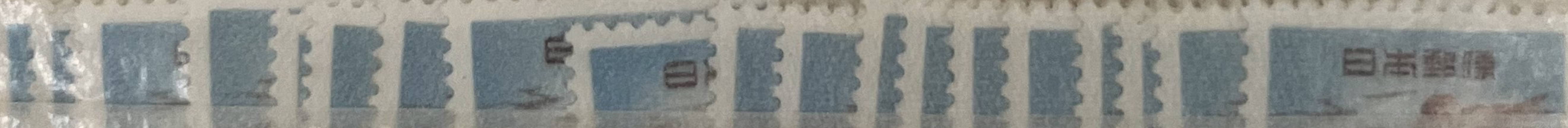
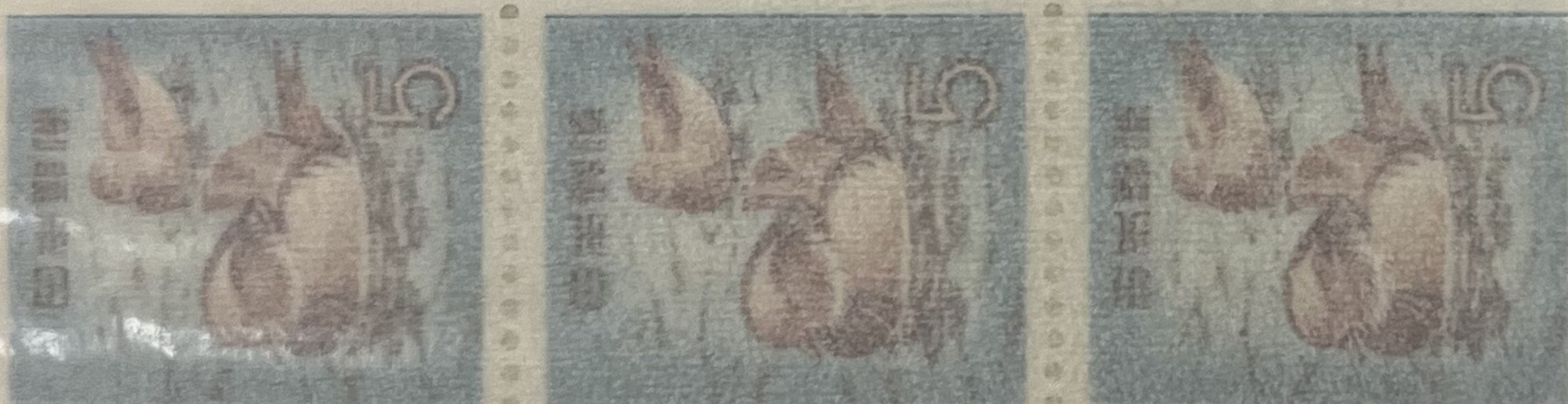




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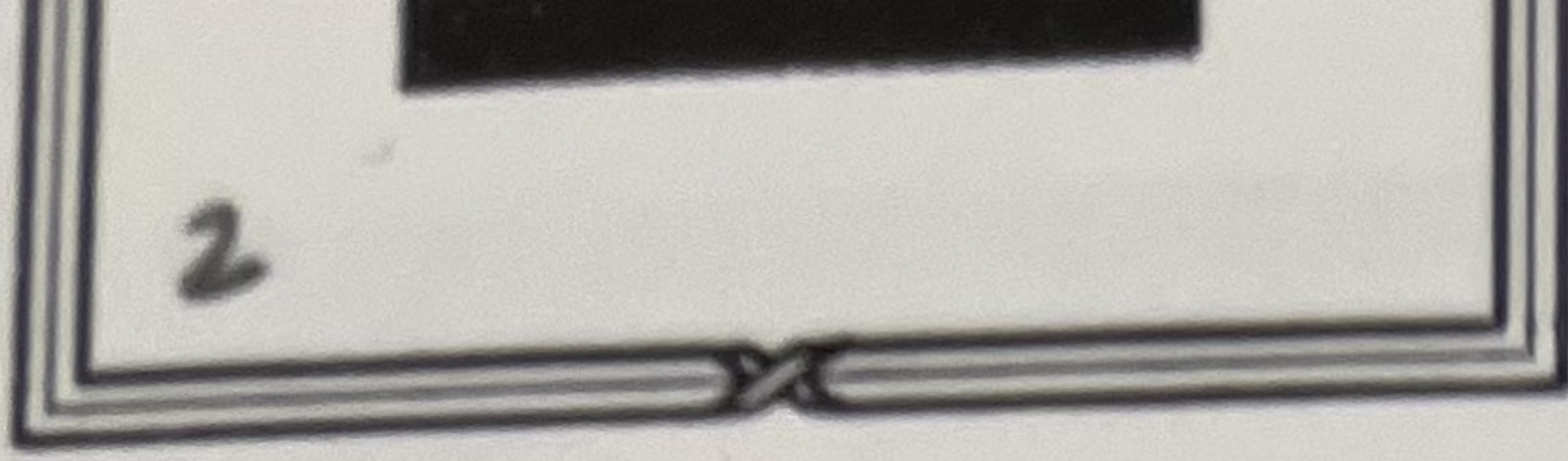




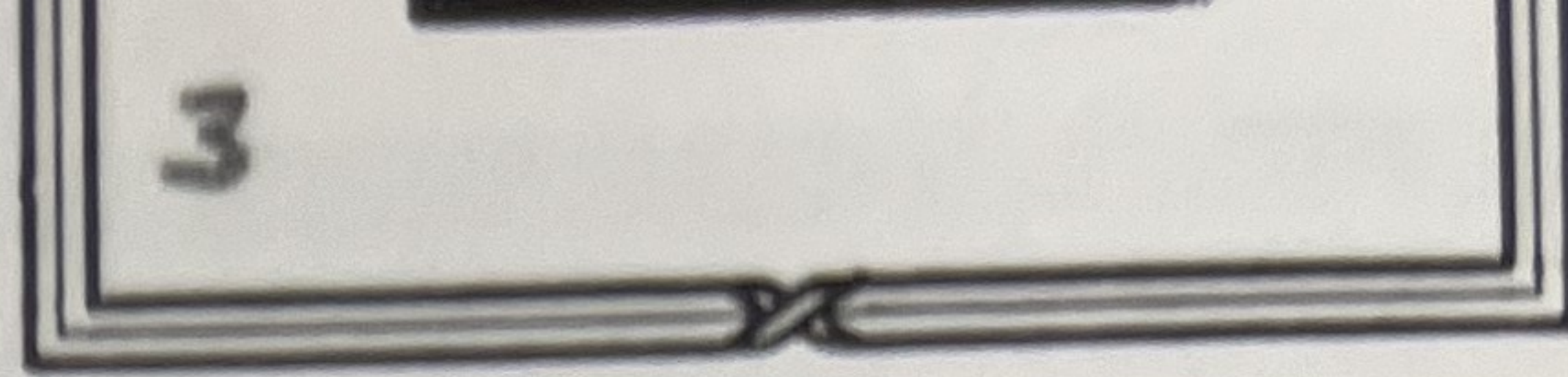




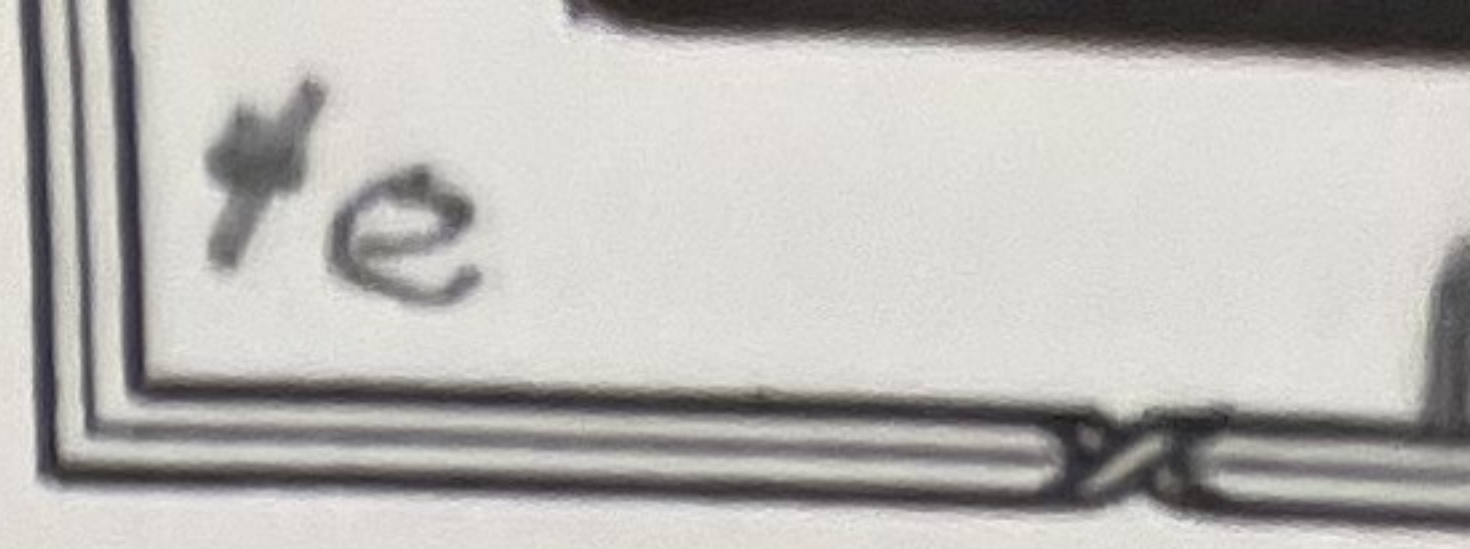




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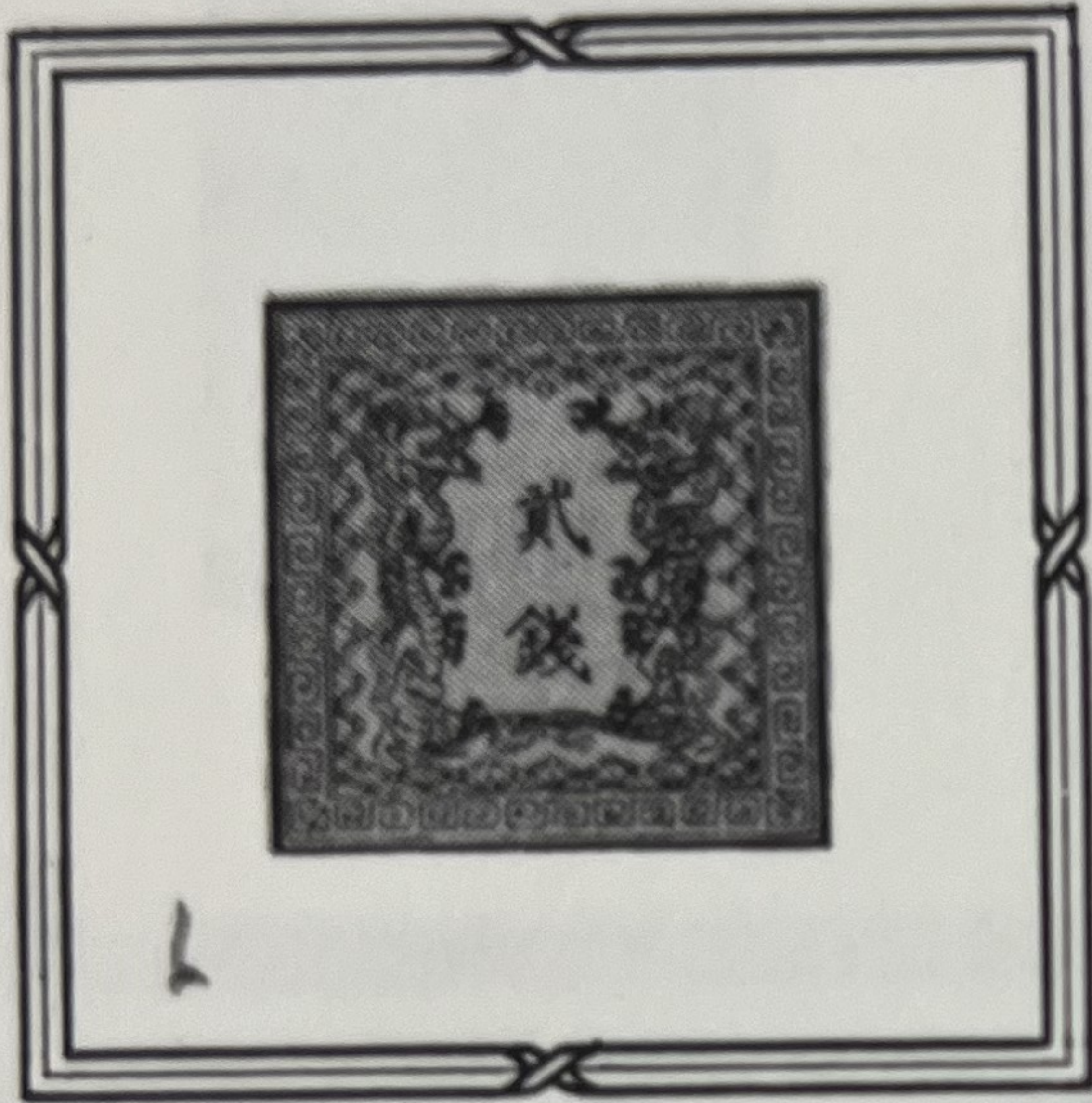
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Perforated 9 to 12 and Compounded



Dragons



Dragons



Dragon

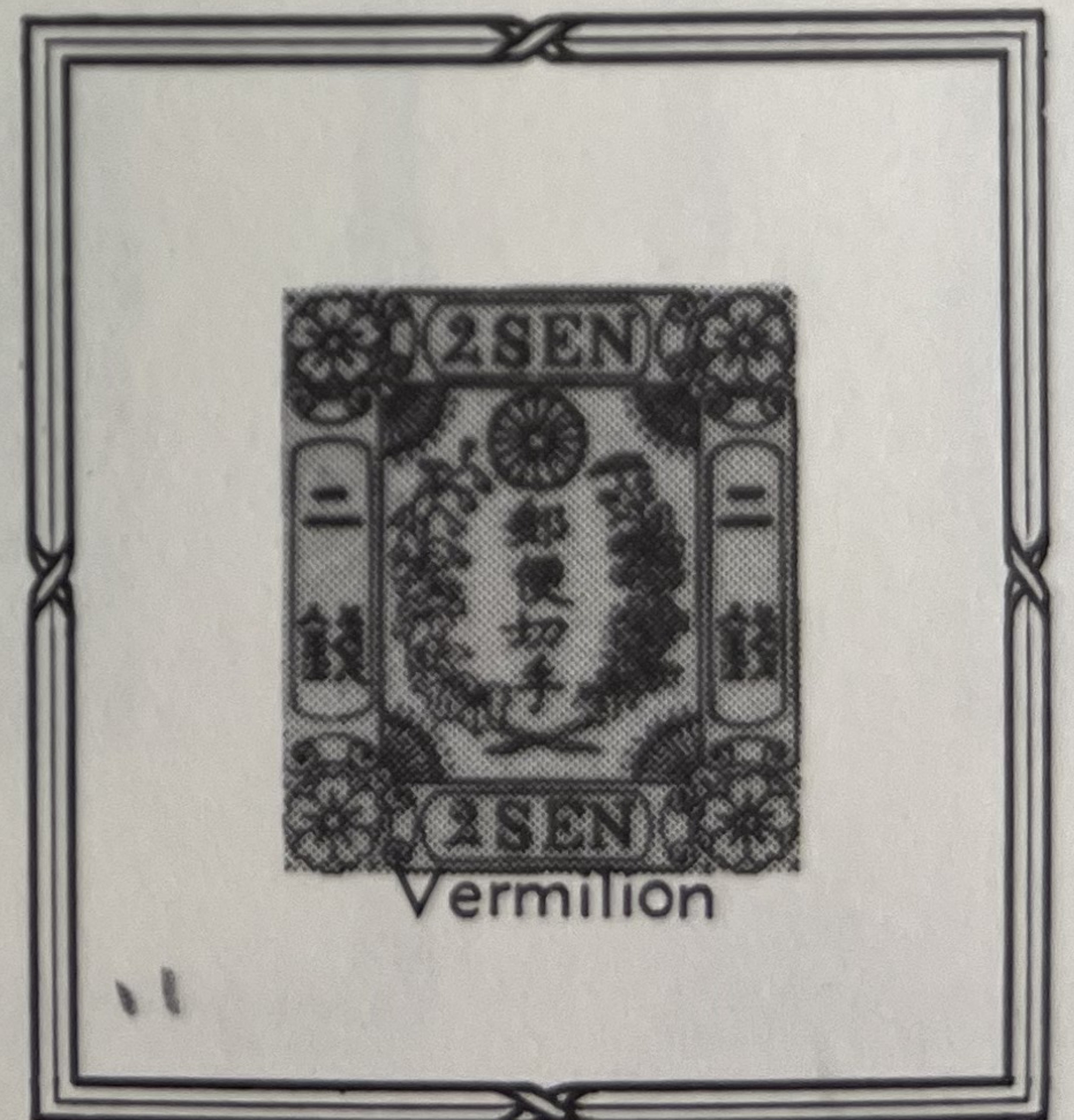
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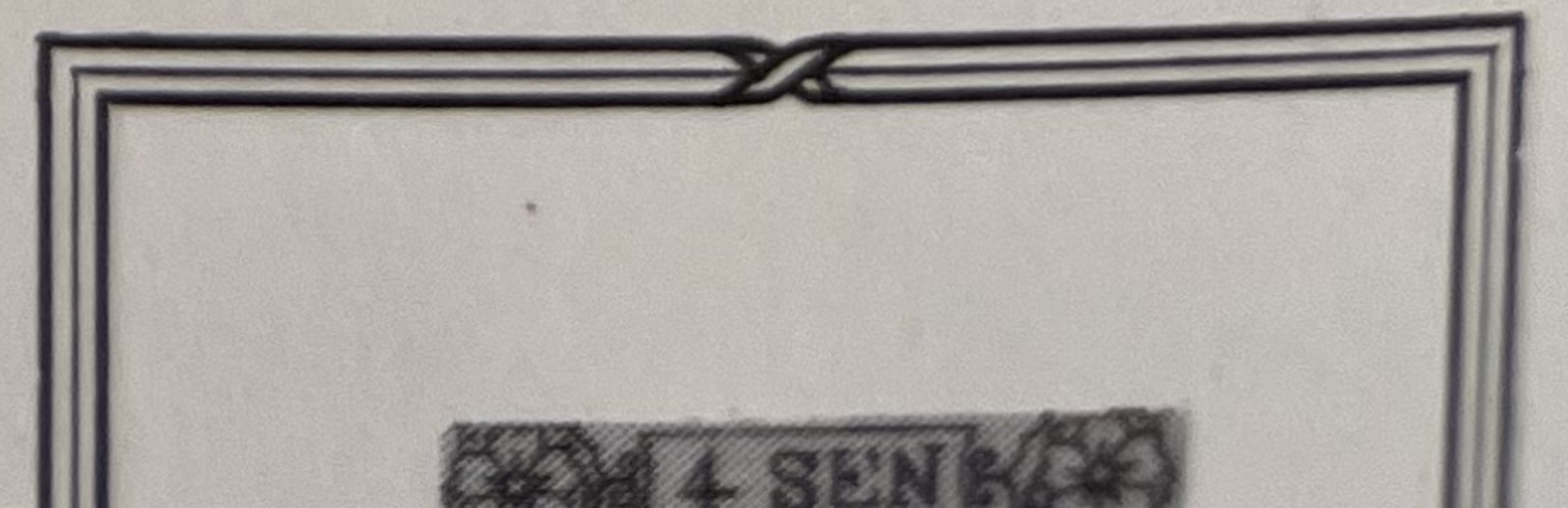
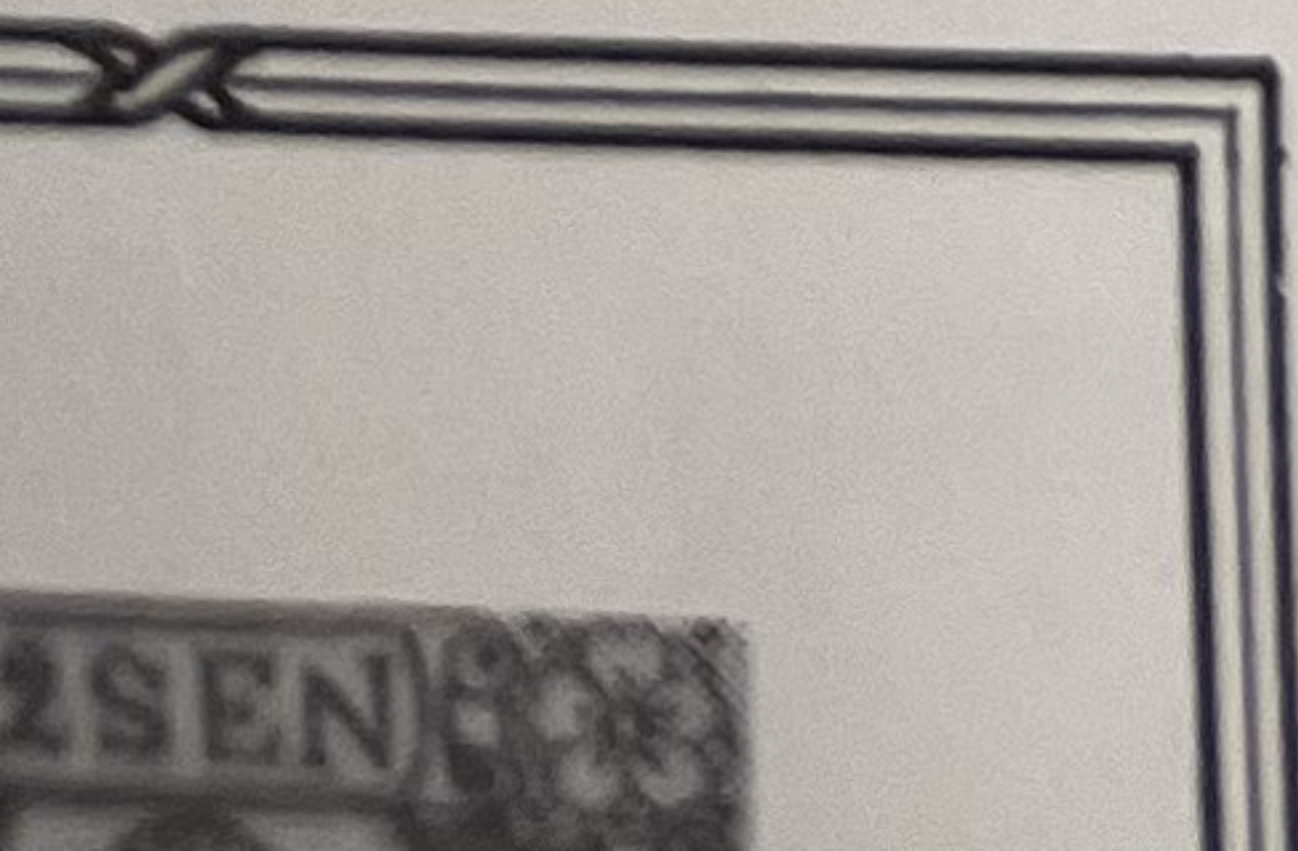
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Crest & Kiri Tree Branches



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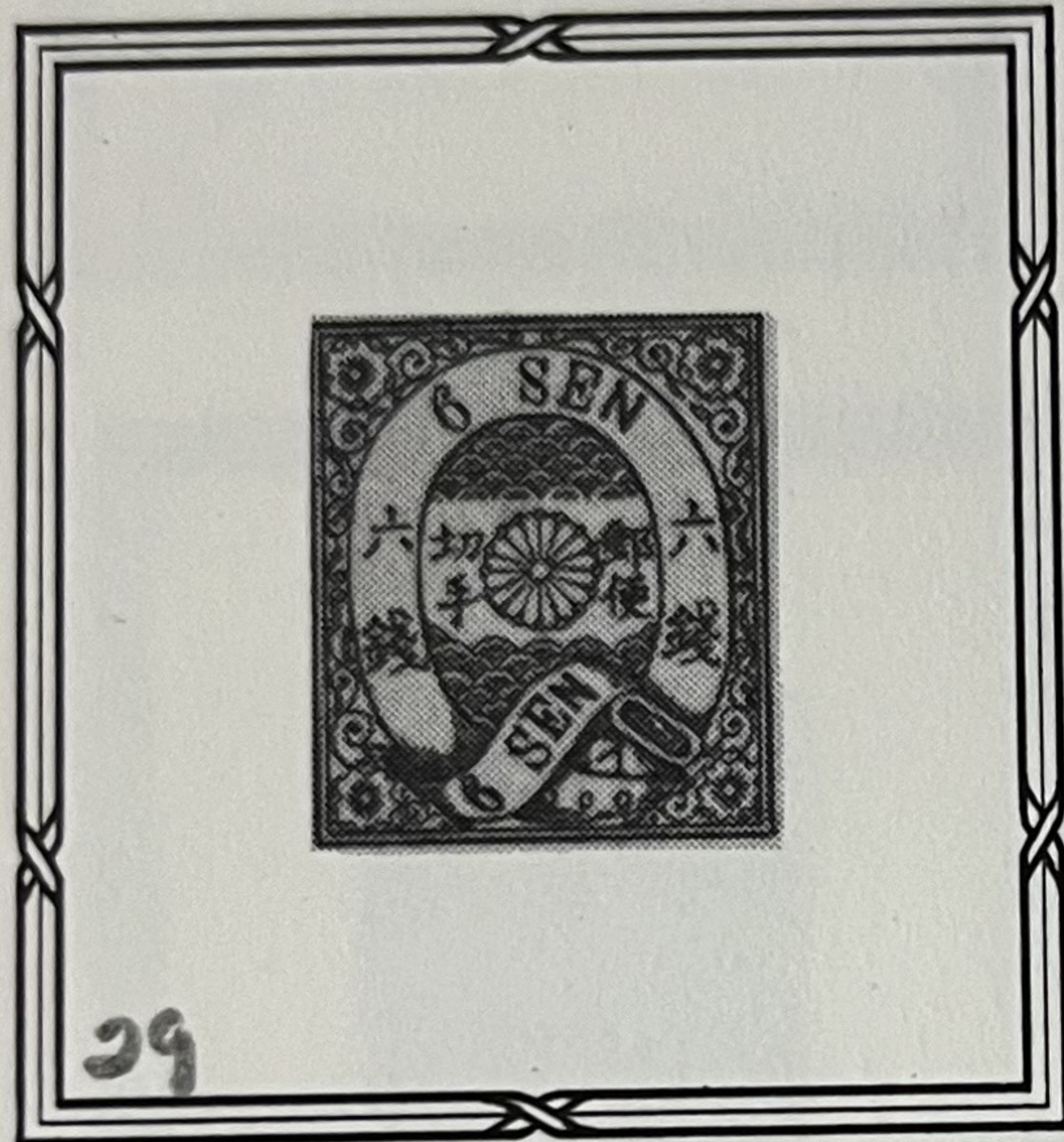


