

CHARLES KARUTH & CONRAD HEINSZEN

C KARUTH & COMPANY

The earliest records make reference in 1861 to J Karuth as residing in Manila, a ship chandler (retail dealer who specialises in supplies or equipment for ships). In 1862, Karuth & Company is noted, and shows that J Karuth is joined by H Heinszen, both working as merchants. The company name changes in 1863 to C Karuth & Company, with the following employees active between 1863 and 1867: Charles Karuth (merchant), Conrad Heinszen (merchant) and Luke Owens (clerk). It is interesting to note that although the first initials for Karuth (J) and Heinszen (H) listed in the 1861 and 1862 records differ to all later records (Charles and Conrad respectively), it is believed that these are one and the same.

In 1865, records show Charles Karuth and Conrad Heinszen as partners at C Karuth & Company. In 1867, they are also joined by Nicolaus Heinszen working as a clerk for the firm.

KARUTH, HEINSZEN & COMPANY

It appears that the partnership between Charles Karuth and Conrad Heinszen is further enhanced as evident from the change in the company name in 1868 to Karuth, Heinszen & Company. In the same year, Luke Owens departs the company and ventures out on his own, forming a merchant and ship chandlers business trading as L Owens & Company, located at Anloague 8, Manila. Owens moved back to England in 1876 at which time it appears that L Owens & Company ceased operations in Manila.

No further records have been found on Charles Karuth from 1869. It is assumed (although not substantiated) that he may have either retired or passed away during this period.

C HEINSZEN & COMPANY

Sometime between 1869 and 1872, the company undergoes a name change to C Heinszen & Company, with records in 1872 confirming this. From 1873 and to around 1888, C Heinszen & Company was located at Anloague 4, Manila. From 1873 Conrad Heinszen is absent from Manila, residing in Hamburg, but remained active with the business until it ceased operating after 1908. Nicolaus Heinszen also returned to Hamburg from 1879, also remaining active in the company up to 1902. There are no records indicating that either Conrad or Nicolaus Heinszen returned to Manila. The company continued to trade with various merchants running the firm during their absence. Sometime between 1883 and 1888 the company moved premises to Rosario 24, Manila, and again moved to Rosario 26 in 1889 where it remained until 1903.

C Heinszen and Company acted as agents for the following companies at various times between 1882 and 1908: Norddeutscher Lloyd; Hamburg-American Line of Steamers; Chinesische Küstenfahrt Gesellschaft; United States and China-Japan Line; East Indian Steamship Company; Rickmers R Rh and Schiffbau A G; Aachen and Munich Fire Insurance Company; Transatlantic Guter Verisch Ges; and East Asiatic Co Limited, Copenhagen.

In 1905, the company again moves premises, residing at Rosario 158, Manila. Conrad Heinszen Jr joins the company in 1906 and remained until the company ceased trading soon after 1908. No further records have been found from 1909, and it remains uncertain if the company simply ceased operations or was sold.

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HISTORICAL TIMELINES

1861 – J Karuth – ship chandler, manila. No mention of Heinszen or Owens.

1862 – Karuth & Co – J Karuth (merchant), H Heinszen (merchant).

1863 – C Karuth & Company, merchants. Charles Karuth (merchant), Conrad Heinszen (merchant), Luke Owens (clerk).

1865 – C Karuth & Company, merchants. Charles Karuth (partner), Conrad Heinszen (partner), Luke Owens (partner).

1867 – Karuth & Co. J Karuth (merchant), C Heinszen (merchant), Nicolaus Heinszen (clerk), Luke Owens (clerk).

1868 – Karuth, Heinszen & Company, merchants. Charles Karuth (merchant), Conrad Heinszen (merchant, absent) supported by H Zobel, Nicolaus Heinszen (clerk), P Rodriguez.

1872 – C Heinszen & Company, merchants. Conrad Heinszen, Nicolaus Heinszen, No further records of Charles Karuth. Luke Owens now showing as merchant, L Owens & Company, merchants and ship chandlers located at Anloague 8, Manila.

