the exhibition that are revisions or additions to the exhibit <[GARCF0205](#)>.

<GARCG4510> García Galbraith, Serafín

"Cómo Empezó a Brillar Hace 100 Años la Farola del Morro"

("How Did the Morro Lighthouse Started Shining 100 Years Ago")

AF, Yr.XX, No.33, Oct-Nov-Dec 1945, pp.3-6 (4), ill., Span.

<GARCL4000> García Lima, Felipe

"Datos históricos sobre el Correo, el Telégrafo y el Cable en Cuba"

("Historical facts on the postal, telegraph, and telegram services in Cuba")

La Habana: 1940. Reprinted by Mnemosyne Publishing Co., Inc., Miami, Florida (date unknown).

This is part of <ROLD4000>, pp.1096-1103 (8), Span.

This brief article is part of a one volume Cuban general encyclopedia and appears as the first item in the section on Cuban communications. The article provides an overview of the Cuban postal, telegraph, and telegram services from their inception during the Spanish Administration, through the period of the U.S. Administration, and the first years of the Republic, ending with the airmail service.

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<[GARCL7700](#)> **García-Lomas, José Ignacio**

Reseña - Inventario de Marcas, Sellos, Pruebas y Enteros Postales de Puerto Rico (Como Dependencia Postal Española) (Review - Inventory of Postal Marks, Stamps, Essays, and Postal Stationery of Puerto Rico (As a Spanish Postal Dependency))

Madrid, Spain: Colección Filatélica Hobby, 1977, 256 pp., profusely illustrated.

A major work on Puerto Rican philately. Section 2 deals with the stamp issues for the Antilles from 1855 to 1873; these stamps were used both in Cuba and Puerto Rico and thus the section contains a considerable amount of information of value to the Cuban philatelist specializing in those issues. As an aside, a considerable amount of the material referenced and illustrated in the book was offered as lot 410 of the Stanley Gibbons New York auction of February 18, 1981 (see <[SGAG8102](#)>). The lot was purchased by Dr. Antonio M. Longo of Alexandria, Virginia, and was part of his excellent Puerto Rico collection until he sold it at the Soler & Llach Barcelona auction of March 6-7, 1990, lots 2035-2268 (see <[S&LL9003](#)>).

<[GARCV1300](#)> **García Vieta, F.**

Trabajos Sobre la Historia del Correo (Works on the History of the Posts)

La Habana, Cuba: 1913

<[GARCV3902](#)> **Garcilaso de la Vega, Eloy**

“La Manipulación Postal—Correspondencia Ordinaria. Recibimiento y Manipulación”
 (“Mail Processing—Regular Mail. Receipt and Handling”)

BC, Vol.XXXVIII, No.4, 28 Feb 1939, pp.79-81 (3).

<[GARR7709](#)># **Garrett, Eugene A.**

"Philippine Postal Stationery"

PSa, Vol.19, No.5, WNo.186, Sep-Oct 1977, pp.180-184 (5), ill.

Even though the article deals primarily with Philippine postal stationery, a remarkable piece of Cuban postal stationery is introduced for comparison purposes to support the analysis of a variety occurring on a Philippine envelope. The Cuban item is a variety of Cuba envelope UPSS No.6 (size 5, knife 75, wmk 13) with a marked misalignment of both the corner card and the inscription "2c DE PESO" and the word "CUBA" completely missing. A picture of the envelope is shown.

<[GERA0201](#)> **Geraci, Joseph**

“The Roberto Pichs Collection of Cuba at the San Carlos Institute”

“La Colección Roberto Pich de Cuba en el Instituto San Carlos”

CPa, Vol.14, No.40, First Third 2002, pp.34-36 (3), ill., Eng & Span.

<[GF](#)> **Galería Filatélica (Philatelic Gallery)**

La Habana, Cuba: Independent philatelic journal published by Juan Maresma y Gispert, Apr-Dec 1927.

Referenced as item no. 41540 in <[HORN9600](#)>. Originals of the issues listed below exist in the library of The Collectors Club of New York; photocopies are available at the APRL, the library of the U.S. National Philatelic Museum, and the Richter Library of the U. of Miami. Known issues of the journal are as follows:

Apr 1927, 20 unnumbered pages (including front and back covers);

May 1927, 24 unnumbered pages (including front and back covers);

Aug 1927, Vol.1, No.6 (first time Vol. & Yr. numbers are indicated), 20 unnumbered pages (incl. f. & b. covers);

Sep-Oct 1927, Vol.1, No.7, 28 unnumbered pages (including front and back covers);

Nov-Dec 1927, Vol.1, No.8, 22 unnumbered pages (including front and back covers);

<[GILB8007](#)> **Gilbert, D. T.**

"Confederate Agents in Europe 1861-1865"

Confederate Philatelist, Vol.25, No.4, Jul-Aug 1980, pp.91-102.

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The article primarily focuses on correspondence between Confederate agents in Europe and the Confederacy, but lists the name of Charles J. Helm as Confederate agent in Cuba. However, there are no other references to Cuba.

<GINEyymm> Giner, F. G.

Article of unknown title published in Philatelia circa 1914-1915.

The article provides a biographical sketch of the Cuban poetess Gertrudis Gómez de Avellaneda, in whose honor Cuba issued in 1914 a stamp commemorating the 100th anniversary of her birth (Scott 263). The article is summarized in <TORRE1503>.

<GIOR8310> Giordano, Osvaldo Mario

"José Martí, Cronista Filatélico" ("José Martí, Philatelic Chronicler")

BNJ, No.6, Oct 1983, pp.6-7, ill., Span.

<GIP6000> Guía de Información Postal

"Oficina Internacional de la Unión Postal de las Américas y España--Van a Cumplirse Diez Años"

("International Postal Union Office for the Americas and Spain--It's Going To Be Its 10th Anniversary")

GIP, No.77, 1960, Span.

<GIP6100> Guía de Información Postal

"El Correo en América" ("The Mails in America")

GIP, No.81, 1961, Span.

<GIP6201> Guía de Información Postal

"Los Correos Mayores de Indias" ("The Postmaster Generals of the Indies")

GIP, No.93, Jan 1962, pp.13-14, ill., Span.

<GLASE7407> Glasewald, W.

"Cuban Uprisings--1869 and 1876"

CP, Vol.4, No.1, July 1974, p.12. This is a translation by Frank J. Pichardo of the original "Kubanische Aufstände (1869, 1876/78)", but no publication information about the original is provided.

<GLASS3403># Glass, Jr., Carter

"Lindbergh and Our FAM Routes"

APJ, Vol.V, No.6, Issue 47, Mar 1934, pp.3-4, ill. (Missing p.4).

<GOLD7305>* Goldsmith, Edward

"CUBA--1/2 Real--1857 Issue on Unwatermarked Paper--The Damaged Upper Left Corner Variety."

Co-author: Rosende, Roberto M. (See entry <ROSE7305>)

CCP, Vol.52, No.3, May 1973, pp.156-159 (4), ill. See <GOLD7307> for a Spanish version.

<GOLD7307> Goldsmith, Edward

"CUBA--Valor de Medio Real Emisión de 1857 Papel sin Filigrana--Esquina Superior Rota"

("CUBA--1/2 Real--1857 Issue on Unwatermarked Paper--The Damaged Upper Left Corner Variety")

Co-author: Rosende, Roberto M.

CP, Vol.3, No.1, July 1973, pp.5-8 (4), ill.

Spanish version of <GOLD7305>.

<GOLD8109> Goldsmith, Edward

"Collector Discovers Cuban Inverted Fraction Surcharge"

LINN, 21 September 1981, p.14. ill.

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Report by Mr. Goldsmith of his finding of an inverted 1/4 (4/1) fraction on a Scott No.15 Y 1/4 on cover. The cover's authenticity was questioned by Ignacio Prats in <PRAT8307>, p.17; however, it has since been issued a certificate of authenticity by The Philatelic Foundation of New York (Cert. No. 148945, dated 2 Dec 1985) after undergoing extensive study by numerous experts, including examination using a 100-300X microscope and an analysis of the surcharge's ink using x-ray spectrophotometry.

<GOLD8110> Goldsmith, Edward

"Coleccionista Descubre que la Sobrecarga en un Sello de Cuba Tiene la Fracción Invertida"
"Stamp Collector Discovers That The Surcharge On A Cuban Stamp Has An Inverted Fraction"
BM, No.11, October-December 1981, p.81, ill., Span.
Spanish translation of <GOLD8109> by Silvia García-Frutos.

<GOLD0006> Goldsmith, Edward

An Exhibition Collection Sale—The Edward Goldsmith Collection of Spanish Antilles to 1866
Baltimore, Maryland: Matthew Bennett, Inc.; 223rd Public Auction; June 10, 2000; 55 pp.; ill.

Catalog of the auction of the Edward Goldsmith Gold Medal Collection of Spanish Antilles to 1866 containing great rarities of Spanish Antilles, including the controversial Y¹/₄ cover of the interior mail of Habana with the error 4/1 inverted numerals in the fraction of the surcharge that was offered as lot #1633 and sold for \$38,500 plus 10% commission—the highest price ever paid to date for an item of Cuban philately. The auction realized a total of \$171,840 plus 10% commission. Photocopies of some of the larger lots that could not be included in the auction catalog are available in my library (<[BENNM0006b](#)>).

<GOME3911> Gómez III, Máximo

"Nuevas Emisiones Cubanas" ("New Cuban Issues")
AF, Yr.5, No.21, November 1939, p.9, not ill., Span.

Notes on some of the current stamp issues: the tobacco stamps (Scott 356358), the postal rocket stamp (Scott C31), and the Calixto García stamps (Scott 359-360). The postal rocket issue is addressed in more detail than the others, but not in great depth. The article ends with news that the 1940 Scott catalog finally lists the Matanzas imperforate issue (Scott 324-331 etal) and also refers briefly to the "Artists and Writers" issue (Scott 340-354 etal) which to the author brings hope that they might finally be listed in the 1941 edition of the catalog.

<GOME4503> Gómez III, Máximo

"Sobrecargados cubanos, no emitidos"
("Unreleased Cuban Surcharged Stamps")
BFN, Yr.1, No.1, March 1945, pp.11-12, not ill., Span.

Notes on the color proofs of some unreleased 1903 surcharged stamps.

<GOME4902a> Gómez III, Máximo

"Filatelia: Después de 3 años. Emisión conmemorativa del centenario de la erección de la Farola del Morro del puerto de La Habana. Emisión conmemorativa del natalicio del Mayor General Antonio Maceo y Grajales."
("Philately: After 3 Years. Stamp Issue Commemorating the Centenary of the Erection of the Morro Castle Lighthouse of the Port of Havana. Stamp Issue Commemorating the Birth of Major General Antonio Maceo y Grajales.")
Carteles, 13 Feb 1949, one unnumbered page, ill., Span.

The article does not indicate its author, but all subsequent editions of this philatelic column indicate Máximo Gómez III as the author, so we are assuming that he was also the author of this particular item.

Brief notice (titled "After 3 Years") of the comeback of the philatelic column "Filatelia" ("Philately") after a three year hiatus in its publication. The note is followed by brief descriptions of two current stamp issues, the Morro Castle Lighthouse issue (Scott 432) and the Major General Maceo issue (Scott 423-430).

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<GOME4902b> Gómez III, Máximo

"El sello habilitado en octubre de 1902" ("The Stamp Surcharged in October of 1902")
Carteles, 27 Feb 1949, one unnumbered page, ill., Span.
A brief article on surcharge varieties of Scott 232.

<GOME4903> Gómez III, Máximo

"Nuevas emisiones cubanas" & "Los sellos oficiales usados en Cuba de 1858 a 1868"
("New Cuban Issues" & "The Official Stamps Used in Cuba From 1858 to 1868.")
Carteles, 18 Mar 1939, one unnumbered page, ill., Span.

News of the issue of two stamps (Scott 433-434) simultaneously commemorating the bicentennial of the construction of the castle at Jagua and the centennial of the start of publication of the first newspaper of the city of Cienfuegos. Another section of the philatelic column discusses the typographed Spanish official mail stamps that were used in Cuba in the period cited. The article makes no mention of the lithographed versions of these stamps that were made in Havana and which are much rarer (see <SORO8111>).

<GOME4904> Gómez III, Máximo

"Los valiosos sellos emitidos bajo la intervención americana en Cuba, Filipinas, Puerto Rico y Guam"
("The Valuable Stamps Issued Under the American Administration in Cuba, the Philippines, Puerto Rico and Guam")
Carteles, April 1949? The article spans two issues of Carteles, but I don't know their exact dates. Two unnumbered pages, ill., Span.

