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AMG NAPLES



THE AMG NAPLES OVERPRINTS

**OVERPRINTED UNDER THE AUTHORITY OF THE ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
ON STAMPS OF ITALY 1929-42 ROYALIST ISSUE**

“Restoration of the Postal service:
“A restricted postal service, limited to the city of Naples will begin operating on December 10, 1943. The service will be ,limited to:
1. Postcards
2. Invoices and statements in open envelopes provided these envelopes do not contain any correspondence
“The fee will be 50 centesimi. The name and address of the sender must be clearly shown on each postcard, envelope...”

OVERPRINT LITHOGRAPHED

PERFORATED 14X14

WATERMARK: CROWN

GOVERNO
MILITARE
ALLEATO

On 20c Red: Printing 360,000



Blue Overprint

On 35c Blue: Printing 50,000



Red Overprint

On 50c Purple: Printing 700,000



Red Overprint
500,000



Orange Overprint
200,000

NOTE: After a printing run of 200,000 of the Orange Overprint on the 50c Purple, the printer changed the overprint ink to a darker, more pronounced Carmine-red color.

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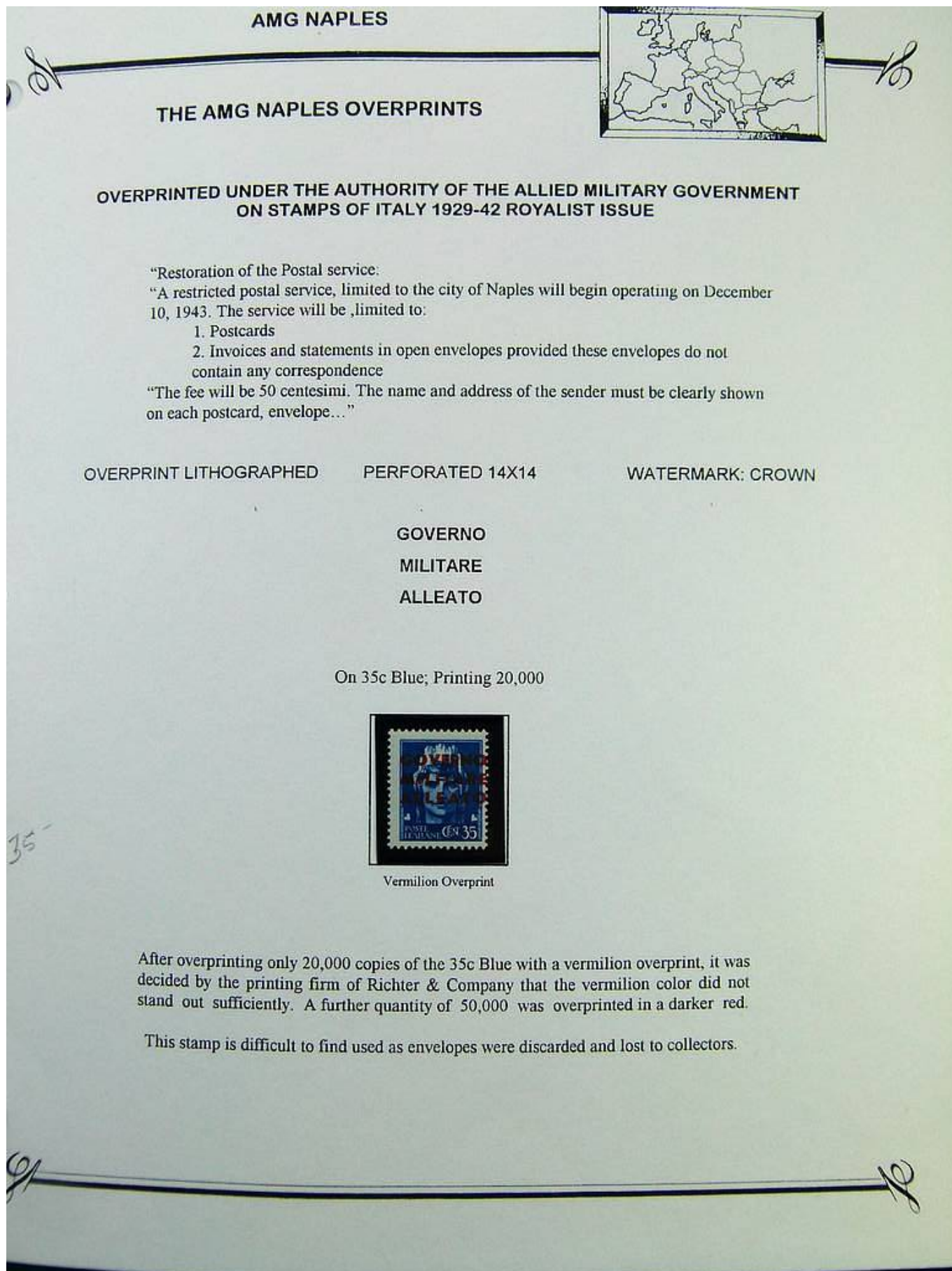


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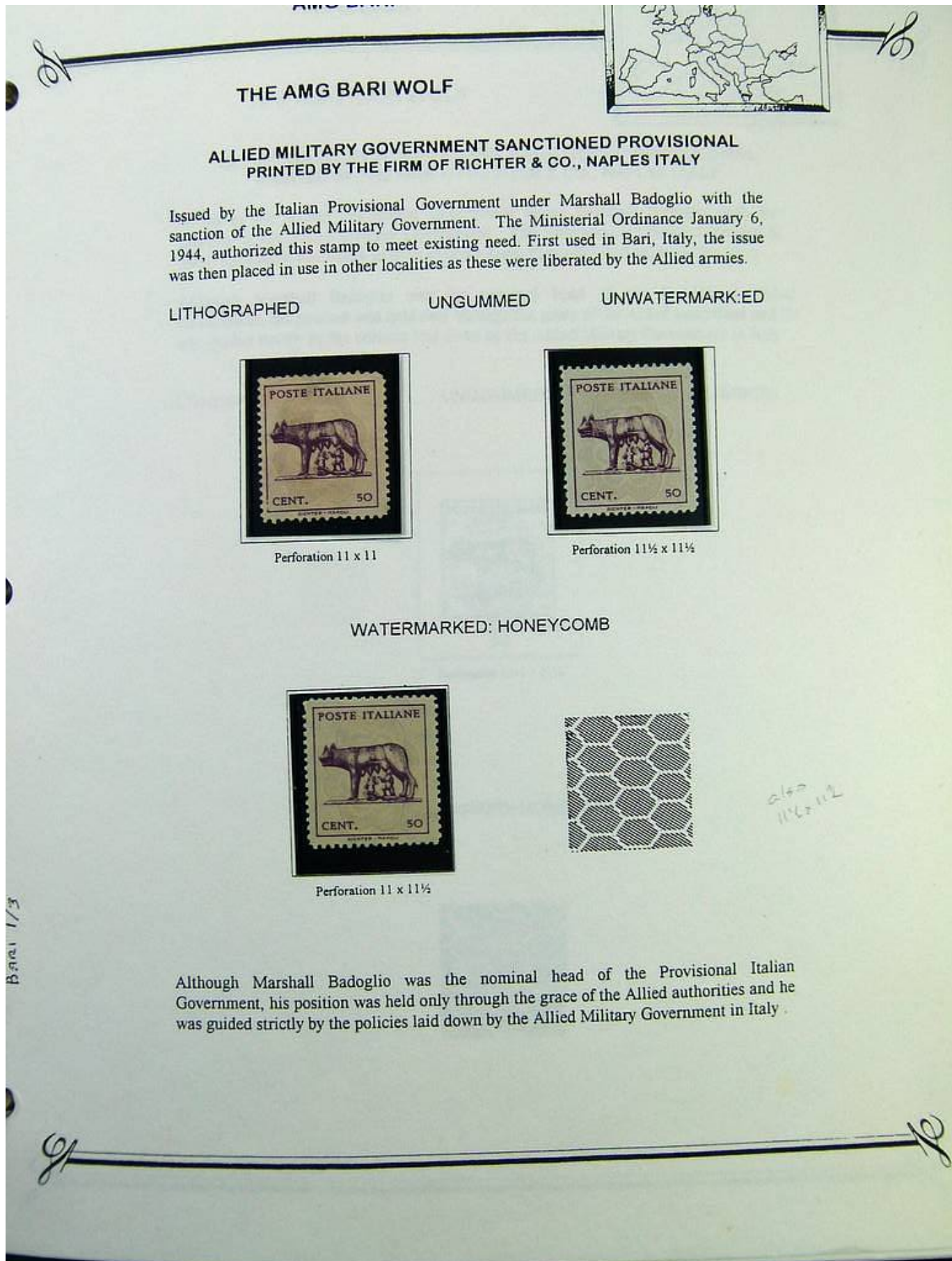


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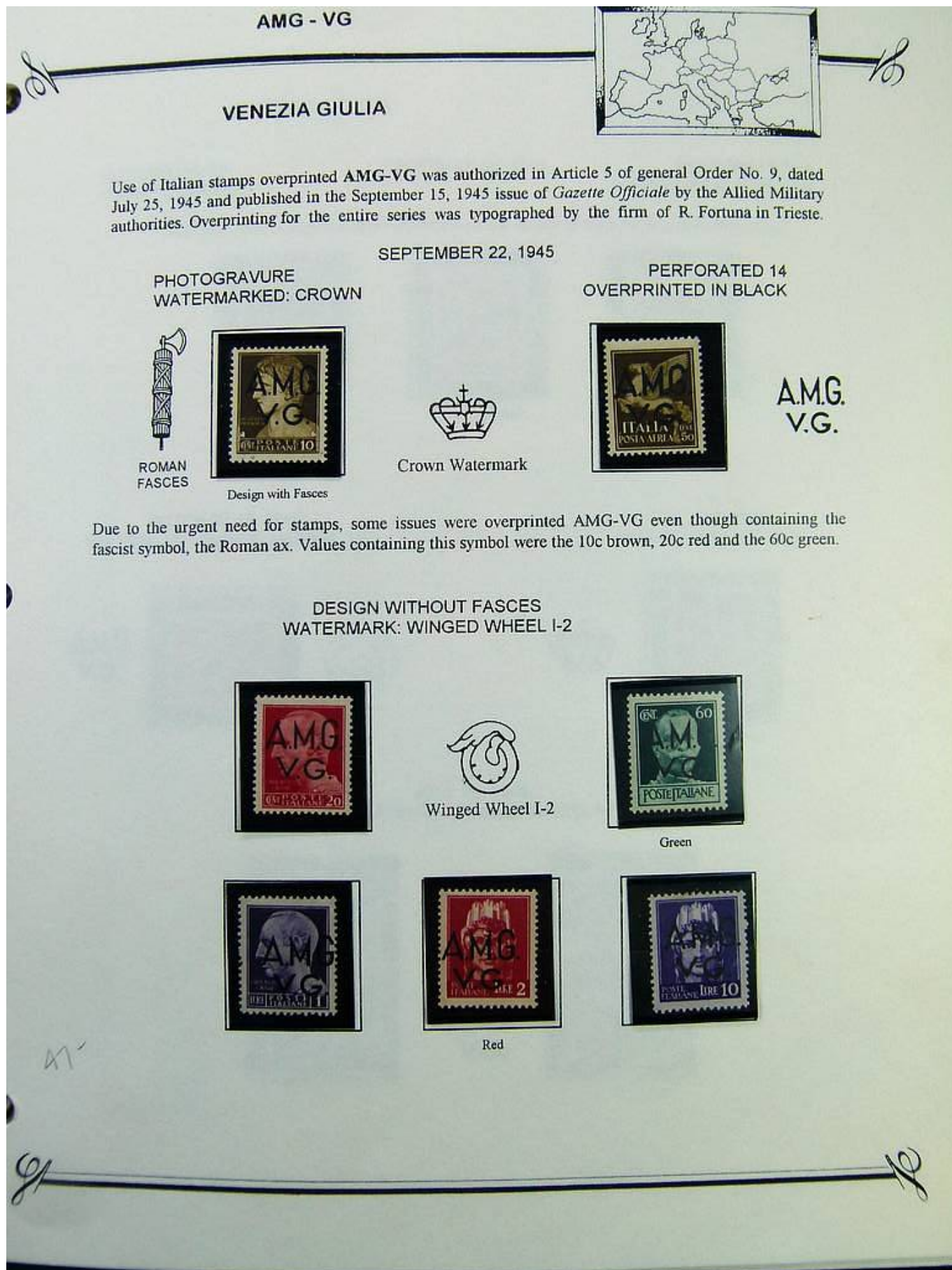


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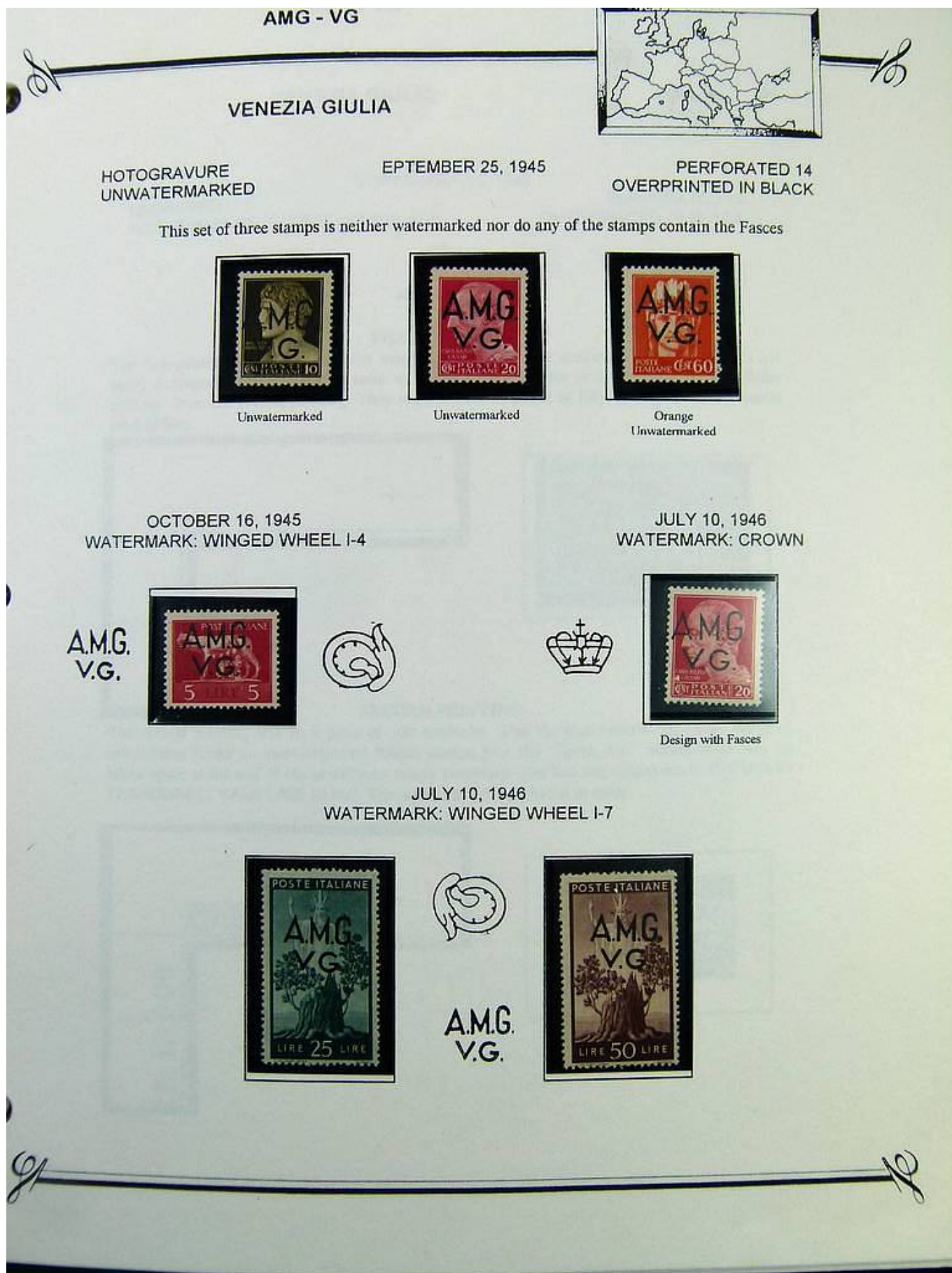


