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<KALC2209> Kalckoff, F.

"The Cuba Y¹/₄"

SMJ, Vol.3, No.7, Issue 31, Sep 1922, p.158.

On the meaning of the Y¹/₄.

Kansas State Historical Society—Listed under KSHS

<KAPL0606> Kaplan, Oren

Uncovering a Philatelic Cover Connection: Commander George Leland Dyer (1849-1914)—Cartographer

Hendree Paine Simpson (1872-1950)—From Gibara, Cuba to Tuskegee, Alabama through Washington, D.C. and the U.S. Navy Hydrographic Office Circa 1899.

Unpublished draft by the author, received via e-mail in June 2006, 40pp., ill.

The article explores the connection between the two gentlemen named in its title from a correspondence in the possession of the author from Commander Dyer to Mr. Simpson mailed from Gibara, Cuba, late in 1899.

<KAY7000> Kay, John L.

Mail travel guide updated agent and RPO routes listed by state and railroad with route numbers, directions and maps.

Co-Author: Fred MacDonald (also listed as <MACD7000>). Prepared using data compiled by Charles L. Towle.

Chicago, IL: Mobile Post Office Society, 1970s. Call No. HE6475.3 K23m NPML.

Listing on p.106 of the Jacksonville to Saint Augustine, Bunnell, Daytona Beach, Titusville, Sebastian, Fort Pierce, West Palm Beach, Miami, and Key West Route 392 RPO markings with dates of operation of each segment of the route. Also listing of the Florida East Coast Railway plus Peninsular & Occidental Steamship Co. providing service from Miami to Homestead, Isla Morada, Long Key, Marathon, and Knight's Key plus steamship service from there to Big Pine and Key West which operated from 22 June 1909 to 3 February 1912. A map of Florida is provided on p.113 showing the railroad routes discussed in the text.

<KAY9700> Kay, John L.

Directory of Railway Post Offices, Revised 1997.

Chicago, IL: Mobile Post Office Society, Inc., 1997. Items of interest on pp. 197, 214.

Contains several references to the Florida East Coast Railway from Jacksonville to Key West and extension to Havana via steamship of the Peninsular & Occidental Steamship Co., with illustration of the RPO cancellations used on the various segments of the line and their periods of use (implied by dates of operation of the various segments of the railway line).

<KCSJ3607> Kaw Chief Stamp Journal

"The Cockfighting Platform in Cuba"

KCSJ, Vol.V, No.22, 22 Jul 1936, p.494, ill.

A partir de la emisión de los sellos de 1936 dedicados al expresidente José Miguel Gómez (Scott 322/323), el autor destaca su legado e ironiza sobre la legalización de las peleas de gallos.

<KEAC8310> Keach, R. H.

"Cuba Proof Sheets and 'File Copy' Sheets of Waterlow Stamps"

BM, No.16, October-December 1983, pp.4-47 (44), ill.

Notas realizadas por el autor, de la revisión que realizará a un lote de pruebas de plancha y hojas de sellos obtenidas de los archivos de la casa impresora Waterlow&Sons. En las notas hace una descripción detallada de cada pieza incluyendo algunas anotaciones manuales que aparecían en las mismas. En el artículo se incluyen fotos de las piezas revisadas. Las series en el orden que aparecen en el artículo son las siguientes: Emisión de Matanzas(Scott 324/31, C18/C21, CE1 y E8), centenario del nacimiento de Máximo Gómez(Scott 332/336, C22/C23 y E9), reunión de La Mejorana(Scott C38), centenario del nacimiento de Antonio Maceo (Scott 423/430), centenario del faro del Morro (Scott 432), centenario de la bandera de Cuba (Scott 458/461, C41/C43 y E13), José Raúl Capablanca campeón mundial de ajedrez (Scott 463/465, C44/C46 y E14), bicentenario del café (Scott 481/483), fondo de caridad (enfermera) (Scott B4).

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<[KEAT3911](#)> Keating, C. Maurice

"A Philatelic History of Cuba"

Hobbies, Nov 1939.

[Have image of the front cover of Hobbies, the Magazine for Collectors. Need copy of the referenced article.]

<[KEHR4208](#)> Kehr, Ernest A.

"Cuba Fights Fifth Column"

CSJ, Vol.16, No.19, WNo.409, 24 Aug. 1942, pp.274, 279.

Nota periodística que reporta la autorización de la emisión de una serie de propaganda contra la quinta columna, se describen los diseños de los cinco valores y aparece la imagen del sello de un centavo. La serie fue finalmente emitida (Scott 375/379). La nota incluye además el anuncio de dos sellos en honor al expresidente Mario García Menocal, pero que nunca se emitieron.

<[KEHR4304](#)> Kehr, Ernest A.

"Cuba Reprints Controversial"

WSC, 7 April 1943, 2 pp. [Need page numbers—Not in NPML.]

Noticia de la reimpresión imperforada de la serie de 1942 "Democracia Americana" (Scott 368/372) y descripción de los 5 valores de la misma. La reimpresión se realizó a solicitud del Club Filatélico de la República de Cuba, debido al conocimiento del extravío de unas hojas imperforadas de esa serie, que se habían enviado de favor al director general de correos de EEUU.

<[KEHR4801](#)> Kehr, Ernest A.

"Havana AAMS Convention To Be Held May 21-23"

APJ, Vol.19, No.4, Issue 213, Jan 1948, p.111.

Anuncio de la celebración en La Habana de la 25 convención de la AAMS en 1948. Comentario de los preparativos que se estaban realizando para la misma e invitación a los miembros de la sociedad para su asistencia.

<[KEHR4802](#)> Kehr, Ernest A.

"Plans Progressing for AAMS Havana Convention"

APJ, Vol.19, No.5, Issue 214, Feb 1948, pp.149-150, 170, ill.

Preparativos de la convención de la AAMS, su importancia filatélica y propaganda de los atractivos turísticos de la ciudad de La Habana.

<[KEHR4803](#)> Kehr, Ernest A.

"Cuban Convention Plans Announced By Host Chapter"

APJ, Vol.19, No.6, Issue 215, Mar 1948, pp.183, 186-187 (3).

Anuncio del comité cubano para los trabajos de la convención y detalles sobre los precios del alojamiento y los pasajes. Publicación del programa social de la convención para cada uno de los tres días de duración.

<[KEHR4804a](#)> Kehr, Ernest A.

"Special Cancellation Authorized for A.A.M.S. Havana Convention"

APJ, Vol.19, No.7, Issue 216, April 1948, pp.219, 221, 222 (3), ill. See <[KEHR4806](#)> for a follow-up.

Anuncio de las autoridades postales cubanas de la intención de imprimir un sello en saludo a la convención, pero que estaba sin confirmar en ese momento. Se utilizarían dos matasellos durante la convención, uno mecánico para las cartas de correo aéreo y un cuño de goma de uso manual para las cartas franqueadas con varios sellos, en los mismos se leerá "25 Convention – American Air Mail Society". Hay otros comentarios sobre los hoteles, los costos y el clima.

<[KEHR4804b](#)> Kehr, Ernest A.

"Last Call for Havana Holiday..."

APJ, Vol.19, No.7, Issue 216, April 1948, p.233

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Recordatorio de la convención de la AAMS en La Habana, y ventajas del viaje turístico.

<[KEHR4805a](#)> Kehr, Ernest A.

"Bodas de Plata... Silver Anniversary..."

[APJ](#), Vol.19, No.8, Issue 217, May 1948, pp.260-261.

Editorial que aborda la confraternidad que se logra a través de la filatelia y un reconocimiento a los filatelistas cubanos por su participación en los preparativos y ayuda a la AAMS.

<[KEHR4805b](#)> Kehr, Ernest A.

"Visits with Cuban stamps"

[APJ](#), Vol.19, No.8, Issue 217, May 1948, pp.306-307, ill.

Description of places depicted on some Cuban stamps. Among them are the Cuban Capitol shown on Scott 294, and Fraternity Park shown on Scott 371.

<[KEHR4805c](#)> Kehr, Ernest A.

"Cuba's Postal Museum"

[APJ](#), Vol.19, No.8, Issue 217, May 1948, pp.314.

El autor señala la existencia del Museo Postal de Cuba en un local de la oficina principal de correos en la isla y menciona los principales fondos que lo conforman. Entre estos fondos están una colección completa de los sellos de Cuba desde las emisiones de la Colonia a las de la República, piezas de historia postal y el cohete postal original. Como portada del artículo aparece el sobre conmemorativo del primer pre ensayo del lanzamiento del Cohete Postal.

<[KEHR4806](#)> Kehr, Ernest A.

"Havana Silver Anniversary Convention Greatest In A.A.M.S. History—Society Receives Highest Postal Recognition"

[APJ](#), Vol.19, No.9, Issue 218, Jun 1948, pp.323-328 (6), ill.

Resumen del desarrollo de la convención durante sus tres días, se destaca la sobrecarga oficial de 15,000 hojitas de Rowland Hill (Scott C39) y la reproducción de los dos matasellos utilizados: un cancelador de máquina con eslogan de propaganda y otro un cuño para su uso manual. [Nota del editor: El catálogo de Edifil dice que el primer día de emisión de la C39 fue el día 21 de mayo de 1948, pero todos los ejemplos que tengo llevan la cancelación de la izquierda del 22 de mayo y ninguno de esos sobres lleva indicación de que la cancelación del 22 de mayo sea una cancelación de primer día. Es posible que las hojitas C39 no hayan estado disponibles el 21 de mayo.]

<[KEHR5008](#)> Kehr, Ernest A.

"Cuba's Cigar Stamps"

[CSJ](#), Vol.32, No.18, 14 Aug 1950, pp.256-257 (2), ill.

Brief article on the use of stamps by the Cuban government as an advertising medium upon the issuance of Scott 445-447 promoting the tobacco industry. The author goes back to the inception of the Republic's stamp production noting that the first issue of 1905 promoted Cuban tobacco in its 5c. stamp and sugar in the 10c. value, and then goes on to cite other examples of additional issues promoting Cuban industries.

<[KEHR5511](#)> Kehr, Ernest A.

"Visits With Cuban Stamps..."

[AF](#), "CUPEX" Special Issue, Nov 1955, p.133, Eng., ill.

Reimpresión de un artículo de 1948 que, con el mismo nombre había sido preparado para la XXV convención de la AAMS, y que también fue realizada en La Habana, ver<[KEHR4805b](#)>. Aparecen las imágenes de dos marcas impuestas el 13 de noviembre de 1955, en el palacio de Bellas Artes de la capital cubana durante la exposición CUPEX 55.

<[KEHR7401](#)> Kehr, Ernest A.

"Closed Albums—Capt. Basil Rowe"

[APJ](#), Vol.45, No.4, WNo.524, Jan 1974, p.120.

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Obituary reporting the death on 28 October 1973 of Capt. Basil Rowe, aviation pioneer during the 1920s and 1930s for Pan American Airways with which he continued to be associated the rest of his lifetime. Also see <KERF7209> for more biographical notes on Capt. Rowe.

<[KELL8801](#)> Kelleher Auctions, Daniel F.

United States and Possessions Stamps and Covers

Boston, MA: Catalog of the 577th Sale held 20-22 Jan 1988, Cuba lots 3712-3732 (21), where lots 3712-3730 featured Puerto Príncipe surcharged stamps, lot 3731 offered a Scott 226A, and lot 3732 offered a Scott E1.

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<[KELL1107](#)> Kelleher Auctions, Daniel F.

U.S. and Possessions Stamps & Postal History

Boston, MA: Catalog of Sale 625, 8-9 July 2011, Cuba lots 1337-1342 (6), where lots 1337-1339 featured Puerto Príncipe surcharged stamps, lot 1340 was a Scott 222Ad, lot 1341 was a Scott 226A, and lot 1342 was a Scott J2a.

<[KELL1206](#)> Kelleher Auctions, Daniel F.

Collections, Stocks & Accumulations of the World. Sale No. 633.

Boston, MA: Catalog of Sale 633 held 14 Dec 2012; Cuba lots 1757-1760, and within lots 1845-2066 in the "Lindberghiana" and "Misc. Airmail Postal History". The sale comprised the Robert B. Spooner aerophilately collections, with emphasis on Cuba, Amelia Earhart, South Atlantic Airmails, and catapult, Do-X, and Zeppelin flights. The Spooner holdings of Cuban aerophilately were among the best ever assembled.

<[KELL1308](#)> Kelleher Auctions, Daniel F.

U.S. British and Worldwide with Collections

Boston, MA: Catalog of Sale 638 held 19-21 August 2013, Cuba lots 485-496 under Spain and Colonies, 655-661 under Cuba, and 1240-1242 under U.S. Possessions.

<[KELLY5111](#)> Kelly, Denwood N.

"The Hamburg American Packet Company. Supplementary Notes."

AP, Vol.65, No.2, WNo.609, Nov. 1951, pp.85-92.

These "Supplementary Notes" are more than "supplementary—they are a rather comprehensive account of the postal history of the Hamburg American Packet Company. The piece does not contain much information pertaining to Cuba, but does mention the handstamp of the company agent in Havana, Barkhausen & Remmer, on p.91, and illustrates it as Figure 19 on page 88.

<[KEND1203](#)> Kendall, Bryan

"Philippines Card S2 Missing Grommet"

PSta, Vol.54, No.2, WNo.383, Mar-Apr 2012

This item is listed in this bibliography because the base U.S. card that was overprinted for the Philippines was also overprinted for use in Cuba, so any findings about varieties of the base card also apply to the overprinted Cuban cards.

<[KEND3610](#)> Kendall, Don

"These Speculative Issues"

WSC, 21 Oct 1936, 1 p. **[Need page number–Not in NPML.]**

A juicio del autor, los remanentes de sellos que solo se venden por un número limitado de días, originan posteriores ventas especulativas. Llama la atención sobre una serie cubana que se vendería únicamente el 10 de abril de 1937. A todas luces se refería a la serie de escritores y artistas que finalmente se vendió durante tres días del 13 al 15 de octubre (Scott 340/354, C24/C29 y E10/E11). Propone que los catálogos valoren mínimamente los sellos nuevos de esas series, que los sellos usados deberían catalogarse con mejor precio. Se refiere a la serie del Puerto de Matanzas (Scott 324/331, C18/C21, CE1 y E8), y argumenta que los coleccionistas han podido comprar copias usadas de esos sellos.

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<KENN2708> Kennett, William C., Jr.

"New Issue Notes and Chronicle: Cuba"

Co-author: The AP editor, Adolph D. Fennel (also listed as <FENN2708>).

AP, Vol.40, No.11, WNo.330, August 1927, pp.803-805 (3).

Translation and notes from Gordon Ireland of Cuba's Presidential Decree #920 ordering the issue of stamps for the Sixth Pan-American Congress to be held in Havana during January 1928 (Scott Nos.284-293). Thus, also listed as <IREL2708>.

<KERF7209> Kerfoot, Glenn

"Capt. Rowe Gets Angers Award"

APJ, Vol.43, No.12, Issue 508, Sep 1972, pp.394, 399 (2), ill.

Report that Capt. Basil Rowe received the AAMS Angers Memorial Award for outstanding contributions to aerophilately. The article mentions that in 1927 Rowe organized the West Indian Aerial Express which operated between the Virgin Islands and Cuba that was absorbed in 1928 by Pan American Airways. During Rowe's first ten years flying for PAA, he opened the air mail trail from Miami to Havana and on through the Caribbean and all eventually all the way to Buenos Aires, Argentina.

<KERN4212> Kern, W. R.

"The Cuba Bureau Booklet Pane"

BS, Vol.13, No.13, WNo.154, December 1942, pp.116-117, ill. See <KERN7003> for an updated reprint.

Known details about the printing of the first Cuban booklet pane (Scott 228b), the only Cuban booklet pane printed by the U.S. Bureau of Engraving and Printing, and its counterpart, the 2c. booklet pane of the 1905-1907 issue (Scott 234a), printed by the American Bank Note Company.

<KERN7003> Kern, W. R.

"The Cuba Bureau Booklet Pane"

USS, Vol.41, No.3, WNo.481, 10 March 1970, pp.120-121, ill.

This is a substantial update of the portion of <KERN4212> dealing with the first Cuban booklet pane (Scott 228b). See <MCIN7003> for related information.

<KERN8101> Kern, W. R.

"The Cuba Bureau Booklet Pane"

CT, Vol.4, No.1, Jan-Jun 1981, pp.3-4, ill.

Reprint of <KERN7003>.

<KESS3500> Kessler, Frido W.

Rocket Airmail Stamps, Specialized Catalog, 1935

Brooklyn, NY: Edited and published by F. W. Kessler, ca. 1935, 2p. Intro plus 51 pp., ill.

U.S. National Postal Museum Call No. HE6230.K4. See <[HAGG3506](#)> for a review.

[Need copy of Cuban content of the catalog itself.]

<KESS4805> Kessler, Frido W.

" Cuba-American Air Mail Society overprinted souvenir sheet (Scott C39)"

Publication information not available.

Report that the Cuban government will not print an additional 5000 American Air Mail Society overprinted souvenir sheets (Scott C39), leaving the number issued at 15,000. Also report of seven future issues of Cuba.

<KESS6100># Kessler, Frido W.

Kessler's Catalogue of Aerograms, Volume I

New York: Aerogram Catalogue Publishing Co., Inc., 1961, ill.

Volume I of this catalog includes a single reference to Cuba's 10c. aerogram issued 18 January 1957. The catalog includes aerograms from all over the world up to 1960 and up to that date Cuba had only issued that aerogram.

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<[KIDD0510](#)> Kidder, Henry A.

"Chronicle of New Issues: Cuba"

MK, Vol.19, No.41, WNo.772, 14 Oct 1905, p.358.

Report of the difference between the 1c value of Scott 227 issued under the U.S. military rule of Cuba and Scott 233, the 1c value of the similar set issued by the Republic of Cuba after its independence, where the cartouche around "1 centavo" has cut-off corners.

<[KINGB3210](#)> King, Beverly S.

"Notes on General Issues: United States Stamps Used in Cuba"

SMJ, Vol.13, No.8, WNo.152, Oct 1932, p.224. See follow-ups in <[KINGB3305](#)> and <[KINGB3307](#)>.

Report from a Dr. J. de San Martín of Havana of finding among his family files "many envelopes with the stamps attached of the provisional issue of the American Interventory Government in Cuba in 1898 (Puerto Príncipe) one containing a letter from General Leonard Wood to my brother-in-law, Dr. Pena" with a horizontal pair of U.S. stamps cancelled with a Manzanillo Military Station No.6 cancellation of Dec 1898. Ms. King further reports that she verified with Colonel C. S. Hamilton of Washington, that U.S. stamps had indeed been used in Cuba, Guam, and the Philippines before receiving U.S. stamps properly surcharged for those new U.S. Possessions. It is not clear whether the reference to the envelopes with Puerto Príncipe provisional issues really refers to Cuba Scott Nos. 176-220 or Scott 221-226, especially since Ms. King does not focus on them in her report. We also note that the reference to Dr. Pena is probably to a Dr. Peña. It would be interesting to find out if the referenced letter and cover still exist. I did not find it among my records of Manzanillo Military Station No.6 covers.

<[KINGB3305](#)> King, Beverly S.

"Notes on General Issues: U.S. Stamps Used in Cuba"

SMJ, Vol.14, No.3, WNo.159, May 1933, p.79. Follow-up on <[KINGB3210](#)>.

Published under the overall heading "Specialized United States--A Supplement to the United States Specialized Catalog Published in November, 1932"

Report from the son of another veteran of the Spanish American War in Cuba describing finding four letters in his father's correspondence, two from Cuba and two from the Philippines with examples of both regular U.S. stamps and U.S. surcharged stamps cancelled in both countries with U.S. cancellations. The correspondent notes that the cancellations on the regular U.S. stamps are not military cancellations whereas the cancellations on the U.S. stamps surcharged for use in Cuba and the Philippines both bear military cancellations. Ms. King again verifies the veracity of the report with her contact, Colonel Hamilton of Washington.

<[KINGB3307](#)> King, Beverly S.

"Notes on General Issues: U.S. Stamps Used in Cuba"

SMJ, Vol.14, No.5, WNo.161, July 1933, p.132.

Published under the overall heading "Specialized United States--A Supplement to the United States Specialized Catalog Published in November, 1932". Follow-up on <[KINGB3210](#)> and <[KINGB3305](#)>.

Further reports of U.S. stamps used on correspondence from Cuba after the U.S. occupation of the island.

<[KINGC1407](#)> King, Chris

"The Crawford Library Digitization Project"

PLR, Vol.63, 3rd Quarter 2014, p.192.

The Crawford Library was bequeathed by James Ludovic Lindsay, 26th Earl of Crawford, to The British Library in 1913 upon his death. The importance of this library is that it is cited by Gini Horn, ex-Librarian of the American Philatelic Research Library of the APS as holding some rare copies of early Cuban philatelic journals (see <[HORN9606](#)>). In the 1990s the entire holdings of the library was microfilmed in high resolution. This article reports that all of these microfilms are now being digitized and will eventually be available online for free access and download. See <[CUES1612](#)> for an extract of Cuban related entries in the Crawford library.

<[KINGD0202](#)> King, Donald A.

"Re-engraved Stamps of the Late Spanish Colonies"

MK, Vol.16, Feb 1902, p.83.

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Las planchas de sellos de las colonias españolas, utilizadas entre los años 1882 al 1888 fueron retocadas debido al desgaste sufrido. Los catálogos (en especial EDIFIL) diferencian los precios teniendo en cuenta la plancha utilizada. Después de revisar varios lotes de esos sellos, el autor especula que existen otros sellos retocados que no se han reportado ni catalogado. El artículo no define bien ni ilustra los retoques de que habla, de manera que no hay manera de corroborar sus aseveraciones.

<KINGD3005> Kingdom, George D.

"Air Mail, Past-Present-Future: New route from Miami to Cristóbal, Pánama, via Habana"
WPG, Vol.15, No. 11 , WNo. 448 , 7 Jun 1930, pp.328-329.

Report of the opening of a new route from Miami to Cristóbal in the northern coast of Pánama via Habana. The purpose of this new route is to give seven day service for mail from Miami to Buenos Aires. The article reports that Lindbergh flew the first flight from Miami to Cristóbal.

<KINGD3006> Kingdom, George D.

"Air Mail, Past-Present-Future: Graf Zeppelin flight to Pernambuco, Brazil"
WPG, Vol.15, No. 11 , WNo. 448 , 7 Jun 1930, pp.328-329.

Report of the arrival of the Graf Zeppelin to Pernambuco, Brazil, with great fanfare in May 1930. The article, published on June 7, 1930, poses the question of whether the Graf Zeppelin will stop at Havana, Cuba, on its return trip. We surmise that it did in fact stop at Havana as covers from that leg of the flight are listed by Edifil as C38. Further down the article there is a mention of FFCs from Guatemala to various destinations, including 14 covers to Havana.

<KINGD3007> Kingdom, George D.

"Air Mail, Past-Present-Future: About August 1st, service will be given F.A.M. Six from Miami to Kingston, Jamaica..."

WPG, Vol.15, No. 16 , WNo. 453 , 12 July 1930, p.498.

Brief report that Camagüey, Cuba, would be made a stop on the F.A.M. 6 route from Miami to Kingston, Jamaica, pending consent from the Cuban Government. The note continues to say that the addition of Camagüey to said route was likely to have been on July 1st, but that no cachet was applied at Miami to support the assertion. In fact, the first stopover in Camagüey of the F.A.M. 6 route to Kingston took place on July 2.

<KINGD3012> Kingdom, George D.

"Air Mail, Past-Present-Future: New direct route from Miami to Cristóbal via Cienfuegos, Cuba, and Kingston, Jamaica"

WPG, Vol.15, No.40, WNo.477, 27 Dec 1930, pp.1269-1271 (3).

Report of the inauguration on 2 December 1930 of the new air route from Miami to Cristóbal via Cienfuegos, Cuba, and Kingston, Jamaica, with details about the FFCs prepared for the occasion on both the initial departing and returning flights; the latter on December 3. [Edifil C39 to C42]. See <KINGD3101> for follow-up.

<KINGD3101> Kingdom, George D.

"Air Mail, Past-Present-Future: F.A.M. No. 5 route from Miami to Cristóbal via Cienfuegos, Cuba"

WPG, Vol.15, No.41, WNo.478, 3 Jan 1931, p.1300.

Follow-up to <KINGD3012> describing the various cachets used in different segments of the route. Also mention that a mail bag destined for Jamaica was mistakenly routed to Cienfuegos where the mistake was discovered and sent back to Jamaica where the covers were backstamped December 6, 1930.

<KINGD3102> Kingdom, George D.

"Air Mail, Past-Present-Future: January 19 first flight from México to Cuba"

WPG, Vol.15, No.47, WNo.484, 14 Feb 1931, p.1490.

Details about the January 19, 1931, first flight from Mexico city to Havana, Cuba, via Veracruz and Progreso in the Yucatán province. The flight had to be aborted shortly after departing for Cuba due to bad weather and was forced down in the sea before arriving back in Progreso. Since the plane was a hydroplane, both the passengers and the mail were safely rescued.

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<[KINGD5601](#)> Kingdom, George D.

"President's Corner..."

APJ, Vol.27, No.4, Issue No.309, Jan 1955, p.112, ill.

Address to the APJ membership in the name of Rafael Oriol, recently elected president of the American Air Mail Society who was absent on a business trip, complimenting him for his leadership in organizing and hosting the October 1955 Society convention in La Habana and conveying to the membership Mr. Oriol's future vision and plans for the Society.

<[KINGH7109](#)> Kinghorn, Alexander D. M.

"Los Sellos de Puerto Príncipe" ("The Stamps of Puerto Príncipe")

Boletín Especial Puripex XVII (Special Puripex XVII Bulletin)

San Juan, P.R.: Puripex XVII, September 1971, pp.7-8, Span.

Brief overview of the origin of the "surcharged stamps of Puerto Príncipe" and warning about the numerous forgeries of their surcharges.

<[KK8407](#)> Kover King, Inc.

"Cuban lots in July 17, 1984 Sale Catalog"

New York: Kover King, Inc.; July 17, 1984 Auction Catalog; Cuban lots 97-140 on p.7; ill.

This sale featured three remarkable items as follows: Lot 100, H&G 38 with double perforated "1", offered at \$250; Lot 109, a 2c. envelope with Washington insignia surcharged "Cuba, 2c. de Peso" for use in Cuba with Alfred F. Smith corner card on unlisted white paper, offered at \$750; and Lot 120, a Cuba 2c. surcharge on a Jefferson postal card rather than on a Liberty card, offered at \$10,000 (for information on the provenance of the card see <[LINN8407](#)>). This error card did not sell at this Kover King auction.

<[KK8509](#)> Kover King, Inc.

Historia Postal de Cuba, Puerto Rico, Philippines. Mail Sale #131.

(Cuban, Puerto Rico, and Philippines Postal History, Mail Sale #131)

New York: Kover King, Inc.; 5 Sep 1985, 15 pp., ill., catalog listings in English. Also listed as <[SIEGA8509](#)>.

Catalog of a mail sale containing 306 lots of mostly Cuban material with some Puerto Rico and Philippines (29 lots). The Cuban lots were grouped under the following category headings: Stampless--British Packet Agency, Stampless--Cuban Forwarders, Stampless--Domestic Use, Stampless--Foreign Use, Stampless--Forwarders Cuba to France via New York, Stampless--Forwarders Cuba to France via Boston, Stampless--Forwarders Cuba to France via NY and Great Britain, Stampless--French Packet Agency, Spanish Administration, Spanish American War, American Administration, The Republic, Official Mail, Rocket Mail, and U.S.A. Franking (including some covers from the town of Cuba in New York state, some U.S. ship mail from Guantánamo Bay, and some FFCs from Miami to Cuba).

<[KLEI3403](#)> Klein, Eugene (Auction House)

"The Senator Thomas J. Walsh Collection of Cuban Stamps"

Philadelphia, Pa.: Eugene Klein Auction House, 88th Auction Sale Catalogue, 16 March 1936, pp.1-13, 4 photo plates. Also listed as <[WALS3403](#)>.

<[KLEI4103](#)> Klein, Eugene (Auction House)

"The Henry G. Brock Stamp Collection. Cuba: Puerto Príncipe 1898-99"

Philadelphia, Pa.: Eugene Klein Auction House, 123th Auction Sale Catalogue, 15 March 1941, pp.1-40, profusely illustrated, with prices realized. Also listed as <[BROC4103](#)>.

<[KLUG0310](#)> Janet Klug

"Cry Havoc! Occupation stamps chart wars"

LINN, Vol.76, Issue 3912, 20 Oct 2003, p.42, ill.

Explanation of why Cuban stamps of the U.S. Administration period are not listed in the Scott catalogs with an "N" prefix as are the occupation stamps of other countries. The answer is that the letter "N" prefix is used only

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when both a country's regular stamps and occupation stamps are in circulation at the same time which often happens when only a part of a country is occupied by a foreign army.

<KOCK9800> Kock, G.

World Forgery Catalogue. A Reference List of Stamp Forgery Descriptions, 1st Edition

Helsinki, Finland: Published by Porssitieto Ky, 1998, 89 pp., Cuba on pp.22 and 77 under Spanish Antilles.

The catalog mainly identifies all philatelic books containing useful descriptions of forged stamps (not citing mere references to the existence of forgeries). Forged postmarks on genuine stamps are not included except those shown in the Fournier album. Reprints are also not included in the listings. Forged overprints and surcharges that are listed are usually on genuine stamps except for the case of Fournier who commonly used both his own forged stamps and genuine ones as the basid stamp. Michel and Scott catalog numbers are used to identify all forgeries mentioned.

<KOHL0803> Heinrich Köhler AuktionshausGmbH & Co. KG

332nd Heinrich Köhler Auction – 13& 14 March 2008

Germany: Heinrich Köhler Auktionshaus Wiesbaden, Catalog of the auction, Cuban lots #1494-1503.

Significant in this auction was lot 1503 which was the Dr. Miguel Ibáñez collection of Cuban telegraph stamps that was first offered by the Barcelona, Spain, auction house of Soler y Llach in their 14 December 1995 sale of the Dr. Ibáñez collection as lot #422 that went unsold at that time (see <S&LL9512>, [Lot 422](#)). Lot #1503, estimated at 2,000 Euros, was bought this time by Spanish philatelist Eugenio de Quesada for 6,600 Euros or \$10,350 at the time.

<KONW4005> Konwiser, H. M.

"Postal Markings: Havana First Day Cover"

S, Vol.31, No.7, WNo.401, 18 May 1940, p.230.

Report on an FDC of the 1940 Pan American Union 50th Anniversary stamp (Scott 361). The article also mentions a recent find of Havana and Veracruz letters dated 1848-1850.

<KOSS4001> Kossoff, Irwin I.

"Cuba's Commemorative for the Honor of Pierre and Marie Curie for Their Discovery of Radium in November 1898" Philatelic Recreation, Jan 1940, p.16; Feb 1940, p.8; Mar 1940, pp.13-14; 4 pp. total.

Three-part article providing a brief biographical overview of Pierre and Marie Curie who were honored by Cuba for their discovery of radium in November 1898 with a 1938 commemorative set of two stamps, Scott B1-B2.

Yamil H. Kourí, Jr. = Yamil Harón Kourí del Pino

<KOUR8210> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Los Santiago" ("The Santiagos")

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.125-130 (6), ill., Span. See <KOUR8404> for a reprint and <KOUR8408> for a correction and follow-up..

Study of the use of pre-philatelic postal marks in the Cuban cities of Santiago de Cuba and Santiago de las Vegas.

<KOUR8402> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"El Fechador Tipo III de la Agencia Postal Inglesa en La Habana"

("The Type III Date Stamp of the British Postal Agency at Havana")

BNJ, No.8, Feb 1984, pp.3-5 (3), ill., Span.

Brief outline of the four types of circular date stamps used by the British Postal Agency at Havana from 1842 until the agency closed in 1877, with a detailed discussion of three known varieties of the Type III cds. The article illustrates all four types of cds's and the three varieties of the Type III cds and also shows three covers containing them. The article also provides the known dates of usage of all four cds's and of the three Type III subtypes. See <ROSE7704> for related article.

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<KOUR8404> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Los Santiago" ("The Santiagos")

BNJ, No.9, Apr 1984, pp.18-22 (5), ill., Span. Reprint of <KOUR8210>. Also see <KOUR8408> (first paragraph of <ROSE8408d>) for corrections to this article (figures 1 and 2 are interchanged) and additional information submitted by Yamil H. Kouri to the Editor of BNJ.

<KOUR8408> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Nos Escriben" ("They Write to Us")

BNJ, No.11, Aug 1984, p.15, ill., Span.

Letter to the Editor of BNJ, summarized in the first paragraph of <ROSE8408d>, indicating that Figures 1 and 2 in <KOUR8210 and <KOUR8404> were interchanged. Also provided are earlier and later dates on covers bearing these postal markings.

<KOUR8710a> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Cuba: Marcas Prefilatélicas -- Selección de marcas prefilatélicas del correo interior (lineales y de fecha), cuños de llegada del correo exterior y marcas de la empresa de correos marítimos"

("Cuba: Prephilatelic Postmarks -- Selection of prephilatelic marks of the interior mails (lineal and date marks), arrival marks applied to incoming mail from abroad, and marks of the maritime mail agency")

La Coruña, Spain: Boletín de ESPAMER '87, Exposición Filatélica Internacional de América y Europa

(International Philatelic Exposition of the Americas and Europe), 2-12 Oct 1987, p.147, Span.

The reference is to the listing of the collection presented by Mr. Kourí at the exposition; however, Mr. Kourí was kind to make available to me a photocopy of the collection as presented at the exposition which is accessible through this link. The collection was awarded a large gold medal and the special price "Gran Premio de América" ("Great Award of the Americas") at the exposition. The collection was formed by Mr. Kourí and his father, Yamil Kourí Pérez.

<KOUR8710b> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Cuba: Historia Postal -- Selección de cubiertas de correo exterior, agencia postal inglesa, agencia postal francesa, correos con Norteamérica, primer día, correo local de La Habana, etc., previo al ingreso de Cuba en la U.P.U."

("Cuba: Postal History -- Selection of covers of the exterior mails, British postal agency, French postal agency, mails with North America, first days of use, local mail of Havana, etc., before the admission of Cuba to the U.P.U.")

La Coruña, Spain: Boletín de ESPAMER '87, Exposición Filatélica Internacional de América y Europa

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The collection was formed by Mr. Kourí and his father, Yamil Kourí Pérez.

<KOUR9103> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"The Oval Cancellers of the U.S. Military Postal Stations in Cuba"

"Los canceladores ovalados de las estaciones postales militares de E.E.U.U. en Cuba"

CPa, Vol.III, No.7, Mar-Apr 1991, pp.18-22 (5), ill., Eng. & Span.

El autor muestra la imagen de un envoltorio postal con una marca ovalada de la estación postal militar No 24 de Palma Soriano. Esta marca es la única conocida de esa estación, y señala que hasta la fecha faltaban por reportar las marcas de tres de las 39 estaciones postales militares que funcionaron en Cuba. Ilustra y describe los tres tipos de canceladores ovalados que fueron utilizados por las estaciones postales militares y relaciona las estaciones en que se utilizaron cada uno de ellos.

<KOUR9105> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"1848 Cuban Steamship Mail"

Chron, Vol.43, No.2, WNo.150, May 1991, pp.136-138, ill.

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The article discusses and illustrates the only two 1848 steamship covers recorded by the author. One of the covers, dated in Havana, Oct. 24, 1848, reached Savannah on Oct. 28 on the steamship "Isabel" and was received in Charleston on Oct. 31. It is the earliest incoming steamship letter from Cuba recorded. The other cover was postmarked in Charleston on Oct. 31, 1848, and was carried on the same steamship "Isabel" on her return trip to Havana where a cds "EMPRESA/N.AMERICA" was applied in red on Nov. 4, 1848.

