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Tagle, V. (1954). **Contribution of the Philippines to philately.** In PHICIPEX Souvenir Book 1854-1954., Philippine Centenary International Philatelic Exhibition, Philippines.

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Tan, Robert

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Robert Tans' collection of postage stamps and covers compiled by Nigel Gooding from [Philpost Virtual Exhibits \(2021\)](#) and archived in four parts:

- [Part 1 1854 Isabella II issue](#)
- [Part 2 1857 Isabella II issue](#)
- [Part 3 1875-1876 King Alfonso XII issue](#)
- [Part 4 Incoming foreign mail](#)

Tani, R.

See Gelli & Tani (catalogue).

Tapling, Thomas

[Tapling, T. \(1891\).](#) **Photographic plates of the Tapling collection.** British Library Philatelic Collection. 7 plates.

Photographs which appear to be of the Tapling Collection held at the British Museum (now transferred to the British Library). Annotated with plate numbers based on the description from [Harradine \(1975b\)](#). The photographs do not include all the stamps assigned to a particular plate, nor all the plates. Uncertain date for when the photographs were taken.

Tarre, Francisco del

[Tarre, F. \(1916\).](#) **Catalogo Tarre, catalogo de los sellos de Espana, Colonias y Ex-colonias.** [[Catalogue of the Postage Stamps of Spain, Colonies and Ex-Colonies](#)]. 1st edition. 131pp. (pp. 94-110, 118) publ. Francisco del Tarre, Barcelona Spain. (in Spanish).

The first catalogue of Tarre published in 1916.

[Tarre, F. \(1920\).](#) **Catalogo Tarre, catalogo de los sellos y tarjetas postales de Espana, Colonias y Ex-colonias.** [[Catalogue of the Postage Stamps and Postal Cards of Spain, Colonies and Ex-Colonies](#)]. 2nd edition. publ. Spain. (in Spanish).

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[Tarre, F. \(1933\).](#) **Catalogo normal del los sellos de correos y telégrafos de España, Colonias y ex-Colonia, 1933.** [[Normal Catalogue of the postage and telegraph stamps of Spain, Colonies, and ex-Colonies, 1933](#)]. publ. Madrid, Spain. (in Spanish).

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[Tarre, F. \(1947\).](#) **Catalogo basico, catalogo de los sellos de Colonias y Ex-colonias Espanolas.** [[Basic catalogue of the Stamps, Colonies and former colonies of Spain](#)]. 3rd edition 1947. publ. Spain. (in Spanish).

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Tedesco, Theodore M.

[Tedesco, T. \(2007\).](#) **Index of literature in the English language that describes postal stamp forgeries, fakes, reprints, fraudulent postal markings, and other obliterations. Part 11: Countries Phenrhyn to St Kitts-Nevis.** Philatelic Literature Review, vol 56 no 4, pp. 122-123. (WN 217).

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[Tedesco, T. \(2014\)](#). **Index of literature in the English language that describes postal stamp forgeries, fakes, reprints, fraudulent postal markings, and other obliterations, and bibliography**. 1760pp. (pp. 511-516 & A165-A166). publ. American Research Library, Bellefonte, Pa.

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Tellier, Theodule.

See [Yvert & Tellier](#).

Thiele, B.

[Thiele, B. \(1890\)](#). **Varieties of type in the issue of 1880, Spanish Colonies**. The American Philatelist, vol 4 no 5, pp. 122-123.

Translation of article by [Kunkel in Der Philatelist](#) (in German). Providing a list of the occurrence of the different 'Types' for the Philippines (and Puerto Rico and Fernando Poo) although the article does not define the different types.

Thirifocq, E. (catalogue)

[Thirifocq, E. \(1866\)](#). **Catalogue de timbres-poste indiquant tous les timbres-poste emis jusqu'a ce jour**. [Catalogue of postage stamps showing all postage stamps issued to date]. 24pp. (p14). publ. E. Thirifocq Fils, Paris (in French).

Thompson, Charles Sidney

[Thompson, C. \(1942\)](#). **Early Philippines**. Weekly Philatelic Gossip, vol 34, pp. 34-35.

Author uses initials "C.S.T." Description and illustration of the first two Philippine issues and a description of fine and coarse lined types. References "[The Advanced Collectors Catalog](#)" stated to illustrate reconstructed plates of the 4 stamps belonging to the first series. Details the different colours described in various catalogues. Includes 2 blocks of the 2r values (one block of 4 and one block of 8) but these are of poor reproduction.

Timbre-Poste, Le

The Le Timbre-Poste was the first French language philatelic magazine. It was published by Jean-Baptiste Moens of Brussels from 1863 to 1900. Le Timbre Fiscal was included as a supplement from 1879 and incorporated from January 1897 when the whole was renamed Le Timbre-Poste et Le Timbre Fiscal.

After Moens retired in 1900 it was discovered that his brother-in-law, Louis Hanciau, had actually been responsible for most of the literary content.

In addition to the articles attributed to **Timbre-Poste** the following were also published:

[Lave \(1879\)](#)

[Moquette \(1889\)](#)

[Slagmolden \(1869\)](#)

[Lopez \(1878\)](#)

[Dr Magnus \(1871\)](#)

[Pardo de Figuero \(1870\)](#)

[Timbre-Poste. \(1863a\)](#). **Chronique**. [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 1 no 1 to 12, p13. (in French).

Account and illustration of existence of 1854 issue of 10c red. Report and illustration of the 1863 5c issue.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1863b\)](#). **Chronique**. [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 1 no 1 to 12, p14. (in French).

Report of receipt of 1854 5c orange issue.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1864a\)](#). **Chronique**. [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 2 no 14, p9. (in French).

Description of the new 1864 issues for Spain and the Philippines.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1864b\)](#). **Chronique**. [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 2 no 16, p26. (in French).

Report of two 1 real stamps [of 1863 issues], one is bottle green and has the inscriptions described as 'small capitals' the second is meadow green with the inscription described as 'antique'.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1865\)](#). **Des timbres de Iles Philippines**. [Stamps of the Philippine Islands]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 3 no 31, pp. 51-55. (July 1865). (in French).

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An early description and illustrated catalogue of the Philippine issues in French.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1867a\)](#). **Prix-Courant des timbres poste, en vente chez J.B. Moens.** [Current Price of Postage Stamps, on sale at J.B. Moens]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 5 no 53, Supplement p27. (in French).

An early price list for the sale of Philippine stamps at J.B Moens shop in Brussels (May 1867).

[Timbre-Poste. \(1867b\)](#). **Prix-Courant des timbres poste, en vente chez J.B. Moens.** [Current Price of Postage Stamps, on sale at J.B. Moens]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 5 no 60, Supplement p55. (in French).

An early price list for the sale of Philippine stamps at J.B Moens shop in Brussels (December 1867).

[Timbre-Poste. \(1868\)](#). **Chronique.** [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 6 no 63, p18. (in French).

A retrospective look [at 1863 issue] of a 3rd type of the 1 real green. Description of: a rounded bust shape and further away from the circumference, CORREOS is neither preceded nor followed by a period plus other remarks.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1869a\)](#). **Le 5 cuartos 1859 des Iles Philippines.** [The 1859 5 cuartos of the Philippine Islands]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 7 no 82, pp. 77-78. (in French).

A critical review of the article by [Dr Magnus \(1869a\)](#) in [Le Timbrophile](#) on reprints of the 1859 issue. A similar review was also provided by [Stamp-Collector's Magazine \(1869\)](#). Further commentary in reply was provided by [Dr Magnus \(1869b\)](#). These arguments are continued in [Dr Magnus \(1871\)](#) and [Timbre-Post \(1871b\)](#).

[Timbre-Poste. \(1869b\)](#). **Chronique.** [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 7 no 82, p83. (in French).

Announcement of the surcharge "Habilitado por la Nacion" on the 12 4/8c stamp and also 3 1/8c.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1870a\)](#). **Chronique.** [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 8 no 85, p2. (in French).

Report of the surcharge "Habilitado por la Nacion" on the 6 2/8c green and 25c vermillion. Also noting an example of 12 4/8c blue with the letter "O" in Habilitado much smaller.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1870b\)](#). **(Editor's Note).** Le Timbre-Poste, vol 8 no 87, pp. 23-24. (in French).

As a footnote to the account provided by [Pardo de Figueroa \(1870b\)](#), an account of the four different types of the Habilitado surcharge. For the Philippines this includes two types, one being noted as doubtful.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1870c\)](#). **Chronique.** [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 8 no 88, p28. (in French).

Account of new type (1871 issue) of values 5, 10, 20 and 40cs de eo similar to that used in Cuba, (usage is noted to be for 1870 and 1871). Report of 25c stamp surcharged Habilitado por la Nacion.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1870d\)](#). **Chronique.** [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 8 no 90, p47. (in French).

Report of notice that the 1r green of 1863 has been returned to use with the surcharge Habilitado por la Nacion. Note of gum type for the 1r stamp. Note that [Pardo de Figueroa \(1870\)](#) was correct in noting that the application of the surcharge, took place in the colonies themselves. A further note on this issue is provided in [Timbre-Poste \(1870f\)](#).

