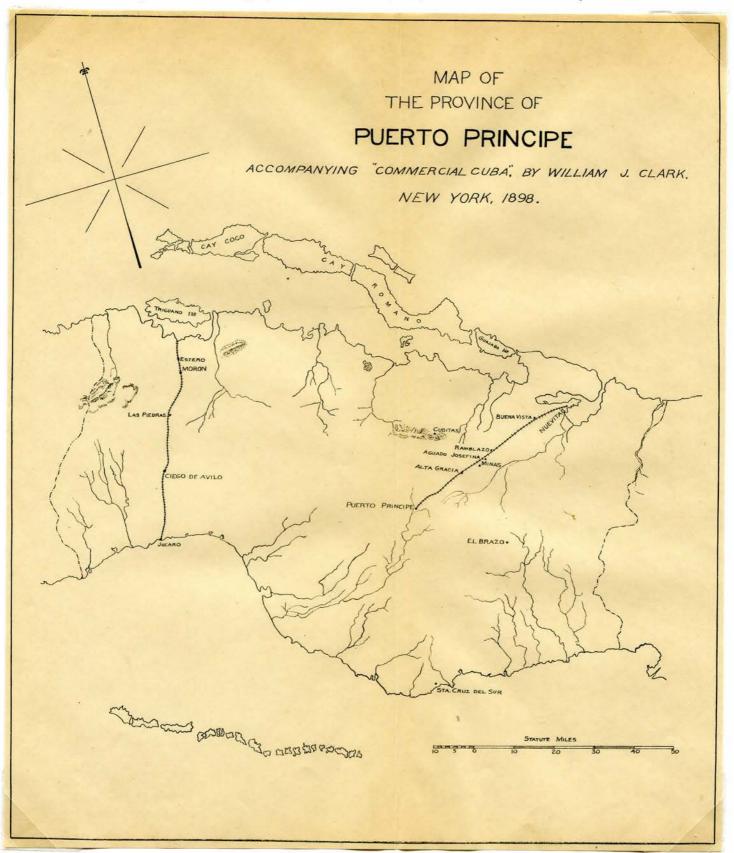
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The Puerto Principe Provisional Issues were used solely in the towns of Puerto Principe, Minas del Principe, Nuevitas and Santa Cruz del Sur.

Black Surcharge 17 ½ mm. high Dull black Ink

Puerto Príncipe

First Printing Dec. 19. 1898

1c. on 1m. Orange Brown 1898 Issue





1. T of cent: No serif at right and up-stroke broken

- 2. There are not defects
- 3. C of cent: Fault impression at left side
- 4. T of Cent: Up-stroke broken
- 5. DO of HABILITADO: Broken

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1	2	3	4	5	

- T of cent: No serif at right and up-stroke broken
- 2. Numeral 2: Different characteristics
- N of Cents: Right foot broken
 C of cent: Lower left side broken
- 4. T of Cent: Up-stroke broken
- 5. DO of HABILITADO: Broken



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Puerto Príncipe

First Printing

Dec. 19. 1898

Black Surcharge 17 ½ mm. high Dull black Ink





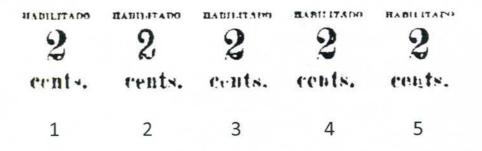


2c. on 2m. Orange Brown 1898 Issue









- 1. T of cent: No serif at right and up-stroke broken
- 2. Numeral 2: Different characteristics
- 3. N of Cents: Right foot broken C of cent: Lower left side broken
- 4. T of Cent: Up-stroke broken
- 5. DO of HABILITADO: Broken

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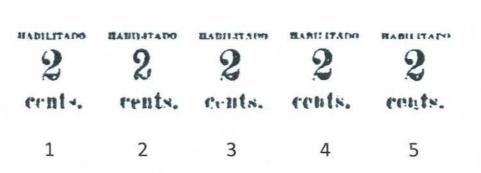
Black Surcharge 17 ½ mm. high Dull black Ink