<[KOUR9107a](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"The Oval 'FRANCO' on Mexican Stampless Covers"

Mexicana, Vol.40, No.23, WNo.158, July 1991, pp.128-130, ill., Eng.

Report of the three circumstances in which the Cuban handstamp "FRANCO" (paid) can be found on Mexican mail. The handstamp, an oval measuring about 30 x 20 mm., was applied at Havana from 1843 to about 1882. The article illustrates each of the three separate uses of the handstamp on covers bearing the mark.

<[KOUR9107b](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"French Consular Markings from Cuba"

"Marcas consulares francesas en Cuba"

CPa, Vol.III, No.8, Jul-Aug 1991, pp.38-40 (3), ill., Eng & Span.

El artículo reproduce siete marcas de la segunda mitad del siglo XIX. Estas marcas fueron utilizadas en la correspondencia particular de los consulados franceses de La Habana y Santiago de Cuba.

<[KOUR9204](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"The 'YNDIAS' Markings From Veracruz"

Mexicana, Vol.41, No.2, WNo.161, April 1992, pp.74-76, ill., Eng.

El autor señala que durante los siglos XVIII y XIX, la marca YNDIAS fue aplicada indistintamente a la correspondencia con origen, tránsito o destino en el territorio continental de América. Del estudio de cubiertas ha logrado identificar las características específicas de las letras que identifican la marca YNDIAS utilizada en Veracruz.

<[KOUR9301](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"A Census of Spanish Military Expedition Covers from México—1862"

Mexicana, Vol.42, No.1, WNo.164, Jan 1993, pp.216-221, ill., Eng.

Antecedente histórico de la expedición militar española comandada por el general Prim que ocupó la ciudad de Veracruz en 1862. Resumen de las regulaciones postales que se dictaron para el manejo de la correspondencia de la fuerza expedicionaria. El artículo ilustra los tres canceladores que se utilizaron, e indica los períodos de tiempo en que cada uno de ellos pudo haber sido utilizado. Aparecen las imágenes de dos cubiertas que se han conservado de la expedición y señala que se han reportado 14 cubiertas y fragmentos de la misma. Ver <CUES1904a> para información adicional.

<[KOUR9304](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Mexican Mail Handling by the *Empresa de Correos Marítimos* of Havana 1827-1851"

Mexicana, Vol.42, No.2, WNo.165, Apr 1993, pp.29-34, ill., Eng.

Estudio de las marcas postales de la Empresa de Correos Marítimos, reportadas en cartas con origen o destino en México, entre los años 1838 al 1850. Se reproducen las imágenes de 6 cubiertas, y en las mismas se localizan un total de 6 marcas diferentes.

<[KOUR9404](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Letters to the Editor: The Route of the 'YNDIAS' Letter"

Mexicana, Vol.42, No.2, WNo.165, Apr 1993, pp.41-42, ill., Eng.

Reply to a request for additional information on the cover shown on p.5 of the January 1994 issue of Mexicana (see <ERHA9401>).

<[KOUR9607a](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Editor's Message" "Mensaje del Editor"

CPa, Vol.VIII, No.21, Jul 1996, p.3, Eng & Span.

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Message from the new editor of the CPa with his plan for expanding the coverage of each issue of the bulletin to include articles in each of the following areas: prestamp letters and postal history, colonial philately, U.S. Administration and revolutionary mail, the Republic, and special sections on book reviews, auction results, news, practical information on collecting and exhibiting, analysis of interesting or enigmatic covers, etc.

<[KOUR9607b](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Prephilately of Trinidad de Cuba” “Prefilatelia de Trinidad de Cuba”
CPa, Vol.VIII, No.21, Jul 1996, cover page plus pp.4-12 (10), ill, Eng & Span.

El artículo narra el origen de la villa de Trinidad y el papel desempeñado por la misma en la comunicación marítima con América del Sur. Se muestra la imagen de una cubierta despachada en Portobelo y dirigida a Bristol en Inglaterra con una marca lineal de la villa. En un cuadro se resumen las marcas pre filatélicas de Trinidad, dos lineales y una Baeza, también dos marcas diferentes FRANCO. Aparecen las imágenes de cuatro cubiertas; la primera con una marca lineal Trinidad dirigida a La Habana, la segunda con la marca Baeza con destino a España y en las otras dos se utilizaron las marcas de Trinidad como matasellos.

<[KOUR9607c](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Revenue Use of the First Postage Stamp Issue of Cuba”
“Uso Fiscal de la Primera Emisión de Sellos de Cuba”
CPa, Vol.VIII, No.21, Jul 1996, pp.13-15 (3), ill, Eng & Span.

El autor detalla cuatro documentos fiscales en los que se utilizaron sellos de la primera emisión para las Antillas Españolas. A su juicio, aunque son abundantes los documentos fiscales donde se mezclan sellos fiscales y postales, los que contienen sellos de la primera emisión de 1855 no lo son.

<[KOUR9607d](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Spanish-Cuban/American War: An Unreported Marking for Suspended Mails”
“Guerra Hispano-Cubana/Americana: Una Marca No Reportada para la Suspensión de la Correspondencia”
CPa, Vol.VIII, No.21, Jul 1996, pp.16-18 (3), ill, Eng & Span.

Recopilación y reproducción de las etiquetas y marcas impuestas encubiertas dirigidas a Cuba, y que fueron retenidas o devueltas al remitente por el inicio de la Guerra Hispanoamericana. Para información relacionada ver <[GRAH9804](#)> y <[GRAH0002](#)>

<[KOUR9607e](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Cover of This Issue”
“Cubierta de Este Número”
CPa, Vol.VIII, No.21, Jul 1996, p.20, ill., Eng & Span.

This is the first of a new feature of the journal describing a “cover of the issue” in an attempt to seek further explanation of the postal markings on the cover from the journal’s readers. See <[KOUR9610d](#)> for answers received from the readers and the journal editor’s own explanation of the markings of the cover of this issue.

<[KOUR9607f](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Book Review -- Reseña Bibliográfica: *A Caribbean Neptune: The Maritime Postal Communications of the Greater and Lesser Antilles in the 19th Century*. By Robert G. Stone”
CPa, Vol.VIII, No.21, Jul 1996, p.21, Eng & Span.

Opinión del autor acerca de un libro publicado en 1993, al que considera como un “estudio enciclopédico de las comunicaciones postales marítimas en el área del Caribe durante el siglo XIX”. Recomienda el estudio del libro y lo considera imprescindible para los coleccionistas interesados en la historia postal de la región.

<[KOUR9607g](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Auction Results/Resultados de Subastas: Soler y Llach, December 14, 1995”
CPa, Vol.VIII, No.21, Jul 1996, pp.22-23, Eng & Span.

Descripción de los materiales de mayor valor de la colección del Dr. Miguel Ibáñez, subastada y vendida luego de su fallecimiento. Entre los materiales subastados se incluyeron: prefilatelia, filatelia colonial y de la república, enteros postales y ambulantes.

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<KOUR9610a> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“The Steamers of the Franco-American Company (Gauthier Frères) in Cuba”

“Los Vapores de la Compañía Franco-Americana (Gauthier Frères) en Cuba”

CPa, Vol.VIII, No.22, Oct 1996, cover page plus pp.28-34 (8), ill., Eng & Span.

Entre los años 1857 y 1858 la compañía privada “Compañía Franco-Americana (Gauthier Frères)” obtuvo un contrato y transportó correspondencia entre España y Cuba. Se conservan tres cubiertas con origen en La Habana y destino en Cádiz transportadas por esta compañía. El autor interpreta y explica el porte de las tres cubiertas. El artículo recoge información sobre el origen de la compañía, los barcos utilizados y otras informaciones de la misma. Ver continuación sobre el mismo tema en <KOUR9704d>.

<KOUR9610b> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Parcel Post From U.S. Military Postal Stations in Cuba”

“Envío de Paquetes desde las Estaciones Postales Americanas en Cuba”

CPa, Vol.VIII, No.22, Oct 1996, pp.43-45 (3), ill., Eng & Span.

A juicio del autor existen pocas evidencias del envío de paquetes postales desde las estaciones militares en Cuba e indica las causas probables. Reproduce las imágenes de dos envoltorios reportados y explica los franqueos y matasellos utilizados.

<KOUR9610c> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“International Reply Coupon From Cuba”

“Vale de Respuesta Internacional de Cuba”

CPa, Vol.VIII, No.22, Oct 1996, pp.46-47, ill., Eng & Span.

El autor explica los orígenes y razón de ser de los cupones de respuesta internacional de la UPU, y reproduce el anverso y el reverso de un cupón comprado en La Habana el 1ro de octubre de 1918.

<KOUR9610d> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Answers to the Cover of the July 1996 Issue”

“Respuestas a la Cubierta del Número de Julio de 1996”

CPa, Vol.VIII, No.22, Oct 1996, p.48, ill., Eng & Span.

Report of answers received explaining the Cover of the July 1996 Issue of CPa described in <KOUR9607e>.

<KOUR9610e> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Cover of This Issue: Cover Number 2-96”

“Cubierta de Este Número: Cubierta Número 2-96”

CPa, Vol.VIII, No.22, Oct 1996, p.49, ill., Eng & Span.

The “cover of the issue” column features a cover with interesting unexplained postal markings in an attempt to seek further explanation of the postal markings on the cover from the journal’s readers. See <KOUR9701d> for answers.

<KOUR9610f> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Book Review: *Postal History Catalog of Cuba (1855-1898)*. By José Ignacio Abreu Pérez”

“Reseña Bibliográfica: *Catálogo Histórico Postal de Cuba (1855-1898)*. Por José Ignacio Abreu Pérez”

CPa, Vol.VIII, No.22, Oct 1996, p.50, Eng & Span.

El autor describe brevemente el contenido del libro *Catálogo Histórico Postal de Cuba (1855-1898)* de Abreu, y aunque señala algunos puntos como insuficientemente tratados, felicita al autor y considera al libro como de consulta fundamental para los coleccionistas de la etapa colonial.

<KOUR9610g> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Philately and History/Filatelia e Historia: Carlos Manuel de Céspedes”

CPa, Vol.VIII, No.22, Oct 1996, pp.51-53 (3), ill., Eng & Span.

En 1848 Carlos Manuel de Céspedes se enfrentó a una suspensión temporal de la práctica de la abogacía, pero los libros de historia no indican las causas de la misma. El autor argumenta que la posible explicación pudiera estar en un documento de la administración de correos de Oriente consultada por él.

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<[KOUR9610h](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Francisco Lecha Luzzatti, 1926-1996”

CPa, Vol.VIII, No.22, Oct 1996, p.54, Eng & Span.

Obituario del eminente filatelista español Francisco Lecha Luzzatti, especializado casi exclusivamente en la pre-filatelia española y de sus colonias.

<[KOUR9701a](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Cuban Forwarding Agents and the Confederate States of America”

“Los Agentes Encaminadores Cubanos y la Confederación de Estados Americanos”

CPa, Vol.IX, No.23, Jan 1997, pp.4-15 (12), ill, Eng & Span.

El autor publica una lista de agentes encaminadores establecidos en La Habana, que tramitaron correspondencia durante la Guerra Civil americana, burlando el bloqueo naval de los puertos de los Estados Confederados. Se reproducen las imágenes de cinco cubiertas que transitaron por Matamoros en México y fueron manejadas por agentes encaminadores. Matamoros tuvo un gran auge económico y comercial por el comercio de algodón desde los Estados Confederados a Inglaterra.

<[KOUR9701b](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“The Odd Couples: Pairs of the Y $\frac{1}{4}$ Stamp of 1855 with the Two Types of Surcharges”

“Las Parejas Disparejas: Parejas del Sello Y $\frac{1}{4}$ de 1855 con los Dos Tipos de Sobrecarga”

CPa, Vol.IX, No.23, Jan 1997, cover page plus pp.16-19, ill., Eng & Span.

El autor explica las razones del poco éxito obtenido en la identificación de las posiciones de las sobrecargas Y $\frac{1}{4}$ en los sellos de 1855 (Scott 5/8). A su juicio las Y $\frac{1}{4}$ anchas ocupaban las tres filas inferiores de la plancha y las Y $\frac{1}{4}$ estrechas las siete filas superiores. Analiza la baja probabilidad de encontrar una pareja vertical con ambas sobrecargas y reporta que hasta la fecha solo se han reportado 3 casos. Aclaraciones sobre el artículo en <[KOUR9704e](#)>.

<[KOUR9701c](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Camp Wikoff in Montauk Point, Long Island”

“El Campamento Wikoff en Montauk Point, Long Island”

CPa, Vol.IX, No.23, Jan 1997, pp.20-25 (6), ill., Eng & Span.

El autor señala que el Campamento Wikoff fue concebido para la cuarentena de los soldados americanos a su regreso de la guerra en Cuba y comenta sobre las controversias suscitadas por su funcionamiento. Publica el matasellos dúplex utilizado durante su existencia y un par de enteros postales enviados desde el mismo.

<[KOUR9701d](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Answers to Cover Number 2-96”

“Respuestas a la Cubierta Número 2-96”

CPa, Vol.IX, No.23, Jan 1997, p.27, ill., Eng & Span.

Report of answers received explaining Cover Number 2-96 described in <[KOUR9610e](#)>.

<[KOUR9701e](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Cover of This Issue: Cover Number 1-97”

“Cubierta de Este Número: Cubierta Número 1-97”

CPa, Vol.IX, No.23, Jan 1997, p.28, ill., Eng & Span.

The “cover of the issue” column features a cover with interesting unexplained postal markings in an attempt to seek further explanation of the postal markings on the cover from the journal’s readers. See <[KOUR9704h](#)> for answers.

<[KOUR9704a](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Editor’s Message” “Mensaje del Editor”

CPa, Vol.IX, No.24, Apr 1997, p.36, Eng & Span.

El editor de la revista solicita colaboración para la publicación de artículos, en especial del período republicano y comenta sobre la ventaja de la publicación bilingüe de la revista.

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<KOUR9704b> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Letters to the Editor” “Cartas al Editor”

CPa, Vol.IX, No.24, Apr 1997, p.37, Eng & Span.

Opiniones de dos filatelistas relativas a <GARCF9701>. A juicio de ambos, las sobrecargas del sello Scott 229 en colores verde y negro no son legítimas.

Opinions of two philatelists regarding <GARCF9701>. Both are of the opinion that the green and black surcharges on Scott 229 are not legitimate varieties of Scott 232.

<KOUR9704c> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Early Contract Steamship Mail Between the United States and Cuba”

“El Correo de los Primeros Vapores por Contrato entre los EE.UU. y Cuba”

CPa, Vol.IX, No.24, Apr 1997, front cover plus pp.38-45 (9), ill., Eng & Span.

A partir de 1848 el gobierno americano firmó contratos con compañías navieras para que se encargaran del transporte de correspondencia entre los EEUU y Cuba. Anteriormente a ese año la correspondencia se transportaba de forma irregular. Se ilustran siete cubiertas que fueron transportadas en 1848 bajo esos contratos y se explican las marcas, tarifas, rutas y tiempos de viaje.

<KOUR9704d> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“More Covers Carried by the Steamers of the Franco-American Company”

“Más Cubiertas de la Compañía Franco-Americana”

CPa, Vol.IX, No.24, Apr 1997, pp.46-48 (3), ill., Eng & Span.

Continuación del artículo <KOUR9610a>, en el que se reportan tres cubiertas que también fueron transportadas por la misma compañía. A partir del reporte de estas tres cubiertas se aclara una interpretación de las tarifas cobradas.

<KOUR9704e> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Comments on the 'Y $\frac{1}{4}$ ' Surcharged Stamps of 1855”

“Comentarios Acerca de los Sellos Sobrecargados 'Y $\frac{1}{4}$ ' en 1855”

Co-Author: Ignacio Prats (also listed as <PRAT9704a>)

CPa, Vol.IX, No.24, Apr 1997, pp.49-50, Eng & Span.

Respuesta a preguntas surgidas después de la publicación de <KOUR9701b>, específicamente sobre la identificación de las posiciones de los sellos en la plancha de la emisión de 1855.

<KOUR9704f> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“The Bayamo Provisional Stamp of 1869”

“El Sello Provisional de Bayamo de 1869”

Co-Author: Ignacio Prats (also listed as <PRAT9704b>)

CPa, Vol.IX, No.24, Apr 1997, pp.51-55 (5), ill., Eng & Span.

El autor ilustra un sello adhesivo utilizado en Bayamo en 1869 y publica las imágenes de dos cubiertas circuladas con el mismo. A su juicio esos sellos fueron emitidos por la autoridad militar, una vez que el ejército español hubo recuperado la ciudad.

<KOUR9704g> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“The Use of the First Postal Marking of the U.S. Military Stations in Cuba”

“El Uso de la Primera Marca Postal de las Estaciones Postales Militares Americanas en Cuba”

CPa, Vol.IX, No.24, Apr 1997, pp.56-59 (4), ill., Eng & Span.

El artículo se centra en el primer tipo de marca postal americana utilizada durante la guerra de EEUU contra España, una marca lineal que no identifica la fecha ni el lugar donde fue impuesta. A juicio de autor la marca se utilizó en Daiquirí y en Siboney, que fueron las dos ubicaciones iniciales de la primera estación postal del ejército americano.

<KOUR9704h> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Answers to the Cover Number 1-97”

“Respuestas a la Cubierta Número 1-97”

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CPa, Vol.IX, No.24, Apr 1997, p.66, ill., Eng & Span.

Report of answers received explaining Cover Number 1-97 described in <[KOUR9701e](#)>.

<[KOUR9704i](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Cover of This Issue: Cover Number 2-97”

“Cubierta de Este Número: Cubierta Número 2-97”

CPa, Vol.IX, No.24, Apr 1997, p.67, ill., Eng & Span.

The “cover of the issue” column features a cover with interesting unexplained postal markings in an attempt to seek further explanation of the postal markings on the cover from the journal’s readers. See <[KOUR9707f](#)> and <[KOUR9710j](#)> for answers.

<[KOUR9704j](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Auction Results/Resultados de Subastas: Soler y Llach, Barcelona, February 25, 1997”

CPa, Vol.IX, No.24, Apr 1997, pp.69-70, Eng & Span.

El artículo enumera las piezas más sobresalientes de material cubano vendidos en una subasta de Barcelona en febrero de 1997. Destaca que una gran parte de la subasta estuvo compuesta por piezas de una colección de falsos postales de la etapa colonial. Los otros materiales cubanos subastados abarcan: prefiltelias, marcas de correo, marcas de agentes encaminadores y de agencias postales, enteros postales y filatelia tanto de la etapa colonial, de la intervención y de la república.

<[KOUR9707a](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Editor’s Message” “Mensaje del Editor”

CPa, Vol.IX, No.25, Jul 1997, p.76, Eng & Span.

En el mensaje, el editor señala algunos puntos que pueden mejorar la calidad de la revista, entre ellos utilizar “editores de sección” especializados en área concretas de la filatelia cubana.

<[KOUR9707b](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Ship Registers in Colonial Cuba”

“Registros de Navíos en la Cuba Colonial”

CPa, Vol.IX, No.25, Jul 1997, front cover and pp.77-88 (12), ill., Eng & Span.

Citing from <[GERA9806](#)>: The article "outlines the Spanish system of registering embarking vessels through port customs by the use of a written certificate indicating ship, cargo, captain, and destination. The face of the document is then marked "Franco" (paid) and signed by the postmaster of the port. The system was in use from at least 1763 to 1877."

<[KOUR9707c](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“More on the Use of the First Postal Marking of the U.S. Military Stations in Cuba”

“Más Sobre el Uso de la Primera Marca Postal de las Estaciones Postales Americanas en Cuba”

CPa, Vol.IX, No.25, Jul 1997, pp.95-97 (3), ill., Eng & Span. Follow-up on <[KOUR9704g](#)>.

Citing from <[GERA9810](#)>: "More on the First Postal Marking of the U.S. Military Stations in Cuba, by Yamil H. Kouri, Jr., adds to the previous article in Vol.9, No.24 [<[KOUR9704g](#)>] with reference to where and when the first U.S. military station postmark was used in 1898."

<[KOUR9707d](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“The Provisional ‘Stamp’ of Gibara”

“El ‘Sello’ Provisional de Gibara”

Co-Author: Eng & Span Prats (also listed as <[PRAT9707](#)>)

CPa, Vol.IX, No.25, Jul 1997, pp.98-102 (5), ill., Eng & Span.

El artículo menciona las emisiones provisionales que, debido a la ausencia de sellos una vez terminada la guerra contra España, se realizaron en poblaciones de Cuba y Puerto Rico. Presume que dos marcas postales, utilizadas a fines de 1898 por la estación postal militar No. 7 de Gibara, se deban a la ausencia. Opina que ambas marcas son legítimas, e indica que se requiere mayor información al respecto.

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<[KOUR9707e](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“More International Reply Coupons from Cuba”

“Más Cupones de Respuesta Internacional de Cuba”

CPa, Vol.IX, No.25, Jul 1997, pp.106-108 (3), ill., Eng & Span.

Reproducción de las imágenes de dos cupones de respuesta pagada de la UPAE (Unión Postal de las Américas y España) y plantea varias interrogantes sobre el uso de los mismos. Ver <[KOUR9610c](#)> para un artículo anterior del mismo tema.

<[KOUR9707f](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Answers to the Cover Number 2-97”

“Respuestas a la Cubierta Número 2-97”

CPa, Vol.IX, No.25, Jul 1997, pp.109-112 (4), ill., Eng & Span.

Report of answers received explaining Cover Number 2-97 described in <[KOUR9704i](#)> and discussed further in <[KOUR9710j](#)>.

<[KOUR9707g](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Cover of This Issue: Cover Number 3-97”

“Cubierta de Este Número: Cubierta Número 3-97”

CPa, Vol.IX, No.25, Jul 1997, p.113, ill., Eng & Span.

The “cover of the issue” column features a cover with interesting unexplained postal markings in an attempt to seek further explanation of the postal markings on the cover from the journal’s readers. See <[KOUR9710k](#)> for answers.

<[KOUR9707h](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Cuba at /Cuba en: Pacific 97—World Philatelic Exhibition, San Francisco, California, 29 May-8 June”

CPa, Vol.IX, No.25, Jul 1997, pp.115-116, Eng & Span.

El artículo señala la presencia de la filatelia cubana en la exposición “Pacific 97”. Aunque en la exposición solo se exhibió una colección de prefilatelia cubana, había varias piezas de filatelia cubana en otras colecciones exhibidas.

<[KOUR9707i](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Cuba at /Cuba en: Centenario del 98, December 4-8, 1997, Madrid, Spain”

CPa, Vol.IX, No.25, Jul 1997, p.116, Eng & Span.

Llamado para presentar colecciones a la exposición internacional “Centenario del 98”, que hará énfasis en los sellos e historia postal de la Guerra Hispanoamericana.

<[KOUR9710a](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Editor’s Message”

“Mensaje del Editor”

CPa, Vol.IX, No.26, Oct 1997, p.124, Eng & Span.

En el mensaje el editor plantea iniciar un inventario de las marcas BAEZA utilizadas en Cuba y llama a los miembros a que aporten los datos e imágenes que tengan de dichas marcas.

<[KOUR9710b](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Santos Villaverde and the Yucatán Connection”

“Santos Villaverde y la Conexión de Yucatán”

CPa, Vol.IX, No.26, Oct 1997, pp.125-130 (6), ill., Eng & Span.

Citing from <[GERA9810](#)>: "Yamil H. Kouri, Jr. looks at the Cuban firm of Santos Villaverde & Company of Havana which apparently specialized in forwarding mail originating from or directed to the Yucatan region of Mexico during 1862-68."

<[KOUR9710c](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“The Story Behind a Fiscally Used Postage Stamp of 1865 on a Chinese Tenant Farmer’s Certificate”

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“La Historia Detrás de un Sello de Correos de 1865 Usado Fiscalmente en una Cédula de Colono Chino”
CPa, Vol.IX, No.26, Oct 1997, pp.131-133, 146 (4), ill., Eng & Span.

El articulo narra las circunstancias, que dio origen a que miles de chinos viajaran a Cuba en el siglo XIX para trabajar como obreros agrícolas, y las condiciones de vida que encontraron a su llegada. Se muestra la imagen de un documento de identidad de uno de esos trabajadores chinos, emitido en 1865 y en el que se utilizaron dos sellos de correo (Scott 20) como sellos de timbre.

[<KOUR9710d>](#) Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“More Parcels From U.S. Military Postal Stations in Cuba: Photographs by Mail”

“Más Paquetes Enviados Desde la Estaciones Postales Militares en Cuba: Fotografías por Correo”

CPa, Vol.IX, No.26, Oct 1997, pp.134-138 (5), ill., Eng & Span.

El artículo muestra las imágenes de tres pequeños paquetes, enviados entre 1898 y 1899, por soldados americanos desde estaciones postales militares en Cuba. Ver [<KOUR9610b>](#) para más información sobre el mismo tema.

[<KOUR9710e>](#) Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Forerunner Handstamps of the ‘Officially Sealed’ Labels of Cuba”

“Marcas Precursoras de las Etiquetas de *Cierre Oficial* de Cuba”

CPa, Vol.IX, No.26, Oct 1997, pp.139-142 (4), ill., Eng & Span.

Reproducción de dos marcas bilingües, reportadas por Antonio Barreras en los primeros años del siglo XX, ambas fueron utilizadas por las autoridades postales durante la intervención americana en Cuba. Estas marcas se utilizaban en la correspondencia recibida en malas condiciones y a juicio del autor serían precursoras de las etiquetas de cierre oficial. Aparece la imagen del anverso y reverso de un sobre entero postal de 2 centavos, en el que se observa cuatro veces una de las marcas bilingües referidas.

[<KOUR9710f>](#) Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Even More International Reply Coupons From Cuba”

“Aún Más Cupones de Respuesta Internacional de Cuba”

Co-Author: Ignacio Prats (also listed as [<PRAT9710a>](#))

CPa, Vol.IX, No.26, Oct 1997, p.143, ill., Eng & Span.

Informe de un cupón de respuesta internacional vendido en Cuba en 1957, el cupón tiene la curiosidad de que contiene las leyendas en cinco idiomas. Ver [<KOUR9610c>](#) y [<KOUR9707e>](#) para más información sobre el tema.

[<KOUR9710g>](#) Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“The Wounded Forehead Variety of the Two-Cent Stamp of 1917”

“La Variedad *Herida en la Frente* del Sello de Dos Centavos de 1917”

Co-author: Ignacio Prats (also listed as [<PRAT9710b>](#))

CPa, Vol.IX, No.26, Oct 1997, pp.144-146 (3), ill., Eng & Span.

Informe de una cubierta circulada, con la variedad “herida en la frente” del sello de 2 centavos (Máximo Gómez), de la serie de patriotas de 1917.

[<KOUR9710h>](#) Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Errors of the Overprinted Souvenir Sheet of 1951”

“Errores en la Sobremarca de la Hojita Souvenir de 1951”

Co-author: Ignacio Prats (also listed as [<PRAT9710c>](#)).

CPa, Vol.IX, No.26, Oct 1997, front cover plus pp.147-149 (4), ill., Eng & Span.

Article featuring a souvenir sheet Scott 365b (Edifil 454) with an inverted overprint.

[<KOUR9710i>](#) Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“The BAEZA Project—El Proyecto Baeza”

CPa, Vol.IX, No.26, Oct 1997, pp.150-153 (4), ill., Eng & Span. Follow up to [<KOUR9710a>](#).

El artículo presenta la lista de los primeros cuños Baeza recopilados, después del llamamiento (ver [<KOUR9710a>](#)) para iniciar un proyecto con ese nombre. El proyecto pretende obtener toda la información posible sobre las poblaciones donde fueron utilizados los cuños, con sus respectivos años y colores.

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<KOUR9710j> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“More Answers to Cover Number 2-97”

“Más Respuestas a la Cubierta Número 2-97”

CPa, Vol.IX, No.26, Oct 1997, p.157, Eng & Span.

Report of additional information received explaining Cover Number 2-97 discussed in <[KOUR9704i](#)> and <[KOUR9707f](#)>.

<KOUR9710k> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Answers to Cover Number 3-97”

“Respuestas a la Cubierta Número 3-97”

CPa, Vol.IX, No.26, Oct 1997, pp.158-159, ill., Eng & Span.

Report of answers received explaining Cover Number 3-97 described in <[KOUR9707g](#)>.

<KOUR9710m> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Cover of This Issue: Cover Number 4-97”

“Cubierta de Este Número: Cubierta Número 4-97”

CPa, Vol.IX, No.26, Oct 1997, p.160, ill., Eng & Span.

The “cover of the issue” column features a cover with interesting unexplained postal markings in an attempt to seek further explanation of the postal markings on the cover from the journal’s readers. See <[KOUR9801h](#)> for answers.

<KOUR9710n> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Book Review: *Annotated Bibliography of Cuban Philatelic Literature—Pacific 97 Edition*. By Ernesto Cuesta”

“Reseña Bibliográfica: *Bibliografía Anotada de Literatura Filatélica Cubana—Edición Pacific 97*. Por Ernesto Cuesta”

CPa, Vol.IX, No.26, Oct 1997, pp.161-162, Eng & Span.

El autor destaca la encomiable labor de recopilación de literatura filatélica cubana, hecha por el señor Ernesto Cuesta y que ya va por la quinta edición. Señala la importancia que dicha recopilación tiene como fuente de información para los filatelistas cubanos, y sugiere algunos aspectos que pudieran darle mejor difusión y uso.

<KOUR9801a> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Editor’s Message” “Mensaje del Editor”

CPa, Vol.10, No.27, Jan 1998, p.4, Eng & Span.

El editor solicita la cooperación de los asociados que puedan aportar información que indique cómo los eventos de 1898 incidieron en la filatelia. Otro proyecto que planea iniciar es un censo de pruebas del período de la República.

<KOUR9801b> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Postal Forgeries of the 1898-99 Issue.”

“Falsos Postales de la Emisión de 1898-99.”

Co-authors: Ernesto Cuesta (<[CUES9801](#)>) and Ignacio Prats (<[PRAT9801](#)>).

CPa, Vol.10, No.27, Jan 1998, pp.12-18 (7), ill., Eng & Span.

Description of the salient identifying characteristics of the two known postal forgeries of these issues (the 3c and 6c values, Scott 163 and 166) and report of known usages on covers.

<KOUR9801c> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“The Explosion of the ‘Maine’: A Momentous Event in History”

“La Explosión del ‘Maine’: Un Evento Transcendental en la Historia”

CPa, Vol.10, No.27, Jan 1998, pp.19-20, ill., Eng & Span.

El artículo refiere los acontecimientos previos a la explosión del acorazado Maine en el puerto de La Habana, y sus resultados para Cuba España y los propios EE.UU.

<KOUR9801d> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“The Use of a Puerto Príncipe Provisional Stamp Issue on a Certified Mail Receipt”

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“El Uso de un Sello de la Emisión Provisional de Puerto Príncipe en un Recibo de Correspondencia Certificada”
CPa, Vol.10, No.27, Jan 1998, front page plus pp.21-26 (7), ill., Eng & Span.

The English title should have read “...on a Registered Mail Receipt”.

Informe de un sello de los “Habilitados de Puerto Príncipe” impuesto en un recibo de certificado de 1898. En el artículo se plantean posibles explicaciones sobre el origen de esta pieza. Ver otro informe posterior en <KOUR9810e>.

<KOUR9801e> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“More Varieties of the Black Overprint on the Souvenir Sheet of 1951”

“Más Variedades de la Sobrecarga Negra de la Hojita Souvenir de 1951”

Co-author: Silvia García-Frutos (also listed as <GARCF9801>).

CPa, Vol.10, No.27, Jan 1998, pp.30-31, ill., Eng & Span.

Follow up to <KOUR9710h> describing another error in souvenir sheet Scott 365b (Edifil 454), this time showing a broken overprint with the broken portion appearing in the bottom left corner of the sheet.

<KOUR9801f> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Cuba at /Cuba en: Centenario del 98, Madrid, December 4-8, 1997”

CPa, Vol.10, No.27, Jan 1998, pp.32-33, Eng & Span.

Informe de los buenos resultados obtenidos por las colecciones de miembros de la Sociedad que se presentaron en la exposición “Centenario el 98” celebrada en Madrid. Como dato importante señala que los miembros obtuvieron cuatro de las siete medallas de oro grande, el gran premio y otras medallas.

<KOUR9801g> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Dr. Seymour L. Rudman, 1931-1997”

CPa, Vol.10, No.27, Jan 1998, p.34, Eng & Span. Obituary.

Obituario del Sr. Seymour L. Rudman miembro de la CPSA especializado en la historia postal de Puerto Rico, sobre todo en la etapa de la intervención americana.

<KOUR9801h> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Answers to Cover Number 4-97”

“Respuestas a la Cubierta Número 4-97”

CPa, Vol.10, No.27, Jan 1998, p.35, ill., Eng & Span.

Report of answers received explaining Cover Number 4-97 described in <KOUR9710m>.

<KOUR9801i> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Covers of This Issue: Covers Number 1-98”

“Cubiertas de Este Número: Cubiertas Número 1-98”

CPa, Vol.10, No.27, Jan 1998, pp.36, ill., Eng & Span.

The “Covers of This Issue” column features two covers with unexplained postal markings “U.S. Postal Agency, Havana, Cuba” in an attempt to seek further explanation of these postal markings from the journal’s readers. See <KOUR9804g> and <KOUR9810g> for answers. Also see letter to the editor by Mr. Geraci in <KOUR0101b>.

<KOUR9801j> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Book Review -- Reseña Bibliográfica:

United States Incoming Steamship Mail 1847-1875. Second Edition. By Theron Wierenga”

CPa, Vol.10, No.27, Jan 1998, p.37, Eng & Span.

El autor señala que, si bien el libro no es directamente de filatelia cubana, si tiene gran cantidad de material pertinente al correo cubano.

<KOUR9801k> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Auction Results/Resultados de Subastas: A. Laiz. Madrid, October 14, 1997”

CPa, Vol.10, No.27, Jan 1998, pp.38-40 (3), Eng & Span.

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Detailed report, including prices realized, of the most significant lots offered at the Laiz Auction House sale of one of the most outstanding collections of Cuban philatelic material ever assembled. The auction included 2104 lots of Cuban material covering all aspects of Cuban philately. The auction also included 28 lots of the Philippines and 178 lots of Puerto Rico. To view the actual auction catalog listings see <LAIZS9710>.

<[KOUR9804a](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Editor’s Message” “Mensaje del Editor”
CPa, Vol.10, No.28, April 1998, p.48, Eng & Span.

El editor señala la mejoría de la revista, tanto en el aumento del contenido como en el número de páginas, pero hace notar que ello implica incrementos en los gastos de la publicación. Menciona que un artículo publicado recientemente (<NOVO9709>) sobre prefilatelia cubana, ha llamado la atención por la cantidad y rareza de las piezas reportadas.

<[KOUR9804b](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Letters to the Editor” “Cartas al Editor”
CPa, Vol.10, No.28, April 1998, p.49, Eng & Span.

Report of a message received from Pedro Rodríguez announcing publication of the second edition of the *Priced Catalog of the Revenue Stamps of Cuba* (<RODR9805> = <JONE9805>) which he edited for William McP. Jones (Bill Jones). Mr. Rodríguez also expects to finish his *Specialized Catalog and Handbook of the Postage Stamps of Cuba* early in 1999. The latter was never published as such and probably evolved into his *Cuba y su Historia Postal* (Cuba and Its Postal History) published in October 2008 (<RODR0810>). Also acknowledged is a message from Bill Jones reporting that he is about to complete the second edition of his *Handbook of Cuba*, co-authored with Rudy Roy Jr. Unfortunately, this work was delayed and was not completed until after Bill Jones death in 2003. The second edition of the *Handbook of Cuba* was later completed in 2011 by Rudy Roy with the assistance of Robert Littrell who updated and expanded its postal stationery section and Jack E. Thompson who served as its editor (see ROY1100>).