[Timbre-Poste. \(1870e\)](#). **Chronique.** [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 8 no 93, p67. (in French).

Report that the Habilitado por la Nacion surcharge used in the province of Biscay is type 4, which was also used in Cuba and the Philippines.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1870f\)](#). **Chronique.** [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 8 no 95, p83. (in French).

Additional note to [Timbre-Poste \(1870d\)](#) that the 2nd and 3rd types of the 1r green have been surcharged with Habilitado por la Nacion.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1871a\)](#). **Chronique.** [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 9 no 100, p28. (in French).

Report and illustration of new 1871 issue. [However, the stamp illustrated is the 5c issue for Cuba]. Report also of a 10c green imperforate stamp.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1871b\)](#). **A propos de reimpressions lithographiques.** [About lithographic reprints]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 9 no 107, pp. 86-88. (in French).

A riposte to the arguments presented by [Dr Magnus \(1871\)](#) in the previous edition of [Le Timbre-poste](#) regarding the 1859 issues.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1872a\)](#). **Chronique.** [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 10 no 109, p3. (in French).

Report of the Habilitado por la Nacion surcharge on 6 2/8c green with in Habilitado in 3mm high italic font instead of 2mm.

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[Timbre-Poste. \(1872b\)](#). **Chronique**. [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 10 no 112, pp. 25-26. (in French).

Report of new 1872 issue engraved by Henri Fernandez including illustration of Philippine stamp with blank tablets. Report of a black and white proof.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1872c\)](#). **Chronique**. [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 10 no 114, p44. (in French).

Account from M de F. of 5c, correos interior [1863 issue] with Habilitado por la nacion surcharge.

[Timbre-Poste \(1872d\)](#). **Chronique**. [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 10 no 115, p50. (in French).

Account of 5c 1863 issue and 1 real violet with Habilitado por la nacion surcharge.

Report and illustration of the 1872 issues with inscriptions including the 16c and 62c purple. Account of intended values 125c purple, 250c pink and 500c great. Note that the engraver Fernandez died on 13 May 1872. Additional notes were provided in [Timbre-Poste \(1872f\)](#).

[Timbre-Poste. \(1872e\)](#). **Les Timbres de 1847 des Iles Philippines**. [The 1847 stamps of the Philippine Islands]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 10 no 115, pp. 55-56. (in French).

Account of the stamps proposed for use in the Philippines in 1847. The account of [Rondot \(1865\)](#) in Magasin Pittoresque is mentioned. [The Stamp Collector's Magazine \(1872c\)](#) provided a critique of this account.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1872f\)](#). **Chronique**. [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 10 no 117, p68. (in French).

Update to [Timbre-Poste \(1872d\)](#) that the 1872 issue 1p25c in blue on flesh and not purple. Account that a 6c value is also planned.

Account from [Philatelic Journal](#) of 1855 issue 2r with Habilitado por la nacion surcharge.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1872g\)](#). **Les Timbres de 1847 des Iles Philippines**. [The 1847 stamps of the Philippine Islands]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 10 no 118, pp. 78-79. (in French).

Reply to the critique of the [Stamp Collectors Magazine \(1872c\)](#) regarding the so-called 1847 issue reported in [Timbre-Poste \(1872e\)](#). A further response is provided in [Stamp-Collector's Magazine \(1872f\)](#). An update is provided in [Timbre-Poste \(1880d\)](#).

[Timbre-Poste. \(1872h\)](#). **Chronique**. [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 10 no 120, p89. (in French).

Report of the [1872] 16c issue in dull blue.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1873a\)](#). **Chronique**. [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 11 no 124, pp. 28-29. (in French).

Report that the [1872] issue 62c purple has been replaced by 62c carmine pink and that the 16c blue has been succeeded by 12c blue.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1873b\)](#). **Catalogue Prix-Courant**. [Catalogue of Current Prices]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 11 no 124, p32. (in French).

Note that the catalogue is no longer available as a supplement to the magazine but lists the price for selected stamps which include the 1873 issue of 62c rose carmine.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1873c\)](#). **Chronique**. [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 11 no 125, p33. (in French).

Report of [1872] 12c issue in blue which replaces 12c pale and bright carmine pink issue.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1873d\)](#). **Catalogue Prix-Courant**. [Catalogue of Current Prices]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 11 no 125, p40. (in French).

Note that the catalogue is no longer available as a supplement to the magazine but lists the price for selected stamps which include the 1872 issue of 12c pale rose and 12 bright rose.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1873e\)](#). **Chronique**. [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 11 no 127, pp. 50-51. (in French).

Observation that a second report of the 1859 5c issue has been disputed (by others) because it occurs on thick paper and yet the same stamp from the first report on thick laid paper has been shown to exist cancelled.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1873f\)](#). **Chronique**. [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 11 no 128, p59. (in French).

Report of two new stamps issued in 1873 of 25c purple and 1p 25c bistre on white paper. Note that the 12c blue and 62c pink-carmine were also issued in 1873, with the 1872 issues comprising 12c pink, 16c, dull blue, 52c purple and 1p 25c blue on flesh paper.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1873g\)](#). **Prix de diver timbres**. [Price of various stamps]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 11 no 128, p64. (in French).

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Priced of selected stamps which include the 1873. 25c purple and 1p 25c bistre

[Timbre-Poste. \(1873h\)](#). **Chronique**. [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 11 no 130, p74. (in French).

Account of '1855' issue with loops watermark with Habilitado por la nacion surcharge in black.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1873i\)](#). **Chronique**. [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 11 no 131, p83. (in French).

Report of Habilitado surcharge in black on the 4 varieties of the 1859 10c rose issue and the 1863 2r blue issue. Comment that the Spanish Government is too busy to think about sending new stamps to the Philippines.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1874a\)](#). **Chronique**. [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 12 no 136, p26. (in French).

Report that of the 1872-1873 issue two distinct nuances of the following stamps 62c mauve, lilac and 1p 25c brown-bistre-brown and olive-bistre.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1874b\)](#). **Chronique**. [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 12 no 138, pp. 41-42. (in French).

Account of new Revenue stamp (for Spain) replacing that which has been used in the Philippines for about 10years.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1874c\)](#). **Chronique**. [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 12 no 138, p43. (in French).

Account from M.F.G.M of the receipt of information from Manila that of the 1872-1873 issue the following 12c pink, 16c blue, 62c mauve, 1p25c bistre. Other stamps are proofs. An update is provided in [Timbre-Poste \(1875b\)](#).

[Timbre-Poste. \(1874d\)](#). **Chronique**. [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 12 no 140, p60. (in French).

Illustration of the 1863 5c pale vermillion issue and report that it exists with a Habilitado por la Nacion surcharge in black.

Report that the 1872 issue has been replaced by the type currently in use in Cuba (and recently abolished in Spain). Only the 62c pink is known.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1874e\)](#). **Chronique**. [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 12 no 141, p68. (in French).

Report of second value of 1874 issue: 1p 25c bistre on white paper.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1875a\)](#). **Chronique**. [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 13 no 145, p3. (in French).

Report of new value of 1874 issue: 12c bistre lilac. Report of 1854 1r issue surcharged with a Habilitado por la Nacion.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1875b\)](#). **Chronique**. [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 13 no 151, p52. (in French).

Update of [Timbre-Poste \(1874c\)](#) recording information from Manila noting that the 1872 issue of 25c blue was in use (and not a proof).

[Timbre-Poste. \(1875c\)](#). **Chronique**. [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 13 no 152, p58. (in French).

Illustration and account from [Ami des Timbres \(1875b\)](#) of a new type intended for the Philippine, colours and values are unknown.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1876a\)](#). **Chronique**. [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 14 no 162, p42. (in French).

Account of the colours and values of the current stamps in use: 12 1/2c green, 25c brown, 50c blue and 1p black. A correction is provided in [Timbre-Poste \(1876b\)](#).

[Timbre-Poste. \(1876b\)](#). **Chronique**. [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 14 no 164, p59. (in French).

Correction to [Timbre-Poste \(1876a\)](#) with report of 12c lilac instead of 12c green. [The earlier account recorded 12 1/2 c green].

[Timbre-Poste. \(1876c\)](#). **Chronique**. [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 14 no 165, p67. (in French).

Announcement of 1876 type, 2c rose.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1876d\)](#). **Chronique**. [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 14 no 168, p89. (in French).

Report of receipt of fourth value of the 1874 series making: 12c lilac, 25c blue, 62c carmine and 1p 25c bistre.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1877a\)](#). **Chronique**. [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 15 no 169, p1. (in French).

Announcement of 1876 type, 25c green.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1877b\)](#). **Chronique**. [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 15 no 171, pp. 20-21. (in French).

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Account of discussions in the philatelic journals following account from [Ami des Timbres \(1876c\)](#) regarding the 1872 issues of 62c pink, 1p 25c blue on flesh, 2p 50c pink and 5p grey. The [Ami des Timbres](#) admits not knowing the latter two. The [Timbre-Poste](#) refers readers to [Timbre-Poste \(1872b, d and f\)](#) which reported these issues and were also included in the list of current prices; corrections were later made to a reported account in [Timbre-Poste \(1874c and 1875b\)](#). A list of the series is provided. A reply is provided in [Ami des Timbres \(1877a\)](#).

