

ABU DHABI

PHOTOGRAVURE

1964

UNWMKD.

perf. 13, 13×15

'FIRST DEFINITIVE SERIES'



Engraved :



The designs of the first definitive series of stamps were chosen by the Ruler of Abu Dhabi, His Excellency Shaikh Shakhbut bin Sultan. His portrait appears on four of the low values with an Arabian Gazelle on the remaining three low values. The 1 & 2 Rupee values have a view of the Ruler's palace, while the 5 & 10 Rupee design shows a view of an oil rig and camels.

ALGERIA

1962

UNW MKD.

Perf. 13



Initial issues of the new Algerian Republic. The designs were originally used for the stamps of metropolitan France. Use of these designs was discontinued in France since they show scenes in Algeria, but the new republic adapted them for use by its postal service.

AUSTRIA

ENGRAVED

1961

UNW MKD.

perf. $14 \times 13\frac{1}{2}$



Oil Refinery at Schwechat

Issued (with others) to commemorate
the nationalization of Austrian Industry.

AUSTRIA

'FIRST DAY COVERS'

Sept. 15, 1961



AUSTRIA

SEMI-POSTAL

ENGRAVED

1947

UNWMKD.

Perf. 14x13½



Issued (with others) to commemorate
the Vienna International Sample Fair,
1947.

AUSTRIA

SEMI-POSTAL

ENGRAVED

1948

UNWMKD.

Perf. $14 \times 13\frac{1}{2}$



The surtax was for the Reconstruction
Fund.

3000
AZERBAIJAN
AZERBAIJANIAN SOCIALIST REPUBLIC

3000
AZERBAIJANIAN SOCIALIST REPUBLIC

77 M.V.
9 22 7 8 N 0

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AZERBAIJAN

Lithographed

1919

UNW MKD.

Imperf.



AZERBAIJAN

SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLIC

Lithographed

1922

IMPERF.

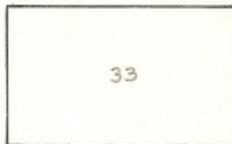
UNWMKD.



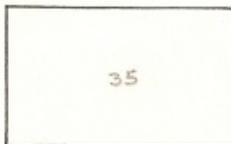
Bibi Eibatt Oil Field

1922

Handstamped



33



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AZERBAIJAN

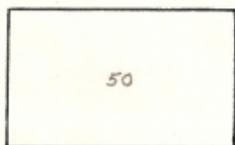
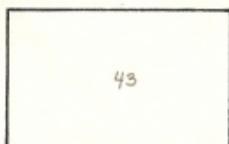
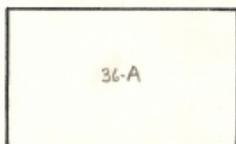
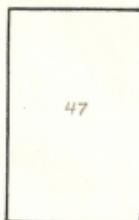
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UNWMD.

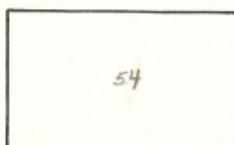
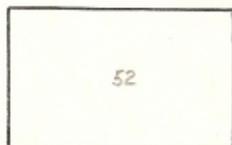
1922-23

IMPERF.

Handstamped Overprint



Revalued



BULGARIA

Photogravure

1954

UNWMKD.

Perf 13



CHINA

PHOTOGRAVURE

1961

UNW MKD.

Perf. 11 $\frac{3}{4}$



Oil Refinery *refinery*

Issued to publicize Chinese industry

1961-30
301-190

CHINA

'FIRST DAY COVER'

Nov. 14, 1961



CURACAO

Lithographed

1955

UNW MKD.

Perf 12



Petroleum Refinery, Aruba

Issued to publicize the twenty-first
meeting of the Caribbean Commission at
Aruba, December 1955.

CZECHOSLOVAKIA

ENGRAVED

1953

UNWMD.

Perf. 12½



Miner



Oil Field

Issued to publicize Miner's Day, Sept. 10, 1953

CZECHOSLOVAKIA

FIRST DAY COVER

Sept. 10, 1953



DUBAI

AIRMAIL

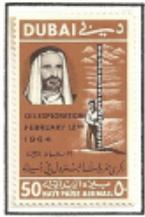
1966

UNWMKD.

