

Stamps In The News

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Taking a backward glance for a moment at the hundreds of stamps issued by many nations all over the world during 1960, it would be difficult to point a finger at any one particular stamp as the "outstanding" issue of the year.

However, this column does agree with "Stamps," one of the most respected weekly philatelic publications, that the "most meaningful" would be the World Refugee Years stamps.

These were issued by nearly 80 different countries of the free

ALL SPARE, THEN OUT

LIMA, Ohio (AP)—After Rosella Bonifas bowled an all spare game of 180 she became so excited that she pinched her finger between two bowling balls and had to quit for the night.

world echoing a common plea for and publicizing the plight of the millions of unfortunate victims of tyranny and oppression in all corners of the globe. The prime mover behind the scenes was the United Nations.

The government of Ceylon has issued a special stamp to honor



its late prime minister, the Honorable S. W. R. D. Bandaranaike. The 10 cents blue adhesive shows a three quarter head portrait of Mr. Bandaranaike. The stamps were printed by Courvoisier of Switzerland in sheets of 100.

The Republic of Korea has issued a three value set honoring Christmas and New Years. The 15 hwan shows a boy with a cow. The 25 hwan depicts the star of Bethlehem. The 30 hwan illustrates a girl holding a New Year's Day greeting.

Nigeria has issued a 13 value definitive set designed to depict the manifold cultural, economic, natural and technological resources of the Federation of Nigeria. The designs feature groundnuts, coal mining, education, pottery, weaving, Benin Mask, Oyo Carver, horn bill bird, camel train and map, Central Bank, Nigerian Museum, Kano Airport, and Lagos Terminal. The last four are airmails.

Haiti has overprinted its United Nations 15th anniversary set for UNICEF. The two airmails and

one for regular postage are overprinted "UNICEF plus 25 centimes." The design depicts a view of the United Nations Building against a skyline of New York City.

Also reported from Haiti is a set of six values to mark the inauguration of the first steps in the construction of the international airport at Port-au-Prince. The stamps show jet planes in flight.

Conservation leaders here are looking forward to issuance of the world's first range conservation postage stamp by the Post Office Department in Salt Lake City, Klamath Forest Supervisor Charles Yates said recently.

The commemorative four-cent stamp, printed in three colors, will be issued Feb. 2 at the American Society of Range Management's annual meeting at Salt Lake City.

The stamp will go on sale at the post office here on the following day, Feb. 2.

The stamp is in two parts. One part is a reproduction of the famous drawing, "Trail Boss," by

Charles Russell, the distinguished artist of western life. The other part shows a modern range conservation scene.

The new stamp, Supervisor Yates said, symbolizes the development of range conservation from the pioneer days of the open range to today's scientific management techniques.

Those who are interested in a "first-day cover," a souvenir envelope, can mail addressed envelopes plus a money order or certified check for the number of stamps required to the postmaster at Salt Lake City who will place the range conservation stamp on the envelopes, cancel with a special cancellation mark used only on that day and at that place, and mail as addressed anywhere in the country, Supervisor Yates pointed out.



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