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CLOSED ALBUMS

We regret to announce that Member No. 42, Mr A. Gooding passed away recently. The usual letter of sympathy has been sent to his relatives.

WANTED

Mr P Allender is interested in DS/IR perfins and would like to hear from anyone who has duplicates for disposal.

EDITORIAL JOTTINGS

Those members who have been purchasing the various pages of Mr Jennings' book will receive two further pages with this bulletin free of charge. These pages deal with Proof and Telegraphic Punctures and can be supplied at 6d post free to anyone else who is interested. Alternatively, I can supply all pages issued to date via the Society at 4/- post free.

Mr Jennings has also sent the manuscript for the next section which deals with the Railway Companies of Great Britain and Ireland prior to 1923. He indicates where these companies have used perfins and where dies exist which could have been used.

The whole section will probably run to some 30 pages and will, therefore, take some time to prepare for publication. I hope to get it ready for issue shortly after Christmas. Costs have not been worked out yet but it will probably be priced around 6/-. Unless I hear to the contrary it will be despatched to all those members who have been getting the previous sections with a request for remittance. Should anyone else be interested perhaps they will let me know.

AUCTION

Do not forget the auction to be held in the new year. Closing late for lots is January 14th and they should be sent to Chris Carr
Single stamps welcome.

THIS MONTH'S CONTENTS

1 page of general interest, page 24 of Officials Catalogue - Denmark, pages 4, 5, and 6 of Simplified Catalogue, three pages for 'N' (13.1 - 13.10) of the Council Listing.

2.3. DENMARK

A. DANISH STATE RAILWAYS



B. STATE GRAIN OFFICE



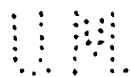
C. DEPARTMENT OF STATISTICS



D. STATE POLICE



E. UDENRIGS MINISTERIAT



Information is needed about the period of use of the above Official perfins.

301	AI/DS	351	AL ++	401	AMP
302	AI/J	352	A.L	402	AM/&Co
303	A&I/Ltd	353	A...L	403	AM/PS
304	A.I.O/Co..	354	A/L	404	AMS
305	A.I.R	355	ALB	405	AM/S
306		356	AL/BD	406	AM/&S
307		357	AL/&Co	407	AMS/L
308		358	A.L/&Co	408	AM/X
30g		359	AL/CoLd	409	
310		360	ALd ++	410	
311	AJ	361	A.Ld	411	
312	A.J	362	A/Ld ++	412	
313	A.J.	363	A&/Ld	413	
314	A&J	364	A.L/H.BL	414	
315	AJAX	365	AL/Ld/H.B	415	
316	AJ/B	366	ALM	416	AN ++
317	A.J.C./Ld.	367	AL/M	417	A/N
318	AJC/Ld	368	A/L/M	418	A/N/B
319	AJ/Co	369	AL/NS	419	AN/CO
320	A/J.Co	370	AL/P ++	420	A.N/&Co
321	AJ/&CO	371	AL/&S	421	A&N/C.S.L
322	AJC/S	372	A/Ltd	422	AN/SL
323	AJC/&S	373	AL/W	423	AN/L
324		374		424	AN/Ld (d part of L)
325	AJE	375		425	AN/Ltd
326	AJ/E	376		426	A&N/O&L
327	A.J.H	377		427	AN/S
328	AJ/H	378		428	
329	AJH/Co	379		429	
330	A.J.M	380		430	
331	AL/R	381	AM	431	AO
332	AJ/&S	382	A.M	432	A/O
333	AJW	383	A..M	433	AOA
334		384	A&M	434	AOA/&Co
335		385	A/M	435	A&O/B
336		386	AM/AI	436	AOCO
337		387	AM/C	437	AO/&Co ++
338		388	A.M./C.	438	AOF/CoLd
339		389	AM/&C	439	A/OF/H
340		390	A.M/C.C	440	AO/S
341	A.K	391	A.MCo ++	441	AO&S/Ltd
342	AK/&Co	392	A.M.Co	442	
343	AK/&S	393	A.M./Co	443	
344	A.K/&S	394	AM/&Co	444	
345		395	A.M/&/Co	445	
346		396	AMF	446	AP
347		397	A/MH	447	A.P
348		398	A&M/Ld	448	A..P
349		399	A...M/Ltd	449	A.P.
350		400	A.M.P	450	AP (Joined)

