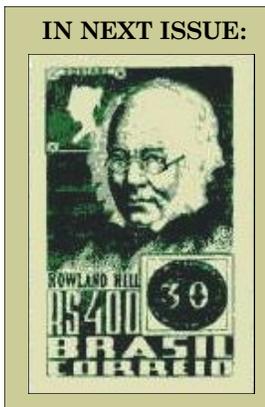


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## The Pioneer Stamp On Stamp Issues : Portugal 1935 By Lou Guadagno



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A rare imperforate proof.

Portugal became the third nation to issue a stamp on stamp design with the single value released on June 1, 1935 to commemorate the First Portuguese Philatelic Exhibition. Held in Lisbon, the exhibition ran for fifteen days, a long time for a national stamp show by modern standards, and the exhibits were naturally of classic Portuguese issues and postal history.

The 40 r stamp (Sc # 570) reproduced Portugal Sc # 1 quite accurately, including the embossed cameo of Queen Donna Maria II; the only major difference was a color change from reddish-brown to a scarlet. Below the reproduction was a rectangular tablet with the inscription *1ª EXPOSIÇÃO FILATELICA PORTUGUESA*, the year dates 1853-1935 and the value numerals. The stamp was designed by Almada Negreiros, but in the Portu-

guese specialized catalogs, he is given credit only for creating the lettering in the tablet, the assumption being that the earlier stamp was not his work.

The first stamp, a 5 reis value, which paid the postal rate for newspapers and printed matter sent thru the mails, was issued on July 1, 1853. It was part of a series of four stamps of various denominations, all with different colors and frames, but with the embossed cameo of the queen in a pearled circle as the central design.

The queen died suddenly in November, just five months after the stamps were issued, and though she was immediately succeeded by her son, Dom Pedro V, the stamps with her image continued to be used until replaced in February, 1855. Even with that extended use, the stamps, both mint and used

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The elusive first day of issue cancel.

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still catalog out of the price range of most collectors.

The 1935 commemorative stamp was printed by typography and embossed at the mint in Lisbon in sheets of 100 (10 x 10). It had a fairly large printing of 10,000,000 stamps, unusual for a commemorative, and it was not removed from sale until September 30, 1945.

The large printing must have taken a long period to complete, and many shades from orange red to red were produced. For many years in the early '70s, a dealer advertised on the back page of

Linn's Stamp News, offering ten or twelve different shades of Sc # 570 for a price well under \$2.00. I was never able to purchase these, as he would not budge from his minimum order of \$10.00, and he never offered anything else I needed. I have collected five different shades in used stamps over the years since.

Imperforate proof stamps in a single sheet of 100 were produced, and these rarely reach the philatelic market today. I bought mine over 30 years ago, and have only seen two offerings since then.

As the embossing and printing were done in separate applica-

tions, there were many varieties of misplaced embossing, from a few millimeters to the image being totally outside the printed outline. Stamps also exist with double embossing!

There was a special cancel available at the post office booth throughout the exhibition, but first day covers with the June 1 date are scarce, and according to the specialized catalog, command a price four times that of other exhibition dates.

It is quite apparent, that this single stamp issue offers many collecting challenges.

A registered cover with a July 11 exhibition cancel and a block of eight Sc # 570, a single and an additional 15 r stamp to make up the rate to Vienna, Austria—a philatelic cover to be sure, but a legitimate usage of the multiples.

What cannot be seen in this scan is that there are gradually increasing downward shifts in the embossing from left to right across each row of the block.





# The Virtual Stamp On Stamp Album—Page 2.

## Wallis and Futuna: Children’s Postal Art

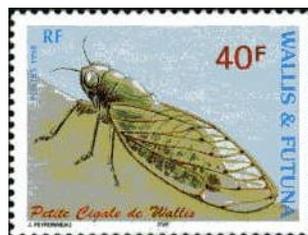
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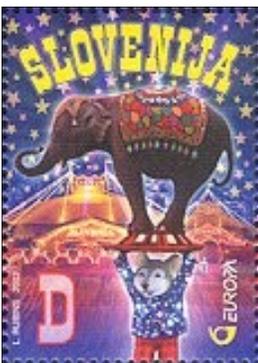
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This is a virtual stamp album page. It was created after downloading images of the issue and the reproduced stamps from various sites on the internet. Try it, it's fun!