Perf. 37 1/2



Perf. 14



Commemorating Oil Exploration Commenced In 1964.

DUBAI

AIRMAIL

1966

UNWMKD.



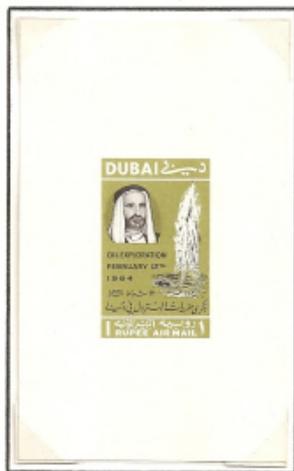
Issued to commemorate the offshore exploration commenced March 15, 1964.

DUBAI

AIRMAIL

1966

UNWMKD.



Issued to commemorate oil exploration commenced on February 12, 1964.

EGYPT

PHOTOGRAVURE

1958

WMKD.



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EGYPT - U.A.R.

FIRST DAY COVER

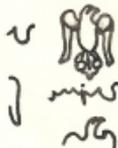
July 23, 1958



EGYPT UAR PHOTOGRAVURE

1959

WMKD.:318



Perf. 13 1/2



Issued to publicize the first Arab
Petroleum Congress, Cairo, April 16-22, 1959.

*(The expected fireworks—demands and recriminations against
Western oil companies—were absent and the convention
was confined to technical subjects—See article in
PETROLEUM WEEK of April 24, 1959.)*

EGYPT - U.A.R.

'FIRST DAY COVER'

April 16, 1959



EGYPT

UAR



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FRANCE

ENGRAVED

1955

UNW MKD.

Perf. 13



Bordelaise

FRANCE

FIRST DAY COVER

May 23, 1959



FRANCE

ENGRAVED

1959

UNW MKD.

Perf. 13



The stamp was issued May 25, 1959, to commemorate French achievements in engineering and technology. Designed by Combet, it shows an oil field with a derrick in the foreground and a map showing the route of the pipeline from Hassi Messaoud in the Sahara to the sea. It was engraved by Durruis.

FRANCE

FIRST DAY COVER

May 23, 1959



FRANCE

FIRST DAY COVER

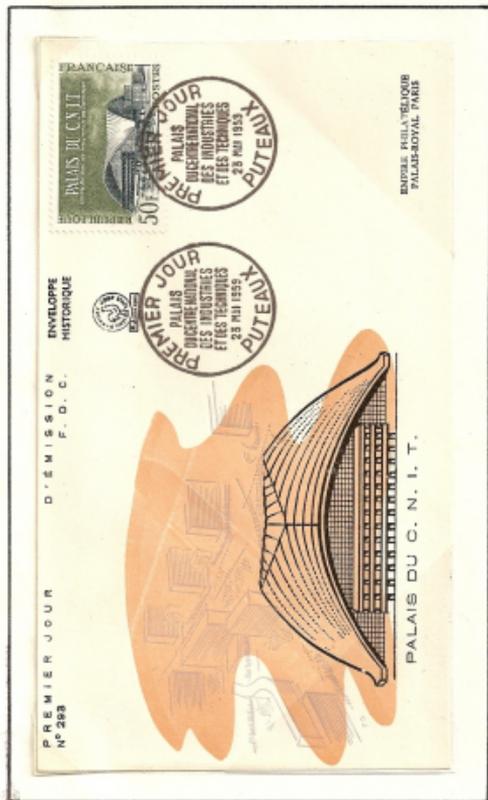
May 23, 1959



FRANCE

FIRST DAY COVER

May 23, 1959



GREECE

LITHOGRAPHED

1958

WMKD. 252:

10

10 £

perf. $13\frac{1}{2} \times 12$



Oil Tanker

HUNGARY

1962

UNW MKD.

Perf. 12



HUNGARY

1962

UNW MKD.

Imperf.