1873 – C Heinszen & Company, merchants, Anloague 4, Manila. Conrad Heinszen (merchant, absent), Nicolaus Heinszen (merchant), supported by E Klopfer (clerk), Adolf Krause (clerk), Felix Moya (clerk). Agents for China and Japan Marine Insurance Company.

1874 – C Heinszen & Company, merchants. Conrad Heinszen (merchant, absent), J. Nicolaus Heinszen (merchant). Supported by Adolf Krause (clerk), Emil Klopfer (clerk), Adolf Groth (clerk), and Felix Moya (clerk).

1876-1877 – C Heinszen & Company, merchants, Anloague 4, Manila. Conrad Heinszen (merchant, absent), Nicolaus Heinszen (merchant), supported by Adolf Krause (clerk), C Westendorf (clerk), A Schwenger (clerk), and Felix Moya (clerk).

1879 – C Heinszen & Company, merchants, Anloague 4, Manila. Conrad Heinszen (merchant, absent), Nicolaus Heinszen (merchant, absent), Theodor Struckmann (merchant), supported by C Westendorf (clerk), A Schwenger (clerk), H Bollhorst (clerk), and F Moya (clerk).

1882 – C Heinszen & Company, merchants, Anloague 4, Manila. Conrad Heinszen (absent, Hamburg), Nicolaus Heinszen (absent, Hamburg), Theodor Struckmann (merchant, absent), C Westendorf (clerk, signs per pro), supported by H Bollhorst (clerk), W Waege (clerk), E Stulz (clerk). Agents for Hanseatic Fire Insurance Company of Hamburg and Transatlantic Marine Insurance Company Limited.

1888 – C Heinszen & Company, merchants, Rosario 24, Manila. CH (absent, Hamburg), NH (absent, Hamburg), C Westendorf (merchant), supported by Eugen Stulz (clerk), Gustav Brockmann (clerk), M Paetow (clerk). Agents for Hanseatic Fire Insurance Company of Hamburg and Transatlantic Marine Insurance Company Limited.

1889-1890 – C Heinszen & Company, merchants, Rosario 26, Manila. CH & NH (absent, Hamburg), Johannes Kock (merchant), supported by Eugen Stulz (clerk, signs per pro), Gustav Brockmann (clerk), H Bandmann (clerk), C Wolber (clerk). Agents for Norddeutscher Lloyd.

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HISTORICAL TIMELINES

1892 - C Heinszen & Company, merchants, Rosario 26, Manila. CH & NH (Hamburg), Eugen Stulz, Gustav Brockmann, H Bandmann (signs per pro), G Hamann, E Uhlig. Agents for Norddeutscher Lloyd.

1894 – C Heinszen & Company, merchants, Rosario 26, Manila. CH & NH (Hamburg), Eugen Stulz (merchant), Gustav Brockmann (merchant), supported by H Bandmann (clerk, signs per pro), E Secker (clerk), G Hamann, G Seumenicht (clerk).

1898-1899 – C Heinszen & Company, merchants, Rosario 26, Manila. CH & NH (Hamburg), Eugen Stulz (merchant), Gustav Brockmann (Merchant), W Potzsch (clerk), F Harloff (clerk), E Viegelmann. Agency for: Norddeutscher Lloyd, Rickmers Line of Steamers, Chinesische Küstenfahrt Gesellschaft, Aachen and Munich Fire Insurance Company.

1900 - C Heinszen & Company, merchants, Rosario 26, Manila. CH & NH (Hamburg), Gustav Brockmann (Merchant), F Harloff (clerk), E Viegelmann, R Willeke, A O Gerard. Agency for: Norddeutscher Lloyd, Hamburg-American Line of Steamers, Chinesische Küstenfahrt Gesellschaft, United States and China-Japan Line, East Indian Steamship Company, Rickmers R Rh and Schiffbau A G, Aachen and Munich Fire Insurance Company, Transatlantic Guter Verisch Ges, East Asiatic Co Limited Copenhagen.