## New Issues By Lou Guadagno ( new on list = \* )

<u>Date</u>	<u>Country</u>	<u>Values</u>	<u>Stamp Reproduced</u>	<u>Reason for Issue</u>	<u>Scott #</u>
05 02 22	Australia	* A\$ .50	Australia—New So. Wales # 26	Centenary First Special Cancel(imprinted env)	Pending
04 10 19	Chile	310 p	Chile— recent issues	Tematica 2004 Nat'l Philatelic Exhibition	1438
05 01 12	Cuba	65 c	Cuba # 4300 (on cover)	5th Ann'y Ministry of Info, Communications	4451
04 00 00	Dominican Rep,	* \$P 7.00	Dominican Rep # 489, 596	Exfilna 2004	Pending
05 05 26	Finland	* NVI (€ 0,85)	Finland # 2	Stamp Ann'y Publicity (6 imprinted cards)	Pending
05 05 25	Hungary	* 5 x 100 ft	Hungary # 386a (error), vignette die	Tourism in Budapest (5 v + 5 tabs—1 sos)	Pending
05 06 06	Liechtenstein	* 1.10-1.80 Fr	Liechtenstein-- 30 stamps, zep cover	75th Ann'y Philatelic Museum (3v, 2 sos)	1321-22
05 05 02	Marshall Islands	4 x \$ .37	U..S. , Marshall Is FDCs	Stamp Day/50th Ann'y AFDCS (4 v se-tenant)	Pending
05 03 02	New Zealand	\$ .45-2.00	New Zealand # 1. P1, OY5, 83, 99	150 Years of Stamps- I (5v)	2003-07
05 03 02	New Zealand	\$ .45-2.00	N. Z.—as above, #131 in margin	150 Years of Stamps- I (s/s—5v)	2007a
05 04 06	New Zealand	\$ .45-2.00	N. Z. #123a (error), B3, C7, 256, 301	150 Years of Stamps- II (5v)	2008-12
05 04 06	New Zealand	\$ .45-2.00	N. Z.—as above, # 252 in margin	150 Years of Stamps- II (s/s—5v)	2012a
05 04 06	New Zealand	\$ .45, .90	N. Z. # 123a (error), B3	150 Years of Stamps- II (self adh. se-tenant pair)	2014a
05 04 06	New Zealand	10 x \$ .45	N. Z. # 123a (error)	150 Years of Stamps— II (self adh booklet, 10 v)	2015
05 04 06	New Zealand	10 x \$.90	N. Z. # B3	150 Years of Stamps— II (self adh booklet, 10 v)	2016
05 04 06	New Zealand	100 x \$.45	N. Z. #123a (error)	150 Years of Stamps— II (self adh roll, 100 v)	Pending
05 04 21	New Zealand	* 2 x \$	N.Z. # 99, 123a (error)	Pacific Explorer 2005 Exhibition (S/S—2 v)	Pending
05 06 01	New Zealand	* \$ .45-2.00	N.Z. # 369, 918, 989, 1210, 1878	150 Years of Stamps-III (5v)	Pending
05 06 01	New Zealand	* \$ .45-2.00	N. Z.—as above	150 Years of Stamps- III (s/s—5v)	Pending
05 01 01	Norway	* NVI (39 kr)	Norway # 1	150th Ann'y First Stamp (Imprinted env.)	Pending
05 04 15	Norway	* NVI (39 kr)	Norway # 18	150th Ann'y First Stamp (Imprinted env.)	Pending
05 06 07	Norway	* NVI (39 kr)	Norway # 34	150th Ann'y First Stamp (Imprinted env.)	Pending
04 11 16	Paraguay	4000 g	Paraguay # 2	40th Ann'y Latin American Parliament (1 v)	2764
05 02 10	Serbia-Mont.	€ 0,50	Serbia-Montenegro # 240, 242, 264	Definitives (4v—1 sos)	Pending
05 20 05	Slovenia	* 4 x 60	Slovenia # 495, 285, 349, 195	50 Years of Europa Stamps (4 v + s/s—4 v)	Pending
05 05 16	Solomon Islands	* 2 x \$1-15.00	12 Europa stamps—tbi	50 Years of Europa Stamps (12 v—6 se-tenant)	Pending
05 05 16	Solomon Islands	* 2 x \$1-15.00	12 Europa stamps— as above	As above (6 S/S—12v —6 se-tenant pairs)	Pending
03 12 01	Suriname	2 x 3500 F	As Suriname # 928-29	Provisional Revalues (2 v tete-beche)	1303a-b
05 05 26	Sweden	* 8 x NVI	Sweden # 940, 430, 250, 1490, 2, 1	150th Ann'y Stamps (Bklt: 2 panes—6 sos)	Pending
05 05 26	Sweden	* 9 x NVI	Sweden # 2	150th Ann'y Stamps (S/S—9 v sos)	Pending
05 05 26	Sweden	* 8 x NVI	Sweden # 940, 430, 250, 1490, 2, 1	150th Ann'y Stamps (Collector sheet—as bklt)	Pending
04 12 18	Tunisia	250-600 m	Tunisia # 580, 619	Famous Tunisians (5 v-1359-63--1 sos) El Mekki	1362

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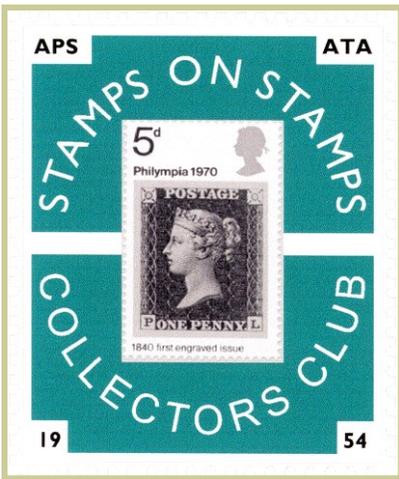
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