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EDITORIAL

Well done our readers. You have done it. In this issue there is no room for an Editorial as I have been able to fill the pages with copy from others. I have been forced off the pages of my own Bulletin, but I do not care as it is your work which should grace these pages not mine! Elsewhere you will find a number of articles by the members including one from an overseas member. Keep the copy coming and our Bulletin will remain at its high standard. Last issue did not include the promised illustrations as they did not turn out too well, but with some luck a later issue will contain another experimental page of illustrations.

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RESIGNATIONS

L. P. Yoller

LAPSED MEMBERS

It is our melancholy duty to record that the following members have not paid their subscriptions and are therefore no longer members of the Society:

Buckner, Carasco, Chambers, Clark, Clewley, Gosling, Jones B.N., Kent, McAdam, Manthorpe, Marcuzzi, Metzger, Pearce, Sanders M.S., Simmonds, Staines, Williams.

Membership at 1st January 1983 is 134 in Great Britain and 38 abroad, a total of 172.

NEW MEMBERS

A cordial welcome is extended to the following new members:

Allright D.J.

Mannering R.T.

Palmer G.C.

Tully F.S.

Winkelmann K.

DEATHS

We regret having to record the death of the following members:

Beckwith Dr. N.P.

Hewitt F.W.H.

CHANGES OF ADDRESS

Cooper Mrs N.E.

Engelbrecht P.

J.M. Rucklidge.

THE RON BOWMAN MEMORIAL PRIZE

It has been decided to institute a Prize to perpetuate the memory of Ron Bowman who, as most of you know, was the leading light of the society from its inception until his untimely death early last year. Because of our far-flung membership it is felt that the usual arrangement of having a competition by display for a trophy is not practicable. Therefore an annual prize of £10 will be awarded for the best article or series of articles written by a member and published in the bulletin during the previous year. The prize will be in the form of a voucher which can be spent in the Society's auctions. A diploma will also be awarded.

The winner will be decided by the officers, who reserve the right not to award the prize in any year in which, in their opinion, no article of sufficient merit has been submitted.

It is hoped that this prize will

- (a) keep alive the memory of one to whom we owe so much,
- (b) encourage nembers to prepare bulletin material.

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MEMBERSHIP

It may be of interest to see how we have grown. When the Study Group (as it was then called) was formed in 1957 there were 19 founder members. Today we number about 190. The growth has been steady:

Years	57/61	62/66	67/71	72/76	77/81	82
Number Joining	34	37	69	96	107	31

This gives a total of 393 so obviously more than half of these were lost to the Society for one reason or another. Unfortunately the majority of these were "lapsed" for non-payment of subscription.

The overall steady increase is a healthy sign. It is not clear whether we are introducing beginners to perfins or absorbing the converted. I suspect that there are more of the latter than is generally recognised. Certainly it is not unusual for an applicant to say that he/she has been collecting perfins for a considerable time.

J. M. Rucklidge

MEMBERS INTERESTS NO. 3

GB 1d Lilac Perfins

(Members Name Richard Ince)

Over the years I have made a collection and study of the 1d Lilac Stamp of 1881. One branch of this collection is perfins either on or off cover with interesting postmarks.

If anyone knows where any large numbers of this 1d Lilac Stamp are to be found I would exchange or buy them. I am always interested in this 1d Lilac issue.

A HANDBOOK OF GB OFFICIAL PERFINS

The Society is to produce a hand book covering the GB Official perfins on the lines of the well received booklet on Railway Perfins. The booklet will be based on my personal collection of these items, but I hope for help and information from the members to make it more complete. I would ask you all to look into your collections for these items and to let me know (in confidence) of your holdings. I would be interested in details of the perfin, the stamp, the postmark and such details as blind holes reversed perforation. A Good way to pass this information is to photostat the back of the stamp against a black background and to write the details on the back of the photocopy. I hope that you all will take part as I hope to include listings of stamps perfined and details of usage including earliest and latest. From time to time I will be asking for specific information in these pages as the Booklet progresses but to start with I would ask for information regarding the perfin Cat. No. 17.1, 22/CSC, which is listed as belonging to both 'Cook Son & Co.' and 'Civil Service Commission'. Does anyone out there have a copy of this perfin together with identity which they can lend me or photostat for me?

A list of the perfins I intend to include is reproduced below, but I would be pleased to hear of any others. All information should go to the Editorial address. I hope you will all co-operate to make this project a success.