<[KOUR9804c](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“The Oval ‘FRANCO’: Very Unusual Usages of a Relatively Common Marking”
“El Ovalo ‘FRANCO’: Usos Muy Poco Usuales de una Marca Relativamente Común”
CPa, Vol.10, No.28, April 1998, pp.50-58 (9), ill., Eng & Span.

Reproducción de las imágenes de siete cubiertas con la marca ovalada FRANCO. Esta marca había sido utilizada anteriormente por “La Empresa de Correos Marítimos”, la misma pasó al correo de La Habana luego de la disolución de dicha empresa en 1851. Estas marcas FRANCO fueron impuestas en Cuba en el tránsito marítimo de las cartas hacia sus destinos. En el artículo se explican las rutas y circunstancias que a juicio del autor hicieron que las cartas hicieran tránsito por Cuba.

<[KOUR9804d](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“The Use of the Y¹/₄ Stamps and the *Correo Interior* Marking”
“El Uso de los Sellos Y¹/₄ y la Marca *Correo Interior*”
Co-Author: Ignacio Prats (<PRAT9804>)

CPa, Vol.10, No.28, April 1998, pp.59-62 (4), ill., Eng & Span.

Report of the use of the straight line mark “Correo Interior” on a cover belonging to the National Postal Museum of Cuba franked with a ½ rpf stamp of 1857 (Scott 12). The other known six covers with this marking are franked with Y ¼ stamps from the 1860 issue (Scott 15). The article questions the use of the rare “Correo interior” marking on a cover without a Y ¼ stamp of 1860. The article includes an inventory table of all known covers with 1860 Y ¼ stamps, noting those bearing the rare “Correo interior” marking.

<[KOUR9804e](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Spanish Military Postal Franchise Markings in Cuba (1895-1898)”
“Marcas de Franquicias Militares Españolas en Cuba (1895-1898)”
Co-Author: Urbano Pérez Zarandona (also listed as <PEREZ9804>)
CPa, Vol.10, No.28, April 1998, front cover plus pp.63-81 (19), ill., Eng & Span.

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El trabajo propone una clasificación preliminar de las marcas de franquicia militar, utilizadas por las tropas españolas destacadas en Cuba durante la Guerra de Independencia. Calcula que el número de estas marcas de franquicia puede llegar a más de mil. Explica cada una de las categorías propuestas en su clasificación y cuáles tropas pudieran estar incluidas en ellas. Aparecen imágenes de cubiertas enviadas a España y otros países con estas marcas de franquicia militar.

<[KOUR9804f](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“D. Scott Gallagher, 1922-1998”

CPa, Vol.10, No.28, April 1998, p.86, Eng & Span.

Obituario del señor David S. Gallagher, destacado coleccionista de la historia postal del área el Caribe, fundamentalmente de Puerto Rico y Cuba.

<[KOUR9804g](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Answers to Covers Number 1-98”

“Respuestas a las Cubiertas Número 1-98”

CPa, Vol.10, No.28, April 1998, p.87, Eng & Span.

Report of answers received explaining Covers Number 1-98 described in <[KOUR9801i](#)>. Mr. Ignacio Prats sent an image of an envelope similar to second cover shown in <[KOUR9801i](#)> with a slightly different Jacksonville and Key West RPO. Also reported is the appearance of a request for information on page 20 of the BNJ of August 1985 about a July 26, 1935 “U.S. Postal Agency , Havana, Cuba” postal marking; a request that was never answered. Additional information about this marking is also provided in <[KOUR9810g](#)> and in a letter to the editor by Mr. Geraci in <[KOUR0101b](#)>.

<[KOUR9804h](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Cover of This Issue: Cover Number 2-98”

“Cubierta de Este Número: Cubierta Número 2-98”

CPa, Vol.10, No.28, April 1998, p.88, Eng & Span.

The “cover of the issue” column features a cover with interesting unexplained postal markings in an attempt to seek further explanation of the postal markings on the cover from the journal’s readers. See <[KOUR9807g](#)> for answers.

<[KOUR9804i](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Auction Results/Resultados de Subastas: Soler y Llach. Barcelona, March 10, 1998”

CPa, Vol.10, No.28, pp.91-93, Eng & Span.

El artículo enumera las piezas más sobresalientes vendidas en una subasta de Barcelona en marzo de 1998 y que de alguna forma se relacionan con Cuba. Se destaca una colección de historia del correo marítimo español donde hay numerosas piezas con las marcas INDIAS, YNDIAS e ISLAS DE BARLOVENTO. Otros lotes importantes fueron: las cubiertas de La Empresa de Correos Marítimos, cubiertas de agencias postales, piezas de filatelia colonial, varias piezas de los Habilitados de Puerto Príncipe, falsos postales del periodo colonial, marcas de franquicias militares, enteros postales y otros.

<[KOUR9807a](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Editor’s Message” “Mensaje del Editor”

CPa, Vol.10, No.29, Jul 1998, p.100, Eng & Span.

En el mensaje el editor da la bienvenida al Sr. Rudy J. Roy Jr., a la junta editorial de la revista, y menciona que el Sr. Roy es coautor del Handbook of Cuba (<[ROY8200](#)>, <[ROY8400](#)>, and <[ROY8800](#)>). Además, anuncia el inicio de un proyecto para lograr un inventario de los fechadores que tienen la leyenda YSLA DE CUBA. Estos fechadores fueron utilizados durante la última década del periodo colonial.

<[KOUR9807b](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Letters to the Editor” “Cartas al Editor”

CPa, Vol.10, No.29, Jul 1998, pp.101-103 (3), Eng & Span.

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This entry includes the following sub-headings:

1) "Puerto Príncipe Provisional Stamp Issue" "Emisión Provisional de Puerto Príncipe"

This is a follow-up to <[KOUR9801d](#)>.

2) "Y¼ Provisional Overprint of 1860" "Sobremarca Provisional Y¼ de 1860"

3) "Unusual Usages of the Oval FRANCO" "Usos Poco Usuales del Ovalo FRANCO"

This letter is a follow-up to <[KOUR9804c](#)> from Geoffrey Lewis.

4) "The Cuban Postal Museum" "El Museo Postal Cubano"

<[KOUR9807c](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"The Mysterious 'Scroll' of 1855"

"La Misteriosa 'Rúbrica' de 1855"

CPa, Vol.10, No.29, Jul 1998, pp.104-107 (4), Eng & Span, ill.

Informe de una marca postal que por la forma asemeja una firma. A partir del estudio de tres cubiertas donde aparece la marca, el autor especula que fueron impuestas en La Habana durante el tránsito de las cubiertas por esa ciudad.

<[KOUR9807d](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Stamps of the First Issue of the Antilles Used in the Dominican Republic"

"Sellos de la Primera Emisión de Antillas Usados en la República Dominicana"

Co-authors: Dr. Roberto M. Rosende and Ignacio Prats

CPa, Vol.10, No.29, Jul 1998, pp.110-113 (4), Eng & Span, ill.

Overview of the use of stamps of the first issue of the Antilles used in the Dominican Republic. The article includes the analysis of a cover sent from Santiago de los Caballeros in the Dominican Republic to Madrid that is franked with a Cuban ½ real stamp of 1857 (Scott 12). After studying the dates, the cancellations, and the postage used, the authors are of the opinion that the cover is probably a fake.

<[KOUR9807e](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Theodore Roosevelt in Cuba"

"Theodore Roosevelt en Cuba"

CPa, Vol.10, No.29, Jul 1998, front cover plus pp.114-116 (4), Eng & Span, ill.

See <[KOUR9810b](#)> for a Letter to the Editor of CPa on the subject.

<[KOUR9807f](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"The 'YSLA DE CUBA' Numbered Circular Datestamp Project"

("El Proyecto de Fechadores Circulares Numerados 'YSLA DE CUBA' ")

Co-authors: Ernesto Cuesta (<[CUES9807b](#)>) and Ignacio Prats (<[PRAT9807b](#)>).

CPa, Vol.10, No.29, Jul 1998, pp.132-137 (6), Eng & Span, ill.

This article provides an overview of these datestamps that were in use in Cuba during the last decade of the Spanish Administration starting from 1888 to 1898 and even into the U.S. Administration period until they were replaced by U.S. type datestamps. The overview is followed by an inventory of the known examples of these numbered datestamps identifying for each their earliest and latest known dates of use. The general format of the datestamp is illustrated, but no actual images of any of the datestamps are provided. The intent of the article was to generate interest in these datestamps and to solicit further examples of these datestamps from the public.

This objective was realized with the publication of a follow-up article with additional examples in 2001 (see <[GARCF0109b](#)> = <[MARI0109](#)>). Also see <[RIOSP0807](#)> for another article and listing of these datestamps.

Eventually, the information in this article and all of its sequels was consolidated into the entry [Archive of Numbered Circular Datestamps—Inventario de los fechadores circulares numerados YSLA DE CUBA \(1888-1899\)](#) in the Spanish Administration section of "Pages from Cuba Collections" of the FILACUBA Website.

<[KOUR9807g](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Answers to Cover Number 2-98" -- "Respuestas a la Cubierta Número 2-98"

CPa, Vol.10, No.29, Jul 1998, pp.139-142 (4), ill., Eng & Span.

Report of answers received explaining Cover Number 2-98 described in <[KOUR9804h](#)>.

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<[KOUR9807h](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Cover of This Issue: Cover Number 3-98”

“Cubierta de Este Número: Cubierta Número 3-98”

CPa, Vol.10, No.29, Jul 1998, p.143, ill., Eng & Span.

The “cover of the issue” column features a cover with interesting unexplained postal markings in an attempt to seek further explanation of the postal markings on the cover from the journal’s readers. See <[KOUR9810h](#)> for answers.

<[KOUR9807i](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Book Review -- Reseña Bibliográfica: *Mexican Maritime Mail*. By Dr. Carl H. Schimmer and John M. Heath”

CPa, Vol.10, No.29, Jul 1998, pp.144-145, Eng & Span.

A juicio del autor el libro contiene informaciones que guardan relación con el correo cubano y que resultan de utilidad, en especial las reseñadas en el II capítulo del período post independencia de México.

<[KOUR9810a](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Editor’s Message” “Mensaje del Editor”

CPa, Vol.10, No.30, Oct 1998, p.152, Eng & Span.

El editor anuncia la obtención de una medalla de Vermell, obtenida por la revista de la CPSA en una convención de la APS en California. Además, informa de reducciones en la cantidad denúmeros anuales de la revista y en la cantidad de páginas. Finalmente anuncia una conferencia que impartirá en Orlando, y que tratará sobre el correo marítimo español del período colonial en Las Américas.

<[KOUR9810b](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Letters to the Editor” “Cartas al Editor”

CPa, Vol.10, No.30, Oct 1998, pp.153-154, Eng & Span.

This entry includes the following two sub-headings:

1) "The Franco-American Company" "La Compañía Franco-Americana" and

2) "Theodore Roosevelt in Cuba" "Theodore Roosevelt in Cuba"

<[KOUR9810c](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“The Transatlantic Maritime Mail Marking *ESPAÑA*”

“La Marca *ESPAÑA* de Correo Marítimo Transatlántico”

CPa, Vol.10, No.30, Oct 1998, pp.155-169 (15), ill. Eng & Span.

Extenso estudio sobre el uso de la marca *ESPAÑA*, primera en utilizarse en el correo transatlántico. El autor discrepa en algunos aspectos de los trabajos de dos estudiosos del tema publicados en los años 80 del siglo XX, y presenta una tabla resultado de su interpretación. En la tabla presenta 14 tipos de la marca *ESPAÑA*, indicando en cada uno: lugar donde fue aplicada, fechas en las que se aplicó y colores, reproducción de la marca, características que la identifican y tamaño en milímetros. En el artículo se muestran las imágenes de ocho cubiertas con la marca estudiada.

<[KOUR9810d](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“A Puerto Rican Stamp Used in Cuba in 1887”

“Un Sello de Puerto Rico Usado en Cuba en 1887”

CPa, Vol.10, No.30, Oct 1998, pp.169-170, ill. Eng & Span.

Informe de una cubierta enviada en 1887 desde La Habana a Berlín. La carta fue franqueada con dos sellos de cinco centavos, pero uno de Cuba (Scott 125) y otro de Puerto Rico (Scott 68). A su juicio, todo indica que la violación de los reglamentos de la UPU, no fue advertida por ninguna de las dos administraciones postales.

<[KOUR9810e](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Another Certified Mail Receipt with a Puerto Príncipe Provisional Stamp”

“Otro Recibo de Correspondencia Certificado con un Sello Provisional de Puerto Príncipe”

Co-Author: Ignacio Prats (also listed as <[PRAT9810](#)>).

CPa, Vol.10, No.30, Oct 1998, pp.171-172, ill. Eng & Span.

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The English title should have read “Another Registered Mail...”

Nuevo informe de un sello de los “Habilitados de Puerto Príncipe”, impuesto en un recibo de certificado de 1898. A partir de este segundo ejemplo, el autor llega a la conclusión que ambas piezas son acuses de recibo. Sugiere que estos acuses de recibo fueron hechos por el correo de Puerto Príncipe para informar al de La Habana de la recepción de la carta certificada. Ver <KOUR9801d>.

<[KOUR9810f](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“The ‘BAEZA’ Project - II”

“El Proyecto ‘BAEZA’ - II ”

CPa, Vol.10, No.30, Oct 1998, pp.179-181 (3), Eng & Span.

Publicación de una tabla que actualiza el estado del proyecto BAEZA iniciado un año antes. Ver <KOUR9710a> y <KOUR9710i>.

<[KOUR9810g](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Answers to Covers Number 1-98”

“Respuestas a las Cubiertas Número 1-98”

CPa, Vol.10, No.30, Oct 1998, p.182, Eng & Span.

Report of additional information received explaining Cover Number 1-98 described in <[KOUR9801i](#)> and feedback provided in <[KOUR9804g](#)>, <[KOUR9810g](#)>, and <[KOUR0101b](#)>.

<[KOUR9810h](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Answers to Cover Number 3-98”

“Respuestas a la Cubierta Número 3-98”

CPa, Vol.10, No.30, Oct 1998, p.183, ill., Eng & Span.

Report of answers received explaining Cover Number 3-98 described in <[KOUR9807h](#)>.

<[KOUR9810i](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Cover of This Issue: Cover Number 4-98”

“Cubierta de Este Número: Cubierta Número 4-98”

CPa, Vol.10, No.30, Oct 1998, p.184, ill., Eng & Span.

The “cover of the issue” column features a cover with interesting unexplained postal markings in an attempt to seek further explanation of the postal markings on the cover from the journal’s readers. See <[KOUR9901f](#)> and <[KOUR9905e](#)> for answers.

<[KOUR9901a](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Editor’s Message” “Mensaje del Editor”

CPa, Vol.11, No.31, First Third 1999, p.4, Eng & Span.

Various messages from the editor on the reduction of the frequency of publication of the journal from four issues to three, comments on the contents of the present issue, and requests for articles for publication from the members to introduce more variety in the journal’s content.

<[KOUR9901b](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“The Editor’s Comments About the Preceding Article on the *Islas de Barlovento* Markings”

“Comentarios del Editor Acerca del Artículo Anterior Sobre las Marcas *Islas de Barlovento*”

CPa, Vol.11, No.31, First Third 1999, p.13, Eng & Span.

The comments refer to the article <[LOPEBE9901](#)> in the same issue of the journal.

<[KOUR9901c](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Postal Forgeries of the Two-Real Stamp of 1857”

“Falsos Postales del Sello de Dos Reales de 1857”

CPa, Vol.11, No.31, First Third 1999, front cover and p.14, ill., Eng & Span.

Informe de sellos sobrecargados Y ¼ de 1860 (Scott 15), en los que se observa el intento de borrarles la sobrecarga. El autor considera, que la intención era poder venderlos por su valor facial sin la sobrecarga. Estos falsos postales se consideran más raros que los originales Y ¼ (Scott 15).

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<[KOUR9901d](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Unearthing Mr. Brewer” “Desenterrando al Sr. Brewer”

Co-author: Michael Dattolico (Also listed as <[DATT9901](#)>.)

CPa, Vol.11, No.31, First Third 1999, pp.15-19 (5), ill. Eng & Span.

See <[KOUR9905b](#)> for a follow-up "Letter to the Editor" from J. Leonard Diamond.

<[KOUR9901e](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“A Visit to Rainsford Island”

"Una Visita a la Isla Rainsford"

CPa, Vol.11, No.31, First Third 1999, pp.27-30 (4), ill. Eng & Span.

Informe de una cubierta enviada en 1833 desde La Habana a Boston. Contiene una marca de cuarentena, aplicada en la isla de Rainsford de la Bahía de Boston. El autor detalla las instalaciones que se utilizaban para la desinfección del correo en esa isla.

<[KOUR9901f](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Answers to Cover Number 4-98”

“Respuestas a la Cubierta Número 4-98”

CPa, Vol.11, No.31, First Third 1999, p.33, ill., Eng & Span.

Report of answers received explaining Cover Number 4-98 described in <[KOUR9810i](#)>. Also see

<[KOUR9905e](#)> for further discussion.

<[KOUR9901g](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Cover of This Issue: Cover Number 1-99”

“Cubierta de Este Número: Cubierta Número 1-99”

CPa, Vol.11, No.31, First Third 1999, p.34, ill., Eng & Span.

The “cover of the issue” column features a cover with interesting unexplained postal markings in an attempt to seek further explanation of the postal markings on the cover from the journal’s readers. See <[KOUR9905f](#)> for answers.

<[KOUR9905a](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Editor’s Message” “Mensaje del Editor”

CPa, Vol.11, No.32, Second Third 1999, p.44, Eng & Span.

En el mensaje el editor anuncia la próxima inclusión de artículos sobre el periodo post 1959, etapa que considera que ha sido poco divulgada en la revista. Llama la atención sobre la importancia financiera que tienen las subastas para la sociedad y menciona el incremento de socios extranjeros. A su juicio, se vive un aumento del interés de los coleccionistas por la filatelia cubana.

<[KOUR9905b](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Letters to the Editor: Rhodes Funeral Party and the Burial Corps”

“Cartas al Editor: La Brigada Funeraria del Sr.Rhodes y el Cuerpo de Enterradores”

CPa, Vol.11, No.32, Second Third 1999, pp.45-46, ill., Eng & Span.

Follow-up to <[KOUR9901d](#)> from J. Leonard Diamond.

Informe de una cubierta enviada a Maine, desde la estación postal militar No 1 de Santiago de Cuba el 11 de marzo de 1899. El remitente fue un miembro del cuerpo de enterradores, que trabajó en las inmediaciones de Santiago de Cuba, para repatriar los cadáveres de los soldados americanos caídos en ese lugar. La carta está endosada por el jefe del campamento a cargo de los trabajos, y circuló con el privilegio de la tarifa doméstica de dos centavos.

<[KOUR9905c](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Cuban Mail and the *Norddeutscher Lloyd* Steamship Line”

“El Correo Cubano y la Línea de Vapores *Norddeutscher Lloyd*”

Co-author: Geoffrey Lewis (also listed as <[LEWIG9905a](#)>)

CPa, Vol.11, No.32, Second Third 1999, pp.50-56 (7), ill., Eng & Span.

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Artículo sobre 6 cubiertas cubanas, transportadas por vapores de la compañía “Norddeutscher Lloyd” de Bremen Alemania. Tres de las cubiertas tienen origen en Cuba, pero fueron transportadas privadamente hasta New York y desde allí a Europa por los vapores de la compañía. Otra cubierta con destino a Cuba también se transportó a New York por un vapor de la propia compañía. Las otras dos cubiertas fueron transportadas por otra línea, inaugurada en 1868 que viajaba de Bremen a New Orleans con escala en La Habana.

<[KOUR9905d](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Selling the Cuban Republic Stamps of 1896”

“La Venta de los Sellos de la República de Cuba de 1896”

CPa, Vol.11, No.32, Second Third 1999, pp.60-65, 74 (7), ill., Eng & Span.

El autor expone varios documentos que tienen relación con el destino de los sellos denominados como “sellos insurrectos”. Menciona a personalidades que de alguna forma tuvieron relación con la venta de estos sellos, entre ellos el puertorriqueño Ramón Emeterio Betances. Presenta una cubierta con franqueo insurrecto, circulada en 1896 dentro de los EE .UU. y especula sobre diferentes posibilidades por las que pasó inadvertida por el correo americano.

<[KOUR9905e](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“More Answers to Cover 4-98/Más Respuestas a la Cubierta 4-98”

CPa, Vol.11, No.32, Second Third 1999, p.74, Eng & Span.

This is additional information on the cover discussed in <[KOUR9810i](#)> and <[KOUR9901f](#)> provided by Geoffrey Lewis (also listed as <LEWIG9905b>)..

<[KOUR9905f](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Answers to Cover Number 1-99”

“Respuestas a la Cubierta Número 1-99”

CPa, Vol.11, No.32, Second Third 1999, p.75, Eng & Span.

Report of answers received explaining Cover Number 1-99 described in <[KOUR9901g](#)>, explaining that the cover analyzed is really a printed matter wrapper and not a fake piece as had been suggested.

<[KOUR9905g](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Cover of This Issue: Cover Number 2-99”

“Cubierta de Este Número: Cubierta Número 2-99”

CPa, Vol.11, No.32, Second Third 1999, p.76, Eng & Span.

The “cover of the issue” column features a cover with interesting unexplained postal markings in an attempt to seek further explanation of the postal markings on the cover from the journal’s readers. See <[KOUR9909f](#)> for answers.

<[KOUR9905h](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Book Review -- Reseña Bibliográfica: *Plating of the 1898 Postal Cards Tipo Infante. Reconstrucción de las Planchas de los Enteros Postales Tipo Infante.* By Angel Laiz.”

CPa, Vol.11, No.32, Second Third 1999, p.77, Eng & Span.

Citing the first paragraph of the book review: "This book deals with the postal cards with King Alfonso XIII's picture issued in 1898 for the overseas possessions of Cuba, the Philippines, and Puerto Rico, and later, in 1899, for Fernando Poo...and meticulously describes their individual [plate position] characteristics". The book review is followed by unpublished correspondence pertaining to a corresponding book review (unpublished) by Arturo Martín de Nicolás that also includes a review of another book by Laiz on the reconstruction of the plates of the 1878-79 postal cards of King Alfonso XII, later published in the subsequent issue of the CPa journal (see <[MARTN9909b](#)>).

<[KOUR9905i](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Book Review/Reseña Bibliográfica: *Authenticity Characteristics of the Stamps of Spain. Características de Autenticidad de los Sellos de España.* By Louis Zanderbergen, Kick Minderaa, Hans Vinkenborg, Frits von Beekum, and Jerry Spaans.”

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CPa, Vol.11, No.32, Second Third 1999, p.78, Eng & Span.

Reseña de un manual que permite identificar las marcas secretas de los sellos españoles. El autor considera que algunas de esas marcas aparecen en los sellos cubanos

<KOUR9909> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Los sellos más pequeños de Cuba” (“The Smallest Stamps from Cuba”)

RF, No.353, Sep 1999, pp.431-432, ill., Span.

Después de una explicación del origen y del uso de sellos fraccionados, el autor publica una lista de los cinco sellos cuadrisectados cubanos que se han reportado. Muestra las imágenes de una cubierta y dos fragmentos con sellos cuadrisectados y explica las tarifas que en cada caso los ampararon.

<KOUR9909a> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Editor’s Message” “Mensaje del Editor”

CPa, Vol.11, No.33, Last Third 1999, p.84, Eng & Span.

Report of the Cuban Philatelic Society of America’s participation in FLOREX 99 where several Society members exhibited and attended; report of the award of a vermeil medal to the Society’s journal at StampShow 99 held in Cleveland, Ohio, August 26-29; report of the start of a new section in the Society’s journal dealing with the philately of the Castro revolution; and report of a project by Society members to inventory the Spanish colonial “YSLA DE CUBA” circular datestamps used in Cuba from 1888 to 1898 spearheaded by an article and listing of these postmarks in the present issue of the journal.

<KOUR9909b> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Letters to the Editor/Cartas al Editor”

CPa, Vol.11, No.33, Last Third 1999, p.85, Eng & Span.

This item consists of two sections as follows: “The Cuban Embargo/El Embargo en Contra de Cuba” and “The Cuban Revolutionary Government Stamps of 1896/Los Sellos del Gobierno Revolucionario de 1896”. The first letter is from Mark Piper and basically quotes the embargo legislation; the second one is from Ignacio Prats reporting he owns a cover with a 2 cent revolutionary stamp used one day earlier than the one shown in Figure 6 of <KOUR9905d>, thus making it the earliest reported use of a stamp of the Republic of Cuba.

<KOUR9909c> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Our Annual Meeting/Nuestra Reunión Anual”

CPa, Vol.11, No.33, Last Third 1999, p.86, Eng & Span.

Report and discussion of the topics covered at the last annual meeting of the CPSA and some other Society news.

<KOUR9909d> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“U.S. Steamship Mail from Panama to Cuba”

“Correo de Panamá a Cuba por Vapor Americano”

CPa, Vol.11, No.33, Last Third 1999, pp.87-89, ill., Eng & Span.

Informe de dos cubiertas impuestas en Perú en 1855 con destino a La Habana. Las cubiertas fueron trasladadas hasta puertos del Caribe en la actual Panamá, (en el siglo XIX formaba parte de Colombia), y de allí por vapores americanos hasta su destino en La Habana.

<KOUR9909e> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Presentation Album for the Capitol Stamps of 1929”

“Album de Presentación de los Sellos del Capitolio de 1929”

CPa, Vol.11, No.33, Last Third 1999, pp.93-94, ill., Eng & Span.

Informe de un álbum recordatorio de la inauguración del Capitolio en 1929 en cuyo interior contiene la serie alusiva (Scott 294/298). El álbum está acompañado de una carta del subsecretario de comunicaciones que da autenticidad al documento.

<KOUR9909f> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

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“Respuestas a la Cubierta Número 2-99”

CPa, Vol.11, No.33, Last Third 1999, p.115, ill., Eng & Span.

Report of answers received explaining Cover Number 2-99 described in <[KOUR9905g](#)>.

<[KOUR9909g](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Cover of This Issue: Cover Number 3-99”

“Cubierta de Este Número: Cubierta Número 3-99”

CPa, Vol.11, No.33, Last Third 1999, p.116, ill., Eng & Span.

The “cover of the issue” column features a cover with interesting unexplained postal markings in an attempt to seek further explanation of the postal markings on the cover from the journal’s readers. See <[KOUR0001e](#)> for answers.

<[KOUR0001a](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Editor’s Message” “Mensaje del Editor”

CPa, Vol.12, No.34, First Third 2000, p.4, Eng & Span.

En su mensaje el editor comenta sobre la publicación de la revista, de la inclusión de artículos sobre sellos fiscales y de los enteros postales del día de las madres. Anuncia la decisión de otorgar la membresía gratuita para los jóvenes menores de 21 años que tengan interés en la filatelia cubana.

<[KOUR0001b](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Letters to the Editor:” “Cartas al Editor:”

CPa, Vol.12, No.34, First Third 2000, pp.5-6, Eng & Span.

This item summarizes letters received by the Society journal’s Editor under the following headings:

1) "FLOREX 99", from Clyde Jennings as a follow-up to <[KOUR9909a](#)> mentioning that all of the FLOREX jurors lacked experience in Cuban philately (see <[FFSC9911](#)>, p.5 for a list of the members of the jury);

2) "Presentation Albums" "Albums de Presentación" from Denis Lavery, Ignacio Prats, and Mark Tyx as follow-ups to <[KOUR9909e](#)>;

3) "A Unique Item of Cuban Postal Stationery" "Pieza Unica de los Enteros Postales de Cuba" de Mark Tyx as a follow-up to <[MARTN9909a](#)>;

4) "Bogus Stamps of the 1960 Olympics" "Sellos Falsos de las Olimpiadas de 1960", from Dennis Lavery as a follow up to <[GARCF9909](#)>;

5) "Cañaveral Envelopes" "Los Sobres Cañaveral", from Mark Piper;

6) "Postal Receipt Cards" "Tarjetas Postales de Aviso de Recibo", from Mark Tyx asking if this service was offered in Cuba before 1959.

<[KOUR0001c](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“The Markings of the British Postal Agencies in Cuba: A Collector’s Guide”

"Las Marcas de las Agencias Postales Consulares Inglesas en Cuba: Una Guía para el Coleccionista"

CPa, Vol.12, No.34, First Third 2000, pp.7-13 (7), ill., Eng & Span.

This article references the following works: <[GUER8300](#)>, a subsequent 1999 version of <[IGLEF9611b](#)>, <[KOUR8402](#)>, <[ROSE7411](#)>, <[STONR9300](#)>, and <[TIZO8300](#)>.

The article provides an overview of the establishment and operation of the British Postal Agencies in Cuba and illustrates all known postal markings from these agencies and their varieties.

<[KOUR0001d](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Naval ‘Blockade’ Mail from Cuba During the Spanish American War”

"Correo de Cuba Durante el ‘Bloqueo’ Naval de la Guerra Hispanoamericana"

CPa, Vol.12, No.34, First Third 2000, pp.17-22 (6), ill., Eng & Span.

Artículo sobre tres cubiertas y una tarjeta postal, enviadas en 1898 desde Cuba a Europa. Se presume que salieron desde el puerto de Santiago de Cuba durante el período del bloqueo naval de los EEUU. El artículo explica las marcas postales y las tarifas aplicadas en cada una de las cubiertas.

<[KOUR0001e](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

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CPa, Vol.12, No.34, First Third 2000, pp.38-39, ill., Eng & Span.

Report of answers received explaining Cover Number 3-99 described in <[KOUR9909g](#)>.

<[KOUR0001f](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Cover of This Issue: Cover Number 1-00”

“Cubierta de Este Número: Cubierta Número 1-00”

CPa, Vol.12, No.34, First Third 2000, p.40, ill., Eng & Span.

The “cover of the issue” column features a cover with interesting unexplained postal markings in an attempt to seek further explanation of the postal markings on the cover from the journal’s readers. See <[KOUR0005g](#)> for answers.

<[KOUR0001g](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Book Review -- Reseña Bibliográfica: *Simplified Tables for the Identification and Plating of the First Issue of Spanish Antilles—Tablas Simplificadas para la Localización y Plancheo de la Primera Emisión de Antillas Españolas*. By Carlos Echenagusía”

CPa, Vol.12, No.34, First Third 2000, p.41, Eng & Span.

Book review of <[ECHE9912c](#)>.

<[KOUR0005a](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Editor’s Message” “Mensaje del Editor”

CPa, Vol.12, No.35, Second Third 2000, p.48, Eng & Span.

El editor comenta sobre celebración en Miami del evento “Cuba Nostalgia”, donde hubo presencia de la CPSA. También anuncia las próximas tres reuniones de la CPSA a celebrarse en el 2000 y 2001. Hace mención a recientes subastas con importante material filatélico cubano, entre ellas la colección de Edward Goldsmith, que fue uno de los primeros miembros de la sociedad.

<[KOUR0005b](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Letters to the Editor/Cartas al Editor”

CPa, Vol.12, No.35, Second Third 2000, pp.49-51 (3), ill., Eng & Span.

This item summarizes letters received by the Society journal’s Editor under the following headings:

The Edward Goldsmith Collection auction by Mathew Bennett, The Y1/4 Stamps of 1860 with Editor’s Comments, and The Markings of the British Postal Agencies in Cuba. The first item points to the report of the Goldsmith Collection auction discussed in <xxx> and a letter to the Editor from Ernesto Cuesta discussing the same auction. The second item is a letter from Ignacio Prats reporting his finding of to that point the earliest date of use of an 1860 Y ¼ (Scott 15) stamp on cover. The item also includes a detailed rationale of why the author believes that the cover with the variety of transposed fraction numbers 4/1 instead of the usual 1/4 in Scott 15 that was sold as lot 1633 in the Bennett sale of the Goldsmith Collection is a forgery. This is followed by the arguments in favor of the cover’s authenticity summarized by the Society journal’s Editor. Finally, the last item is a report from Hans Vinkenborg that he has an example of a British marking used in Santiago of the type CDS1 but with the month before the day and wonders whether this is a significant variant to which the Editor answers that the date in these handstamps was formed with interchangeable slugs that were often transposed in order and thus constitute a minor variant.

<[KOUR0005c](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Our Annual Meetings/Nuestras Reuniones Anuales”

CPa, Vol.12, No.35, Second Third 2000, p.52, Eng & Span.

Report of the next two upcoming Cuban Philatelic Society of America annual meetings, the first one to be held at the “Fall Mega Event” taking place at the Jacob Javits Convention Center in New York City, November 9-12, 2000, and the second one to be held at the “Sarasota National” taking place at the Sarasota Municipal Auditorium in Sarasota, Florida, February 2-4, 2001. The report calls for participation of Society members in exhibiting their collections and/or participating in the Society activities and official annual meetings.

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<[KOUR0005d](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“The First Line M of the French *Compagnie Generale Transatlantique*”

“La Primera Línea M de la *Compagnie Generale Transatlantique* Francesa”

CPa, Vol.12, No.35, Second Third 2000, front page and pp.53-58 (7), ill., Eng & Span.

Artículo sobre tres cubiertas transportadas entre los años 1867 y 1869, por la línea M de la “Compagnie Generale Transatlantique”. Esta línea hizo ruta entre La Habana y New Orleans durante poco tiempo, por lo que las cubiertas transportadas a través de ella son raras. En el artículo se detallan las tarifas, matasellos y marcas de agentes reencaminadores.

<[KOUR0005e](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Certified Mail with the One-Real or Two-Real Stamps of the First Issue of Cuba”

“Correo Certificado con los Sellos de Un Real o Dos Reales de la Primera Emisión de Cuba”

Co-author: Ignacio Prats (also listed as <[PRAT0005](#)>)

CPa, Vol.12, No.35, Second Third 2000, pp.59-61 (3), ill., Eng & Span.

The English title should have been "Registered Mail" rather than "Certified Mail".

Report of two registered covers circulated within Cuba: one cover with three 1 real de plata fuerte (RPF) stamps (Scott 2), and the other cover with a stamp of 2 RPF (Scott 4) and two 1 RPF stamps; all from the first issue of 1855. Most of the registered letters of that time are stamped with multiple half RPF stamps, which were much more abundant, so the author considers the two registered covers subject of the article as extremely rare.

<[KOUR0005f](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“A Penalty Envelope Used in 1931?”

“Un Sobres de Penas Usado en 1931?”

CPa, Vol.12, No.35, Second Third 2000, p.69, ill., Eng & Span.

El artículo reproduce la imagen de un sobrecirculado en 1931 desde La Habana a los EEUU. El sobre tiene la advertencia de que el uso particular podría implicar una multa de 300 pesos. Estos sobres se empezaron a utilizar en Cuba durante la intervención americana, lo que hace suponer al autor que es un vestigio de ese período y pide aclaraciones. Ver <[KOUR0009b](#)> para opiniones sobre el artículo.

<[KOUR0005g](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Answers to Cover Number 1-00”

“Respuestas a la Cubierta Número 1-00”

CPa, Vol.12, No.35, Second Third 2000, p.78, ill., Eng & Span.

Report of answers received explaining Cover Number 1-00 described in <[KOUR0001f](#)>.

El editor sugiere que la carta fue transportada por vapores ingleses desde Santiago de Cuba a Jamaica, de allí al istmo de Panamá y después de cruzar este por tierra, otro vapor inglés la condujo hasta Perú.

<[KOUR0005h](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Cover of This Issue: Cover Number 2-00”

“Cubierta de Este Número: Cubierta Número 2-00”

CPa, Vol.12, No.35, Second Third 2000, p.79, ill., Eng & Span.