The article talks about the stamps and cancellations used during the U.S administration of the cited lands after the 1898 Spanish-American War. The treatment is informative but superficial. Of note is a list of the 39 known military stations established in Cuba and examples of the cancellations from stations nos. 1, 12, 13, and 28.

<GOME4905> Gómez III, Máximo

"Novedades en sellos de Cuba. Los nuevos sobres franqueados que se pondrán próximamente en circulación."
("Cuban Stamp News. On the New Stamped Envelopes to be Issued Soon")
Carteles, 22 May 1949, one unnumbered page, ill, Span.

<GOME4906> Gómez III, Máximo

"Cuba Posee los Sellos Más Interesantes de Latinoamérica"
("Cuba Has the Most Interesting Stamps of Latin America")
Carteles, 5 June 1949, ill., Span.

<GOME4907> Gómez III, Máximo

"El Correo de los Mambises" ("The Mails of the 'Mambises' ")
Carteles, 31 July 1949, ill., Span.

Very good narrative of the postal services of the Cuban revolutionary government during the wars of independence. Very good illustrations.

<GOME4909a> Gómez III, Máximo

[Viñetas de los sobres franqueados emitidos el 27 de julio de 1949, Edifil Nos. 93-97]
[Indicias on the stamped envelopes issued on 27 July 1949, Edifil Nos. 93-97]
Carteles, 11 September 1949, ill.

Illustrations of the three insignias used in the stamped envelopes Edifil Nos. 93-97 with a note specifying their characteristics and indicating their intended use.

<GOME4909b> Gómez III, Máximo

"Los Sellos Semipostales Antituberculosos"

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("Semipostal Anti-TB Stamps")
Carteles, 25 September 1949, ill.
Notes and illustrations of different designs submitted.

<[GOME4910](#)> Gómez III, Máximo

"Sellos del Retiro de Comunicaciones del Año 1949" & "Cómo Era Realmente Cristóbal Colón"
("Communications Retirement Fund Stamps of 1949" & "What Christopher Columbus Was Really Like")
Carteles, 30 October 1949, ill.

<[GOME4911](#)> Gómez III, Máximo

"Decreto de 1854 Estableciendo el Uso de los Sellos en la Isla de Cuba"
("Decree of 1854 Establishing the Use of Postage Stamps in Cuba")
Carteles, 27 November 1949, ill.
Partially cites the decree and presents photos of the stamps.

<[GOME5001](#)> Gómez III, Máximo

"Tres Nuevos Sellos de Cuba" ("Three New Cuban Stamps")
Carteles, 1 January 1949, ill.
Details of the issuance of the 1949 anti-tuberculosis stamp and its obligatory use and of the forthcoming Varona and Collazo issues.

<[GOME5002](#)> Gómez III, Máximo

"Sobres de franquicia militar española del ejército expedicionario en Cuba"
("Free-Franked Military Covers of the Spanish Expeditionary Army in Cuba")
Carteles, 17 Feb 1950, one unnumbered page, ill., Span.
Illustrations of three Spanish military franchise covers of the Spanish Expeditionary Army in Cuba used during the Cuban independence war of 1895-98.

<[GOME5004a](#)> Gómez III, Máximo

"Filatelia" ("Philately")
Carteles, 9 Apr 1950, two unnumbered pages, ill., Span.
On the designs and designers of the stamp issue commemorating the Centenary of the Cuban Flag.

<[GOME5004b](#)> Gómez III, Máximo

"Franquicias Postales Militares" ("Military Postal Franchises")
Carteles, No.17, 23 April 1950, ill., Span.

Material extracted from [<FERND8103>](#) about various Spanish military franchises in Cuba or with Cuban ramifications during the Spanish colonial period.

<[GOME5011](#)> Gómez III, Máximo

"Cinco Etapas del Correo Hispanoamericano"
("Five Stages of the Spanish-American Posts")
Carteles, No.45, 5 November 1950.

<[GOME5012a](#)> Gómez III, Máximo

[Los sellos del Retiro de Comunicaciones de 1950] [(Communications Retirement Fund Stamps of 1950)]
Carteles, 10 December 1950, ill., Span.

<[GOME5012b](#)> Gómez III, Máximo

"Doctor Tomás Terry y García Montes"
Carteles, No.52, 24 December 1950, p.6, ill., Span.

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Biographical notes on a noted Cuban philatelic writer and worldwide prominent airmail specialist.

<GOMER3106> Gómez, Rafael

"Centros Invertidos" ("Inverted Centers")
RFC, Yr.1, No.2, 15 June 1931, pp.36-37, Span.

<GOMEZAyymm> Gómez-Agüero, José P.

"El crucero 'Reina Mercedes' " ("The 'Reina Mercedes' cruiser")
FCb, [need publication information], pp.41-43 (3), ill., Span.

<GOMEZG7610> Gómez-Guillamón, Félix

Letter to the editor
SPAIN, Vol.8, No.4, WNo.34, Oct 1976, p71.
Letter commenting on <SHEL7607> and adding to the list of ships.

<GOMEZR8805>* Gómez Ramos, José

"150 años del ferrocarril en Cuba"
("150 Years of the Railroad in Cuba")
CronF, No.45, May 1988, pp.36-37, ill., Span.

<GOMI7205> Gomis Seguí, José María

"El Histórico Vuelo *Sevilla-Cuba-México*"
("The Historic Flight *Sevilla-Cuba-México*")
VF, No.88, May 1972, pp.73-77 (5), ill., Span. Also listed as <VF7205>.

<GONZ4503> González, Francisco

"Los sellos y la propaganda"
BFN, Yr.1, No.1, Mar 1945, pp.15-16, Span.

Piece noting the need for better use of Cuban stamp designs for propaganda purposes.

<GONZ0902> González, Ronald H.

Bibliografía Filatélica de Puerto Rico (Philatelic Bibliography of Puerto Rico)
Skillman, New Jersey: Published by the author. Dated February 2009 with an update of 21 Nov 2009. 47 pages.
The bibliography is organized in four sections: 1) Libros y Panfletos (Books and Pamphlets), 2) Catálogos (Catalogs), 3) Catálogos de Subastas (Auction Catalogs), and 4) Artículos (Articles). The bibliography is of interest to the Cuban philatelist because of the close relationship of Puerto Rican and Cuban postal history during the Spanish colonial period when the two colonies even shared stamp issues from 1855 to 1876.

<GONZB8205> González Bayolo, Jesús

"El Deporte en los Sellos Cubanos" ("Sports in Cuban Stamps")
FCb, Yr.17, No.2, May-Aug 1982, pp.4-11 (8), ill., Span.

<GONZD8007> González del Valle, Luis T.

"Cuban Cancels on U.S. Domestic Mail"
AP, July 1980, pp.631-633 (3), ill.
Also see follow-up letter to the editor "Some Joke" by Theo. Van Dam on p.780 of AP, Sep 1980, and retort by the author "Cuban Cancels No Joke" on p.968 of AP, Nov 1980.

Report of some mysterious "Cuban" censorship cancels the author found on six pieces of U.S. mail addressed to his father at the University of North Carolina in Wilmington all dated in January 1971. The author surmises that all these similar cancels may have been applied to mail in a U.S. mailbag misdirected to Cuba, but this is just a supposition on his part. In the subsequent September 1980 issue of AP, Theo.Van Dam claims in a letter to the

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Editor that these censor marks were sold in a New York City "joke" store in the 1970s and that he himself had used one for a while as a lark. The author responds with another letter to the AP Editor in the November 1980 issue stating that Mr. Van Dam's analysis is faulty since the six pieces of mail originated in different locations in the U.S. and thus the only possibility would be for someone at the North Carolina mail facility servicing the University to have applied the markings--which is highly unlikely. The author fails to consider the possibility that someone at the University who knew his father may have intercepted the mail at the University and played him a joke. Whatever the case, this type of cancellation has not been reported by anyone else to this date.

<[GONZM4503](#)> **González Maynegra, S.**
"Impresiones de Viaje" ("Travel Impressions")
BFN, Yr.1, No.1, Mar 1945, p.7, Span.

Impressions from travel within the philatelic circles in the island about the forthcoming new specialized catalog of Cuba "Seares" to be published under the auspices of the Bolsa Filatélica y Numismática de Cuba (Philatelic and Numismatic Bourse of Cuba). I have never seen any other reference to this catalog in any of the philatelic literature of the time and since only one number of BFN (Yr.1, No.1, March 1945) is known, it is unknown whether the catalog was ever published.

<[GONZP5500](#)> **González Ponce, Andrés**
Diccionario Geográfico de Correos de España con sus Posesiones de Ultramar
(Geographic Dictionary of the Postal Service Between Spain and Its Overseas Possessions)
Madrid, Spain: Imprenta Manuel Morales y Rodríguez, 1855; Vol.I, xxxii + 722 pp.; Vol.II, 692 pp.; 1st edition.

A very useful postal guide for the postal historian. Has all the relevant postal information of the day plus railway information. Have photocopies of introductory pages i to xxxii with some minor references to Cuba (from the library of Luis González del Valle).

<[GOOD9407](#)> **Goodbody, Anthony**
"The Railways of Cuba"
Part I: Central American Newsletter, Vol.III, No.56, Jul 1994, pp.309-314 (6), ill.;
Part II: Central American Newsletter, Vol.III, No.57, Oct 1994, pp.329-332 (4), ill.

<[GORD5007](#)> **Gordon, Robert S.**
"Seaposts"
SP, Vol.12, No.4, Jul-Aug 1950, p.2;
SP, Vol.13, No.1, Jan-Feb 1951, p.5;
SP, Vol.13, No.6, Nov-Dec 1951, p.2, ill.
Listing of various maritime postal markings. All are illustrated.

<[GORD5211](#)> **Gordon, Robert S.**
"New York Paquebot Types"
SP, Vol.14, No.6, Nov-Dec 1952, pp.2-3, ill.
Discussion of several New York Paquebot postal markings.

<[GORD6312](#)> **Gordon, Robert S.**
"Miscellaneous Notes of U.S. Military Stations in Cuba, 1898-1902"
WCCB, WNo.41, December 1963, p.519.

<[GORD6404](#)> **Gordon, Robert S.**
"Marine Corps Offices in Cuba, 1918-1922."
WCCB, WNo.43, April 1964, p.546.

<[GORD6504](#)> **Gordon, Robert S.**

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"U.S. Military Post Offices in Cuba: 1898-1899."
AP, Vol.78, No.7, WNo.771, Apr 1965, pp.497-509, 512;
AP, Vol.78, No.8, WNo.772, May 1965, pp.579-586, ill.
One of the best studies made of this subject, fully illustrated.

<[GORD6606](#)> Gordon, Robert S.

"Bagley, Cuba"
AP, Vol.79, No.9, WNo.785, June 1966, p.677.
This was the precursor post office of the one eventually installed at Guantánamo Bay.

<[GORD6609](#)># Gordon, Robert S.

"Some Cuban Oddments"
T.P.O., Vol.20, No.5, WNo.119, Sep-Oct 1966, pp.140-141.
Recording of several Railway Post Offices.

<[GORD6712](#)> Gordon, Robert S.

"First U.S. Mail Agency in Cuba"
The Gibbons Whitman Stamp Monthly, Vol.1, No.4, Dec. 1967, p.123.

Reference to U.S. Postmaster General and other documents indicating a U.S. mail agency operated in Havana from early 1851 to June 30, 1877; and of arrangements made with the British postal service "for an exchange at Cuba of mails from and to the West India islands, the Atlantic Coast of South America, and to points of the Gulf of Mexico and elsewhere reached from Havana by British mail packets"--points to which U.S. mail arrangements did not extend. The instructions for the operation of this U.S. mail agency in Havana are not known and no postmarks from the agency have been identified. However, the article records four letters with uncanceled U.S. stamps that could possibly have been applied by the U.S. mail agent in Havana. All letters are dated in the first half of the 1870s; two are routed through St. Thomas to Buenos Aires and also have British stamps cancelled at St. Thomas; the other two are addressed to Spain.

<[GORD6811a](#)> Gordon, Robert S.

"Cuban Stamps Used Abroad--In Cuba"
AP, Vol.82, No.11, WNo.814, November 1968, pp.962,964, ill.
About a temporary Cuban P.O. at Guantánamo Bay.

<[GORD6811b](#)> Gordon, Robert S.

"R.P.O.s in Cuba Under U.S.A., 1899-1902"
TPO, Vol.22, No.6, WNo.132, Nov-Dec 1968, pp.182-183.
Excellent report of Cuban RPOs during the U.S. Administration.

G.R.—Gonzalo Roig

<[GRAF5510](#)> Graf, Richard M.

"The Story Behind the Stamp. Centenario de Tampa."
AP, Vol.69, No.1, WNo.657, October 1955, pp.22-23, ill.