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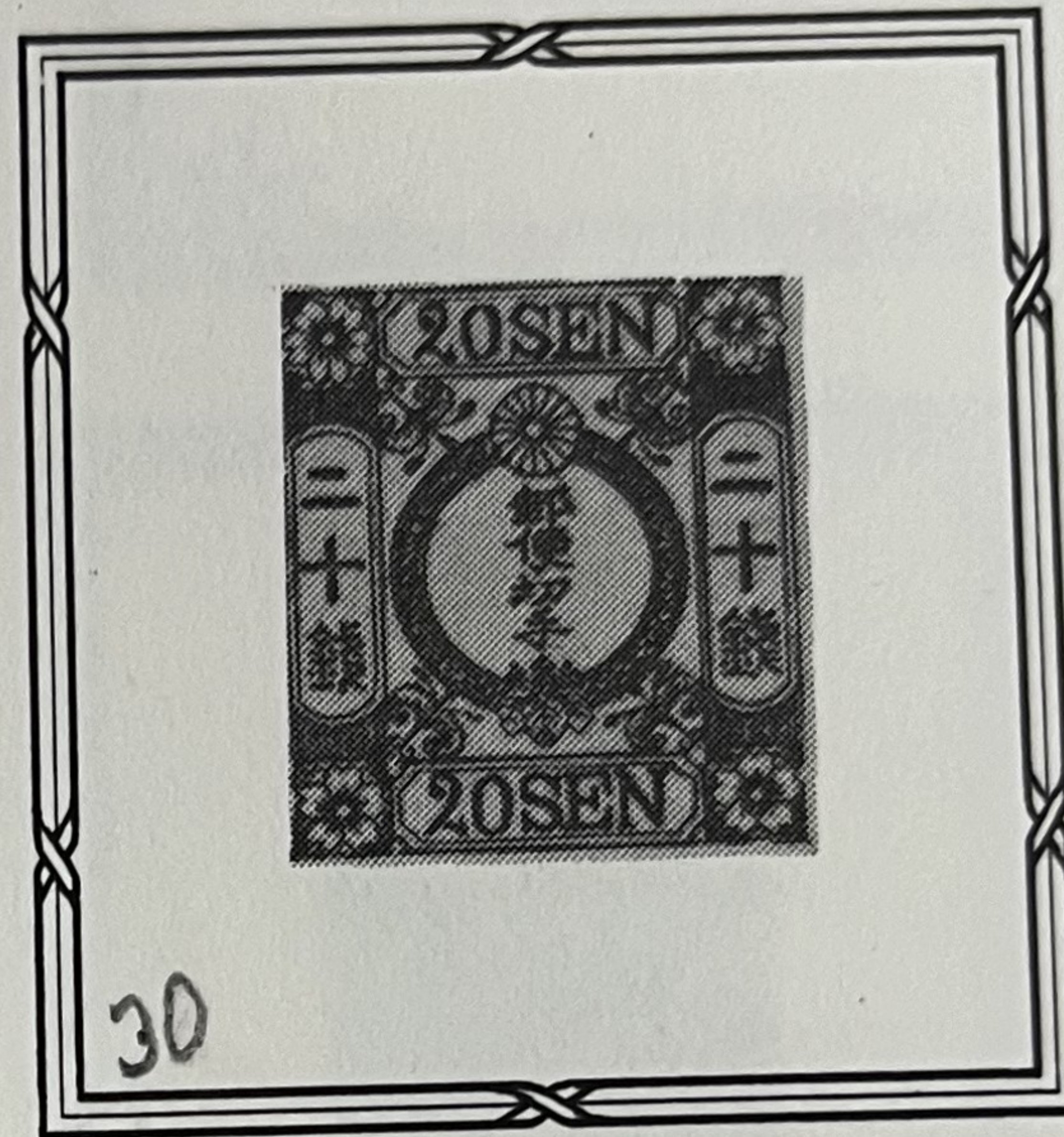
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Chrysanthemum Crest



Chrysanthemum Crest



Imperial Chrysanthemum Crest

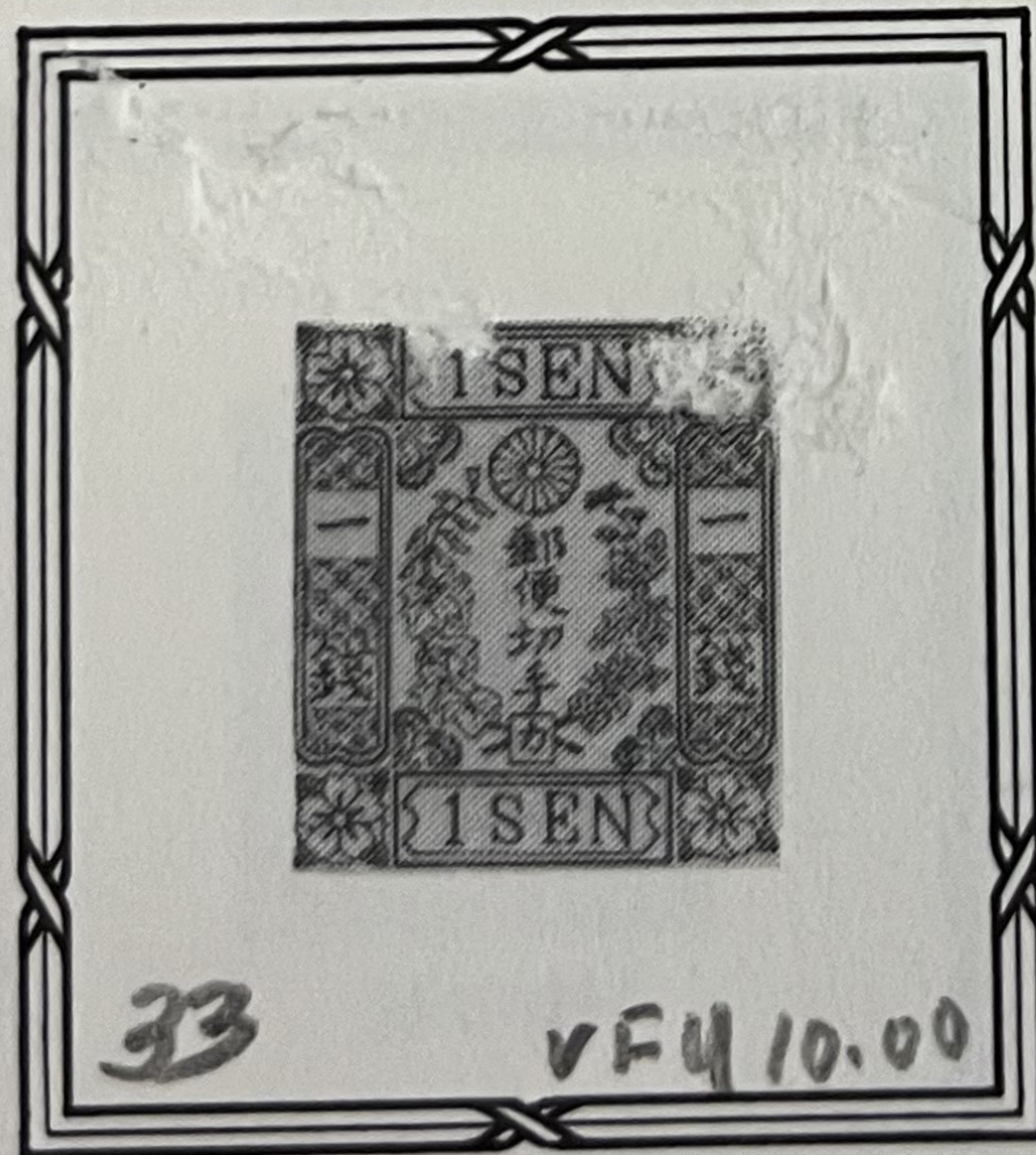


Crest & Kiri Tree Branch

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Chrysanthemum Crest



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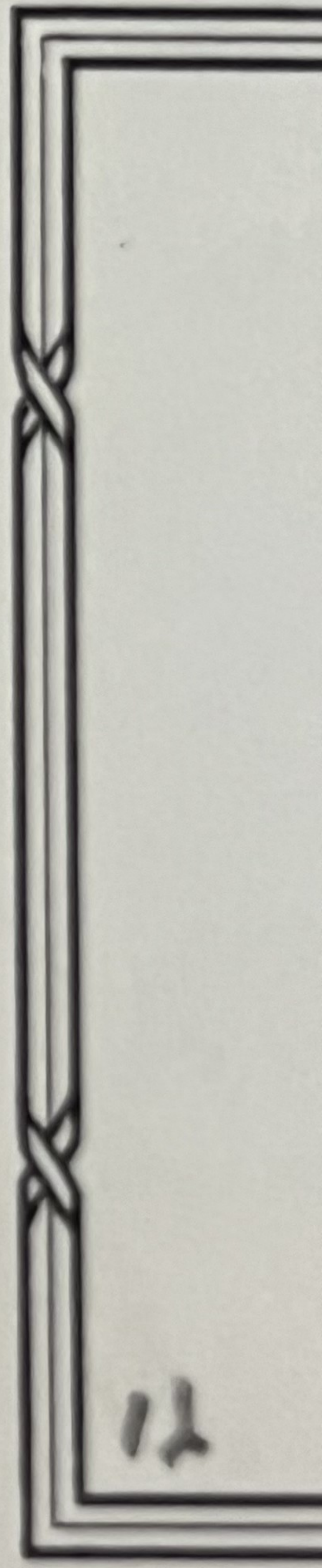


Chrysanthemum Crest





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Dragons & Chrysanthemum



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POSTAL ISSUES



Chrysanthemum Crest



Dragons & Chrysanthemum Crest



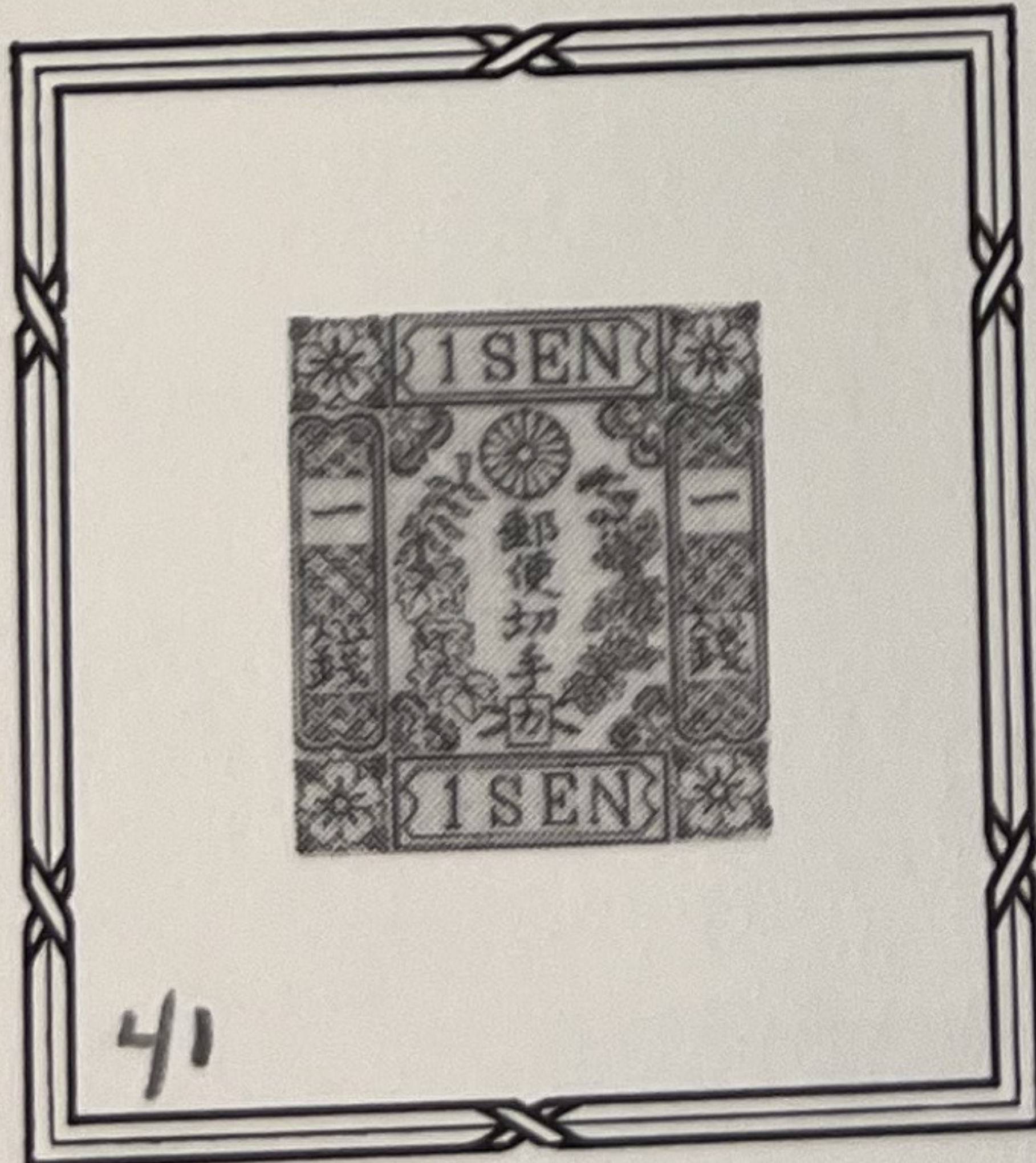
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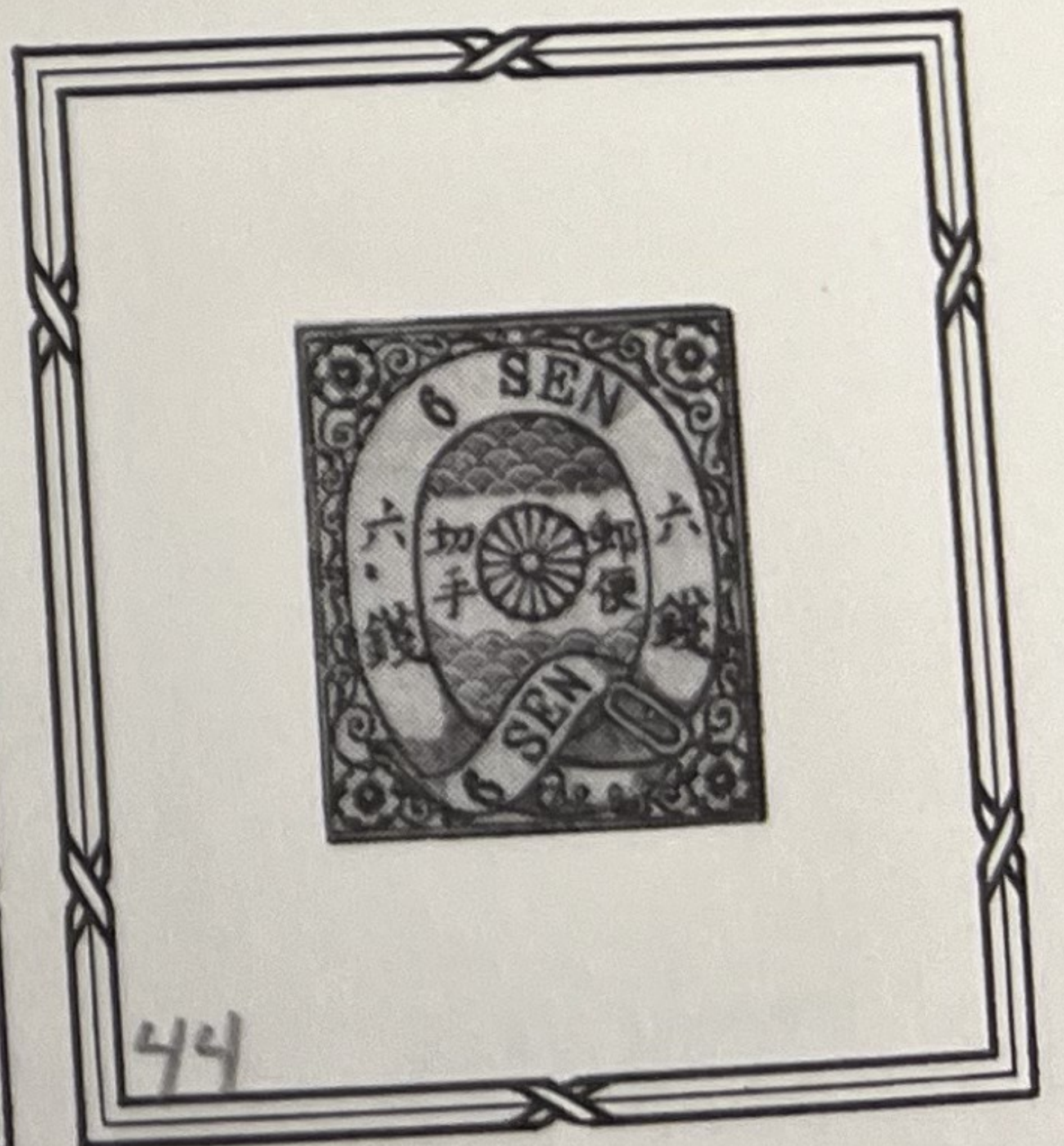
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Chrysanthemum Crest



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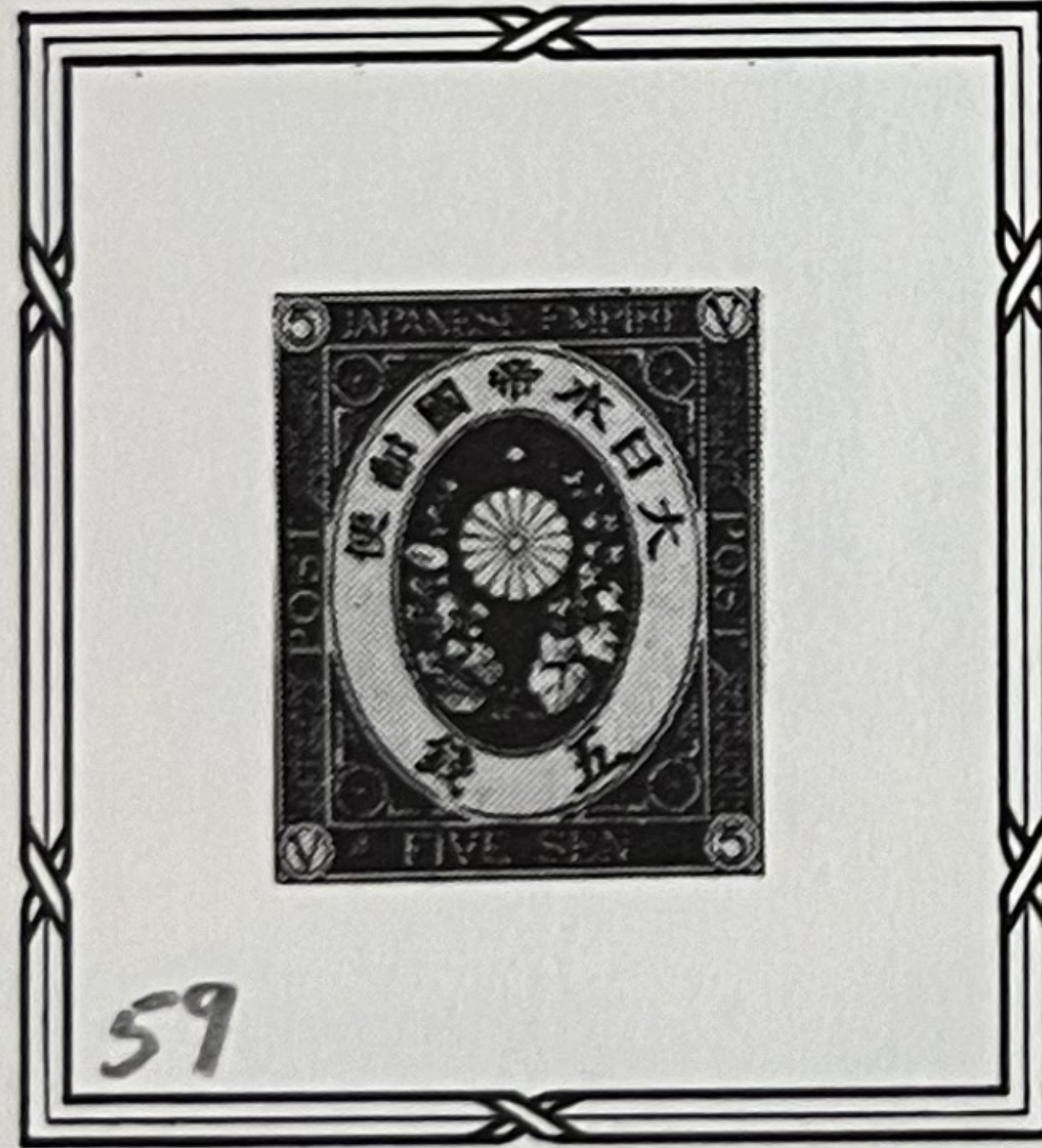
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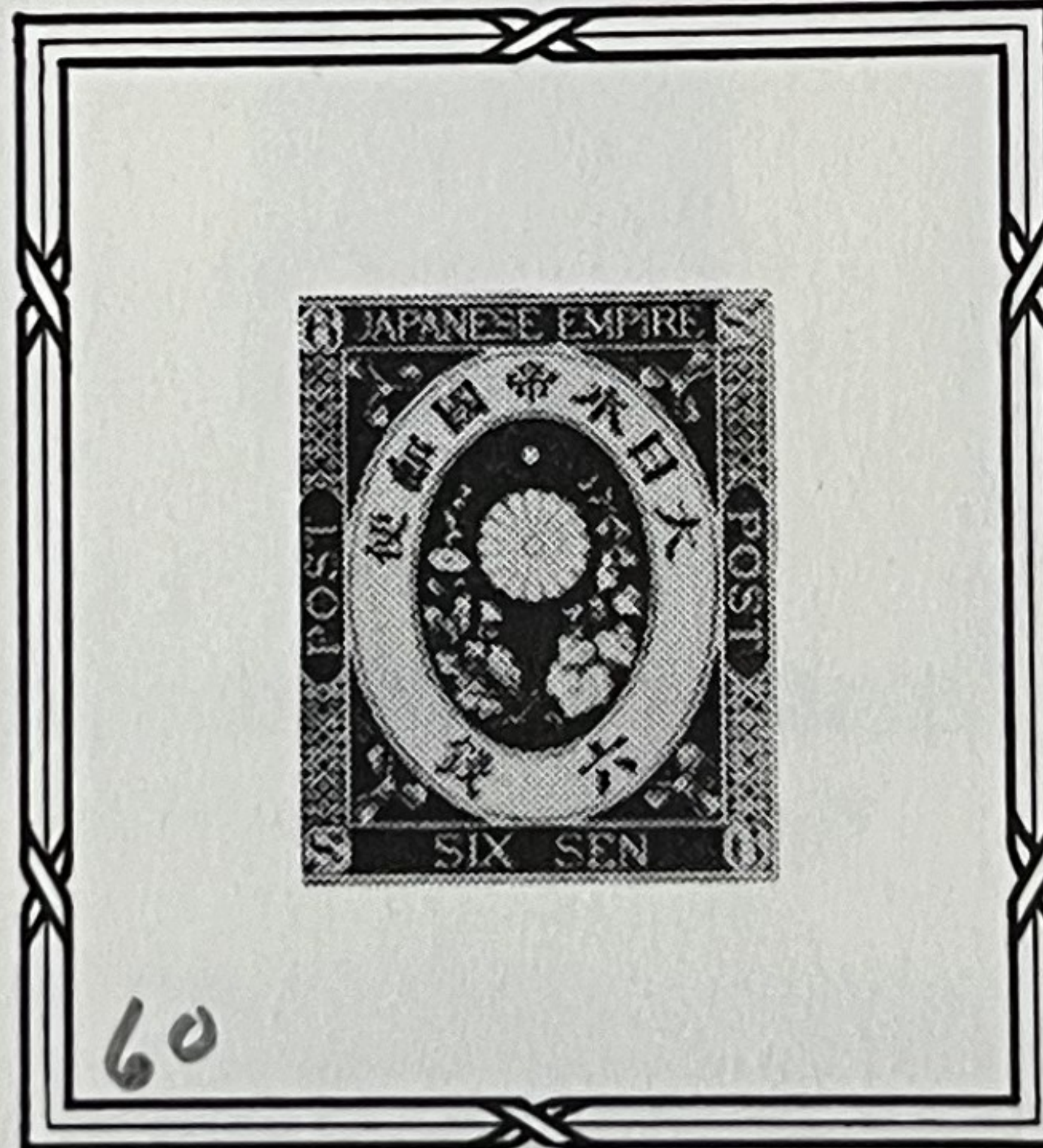
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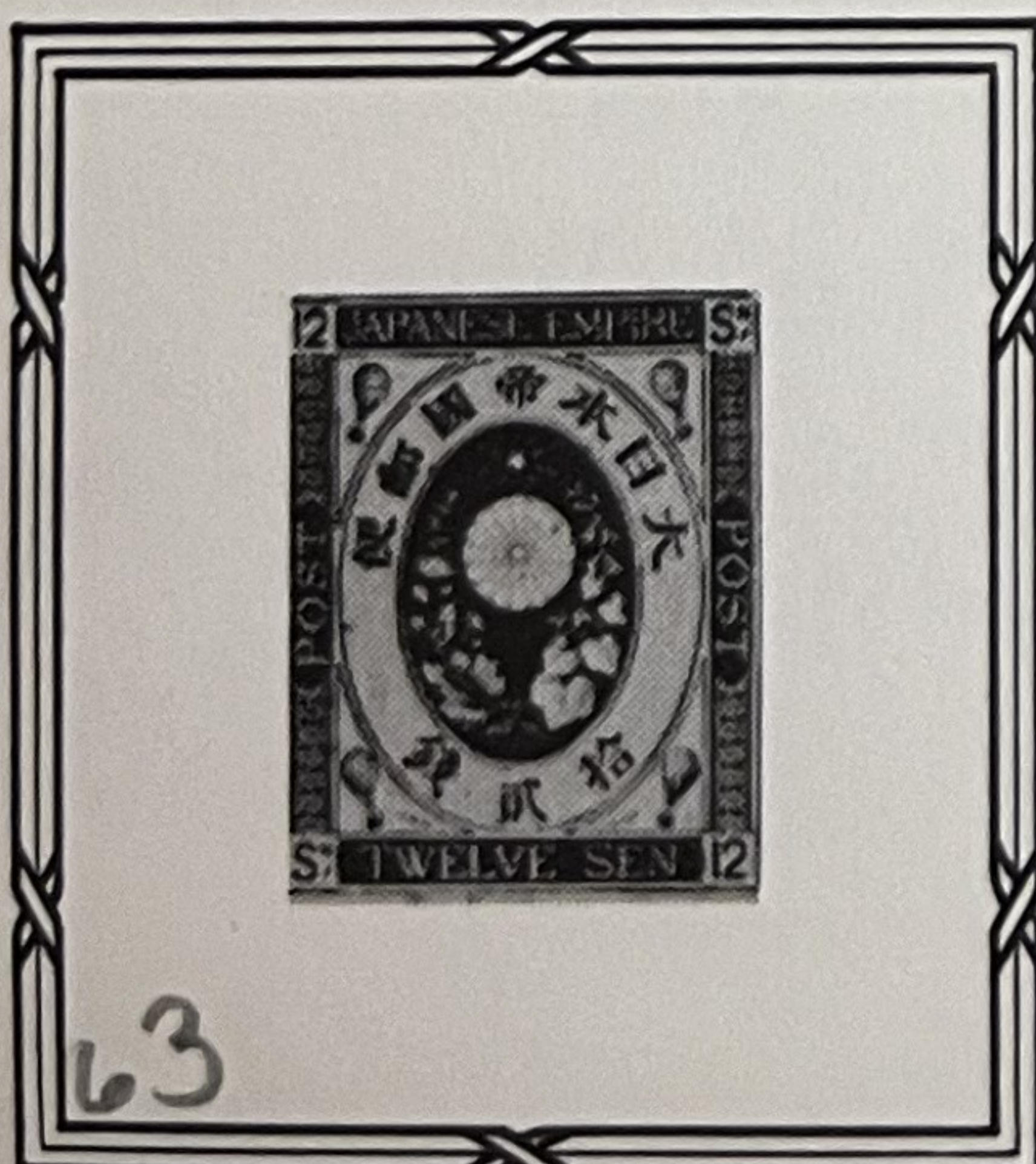
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Imperial Crest, Star & Kiri Branches



