

REPUBLIC POST OFFICE**CANTON****EARLY YEARS****1912 Stamp Issues - International Registered Mail**

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Paid \$40.00 each



International letter rate = 10 cents per first 20 grams
Int'l Registration fee = 10 cents per letter

Canton to USA, 27 Feb 1913 and 22 May 1913, stamps celebrating heroes of the new republic pay the 20 cent rate for single step registered letter, both with strikes of the boxed CANTON.SHAMEEN registered mail handstamp. The first letter is overpaid by one cent.



Postman No. 7
receiving mark



International letter rate = 10 cents per first 20 grams
Rate effective 5 August 1910 until 31 October 1922

Shameen, Canton to USA, 2 June 1913 and 17 June 1913, stamps pay the first step international letter rate, backstamped with postman no. 7 receiving mark, Shanghai transit and both carry Shanghai I.J.P.O. (Imperial Japanese Post Office) cds showing letter either went directly by Japanese ship to the USA or to Yokohama and then to the USA by ship.

CANTON

Republic Post

9 May 1913

Triple Letter Rate to Hong Kong

The special reduced rate of 2 cents was in effect until
1 October 1917.



CANTON

Republic Post

Double Letter Rate
to U. S. A. via
Shanghai



Single rate of 10 cents was effective 2 February 1897

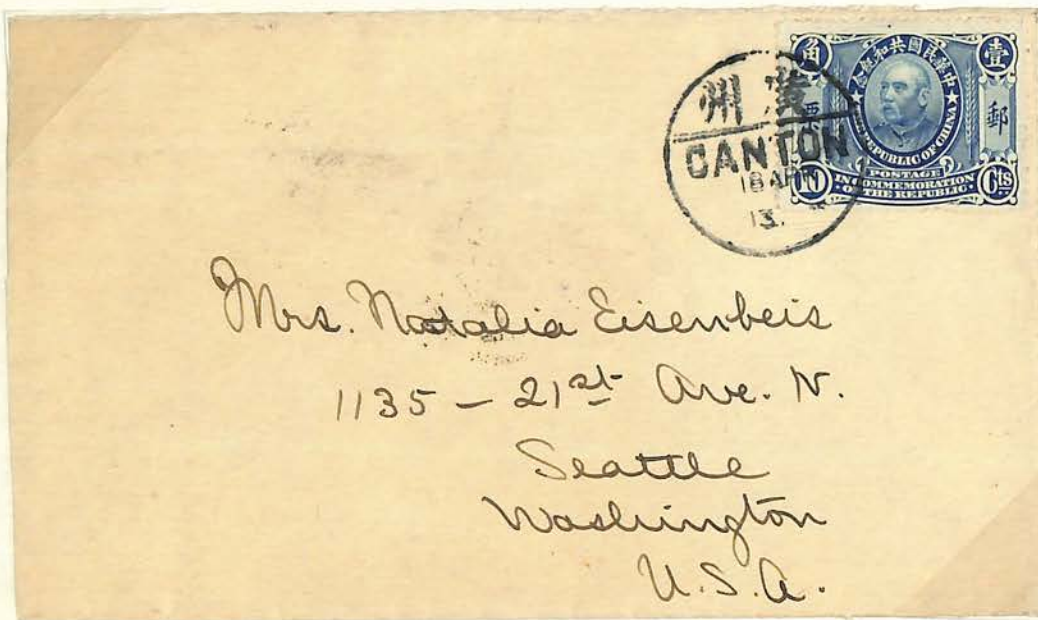
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International Letter Rate
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18 April 1913

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Double Letter Rate
to Hong Kong

Special reduced rate of 2 cents



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Double Rate Registered
Letter to Hong Kong

30 July 1913

Letter Rate .08
Registration .10



Back Stamp: 7 30 AM, 31 July 1913

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Single Letter Rate
to U. S. A. via
Shanghai

30 May 1913



Via Shanghai	4 June 1913
Shanghai IJPO	5 June 1913 PM
Rec Pendleton, Oregon	27 June 1913