[Timbre-Poste. \(1877c\). Societe Francaise de Timbrologie. \[French Society of Timbrology\]](#). Le Timbre-Poste, vol 15 no 171, p24. (in French).

Report of the Society meeting of 1 February 1877 where the existence of the 1872 issues a 25c pearl grey stamp is reported.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1877d\). Chronique. \[Chronicle\]](#). Le Timbre-Poste, vol 15 no 175, p50. (in French).

Account and description of a telegraph stamp 1874-1875 issue 1p 25c pearl grey. An illustration of the stamp is provided in [Timbre-Poste \(1877e\)](#).

[Timbre-Poste. \(1877e\). Chronique. \[Chronicle\]](#). Le Timbre-Poste, vol 15 no 177, p67. (in French).

Illustration of the telegraph stamp reported in [Timbre-Poste \(1877d\)](#).

[Timbre-Poste. \(1877f\). Chronique. \[Chronicle\]](#). Le Timbre-Poste, vol 15 no 178, p74. (in French).

Account from Mr Herrmann that he has received the 1876 types: 10c blue and 20c dark lilac.

Also noted is the 2c rose with a black surcharge 'Habilitado 12cts pta'.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1878a\). Chronique. \[Chronicle\]](#). Le Timbre-Poste, vol 16 no 181, p4. (in French).

Illustration of a facsimile of the 2c rose with a black surcharge 'Habilitado 12cts pta' in [Timbre-Poste \(1877f\)](#). Also reported is the 6c bistre. The colour of this stamp is corrected in [Timbre-Poste \(1878b\)](#).

[Timbre-Poste. \(1878b\). Chronique. \[Chronicle\]](#). Le Timbre-Poste, vol 16 no 182, p13. (in French).

Correction to the report in [Timbre-Poste \(1878b\)](#): the 6c stamp is orange.

Account that the *Illustrieles Briefmarken Journal* reproduces the 12c surcharge on 25c (also mentioned in earlier no 47). The earlier stamp mentioned is the known 12c surcharge on 2c carmine and the [Timbre-Poste](#) requests confirmation as to whether a 25c stamp with overprint exists.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1878c\). Chronique. \[Chronicle\]](#). Le Timbre-Poste, vol 16 no 184, p28. (in French).

Account from Mr de Ysasi of a new issue of the current type: 125mil, blue – an incomprehensible value.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1878d\). Chronique. \[Chronicle\]](#). Le Timbre-Poste, vol 16 no 186, p43. (in French).

Report of the current type: 25mil black.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1878e\). Chronique. \[Chronicle\]](#). Le Timbre-Poste, vol 16 no 187, p54. (in French).

Account from [Ami des Timbres \(1878d\)](#) of the current type: 2c blue, which would replace the 2c rose.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1878f\). Societe Francaise de Timbrologie. \[French Society of Timbrology\]](#). Le Timbre-Poste, vol 16 no 188, p64. (in French).

Report of the Society meeting of 13 June 1878 and account from Mr Ysasi of new issues 2c blue and 25m black.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1878g\). Chronique. \[Chronicle\]](#). Le Timbre-Poste, vol 16 no 189, pp. 66-67. (in French).

Report of 25m black surcharged 'Habilitado 12cts pta'.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1878h\). Chronique. \[Chronicle\]](#). Le Timbre-Poste, vol 16 no 191, pp. 83-84. (in French).

Report of new stamps received, which are summarised according to the dates of issue provided by Mr Ysasi. Additional comments are provided in [Timbre-Poste \(1879b\)](#).

[Timbre-Poste. \(1878i\). Chronique. \[Chronicle\]](#). Le Timbre-Poste, vol 16 no 192, pp. 90-91. (in French).

In addition to those stamps listed in [Timbre-Poste \(1875h\)](#) is a list of stamps found imperforate.

Illustration of the new 250m telegraph stamp.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1879a\). Chronique. \[Chronicle\]](#). Le Timbre-Poste, vol 17 no 193, p6. (in French).

Account from [Ami des Timbres \(1878g\)](#) of 25mil black with a 'Habilitado 12cts pta' surcharge in blue. Also account ([Ami des Timbres, 1878h](#)) of the 100m carmine imperforate stamp and 250m mil brown telegraph stamp.

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[Timbre-Poste. \(1879b\)](#). **Chronique**. [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 17 no 195, p21. (in French).

Report of a "Correo Oficial" 4 onza black on green stamp which is being used in the Philippines.

Account discussing the date of issue of the 2c blue reported in [Timbre-Poste \(1878h\)](#).

[Timbre-Poste. \(1879c\)](#). **Chronique**. [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 17 no 196, p31. (in French).

Report of 100m pale yellow-green stamp received from Manila.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1879d\)](#). **Chronique**. [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 17 no 198, p54. (in French).

Account from *Illustrieles Briefmarken Journal* of 20c lilac brown postal card on bluish card

[Timbre-Poste. \(1879e\)](#). **Chronique**. [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 17 no 204, pp. 103-104. (in French).

Account from [Philatelic Record \(1879e\)](#) of 100m carmine and 25m green with the overprints "Convenio Universal Correos" with the original value replaced by 8c and 2c.

Report also of 250mil bistre in use.

Report also of a postcard with the same overprints.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1880a\)](#). **Chronique**. [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 18 no 205, pp. 2-3. (in French).

Report and illustration of a new type for 1880 with stamps listed on white paper and on thick white paper. Including new telegraph issue for 25c.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1880b\)](#). **Chronique**. [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 18 no 209, p41. (in French).

Account from the [Philatelic Record \(1880b\)](#) of the 200m pink with cancellation and proof of usage.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1880c\)](#). **Chronique**. [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 18 no 211, p58. (in French).

Report of the 2c green with the surcharge Convenio-Correos in black in spaced letters.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1880d\)](#). **Le premiers timbres de les Iles Philippines**. [The first stamps of the Philippine Islands]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 18 no 212, pp. 69-72. (in French).

Further update to [Timbre-Poste \(1872g\)](#) and account based on communication from Mr Rombot. Illustration of the proposed proofs. The description describes the proposed stamps to be round, whereas other accounts suggest they are square. Further correspondence is received on these stamps in [Timbre-Poste \(1880f\)](#).

The article also includes decrees of 1853 relating to proposals the first postal issues of 1854.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1880e\)](#). **Chronique**. [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 18 no 214, p81. (in French).

Account of postal card of 3c with surcharge of 50m. The postal card of 3c is also reported. A 30c lilac issue is also reported.

Account from The [Berliner J.B.Z](#) of other postal cards: 2c on 25c and 8c on 100c. The postal cards have the Convenio surcharge in large and small characters.

Report that the 8c surcharge on 100c bears the error Coreros for Correos. Although it was noted that it was not found on an entire sheet of these stamps with close lettering.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1880f\)](#). **Les premiers timbres des Iles Philippines**. [The first stamps of the Philippine Island]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 18 no 214, pp. 91-92. (in French).

Account of letter from Antonio de Gutierrez (the Director of Posts in the Philippines in 1854) to Mr Cambell describing the difficulties of setting up the postal service in the Philippines ([Gutierrez, 1880](#)). The account includes note of the circulation of two or three forged postal stamps, which led to the arrest of the culprit. The letter mentions the project described in [Timbre-Poste \(1880d\)](#) and notes that there is no evidence to suggest that these proposed stamps of 1847 were ever used and there were no official records.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1881a\)](#). **Chronique**. [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 19 no 218, p13. (in French).

Account from [Ami des Timbres](#) of telegraph stamps utilising the Spanish recibos stamps: 1p brown, 2p green, 5p blue and 10p carmine. A comment is made on this report in [Timbre-Post, \(1881j\)](#).

[Timbre-Poste. \(1881b\)](#). **Chronique**. [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 19 no 219, p17. (in French).

Report that the 1879 post-card exists with red surcharge (instead of black) of Convenio Universal de Correos.

Account and description that since 1 January 1881 there has been a new 3c card with a stamp in the upper right corner.

Account of 10c judicial tax stamp overprinted with Habilitado para correos 2 4/8cms due to an exhaustion of the 2 1/2c brown stamp. The stamp is illustrated in [Timbre-post \(1881c\)](#).

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[Timbre-Poste. \(1881c\)](#). **Chronique**. [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 19 no 220, p32. (in French).

Illustration of the surcharged stamp reported in [Timbre-post \(1881b\)](#).

[Timbre-Poste. \(1881d\)](#). **Chronique**. [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 19 no 221, p43. (in French).

Account and illustration from the [Philatelic Record, \(1881d\)](#) of 10c revenue stamp with Habilitado 2c surcharge in black.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1881e\)](#). **Chronique**. [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 19 no 222, p56. (in French).

Report of the 2r judicial stamp surcharged with 8cms. The stamp is illustrated in [Timbre-post \(1881f\)](#).

[Timbre-Poste. \(1881f\)](#). **Chronique**. [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 19 no 223, p69. (in French).

