ANGOLA

TERMINATION OF THE HOLY YEAR. 1951

ISSUE.

Issued on the occasion of the closing of the Holy Year. Stamp with praying Mary of Fatima with attached label of a prayer of Pope Pius XII. Printed by Litografia Nacional in Porto on shiny paper. Sheet format is 10 by 10, half of which is labels. The label was to be used on the letter with the stamp otherwise postage due was levied. This order was not obeyed as too many letter were sent with the stamp only. Stamp and label on cover is therefore not common and in particular a cover rated with postage due is rare indeed.

Perforation, 14

43

FIRST TROPICAL MEDICINE CONGRESS in Lisbon, 1952

ISSUE.

The stamp was issued on the occasion of the first National Conference of Tropical Medicne in Lisbon. Designed by Alberto Sousa and printed by Casa da Moeda.

Perforation, 13.5

1a

MISSIONARY ART EXHIBITION, 1952.

ISSUE

The stamp was issued on the occasion of the exhibition of Arte Sacra Missionaria. It was printed by the State Mint in Lisbon on white, chalky paper. Pane format, 10 by 10.

Perforation, 13.5

10c

50

2a

PROTUGUESE STAMP CENTENARY, 1953

ISSUE. The stamp bears the Portuguese issue of 1853 along with the colonial arms and was issued to celebrate the first Portuguese stamp issue. It was produced litho by Litografia Nacional Oporto.

Perforation, 13

50c



1952 — I Congresso Nacional de Medicina Tropical. Dent. 13



1952 — Exposição da Arte Sacra Missionária. Dent. 13 1/2







1953 — Centenário do Selo Postal Português. Dent. 13



Used simplified value set.

ANGOLA

BIRDS..... 1951

ISSUE.

Production by Photo Coursoisier. Birds in natural colours. A rather scarce set. The actual birds in ascending order of value, firstly horizontal format: Racquet tailed roller, Bateleur, Bee-eater, Scissor-billed skimmer, South African skikra, Long-tailed shrike, White-crowned shrike, Sulphur-breasted bush shrike. Vertical format: Giant kingfisher, Yellow-headed baret, African openbill, Ground hornbill, Barrow's bustard, African golden oriole, Red glassy starling, Wedge-tailed glossy starling, Red-shouldered widow bird, Half-collared kingfisher, White-winged babbling starling, Yellow-billed hornbill, Violet-backed starling, Secretary bird, Rosy-faced love-bird.

Perforation, 11.5

5c 10

15

50

1a

1.5

2

2.5

3

3.5

4

4.5

5

6

7 10

12.5

15

20

25

30

40

50



Definitive Set Type







ANGOLA

ANGOLAN FAUNA, 1953

FORGERIES The 20c Elephant is known with a forged colour. Colour changes have been worked on this and other stamps using chemicals such as Turpentine, Xylene, Acetone and Chloroform.

Mutlicoloured Oporto.

5ε

10c

20c

30c

40c

50c

1a

2a

3a

3.50

4a

5a

7a

10a

12a 15a

20a

Definitive type







