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<[OCNE1411](#)> Ocer, Matías

"South Florida collectors dedicated to preserving, studying stamps from Cuba"

Co-author: Flavio del Pino. Also listed as <[PINO1411](#)>.

Miami, Florida: Miami Herald, 25 Nov 2014, 3 pp. from electronic version at the following address:

<http://www.miamiherald.com/news/local/community/miami-dade/south-miami/article4142616.html>

Article about the Cuban Philatelic Society of America (CPSA) featuring a biographical interview with Miguel Angel de Dios, longtime member of the CPSA, ex Webmaster for several years, and currently member of the Board of Directors of the CPSA.

<[ODFJ5510](#)> Odfjell, Abraham

"The Stamps of the Spanish West Indies--Cuba and Puerto Rico"

a) S, Vol.93, No.3, WNo.1205, 15 October 1955, pp.90-95 (6), ill.

b) S, Vol.93, No.4, WNo.1206, 22 October 1955, pp.126-130 (5), ill.

Excellent. Review of the 1855-1873 issues with many interesting and little known details.

<[OESC0005](#)> Oesch, John J.

"Chicago Notes"

a) WPE, Vol.14, No.34, WNo.366, 19 May 1900, p.292.

b) WPE, Vol.14, No.36, WNo.368, 2 Jun 1900, p.308.

c) WPE, Vol.14, No.39, WNo.371, 23 Jun 1900, p.324.

Trivial reference to a package which was discovered in Chicago purported to contain stamps embezzled by an official of the USPO Department in Havana during the U.S. Administration and some notes on the embezzlement itself. More complete notes on the embezzlement in question can be found in the "Washington Notes" by "The Optimist" (see entry <[OPTI0108](#)>).

<[OKEE8212](#)> O'Keefe, Donna

"Possessions issues conserve U.S. watermarks"

LINN, Vol.55, Issue 2823, 13 Dec 1982, p.43, ill.

Article points out that for the most part, the stamped envelopes and wrappers of United States Possessions follow those of the regular U.S. issues. The article includes illustrations of the watermarks on U.S. postal stationery and indicates those that were used in Cuban postal stationery of the U.S. Administration.

<[OKEE8702](#)> O'Keefe, Donna

"Philatelic Gems: U.S. Created Cuban Rarities for Exposition"

LINN, Vol.60, Issue 3041, 16 Feb 1987, p.28, ill.

Description of the special printings of Cuba Scott 221-226 made for the Paris Exposition of 1900, which are among Cuba's greatest philatelic rarities. The article explains why these special printings were made and describes their characteristics. Special emphasis is placed on the distinction between the regular issue 10c on 10c brown type I (Scott 226) and the special printing 10c on 10c type II (Scott 226A). A vertical imprint pair of Scott 226A, ex Josiah K. Lilly collection, is illustrated.

<[OLMS0800](#)># Olmstead, Victor H.

Censo de la República de Cuba bajo la Administración provisional de los Estados Unidos, 1907

Census of the Republic of Cuba under the U.S. Administration, 1907

Washington: Office of the U.S. Census, 1908, 700 pp. plus index, in Spanish.

Of special interest in this census report are the following sections:

pp.95-103: "El correo y el telégrafo de Cuba—Sus progresos desde enero de 1899 hasta enero de 1908." por el Honorable J. Charles Hernández, Director General de Comunicaciones. ("The postal and telegraph services in Cuba—Their progress from January 1899 through January 1908." by the Honorable J. Charles Hernández, Director General of Communications.)

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pp.192195, 301-313: Tablas de Población (Population Tables). These are listed by provinces, municipalities, and neighborhoods.

pp.698-700: List of Cuban Governors from 1512 to date (1907).

<OPTI89911> Optimist, The (pseudonym)

"Washington Notes"

MP, Vol.14, No.7, 17 Nov 1899, pp.50-51.

Report of the stamps delivered by the USPOD for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1900.

<OPTI90011> Optimist, The (pseudonym)

"Washington Notes"

MP, Vol.14, No.7, 17 Nov 1900, p.51.

<OPTI90104> Optimist, The (pseudonym)

"Washington Notes"

MP, Vol.15, No.3, 20 Apr 1901, p.19.

<OPTI90108> Optimist, The (pseudonym)

"Washington Notes"

a) MP, Vol.15, No.20, 17 Aug 1901, p.178.

b) MP, Vol.16, No.4, 26 Oct 1901, p.35.

c) MP, Vol.16, No.15, 11 Jan 1902, p.122-123.

d) MP, Vol.16, No.16, 18 Jan 1902, p.130-131.

e) MP, Vol.16, No.26, 29 Mar 1902, p.210-211.

f) MP, Vol.17, No.3, 19 Apr 1902, p.18.

g) MP, Vol.17, No.4, 26 Apr 1902, p.27.

h) MP, Vol.17, No.11, 14 Jun 1902, p.82.

i) MP, Vol.17, No.12, 21 Jun 1902, pp.90-91.

j) MP, Vol.18, No.20, 14 Feb 1903, p.155.

k) MP, Vol.21, No.4, 9 Apr 1904, pp.26-27.

Account of the embezzlement by U.S. postal officials in Havana of a large quantity of remainders of the U.S. stamps surcharged for use in Cuba during the U.S. Administration (Scott Nos.221-226).

<OPTI90204> Optimist, The (pseudonym)

"Washington Notes"

MP, Vol.17, No.3, 19 Apr 1902, p.18.

Report that the Cuban Government may continue to have its postage stamps printed at the U.S. Bureau of Printing and Engraving.

<OPTI90508> Optimist, The (pseudonym)

"Washington Notes"

MP, Vol.23, No.14, 19 August 1905, pp.106-107.

Notice of a USPO Department order of August 1905 suspending the dispatch of mails to Cuba via the port of New Orleans due to a quarantine in effect at the time. Mails for Cuba were to be dispatched via Port Tampa, Florida, or Mobile, Alabama.

Orbe Internacional – This is a business name used by Ignacio Ortiz-Bello. See listings under his name.

<ORIE> Oriente (Journal of the Bolsa Filatélica of Santiago de Cuba, Oriente province)

Santiago de Cuba, Cuba: Bimonthly philatelic journal published by the Bolsa Filatélica (Philatelic Bourse);

subtitled "La Revista Filatélica de Cuba" ("The Philatelic Journal of Cuba"). Referenced in <HORN9600> as

item no. 73260. Only one issue is known to have been published, Yr.I, No.I, Sep-Oct 1937, 18 pp. The original

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of the issue cited is in the library of the Collectors Club of New York; photocopies are available at the APRL, the library of the U.S. National Philatelic Library, and the Richter Library of the U. of Miami.

<[ORIO2901](#)> Oriol Castells, Rafael

"Notas Aéro-Filatélicas" ("Aero-Philatelic Notes")
RFA, Yr.I, No.I, January 1929, p.4.
Short note on Santiago-Havana first flight cover.