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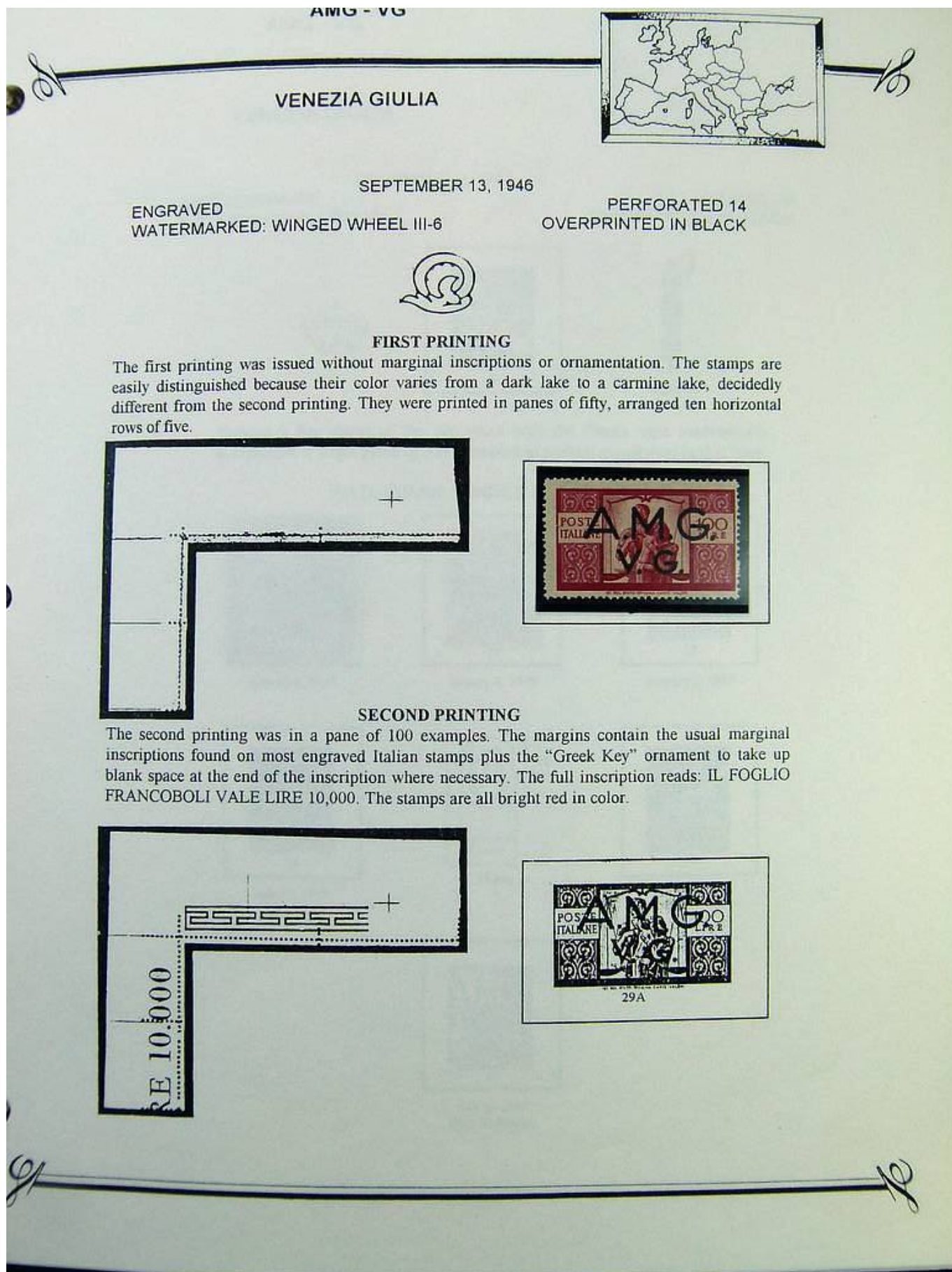


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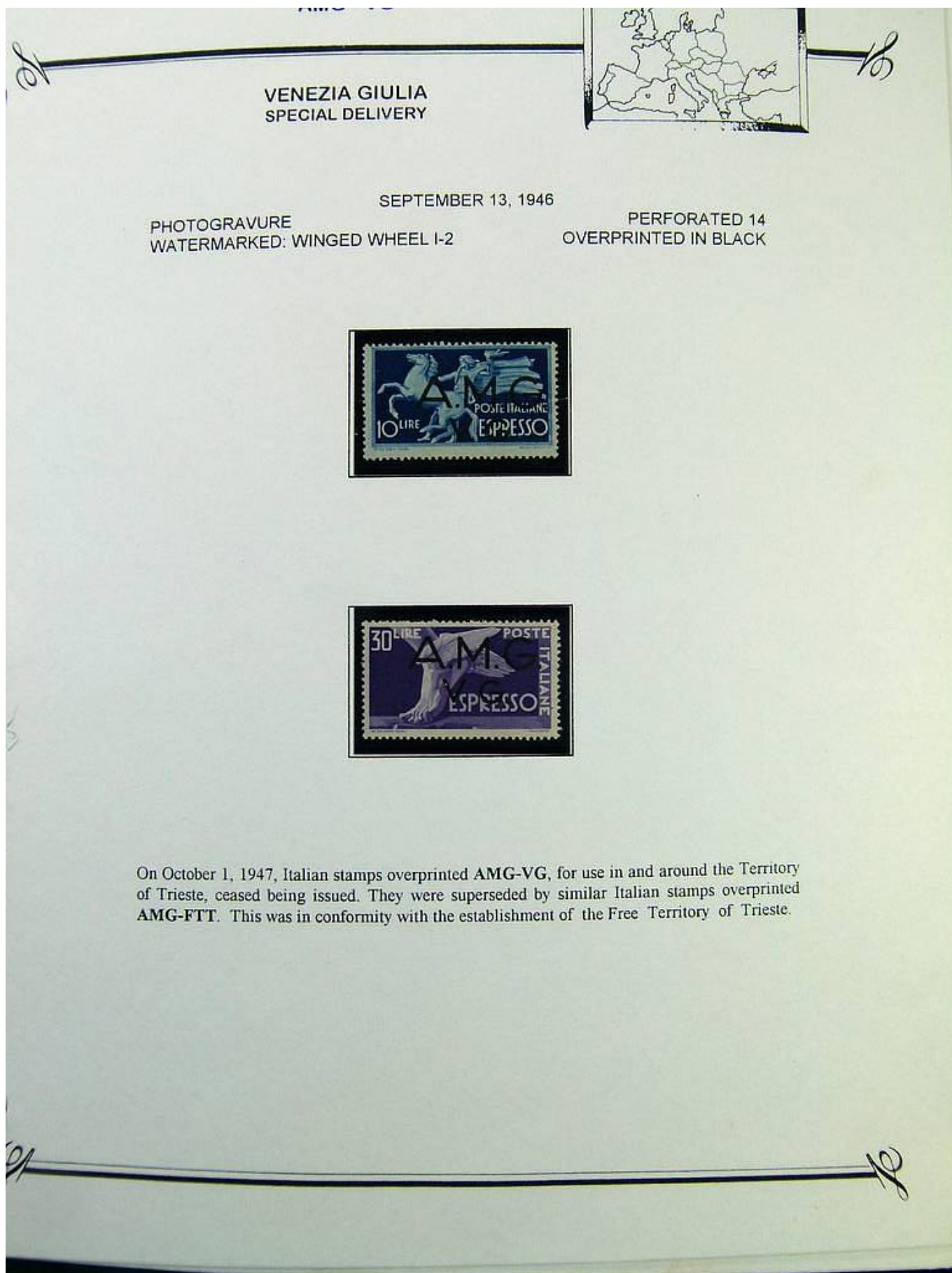


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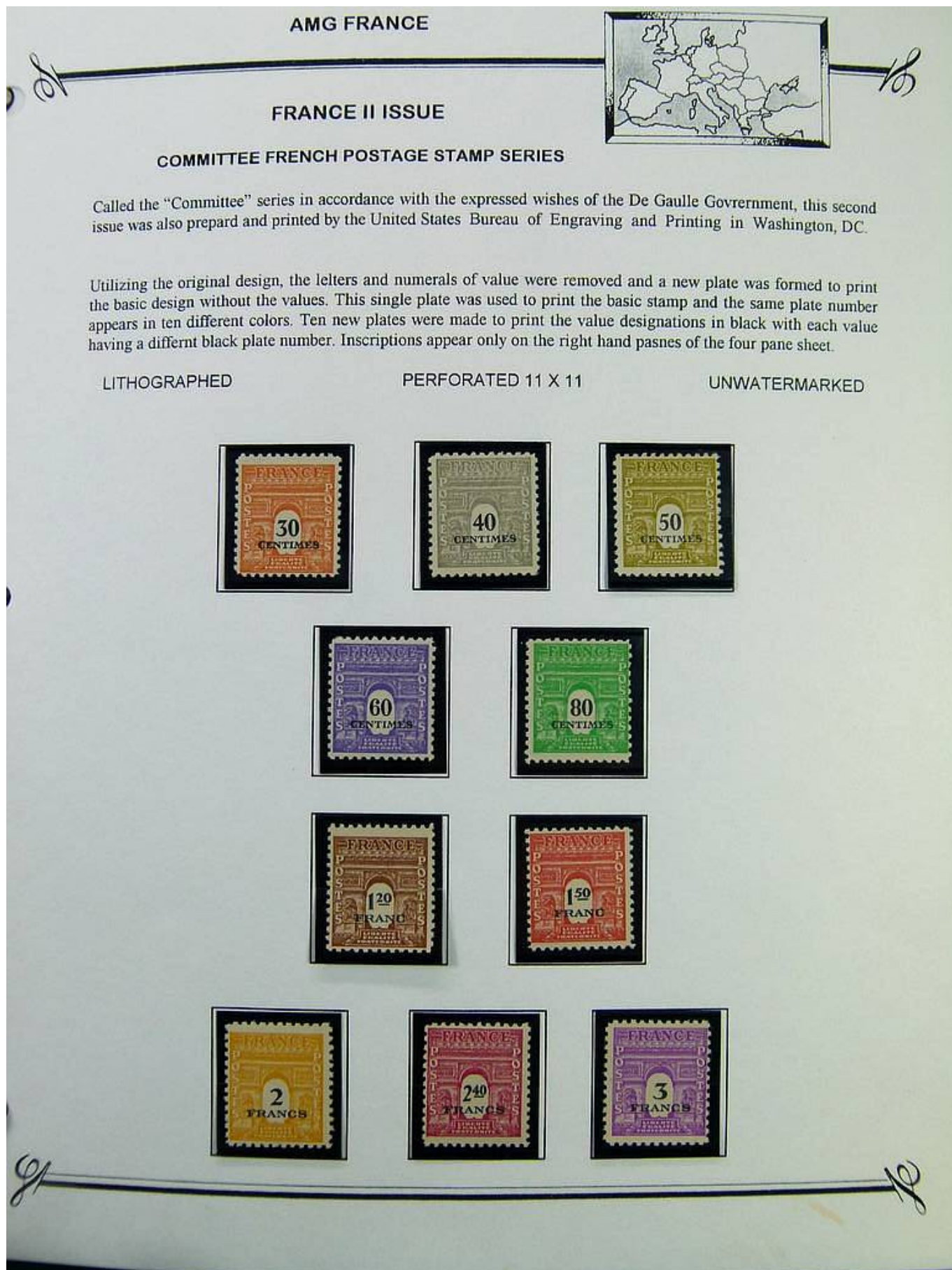


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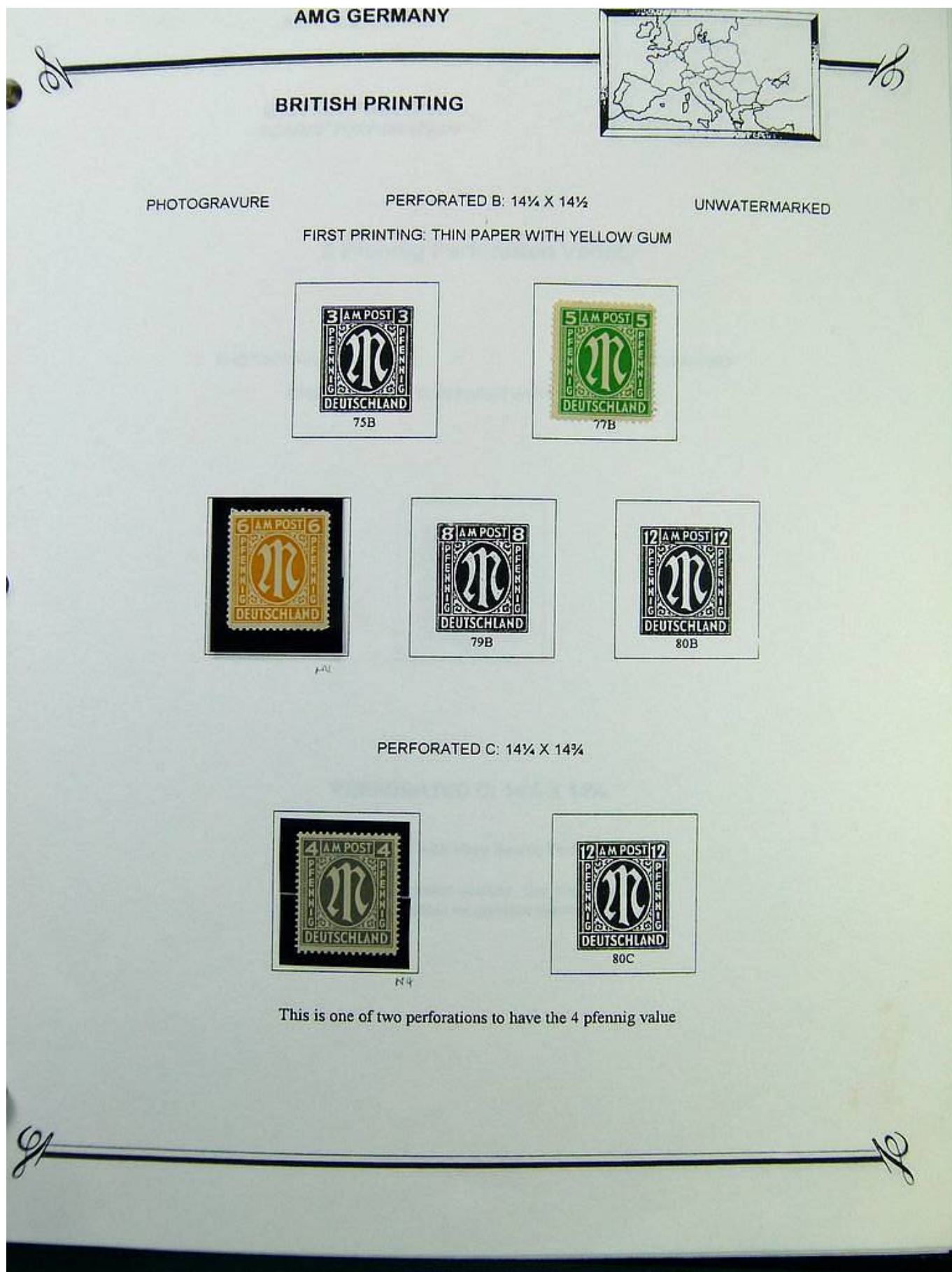


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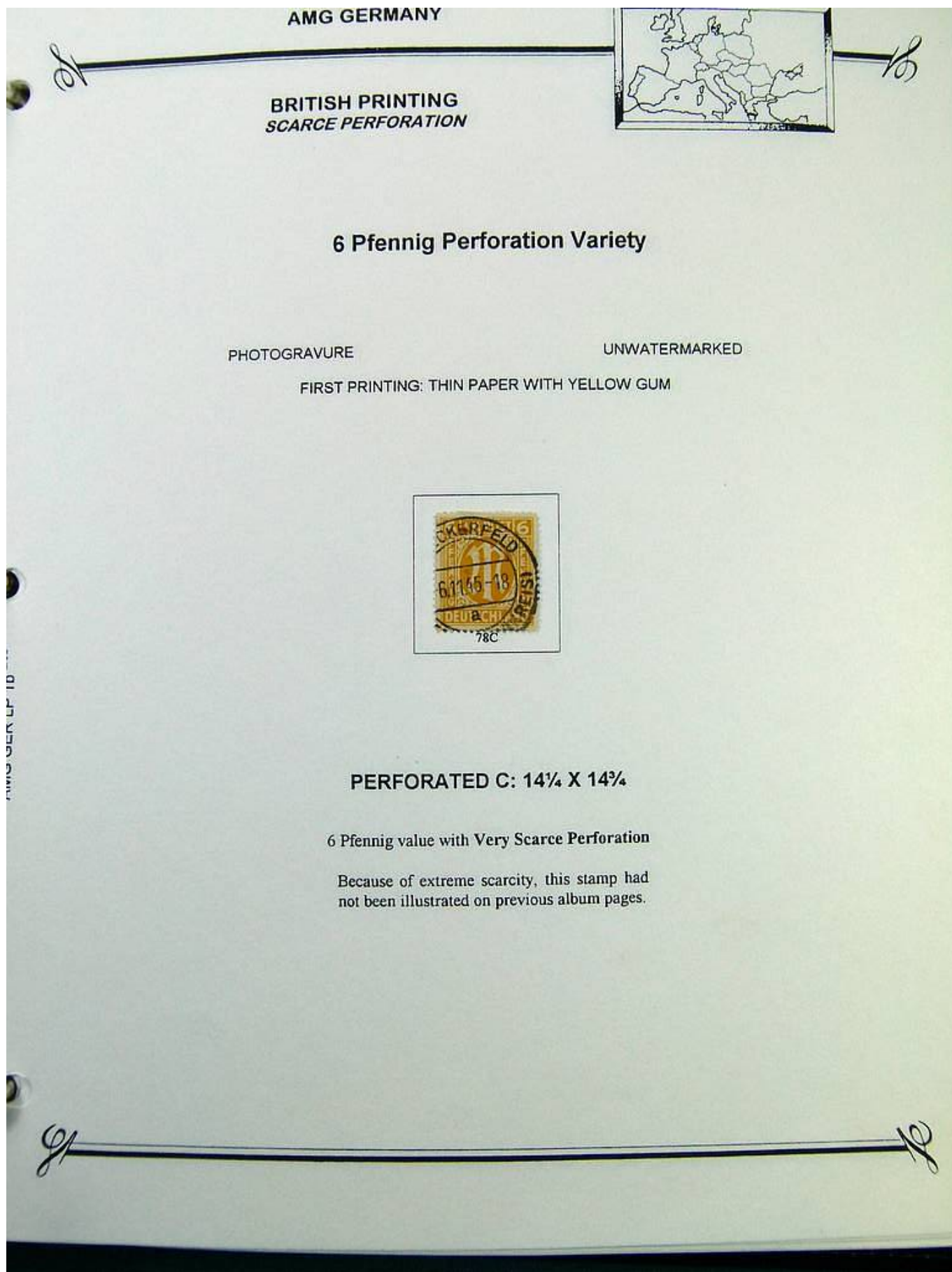