<[GRAH8402](#)> Graham, Richard B.

"Ship letter charges explained: first a fee and then a rate"
LINN, 27 Feb 1984, pp.12-13, ill.

This is a short postal history article on the fees that ship letters paid upon conveyance to a U.S. port and the additional postal rate that was charged for delivery of the letters within the U.S. during the 19th Century. The ship letter fee was paid to the ship master upon delivery of the letter to the U.S. Postal System. The article shows in Figure 2 a ship letter circa 1880 that travelled via Havana from an unknown origin in the Caribbean on its way to

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New Jersey, entering the U.S. at Charleston, South Carolina. A postage due fee of 6 cents was collected upon delivery.

<[GRAH8601](#)> **Graham, Richard B.**

“Early airmail routes to Latin America”

LINN, 20 Jan 1986, p.10, ill.

<[GRAH8808](#)> **Graham, Richard B.**

“Mixed-franking covers take several forms”

LINN, 29 Aug 1988, pp.14-15, ill.

This article discusses a mixed-franking steamship cover shown in Fig. 2 from Cuba to France via New York bearing a 50c. 1875 Cuban stamp cancelled with a circled P.C. (meaning unknown) paying the Cuban inland rate to the port of embarkation to the U.S. (presumably Havana) plus a 10c. U.S. Bank Note stamp to pay the steamship rate to New York. Upon arrival in New York, the yet uncanceled 10c U.S. Bank Note stamp was cancelled and a New York Steamship Nov 26 cds and the marking “PAID TO U.S.ONLY” were applied. The author then explains that since the sender opted not to pay for conveyance from New York to France, upon arrival in France the cover was charged 15 decimes postage due under the terms of the French-U.S. treaty.

<[GRAH9804](#)> **Graham, Richard B.**

“Spanish-American War: the mustering camps”

LINN, 13 Apr 1998, pp.34-35, ill.

<[GRAH9806](#)> **Graham, Richard B.**

“Spanish-American War: the blockade of Cuba”

LINN, 22 Jun 1998, pp.40-41, ill.

<[GRAH9811](#)> **Graham, Richard B.**

“Spanish-American War: blockader and monitor covers”

LINN, 2 Nov 1998, p.62, ill.

<[GRAH9812](#)># **Graham, Richard B.**

“Spanish-American War: the troops in Tampa”

LINN, 14 Dec 1998, p.46-47, ill.

<[GRAH9902](#)># **Graham, Richard B.**

“Spanish-American War: the invasion of Cuba”

LINN, 8 Feb 1999, p.18-19, ill.

<[GRAH9905](#)> **Graham, Richard B.**

“Spanish-American War: military stations in Cuba”

LINN, 31 May 1999, p.42-43, ill.

<[GRAH9907](#)> **Graham, Richard B.**

“Spanish-American War: patriotic covers, cards”

LINN, 5 Jul 1999, p.18-19, ill.

<[GRAH9912](#)> **Graham, Richard B.**

“Spanish-American War: troops return from Cuba”

LINN, 13 Dec 1999, p.18-19, ill.

<[GRAH0002](#)> **Graham, Richard B.**

“Spanish-American War: postal laws, regulations”

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LINN, 21 Feb 2000, pp.40-41, ill.

<GRAHyymm> Graham, Richard B.

"Declaration of war with Spain produced markings showing interruption of mail"
LINN, dd mm yyyy, p.xx, ill.

<GRAU8100> Graus Fontova, Francisco (et al)

Catálogo de Entero-Postales de España y sus Dependencias Postales
(Postal Stationery Catalog of Spain and Its Postal Dependencies)

Co-authors: José María Sempere Luque, José Soler Antich, and Ricardo Viñas Riera (also listed under <SEMP8100>, <SOLE8100>, and <VIÑA8100>).

Barcelona, Spain: Imprenta Selegram, 1981, 184 pp., ill, Span. Cuba on pp.154-160 (7).

A basic catalog of the postal stationery of Spain and its ex-colonies. Listings for Cuba cover only the Spanish colonial period and only address major varieties--no minor varieties are discussed. A single price is quoted for all items listed. Judging from prices quoted by dealers and auction houses for used items, the prices quoted apply more aptly to unused samples.

<GRAU8201> Graus Fontova, Francisco

Manual de Consulta de Falsos de España. Serie II. (Handbook of Spanish Forged Stamps. Series II.)

Barcelona, Spain: Published by the author, Jan 1982, pp.38-50 (13), ill., Span.

Series of self contained pages each showing a large photograph of a counterfeit stamp with footer text describing overall characteristics of the printing and 4 to 7 numbered specific characteristics that can be used to uniquely identify the counterfeit. A transparency containing numbered arrows is provided to be placed on top of each illustrated counterfeit to point to the exact location of each identifying characteristic. This series covers the 1855-1864 Queen Isabella II issues.

<GRAU8312> Graus Fontova, Francisco

Manual de Consulta de Falsos de España. Serie IX. (Handbook of Spanish Forged Stamps. Series IX.)

Barcelona, Spain: Published by the author, Dec 1983, pp.29-49 (21), ill., Span.

An expansion of <GRAU8201>; pages 29 to 37 cover counterfeits of the Antilles (stamps used in Cuba and Puerto Rico) and pages 38 to 49 cover Cuban issues. Excellent research and a quality presentation.

<GRAU8409> Graus Fontova, Francisco

Manual de Consulta de Falsos de España. Serie XII. (Handbook of Spanish Forged Stamps. Series XII.)

Barcelona, Spain: Published by the author?, Sep 1984, pp.1-24 (24), ill., Span.

An expansion of <GRAU8201> and <GRAU8312>; pp.1-8 cover counterfeits of Spanish Antilles issues and pp.9-24 cover counterfeits of Spanish Cuba issues.

<GREEB4610> Green, Bert

"A Cuba *Booklet* Interlude."

Philately, Vol.2, No.3, WNo.12, 21 October 1946, pp.77-78.

<GREEBM7101># Green, Brian M.

"A Major Discovery: Confederate (After Secession) Usage To Cuba"

Confederate Philatelist, Vol.16, No.1, Jan-Feb 1971. Reprinted in <GREEBR7401>.

<GREEBM7401> Green, Brian M.

"A Major Discovery: Confederate (After Secession) Usage To Cuba"

CP, Vol.3, No.3, January 1974, pp.8-9. Reprint of <GREEBR7101>.

<GREEBM7409> Green, Brian M.

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"Flag of Truce Via Havana"
SPAJ, Vol.37, No.1, Sep 1974, pp.41-42.

<[GREEBM7809](#)> **Green, Brian M.**

"Confederate Letter from Cuba Reflects Flag of Truce Usage"
LINN, Vol.51, No.36, WNo.2600, 4 September 1978, p.67. Reprint of <[GREEBR7409](#)>.

<[GREEBM8107](#)> **Green, Brian M.**

"Forwarded from Cuba"
SPAJ, Vol.43, No.11, Jul 1981, pp.663-664.

<[GREEBM8200](#)>* **Green, Brian M.**

"Confederate Mails To and From Cuba"
San Juan, Puerto Rico: Boletín ESPAMER '82, Special bulletin issued on occasion of the ESPAMER'82 stamp exposition held in San Juan, Puerto Rico, October 12-17, 1982, pp.227-231 (5), ill., Eng.

<[GREED7900](#)># **Green, Dick**

Green's Catalog of the Tuberculosis Seals of the World

Chicago: Henry Irwin, 1979. Cuba on pp.153-156, ill.

Originally compiled by Dick Green in 19336-38. Revised in 1979 thru the efforts and help of various members of The Christmas Seal & Charity Stamp Society under the direction of Vernon E. Bressler. The catalog contains a rather comprehensive listing of Cuban tuberculosis seals from 1928 through 1959. Also have copy of a precursor with pages numbered 246-249, plus an update page 395 supposedly from a 1963 supplement.

<[GREEN9200](#)> **Greene, Roy F.**

"The Baby"
The Eagle Philatelist, Vol.2, No.6, WNo.12, 10 June 1892, p.75, ill.

<[GREEN9408](#)> **Greene, Roy F.**

"Cuba A Specialty—Why Not"
The Dixie Philatelist, Vol.1, No.6, Aug 1894, page unnumbered.

<[GREG9901](#)> **Gregory, W. F.**

"New York Notes"

MK, Vol.XIII, No.3, WNo.420, 19 January 1899, pp.38-39.

Notes reporting that a couple of U.S. dealers have travelled to Cuba in search of stamps on p.38. Also report on p.39 that the U.S. stamps surcharged for use in Cuba have arrived in the island, but have not yet reached the local dealers. The denominations of U.S. stamps that have been surcharged is provided along with the denominations of the surcharged stamps with indication that a 2c surcharge is not among those produced as previously reported. Finally, a single plate number for each of the base U.S. stamps that were surcharged is provided.

<[GRIFF9000](#)> **Griffenhagen, George**

Pharmaceutical Philately

Johnstown, Pa.: American Topical Association, ATA Handbook 114, 1990; Cuban entries on p.8, 11, 17, 19, 34, 39, 42, 48, 50, 57.

This handbook of the ATA contains several entries of Cuban stamps whose topic is related to pharmacy. The stamps are identified and a brief description of the pharmaceutical connection of each is provided.

<[GRIFO7504](#)> **Grifol Foix, Andrés**

"La Isla de Cuba y la *Empresa de Correos Marítimos*"

("The Island of Cuba and the *Empresa de Correos Marítimos*")

Boletín Núm. 3 de ESPAÑA 75, Bulletin No. 3 of the International Philatelic Exposition ESPAÑA 75, held in Madrid 4-13 Apr 1975, pp.17-22 (6) plus six pages of the "most interesting pages of the 1827 "Reglamento

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Marítimo” (maritime regulations). In Spanish, but the basic article is also printed in English, French, and German in those editions of the ESPAÑA 75 Bulletin published in those languages. See <GRIFO8200> for a copy of the complete text of the 1827 maritime regulations.

<[GRIFO7609](#)> **Grifol Foix, Andrés**

“Sobre las marcas YNDIAS e ISLAS DE BARLOVENTO”
 (“On the postmarks YNDIAS and ISLAS DE BARLOVENTO”)
 IFHP, Fall-Winter 1976, pp.236-238 (3), Span.

<[GRIFO7807](#)> **Grifol Foix, Andrés**

"La Historia Postal de la Isla de Cuba" ("The Postal History of the Island of Cuba")
 RF, No.121, Jul-Aug 1978, pp.345-346, ill., Span.

<[GRIFO8200](#)> **Grifol Foix, Andrés**

"Isla de Cuba Española. Cómo se formó la *Empresa de Correos Marítimos* (años 1827-1851)"
 ("Spanish Island of Cuba. How the *Empresa de Correos Marítimos* Was Formed (Years 1827-1851)")
 Barcelona, Spain: Academia Hispánica de Filatelia (Hispanic Philatelic Academy), Discursos Académicos 1982
 (1982 Academic Speeches), pp.37-57 (21), Span.

<[GRIG0202](#)>* **Grigore Jr., Julius**

“Privately Overprinted Stamps Franked the Triple Crash Covers of the U.S. Army’s 1926-1927 First Pan American Good Will Flight”
 APJ, Vol.73, No.2, February 2002, pp.51-59 (9), ill.

Photo on page 55 shows cancellation applied on Cuban stamp affixed to one of these covers on its transit through Cuba.

<[GRIGvymm](#)># **Grigore Jr., Julius**

The Aerophilately of the U.S. Army's First Pan American Good Will Flight (December 21, 1926 to May 2, 1927)
 Undated monograph of which I have a title page with table of contents, a "Preface and Acknowledgements" section of three pages (numbered v, vi, and vii), a two page section titled "Cuba Accords the Flier's Covers Official Aerophilatelic Recognition" (pages 62-63), and a one page flight itinerary (p.111). Illustrated. No publication information available.

The section on Cuba makes reference to an official cachet applied to commemorative flight covers carried on the Flight before departing from La Habana on April 23, 1927, towards Washington, D.C., on the last leg of the Flight. The article mentions that this was the only official cachet recognition given by any Government along the Flight's route. The Havana cachet may also be the first foreign air mail cachet applied to covers flown aboard an American military aircraft. Note, however, that Dr. Tomás Terry in <TERR7102>, p.247, indicates that José Luis Guerra Aguiar informed him that there is no known record of an official approval of that particular cachet by the Cuban postal authorities. Nonetheless, Dr. Terry surmises that official approval for the cachet may have been obtained verbally as was customary at the time. The article also includes a photo of the Flight Flyers being honored by the Mayor of Santiago de Cuba at a ceremony, probably in a large meeting room of the Santiago City Hall.