1901-1902 - C Heinszen & Company, merchants, Rosario 26, Manila. CH & NH (Hamburg), Gustav Brockmann (Merchant), A Oppenheim-Gerard, E Hagenmuller, E Viegelmann, R Willeke, K Rezold. Agency for: Chinesische Küstenfahrt Gesellschaft, Rickmers R Rh and Schiffbau A G, Aachen and Munich Fire Insurance Company, Transatlantic Guter Verisch Ges, East Asiatic Co Limited Copenhagen.

1903 - C Heinszen & Company, merchants, Rosario 26, Manila. Conrad Heinszen (Hamburg), Gustav Brockmann (Merchant), K Rezold, Arnold Gubbe, A Wuelker, H Heinze, K Wegener, H Bollinger, A Fischer. Agency for: Chinesische Küstenfahrt Gesellschaft, Rickmers R Rh and Schiffbau A G, Aachen and Munich Fire Insurance Company, Transatlantic Guter Verisch Ges, East Asiatic Co Limited Copenhagen.

1905 – C Heinszen & Company, merchants, Rosario 158, Manila. Conrad Heinszen (Hamburg), H Kandeler (assistant). A C Homann (assistant, signs per pro), A Wegener (assistant), Arnold Gubbe (assistant), E Herauer (assistant), R Myohl (assistant), R Appel (assistant), A Walker (assistant). Agents for Aachen and Munich Fire Insurance Company and Preussen & Kappel Limited Railway Material.

1906 – C Heinszen & Company, merchants, Rosario 158, Manila. Conrad Heinszen (Hamburg), C Heinszen Jr, A E Homann (signs per pro), R Myohl (assistant, signs per pro), H Heidner (assistant), E Appel (assistant), H Cleinow (assistant), A Walker (assistant). Agents for Aachen and Munich Fire Insurance Company.

1908 – C Heinszen & Company, merchants, Rosario 158, Manila. Conrad Heinszen (Hamburg), C Heinszen Jr (signs per pro). Supported by R Myohl (assistant, signs per pro), H Heidner (assistant) and H Cleinow (assistant). Agent for Aachen and Munich Fire Insurance Company.

No further records have been found from 1909.

C KARUTH & COMPANY

BUSINESS HANDSTAMPS

BH1: DOULBE OUTER AND SINGLE INNER LINED OVAL HANDSTAMP



C. KARUTH & Co on Top
Blank Centre
MANILA. on Bottom with Emblem on Either Side



Dateline 8 December 1861 – Stampless Cover from Manila to HongKong, via Steamship Panay

Small Baeza (8 December 1861) Departure CDS and C Karuth & Co Business Handstamp on Top left (BH-1)

Hong Kong (10 December 1861) Receiving Circlar Date Backstamp

Manuscript note as Received 13 December and Answered 8 January 1862

C KARUTH & COMPANY

BUSINESS HANDSTAMPS

BH1: DOULBE OUTER AND SINGLE INNER LINED OVAL HANDSTAMP



3 June 1864 – Stampless Cover from Manila to HongKong
'Manila - Star' Departure CDS and C Karuth & Co Business Handstamp on Top right (BH-1)
Hong Kong (10 July 1864) Receiving Circlar Date Backstamp

C HEINSZEN & COMPANY

BUSINESS HANDSTAMPS

BH2: TWO SINGLE LINED OVAL HANDSTAMP WITH SQUARED CORNERS



C. HEINSZEN & Co on Top
Blank Centre
MANILA on Bottom with Emblem on Either Side



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(1882)