The “cover of the issue” column features a cover with interesting unexplained postal markings in an attempt to seek further explanation of the postal markings on the cover from the journal’s readers. See <[KOUR0009g](#)> for answers.

<[KOUR0005i](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Book Review--Reseña Bibliográfica: *Early Routings of the Royal Mail Steam Packet Company 1842-1879. Las Primeras Rutas de la 'Royal Mail Steam Packet Company' 1842-1879.* By Phil J. Kenton & Harry G. Parsons”

CPa, Vol.12, No.35, Second Third 2000, p.82, Eng & Span.

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Descripción del contenido de los capítulos y apéndices del libro. El autor indica su utilidad para identificar información de cartas cubanas transportadas por buques de la Royal Mail SteamPacket Company. A juicio del autor es de obligada consulta para los estudiosos de la historia postal de Cuba.

<[KOUR0009a](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Editor’s Message” “Mensaje del Editor”

CPa, Vol.12, No.36, Last Third 2000, p.88, Eng & Span.

Brief reports of the vermeil medal obtained by The Cuban Philatelist at the APS StampShow 2000 held in Providence, Rhode Island, August 24-27; of the International Exhibition ESPAÑA 2000, held in Madrid, Spain, in October 6-14; of the AFINSA/Soler y Llach auction that took place during ESPAÑA 2000 with very important Cuban items; of the annual meeting of the Society held during the Fall Mega Event in New York City, November 9-12; and of the passing of Victoriano Patiño, President of the Puerto Rico Philatelic Society.

<[KOUR0009b](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Letters to the Editor: A Penalty Envelope Used in 1931?”

“Cartas al Editor: ¿Un *Penalty Envelope* Usado en 1931?”

CPa, Vol.12, No.36, Last Third 2000, pp.89-91 (3), ill., Eng & Span.

Letter from Octavio Cabrera to the journal’s editor in response to <[KOUR0005f](#)>.

En opinión del Sr. Cabrera, se trata un sobre fabricado en EEUU y enviado a Cuba, para que el correo cubano lo utilice en su respuesta. En su comentario el editor plantea algunas incógnitas que quedan después de la opinión de Cabrera.

<[KOUR0009c](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“The Anglo-Spanish Postal Treaty of 1858 and Cuban Mail”

“El Convenio Postal Anglo-Español de 1858 y la Correspondencia Cubana”

CPa, Vol.12, No.36, Last Third 2000, pp.92-101 (10), ill., Eng & Span.

Artículo sobre siete cubiertas transportadas por buques ingleses después de un convenio firmado entre España e Inglaterra en 1858. Cuatro de las cubiertas tienen origen en La Habana y destino en ciudades de España, una fue enviada desde Londres a Santiago de Cuba y dos viajaron entre México y España con tránsito por La Habana. En todos los casos se explican las tarifas postales, franqueos y marcas postales de las cubiertas.

<[KOUR0009d](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“The Postal Markings of the U.S. Military Camps in Cuba (1899-1902)”

“Las Marcas Postales de los Campamentos Militares Americanos en Cuba (1899-1902)”

CPa, Vol.12, No.36, Last Third 2000, front cover plus pp.106-109 (5), ill., Eng & Span.

Una vez terminada la guerra entre España y EEUU, las estaciones postales militares, que manejaban la correspondencia de las tropas pasaron a la administración civil. Las nuevas tropas destinadas a Cuba se establecieron en campamentos y algunos de estos tuvieron sus oficinas de correos. En el artículo se reportan tres cubiertas enviadas desde los campamentos: Columbia Barracks en La Habana, Campamento Mackenzie cerca de Puerto Príncipe y Rowell Barracks cerca de Cienfuegos. Además, se reportan otras marcas postales, vinculadas a la presencia de las tropas americanas hasta la instauración de la República.

<[KOUR0009e](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“A Universal Postal Union Identity Card”

“Una Tarjeta de Identidad de la Unión Postal Universal”

CPa, Vol.12, No.36, Last Third 2000, p.110, ill., Eng & Span.

Informe de una tarjeta de identidad, impresa por la UPU para la administración de correos de Cuba. El autor sugiere que la misma se utilizaba como identificación para realizar transacciones postales.

<[KOUR0009f](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Cuba At/Cuba En: Fall Mega Event (New York City, November 9-12, 2000)”

CPa, Vol.12, No.36, Last Third 2000, pp.125-126, ill., Eng & Span.

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Report of the annual CPSA meeting at the New York City Fall Mega Event and description of three 8-frame Cuban collections and 18 one-frame exhibits that were entered into the competition by Society members. No listing of the awards received is provided.

<[KOUR0009g](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Answers to Cover Number 2-00”

“Respuestas a la Cubierta Número 2-00”

CPa, Vol.12, No.36, Last Third 2000, pp.127-128, ill., Eng & Span.

Report of answers received explaining Cover Number 2-00 described in <[KOUR0005h](#)>.

La cubierta analizada, franqueada con cinco centavos en sellos del correo español, fue matasellada en Cuba el 2 de enero de 1899, fecha en que estos sellos ya habían perdido su validez. Al llegar a los EEUU y según los convenios de la UPU, se le impuso una tasa por cobrar de 10 centavos.

<[KOUR0009h](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Cover of This Issue: Cover Number 3-00”

“Cubierta de Este Número: Cubierta Número 3-00”

CPa, Vol.12, No.36, Last Third 2000, p.129, ill., Eng & Span.

The “cover of the issue” column features a cover with interesting unexplained postal markings in an attempt to seek further explanation of the postal markings on the cover from the journal’s readers. See <[KOUR0101e](#)> for answers.

<[KOUR0101a](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Editor’s Message” “Mensaje del Editor”

CPa, Vol.13, No.37, First Third 2001, p.4, Eng & Span.

Reflections from the CPSA journal’s editor on the need to seek Society members internationally to ensure the future of the Society. Rationale for including in the journal some Castro era philatelic articles. Report that CPSA member Bill McP. Jones has donated to the CPSA the royalty rights for his half of the Handbook of Cuba that he co-authored with CPSA member Rudy Roy. Report of the death of CPSA members Angel Menéndez of Spain, expert on Spanish colonial maritime mail, and Ricardo del Campo of Miami, longtime dealer in Cuban stamps.

<[KOUR0101b](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Letters to the Editor/Cartas al Editor”

CPa, Vol.13, No.37, First Third 2001, pp.5-7, ill., Eng & Span.

Report of several letters received from the journal’s readers presented with the following sub-headings:

1) “Back of the Book Issues” -- “Notas de Atrás del Catálogo” from Carlos Echenagusía as a follow-up to <[PIPE0001](#)>;

2) “The U.S. Postal Agency in Havana” “La Agencia Postal de los EE.UU. en La Habana” from Joseph Geraci;

3) “A Penalty Envelope Used in 1931?” “¿Un Penalty Envelope Usado en 1931?” from Rudy Roy;

4) “A Universal Postal Union Identification Card” “Una Tarjeta de Identidad de la Unión Postal Universal” from Ignacio Prats; and

5) “Forged Postmarks” “Matasellos Falsos” from Samuel Bothwell.

<[KOUR0101c](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Cuba: Ship Letters and Naval Mail from U.S. Military Personnel During the Spanish American War”

“Cuba: Correo Naval de Militares Americanos Durante la Guerra de Independencia”

CPa, Vol.13, No.37, First Third 2001, pp.21-26 (6), ill., Eng & Span.

Informe de tres cubiertas, enviadas desde barcos que participaban en acciones navales en Cuba durante la Guerra Hispano-Americana. El artículo incluye datos sobre los barcos, acciones y oficiales destacados en ellos. En una segunda parte, el artículo reporta dos cartas y un entero postal enviados por soldados americanos, sin que pasaran por el servicio postal militar.

<[KOUR0101d](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Cuba At/Cuba En: SARASOTA NATIONAL 2001”

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CPa, Vol.13, No.37, First Third 2001, pp.40-42 (3), ill., Eng & Span.

Report of the annual CPSA meeting at the Sarasota National 2001 Philatelic Exhibition covering Society attendees, discussion at the meeting, joint member activities, and overview of the Society members' exhibits followed by a listing of the exhibits and the awards received.

<[KOUR0101e](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Answers to Cover Number 3-00”

“Respuestas a la Cubierta Número 3-00”

CPa, Vol.13, No.37, First Third 2001, p.43, ill., Eng & Span.

Report of answers received explaining Cover Number 3-00 described in [<KOUR0009h>](#).

La cubierta analizada fue impuesta en España, fue transportada por la Empresa de Correos Marítimos con destino a Veracruz y tránsito por La Habana. A juicio del editor la demora sufrida en La Habana, se debió al cobro del porteo de la citada empresa.

<[KOUR0101f](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Cover of This Issue: Cover Number 1-01”

“Cubierta de Este Número: Cubierta Número 1-01”

CPa, Vol.13, No.37, First Third 2001, p.44, ill., Eng & Span.

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<[KOUR0101g](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Book Review -- Reseña Bibliográfica: *Handbook of Spanish Philately—Manual de Filatelia Española*. By Oswald Schier”

CPa, Vol.13, No.37, First Third 2001, p.45, Eng & Span.

El editor destaca que una de las siete secciones del libro, está dirigida al correo de España con sus colonias, y en la misma se encuentran referencias a marcas de prefilatelia, cuños de correo marítimo, marcas de ferrocarril y otros ítems relacionados con Cuba. Señala que la parte de mayor interés del libro es el apéndice de tarifas postales.

<[KOUR0101h](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Cuban Postal Stationery Study Group” “Grupo de Estudio de Enteros Postales Cubanos”

CPa, Vol.13, No.37, First Third 2001, p.46, Eng & Span.

Report of the formation of a study group on Cuban postal stationery at the annual meeting of the CPSA during the SARASOTA 2001 Philatelic Exhibition. It was decided that the group would consist of two sections, one covering the Spanish Colonial era, the U.S. Administration period, and the Republic and the other section covering the socialist period from 1959 on. Arturo Martín de Nicolás was chosen to lead the first section. Mark Piper has led the study of the socialist period. You can refer to his contributions in this field under his name in this bibliography. Upon the death of Arturo Martín de Nicolás, Ernesto Cuesta took the lead of the group focusing on pre-Castro era postal stationery coalescing around his FILACUBA Website (see postal stationery postings in the [“Pages From Cuban Collections”](#) of the FILACUBA website). Contributing members of this group have been Octavio Cabrera, Robert Littrell, and Mark Tyx. This group was instrumental in the update of the United Postal Stationery Society Catalog of the U.S. Administration Period of Cuba, published in 2009 under the editorial direction of George Krieger (see [<UPSS0900>](#)). Robert Littrell as webmaster of the International Cuban Philatelic Society (ICPS) has also developed a section of the website called “[Member Pages](#)” organized into two parts, the second part being a “Postal Stationery Section” with a comprehensive view of the subject.

<[KOUR0105a](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Editor’s Message” “Mensaje del Editor”

CPa, Vol.13, No.38, Second Third 2001, p.52, Eng & Span.

Comments on the dwindling finances of the CPSA and discussion of options to address the problem.

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Report of the inauguration of a website by the U.S. National Postal Museum showing the Cuban postal history collection of the late Roberto Pichs who donated his collection to the Museum. The collection can be viewed at postalmuseum.si.edu/exhibition/the-pichs-collection.

<KOUR0105b> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Postal Testimonies of the Capture of Havana by the British in 1762”

“Testimonios Postales de la Toma de La Habana por los Ingleses en 1762”

CPa, Vol.13, No.38, Second Third 2001, pp.53-55 (3), ill., Eng & Span.

Informe de dos cartas, enviadas desde La Habana durante la ocupación de la ciudad por los ingleses en el siglo XVIII. Las cartas no fueron transportadas por los servicios postales, por lo que no tienen marcas de correo.

<KOUR0105c> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Insurgents’ Mail Between Cuba and the U.S.A. During the War of Independence: The Role of the Cuban Delegation in New York” “Correo Insurgente entre Cuba y los EE.UU. Durante la Guerra de Independencia: El Papel de la Delegación Cubana en Nueva York”

CPa, Vol.13, No.38, Second Third 2001, pp.59-64 (5), ill., Eng & Span.

El artículo muestra las imágenes de cinco cubiertas vinculadas con la guerra de 1895. Las cubiertas circularon entre las fuerzas insurgentes en Cuba y la oficina de la delegación del Partido Revolucionario Cubano en New York. Se explican las marcas, los franqueos y las posibles vías utilizadas para entrar y sacar las cartas de Cuba.

<KOUR0105d> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Answers to Cover Number 1-01”

“Respuestas a la Cubierta Número 1-01”

CPa, Vol.13, No.38, Second Third 2001, p.82, ill., Eng & Span.

Report of answers received explaining Cover Number 1-01 described in <KOUR0101f>.

La cubierta con origen en Francia en 1866 y destino en Puerto Rico, tiene dos peculiaridades a destacar. Una es el sello de 2 reales, la tasa que cobraban las posesiones españolas a las cartas que llegaban del extranjero. La otra es el uso en 1866 de un sello de la primera emisión de Antillas de 1855.

<KOUR0105e> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Cover of This Issue: Cover Number 2-01”

“Cubierta de Este Número: Cubierta Número 2-01”

CPa, Vol.13, No.38, Second Third 2001, p.83, ill., Eng & Span.

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<KOUR0105f> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Cuban Exhibition Photocopy Repository”

“Depósito de Fotocopias de Exhibiciones Cubanas”

CPa, Vol.13, No.38, Second Third 2001, p.84, Eng & Span.

Notice of the formation of a repository of photocopies of Cuban philatelic exhibits by the Cuban Philatelic Society of America as a reference resource for its members. The item mentions that repository's custodian is the Society's librarian, Ernesto Cuesta. This repository was the foundation of the "[Pages From Cuban Collections](#)" of the FILACUBA Website and will continue to be maintained in electronic form in that Website for the free access of all Society members and all philatelists worldwide.

<KOUR0109a> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Letters to the Editor” “Cartas al Editor”

CPa, Vol.13, No.39, Last Third 2001, pp.92-93, ill., Eng & Span.

This entry reports three letters to the CPSA journal’s editor under the following headings: “Correction: The Roberto Pichs Collection—Corrección: La Colección Roberto Pichs”, “The Capture of Havana by the British in 1762—La Toma de La Habana por los Ingleses en 1762” and “The ¼ Real Stamp of 1862—El Sello de ¼ real de 1862”. The first item corrects the statement made in the previous issue of the journal that the Roberto Pichs

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collection was donated to the U.S. National Postal Museum, pointing that Mr. Pichs' widow actually donated the collection in his name to the San Carlos Institute of Key West. The Smithsonian Institution with the assistance of Mr. Joseph Geracci, curator of the U.S. National Postal Museum, and myself, helped to prepare a Website describing the collection that was funded and is maintained by the Smithsonian Institution (the Website's url is <http://www.postalmuseum.si.edu/pichs/>). The second item is a note from Mr. Geoffrey Lewis, an expert in Philippines postal history mentioning that the British also took over Manila in the Philippines in 1762, but that no correspondence from the period of the British occupation is known to exist in private collections or public archives. The third item is a letter from Mrs. Silvia García-Frutos illustrating a letter that she had purchased with a pair of 1862 ¼ real Cuban stamp. She reports that the letter had been altered by replacing the original horizontal pair of ¼ real stamps with two singles. It was I that pointed out to Mrs. García-Frutos that the stamps had been replaced by showing her a photo of the cover with the original horizontal pair of stamps illustrated on p.17 of <[EDIFIL9700](#)>. The illustration was removed from the 2002 edition of the Edifil catalog <[EDIFIL0200](#)>.

<[KOUR0109b](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“A Cover Carried on the French Line M Steamer ‘Darién’ from New Orleans to Havana”

“Una Cubierta Llevada por el Vapor Francés ‘Darién’ de la Línea M desde Nueva Orleans a La Habana”
CPa, Vol.13, No.39, Last Third 2001, pp.94-95, ill., Eng & Span.

Artículo sobre un entero postal enviado en 1869, desde New Orleans con destino a Matanzas y transportado a bordo de un vapor de la línea M. En un artículo anterior se reportaban tres cubiertas transportadas por la misma línea, pero desde Cuba a New Orleans. Ver <[KOUR0005d](#)>

<[KOUR0109c](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“U.S. Military Hospital and Hospital Ship Mail in Cuba During the Spanish American War”

“Correo de Hospitales Militares y Barcos Hospitalarios Americanos en Cuba Durante la Guerra Hispano Americana”
CPa, Vol.13, No.39, Last Third 2001, pp.97-103 (7), ill., Eng & Span.

Artículo sobre seis cubiertas, enviadas desde instalaciones sanitarias americanas en Cuba entre 1898 y 1902. Cuatro enviadas desde hospitales en tierra y dos desde instalaciones sanitarias navales. Para cada una de las cubiertas, se llama la atención sobre las principales marcas y textos, que han permitido su identificación y clasificación en una u otra instalación.

<[KOUR0109d](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Answers to Cover Number 2-01”

“Respuestas a la Cubierta Número 2-01”

CPa, Vol.13, No.39, Last Third 2001, p.122, ill., Eng & Span.

Report of answers received explaining Cover Number 2-01 described in <[KOUR0105e](#)>.

La cubierta fue transportada por una agencia inglesa a Cuba, donde fue recibida por la Empresa de Correos Marítimos. Se supone que un agente, para poder reenviar la carta a México, pagó la tarifa de la empresa y la de la agencia postal inglesa en La Habana.

<[KOUR0109e](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Cover of This Issue: Cover Number 3-01”

“Cubierta de Este Número: Cubierta Número 3-01”

CPa, Vol.13, No.39, Last Third 2001, p.123, ill., Eng & Span.

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<[KOUR0109f](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Book Review -- Reseña Bibliográfica: *United States Incoming Steamship Mail, 1847-1875 (Second Edition)*. ”

El Correo de Llegada a los EE.UU. por Vapores, 1847-1875 (Segunda Edición). By Theron J. Wierenga”

CPa, Vol.13, No.39, Last Third 2001, pp.124-125, Eng & Span.

El autor enumera cada uno de los capítulos del texto, describe los contenidos y señala aquellos que guardan mayor relación con la historia postal de Cuba.

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<KOUR0109g> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Editor’s Message” “Mensaje del Editor”

CPa, Vol.13, No.39, Last Third 2001, p.126, Eng & Span.

Report that the Society’s journal was awarded a vermeil medal at the annual philatelic literature competition sponsored by the APS that was held in Chicago at the end of August 2001 and announcement that the first supplement to the Society journal was recently mailed to Society members. The supplement consisted of the Catalogue of Privately Issued Anti-Tuberculosis Stamps of Cuba by Carlos Echenagusía (<[ECHE0110](#)>).

<KOUR0201a> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Editor’s Message” “Mensaje del Editor”

CPa, Vol.14, No.40, First Third 2002, p.4, Eng & Span.

El editor señala la mejoría en la calidad de las imágenes de la revista, analiza el tema de la financiación y anuncia la intención de conmemorar el centenario de la República con varias actividades filatélicas.

<KOUR0201b> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Letters to the Editor” “Cartas al Editor”

CPa, Vol.14, No.40, First Third 2002, pp.5, 39, ill., Eng & Span.

En una carta el remitente informa sobre errores encontrados en textos de literatura filatélica y en una tarjeta conmemorativa de la CPSA. Otra carta reporta un sello falso filatélico, se trata de la sobrecarga horizontal en el valor de un centavo (Scott 221) de los sellos americanos sobrecargados en 1899 para su uso en Cuba.

<KOUR0201c> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Islas de Barlovento”

CPa, Vol.14, No.40, First Third 2002, front cover plus pp.6-13, 15 (10), ill., Eng & Span.

Resumen de la información publicada sobre la marca ISLAS DE BARLOVENTO. El autor publica una tabla con la ilustración de los siete tipos que se han reportado y expone para cada uno: detalles de las letras, ciudades y fechas reportadas, colores de las tintas utilizadas, la mayor o menor rareza de algunas de estas marcas y otros. Muestra las imágenes de cinco cubiertas con la marca ISLAS DE BARLOVENTO e identifica el tipo a que pertenece.

<KOUR0201d> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Mail from the Trochas” “El Correo de las Trochas”

CPa, Vol.14, No.40, First Third 2002, pp.16-17, 42 (3), ill., Eng & Span.

Artículo sobre una pareja de sellos de 1876 (Scott 68), con una cancelación ovalada donde se lee GOBIERNO DE LA LINEA/MILITAR/DEL JUCARO A MORON, y fragmentos de una firma manuscrita. Por el facial de los sellos (25 céntimos), el autor sugiere que se trataba de un uso fiscal de sellos de correos. El artículo contiene detalles de las trochas militares construidas por los españoles durante las guerras por la independencia de Cuba.

<KOUR0201e> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Answers to Cover Number 3-01”

“Respuestas a la Cubierta Número 3-01”

CPa, Vol.14, No.40, First Third 2002, pp.38-39, ill., Eng & Span.

Report of answers received explaining Cover Number 3-01 described in <[KOUR0109e](#)>.

La carta fue impuesta en Puerto Rico en noviembre de 1855 con destino a La Habana y tiene dos marcas en su anverso ISLAS DE BARLOVENTO y la poco usual cifra 1 ½. A juicio del editor ambas marcas fueron impuestas en La Habana. La marca lineal es un uso tardío de la misma. En el caso de la tasa aplicada, el editor considera que se dividió en: un real pagado por el destinatario entre Puerto Rico y Cuba, más ½ real cobrado por el buque contratado.

<KOUR0201f> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Cover of This Issue: Cover Number 1-02”

“Cubierta de Este Número: Cubierta Número 1-02”

CPa, Vol.14, No.40, First Third 2002, p.40 ill., Eng & Span.

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<[KOUR0205a](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Editor’s Message / Mensaje del Editor”

CPa, Vol.14, No.41, Second Third 2002, p.48, Eng & Span.

En el mensaje el editor analiza varios asuntos, entre ellos la posibilidad de alternar la ubicación de las próximas reuniones, la publicación de un artículo sobre historia de la filatelia en Cuba escrito por una persona que reside en la isla y la necesidad de que los miembros más veteranos, documenten sus experiencias y anécdotas relacionadas con la filatelia cubana.

<[KOUR0205b](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Letters to the Editor / Cartas al Editor”

CPa, Vol.14, No.41, Second Third 2002, p.49, ill., Eng & Span.

Artículo sobre un sello del correo interior de La Habana de 1860 (Scott 15), mataselado con la marca lineal “Correo interior”, ver <[KOUR9804d](#)> para más información sobre esta marca. Aclaración sobre una errata en un artículo anterior acerca de la marca ISLAS DE BARLOVENTO, ver <[KOUR0201c](#)>. Anuncio de la publicación por un asociado de un trabajo acerca de los sobres enteros postales con leyendas “al y desde el cañaveral”.

<[KOUR0205c](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Cuban Correspondence and the U.S. Express Mail Service of 1836-39.”

“La correspondencia cubana y el servicio de correo expreso de los EE.UU. de 1836-39.”

Co-author: Geoffrey Lewis (also listed as <[LEWIG0205](#)>).

CPa, Vol.14, No.41, Second Third 2002, pp.50-53 (4), ill., Eng & Span.

Artículo sobre una cubierta impuesta en 1837, con origen en Matanzas y destino en New York. La carta fue transportada por barco hasta Charleston, y de allí a su destino final, por un servicio de correo expreso inaugurado en EE.UU. un año antes. El autor explica los orígenes de este servicio y las tarifas utilizadas. En el artículo se discute otra cubierta, impuesta en La Habana en 1838 con destino a Londres. Esta carta entró a EE.UU. por New Orleans, utilizó el servicio de correo expreso para llegar a New York, y desde allí por barco a su destino final. El artículo incluye información sobre las marcas de la cubierta y analiza los posibles buques que la pudieran haber transportado.

<[KOUR0205d](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Another Two-Real Orange Red Stamp of 1855 on Cover.”

“Otro sello de dos reales rojo naranja de 1855 en cubierta.”

Co-author: Ignacio Prats (also listed as <[PRAT0205](#)>).

CPa, Vol.14, No.41, Second Third 2002, front cover and p.54, ill., Eng & Span.

Descubrimiento de una cubierta franqueada, con un sello rojo naranja de dos reales (Scott 4) en 1856. Este sello de la emisión de 1855 solo se utilizó en Cuba, a diferencia del rojo carmín (Scott 3), que fue utilizado también en Puerto Rico y Filipinas. Anteriormente solo se había reportado una cubierta franqueada con este sello (Scott 4), por lo que el autor las considera como muy raras.

<[KOUR0205e](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Spanish Prisoner of War Mail During the Spanish American War.”

“El correo de prisioneros de guerra españoles durante la guerra hispano-americana.”

CPa, Vol.14, No.41, Second Third 2002, pp.55-60 (6), ill., Eng & Span.

Also see <[KOUR0209b](#)> and <[KOUR0305b](#)> for follow-ups to this article.

A juicio del autor, la correspondencia de los españoles hechos prisioneros durante la Guerra Hispanoamericana es muy escasa, todas las cartas conocidas fueron enviadas desde los EE.UU. En el artículo se reportan tres cubiertas, con los tres tipos de marcas que fueron impuestas por las autoridades americanas a esta correspondencia.

<[KOUR0205f](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Cuba at NAPEX 2002 / Cuba en NAPEX 2002”

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CPa, Vol.14, No.41, Second Third 2002, pp.85-86, ill., Eng & Span.

Report of the annual meeting of the CPSA held during the NAPEX 2002 show at Tysons Corner, Virginia, in the Washington, DC, metropolitan area. After the formal meeting a couple of presentations were given, one titled "Cuban Incoming and Transit Mail Prior to the UPU" by Kourí himself and another one by Ernesto Cuesta who shared some items from his reference collection of Cuban material. Several upcoming publications were also introduced during the meeting, as well as upcoming philatelic shows at which the CPSA would participate. The show included three competitive Cuban exhibits and one in the court of honor by Kourí titled "Cuban Maritime Mail". Ernesto Cuesta presented an exhibit of the Cuban stamps of King Alfonso XIII; Alvaro García presented an exhibit of Cuba during the U.S. Administration, and Silvia García-Frutos presented an exhibit of Cuban postage stamps used fiscally (paying revenue fees).

<[KOUR0205g](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Answers to Cover Number 1-02"

"Respuestas a la Cubierta Número 1-02"

CPa, Vol.14, No.41, Second Third 2002, p.87, ill., Eng & Span.

Report of answers received explaining Cover Number 1-02 described in <[KOUR0201f](#)>.

A través de las marcas que se observan en la cubierta, el autor indica que se trata de una cubierta con franquicia postal, enviada en 1905 desde el consulado francés de Santiago de Cuba, trasladada en valija diplomática al Ministerio de Asuntos Exteriores de Francia, y puesta allí en el correo hasta su destinatario.

<[KOUR0205h](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Cover of This Issue: Cover Number 2-02"

"Cubierta de Este Número: Cubierta Número 2-02"

CPa, Vol.14, No.41, Second Third 2002, p.88, ill., Eng & Span.

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<[KOUR0205i](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Book Review -- Reseña Bibliográfica: ACADEMVS. By Academia Hispánica de Filatelia"

CPa, Vol.14, No.41, Second Third 2002, p.89, Eng & Span.

General overview/review of the journal ACADEMVS published by the "Academia Hispánica de Filatelia" (Hispanic Academy of Philately), based in Madrid, Spain.

<[KOUR0209a](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Editor's Message / Mensaje del Editor"

CPa, Vol.14, No.42, Last Third 2002, p.96, Eng & Span.

Obituario de Gustavo A. Moré, que fue miembro de la sociedad desde 1980. En el mensaje se anuncia la publicación en la revista, de las segundas partes de dos trabajos de filatelia cubana. El primero de enteros postales (continuación de <[KOUR0205b](#)>) y el segundo de la historia de la filatelia en Cuba (continuación de <[KOUR0205a](#)>).

<[KOUR0209b](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Letters to the Editor: Spanish Prisoners of War in the U.S."

"Cartas al Editor: Prisioneros de Guerra Españoles en los EE.UU."

CPa, Vol.14, No.42, Last Third 2002, pp.97-98, ill., Eng & Span.

Report and description of images of three covers received from J. Leonard Diamond with a "Prisoner's Letter" five line handstamp as a follow-up on <[KOUR0205e](#)>. Also see <[KOUR0305b](#)> for an additonal POW cover.

<[KOUR0209c](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Where are the Abono Markings of Cuba?"

"¿Dónde están las marcas de Abono de Cuba?"

CPa, Vol.14, No.42, Last Third 2002, pp.99-103 (5), ill., Eng & Span.

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Según el autor, la opinión prevaleciente sobre el significado de la letra “A”, que aparece en piezas de prefilatelia indica Abono o Abonado. Se extraña que esta marca “A” sea casi inexistente en la correspondencia cubana de esa época. Reporta tres piezas que presentan alguna marca del correo cubano y en las que aparece la letra “A”. Solo una de ellas tiene origen y destino en Cuba, en las otras dos la marca “A” fue impuesta en España.

<[KOUR0209d](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Postal Forgeries of the First Issue of *Antillas* Used Abroad."

"Falsos postales de la primera emisión de *Antillas* usados en el extranjero."

Co-author: Ignacio Prats (also listed as <[PRAT0209](#)>).

CPa, Vol.14, No.42, Last Third 2002, front cover and p.104, ill., Eng & Span.

Los autores señalan que la primera emisión de las Antillas fue muy falsificada. De los falsos postales conocidos la mayoría fueron utilizados en Cuba. El artículo identifica tres falsos postales de esa emisión, pero detectados en Veracruz, Santo Domingo y Cádiz, y solicita otros ejemplos de los lectores.

<[KOUR0209e](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"The Postal Stationery of the Department of Posts of Cuba."

"Los enteros postales del Departamento de Correos de Cuba."

CPa, Vol.14, No.42, Last Third 2002, pp.105-107 (3), ill., Eng & Span.

See follow-ups to this article in <[KOUR0301c](#)>; <[KOUR0305b](#)> and <[KOUR0309b](#)>.

<[KOUR0209f](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Answers to Cover Number 2-02"

"Respuestas a la Cubierta Número 2-02"

CPa, Vol.14, No.42, Last Third 2002, p.128, ill., Eng & Span.

Report of answers received explaining Cover Number 2-02 described in <[KOUR0205h](#)>.

The report focuses on the 4R mark on the cover representing 4 reales de plata fuerte (RPF). The rate for a single weight letter from Cuba to Spain was 5 reales de vellón payable by the addressee in Spanish currency at the time. Since at the time 1 RPF was equivalent to 2 ½ reales de vellón, the 4R corresponded to 10 reales de vellón payable by the addressee upon receipt in Spain for what must have been a double weight letter.

<[KOUR0209g](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Cover of This Issue: Cover Number 3-02"

"Cubierta de Este Número: Cubierta Número 3-02"

CPa, Vol.14, No.42, Last Third 2002, p.129, ill., Eng & Span.

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<[KOUR0209h](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Book Review: *Specialized Catalogue of Cuban Stamps 1855-1959 (2nd Edition)*. By EDIFIL."

"Reseña Biliográfica: *Catálogo especializado de sellos de Cuba 1855-1959 (2da Edición)*. Por EDIFIL."

Co-authors: Silvia García-Frutos (also listed as <[GARCF0209b](#)>); Mark R. Tyx (also listed as <[TYX0209](#)>; and Arturo Martín de Nicolás (also listed as <[MARTN0209](#)>).

CPa, Vol.14, No.42, Last Third 2002, pp.130-133 (4), ill., Eng & Span.

The review is split in four sections after a brief introduction by Dr. Kourí. The first section on p.130, also by Dr. Kourí, reviews the section of the catalogue covering the Spanish colonial and U.S. Administration periods; the second section on p.131, by Silvia García-Frutos, covers the Republic until 1959; the third section on p.132, by aerophilatelist Mark R. Tyx, covers the first flight section of the catalogue; and the fourth section on p.133, by Arturo Martín de Nicolás, covers the postal stationery section of the catalogue.

<[KOUR0212](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Islas de Barlovento" ("Windward Islands")

ACAD, Yr.III, No.4, Dec 2002, pp.15-23 (9), ill., Span.

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Quoting from ACAD, "This article provides an insight into the sources of the postal demarcation "Islas de Barlovento" ("Winward Islands") that originally comprised the islands of Cuba, Hispaniola, Puerto Rico, Trinidad, and Margarita. The author studies the types of marks used throughout the years individually describing each one. No stamped letter has ever been reported carrying the mark "Islas de Barlovento". Almost all of the marks of this type used from the 18th Century until early 1820 were applied at Havana, while most of those used from 1820 on were applied in Spanish ports."

<KOUR0301a> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Revenue Use of the 1868 HABILITADO Por La NACION 40 Cent Stamp."

"Uso Fiscal del Sello HABILITADO Por La NACION de 40 Centavos de 1868."

Co-author: Silvia García-Frutos (also listed as <GARCF0301a>).

CPa, Vol.15, No.43, First Third 2003, front cover plus pp.12-14 (4), ill., Eng & Span.

Article on the unique fiscal use of an HABILITADO Por La NACION 40 ¢ postage stamp of 1868, Scott 37.

In fact this was the only fiscal use of an HABILITADO Por La NACION from 1868 or 1869 reported to date.

Unfortunately, Mrs. García-Frutos later reported that she inadvertently disposed of the mailer in which Dr. Kourí returned the stamp after writing the article with the document inside it, so it has been lost to Cuban philately forever.

<KOUR0301b> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Editor's Message / Mensaje del Editor"

CPa, Vol.15, No.43, First Third 2003, p.4, Eng & Span.

Obituary of William (Bill) McP. Jones, report of the successful annual meeting of the CPSA at TEXPEX 2003.

<KOUR0301c> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Letters to the Editor / Cartas al Editor"

CPa, Vol.15, No.43, First Third 2003, p.5, Eng & Span.

This entry includes the following two sub-headings:

1) "Postal Stationery of the Department of Posts of Cuba" "Enteros Postales del Departamento de Correos de Cuba" This is a follow-up to <KOUR0209e>.

2) "Los Indios, Isla de Pinos"

<KOUR0301d> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"The Oval 'SANTHOMAS.' Marking of Santiago de Cuba."

"La Marca Ovalada 'SANTHOMAS.' de Santiago de Cuba."

Co-author: Ignacio Prats (also listed as <PRAT0301>).

CPa, Vol.15, No.43, First Third 2003, pp.6-11 (6), Eng & Span.

Artículo sobre cuatro cubiertas con la marca lineal SANTHOMAS dentro de un óvalo. Las cartas fueron recibidas en Cuba entre los años 40 al 60 del siglo XIX, y a juicio del autor dicha marca se aplicó en Santiago de Cuba. En el artículo se explican las tarifas, destinatarios, barcos y otros datos sobre esta marca ovalada.

<KOUR0301e> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Mail Through the Lines (Spanish-American) in Cuba During 1898."

"El Correo a Través de la Frontera (Española-Americana) en Cuba Durante 1898."

CPa, Vol.15, No.43, First Third 2003, pp.15-17 (3), ill., Eng & Span.

Artículo sobre una cubierta impuesta sin franqueo en La Habana y recibida en Santiago de Cuba el 2 de octubre de 1898. Debido a que en esa fecha la parte más oriental de la isla estaba ocupada por las tropas americanas, la carta se trató como recibida del extranjero. Por la razón anterior se le impuso una tasa por cobrar de 10 centavos, el doble de la tarifa internacional de la UPU.

<KOUR0301f> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Resultados de Subasta -- Auction Results: Robert A. Siegel. The Drucker Family Collection, Part III (U.S. Possessions). New York, February 26, 2003."

Co-author: Rudy J. Roy, Jr. (also listed as <ROY0301b>).

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CPa, Vol.15, No.43, First Third 2003, pp.30-31, ill., Eng & Span.