<[GRIM6408](#)> **Grimaldi, Marqués de**

Reglamento Provisional del Correo Marítimo de España a sus Indias Occidentales
 (Provisional Regulations for the Maritime Mail Between Spain and Its West Indies)
 San Ildefonso, Spain: 24 Aug 1764 (but <GAHL8400>, p.54, gives date of 6 Aug 1764), cover page + 20 pp. text, Span. Transcription dated in Madrid, Spain, on September 11, 1764, by Julián López de Ayllín from the original regulations in the Libros de la Contaduría General de la Renta de Correos, Estafetas, y Postas de dentro y fuera de España (Books of the General Accountant at the Exchequer for the Posts and Various Postal Offices Inside and Outside of Spain) under his responsibility. An original manuscript of this document is in the U.S. National Philatelic Library at the National Postal Museum, Smithsonian Institution, Washington, D.C.

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[A typewritten transcription](#) of the document in modern Spanish is available from the author of this bibliography.

<GROS8703> Gross, Harold R.

Correspondence with Mark R. Tyx on the subject of <TYX8701b>.

Unpublished; in my files, three handwritten pages. See <TYX8703b> for a response from Mark R. Tyx.

Letter from Harold R. Gross to Mark Tyx about earlier than previously reported dates of use of Cuban post card H&G No. 9A after reading <TYX8701b>.

<GROS8704> Gross, Harold R.

Letter to Mark R. Tyx on the subject of varieties of stamped envelopes H&G #11, 12, and 13

Unpublished; in my files, four handwritten pages.

This letter was written in response to <TYX8703a> and contains a table listing the varieties of these envelopes and their salient characteristics as derived from examples in the Harold R. Gross collection.

<GSW0508># Gibbons' Stamp Weekly

"Revolutions and Postage Stamps"

GSW, Vol.2, No.7, WNo.32, 12 Aug 1905, pp.106-107.

Brief article reporting the results of the question posed to readers of Mekeel's Weekly Stamp News "How many Revolutions have been signalized by changes in Postage Stamps" or more aptly "postage stamps that have been issued by revolutionary governments. The article lists four such issues for Cuba on p.106: the Habilitados por la Nación of 1868, the Republic issue of 1873, the Cuba 1875 issue signalizing the overthrow of the Spanish Republic and the restoration of the monarchy, and the 1898 Puerto Príncipe surcharges.

<GUER4802>* Guerra, Ramiro

"Enciclopedia Popular Cubana" ("Popular Cuban Encyclopedia")

Diario de la Marina, 6 Feb 1948, page number unknown.

This is a book review of the three volume Popular Cuban Encyclopedia written by Luis J. Bustamante (see <BUST4800>) upon receipt from the author of news of the impending publication of the third and last volume of the encyclopedia.

<GUER5600> Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

Catálogo Cronológico de Sellos de Cuba (Chronological Catalog of Cuban Stamps)

Habana: Publicaciones Guerra-Aguiar (Guerra-Aguiar Publications), 1956, ill., Span. Priced in Cuban pesos.

Under the title the catalog indicates that it contains information about all postal issues up to 31 December of the preceding year. Published yearly from 1956 to 1960. From 1961 on it continued to be published by ECOFIL (Empresa Comercial Filatélica), a government agency in charge of all commercial philatelic enterprises in Cuba, under slightly different names but always clearly identifying Guerra Aguiar as the author. The catalog was one of the best specialized catalogs of Cuba ever published. See <MF95601> and <MF95901a> for book reviews of the 1956 and 1959 editions.

Following is a listing of the known editions of the catalog:

Catálogo Cronológico de Sellos de Cuba (Chronological Catalog of Cuban Stamps)

1956, 1era. Edición (1st. Edition), 166 pp. For a book review see <MF95601>.

1957, 2da. Edición (2nd. Edition),

1958, 3era. Edición (3rd. Edition),

1959, 4ta. Edición (4th. Edition), 256 pp. For a book review see <MF95901a>.

(This edition includes an Appendix starting on p.217 of 1858 and 1860 Official stamps, Telegraph stamps, and Postal Stationery.)

1960, 5ta. Edición (5th. Edition), 262 pp.

Catálogo General de Emisiones Postales de Cuba (General Catalog of Cuban Postal Issues)

1961, 6ta. Edición (6th. Edition),

1964, 7ta. Edición (7th. Edition), 316 pp.

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Catálogo General de Sellos de Cuba (General Catalog of Cuban Stamps)

1965, 8va. Edición (8th. Edition),

1969, 9na. Edición (9th. Edition), 221 pp.

Catálogo General de Emisiones Postales (General Catalog of Postal Issues)

1974, 10a. Edición (10th. Edition), 309 pp.

[Colonía. Administración Americana. República](#) y [Emisiones del Gobierno Revolucionario](#).

This catalog does not include prices for the listings. A separate 11 page insert listing prices is provided.

<GUER5701a> Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

Boletín Mensual Informativo (Monthly Information Bulletin)

Habana, Cuba: Publicaciones Filatélicas "Guerra-Aguiar" (Philatelic Publications "Guerra-Aguiar"), published monthly, from Yr.1, No.1, January 1957 to Yr.3, No.12, December 1959, ill., Span. For a full listing of this bulletin see <BMI> in this bibliography.

Monthly information bulletin on current and future new Cuban postal issues. The bulletin regularly reproduced the postal orders issued by the Cuban Ministry of Communications for the production of new postal issues. The bulletin also featured every month a section called "Historia y Filatelia Cubana" ("Cuban History and Philately") containing a usually fairly good article on Cuban philately, and a section called "Buzón de Consultas" ("Consultation Mailbox") presenting and answering questions on Cuban philately from the readership. Another column titled "Lo Que Dicen Nuestros Sellos" ("What Our Stamps Say") was inaugurated with the fifth issue of the bulletin in April 1957 to provide historical background summaries of selected Cuban stamp issues. Most of the contents of the bulletin were authored by Guerra Aguiar himself who is referred to in the bulletin as its "Director". Occasionally, one finds contributions from other philatelists included in the bulletin, but they are sparse. In view of this, all works in the bulletin which do not specifically name an author have been ascribed to Guerra Aguiar in this bibliography.

<GUER5701b> Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"Historia y Filatelia Cubana. Servicio de Correos y Sellos Empleados en el Mismo Durante Nuestra Guerra de Independencia (1895-1988)" ("Cuban History and Philately. The Postal Service and Stamps Used By It During Our War of Independence (1895-1898)")

BMI, Yr.1, No.1, Jan 1957, pp.10-13 (4), ill., Span.

<GUER5701c> Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

Historia del Correo en Cuba a Través de sus Emisiones Postales

History of the Posts in Cuba Through Its Postal Issues

Habana, Cuba: Publicaciones Filatélicas "Guerra-Aguiar" (Philatelic Publications "Guerra-Aguiar"). Don't know exact date of initial publication; citation derived from ad on the inside cover of BMI, Yr.1, No.1, Jan 1957, ill., Span. [Don't have copy of the album itself]. Also see <AF5511a25>.

The ad in BMI is for a stamp album in which each Cuban stamp issue is dedicated a page of the album explaining the connection to Cuban history of each issue. The ad explains that this format also allows for new pages for the album to be printed as each new stamp issue is released for sale, and in fact, a follow-up ad in the next page offers a subscription to the pages for each year's new issues as they are released. The ad for the album offers the choice of two versions of the album, one normal edition and a luxury edition. Prices for both versions are indicated. The ad does not indicate the period covered nor the types of postal species covered, but we presume it starts with the first issue of Spanish colonial Cuba in 1855 up to date and that it covers regular, airmail, special delivery, postage due, newspaper, and postal tax stamps. See <GUER5805c> for a companion album covering telegraph stamps, official mail stamps, stamps for officially sealing mail opened during transit, and postal stationery of Cuba from the colonial era to date.

<GUER5701d> Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

Album Centenario para Sellos de Cuba (Centenary Album for Cuban Stamps)

Habana, Cuba: Publicaciones Filatélicas "Guerra-Aguiar" (Philatelic Publications "Guerra-Aguiar"). Don't know exact date of initial publication; citation derived from ad on p.17 of BMI, Yr.1, No.1, Jan 1957, ill., Span. [Don't have copy of the album itself].

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This is a copy of the advertisement in BMI offering the album for sale at \$10 plus \$3.50 for a special binder, 25c. for a cover page, and annual supplements stoppin in December of each year at 75c. each—all prices in Cuban pesos at par with the U.S. dollar at the time. The album includes spaces for all postage, airmail, special delivery, postage due, newspaper stamps, and postal tax stamps issued by Cuba from the beginning of the use of stamps in Colonial Cuba in 1855 to April 1955, listed in chronological order. The ad claims that spaces for all known varieties of each stamp are provided.

<GUER5701e> Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

Album Simplex para Sellos de Cuba (Simplex Album for Cuban Stamps)

Habana, Cuba: Publicaciones Filatélicas "Guerra-Aguiar" (Philatelic Publications "Guerra-Aguiar"). Don't know exact date of initial publication; citation derived from ad on p.18 of BMI, Yr.1, No.1, Jan 1957, ill., Span., plus a copy of the album itself with issues up to the beginning of 1959. The version in my library has 44 pages.

This album is a simplified or abbreviated version of <GUER5701c> that does not include varieties such as perforation and watermark varieties.

<GUER5702>* Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"Historia y Filatelia Cubana. Agencias Postales Extranjeras en Cuba Durante el Siglo XIX"

("Cuban History and Philately: Foreign Postal Agencies in Cuba During the 19th Century")

BMI, Yr.1, No.2, Feb 1957, pp.8-13 (6), ill., Span.

<GUER5703a>* Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"Relación Completa de los Números de Plancha que Aparecen en las Hojas de Sellos de los Estados Unidos, Sobrecargados 'CUBA' y que Fueron Empleados Durante la Intervención Americana"

("Complete Listing of the Plate Numbers Appearing in the Sheets of U.S. Stamps, Surcharged 'CUBA' That Were Used During the American Intervention")

BMI, Yr.1, No.3, Mar 1957, p.8, Span.

<GUER5703b>* Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"Historia y Filatelia Cubana. Reseña Histórica del Correo en Cuba. Epoca I. Desde la Creación de los Correos Mayores de las Indias Hasta el Establecimiento del Correo en Cuba por Cuenta de la Real Hacienda"

("Cuban History and Philately. Historical Summary of the Postal Service in Cuba. Epoch I. From the Creation of the Major Indies Posts to the Establishment of the Postal Service in Cuba by the Ministry of Finance")

BMI, Yr.1, No.3, Mar 1957, pp.11-15 (5), ill., Span.

<GUER5704b>* Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"Editorial. ¿Qué Ocurre con los Folletos de Propaganda?"

("Editorial. What Happens with the Propaganda Pamphlets?")

BMI, Yr.1, No.4, Apr 1957, p.1 (9), Span.

Editorial extolling the virtues of the propaganda pamphlets or leaflets published by the Post Office Department to announce upcoming postal issues.

<GUER5704b>* Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"Historia y Filatelia Cubana. Reseña Histórica del Correo en Cuba. Epoca II. Desde el Establecimiento del Correo en Cuba por Cuenta de la Real Hacienda, Hasta la Aparición del Sello Postal Adhesivo"

("Cuban History and Philately. Historical Summary of the Postal Service in Cuba. Epoch II. From the Establishment of the Postal Service in Cuba by the Ministry of Finance to the Appearance of the First Adhesive Stamp")

BMI, Yr.1, No.4, Apr 1957, pp.2-10 (9), ill., Span.

<GUER5705a>* Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"Historia y Filatelia Cubana. Reseña Histórica del Correo en Cuba. Epoca III. Desde la Aparición del Sello Postal Adhesivo Hasta el Cese de la Dominación Española"

("Cuban History and Philately. Historical Summary of the Postal Service in Cuba. Epoch III. From the Appearance of the First Adhesive Stamp to the End of the Spanish Administration")

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BMI, Yr.1, No.5, May 1957, pp.2-9 (8), ill., Span.

<GUER5705b>* Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"Lo Que Dicen Nuestros Sellos. Fortaleza 'Nuestra Señora de los Angeles'."
("What Our Stamps Say. Fortress 'Our Lady of the Angels'.")

BMI, Yr.1, No.5, May 1957, pp.9-11 (3), ill., Span.

Brief historical background of the fortress mentioned, which is better known as the 'Castillo de Jagua' (Jagua Castle) from its location overlooking the bay of Jagua, and was the design motif of Scott Nos.433-434.