<[ORIO4307](#)> Oriol Castells, Rafael

"La República de Cuba y sus Relaciones Aéreas con Inter-América"
("The Republic of Cuba and Its Inter-American Air Relations")
AF, Yr.VIII, No.25, July-December 1943, pp.9-12. See <[ORIO4307](#)> for an English translation.

<[ORIO4309](#)> Oriol Castells, Rafael

"Cuba - And Her Position in the Inter-American Airline Network"
APJ, Vol.14, No.12, WNo.161, Sep 1943, pp.404-405,408 (3), ill. English translation of <[ORIO4307](#)>.

<[ORIO4401](#)> Oriol Castells, Rafael

"Precursores de la Aviación Cubana y del Correo Aéreo: Capitán Domingo Rosillo"
("Pioneers of Cuban Aviation and Airmail Services: Captain Domingo Rosillo")
AF, Yr.IX, No.26, January-March 1944, pp.5-6.
Historical. Biographical.

<[ORIO4404](#)> Oriol Castells, Rafael

"Precursores de la Aviación Cubana y del Correo Aéreo: Capitán Agustín Parlá"
("Pioneers of Cuban Aviation and Airmail Services: Captain Agustín Parlá")
AF, Yr.IX, No.27, April-June 1944, pp.9-10.
Historical. Biographical.

<[ORIO5608](#)> Oriol Castells, Rafael

"Cuba plans extensive air mail stamp program"
APJ, Vol.27, No.11, WNo.316, Aug 1956, pp.369-?

<[ORIO6202](#)> Oriol Castells, Rafael

"Estampillas Rotarias" ("Rotary Stamps")
RCFCa, Yr.1, No.3, Feb 1962, pp.1-3, ill., Span.

Article on rotary stamps issued by all countries in the world, including Cuba in 1940 on occasion of the 1940 Rotary Convention held in La Habana (Scott 362) and in 1955 on the 50th Anniversary of Rotary International (Scott 536 and C109).

<[ORIO6401a](#)> Oriol Castells, Rafael

"Inicio y desarrollo en Cubs del Experimento del Cohete Postal. Año de 1939."
("Start and Development of the Cuban Postal Rocket in 1939")
RCFCa, Yr.3, No.15, Jan-Feb-1964, pp.62-65 (4), ill., Span.

<[ORIO6401b](#)> Oriol Castells, Rafael

"Temática de Navidades" ("Christmas Topicals")
RCFCa, Yr.3, No.15, Jan-Feb-1964, pp.86, 88-92 (6), ill., Span.

The article includes references to Cuban stamps with a Christmas theme from 1951 to 1962. All stamps are identified by their Yvert catalog numbers.

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<[ORIO6707](#)> Oriol Castells, Rafael

"Las emisiones dañinas, abusivas e indeseables" ("Stamp issues that are harmful, abusive, and undesirable")
RCFCa, Yr.7, Nos.34-35, Jul-Dec-1967, pp.15-17 (3), Span.

Reference of the practice of countries behind the Iron Courtain to produce an excessive number of stamp issues for propaganda and as a source of revenue, selling stamps that are cancelled to order fully gummed, practices that the Cuban government has adopted combined with the policy of not exporting mint stamps until after 120 days after their issue date.

<[ORIO6901](#)> Oriol Castells, Rafael

"Cuestionario presentado por E.M.G. a Don Rafael Oriol, ex-presidente y socio honorario del Club Filatélico de Caracas" ("Questionnaire presented by E.M.G. to Mr. Rafael Oriol, ex-president and honorary member of the Philatelic Club of Caracas")

RCFCa, Yr.9, Nos.40-41, Jan-Jun-1969, pp.7-10 (4), Span.

E.M.G. were the initials of E. Martín Guerra, member of the board of directors of the Philatelic Club of Caracas at the time. The interview addresses topics of general interest to philatelists; among them is the dropping of air mail stamps by many countries, Cuba among them, and Mr. Oriol's explanation of their disappearance.

<[ORIO7007](#)> Oriol Castells, Rafael

Letter to Perham C. Nahl, President of the American Airmail Society, dated 18 July 1970, to which is attached the story of the Miami-Havana FFCs of 15 September 1928 and their counterfeiting, along with an explanation of the differences between genuine and counterfeit covers. This story was reproduced by Dr. Nahl in <[NAHL7102](#)> with permission of Mr. Oriol.

<[ORIO7407](#)> Oriol Castells, Rafael

"El Uso de Bisectos en Cuba Colonial y la República"
("The Use of Bisects in Colonial Cuba and the Republic")
RCFCa, Yr.14, No.62, Jul-Sep 1974, pp.40-41, ill., Span.

<[ORIO7501a](#)> Oriol Castells, Rafael

"Tarjeta Postal con el Bisecto de Dos Centavos" ("Postal Card With the Two Cents Bisect")
CP, Vol.4, No.3, January 1975, p.7, ill.

<[ORIO7501b](#)> Oriol Castells, Rafael

"Los Sellos Mambises de Cuba" ("The *Mambises* Stamps of Cuba")
RCFCa, Yr.15, No.64, Jan-Mar-1975, pp.21-25, 27, 29-32 (10), ill., Span.

<[ORIO7604](#)> Oriol Castells, Rafael

"Cuba: 1957-1974 Aerogrammes"
AMET, No.46, April 1976, p.4 (unnumbered).

Listing of varieties in these issues compiled by Mr. Oriol. Two major varieties are noted on the 1957 issue: stamp misplaced to the top, to the right, or to the bottom, and all blue printing missing on another variety. The 1974 issue shows quite a number of watermark positions, among them 6 and 7 lines of watermark. [Reference to this list comes to us from <[AMET7604](#)>. Does anyone have a copy of this list by Mr. Oriol?]

<[ORIO8410](#)> Oriol Castells, Rafael

"La Falsificación del Primer Vuelo MIAMI-HABANA, Sept. 15, 1928"
("Counterfeiting of the the MIAMI-HABANA First Flight Cover of Sept. 15, 1928")
BNJ, No.12, Oct 1984, pp.10-11, Span. with Eng. summary on p.21. This is a Spanish reprint of <[ORIO7007](#)> which was the basis for <[NAHL7102](#)>. See <[ORIO7007](#)> for annotation.

<[ORIO8708](#)> Oriol Castells, Rafael

"The Use of Bisected Stamps in Cuba During the Spanish Administration and the Republic"

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"El Uso de Bisectos en Cuba Colonial y la República"

BM, No.26, Aug 1987, pp.8-9, ill., Span. & Eng.

Basically a reprint of <ORIO7501a> with a couple of additional introductory paragraphs added.

<ORTE6208>* **Ortega, Mario**

"Isabella's Looped Watermarked"

The Stamp Lover, Vol.55, Nos.3-4, Aug-Sep 1962, pp.30-32, 42, ill.

<ORTIB5611> **Ortiz-Bello, Ignacio A.**

"La volanta filatélica"

Jaruco, Cuba: Weekly column in the newspaper Debate, 11 Nov 1956, Span.

