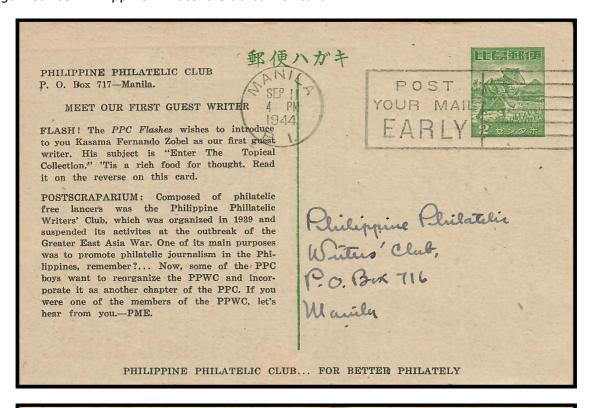
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Printed Postal Card introducing Fernando Zobel as the first guest writer, discussing his subject 'Enter the Topical Collection'. 2c Planters Postal Card with 'Post Your Mail Early' Slogan Cancel. Philippine Philatelic Club corner card.



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