451	A&P	501	AS/C	551	AU ++
452	AP/B	502	A.S/&C	552	AU/Co
453	AP/C	503	ASC/MCo	553	A.U&Co..
454	AP/CM	504	A.S/Co	554	AU/DC
455	A.P/C.M	505	AS/&Co ++	555	AU/LC
456	AP/CO	506	A.S/&Co	556	AUR
457	APH/F'TL	507	ASG	557	<u>A/U/R</u>
458	A.P./L	508	AS/H	558	<u>AUX</u> ++
459	AP/Ld	509	A.S./H.	559	
460	APM ++	510	A&S/H	560	
461	AP/PC	511	ASH/&/CoLd	561	AV
462	APS	512	A.S/L	562	AVERY
463	AP/&s	513	A.S.L.	563	
464	AP/&/SLd	514	A&S/Ld	564	
465	AP/&S/Ld	515	AS/Ltd	565	
466	A.P.T/&Co..	516	A.S./M.Ld	566	AW ++
467	AP/W	517	AS/P	567	A.W
468		518	AS/PCo ++	568	A.W.
469		519	AS/RS	569	AW/B (in circle)
470		520	AS/&S	570	AW/B (A W Joined)
471	AR ++	521	A.S/&S	571	AWC
472	A.R.	522		572	A.W/C
473	AR/Co ++	523		573	AWCA
474	AR/&Co	524		574	A.W.C/&Co
475	AR/&/Co..	525		575	AW/Co
476	ARD	526		576	AW/&Co ++
477	ARGUS	527		577	A.W/&CoLd
478	A&R/Ld	528		578	A.W/E.B
479		529		579	A&/WF
480	ARP	530		580	AWG
481	ART	531	AT ++	581	A.W/G
482	A&R/T	532	A.T.	582	AWG/Ld
483		533	A&T/B	583	AWG/P
484		534	ATB/&Co	584	AWH
485		535	ATC	585	AW/H
486		536	A.T.C	586	AW/HC
487		537	A/TC	587	AWJ/&Co
488		538	A.T/&Co.	588	AW/Ld
489		539	A.T/D	589	AW/M
490		540	ATL	590	A.W.WM.
491	AS ++	541	ATLAS/BILSTON	591	AW/N
492	A.S	542	ATL/Ld	592	AWO
493	A.S.	543	AT/MLd	593	AW/&S
494	A&S ++	544	ATS	594	AW/SL
495	A/S	545	A&T/S	595	AW.S/W
496	A.S.A	546	ATW/M	596	AWT
497	AS/AB	547		597	
498	AS/AN	548		598	
499	AS/B	549		599	
500	ASC ++	550		600	

SL/5

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606 AY
607 A/Y
608 AY/Co
609 A.Y./Z
610 AYRE

13.1 NELSON (B) LANCASHIRE

The area of Marsden was entirely agricultural until the 18th century when a small woollen factory was established resulting in the present day specialisation in the silk and woollen industries.

The coming of the railway caused the name of the town to be changed from Marsden to Nelson (after the Lord Nelson inn) to avoid confusion with Marsden in Yorkshire.

Perfin: NC H 11,7 4½

Perfins have been supplied by Slopers since 1936.

13.2 NEW FOREST (RDC) HAMPSHIRE

Prior to the Norman Conquest the area covered by the present forest was known as YTENE.

In 1079 afforestation was carried out by William the Conqueror and the Domesday Survey which was completed in 1086, contains references to five Royal Forests, including NOVA FORESTA (New Forest).

Some 17 separate Parishes are included in the present Rural District.

Perfin: NF/DC 2H 11,7/9,7 4½

The use of perfins commenced in April 1957 and have been supplied by Slopers in all denominations from ½d to 6d plus 9d & 1/-.

13.3 NEWCASTLE UNDER LYME (B) STAFFORDSHIRE

The Borough takes its name from the "new castle" built by the third Earl of Chester, between 1142 and 1146, for the greater protection of his domain.