Brief article on the pre-cursors of Cuban aviation. The article mentions Matías Pérez and his disappearance in a balloon flight, Parlá and his Key-West to Havana round trip flight, Rosillo and his national and international flights, and then focuses on more detailed information about the Cienfuegos-Habana first flight of Jaime González Grocier on 20 May 1914, commemorated with two Cuban stamps issued on 4 July 1955 on the 35th anniversary of his death (Scott C117-C118).

<ORTIB5612> **Ortiz-Bello, Ignacio A.**

"La volanta filatélica"

Jaruco, Cuba: Weekly column in the newspaper Debate, Dec 1956, Span.

Announcement of the creation of a Philatelic Office within the Ministry of Communications of the Republic of Cuba dedicated to the service and promotion of philately. A second column in the article is dedicated to the description of forthcoming stamp issues.

<ORTIB5701> **Ortiz-Bello, Ignacio A.**

"Exposición Filatélica Nacional CUBEX 1957" ("National Philatelic Exhibition CUBEX 1957")

Jaruco, Cuba: "La Volanta Filatélica", weekly column in the newspaper Debate, 8 Jan 1957, Span.

Brief note announcing the forthcoming Cuban national philatelic exhibition "CUBEX 1957" to be held 24-30 April 1957 in La Habana and indicating that interested parties can request informational brochures from the organizers. The article concludes with a brief Spanish dictionary of philatelic terms.

<ORTIB5705> **Ortiz-Bello, Ignacio A.**

"La Exposición Filatélica Nacional" ("The National Philatelic Exhibition")

Jaruco, Cuba: "La Volanta Filatélica", weekly column in the newspaper Debate, May 1957, Span.

Report of the celebration of the National Philatelic Exhibition CUBEX 1957 and of the issue of two stamps to commemorate both the event and "Stamp Day"—set to coincide with the start of the exhibition on April 24.

<ORTIB5709> **Ortiz-Bello, Ignacio A.**

"La volanta filatélica"

Jaruco, Cuba: Weekly column in the newspaper Debate, Sep 1957, Span.

Report of the receipt of information about the various philatelic products with relevance to Cuban philatelists available from "Publicaciones Guerra-Aguiar" ("Guerra-Aguiar Publications"), namely his catalog of Cuban stamps (see <GUER5600>), several albums for stamps of Cuba, and his monthly philatelic bulletin Boletín Mensual Informativo (see listings under <BMI>). The article ends with a list of forthcoming Cuban stamp issues and a list of philatelists seeking exchanges.

<ORTIB58mm> **Ortiz-Bello, Ignacio A.**

"Exposición Filatélica Nacional CUBEX 1958" ("National Philatelic Exhibition CUBEX 1958")

Jaruco, Cuba: "La volanta filatélica", weekly column in the newspaper Debate, mm 1958 (probably January—see

<ORTIB5701>), Span.

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Brief note announcing the forthcoming Cuban national philatelic exhibition "CUBEX 1958" to be held 24-30 April 1958 in La Habana and indicating that interested parties can request informational brochures from the organizers. The article ends indicating that a set of stamps is being prepared to commemorate the event and the "Day of the Stamp", celebrated on April 24, the day the exhibition starts,.

<ORTIB70mm> Ortiz-Bello, Ignacio A.

"Filatélicas" ("Philatelics")

Miami, Florida: Magazine La Fabulosa, mm 1970, p.6, ill., Span.

Comparison between the number of stamps issued for use in Cuba from 1855 to the end of 1958 (985) and the number of stamps issued by the Castro revolutionary government from January 1959 to December 1968 (654) based on the 1969 issue of the Guerra Aguiar catalog and prediction that in the long-term future, Cuban stamps of the Castro era won't appreciate much, given the large numbers issued and some of the policies of the government, such as the sale of cancelled-to-order stamps, whereas pre-Castro stamps should enjoy much greater interest among philatelists and much higher appreciation.

<ORTIB7110> Ortiz-Bello, Ignacio A.

"Primer Experimento del Torpedo Aéreo en la América Latina—Habana-Cuba, Octubre 15-1939"

("First Postal Rocket Experiment in Latin America—Habana-Cuba, October 15-1939")

Miami, Florida: Magazine La Fabulosa, Oct 1971, p.15, ill., Span.

Brief account on the 32nd anniversary of the first official postal rocket experiment conducted in Cuba on 15 October 1939 under the sponsorship of the Cuban Philatelic Club that was successful in getting the Cuban Government to issue a special stamp at the time to commemorate the event. Also notification that the Cuban Philatelic Circle of Miami will hold a special meeting and program on October 13 to commemorate the event.

<ORTIB7400> Ortiz-Bello, Ignacio A.

Cuba—Sellos Usados—Used Stamps

Miami, Florida: Published by the author under the name Orbe Internacional, 1974, 12 pp., Eng & Span.

This is a price list for used stamps by Scott Catalog number from the U.S. Administration and Republic periods into the beginnings of the Castro era.

<ORTIB7402a> Ortiz-Bello, Ignacio A.

Cuba—Sellos Nuevos—Mint Stamps

Miami, Florida: Published by the author under the name Orbe Internacional, Feb 1974, 4 pp., Eng & Span.

This seems to be a companion to <ORTIB7400> that lists sale prices for mint stamps from the Republic into the beginnings of the Castro era. Both of these lists were merged into one price list in 1976 (see <ORTIB7600>); we presume there was a 1975 price list, but we don't have a copy or know its format.

<ORTIB7402b> Ortiz-Bello, Ignacio A.

"CUPEX"

CI, Yr.I, No.2, Feb 1974, p.4, ill., Span.

Brief report of the philatelic exhibition CUPEX 1955, held 13 Nov 1955 at the "Palacio de Bellas Artes" ("Palace of Fine Arts") in Habana, Cuba, in celebration of the 100th anniversary of the first Cuban stamp and where the American Air Mail Society held its XXXII Convention.

<ORTIB7404a> Ortiz-Bello, Ignacio A.

"La Portada" ("The Front Cover")

CI, Yr.1, No.4, April 1974, front cover plus p.4, ill., Span.

The article is on p.4 and the title refers to the illustration on the front cover. The subject of the article is the unissued 1935 set of stamps in honor of Columbus that was promoted by the Pan-American Columbus Society and was approved by Law Decree No. 344 of October 1935 but was never placed in circulation.

<ORTIB7404b> Ortiz-Bello, Ignacio A.

"República de Cuba: UNIVERSIDAD DE LA HABANA"

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CI, Yr.1, No.4, April 1974, p.9, ill., Span.

One page article that talks about the stamp showing the “Alma Mater” statue of the University of La Habana (Scott C73), the 5c. airmail stamp of the set issued on 27 November 1952 to commemorate the 81st Anniversary of the death of 8 students of the University unjustly executed by the Spanish authorities after being accused of plotting in favor of Cuban independence. The article points out several varieties in the size of the letters “A” in the caption “Universidad de La Habana” above the statue.

<[ORTIB7500](#)> Ortiz-Bello, Ignacio A.

