

King Alfonso XIII, 1890s Mail to UPU

1893, Manila to Plaue, German Empire
1895, Lingayen to Erfurt, German Empire



Cover sent from Manila to Plaue, German Empire. It was cancelled on December 11, 1893.

It was sent by the Spanish steamer *Ntra. Sra. de Loreto* via Singapore.

From Singapore, the cover was carried by a British steamship. It arrived on Plaue on January 15.

The stamps at 2, 5 and 10 Centavos de Peso were issued from 1892 onwards.

The cover was franked for double UPU postage, however as the total of the stamps is 17 Centavos de Peso it is overfranked by 1 Centavo de Peso.



Registered cover from Lingayen (Pangasinan) to Erfurt, German Empire. Three 2 Centavos stamps, issued 1894, stamped June 30, 1895 by "CORREOS / LINGAYEN" cancel and one 10 Centavos stamp, issued from 1892 onwards, tied by registration marking.

The German registration label indicates that the cover went via France. The cover arrived in Erfurt on 8. August.

Single weight rate plus registration fee at 8 Centavos de Peso, proper total 16 Centavos de Peso franking.