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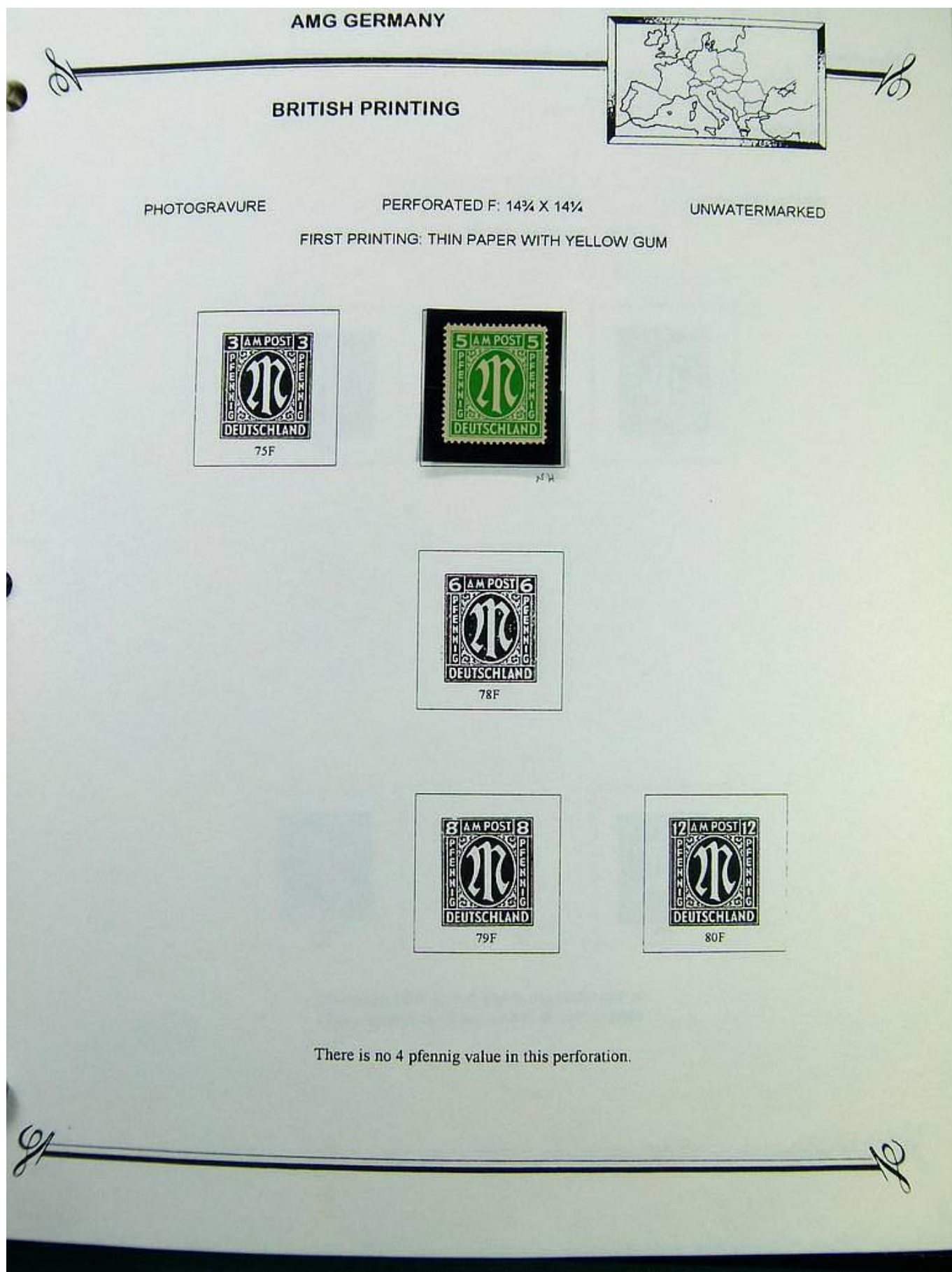


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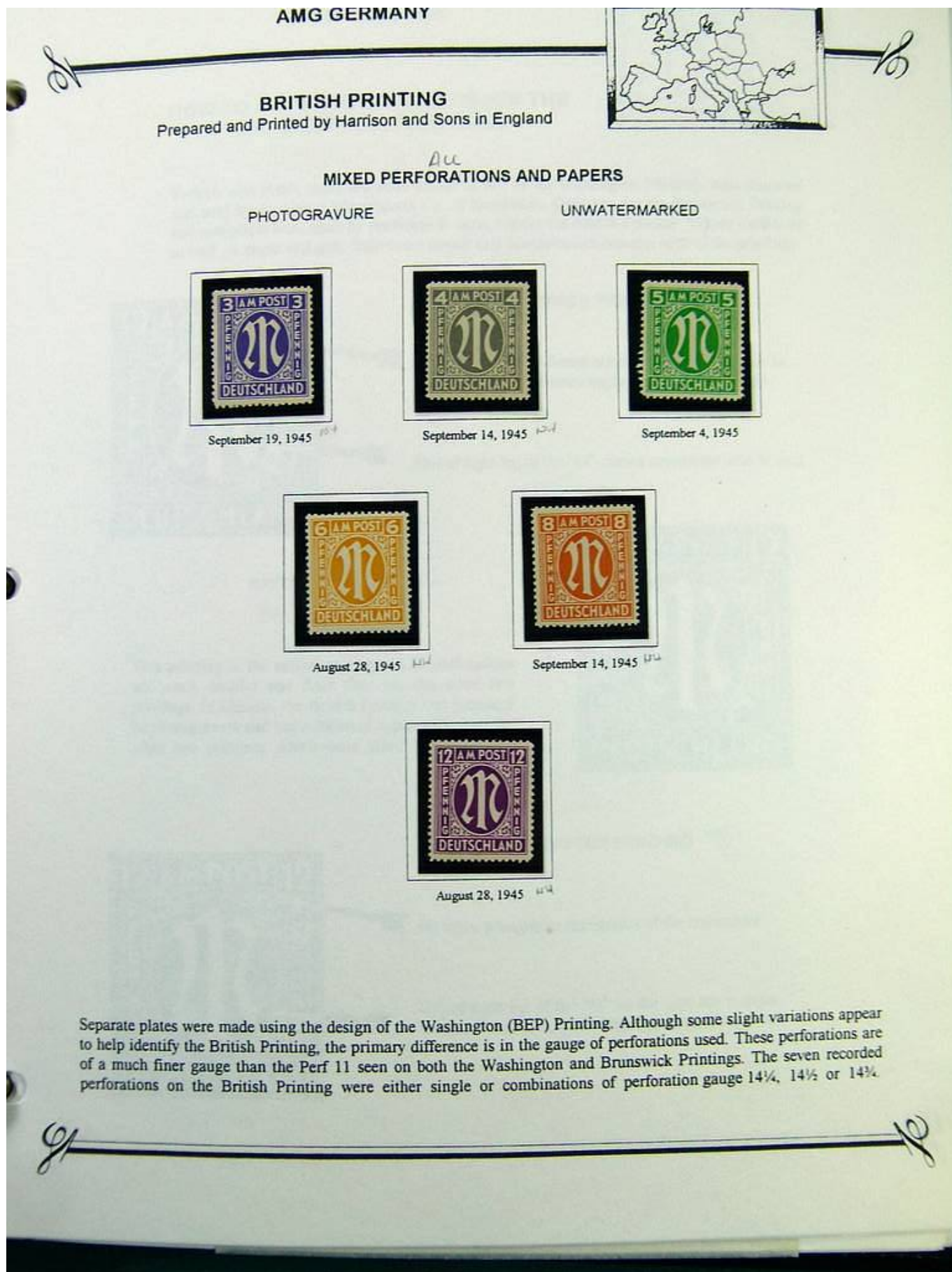


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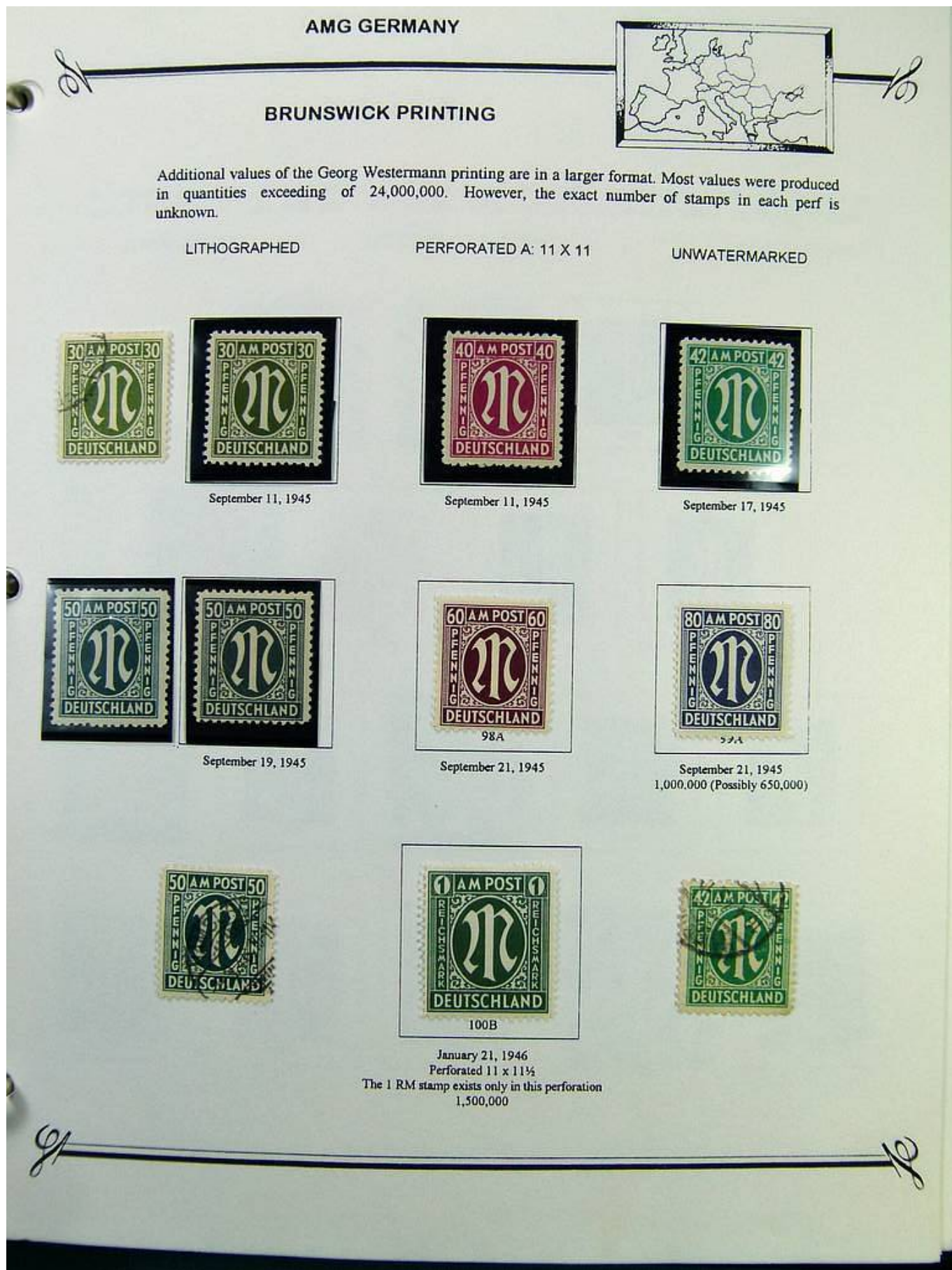


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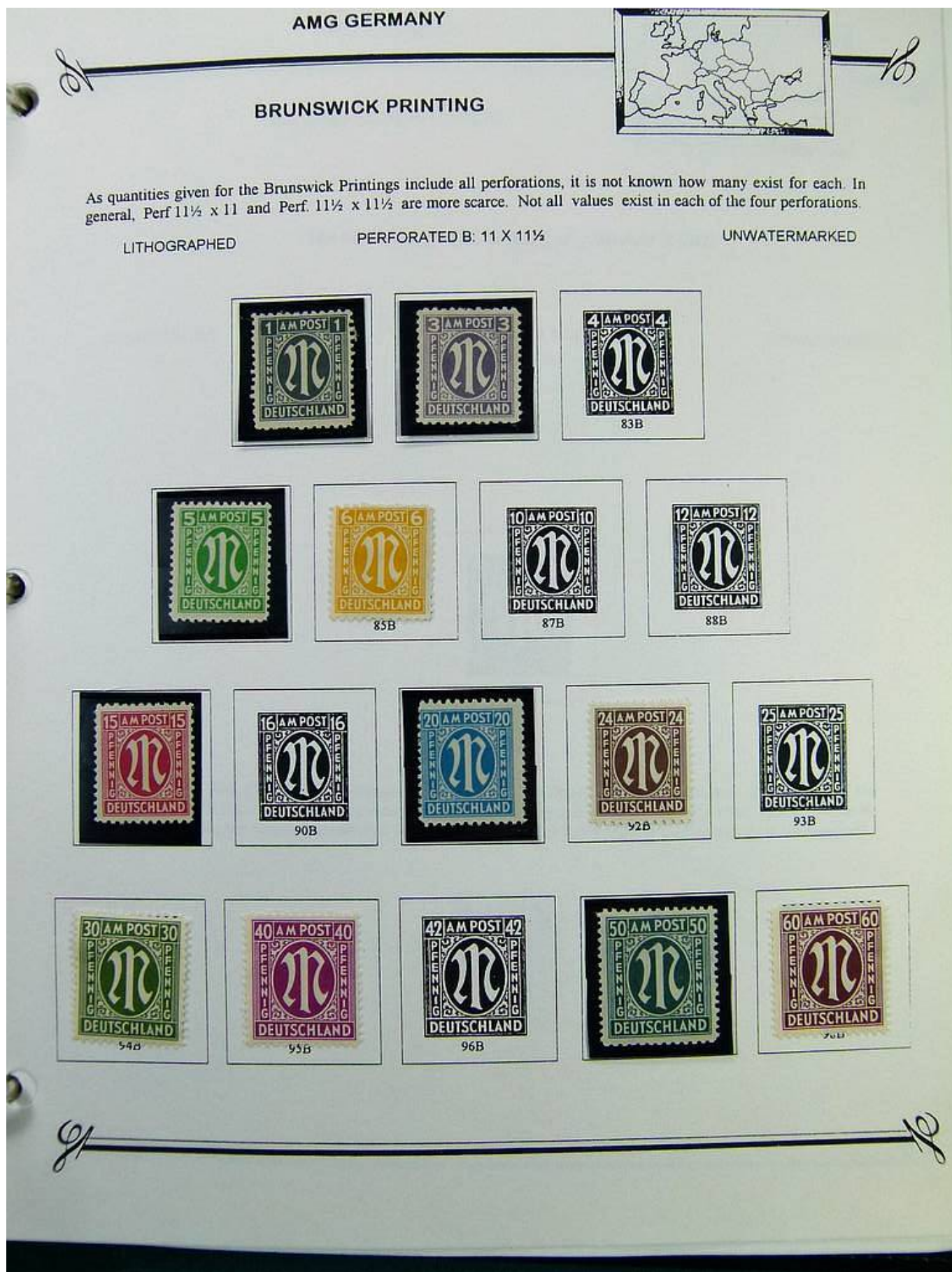


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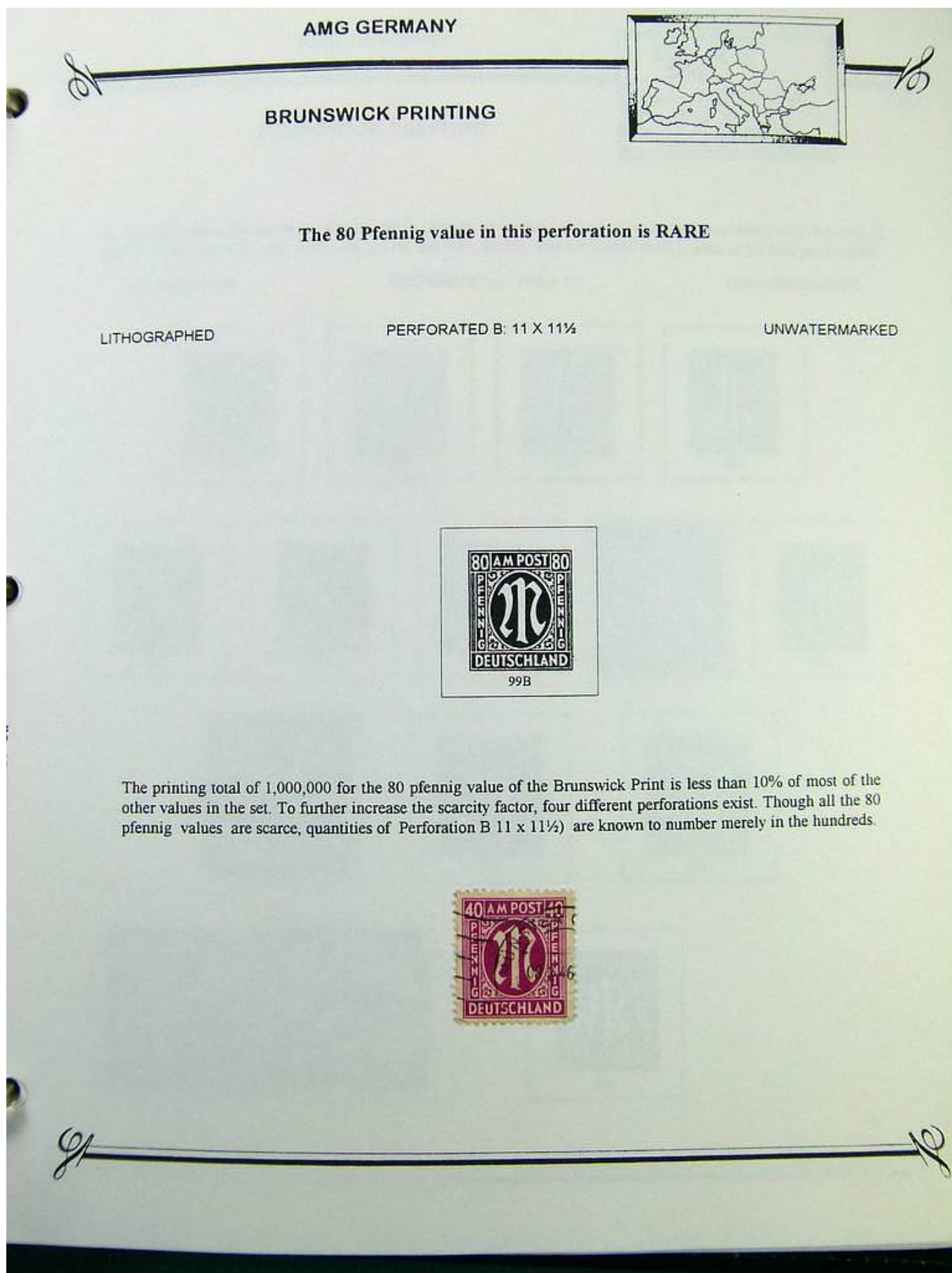