Catálogo de Sellos Cubanos (Catalog of Cuban Stamps)

Miami, Fl.: Published under the name Orbe Internacional. Undated but fits right in between <ORTIB7400>, <ORTIB7402> and <ORTIB7600>, so we surmise this was the 1975 edition of the Ortiz-Bello catalogs, basically his price lists. 6 unnumbered pages plus an order sheet plus covers (size 4.25 x 7 in), ill, Span.

<[ORTIB7503](#)> Ortiz-Bello, Ignacio A.

“Editorial”

CI, Yr.2, No.2, Mar-Apr 1975, p.3, Span.

Editorial protesting the general low pricing of Cuban stamps in the Scott Catalog, citing as evidence of increasing interest in Cuban stamps an article in the 31 March 1975 issue of Linn’s on the market of Cuban stamps and several ads offering to buy Cuban stamps appearing regularly in Miami area local newspapers.

<[ORTIB7511](#)> Ortiz-Bello, Ignacio A. (Joint Editor)

El Coleccionista Cubano (The Cuban Collector)

Miami, Florida: Boletín Mensual del Club Cubano de Coleccionistas (Monthly Bulletin of the Cuban Collectors’ Club), edited by Juan J. Rúa and Ignacio Ortiz-Bello, in Spanish.

Only have knowledge of two issues:

[Yr.1, No.1, Nov 1975, 4 pp. \(including front and back covers\)](#)

[Yr.2, No.1, Jan-Mar 1976, 8 pp. \(including front and back covers\)](#)

Front cover of this issue shows a photo of 23 members of the club.

<[ORTIB7600](#)> Ortiz-Bello, Ignacio A.

Catálogo de Sellos de Cuba—Intervención y República

Catalog of Cuban Stamps—U.S. Administration and Republic

Miami, Fl.: 1976, 16 unnumbered pages plus covers (size 4.25 x 7 in), ill, Span. & Eng.

The catalog is a sale price list for mint and used stamps by Scott Catalog number from the U.S. Administration and Republic periods into the beginnings of the Castro era before the U.S. embargo on the importation of Cuban stamps. The catalog is a continuation of his previous price list(s)—see <ORTIB7402>.

This catalog continued to be printed yearly in the same format. Known issues are as follows:

[1976, 16 unnumbered pages](#)

[1977, 20 unnumbered pages](#)

[1978, 20 unnumbered pages](#)

[1979, 24 numbered pages](#)

[1980, 24 numbered pages](#)

[1981, 24 numbered pages](#)

Don’t know if there were versions of this catalog published for 1982 and 1983; the next price list we received from Ortiz-Bello was his 1984 price list (see <ORTIB8400>).

<[ORTIB7807](#)> Ortiz-Bello, Ignacio A.

“Cada sello una historia” (“Philately: Every stamp has a history”)

Mecánica Popular, Vol.31, No.7, Jul 1978, ill., Span.

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General article on stories behind stamps that includes a brief mention of a couple of design errors in the 8c. stamp that is part of the set issued by Cuba to commemorate the 50th anniversary of the establishment of the Republic of

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Cuba. The stamp illustrates a gathering of Cuban independence war heroes in which General Máximo Gómez is shown with a black face and General Antonio Maceo with a white face instead of the opposite in both cases.

<[ORTIB7809](#)> Ortiz-Bello, Ignacio A.

“Cada sello una historia” (“Philately: Every stamp has a history”)

MF, Yr.72, No.9, WNo.842, Sep 1978, p.256. Reprint of <[ORTIB7807](#)>.

<[ORTIB7901](#)> Ortiz-Bello, Ignacio A.

“Ajedrez y Filatelia” (“Chess and Philately”)

Mecánica Popular, Vol.32, No.1, Jan 1979, ill., Span.

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General article on the topic of chess on stamps that includes some biographical notes on Cuban chess master and World champion, José Raúl Capablanca, and mentions and illustrates some of the stamps in the set issued by Cuba to commemorate the 30th anniversary of his winning the World Chess Championship in 1921.

<[ORTIB79mm](#)># Ortiz-Bello, Ignacio A.

“Filatélicas” (“Philatelics”)

Miami, Florida: Magazine La Fabulosa, mm? 1979, p.??, ill., Span. [Need month of publication and page no.]

First paragraph is factoid about the engraver of the first Cuban stamp of 1855, Don José Pérez Varela. The second paragraph is the announcement of a Philatelic Festival being organized by the Cuban Philatelic Circle of Miami for 2-3 December 1979 that will feature and exhibition and philatelic bourse. The third paragraph is an invitation to join the Circle with contact information. The right hand column is a reprint of <[ORTIB7402b](#)>.

<[ORTIB8012](#)> Ortiz-Bello, Ignacio A.

“La Serie de los Artistas” (“Philately: The Artists Issue”)

Mecánica Popular, Dec 1980, pp.20-21, illustrated with a set of proofs of the stamps, Span.

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Overview of the set of 23 stamps issued by Cuba to collect funds in support of the Society of American Writers and Artists (Scott 340-354, C24-C29, E10-E11) that depict distinguished men of the various American Republics, or their coat of arms, or some appropriate allegorical motif.

<[ORTIB8201](#)> Ortiz-Bello, Ignacio A.

“Ajedrez y Filatelia” (“Chess and Philately”)

Argentina: Magazine de la Confraternidad, Revista Club de Amistad Entre los Pueblos del Mundo (Journal of the Club for Friendship Between Peoples of the World), Yr.IX, No.42, Jan-Feb-Mar 1982, pp.4, 11 (2), ill., Span.

Reprint of <[ORTIB7901](#)>.

<[ORTIB8300](#)> Ortiz-Bello, Ignacio A.

“Album para Sellos de Cuba, 1902-1958” (“Album for Cuban Stamps, 1902-1958”)

Miami, Florida: Published by the author, 1983, 98 pp., ill., Span.

This album covers all Cuban stamps issued by the “democratic” Republic of Cuba from its inception on 20 May 1902 when Cuba was born as an independent nation to 31 December 1958 when the Castro revolution took over the government of Cuba. The album includes spaces for all postage, airmail, special delivery, postage due, newspaper stamps, and postal tax stamps issued by Cuba within the time frame specified, listed in chronological order. The album is profusely illustrated with images of the stamps. Its format is loose-leaf pages within a three ring binder. When it was put on sale initially, the album was offered for the modest price of \$10 with the intent to promote Cuban philately among Cuban youths in exile.

<[ORTIB8301](#)> Ortiz-Bello, Ignacio A.

“Martí en la Filatelia” (“Martí in Philately”)

Miami, Florida: Diario de las Américas, 28 Jan 1983, p.15-B, ill., Span.

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One page article noting that the Cuban national hero, José Martí, was not honored in a Cuban stamp of the Republic until the patriots' issue of 1917, 15 years into the Republic, and lists ten other people that were honored with Cuban stamps before him. The article goes on to list other Cuban stamps with which Martí has been honored after his first aparition, including as the first stamp of every Cuban definitive series thereafter, and the set of stamps issued in 1953 to commemorate the centenary of his birth. The article also mentions that Cuba asked other friendly nations to join in the celebration of the centenary of his birth, but that few nations followed suit; those that did are listed in the article.