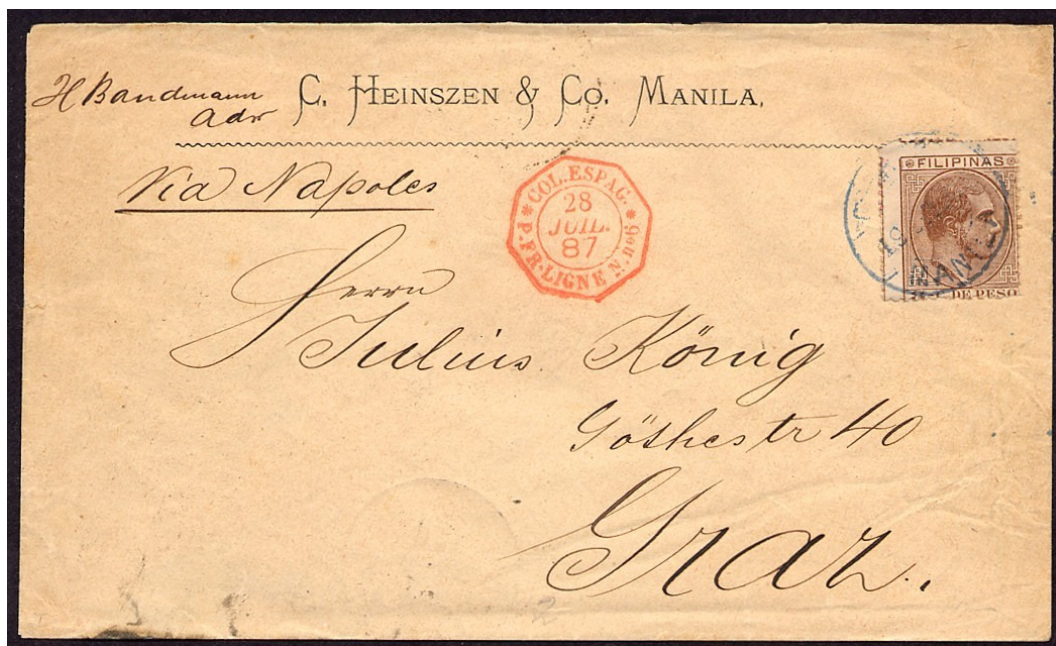


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C HEINSZEN & COMPANY

PRIVATELY PRINTED COVERS

PPC1: C. HEINSZEN & Co. MANILA



19 July 1887 – Cover from Manila to Graz, Austria, via Naples per SS Oxus
 8c Paying Single Weight Rate to Europe Tied with 'Correos - Manila' Departure CDS
 French Paquebot (28 July 1887) Red Cancel
 Napoli (25 August 1887) Transit Cancel and Graz (27 August 1887) Receiving CDS on Reverse
 H Bandmann Manuscript Notation on Top of Cover

C HEINSZEN & COMPANY**PRIVATELY PRINTED COVERS****PPC1: C. HEINSZEN & Co. MANILA**

10 December 1887 – Registered Cover from Manila to Modena, Italy, via Naples per SS Oxus

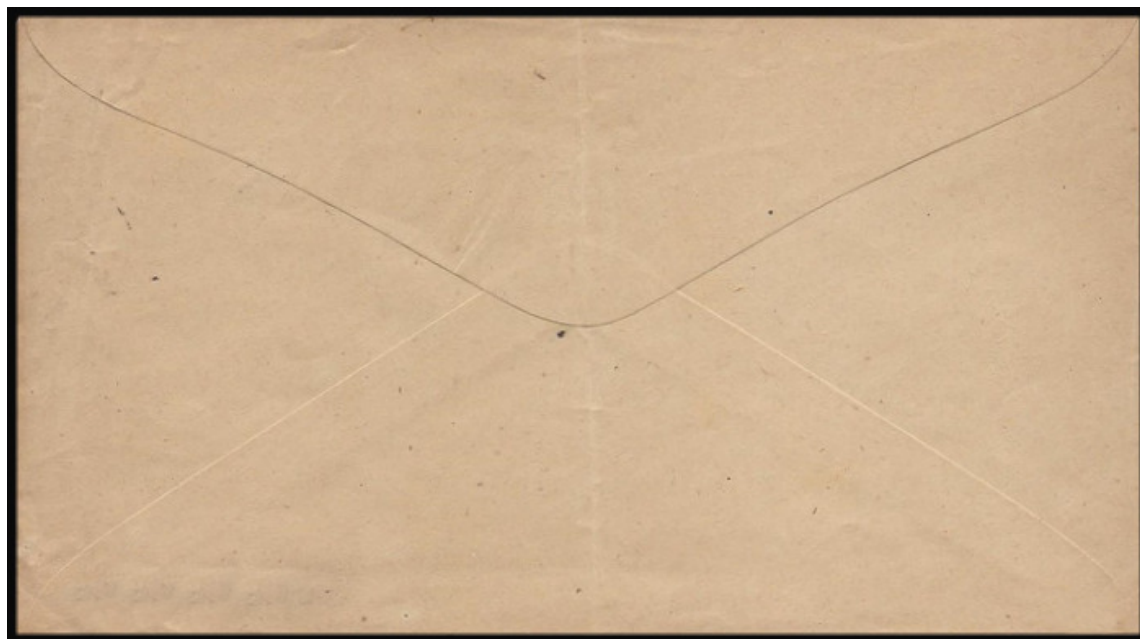
'Correos - Manila' Departure CDS and Large 'R' Registration Handstamp on Front