Resumen de los valores más sobresalientes de piezas cubanas alcanzados en una subasta de la casa Robert A. Siegel. Las piezas incluían la etapa de la intervención americana y los primeros años de la República, se vendieron pruebas, errores en sellos y en enteros postales.

<[KOUR0301g](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Cuba en -- Cuba at: TEXPEX 2003. Dallas, April 11-13, 2003."

CPa, Vol.15, No.43, First Third 2003, pp.32-34, 39 (4), ill., Eng & Span.

Report of the participation of the CPSA at TEXPEX 2003 with the presentation of 8 Cuban exhibits among which were gold and three vermeil award winners. All exhibits and the awards each obtained are listed. A one-page photo gallery of CPSA participants at the show is also provided on p.34.

<[KOUR0301h](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Answers to Cover Number 3-02"

"Respuestas a la Cubierta Número 3-02"

CPa, Vol.15, No.43, First Third 2003, p.35, ill., Eng & Span.

Report of answers received explaining Cover Number 3-02 described in <[KOUR0209g](#)>.

La carta analizada fue enviada desde La Habana en 1857, viajó en un vapor americano hasta Charleston, donde se le impuso la marca circular de esa ciudad. El franqueo de 15 centavos que se pagó con sellos americanos amparaba el traslado hasta Montreal.

<[KOUR0301i](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Cover of This Issue: Cover Number 1-03"

"Cubierta de Este Número: Cubierta Número 1-03"

CPa, Vol.15, No.43, First Third 2003, p.36, ill., Eng & Span.

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<[KOUR0301j](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Book Review: *Spanish Maritime Mails*. By Francisco Garay Unibaso."

"Reseña Biliográfica: *Correos Marítimos Españoles*. Por Francisco Garay Unibaso."

CPa, Vol.15, No.43, First Third 2003, pp.37-38, ill., Eng & Span.

Book review of the set of four books on various aspects of the Spanish Maritime Mails that were published by the author in 1987 (Vols.I and II--see <[GARA8700](#)>), 1991 (Vol.III--see <[GARA9100](#)>), and 1996 (Vol.IV--see <[GARA9600](#)>). Refer to <[ROSE9102](#)> for a one page book review of Volumes I and II. Excerpts from Vols. I and II were translated into German and published in *Spanien Rundbrief* (see <[GARA9012](#)> and <[GARA9112](#)>).

<[KOUR0305a](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Editor's Message / Mensaje del Editor"

CPa, Vo.15, No.44, Second Third 2003, p.44, Eng. & Span.

El editor anuncia la medalla de Vermeil obtenida por la revista de la sociedad en una competición de literatura filatélica en Ohio, las próximas reuniones de la sociedad y actualiza el estado de los trabajos de filatelia cubana que están en preparación.

<[KOUR0305b](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Letters to the Editor / Cartas al Editor"

CPa, Vo.15, No.44, Second Third 2003, pp.45-47 (3), Eng. & Span.

This entry includes the following two sub-headings:

1) "Yet another wonderful Spanish POW cover from Leonard Diamond" "Otra maravillosa cubierta a un Prisionero de Guerra (PDG) español de Leonard Diamond"--a follow-up to <[KOUR0205e](#)> and <[KOUR0209b](#)>.

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2) "More U.S. Administration Department of Posts of Cuba Stationery" "Más Enteros Postales Americanos del Departamento de Correos de Cuba"--a follow-up to <[KOUR0209e](#)>. Also see entry No. 2 in <[KOUR0309b](#)> for another example of these covers.

<[KOUR0305c](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"The Markings of the French Consular Post Offices and Steamers in Cuba (1862-1901): A Collector's Guide."

"Las Marcas de las Agencias Postales Consulares y Vapores Franceses en Cuba (1862-1901):

Una Guía para el Coleccionista"

CPa, Vo.15, No.44, Second Third 2003, pp.45-47 (3), Eng. & Span.

El trabajo resume las marcas, utilizadas por las líneas francesas y las agencias postales de ese país, que transportaron correspondencia de Cuba. Se reproducen un total de 34 marcas, impuestas por 8 líneas de barcos y dos de las agencias consulares de La Habana y Santiago de Cuba. Para cada una de las líneas se indican los años entre los que operó, la cantidad y nombres de los barcos, los puertos de origen y destino, las cubiertas cubanas conocidas transportadas por la línea y detalles de las mismas.

<[KOUR0305d](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"More Department of Posts Postal Stationery: The *Text Envelopes*"

"Más Enteros Postales de Departamento de Correos: Los Sobres con *Texto*"

CPa, Vo.15, No.44, Second Third 2003, pp.56-60 (5), Eng. & Span.

El artículo abunda sobre el uso en Cuba, de los sobres con la franquicia "ASUNTO OFICIAL" (ver <[KOUR0209e](#)>). Estos sobres fueron utilizados por primera vez en Cuba durante la intervención americana. Hay dos tablas de clasificación de estos sobres. En la primera tabla hay cuatro categorías, diferenciadas por la redacción del mensaje con el aviso de penalidad en la esquina superior derecha. En la segunda tabla, los tipos se diferencian de acuerdo a los textos que las agencias oficiales emisoras imprimían en la esquina superior izquierda.

<[KOUR0305e](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Respuestas a la Cubierta Número 1-03"

"Answers to Cover Number 1-03"

CPa, Vo.15, No.44, Second Third 2003, p.76, Eng. & Span.

Report of answers received explaining Cover Number 1-03 described in <[KOUR0301i](#)>.

The reviewed cover was mailed from Madrid to New Orleans via Cuba where it was assessed a 1 rpf fee (marked with the "1" on the front). Once the 1 rpf was paid, a "0" was applied on the back, a mark that identified the payment. The STEAMSHIP 10 mark was applied by the steamship that carried the mail from Cuba to the U.S. to be collected from the recipient. The analysis leaves unanswered who paid the 1 rpf fee assessed upon the cover's arrival in Cuba. The logical answer is that the 1 rpf fee was paid by the steamship that transported the letter from Cuba to New Orleans upon receiving it from the Cuban post office for its transport to destination. The 1 rpf fee covered the transport of the cover via steamship from Spain to Cuba.

<[KOUR0305f](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Cubierta de Este Número: Cubierta Número 2-03"

"Cover of This Issue: Cover Number 2-03"

CPa, Vo.15, No.44, Second Third 2003, p.77, Eng. & Span.

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<[KOUR0305g](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Book Review -- Reseña Bibliográfica: *Notes for a Catalog of Cuban Stamps with Corporate Perforations*.

Apuntes para un Catálogo de Sellos Cubanos con Perforaciones de Empresas. By Marta Fernández López and Alfredo Díaz Gámez"

CPa, Vo.15, No.44, Second Third 2003, p.78, Eng. & Span.

Review of the subject article that appeared in RF, April 2003, pp.289-291 (see <[FERNL0304](#)> = <[DIAZG0304](#)>).

<[KOUR0306](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

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"The Hodgson Correspondence: 18th Century Mail from the Western Caribbean to England"

PHJ, No.125, Jun 2003, pp.6-15 (10), ill. See <KOUR0405> for Spanish translation.

Study of several letters from the 18th Century Hodgson correspondence from the Western Caribbean to England that travelled through the British, French, and Spanish postal system. A couple of the letters discussed and illustrated passed in transit through the port of Habana.

<[KOUR0308](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"The HAVANA Markings of Savannah, Georgia, and Charleston, South Carolina,
Used on Incoming Steamship Mail"

Co-Author: Theron J. Wierenga (<WIER0308>).

Chron, Vol.55, No3, WNo.199, Aug 2003, pp.221-230 (10), ill.;

Chron, Vol.56, No1, WNo.201, Feb 2004, pp.63-73 (11), ill.

El artículo estudia la utilización de dos marcas, utilizadas a mediados del siglo XIX en Savannah y Charleston. Las marcas, en las que aparecía la palabra HAVANA, fueron las primeras marcas americanas con el nombre de una ciudad extranjera y fueron utilizadas para diferenciar la correspondencia que llegaba de Cuba. La marca lineal HAVANA fue utilizada entre 1848 y 1859, junto a un cuño circular SAVANNAH en esta ciudad. En el trabajo aparecen las imágenes de 7 de estas cubiertas y se explican las tarifas, fechas y los detalles de ambas marcas. En la ciudad de Charleston se utilizaron dos cuños, en los que se lee HAVANA dentro de los mismos. En el artículo aparecen las imágenes de dos cubiertas con estos cuños y otras tres cubiertas con la combinación de un cuño circular CHARLESTON y una marca lineal HAVANA.

<[KOUR0309a](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Editor's Message / Mensaje del Editor"

CPa, Vol.15, No.45, Last Third 2003, p.84, Eng & Span.

Anuncios de la próxima reunión de la CPSA en Boxboro, Massachusetts, y en la exposición internacional de Valencia, España. El editor además comenta sobre los trabajos de filatelia que se presentan a continuación en la revista. See <THOMP0401> for report of awards received by Cuban exhibits at the Boxboro show.

<[KOUR0309b](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Letters to the Editor / Cartas al Editor"

CPa, Vol.15, No.45, Last Third 2003, p.85, Eng & Span.

This entry includes the following two sub-headings:

1) "Estes G. Rathbone strikes again" "Estes G. Rathbone ataca nuevamente" and

2) "Another Department of Posts *Text envelope*" "Otro sobre del Departamento de Correos con *Texto*". This is a follow-up to <[KOUR0209c](#)> and item No.2 in <[KOUR0305b](#)>.

<[KOUR0309c](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Cuban Stampless Covers with Multiple Straightline Markings."

"Sobres Prefilatélicos con Múltiples Marcas Lineales de Poblaciones Cubanas."

CPa, Vol.15, No.45, Last Third 2003, pp.88-90 (3), Eng & Span.

Artículo sobre cuatro cubiertas pre filatélicas, en las que se estamparon dos marcas lineales con los nombres de poblaciones diferentes. El autor considera raras este tipo de cubiertas. En cada una explica las fechas, las tarifas y las probables causas de la doble estampación.

<[KOUR0309d](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"The First Landings of American Invasion Forces in Cuba."

"Los Primeros Desembarcos de la Fuerza de Invasión Americanas en Cuba."

Co-author: Jack E. Thompson (also listed as <THOMP0309>).

CPa, Vol.15, No.45, Last Third 2003, pp.96-98 (3), Eng & Span.

El primer desembarco de tropas americanas en Cuba ocurrió el 22 de junio de 1898. Los autores reportan dos cubiertas, enviadas por soldados americanos a EEUU, los días 22 y 25 de junio de ese año. Explican las causas por las que consideran que se hayan conservado muy pocas cartas de los primeros días del conflicto. En el caso de las cubiertas reportadas su identificación fue posible porque conservaron el contenido escrito de la misiva.

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<[KOUR0309e](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Respuestas a la Cubierta Número 2-03"

"Answers to Cover Number 2-03"

CPa, Vol.15, No.45, Last Third 2003, p.116, Eng & Span.

Report of answers received explaining Cover Number 2-03 described in <[KOUR0305f](#)>.

El autor explica las tres marcas de pago que aparecen en la cubierta en estudio. Dos de ellas fueron aplicadas en Cuba y pagaron la tarifa desde Matanzas a La Habana (1 ½ real de plata), y de esta ciudad a España (4 reales de plata). La última cifra, (9 reales de Vellón) se aplicó en España junto a dos marcas circulares de llegada.

<[KOUR0309f](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Cubierta de Este Número: Cubierta Número 3-03"

"Cover of This Issue: Cover Number 3-03"

CPa, Vol.15, No.45, Last Third 2003, p.117, Eng. & Span.

The “cover of the issue” column features a cover with interesting unexplained postal markings in an attempt to seek further explanation of the postal markings on the cover from the journal’s readers. See <[KOUR0401d](#)> for answers.

<[KOUR0309g](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Reseña Bibliográfica -- Book Review: *La Empresa Mercantil de Correos Marítimos de La Habana (1827-1851)*.

By Francisco Piniela Corbacho."

CPa, Vol.15, No.45, Last Third 2003, p.118, Eng. & Span.

A juicio del autor, lo más importante del libro para los estudiosos de historia postal, son las tablas con los puertos y fechas de salida y llegada de los buques de la Empresa. Lamenta que no se incluyera en el libro el estudio de las marcas postales utilizadas por la misma.

<[KOUR0312](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Las Marcas Postales de Nueva Orleans Española" ("The Postal Markings of Spanish New Orleans")

ACAD, Yr.IV, No.6, Dec 2003, front cover plus pp.17-24 (9), ill., Span.

This article describes postal communications with New Orleans during the second half of the 18th Century, discussing sea mail, demarcation, origin, free franking, and registration marks, as well as official mail, administrative postmarks, and handwritten markings found on covers of the period. Communications with Cuba are discussed and are illustrated with examples of covers that travelled between New Orleans and Cuba.

<[KOUR0400](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

The Postal History of Spanish New Orleans

Churchdown, Gloucestershire, U.K.: The Stuart Rossiter Trust Fund, 2004, xiv plus 306 pp., ill.

See <[LEWIG0501](#)> for book review. The book describes the development of communications and mail service; of the city of New Orleans, during the time it remained under Spanish rule (1763 to 1804). It consists of preface, seven chapters, appendices, bibliography, and index.

<[KOUR0401a](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"2004 Buenaventura Cruz Planas Award: Silvia García-Frutos"

CPa, Vol.16, No.46, First Third 2004, front cover and p.4, ill., Eng. & Span.

Reconocimiento al trabajo de Silvia García-Frutos dentro de la CPSA. Se destaca el trabajo realizado con la revista y con la organización de las subastas. También se pueden señalar las numerosas exhibiciones de filatelia cubana, presentados a lo largo de su trayectoria, en diferentes eventos de los Estados Unidos.

<[KOUR0401b](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"A Mystery Solved? The Combination of Revenue and Postage Stamps on Fiscal Documents."

"¿Un Misterio Resuelto? La Combinación de Sellos Fiscales y Postales en Documentos Fiscales."

Co-author: Silvia García-Frutos (also listed as <[GARCF0401](#)>).

CPa, Vol.16, No.46, First Third 2004, pp.10-11, ill., Eng. & Span.

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Discusión e ilustración de un documento fiscal de 1860, en el que se combinan sellos fiscales y postales. Una anotación en el reverso del documento, aclara que los sellos de correos pagaron el porte del documento durante su tramitación. Ver <KOUR9607c> para más información sobre el tema.

<KOUR0401c> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"The Cuban Revolutionary Party Canceller Used in Key West."

"El Matasello del Partido Revolucionario Cubano Usado en Cayo Hueso."

CPa, Vol.16, No.46, First Third 2004, pp.12-14, ill., Eng. & Span.

The article discusses an undated circular handstamp with a serrated edge that was applied to an 1898 proof of payment of a pension issued by the Cuban Revolutionary Party in Key West. The same handstamp also appears on a cover mailed from Key West to the head of the revolutionary armed forces in Cuba in which the handstamp was used to cancel a 5c. stamp (Edifil Correo Insurrecto No. 3) issued by the Cuban Revolutionary Party to frank revolutionary mail. Also see <KOUR0105c> for a previous article on Cuban Revolutionary Party mails.

<KOUR0401d> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Respuestas a la Cubierta Número 3-03"

"Answers to Cover Number 3-03"

CPa, Vol.16, No.46, First Third 2004, p.36, ill., Eng. & Span.

Report of answers received explaining Cover Number 3-03 described in <KOUR0309f>.

La cubierta en cuestión fue enviada en 1875 desde Guanajay en Cuba a Francia. El sello de 50 céntimos de peseta pagó la tarifa hasta Cádiz en un vapor español, el fechador circular se impuso en el intercambio postal en la frontera con Francia y la marca de 6 decímes pagaba el tránsito hasta su destino final en ese país.

<KOUR0401e> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Cubierta de Este Número: Cubierta Número 1-04"

"Cover of This Issue: Cover Number 1-04"

CPa, Vol.16, No.46, First Third 2004, p.37, Eng. & Span.

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<KOUR0401f> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Book Review: *The Local Mail Service of Havana: 1860 - Y $\frac{1}{4}$ Surcharge*. By Ignacio Prats."

"Reseña Bibliográfica: *El Correo Interior de La Habana: Habilitados Y $\frac{1}{4}$ de 1860*. Por Ignacio Prats."

CPa, Vol.16, No.46, First Third 2004, p.38, ill., Eng. & Span.

A juicio del autor, el folleto de 32 páginas escrito por Ignacio Pratt sobre el plancheo de los sellos Y $\frac{1}{4}$ de 1860, es la obra más completa que se ha escrito sobre el tema, y considera que es de obligada consulta para los estudiosos del tema.

<KOUR0401g> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Editor's Message / Mensaje del Editor"

CPa, Vol.16, No.46, First Third 2004, p.39, ill., Eng. & Span.

Anuncio de la reunión de la CPSA planeada para el 2005 en San Francisco. El editor estuvo presente en la exposición mundial de Valencia y menciona que hubo una destacada participación de exhibiciones de filatelia cubana.

<KOUR0405> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"La Correspondencia Hodgson—Correos del siglo XVIII entre el Caribe Occidental e Inglaterra"

("The Hodgson Correspondence—18th Century Mail from the Western Caribbean to England")

Co-author: Leo J. Harris (also listed under <HARRL0405>)

ACAD, Yr.V, No.7, May 2004, Cover page plus pp.25-33 (9), ill. Spanish translation of <KOUR0306>.

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Quoting from ACAD, "The study of several of these letters provides an insight into the postal history and communications at the end of the 18th Century between the Caribbean Sea and Europe, specially those processed as maritime mail on the ports where the ships moored."

<KOUR0405a> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Editor's Message / Mensaje del Editor"

CPa, Vol.16, No.47, Second Third 2004, pp.44, Eng. & Span.

En su mensaje el editor comenta sobre un par de los artículos incluidos en la revista. El primero es un artículo del correo por buques de cabotaje del colega español Angel Torres Verdugo que presenta una nueva perspectiva sobre el tema (ver <TORREV0405>). El segundo es un artículo sobre franqueos mecánicos de Carlos Echenagusía (ver <ECHE0405>) que añade un buen número de dichos franqueos a los detallados por Mestre-Jordi en <MEST0309>. Finalmente el editor de la revista anuncia que se planea un numero extraordinario de la revista en el 2005 para celebrar el número 50 de la misma y también anuncia la medalla Vermeil obtenida por la revista en la competencia anual de literatura filatélica de Sacramento, California, en agosto de 2003 .

<KOUR0405b> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Letters to the Editor / Cartas al Editor"

CPa, Vol.16, No.47, Second Third 2004, pp.45 , ill., Eng. & Span.

This entry includes the following sub-headings:

- 1) "News from Cuba" "Noticias de Cuba"
- 2) "Postal Slogan Cancels" "Cancelaciones Postales de Propaganda"
- 3) "Postal Stationery?" ¿Enteros Postales?"

<KOUR0405c> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"More About Coastal Mail in Cuba. / Más acerca del correo de cabotaje en Cuba."

CPa, Vol.16, No.47, Second Third 2004, pp.51-55 (5) , ill., Eng. & Span.

El autor llama la atención sobre la poca información existente, para la detección de cubiertas transportadas por barcos de cabotaje en Cuba, y plantea varias interrogantes sin respuesta hasta el momento. Divide la correspondencia por cabotaje en dos períodos; antes y después del uso de sellos. Del período pre-filatélico presenta una cubierta con la marca de recepción HABANA, que presume fue enviada por cabotaje desde Matanzas; y otra cubierta impuesta en Santiago de Cuba con la indicación "Vapor Villanueva". Del período filatélico presenta dos cubiertas: una con la marca VAPOR DE LA HABANA utilizada como matasellos, y la otra enviada de Santiago de Cuba a Manzanillo, con la indicación "Por Argonauta".

<KOUR0405d> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"A Canceller of the Military Railroad on The Trocha"

"Un matasellos del ferrocarril militar de La Trocha"

Co-author: Silvia García-Frutos (also listed as <GARCF0405a>)

CPa, Vol.16, No.47, Second Third 2004, p.56 , ill., Eng. & Span.

Informe de un cuño al que, ante la falta de información, se le atribuye un posible uso fiscal.

<KOUR0405e> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"An Anonymous Letter. / Una carta anónima."

CPa, Vol.16, No.47, Second Third 2004, pp.57-58 , ill., Eng. & Span.

El autor presenta una cubierta con un fechador de Trinidad de 1861 y reproduce el texto anónimo contenido en la misma. Señala que, en ocasiones los contenidos de las misivas reflejan un retrato o crónica del momento y lugar donde se escribe

<KOUR0405f> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Unreported Auxiliary Straightline Markings of the U.S. Military Postal Station in Havana."

"Marcas lineales auxiliares no reportadas de la Estación Militar de los EE.UU. en La Habana."

CPa, Vol.16, No.47, Second Third 2004, pp.59-61 (3), ill., Eng. & Span.

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Artículo sobre dos marcas lineales auxiliares de la Estación Militar No. 10 de La Habana. El autor explica los diversos usos que se le dieron a las marcas auxiliares durante la intervención americana. Además, explica las fechas, los franqueos y demás detalles de las piezas en que se encontraron las marcas.

<KOUR0405g> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Answers to Cover Number 1-04"

"Respuestas a la Cubierta Número 1-04"

CPa, Vol.16, No.47, Second Third 2004, p.76, ill., Eng. & Span.

Report of answers received explaining Cover Number 1-04 described in [<KOUR0401e>](#).

La cubierta siendo analizada se envió en 1855 desde Texas a Francia. En esa fecha las cubiertas se enviaban por tierra hasta New York o Boston y de allí a Francia. La cubierta en cuestión viajó por una circunstancia no explicada hasta La Habana, donde se le impusieron varias marcas para identificar: el origen (NA), la tasa de tránsito (1 real), un fechador Baeza y una curiosa marca en forma de firma, que solo se utilizó en La Habana en 1855. Ver [<KOUR9807c>](#).

<KOUR0405h> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Cover of This Issue: Cover Number 2-04"

"Cubierta de Este Número: Cubierta Número 2-04"

CPa, Vol.16, No.47, Second Third 2004, p.77 , ill., Eng. & Span.

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<KOUR0405i> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Book Review -- Reseña Bibliográfica: *Prefilatelia Española (3rd Edition / 3era Edición)*. By Manuel Tizón"

CPa, Vol.16, No.47, Second Third 2004, pp. , ill., Eng. & Span.

Book review of [<TIZO0400>](#). For another book review see [<SEMP0406>](#).

El autor reconoce el volumen de la información recogida y la importancia que tiene el libro para los coleccionistas de prefilatelia. Argumenta que se imprimió con excelente calidad, en cuatro tomos y más de 1600 páginas. Indica que la parte dedicada a Cuba no puede declararse como definitiva. Finalmente lamenta que el precio es bastante alto y que no se vendan los tomos de forma individual.

<KOUR0409a> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Mixed Franking with a Surcharged Stamp of 1883."

"Franqueo Mixto con un Sello Sobrecargado de 1883."

CPa, Vol.16, No.48, Last Third 2004, front cover plus pp.94-95 (3) , ill., Eng. & Span.

Artículo sobre una cubierta circulada en 1883 con origen en La Habana y destino New York. Se utilizó un franqueo de dos sellos: el primero de la emisión sobrecargada de ese año, 10 céntimos con sobrecarga "tipo e" en color azul (Scott 119); y el segundo, un sello de 5 centavos de 1883, del tipo con primer retoque (Scott 125). El autor presume que la cubierta fue hecha con fines filatélicos.

<KOUR0409b> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Editor's Message / Mensaje del Editor"

CPa, Vol.16, No.48, Last Third 2004, p.84, Eng. & Span.

Mensaje del editor sobre los siguientes temas: 1) Llamado a participar en la exposición de abril de 2005 en San Francisco, donde habrá varias colecciones de filatelia cubana. 2) Solicitud de artículos relacionados con el 150 aniversario de los primeros sellos cubanos a cumplirse en el 2005. 3) Publicación en el número, de dos trabajos sobre filatelia fiscal que califica como muy originales. 4) Solicitud de artículos sobre la filatelia de la etapa La República. El editor considera que es un área poco abordada pero fértil para la investigación.

<KOUR0409c> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Letters to the Editor / Cartas al Editor"

CPa, Vol.16, No.48, Last Third 2004, pp.85-86, Eng. & Span.

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This entry includes the following sub-headings:

- 1) "Gauthier Brothers' *Compagnie Générale Transatlantique*" "La Compagnie Générale Transatlantique de los Hermanos Gauthier" [Transatlantique misspelled in the original], from Jeffrey Bohn, French maritime mail specialist;
- 2) "One More Lady in a Stamp of the Cuban Republic: Luisa Pérez de Zambrana" "Otra Dama en un Sello Cubano de la República: Luisa Pérez de Zambrana"
- 3) "Revenue Use of a Cuban *Mechanical Franking*" "Uso Fiscal de un Franqueo Mecánico Cubano"

<KOUR0409d> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"The Steamer *Great Western* and Cuba."

"El Vapor *Great Western* y Cuba."

CPa, Vol.16, No.48, Last Third 2004, pp.87-90 (4), Eng. & Span.

Artículo sobre dos cubiertas cubanas transportadas por el vapor inglés Great Western. La primera carta fue llevada por un agente encaminador hasta New York y de allí por el Great Western hasta Londres. La segunda carta fue impuesta en 1850 en La Habana con destino a Londres siendo transportada por el mismo vapor, durante el período en que estuvo viajando entre Inglaterra y las Antillas. En el artículo se describen las marcas de las cubiertas y las tarifas aplicadas.

<KOUR0409e> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"The *BAEZA* Project - III"

"El Proyecto *BAEZA* - III"

CPa, Vol.16, No.48, Last Third 2004, pp.91-93 (3), Eng. & Span.

Actualización del proyecto de recopilación de los cuños Baeza utilizados en Cuba. El editor indica que hay 125 nuevas modificaciones en la tabla. Ver<KOUR9710a>, <KOUR9710i> y <KOUR9810f> para artículos anteriores.

<KOUR0409f> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"German Warships in Cuban Waters During the Spanish American War."

"Buques de Guerra Alemanes en Aguas Cubanas Durante la Guerra Hispano-Americana."

CPa, Vol.16, No.48, Last Third 2004, pp.96-100 (5), Eng. & Span.

Cronología de los acontecimientos del conflicto entre España y los EE.UU., en los que estuvieron involucrados barcos de guerra alemanes. En el artículo se reportan dos tarjetas postales, impuestas en esos barcos durante sus estancias en La Habana y Santiago de Cuba.

<KOUR0409g> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Answers to Cover Number 2-04"

"Respuestas a la Cubierta Número 2-04"

CPa, Vol.16, No.48, Last Third 2004, p.116, ill., Eng. & Span.

Report of answers received explaining Cover Number 2-04 described in <[KOUR0405h](#)>. Also see "Letter to the Editor" from Geoffrey Lewis in <[KOUR0501b](#)>.

<KOUR0409h> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

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CPa, Vol.16, No.48, Last Third 2004, p.117 , ill., Eng. & Span.

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<KOUR0409i> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Book Review: *Catalog of Post Offices*. By Pedro M. Rodríguez."

"Reseña Bibliográfica: *Catálogo de Oficinas Postales*. Por Pedro M. Rodríguez."

CPa, Vol.16, No.48, Last Third 2004, p.118, Eng. & Span.

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Book review of <[RODR8605](#)>; however the Dr. Kourí fails to acknowledge in this review the existence of a second expanded edition of this catalog from August 1995 (see <[RODR9508](#)>) which addresses some of the shortcomings identified by Dr. Kourí in the initial 1986 edition.

<[KOUR0412](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"El Uso de la Marca Lineal HABANA por la Empresa de Correos Marítimos"

("Use of the Straighline Mark HABANA by the Maritime Posts Company")

ACAD, Yr.V, No.8, Dec 2004, pp.45-51 (7), ill., Span.

Quoting from ACAD "This article deals with the postal mark HABANA that was in use by the Havana postal administration since 1820 until mid-1842 when it was replaced by the circular "Baeza" datestamp. The author claims as irrefutable the evidence of the use of this linear mark by the Empresa de Correos Marítimos, specially in the correspondence in transit at Cuba, and reproduces a selection of pieces to support his thesis.

<[KOUR0501a](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Editor's Message / Mensaje del Editor"

CPa, Vol.17, No.49, First Third 2005, p.4, Eng. & Span.

Mention of the 150th anniversary of the first Cuban stamp, report of the earliest use of the 1855 Y ¼ surcharge (Scott 5) in an article of the present issue of the journal, mention of the Editor's 10th anniversary as the journal's editor, report of the Cuban Philatelic Society of America's participation in WESTPEX 2005, and plans for participation of the society in the international philatelic exhibition INTEREXPO 05 in Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic.

<[KOUR0501b](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Letters to the Editor / Cartas al Editor"

CPa, Vol.17, No.49, First Third 2005, p.5, Eng. & Span.

El editor anuncia la recepción de dos comentarios sobre una cubierta enviada en 1852 desde nueva Escocia a La Habana. No hay coincidencia entre ambos comentarios que permitan determinar el monto de las tarifas y quién las pagó. Ver también <[KOUR0409g](#)> para una discusión anterior. El editor también acusa el recibo por parte de otro colaborador, de la existencia de tres cancelaciones con bandeletas de propaganda no reportadas, todas pertenecientes al período socialista.

<[KOUR0501c](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"2005 Buenaventura Cruz Planas Award: Pedro M. Rodríguez."

CPa, Vol.17, No.49, First Third 2005, p.6-7, ill., Eng. & Span.

Reconocimiento de la obra del galardonado, especialmente en lo relativo a la publicación de catálogos: como el de oficinas postales de Cuba, de sellos del timbre, y de las oficinas ambulantes entre otros.

<[KOUR0501d](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Earliest Known Use of the Y ¼ Stamp of 1855."

"El uso más temprano conocido del sello Y ¼ de 1855."

Co-author: Francisco Otegui (also listed as <[OTEG0501](#)>).

CPa, Vol.17, No.49, First Third 2005, pp.11-12, ill., Eng. & Span.

Informe de la fecha más temprana para el uso del sello Y ¼ (Scott 5). El sello aparece en una carta enviada el 5 de diciembre de 1855. La fecha más temprana que se había reportado anteriormente era el 20 de julio de 1856.

<[KOUR0501e](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Auxiliary Markings of the U.S. Military Postal Stations in Cuba: The Addressee Cannot Be Found."

"Marcas Auxiliares de las Estaciones Postales Militares de los EE.UU. en Cuba: No se encuentra el destinatario."

CPa, Vol.17, No.49, First Third 2005, pp.13-17 (5), ill., Eng. & Span.

Según el autor, el uso de marcas en Cuba para indicar la imposibilidad de la entrega de correspondencia, empieza en 1898 con la intervención americana. En el artículo se reportan cuatro cubiertas enviadas a Cuba durante ese período. Dos de ellas tienen marcas de la estación militar No. 1 de Santiago de Cuba, indicando que no se pudieron entregar al destinatario. Otra tiene una marca de la estación militar No. 20 de Sancti Spíritus e indica que había sido enviada por error a esa estación.

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<[KOUR0501f](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Answers to Cover Number 3-04”

“Respuestas a la Cubierta Número 3-04”

CPa, Vol.17, No.49, First Third 2005, p.36, ill., Eng. & Span.

Report of answers received explaining Cover Number 3-04 described in <[KOUR0409h](#)>.

Las marcas de la cubierta indican que viajó por tierra desde Santiago de Cuba hasta La Habana y de allí fue puesta en la embarcación Correo Marítimo No. 1, que probablemente la dejó en Puerto Rico. Desde esa isla un agente encaminador se encargó de llevarla hasta su destino final en S. Thomas.

<[KOUR0501g](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Cover of This Issue: Cover Number 1-05”

“Cubierta de Este Número: Cubierta Número 1-05”

CPa, Vol.17, No.49, First Third 2005, p.37, ill., Eng. & Span.

The “cover of the issue” column features a cover with interesting unexplained postal markings in an attempt to seek further explanation of the postal markings on the cover from the journal’s readers. See <[KOUR0507d](#)> for answers.

<[KOUR0504](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“The Sesquicentennial of the First Cuban Stamps (1855-2005)”

San Francisco, CA: WESTPEX 2005 Program, 15-17 Apr 2005, p.18, ill.

Brief article commemorating the 150th anniversary of the issuing of the first postage stamps of Cuba. The article describes the historical background that brought about the introduction of postage stamps for the prepayment of mail in Cuba and also provides overall information about the issue.

<[KOUR0507a](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Census of the Puerto Príncipe Provisional Stamp Issues on Cover.”

“Censo de la Emisión Provisional de Puerto Príncipe en Cubiertas.”

Co-Author: Ignacio Prats (also listed as <[PRAT0507](#)>

CPa, Vol.17, No.50, Last Half 2005, pp.41, 56-68, 91-93 (20), ill., Eng. & Span.

Comprehensive census of the known genuine covers bearing samples of the Puerto Príncipe provisional stamp issue with 15 covers illustrated. Several minor errors in the article were later corrected in <[KOUR0709b](#)>.

<[KOUR0507b](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Editor's Message / Mensaje del Editor.”

CPa, Vol.17, No.50, Last Half 2005, p.44, Eng. & Span.

Anuncio de la emisión de un número extraordinario de la revista de la sociedad. Se reconoce el meritorio trabajo que se ha realizado en la calidad del amplio contenido de la revista, detallado en su bibliografía (ver <[KOUR0507f](#)>).

También se destacan las subastas montadas periódicamente por la sociedad y la página web de la sociedad.

<[KOUR0507c](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“The New York & Cuba Mail Steamship Company and its Philatelic Legacy”

“La New York & Cuba Mail Steamship Company y su Legado Filatélico”

CPa, Vol.17, No.50, Last Half 2005, pp.98-122 (25), ill., Eng. & Span.

Extenso artículo sobre la línea marítima “La New York & Cuba Mail Steamship” que el autor ha dividido en tres partes. En la primera parte denominada “aspectos históricos” hace un bosquejo biográfico del fundador James Edward Ward y narra la evolución de la compañía desde 1856 hasta 1959. En ese período sufrió varios cambios de nombre, de tipos de cargas y negocios en los que participó, las rutas y puertos en las que prestó servicio, y fusiones y adquisiciones de otras compañías. Incluye una tabla con la lista de los barcos utilizados por la compañía. Dentro de esta primera parte se narra el desastre del “Morro Castle” que se considera el peor desastre marítimo de un barco con bandera americana. En la segunda parte denominada “aspectos filatélicos” el autor

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reporta 17 cubiertas transportadas por esta línea. Seis de esas cubiertas tienen marcas del correo cubano. Otras de las cubiertas tienen marcas del correo mexicano, otro destino de los buques de la línea. También se muestran cubiertas y fragmentos con marcas propias de los barcos pertenecientes a la línea. Hay un segmento dedicado a los membretes de los sobres que la línea obsequiaba a sus clientes. En una tercera parte que el autor llama artículos de colección, aparecen las imágenes de un boleto de pasaje y de un papel con encabezamiento de la compañía. El autor señala que existen numerosos artículos relacionados como naipes, cajas de fósforos, publicidad, etc.

<[KOUR0507d](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Answers to Cover Number 1-05”

“Respuestas a la Cubierta Número 1-05”

CPa, Vol.17, No.50, Last Half 2005, p.126, ill., Eng. & Span.

Report of answers received explaining Cover Number 1-05 described in <[KOUR0501g](#)>.

La cubierta con origen en New Orleans y destino Cádiz, fue llevada privadamente hasta La Habana donde recibió la marca lineal HABANA y fue puesta por un agente encaminador en el buque Águila. La marca 11 R, indica al pago de la tarifa en Cádiz y la otra marca ½ está probablemente relacionada con el peso de la carta.

<[KOUR0507e](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Cover of This Issue: Cover Number 2-05”

“Cubierta de Este Número: Cubierta Número 2-05”

CPa, Vol.17, No.50, Last Half 2005, p.127, ill., Eng. & Span.