<[ORTIB8400](#)> Ortiz-Bello, Ignacio A.

Cuba—Sellos para coleccionistas—Stamps for Collectors

Miami, Fl.: Undated, but postmarked in 1984, 8 unnumbered pages plus covers (pages are halves of 8.5 x 11 inch pages folded in two), Span. & Eng.

This is a sale price list for mint and used stamps by Scott Catalog number from the U.S. Administration and Republic periods into the beginnings of the Castro era before the U.S. embargo on the importation of Cuban stamps. This is a continuation of his previous yearly price lists—see <[ORTIB7600](#)>; there were subsequent price lists dated [1987](#) and [1991](#) (don't know if there were any intervening or following issues).

<[ORTIB8504](#)> Ortiz-Bello, Ignacio A.

"Cuba—Los sellos de Colón"

Mecánica Popular, Apr 1985, pp.95-96, ill., Span. This is another version of <[ORTIB7404a](#)>.

<[ORTIB86mm](#)> Ortiz-Bello, Ignacio A.

"El Cohete Postal" ("The Postal Rocket")

Revista CE.FI.PU.DE., Centro Filatélico Puerto Deseado, Santa Cruz, Argentina, 1986, 1 unnumbered page, ill., Span. Brief historical overview of the rocket mail experiment.

<[ORTIB9010](#)> Ortiz-Bello, Ignacio A.

"Desde Miami" ("From Miami")

Miami, Florida: Crónica, Oct 1990, p.82, Span.

Report of philatelic activities from Miami. Mention is made of the philatelic stores in Miami run by Cubans at the time, namely Ricardo del Campo, Manuel Alvarez, Hialeah Stamps, and Filatelia Ortiz-Bello. Mention is also made of the Cuban Philatelic Society that meets weekly in the city, of two annual shows that take place in the city with philatelic bourses, and of the many journals with philatelic columns that are published in the city.

<[ORTIB9110](#)> Ortiz-Bello, Ignacio A.

"Colón en los sellos de América" ("Columbus in the Stamps of the Americas")

CronF, No. 82, Oct 1991, pp.79-81 (3), ill., Span.

Brief biography of Christopher Columbus pointing to those events or places of relevance that have been commemorated by issues of postage stamps by various countries in the Americas. Mentions those stamps issued by Cuba and also a planned issue that was printed but never circulated (shown).

<[ORTIB9305](#)> Ortiz-Bello, Ignacio A.

"José Martí"

Mecánica Popular, Vol.46, No.5, May 1993, pp.unknown, ill. Copy taken from the Internet at:

<http://www.mimecanicapopular.com/verfilat.php?n=148>

Brief article noting that few nations joined Cuba in issuing stamps celebrating the 100th anniversary of José Martí's birth in 1953. The article lists the few that did issue stamps honoring the Cuban patriot and writer and questions why several nations of Latin America in which Martí's life played a role did not issue stamps honoring the centenary of his birth. The article calls for the nations of Latin America to issue stamps honoring the upcoming 100th anniversary of his death in 1995 by issuing stamps in his honor. The article finishes listing highlights in the life of Martí from his birth to his death fighting for Cuban independence from Spain. For a

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related article focusing of Cuban stamp issues honoring José Martí see <ORTIB8301>. Also see <CUET0909> for an article on Martí's presence in world philately exploring the topic further.

<ORTIB0803a> Ortiz-Bello, Ignacio A.

"Fotos en una *Vieja Pared*" ("Pictures in an *Old Wall*")

Foro Internacional de Filatelia Ignacio A.Ortiz-Bello at

<http://filatelia.mimecanicapopular.com/viewtopic.php?f=19&t=61>

This is a collection of photos that were posted in the walls of the philatelic store maintained by Ignacio A. Ortiz-Bello in la "Calle 8" (8th St. S.W.) of Little Havana, Miami, Florida, for many years. The linked PDF file was downloaded from the Website on March 20, 2008, and consists of 7 pages containing 11 photos. The photos are of friends that visited his store, many of them Cuban philatelists. As a prolific philatelic writer, philatelic dealer, and expert philatelist specializing in Cuban philately throughout a long career spanning more that five decades from his days in Cuba to his president residence in Miami, Florida, Mr. Ortiz-Bello has been actively involved in Cuban philatelic circles unselfishly sharing his wide philatelic knowledge with everyone. Many of us who visited him at his store in Little Havana fondly recall the many hours spent there engaged in pleasant and always interesting conversation while looking at some of his philatelic offerings and at pictures of some of his visitors displayed on the store's walls. In these pages, Mr. Ortiz-Bellos is offering some of those picture for our continued enjoyment and recollection of many pleasant moments spent in his company.

<ORTIB0803b>Ortiz-Bello, Ignacio A.

"Más Fotos en Madrid, la Plaza Mayor, etc." ("More Pictures in Madrid, the Plaza Mayor, etc.")

Foro Internacional de Filatelia Ignacio A.Ortiz-Bello at

<http://filatelia.mimecanicapopular.com/viewtopic.php?f=19&t=63>

More photos from the collection of photos that were posted in the walls of the philatelic store maintained by Ignacio A. Ortiz-Bello in Little Havana, Miami, Florida, for many years. The linked PDF file was downloaded from the Website on March 20, 2008, and consists of 15 pages containing 28 photos. These photos add to the photos of friends that visited his store contained in <[ORTIB0803a](#)>.

<ORTIB0901>Ortiz-Bello, Ignacio A.

"Taladrados, Perforados, *Perfins*"

("Drilled, Perforated, *Perfins*")

Taken from the "Foro Internacional de Filatelia" (International Philatelic Forum) of Ignacio A. Ortiz-Bello, Sección Temática (Topical Section), 23 Jan 2009, 4 unnumbered pp., ill., Span.

This is just a display of several stock pages of perfins from Cuba posted by Ortiz-Bello and subsequent postings and commens from a Forum participant only identified as "Selene".

<ORTIB0911>Ortiz-Bello, Ignacio A.

"Círculo Filatélico Cubano" ("Cuban Philatelic Circle")

Posting in the CPSA Website Forum by the author, 5 Nov 2009, 1 p., Spa.

Historical notes about the early days of the CPSA and the role the author played in the CPSA in those early days.

<ORTIB-a> Ortiz-Bello, Ignacio A.

Catálogo del Estacionario, Telégrafo y Devolución de la República de Cuba (Catalog of the Postal Stationery, Telegraph Stamps, and Stamps for Officially Sealed Mail of the Republic of Cuba)

Miami, Florida: No publication information available, 8 pp., Span.

