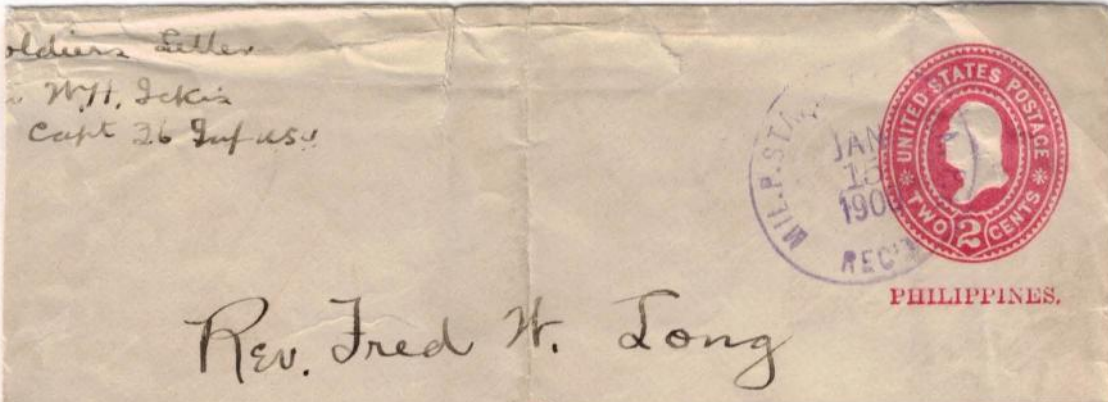


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1 February 1900



In December 1899 and January 1900 a single-ring receiving mark was used to despatch mail from Manila. Contemporaneously, a version of this marking with the "Rec'd." filed down was also used. In addition, a "cleaned up" copy of this latter was used during February. Thus, three different versions of a hitherto unrecorded postmark came into use during a very brief period.