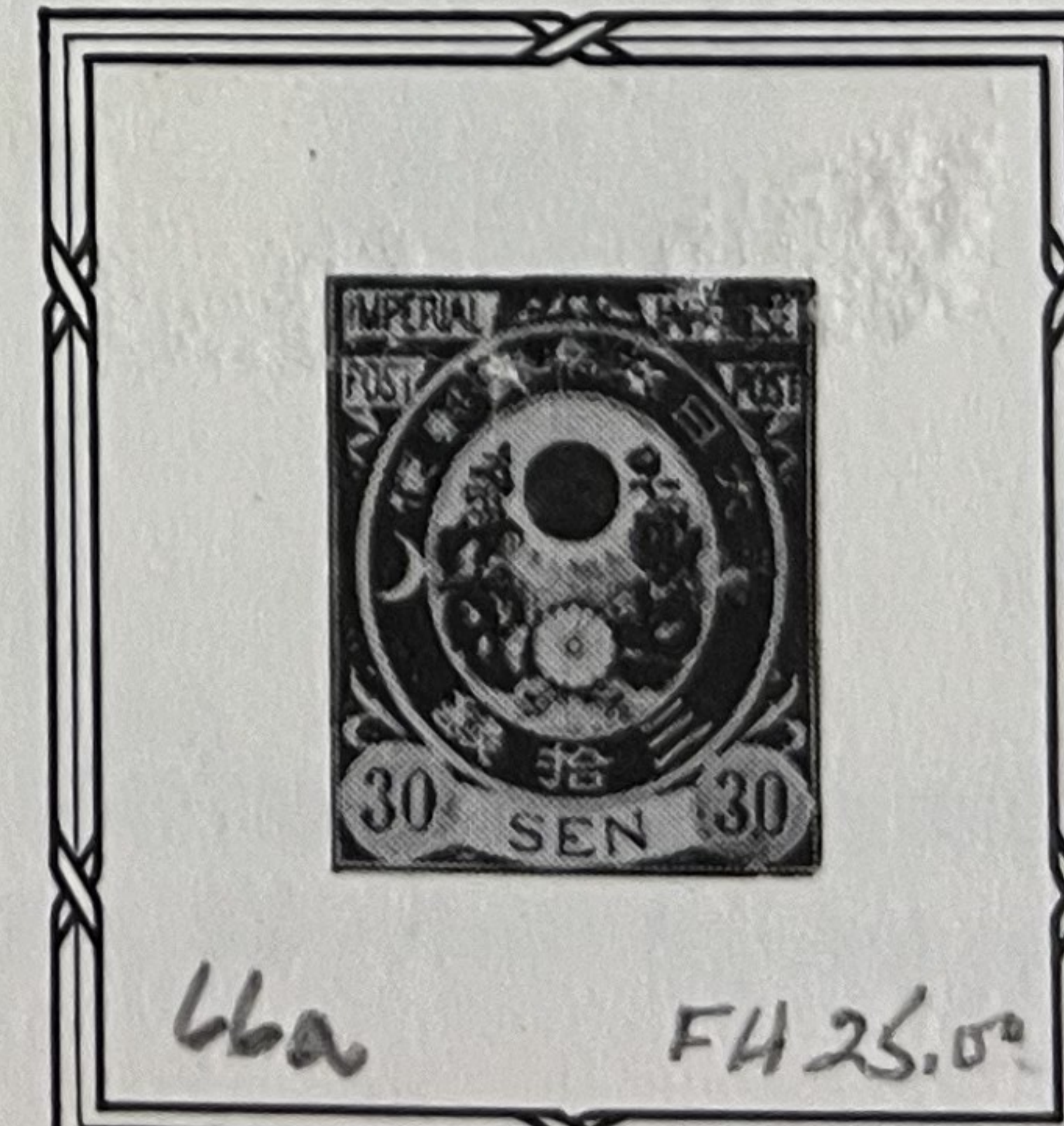
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Sun, Kikumon & Kiri Branches



Sun, Kikumon & Kiri Branches





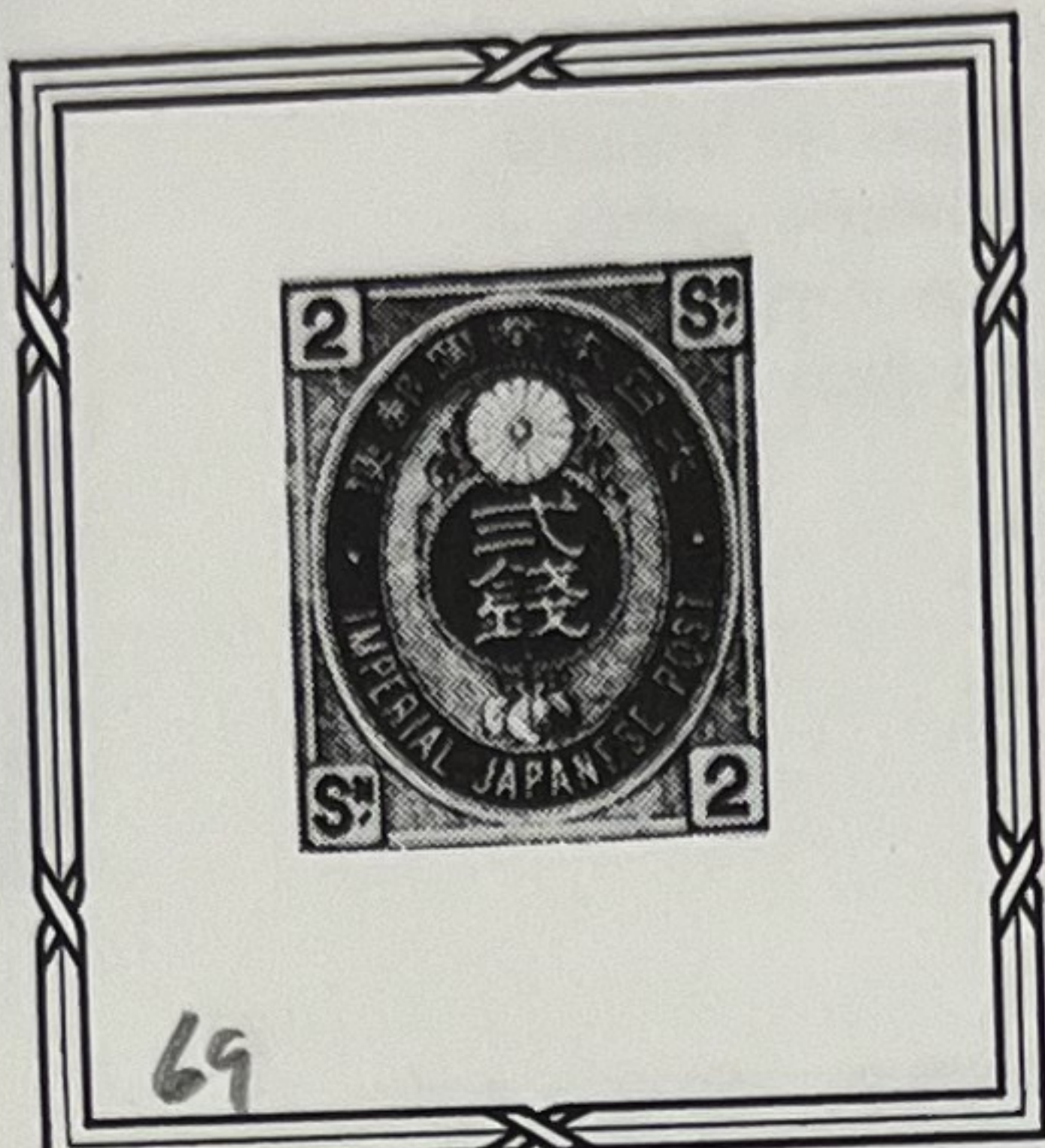
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Sun, Kikumon & Kiri Branches

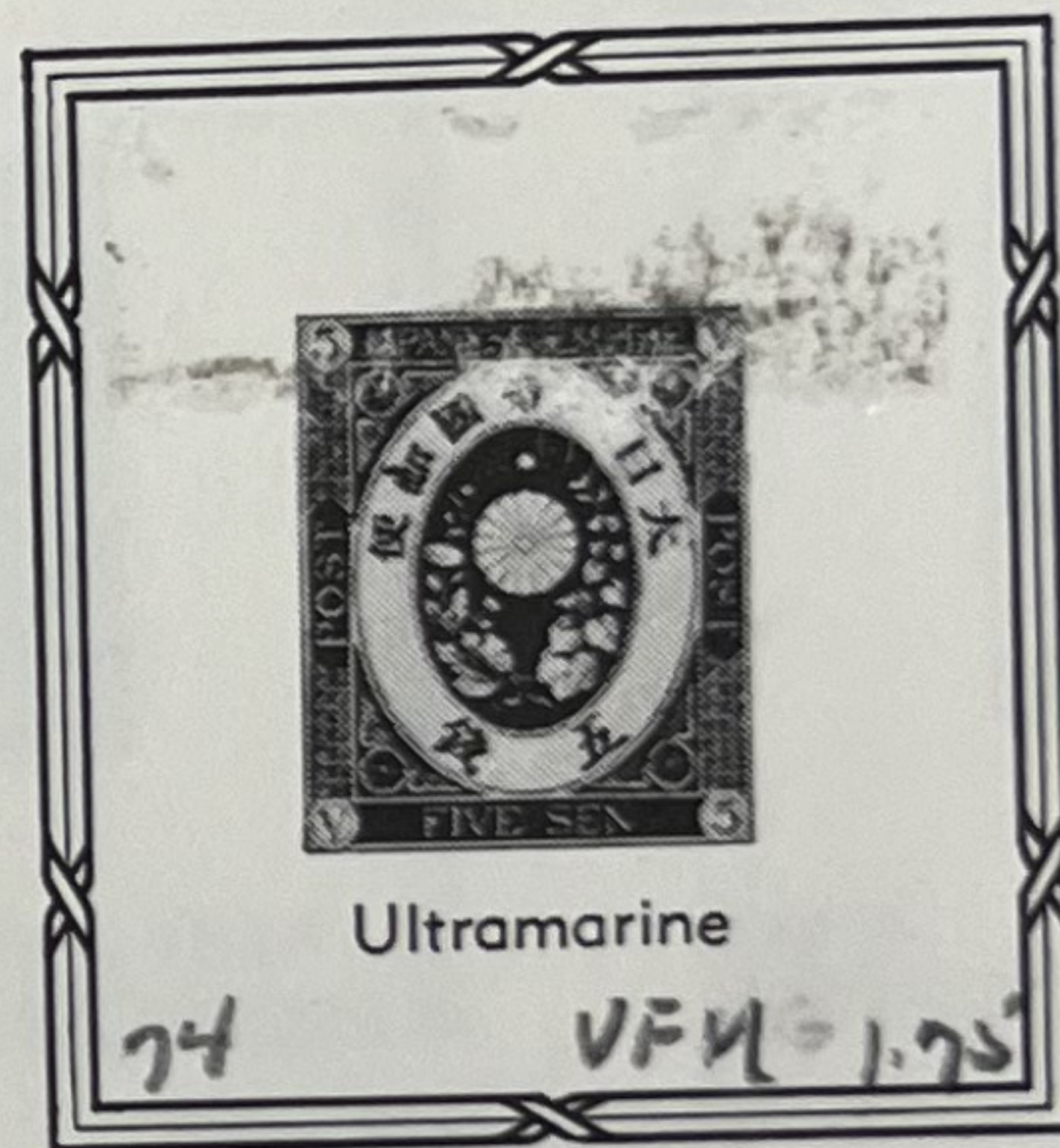
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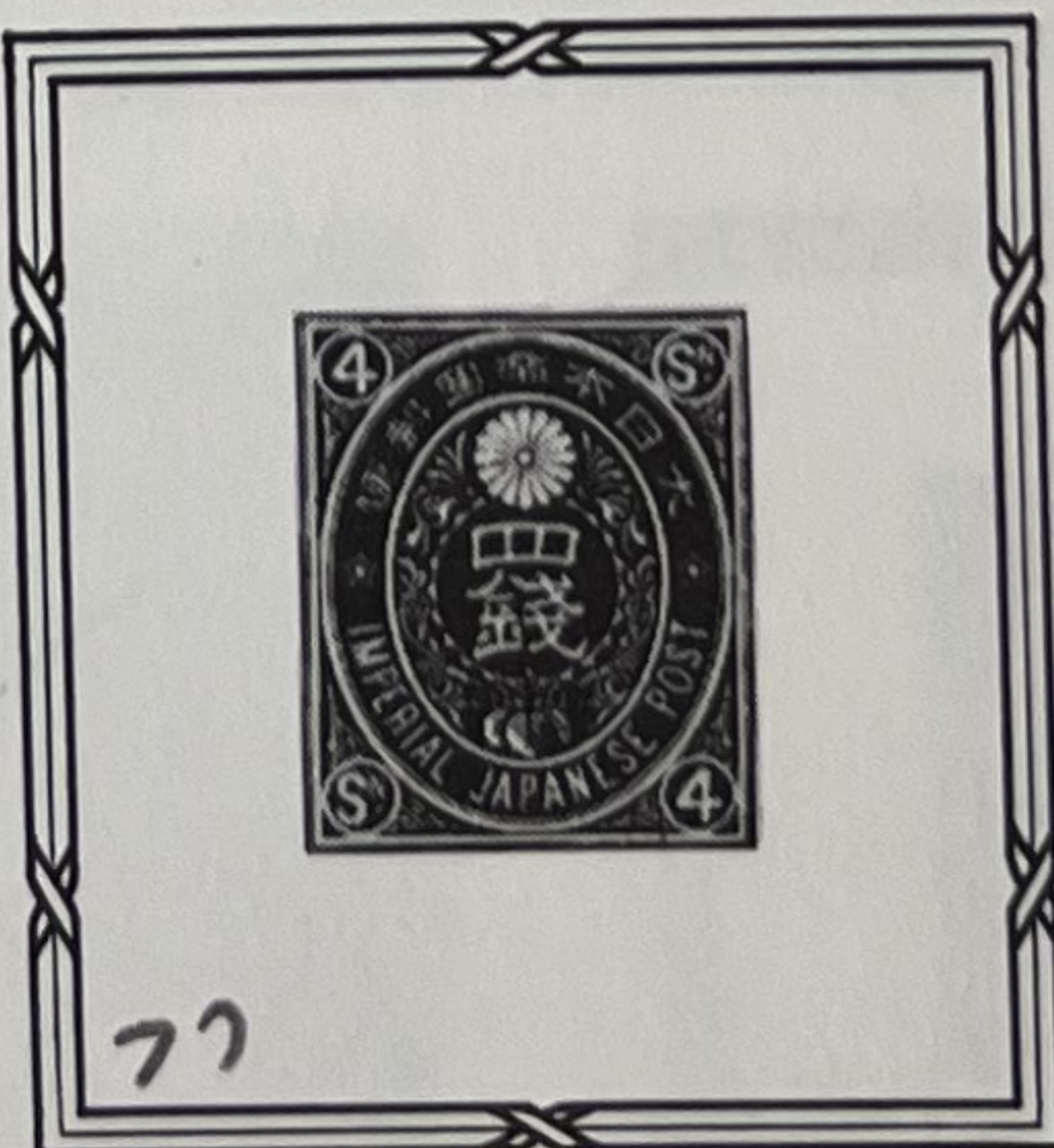
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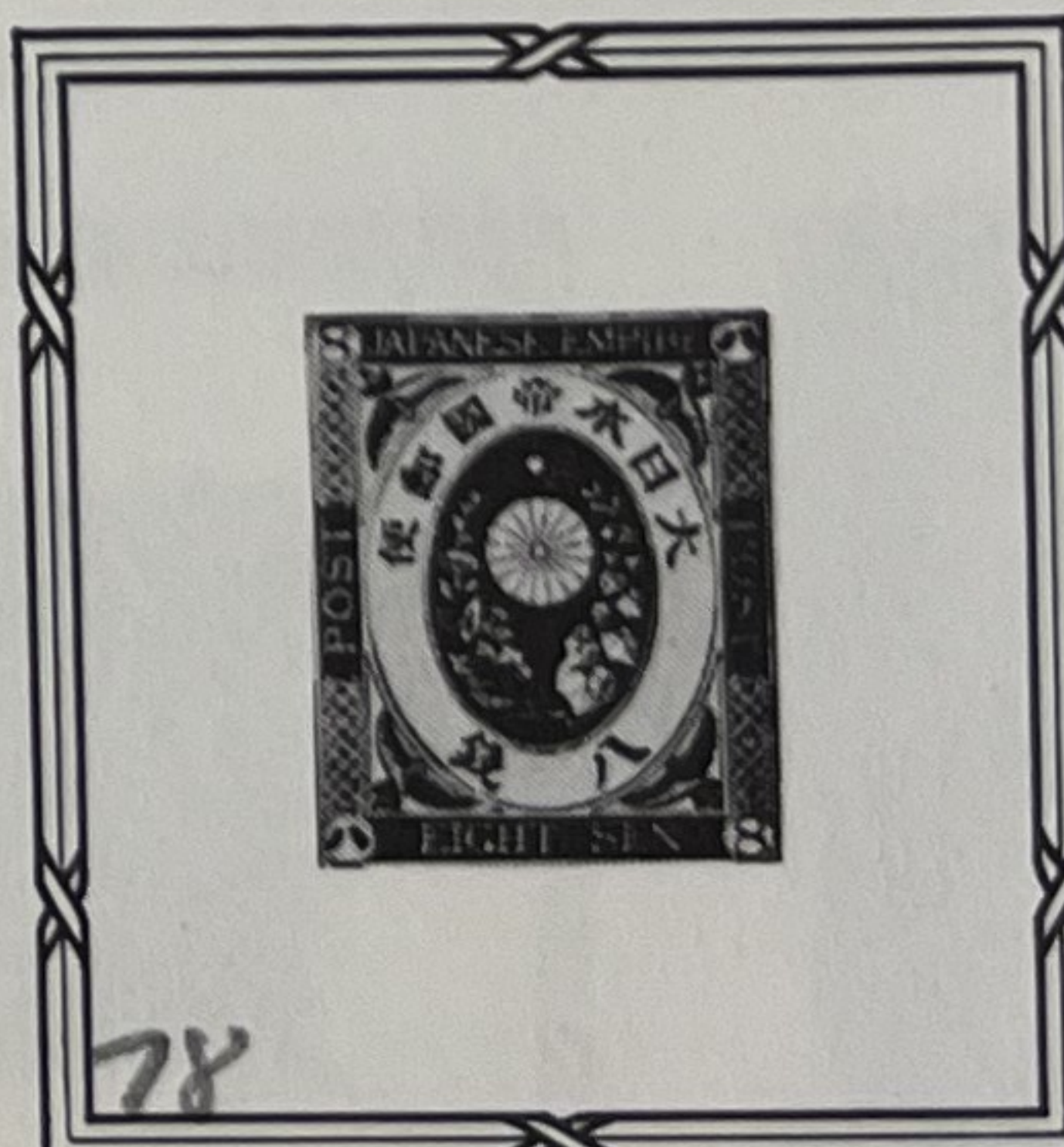
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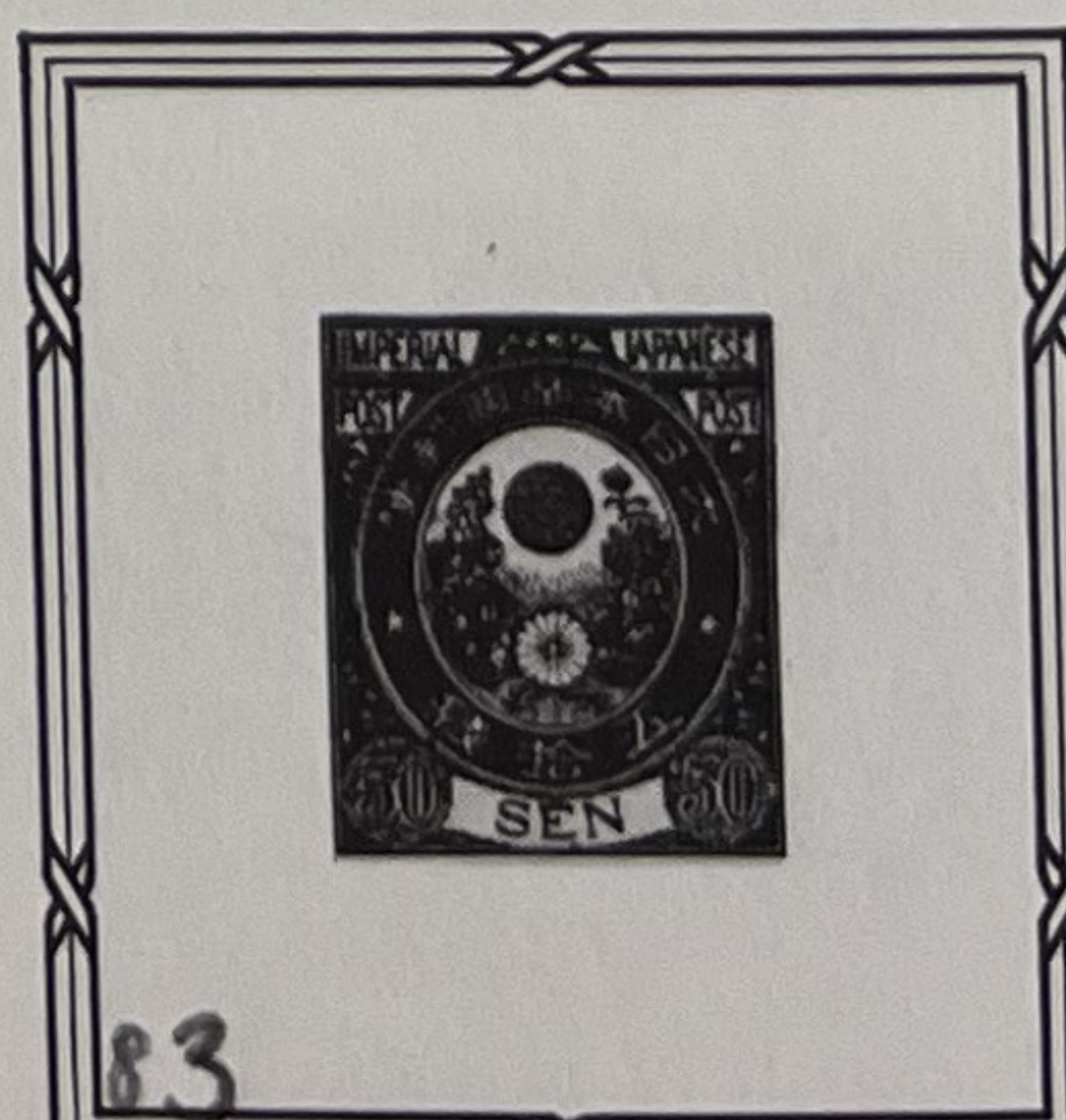
Imperial Crest, Star & Kiri Branches



Sun, Kikumon & Kiri Branches



Imperial Crest & Kiri Branches



Kikumon



WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

1894



Cranes and Imperial Crest

This is the first commemorative issue released by Japan and marks the 25th wedding anniversary of Emperor Meiji (Mutsuhito) and Empress Haru which took place in 1894.



