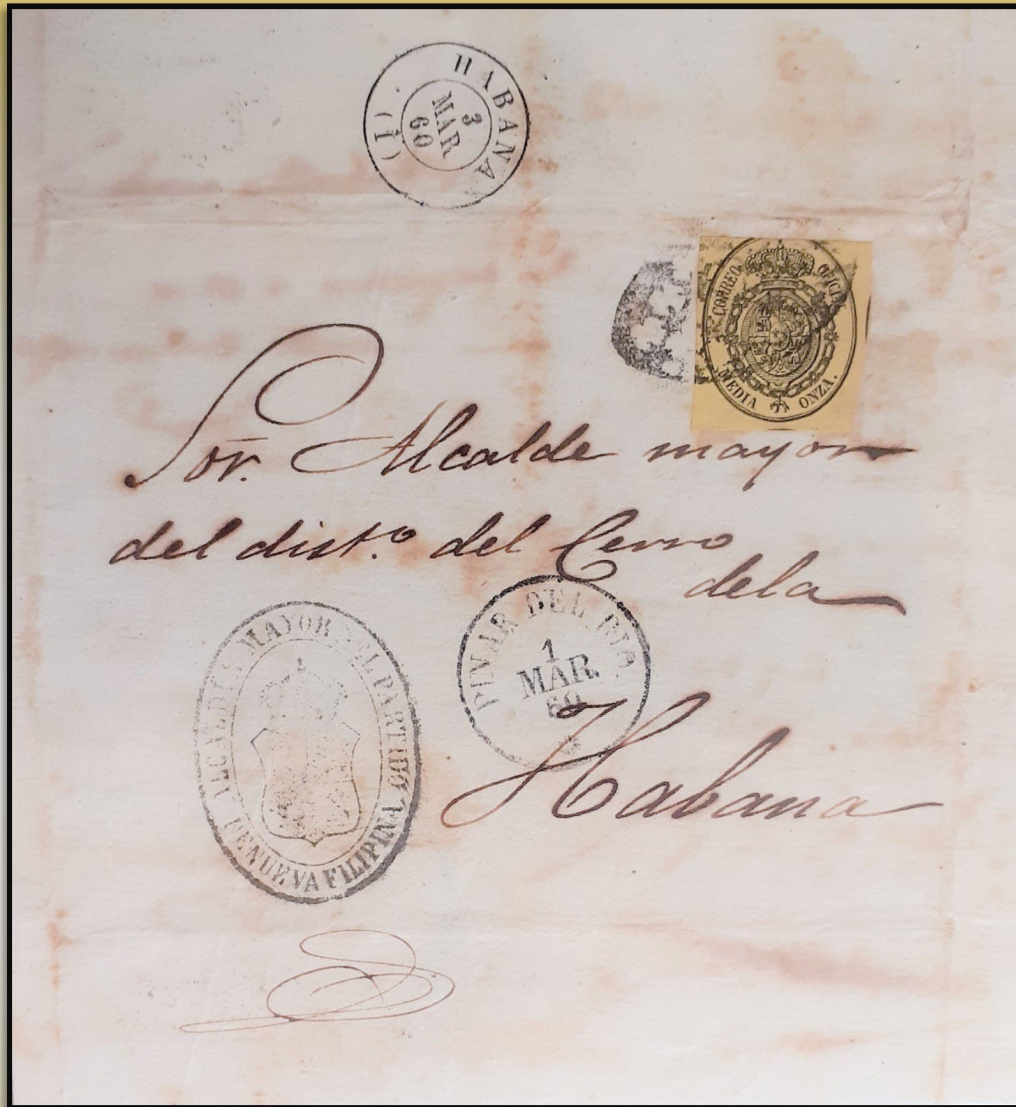




NUEVA FILIPINA

The galleon trade paves the way for Filipinos to travel across the sea. In early 1700s, Filipinos arrive in Cuba to work in tobacco plantations, and they adapt to the Cuban culture. The huge influx of Filipinos in Cuba as migrants leads to a colony called “Nueva Filipina”, later changed to “Piñar del Rio” in 1774.



Official letter, with **NUEVA FILIPINA** seal,
Piñar del Rio to Habana, Cuba, 1 MAR 1869.

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