Illustration of the surcharged stamp reported in [Timbre-post \(1881e\)](#).

[Timbre-Poste. \(1881g\)](#). **Chronique**. [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 19 no 224, p79. (in French).

Report and illustration that the 2 1/2c stamp having arrived [in Manila] has been used with a 2c surcharge. Remark that perhaps when the 2c stamp arrives it will be used with a 2 1/2c surcharge!

[Timbre-Poste. \(1881h\)](#). **Chronique**. [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 19 no 225, p87. (in French).

Report of the 2r judicial stamp surcharged with Habilitado para Telegrafos. The stamp is illustrated in [Timbre-post \(1881i\)](#).

Account that there are several types of handstamps employed to surcharge the stamps. In one the H and B are wider, and correos is smaller.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1881i\)](#). **Chronique**. [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 19 no 226, p99. (in French).

Illustration of the surcharged stamp reported in [Timbre-post \(1881e\)](#).

Account from the [Wiener B.Z.](#) of 2r blue with surcharges in black for 2 1/2c and 8 4/8c.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1881j\)](#). **Chronique**. [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 19 no 227, p115. (in French).

Comment of account from [L' Ami des Timbres](#) and noted in [Timbre-Poste, \(1881a\)](#) of telegraph stamps suggesting that the account is incorrect.

Report and illustration of new type of Telegraph issues received.

Report of inverted surcharges or earlier noted surcharged stamps.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1881k\)](#). **Le timbres lithographies des Philippines**. [Lithographed stamps of the Philippines]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 19 no 227, p116.

Report and illustration of four varieties of the 1855 5c issue. A fifth variety reported in [Timbre-Poste](#) is also mentioned noting that it has yet to be verified. The four types in a block of four was repeated four times in width and three times in height [sheet size = 8 x 6 (48)]. A description of the different types is provided.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1882a\)](#). **Chronique**. [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 20 no 229, p7. (in French).

Account from the [Philatelic Record, \(1881k\)](#) of 6c and 0.0625 in use.

Account that the Philippines is exhausting its reserve of old stamps due to shortages and therefore it is not surprising to see the use of these old stamps again.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1882b\)](#). **Chronique**. [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 20 no 230, p18. (in French).

Report that many stamps are being called up for surcharging including 10c judicial issue surcharged for 1 real. Plus, 200mil Derechos de firman with a yellow overprint of 2cms. Plus, 1r judicial issue surcharged with letters and no value. The first two mentioned stamps are later illustrated in [Timbre-Poste \(1882c\)](#).

[Timbre-Poste. \(1882c\)](#). **Chronique**. [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 20 no 231, pp. 26-27. (in French).

Illustration of two stamps described in [Timbre-Poste, \(1882c\)](#).

Also report of other surcharges: 2r blue with a red surcharge. Report that proofs have been seen bearing the image of Alfonso XII of the type currently in use for 2 4/8c, 3c, 5c, 6 2/8c, 10c, 12 4/8c, 20c and 25c.

Account from [Philatelic Record, \(1882a\)](#) of 2 4/8c blue.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1882d\)](#). **Chronique**. [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 20 no 232, p38. (in French).

Report of new issue 12 4/8c carmine (mentioned in [Timbre-Poste, 1882c](#)).

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[Timbre-Poste. \(1882e\)](#). **Chronique**. [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 20 no 233, p50. (in French).
Report of new issues 2 4/8c ultramarine, 6 4/8c blue, 20c bistre-brown (mentioned in [Timbre-Poste, 1882c](#)).

[Timbre-Poste. \(1882f\)](#). **Chronique**. [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 20 no 236, p76. (in French).
Account from [Philatelic Record, \(1882f\)](#) of 25c blue telegraph stamp used as a postage stamp.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1882g\)](#). **Chronique**. [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 20 no 237, pp. 85-86. (in French).
The 250m telegraph stamp in a new colour of ultramarine.
Report of inverted, double and partial prints of surcharges including surcharge error on postal card.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1882h\)](#). **Chronique**. [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 20 no 238, p93. (in French).
Account that 10c purple-brown of the current type is in use.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1882i\)](#). **Chronique**. [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 20 no 239, p103. (in French).
Account of 5c green and 6 2/8c green.
Account of 8cm black surcharge on 10c judicial revenue stamp.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1882j\)](#). **Chronique**. [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 20 no 240, p113. (in French).
Account from [Philatelic Record, \(1882i\)](#) of 8c surcharge on 100mil pink with the error "Corzoz" instead of "Correos".

[Timbre-Poste. \(1883a\)](#). **Chronique**. [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 21 no 241, p5. (in French).
Account of 1p green Derechos de Firma stamp employed for postal use.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1883b\)](#). **Chronique**. [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 21 no 242, p14. (in French).
Account from [Philatelic Record, \(1882k\)](#) that the colour of the 25c issue is brown.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1883c\)](#). **Chronique**. [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 21 no 246, p45. (in French).
Report of: 250m telegraph stamp with 2r surcharge in carmine, and 5c and 8c postal stamps with 1r surcharge in green. The first two mentioned stamps are later illustrated in [Timbre-Poste \(1883d\)](#).
Account from the [Philatelic Record, \(1883c\)](#) of 1r surcharge on 8c brown and new issues of the current type of 5c blue and 8c brown.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1883d\)](#). **Chronique**. [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 21 no 247, pp. 53-54. (in French).
Illustration of two stamps described in [Timbre-Poste \(1883c\)](#) together with a copy of the decree (dated 22 February 1883) authorising issue together with other varieties.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1883e\)](#). **Chronique**. [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 21 no 248, p60. (in French).
Report of surcharge "Habilitado Para Correos" in small capitals on 10c Derecho Judicial stamp. Further discussion on this stamp is made in in [Timbre-Poste, \(1884b, 1885a\)](#).

[Timbre-Poste. \(1883f\)](#). **Chronique**. [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 21 no 249, pp. 68-69. (in French).
Account of 250m blue telegraph surcharged for 20c. A further decree (dated 4 June 1883) regarding surcharges is reproduced.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1883g\)](#). **Chronique**. [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 21 no 250, p76. (in French).
Account that [Ami des Timbres \(1883e\)](#) has published a long list of stamps based on the decree on 22 February and 4 June 1883. Comment that that the decrees do not imply that the stamps exist. An account is noted that when stamps are decreed, it is rare that all value mentioned in the decree reach the designated quantities: e.g. the 1 piaste telegraph stamp authorised for 8c by the decree of November 1881 which has not appeared and the 20c of February 1883 and only seven stamps from those in the June 1883 decree.
Report of 8c surcharge in green on 2c carmine.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1883h\)](#). **Chronique**. [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 21 no 251, p85. (in French).
Account of 20c black surcharge on 8c brown, 1r red surcharge on 2c rose and 2r black surcharge on 250m blue telegraph stamp.
Also, the 10c rose Recibos y Cuentas stamp used for postage.

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[Timbre-Poste. \(1883j\)](#). **Chronique.** [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 21 no 252, p93. (in French).

Report of 'an avalanche' of overprints applied to revenue and telegraph stamps and serve as postage stamps. A list of stamps is provided.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1884a\)](#). **Chronique.** [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 22 no 253, p6. (in French).

Account of further overprints 1r on 5c blue in red and 1r on 2 4/8c blue in red. Noting that the surcharge is also applied to the top margin selvage of the sheet.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1884b\)](#). **Chronique.** [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 22 no 254, p12. (in French).

Note that the [Ami de timbre \(1883e\)](#) commented unfavourably on the stamp described in [Timbre-Poste, \(1883e\)](#) based on the fact that they have not seen an example, but the report is confirmed correct. Further discussion is provided in [Timbre-Poste, \(1885a\)](#).

Account from [Ami de timbre \(1883h\)](#) of stamps issued by a decree of 29 September 1883.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1885a\)](#). **Chronique.** [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 23 no 265, pp. 4-5. (in French).

Further discussion on [Timbre-Poste, \(1884b\)](#) and the account of the three line overprint "Habilitado para Correos". Comment that Mr Roussin ([Ami des Timbres, 1883e](#)) claimed that the overprint was false as he had no knowledge of the stamp.

Report that a similar overprint, except with the three lines of the surcharge further apart, an illustration is provided: 1r green Derecho Judicial stamp surcharged in red.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1885b\)](#). **Chronique.** [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 23 no 266, p14. (in French).

Account of 5p green Derechos de Frima stamp of 1872 used for postage in 1880 or 1882.

Report of 1878 200mil blue and 1880 200m green used for postage.

Report and description of two types of surcharge of the 1r stamp with 2 4/8 surcharge. Report of errors of other surcharged pairs with missing surcharge. It is further noted that other examples reveal differences among each stamp which poses a mystery and the question of whether the surcharge was created with a handstamp.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1885c\)](#). **Chronique.** [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 23 no 271-272, p64. (in French).

Report of a decree (date 10 March 1885) authorising the surcharging of stamps. Report of stamps that have been confirmed to exist listed in the decree.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1886a\)](#). **Chronique.** [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 24 no 279, p22. (in French).

Account of surcharge 'Habilitado para telegraph' of 25c in carmine on 2 4/8c blue.