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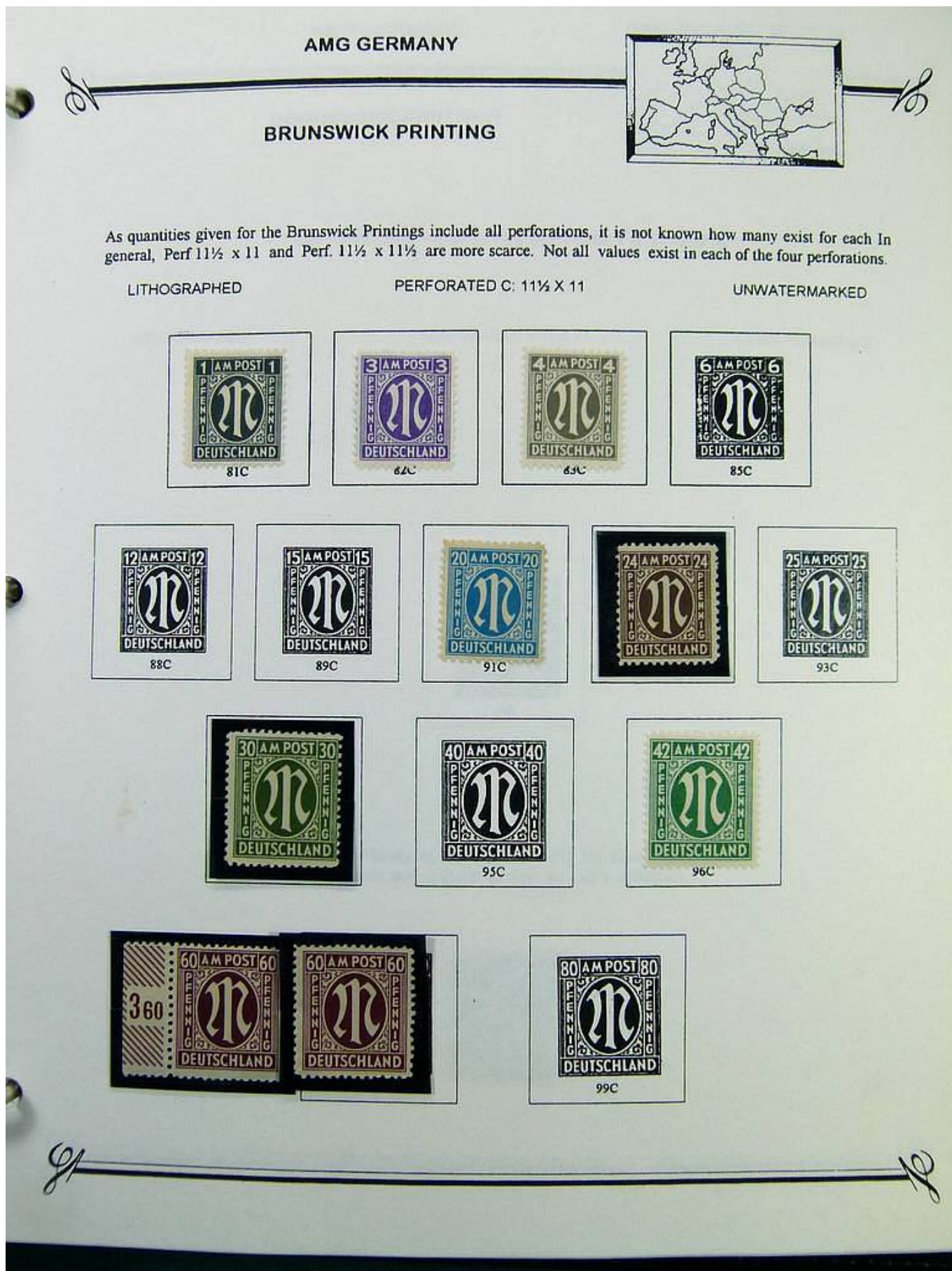


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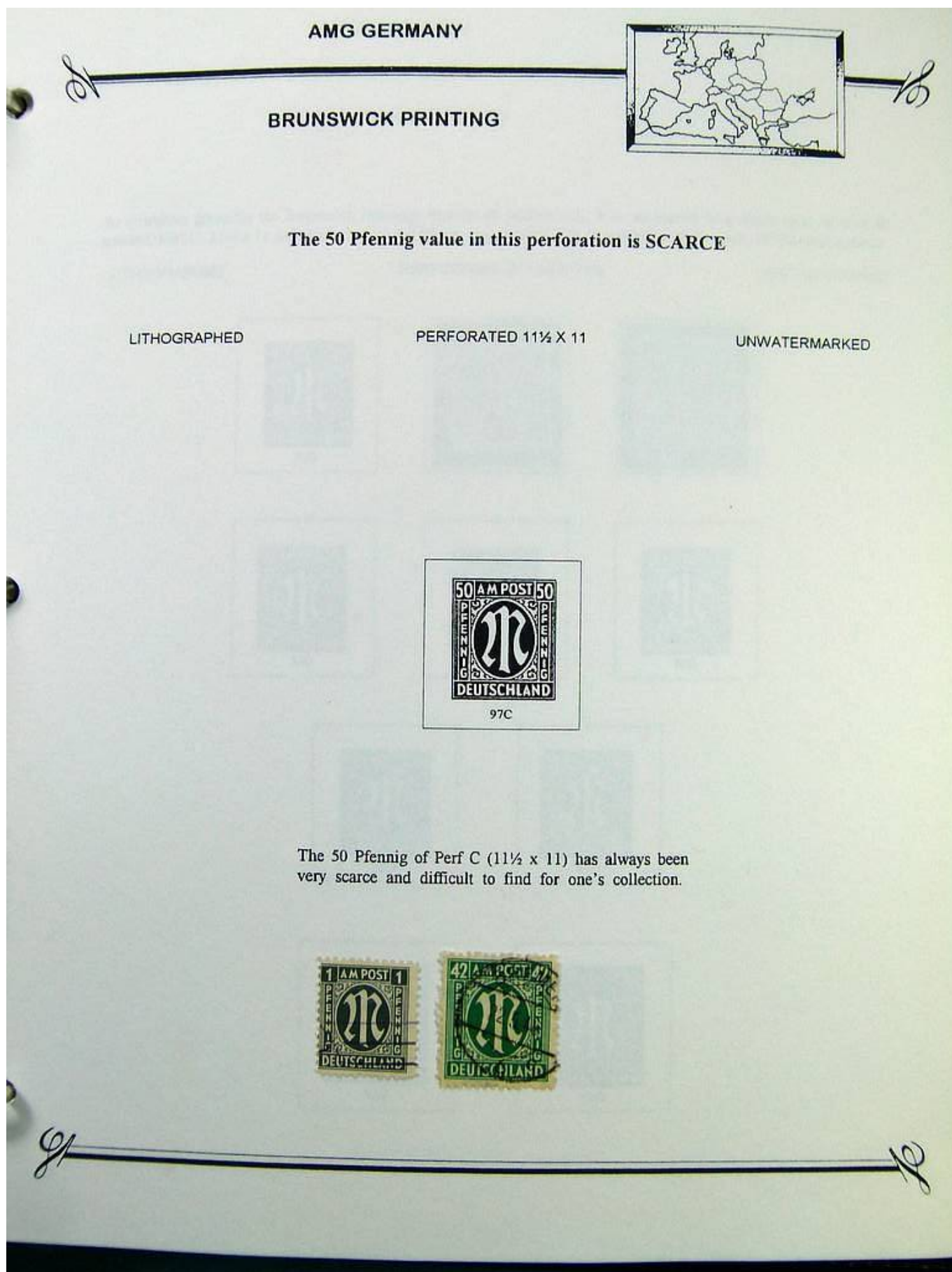


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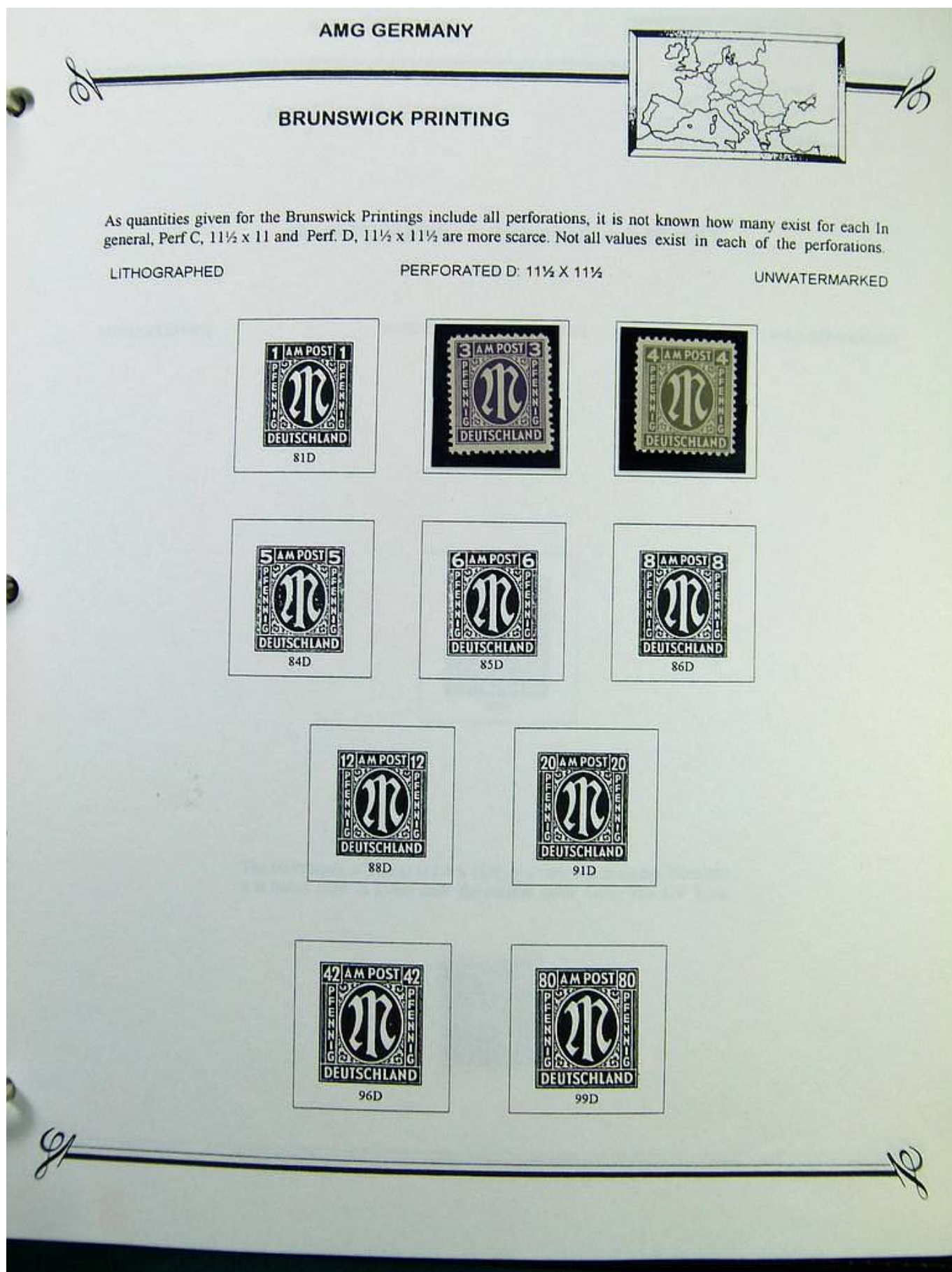


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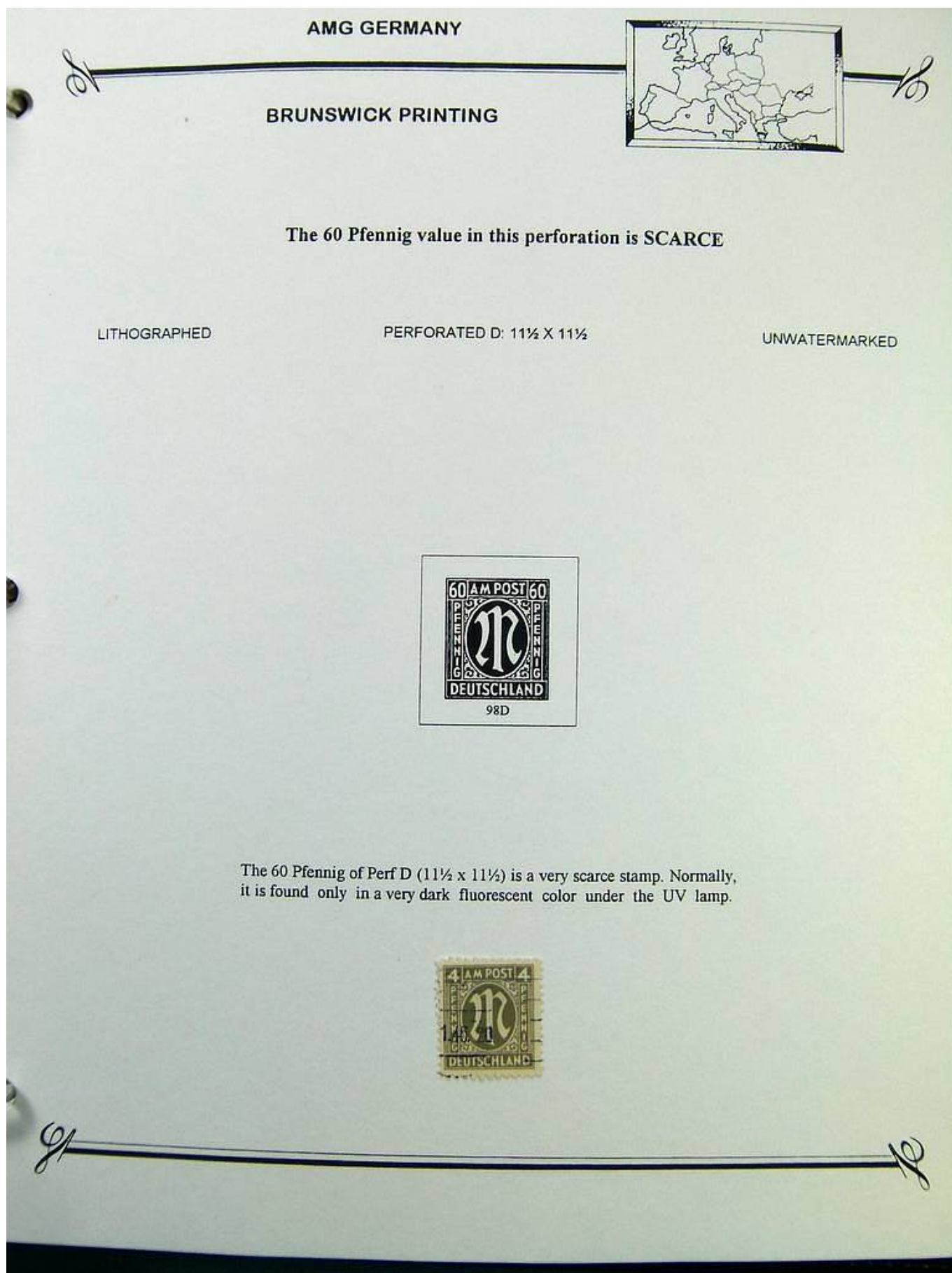


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AMG GERMANY

TRAVEL BOARD FISCAL STAMPS

For control purposes, the Allied High Commission employed Travel Board Fiscal Stamps which were required to be applied to visas of travelers entering and later leaving Germany.

A Most Unusual Value: GRATIS

This is one of a few stamps in the world which has no face value. There was a need for this "Gratis" stamp in cases where there was exemption from paying the Travel Board fiscal fees. And, though there was no fee, a stamp was necessary for control purposes.



Surcharged German Travel Board Fiscal Stamps

After an major currency reform had taken place in Germany, it was decided that transactions could be more uniformly handled if the stamps were in Deutsche mark values. As an economy measure, older dollar value stamps were surcharged with the German DM valuations. Interestingly, the dollar values were obliterated only on the 2 DM stamp.