The town grew up on the edges of the moat and was usually referred to in documents as the NOVO CASTRO SUBTUS LINAM.

The castle became obsolete with the advent of firearms due to its low lying position making it vulnerable, and by 1541 it was largely demolished.

The Borough received its first charter in 1173 from King Henry II.

Perfin: NUL/BC 2H 11,8,6/11,7 4½

Perfins were first introduced in 1953 and are obtained from J. Sloper & Co.

13.4 NEWCASTLE UPON TYNE (CB) NORTHUMBERLAND

Newcastle was the original site of a Roman station called PONS AELI but gets its present name from the Norman castle built in 1080 by Robert, the eldest son of William the Conqueror.

The town was a borough before the reign of Henry 11 and a charter dated 1400 created Newcastle a County separate from Northumberland for administrative purposes.

Newcastle was once the centre of the worlds coal trade and being situated upon the River Tyne, it has long been famed for its ship building.

Perfin: CITY/TREAS/NC

The use of perfins ceased prior to 1939 but it is not known whether the above type was in use at that time. So far this has only been reported on issues of Q.V. and K.E.V11.

13.5 NEW HAM (B.)_LONDON

New Ham was created on let April 1965 as one of the "new" London boroughs and administers the area contained within the boundaries of the former Boroughs of East Ham and West Ham. (See under these separate headings for earlier perfins and historical notes).

Perfin: LB/N 2H 6,9/10 4½

This perfin was put into use shortly after the new borough was formed, the original West Ham machine being modified with a new die.

13.6 NEWPORT (B) MONMOUTHSHIRE

Newport was not mentioned in the Domesday Book and must have been quite insignificant at that time. It grew up around the castle built early in the 12th century.

Giraldus Cambrenis writing in 1187 calls the town NOVUS BURGUS while the present Welsh name is CASNEWYDD.

The town was incorporated as a Borough by James I in 1694.

Perfin: (i) N.Cn. H 13,8,8 5½
(ii) NC H 11,7 4½

Postmarks indicate that die 1 was used by Newport but it has not been possible to obtain confirmation of this and it is noted as a 'probable' only.

Council officials state that the perf in has been NC for at least 40 years and that in the early days this wab produced on a hand machine in the Council Offices. The present perfins (die ii) are obtained from Slopers, so it is possible that die i was used on the hand machine, or that another die existed at that time.

13.7 NORTHFLEET (UDC), KENT

Northfleet is situated on the River Thames about 20 miles from London. It is largely an industrial centre and its main industries are concerned with the manufacture of cement, paper, and electric cables.

Perfin: NU/DC 2H 11,8/9,7 4½

Perfins were introduced on 25th October 1954 and it is believed that they are obtained from Slopers.

13.8 NORTH RIDING OF YORKSHIRE (C)

see East Riding of Yorkshire.

Perfin: NR/CC 2H 11,10/7,7 4½

Perfins were first put into use in 1948.

13.9 NOTTINGHAM (CB) NOTTINGHAMSHIRE

The earliest reference to Nottingham is in the "Anglo Saxon Chronicle" where it is said that in 924 Edward the Elder repaired an existing bridge over the Trent at Nottingham, and either built or rebuilt a "town" on the south side of it.

The earliest charter granted to the town is that of King Henry II in 1155 whilst one by King Henry VI in 1449 made Nottingham a county of itself.

On 7th August 1897, Queen Victoria created it a City so its full title is "The City of Nottingham and County of the same City".

Perfins:(i) NC H 13,9 7
 (ii) N.C. H 14,8 7

Perfins are produced in the Council Offices on a machine of unknown make which is over 40 years old. The machine deals with six stamps at a time in two rows of three. Only two pins are missing at the present time and both these are from the C of the lower centre die.

Die i is known on all issues from K.E.VII to the present day whilst die ii is on cover from "City Treasurer's (Water) Office" bearing postmarked date of 25 March 1941.

13.10 NUNEATON (B) WARWICKSHIRE

The prefix "NUN" was attached to the name of the town when a Benedictine Monastery was founded there between 1155 and 1159.

Nuneaton received its Charter of Incorporation in 1907 and has major industries in engineering, brick making and textiles.

Perfin: NC H 11,7 4½

No details are known.