Check List of Official Perfins of GB

Cat. No.	. Perfin	Number of Holes	Height	Identity
_	A.T/D	10,7,11	4½	Admiralty Transport Dept.
6.6	CA	7,8	5,5½	Crown Agents
174	C/CS/C	8/8, 10/8	4½	Clarks Civil Service College
567	CO/W/Ltd.	8,10/15/7,5,7	5½	Coventry Ordnance Works Ltd.
_	DH/E	-	_	-
_	DS/IR	9,9/4,10	4½/5	Depart, of Scientific &
				Industrial Research
507	HM/F	12,15/8	5	His Majesty's Factories
508	HM/F/QF	10,11/7/10,7	$4\frac{1}{2}$	His Majesty's Factory,
				Queensferry.
515	HM/OW	12,15/10,14	5	HM Office of Works
520.1	HM/SO	9,11/9,8	3½	HM Stationery Office
244	No2/N.F.F.	13,6,10/13,8,8	5½/4½	No.2 National Filling Factory
299	NS/FF	13,10/8,8	5	National Shell Filling Factory
_	Crown/ST	-	_	-
41/1	PB	8,11	$4\frac{1}{2}$	Petroleum Board
368 B	R.B.N.	12,14,14	5½	Registry of Business Names
_	SB/crown	10,14/38	5½	-
_	SDC	10,11,8	4	Stamp Distribution(Parent)Co.Ltd.
_	SDS	10,11,10	4	Stamp Distribution Syndicate
563	S crown 0	9,24,8	$4\frac{1}{2}$	HM Stationery Office
171	22/CSC	10,10/8,10,8	5/4	Civil Service Commission
	crown/B.T	69/14,7	12/5½	Board of Trade
_	crown/OW	43/10,14	13/5	Office of Works

Tony Edwards

Do you have a CL perfin (McKee-Tomkins C421.2) or a CLI (C452.1) or an IVE (I261) or a VE which was listed in the old van lint catalogue? Well, I did too, until recently when I found they were all partials.

I recently acquired a mixture of GB perfins from a dealer in India, which had been accumulated before 1920. The lot had quite a few of CL, CLI, and IVE. What I noted was that the lower left hole of the L in CL and CLI was often blind or incomplete. This made me superimpose them and find they were the same perfin, with the CL ones positioned so the I would always be off the stamp. After this I wondered if this was all, since the CLI goes right across a small stamp. With the abundance of IVE perfins in the lot, I tried it onto the I of CLI and it fitted perfectly, giving the new perfin CLIVE.

The range of stamps in my collection goes from Victoria to George V, and cancel dates from 1900 to April 1, 1915. Cancels are London W.C.

The abundance of the three types of partials in one lot was what prompted this discovery. Actually, I had a lead on it several years ago, but things were just not right at that time. I had a stamp with a double strike of the NE perfin, and they had been done at a slight angle. This gave on one of the strikes part of the lower bar of the L. At that time I was not even thinking of the IVE perfin, and put it in my collection under LIVE with a question mark. So, sometimes, you need a little luck to go along with the data, in order to solve the problems.

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RAILWAY PERFINS

In the recent auction I was successful in obtaining Ron Bowman's collection of railway perfins. It is my intention to continue to add to this and eventually bequeath it to the Society (with the hope that it will never be broken up) as a memorial to Ron.

I find that there are quite a few gaps and am most anxious to fill them. They are of course mostly the more "difficult" items. If anyone is willing to help I would be willing to buy them (or receive them free!). I will send a list of the missing items to anyone who thinks they may be able to help.

J. M. Rucklidge

S.E.P.S. AUCTION NO. 1 (1983)

One of our members has chosen to dispose of a general GB perfin collection through the auspices of our auction, and lots 1-80 inclusive comprise the first selections from this. In all a total of over 3800 different dies will be on offer and for the purposes of letting the vendors own descriptions have in the main been followed.

Also on offer are the usual blend of small and large general properties, hopefully with something to suit everyones taste amongst them.

The last auction attracted some new bidders, and competition was keen on some of the larger and older lots. It would however be nice to see even more new bidders joining the ranks during the coming year.

Prospective vendors are invited to send material for inclusion in future auctions to the address below. Brief descriptions and clear reserves are greatly appreciated if possible as well as the provision of a self-addressed envelope if you require acknowledgment of receipt.