First Printing Dec. 19. 1898

Inverted Surcharge

2c. on 2m. Orange Brown 1898 Issue





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- 2. Numeral 2: Different characteristics
- N of Cents: Right foot broken
 C of cent: Lower left side broken
- 4. T of Cent: Up-stroke broken
- 5. DO of HABILITADO: Broken



- 1. T of cent: No serif at right and up-stroke broken
- 2. Numeral 3: Different characteristics
- N of Cents: Right foot broken
 C of cent: Lower left side broken
- 4. T of Cent: Up-stroke broken
- 5. DO of HABILITADO: Broken

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Puerto Príncipe

Black Surcharge 17 ½ mm. high Dull black Ink

First Printing Dec. 19. 1898

5c. on 5m. Orange Brown 1898 Issue















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cents.	cents.	cents.	cents.	cents.	
1	2	3	4	5	

- 1. T of cent: No serif at right and up-stroke broken
- 2. Numeral 5: Different characteristics
- 3. N of Cents: Right foot broken C of cent: Lower left side broken
- 4. T of Cent: Up-stroke broken
- 5. DO of HABILITADO: Broken

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Puerto Príncipe

Black Surcharge 17 ½ mm. high Quite Shiny Ink

Second Printing Dec. 24. 1898 3c. on 2m. Orange Brown 1898 Issue





1. T of cent: No serif at right and up-stroke broken

- 2. Numeral 3: Different characteristics
- N of Cents: Right foot broken
 C of cent: Lower left side broken
- 4. T of Cent: Up-stroke broken
- 5. DO of HABILITADO: Broken

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Black Surcharge 17 ½ mm. high Quite Shiny Ink

Puerto Príncipe

Second Printing Dec. 24. 1898 5c. on 1m. Orange Brown 1898 Issue



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5 cents.	5 cents.	5 cents.	5 cents.	5 cents.	
1	2	3	4	5	

- 1. T of cent: No serif at right and up-stroke broken
- 2. Numeral 5: Different characteristics
- N of Cents: Right foot broken
 C of cent: Lower left side broken
- 4. T of Cent: Up-stroke broken
- 5. DO of HABILITADO: Broken

Puerto Príncipe

Black Surcharge 17 ½ mm. high Quite Shiny Ink

Second Printing Dec. 24. 1898 5c. on 2m. Orange Brown 1898 Issue



BABILITADO	HABILPTADO	EABILITADO	EABILITADO	TABILITADO
5	5	5	5	5
cents.	cents.	cents.	cents.	cents.
1	2	3	4	5

- 1. T of cent: No serif at right and up-stroke broken
- 2. Numeral 5: Different characteristics
- N of Cents: Right foot broken
 C of cent: Lower left side broken
- 4. T of Cent: Up-stroke broken
- 5. DO of HABILITADO: Broken

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Second Printing Dec. 24. 1898 5c. on 5m. Orange Brown 1898 Issue





- 1. T of cent: No serif at right and up-stroke broken
- 2. Numeral 2: Different characteristics
- 3. N of Cents: Right foot broken C of cent: Lower left side broken
- 4. T of Cent: Up-stroke broken
- 5. DO of HABILITADO: Broken

Puerto Príncipe

Black Surcharge 17 ½ mm. high Quite Shiny Ink

Second Printing Dec. 24. 1898 5c. on ½ m. Blue Green 1896 Issue









- 1. T of cent: No serif at right and up-stroke broken
- 2. Numeral 5: Different characteristics
- N of Cents: Right foot broken
 C of cent: Lower left side broken
- 4. T of Cent: Up-stroke broken
- 5. DO of HABILITADO: Broken

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Puerto Príncipe

Black Surcharge 17 ½ mm. high Quite Shiny Ink

Second Printing Dec. 24. 1898

Inverted Surcharge

5c. on ½ m. Blue Green 1896 Issue



BABILITADO	HABILITADO	MABILITADO	SABILITADO	SABILITADO	
5 cents.	5 cents.	5 cents.	5 cents.	5 cents.	
1	2	3	4	5	

- 1. T of cent: No serif at right and up-stroke broken
- 2. Numeral 5: Different characteristics
- N of Cents: Right foot broken
 C of cent: Lower left side broken
- 4. T of Cent: Up-stroke broken
- 5. DO of HABILITADO: Broken