<GUER5706a>* Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"Historia y Filatelia Cubana. Reseña Histórica del Correo en Cuba. Epoca IV. Modo de Administración Durante la Intervención Norteamericana" ("Cuban History and Philately. Historical Summary of the Postal Service in Cuba. Epoch IV. Mode of Administration During the North American Intervention")

BMI, Yr.1, No.6, Jun 1957, pp.2-6 (5), ill., Span.

<GUER5706b>* Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"Lo Que Dicen Nuestros Sellos. El Pionero Olvidado" ("What Our Stamps Say. The Forgotten Pioneer")

BMI, Yr.1, No.6, Jun 1957, pp.6-10 (5), ill., Span.

Reprint of an article on Cuban aviator Jaime González Crocier by Guerra Aguiar published originally in the January 1954 issue of the magazine Los Tres under the pseudonym Dr. Phil A. Telius.

<GUER5706c>* Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"Nueva Marca de Agua (Filigrana) para los Sellos de Cuba" ("New Watermark for the Stamps of Cuba")

BMI, Yr.1, No.6, Jun 1957, p.10, ill., Span.

Report of the start of use of the watermark "R de C" meaning "Republic of Cuba" (Scott Wmk.321) in substitution of the traditional stars watermark (Scott Wmk.106) in use on the stamps of Cuba during most of the Republic.

<GUER5706d>* Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"Carta Que Recibimos: Emisión Provisional, 1899, Sellos de los Estados Unidos Sobrecargados 'CUBA' y Valor"
("Correspondence Received: 1899 Provisional Issue, U.S. Stamps Surcharged with 'CUBA' and the Value")

BMI, Yr.1, No.6, Jun 1957, pp.10-12, ill., Span.

List of the plate numbers of Scott Nos.221-226,E1,J1-J4 presented in tabular form with separate columns indicating the possible locations of the plate number (top, bottom, left, right) by stamp so that the list can be used by collectors as a form of "want list" of the plate blocks of the stamps mentioned.

<GUER5706e> Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"Cambio de Precios. Los Sellos de Telégrafos" ("Price Changes. Telegraph Stamps")

BMI, Yr.1, No.6, Jun 1957, p.13, Span.

Announcement that the Guerra Aguiar catalog of Cuban stamps (see <GUER5600> will thereafter include an appendix cataloging and listing prices for Cuban telegraph stamps. The announcement also provides rationale for the rarity of Cuban telegraph stamps.

<GUER5707>* Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"Historia y Filatelia Cubana. Reseña Histórica del Correo en Cuba. Epoca V. Período Republicano"
("Cuban History and Philately. Historical Summary of the Postal Service in Cuba. Epoch V. Republican Period")

BMI, Yr.1, No.7, Jul 1957, pp.2-6 (5), ill., Span.

<GUER5708a>* Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

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"Editorial. La Oficina y Museo Filatélicos en el Nuevo Palacio de Comunicaciones"
("Editorial. The Philatelic Office and Museum in the New Building of the Ministry of Communications")
BMI, Yr.1, No.8, Aug 1957, p.1, Span.

Report of the opening of an office in the new building of the Ministry of Communications exclusively dedicated to serve the needs of Cuban philatelists (no such facility existed previously). The editorial also mentions the forthcoming opening of a Cuban Postal Museum in the same building to contain the vast amounts of postal materials entrusted to the safekeeping of the Ministry of Communications.

<GUER5708b># Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"Historia y Filatelia Cubana. El Primer Sello Emitido por el Gobierno de la República de Cuba"
("Cuban History and Philately. The First Stamp Issued by the Government of the Republic of Cuba")
BMI, Yr.1, No.8, Aug 1957, pp.2-7 (6), ill., Span.

<GUER5708c># Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"Lo Que Dicen Nuestros Sellos. La Ciudad de Tampa" ("What Our Stamps Say. The City of Tampa")
BMI, Yr.1, No.8, Aug 1957, pp.7-9 (3), ill., Span.

Background notes on the City of Tampa, Florida, which figures in Cuban stamps Scott Nos.C80 and C119.

<GUER5708d># Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"Por Qué los Sellos de Cuba se Confeccionan por el Sistema de Grabado en Acero"
("Why Cuban Stamps Are Printed From Steel Engravings")
BMI, Yr.1, No.8, Aug 1957, pp.9-12 (4), ill., Span.

<GUER5709a>* Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"Editorial. Comentarios del Director" ("Editorial. Comments from the Director")
BMI, Yr.1, No.9, Sep 1957, pp.1-4 (4), Span.
Comments by Guerra Aguiar on Ernesto Bello's article "Uso y Abuso de las Emisiones Postales Cubanas" (<BELL5701>), basically agreeing with Bello's observations and adding some of his own.

<GUER5709b>* Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"Historia y Filatelia Cubana. Habilitación de la Emisión de 1855, con 'Y 1/4' Para Uso del Correo Local o Interior de la Ciudad de La Habana" ("Cuban History and Philately. Surcharging of the 1855 Issue With 'Y 1/4' for the Use of the Havana Local or Internal Mail Service")
BMI, Yr.1, No.9, Sep 1957, pp.5-11 (7), ill., Span.

<GUER5710a>* Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"Editorial. Valor Comercial del Sello Cubano" ("Editorial. Commercial Value of Cuban Stamps")
BMI, Yr.1, No.10, Oct 1957, pp.1-2 (2), Span.

<GUER5710b>* Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"Historia y Filatelia Cubana. Los Sellos Contramarcados 'Habilitado por la Nación' de las Emisiones de 1868 y 1869"
("Cuban History and Philately. The 1868 and 1869 Stamp Issues Overprinted 'Habilitado por la Nación'.")
BMI, Yr.1, No.10, Oct 1957, pp.3-8 (6), ill., Span.

<GUER5710c>* Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"Destrucción de Troqueles y Rodillos Transferidores" ("Destruction of Dies and Transferring Rollers")
BMI, Yr.1, No.10, Oct 1957, pp.9-11 (3), Span.

List of dies and transferring rollers used to print various Cuban stamps of the period 1955-1957 destroyed 13-14 Aug 1957 at the Security Banknote Company and E. A. Wright Banknote Company of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

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<GUER5710d>* Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"Destrucción los Sellos Sobrantes del Consejo Nacional de Tuberculosis"
("Destruction of Remainers of the National Tuberculosis Council Stamps")
BMI, Yr.1, No.10, Oct 1957, pp.12, Span.

Report of the forthcoming destruction on 11 Oct 1957 of excedents of National Tuberculosis Council stamps corresponding to the issues of the years 1943-44, 1949-50, 1950-51, 1951-52, 1952-53, 1953-54, 1954-55, 1955-56, and 1956-57.

<GUER5711a>* Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"Historia y Filatelia Cubana. Lo Que Dicen Nuestros Sellos. Fusilamiento de los Ocho Estudiantes de Medicina el 27 de Noviembre de 1871" ("Cuban History and Philately. What Our Stamps Say. Execution by Firing Squad of the Eight Medicine Students on the 27th of November of 1871")
BMI, Yr.1, No.11, Nov 1957, pp.2-7 (6), ill., Span.

<GUER5711b>* Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"Nueva Estructuración de la Oficina Filatélica" ("New Organization of the Philatelic Office")
BMI, Yr.1, No.11, Nov 1957, pp.7-10 (4), ill., Span.

Transcription of a resolution of the Ministry of Communications specifying the services to be provided to philatelists by the newly opened Philatelic Office at the new building housing the Ministry and of Order No.29 of the Ministry specifying the handling and cancelling of first day covers.

<GUER5711c>* Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"Reseña Sobre la Emisión Remomerativa de las Festividades Pascuales Correspondientes al Año Actual"
("Brief Review of the Christmas Commemorative Issue for the Current Year")
BMI, Yr.1, No.11, Nov 1957, pp.10-12 (3), ill., Span.

<GUER5711d>* Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"Ecos del Club Filatélico" ("Echoes From the Philatelic Club")
BMI, Yr.1, No.11, Nov 1957, p.13, Span.

A new monthly column inaugurated in this issue of the bulletin dedicated to reporting the most important activities of the month at the Philatelic Club of the Republic of Cuba. The reports to be filed by the ViceTreasurer of the Club, Baltazar Valdés Abad.

<GUER5712a>* Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"Breve Reseña Sobre las Primeras Emisiones Cubanas (1855-57) y Exposición de las Principales Características de sus Filigranas" ("Brief Overview of the First Cuban Issues (1855-57) and Description of the Main Characteristics of their Watermarks") BMI, Yr.1, No.12, Dec 1957, pp.2-7 (6), ill., Span.

<GUER5712b>* Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"Directorio Filatélico" (Philatelic Directory")
BMI, Yr.1, No.12, Dec 1957, pp.25-57 (33), ill., Span.

Directory of all Cuban and foreign philatelists interested in Cuban philately with mailing addresses. In previous issues of the bulletin Guerra Aguiar had included announcements of the preparation of this directory and had solicited anyone interested in being included to submit name and address. It is not clear whether the category "Cuban philatelists" included philatelists with philatelic interests that did not include Cuba as the directory does not list collecting interests. The directory was updated in the December 1958 issue of BMI (see <GUER5812c>).

<GUER5801a>* Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"Historia y Filatelia Cubana. Algo de Historia Sobre los Habilitados de Puerto Príncipe"
("Cuban History and Philately. A Little Bit of History About the Surcharged Stamps of Puerto Príncipe")

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BMI, Yr.2, No.1, Jan 1958, pp.2-4 (3), ill., Span.

<GUER5801b>* Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"¡Esos Peligrosos Folletos de Propaganda!" ("Those Dangerous Propaganda Pamphlets!")

BMI, Yr.2, No.1, Jan 1958, pp.2-4 (3), ill., Span.

Transcription of an article titled "Cuban Imperforates and Other Curiosities" by "Sapere Aude" (pseudonym) published in Stamp Collecting. The article reports on the peddling of stamp illustrations cut from propaganda pamphlets as imperforate stamps, some used on cover.

<GUER5801c>* Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"Estaciones Militares Norteamericanas en Cuba Durante la Intervención"

("U.S. Military Stations in Cuba During the Intervention")

BMI, Yr.2, No.1, Jan 1958, pp.5-6 (2), Span.

<GUER5801d>* Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"Números de Plancha de las Emisiones Cubanas Impresas por la Waterlow & Sons, Limited, de Londres"

("Plate Numbers of Cuban Issues Printed by Waterlow & Sons, Ltd., of London")

BMI, Yr.2, No.1, Jan 1958, p.6, Span.

<GUER5802a>* Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"Editorial. ¿Qué Ocurre con la Nueva Máquina Canceladora de la Oficina Filatélica?"

("Editorial. What Has Happened to the New Cancelling Machine for the Philatelic Office?")

BMI, Yr.2, No.2, Feb 1958, p.1, Span.

Editorial urging the Ministry of Communications to put into use a new cancelling machine it has acquired for FDCs which greatly facilitates updating the hour of cancellation.

<GUER5802b>* Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"Historia y Filatelia Cubana. Documentos para la Historia. Costo de la Confección de la Primera Emisión de Sellos de Cuba"

("Cuban History and Philately. Historical Documents. Cost of Manufacture of the First Cuban Stamp Issue")

BMI, Yr.2, No.2, Feb 1958, pp.2-5 (4), ill., Span.

<GUER5802c>* Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"Los Sellos de Cuba y Puerto Rico de 1873 a 1876"

("The Stamps of Cuba and Puerto Rico from 1873 to 1876")

BMI, Yr.2, No.2, Feb 1958, pp.6-7 (2), ill., Span.

<GUER5802d> Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"Pioneros de la Filatelia Cubana. El Curioso Americano. Revista de la Sociedad Filatélica Cubana."

("Pioneers of Cuban Philately. El Curioso Americano. Revista de la Sociedad Filatélica Cubana.")

BMI, Yr.2, No.2, Feb 1958, pp.8-13 (6), ill., Span.

Brief overview of the two pioneer Cuban philatelic publications, with some excerpts from them quoted.

<GUER5803a>* Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"Editorial. Algo Más Sobre la Oficina Filatélica del Ministerio de Comunicaciones"

("Editorial. Some More About the Philatelic Office of the Ministry of Communications")

BMI, Yr.2, No.3, Mar 1958, p.1, Span.

<GUER5803b>* Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"Historia y Filatelia Cubana. Sellos Conmemorativos del Movimiento Ocurrido el 10 de Marzo de 1952"

("Cuban History and Philately. Stamps Commemorating the Revolutionary Movement of March 10, 1952")

BMI, Yr.2, No.3, Mar 1958, pp.2-3, ill., Span.

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<GUER5803b>* Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"Notas Breves" ("Brief Notes")

BMI, Yr.2, No.3, Mar 1958, p.12, Span.

Report of newly found varieties of Cuban stamps numbered according to Guerra Aguiar's catalog:
Nos.702c,710a,710b.