Closing date for this auction is 30th March 1983 and overseas members are advised to bid by airmail.

Please submit bids in writing to: P.F. DAY,

Lot	<u>Description</u>	<u>Qty</u>	Reserve
1	GB Regionals, 11 different dies, 2 partially blind and one		
	double struck.	11(*2)	10p
2	GB QE II dies which include numerals, all different.	13	12p
3	QE II HOSPITAL PERFINS, all different.	45	35P
4	QE II Machins with COUNCIL PERFINS, all different.	39	30p
5	QE II WILDINGS with COUNCIL PERFINS, all different.	38	35P
6	QE II decimal perfinst all different.	125	60p
7	QE II Machins, pre-decimal and all different.	94	45p
8	QE II Wildings with dies consisting of single letters all		
	different.	13	10p
9	QE II Wildings, all different.	108	75p
10	QE II Wildings, all different.	108	75P
11	QE II Wildings, all different.	108	75p
12	QE II Commemoratives all different.	5	10p

Lot	Description	Qty	Reserve
13	QE II High Values. Castles 2/6 x 10; 5/- x 2; 10/- x 1;		
	$SG829 \times 1$ and $SG830 \times 1$. All different dies.	15	40p
14	KG VI Dark Colours, all different.	122	£1
15	As previous lot.	122	£l
16	As previous lot.	122	£1
17	KG VI Pale colours; all different.	170	£1.50
18	KG VI New colours (1950); all different	84	80p
19	KG VI all different, up to 1/- value.	50	50p
20	KG VI Sideways WMKS, all different.	16	20p
21	KG VI Local Government dies, all different.	31	30p
22	KG VI provisional dies, all different.	16	30p
23	KG VI perfin dies consisting of single letters; all diff.	52	50p
24	KG VI Commemoratives; all different dies.	22	30p
25	KG VI High Values. SG 476,- SG 476a and SG 477 (x3).		
	All different.	5(*1)	60p
26	KG VI High Values, SG509, SG510 $(x2)$, SG511 and SG512.		
	All different and the £1 value damaged.	5	60p
27	KE VIII all different dies.	84	£1
28	KE VIII all ,different dies,	84	£1
29	KG V(1912-26) to 3d values; all different.	100	£1.20
30	As previous lot.	100	£1.20
31	As previous lot.	100	£1.20
32	As previous lot.	100	£1.20
33	KG V photogravure issues to 3d; all different.	100	£1
34	As previous lot.	97	£1
35	KG V values from 4d to 1/-; all different.	72	90p
36	KGV Downey Heads; all different.	53	70p
37	As previous lot.	53	70p
38	KG V 1929 P.U.C, issues; ½d x 8; 1d x 2; 1½d x 4 and		, op
	2½d x 2. All different dies.	16	£1
39	KG V 1935 Jubilee issues. %d x 6 and 1%d. x 12 all diff.	18	30p
40	KG V Seahorses SG414 + SG416 with dies JA/E and NB/1.		304
10	The 2/6 has some foxing.	2	£1
41	KG V 1924 Wembley 1½d perfin O + Co. Bottom, perfs. a little	2	~ -
	ragged.	1	£1.50
42	KG V 1924 Wembley 1½d perfin etc.	1	£1.50
43	KE VII values to 3d, all different dies.	110	£1.50
44	As previous lot.	110	£1.50
45	As previous lot.	110	£1.50
46	Lot as previous.	110	£1.50
47	As previous lot.	110	£1.50
48	KE VII perfin dies consisting of single letters. All Diff.	28	40p
49	KE VII values from 4d to 1/ All different dies, some	20	40Þ
47	colour-washing of fugitive inks noted.	57	£1
50	KE VII High Values. 2/6 perfin JC/+Co/Ld and 5/- perfin	57	LI
30	S+/McD. Both have some minor creases.	2	£1.50
51	OFFICIALS: C/OF/A with C missing on KGVI 5/- and C of A	2	21.50
JI	struck off-centre on KGV 2d:Jubilee, Both scarce.		
	Slight crease on 5/	2	C1
ΕO	_	2	£1
52	OFFICIALS, S crown O on unused KGV 10d; DS/IR on KGVI 6d	2	1.0
F 2	and HM/SO on QE II Wilding 4d.	3	10p
53	SHIPPING COs on QV issues comprising USSCo/Ld; RMS/Pco;	4	
- 4	C/SSCo and G.S.S/Co Ld.	4	60p
54	SHIPPING COs. On KG V issues C.S.S./Co; C/SSCo and RM/SP(x3)		
	One of which is on a toned but unused 2/6 seahorse. All	_	
	different dies.	5	60p
55	SHIPPING COPTI'ANIES, all different dies on KGVI + QEII.	-	4.0
	PS/NC $(x2)$; RM/L $(x2)$; P+O/Co; CSS; and CSS/CoLd.	7	40p