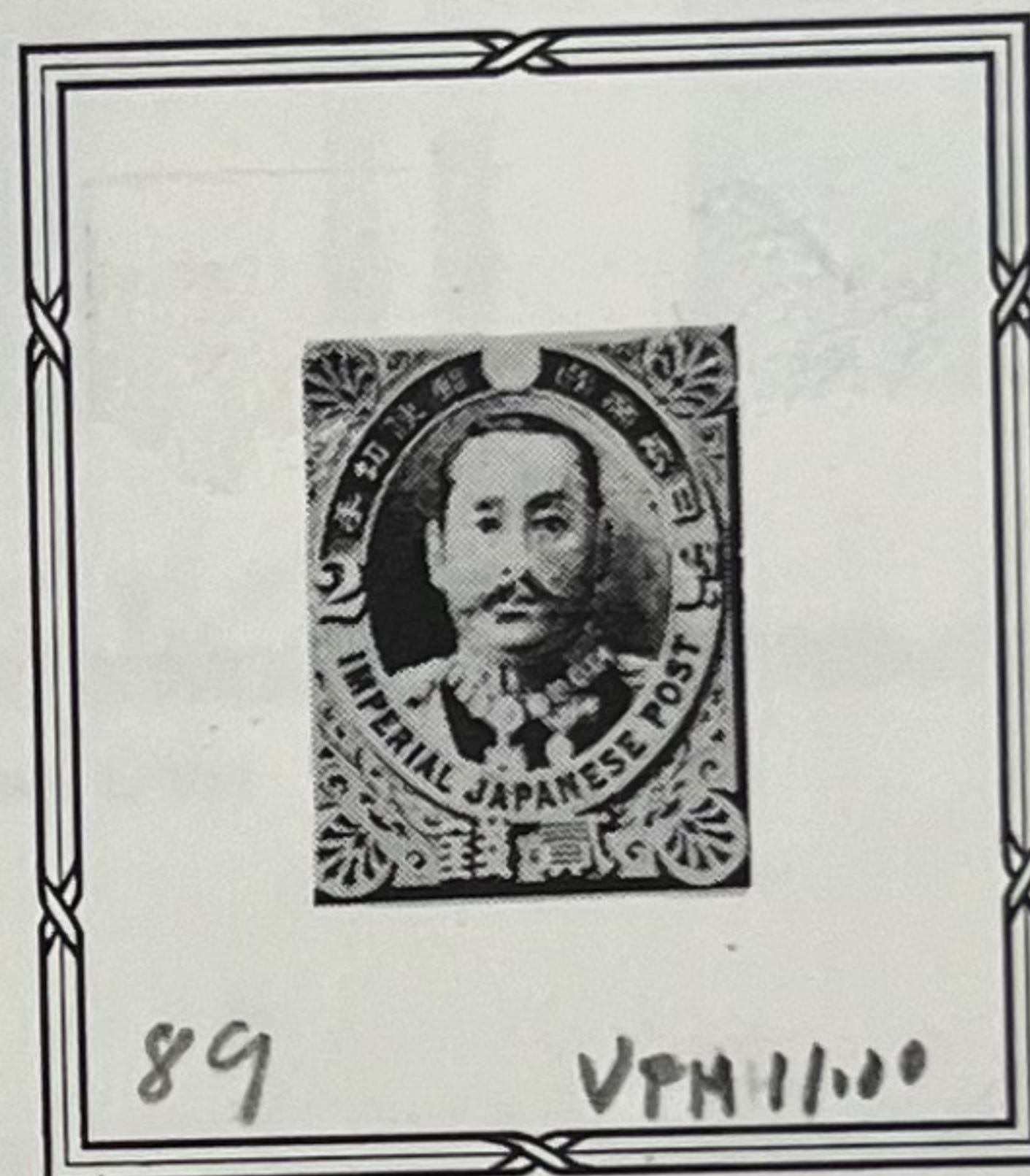
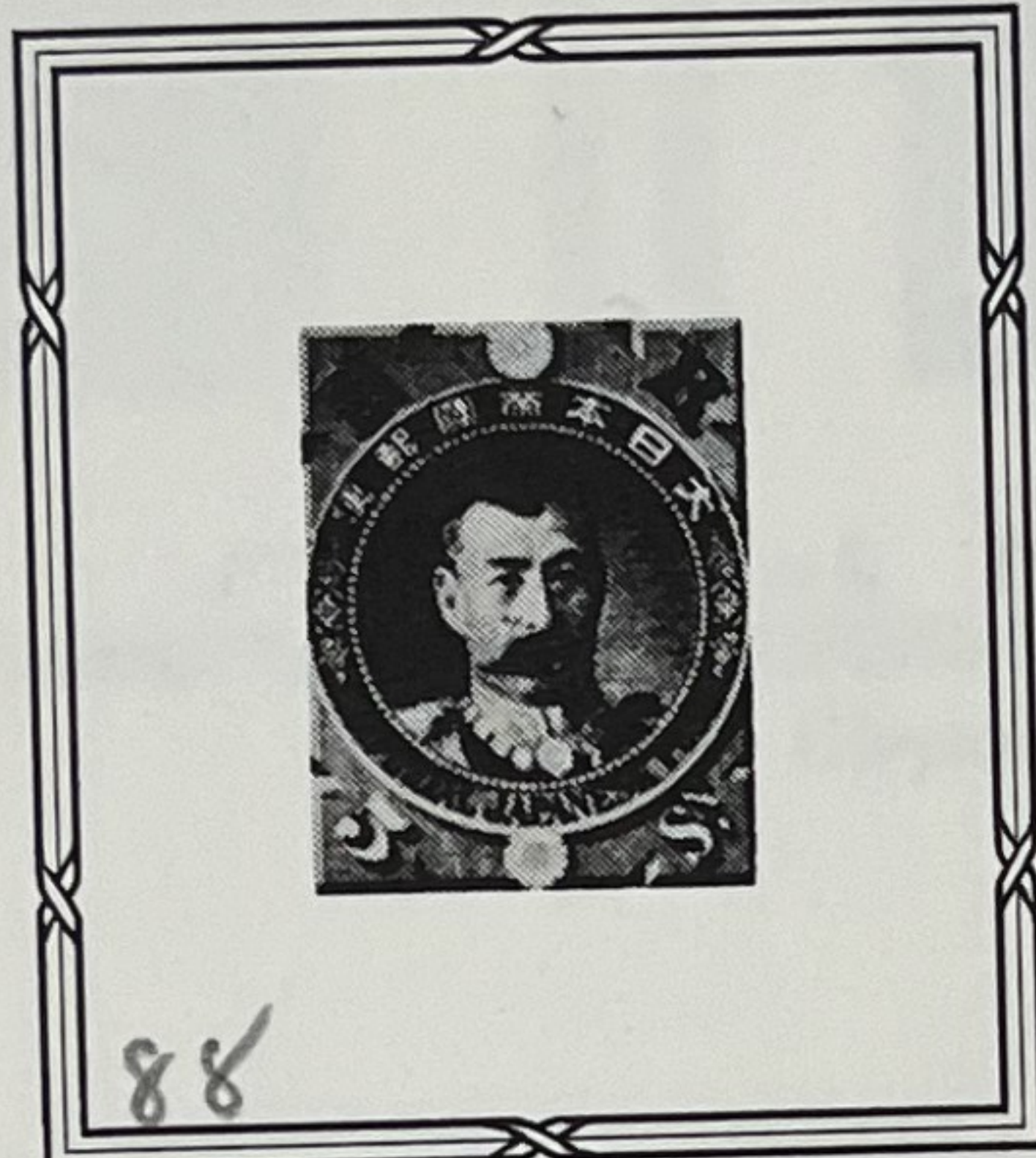
Cranes and Imperial Crest

WAR WITH CHINA

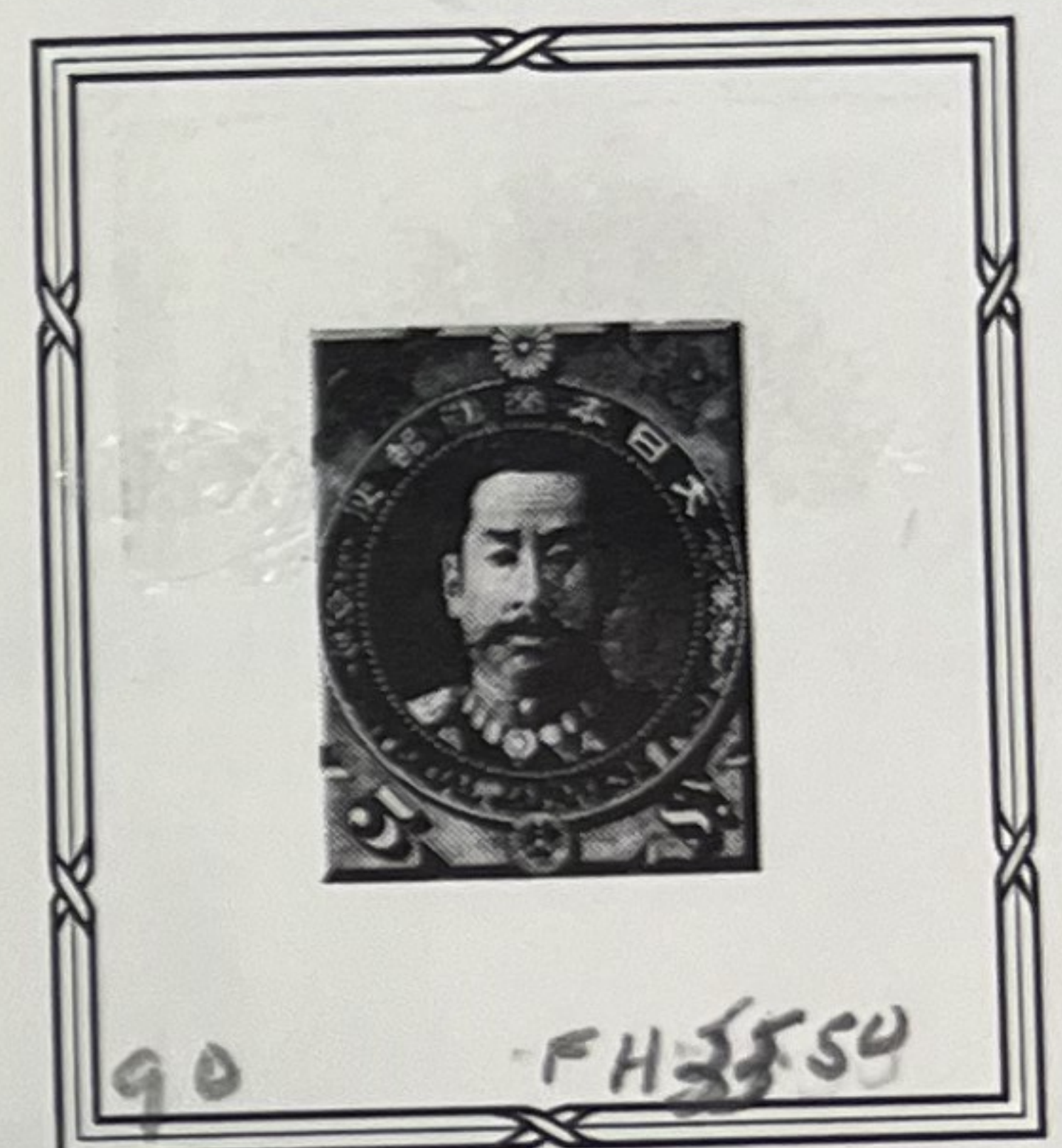
1896



General Yoshihisa Kitashirakawa



Field Marshall Arisugawa

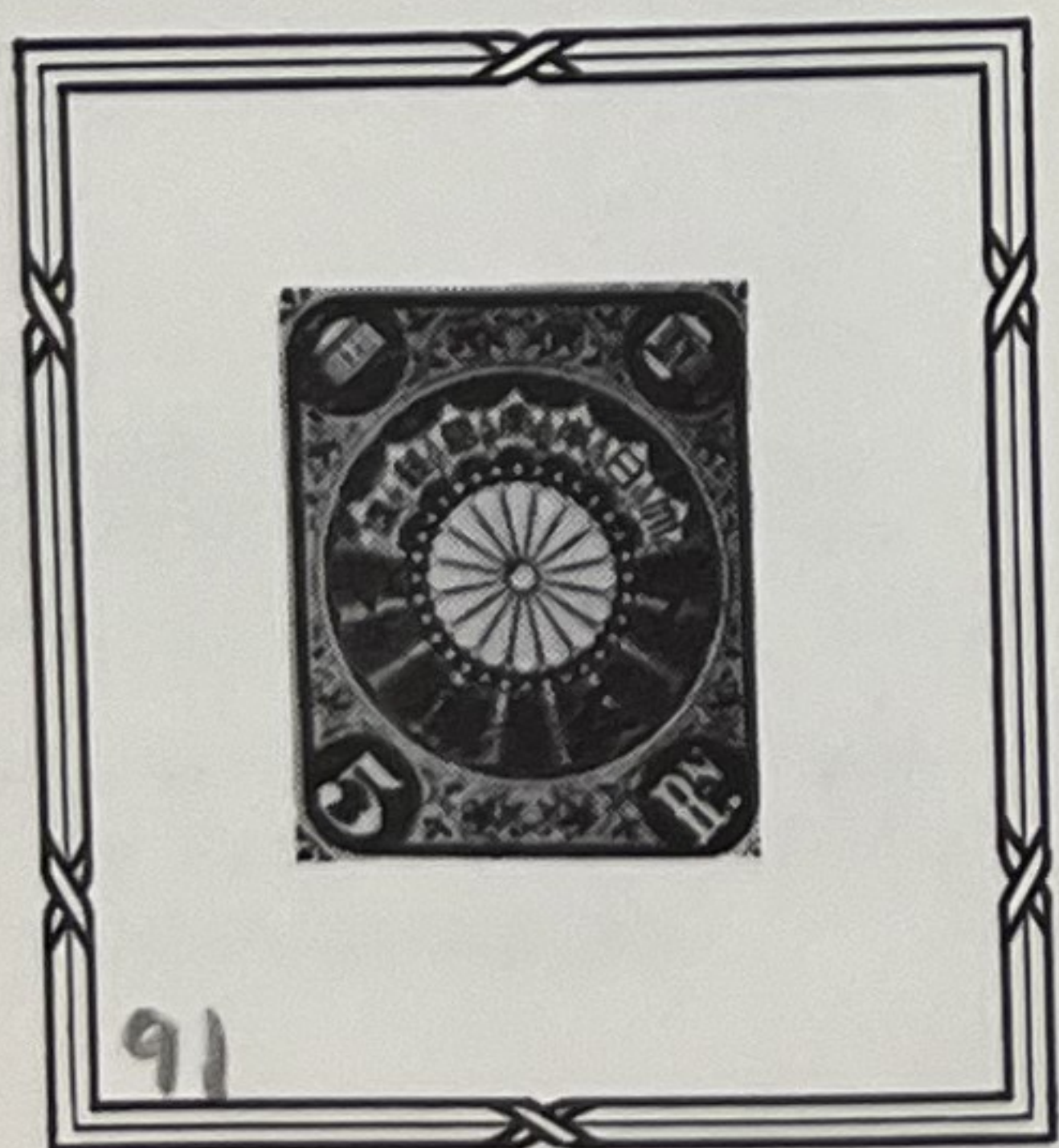


Released to mark the war with China, the designs feature portraits of Japanese Army Officers.

REGULAR ISSUES OF 1899-1907

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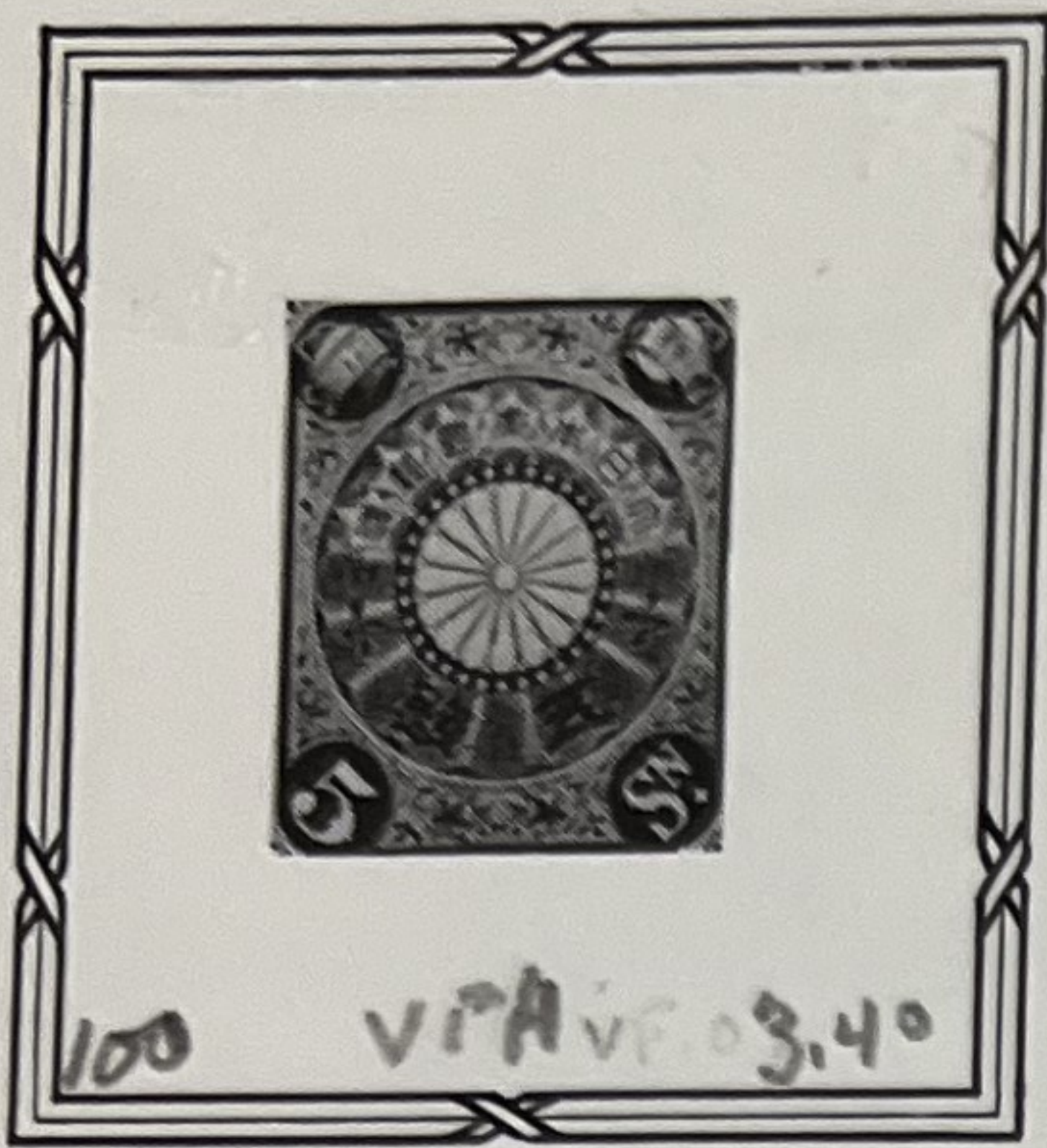