French Paquebot (20 December 1887) Red Cancel

H Bandmann Manuscript Notation on Top of Cover

C HEINSZEN & COMPANY

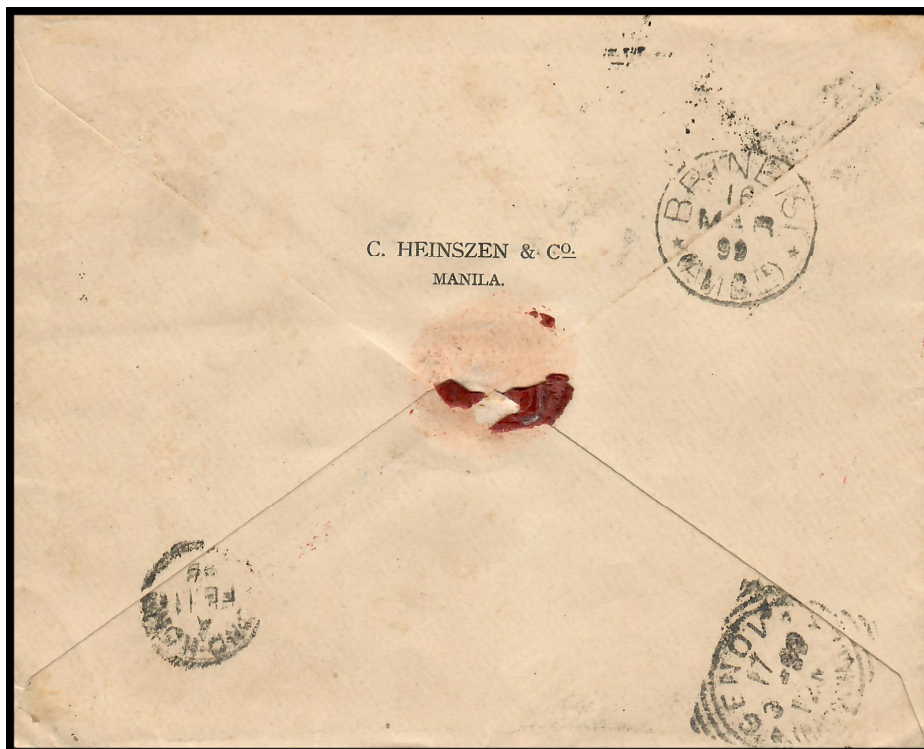
INBOUND COVER TO C HEINSZEN & Co



1898 – Cover from Elmenhorst & Co, New York to Manila
1c US Pre-Stamped Cover with New York Flag Machine Cancel

C HEINSZEN & COMPANY**PRINTED RETURN ADDRESS ON BACK OF COVER****RA1: C. HEINSZEN & Co**

C. HEINSZEN & CO.
MANILA.



8 February 1899 – Registered Cover from Manila to Genova, Italy, via HongKong
Red Military Station Registration CDS with Purple Rectangular Boxed Registration Cancel Alongside
HongKong (11 February 1899), Brindisi (16 March 1899) and Genova (17 March 1899) Transit Backstamps

C HEINSZEN & COMPANY

US OCCUPATION

WRAPPER ADDRESSED TO HEINSZEN & COMPANY

ROSARIO 158

MANILA



Circa 1906 – Printed Matter Wrapper from England to Manila

Addressed to Messrs Heinszen & Company

Records Show Heinszen & Company Located at Rosario 158, Manila, Between 1905 and 1908