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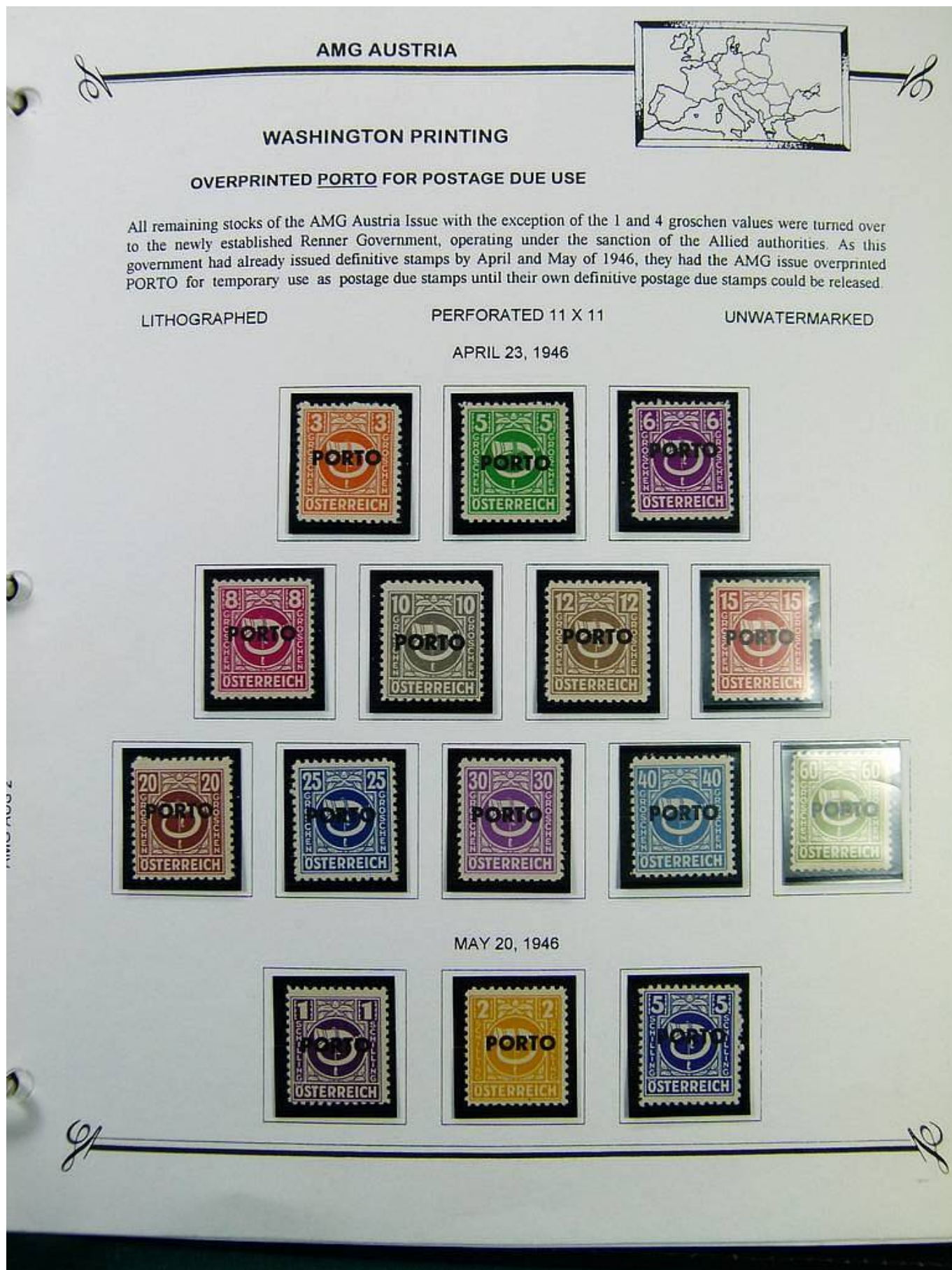


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AMG-FTT

FIRST POSTAL ISSUE
LOCAL OVERPRINTS ON ITALIAN DEMOCRATIC ISSUE



Issued to replace the AMG-VG overprinted stamps used in the Venezia Giulia region. With one exception, all stamps issued until October 21, 1949, were overprinted locally by the printing firm of R. Fortuna. The Trieste Election issue of June 1949, was overprinted in Rome by the State Printing Works.

HIGH VALUES

PHOTOGRAVURE
WATERMARKED: WINGED WHEEL I

OCTOBER 1, 1947

PERFORATION 14¼
OVERPRINTED IN BLACK



Winged Wheel I



400,000



600,000

**AMG.
F.T.T.**

Fortuna Overprint II

ENGRAVED
WATERMARKED: WINGED WHEEL III

OCTOBER 1, 1947

PERFORATION 14 x 13¼
OVERPRINTED IN BLACK



Winged Wheel III



300,000

**A.M.G.
F.T.T.**

Fortuna Overprint III

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AMG-FTT



FIRST POSTAL ISSUE

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PHOTOGRAVURE MARCH 1, 1948 PERFORATION 14¼
WATERMARKED: WINGED WHEEL I OVERPRINTED IN BLACK

ADDITIONAL VALUES



Winged Wheel I



700,000

A.M.G.
F.T.T.

Fortuna Overprint I



2,300,000



500,000

These supplemental values were issued to fill various needs. The 10L was merely a change in color of the basic stamp. However, the 8L and 30L stamps were required for new rates. Although 500,000 copies of the 30L were printed, this value was used extensively, making a mint copy extremely scarce. Even the 8L and the 10L values are somewhat difficult to obtain in mint condition.

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AMG-FTT

**RISORGIMENTO
REVOLUTIONARY SCENES**

Issued to commemorate the Risorgimento Uprising of 1848-49 which led to Italian unification. Overprinted in Trieste by R. Fortuna.

PHOTOGRAVURE
WATERMARKED: WINGED WHEEL I

JANUARY 12, 1948

PERFORATION 14¼
OVERPRINTED IN BLACK



Watermark I-1
is Normal



Battle of Palermo
500,000

AMG-FTT
Fortuna Overprint VII



Battle of Padua
500,000



Battle of Turin
510,000



Battle of Milan
282,000



Battle of Venice
400,000



Battle of Vicenza
400,000



Battle of Curtatone
100,000

Although a commemorative set, because of the wide variety of face values, the Risorgimento issue was used as a regular postage issue.

Foto nr.: 36

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RISORGIMENTO REVOLUTIONARY SCENES



Issued to commemorate the Risorgimento Uprising of 1848-49 which led to Italian unification. Overprinted in Trieste by R. Fortuna.

PHOTOGRAVURE

JANUARY 12, 1948

PERFORATION 14½
OVERPRINTED IN BLACK

WATERMARKED: WINGED WHEEL I



Battle of Goito
110,000



Battle of Bologna
200,000



Battle of Brescia
300,000



Battle of Rome
110,000



Watermark 1-1
is Normal



Battle of Mameli
100,000

AMG-FTT

Fortuna Overprint VII

Although a commemorative set, because of the wide variety of face values, the Risorgimento issue was used as a regular postage issue.

The 15L, 50L and 100L values are especially scarce.

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COMMEMORATIVE STAMPS

1948 TRIESTE PHILATELIC CONGRESS
 Issued to publicize the Trieste Philatelic Congress held September 8-12, 1948

PHOTOGRAVURE
WATERMARKED: WINGED WHEEL I

SEPTEMBER 8, 1948

PERFORATION 14%
OVERPRINTED IN RED

Embossed overprint by the printing firm of R. Fortuna in Trieste



Winged Wheel I



200,000



200,000



100,000



Fortuna Overprint X
Embossed

BASSANO BRIDGE COMMEMORATIVE
 Issued in Commemoration of the Reopening of the Bassano Bridge

OCTOBER 15, 1948



Overprinted in Red
200,000

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Fortuna Overprint VII

DONIZETTI COMMEMORATIVE
 Issued to commemorate the 100th Anniversary of the death of Gaetano Donizetti, Composer

NOVEMBER 15, 1948



Overprinted in Green
236,000

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Fortuna Overprint VIII

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COMMEMORATIVE STAMPS

1949 MILAN FAIR ISSUE

Issued in commemoration of the 27th Milan Trade Fair in April 1949

PHOTOGRAVURE
WATERMARKED: WINGED WHEEL I

MAY 2, 1949

PERFORATION 14¼
FORTUNA OVERPRINT IN RED



Winged Wheel I



200,000

A.M.G.-F.T.T.

Fortuna Overprint VII

A.M.G.
F.T.T.

Fortuna Overprint IV

VENICE ANNIVERSARY ISSUE

Issued to commemorate the Anniversary of the Biennial Art Exhibit in Venice

MAY 2, 1949

PRINTING: 200,000 EACH

FORTUNA OVERPRINT IN BLACK



Ship's ensign of a Venetian galley



Clock Strikers and the Campanile of St. Marco



Lion Standard and a Bicintaur vessel



Lion Column and the pigeons of St. Marco

UPU COMMEMORATIVE

For 75th Anniversary of the UPU

MAY 2, 1949

FORTUNA OVERPRINT IN RED



200,000

TRIESTE ELECTION ISSUE

Publicity for Trieste Municipal Elections

JUNE 8, 1949

ROME OVERPRINT IN GREEN



300,000

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Rome Overprint XIV

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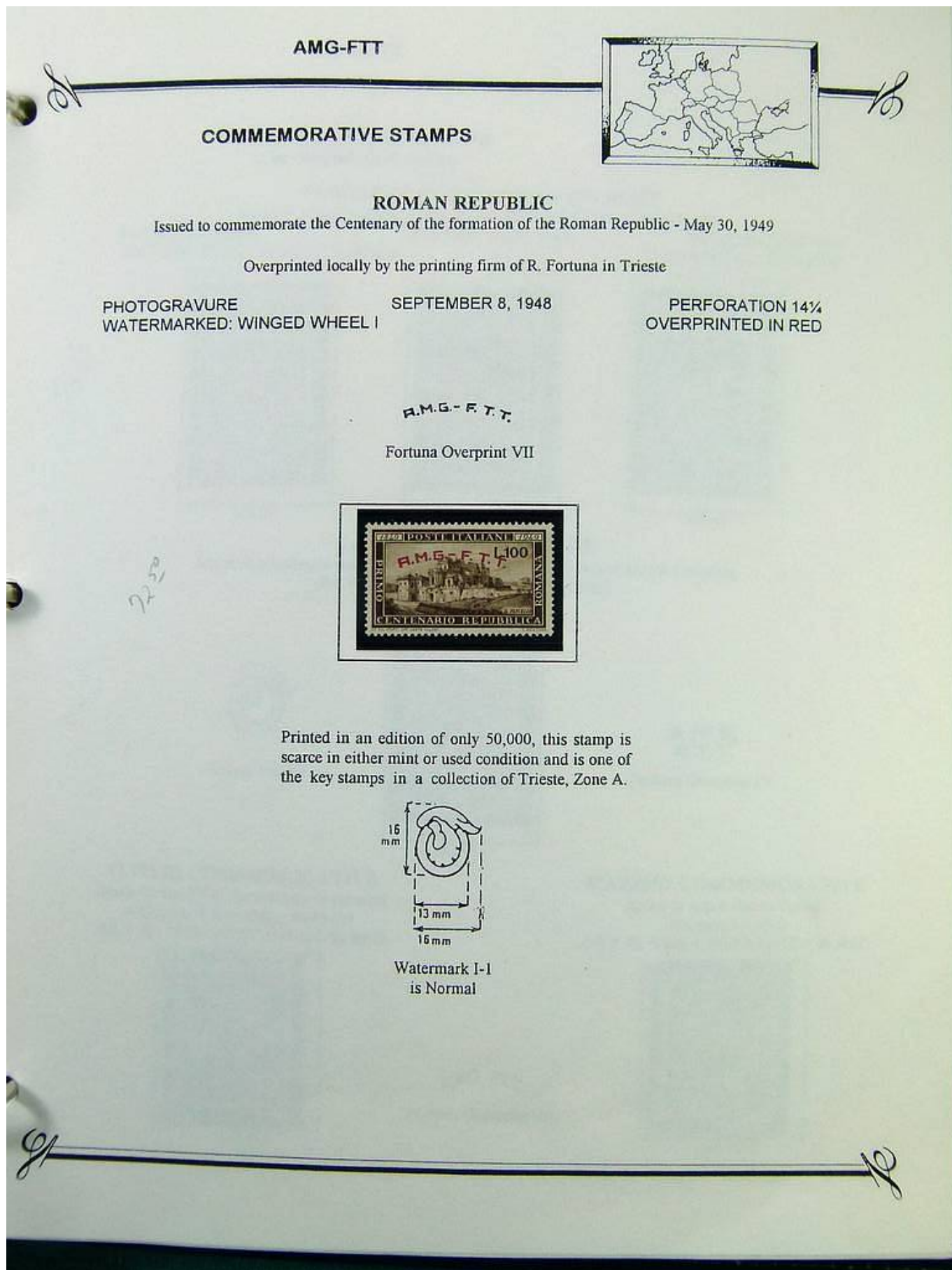


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COMMEMORATIVE STAMPS
Local Overprints by R. Fortuna

EUROPEAN RECONSTRUCTION ISSUE
Issued to publicize the European Reconstruction Program - June 15, 1949
PHOTOGRAVURE SEPTEMBER 8, 1948 PERFORATION 14¼
WATERMARKED: WINGED WHEEL I OVERPRINTED IN BLACK



200,000



200,000



200,000

HEALTH CONGRESS ISSUE
Issued in commemoration of the Second Assembly of the World Health Congress
JULY 8, 1949 - OVERPRINTED IN RED



Winged Wheel I



200,000

**A.M.G.
F.T.T.**
Fortuna Overprint IV

ALFIERI COMMEMORATIVE
Issued for the 200th Anniversary of the birth of Vittorio Alfieri, tragic dramatist.
JULY 16, 1949-OVERPRINTED IN RED



164,000

MAZZINI COMMEMORATIVE
Issued to honor Italian Patriot.
Giuseppe Mazzini
JULY 16, 1949-OVERPRINTED IN RED



152,000

A.M.G. F.T.T.
Fortuna Overprint VIII

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COMMEMORATIVE STAMPS
Overprinted locally by R. Fortuna

THE MAGNIFICENT LORENZO COMMEMORATIVE
Issued to commemorate the 500th Anniversary of the birth of politician/poet, Lorenzo de Medici

PHOTOGRAVURE
WATERMARKED: WINGED WHEEL I

AUGUST 27, 1949

PERFORATION 14¼
OVERPRINTED IN BLACK

16-



Winged Wheel I



180,000
50

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Fortuna Overprint IX

PALLADIO COMMEMORATIVE
Issued to commemorate the 400th Anniversary of the beginning of the restoration of the Palladian Basilica in Vicenza.
Andrea Palladio, Ecclesiastical Architect and Builder

24-



100,000 57

**A.M.G.
F.T.T.**
Fortuna Overprint IV

1949 BARI FAIR ISSUE
Issued to publicize the '13th Levant Fair, Bari in September 1949

15-



150,000
52

A.M.G.-F.T.T.
Fortuna Overprint VII

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SECOND POSTAL ISSUE
ROME OVERPRINTS ON ITALIAN DEMOCRATIC ISSUE



As of October 21, 1949, Trieste stamps were to be overprinted in Rome by the Italian State Printing Works. Various issue dated for this series came between October 21, 1949 and February 28, 1950.

PHOTOGRAVURE
WATERMARKED: WINGED WHEEL I

OCTOBER 21, 1949

PERFORATION 14¼
OVERPRINTED IN BLACK



Winged Wheel I



December 28, 1949



December 28, 1949

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Rome Overprint XIII



October 21, 1949



November 7, 1949



November 28, 1949



November 28, 1949



September 7, 1949



September 28, 1949



October 21, 1949

These definitives exist with the Winged Wheel watermark in various directions.
There are also several types of overprint spacings. Printing quantities vary.

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HIGH VALUES

PHOTOGRAVURE
WATERMARKED: WINGED WHEEL I

1949-50

PERFORATION 14½
OVERPRINTED IN BLACK



Winged Wheel I



249,400
G7



550,000
G8

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Rome Overprint XIII

ENGRAVED
WATERMARKED: WINGED WHEEL III

PERFORATION 14½
OVERPRINTED IN BLACK

These three values were used extensively and therefore are very scarce in mint condition



446,400
G9

The Winged Wheel III watermark was only on high security paper used for engraved stamps only.



Winged Wheel III

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COMMEMORATIVE STAMPS
Overprinted in Rome by the Italian State Printing Works

VOLTA ANNIVERSARY ISSUE
Issued to commemorate the 150th Anniversary of the invention of the Voltaic Pile by Alessandro Volta

ENGRAVED
WATERMARKED: WINGED WHEEL III

NOVEMBER 7, 1949

PERFORATION 14¼
OVERPRINTED IN BLACK



Winged Wheel III



112,000
53



104,800
54

HOLY TRINITY BRIDGE ISSUE
Issued to publicize the plan to reconstruct the Holy Trinity Bridge in Florence destroyed in World War II.

PHOTOGRAVURE
NOVEMBER 7, 1949

CATULLUS COMMEMORATIVE
Issued to commemorate the 2,000th Anniversary of the death of the lyric poet, Caius Velerius Catullus

WATERMARK: WINGED WHEEL I



131,400
55



Winged Wheel I



141,000
56

CIMAROSA COMMEMORATIVE
Issued to commemorate the Bicentennial of the birth of Domenico Cimarosa, composer of oratorios and operas.

DECEMBER 28, 1949

OVERPRINTED IN RED



228,000
57

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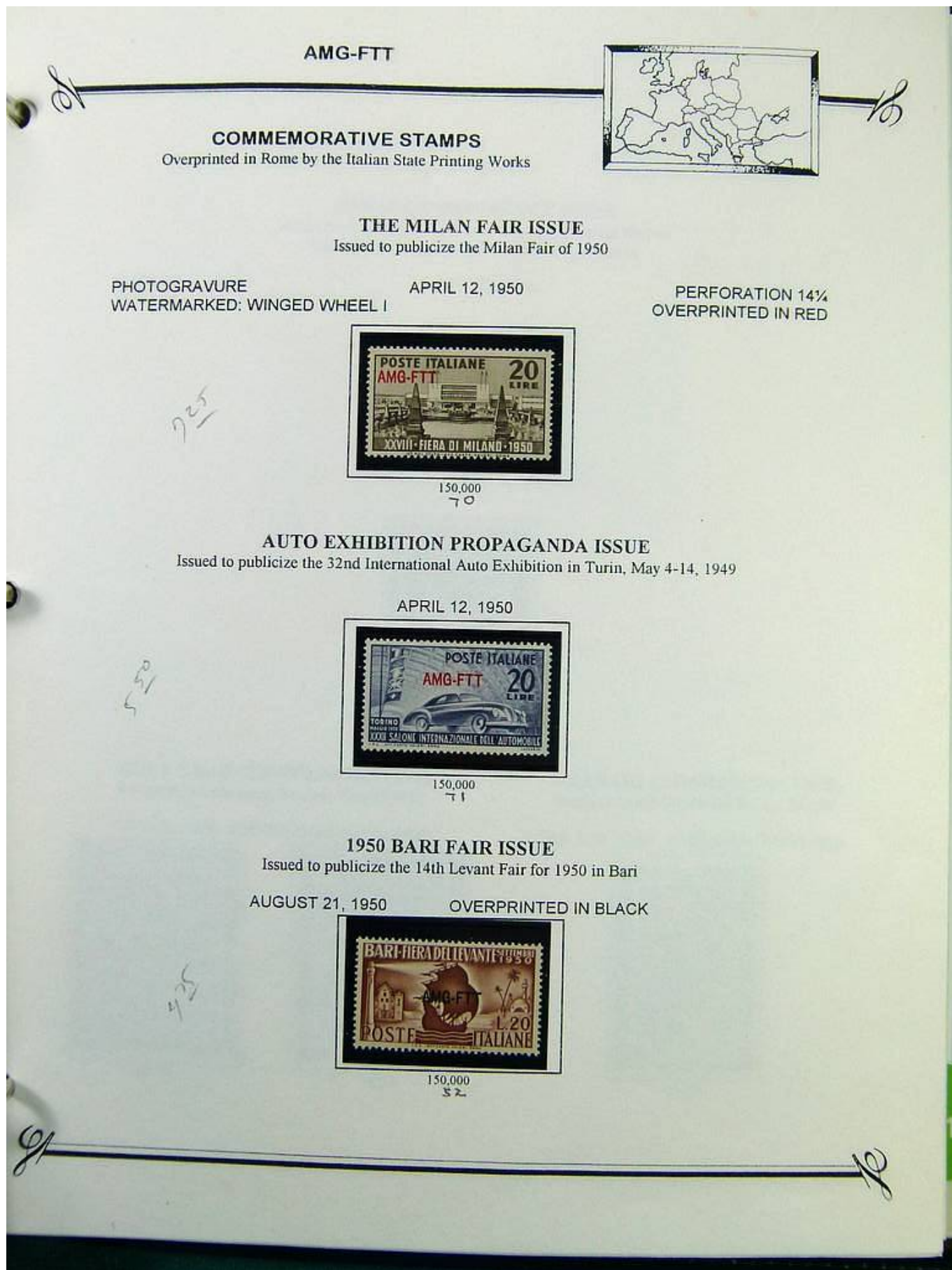