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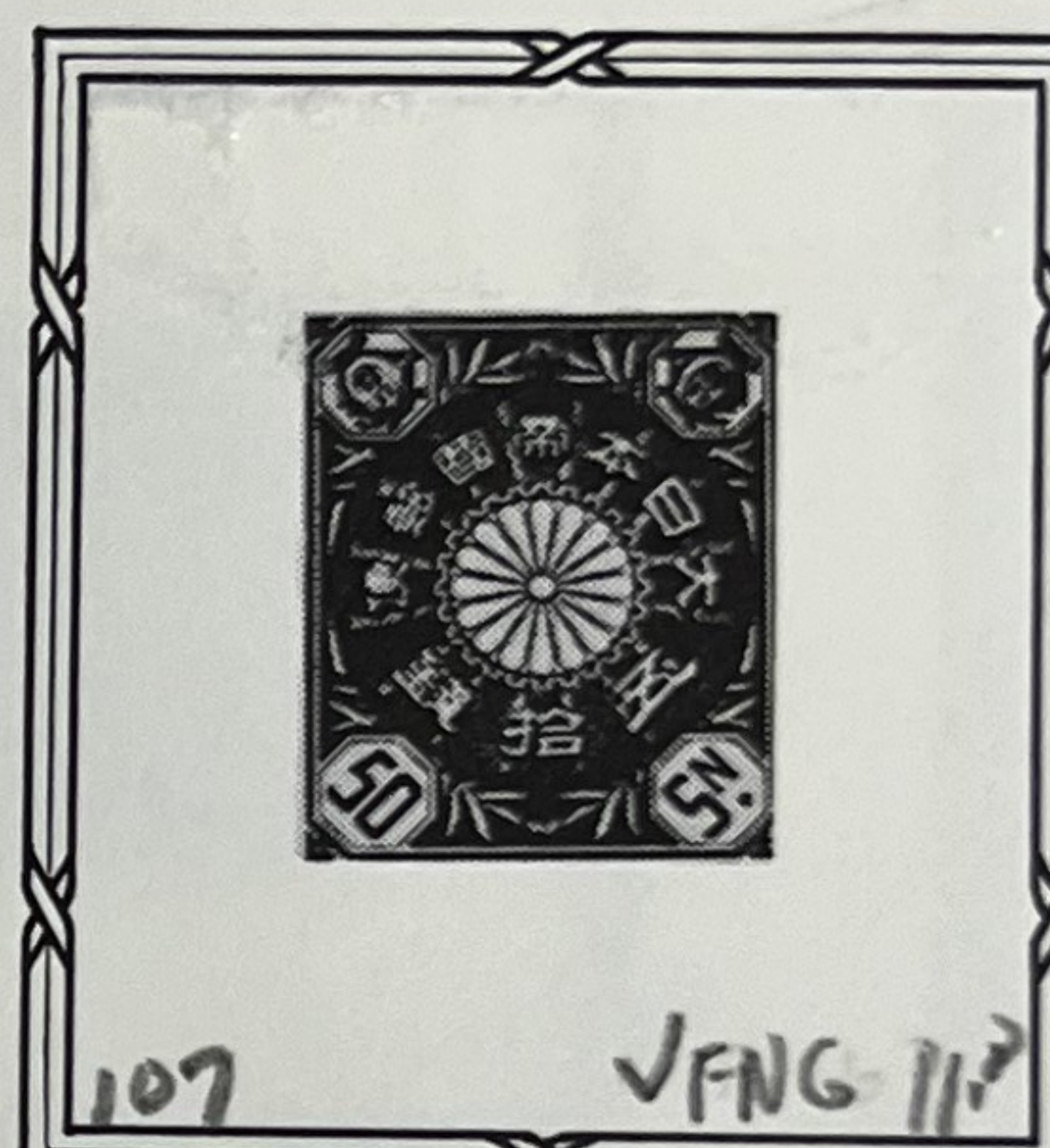
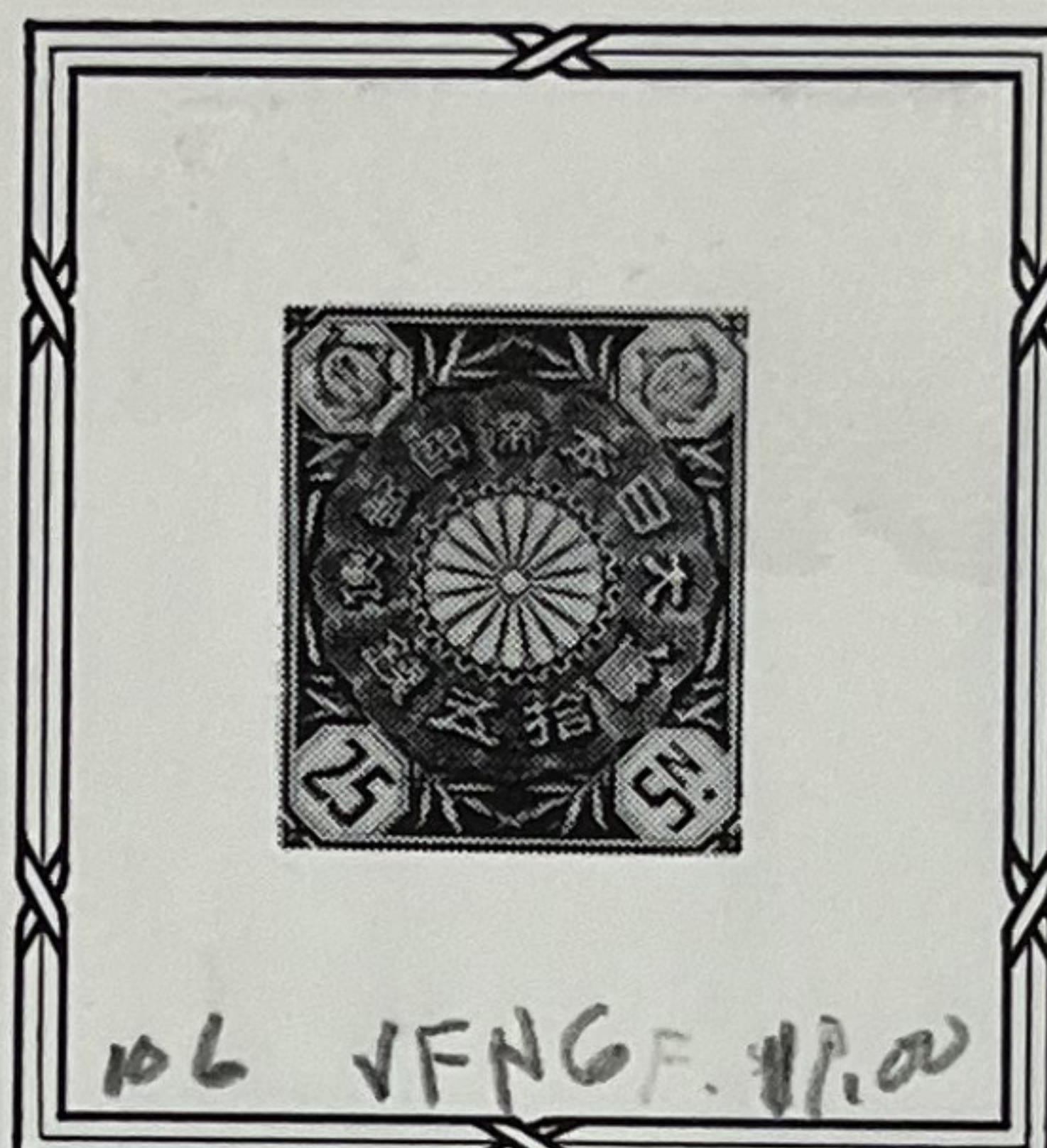
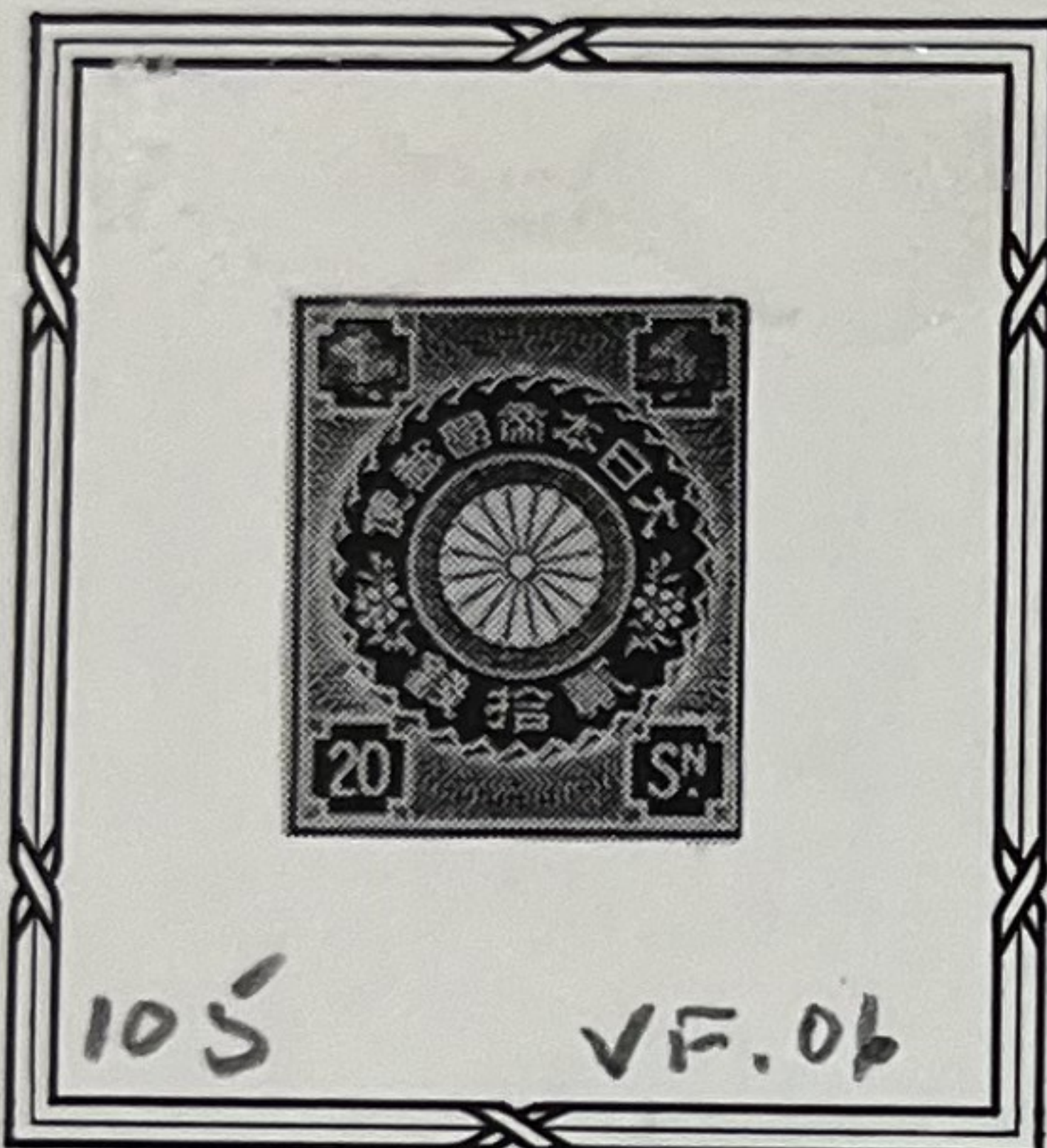
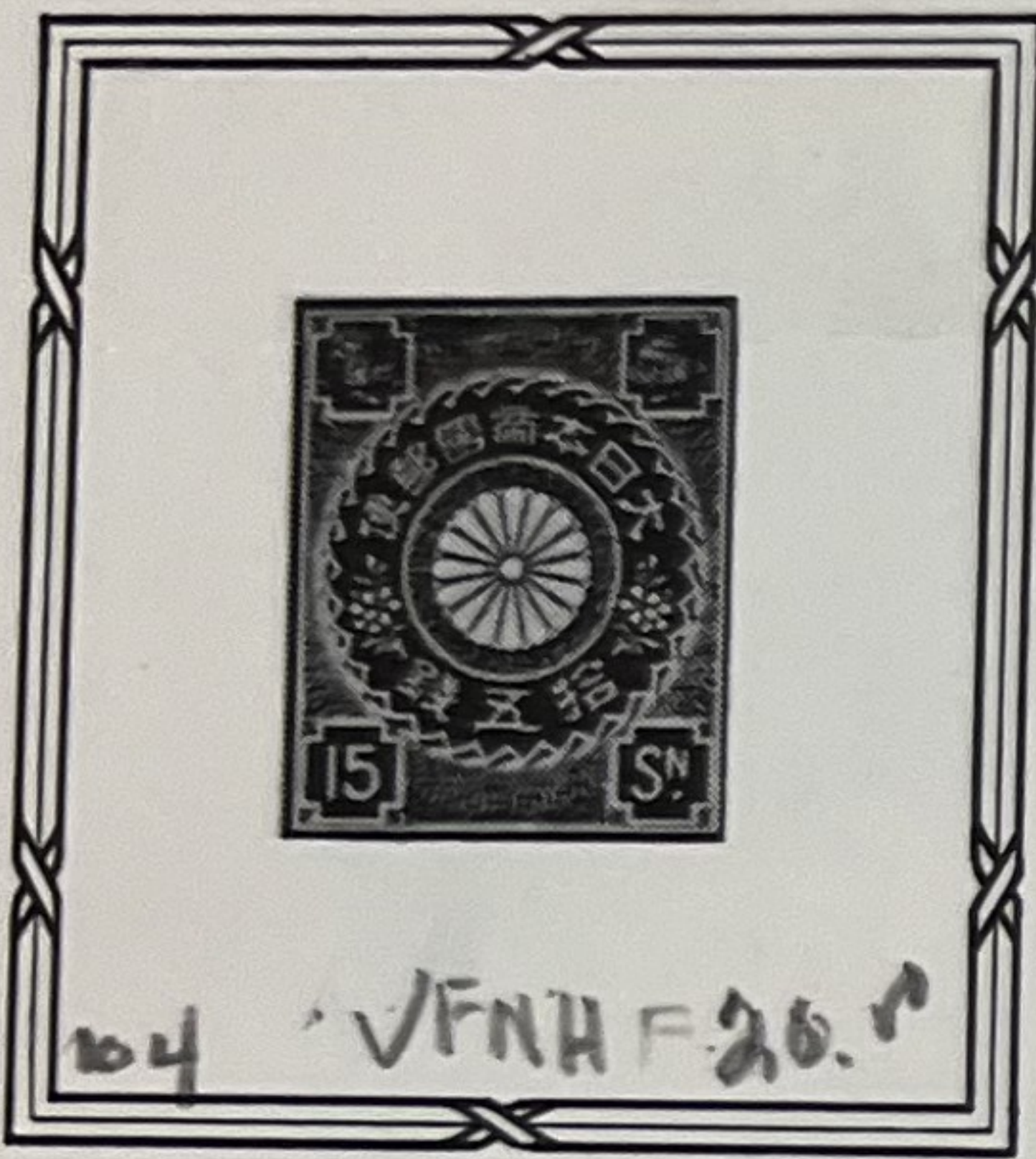


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WEDDING

1900

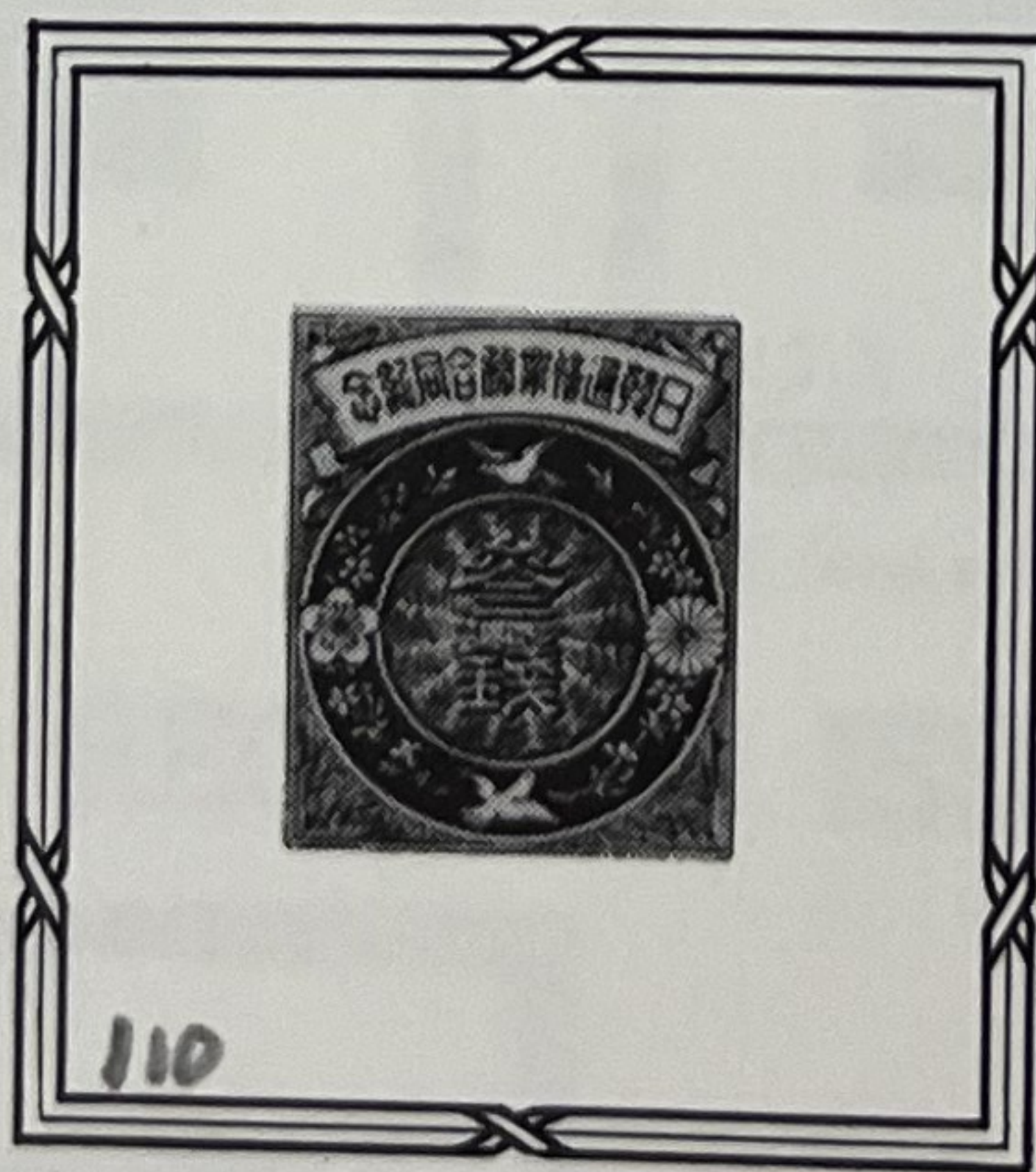


Rice Cake & Marriage Certificate Boxes

This stamp commemorates the wedding of the Crown Prince Yoshihito and Princess Sada-Ko.

POSTAL SERVICE

1905

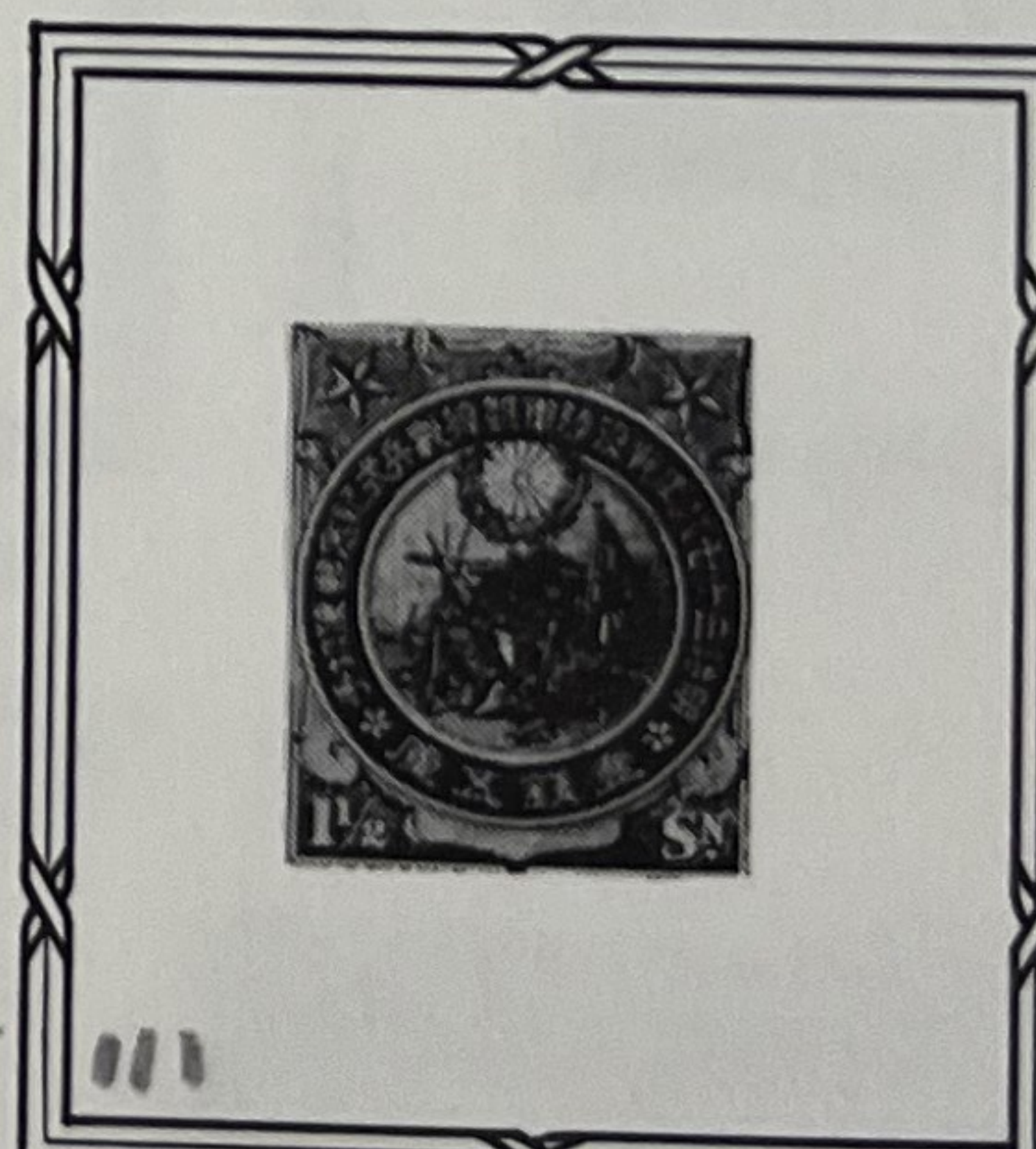


Symbols of Korea & Japan

This stamp was issued in commemoration of the taking over of the Korean postal service by the Japanese.

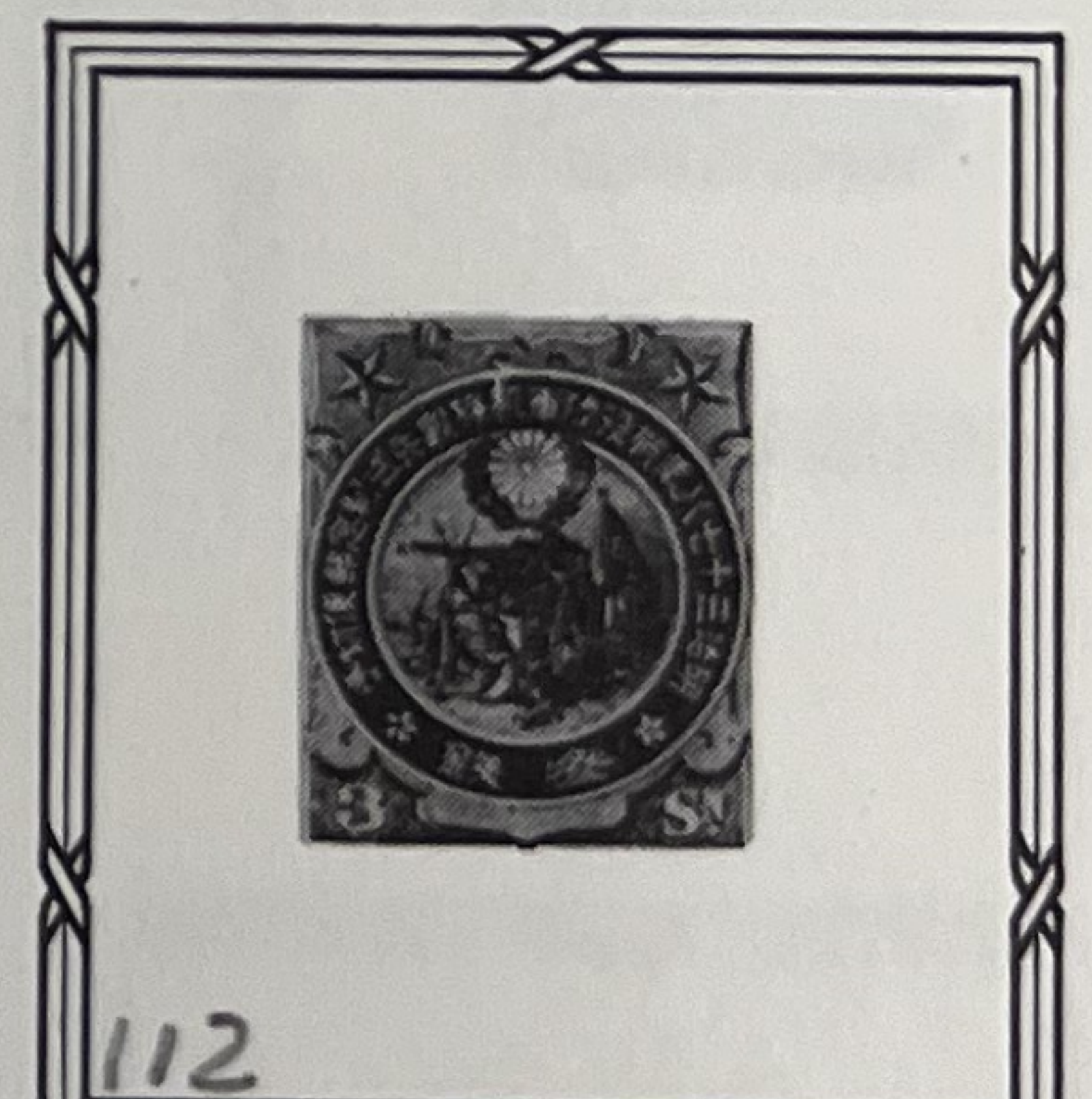
MILITARY REVIEW

1906



Japanese Flag & Artillery

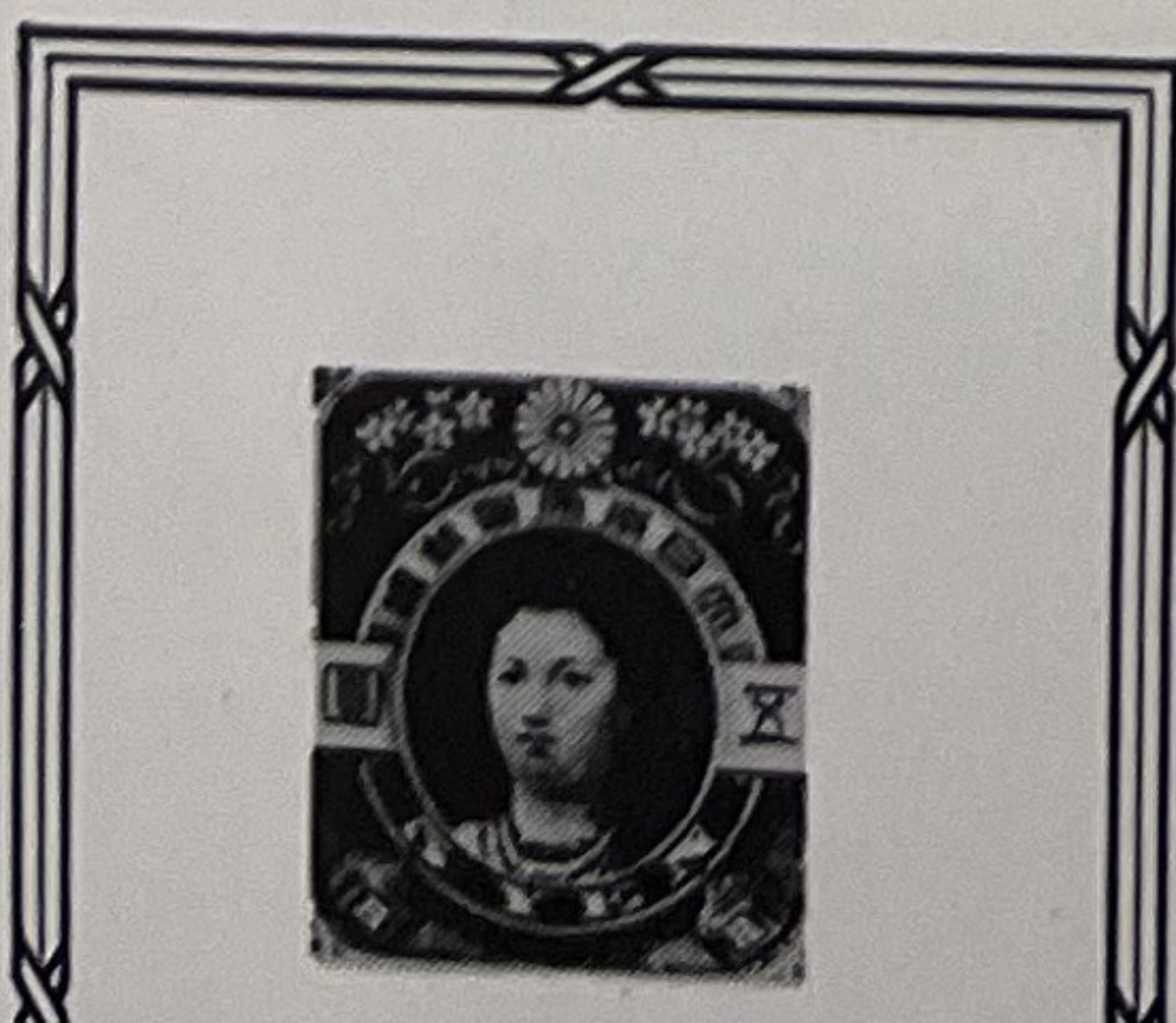
The victorious military review of 1906 is marked by this set of two stamps.



