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20-CENTIMOS DE PESO BISTRE-BROWN

WEARING PLATE VARIETY

A plate flaw occurs where the horizontal line above and below the '20' is missing, as well as some of the design above the line, giving the appearance of a prominent white (colourless) area above the value. The flawed stamps appear to be more common than the non-flawed samples, giving the impression that the flaws occurred early in the printing process and appear to have remained throughout the remainder of the printing. The flaws appear in varying degrees throughout the sheet.