Lot	Description	<u>Qty</u>	Reserve
56 57	RAILWAY: TV/R on KGV 2d postmarks in 1916. Scarce. RAILWAYS: CPR (x2) and CPJR (x2), All different dies.	1 4	£1 20p
58 59	RAILWAYS: GWR dies alldifferent. QV issues x 2, KGV x 4, KEVIII x 1 and KGVT x 3. RAILWAY dies on QV 1d reds. GR/W, GR/E (both badly trimmed)	7	g09
60	and MS + L (toned). RAILWAYS all different. EN/E; RE/WR and LN/E (x2). RAILWAY: CAM/RYS on KEVII 1d red with some surface	3 4	40p 20p
61 62	paper damage. RAILWAY dies all different. GS/WR (x2) and M/G.W.R.	1 3	30p 40p
63 64	RAILWAYS. SE/CR all different dies. RAILWAYS: LS/WR all different dies. Some slight foxing	3(*1)	40p
65 66	on 2 stamps. RAILWAYS: GER dies, one a bit ragged. RAILWAYS: on KEVII issues. LB/SC (x2) and LTS/R and GC.	5 3 4(*1)	60p 40p 50p
67 68	RAILWAYS: GNR; B.R; and MJ/R. Full name OETZMANN on QV 1d lilac. Some trimmed perfs.	3	40p 40p
69 70	Full name dies on KEVIII issues. LEE; BAT; PEARS; EMU and CORY. Full name dies on KGV issues. MYERS; GAS/L; MOY;	5	40P
71	C/O/X; and CAR/TER. Full name dies on KGV issues. WILLS; SPERO; MAZA;	5(*1)	40p
72	OYEZ and PAUL. Full name dies on KGV issues. SINGER; DOCK/RELL, ORR; FRY and KENT.	5(*2)	40p 40P
73	Full name dies on KGV issues. E & T/PINK; HYAM; FRY; COAL; FORD plus a poor strike of LAF/AYE/TTE.	6	40p
74	Full name dies on QEII. OYEZ(x2); LINE; HAW; BASS; WILLS; EMU; PAGE; FR/Y and ESSO.	10	40p
75 76	Full name dies on KGVI issues. EMU; LEW; POTTER; POLY; WILLS and SLATER. Full names on KGVI issues. HEAL; CAR/TER; CORY; CARR	6	30p
77	and CORY/L. Full name dies on KGVI issues. MARCY; MOSS; GAS; CB/GAS;	5	30p
78 79	and EMU. Full name CENTURY in arc on KEVII 1d red. Full names on KEVII issues. GIDDY; MINTON; FORCE/FOOD;	5 1	30p 30p
80	MOSS and C/GAS/C. Full name dies on XEVII issues. CZAR; MYERS; HEAL;	5	50P
81	CORY and COX. KGVI off paper, all different perfin dies. Unsorted in sealed packet.	5(*1)	50p £2
82	ROMANIA: Perfins off paper, condition unchecked (sealed packet); contains duplication of dies.	90	£1
83	KEVII off paper, all different perfin dies. Unsorted in sealed packet.	190	£5
84 85	QEII off paper, mainly Machins but earlier reigns also noted. Duplication. QEII - similar lot.	200 200	10p 10p
86 87	QEII - similar but larger lot. GB Perfin Collection offered complete by a Society member who wishes to specialize. Comes sorted on stock cards, each stamp being mounted beside an illustration of the perfin die. A good proportion of the material is early	700	50p
	and would form a wonderful base to expand. All diff. dies.	950	£15