The “cover of the issue” column features a cover with interesting unexplained postal markings in an attempt to seek further explanation of the postal markings on the cover from the journal’s readers. See <[KOUR0701e](#)> for answers.

<[KOUR0507f](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Cumulative Index--Indice Cumulativo: The Cuban Philatelist. Numbers 1 to 50 (1989-2005).”

CPa, Vol.17, No.50, Last Half 2005, p.128-138 (11), ill., Eng. & Span.

Listado de artículos publicados en los primeros 50 números de la revista de la sociedad, agrupados por temas alfabéticamente ordenados.

<[KOUR0600](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“La Agencia de Nassau del Partido Revolucionario Cubano y su Correspondencia Durante la Guerra de Independencia” (“The Nassau Agency of the Cuban Revolutionary Party and its Correspondence During the Independence War”)

FCb, No.6, 2006, pp.5-7, ill., Span.

Artículo sobre un cuño, utilizado por la agencia en Nassau del Partido Revolucionario Cubano y cubierta scon la estampación del cuño. Explica para cada una la posible ruta del tránsito entre el origen y destino.

<[KOUR0609](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Los fechadores ‘Baeza’ Número 30”

“Baeza Cancellations Number 30”

ACAD, Yr.VII, No.10, Sep 2006, pp.87-91 (5), ill., Span.

Number 30 was the number appearing on opposite sides the concentric circles bordering the datestamp identifying the cancellation as belonging to the Island of Cuba whose name appeared in the bottom half of the concentric circles. The top half of the concentric circles contained the name of the town in Cuba where the cancellation was applied. Citing the article’s brief English summary at its end: “This article provides additional insight on the previous work “The Baeza datestamp in Cuba”, by José Ignacio Abreu Perez [<[ABRE0212](#)>]. Until now, 94 different dies were known, not mentioning several variants. The author focuses on these variants and the ink colours used. The Cuban Baeza datestamps were uniformly struck in red and orange until the second week of October, 1848; when the blue or green colours started to be used. The earliest known date [of use] continues to be that of October, 19, 1842 and corresponds to a Havana postmark. A chart details the known data about the number 30 Baeza datestamps. Another [chart] lists the Cuban towns with post offices around the

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end of he pre-philatelic time, that apparently never received Baeza datestamps—or at least they have not been located yet."

<KOUR0701a> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Editor's Message / Mensaje del Editor"

CPa, Vol.18, No.51, First Third 2007, front cover plus pp.13-14 (2), ill., Eng. & Span.

Report of the sale of the Ignacio Prats collection formed by him over half a century--one of the greatest and complete collections of Cuba ever assembled. The report provides an overall description of the contents of each of the four large lots in the Greg Manning Auctions, Public Auction 186, of 24 Jun 2006 (see <PRAT0606>) sale of the collection. The focus of the description is on the lot of the colonial period which was the most important part of the collection. By the way, Kourí erroneously indicates that the collection was sold by Harmers of New York, an error probably prompted by the fact that Harmers later resold important portions of the collection (see <HARM0702> and <HARM0704>).

<KOUR0701b> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"2006 Buenaventura Cruz Planas Award: Ignacio Prats."

CPa, Vol.18, No.51, First Third 2007, pp.6-7, ill., Eng. & Span.

Report of the award with biographical notes on Ignacio Prats.

<KOUR0701c> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Cuban Insurgents' Maritime Mail During the Ten Years War."

"Correo Marítimo de los Insurgentes Cubanos Durante la Guerra de los Diez Años."

CPa, Vol.18, No.51, First Third 2007, pp.15-19 (5), ill., Eng. & Span.

Artículo sobre una carta dirigida en 1869 a la Junta Revolucionaria de Cuba y Puerto Rico en New York. Escrita por un oficial de las tropas insurgentes en Cienfuegos, la carta fue transportada de forma privada. En la misma se mencionan embarcaciones que podrían ser usadas para llevar armas y municiones a la isla. En el artículo se hace alusión a algunos de los barcos que fueron utilizados en las expediciones cubanas durante la Guerra de los 10 Años.

<KOUR0701d> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Cuba At: Cuba En: St. Louis Stamp Expo, St. Louis, Missouri, February 24-26, 2006"

CPa, Vol.18, No.51, First Third 2007, pp.15-19 (5), ill., Eng. & Span.

Report of the participation of the Cuban Philatelic Society of America (CPSA) at the 2006 St. Louis Stamp Expo.

<KOUR0701e> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Answers to Cover Number 2-05"

"Respuestas a la Cubierta Número 2-05"

CPa, Vol.18, No.51, First Third 2007, p.36, ill., Eng. & Span.

Report of answers received explaining Cover Number 2-05 described in <KOUR0507e>.

La cubierta en análisis se envió de La Habana a New York y fue franqueada con un sello de 50 céntimos de 1875 (Scott 65). El editor sugiere que el uso o no de sellos, en ésta y otras cubiertas de la misma época, estaría en dependencia de si fue entregada en la oficina de correos o directamente en el barco.

<KOUR0701f> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Cover of This Issue: Cover Number 1-07"

"Cubierta de Este Número: Cubierta Número 1-07"

CPa, Vol.18, No.51, First Third 2007, p.37, ill., Eng. & Span.

The "cover of the issue" column features a cover with interesting unexplained postal markings in an attempt to seek further explanation of the postal markings on the cover from the journal's readers. See <KOUR0709e> for answers.

<KOUR0701g> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Contract Steamship Mail Between Cuba and the South Atlantic Coast of the United States (1848-1861)"

Powerpoint presentation by the author derived from <KOUR9704c>.

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<KOUR0702> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

U.S. Military Postal Stations in Cuba

Unpublished photocopy of a philatelic exhibit on the subject as of February 2007; courtesy of the author. 128 color pages plus some additional images. The exhibit consisted of 8 frames of 16 pages each.

<KOUR0709a> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Mail of the Spanish Navy in Cuba During the War of Independence (1895-1898)"

"El Correo de la Marina de Guerra Española en Cuba Durante la Guerra de Independencia (1895-1898)"

Co-author: Urbano Pérez Zarandona (also listed as <PEREZZ0709>).

CPa, Vol.18, No.52, Last Third 2007, pp.1, 13-19 (8), ill., Eng. & Span.

El artículo estudia las marcas postales, utilizadas durante la Guerra Hispano Cubano Americana, por las unidades de la marina española destacadas en Cuba. Expone en el artículo las características generales y específicas de estas marcas. Hace una relación de los barcos de guerra españoles divididos de acuerdo a la categoría de la embarcación. En dicha relación se señalan los buques que se conoce operaron en Cuba. Se reportan cinco cubiertas que señalan la diversidad de las marcas postales utilizadas en esos barcos.

<KOUR0709b> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Letters to the Editor: Census of the Puerto Príncipe Stamps on Cover--Censo de los Sellos de Puerto Príncipe en Cubierta" CPa, Vol.18, No.52, Last Third 2007, p.4, Eng. & Span.

Report of several errors in <KOUR0507a> indicating the necessary corrections.

<KOUR0709c> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Con Carga--With Freight"

CPa, Vol.18, No.52, Last Third 2007, pp.6-10 (5), ill., Eng. & Span.

Article on maritime mail covers from the middle of the 19th century with the manuscript notation "Con Carga" ("With Freight") dealing with the way such letters were treated in the mails.

<KOUR0709d> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Book Review: Dated Postmarks of Puerto Rico 1881-1899. A Reference Guide. (Fechadores de Puerto Rico 1881-1899. Una Guía de Referencia. By Charles O. Hamill"

CPa, Vol.18, No.52, Last Third 2007, p.35, Eng. & Span.

This entry is cited due to the parallels with Cuban dated postmarks. In the second paragraph of the body of the book review, Dr. Kourí provides an overview of what a similar study of Cuban postmarks of the same period would entail and of its inherent difficulties due to the significant more numerous Cuban towns and the more numerous varieties of Cuban postmarks that were used. Dr. Kourí also mentions that the only significant attempt to document all of the postmarks of the colonial period of Cuba has been Abreu's 1996 *Catálogo Histórico Postal de Cuba (1855-1898)* (*Postal History Catalog of Cuba (1855-1898)*) (see <[ABRE9600](#)>).

<KOUR0709e> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Answers to Cover Number 1-07"

"Respuestas a la Cubierta Número 1-07"

CPa, Vol.18, No.52, Last Third 2007, p.40, ill., Eng. & Span.

Report of answers received explaining Cover Number 1-07 described in <[KOUR0701f](#)>.

The cover which was sent from Cuba to Mexico in November 1878, belongs to the period in which Cuba already belonged to the UPU, but not Mexico. The author is not able to explain the franking on the cover because he was not able to find the applicable postal rates at the time.

<KOUR0709f> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Cover of This Issue: Cover Number 2-07"

"Cubierta de Este Número: Cubierta Número 2-07"

CPa, Vol.18, No.52, Last Third 2007, p.41, ill., Eng. & Span.

The "cover of the issue" column features a cover with interesting unexplained postal markings in an attempt to seek further explanation of the postal markings on the cover from the journal's readers. See <KOUR0801b> for answers.

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<KOUR0709g> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Editor’s Message -- Mensaje del Editor”

CPa, Vol.18, No.52, Last Third 2007, p.42, Eng. & Span.

Announcement of the new position of technical editor of *The Cuban Philatelist* to be held by Ronald Hill whose responsibility will be to help the Editor with the layout of the journal. Also acknowledgement of the contribution of Ernesto Cuesta in the creation and maintenance of the CPSA Website and announcement of the availability of his FILACUBA Website dedicated in its entirety to Cuban philately. Finally, brief report of the CPSA's participation in the SARASOTA 2007 Philatelic Exhibition.

<KOUR0801a> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Editor’s Message – Mensaje del Editor”

CPa, Vol.19, No.53, First Third 2008, p.3, ill., Eng. & Span.

Report of the reduction of pages and sections to be published in future issues of the journal in order to deliver it on time to the readers. The editor explains difficulties he has had in producing the journal due to other commitments and announces the incorporation of Ron Hill as Technical Editor starting with the current issue to help him keep producing the journal on a timely schedule.

<KOUR0801b> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Answer to Cover # 2-07”

“Respuesta a la Cubierta # 2-07”

CPa, Vol.19, No.53, First Third 2008, p.11, ill., Eng. & Span.

The author offers two possible explanations for the origin of the “FRANCO” marking on the cover shown in <KOUR0709f>.

<KOUR0801c> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Cover Number 1-08”

“Cubierta Número 1-08”

CPa, Vol.19, No.53, First Third 2008, p.14, ill., Eng. & Span.

This “cover of the issue” column features a cover sent from Mexico City to Hamburg, Germany, via Havana. An explanation of the postage and routing of cover is requested from the journal’s readers. See <KOUR0809b> for an explanation.

<KOUR0801d> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Cartas al Editor – Letters to the Editor”

CPa, Vol.19, No.53, First Third 2008, p.18, ill., Eng. & Span.

Discussion of letters to the editor with regards to Ferran Riba’s article <RIBA0709> and comments about it published by Carlos Echenagusía in < ECHE0804b>, followed by comments by Kourí about both articles. Also reply to Ron Hill about his request for additional information about the 1938 semi-postal stamps honoring María and Pedro Curie in <HILLR0709>.

<KOUR0801e> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“The French Steamship Line E in the Caribbean”

“La Línea E de Vapores Franceses en el Caribe”

Co-Author: Fernando J. Iglesias (also listed as <IGLEF0801>

CPa, Vol.19, No.53, First Third 2008, pp.24-26 (3), ill., Eng. & Span.

Article on the correspondence carried by steamers of the “Compagnie Generale Transatlantique” through the Caribbean with stops initially in Santiago de Cuba and later in Havana. The article focuses on the postal markings of the steamship Line E that started operations in 1865 and continued into the late 1880s.

<KOUR0808> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

Early German Steamship Companies and Cuban Mail

(Postbeförderung über die frühen Liniendienste Deutscher Reedereien im Verkehr mit Kuba)

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Microsoft PowerPoint presentation given by the author at a meeting of the Cuban Philatelic Society of America held at StampShow 2008 in Hartford, Connecticut, on 17 August 2008, 35 pp., ill.

The presentation covers the period before Cuba's entry in the Universal Postal Union (UPU) in May 1877 and after Cuba's entry in the UPU until the end of the 19th Century. The following topics are covered:

- Early ship mail between Cuba and Germany.
- Early steamship mail between Cuba and Germany via the United States.
- Mail carried by German steamship companies traveling between Europe and the United States.
- Mail carried by German steamship companies traveling directly to Cuba.
- Summary of German postmarks used on incoming steamship mail from the West Indies (and some via the United States).
- German Steamship Companies Agents' Markings.
- German Naval ship mail.

<KOUR0809a> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Buenaventura Cruz Planas Award 2008: Ernesto Cuesta"

"Premio Buenaventura Cruz Planas 2008: Ernesto Cuesta"

CPa, Vol.19, No.54, Last Third 2008, p.1, ill., Eng. & Span.

One page introduction presenting the 2008 Buenaventura Cruz Planas Award to Ernesto Cuesta for his outstanding contributions to the Cuban Philatelic Society of America (CPSA) and to Cuban philately in general. This is followed by 3 pages of biographical notes written by Ernesto Cuesta himself (see <CUES0809>).

<KOUR0809b> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Answer to Cover # 1-08" "Respuesta a la Cubierta # 1-08"

CPa, Vol.19, No.55, Jan-Apr 2009, p.6, ill., Eng. & Span.

No replies were received explaining the rate on Cover #108 of <KOUR0801c>, so Kourí speculates that the cover was privately carried from Mexico City to Havana, Cuba, where it was posted paying the 5c. international rate at the time (1914) to Hamburg, Germany. The 10c. Mexican stamp on the cover is unexplained.

<KOUR0809c> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"The Disinfection of Mail in Cuba"

"La Desinfección del Correo en Cuba"

CPa, Vol.19, No.55, Jan-Apr 2009, pp.7-9 (3), ill., Eng. & Span.

Historical overview of mail disinfection in general and specifically in Cuba illustrated with two disinfected covers sent to Cuba in the 1840s.

<KOUR0809d> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Book Review: *The Mail in the City of Matanzas* by José Ignacio Abreu Pérez"

"Reseña Bibliográfica: El Correo en la Ciudad de Matanzas por José Ignacio Abreu Pérez"

CPa, Vol.19, No.55, Jan-Apr 2009, p.9, ill., Eng. & Span.

Book review of <ABRE0800>.

<KOUR0809e> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"The First Cuban RECOMMANDÉ Markings"

"Las Primeras Marcas RECOMMANDÉ de Cuba"

CPa, Vol.19, No.55, Jan-Apr 2009, pp.10-14 (5), ill., Eng. & Span.

After Cuba joined the UPU on May 1, 1877, some French markings started to be applied to Cuban mail sent abroad since French was the official language of the UPU. This article briefly describes and shows several Cuban registered covers bearing such markings mailed abroad. These markings included the word RECOMMANDÉ which is the French equivalent of "registered". See <GONZ0901> for a report of an additional such cover from one of this article's readers.

<KOUR0809f> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Cover of This Issue Number 2-08"

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“Cubierta de este Número 2-08”

CPa, Vol.19, No.55, Jan-Apr 2009, p.15, ill., Eng. & Span.

The featured cover was sent from somewhere in Cuba to Bowmanville, Canada, in 1861. It is franked with a ½ rpf stamp of 1857 and has the markings STEAM SHIP in two lines and a number 15, both in dark black ink, as well as a U STATES marking in a lighter shade of black. The back bears a receiving postmark of July 16. An explanation of the rate and markings is requested.

<KOUR0809g> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Promoting the Cuban Cause in the United States: Patriotic Covers.”

“Promoviendo la Causa Cubana en los Estados Unidos: los Sobres Patrióticos.”

CPa, Vol.19, No.55, Jan-Apr 2009, pp.16-18 (3), ill., Eng. & Span.

Article about the use of so called “patriotic covers” showing an illustration of the Cuban flag that became quite common after the U.S. entry in the Spanish Cuban American War. The article shows one such cover used within the U.S. and another one used from Cuba to the U.S. Both covers seem to have been produced in the U.S. Information about other examples of such covers is requested from the readers.

<KOUR0809h> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Cuba at StampShow 2008. Hartford, CT, August 14-17.”

“Cuba en StampShow 2008. Hartford, CT, 14 al 17 de Agosto.”

CPa, Vol.19, No.55, Jan-Apr 2009, pp.24-25, ill., Eng. & Span.

Report of CPSA participation and activities at StamShow 2008 with over 20 CPSA members present. At a society meeting on Saturday, Ernesto Cuesta gave a presentation aboput the CPSA website that he developed and maintains for the society and also about his personal FILACUBA website promoting Cuban philately. These presentations were followed by a seminar by Kourí titled “Early Cuban Mail Carried by German Steamship Companies” based on <KOUR0808>. The following day Ron Hill gave a two hour presentation about his personal and family ties to Baracoa, Cuba, as well as his display exhibit on the deaths of Cuban patriots Maceo and Martí. Several members enjoyed a nice dinner outing at a Spanish Galician restaurant and at the Awards Banquet. The article also provides a listing of exhibits by CPSA members and the awards they obtained as well as a few photos of members at variou activities. You may view additional photos at [StampShow 2008 photos](#).

<KOUR0811> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Artículos” (“Articles”)

Unpublished listing of publications by Yamil H. Kourí, Jr. prepared by the author and sent to Ernesto Cuesta via an e-mail dated 16 November 2008. The list spans the period from 1982 to 2008 and comprises 119 entries.

All entries are included in this bibliography.

<KOUR0901a> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Answer for Cover Number 2-08”

“Respuesta a la Cubierta Número 2-08”

CPa, Vol.20, No.55, Jan-Apr 2009, p.19, ill., Eng. & Span.

Report of answers to Cover Number 2-08 received from Byron Mitchell and Pedro Ortiz with respect to the routing and rates that corresponded to the markings on the cover described in <KOUR0809f>.

<KOUR0901b> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Cover Number 2-09” “Cubierta Número 2-09”

CPa, Vol.20, No.55, Jan-Apr 2009, p.20, ill., Eng. & Span.

Report of a cover sent from Havana to Berlin via New York in March 1888. The cover is franked with two 5c. Cuban stamps that were not cancelled. In New York a 5c. U.S. stamp was added and cancelled on 30 March 1888. An explanation of the rates paid by the stamps on the cover is requested. See <KOUR0905e> for the explanation.

<KOUR0901c> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Book Review – Reseña Bibliográfica: *Catálogo de Sellos de Sobretasa y Viñetas Antituberculosis de Cuba* por Carlos Echenagusía, Madrid 2009.”

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CPa, Vol.20, No.55, Jan-Apr 2009, p.22, ill., Eng. & Span.
Book review of <ECHE0900>.

<KOUR0905> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Transit Mail Through Cuba Carried by French Steamers"
Denver, Colorado: Rocky Mountain Philatelic Exhibitions, Inc.; 60th Annual Rocky Mountain Stamp Show Program, May 15-16-17, 2009; pp.24-26 (3), ill. See <KOUR0905b> for a reprint/expansion of this article and a translation into Spanish. For more information on the subject see <KOUR0005d>.

Relación de tres cubiertas transportadas por la línea B de la compañía de vapores franceses. Dos de ellas tienen marcas de vapores de la compañía y la otra del consulado francés en La Habana. En los tres casos el autor detalla el origen y destino de las cubiertas, los agentes encaminadores involucrados, los franqueos pagados en sellos de Francia y explica las marcas impuestas en las cubiertas.

<KOUR0905a> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Remembering Arturo Martín de Nicolás"
"Recordando a Arturo Martín de Nicolás"
CPa, Vol.20, No.56, May-Aug 2009, p.12, ill., Eng. & Span.

Obituary of CPSA member Arturo Martín de Nicolás who specialized in the postal stationery of Spain and Cuba and also on the provisional stamps of Puerto Príncipe obtaining large gold medals for his exhibits of postal stationery at international FIP exhibitions.

<KOUR0905b> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Transit Mail Through Cuba Carried by French Steamers"
"Correo de Tránsito por Cuba por Vapores Franceses"
CPa, Vol.20, No.56, May-Aug 2009, pp.13-20 (8), ill., Eng. & Span.

Description of several covers that passed through Cuba carried on board French steamers of the Compagnie Générale Transatlantique. For more information on the subject see <KOUR0005d>.

<KOUR0905c> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Book Review: *The Judicial Law Stamp Issues Used in Cuba 1864-1870* by Fernando Cabello Borrás & Adolfo Sarriás Enríquez" "Reseña Bibliográfica: *Las emisiones de sellos de Derecho Judicial usados en Cuba 1864-1870* por Fernando Cabello Borrás & Adolfo Sarriás Enríquez"

CPa, Vol.20, No.56, May-Aug 2009, p.26, ill., Eng. & Span.
Book review of <CABE0800> = <SARR0800>. Excellent pioneer work dealing with the revenue judicial stamps used in Cuba from 1864 to 1870 with emphasis on the proliferation of contemporary forgeries generated to defraud the Cuban treasury.

<KOUR0905d> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Cover Number 3-09" "Carta Número 3-09"
CPa, Vol.20, No.56, May-Aug 2009, p.30, ill., Eng. & Span.
Cover mailed from Cuba by a Spanish soldier to a Spanish Captain on board of the Spanish warship *Pelayo*.
An explanation of the rate and use of a French postage due stamp is requested. See <KOUR0909c> for an answer.

<KOUR0905e> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Answer for Cover Number 2-09"
"Respuesta a la Carta Número 2-09"
CPa, Vol.20, No.56, May-Aug 2009, p.30, ill., Eng. & Span.
No reply was received to the request for an explanation of Cover Number 2-09 (see <KOUR0901b>), so Kourí surmises that the intention of the sender was to put the cover in the Cuban mails or possibly on board a ship soon after it left Cuba, but the letter never entered the mails until it arrived in New York where the Cuban stamps were not valid and thus a 5c. U.S. stamp had to be applied to the letter in New York to pay the international UPU rate.

<KOUR0909> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"La Florida Oriental Española" ("Eastern Spanish Florida")

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Ernesto Cuesta

Co-author: Adolfo Sarriás (also listed as <SARR0909>).

ACAD, Yr.X, No.13, Sep 2009, pp.37-47 (11), ill., Span.

Quoting from the English summary in ACAD: The article discusses "the postal history of Eastern Florida during the first Spanish period (1513-1763), the British period (1763-1784), and the second Spanish period (1784-1821). ... During the second Spanish period a postal office, depending upon Havana, was established in San Agustín at the end of June 1874." The close interrelationship between Eastern Spanish Florida and Cuba make this article of interest to the Cuban postal historian.

<KOUR0909a> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"The PORTE PAGADO Handstamps on Cuban Printed Matter"

"Los Cuños de PORTE PAGADO en los impresos de Cuba"

CPa, Vol.20, No.57, Sep-Dec 2009, pp.17-21 (5), ill., Eng. & Span.

Article on the various PORTE PAGADO handstamps found on Cuban printed matter. None of the shown examples have been applied on stamps, but rather on various printed matter wrappers. See <AREA1001> for a report of a couple of examples of PORTE PAGADO handstamps within an oval (Figs. 2 and 3 of this article) that Spanish philatelist Juan José Areal reports have been applied on stamps in his collection.

<KOUR0909b> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Cover Number 4-09" "Carta Número 4-09"

CPa, Vol.20, No.57, Sep-Dec 2009, p.25, ill., Eng. & Span.

Request for an explanation of the rates of a cover sent from Matanzas on 6 May 1849 to London via New York. The cover was received in London on June 6. See <KOUR1001c> for a reply explaining the routing, markings, and rates on the cover.

<KOUR0909c> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Answer for Cover Number 3-09" "Respuesta a la Carta Número 3-09"

CPa, Vol.20, No.57, Sep-Dec 2009, p.25, ill., Eng. & Span.

Explanation of the routing, rates, and markings on Cover Number 3-09 shown in <KOUR0905d>.

<KOUR1000> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Entre Palmitos y Palmas Reales: La correspondencia por vapores subvencionados entre Cuba y la Costa Atlántica de los Estados Unidos" ("Between Palmettos and Royal Palms: Contract Steamship Mail Between Cuba and the Atlantic Coast of the United States")

Madrid, Spain: Real Academia Hispánica de Filatelia (Hispanic Royal Academy of Philately), Discursos Académicos XXII, 2010, pp.95-183 (89), ill., Span.

Dissertation presented at the Academy upon the author's induction into the Hispanic Royal Academy of Philately.

<KOUR1001a> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Book Review. CD-Rom: 2009 Philatelic Studies, Special Joint Edition. By Carlos Echenagusía."

"Reseña Bibliográfica. CD-Rom: 2009 Estudios Filatélicos, Edición Especial Unificada. Por Carlos Echenagusía."

CPa, Vol.21, No.58, Jan-Apr 2010, p.27, ill., Eng. & Span.

Book review of a CD-Rom produced by Carlos Echenagusía of detailed studies of the three most important stamp issues of the colonial, U.S. Administration, and Republic periods of Cuban philately. The first one deals with the first stamp issue of Spanish colonial Cuba, the second one focuses on the Puerto Príncipe surcharged stamps of the U.S. Administration, and the third one deals with the "Chambelona" surcharges of 1917.

<KOUR1001b> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Cover Number 1-10" "Carta Número 1-10"

CPa, Vol.21, No.58, Jan-Apr 2010, p.28, ill., Eng. & Span.

Request for an explanation of the rate and markings on a cover sent from Havana 21 October 1857 to St. Thomas where it arrived on November 2. See <KOUR1005c> for a reply.

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<KOUR1001c> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Answer for Cover Number 4-09” “Respuesta a la Carta Número 4-09”

CPa, Vol.21, No.58, Jan-Apr 2010, p.29, ill., Eng. & Span.

Explanation of the routing, rates, and markings on the cover shown in <KOUR0909b> based on information received from Geoffrey Lewis.

<KOUR1001d> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Letters to the Editor” “Cartas al Editor”

CPa, Vol.21, No.58, Jan-Apr 2010, p.29, ill., Eng. & Span. Also listed as <AREA1001>.

Feedback on <KOUR0909a> reporting a couple of examples of PORTE PAGADO handstamps within an oval (Figs. 2 and 3 of that article) that Spanish philatelist Juan José Areal reports have been applied to stamps in his collection. Dr. Kourí agrees that these examples indicate that the handstamp in question must have been indeed been used to cancel the stamps and surmises that they were probably affixed to printed matter wrappers to pay for their mailing and suggests the printed matter rates that each example provided by Mr. Areal may have covered.

<KOUR1005a> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Social Philately: Promoting Cuban Causes in the United States”

“Filatelia Social: La Promoción de las Causas Cubanas en los Estados Unidos”

CPa, Vol.21, No.59, May-Aug 2010, pp.25-28 (4), ill., Eng. & Span.

One of the most recent categories to be added to philatelic exhibitions, even at the international level, is ‘Social Philately’. In this new discipline, philatelic and other related material is used to develop a story, usually dealing with a particular social history theme. This brief article illustrates how several different aspects of the Cuban struggle for independence from Spain at the end of the 19th century were promoted in the United States as shown by contemporary postal material.”

<KOUR1005b> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Carta Número 2-10 – Cover Number 2-10”

CPa, Vol.21, No.59, May-Aug 2010, p.28, ill., Eng. & Span.

Cover sent from Havana to New York on 24 June 1875, franked with a 50 cents stamp. Upon arrival in New York it received two different circular markings and a straightline “Due 5”. An explanation of the rates and markings is requested from the readers. See <KOUR1009c> = <LEWIG1009b> for an explanation of the cover.

<KOUR1005c> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Answer for Cover Number 1-10”

“Respuesta a la Carta Número 1-10”

CPa, Vol.21, No.59, May-Aug 2010, p.29, ill., Eng. & Span.

Reply to <KOUR1001b>. One explanation of the rate and markings on the cover is provided by Geoffrey Lewis. Another possible explanation is provided by Dr. Kourí himself.

<KOUR1006> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“The Dr. Yamil H. Kourí, Jr. Collection of Puerto Príncipe Surcharged Stamps”

New York: Robert A. Siegel Auction Galleries, Inc. Catalog of Sale 989, 19 June 2010 (see <SIEGR1006a>),

Cuba lots #225 to 255 (31 lots total) on pp.135-148 (14), and Catalog of Sale 992, 25 June 2010 (see

<SIEGR1006b>), Cuba lots #2700 to 2763 (64 lots total) on pp.105-113 (9), both with prices realized.

The first 30 lots of Sale 989 were the rarest of the Puerto Príncipe stamps and covers (8) in the Dr. Yamil H. Kourí, Jr. Collection of Puerto Príncipe Surcharged Issues and they sold for a total of \$91,450, not including the 15% commission charged by the auctioneer. Lot #255 was a used 1899 2c. inverted surcharge on a 2c. U.S. postage due stamp that did not sell. The rest of the Dr. Yamil H. Kourí, Jr. collection of Puerto Príncipe Surcharged Issues was sold in Sale 992 and consisted of a substantial holding of the five printings of these issues, but did not include any covers since all covers in the collection had been sold in the previous Sale 989. The 64 lots of stamps that were sold in this second sale realized a total of \$33,410, bringing the combined total realized by the two parts of Dr. Kouri's Puerto Príncipe Collection to \$124,860, not including the 15% sale commission.

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<KOUR1008> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"The Maritime mail Marking YSLAS"

RFIAF, No.21, Aug 2010, pp.21-27 (7), ill., Span.

<KOUR1009a> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Postage Paid Manuscript Markings in the Stampless Period"

"Marcas Manuscritas de Porte Pagado en la Época Prefilatélica"

Co-author: Pedro Ortiz Hormillosa (also listed as <ORTIH1009>).

CPa, Vol.21, No.60, Sep-Dec 2010, pp.1, 4- 7 (5), Eng & Span.

Description and illustration of several prephilatelic stampless covers with manuscript postage paid markings.

Each cover is described in detail and a justification for the postage paid marking is provided.

<KOUR1009b> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Carta Número 3-10 – Cover Number 3-10"

CPa, Vol.21, No.60, Sep-Dec 2010, p.22, Eng & Span.

Shown is a cover sent on 6 August 1866 from Havana to British Columbia via St. Thomas and Panamá. The cover appears to have been prepaid one shilling and six pence for at least part of the journey. An explanation of the rates and routing of the cover is requested from the readers; however, no answer was ever published.

<KOUR1009c> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Answer for Cover Number 2-10"

"Respuesta a la Carta Número 2-10"

Co-author: Geoffrey Lewis (also listed as <LEWIG1009b>)

CPa, Vol.21, No.60, Sep-Dec 2010, p.23, Eng & Span.

Replies received from Pedro Ortiz and Geoffrey Lewis to the request for information in <KOUR1005b>. The piece cites the Lewis reply indicating that the cover arrived in New York on July 1, 1875, the exact date on which the General Postal Union postal rates became effective reducing the arrival rate of incoming ship mail from 10c to 5c, thus explaining why the Due 10 marking on the cover was obliterated and a new Due 5 marking was applied. Mr. Lewis believes that the cover represents a "First Day of Use" of the new 5c incoming ship rate. Mr. Kourí speculates that the 50c Cuban stamp (Scott 65) on the cover may have paid for transport of the cover to New York via steamship, payable to the Cuban postal service.

<KOUR1011> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Las Marcas de Correo Marítimo Transatlántico ESPAÑA"

("The ESPAÑA Transatlantic Mail Postmarks")

ACAD, Yr.XI, No.14, Nov 2010, pp.41-63 (23), ill., Span.

Quoting from the English summary in ACAD: "The State Maritime Post, established in 1764, made regular transatlantic travel possible, with monthly journeys between La Coruña and Havana. To help the new service, specific rates were established for all overseas correspondence. To determine the origin and destination of sea-bound letters three types of handstamps were created—ESPAÑA, YNDIAS, and YSLAS. The ESPAÑA postmark should be applied at the departure ports of the Peninsula to all mail addressed to the New World. Initially this happened with some regularity. If a letter was received at a port of the Americas without this postmark, it would be struck on arrival or in transit in the first postal administration having such postmark. This last practice was more common in the 19th century. The major American ports responsible for the redistribution of transatlantic mail were Havana, Cartagena de Indias, Veracruz and Buenos Aires. The author examines in detail the origin of the ESPAÑA postmarks, the 14 identified types, their characteristics and application sites, with many graphic examples."

<KOUR1101a> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"The Broken Corner: Position III-4 of the Half Real Stamp of the First Issue of Antillas"

"El Sello de Medio Real de la Primera Emisión de Antillas: Posición III-4"

CPa, Vol.22, No.61, Jan-Apr 2011, pp.5-14 (10), ill., Eng. & Span.

No reference to the "Broken Corner" is made in the Spanish title to the article.

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En un extenso trabajo, el autor analiza la evolución de la que él considera la variedad más sobresaliente de los sellos cubanos. A su juicio se trata de un defecto, que se aprecia como la falta de tinta en una esquina del sello al que se alude en el título. Expone el método de fabricación utilizado en la Fábrica Nacional del Sello en Madrid y da su criterio sobre las posibles causas de la ocurrencia de la variedad. En un total de 16 imágenes, cuatro de ellas de cubiertas enteras, ilustra la evolución en el tiempo de la mencionada falta de tinta. Menciona también los intentos realizados en la fábrica por corregir el defecto. Ver <[GOLD7307](#)> y <[ECHE9702](#)> sobre el mismo tema.

<[KOUR1101b](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"DESPUÉS DE LA SALIDA Markings"

"Las Marcas DESPUÉS DE LA SALIDA"

CPa, Vol.22, No.61, Jan-Apr 2011, pp.25-28 (4), ill., Eng. & Span.

El autor explica el porqué del uso de una marca postal en la que puede leerse "DESPUES DE LA SALIDA". Esta marca además de en Cuba se ha reportado en España y Puerto Rico, también lo ha sido en países de habla inglesa. Reporta cuatro cubiertas con esta marca y señala que se utilizaron en Cuba entre mediados de la década de 1870 hasta finales de la de 1880. Indica que se conocen sellos de la época que fueron matasellos con la misma marca.

<[KOUR1101c](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Carta Número 1-11 -- Cover Number 1-11"

CPa, Vol.22, No.61, Jan-Apr 2011, p.33, ill., Eng. & Span.

The "cover of the issue" column features a cover with interesting unexplained postal markings in an attempt to seek further explanation of the postal markings on the cover from the journal's readers. See <[LEWIG1105](#)> for a reply explaining the postal markings on the cover.

<[KOUR1104](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"El Sello de Medio Real de la Primera Emisión de Antillas: Posición III-4."

("The Half Real Stamp of the First Issue for the Antilles: Position III-4.")

RF, Yr.XLV, No.481, Apr 2011, pp.227-231 (5), ill., Span.

Reprint of the Spanish version of <[KOUR1101a](#)>.

<[KOUR1105a](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Book Review: *Colonial Maritime Mail (1764-1824), Routes and Postal Rates*. By José Manuel López Bernal"

"Reseña Bibliográfica: *El Correo Marítimo Colonial (1764-1824) Rutas y Tarifas Postales*. Por José Manuel López Bernal"

CPa, Vol.22, No.62, May-Aug 2011, p.22, ill., Eng. & Span.

El libro de referencia es la base del discurso de entrada de su autor como académico de número en la Real Academia Hispánica de la Filatelia. El editor señala la contribución del autor en lo referente a la historia postal temprana de España e Iberoamérica. El libro analizado está dividido en tres capítulos: aspectos organizativos y jurídicos del correo marítimo, las rutas postales y las tarifas postales. A juicio del editor, es una obra de obligada consulta para los estudiosos de la historia postal de Cuba, ya que en el libro se revela el importante papel que tuvo la isla, en las comunicaciones del continente americano.