Oil Derrick and Pumping Well

ITALY

Photogravure

1955

WMKD. 303 :
(Multiple Stars)



Perf. $13\frac{1}{2} \times 12\frac{1}{2}$



Issued to publicize the fourth World
Petroleum Congress, Rome, June 6-15,
1955.

ITALIAN SOMALILAND

AIRPOST

Sept. 28, 1957

WMKD. 303:



Photogravure

Perf. 14



Issued to publicize the fourth Somali Fair
and Film Festival

ITALY

Photogravure

Nov. 1958

WMKD. 303:
(Multiple Stars)



Perf. 14



"With Italy's entry into the international oil market, both as a prospector and customer, Iran has assumed real importance in Italian eyes. Already, E.N.I. (Italy's socially-owned oil enterprise) has signed oil development contracts with Iran on terms far more favorable to that Near-East nation than those offered by the American oil companies.

The arrival of the Shah of Iran in Rome on Nov. 27 was therefore the occasion for pomp and ceremony. The greeting ceremonies included the release of two commemoratives placed on sale on the day the Shah arrived in Italy. The design reproduces a delicate bit of Persian art now in Italy."

(1) according to Pierson Ostrow, Burlington, Vermont

From Western Stamp Collector, 12/23/58

JAPAN

1966 'FIRST VOYAGE'



Advertising the Maiden Voyage of TOKYO MARU,
 the World's largest tanker. It carries 150,000 tons
 of crude oil.

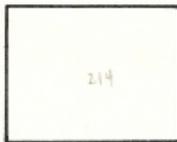
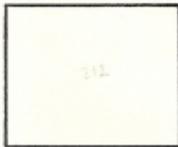
SAUDI ARABIA

PHOTOGRAVURE

1961

UNW MKD.

perf. 13½



Oil Storage Tanks And Pipelines

ROMANIA

1956



ROMANIA

Photogravure

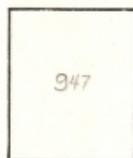
WMKD 289:

1952-53

Perf. 12½

✓ ✓ K ✓
2 RPR ✓

Size: 20x24mm.



947



949



950



951



952



953



954

Size: 24x29mm.



955



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959



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TURKEY

LITHOGRAPHED

1960

UNWMD.

Perf. 10½, 12½



Gasoline Refinery

'COVER'



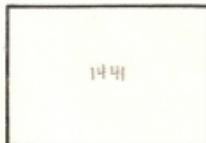
RUSSIA

Photogravure

1950

UNWMD.

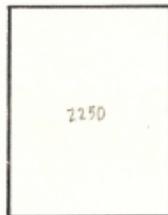
Perf. 12



Issued to commemorate the 25th anniversary of
the formation of the Turkmen Republic.

1959-60

Lithographed



7-Year Plan

RUSSIA

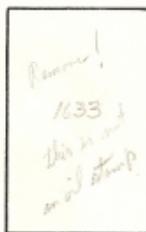
Photogravure

1952

UNW MKD.

Perf. 12 1/2

'ARMS AND FLAG OF ROMANIA'



ROMANIA

SEMI-POSTAL

Photogravure

1947

WMKD 276

Perf. 14 x 14 1/2



Issued (with others) to commemorate the 17th Congress of the General Association of Romanian Engineers.

1948

Perf. 14 x 13 1/2, 13 1/2 x 14



Issued (with others) to publicize Labor Day, May 1, 1948.

ROMANIA

Photogravure

Perf. 12½

1950

WMKD: 289

Overprinted in Carmine:

TRĂIASCĂ
PRIETENIA
ROMÂNŌ-
MAGHĂRĂI



SWITZERLAND

'Geological Subjects'

SEMI-POST

May 31, 1958

Souvenir Sheet



SCHWEIZ. POSTMARKEN · TIMBRES-POSTE SUISSES · FRANCOBOLLI SVIZZERI

Bundesfeier/Pro Patria 1958



A. 10: Eclairci, Genève, Bas. Bas. 800. Albert Vuille.
 Bas. 800. Albert Vuille.

B. 5: Dents de Grand Stair, Bâle, Suisse romande de Grand Stair.
 Dents de Grand Stair, Bâle, Suisse romande de Grand Stair.
 Dents de Grand Stair, Bâle, Suisse romande de Grand Stair.
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 Dents de Grand Stair, Bâle, Suisse romande de Grand Stair.