The postal stationery section of the catalog is a reprint of <[H&G6600](#)>, a fact that helps date this catalog between 1966 and 1974 when the second edition of the Higgins & Gage catalog was published. The Telegrafos and Devolución sections of the catalog are probably taken from a Spanish Hevia catalog (see <[HEVIA](#)> listings). We note that the listing for 1858 stamps in the "Telegrafos" section is not for telegraph stamps but rather for Official Mail stamps used by governmental agencies to frank official correspondence. These are not listed in the Hevia catalogs, so we don't know where the listings come from. Prices for the listings in the catalog are given in U.S. dollars in two columns, the left one for unused copies and the right one for used ones. This is a rudimentary

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catalog put together from existing sources to help Mr. Ortiz-Bello in his stamp sale business, thus prices are probably his selling prices for these stamps sometime between 1966 and 1974.

<[ORTIB-b](#)> Ortiz-Bello, Ignacio A.

Cuba—Era Colonial (Cuba—Colonial Era)

Miami, Florida: No publication information available, 4 pp., Span.

This is basically a sale price list of Cuban colonial stamps.

<[ORTIB-c](#)> Ortiz-Bello, Ignacio A.

“Cada sello una historia” (“Every stamp has a history”)

MF, **undated**, p.256, Span. Reprint of <[ORTIB7807](#)>. **[Need publication date]**

<[ORTIH0901](#)> Ortiz Hormillosa, Pedro

Spanish Antilles Collection

The author: Collection of Spanish Antilles stamps and covers, 16 pages mounted for exhibition.

This collection has not been officially exhibited at a stamp show, but is displayed in the [FILACUBA](#) website under "Pages from Cuban Collections" in the [Spanish Administration: 1855 to 1898](#) section.

<[ORTIH0904](#)> Ortiz Hormillosa, Pedro

YSLA DE CUBA Numbered Circular Datestamps Collection

The author: Collection of Colonial Cuba stamps and covers bearing YSLA DE CUBA circular datestamps, 14 pages mounted for exhibition. This collection has not been officially exhibited at a stamp show, but is displayed in the [FILACUBA](#) website under "Pages from Cuban Collections" in the [Spanish Administration: 1855 to 1898](#) section.

<[ORTIH0911](#)> Ortiz Hormillosa, Pedro

"Y 1/4 Posicion desconocida" ("Y 1/4 Unknown Position")

CPSA Website: Rincón del Saber (Knowledge Center) Section under the "Philatelic Menu" tab of the website; reachable via the following direct link: <http://www.cubapsa.com/rincon/indice.htm>

Item Ref. No. 00001, 25 Nov 2009, 3 pp., ill, Span. & Eng.

<[ORTIH0912a](#)> Ortiz Hormillosa, Pedro

"Peseta Amadeo. Falso o genuino??" ("Peseta Value of Amadeo. Fake or Genuine??")

CPSA Website: Rincón del Saber (Knowledge Center) Section under the "Philatelic Menu" tab of the website; reachable via the following direct link: <http://www.cubapsa.com/rincon/indice.htm>

Item Ref. No. 00002, 2 Dec 2009, 1 p., ill, Span.

<[ORTIH0912b](#)> Ortiz Hormillosa, Pedro

"Falso Postal, sello Antilla #7" ("Postal Forgery of Edifil Antilla #7")

CPSA Website: Rincón del Saber (Knowledge Center) Section under the "Philatelic Menu" tab of the website; reachable via the following direct link: <http://www.cubapsa.com/rincon/indice.htm>

Item Ref. No. 00003, 9 Dec 2009, 1 p., ill, Span.

<[ORTIH0912c](#)> Ortiz Hormillosa, Pedro

"Cancelacion 2da Expedicion, Jun 18,1856" ("Cancellation of the 2nd Daily Mail Expedition, June 18, 1856")

CPSA Website: Rincón del Saber (Knowledge Center) Section under the "Philatelic Menu" tab of the website; reachable via the following direct link: <http://www.cubapsa.com/rincon/indice.htm>

Item Ref. No. 00004, 9 Dec 2009, 1 p., ill, Span.

<[ORTIH0912d](#)> Ortiz Hormillosa, Pedro

"Nariz de Pinocho- Variedad" ("Pinocchio Nose Variety ")

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CPSA Website: Rincón del Saber (Knowledge Center) Section under the "Philatelic Menu" tab of the website; reachable via the following direct link: <http://www.cubapsa.com/rincon/indice.htm>
Item Ref. No. 00005, 23 Dec 2009, 2 pp., ill, Span.

<[ORTIH1003](#)> Ortiz Hormillosa, Pedro

"Bloque de 4 con variedad CORRFOS" ("Block of 4 with the CORRFOS Variety")
CPSA Website: Rincón del Saber (Knowledge Center) Section under the "Philatelic Menu" tab of the website; reachable via the following direct link: <http://www.cubapsa.com/rincon/indice.htm>
Item Ref. No. 00009, 9 Mar 2010, 4 pp., ill, Span.

<[ORTIH1007](#)> Ortiz Hormillosa, Pedro

"Plating of a Strip of Three of Scott 15/Edifil 10--Plancheo de una Tira de Tres de Edifil 10/Scott 15"
JCP, Vol.1, No.1, Jul-Sep 2010, p.21, ill., Eng & Span.

<[ORTIH1010](#)> Ortiz Hormillosa, Pedro

Fiscal Use of the First Issue of the Postal Stamps of Cuba--Usos Fiscales de la Primera Emisión de Sellos de Cuba.
JCP, Vol.1, No.2, Oct-Dec 2010, p.15-18, ill., Eng & Span.

<[ORTIH1101a](#)> Ortiz Hormillosa, Pedro

"Pinocchio's Nose - Nariz de Pinocho"
JCP, Vol.2, No.1, Jan-Mar 2011, p.7, ill., Eng & Span.

<[ORTIH1101b](#)> Ortiz Hormillosa, Pedro

"Different Rates Applied Upon Dispatch and Arrival--Tarifas Diferentes Tasadas en Origen y Destino"
JCP, Vol.2, No.1, Jan-Mar 2011, p.21, ill., Eng & Span.

<[ORTIH1104](#)> Ortiz Hormillosa, Pedro

"How to Identify the Plate Positions in a Block of Stamps"
"Cómo Localizar las Posiciones de los Sellos en un Bloque"
JCP, Vol.2, No.2, Apr-Jun 2011, pp.10-11, ill., Eng & Span.

<[ORTIH1107](#)> Ortiz Hormillosa, Pedro

"Letter Sent from Havana to Paris via Southampton--Carta enviada de la Habana a París via Southampton"
JCP, Vol.2, No.3, Jul-Sep 2011, pp.14-15, ill., Eng & Span.

<[ORTIH1110](#)> Ortiz Hormillosa, Pedro

"Examples of Postal Forgeries of the 1/2 rpf 1857 Isabel II Antilles Stamp"
"Ejemplos de falsos postales del 1/2 rpf de Isabel II de 1857 para Antillas"
JCP, Vol.2, No.4, Oct-Dec 2011, pp.20-22, ill., Eng & Span.

<[ORTIH1207](#)> Ortiz Hormillosa, Pedro

"Possible Frankings--Posibles Franqueos"
JCP, Vol.3, No.3, Issue 9, Jul-Sep 2012, p.22, ill., Eng & Span.