<[KOUR1105b](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Carta Número 2-11 -- Cover Number 2-11"

CPa, Vol.22, No.62, May-Aug 2011, p.23, ill., Eng. & Span.

The "cover of the issue" column features a cover with interesting unexplained postal markings in an attempt to seek further explanation of the postal markings on the cover from the journal's readers. The piece requests an explanation of the postal rates applied to the cover. See <[LEWIG1205](#)> for a reply to the request.

<[KOUR1105c](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Cartas al Editor--Letters to the Editor: ALACRANES"

ACAD, Yr.XII, No.15, Nov 2011, pp.24-25, ill., Span.

Análisis de cuatro cartas recibidas por el editor:

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- Relación de dos comentarios sobre su trabajo "El Sello de Medio Real de la Primera Emisión de Antillas: Posición III-4" (ver <KOUR1101a>).
- Respuesta sobre la carta No. 1 del 2011 <KOUR1101c>; en relación a ésta, detalla el franqueo con sellos americanos, e indica que la tasa impuesta en Cuba de 3 reales, cubría una carta que pesaba más de media onza, sin llegar a una.
- Aclaración sobre la marca lineal CARTERIA DE ALACRANES, que se conoce en el año 1851 sin la letra S final, CARTERIA DE ALACRANE.
- Obituario de Fermín Belleau, cubano nacido en Santiago de Cuba.

<[KOUR1109a](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Carta Número 3-11 -- Cover Number 3-11"

CPa, Vol. 22, No.63, Sep-Dec 2011, p.10, ill., Eng. & Span.

Image of a cover sent by an American trader from San Blas, México, to Providence, Rhode Island on 9 November 1822. From there it was sent to Havna and some time later to New York. An explanation of the likely route, rates, and markings is requested; however, no answer was ever published.

<[KOUR1109b](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"The Marqués del Campo Steamship Company"

"La compañía de vapores del Marqués del Campo"

Co-Author: Fernando J. Iglesias (also listed as <IGLEF1109b>).

CPa, Vol. 22, No.63, Sep-Dec 2011, pp.15-19 (5), ill., Eng. & Span.

Historical overview of the Marqués del Campo steamship company with details of its overall operations, including its Cuban aspects and discussion and illustrations of a cover carried from Cuba to Barcelona in 1887 by the company's steamer "Veracruz".

<[KOUR1111](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"La correspondencia de los prisioneros de guerra españoles en los Estados Unidos durante la Guerra Hispano-Americana" ("Mail of the Spanish Prisoners of War in the United States during the Spanish-American War")
ACAD, Yr.XII, No.15, Nov 2011, pp.83-91 (9), ill., Span.

Quoting from the English summary of the article: "During the four months Spanish-American War of 1898, U.S. forces captured more than 25,000 Spanish soldiers of all ranks in Cuba and its vicinity. The prisoners were sent to the U.S., where they were held for a couple of months until their repatriation—others were exchanged for captive American soldiers. The Spanish prisoners were confined in four locations until their repatriation: Key West (Florida), Fort McPherson (Georgia), the Naval Academy in Annapolis (Maryland), and the naval base of Seavey Island in Portsmouth (New Hampshire) where the largest contingent was held. The author describes the circumstances of the capture of the Spanish soldiers, the details of each of these places of confinement and emphasizes the humanitarian treatment they received. Finally, it focuses on the prisoners' mail and displays several examples of letters originated from them, prepaid or not but always censored, as well as letters sent to the Spanish prisoners through the Red Cross, and the postmarks used in both cases."

<[KOUR1201](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Carta Número 1-12 -- Cover Number 1-12"

CPa, Vol. 23, No.64, Jan-Apr 2012, p.17, ill., Eng. & Span.

Image of a special delivery cover paid with a Scott E1 special delivery stamp and sent from Cienfuegos to Havana with a postage due assessment of 4 cents crossed over and reduced to 2 cents handwritten in blue and paid with a 2 cents postage due stamp Scott J2. An explanation of the rates on the cover is requested. See <MALL1205> for an explanation of the rate and reference and image of another cover in his own collection showing an identical usage, but bearing a Scott E2 stamp, posted on 10 December 1899, just two days after Cover Number 1-12.

<[KOUR1205a](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Marcas Paquebot Cubanas – Cuban Paquebot Markings"

CPa, Vol. 23, No.65, May-Aug 2012, pp.1-11 (11), ill., Eng. & Span.

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Comprehensive article on Cuban Paquebot markings with detailed illustrations of the various paquebot markings found in Cuban paquebot markings from Havana and Santiago de Cuba and illustration of multiple covers bearing these markings.

<KOUR1205b> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Book Review: Philatelic Booklets (Cuban Philatelic Federation)"

"Reseña Bibliográfica: Folletos de Filatelia (Federación Filatélica Cubana)"

CPa, Vol. 23, No.65, May-Aug 2012, pp.22-23, ill., Eng. & Span.

Book review of three philatelic booklets published by the Cuban Philatelic Federation. The three booklets are:

No.1 – Apuntes para la Historia Postal de Cuba. I (*No.1 – Notes for the Postal History of Cuba. I*) compiled by José Ramón Mallón Bauzá.

No.3 – La Filatelia Temática. Una Puerta al Conocimiento. (No.3 – Thematic Philately. A Door to Knowledge) by José Raúl Lorenzo Sánchez.

No.5 – Apuntes para la Historia Postal de Cuba. II (*No.1 – Notes for the Postal History of Cuba. II*) compiled by José Raúl Lorenzo Sánchez.

<KOUR1209a> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Carta Número 3-12 -- Cover Number 3-12"

CPa, Vol. 23, No.66, Sep-Dec 2012, p.12, ill., Eng. & Span.

The "cover of the issue" column features a cover with interesting unexplained postal markings in an attempt to seek further explanation of the postal markings on the cover from the journal's readers. The piece requests an explanation of the postal rates applied to the cover. An answer explaining the markings on this cover was never published.

<KOUR1209b> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"¿Un Uso Fiscal de la Primera Emisión Postal de Antillas?"

"A Revenue Use of the First Postal Issue of Spanish Antilles?"

CPa, Vol. 23, No.66, Sep-Dec 2012, pp.14-15, ill., Eng. & Span.

Report of a possible revenue use of stamps of the first issue of Cuba. In the case of the item analyzed, the stamps are a pair of postal forgeries of the 1 rpf stamp.

<KOUR1209c> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Las Marcas Circulares de Vapores Franceses en Cuba (1862-1865)"

"The Circular Markings of French Steamers in Cuba (1862-1865)"

CPa, Vol. 23, No.66, Sep-Dec 2012, pp.16-20 (5), ill., Eng. & Span. Follow-up to <KOUR0305c>.

El autor expone las ventajas de las marcas circulares, utilizadas por los vapores franceses en la década de 1860, en comparación con las marcas octogonales. Relación de tres cubiertas impuestas en Santiago de Cuba con esas marcas circulares. Ver <KOUR0305c> sobre el mismo tema.

In the 1860s France established a steamship line between St. Nazaire and Veracruz, Mexico, with a stopover in Santiago de Cuba. The circular and octagonal markings used by that company are reported and comparison s are made between them. Five covers are illustrated with the octagonal CUBA marking.

<KOUR1209d> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"The U.S. Military Government Provisional Stamps of Gibara, Cuba"

CCP, Vol.91, No.5, Sep-Oct 2012, pp.269-276 (8), ill.

The article provides a detailed description of these provisional handstamps used in the town of Gibara within the District of Holguín in the Oriente Province, with ample background information explaining possible scenarios for their creation and use. The article illustrates and describes all known examples of these provisional handstamps, three covers and two pieces in two values, 2c (two covers and one piece) and 5c (one of each), and explains the postal rates that applied to each.

<KOUR1209e> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Ship Registers in the Spanish Colonial Americas"

RFIAF, No.23, Sep 2012, pp.13-21 (9), ill., Span.

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<KOUR1210> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Comunicaciones postales de España y Cuba con los territorios angloparlantes de Norte América 1762-1815" ("Postal Communications From Spain and Cuba with English-Speaking Territories of North America 1762-1815")
Co-author: Carlos Celles Aníbarro (also listed as <CELL1210>).

ACAD, Vol.XIII, No.16, Oct 2012, pp.33-43 (11), ill., Span.

Quoting from the English summary at the end of the article: "The authors have researched the exchange of mail exchanged between Spain and the British settlements in North America along the 17th Century and the progress of these communications in various subsequent stages: the Seven Years War and the British occupation of Havana (1762-63), the American Revolution (1776-83), the colonial period prior to the Constitution of the United States (until 1787), and the aftermath of the U.S. Constitution (1787-1815). They also look into the currency in use in the Colonial period until the creation of the U.S. General Post Office, the first postal rates applied to letters from Spanish territories in the American colonies (1765), the 1792 and 1799 rates, the exceptional sea routes, the correspondence between the U.S. and Europe via Spain, between the U.S. and Spain via France, and between Cuba and the U.S. (1765-1815). The article includes a wide historical chronology and reproduces letters circulated in the periods studied."

<KOUR1301a> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Postal Forgeries of the First Postal Issue of Antilles Used in Combination with Genuine Stamps"
"Falsos Postales de la Primera Emisión Postal de Antillas Usados en Combinación con Sellos Genuinos"
Co-author: Fernando J. Iglesias (also listed as <IGLEF1301b>).

CPa, Vol. 24, No.67, Jan-Apr 2013, pp.12-15 (4), ill., Eng. & Span.

Report of 5 covers franked with 1857 Spanish Antilles stamps (Scott 12 and 13) in which at least one of the stamps is a forgery.

<KOUR1301b> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Las Instituciones Militares de Salud en Cuba durante la Guerra de Independencia (1895-1898)"
("Military Health Institutions in Cuba during the War of Independence (1895-1898)")
RF, Yr.XLVII, No.500, Jan 2013, pp.94-99 (6), ill., Span.

El artículo aborda la difícil situación sanitaria de las tropas españolas en Cuba durante la guerra de 1895, indicando que las enfermedades causaron más bajas que las ocurridas en los combates. Describe las instituciones sanitarias utilizadas por el ejército español y las divide en tres categorías: hospitales militares, clínicas militares y asilos para convalecientes. Reporta ocho cubiertas y cinco fragmentos con franquicias postales, utilizadas por soldados y personal sanitario de esas instituciones.

<KOUR1302a> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Interrupted Mail during the Spanish American War"
PHJ, No.154, Feb 2013, p.2-10 (9), ill.

Quoting from the article: "The suspension of U.S. mail addressed to Cuba, Spain, and other Spanish possessions began in mid-April 1898, but it appears to have taken place at different times in different American cities." The article then goes on to discuss this and various other aspects of the interruption of the mail service caused by the war, illustrating the presentation with numerous sample images of premium covers from the period.

<KOUR1302b> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Followup to *Cuba to New York: Merchants' Advantage*"
PHJ, No.154, Feb 2013, pp.60, ill. Follow-up to <MARK1210> = <SPEC1210>

Follow-up to the mentioned article suggesting a possible alternative to the "bootlegged" method of sending correspondence from Cuba to New York in which several letters were sent within a cover letter to be forwarded to their individual destinations upon receipt.

<KOUR1304> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"A Cuban Special Delivery Stamp on a Penalty Envelope: Private Use."
POSS, Second Quarter 2013, pp.8-10 (3), ill.

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Artículo sobre una cubierta de uso oficial, utilizada de forma privada durante el período de la Intervención Americana. La cubierta fue franqueada con un sello de dos centavos (Scott 228) y uno de entrega inmediata (Scott E2), con el error IMMEDIATA en la leyenda.

<KOUR1305> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Spanish Colonial Mail in Present-Day Territories of the United States"

Weston, MA: Spellman Museum of Stamps and Postal History, paper presented at a postal history symposium held at the Spellman Museum in May 2013 and published in 2014 as part of From Indian Trails to the Birth of a Nation, edited by Douglas Clark. The copy in my library is the final copy submitted to the symposium that was provided by the author and consists of 32 unnumbered pages.

Quoting from the article's introduction:

"All of the northernmost territories in the New World once controlled by the Spanish would eventually become part of the mainland of the United States, comprising the young nation's entire southern boundaries. This article summarizes what is known of the postal history and mail service in these vast but sparsely populated regions that for the most part were not closely interconnected and operated mainly as separate entities subordinate to other somewhat distant regional colonial hubs. The colonial era in most of these territories officially ended in 1821 when Mexico gained its independence from Spain."

Also see <WARR1410> for another overview of the presentation.

The article is included in this bibliography because some of the Spanish colonial mail that it talks about originated in Cuba.

<KOUR1305a> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"The Auditor's Rubric"

"La Rúbrica del Interventor"

Co-author: Adolfo Sarriás Enríquez (also listed as <SARR1305>).

CPa, Vol.24, No.68, May-Aug 2013, pp.20-22 (3), ill., Eng. & Span.

Relación de tres documentos de mediados del siglo XIX, encontrados en los archivos de la Administración General de Correos de la Isla de Cuba. Estos documentos muestran una extraña marca en forma de firma, que ya había sido reportada con anterioridad por el autor (ver <KOUR9807c> & <KOUR0405g>). El estudio de los documentos permite suponer, que la marca perteneció a un inspector de correspondencia en La Habana, que entre sus funciones estaba el detectar el uso de sellos falsos y quién los utilizaba.

<KOUR1308> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Spanish Prisoner of War Mail During the Spanish-Cuban/American War (1898)"

The American Philatelic Congress, Inc., The Congress Book 2013, paper presented at the Seventy-Ninth American Philatelic Congress, 9 Aug 2013, pp.123- 139 (17), ill.

Quoting <GERA1502>: This article "identifies the various camps where Spanish soldiers and officers were housed in Key West, Florida; Fort McPherson, Georgia; Annapolis, Maryland; Camp Long; Portsmouth, New Hampshire; and the vicinity of Santiago, Cuba, awaiting repatriation to Spain. The prisoners were treated as honored guests, and some, including Admiral Cervera, were allowed to leave the camp, only promising on their honor to return."

<KOUR1309> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Book Review: Catalog of Stamped Revenue Paper of the Spanish Colonies Used in Cuba, Vol.I (1640-1868) by Adolfo Sarriás Enríquez."

"Reseña Bibliográfica: Catálogo de Papel Sellado de las Colonias Españolas Usado en Cuba, Tomo I (1640-1868) por Adolfo Sarriás Enríquez."

CPa, Vol.24, No.69, Sep-Dec 2013, p.24, Eng. & Span.

Book review of <SARR1308>.

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<[KOUR1311](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Una clasificación de las marcas postales circulares de franquicia postal de los batallones de infantería en la Guerra de Cuba"
("A Classification of Circular Postal Franchise Marks of the Infantry Battalions in the Cuban War")

ACAD, Vol.XIV, No.17, Nov 2013, pp.79-91 (13), profusely illustrated, in Spanish.

Quoting from the English summary at the end of the article: Classification of the franchise marks used by the Spanish military units sent to Cuba during the 1895-1898 war. The author starts describing the numerous infantry battalions and the common type of circular die they used as postal franchise marks. Possibly over a thousand different dies existed, most of them in circular or oval format. The author also presents the use of these dies in combination with other postal marks and patriotic labels. The article shows many examples of envelopes circulated during the conflict.

<[KOUR1400](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"El Correo Mayor de Cuba" ("The Cuban *Correo Mayor*")

Madrid, Spain: Federación Española de Sociedades Filatélicas (FESOFL--Spanish Federation of Philatelic Societies), Cuadernos de Filatelia № 23 (Philatelic Notebooks, No.23), 2014, Chapter IX, pp.263-269 (7) plus p.282 from Chapter X containing a summary of the postal rates for Cuba established in 1756, ill., Span.

The term *Correo Mayor* is equivalent to *Postmaster General* in the U.S., though the attributes of the offices varied considerably.

<[KOUR1401a](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Letters to the Editor: More on the Puerto Príncipe Issue."

POSS, Vol.35 No.1, WNo.128, First Quarter 2014, pp.10-11.

El autor comenta dos aspectos de un artículo presentado por Geoffrey Brewster en la revista Possessions (ver <[BREW1310](#)>). En uno de los aspectos menciona, que el uso de canceladores incompletos o deficientes era común en oficinas postales españolas a finales del siglo XIX. En relación al otro aspecto señalado por Brewster, sugiere que algunos cuños con fechas "extrañas", pueden haber sido causados por la falta de cuidado de algunos empleados postales.

<[KOUR1401b](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Letters to the Editor: Songo, Cuba, U.S. Military Postal Station No. 14 Postmark."

POSS, Vol.35 No.1, WNo.128, First Quarter 2014, pp.11-12 . Also see <[KOUR1501](#)>.

A juicio del autor la marca en análisis no es parte de un cuño dúplex, indica que es similar a las utilizadas como marca de recepción en las Estaciones Postales Americanas, y que se trata de una de ellas utilizada como matasellos.

<[KOUR1401c](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"The First Air Mail in Cuba"

"El Primer Correo Aéreo en Cuba"

CPa, Vol. 25, No.70, Jan-Apr 2014, pp.14-18 (5), ill., Eng. & Span.

El autor muestra la imagen de un mensaje enviado con una paloma mensajera, el mismo se envió desde un barco que patrullaba la costa norte de Cuba en julio de 1898. En el artículo se da una amplia información acerca del uso de palomas mensajeras por el ejército de los Estados Unidos.

<[KOUR1404](#)> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"La pasión de muchos filatelistas es insuperable"

("The Passion of Many Philatelists is Unsurmountable")

ECO, No.1228, Apr 2014, 4pp., ill., Span.

Reprinted as part of Palabra de Académico. Entrevistas a Académicos y Otras Personalidades de la Filatelia Hispánica. (Words of Academicians. Interviews of Academicians and Other Personalities of Hispanic Philately.) Monograph No.1 of El Eco prepared by Eugenio de Quesada, President of El Grupo NEXO, publishers of El Eco, Spanish Philatelic and Numismatic journal. Dr. Kouri's article appears on pp103-106 of the latter work.

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The article is an interview of Dr. Kouri by El Eco about his work in support of the American Philatelic Society (APS) and philately in general with emphasis on U.S. philately and Cuban philately, the latter being Dr. Kouri's area of specialization.

<KOUR1405> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"The Last Trip of the Steamer *Argonauta*"

"El Último Viaje del Vapor *Argonauta*"

CPa, Vol. 25, No.71, May-Aug 2014, pp.15-19 (5), ill., Eng. & Span.

<KOUR1406a> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"The 500th Anniversary of the First Mail Service between Europe and the Americas"

LP, Vol.123 No.1416, Jun 2014, pp.174-185 (12), ill. References to Cuba appear on pp. 178, 181, and 183.

Quoting the introductory paragraph of the article: "Half a millennium ago, on 14 May 1514, the first step was taken for the creation of an organized mail service between Spain and the recently discovered American continent, with the creation of the Correo Mayor de Yndias (Postmaster General for the Americas. This hereditary position endured for more than two and a half centuries, with several modifications, and was passed down through eight generations and ten family members. This article summarises its salient features and describes examples of transatlantic correspondence carried by this postal system.".

<KOUR1406b> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"El Correo de Cuba con Argentina y Uruguay antes de la Unión Postal Universal"

"Cuban Mail with Argentina and Uruguay before the Universal Postal Union"

RFIAF, No.25, Jun 2014, pp.13-24 (12), ill., Span. & Eng.

A juicio del autor, la correspondencia entre la isla y los países del cono sur sudamericano, se transportaba por dos posibles vías. La primera en barcos americanos que viajaban con destino a Brasil y desde este país hasta su destino final. La segunda vía menos frecuente, era el uso de vapores ingleses o franceses que cruzaban el Atlántico en las dos direcciones. Se reportan un total de 13 cubiertas intercambiadas, 11 entre Cuba y Argentina y 2 entre Cuba y Uruguay. En todas las cubiertas se explica el franqueo, las rutas y barcos utilizados, las fechas, los agentes encaminadores y otros datos de interés.

<KOUR1406c> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"The 500th Anniversary of the First Mail Service between Europe and the Americas"

LP, June 2014, pp.174-185 (12), ill.

En la introducción del artículo, se explica el papel que tuvo la Casa de Contratación creada por los Reyes Católicos en 1503. Esta casa tuvo a su cargo el manejo y traslado de la correspondencia entre España y el Nuevo Mundo, hasta que en 1514 el Rey Fernando I de Aragón creó el título del Correo Mayor de Yndias. La persona con este cargo, mantendría el control absoluto de la correspondencia transatlántica entre España y sus posesiones en América. El artículo resume la historia del Correo Mayor de Yndias, desde su creación en 1514, hasta su cierre definitivo en 1769. En el mismo se ilustran nueve cubiertas de los primeros años de correspondencia con el Nuevo Mundo. También se muestra una tabla con las tarifas de las cartas, a lo largo del tiempo del funcionamiento del Correo Mayor de Yndias.

<KOUR1409> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"The Second Surcharged Stamps of the World" "Los Segundos Sellos Sobrecargados del Mundo"

CPa, Vol. 25, No.72, Sep-Dec 2014, pp.1, 3-7 (6), ill., Eng. & Span.

El autor explica las cuatro variantes que se pueden encontrar de los sellos en la emisión de 1855 "Habilitados para el Correo Interior de la Habana" (Y ¼). Explica el porqué de la dificultad para hallar parejas de esos sellos, y la remota posibilidad de encontrar una pareja donde se combinen los dos tipos de Y, ancha y estrecha, tanto en los sellos de color carmín como para los de rojo ladrillo. En el artículo se ilustra la única pareja conocida en color rojo ladrillo con ambos tipos de Y, considerada por muchos como la pieza más importante de la filatelia cubana. Ver <GARCF8709a>, <KOUR9701b> y <KOUR9704e>.

<KOUR1410a> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"La marca ESPAÑA de Cartagena de Indias" ("The ESPAÑA postmark of Cartagena de Indias")

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Co-author: Manuel Arango (also listed as <ARAN1410>).

ACAD, Vol.XV, No.18, Oct 2014, pp.47-49 (3), ill., in Spanish.

Quoting from the English summary at the end of the Article: "The ESPAÑA postmark began to be used at the end of 1764, following the establishment of the first regular maritime mail between the Peninsula and the American continent, to identify the origin of the correspondence and validate the correct rates. Regulations established that this mark should be applied either in the Spanish ports of exit to every letter addressed to America, or in the ports of destination to letters received without this mark of origin. Eight colonial cities received copies of this postmark: Havana, San Juan de Puerto Rico, Santo Domingo, Cartagena de Indias, Veracruz, México, New Orleans, Caracas and Lima. Postal administrations were subsequently authorized to manufacture their own postmarking devices, giving rise to different models of this mark." The article reports the finding of a second copy of the largest of these postmarks from Cartagena de Indias, Colombia. The article is cited in this bibliography because Havana also used the marking and it provides background information about the use of this mark.

<KOUR1410b> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Blockade Mail, Cuba 1898"

PHJ, No.159, Oct 2014, p.27, ill.

Artículo sobre dos cubiertas enviadas desde Cuba, durante el bloqueo americano a la isla de 1898.

<KOUR1501> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"The Circular U.S. Military Postal Station Markings in Cuba"

POSS, Vol.36 No.1, WNo.132, First Quarter 2015, pp.10-13 (4), ill. Also see <KOUR1401b>.

El autor compara los facsímiles de los cuños de estaciones postales militares en Cuba, con las imágenes correspondientes obtenidas de cubiertas y fragmentos. Los facsímiles aparecen en una tarjeta de felicitación, enviada por la oficina de correos de New York en diciembre de 1898. En esta tarjeta se reproducen los cuños circulares, de las primeras 10 estaciones postales militares establecidas en Cuba. En la comparación con los cuños reales, se muestran diferencias, y el autor presume que los mencionados facsímiles fueron confeccionados a partir de un formato estándar existente.

<KOUR1501a> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"A New U.S. Military Camp Postmark: Marianao"

"Una Nueva Marca de un Campamento Militar de los Estados Unidos: Marianao"

CPa, Vol. 26, No.73, Jan-Apr 2015, pp.1-3-4 (3), ill., Eng. & Span.

Relación de un matasellos dúplex, con fechador de doble círculo donde se lee MARIANAو y fecha 2 de mayo de 1899. La fecha sitúa esta oficina después de que las estaciones postales militares americanas pasaron a la administración civil cubana. En diciembre de 1898, se estableció en la localidad de Marianao un campamento militar. La oficina postal de este campamento inició su funcionamiento en febrero de 1899 y utilizaría el nombre de "COLUMBIA BARRACKS".

<KOUR1502> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"The 250th Anniversary of the Spanish Maritime Mail Service"

PHJ, No.160, Feb 2015, pp.2-15 (14), ill. Also see <KOUR1406>.

Quoting from the article's introduction: "On October 1764 the [Spanish] Maritime Mail Service (Correos Marítimos del Estado) was created. This state-run enterprise provided the first regularly scheduled reliable sailings between Spain and several ports in the Spanish Americas. This brief article gives an overview of the Spanish Maritime Mail Service and its impact on the postal history of the American Continent. A few representative examples of the mail and postal markings of this period are illustrated."

<KOUR1507> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Los sellos provisionales de Gibara (Cuba) de 1898"

("The 1898 Provisional Stamps of Gibara (Cuba)")

ACAD, Vol.XVI, No.19, Jul 2015, pp.97-103 (7), ill., in Spanish.

Quoting from the English language summary of the article in ACademvs: " The scarcity of stamps and stamped stationery items during Cuba's war of independence, in the areas outside the control of the Spanish Government,

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was a common situation that aggravated in late 1898 and early 1899 in the areas occupied by U.S. troops. To cope with this shortcoming, the authorities in several towns of Cuba and Puerto Rico had to resort to issuing provisional stamps. The village of Gibara, on the Northwestern coast of Cuba, devised two round format, provisional stamps of 2 and 5 cents, which circulated between November and December, 1898, and of which, the philatelic community had only notice in 1997. Only four complete envelopes and two fragments featuring these imprints are known, which leads the author to claim that this is one of the rarest issues generated during the conflict. All known copies are reproduced within the article."

<KOUR1509> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Palabras para la lectura del discurso de entrada a la Real Academia Hispánica de Filatelia por Carlos Echenagusía" ("Introductory Words on the Occasion of the Reading of the Dissertation of Entrance into the Spanish Royal Philatelic Academy by Carlos Echenagusía")

Unpublished. Referenced on p.53 of the Sep 2015 issue of [EcoFN](#) (see <[EcoFN1509b](#)>), one page, Span.

<KOUR1509a> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

Stamps of the First Postal Issue of Spanish Antilles Used Abroad (1855-1864).

Leuven, Belgium: International Postal History Fellowship, 27-30 Sep 2015, 16 pp., ill.

El autor realiza un estudio del uso de los sellos de la Primera Emisión de las Antillas Españolas, y lo divide en tres grupos: el uso propio en las Antillas (Cuba y Puerto Rico) y en Filipinas, el uso en otros países y el uso en expediciones militares. En el primer grupo detalla las tres emisiones realizadas de estos sellos, los valores faciales y explica el uso en Cuba del valor sobrecargado Y ¼. Para cada uno de los grupos explica cuáles fueron los sellos utilizados y bajo qué circunstancias lo fueron. El artículo se complementa con imágenes de cubiertas, estudio de las marcas y matasellos impuestos sobre esas cubiertas y las tarifas aplicadas. En el grupo de las expediciones militares, se ilustra una cubierta enviada desde Conchinchina (actualmente Vietnam) con sellos de Filipinas, que está considerada como excepcional.

<KOUR1510> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Uno de los sellos más raros usados en México: el medio real de Antillas Españolas de 1857"

("One of the rarest stamps used in México: the 1857 one half real of Spanish Antilles")

RFIAF, No.26, Oct 2015, pp.8-11 (4), ill., Span.

El autor narra el origen de las expediciones militares de Francia, Inglaterra y España contra México a partir de 1861, y se centra en la estancia de las tropas españolas en ese país. A continuación, explica las circunstancias en las que fueron subastadas dos cubiertas de esa expedición militar española. Las cubiertas fueron franqueadas con sellos de la Primera Emisión de las Antillas Españolas, ambas consideradas de gran rareza.

<KOUR1511> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"The First Postal Issues of Spanish Antilles (1855-1865)."

Unpublished 38 page presentation given to the Royal Philatelic Society of London on 12 Nov 2015 covering in detail the first postal issues of the Spanish Antilles. See <KOUR1601> for web version published in Filatelia Digital website (www.filateliadigital.com).

The four principal printings of these issues are discussed together with major plate varieties and usages, including the 1855 and 1860 surcharges. Among the usages discussed are their use on revenue documents, use as postage due stamps, foreign destinations, usages abroad, postal counterfeits, and finally their demonetization. A one page bibliography of related works on the subject caps the presentation.

<KOUR1601> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Las Primeras Emisiones Postales de Antillas Españolas"

("The First Postal Issues of Spanish Antilles")

Filatelia Digital Website (www.filateliadigital.com),

12 Jan 2016 (Part I at <http://www.filateliadigital.com/las-primeras-emisiones-postales-de-antillas-espanolas-i/>),

29 Feb 2016 (Part II at <http://www.filateliadigital.com/las-primeras-emisiones-postales-de-antillas-espanolas-ii/>),

16 Mar 2016 (Part III at <http://www.filateliadigital.com/las-primeras-emisiones-postales-de-antillas-espanolas-iii/>),

63 pp., ill., Span. Web version of <KOUR1511>.

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<KOUR1601a> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"The 'Pinocchio Nose' Variety of the Half Real Antilles Stamp of 1857"

"La Variedad 'Nariz de Pinocho' del Sello de Medio Real de Antillas de 1857"

CPa, Vol. 27, No.76, Jan-Apr 2016, pp.22-27 (6), ill., Eng. & Span.

Artículo que estudia la variedad del sello de ½ real de plata de la Primera Emisión de las Antillas Españolas, conocida como "Nariz de Pinocho". Se indica la causa del defecto y como el mismo se fue acentuando, con el uso repetido de la plancha en el tiempo. Se muestran imágenes de sellos con diferentes grados del defecto y cuatro cubiertas franqueadas con esos sellos.

<KOUR1605> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"La interrupción de la correspondencia entre los Estados Unidos y los territorios españoles durante la Guerra Hispano-Americana"

("Mail Interruption Between the United States and the Spanish Territories During the Spanish-American War")
ACAD, Vol.XVII, No.20, May 2016, pp.103-111 (9), ill., in Spanish.

Quoting from the English language summary of the article in ACADEMVS: "The article examines the circumstances surrounding the suspension of the United States mail to the Spanish territories during the 1898 Spanish-American war, and the labels and markings implemented on the discontinued correspondence in New York, San Francisco, New Orleans and Boston. The vicissitudes of the mail from other countries to Cuba and from Spain and its territories to the United States are also researched, as well as the resumption of the postal service after the cessation of hostilities on August, 12, 1898. The author reproduces many circulated letters featuring the labels and markings used during the conflict."

<KOUR1605a> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"The Provisional Stamps of Gibara, Cuba, and their Descendants"

"Los Sellos Provisionales de Gibara, Cuba, y su Descendencia"

CPa, Vol.27, No.77, May-Aug 2016, pp.1, 3-10 (9), ill., Eng. & Span.

More on the subject of <KOUR9707d>, <KOUR1209d>, and <KOUR1507>.

<KOUR1605b> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"The CPSA at the NY2016 International Stamp Show and Recognition and Tribute to Dr. Roberto Rosende"

"La CPSA en la Exposición Internacional de NY2016 y Homenaje Especial al Dr. Roberto Rosende"

CPa, Vol.27, No.77, May-Aug 2016, pp.20-23 (4), ill., Eng. & Span.

Report of the participation of the CPSA at the NY2016 International Stamp Show with a listing of the CPSA members that exhibited their collections at the show and the awards they obtained. Also report of the tribute rendered to Dr. Roberto Rosende, at a dinner held in his honor during the show. Dr. Rosende was one of the most prominent Cuban philatelists of the last four decades of the 20th Century.

<KOUR1605c> Kourí, Sr. , Yamil H.

"A Second Look at the *Pinocchio Nose* Stamp"

"Reexaminando el Sello con la *Nariz de Pinocho*"

CPa, Vol.27, No.77, May-Aug 2016, p.24, ill., Eng. & Span.

Follow-up on <KOUR1601a>.

<KOUR1607> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Preface to the *Catalogue of Cuban Forwarding Agents*"

"Prólogo al *Catálogo de Agentes Reencaminadores de Cuba*"

Arenys del Mar, Barcelona, Spain: Published by Adolfo Sarrías Enríquez, July 2016, on pp.7-10 (4) of <SARR1607>. Eng. & Span. Limited edition of 100.

This is basically a book review of the excellent work <SARR1607>.

<KOUR1609> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

The Other Cunard: The British & North American Royal Mail Steam-Packet Co. Branch Line between New York and Havana via Nassau (1859-1867).

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Pont à Mousson, France: International Postal History Fellowship, 16-18 Sep 2016, 50 pp., ill.

En 1859, un ramal de la compañía "The British and North American Royal Mail Steam-Packet Co", inició un servicio de vapores entre New York y La Habana haciendo escala en Nassau. La línea se mantuvo operando ininterrumpidamente hasta 1867, en ese período fue la principal línea de comunicación con las Bahamas y jugó un papel importante en el transporte de correspondencia entre los Estados Confederados y Europa. En ese tiempo la línea prestó un servicio de correo directo entre los EEUU y Cuba. En el artículo se ilustran 77 cubiertas transportadas por esa línea, 27 de ellas tuvieron origen, destino o tránsito por Cuba.

<KOUR1609a> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"A 5 Cent Cuban Insurgent Stamp with Missing Vertical Perforation on the Right."

"Un Sello Insurgente Cubano de 5 Centavos Imperforado Verticalmente en la Derecha."

CPa, Vol.26, No.78, Sep-Dec 2016, p.12, ill., Span. & Eng.

Follow-up to <CODI1601> showing a used 5c. Cuban insurgent mail stamp (Edifil Correo Insurrecto #3) from the right margin of a sheet without vertical perforations on its right hand side, whereas the stamp shown in Codina's article was from the first column in the sheet and was missing the vertical perforations on its left hand side. The brief article indicates that Codina's missing perforation error is listed in Edifil as #3smi whereas stamps without vertical perforations on their right hand side are not catalogued in Edifil. At the end of the second paragraph of the article, Dr. Kourí surmises that stamps without right margin perforations are probably scarcer than those with missing left margin perforations, but fails to support the statement. The article ends stating that the fact that the stamp without right margin perforations was used probably means that the error was not noticed by the user, making it much rarer than the unused ones with the missing left margin perforations, an error which must have been noticed, thus causing them to be saved unused in greater numbers.

<KOUR1701> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"El Uso de Matasellos Ovalados para Indicar el Pago del Porteo"

"The Use of Oval Cancellers to Indicate the Payment of Postage"

CPa, Vol. 27, No.79, Jan-Apr 2017, pp.9-13 (5), ill. Span. & Eng.

Quoting from "Foreign Postal History in Other Journals", Cuba entry on p.56 of Postal History Journal No. 168 of October 2017 by Dan Piazza: The article "describes the nineteenth-century Cuban custom of using cancelling devices to indicate prepayment of postage when stamps were not available. This usage is mainly observed on government mail; examples on ordinary mail and foreign correspondence arriving in or transiting Cuba are more unusual. The practice flourished from 1858 to 1869.

<KOUR1709> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

Interrupted Mails during the Spanish-Cuban/American War of 1898

Postdam, Germany: International Postal History Fellowship, 28-30 Sep 2017, 18 pp., ill.

Extract, English translation, and follow-up to <KOUR1605>. See <KOUR2009> for subsequent article with a couple of additional examples of interrupted correspondence bearing previously unreported related markings.