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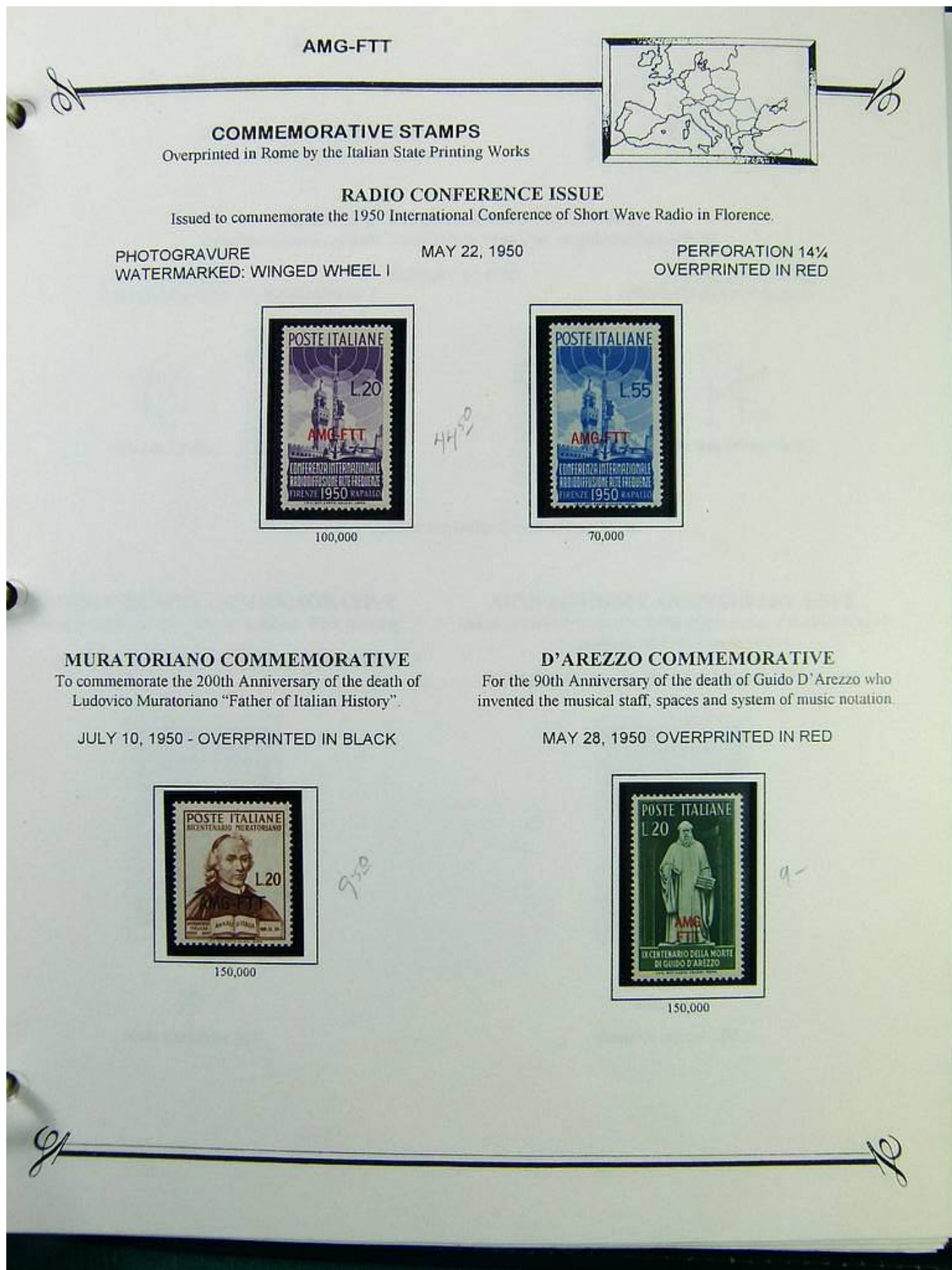


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COMMEMORATIVE STAMPS
Overprinted locally by R. Fortuna

TRIESTE INTERNATIONAL FAIR ISSUE
Issued to commemorate the Trieste International Fair, August-September 1950

PHOTOGRAVURE
WATERMARKED: WINGED WHEEL I

AUGUST 27 1950

PERFORATION 14¼
OVERPRINTED IN BLACK



Winged Wheel I



240,000



240,000



Fortuna Overprint XII

Overprinted in Rome by the Italian State Printing Works

WOOL INDUSTRY COMMEMORATIVE
Issued to honor the pioneers of the Italian Wool Industry.
SEPTEMBER 11, 1950 - OVERPRINTED IN RED

ARTS ACADEMY ANNIVERSARY ISSUE
Issued to commemorate the 200th Anniversary of the founding of the Academy of Fine Arts in Venice.
SEPTEMBER 16, 1950 OVERPRINTED IN BLACK



150,000

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Rome Overprint XIX



150,000

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Rome Overprint XIII

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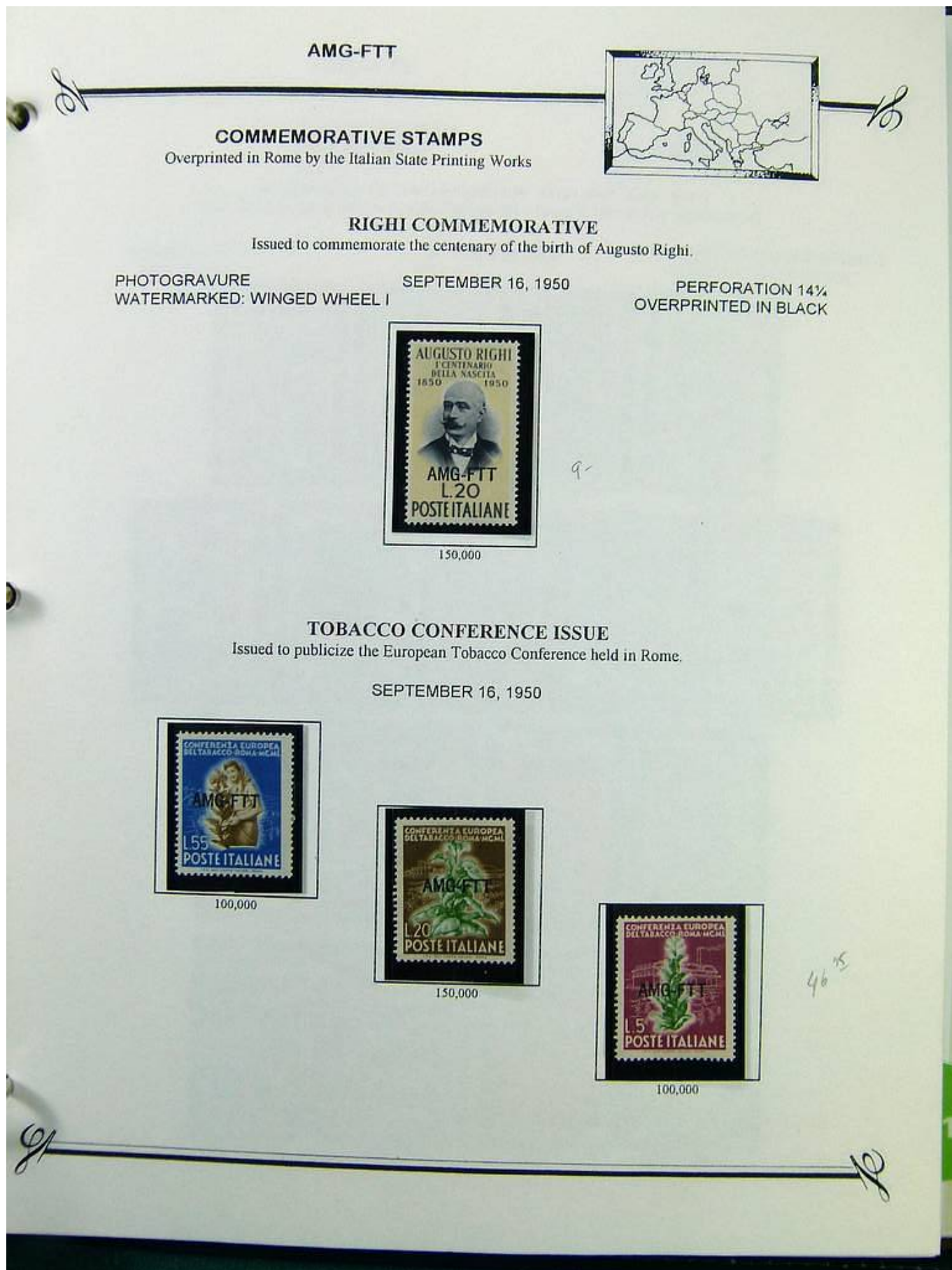


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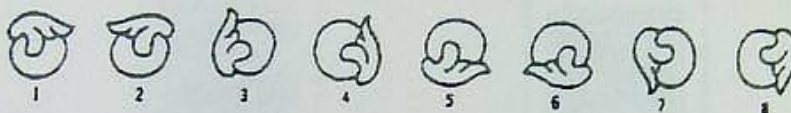
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ITALY AT WORK ISSUE - HIGH VALUES FIRST PRINTING

During 1954 it was noticed that engraved stamps contained a third type of winged wheel overprint. This new type is distinguished from Type II by being stubby and broad rather than elongated or round. This overprint, designed Type III, appears on paper used exclusively for engraved or recess printed stamps.

It was also noticed that the direction of watermarks may vary in any stamp inasmuch as the paper was not necessarily fed to the presses in the same way with regard to the watermark positions. Although most stamps contain watermarks going in one direction only, which is considered normal for that stamp, it is conceivable that a stamp could appear with as many as eight different watermark positions.



Each watermark position is classified with an Arabic number, which, when placed behind the watermark type Roman numeral, indicates both type and position.

ENGRAVED
PERF. 14 1/4 X 14 1/4

OCTOBER 20, 1950

WATERMARK WINGED WHEEL III-8
OVERPRINTED IN BLACK



*200 Lire
Hatched paper
1953*

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Overprint XVI, Type 1 : Long Dash, 1 mm



WATERMARK TYPE III-8

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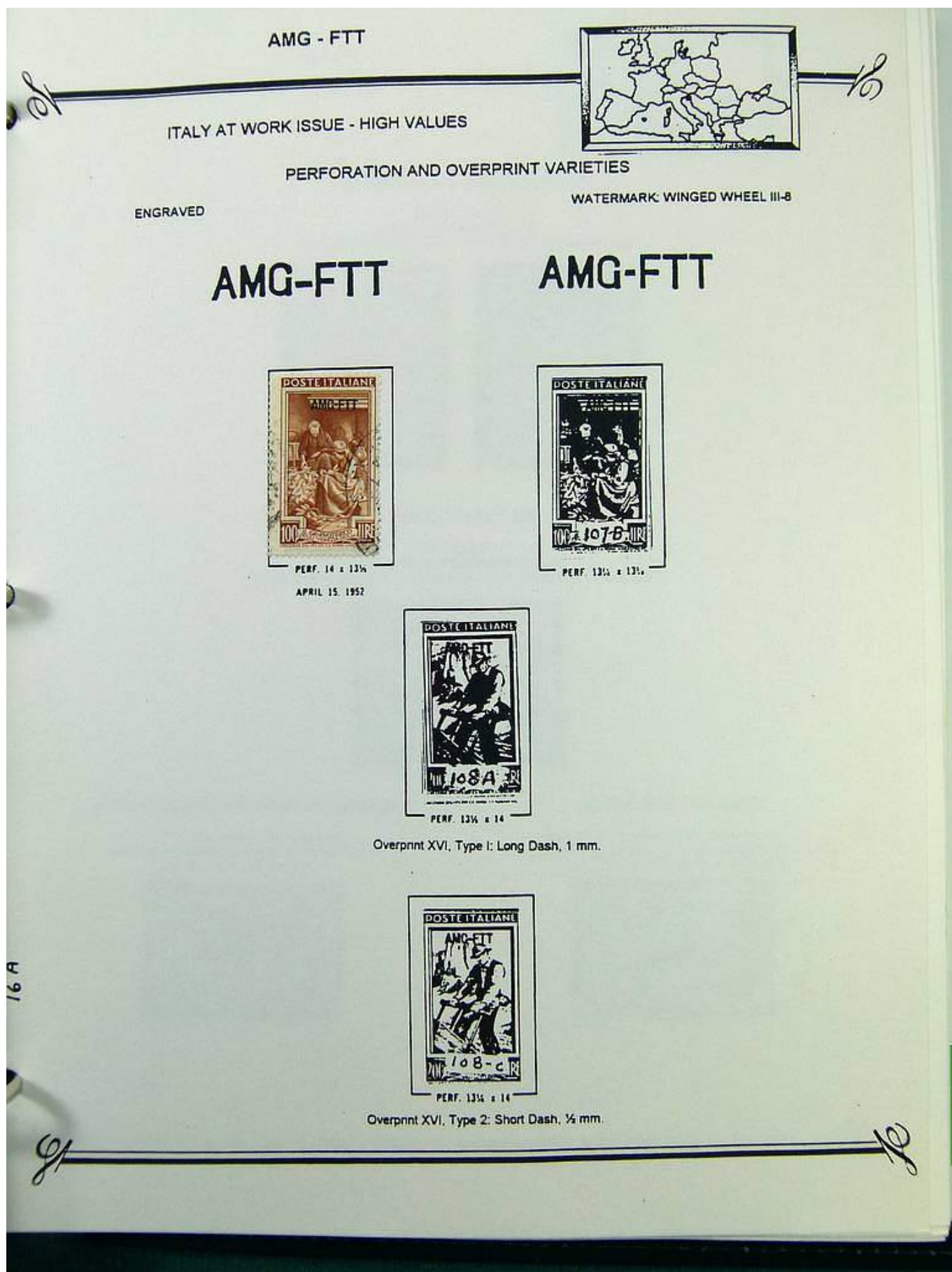


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1951 MILAN FAIR ISSUE

APRIL 12, 1951. ISSUED TO PUBLICIZE
THE 29th INTERNATIONAL SAMPLE FAIR AND HELICOPTER SHOW AT MILAN.



12²⁵

TEXTILE EXPOSITION ISSUE

APRIL 26, 1951. ISSUED TO PUBLICIZE
THE 10th INTERNATIONAL EXPOSITION OF TEXTILE ART AND FASHION



47⁵

1951 OLYMPIC GAMES ISSUE

JUNE 18, 1951 ISSUED TO PUBLICIZE
THE INTERNATIONAL GYMNASIAC FESTIVAL AND MEET AT FLORENCE, ITALY.



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MONTE CASSINO PROPAGANDA ISSUE

JUNE 18, 1951. ISSUED TO PUBLICIZE
THE RECONSTRUCTION OF THE FAMED BENEDICTINE ABBEY



1951 TRIESTE INTERNATIONAL FAIR ISSUE

JUNE 24, 1951
ISSUED TO PUBLICIZE THE 3rd INTERNATIONAL FAIR



PERUGINO COMMEMORATIVE

JULY 21, 1951. ISSUED TO COMMEMORATE,
THE 500th ANNIVERSARY OF THE BIRTH OF PIETRO VENUCCI, PAINTER



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MILAN TRIENNALE ART EXHIBITION ISSUE

JULY 23, 1951
ISSUED TO PUBLICIZE THE TRIENNALE ART EXHIBITION IN MILAN
OVERPRINTED IN RED



MILAN-VARESE BICYCLE RACE ISSUE

AUGUST 23, 1951. USED TO PUBLICIZE
THE WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP BICYCLE RACE BETWEEN MILAN AND VARESE
OVERPRINTED IN RED



1951 BARI FAIR ISSUE

SEPTEMBER 8, 1951 ISSUED TO
PUBLICIZE THE 15th LEVANTE, BARI



MICHETTI COMMEMORATIVE

SEPTEMBER 15, 1951. ISSUED TO
COMMEMORATE THE 100TH ANNIVERSARY
OF THE BIRTH OF FRANCESCO PAOLO
MICHETTI, PAINTER. OVERPRINTED IN RED.