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Puerto Príncipe

Black Surcharge 19 ½ mm. high Shiny Ink

Third Printing Dec. 24. 1898 1c. on 1m. Orange Brown 1898 Issue









HABILITADO	HABILITADO	HABILITADO	EABILITADO	BABILITADO	
1	1	1	1	1	
cents.	cents.	cents.	cents.	cents.	
1	2	3	4	5	

- 1. T of cent: No serif at right and up-stroke broken N of cents: Broken in upper part of right stroke
- 2. Numeral 1: Broken
- N of Cents: Right foot broken
 C of cent: Lower left side broken
 HABILITADO: Shift surcharge
- 4. T of Cent: Up-stroke broken
- 5. D of HABILITADO: Broken

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Puerto Príncipe

Black Surcharge 19 ½ mm. high Shiny Ink

Third Printing Dec. 24. 1898 3c. on 1m. Orange Brown 1898 Issue











MABILITAI O	RABILITADO	MASTITADO	HABILITA DO	MABILITADO
3	3	3	3	3
cents.	cents.	cents.	cents.	cents.
1	2	3	4	5

- T of cent: No serif at right and up-stroke broken N of cents: Broken in upper part of right stroke D of HABILITADO: Broken at lower and upper
- 2. There are not defects
- N of Cents: Right foot broken
 C of cent: Lower left side broken
 HABILITADO: Shift surcharge
- Numeral 3: Different characteristics
 C of Cents: Up-stroke broken
 D of HABILITADO: Fault impression at the left side
- 5. D of HABILITADO: Broken

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Black Surcharge 19 ½ mm. high Shiny Ink

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- 1. T of cent: No serif at right and up-stroke broken
- 2. Numeral 5: Different characteristics
- N of Cents: Right foot broken
 C of cent: Lower left side broken
 HABILITADO: Shift surcharge
- 4. T of Cent: Up-stroke broken
- 5. D of HABILITADO: Broken

CUBA 1898-99

Puerto Príncipe

Red Surcharge 19 ½ mm. high Softly Painted Ink

Fourth Printing Dec. 27. 1898













- T of cent: No serif at right and up-stroke broken N of cents: Broken in upper part of right stroke D of HABILITADO: Broken at lower and upper
- 2. Numeral 3: Different characteristics
- N of Cents: Right foot broken
 C of cent: Lower left side broken
- C of Cents: Up-stroke broken
 D of HABILITADO: Fault impression at the left side
- 5. D of HABILITADO: Broken C of cents: Out of alignment

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- T of cent: No serif at right and up-stroke broken N of cents: Broken in upper part of right stroke D of HABILITADO: Broken at lower and upper
- 2. Numeral 3: Different characteristics
- N of Cents: Right foot broken
 C of cent: Lower left side broken
- 4. C of Cents: Up-stroke broken D of HABILITADO: Fault impression at the left side
- 5. D of HABILITADO: Broken C of cents: Out of alignment

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Red Surcharge 19 ½ mm. high Softly Painted Ink

Fourth Printing Dec. 27. 1898





- T of cent: No serif at right and up-stroke broken N of cents: Broken in upper part of right stroke D of HABILITADO: Broken at lower and upper
- 2. Numeral 5: Different characteristics
- N of Cents: Right foot broken
 C of cent: Lower left side broken
- C of Cents: Up-stroke broken
 D of HABILITADO: Fault impression at the left side
- 5. D of HABILITADO: Broken C of Cents: Out of alignment

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Red Surcharge 19 ½ mm. high Softly Painted Ink



Fourth Printing Dec. 27. 1898







HABILITADO	HABILITADO	HABILITADO	HABILITA DO	HABILITADO	
5 cents.	5 cents.	5 cents.	5 cents.	5 cents.	
1	2	3	4	5	

- T of cent: No serif at right and up-stroke broken N of cents: Broken in upper part of right stroke D of HABILITADO: Broken at lower and upper
- 2. Numeral 5: Different characteristics
- N of Cents: Right foot broken
 C of cent: Lower left side broken
- C of Cents: Up-stroke broken
 D of HABILITADO: Fault impression at the left side
- 5. D of HABILITADO: Broken C of Cents: Out of alignment