C. 4: Denton de Grand Stair, Bâle, Suisse romande de Grand Stair.
 Denton de Grand Stair, Bâle, Suisse romande de Grand Stair.
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SWITZERLAND SEMI-POST

'Geological Subjects'

JUNE 1, 1959

UNW MKD.

Perf. 11 1/2



GLOBE AND SWISS FLAGS



AGATE



TOURMALINE



AMETHYST



FOSSILIZED SALAMANDER

SWITZERLAND SEMI-POST

'Geological Subjects'

JUNE 1, 1961

UNWMKD.

Perf. 11 1/2



SYMBOLIC DESIGN



FLUORITE



FOSSILIZED FISH



LAZULITE



FOSSILIZED FERN

SWITZERLAND SEMI-POST

'Geological Subjects'

June 1, 1960

Unwmko.

Perf. 11½



OWL, T-SQUARE AND HAMMER



SMOKY QUARTZ



FELDSPAR



GRYPHAEA



AZURITE

SWITZERLAND SEMI-POST

'Geological Subjects'

JUNE 1, 1959

First Day Cover



Mr. Warren Latschaw
Texaco Inc.
605 Carondelet Bldg.
New Orleans 12, La.
U.S.A.

BUNDESFEIER - FÊTE NATIONALE
FIESTA NAZIONALE - FIESTA NAZIONALE
1959

SWITZERLAND SEMI-POST

'Geological Subjects'

May 31, 1958

First Day Cover



SAUDI ARABIA 'FIRST DAY COVER'

1961



SAUDI ARABIA 'FIRST DAY COVER'

1961



RUSSIA

Photogravure

1947

UNWMKD.

Perf. 12 1/2



Imperf.



Issued to commemorate the 30th anniversary of the revolution of October, 1917.

RUSSIA

Photogravure

1941

Unwmkd.

Perf. 12



Issued in publicizing Soviet Industries

1946

Perf 12½ x 12



Give the Country Each Year :

60 Million
Tons of Oil

ROMANIA

Semi-Postal

Photogravure

1950

WMKD. 289

Imperf.



Honoring a Philatelic Exhibition.
Shows a reproduction of the famous 81
Parale stamp of 1858 in original colors
and Coat of Arms of Romania.

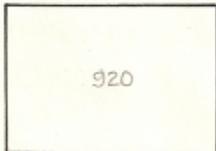
ROMANIA

Photogravure

WMKD. 289

1953

Perf. $13\frac{1}{2} \times 13$, $13 \times 13\frac{1}{2}$



Issued to commemorate the third Congress of the Syndicate of the Romanian People's Republic.

1953

Perf. $12\frac{1}{2}$



1953

1954

Perf. $13 \times 13\frac{1}{2}$



Issued to commemorate the 20th anniversary of the strike of Feb. 16, 1933 in the oil industry.

Issued to publicize the International Conference of Chemical and petroleum workers, Bucharest, Sept. 1954.

ROMANIA

Photogravure

WMKD. 289:

1952

Perf. 12 1/2

Surcharged with New Value

✓ NK ✓
2 RPR ✓



ROMANIA

Photogravure

1950

WMKD. 289:

Perf. 12½

~ NK ~
RPR ~

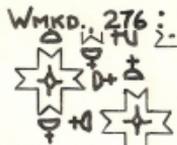


ROMANIA

Photogravure

1946

Perf 13 1/2 x 13



Multiple Cross & Crown



"Economic Ties"

Issued to publicize Romanian-Sovietic friendship

1947



Overprinted: **RPR**

1948



PERSIA (IRAN)

AIRPOST

LITHOGRAPHED

1953

UNWMKD.

Perf. 10½



Issued to commemorate the discovery
of oil at Qum.

C77-82
3/4 1622

PERSIA (IRAN)

FIRST DAY COVER

Oct. 3, 1958



PERSIA (IRAN)

Lithographed

1953

UNW MKD.

Perf 10½



Issued to commemorate the discovery
of oil at Qum.

