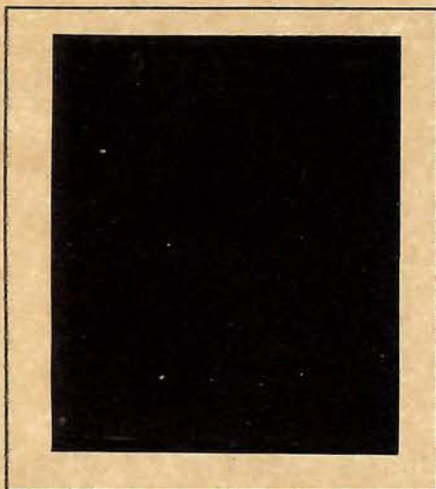


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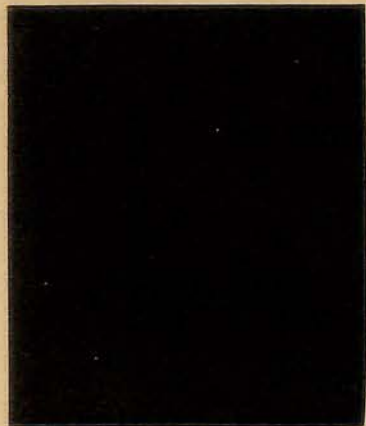


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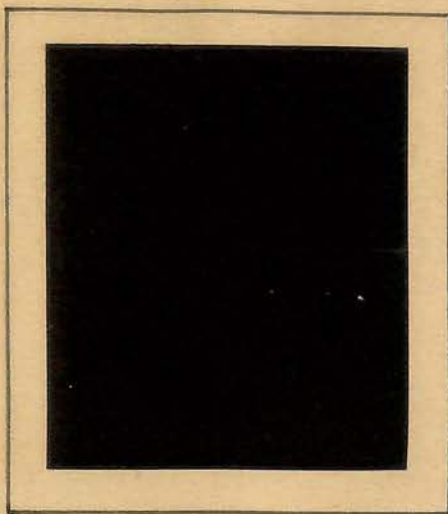
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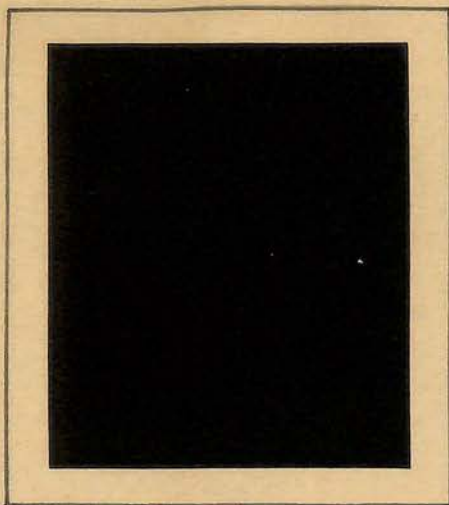
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Alfonso XIII, born May 17th 1886, was twelve years old when the 1898 stamps on the opposite page were issued, and probably seventeen or eighteen when the picture on this postcard, mailed from Havana in 1909, was taken

TARJETA POSTAL
CARTE POSTALE

Miss Arline Schrier
Maplehurst Farm
East Hampton
Conn.

FAMILIA REAL NUM. 3



You might write
at least to let
me know who
to congratulate.

RW

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1899



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CUPA printing plate flaws of the 2 cent Regular Issue and 5 cent Postage Due values.



Both of the 5 cent stamps come from Position 50 in the Plate and consequently, these stamps are always found with a straight edge at right