<GUER5804>* Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"Historia y Filatelia Cubana. Taumaturgos de la Filatelia. Juan de Sperati"

("Cuban History and Philately. Miracle Workers of Philately. Juan de Sperati")

BMI, Yr.2, No.4, Apr 1958, pp.2-11 (10), ill., Span.

Biographical notes on master forger Sperati. Includes a section on pp.8-11 on Sperati forgeries of 19th century Cuban stamps.

<GUER5805a> Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"Historia y Filatelia Cubana. Sellos de Franqueo Previo Usados en Cuba para la Correspondencia Oficial"

("Cuban History and Philately. Prepayment Stamps Used on Official Correspondence in Cuba")

BMI, Yr.2, No.5, May 1958, pp.2-6 (5), ill., Span.

<GUER5805b> Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"Historia de una Emisión de Sellos de Correos" ("History of a Postage Stamp Issue")

BMI, Yr.2, No.5, May 1958, pp.6-9 (4), ill., Span.

Interview by Guerra Aguiar of Eduardo R. Almeyda, artistic and technical director of the government printing house for postal species and foremost expert on steel engraving, in which Guerra Aguiar solicits the contribution of a series of articles from Mr. Almeyda explaining the entire production process for an issue of postage stamps through the main phases of drawing, engraving, and printing. The series of articles subsequently appeared in the June to September issues of the bulletin (see <ALME5806>).

<GUER5805c> Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

Apéndice a la Historia del Correo en Cuba a Través de sus Emisiones Postales

Appendix to the History of the Posts in Cuba Through Its Postal Issues

Habana, Cuba: Publicaciones Filatélicas "Guerra-Aguiar" (Philatelic Publications "Guerra-Aguiar"). Don't know exact date of initial publication; the citation is derived from an ad for this album on p.11 of BMI, Yr.2, No.5, May 1958, ill., Span. [Don't have copy of the album itself].

This is a companion album to <GUER5701c> covering telegraph stamps, official mail stamps, stamps for officially sealing mail opened during transit, and postal stationery of Cuba from the colonial era to date as described in Guerra's Chronological Catalog (<GUER5600>). The ad indicates pricing for the album, binder, and slip cover.

<GUER5806>* Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"Editorial. Los Sellos de Tasa por Cobrar" ("Editorial. Postage Due Stamps")

BMI, Yr.2, No.6, Jun 1958, p.2, ill., Span.

Appeal to the Ministry of Communications to sell the 1914 postage due stamps (Scott Nos.J5-J7) to Cuban philatelists at the Philatelic Office since the sale of those stamps to the public was prohibited by internal post office regulations.

<GUER5807>* Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"Destrucción de Troqueles" ("Destruction of Dies")

BMI, Yr.2, No.7, Jul 1958, p.14, ill., Span.

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Annotated photo of people present at the destruction of dies and transfer rollers of recent Cuban stamp issues (not detailed) on May 27, 1958, at the Security Banknote Company of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

<GUER5808>* Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"¡¡Al Fin!!" ("At Last!!")

BMI, Yr.2, No.8, Aug 1958, p.11, ill., Span.

Report of the placement in operation of the new cancelling device for FDCs at the Philatelic Office of the Ministry of Communications.

<GUER5809>* Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"Editorial. Algo más sobre los Sellos de Tasa por Cobrar" ("Editorial. Some More on Postage Due Stamps")

BMI, Yr.2, No.9, Sep 1958, p.2, Span.

Report of the response by the Direction of Posts of the Ministry of Communications turning down the request by Guerra Aguiar in his editorial of the June 1958 issue of BMI (see <GUER5806>) to open the sale of postage due stamps to Cuban philatelists at the Philatelic Office of the Ministry.

<GUER5810a>* Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"Nota del Director a Todos Nuestros Lectores" ("Note from the Director to All of Our Readers")

BMI, Yr.2, No.10, Oct 1958, p.10, ill., Span.

Report and illustration of some (3 illustrated) vignettes of stamps from the city of Cienfuegos produced during the 1906 revolutionary period against then president Don Tomás Estrada Palma. Further information on the stamp vignettes is requested.

<GUER5810b> Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"Semana Internacional de la Carta" ("International Week of the Letter")

BMI, Yr.2, No.10, Oct 1958, p.11, Span.

Report of the upcoming International Week of the Letter starting on October 9 for which the Ministry of Communications has prepared a first day cancellation which may be obtained for a period of a week starting on October 9.

<GUER5811a>* Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"Historia y Filatelia Cubana. Canceladores Usados en Cuba Durante el Período Filatélico Colonial y la Intervención Norteamericana" ("Cuban History and Philately. Cancellations Used in Cuba During the Colonial Philatelic Period and the North American Intervention")

BMI, Yr.2, No.11, Nov 1958, pp.2-9 (8), ill., Span.

<GUER5811b>* Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"¡Alerta Filatelistas!" ("Philatelists: Be Alert!")

BMI, Yr.2, No.11, Nov 1958, p.11, Span.

Report of forgeries of stamps with Guerra Aguiar catalog nos. 745a, 864, 935, and 936.

<GUER5811c>* Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"Una Nueva Variedad Interesante" ("A New Interesting Variety")

BMI, Yr.2, No.11, Nov 1958, p.11, Span.

Report of recently found varieties in the stamp issue with Guerra Aguiar catalog nos. 606-608.

<GUER5812a>* Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

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"Historia y Filatelia Cubana. Apuntes Históricos Sobre el Correo en Cuba Durante el Siglo XVIII"
("Cuban History and Philately. Historical Notes on the Cuban Posts During the 18th Century")
BMI, Yr.2, No.12, Dec 1958, pp.4-11, ill., Span.
Short account based mostly on Torrademé and Bose writings.

<GUER5812b>* Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"Entrevista con el Señor Eduardo R. Almeyda Sobre Tópicos Interesantes en Relación con las Especies Postales"
("Interview with Mr. Eduardo R. Almeyda on Topics of Interest Relative to Postal Goods")
BMI, Yr.2, No.12, December 1958, pp.12-15, ill., Span.

<GUER5812c>* Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"Directorio Filatélico" (Philatelic Directory")
BMI, Yr.2, No.12, Dec 1958, pp.21-55 (35), Span.

Directory of all Cuban and foreign philatelists interested in Cuban philately with mailing addresses. This is an update of <GUER5712b>.

<GUER5901>* Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"Historia y Filatelia Cubana. La Expedición Punitiva de España Contra Méjico en 1861 y los Sellos de Correos de Antillas Españolas Utilizados por las Tropas de la Misma" ("Cuban Postal History. The Punitive Expedition of Spain to Mexico in 1861 and the Spanish Antilles Stamps Used by the Expeditionary Forces")
BMI, Yr.3, No.1, Jan 1959, pp.2-8 (7), ill., Span. For a reprint see <GUER6607>.

<GUER5902a>* Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"Historia y Filatelia Cubana. El Efímero 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") BMI, Yr.3, No.2, Feb 1959, pp.4-8 (5), ill., Span. For a reprint see <GUER6704>.
Article on the use of Cuban stamps in the Dominican Republic, 1861-1865.

<GUER5902b>* Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"Breve Reseña Sobre el Nacimiento del Primer Sello Revolucionario"
("Brief Overview of the Birth of the First Revolutionary Stamp")
BMI, Yr.3, No.2, Feb 1959, pp.8-9 (2), Span.

<GUER5904a>* Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"Consideraciones Sobre las Tres Emisiones Cubanas de Sellos Correspondientes a los Años 1855, 1856, y 1857 y su Clasificación Unica a los Efectos Postales"
("Observations on the Cuban Stamp Issues of 1855, 1856, and 1857 and Their Postal Classification")
BMI, Yr.3, No.4, Apr 1959, pp.2-7 (6), ill., Span. Reprints: <GUER6701> or <FCb6701b>.
English translations: <GUER7510> or <CP7510>.

<GUER5904b> Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"Una Nueva Obra Que Iniciamos Hoy Para Beneficio de Nuestros Lectores"
("A New Project That We Undertake Today for the Benefit of Our Readers")
BMI, Yr.3, No.4, Apr 1959, p.14, Span.

Report of a forthcoming illustrated catalog of rubber stamp cachets applied to FDCs prepared by Guerra Aguiar. The first installment appears in subsequent pages of the bulletin.

<GUER5904c> Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"Catálogo Ilustrado de Cachets Gomígrafos Aplicados a los Sobres en su Primer Día de Cancelación"
("Illustrated Catalog of Rubber Stamp Cachets Applied to First Day Covers")
BMI, Yr.3, No.4, Apr 1959, pp.15-16 (2), ill., Span.

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BMI, Yr.3, No.6, Jun 1959, pp.13-16 (4), ill., Span.

BMI, Yr.3, No.8, Aug 1959, p.16, ill., Span.

BMI, Yr.3, No.9, Sep 1959, pp.10-14 (5), ill., Span.

The last installment of the catalog indicates that it will continue in subsequent issues of BMI but it never did.

<GUER5905>* Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"Desconocido Origen de los Diseños Empleados en la Emisión Conmemorativa del Centenario del Nacimiento del Generalísimo del Ejército Libertador Máximo Gómez Báez"

("Unknown Origin of the Designs Used in the Commemorative Issue for the Centennial of the Birth of Major General of the Liberation Army Máximo Gómez Báez")

BMI, Yr.3, No.5, May 1959, pp.3-9 (7), ill., Span.

<GUER5906a>* Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"Historia y Filatelia Cubana. El Sello Triangular de la Emisión ProCaridad"

("Cuban History and Philately. The Triangular Stamp Issue in Benefit of Charity")

BMI, Yr.3, No.6, Jun 1959, pp.2-7 (6), ill., Span.

<GUER5906b>* Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"Los Sellos de Tasa por Cobrar" ("Postage Due Stamps")

BMI, Yr.3, No.6, Jun 1959, p.10, Span.

Announcement of the decision by the Ministry of Communications to authorize the sale of the 1914 and 1927 postage due stamps to philatelists at the Ministry's Philatelic Office as requested by Guerra Aguiar in various BMI editorials (see <GUER5806> and <GUER5809>).

<GUER5907>* Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"Páginas del Club Filatélico" ("Pages From the Philatelic Club")

BMI, Yr.3, No.7, Jul 1959, pp.10-15, Span.

Report on the CUBEX 1959 stamp exhibition inaugurated on May 15 in the rooms of the Cuban Philatelic Club with a listing of the exhibits shown, the owners' names, and the medals they obtained.

<GUER5908> Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"Historia y Filatelia Cubana. La Actual Emisión de Sellos para Correo Ordinario de Uso Permanente y sus Errores Históricos" ("Cuban Postal History. The Current Definitive Postage Stamp Issue and Its Historical Errors")

BMI, Yr.3, No.8, Aug 1959, pp.4-11 (8), ill., Span. For addendum see <GUER5909c>.

<GUER5909a> Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"Editorial. ¿Qué Ocorre con los Sellos de la Chambelona?"

("Editorial. What Is the Matter With the 'Chambelona' Stamps?")

BMI, Yr.3, No.9, Sep 1959, pp.2-6 (5), ill., Span.

<GUER5909b> Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"Historia y Filatelia Cubana. Primeras Emisiones de la República de Cuba, e Intervención de la American Bank Note Company en la Confección de las Mismas" ("Cuban Postal History. First Stamp Issues of the Republic and the Role of the American Bank Note Company in Their Production")

BMI, Yr.3, No.9, Sep 1959, pp.2-6 (5), ill., Span.

<GUER5909c> Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"Algo Más Sobre los Errores Históricos en la Emisión Permanente"

("Some Additional Notes on Historical Errors in the Definitive Stamp Issue")

BMI, Yr.3, No.9, Sep 1959, p.7, Span. Addendum to <GUER5908>.

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<GUER5911> Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"Historia y Filatelia Cubana. La Primera Emisión de Sellos de Correos Impresa en Cuba"
("Cuban Postal History. The First Postage Stamp Issue Printed in Cuba")
BMI, Yr.3, No.11, Nov 1959, p.2-12 (11), ill., Span.

<GUER5912a>* Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"Editorial. Nuestra Despedida" ("Editorial. Our Good Bye")
BMI, Yr.3, No.12, Dec 1959, pp.1-2 (2), Span.

Going away editorial on the last published issue of the bulletin.

<GUER5912b>* Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"Historia y Filatelia Cubana. Reseña Sobre la Emisión Conmemorativa del Primer Aniversario del Triunfo de la Revolución" ("Cuban Postal History. Overview of the Stamp Issue Commemorating the First Anniversary of the Triumph of the Revolution")
BMI, Yr.3, No.12, Dec 1959, pp.3-8 (6), ill., Span.