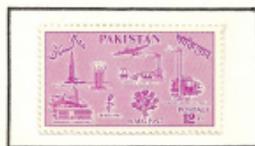
966-9
1953

PAKISTAN

1957

UNWMKD.

Perf. 14



LIBIA

SOUVENIR SHEET

1962



Issued to Commemorate the International Fair
Held at Tripoli Feb. 20th — Mar. 20th, 1962.

206
207
208

LEBANON

1960

UNW MKD.

Lithographed

Perf. 13



Issued in connection
with the Arabian
Oil Conference in
Beirut.



KUWAIT

1959

ENGRAVED

UNW MKD.

Perf. $14 \times 13\frac{1}{2}$ AND $13\frac{1}{2} \times 14$



Oil-rich Kuwait emerged as an independent postal administration Feb. 1, 1959. The principal industry, formerly building dhows, is now oil. The 500n.p. shows a field of oil pipes, while oil derricks are shown on the 1, 2 and 10 rupee designs, although sometimes only as a background. The 75n.p. shows a view of the modern center of Kuwait town, built entirely out of oil revenues.

SYRIA UAR

FIRST DAY COVER

Aug. 12, 1959



'Geological Subjects'

June 1, 1961

Souvenir Sheet

SCHWEIZ. POSTMARKEN · TIMBRES-POSTES SUISSES · FRANCOBOLLI SVIZZERI



Bundesfeier / Pro Patria 1961



10c - Entwurf Hans Schwammbach, Bern, 20x8 Mill.
Abrecht Fink, Wetzsteinberg, Entschlagger, Reaktor-
Stichtank.
10, 20, 20 auf 10c - Entwurf Wilkes Studalik, Bâle.
Illustration für Schweizerische Anstalt für
Angewandte Geologie.

20c - Entwurf Hans Schwammbach, Bern;图案由
Hans Schwammbach设计, Wetzsteinberg 反应堆反应
堆芯在天然条件下被辐射。
10, 20, 20 分 10 分 - 设计由 Wilkes Studalik, Bâle。
插图在瑞士应用地质研究所的出版物中。

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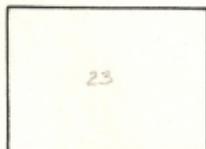
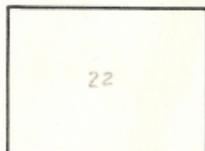
TRANSCAUCASIAN FEDERATED REPUBLICS

1923

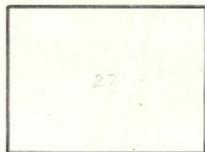
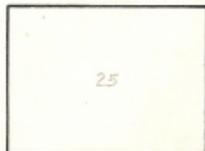
Perf. 11½

UNWMD.

SURCHARGED IN BROWN : 700 000 PPS.



Values in Tchervonetz Currency



TRANSCAUCASIAN FEDERATED REPUBLICS

1923

UNWMD.

Perf 1 1/2
Oil Fields



SYRIA UAR

PHOTOGRAVURE

1959

UNW MKD.

Perf. 11 1/2



SWITZERLAND SEMI-POST

'Geological Subjects'

JUNE 1, 1961

First Day Cover



SWITZERLAND

SEMI-POST

'Geological Subjects'

June 1, 1960

Souvenir Sheet



SCHWEIZ. POSTMARKEN · TIMBRES-POSTE SUISSES · FRANCOBOLLI SVIZZERI

Bundesfeier / Pro Patria 1960



5, 10, 20 und 30 Fr.: Entwurf Willem Stockels, Birkhof, Montigny-Bardonecchia, 10 Pl.; Entwurf Hansruedi Buehler, 10 Pl.; Entwurf Hansruedi Buehler, 20 Pl.; Entwurf Hansruedi Buehler, 30 Pl.; Entwurf Hansruedi Buehler, 50 Pl.; Entwurf Hansruedi Buehler, 100 Pl.; Entwurf Hansruedi Buehler, 200 Pl.; Entwurf Hansruedi Buehler, 300 Pl.; Entwurf Hansruedi Buehler, 500 Pl.; Entwurf Hansruedi Buehler, 1000 Pl.