Report of new stamp issue of 1/8c yellow-green similar to the current issue except that the inscription is "FILIPAS IMPRESSOS".

[Timbre-Poste. \(1886b\)](#). **Chronique.** [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 24 no 280, p29. (in French).

Report of 'Habilitado pa correos de 16cts' in carmine on the 1882 2 4/8c ultramarine postage stamp.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1886c\)](#). **Chronique.** [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 24 no 284, p67. (August 1886). (in French).

Illustration of surcharge 'Habilitado para telegraph 25c' on 25c stamp.

Report of 'Habilitado para telegraph 1c' surcharge in black on 2 4/8c blue. Similar surcharge in black for 20c and for 2 4/8c and 5c in red. The account indicates that the 2 4/8c stamp has the old value crossed out by three horizontal lines

Account that the stamps were created under authorisation dated 7 March 1886 published in the [Gazetta de Manila \(1886\)](#).

[Timbre-Poste. \(1886d\)](#). **Chronique.** [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 24 no 285, p77. (in French).

Report of new telegraph stamps: 25c bronze-green and 2p light brown.

Report of 2 4/8c ultramarine postage stamp with the surcharge 'Habilitado telegrafos submarinos 1 peso' on four lines in red. The stamp is illustrated in [Timbre-Poste, \(1886e\)](#).

[Timbre-Poste \(1886e\)](#). **Chronique.** [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 24 no 286, p87. (in French).

Illustration of stamp described in [Timbre-Poste, \(1886d\)](#).

[Timbre-Poste. \(1887a\)](#). **Chronique.** [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 25 no 289, p10. (January 1887). (in French).

Report of new 'Habilitado U. Postal' surcharges that appeared November 1886(?): 1c in red on 2 4/8c ultramarine and 10c in black on 2 4/8c ultramarine.

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Report of the same base stamps overprinted 'Habilitado telegrafos' UNc in black and 5c in brown, with larger letters to the type earlier reported in [Timbre-Poste, \(1886c\)](#).

[Timbre-Poste. \(1887b\)](#). **Chronique.** [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 25 no 290, p21. (February 1887). (in French).

Report of stamps overprinted 'Habilitado telegrafos' 2 4/8c in dark blue and 20c in red, both on 2 4/8c ultramarine.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1887c\)](#). **Chronique.** [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 25 no 291, p33. (in French).

Report of January 1882 issue a 2r blue Derecho Judicial stamp with the overprint 'Habilitado U. Postal 8cms' in pale red with a second overprint 'Habilitado para Correos de dos reales' in carmine.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1887d\)](#). **Chronique.** [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 25 no 294, p64. (in French).

Confirmation of colours of two telegraph stamps 5p green and 10p blue. Also report of 50m yellow-brown postage stamp.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1888a\)](#). **Chronique.** [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 26 no 302, p14. (in French).

Report of new stamps issued in 1888 of the same type: 1c green, 5c blue, 6c yellow-brown, 8c yellow brown.

Report of new telegraph stamps of same type. Note that there are two stamps for 10c with the green stamp used for dispatches for UPU.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1888b\)](#). **Chronique.** [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 26 no 303, p20. (in French).

Report and illustration of new surcharge type 8c in carmine on 2 4/8c ultramarine.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1888c\)](#). **Chronique.** [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 26 no 309, p74. (in French).

Report of new surcharged stamp 2 4/8 cms in carmine on 1c green.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1888d\)](#). **Chronique.** [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 26 no 311, p90. (in French).

Account of new surcharged stamp 2 4/8c in carmine on 5c ultramarine. Account of a se-tenant pair on 2 4/8c with carmine overprints of 3c and 8c. [This is recorded as an issue, but is probably simply an error cause by partial overprint].

Report that a letter from Manila bears the 1c brown telegraph with a 2 4/8 cms surcharge in red [the text also records this as 2 8/4cms].

Account of the 50m stamp with a 2 4/8cms surcharge of unknown colour.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1888e\)](#). **Chronique.** [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 26 no 312, p97. (in French).

Report of the 50mil olive stamp with a 2 4/8cms surcharge in carmine. Illustration of the 2 4/8c surcharge on the 1c telegraph stamp.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1889a\)](#). **Chronique.** [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 27 no 313, p5. (in French).

Report of a decree dated 4 October [1888] stating that various stamps with the surcharge 2 4/8 c

[Timbre-Poste. \(1889b\)](#). **Chronique.** [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 27 no 314, p13. (in French).

Report of 2 4/8c surcharge in carmine on 1/8c green as mentioned in the decree reported in [Timbre-Poste \(1889a\)](#).

[Timbre-Poste. \(1889c\)](#). **Chronique.** [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 27 no 315, p22. (in French).

Report and illustration of 2 4/8c surcharge in carmine on 20c brown Derechos de firma stamp. The same surcharge applied on the 200m green Derechos de firma stamp.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1889d\)](#). **Chronique.** [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 27 no 316, p30. (in French).

Report and illustration of new Habilitado para Comunicaciones surcharge applied in carmine to 10c green (a stamp which was not known in this colour, and also on the 1/8).

[Timbre-Poste. \(1889e\)](#). **Chronique.** [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 27 no 317, pp. 38-39. (May 1889). (in French).

Account and illustration of the 2 4/8c fiscal stamp (with surcharge Habilitado – Recargo de Consumos) which has been put back in to use as a postal stamp.

Report and translation to French of the decree dated **29 January 1889** which supports this action.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1889f\)](#). **Chronique.** [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 27 no 319, p52. (in French).

New values of impresos stamps 1m pink, 2m blue, 5m brown.

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Report that the 1890-1891 stamps will depict the bust of Alfonso XIII; the telegraph stamps will represent the coat of Arms of Spain to better distinguish from the postage stamps.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1889g\)](#). **Chronique**. [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 27 no 320, p60. (August 1889). (in French).

New issue of 1c yellow green of the current type.

Report of decree dated **30 March 1889** relating to the 'Recargo de consumos' tax stamps and report of 2 4/8c on 2c rose and on the 2 4/8c yellow brown stamp telegraph stamp for postage and 5c on 20c purple, 7 4/8c on 20c purple and 10x on 20c purple for telegrams. Further stamps are reported in [Timbre-Poste \(1889h\)](#) together with the mentioned decree.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1889h\)](#). **Chronique**. [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 27 no 321, pp. 70-71. (September 1889). (in French).

Additional surcharged 'Recargo de consumos' tax stamps to those described in [Timbre-Poste \(1889g\)](#) are listed. A transcription of decree dated **30 March 1889** relating to these stamps is provided.

Note that this decree appears to interpret the January 1889 decree to mean that all the surcharged stamps could be used for postal or telegraph use.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1889i\)](#). **Chronique**. [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 27 no 322, p80. (October 1889). (in French).

Report of post cards issued last July.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1889j\)](#). **Varietes du type 1880/89 des Colonies espagnoles**. [Varieties of the 1880/89 type of the Spanish Colonies]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 27 no 322, p84. (in French).

Description of three different engravings issued for Cuba, Fernando-Poo, Puerto Rico and the Philippines for the 1880 issue. The article is continued in [Timbre-Poste \(1889l\)](#).

[Timbre-Poste. \(1889k\)](#). **Chronique**. [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 27 no 324, p103. (in French).

Account from [Le Timbres](#) of a notice from the Manila Post Office relating to an earlier decree of 22 May where the Governor General indicates that the Habilitado overprint would be admitted for the franking of letters and telegrams until 10 August.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1889l\)](#). **Varietes du type 1880/89 des Colonies espagnoles**. [Varieties of the 1880/89 type of the Spanish Colonies]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 27 no 324, pp. 107-108. (in French).

Continuation of [Timbre-Poste \(1889j\)](#) describing the different engravings of the Philippine 1880 issues and the stamps where the engravings are found, including surcharged issues.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1890a\)](#). **Varietes de surcharges de timbres Consumos de Philippines**. [Varieties of Consumos stamp overprints from Philippines]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 28 no 325, pp. 7-8. (in French).

Description of different types of the 'Recargo de consumos' surcharge. [A fifth type is described in [Timbre-Poste \(1890d\)](#)].

[Timbre-Poste. \(1890b\)](#). **Chronique**. [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 28 no 327, p23. (in French).

Account of 2c carmine telegraph stamp overprinted with the 'Recargo de consumos' surcharge.

Report and illustration of the new series of 1890 issues, including telegraph stamps.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1890c\)](#). **Chronique**. [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 28 no 329 p44. (in French).

Report that the 'Recargo de consumos' type 1 also exists on the 50m bistre-yellow. [see [Timbre-Poste \(1890a\)](#) for description of types].

[Timbre-Poste. \(1890d\)](#). **Chronique**. [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 28 no 330, p53. (in French).

Account from [Revue Philatelique \(1890d\)](#) that the 'Recargo de consumos' surcharge also exists on the 1/8c green.

Description of a 5th type of the 'Recargo de consumos' surcharge. [see [Timbre-Poste \(1890a\)](#) for description of types].

[Timbre-Poste. \(1891a\)](#). **Chronique**. [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 29 no 343, p83. (July 1891). (in French).