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SARDINIA CENTENARY ISSUE

OCTOBER 11, 1951. ISSUED TO COMMEMORATE
THE 100th ANNIVERSARY OF THE FIRST SARDINIAN POSTAGE STAMPS
OVERPRINTED IN BLUE



CENSUS PROPAGANDA ISSUE

OCTOBER 31, 1951
ISSUED TO PUBLICIZE THE IMPENDING CENSUS BEGINNING NOVEMBER 1, 1951



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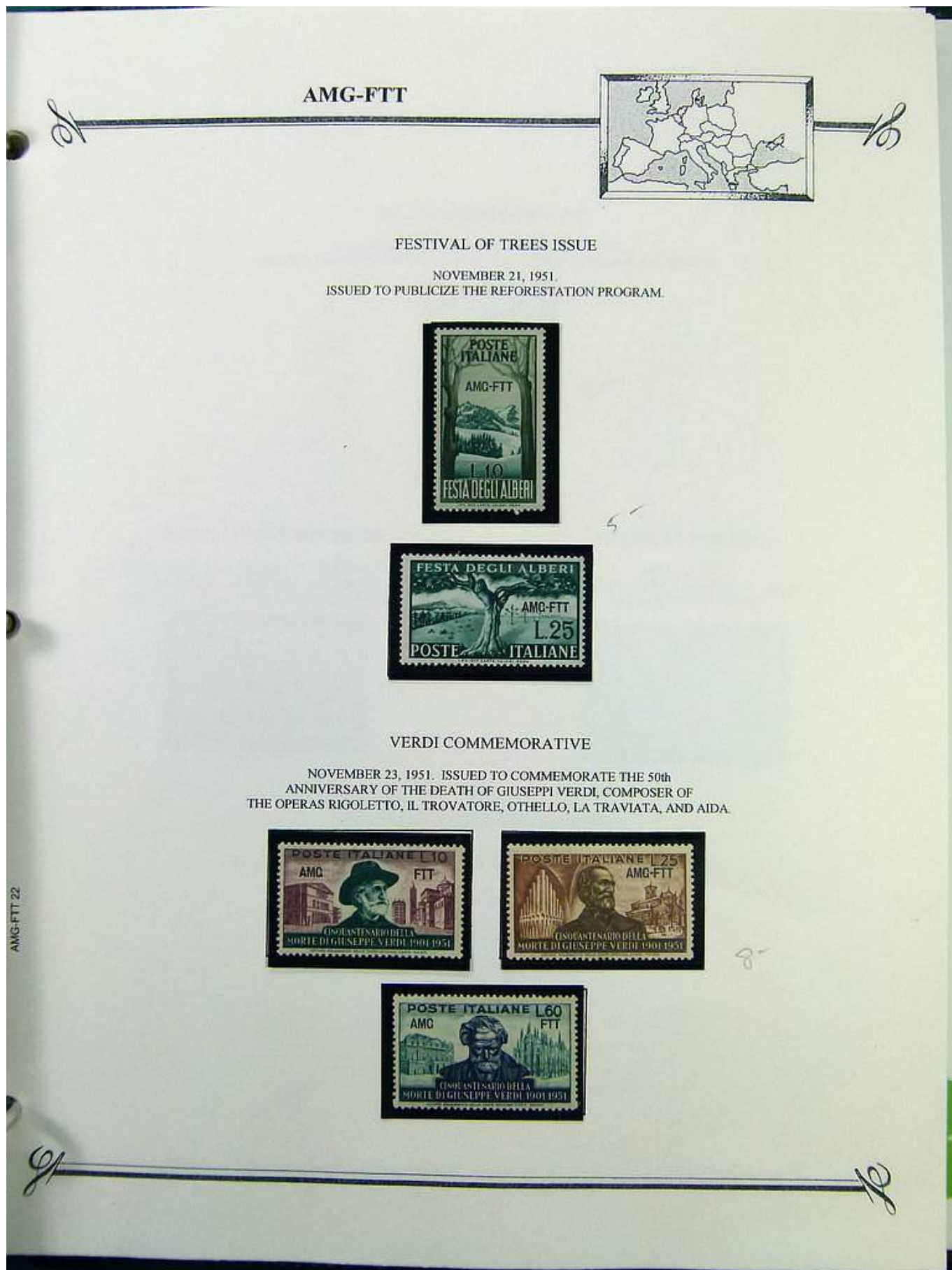


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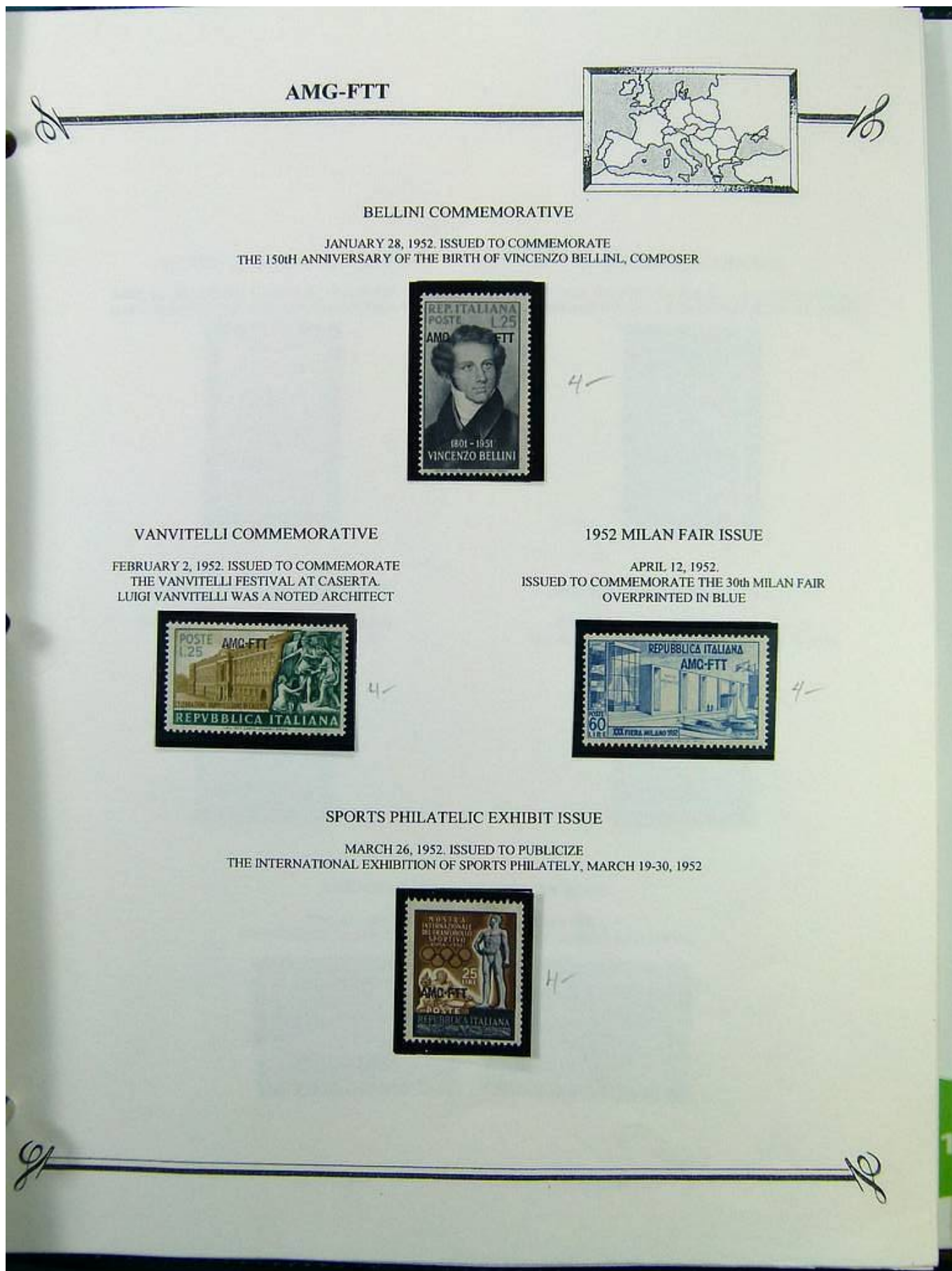


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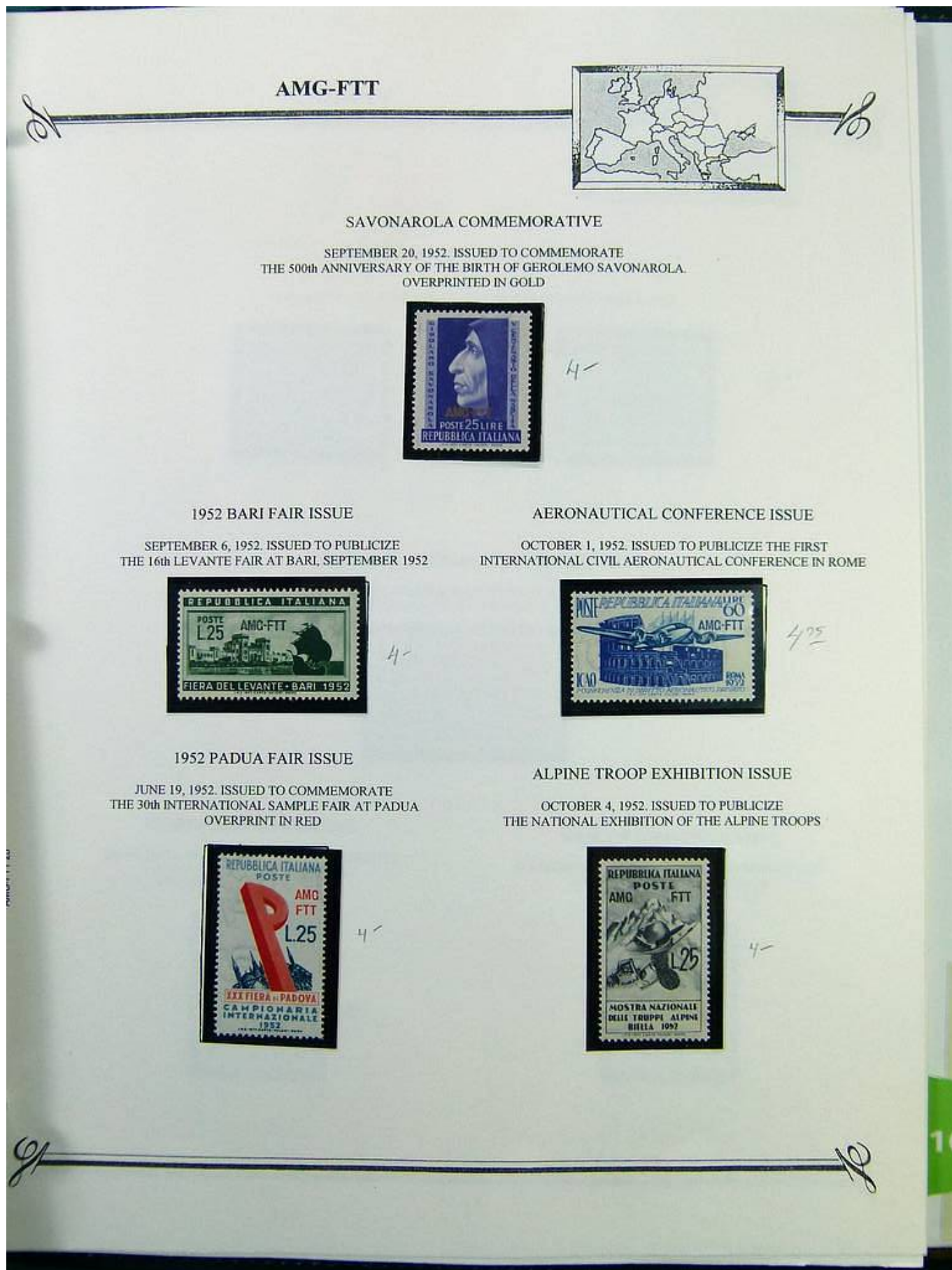


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ARMED FORCES PROPAGANDA ISSUE

NOVEMBER 3, 1952

ISSUED TO PUBLICIZE ARMED FORCES DAY ON NOVEMBER 4, 1952



465

CARDINAL MASSAIA COMMEMORATIVE

NOVEMBER 21, 1952 ISSUED TO COMMEMORATE THE CENTENARY OF THE ESTABLISHMENT OF THE FIRST CATHOLIC MISSION IN ETHIOPIA



325

GEMITO COMMEMORATIVE

DECEMBER 6, 1952. ISSUED TO COMMEMORATIVE THE CENTENARY OF THE BIRTH OF VINCENZO GEMITO, SCULPTOR.



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MANCINI COMMEMORATIVE

DECEMBER 6, 1952 ISSUED TO COMMEMORATE THE ANNIVERSARY OF THE BIRTH OF ANTONIO MANCINI, PAINTER



4-

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Foto nr.: 65

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1000 MILE AUTO RACE

APRIL 24, 1953. ISSUED TO COMMEMORATE
THE 20th 1000 MILE MOTOR RACE.



CORELLI COMMEMORATIVE

MAY 30, 1953. ISSUED TO COMMEMORATE
THE 100th ANNIVERSARY OF THE BIRTH OF
ARCANGELO CORELLI COMPOSER.



ST. CHIARA DI ASSISSI COMMEMORATIVE

JUNE 27 1953. ISSUED TO COMMEMORATE THE 100th
ANNIVERSARY OF THE DEATH OF ST. CHIARA DI ASSISSI.



1953 TRIESTE FAIR ISSUE

JUNE 27, 1953. ISSUED TO PUBLICIZE
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OVERPRINTED IN RED OR GREEN.



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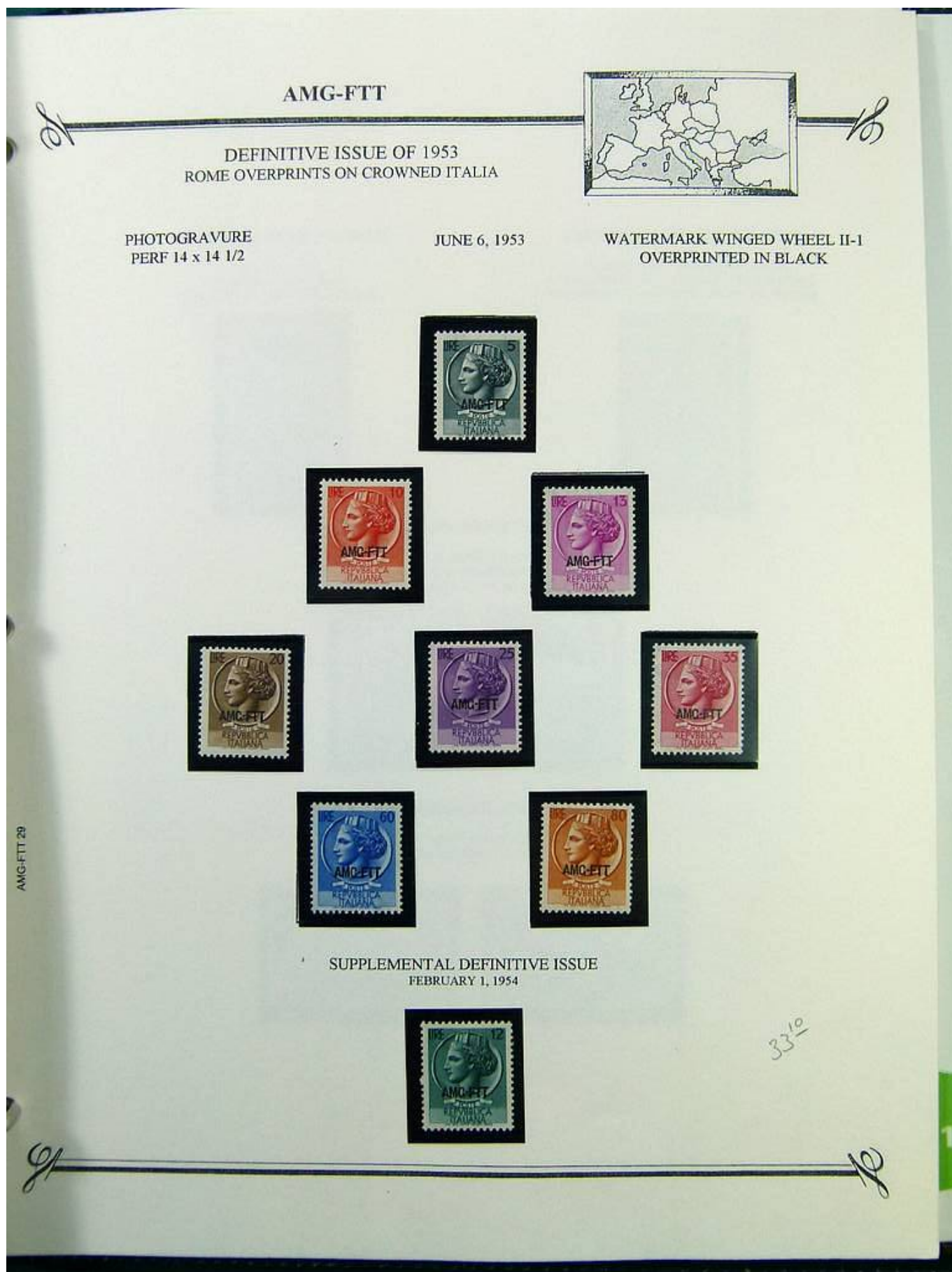