<[ORTIH1209](#)> Ortiz Hormillosa, Pedro

"El Escaso Uso de un Cuadrisepto Postal"
"A Scarce Quadrisept Stamp Usage"
CPa, Vol. 23, No.66, Sep-Dec 2012, pp.1, 3-5 (4), ill., Span. & Eng.
The Spanish title should have been "El Escaso Uso de un Cuadrisepto Postal". The cover front shown on the front cover of the journal is suspect. Note that the stamp is not tied to the cover on its left cut margin. Also note that we are dealing with a cover front which does not tell us much about the contents of the mailing. This was probably a

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bisected stamp used to pay the rate of 2.5 ¢ for a circular between two towns that has been altered by removing half of the bisected stamp to create a more rare quadrisection usage.

<[ORTIH1301](#)> Ortiz Hormillosa, Pedro

"Obliteraciones Foráneas en Sellos Coloniales"
"Foreign Cancellations on Colonial Stamps"
CPa, Vol. 24, No.67, Jan-Apr 2013, pp.5-7 (3), ill., Span. & Eng.

<[ORTIH1305](#)> Ortiz Hormillosa, Pedro

"Pedigree of Puerto Príncipe stamps in Chapter 1 of Echenagusía's book on the Postal History of the U.S. Administration Period"
Co-author: Ernesto Cuesta (also listed as <[CUES1305](#)>).
Unpublished, available from the author, completed May 2013, 10 pp.
This pedigree maps all Puerto Príncipe surcharged stamps illustrated in Echenagusía's book Historia Postal de Cuba: La Intervención Norteamericana 1898-1902. Postal History of Cuba: U.S. Administration 1898-1902. (<[ECHE1300](#)>) to the corresponding stamp in the Archive of Puerto Príncipe Stamps 1898-1899 in the FILACUBA Website at the following address: <http://www.philat.com/FIL/Pto-Principe/PP-Archive.html>, thus showing the pedigree of the stamp. Moreover, all referenced stamps in the mapping are directly linked to the corresponding image of the stamp in the FILACUBA archive.

<[ORTIH1309](#)> Ortiz Hormillosa, Pedro

Cuba--The-1898-Issue-of-King-Alfonso-XIII
The author: Exhibit of the 1898 Issue of King Alfonso XIII Stamps, file dated 1 Sep 2013 42 pp., ill., Eng.
This collection has not been officially exhibited at a stamp show, but is displayed in the FILACUBA website under "Pages from Cuban Collections" in the Spanish Administration: 1855 to 1898 section.

<[ORTIH1402](#)> Ortiz Hormillosa, Pedro

Cuba. King Alfonso XIII, 1898-1899. Puerto Príncipe Collection
The author: Exhibit of Puerto Príncipe surcharged stamps, file dated February 2014, 28 pp., ill., Eng.
Personal collection of the author; received from the author in February 2014. Not exhibited up to that date.
For an update see <[ORTIH1611b](#)>.

<[ORTIH1404](#)> Ortiz Hormillosa, Pedro

"MUESTRA Surcharges on *Autonomía* Stamps"
"Sobrecargas MUESTRA en sellos de la *Autonomía*"
JCP, Vol.5, No.2, Issue No.16, Apr-Jun 2014, pp.12-14 (3), ill., Eng. & Span.

<[ORTIH1504](#)> Ortiz Hormillosa, Pedro

Cuba--Colonial Period. Postage Stamps Used as Revenue Stamps
The author: Collection exhibited at WESTPEX 2015, 24-26 Apr 2015, 7 frame exhibit (112 pages) whose title page is labeled "Cuba – Colonial Period: Postage Stamps Used as Revenue". The exhibit obtained a silver medal at the exhibition and another silver medal from the American Revenue Association. Displayed in the FILACUBA website under "Pages from Cuban Collections" in the Spanish Administration: 1855 to 1898 section.

<[ORTIH1511](#)> Ortiz Hormillosa, Pedro

Spanish Mail Packets with Spain. The Cia. Franco-Americana de Vapor, 1856-58.
The author: Exhibit of mail carried by the Franco-American Company of the Gauthier Brothers, 1856-1858, file dated November 2015, 10 pp., ill., Eng.
Personal collection of the author, received from the author in November 2015. Not exhibited up to that date.

<[ORTIH1611a](#)> Ortiz Hormillosa, Pedro

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Spanish Mail Packets with Spain. The Cia. Franco-Americana de Vapor, 1856-58.

The author: Exhibit of mail carried by the Franco-American Company of the Gauthier Brothers, 1856-1858, file dated November 2016, 13 pp., ill., Eng. Update of <ORTIH1511>.

Personal collection of the author, received from the author in November 2106.

This collection has not been officially exhibited at a stamp show, but is displayed in the [FILACUBA](#) website under "Pages from Cuban Collections" in the [Spanish Administration: 1855 to 1898](#) section, under the title The Franco-American Company of the Gauthier Brothers/La Compañía Franco Americana de los Hermanos Gauthier.

<ORTIH1611b> Ortiz Hormillosa, Pedro

"Cuba. King Alfonso XIII, 1898-1899. Puerto Príncipe Collection

The author: Exhibit of Puerto Príncipe surcharged stamps, file dated 23 November 2016, 37 pp., ill., Eng.

Personal collection of the author; received from the author in November 2016. This is an update <ORTIH1402>.

For a listing identifying the new items added to the collection since <ORTIH1402> see <ORTIH1611c>.

Posted in the website [FILACUBA](#) under "Pages from Cuban Collections" in the "[U.S. Administration](#)" section.

<ORTIH1611c> Ortiz Hormillosa, Pedro

"Puerto Príncipe Stamps Collection. Piezas añadidas desde febrero, 2014"

("Puerto Príncipe Stamps Collection. Stamps added since February, 2014")

The author: Two-page listing of stamps added to the author's Puerto Príncipe Stamps Collection since February 2014, dated 22 November 2016, in Spanish.

This is a listing identifying the new items added to the author's collection of Puerto Príncipe stamps documented in <ORTIH1611b> since February 2014. A PDF of the collection at that time can be seen in <ORTIH1402>.

<ORTIV4700> Ortiz Vivas, Ricardo

Bibliografía Postal Iberoamericana (Spanish-American Postal Bibliography)

This work in its original manuscript form (typewritten) is found in the Postal Museum in Madrid. It was never published as one work; but appeared in a series of articles in [BAIHP](#) which included only books pertaining to Spain. The [BAIHP](#) articles appeared in Yr.3, No.3, Mar 1947; Yr.4, Nos.6 and 7, Mar and Jun 1948; and Yr.5, Nos.10 and 11, Jun and Oct 1949. Both cited items are in Spanish. Excellent reference on postal history, ship routes, etc. Cuba included in many routes. Five enlarged maps included in this work are intended for mounting in a collection so that the routes of covers may be illustrated.

The original manuscript has five parts:

Part 1--Libros (Books), 349 pp.

Part 2--Missing

Part 3--Artículos (Articles), 399 pp.

Part 4--Artículos (Articles), 258 pp.