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Lot	Description	<u>Qty</u>	Reserve
88	Perfin JP/11 of JOHN PAUL II. Private perfin issued		
	by Polish Philatelists Association to commemorate the		
	Popes visit to Britain. Used on special commemorative		
	postcard. Limited issue.	1	£2
89	GB off paper comprising 30 x QV; 66 x KEVII; 12 x KGV;		
	and 33 x KGVI plus two overprints. Vendor states a few		
	damaged. Unsorted.	143	£1
90	QE II off paper comprising approx. 280 Wildings to		
	x value; 48 pre-decimal machins to 1/- and approx. 600	0.00	5.0
0.1	Decimal Machins to 50p. Much duplication in latter,	928	50p
91	EGYPT: variety of values on and off paper mainly perfined	60	2.0
0.0	AB/E. Some damage noted and many dies off-centre.	68	30p
92	NETHERLANDS: range of values off paper including much	105	Γ0
93	older material. Condition mixed and some duplication.	105	50p
93	QV 1d red perfins; 229 examples, some on piece, with a good range of dies but some duplication noted.	229(*74)	£20
94	STRAITS SETTLTITMTS o On and off paper including some QV,	229("/4)	£20
24	condition mixed but an unusual lot in Qty. Contains		
	duplication.	51	£1
95	QV Line engraved 2d, one on piece MS/+Co, with 3d surface	31	21
75	printed. Six different dies in all.	9(*1)	£1.50
96	QV LINE-ENGRAVED ½d perfins, most with some damage or die	J(I)	21.50
50	off-centre but incl, a nice pair perfin MBW,.	20(*20)	£1
97	QV LINE-ENGRAVED 1½d perfins: seldom seen in qty, and	,	
	11 different dies.	14(*8)	£2
98	ALL WORLD on and off paper, mainly earlier material, with	, - ,	
	strength in European perfins, Condition very mixed and		
	unsorted.	640	£2
99	QV 1½d on entire perfin G/+Co, of GREGORY and Co, and		
	pmk. London 1886.	1	50p
100	USA Railway perfins incl, duplication but looks a good		
	selection in mainly nice condition. Unsorted.	213	£1

O887 Catalogue of the perfins of the Czechoslovakian area Maxa, V.

2nd edn, Vydal KF 00-65, Prague, 1976, pp.121 (Includes an addenda dated 1977 pp.7)

Translation: S.E.P.S. TRANS. 41

Czechoslovakian perfins are of particular interest since they can be found on the stamps of many other countries as the political tide ebbed and flowed across Europe in the last hundred years. So, not only does this catalogue include an illustration, the city of use and the user of each perfin, but also an indication of the user's occupation and details of the countries on whose stamps it is to be found.

0888 Australia - Official stamps

Munk, H.

Kohl-Briefmarken Handbuch, 2nd edn., Verein der freunde des Kohl-Briefmarken Handbuch,

Berlin, Vol. 1, 1926, p.140

Translation: S.E.P.S. TRANS. 58

An early catalogue, with valuations, of the official OS perfins of Australia.

0889 Similar CNR perfins

Johnson, J.C.

BNA Perf., Nov. 1980, 1, (10), 1

The CNR perfin was originally used by the Canadian Northern Railway and was later taken over by the Canadian National Railways. Two similar CNR perfins are included in the BNAPS catalogue - C20 and C21, both of which have sub-types - C20a and C21a. Clear illustrations are used to indicate how to differentiate between them.

0890 Report from BNAPEX'80

BNA Perf., Nov. 1980, 1, (10), 2

During the AGM of the BNAPS Perfin Study Group, discussions were held regarding fake OH/MS perfins. It was thought that about 80% of 5-hole perfins are fakes which are very difficult to separate from the real 5-hole perfins.

0891 Intercolonial railway of Canada Hanes, A.D.

BNA Perf., Nov. 1980, 1, (10), 3-4

The Intercolonial Railway was projected as a means of Welding together the various states into the Confederation (later Dominion) of Canada and promoting settlement and trade. It was eventually completed in 1876. The railway used the perfin IC/R, the earliest known use being 1893.

O892 Completed questionnaires - CH & CHI BNA Perf., Nov. 1980, 1, (10), 5-10

Completed questionnaires cover the perfins CH (catalogue number C11) and CHI (C12 - C12K) of the Customs House, St. John's, Newfoundland (only found on Newfoundland stamps) and International Harvester Company, respectively. They provide a summary of all the information collected on these perfins to date.

0893 Perforation of postage stamps

Post Office Guide, General Post Office, London 1903, 36 In 1903, the Post Office actively recommended that perfins be used to safeguard companies stamps from theft. Perforations through revenue stamps were not to be considered cancellations and such stamps had to be written across to cancel them.