Japanese Flag & Artillery

REGULAR ISSUES

OF 1906



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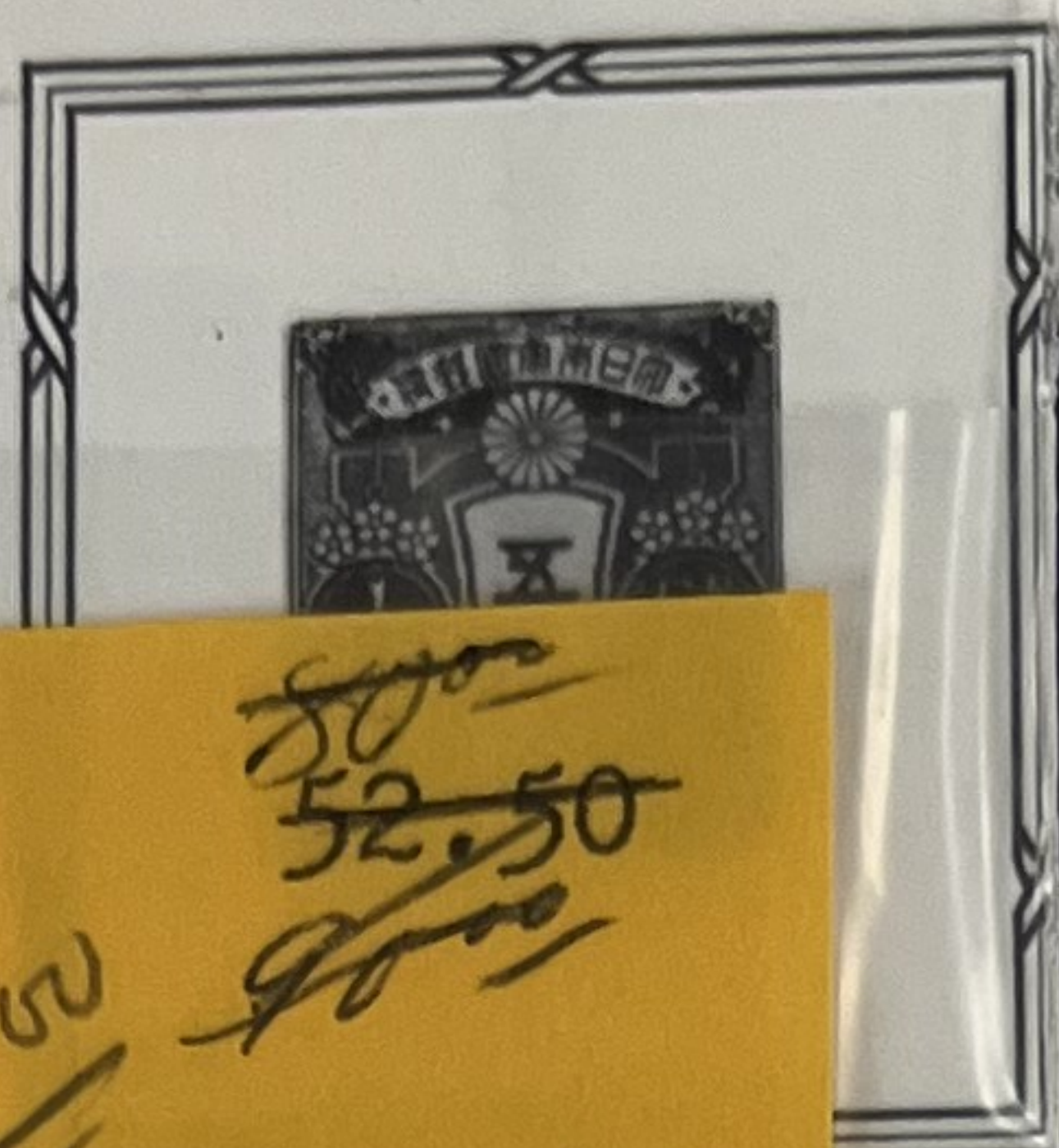


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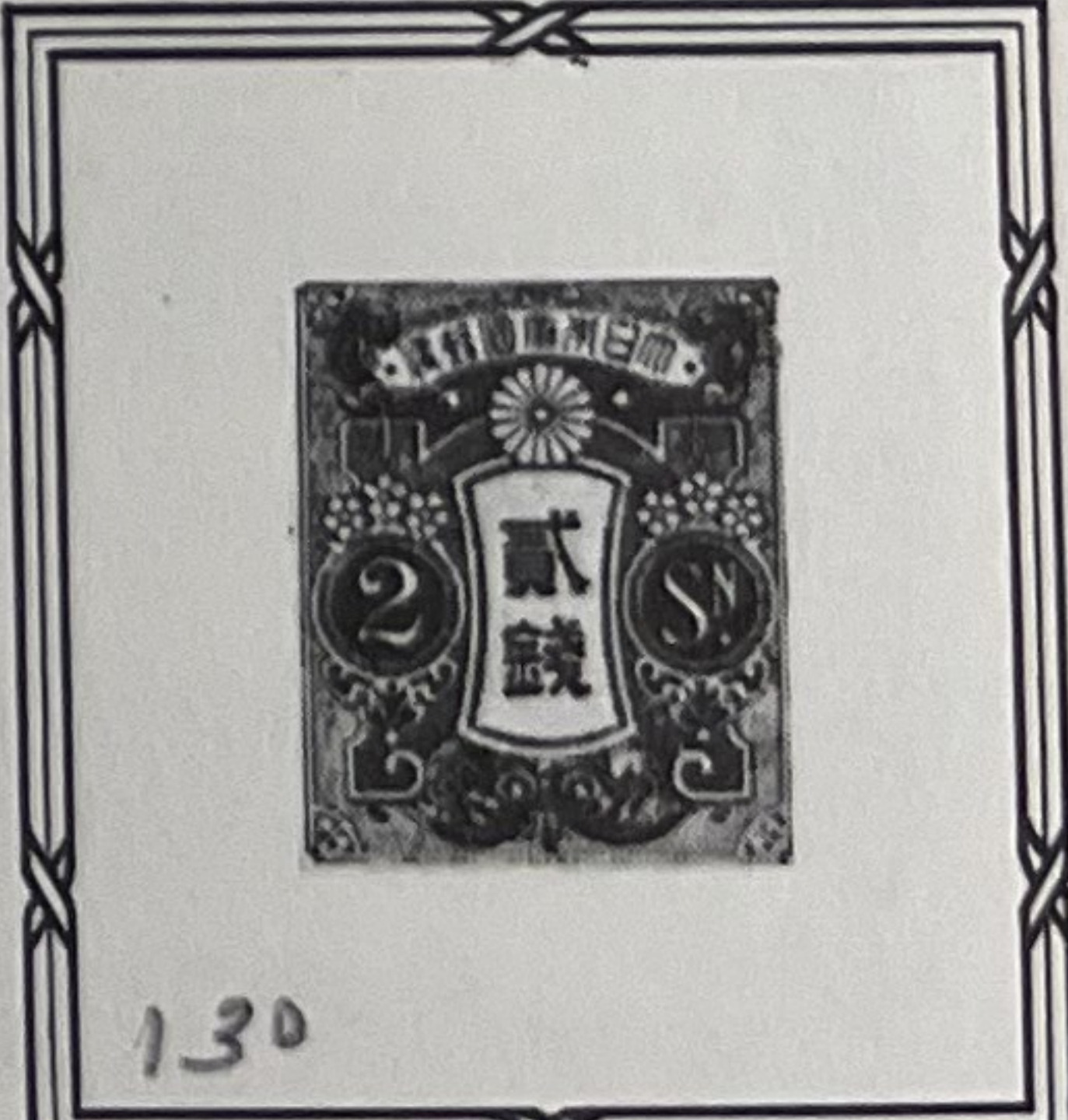
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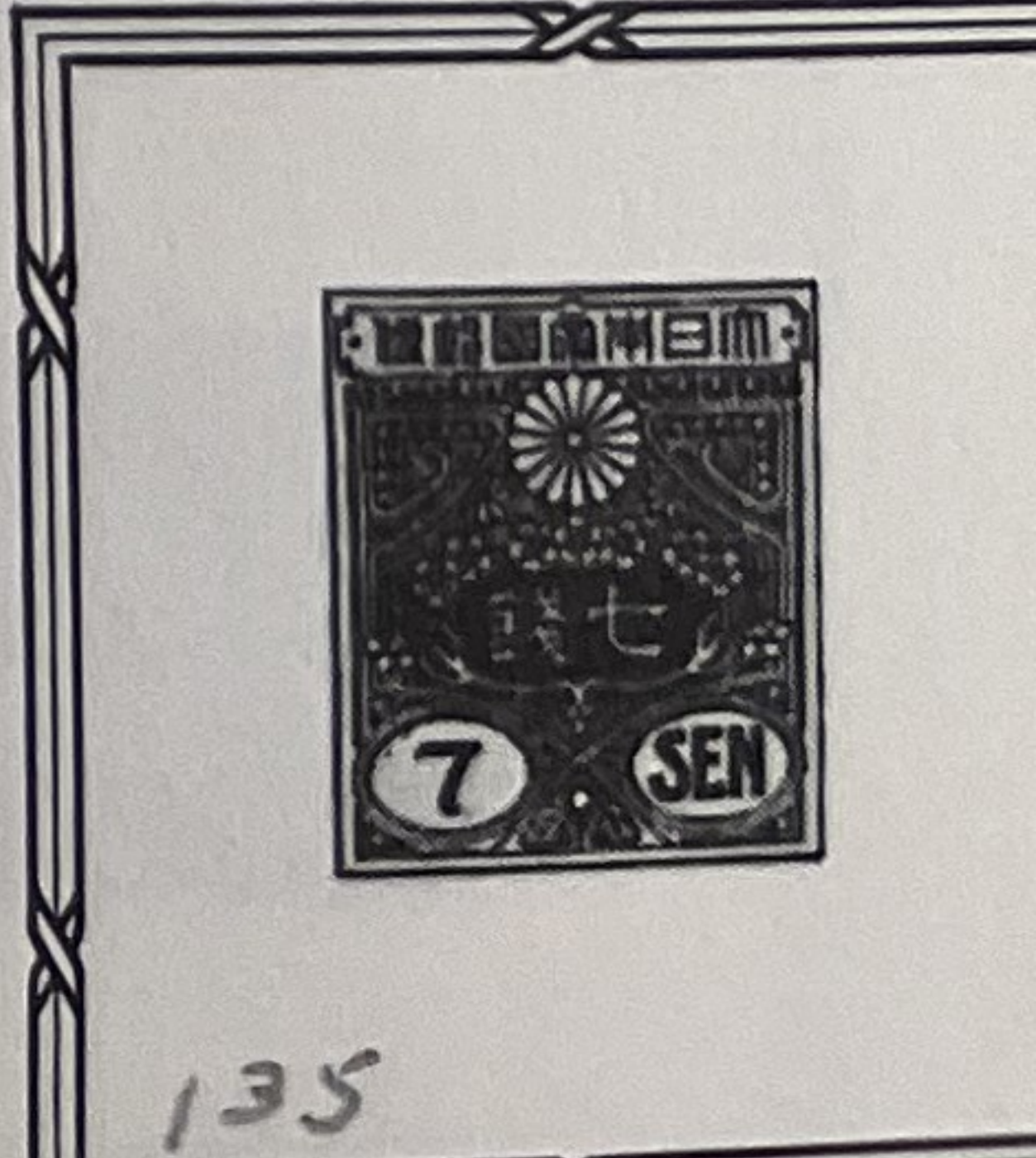
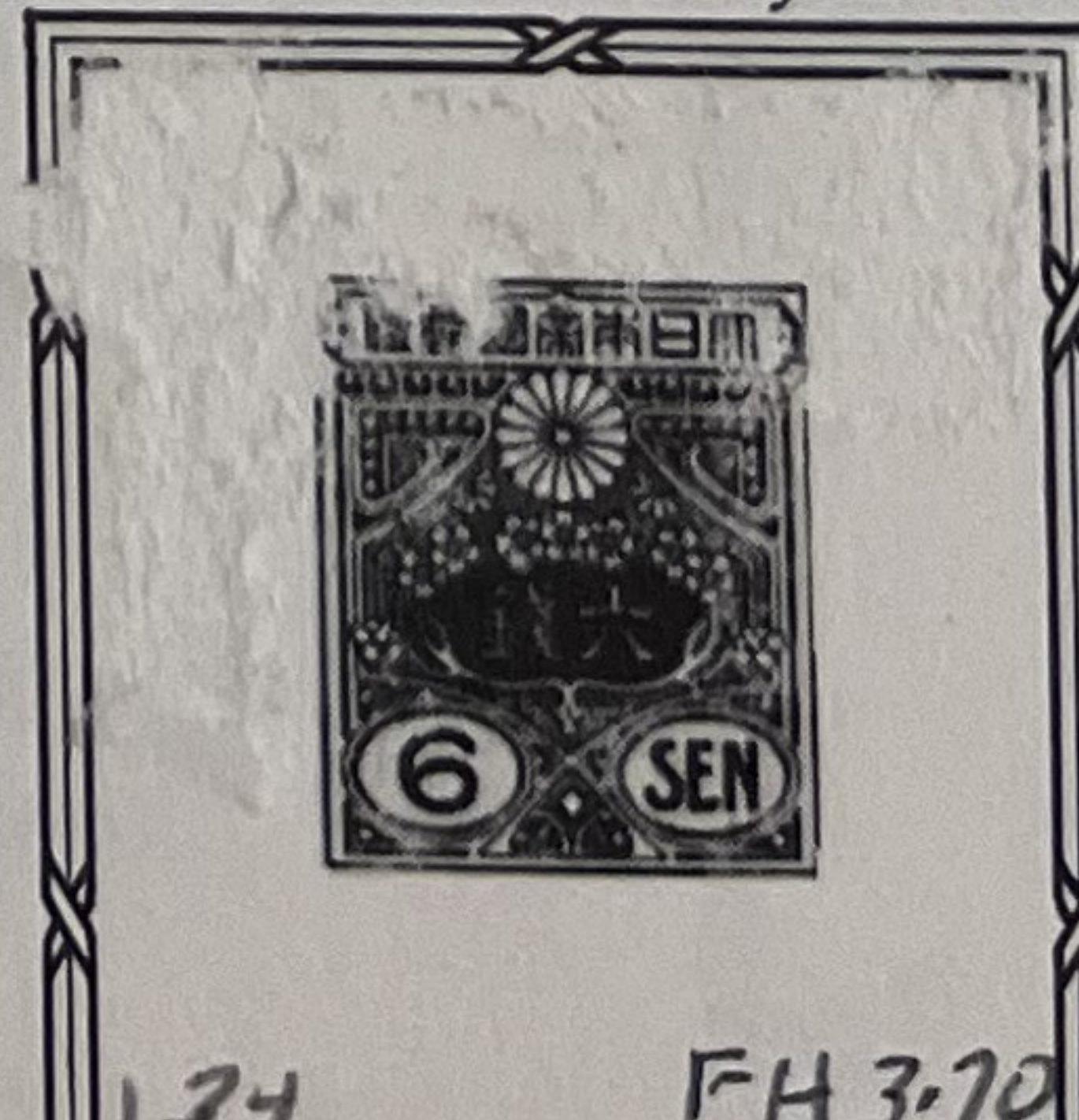
Granite Paper
Watermarked Wavy Lines



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White's

MEIJI SHRINE

1920

Tenno, born in 1852, was emperor of Japan from 1868 until he died in Tokyo July 30, 1912. He is credited with having led Japan out of feudalism.