Account of additional new value: 25c brown and 25c blue, the latter being the current issue.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1891b\)](#). **Chronique**. [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 29 no 344, p92. (August 1891). (in French).

Account of new colour for 10c issue, brown rose.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1891c\)](#). **Chronique**. [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 29 no 347, p119. (November 1891). (in French).

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Report of new colours: 5c brown-olive, 20c salmon.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1892a\)](#). **Chronique**. [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 30 no 352, pp.42-43. (April 1892). (in French).

Account from [London Philatelist \(1892a\)](#) of the 1890 issue 5mil violet in imperforate form. Report of 1892 issues including postal cards.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1892b\)](#). **Chronique**. [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 30 no 354, p69. (June 1892). (in French).

Account from [Echo de la Timbrologie \(1892\)](#) of the following stamps of the current issue 10c carmine, 15c brown-red, 20c grey.

Report of Alfonso XII 10p brown telegraph stamp. Report of 2c surcharged with 1r in black (previously assumed to be a trial).

[Timbre-Poste. \(1892c\)](#). **Chronique**. [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 30 no 355, p78. (July 1892). (in French).

Account that the telegraph stamps were changed on 1 January 1892 to new colours.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1892d\)](#). **Chronique**. [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 30 no 358, p114. (October 1892). (in French).

Account that the current series are complemented by 6m rose, 15m red-brown, 40m slate and 80m orange. [This account is reported in other magazines, but the account appears mistaken as these issues do not exist, possibly confused with the issues of Puerto Rico].

[Timbre-Poste. \(1893a\)](#). **Chronique**. [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 31 no 361, p8. (January 1893). (in French).

Report of 'a mysterious' 10 brown telegraph stamp issued in 1888 with details of the series which included 1p rose, 2p red brown and 5p green.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1893b\)](#). **Chronique**. [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 31 no 362, p22. (February 1893). (in French).

Report that since 1 January 1893 the telegraph stamps have changed and a description of the stamps is provided, the stamps now include 'Filipas telegrafos' in the top legend. The colour of the issued stamps is not known, but the values and colours of the proofs communicated to the magazine are provided.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1893c\)](#). **Chronique**. [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 31 no 366, p70. (June 1893). (in French).

Report and description of two varieties of the 2 4/8c overprinted in black with "Habilitado pa correos de dos rles". [An illustration is provided but it is for a completely different surcharge and stamp].

[Timbre-Poste. \(1893d\)](#). **Chronique**. [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 31 no 367, p80. (July 1893). (in French).

Report of receipt of 10c yellow brown telegraph stamp. Account of new issues of the current type 1c brown-violet, 2 4/8c olive, 5c violet-brown.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1893e\)](#). **Chronique**. [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 31 no 371, p130. (November 1893). (in French).

Account from [Vindin's Philatelic Monthly](#) of 15c pale brown

[Timbre-Poste. \(1894a\)](#). **Chronique**. [Chronicle]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 32 no 374, p18. (February 1894). (in French).

Report of the current type 12 4/8c flesh.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1894b\)](#). **Chronique des decouvertes**. [Chronicle of discoveries]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 32 no 374, pp. 21-22. (February 1894). (in French).

Discussion and illustration of 1863 1r issue noting the observation that the pearl circle does not always occupy the same place at the top and bottom, although the type is the same for all the stamps. It is concluded that the stamp is composed of two parts. It is suggested that the lithographer used reference points marked with blanks, disguised by covering them with coloured number 1s. Consequently, there are as many varieties as there are stamps on the sheet, with bold and thin numbers, small, large straight and crooked.

Comparing these stamps with those of January 1863, it is concluded that the lithographer borrowed the effigy with its medallion.

It is commented that the first printing is remarkable in that the inscriptions are formed of relatively distinct letters with various printing defects in the letters noted. The paper used is described as satin white. It is listed as February 1863, 1r bottle green, Russian green, very dark blue-green.

A second printing is distinguished from the previous one by its Verdigris colour in varied shades, with the inscriptions very thin and badly placed, suggesting it was carried out on a separate plate. However, it is concluded that this not the case with the differences caused by using a too fluid ink. The paper is reported to be the same as the first one and dated March? 1863 1r verdigirs, dark, pale, very pale.

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It is noted that the system of modification had been deployed previously. For the January 1863 issue the 10c issue had used the transfer of the 5c, substituting the number 10 (and suggests in some examples the number 5 is visible between the 1 and the 0.

Also reports that for the 10c carmine issue two paper types are noted: white paper and a 'fairly pronounced' yellowish blue. Other details of the 1r and 2r issues are provided.

The series of articles on discoveries is continued for the Philippines in [Timbres-Poste \(1894f\)](#).

[Timbre-Poste. \(1894c\)](#). **Chronique**. [[Chronicle](#)]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 32 no 375, p31. (March 1894). (in French).

Account from [l' Avenir de Timbres-poste](#) of the change in colour of 2 4/8c blue to 2 4/8 c grey.

Details of the list of stamps for the 1894 issues.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1894d\)](#). **Chronique**. [[Chronicle](#)]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 32 no 378, p70. (June 1894). (in French).

Report of current type 6c brick and list of telegraph values and colours. The list is updated in [Timbre-Poste \(1895b\)](#).

[Timbre-Poste. \(1894e\)](#). **Chronique**. [[Chronicle](#)]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 32 no 380, p91. (August 1894). (in French).

Account from [London Philatelist \(1894e\)](#) of the current type 2c brown.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1894f\)](#). **Chronique des decouvertes**. [[Chronicle of discoveries](#)]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 32 no 380, p98. (August 1894). (in French).

Report that the 2 4/8c blue of Alfonso XII that there is a remade type, which is between the second and third type in regards the details of the hollow in the hair noting that it was in existence by 8 July 1888.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1894g\)](#). **Chronique**. [[Chronicle](#)]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 32 no 384, p148. (December 1894). (in French).

Report of current type 1c carmine and 25c dark blue.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1895a\)](#). **Chronique**. [[Chronicle](#)]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 33 no 388, p47. (April 1895). (in French).

Report of current type 1c carmin and 2c brown-grey, 25c dark blue, 1/8c brown-violet.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1895b\)](#). **Chronique**. [[Chronicle](#)]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 33 no 390, p75. (June 1895). (in French).

Account of updated list provided in [Timbre-Poste \(1894d\)](#) of telegraph stamps.

Report also of 5p blue from the 1890/1891 telegraph issue.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1896\)](#). **Chronique**. [[Chronicle](#)]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 34 no 400, p40. (April 1896). (in French).

Report and list of the new postal, telegraph and postal card issues for 1896.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1897a\)](#). **Chronique**. [[Chronicle](#)]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 35 no 411, p41. (March 1897). (in French).

Account from [Madrid Philatelico \(1897a\)](#) of 1888 10c green without surcharge. Comment that it may possible that the stamp was used in this way but given the ease with which the overprint can be removed, it is advisable to be more fully informed.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1897b\)](#). **Varietes de surcharge du 2c. de p., rose de Philippines**. [[Surcharge varieties of 2c de p., rose of Philippines](#)]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 35 no 412, p59. (April 1897). (in French).

Description and illustration of two varieties of the 1r overprint on 2c rose, issued in 1883.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1897c\)](#). **Chronique**. [[Chronicle](#)]. Le Timbre-Poste, vol 35 no 415, p102. (July 1897). (in French).

Report of 1888 1p rose telegraph issue. Report of change of colour of 1c issue to carmine and the issue of two new values 40c violet and 80c carmine.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1897d\)](#). **Chronique Postale**. [[Postal Chronicle](#)]. Le Timbre Poste et Le Timbre Fiscal, vol 35 no 416, p119. (August 1897). (in French).

Early account of 1897 surcharges often referenced by other magazines, although the account here is from [Boletin del circulo Fil. Matritense](#) that certain values being exhausted that surcharges have been used. A description of the surcharge is provided and a list of the stamps authorised for use and the surcharge value is provided [the colour of the surcharge is not provided].

[Timbre-Poste. \(1897e\)](#). **Chronique Postale**. [[Postal Chronicle](#)]. Le Timbre Poste et Le Timbre Fiscal, vol 35 no 418, p148. (October 1897). (in French).

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Update of [Timbre-Poste \(1897d\)](#) from the account of Galvez ([Madrid Filatelico, 1897e](#)) with illustration and list of the 1897 surcharges including the colour of the surcharges, it is noted that the purpose of the different coloured surcharges is not known.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1897f\). Chronique Postale. \[Postal Chronicle\]](#). Le Timbre Poste et Le Timbre Fiscal, vol 35 no 420, p181. (December 1897). (in French).

Description and illustration of the new 1898 issue which will be used for postal and telegraph use.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1898a\). Chronique Postale. \[Postal Chronicle\]](#). Le Timbre Poste et Le Timbre Fiscal, vol 36 no 421, p3. (January 1898). (in French).

Translation of the Royal decree dated 5 October 1897 to change the stamps in the Antilles and the Philippines.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1898b\). Chronique Postale. \[Postal Chronicle\]](#). Le Timbre Poste et Le Timbre Fiscal, vol 36 no 423, p38. (March 1898). (in French).

