

Green One Real on 8c Brown Postage



Postally Used Saigon, Cochinchina cds, April 6, 1883

During the 1880s, several French paquebots visited Manila. Letters which were hand-carried to the ship in Manila Harbor, would move outside the Philippine postal system. One of the common French paquebot routes was via Saigon (Cochinchina under French control at the time.) The mail would have been cancelled in Saigon upon arrival.

Two Examples Recorded on Surcharged Stamps



Inverted Surcharge



Double Surcharge



Double Surcharge Manila cds



Double Surcharge Both Inverted Boxed Certificado Cancel



Sideways Surcharge Large "R" Registration Cancel



Split (One-Half) Surcharge 1886 Manila cds



Triple Surcharge (APS Cert.)



Triple Surcharge Postally Used Colonial Parilla cancel



Omitted Surcharge - Right Stamp Manila cds, June 29, 1887