National & Postal Flags



REGULAR ISSUES OF 1937-40



Trading Ship



Rice Harvest



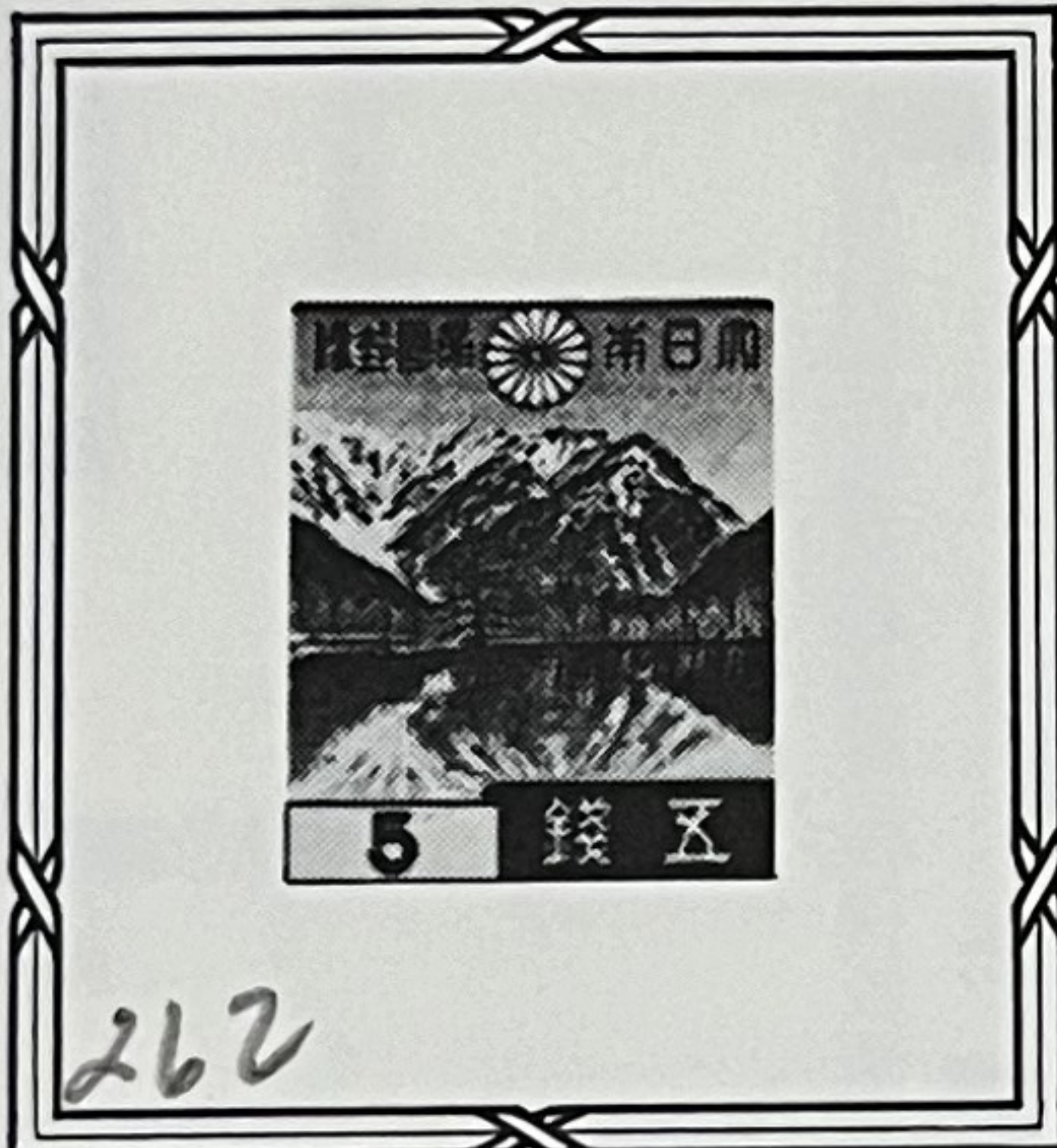
Gen. Maresuke Nogi



Power Plant



Admiral Togo



Mt. Hodaka



Lighthouse



Diamond Mountains, Korea



Meiji Shrine in Tokyo



Yomei Gate, Nikko



Plane & Map of Japan



Kasuga Shrine, Nara



Mt. Fuji & Cherry Blossoms



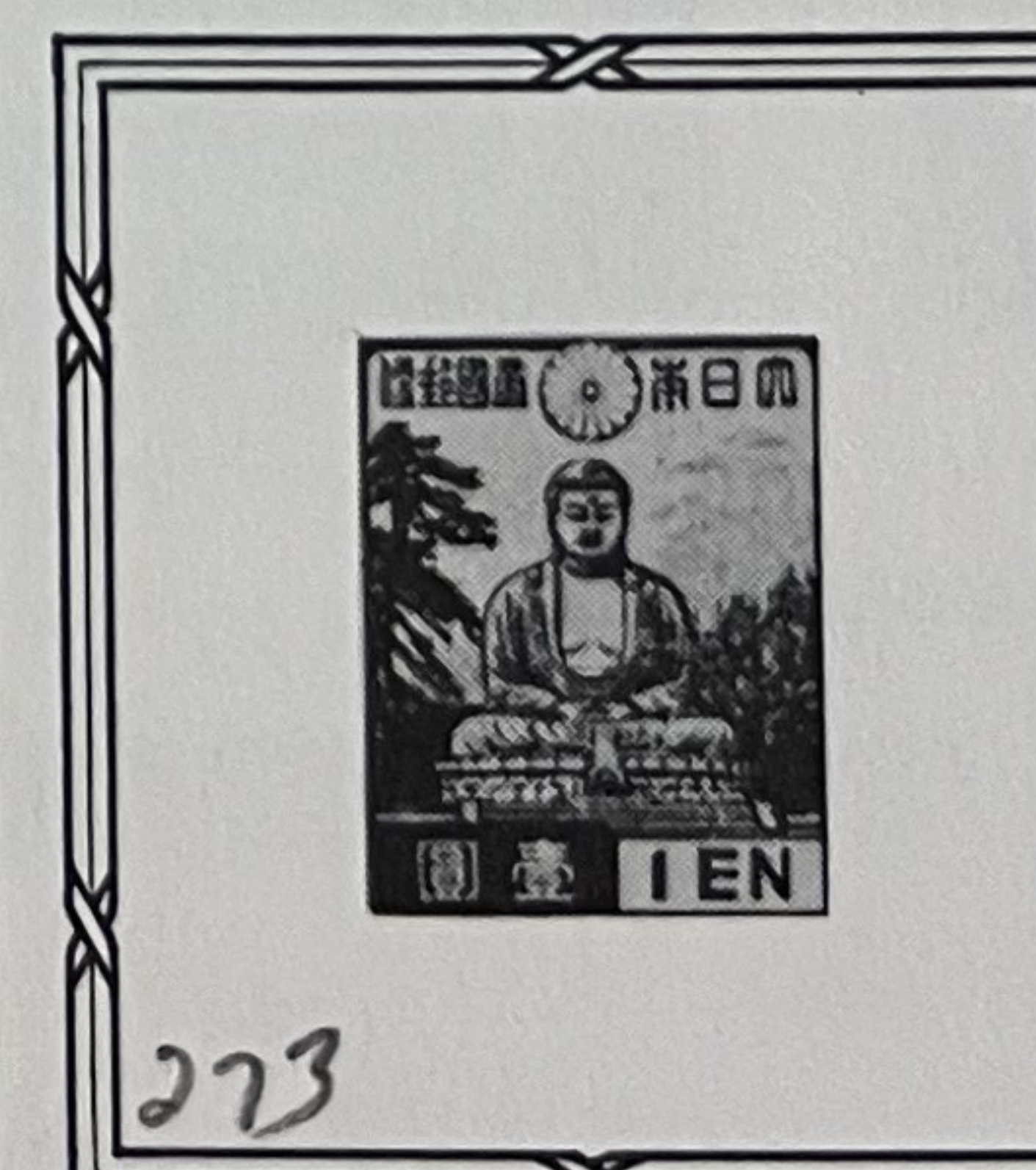
Horyu Temple, Nara



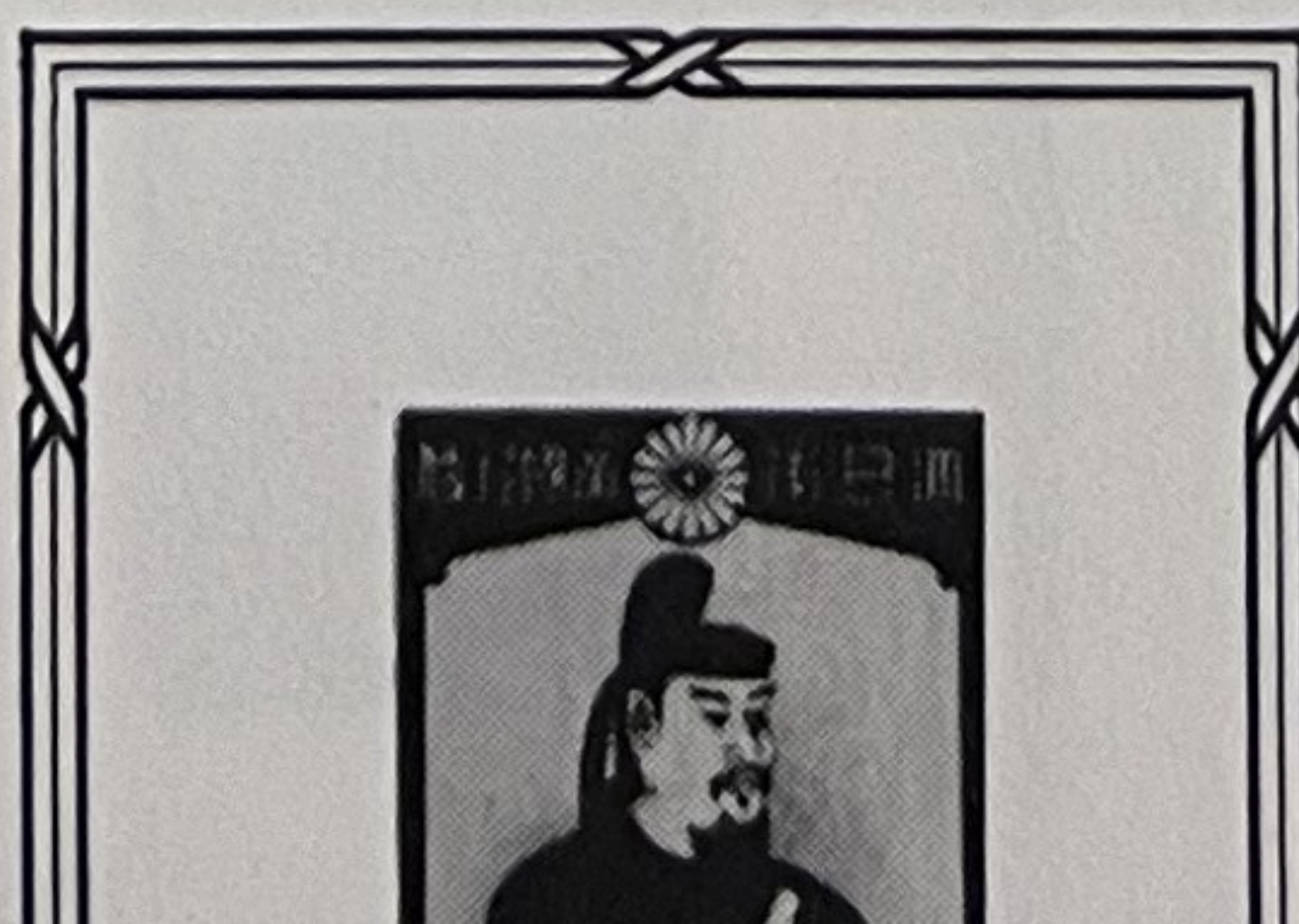
Miyajima Torii, Itsukushima Shrine

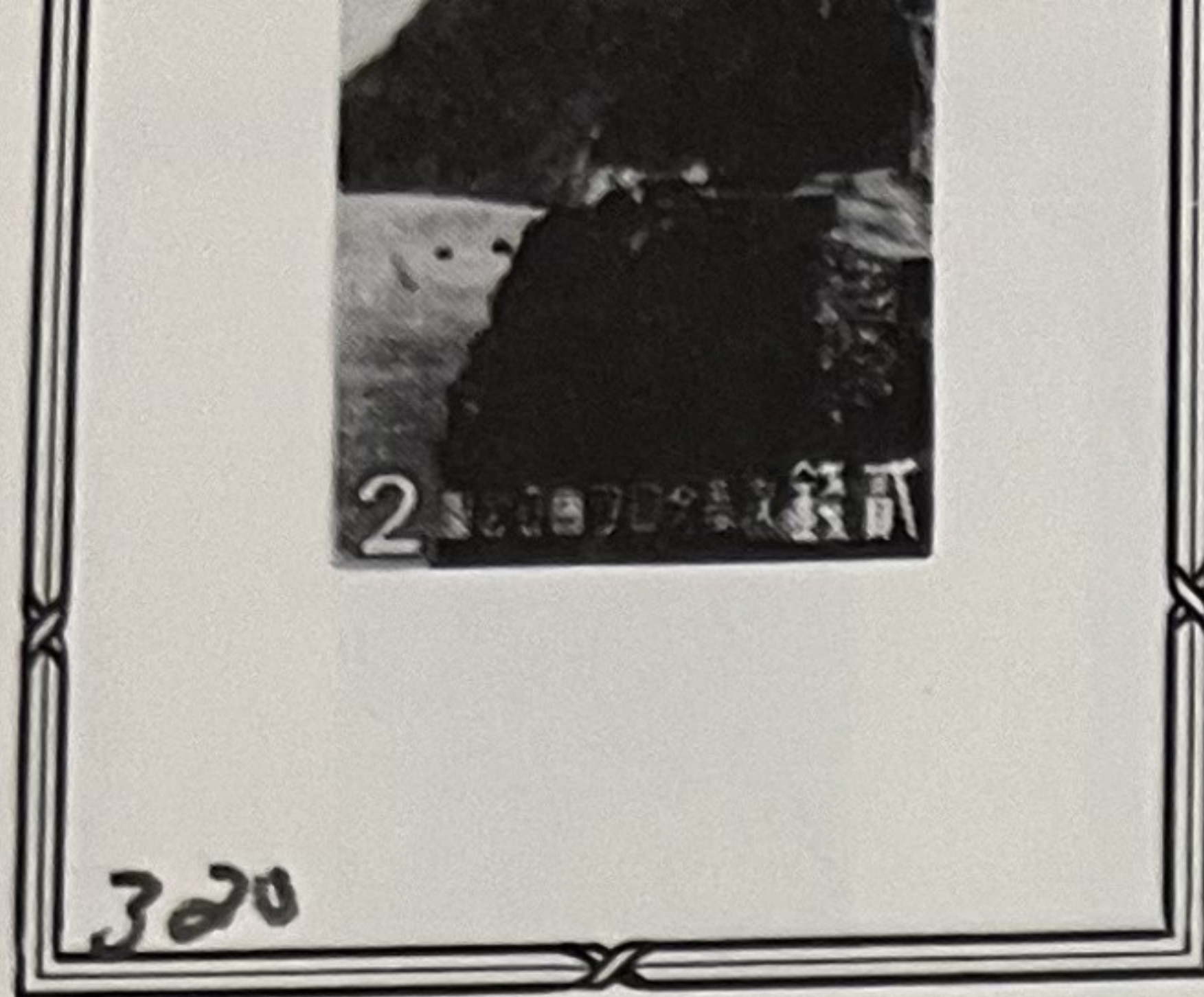


Golden Pavilion, Kyoto



Great Buddha, Kamakura





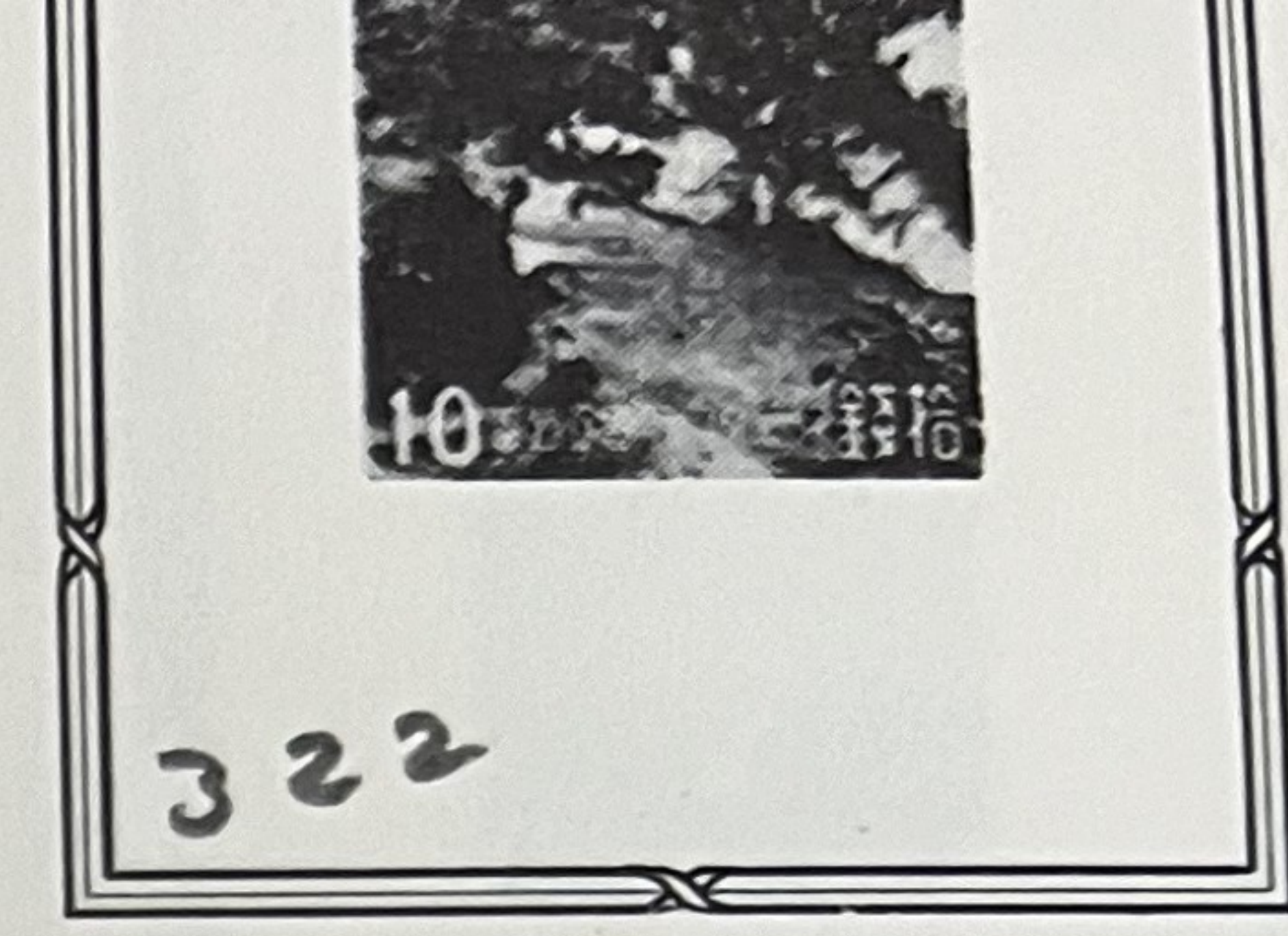
Seisui Precipice

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Upper River Takkiri District

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Taroko Gorge

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FOUNDING OF MANCHUKUO

1942



Kenkoku Shrine



Boys of Japan & Manchukuo



Orchid Crest



Kenkoku Shrine

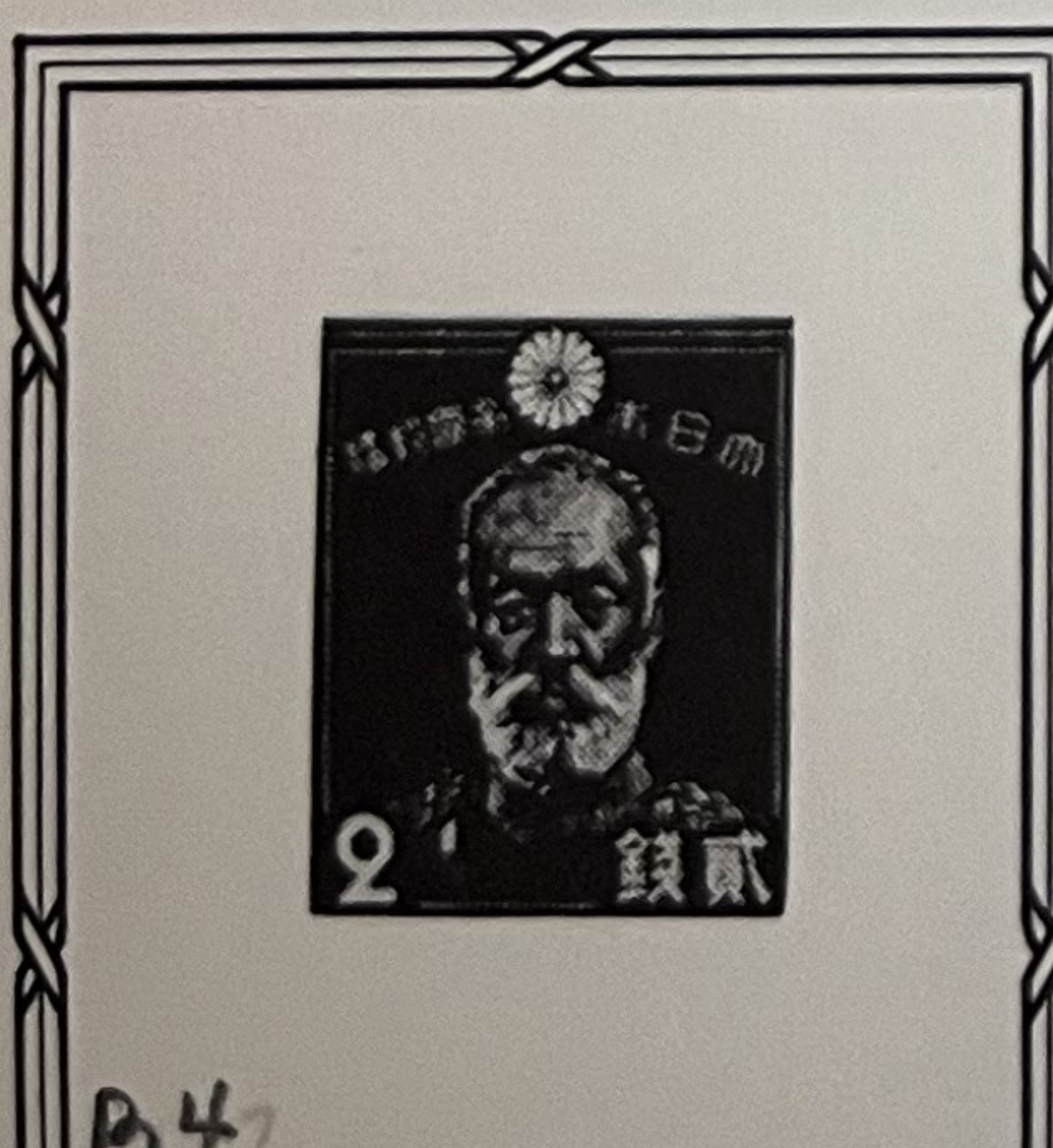
The founding of Manchukuo is commemorated by this set marking the tenth anniversary.

FALL OF SINGAPORE

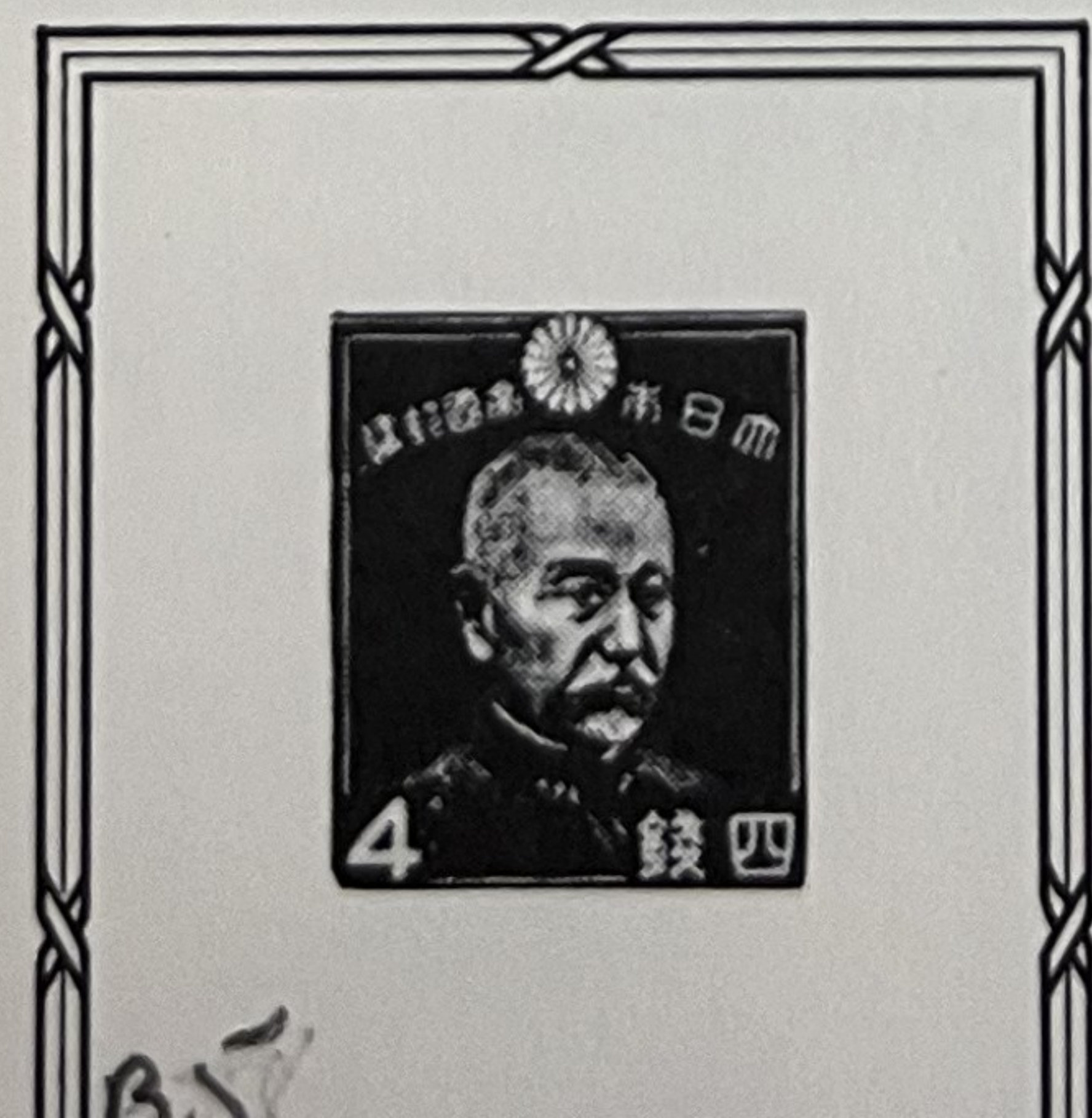
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GREATER EAST ASIA WAR

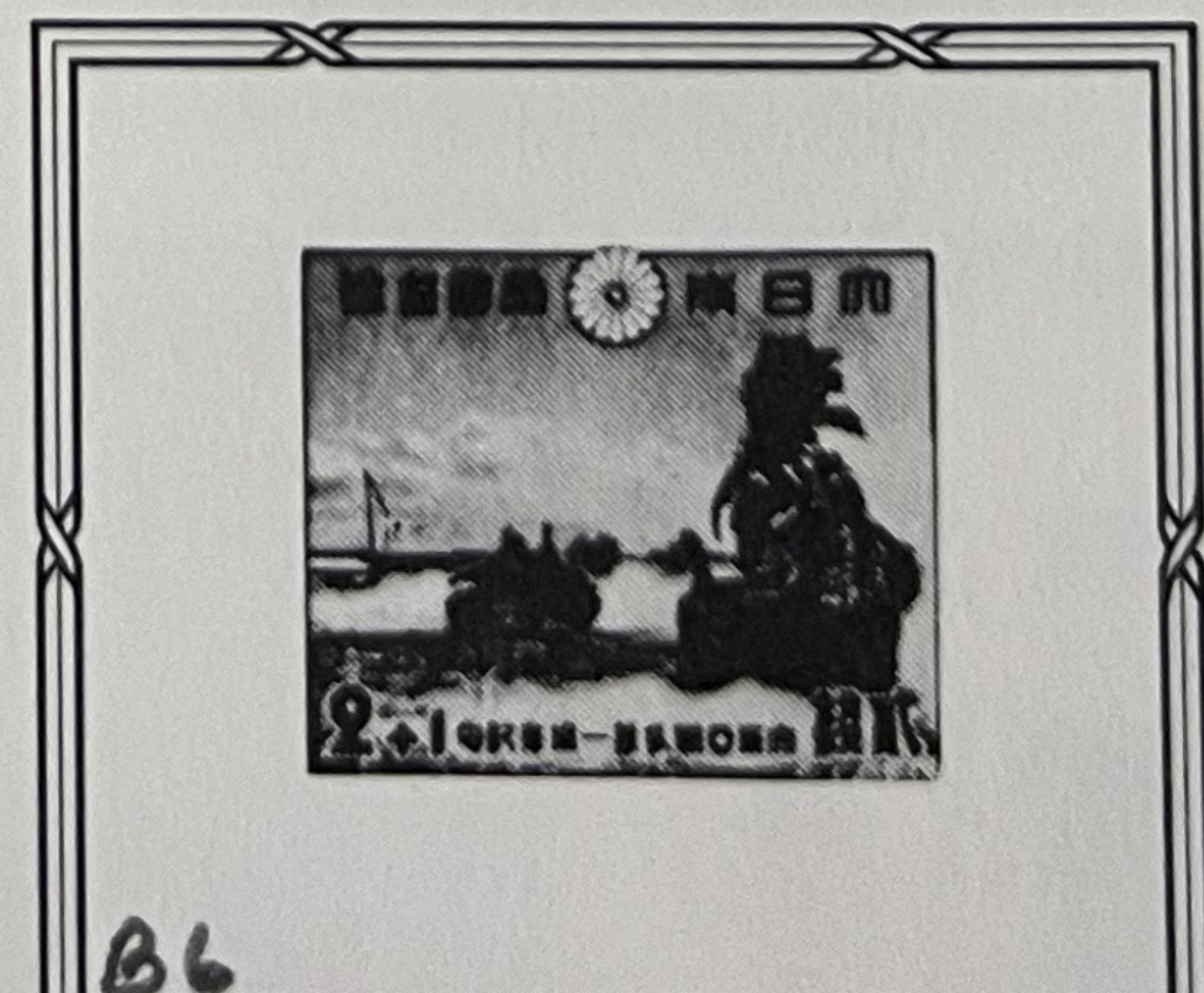
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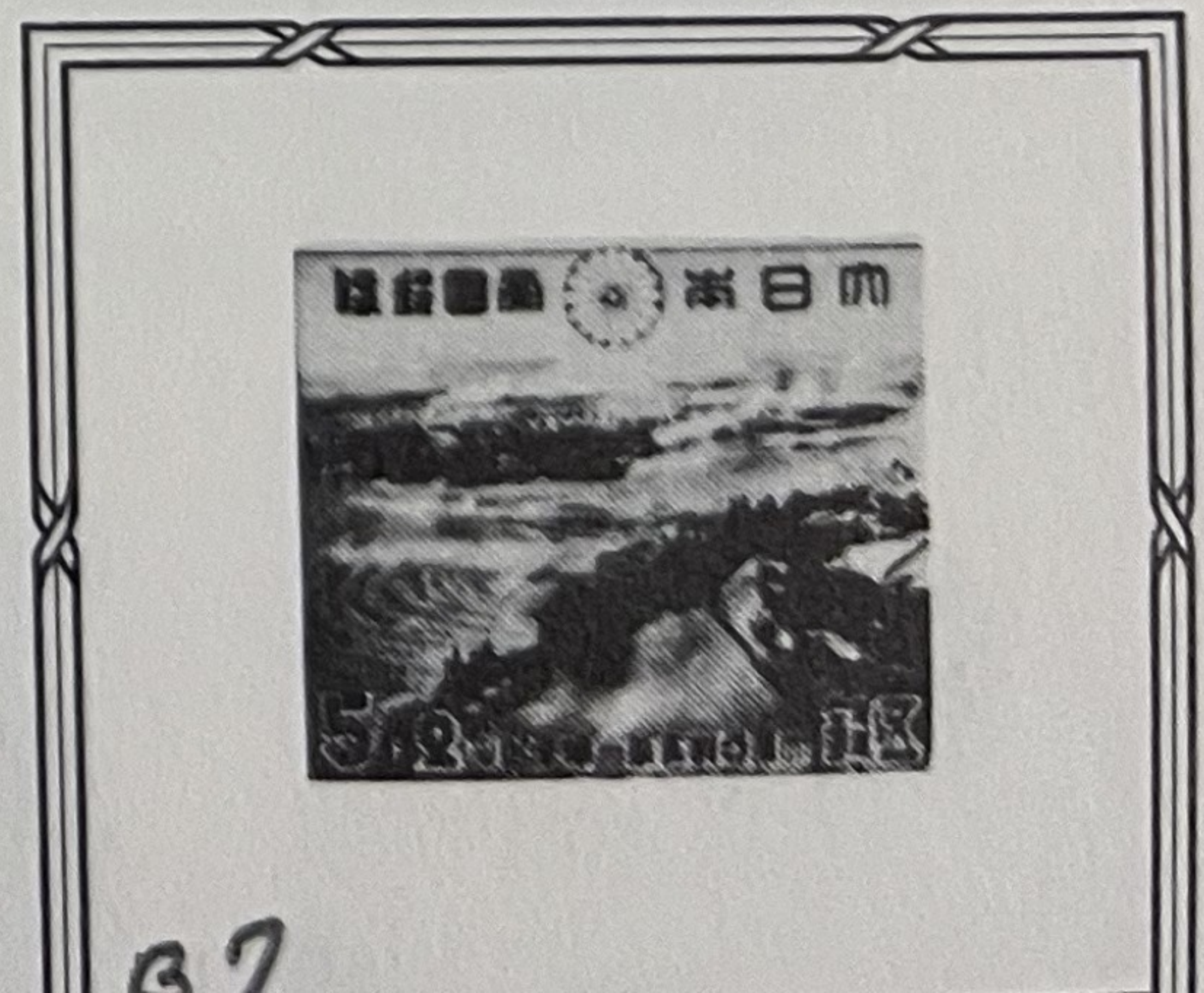
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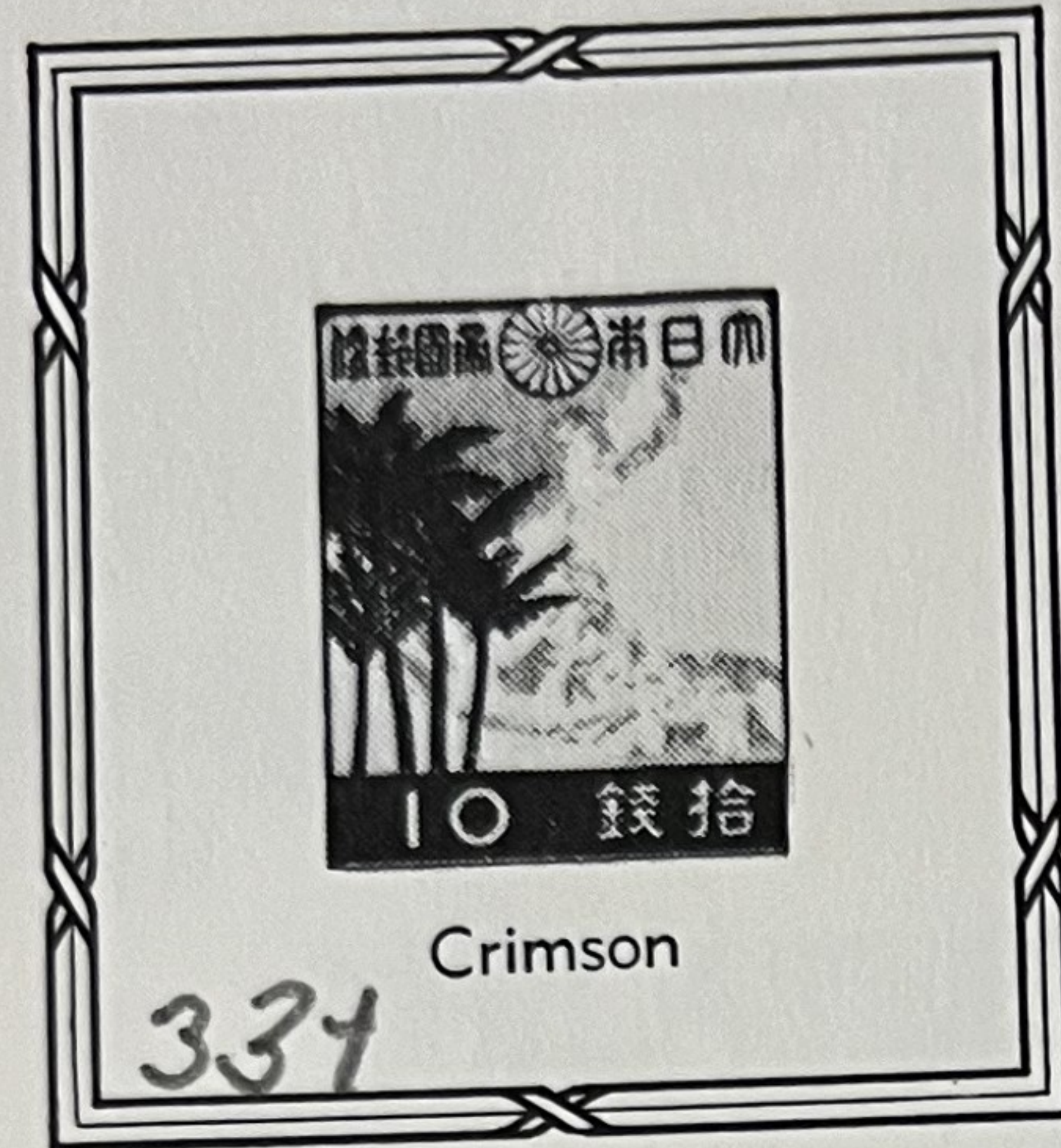
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Hyuga Monument

