MANUSCRIPT "CERTIFICADO"

A few covers are known with the word "CERTIFICADO" applied in manuscript, instead of by handstamp. In such cases, the manuscript also served to cancel the affixed stamps. Manuscript "CERTIFICADO" cancels are known in the 1890s, primarily applied by small, rural post offices.



1894 Small Town via Manila, to San Fernando with manuscript "CERTIFICADO" cancel at the interior double-weight registered rate of 19 centavos.