O894 United States perfins used by: automobile manufacturers, dealers and associated companies

Swenson, G.M.

The Perfins Club, U.S.A., 1968, pp.2

This is a simple alphabetical list of U.S. perfins used by companies associated with motoring.

O895 Perforation EIPA30 - what is this really?
Burlereaux, J. & Herbert, M.
Bull. Liaison, Feb. 1979, (13), 3
(Translation: S.E.P.S. TRANS. 38)

Using three sources of information regarding the French perfin EIPA 30, it is shown that the information given is very conflicting.

United States perfins used by schools, colleges, universities and allied institutions

Swensen, G.M.

The Perfins Club, U.S.A., pp.2

This is a simple alphabetical list of U.S. perfins

used by educational institutions.

0897 Perfins on the 14c. American Indian Wilson, J.M.

Jon M. Wilson, pp.9

All perfins known on the 14c Indian Chief stamp of the 1922 U.S.A. definitive set are listed in alphabetical order.

0898 Pairs, strips, blocks Vonhoff, E.

Bundesarb. Firmend. Rundbr., Oct. 1963, (2), 1 (Translation: S.E.P.S. TRANS. 66)

The largest used perfinned block of stamps known is a block of 50 German stamps with partial lower selvedge, perforated A.B./C. of the firm of Adolf Bleichert & Co. The stamp is an 800 thousand m. on 400 m. green and is postmarked Leipzig - Gohlis - 25th October 1923. (Complete)

O899 Gutersloh: Report and presentation (19.6.63) Vonhoff, E.

Bundesarb. Firmend. Rundbr., Oct. 1963, (2), 4 (Translation: S.E.P.S. TRANS. 66)

A V.d.B perfin on an unused 10 pf. Durer (from the West German definitive series - famous Germans) was apparently purchased over the counter at a Post Office. Queries to the authorities proved negative. The perfin K on a picture postcard of Amsterdam, dated 1962, led to this perfin being ascribed by Mr. Gold to the station kiosk at Amsterdam although the same perfin is also known on a postcard from Rotterdam dated 1901. (Complete)

PERFIN ABSTRACTS

0900 United States perfins used by States and State Agencies Horwitz, A.

Alan Horwitz, (1968?), pp.2

State officials and perfins used by State Agencies are listed in alphabetical order.

0901 United States perfins used by miscellaneous groups Swenson, C.M.

The Perfins Club, U.S.A., pp.2

All United States perfins used by the following groups are listed (in four separate lists):- Hotels; Tobacco manufacturers; Fraternal organisations and Watch manufacturers.

0902 Additions and corrections to Hansen's catalogue of Danish perfins*

Engelbrecht, P.

Perfinist, Nov. 1981, (6), 1-2

Four perfins not listed in Hansen's catalogue of Danish perfins are illustrated. Also, the perfin L is deleted as it is recognised as part of the perfin M1/L.

0903 Perfins from the Faroe Islands Engelbrecht, P.

Perfinist, Nov. 1981, (6), 2-3

Although seven perfins are known from the Faroe Islands, it is likely that most of these were used by visiting sales representatives. Only two are certainly local firms - DDPA and V.L., full details of which are given.

0904 Plebiscite Slesvig 1920

Engelbrecht, P.

Perfinist, Nov. 1981, (6), 2 & 4

Six perfins are known on the stamps issued in Schlesvig during the 1920 plebiscite. All of the perfins can also be found on German and/or Danish stamps. Full details of the perfins are given, including illustrations.

0905 Danish perfins on Swedish stamps Engelbrecht, P.

Perfinist, Nov. 1981, (6), 2 & 5

Two Danish perfins LB (monogram) & Design - Maltese cross have been found on Swedish stamps.

0906 "Danish" perfins on English stamps Engelbrecht, P.

Perfinist, Nov. 1981, (6), 2 & 6

Danish consulates were established in London and other cities in the U.K. towards the end of the 19th century. Two perfins are known from such sources – J.V.F /Co of Johan Valdemar Faber (probably used in connection with his business interests) and DG/K – Dansk General Konsulat.

0907 The foreign branch offices of the East Asiatic Company Engelbrecht, P.

Perfinist, Nov. 1981, (6), 2 & 7

The Danish East Asiatic Company had many foreign branch offices in the Far East. Perfins are shown from the following & branches - South Africa; India; Burma; Siam and Straits Settlements.