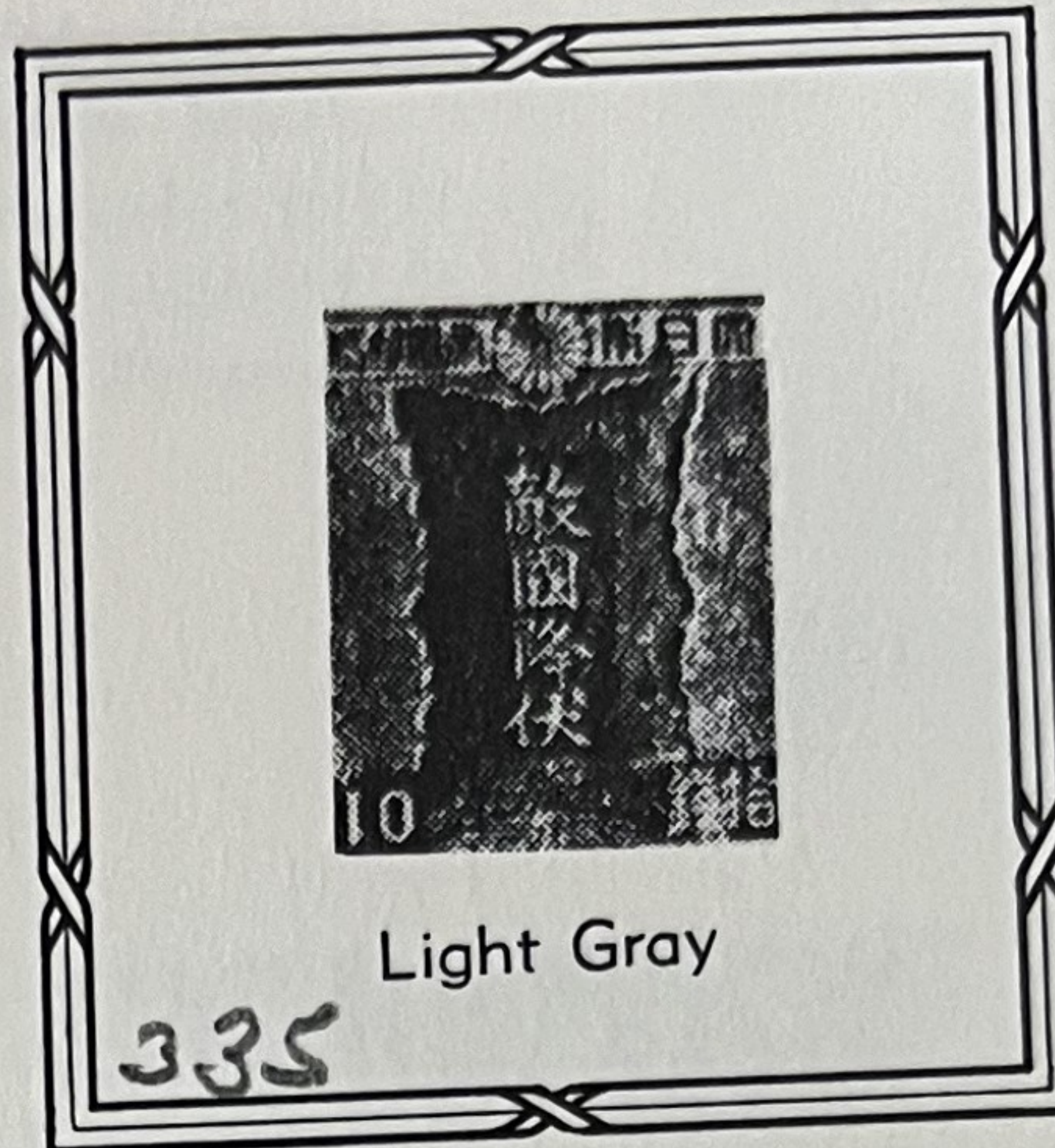
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Admiral Togo



Palms & Map

War Worker & Plane



Enemy Country Surrender

Admiral Togo



Aviator Saluting



Torii of Yasukuni Shrine



Mt. Fuji & Cherry Blossoms



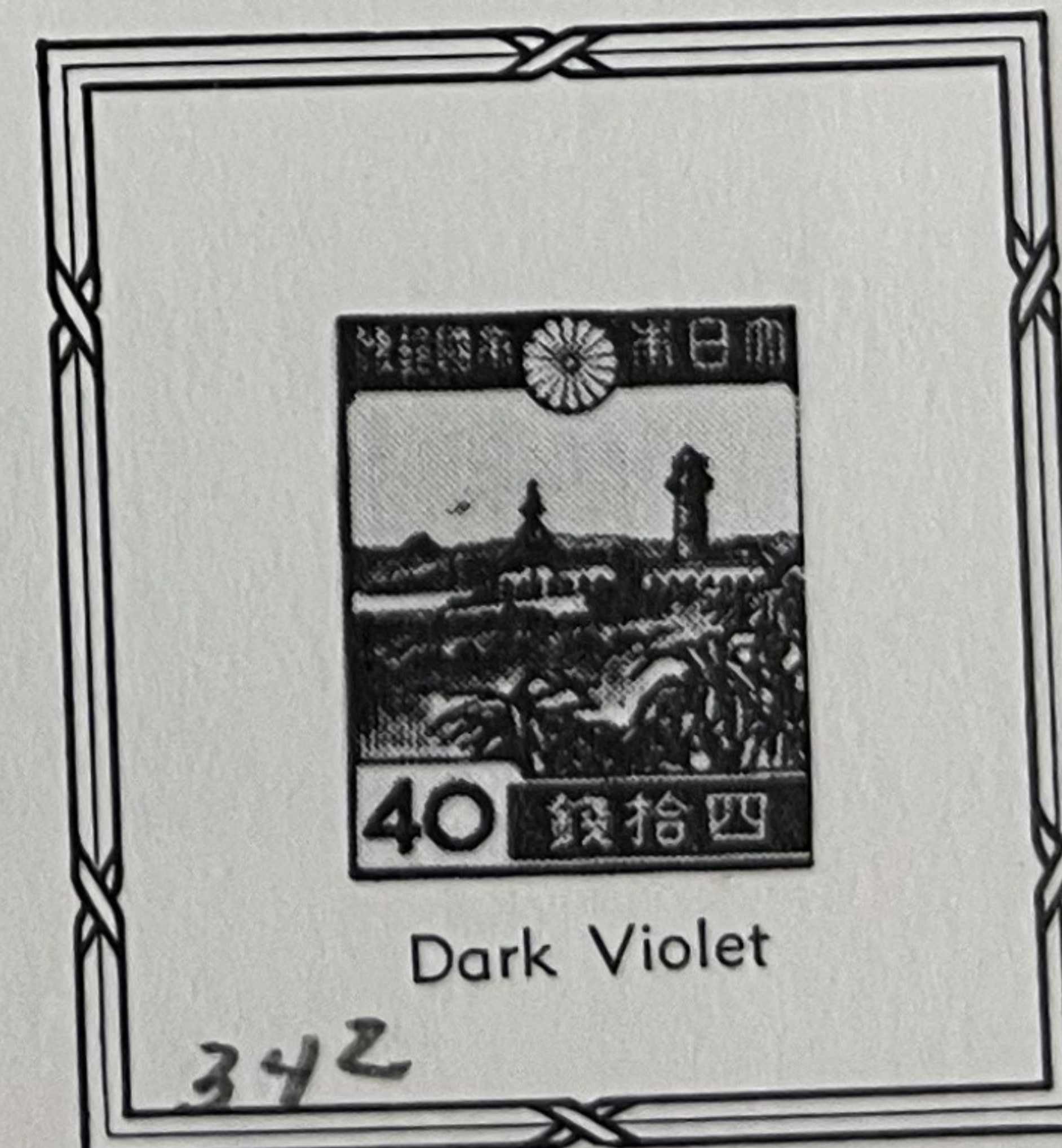
Torii of Yasukuni Shrine



Torii of Miyajima



Garambi Lighthouse, Formosa



Garambi Lighthouse, Formosa





FIRST RAILROAD 1942



Locomotive

Issued to commemorate the seventieth anniversary of the completion of the first railroad in Japan.

YASUKUNI SHRINE 1944



Yasukuni Shrine, Tokyo

Issued to commemorate the 75th anniversary of the founding of Yasukuni Shrine.



Shrine & Map

SHRINE

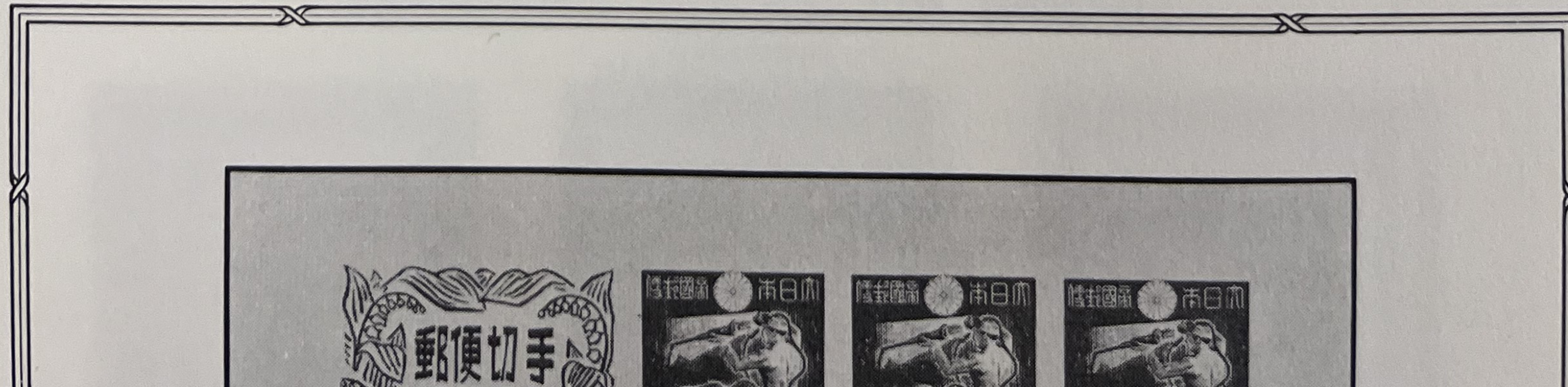
1944

Issued in commemoration of the completion of the Kanto Shrine, Port Arthur. The shrine is dedicated to the first ancestor of the Imperial House and to Emperor and Empress Meiji.



Shrine & Map

PHILATELIC EXHIBITION 1947





REGULAR ISSUES OF 1945-47

Imperforate



Gen. Maresuke Nogii



Sun & Cherry Blossoms



Sunrise at Sea & Plane



Light Gray
257
Enemy Country Surrender



Blue
354A
Enemy Country Surrender



Mt. Fuji & Cherry Blossoms



Mount Fuji



Torii of Miyajima



Coal Miners



Yasukuni Shrine



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Kamatari Fujiwara



361
Plum Blossoms

REGULAR ISSUES OF 1946-47

Imperforate



Baron Hisoka Maejima



Horyu Temple Pagoda



"Rain at Foot of Mt. Fuji"



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"First Geese"



Kintai Bridge, Iwakuni



Kiyomizu Temple



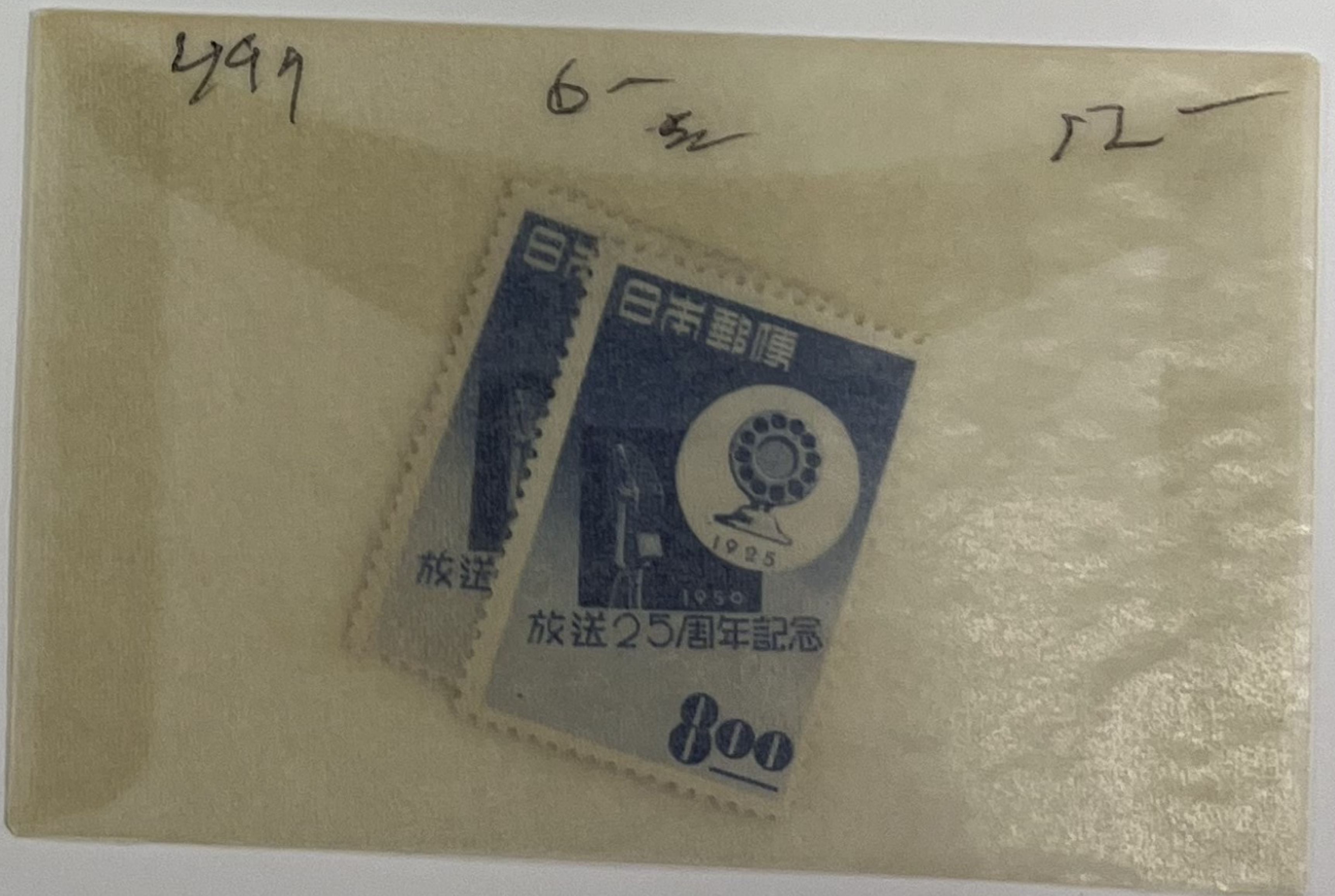
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Goldfish



"KNOW YOUR STAMPS" EXHIBITION 1947



During May, 1947 a "Know Your Stamps" Exhibition was held in Kyoto and this special souvenir sheet was released and sold to visitors.





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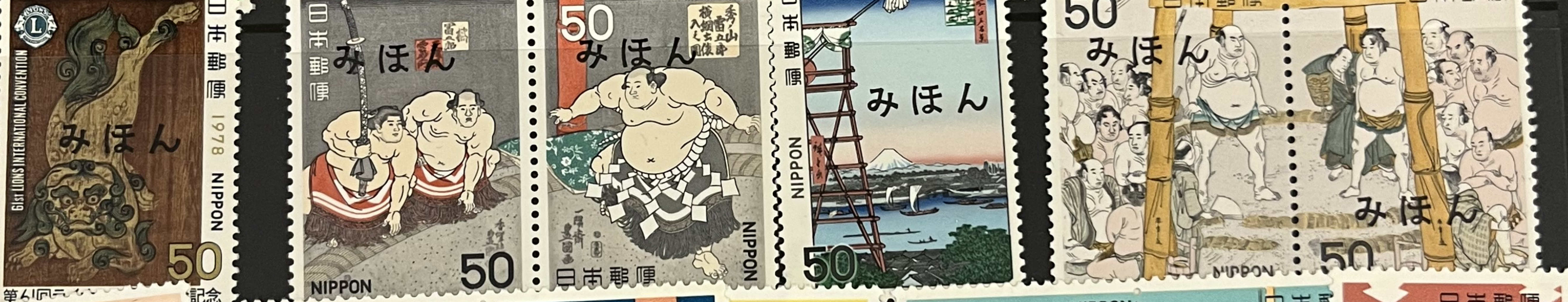
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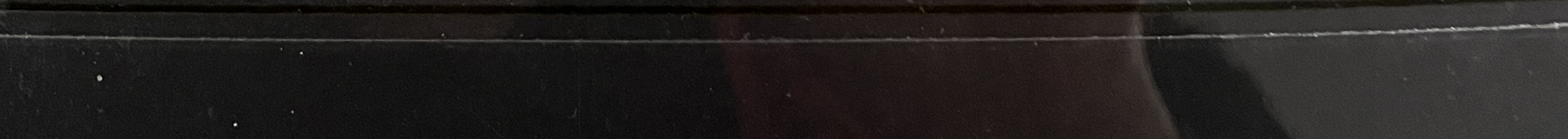


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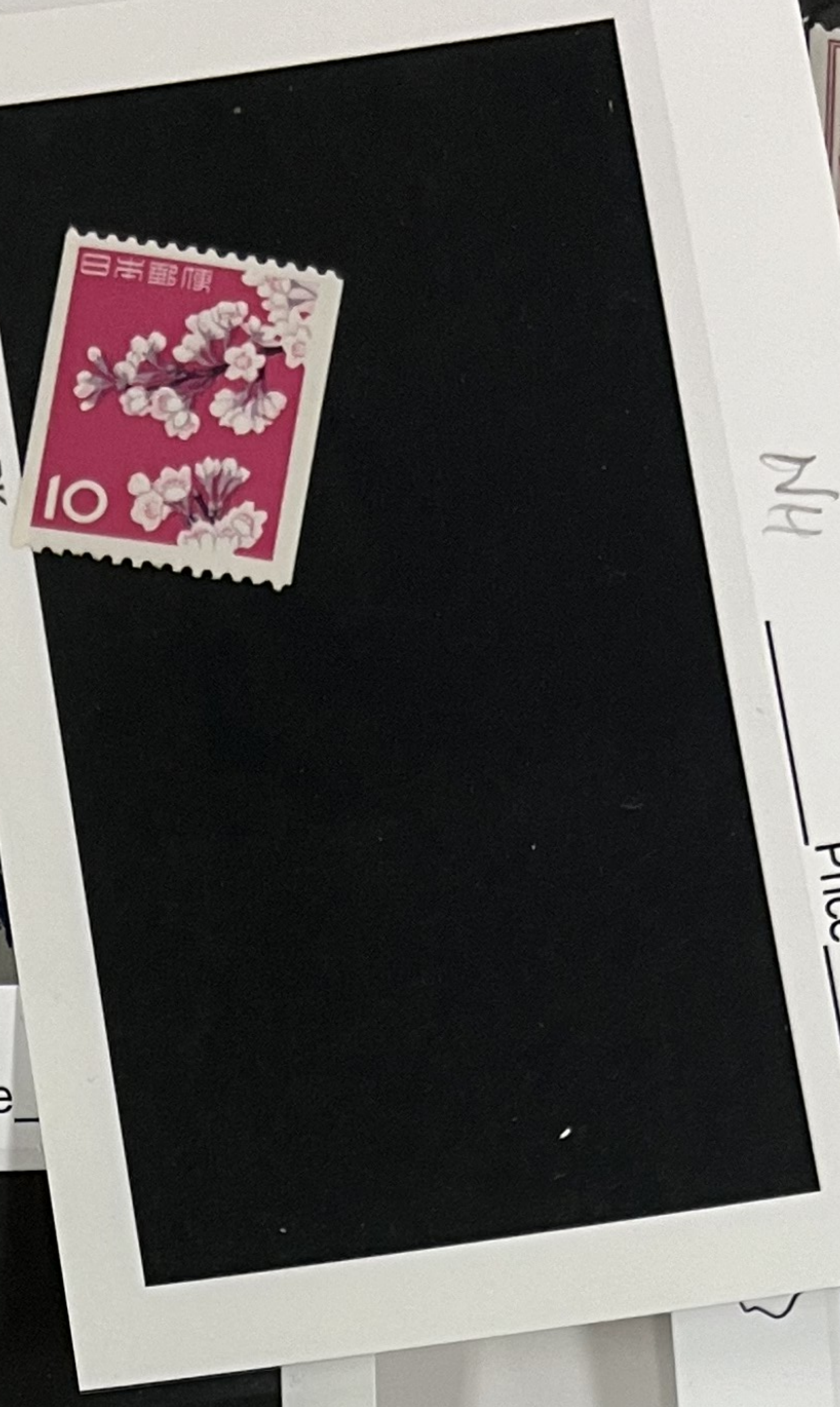


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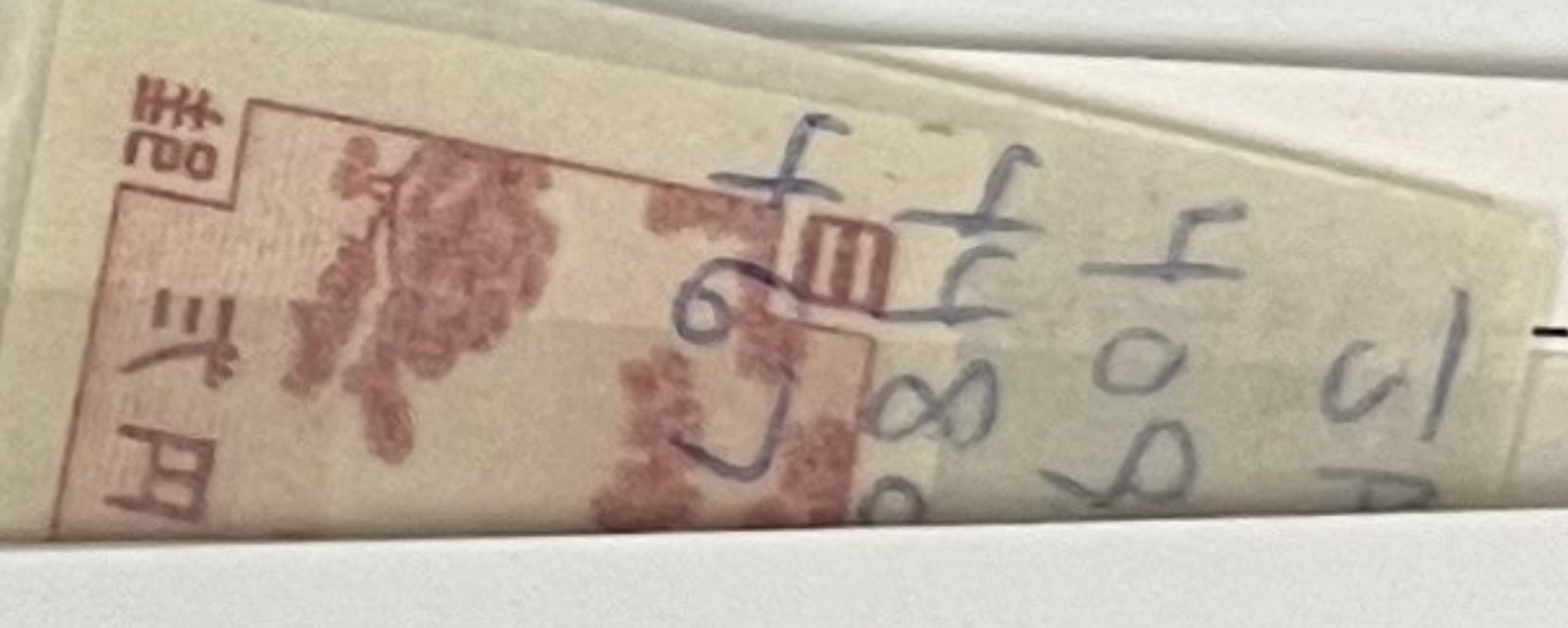
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