



PHILIPPINES
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Introduction of Special Delivery service and Early usage **Forerunner issues**



Cavite, 16 OCT 1902 to Monroe, New York

Transit receiver San Francisco NOV 18, 1902

Travelled overland by rail to New York

MONROE, N.Y. Rec'd 20 NOV 1902

Franked:

10-cents (paying 2-cents first class + 8-cents registry fees) and **10-cents Special Delivery**
All stamps used are USPI stamps Overprinted series of 1901 (the Provisionals).

Cavite to New York. Example of early **special delivery** usage originating from a non-Manila address and outgoing to United States mainland.

Cavite was re-established as Military Station No. 2 on September 7, 1898, to provide mail facilities for the 1st Division of the 8th Army corps.