

PRE-PHILATELIC PERIOD

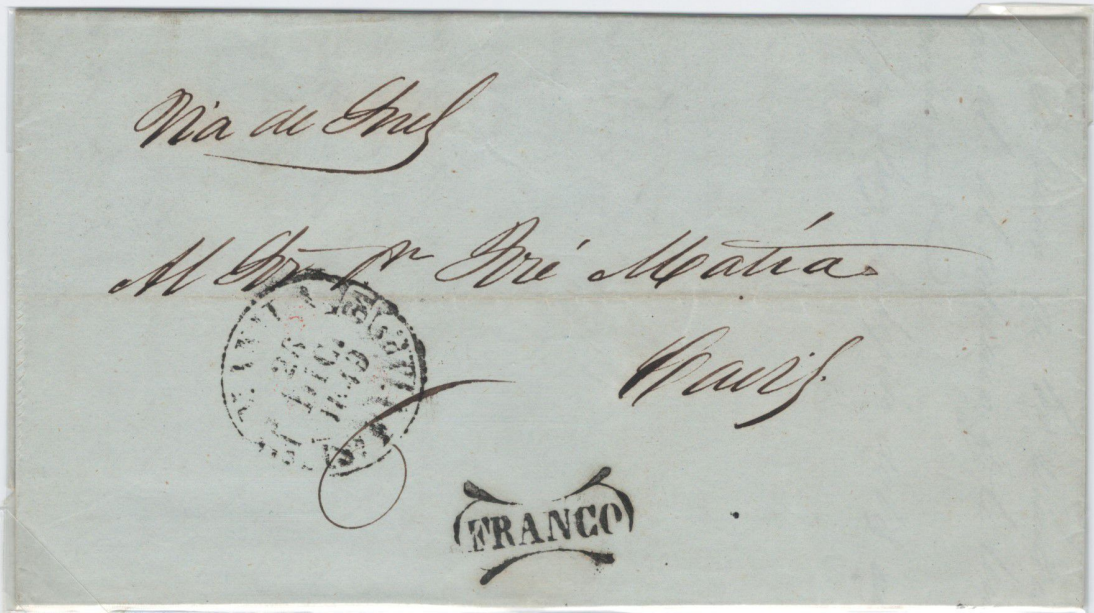
BLACK "MANILA – 31 Iss. FILIPs" CANCELLATION
(28mm in Diameter)



WITHOUT BLACK "FRANCO"

January 31, 1844

(8R) 8 Reales – Triple Rate



WITH BLACK "FRANCO"

WITH BLACK "FRANCO" December 28, 1849 6 Reales – Single Rate

Manila to Cadiz via Isthmus de Suez
BLACK BAESA Used from 1843 to 1862
BLACK FRANCO Used from 1844 to 1854