Account from [Monthly Journal](#) of inverted examples of the [1897] surcharge.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1898c\). Chronique Postale. \[Postal Chronicle\]](#). Le Timbre Poste et Le Timbre Fiscal, vol 36 no 424, p53. (April 1898). (in French).

Report that the postal cards of the Philippines are the same types as those of Cuba.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1898d\). Varietes du telegraphe 1 peso 1886, de Philippines. \[Varieties of the 1 peso telegraph 1886, from the Philippines\]](#). Le Timbre Poste et Le Timbre Fiscal, vol 36 no 427, pp. 102-104. (July 1898). (in French).

Description and illustration of the 1p Telegramas Submarinos surcharge on the 2 4/8c base stamp. 6 types are described together with varieties.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1898e\). Chronique Postale. \[Postal Chronicle\]](#). Le Timbre Poste et Le Timbre Fiscal, vol 36 no 428, p118. (August 1898). (in French).

Account from [Madrid Filatelico \(1898c\)](#) that the 1c carmine stamp was received instead of the 1c violet.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1899a\). Chronique Postale. \[Postal Chronicle\]](#). Le Timbre Poste et Le Timbre Fiscal, vol 37 no 433, p5. (January 1898). (in French).

Account from [Madrid Filatelico \(1898c\)](#) of the corrected list of surcharged stamps to authorise old stamps to make them valid in 1897. The list includes number of stamps issued.

Note that there is no mention of 5c black surcharge on 5c green, 15c black surcharge on 15c brown-red and 20c black surcharge on 20c brown and that these are therefore probable fantasies.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1899b\). Chronique Postale. \[Postal Chronicle\]](#). Le Timbre Poste et Le Timbre Fiscal, vol 37 no 436, p54. (April 1899). (in French).

Account from [Madrid Filatelico \(1899a\)](#) of the 1898 issues surcharged with C-1898-Resellado-1899-T. The surcharge is reported on 16 values (of the 20 in the series).

[Timbre-Poste. \(1899b\). Chronique Postale. \[Postal Chronicle\]](#). Le Timbre Poste et Le Timbre Fiscal, vol 37 no 437, p70. (May 1899). (in French).

Account from [Madrid Filatelico \(1899b\)](#) of a sheet of 100 25c pesos having seven vertical rows of 10 20cent stamps including 12 reversed: a vertical row of 10 stamps of 15 and 5 cent and the same row without overprinting but having: Telegrafos instead of Correos. Note that it is probably a fantasy obtained at the printing press.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1899d\). Chronique Postale. \[Postal Chronicle\]](#). Le Timbre Poste et Le Timbre Fiscal, vol 37 no 438, p85. (June 1899). (in French).

Communication received from Mr Galvez which allows illustration of the 1898 issues with the Resallado surcharge.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1899e\). Chronique Postale. \[Postal Chronicle\]](#). Le Timbre Poste et Le Timbre Fiscal, vol 37 no 439, p101. (July 1899). (in French).

Report and illustration of the 1898 1m issue surcharged with a 2r (of the type used in the 1880s).

[Timbre-Poste. \(1899f\). Chronique Postale.](#) Le Timbre Poste et Le Timbre Fiscal, vol 37 no 441, p138. (September 1899). (in French).

Account from the [Illustriales Briefmarken Journal](#) that in addition to the surcharge reported in [Timbre-Poste \(1899e\)](#) that the 2r surcharge also occurs on the 5mil stamp in green and the 1c stamp in red.

[Timbre-Poste. \(1899g\). Chronique Postale.](#) Le Timbre Poste et Le Timbre Fiscal, vol 37 no 442, p150. (in French).

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Report that the 1882 5c blue issue exists with the 1897 surcharge of 5c in red and 5c in black.

Timbrophile, Le

Le Timophile was a French language magazine first published in November 1864 by Chez Pierre Mahe, Paris. It ceased publication in 1871 owing to the Franco-Prussian war but was later superseded by the [Gazette de Timbres](#).

In addition to the articles attributed to **Timbrophile** the following were also published: [Dr Magnus \(1869a\)](#), [\(1869b\)](#).

[Timbrophile. \(1869a\)](#). **Le Vieux-Neuf**. [[The Old-New](#)]. Le Timbrophile, vol 5 no 4, p415. (30 February 1869). (in French).

Report of the 1853 2r issue noting it occurs in two shades which are printed on different paper, the second shade is printed on 'Chinese' paper which upon exposure to humidity rolls into a tube and becomes very difficult to unroll with breaking it onto pieces.

[Timbrophile. \(1869b\)](#). **Le Vieux-Neuf**. [[The Old-New](#)]. Le Timbrophile, vol 5 no 12, p478. (30 October 1869). (in French).

Account from the [Timbre-Poste \(1869b\)](#) of 12 4/8c blue with overprint [Habilitado por la Nacion](#) in black on three lines.

Torres, Placido R de. (catalogue)

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[Torres, P. \(1873\)](#). **Catalogo descrittivo di tutti i franco-bolli emssia dal 1840 al 1873**. [[Descriptive catalogue of all postage stamps issued from 1840 to 1873](#)]. 52pp. (p16). publ. P.R. de Torres, Livorno. (in Italian).

A catalogue without illustrations. Subtitled 'Collection of issue dates, their values and particularly for sale'.

Trifet, F. (catalogue)

(b.1848 d.1899). Trifet was born in Paris but moved to Boston, USA. In 1866, at the age of eighteen, he began his business career as importer and dealer in foreign stamps and coins for collectors. As a stamp dealer he published *The American Stamp Mercury* (from October-December 1867) one of the first philatelic journals in America - The magazine changed its name to *The American Stamp Mercury and Numismatist* but went defunct in 1871.

He was a member of the so-called "Boston Gang" of stamp forgers creating fantasy stamps selling bogus as genuine.

He produced a stamp catalogue. In January 1874, at Boston he published *Trifet's Monthly Stamp Circular*, (7 vols. 81 nos., Jan. 1874 to May 1879) and the newspaper *Trifet's Monthly*. An obituary is provided in *London Philatelist* (1899) *The late Mr Trifet*. *The London Philatelist*, vol 8 no 96, p334. (December 1899).

[Trifet, F. \(1867a\)](#). **A descriptive price list and catalogue of American and foreign postage stamps for sale by F. Trifet**. 2nd edition, 18pp. (p10). publ. F. Trifet, Boston, Massachusetts. (May 1867).

A price list with a no illustrations. The 1st edition was published in 1866; however, the 2nd edition was the first to include stamps from the Philippines, catalogued under "Luzon".

[Trifet, F. \(1867b\)](#). **A descriptive catalogue of American and foreign postage stamps**. 3rd edition, 16pp. (p8). publ. F. Trifet, Boston, Massachusetts. (18 September 1867).

The 3rd edition was an update to the 2nd edition issued earlier that year 1867.

[Trifet, F. \(1868\)](#). **A descriptive catalogue of American and foreign postage stamps, F. Trifet's Price List**. 4th edition updated June 1868, 18pp. (pp. 7-8). publ. F. Trifet, Boston, Massachusetts. (June 1868).

The 4th edition started to include a few illustrations, although none were provided for the Philippines, catalogued under "Luzon". In 1868 there appears to have been quarterly updates to the catalogue.

[Trifet, F. \(1869\)](#). **A descriptive catalogue of all American and foreign postage stamps**. 5th edition, 23pp. plus plates (p10). publ. F. Trifet & Co., Boston, Massachusetts.

The 5th edition was advertised as comprising a list of "all" postage stamps ever issued, providing prices of both used and unused, individually or by the dozen that F Thirft & Co have for sale. Only selected Philippine issues (those of 1860 and 1864 and listed as Luzon) were priced and none were priced by the dozen. Illustrations are provided on separate plates, although none featured Philippine stamps.

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[Trifet, F. \(1870\)](#). **A descriptive catalogue of all American and foreign postage stamps for sale by F. Trifet & Co.** 6th edition, 32pp. (pp. 15 & 17). publ. F. Trifet & Co., Boston, Massachusetts, USA. (March 1870).

The 6th edition was the first-time illustrations of the Luzon stamps were provided by Trifet [the 5c 1859 issue but described as the 1860 issue]. Prices are available for a more comprehensive range of the issues compared to those available in the 5th edition.

[Trifet, F. \(1871\)](#). **A descriptive catalogue of all American and foreign postage stamps for sale by F. Trifet.** 7th edition, 40pp. (pp. 13 & 18). publ. F. Trifet, Boston, Massachusetts, USA. (December 1871).

[Trifet, F. \(1873\)](#). **Descriptive catalogue of American and foreign postage stamps for sale by F. Trifet, Agent.** 8th edition, 44pp. (pp. 13, 18 & 43). publ. F. Trifet, Boston, Massachusetts, USA. (March 1873).

This edition comprised the December 1871 edition with a March 1873 supplement appended.

[Trifet, F. \(1875\)](#). **Descriptive price catalogue of the postage stamps of all nations.** 9th edition, 67pp. (pp. 36, 39 & 67). publ. F. Trifet, Boston, Massachusetts, USA.