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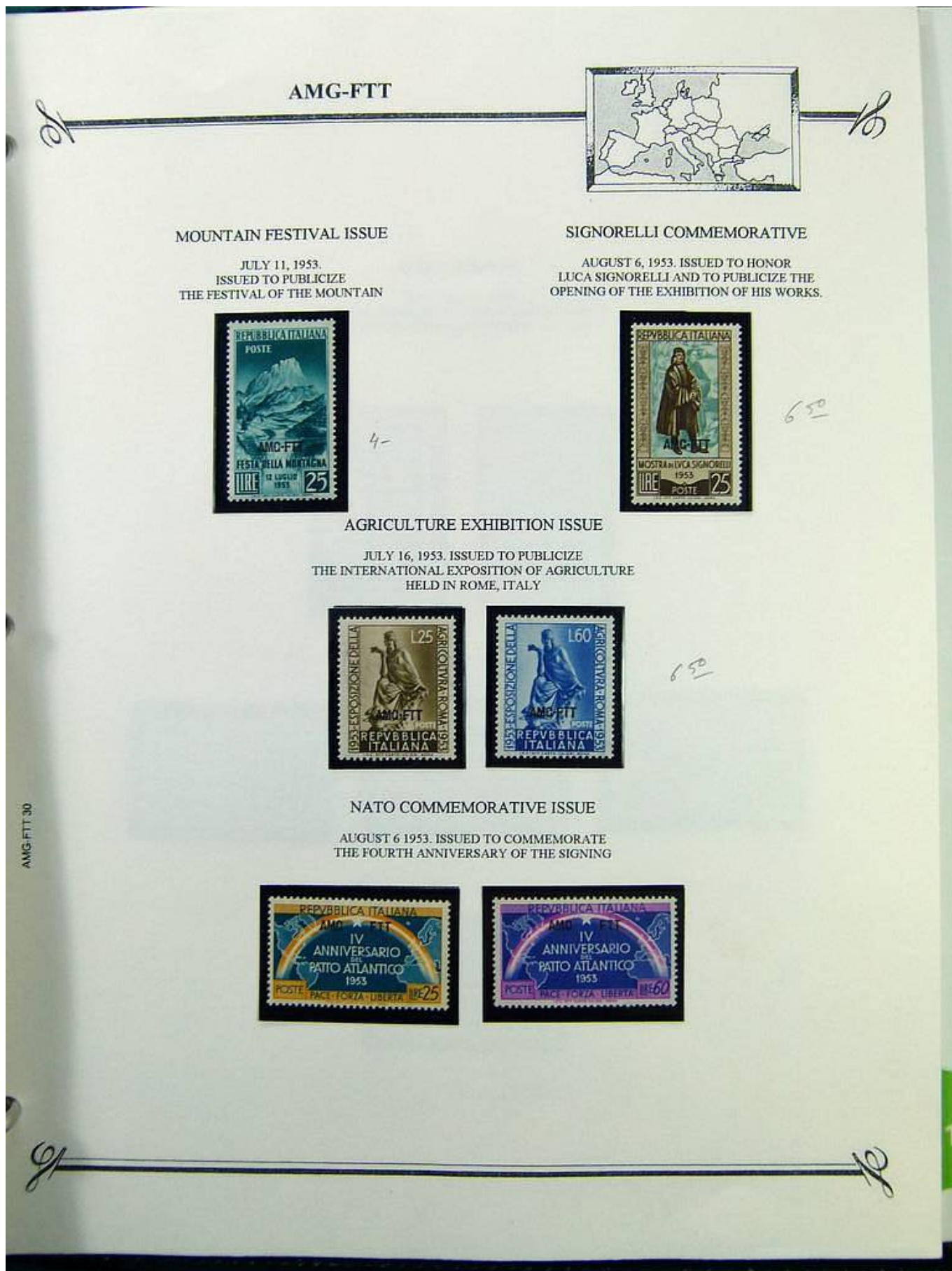


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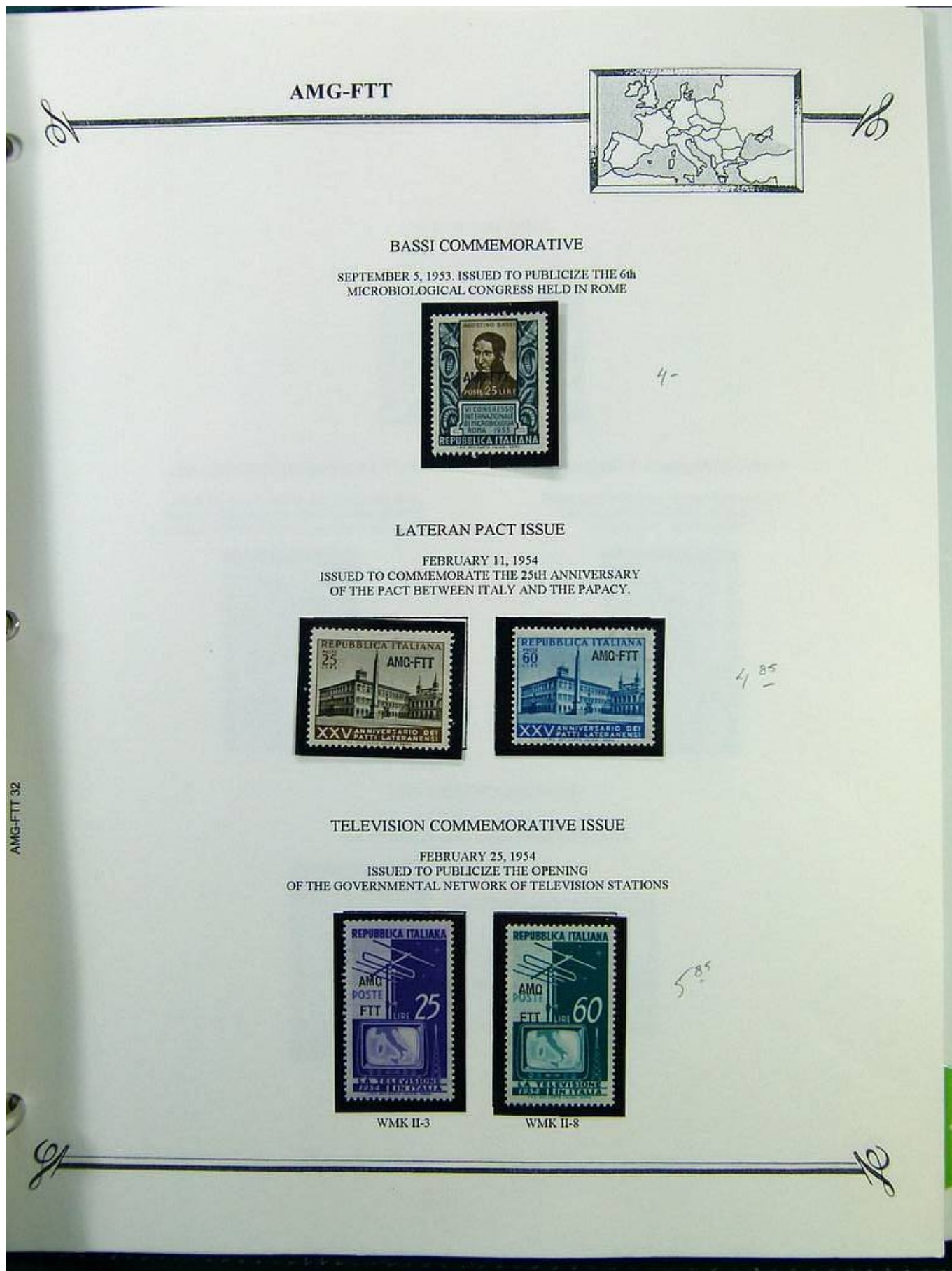


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TAX APPEAL ISSUE

MARCH 20, 1954. ISSUED TO
URGE ALL CITIZENS TO PAY THEIR PROPER TAXES



HELICOPTER COMMEMORATIVE

APRIL 24, 1954. ISSUED TO PUBLICIZE THE
FIRST EXPERIMENTAL TRANSPORT OF MAIL
BY HELICOPTER FROM MILAN TO TURIN, ITALY



RESISTANCE COMMEMORATIVE

JUNE 1, 1954 ISSUED TO COMMEMORATE
THE 10th ANNIVERSARY OF ITALY'S
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1954 TRIESTE FAIR ISSUE

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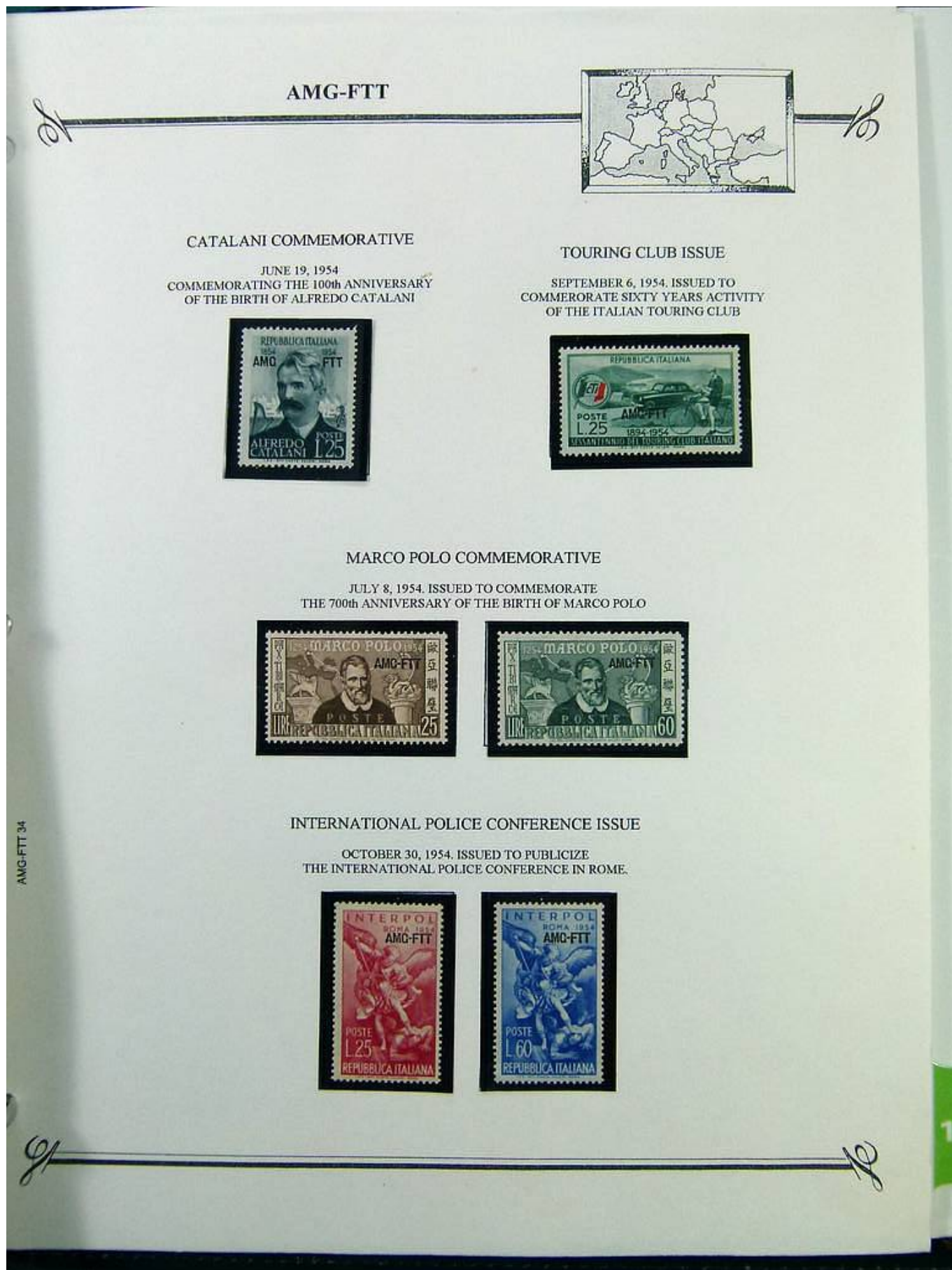


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Italy -- Trieste AMG-FTT

Occupation Air Post Stamps

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Italy -- Trieste AMG-FTT Occupation Special Delivery Stamps

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Italy -- Trieste AMG-FTT Occupation Authorized Delivery Stamps

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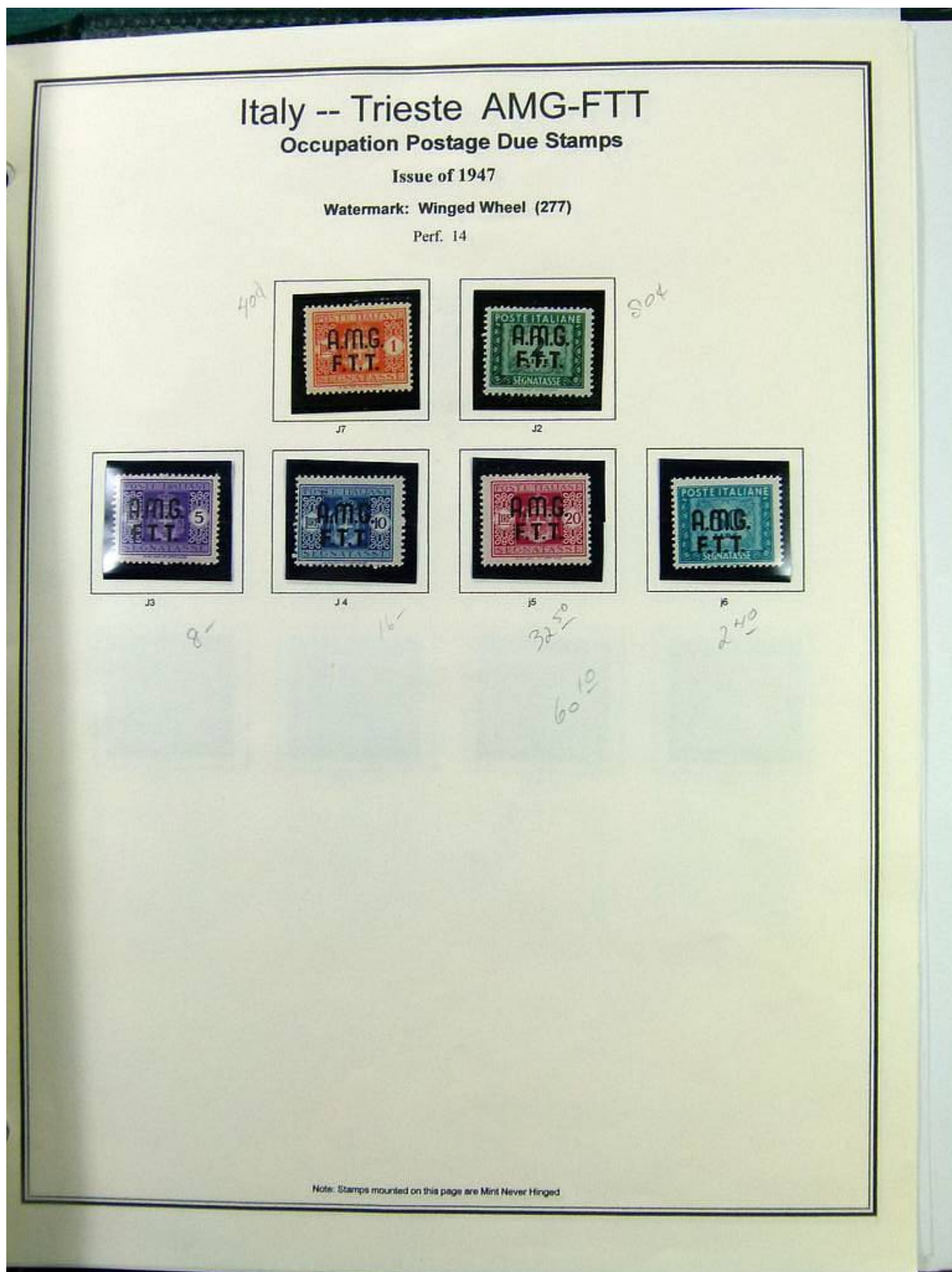


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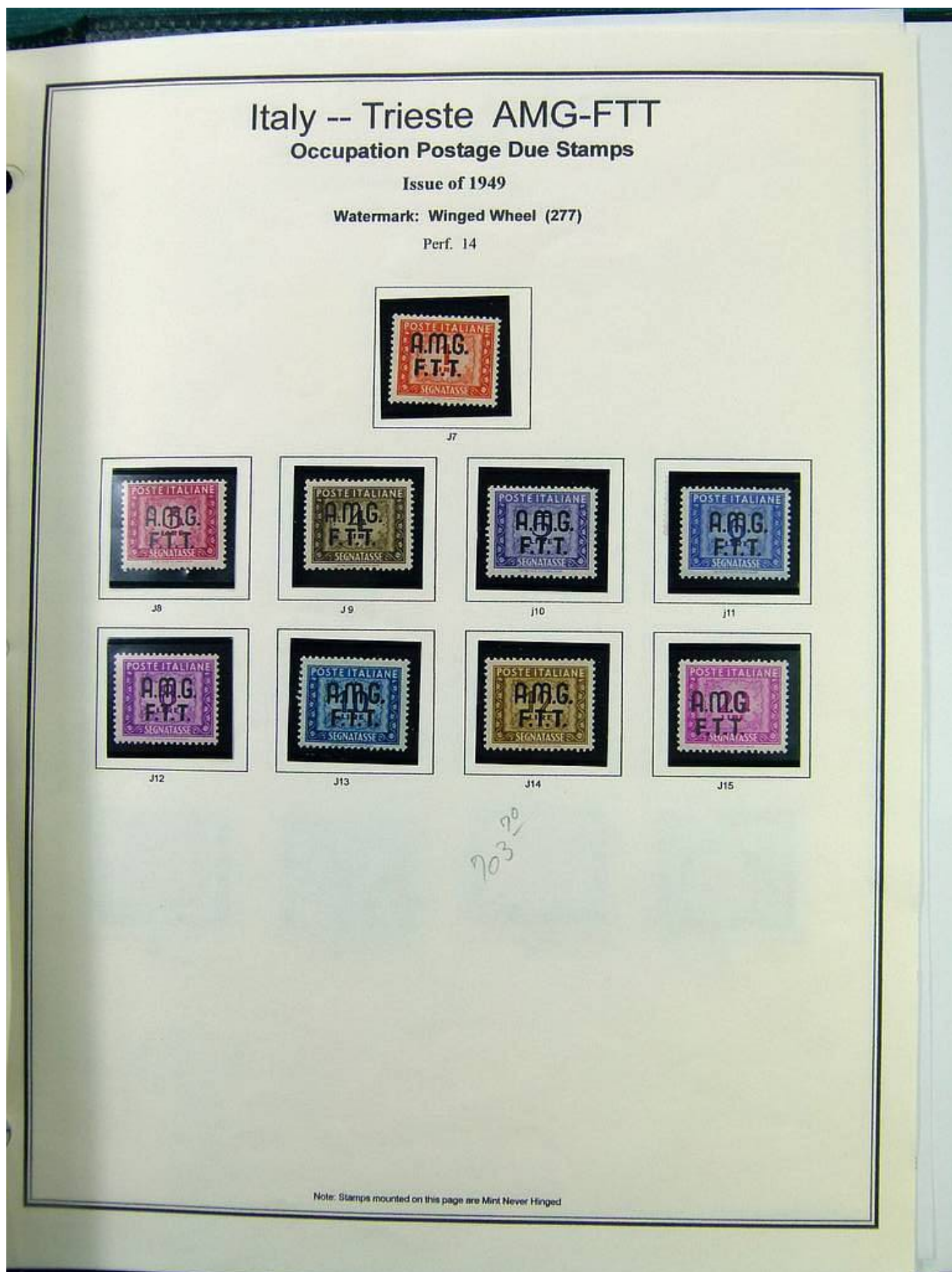


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