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1877



1864-1872



1892





ARGENTINA

The second largest South American republic. Area: 1,072,067 sq. mi.; pop.: 20,005,691 (97% European, largely Spanish and Italian, descent). Official language: Spanish. Capital: Buenos Aires (3,150,000). Producer of agricultural and pastoral products on a vast scale. 100 Centavos = 1 Peso.



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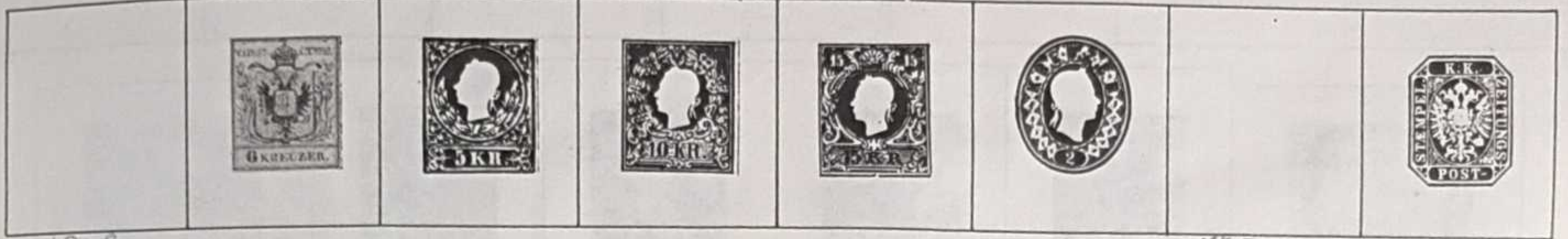
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AUSTRIA - OSTERREICH

After the First World War, in 1918, the various nationalities of the Austro-Hungarian Monarchy established their own states. The remaining German-speaking parts formed the Austrian republic. The republic is situated in Central Europe and has an area of 32,388 sq. mi. Population: 7,073,807. Language: German. Capital: Vienna (1,627,566). Part of Germany from 1938 to 1945. 100 Heller = 1 Krone. Since 1925: 100 Groschen = 1 Schilling.



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AUSTRIA — BOSNIA AND HERZEGOVINA

Located in present Yugoslavia. 1879-1908: Turkish provinces under Austro-Hungarian military occupation. 1908-1918: Provinces of Austria-Hungary. Since 1918: part of Yugoslavia. Area: about 20,000 sq. mi.; pop.: (1948): approx. 2,500,000; cap. Sarajevo (118,000). The murder of the Austrian Archduke Francis Ferdinand at Sarajevo (June 28, 1914) set off the First World War. 100 Heller = 1 Krone (1900).

1879-94

1900



1906



1912-1914



1917



1913



1900



1901-04



1910



1912



1916-17



1850 - 1854

1881 POSTAL SAVINGS OVERPRINT



PARCEL POST 1879-1882



1893 - 1900 (TAG REMOVED)



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BELGIUM

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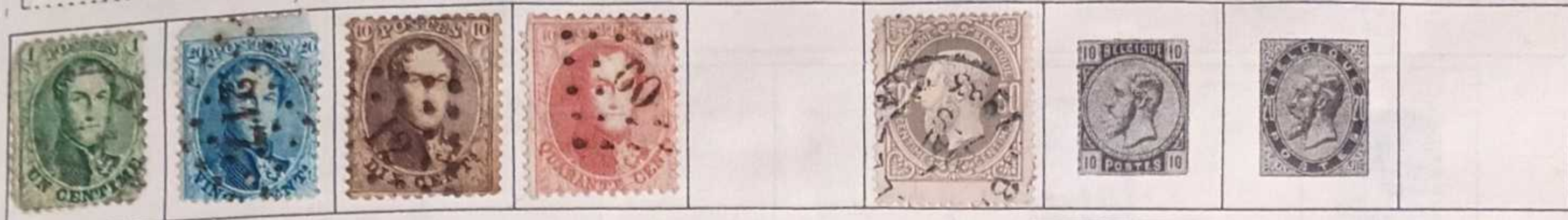
A kingdom of western Europe. Area: 11,774 sq. mi.; pop.: approx. 9,228,729; cap.: Brussels (1,051,665). Languages: Dutch, French. Highly industrialized. Iron and steel production. Textile industries. Diamond cutting. Agriculture. Coal and mineral resources of the Belgian Congo. Until 1831, Belgium was a part of the Netherlands. 100 Centimes = 1 Franc. 5 Francs = 1 Belga.



BELGIUM

1863-1865

1875



Postage Due 1895-1901

1934-1938



BRAZIL

1876



1878



1878-1879



1882-4



1884-85



1885



1887



1888



1893





BRAZIL

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The largest South American republic. Area: 3,286,170 sq. mi.; pop.: 75,271,000 (est. 1962); cap: Rio de Janeiro (3,307,163). Language: Portuguese. Major exports: coffee, cotton, meat, cacao, hides, fruit. An independent empire from 1822 to 1889. Since 1889 a republic officially known as the United States of Brazil. 1000 Reis = 1 Milreis. 100 Centavos = 1 Cruzeiro.



1894 - 1899

