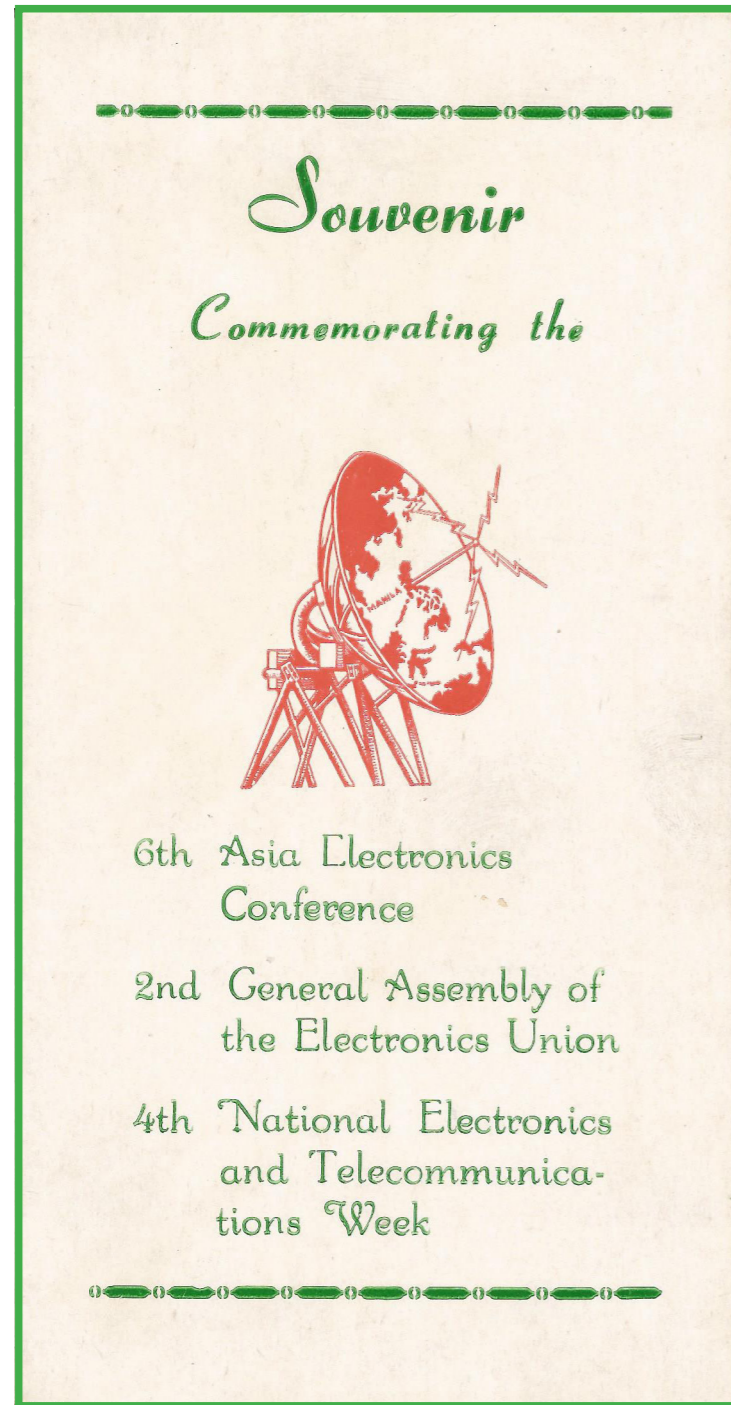


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6th ASIA ELECTRONICS CONFERENCE**



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The Bureau of Posts issues today, February 2, 1972 a set of stamps to mark the 6th Asia Electronics Conference held in Manila last December 1 to 7.

Particulars of the stamps:

Kind of Issue:	Special
Size:	25x25 mm printed size
Denomination and Quantity:	5-sentimo - 1.000.000 40-sentimo - 1.000.000
Sheet Composition:	50
Printing Process:	Heliogravure (four colors)
Printer:	Harrison & Sons Ltd (London, England)
Designer:	Antonio Chuidias, Jr.

Recognizing the vital contribution of electronics science and telecommunications technology in the field of cultural and economic development in Asia, Oceania and the Middle East, the Asia Electronics Conference was organized in Tokyo, Japan in 1961, through the initiative of the electronics industry of that country with the full support of the Japanese Government. Fifteen countries were present in the first conference.

During the second conference, it was agreed that the conference should continue to be held once every other year, with a view of furthering collaboration among the member countries. In 1965 and 1967, the third and fourth conference were successively convened in Tokyo, Japan. The fifth conference was held in Taipei in 1969, and the sixth here in Manila from December 1 to 7, 1971.

It showed to the world that electronics is an area for regional cooperation and that no community or nation can remain indifferent to electronics science and telecommunications technology. Closer international cooperation in various aspects of electronics may be developed and Asian nations may share in the experience of their neighboring countries in the development of industry.