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'Geological Subjects'

June 1, 1959

Souvenir Sheet

SCHWEIZ · POSTMARKEN · TIMBRES-POSTE SUISSES · FRANCOBOLLI SVIZZERI



Bundesfeier / Pro Patria 1959



8 Fr. Schweizer Bundesfeier Bern, 1. Juni 1959. (Lithographie)
 10 Fr. Schweizer Bundesfeier Bern, 1. Juni 1959. (Lithographie)
 13 Fr. Schweizer Bundesfeier Bern, 1. Juni 1959. (Lithographie)
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SWITZERLAND SEMI-POST
' Geological Subjects '

May 31, 1958

Booklet



BUNDESFEIERMARKEN
TIMBRES DE LA FÊTE NATIONALE
FRANCOBOLLI
DELLA FESTA NAZIONALE

PRO PATRIA

1958

SAUDI ARABIA 'FIRST DAY COVER'

1961



SAUDI ARABIA 'FIRST DAY COVER'

1961



SAUDI ARABIA

PHOTOGRAVURE

1961

UNW MKD.

perf. 13½



Oil Storage Tanks and Pipelines

527-20
44 10/58

RUSSIA

Photogravure

1947

UNW MKD.

Perf 12x12½, 12½x12, Imperf.



ARMS OF:

AZERBAIJAN S.S.R. TURKMEN S.S.R.

1948

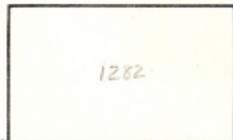
Perf. 12½



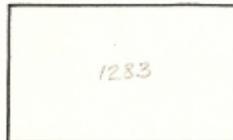
PUMP STATION INTERIOR

1948

Perf 12 x 12½



1282



1283

OIL FIELD AND TANK CARS

ROMANIA

AIRPOST

Photogravure

Wmkd. 289:

1948

Perf. 14 x 13 1/2

✓ NK ✓
2 RPR ✓



1952

Surcharged with New Values



ROMANIA

SEMI-POSTAL

Photogravure

1945

WMKD. 276

Perf. 14



Imperf.



Issued (with others) to commemorate
the 16th Congress of the General Assoc-
iation of Romanian Engineers.

ROMANIA

Photogravure

Wmkd. 289

1951-52

1952

Perf. 13½

New Value Added



Issued to publicize the 1951-55 Five Year Plan

1952

Perf. 13½x13, 13x13½



1952

Perf. 12½ x 13½



Issued to commemorate the fifth anniversary
of the proclamation of the People's Republic.

ROMANIA

Photogravure

WMKD. 289:

✓ ✓ ✓ ✓
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1950

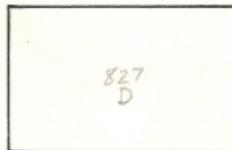
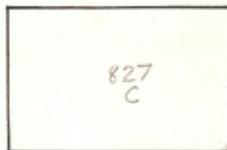
Perf 14x14½ or Imperf.



Issued to publicize the 1950 plan for increased industrial production.

1952

New Values Added



1951

Perf 14x14½, 14½x14, Imperf.



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ROMANIA

Photogravure

1948

Perf. 14

WMKD. 276:



Multiple Cross & Crown

"Arms of Romanian People's Republic



WMKD. 289:



1949

Perf. 14 x 13 1/2



QATAR

ENGRAVED

Sept. 2, 1961

UNWMKD.

Perf. 14½ AND 13



The stamp designs were chosen
by the Ruler of Qatar, His Highness
Shaikh Ahmad bin Ali al Thani.

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PERSIA

1962

WMKD. (316) :

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1257-4
9/52

PERSIA (IRAN)

Lithographed

1958

Wmkd. :

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101-2
2/49
580

PERSIA (IRAN)

Lithographed

1953

UNWMKD.

Perf 10½



Abadan Oil REFINERY



STORAGE TANKS



Oil Wells



Pipe LINES



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970-74
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1960

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'Aid For Oil Victims'

Perf. 13



LIBIA

'FIRST DAY COVER'

Oct. 25, 1961



KUWAIT

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