<KOUR1709a> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Modified Postmarks from U.S. Military Postal Stations in Cuba"

"Marcas Modificadas de las Estaciones Postales Militares de los Estados Unidos en Cuba"

CPa, Vol. 27, No.81, Sep-Dec 2017, pp.1, 3-8 (7), ill. Span. & Eng.

El artículo describe varios cuños de estaciones postales militares, modificados y usados por las autoridades postales civiles de Cuba, después del cierre de esas estaciones. El estudio se divide en matasellos dúplex, marcas de certificado, cuños de doble óvalo y otros tipos de marcas. La modificación más común fue la eliminación de los textos en inglés.

<KOUR1801> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Mail from Mexico to Spain by British Steamers via Havana, 1842-1864"

"El Correo de México a España por Vapores Británicos vía La Habana, 1842-1864"

CPa, Vol.28, No.82, Jan-Apr 2018, pp.8-18 (11), ill., Eng. & Span.

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Después de la independencia de México, los buques británicos fueron el principal medio de comunicaciones de este país con el mundo. En el artículo se estudia la correspondencia enviada de México a España, transportada por vapores británicos. En general esta correspondencia se pagaba de antemano en Veracruz y de allí viajaba a La Habana, que hacia 1840 era el principal puerto de tránsito en el Caribe Occidental. A juicio del autor, hasta la entrada de México en la UPU, hubo cuatro períodos de tiempo diferenciados en la forma en que la correspondencia llegaba desde La Habana a Londres. En los primeros años la correspondencia fue manejada por la Empresa de Correos Marítimos, luego por la administración de correos cubana, después por vapores ingleses hasta Londres viajando como correo abierto y finalmente por la misma vía, pero enviado en valijas selladas. En cada una de las etapas se ilustran cubiertas con sus respectivas explicaciones de las tarifas y marcas impuestas.

<KOUR1809> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

Mail from Puerto Rico to Spain by British Steamers via England: 1846-1875.

Boston, Massachusetts: International Postal History Fellowship, 27-29 Sep 2018, 49 pp., ill.

<KOUR1900> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

Under Three Flags. The Postal History of the Spanish-Cuban/American War (1895-1898)

Chicago, Illinois: The Collectors Club of Chicago, 2019, xv introductory pages plus 733 pages of text.

The book covers in exhaustive detail every possible aspect that one has ever come across while pursuing the postal history of the war from the point of view all three of the participants from inception to the end and even into the future implications of the war into the subsequent postal history of the three nations involved, especially Cuba which inherited the postal organization implanted in the island by the U.S. Administration after the end of the war and under which Cuba basically continued to operate with minor modifications after Cuba became an independent Republic on the 20th of May 1902. See <CUES1904b>, <IGLEF1901>, and <MCMA1904> for book reviews. Also see pages 18-19 and 23-24 of <JCP2007> for copies of front and back dust jacket covers and inside flaps of the book.

<KOUR1905> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Las marcas de correo Marítimo 'YNDIAS' "

("The 'YNDIAS' Maritime Postal Markings")

ACAD, Yr.20, No.23, May 2019, pp.19-53 (35), ill., Span.

Quoting from the English summary at the end of the article: "The maritime mail marking YNDIAS was created in 1764, mainly to identify correspondence from the Americas to Spain, but it was also commonly used on mail between different territories in the Americas. At least thirteen different styles of this marking have been recorded in no fewer than twenty distinct locations. They include places in North, Central and South America, the West Indies, peninsular Spain and the Canary Islands. The article describes the distinguishing physical features of each one of the markings, their colors, places and periods of use, and the particular circumstances in which they were applied at different locations. Markings with the text I NDIAS are not discussed in this work. A table is included to help identify these handstamps. The most versatile of the three maritime mail markings, the YNDIAS are known used during ten decades, until the late 1850s.

<KOUR1908> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Los sellos de la República de Cuba en Armas de 1896"

("The Stamps of the Cuban Republic in Arms of 1896")

RFIAF, No.30, Aug 2019, pp.23-30 (8), ill., Span.

Story of the creation of the stamps of the Cuban Republic in Arms of 1896 issued by the Cuban Revolutionary Party founded in 1892 in New York. The stamps were for use in Cuban territories under control of the insurgents during the Cuban war of independence and also for use of its clandestine agencies outside of Cuba for use in communications with insurgents inside Cuba. The article provides detailed information about the stamps themselves and examples of their use.

<KOUR1909> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"The First Duplex Canceler Used in Cuba"

"El Primer Matasellos Dúplex Usado en Cuba"

CPa, Vol. 29, No.87, Sep-Dec 2019, pp.18-21 (4), ill., Eng. & Span.

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Description and illustration of the first duplex canceler used in Cuba introduced by the U.S. military forces postal service in Santiago de Cuba. The article provides the rationale for the use of duplex cancelers.

<KOUR2000> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

Spanish Colonial and Mexican Mail in the United States
El Correo Colonial Español y Mexicano en los Estados Unidos
Co-Author: Leo J. Harris (also listed as <HARRL2000>)

Madrid, Spain: Real Academia Hispánica de Filatelia e Historia Postal (Royal Academy of Philately and Postal History, Biblioteca Especializada de la RAHFeHP (Specialized Library of the Royal Hispanic Academy of Philately and Postal History), Vol. VII, 2020, 324 pp., ill., Eng. & Span. See <IGLEF2101e> and <CERR2106b> for a book reviews.

Although not focused on Cuba, the book contains many references to mail from and to Cuba and associated routing and postal rates.

<KOUR2007> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"El correo de Puerto Rico a España por vía de Inglaterra, 1846-1867"

("Mail from Puerto Rico to Spain via England, 1846-1867")

ACAD, Yr.21, No.24, Jul 2020, pp.45-61 (17), ill., Span.

Although focused on Puerto Rico, the article contains abundant information about postal rates of the period that were also applicable to Cuba.

<KOUR2009> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"More Intercepted Correspondence During the Spanish American War"

"Más Correspondencia Interceptada Durante la Guerra Hispano Americana"

CPa, Vol. 30, No.90, Sep-Dec 2020, pp.1, 3-5 (4), ill., Eng. & Span.

Follow-up to <KOUR1605> and <KOUR1709> reporting some additional intercepted correspondence with previously unreported markings.

<KOUR2101> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Los Sobrereportes en la Correspondencia Cubana Durante la Época Prefilatélica"

"The 'Sobrereportes' [Surcharges] on Cuban Correspondence During the Stampless Era"

Co-Author: José Antonio Herráiz Gracia (also listed as <HERR2101>).

CPa, Vol. 31, No.91, Jan-Apr 2021, pp.94-106 (13), ill., Eng. & Span.

Discussion and explanation of postage due surcharges (sobrereportes) applied at the destination to letters of the stampless era to letters mailed from Cuba to Spain.

<KOUR2105> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Mail Disinfection During the Spanish American War: The Myth and the Facts."

"La Desinfección de la Correspondencia Durante la Guerra Hispano Americana: El Mito y las Pruebas."

CPa, Vol. 32, No.92, May-Aug 2021, pp.1, 3-8 (7), ill., Eng. & Span.

El autor discrepa con la opinión expresada en el artículo <CABR2101d> de la revista de la CPSA. En este último se reportaban tres sobres de soldados americanos, supuestamente desinfectados. Ver. El autor indica que existía un procedimiento de desinfección para las tropas enviadas a Cuba, y que la apariencia de las cubiertas reportadas no concuerda con el mismo. A juicio del autor se trata de sobres que fueron manipulados y que, debido a la ausencia de material adecuado, fueron cerradas nuevamente de la mejor manera posible.

<KOUR2109a> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"Recordando a / Remembering IGNACIO 'CHACHI' PRATS"

CPa, Vol. 31, No.93, Sep-Dec 2021, p.30, ill., Eng. & Span.

Obituary of Ignacio Prats aka "Chachi" who assembled one of the most comprehensive collections of Cuba before Castro of all times, encompassing all aspects of Cuban philately. See <MANNI9702> for sale of Prats collection of Spanish Antilles and Cuba. Also see <S&LL0911a>, <S&LL0911b>, and <S&LL1005> for subsequent resales of parts of his collection.

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<KOUR2109b> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“More on the Arabescos of 1883”

“Más Sobre los Arabescos de 1883”

CPa, Vol. 31, No.93, Sep-Dec 2021, pp.32-33, ill., Eng. & Span.

Relación de dos cubiertas franqueadas con sellos de los sobrecargados de 1883 y del período de uso de los mismos. El autor lo considera como información adicional a lo publicado en <MONTES2101>.

<KOUR2200> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“El Correo de la Intervención Europea de 1861-1867 en México”

“Mails of the 1861-1867 European Intervention in Mexico”

Co-Author: Steven C. Walske (also listed under <WALS2200>)

RAHFeHP, Biblioteca Especializada de la RAHFeHP (Specialized Library of the RAHFeHP), 2022, 314 pp., ill., Span. & Eng. The link <KOUR2200> is to a book review that appeared in ACAD, Yr. XXIII, Aug 2022, No.26, p.181, illustrated, in Spanish.

<KOUR2201> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“The 1855 Y¼ Surcharged Stamps of Cuba”

Sarasota, Florida: 2022 Sarasota National Stamp Exhibition (SNSE), 21-23 Jan 2022, single frame exhibit of 16 pages, profusely illustrated, in English. Received exhibition’s Grand Award for single frame exhibits.

The same exhibit was subsequently presented at the CUBAFIL’22 Virtual Stamp Exhibition (see <KOUR2203>). The exhibit focuses on the stamps listed as Scott 5-8 of 1855, but concludes with one page of the Y¼ surcharge of 1860 (Scott 15). Quoting from exhibit’s introduction: “This traditional exhibit presents a comprehensive study of the 1855 Spanish Antilles stamps surcharged Y¼ to be used for the internal mail within the city of Havana.”

<KOUR2203> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“The 1855 Y¼ Surcharged Stamps of Cuba”

(“Los Sellos de Cuba Sobrecargados Y¼ en 1855”)

FDCW, CUBAFIL’22 Virtual Philatelic Exhibition, 5-31 March 2022, single frame exhibit of 16 pages, profusely illustrated, in English. See <KOUR2201> for details the previous non-virtual exhibition from which this virtual exhibition was derived, together with a brief annotation describing it.

The exhibit was presented as a virtual exhibition in the CUBAFIL’22 Virtual Philatelic Exhibition in the “One Frame” section. The same exhibit was again re-entered in the “Court of Honor” section at the CUBAFIL’23 Virtual Philatelic Exhibition held April 22-30, 2023 (see <KOUR2304>).

<KOUR2204> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Puerto Príncipe Covers at the Cuban Postal Museum.”

“Sobres de Puerto Príncipe en el Museo Postal Cubano.”

CPa, Vol.13, No.2, Issue 48, Apr-Jun 2022, pp.28-30 (3), ill., Eng. & Span.

Brief introduction to descriptions and images of the four covers with Puerto Príncipe surcharged stamps in the holdings of the Cuban Postal Museum at Havana, followed by a table presenting a census of all known Puerto Príncipe covers. The descriptions, images, and table are taken verbatim from pp.664, 668, 669, 671, and 674 of <KOUR1900>.

<KOUR2205> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“The First Line M of the French ‘Compagnie Générle Transatlantique’.”

“La Primera Línea M de la ‘Compagnie Générle Transatlantique’ Francesa.”

CPa, Vol. 32, No.95, May-Aug 2022, pp.1, 3-8 (7), ill., Eng. & Span.

Historical overview of the operation of the French ‘Compagnie Générle Transatlantique’ from its first transatlantic trip in 1864 up to the trips of its Line M serving New Orleans that are the focus of this article. The article describes and illustrates the four known covers sent via Line M from November 1866 to May 1969.

<KOUR2208> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Los primeros viajes al Golfo de México de Vapores Correos Españoles”

(“The Spanish Mail Steamers First Trips to the Gulf of Mexico”)

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ACAD, Yr. XXIII, Aug 2022, No.26, pp.101-112 (12), ill, Span.

From a summary at the end of the article (p.112): This article describes the first two Spanish steamship companies that carried mail between Mexico and Cuba from the mid-1850s until the mid-1860s, their steamships, and their itinerary. They operated without a post office contract, but most likely received some subsidy for the mail they carried. Several examples of correspondence carried by these lines between Mexico and Cuba, between Mexico and the United States, between Mexico and Europe, and within Mexico, are illustrated and analyzed. In early 1866 the first Spanish mail contract to carry correspondence between Mexico and Cuba was granted to Anronio López and Company.

<KOUR2303> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“La Correspondencia Tasada Durante la Ocupación Americana de Cuba, 1898-1902”

(“Postage Due Mail During the American Occupation of Cuba, 1898-1902”)

Presented at the Virtual Session of the RAHFeHP held on 11 Mar 2023 at 8 p.m. (Madrid, Spain time), 20 frames (pages), ill., Span.

The presentation deals with postage due topics both during the war and the ensuing peace-time U.S. administration that included a reorganization of the Cuban postal system patterned after the U.S. postal system and its operation. The postage due topics treated were the following: 1) During the war: Military Mail, 2) During the the following peaceful U.S. Administration: a) Colonial stamps that were not accepted for postage, b) Mail assessed postage due at its origin, c) Mail not charged postage due, d) Mail charged postage due upon delivery, e) Mail charged postage due in transit, f) Mail refused, g) Mail not claimed, h) Mail redirected, i) Postage stamps used to pay postage due fees, j) Postage due fees on postcards, k) Examples of high postal due fees.

<KOUR2304> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“The 1855 Y $\frac{1}{4}$ Surcharged Stamps of Cuba”

FDCW, CUBAFIL’23 Virtual Exhibition, 22-30 Apr 2023. One frame exhibit (16 pp.), ill., in English.

Exhibit presented in the “Court of Honor” section at the CUBAFIL’23 virtual exhibition hosted by the Group for the Promotion of Cuban Philately, 22-30 April 2023, at the website “Filatelia de Cuba” (“Cuban Philately”).

The same exhibit was presented in the “One Frame Section” of the CUBAFIL’22 Virtual Philatelic Exhibition (see <KOUR2203>). The exhibit covers the stamps surcharged Y $\frac{1}{4}$ for use in the internal mail of Havana at the end of 1855 (Scott 5-8) and in early 1860 (Scott 15).

<KOUR2403> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Vapores Españoles en el Seno Mexicano”

The Author: 38 page lecture presented on 7 March 2024 at conference on Maritime Mail organized by the Philatelic Society of Madrid. See <KOUR2405> below for a report about the conference.

<KOUR2404> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“The First Postal Issues of the Spanish Antilles, 1855-1865”

(“Las Primeras Emisiones Postales de las Antillas Españolas, 1855-1865”).

FDCW, CUBAFIL’24 Virtual Philatelic Exhibition, April 20 to 28, 2024.

Five-frame (78 pages) philatelic exhibit presented for the first time at a CUBAFIL virtual exhibition.

Comprehensive study of the first postal issues of the Spanish Antilles (Cuba and Puerto Rico) from 1855-1865. The purpose of the exhibit is to thoroughly illustrate every possible aspect of the production and usage of these issues. This includes proofs, paper types, color shades, cancellations, usages, rates, and destinations. The exhibit includes a thorough study of the Y $\frac{1}{4}$ surcharges of 1855 and 1860.

<KOUR2405> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

“Vapores españoles en el seno mexicano durante la segunda mitad del siglo XIX”

(“Spanish steamships in Mexican waters during the second half of the 19th century”)

EcoFN, Vol.80, No.1339, May 2024, p.6, ill., Span.

Report of a lecture given by Dr. Kourí describing the important role played by Spanish steamships in waters of the Gulf of Mexico in the mid-19th century in the transportation of mail internationally. Due to its privileged position in the Caribbean, Cuba played a crucial role as a stopping point for Spanish ships traveling through the Caribbean to

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the other Spanish Antilles, the East coast of the U.S., Europe and vice versa. The article is illustrated by three covers that were sent from Mexico to Cuba, from Cuba to Mexico, and from Mexico to New York. During the lecture, Dr. Kourí cited the work by Robert G. Stone, The Caribbean Neptune, as a monumental reference on 19th Century Caribbean maritime mail (see <STONR9300>). The report was written by Rai Almeda and is also listed under <ALME2405>. See <KOUR2403> for the 38 slides used to present the lecture.

<KOUR2412> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"El correo por vapores entre Cuba y Canadá, 1848-1875"

"Mail Via Steamships Between Cuba and Canada, 1848-1875"

Description of the mail routes, periods of operation, postal rates, and correspondence carried by steamships between Cuba and territories that eventually became Canada, known at the time as British North America, from the 1840s until the creation of the General Postal Union in 1875.

<KOUR2501> Kourí, Jr. , Yamil H.

"The 1854 Spanish Antilles Postal Rates for Unpaid Mail and Its Interpretations"

"La Tarifa de 1854 para el Correo No Franqueado de las Antillas y Sus Interpretaciones"

CPa, Vol. 35, No.103, Jan-Apr 2025, pp.1,3-12 (11), ill., Eng. & Span.

Detailed explanation of the 1854 Spanish Antilles postal rates for unpaid mail and its various interpretations, primarily caused by the different currencies being used in Spain (reales de vellón) and in the Spanish Antilles (reales de plata). The article covers the period from 1854 to 1856 and illustrates, discusses, and explains the postal rates applied to numerous covers of that period based on the postal markings applied to the covers.

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<KRAM6505> Kramer, James P.

"Cuban Zoo Commemorative Issue"

S, No.1705, 5 May 1965. For Spanish translation see <KRAM6601>.

Identification and main characteristics of each of the 20 animals featured in the 1964 Zoo of Havana stamp issue (Scott 888/907).

<KRAM6601> Kramer, James P.

"Emisión Conmemorativa del Zoológico Cubano" ("Cuban Zoo Commemorative Issue")

FCb, Yr.2, No.1, Jan-Mar 1966, pp.3-8 (6), ill., Span. Spanish translation of <KRAM6505>.

<KRAM1707> Kramer, James P.

"The Cuban Zoo Commemoratives"

"Emisión Conmemorativa del Zoológico Cubano"

JCP, Vol.8, No.3, Issue 29, Jul-Sep 2017, pp.8-14 (7), ill, Eng & Span. Reprint of <KRAM6505> and <KRAM6601>.

<KRAU8903> Krause, Barry

"Cuba Libre: Collecting After Embargo"

CPa, Vol.1, No.1, Mar-Apr 1989, p.2.

Reprint of an item published in the questions and answers section "Your Stamps" of the Los Angeles Times of 11 Nov 1988 answering the question from a reader: "Is there a stamp society for collectors of Cuban stamps? And can these stamps be legally bought". The article points the reader to the Cuban Philatelic Society of America and indicates that the embargo on trade with Cuba imposed by President Kennedy effective 7 Feb 1962 only applies to Cuban stamps issued after that date, leaving plenty of Cuban stamps that can be bought legally to form a collection.

<KREN3612> Krenzky, C. F.

"Major-General Máximo Gómez y Báez"

WPG, Vol.23, No.12, WNo.787, 5 December 1936, pp.401, 411.

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Biographical and historical notes leading to the report of a new set of stamps issued in honor of the Major-General on the occasion of the inauguration of a magnificent monument erected in the city of Havana to commemorate the 100th anniversary of his birth. The stamp set, Scott 332-336, C22-C23, and E9, is described at the end of the article, but no illustrations are provided.

<[KRIE1405](#)> Kriebel, William V.

"Fritz W. Hammer: Idefatigable Airline Pioneer"

APJ, Vol.85, No.5, WNo.1007, May 2014, pp.182-191 (10), ill. Part 1 of 2.

Historical summary of the emergence of the SCADTA airline in the early 1920s. In 1925 one of this airline's planes arrived in Havana as part of a tour of Central American countries. Since SCADTA was a Colombian-German airline, the response of the U.S. government was to subsidize an American airline that could provide the same service. These events led to the creation of Pan American in 1927 and the establishment of the Key West to Habana, Cuba route.

<[KRIE0900](#)> Krieger, George T. (Editor)

The Postal Stationery of the United States Possessions and Administrative Areas of the United States: American Zone (Germany) Canal Zone, Cuba, Danish West Indies, Hawaii, Philippines, Puerto Rico, Ryukyu Islands.

Chester, Virginia: United Postal Stationery Society, Third Edition, 2009, 210 pp., ill. Cuba on pp.61-74 (14).

George Krieger, overall Editor. Contributors to the Cuba Section were Ernesto Cuesta, Octavio Cabrera, Robert Littrell, and Mark Tyx (also listed in this bibliography under their names). Library of Congress Control Number: 2009935307. Third edition of the catalog first published by the society in 1957 under the editorship of George C. Slawson (see <[UPSS5700](#)>) and updated in 1971 with a second edition (see <[UPSS7100](#)>). This third edition is a considerable update and improvement over the second edition that only dedicated five and a half pages to Cuba versus 14 full pages in this third edition. See <[CABR1500](#)> for a subsequent update.

The catalog is printed on 8.5 by 11 in. spiral-bound pages and consists of an introductory and General Information section with pages numbered i to vi (6), followed by the various catalog sections of the Possessions and Administrative Areas of the United States on pages 1 to 190, followed in turn by an Appendix illustrating paper watermarks and knives and sizes on pages numbered 191 to 212 (20). The Cuba section of the catalog provides an overview of Cuban history with emphasis on the Spanish-American War and the ensuing U.S. Administration period and a discussion of the postage rates of the period. The body of the catalog describes the envelopes, postal cards, and wrappers issued for Cuba during the U.S. Administration period with detailed descriptions of each issue, including varieties, errors, specimens, and samples. Details are provided of envelope sizes, knives, paper color, paper watermarks, corner cards, quantities issued or known (in the case of errors, specimens, samples, corner cards, rare usages, etc.), earliest recorded postmarks, and postmarks used.

<[KRIS1205](#)> Kristol, Howard G.

"Cuba Envelope UPSS 5 with Double Overprint"

PSta, Vol.54, No.3, WNo.384, May-Jun 2012, p.99, ill.

Report of a variety of Cuba UPSS 5 with an unlinked (albino) double impression of the overprint.

<[KRIS1210](#)> Kristol, Howard G.

"Cuba: Questions--Answers"

Co-author: Octavio Cabrera (also listed as <[CABR1210](#)>).

POSS, Vol.33 No.4, WNo.123, Fourth Quarter 2012, pp.26-28 (3), Eng.

Question posed by Mr. Kristol about a statement about postal rates in Mr. Cabrera's article "The U.S. Postal Cards Overprinted for Use in Cuba" (see <[CABR1204c](#)>) and response by Mr. Cabrera with detailed information backing the quoted rates in his article.

<[KRON4007](#)> Kronstein, Max

"Airmails—From Pioneer Flights in Pan America (3)"

S, Vol.32, No.4, WNo.411, 27 Jul 1940, pp.132, 139 (2).

<[KRON4011](#)> Kronstein, Max

"Airmails—More About Pan-American Pioneer Flights"

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S, Vol.33, No.6, WNo.426, 9 Nov 1940, pp.204, 211 (2).

Notes on Pan-American pioneer flights in South America with a brief section dedicated to Cuba.

<[KRON4012a](#)> Kronstein, Max

"Airmails—International Pioneer Air Couriers in Latin America"

S, Vol.33, No.10, WNo.430, 7 Dec 1940, pp.348, 355 (2).

The article discusses the establishment of the first airmail services in Cuba. It refers to an airmail service between Florida and Cuba in 1921 and 1922. It mentions that in January 1923, the U.S. Postal Department awarded a contract to Aero Mail Airways Inc. to establish airmail service between Key West and Havana. This precedes what catalogs had established by four years. In another paragraph, it alludes to the fact that there is no evidence that SCADTA reached Havana during its 1925 tour (in Kriebel's previous article <[KRIE1405](#)>, it was stated that they had). It is supposed that this is confused with the arrival of airplanes from that company in the Cuban capital in 1923, as part of a test tour carried out that year. This article is part of a series on the same topic. See <[KRON4007](#)> <[KRON4011](#)> <[KRON4012a](#)>, and <[GRAH8601](#)>.

<[KRON4012b](#)> Kronstein, Max

"The Airmail in Cuba"

S, Vol.33, No.13, WNo.433, 28 Dec 1940, pp.456, 460, 463 (3).

A critique of Rafael García's El Correo Aéreo en Cuba (see <[GARC3700](#)>); Dr. Kronstein suggests a number of other events for possible inclusion in future supplements.

<[KRON5510](#)> Kronstein, Max

"XV Anniversary Of World's First Official Rocket Post"

APJ, Vol.27, No.1, Issue 306, October 1955, pp.30-32.

Description of the covers and markings from the trials prior to the official launch of the first Cuban airmail rocket. The data for the stamps or vignettes used in each trial and the number of covers flown in each one are provided. The article shows the image of the cover from the first trial on October 1, 1939.

<[KRON5803](#)> Kronstein, Max

Rocket Mail Catalog, First Supplement to Billig's Specialized Catalogues, Volume 8.

Supplement 8A to <[SMITS5500](#)>, dated 17 Mar 1958 at the bottom of the "Introduction" by Dr. Kronstein.

Jamaica, NY: Billig's Specialized Catalogues, Vol.8A, 1958. Cuba on pp.5-6

Reprinted in Billig's Philatelic Handbook, Vol.27, 1959, pp.80-81. See <[BILL5900](#)>.

This first supplement was written by Dr. Max Kronstein "to further clarify the listings for the Cuban rocketpost experiments", together with the addition of a section covering commemorative covers, labels, and vignettes produced to commemorate various anniversaries of the initial rocket mail experiment..

The supplement provides clarification and additional details for the Cuban rocketpost experiments:

I. 1st October 1939: First Experimental Start.

II. 3rd October 1939: Second Trial Start

III. 8th October 1939: Third Trial Start

IV. 15th October 1939: The Official Start of the World's First Postal Rocket

V. Commemorative Covers: 15 Oct 1940 (1st anniversary), 15 Oct 1944 (5th anniversary), 15 Oct 1954 (15th anniversary), 18 Jan 1957 (issue of an airletter commemorating the rocket flight).

There is also a second supplement

<[KRON6504](#)> Kronstein, Max

Rocket Mail Catalog, Second Supplement to Billig's Specialized Catalogues, Volume 8.

Supplement 8B to <[SMITS5500](#)>, dated April 1965 at the bottom of the "Introduction" by Dr. Kronstein.

Jamaica, NY: Billig's Specialized Catalogues, Vol.8B, 1965. Cuba on p.8.

This supplement provides additional information to Section V, Commemorative Covers, introduced in the First Supplement (see <[KRON5803](#)>).

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<KRON6602> Kronstein, Max

"Two pioneers in the Western Hemisphere: Canada--1912 and Cuba--1915"

APJ, Vol.37, No.5, WNo.429, Feb 1966, pp.142-145 (4), ill. The Cuba section is on pp.144-145.

This is part of a more extensive piece of work titled "Foreign Pioneer Airpost Flights, 1909-1914", Section "C. Special Postal Cancellations of the Pioneer Period", of which the cited piece is Subsection XXIII.

The Cuba section provides a brief account of pioneer flights by two Cuban aviators, Domingo Rosillo and aviator Jaime González Crocier (the spelling "Gonzales" in the article is incorrect). Shown in this article is one of the rare special imprinted envelopes prepared for Cuban aviator Jaime González Crocier's unsuccessful flight of 20 February 1914, of which only four examples are known to exist.

<KRON8506> Kronstein, Max

"Dr. Terry and First Official Postal Rocket Flight, 1939"

APJ, Vol.56, No.9, Issue 661, Jun 1985, p.324.

Note of condolence on the death of Tomás Terry, president of the commission created in 1939 to carry out the experiment of launching the Cuban Postal Rocket.

<KRON8600> Kronstein, Max

Rocket Mail Flights of the World to 1986

Edited by Joseph L. Eisendrath.

Cinnaminson, NJ: Publication of the American Air Mail Society, 1986. Cuba on pp 97-98.

Worldwide Catalog of Rocket Mail Flights up to 1986. The author of the catalog is Dr. Max Kronstein, and it is part of the publications of the American Air Mail Society (AAMS). In one section of the document, under the title "Cuba," there is information about the 1939 Cuban Postal Rocket launch and its prior trials. The catalog also includes information about covers and commemorative issues from 1940, 1954, 1957, 1959, and 1969. However, the issue commemorating the 25th anniversary of the Postal Rocket from 1964 is not included.

<KSHS1200> Kansas State Historical Society

"Joseph Bristow papers. KSHS Collection No.6."

Website of the Kansas State Historical Society: The entry was retrieved at the following address of the KSHS Website on 23 Nov 2012: <http://www.kshs.org/p/joseph-bristow-papers/13989>, 39 pp., ill.

Photo of Joseph Little Bristow (1861-1944) and description of the correspondence and papers he donated to the KSHS consisting of 171 document boxes and three oversize volumes. Included are papers relating to Bristow's tenure as Fourth Assistant Postmaster General, comprising materials pertaining to his investigation of the Cuban postal frauds (1900-1902).

<KUGE9406> Kugel, Al

America's War With Spain and Its Aftermath

Unpublished photocopy of the Cuban pages of a philatelic exhibit on the subject, courtesy of the author.

This exhibit was first shown in 1994. Its highest achievement was obtained at the COLOPEX 1994 Show held early June 1994 in Columbus, Ohio, where it obtained the show's Grand Award. The pages shown are the pages pertaining to Cuba (41 pages). Highlights of the Cuban pages of the exhibit are: Usages from the field, temporary Military Station No.1 postmark; Military Station No. 1 NYPO duplex postmark; Mil. Stations Nos.: 4, 7, 24, 27 registered; Mil. Stations Nos.26 & 32 postage due; Spanish POW mail from Annapolis; Columbia Barracks.

<KUGE9506> Kugel, Al

The Dawn of the American Empire, 1898—1919

Unpublished photocopy of the Cuban pages of a philatelic exhibit on the subject, courtesy of the author.

This exhibit was first shown in 1993. Its highest achievement was obtained at the TEXPEX 1995 Show held June 9-11 in Dallas, Texas where it obtained the show's Grand Award. The pages shown are the pages pertaining to Cuba (32 pages). Highlights of the Cuban pages of the exhibit are: Usages from the field, temporary Military Station No.1 postmark; Military Station No.1, NYPO duplex postmark; Mil. Stations: Nos. 4, 7, 24, 26 (Rec'd) and 27 (registered); Columbia Barracks.

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<KUGE9710> Kugel, Al

American Intervention in the Caribbean 1898-1934

Unpublished photocopy of the Cuban pages of a philatelic exhibit on the subject, courtesy of the author.

This exhibit was first shown in 1997. Its highest achievement was obtained at the OKPEX 1997 Show held during October 1997 in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma where it obtained the show's Grand Award. The pages shown are the pages pertaining to Cuba (58 pages).

<KUGE0111> Kugel, Al

"Postal Markings of the American Base Forces 1941-1948"

Unpublished photocopy of the Cuban pages of a philatelic exhibit on the subject, courtesy of the author.

This exhibit was first shown in 2001. Its highest achievement was obtained at the VAPEX 2001 Show held during November in Virginia Beach, Virginia, where it obtained the show's Grand Award. The pages shown are the pages pertaining to Cuba (12 pages).

<KUGE1004> Kugel, Al

"Shore Base Postmarks (The Step-Children of Naval Markings)"

USCSL, Vol.77, No.4, Apr 2010, pp.18-21 (4), ill.

This article deals with the interesting and unexplored specialty area of postmarks of shore bases of the U.S. naval forces in the U.S. possessions. Specifically, with reference to Cuba, the article illustrates postmarks used at the Guantánamo, Cuba, Naval Station and Naval Operating Base and also Unit Markings from the same base.

<KUHN6806> Kuhn, Gary L.

"Writing Latin American Aeronautical History"

AAHSJ, Vol.13, No.2, 2nd Quarter 1968, pp.139-142 (4).

Overview of Latin American aeronautical history with emphasis on sources of information for the researcher. Mention is made of Rosillo's first flight between Florida and Cuba in 1913.

<KUNZ3403> Kunz, John G.

"CUBAN Air Mail Route 2"

APJ, Vol.5, No.6, WNo.47, Mar 1934, p.11, ill.

Extensive information on Cuban Air Mail Route 2, with some details on Route 1 also provided. Photo of Terminal Building at Havana, Cuba, where PAA mail planes arrive and depart.

<KUNZE3502> Kunze, Albert F.

"America's Postal Venture in Cuba"

WPG, Vol.19, No.48, WNo.693, 16 Feb. 1935, pp.1539-1541;

WPG, Vol.19, No.49, WNo.694, 23 Feb. 1935, pp.1575-1576.

Excellent recapitulation of the postal history of Cuba from about the middle of the 19th century to the U.S. Administration period with emphasis on the latter.

<KUNZE4300> Kunze, Albert F.

Who's Who on the Postage Stamps of Cuba

Washington, D.C.: Pan American Union, Philatelic Who's Who Series No. 7, 1943; title page, foreword, 2 pages of photo plates, plus 29 numbered pages.

This booklet is a compilation of brief (half a page to a page each) biographies of various world celebrities (mostly Cuban) honored in Cuban stamps followed by a one and a half page long "Résumé of the History of Cuba".

Biographies of the following personalities are included (listed alphabetically as they appear in the work): Ignacio Agramonte y Loinaz, King Alfonso XII of Spain, King Alfonso XIII of Spain, King Amadeo I of Spain, Gertrudis Gómez de Avellaneda, Simón Bolívar, Carlos Manuel de Céspedes, Christopher Columbus, Pierre and Marie Curie, Rubén Darío, Tomás Estrada Palma, Carlos J. Finlay, Calixto García Iñiguez, José Miguel Gómez, Máximo Gómez Báez, José Nicolás Gutiérrez y Hernández, Camilo Henríquez, José María Heredia y Campuzano, Sir Rowland Hill, Queen Isabella II of Spain, Benito Juárez, Abraham Lincoln, Carlos Antonio López, José de la Luz y Caballero, Antonio Maceo, Gerardo Machado y Morales, José Martí, Bartolomé Masó, Guillermo

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Moncada, Juan Montalvo, Francisco Morazán, Gonzalo de Quesada y Aróstegui, José Enrique Rodó, José María Rodríguez y Rodríguez, José Antonio Saco, Julio Sanguily, Francisco de Paula Santander, Queen Victoria of England, and Juan Bruno Zayas. The Cuban stamps in which all of these personalities appear are illustrated in the photo plates. As one can appreciate from the listing above, the array of individuals included is quite disparate and is solely governed by their portrayal in a Cuban stamp.

<[KUNZE7801](#)> **Kunze, Albert F.**

Who's Who on the Postage Stamps of Cuba

CT, Vol.II, No.1, Jan/Jun 1978, p.2.

Short biographical notes about Ignacio Agramonte y Loinaz who appears on Cuba's Scott 242 and Simón Bolívar who appears on Cuba's Scott C29. Both are extracted from <[KUNZE4300](#)>, pp.1 and 4 respectively.

<[KYLE7000](#)> **Kyle, R. A.**

Medicine and Stamps

Co-Editor: M. A. Shampo (Also listed as <[SHAM7000](#)>).

The American Medical Association, 1970, XI plus 178 pp., ill. Library of Congress Card No. 70-112916.

The book contains one page biographical notes on the following 7 doctors honored on Cuban stamps:

Scott No.600: Angel Arturo Aballí (1880-1952), p.1

Scott Nos.319-320: Carlos Finlay (1833-1915), p.61

Scott No.601: Fernando González del Valle (1803-1899), p.70

Scott Nos.364-365: José Nicolás Gutiérrez Hernández (1800-1890), p.77

Scott No.414: Gerhard Armauer Hansen (1841-1912), Norwegian, p.82

Scott No.599: Tomás Romay Chacón (1764-1849), p.164

Scott No.591: Francisco Domínguez Roldán (1864-1942), p.178

All were Cuban doctors except for Gerhard Armauer Hansen who was Norwegian.