Part 5--Artículos (Articles), pp.259-539.

Do not know the extent to which this bibliography addresses works of relevance to Cuban philately, but the title implies that items of interest to the researcher of that area should be included. This needs to be verified.

<ORTIV5600> Ortiz Vivas, Ricardo

Historia del Correo de España (History of the Posts in Spain)

This work in its original manuscript form (typewritten) is found in the Postal Museum in Madrid.

It is written in Spanish and was planned to be in five volumes:

Vol.1--Correos desde el siglo XIII hasta nuestros días (The Posts From the 13th Century Until the Present)

Vol.2--Correos en España de Ultramar (The Posts in the Spanish Overseas Domains)

Vol.3--El correo de España en sus relaciones internacionales (The Spanish Post and Its International Relations)

Vol.4--La Unión Postal de las Américas y España. UPAE. (The Postal Union of the Americas and Spain. UPAE.)

Vol.5--La corporación postal española en sus aspectos religioso, benéfico, cultural y político-social

(The Corporate Body of the Spanish Post in Its Religious, Charitable, Cultural, and Political-Social Aspects)

The five volumes are broken into parts that are dated when completed:

Vol.1, Part 1--412 pp., 1956;

Part 2--395 pp., 1956;

Part 3--423 pp., 1956;

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Part 4--449 pp., 1956;	Part 5--304 pp., 1960.	
Vol.2, Part 6--379 pp., 1960;	Part 7--262 pp., 1961;	Part 8--256 pp., 1960;
Part 9--434 pp., 1960.		
Vol.3, Part 10--349 pp., 1961;	Part 11--302 pp., 1961;	Part 12--295 pp., 1962;
Part 13--301 pp., 1962;	Part 14--377 pp., 1962.	
Vol.4, Part 15--305 pp., 1962;	Part 16--305 pp., 1963;	Part 17--458 pp., 1963.
Vol.5, Part 18--323 pp., 1963.		
Index ----- 45 pp., 1963.		

Volumes 1 and 2 were published in serialized form in BAIF (see <ORTIV7407> and <ORTIV8101>).

The other volumes have not been published. Volume 2, dealing with the Spanish overseas domains, contains a wealth of information of relevance to Cuban philately (see <JUSD8101> for detailed contents).

<ORTIV7407> Ortiz Vivas, Ricardo

"La Historia del Correo de España desde el siglo XIII hasta nuestros días"

("History of the Spanish Posts From the 13th Century Until the Present")

This is Volume 1 of <ORTIV5600> serialized in ten issues of BAIF as follows:

Complete index of all 5 volumes: BAIF, Nos.108-109, Jul-Dec 1974, pp.73-96;

Introduction and Ch.1-2: BAIF, Nos.108-109, Jul-Dec 1974, pp.97-116;

Ch.3-5: BAIF, Nos.110-111, Jan-Jun 1975, pp.46-70;

Ch.6: BAIF, Nos.112-113, Jul-Dec 1975, pp.55-76;

Ch.7: BAIF, Nos.114-117, Jan-Dec 1976, **pp.?- need to check page numbers --**

Ch.8-16: BAIF, Nos.118-119, Jan-Jun 1977, pp.39-111;

Ch.17-27: BAIF, Nos.120-121, Jul-Dec 1977, pp.21-88;

Ch.28-30: BAIF, Nos.122-123, Jan-Jun 1978, pp.54-72;

Ch.31-32: BAIF, Nos.124-125, Jul-Dec 1978, pp.59-74;

Ch.33-41: BAIF, Nos.126-127, Jan-Jun 1979, pp.34-72;

Ch.42-52: BAIF, Nos.128-129, Jul-Dec 1979, pp.4-68;

Ch.53-68, plus bibliography: BAIF, Nos.132-133, Jan-Dec 1980, pp.47-109; for a total of 410 pp.

<ORTIV8101> Ortiz Vivas, Ricardo

"La historia del Correo en la España de Ultramar"

("History of the Posts in the Spanish Overseas Domains")

BAIF, Yr.37, Nos.134-136, Jan-Oct 1981, pp.72-88 (17), including an index by José Jusdado Martín;

BAIF, Yr.38, Nos.137-141, Jan-Dec 1982, pp.65-365 (300),

BAIF, Yr.39, Nos.142-143, Jan-Jun 1983, pp.142-171 (30); for a total of 347 pp.

This is a serial publication of Vol.2 of <ORTIV5600>. It consists of four volumes comprising 45 chapters. The first few introductory chapters contain generic postal history information relevant to all Spanish overseas domains; however, chapters 30-43 are dedicated to Cuba and contain a wealth of information on Cuban postal history (see <JUSD8101> for detailed contents).

<ORTU1210> Ortuondo, José María

"El sello de fechas de 1842: Baezas Peninsulares"

("The 1842 Datestamps: Peninsular Baezas")

ACAD, Vol.XIII, No.16, Oct 2012, pp.55-69 (15), ill., Span.

Quoting from the English summary provided at the end of the article: "This article describes the characteristics of the 1842 datestamp, popularly known as *Baezas*, and reproduces the legislation concerning its creation and fortunes until 1854, as well as changes in postal rates that affected it during the years it was in use. The author researches the Baezas of Spain's 31 postal districts and their characteristics." Although the article focuses specifically on the Baezas of Spain, the use of the Baeza datestamps was extended to the Spanish colonies, including Cuba, and thus the article contains useful background information for the Cuban philatelist.

<OSBO7100> Osborn, G. A.

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The Royal Mail Steam Packets to Bermuda and the Bahamas 1842-1859

Co-author: M. H. Ludington (see entry <LUDI7100>).

London: Robson Lowe Ltd., 1971, 24pp, ill.

Excellent reference on postal history, ship routes, etc. Cuba included in many routes. Five enlarged maps included in this work are intended for mounting in a collection so that the routes of covers may be illustrated.

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<[OTEG0501](#)> **Otegui, Francisco**

"Earliest Known Use of the Y ¼ Stamp of 1855."

"El uso más temprano conocido del sello Y ¼ de 1855."

Co-author: Yamil H. Kouri, Jr. (also listed as <KOUR0501>).

CPa, Vol.17, No.49, First Third 2005, pp.11-12, ill., Eng. & Span.

<[OTER9511](#)> **Otero Carvajal, Luis Enrique (co-editor)**

Las comunicaciones entre Europa y América: 1500-1993.

(Communications Between Europe and America: 1500-1993.

Subtitled: "Actas del I Congreso Internacional de Comunicaciones"

("Proceedings of the First International Communications Congress")

Co-editors: Ángel Bahamonde Magro (see <BAHA9511>) & Gaspar Martínez Llorente (see <MARTZL9511>).

See <BAHA9511> for publication details and annotation.

<[OUTL0008](#)> **The Outlook (Weekly Magazine)**

"Cuban Affairs: Postal Frauds"

New York: The Outlook, 4 Aug 1900, p.759.

Obtained from www.unz.org/Pub/Outlook-1900aug04-00759 on 23 Nov 2012.