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1899

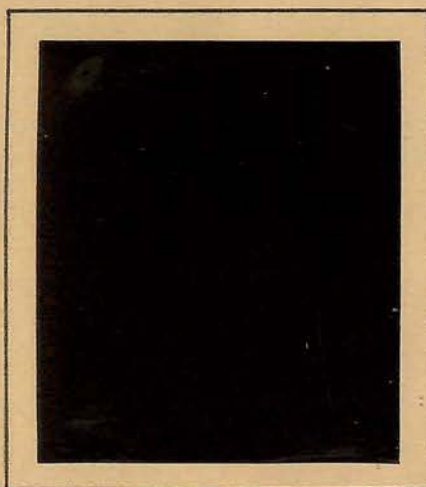
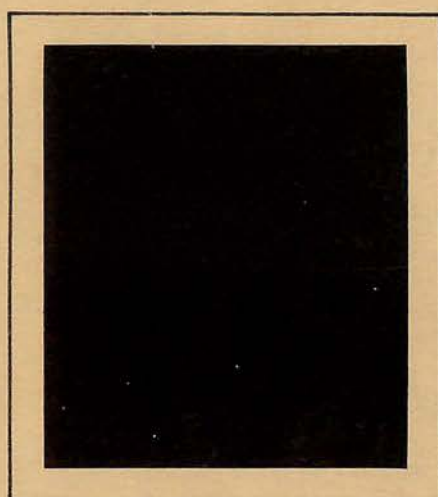
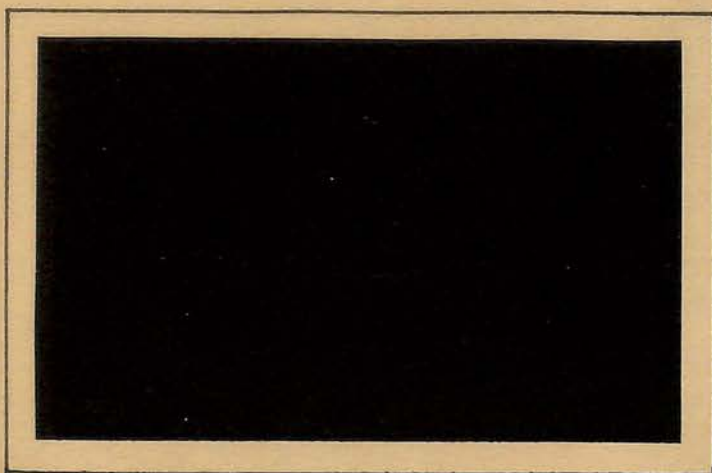


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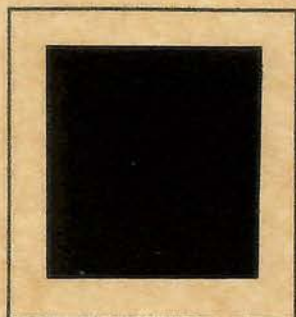
1907



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1905

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1907



February 1900

From Ceuta to Havana, addressed to Sra. D^a Bernarda Toro de Gomez, wife of General Maximo Gomez, at their residency at La Quinta de los Molinos.



This cover was sent unpaid from Ceuta with written note at lower left corner stating that:

"A su llegada se abonara el franqueo" (Payment will be made upon arrival)

"T", "1" and "0" in circle applied to front to indicate that postage was due on this cover and the amount.

A 10 cent postage due stamp applied to cover to pay for the amount of the deficient postage.

CUBA

1902



1905



1907



CUBA

1902

Same design as the Special Delivery stamp of 1899 but the
I-M-MEDIATA spelling error has been corrected



CUBA

1905



July 1899

To Maximo Gomez, Generalissimo del Ejercito Libertador de Cuba,
from within Havana to Hotel Roma



Dr. Maximo Gomez
Generalissimo del Ejercito
Libertador de Cuba
Hotel Roma.



Not mentioned on this postcard mailed on March 1st, 1906, but I am convinced this card shows a view of the Paseo del Prado during the funeral procession for Generalissimo Maximo Gomez, who died on June 17th, 1905. I can not think of any other person who died in Havana around that time, who's funeral would be attended by thousands and would fill the Paseo del Prado with mourners from beginning to end, as this picture shows.

Private Mailing Card
(POSTAL CARD — CARTE POSTALE)



Madeirnelles



Bruxelles

This side is exclusively for the address

Belgique.

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1902

First Postage Stamp issued by the Republic



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Surcharge displaced to the lower left corner
"1" aligned with "E" of "CENTAVOS"



Surcharge displaced to the lower left corner
"1" aligned with "T" of "CENTAVOS"

CHBA



Inverted surcharge



Surcharge sideways



Double surcharge



Double surcharge—One inverted

CHBA



"HABILITADO"
at bottom



Lower right sheet
corner



"Bureau. Engra"
inscription



"HABILITADO" falls exactly
on the blank space between stamps

CUBA

1899 to 1900



CUBA

1899 to 1900