<GUER6309>* Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"Con Título" ("With Title")
AF, Yr.XXV, Nos.113-116, Sep-Dec 1963, pp.17-18, Span.

This is a reply to José R. Castellanos' article "Sin Título" ("Without Title"). See entry <CAST6307>.

<GUER6607>* Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"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 <FCb6607a>).
FCb, Yr.2, No.3, Jul-Sep 1966, pp.4-7 (4), ill., Span. Reprint of <GUER5901>.

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

<GUER6701>* Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"Historia Postal. 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. This is the same as entry <FCb6701b>.
For English translations see <GUER7510> or <CP7510>.

<GUER6704>* Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"Historia Postal Cubana. El Efímero 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
FCb, Yr.3, No.2, Apr-Jun 1967, pp.9-13 (5), ill., Span. Reprint of <GUER5902a>; also listed as <FCb6704a>.

<GUER6800> Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

Breviario del Correo en Cuba (Summary of the Cuban Postal Service)
Habana, Cuba: Ministerio de Comunicaciones (Dept. of Communications), 1968.

<GUER6801> Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"Breve Historia del Correo y su Establecimiento en Cuba"
("Brief History of the Post and Its Establishment in Cuba")

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Published in three installments in FCb as follows:

FCb, Yr.4, Nos.1-2, Jan-Jun 1968, pp.3-18 (16), ill., Span.;

Capítulo I: Orígenes del Correo

(Chapter I: Origins of the Postal Service)

Capítulo II: Desarrollo del Correo y Organismos Internacionales para su Mejor Funcionamiento

(Chapter II: Development of the Postal Service and of International Organizations for Its Better Functioning)

Capítulo III: Primeras Actividades en Material Postal en Cuba

(Chapter III: First Postal Activities in Cuba)

Capítulo IV: Evolución del Correo Antes de su Organización

(Chapter IV: Evolution of the Postal Service Before Its Organization)

FCb, Yr.4, Nos.3-4, Jul-Dec 1968, pp.10-19 (10), ill.

Capítulo V: Primer Sistema Oficial Organizado de Correos en Cuba

(Chapter V: First Official Organized Postal System in Cuba)

Capítulo VI: El Correo Como Oficio Vendible y Renunciable

(Chapter VI: The Postal Service as a Service That Is Salable and That May Be Waived)

Capítulo VII: Reincorporación del Correo al Estado

(Chapter VII: Reassignment of the Postal Service to the State)

FCb, Yr.5, Nos.1-2, Jan-Jun 1969, pp. 3-15 (13), ill., Span.

Capítulo VIII: Mejoras Introducidas en el Servicio de Correos

(Chapter VIII: Improvements Introduced Into the Postal Service)

Capítulo IX: Aparición del Sello Postal Adhesivo y su Implantación en Cuba

(Chapter IX: Appearance of the Postage Stamp and Its Introduction in Cuba)

Capítulo X: La Aviación y su Incorporación al Correo para su Mayor Eficacia

(Chapter X: Aviation and Its Incorporation Into the Postal Service for Increased Efficiency)

This is a precursor of the author's book Historia Postal de Cuba (Cuban Postal History) (see <GUE8300>).

<GUER7100> Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

Estudio Sobre los Habilitados de Puerto Príncipe y sus Falsificaciones

(Study of the Surcharged Stamps of Puerto Príncipe and Their Forgeries)

La Habana: Museo Postal Cubano (Cuban Postal Museum), 1971, 73 pp., profusely illustrated, Span.

The author has put together Barreras' original research (see entry <BARR90209>), Dr. Cruz Planas' material and notes, and added some of his own to produce and bring together almost everything known about this challenging issue.

<GUER7200> Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

La Empresa de Correos Marítimos (The Maritime Posts Company)

Habana: Museo Postal Cubano (Cuban Postal Museum), 1972, 45 pp., ill., Span.

Excellent study of the Maritime Posts Company, the first shipping company of Spanish origin to make regular trips between Spain and Cuba. The account covers its history, service, and postal marks.

<GUER7300> Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

Desarrollo del Correo Exterior de Cuba y sus Marcas Postales (1765-1877)

(Development of the Cuban International Postal Service (1765-1877))

La Habana: Museo Postal Cubano (Cuban Postal Museum), 1973, 61 pp., profusely illustrated, Span.

Very good compendium in one source of otherwise widely scattered postal history material. Emphasis on postal marks.

<GUER7312> Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"Estudio Sobre los Habilitados de Puerto Príncipe y sus Falsificaciones"

("Study of the Surcharged Stamps of Puerto Príncipe and Their Forgeries")

Actualidad Filatélica, Vol.6, No.100, Dec 1973, pp.25-26,28-29 (4);

Actualidad Filatélica, Vol.7, No.101, Jan 1974, pp.12-13 (2);

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Actualidad Filatélica, Vol.7, No.103, Mar 1974, pp.12-13 (2);
Actualidad Filatélica, Vol.7, No.105, May 1974, pp.20-21 (2);
Actualidad Filatélica, Vol.7, No.106, Jun 1974, pp.18-19 (2), 12 pp. total, Span.
Based on the previous work <GUER7100>.

<**GUER73mm-a**> **Guerra Aguiar, José Luis**

"Estudio Sobre el Valor de 1/2 Real de Plata Fuerte de la Primera Emisión de Cuba"
("Study of the 1/2 Real de Plata Fuerte Value of the First Cuban Stamp Issue")
Actualidad Filatélica, No.93, 1973.

<**GUER73mm-b**> **Guerra Aguiar, José Luis**

"La Empresa de Correos Marítimos" ("The Maritime Mail Company")
Actualidad Filatélica, Nos.96-97, 1973, pp.14-15,18 (3), ill., Span.

<**GUER73mm-c**> **Guerra Aguiar, José Luis**

"La Empresa de Correos Marítimos" ("The Maritime Mail Company")
Madrid, Spain: Boletín Espamer '73, No.1, 1973, 3pp., ill., Span.
These are extracts from <GUER73mm-b>.

<**GUER7400**> **Guerra Aguiar, José Luis**

Desarrollo del Correo Interior de Cuba y sus Marcas Postales (1756-1898)
(Development of the Internal Postal Service in Cuba and Its Postal Marks (1756-1898))
La Habana: Museo Postal Cubano (Cuban Postal Museum), 1974, 63 pp., profusely illustrated, Span.

<**GUER7500**> **Guerra Aguiar, José Luis**

El Correo en la República de Cuba en Armas (The Postal Service in the Republic at Arms)
La Habana: Museo Postal Cubano (Cuban Postal Museum), 1975, 50 pp., profusely illustrated, Span.

Well documented study of the operations of the revolutionary posts during the Cuban revolutionary periods of 1868-1878 and 1895-1898. Covers the use of stamps and handstamps.

<**GUER7505**> **Guerra Aguiar, José Luis**

"El Correo Local de la Habana." ("The Local Post 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 <FCb7505a>.
Another review of the Y 1/4 surcharged stamps. Well illustrated.

<**GUER7509**> **Guerra Aguiar, José Luis**

"Los falsos postales de la primera emisión de Antillas Españolas"
("The Postal Forgeries of the First Issue of Spanish Antilles")
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 <FCb7509>. See <GUER7604>
and <GUER7609> for reprints. <GUER7604> identifies Guerra Aguiar as the author.

<**GUER7510**> **Guerra Aguiar, José Luis**

"Accounts of the Three Cuban Stamp Issues of 1855, 1856 and Its Postal Classifications"
CP, Vol.V, No.2, October 1975, p.5-9 (5). Translation of <GUER5904a> or <GUER6701> by Ernesto Cuesta
which was not published as submitted--the published version contains some errors of translation, e.g., the use of
"Its" instead of "Their" in the title.

<**GUER7600**> **Guerra Aguiar, José Luis**

Estudio Sobre la Primera Emisión Postal de Antillas Españolas
(Study of the First Stamp Issue of Spanish Antilles)

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La Habana: Museo Postal Cubano (Cuban Postal Museum), 1976, 133pp., profusely illustrated, Span.

<GUER7604> Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"Los falsos postales de la primera emisión de Antillas"

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

AFa, Yr.IX, No.124, Apr 1976, pp.13-16 (4), ill., Span. Reprint of <FCb7509> = <GUER7509> with a slight change of title ("Españolas" left out). See <GUER7609> for a subsequent reprint.

<GUER7605> Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"Habilitados por la Nación" (" 'Habilitados por la Nación' Surcharged 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 <FCb7605>.

See <GUER7701> for a reprint that identifies Guerra Aguiar (a misspelling) as the author.

Fine article, profusely illustrated, based on an earlier one by Barreras.

<GUER7607> Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"Cuban Revolutionary Stamp Issues During the Independence Wars"

SPAJ, Vol.38, No.11, Jul 1976, pp.689-693 (5), ill.

<GUER7609> Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

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

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

RF, No.100, Sep 1976, pp.393-397 (5), ill., Span. Reprint of <FCb7509> = <GUER7509> and <GUER7604>.

<GUER7700> Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

El Correo Local de La Habana y Sus Emisiones Provisionales (1855-1877)

(The Local Post of Havana and Its Provisional Issues (1855-1877))

La Habana: Cuadernos del Museo Postal Cubano (Notebooks of the Cuban Postal Museum), 1977, 67 pp., profusely illustrated, Span.

<GUER7701> Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"Habilitados por la Nación" (" 'Habilitado por la Nación' Surcharged Stamps")

AFa, Yr.X, No.127, Jan-Apr 1977, p.17, Span. Reprint of <FCb7605> = <GUER7605>.

Note that the author's name "Aguiar" is misspelled "Aquiari".

<GUER7703> Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"Stamps of the Spanish Antilles--A Listing of Errors in General Catalogs"

Canadian Philatelist, Vol.28, No.2, Mar-Apr 1977, pp.75,77,79,81, ill.

<GUER7812> Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"El correo en Cuba a través de los tiempos" ("The Cuban Postal Service Through the Times")

RF, No.125, Dec 1978, pp.555-557 (3), ill., Span.

<GUER7909> Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"Utilización de las Emisiones Postales de Cuba Colonial--Fuera de su Período de Vigencia"

("Use of the Colonial Cuba Stamp Issues --Out of Their Valid Period of Use")

RF, No.133, Sep 1979, pp.407-409 (3), ill., Span.

<GUER7910> Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"La emisión de Antillas Españolas de 1873" ("The 1873 Spanish Antilles Issue")

FESOFI, No.23 (XXVIII), Oct-Dec 1879, three unnumbered pages, ill., Span.

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<GUER8010> Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"Uso de los sellos de Correo Oficial de España (1854) en sus Dependencias Antillanas"

("Use of Spanish Official Mail Stamps of 1854 in the Spanish Antilles")

Boletín Núm. 2 de ESPAMER 80, held in Madrid, Spain, 5-12 Oct 1980, pp.31-33 and 35-37 (5), ill., Span.

<GUER8207> Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"Las Marcas 'Baeza' en Cuba (1842-1860)"

("The 'Baeza' Postmarks in Cuba (1842-1860)")

RF, No.165, Jul-Aug 1982, pp.318-319, ill., Span.

<GUER8211># Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"Los agentes reencaminadores y sus incidencias en el correo de Cuba"

("Forwarding Agents and Their Incidence in the Cuban Postal System")

RF, No.168, Nov 1982, pp.473-477 (5), Span. [need better photocopy]

<GUER8300> Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

Historia Postal de Cuba (Cuban Postal History)

Madrid, Spain: Casa del Sello (Angel Laiz, ed.), 1983, 175 pp., profusely illustrated, Span.

This is a comprehensive overview of Cuban postal history from its early days to modern times. For a precursor see <GUER6801> from which several chapters are borrowed. The book is organized in 18 mostly brief chapters that contain information borrowed from other sources and repackaged, sometimes without acknowledging the source (e.g., Chapter XVIII is mostly copied from Barreras).

