

CORNER CARDS

A number of “General Request” envelopes were produced for general over-the-counter sales and were supplied to the post office in large quantities. They were produced with dotted lines in the upper left corner, with the intent of encouraging purchasers to write in their name and return address details.

The “General Request” corner cards differ from the “Special Request” envelopes which were furnished on special order for individual postal customers and were printed with the purchaser’s own name and address.

“General Request” envelopes were first produced for the Philippines with the oval die issue of 1907 (both 2c and 4c values). A total of six types are known to have been printed for the 2c Jose Rizal envelopes. Additionally, a Money Order /Giro Postal Printing was also produced.

Return in.....days to
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POST OFFICE.....
Province.....PHILIPPINE IS.

CC-1

Return in.....days to
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POST OFFICE.....
Province.....PHILIPPINE ISL.

CC-2

Return in.....days to
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POST OFFICE.....
Province.....PHILIPPINE, IS.

CC-3

Return in.....days to
POST OFFICE.....
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Province.....PHILIPPINE IS.

CC-4

Return in.....days to.....
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Post Office
PROVINCE.....PHILIPPINE IS.

CC-5

Return in.....days to
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POST OFFICE.....
Province.....PHILIPPINE IS.

CC-6

MONEY ORDER
GIRO POSTAL

MO-1