The preface to this edition notes that the "Great Boston Fire" had destroyed all the type and plates from which the last five editions had been produced making it necessary for the manuscript to be rewritten and thoroughly revised and corrected for the 9th edition. This edition is noted to have been compiled from all the best authorities. Stamps are now catalogued under Philippine Islands rather than Luzon. The only illustration remains that of the 1859 issue.

[Trifet, F. \(1876\)](#). **Descriptive price catalogue of the postage stamps of all nations.** 10th edition, 65pp. (pp. 38, 40 & 42). publ. F. Trifet, Boston, Massachusetts, USA.

[Trifet, F. \(1877a\)](#). **Descriptive price catalogue of the postage stamps of all nations.** 11th edition, 65pp. (pp. 34-35 & 56). publ. F. Trifet, Boston, Massachusetts, USA.

The Appendix was later updated by a reissued Appendix ([Trifet, 1877b](#)). Illustrations were now included in an illustrated supplement ([Trifet, 1877c](#)).

[Trifet, F. \(1877b\)](#). **Appendix to eleventh edition of the postage stamp catalogue.** 11th edition, 2pp. unnumbered (p2). publ. F. Trifet, Boston, Massachusetts, USA.

An Appendix to the 11th edition ([Trifet, 1877a](#)) replacing the original Appendix (pp. 56-57).

[Trifet, F. \(1877c\)](#). **Illustrated supplement to the descriptive price catalogue of the postage stamps of all nations.** 33pp. (p9). publ. F. Trifet, Boston, Massachusetts, USA.

Issued as a supplement to the priced catalogue ([Trifet, 1877a](#)). An illustration of the 1854 issue is now included.

[Trifet, F. \(1877d\)](#). **Descriptive price catalogue of the revenue stamps of all nations.** 1st edition, 26pp. (p20). publ. F. Trifet, Boston, Massachusetts, USA.

The first edition of Trifet's catalogue of revenue stamps.

[Trifet, F. \(1879a\)](#). **Descriptive price catalogue of the postage stamps of all nations.** 12th edition, 58 & 13pp. (p37). publ. F. Trifet, Boston, Massachusetts, USA.

This edition also included a price list of postal cards, although none were listed for the Philippines. Illustrations were included in an illustrated supplement ([Trifet, 1879b](#)).

[Trifet, F. \(1879b\)](#). **Illustrated supplement to the descriptive price catalogue of the postage stamps of all nations.** 42pp. (p9 & 28). publ. F. Trifet, Boston, Massachusetts, USA.

Issued as a supplement to the priced catalogue ([Trifet, 1879a](#)).

[Trifet, F. \(1885\)](#). **F. Trifet's descriptive catalogue of the postage stamps and stamped envelopes of all nations.** 16th edition, 124pp. (pp. 84-86). publ. F. Trifet, Boston.

The catalogue has been rearranged into geographic regions with the Philippines Islands listed in the "Australia etc."

[Trifet, F. \(1886\)](#). **A complete descriptive and price catalogue of adhesive postage stamps.** 17th edition, 76pp. (pp. 68-69). publ. F. Trifet, Boston. (September 1886).

Noted to be the same as R.R. Bogert's catalogue, 1st edition, except for alterations of the title page, omission of the red line surrounding the pages, and the colour of wrapper.

[Trifet, F. \(1890\)](#). **The postage stamp catalogue.** 51st edition, 312pp. (pp. 233-236). publ. F. Trifet, Boston. (1890-1891).

The 1890-1891 edition is a reprint of the [Scott \(1890-1891\)](#) catalogue with cover pages instead provided by Trifet, hence why it is now listed as the 51st edition.

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[Trifet, F. \(1893\)](#). **The postage stamp catalogue**. 53rd edition, 375pp. (pp. 289-298). publ. F. Trifet, Boston.

A reprint of the [Scott \(1892-1893\)](#) catalogue with cover pages instead provided by Trifet.

[Trifet, F. \(1894\)](#). **The standard postage stamp catalogue**. 54th edition, 546pp. (pp. 405-410). publ. F. Trifet, Boston.

A reprint of the [Scott \(1894\)](#) catalogue with cover pages instead provided by Trifet.

Trifet's Monthly

[Trifet's Monthly. \(1879\)](#). **Philatelic corner, newly issued stamps**. Trifet's Monthly, vol 6 no 6, p5 unnumbered. (WN 66, August 1879).

Report of 'a card 20centimes brown-lilac on bluish'.

[Trifet's Monthly. \(1880a\)](#). **Philatelic corner, newly issued stamps**. Trifet's Monthly, vol 6 no 11, p5 unnumbered. (WN 71, January 1880).

Report of the 25m green surcharged with inscription and 2c, and the 100m carmines by the same inscription and 8c. Report that 250m bistre also bear the same inscription but retains its original value. Report of a postal card 3c value.

[Trifet's Monthly. \(1880b\)](#). **Philatelic corner, newly issued stamps**. Trifet's Monthly, vol 6 no 12, p5 unnumbered. (WN 72, February 1880).

Account from various sources new issues of the 1880 series 2c rose, 2 1/2c dark-brown, 3c red and 8c bistre.

[Trifet's Monthly. \(1880c\)](#). **Philatelic corner, newly issued stamps**. Trifet's Monthly, vol 7 no 5, p5 unnumbered. (WN 77, July 1880).

Report of 8c red brown of the 1880 types.

[Trifet's Monthly. \(1880d\)](#). **Philatelic corner, newly issued stamps**. Trifet's Monthly, vol 7 no 8, p6 unnumbered. (WN 80, November 1880).

Report that only one card is in use, the 3c on 50mil.

[Trifet's Monthly. \(1881\)](#). **Philatelic corner, newly issued stamps**. Trifet's Monthly, vol 8 no 1, p5 unnumbered. (WN 85, May 1881).

Report and illustration of 10c judicial stamp surcharged in black for 2 4/8cms. Report of 3c post card surcharged and a new 3c post card.

Tyler, Varro E.

[Tyler, V. \(1968\)](#). **The Gebruder Senf Facsimiles**. In 'The Congress book 1968, 34th American Philatelic Congress', (pp. 187-198), publ. The American Philatelic Congress, Inc.

Background to the Senf Brothers' forgeries with a list of the facsimiles distributed with the Illustriertes Briefmarken-Journal between 1884 and 1890. Four stamps are catalogued from the Philippines (p196).

[Tyler, V. \(1976\)](#). **Philatelic Forgers, Their Lives and Works**. 1st edition 60pp. (pp.41 & 50-51), publ. Robson Lowe Ltd, London.

Illustrated history of postage stamp forgery with accounts of the forgers as well as descriptions of their work. Includes forgers known to have produced reproductions of Philippine stamps: Miguel Segui and Placid Ramon de Torres. An updated version is provided in [Tyler \(1991\)](#).

[Tyler, V. \(1990\)](#). **Focus on Forgeries: Cuba, 1898 King Alfonso XIII issue, Scott 172**. Linn's Stamp News, vol 63 no 3199 p6. (26 February 1990).

Description of the Fournier forgery of the Cuba issue, included in this bibliography as similar forgeries by Fournier exist for the Philippines.

[Tyler, V. \(1991\)](#). **Philatelic Forgers, Their Lives and Works**. 2nd edition 160pp. (pp. 32-34, 113, 115-116, 122-127, 139 & 145-146) publ. Linn's Stamp News (Amos Press), Sidney, Ohio.

Partial copy only. An update of [Tyler \(1976\)](#). Includes Francois Fournier, Miguel Segui, Louis and Richard Senf, Jean de Sperati, Philip Spiro, Placido Ramon de Torres and Venturini. [Others included in the book to investigate but don't have full copy].

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[Tyler, V. \(1992\)](#). **Be your own expert**. The American Philatelist, vol 106, no 11, pp. 1021-1023. (WN 1102, November 1992).

A general article presenting a step-by-step guide on differentiating genuine and counterfeit stamps.

[Tyler, V. \(1993\)](#). **Focus on Forgeries, A Guide to Forgeries of Common Stamps**. 1st edition publ. Linn's Stamp News, (Amos Press). Sidney, Ohio.

Need a copy. (An updated and expanded edition is provided in [Tyler, 2000](#)).

[Tyler, V. \(2000\)](#). **Focus on Forgeries, A Guide to Forgeries of Common Stamps**. 2nd edition 330pp. publ. Linn's Stamp News (Amos Press), Sidney, Ohio.

Need a full copy to check for Philippines – currently only have page that essentially replicates Tyler, 1990. An expanded edition of [Tyler \(1993\)](#) and is essentially a cumulative reprint of descriptions of brief descriptions of various forgeries of stamps of the world that had previously appeared printed in [Linn's Stamp News](#)

[Tyler, V. \(2001\)](#). **Focus on Forgeries: Spain, 1855-63 Second Official Issue, Scott 05-08**. Linn's Stamp News, vol 74 no 3806, p6. (8 October 2001)

Description of the forgery of the "Media Onza" value of the "Correo Oficial" ("Official Mail") stamps of Spain which were also used in the Philippines.