The 18 chapters are as follows:

- I. Orígenes del correo (Origins of the posts)
- II. Primeras actividades en materia postal en América (First postal activities in America)
- III. Evolución del correo en Cuba antes de su servicio regular
(Evolution of the posts in Cuba before regular service was established)
- IV. Primer sistema regular organizado del correo interior de Cuba
(First organized regular system for the internal mail service of Cuba)
- V. Reestructuración integral del correo y su reincorporación al Estado
(Complete restructuring of the mail service and its takeover by the State)
- VI. El correo interior en el siglo XIX (The internal mail service in the 19th Century)
- VII. El correo por ferrocarril (The railroad mail service)
- VIII. El correo por barcos de cabotaje (Coastal ship mail)
- IX. La primera emisión postal (The first postal issue)
- X. El correo local de La Habana (The Havana internal mail service)
- XI. El correo exterior de Cuba en el siglo XIX (Cuban foreign mail service during the 19th Century)
- XII. La Empresa de Correos Marítimos (The Maritime Posts Company)
- XIII. Agencias Postales Inglesas (British Postal Agencies)
- XIV. Agencias Postales Francesas (French Postal Agencies)
- XV. El correo en la República de Cuba en Armas (The 19th Century Cuban Revolutionary Posts)
- XVI. La intervención norteamericana (The North-American intervention)
- XVII. El correo en el siglo XX (The 19th Century Postal Service)
- XVIII. Marcas Postales (Postal Markings)
- Errata Fe de Errata (List of Errata)

<GUER8312># Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"Relaciones entre las agencias postales inglesas en Cuba y el Correo colonial español de la isla"

("Relationship Between the British Postal Agencies in Cuba and the Spanish Colonial Posts of the Island")

RF, No.180, Dec 1983, pp.526-527, ill., Span.

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<[GUER8405a](#)> Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

“Las marcas secretas de la emisión permanente de 1917 (patriotas) y las variaciones ocurridas durante el tiempo que la misma estuvo en circulación 1917-1954)” (“The secret marks of the definitive issue of 1917 (patriots) and the varieties that occurred during the time that it was in circulation (1917-1954)”)
FCb, Yr.19, No.2, May-Aug 1954, pp.16-23 (8), ill., Span.

<[GUER8405b](#)> Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

“Honrando a Pioneros de la Historia Postal Cubana”
Subtitled: “El Correo de Cuba Durante el Siglo XVIII”
RF, No.185, May 1984, pp.243-247 (5), ill., Span. Basically a reprint of <[BARR90307](#)>.
Brief introduction extolling the work of pioneer researchers of Cuban postal history, identifying Dr. Antonio Barreras as the most salient of them all, and reprinting <[BARR90307](#)> in his honor without some of the illustrations contained in the original to save space. The subtitle is the title of Dr. Barreras article.

<[GUER8510](#)> Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

“La Serie Cubana de la Sociedad Colombista Panamericana”
 (“The Cuban Issue of the Pan-American Columbus Society”)
Crónica Filatélica, Yr.II, No.16, Oct 1985, pp.30-31, ill., Span.

<[GUER8604](#)> Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"Bisectos y fiscales postales en el correo de Cuba--incluyendo los postales fiscales durante la dominación española" ("Bisects and Postally Used Revenue Stamps in the Cuban Mails--Including Revenue Stamps Used Postally During the Spanish Administration")
RF, No.206, Apr 1986, pp.140-144 (5), ill., Span.

<[GUER8607](#)> Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"Sellos de Antillas Españolas Usados en el Extranjero"
 ("Stamps of Spanish Antilles Used Abroad")
RF, No.209, Jul-Aug 1986, pp.279-281, ill., Span.

<[GUER8609](#)> Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"El correo durante la anexión de la República Dominicana por España de 1861 a 1865 y sus antecedentes históricos" ("The Postal Service During the Annexation of the Dominican Republic by Spain from 1861 to 1865 and Its Historical Background")
RF, No.210, Sep 1986, pp.316-318, ill., Span.

<[GUER8701](#)> Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

“Bisectos y fiscales postales en el correo de Cuba”
 (“Bisects and postally used revenue stamps in the Cuban mails”)
FCb, Yr.22, No.1, Jan-Apr 1987, pp.18-29 (12), ill., Span.

<[GUER8912](#)> Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

“La primera emisión postal de la República de Cuba”
 (“The First Postal Issue of the Republic of Cuba”)
CronF, Yr.VI, No.92, Dec 1989, pp.80-83 (4), ill., Span.

<[GUERyvmm](#)> Guerra Aguiar, José Luis

"Compendio Histórico del Correo Cubano" ("Historical Compendium of the Cuban Posts")
Unpublished two and a quarter typewritten pages with an overview of the Cuban posts before the advent of postage stamps.

<[GUIN7100](#)> Guinovart, Jorge

Prefilatelia Española. Estudio de las Marcas Postales de España y sus Dominios de Indias. Siglos XVIII y XIX.

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(Spanish Pre-Philately. Study of the Postal Marks of Spain and Its Domains of Indies. XVIII and XIXth Centuries.) Co-author: Manuel Tizón (see entry <TIZO7100>).

Barcelona, Spain: The authors, 1971, Vols.I & II, 989 pp., ill., Span. Cuba is covered in Vol.II, pp.791-820 (32).

Outstanding catalog of pre-philatelic postmarks. Profusely illustrated. An earnest attempt is made to match the original color of the postal markings shown. The catalog was updated and expanded in 1983 (see <GUIN8300>).

<[GUIN8300](#)> **Guinovart, Jorge**

Prefilateria Española. Nuevo Estudio de las Marcas Postales de España y sus Dominios de Indias. Siglos XVIII y XIX. (Spanish Pre-Philately. New Study of the Postal Marks of Spain and Its Domains of Indies. XVIII and XIXth Centuries.) Co-author: Manuel Tizón (see entry <TIZO8300>).

Barcelona, Spain: The authors, 1983, Vols.I, II & III, ? pp., ill., Span. Cuba is covered in Vol.III, subtitled "De la Isla de Cuba al Virreinato del Río de la Plata" ("From the Island of Cuba to the Viceroyship of River Plate"), pp.1121-1196 (76).

Updated edition of <GUIN7100> considerably expanding and improving an already outstanding catalog of pre-philatelic postmarks. Profusely illustrated. As in the preceding edition, an earnest attempt is made to match the original color of the postal markings.

<[GUIT7201](#)> **Guitart, C.**

"Sellos dibujados por niños" ("Stamps Drawn by Children")

RF, Yr.VI, No.49, Jan 1972, p.27, ill., Span.

<[GUTI-J4810](#)> **Gutiérrez, José Ramón**

"El Correo Aéreo en Cuba" ("The Cuban Airmail Service")

BAIHP, Yr.III, No.8, October 1948, pp.30-32 (3).

Review of the airmail service in Cuba, 1927-1945.

<[GUTI-M4507](#)> **Gutiérrez, Miguel A.**

"Historia Patria: Progreso de la Habana. El Establecimiento del Servicio Postal en la Ciudad."

("National History: Progress in Havana. The Establishment of the Postal Service in the City.")

AF, Yr.XX, No.32, July-September 1945, p.12, Span.

Historical notes about the establishment and operation of the postal services in Havana 1760-1770.

<[GUTIH0104](#)> **Gutiérrez Hermanos**

"Sellos habilitados de Puerto Príncipe" ("Puerto Príncipe Surcharged Stamps")

CA, 3rd Epoch, Yr.2, Nos.4-5, Apr-May 1901, pp.83-85 (3), ill., Span.

Gutiérrez Hermanos are identified in <LAZA0104> as the authors of this article and as being from Santiago de Cuba and probably are José Gutiérrez Hernández and Emilio Gutiérrez, who was the printer of <GUTIHJ1400>.

<[GUTIHJ0407](#)> **Gutiérrez Hernández, José**

"Sellos Fiscales de Cuba. Ensayo de Clasificación."

("Revenue Stamps of Cuba. An Attempt at their Classification.")

Coauthor: Antonio Barreras (see <BARR90407a>)

RSFC, Yr.III, No.7, 15 Jul 1904, pp. 97-105 (9);

RSFC, Yr.III, No.8, 15 Aug 1904, pp.115-125 (11);

RSFC, Yr.III, No.9, 15 Sep 1904, pp.129-141 (13);

RSFC, Yr.III, No.10, 15 Oct 1904, pp.145-150 (6); 39 pp. total, ill., Span.

The first four installments of an excellent classification of Cuban revenue stamps. The October installment indicates that the series will continue, but we have not been able to obtain copies of the November or December

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1904 issues of RSFC to verify whether they indeed contain additional installments in the series. The January 1905 and subsequent issues of RFSC do not contain any further installments. However, Barreras and Gutiérrez later publish a comprehensive catalog of Cuban revenue stamps which probably goes beyond the information intended for these articles (see <GUTIHJ1000> and GUTIHJ1200>,.both also published in association with Antonio Barreras).

<GUTIHJ1000> Gutiérrez Hernández, José

Catálogo de los Sellos Fiscales de Cuba

(Catalog of the Revenue Stamps of Cuba)

Co-author: Antonio Barreras (see <BARR91000>)

La Habana, Cuba: Imprenta de J. A. Casanova, 1910, 156 pp.

Precursor of <GUTIHJ1200>. The cover of the book labels the work as part of the library of the RCFC, the journal of the Cuban Philatelic Circle which later sponsored the 1912 publication of <GUTIHJ1200>.

<GUTIHJ1200> Gutiérrez Hernández, José

Catálogo de los Sellos Fiscales de Cuba (1856-1912)

(Catalog of the Revenue Stamps of Cuba (1856-1912))

Co-author: Antonio Barreras (see <BARR91200>)

La Habana, Cuba: Published by the Círculo Filatélico de Cuba (Cuban Philatelic Circle), printed by J.A. Casanova, 1912, 255 pp., ill., Span. Limited edition in book form.

One of the most complete catalogs ever published of the revenue stamps of Cuba covering the period 1856 to 1912. Originally started to be published serially in the RSFC where the first four installments appeared from July to October 1904, but were discontinued thereafter without explanation (see <GUTIHJ0407>). The coverage of Cuban revenues provided in this catalog is more extensive than Forbin's. Includes citations from official documents. It is an indispensable reference for the Cuban revenues collector.

<GUTIHJ1311> Gutiérrez Hernández, José

Catálogo de los Sellos Fiscales de Cuba

(Catalog of the Revenue Stamps of Cuba)

Manuscript in the library of José María Sempere of Barcelona, dated "Terminado en 7 Nov 1913" ("Completed on 7 Nov 1913"), 342 pp. plus title page, introductory page, and 2 page index, ill., in Spanish.

The introductory page states that portions of this catalog were printed in RCFC under the direction of Dr. Antonio Barreras who contributed some of his own research (see <GUTIHJ0407>), but mentions that the material published therein lacked many varieties and additional details that were not included due to time limitations and that are included in the present work which the author considers complete barring some new items that may be uncovered with the passing of time. No mention is made in this introduction of the precursor published works <GUTIHJ1000> or <GUTIHJ1200>, but it is presumed that this manuscript is a further expansion of <GUTIHJ1200>. I do not know whether this final manuscript was ever formally published.

<GUTIHJ1400> Gutiérrez Hernández, José

Catálogo Descriptivo de Todos los Sellos de Correos, Telégrafos, Bandas, Sobres y Tarjetas Postales Circulados en Cuba del Año 1855 a 1914 (Descriptive Catalog of All of the Postage and Telegraph Stamps, Wrappers, Envelopes, and Postal Cards Used in Cuba from 1855 to 1914)

Santiago de Cuba: Tipografía Emilio Gutiérrez (Typography of Emilio Gutiérrez), 1914, 92 pp.

Definitively one of the best specialized catalogs of Cuban stamps. Its main drawback is that it is not illustrated. Still, a good source of information for the specialist. See <GUTIHJ3208> for a partial second edition.

<GUTIHJ1505> Gutiérrez Hernández, José

"Rarezas en los Sellos Actuales de Cuba"

("Varieties in Current Cuban Stamps")

C, No.3, May-Jun 1915, pp.16-17.

Cliché varieties of the 1c. and 2c. stamps of the Map issue.

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<[GUTIHJ1511](#)> Gutiérrez Hernández, José

"¿Error o Defecto de Impresión?" ("Error or Printing Flaw?")

C, No.6, Nov-Dec 1915, p.16.

Description of varieties in the 5c. value of the 1914 Map stamp issue (Scott Nos.253-262).

<[GUTIHJ3208](#)># Gutiérrez Hernández, José

"Catálogo Descriptivo de Todos los Sellos de Cuba Circulados de 1855 a 1913"

("Descriptive Catalog of all Cuban Postage Stamps Issued from 1855 to 1913")

Second Edition of <[GUTIHJ1400](#)> published serially in RAFC. Rearranged and updated by Raúl Gutiérrez Serrano. Supposedly continued in the years 1933-34, but no copy of those issues available for verification.

RAFC, Yr.1, No.2, 1 Aug 1932, pp. 7-10 (4);

RAFC, Yr.1, No.3, 1 Oct 1932, pp.15-18 (4);

RAFC, Yr.1, No.4, 1 Dec 1932, pp.26-27 (2), Span.

<[GUTIS3206](#)> Gutiérrez Serrano, Raúl

"Sellos Falsos de Cuba" ("Cuban Forged Stamps")

RAFC, Yr.1, No.1, 1 June 1932, pp.5-6.

Description of several forgeries of Cuban stamps, some good enough for easy identification.