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Red Surcharge 19 ½ mm. high Softly Painted Ink

Fourth Printing Dec. 27. 1898







HABILITADO	HABILITADO	HABILFTADO	HABILITA DO	HABILITADO	
5	5	5	5	5	
cents.	cents.	cents.	cents.	cents.	
1	2	3	4	5	

- T of cent: No serif at right and up-stroke broken N of cents: Broken in upper part of right stroke D of HABILITADO: Broken at lower and upper
- 2. Numeral 5: Different characteristics
- N of Cents: Right foot broken
 C of cent: Lower left side broken
- C of Cents: Up-stroke broken
 D of HABILITADO: Fault impression at the left side
- 5. D of HABILITADO: Broken C of Cents: Out of alignment

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1	2	3	4	5

- T of cent: No serif at right and up-stroke broken N of cents: Broken in upper part of right stroke D of HABILITADO: Broken at lower and upper
- 2. There are not defects
- N of Cents: Right foot broken
 C of cent: Lower left side broken
- C of Cents: Up-stroke broken
 D of HABILITADO: Fault impression at the left side
 Numeral 1: Broken
- 5. D of HABILITADO: Broken

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- T of cent: No serif at right and up-stroke broken N of cents: Broken in upper part of right stroke D of HABILITADO: Broken at lower and upper
- 2. There are not defects
- N of Cents: Right foot broken
 C of cent: Lower left side broken
- C of Cents: Up-stroke broken
 D of HABILITADO: Fault impression at the left side
 Numeral 1: Broken
- 5. D of HABILITADO: Broken

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Red Surcharge 19 ½ mm. high Softly Painted Ink



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- T of cent: No serif at right and up-stroke broken N of cents: Broken in upper part of right stroke D of HABILITADO: Broken at lower and upper
- 2. There are not defects
- N of Cents: Right foot broken
 C of cent: Lower left side broken
- C of Cents: Up-stroke broken
 D of HABILITADO: Fault impression at the left side
 Numeral 1: Broken
- 5. D of HABILITADO: Broken

Puerto Príncipe

Black Surcharge 19 ½ mm. high Shine Black Ink

Fifth Printing Jan. 11, 1899

3c. on 1m. Blue Green 1896 Issue



HABILITADO	BABILITAD	RABILITADO	RABILITADO	HABILITADO	
3	3	3	3	3	
cents.	cents.	eents.	cents.	cents.	
1	2	3	4	5	

- 1. E of Cents: Nick in the bottom S of Cents: Lower serif broken
- 2. Numeral 3: Dot inside at lower
- Eents instead of cents
 A and O of HABILITADO: Full of ink at lower right side
- 4. Numeral 3: Different characteristics D of HABILITADO: Broken
- 5. N of cents: Nick in upper part of right stroke

Black Surcharge 19 ½ mm. high Shine Black Ink

Puerto Príncipe

Fifth Printing Jan. 11, 1899

3c. on 2m. Blue Green 1896 Issue



HABILITADO	HABILITAD	RABILITADO	HABILITADO	HABILITADO	
3	3	3	3	3	
cents.	cents.	eents.	cents.	cents.	
1	2	3	4	5	

- 1. E of Cents: Nick in the bottom S of Cents: Lower serif broken
- 2. Numeral 3: Dot inside at lower
- Eents instead of cents
 A and O of HABILITADO: Full of ink at lower right side
- Numeral 3: Different characteristics
 D of HABILITADO: Broken
- 5. N of cents: Nick in upper part of right stroke

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Black Surcharge 19 ½ mm. high Shine Black Ink

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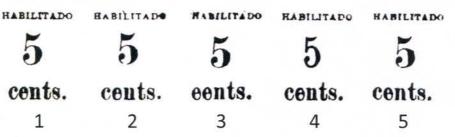
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- 1. E of Cents: Nick in the bottom S of Cents: Lower serif broken
- 2. There are not defects
- Eents instead of cents
 A and O of HABILITADO: Full of ink at lower right side
- Numeral 5: Different characteristics
 D of HABILITADO: Broken
- 5. N of cents: Nick in upper part of right stroke