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#### **EDITORIAL**:

Another full issue, so full in fact that there is no room for full editorial. This pleases the а me as Society's Bulletin should be written by its members, not the Editor. Keep up the good work and keep the articles flowing in as that is the way to a flourishing Society.

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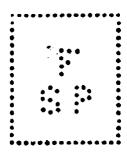
# POLISH PERFINS IN UNITED KINGDOM 1980 – 1983

by W.Z.J. Nowicki

To distinguish and safeguard the official issues of souvenir postcards of the exhibitions organised by "The Polish Philatelists Association" in the United Kingdom the Committee decided to frank its future souvenir and commemorative postal postcards with definitive stamps perforated with the Association's Polish initials "S.F.P." - S/towarzyszenie F/ilatelistow P/olskich w Zjednoczonya Krolestwie" or other Polish initials, thus introducing for the first time Polish perfins in the United Kingdom on the 4th July, 1980.

This article lists Polish perfins in chronological order:-

1st perforation: "F/SP" (7/9,8 4<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>)

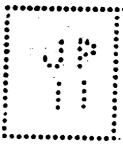


Perforated stamps were used for the first time on special postcards issued for the exhibition organised under the title "40th Anniversary of the Polish Air Force in the Battle of Britain" on the 4th July, 1980. (Philapol 80). The majority of stamps were used on official postcards but some quantities of stamps have been used on Association's correspondence and some have been sold to members of the Polish Philatelists Association for their collections and correspondence.

The second time the perforation was used was for the exhibition-under the title "Scouting in Philately" (Philapol 81) on the 15th May, 1981 and it was used for the third time on the 13th June, 1981 on souvenir postcards for "Polish Community Day in Nottingham".

The last time it was used was at the exhibition of the "40th Anniversary of Resumption of Polish Postal Service" cancelled with the date 15th December, 1981 (which was the actual anniversary date) and also on the 6th February, 1982 (the exhibition date) at the Polish Institute and General Sikorski Museum, London S.W.

2nd perforation: ("JP/II" 6,8/4,4 4<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>)

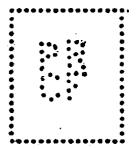


When the visit of Pope John Paul II to Great Britain was announced the Polish Philatelists Association in Great Britain made extensive plans to ensure that the Pontiff's visit to the United Kingdom was justly commemorated.

For the visit all postcards were franked with definitive stamps of 15½p and perforated with "JP/II" the initials of High Holiness, thus introducing a Papal/Polish perfin in the United Kingdom. The first perforation with the initials "JP II" was used on postcards for His arrival at Gatwick Airport. This first day postcard can truly be said to celebrate history in the making when for the first time ever a reigning Pontiff set foot on British soil and must be the ultimate souvenir of that historic day. Postcards were also hand-stamped with commemorative postmarks at each location visited by His Holiness. The same perforation was used for the second time on postcards on the 30th May 1982 at Crystal Palace to commemorate the Pope's visit to the Polish Community in Great Britain. It should be mentioned that the above postcards were hand-stamped by the British G.P.O. with a hand-stamp in the Polish language, designed and commissioned by the Polish Philatelists Association in the United Kingdom. This is the first time that the G.P.O. granted a hand-stamp in the Polish language.

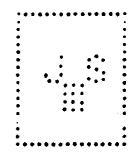
The perforation was also used on postcards with definitive Regional issues of Scotland on 31st May 1982 for the first day visit of a Pope to Edinburgh and on definitive Regional issues of issues of Wales on postcards posted in Cardiff on the 2nd June, 1982 for the first Papal visit to Wales. Its final use was on the commemorative postcards posted during the stamp exhibition "Papal Visits to Philately since 1978" organised by the Polish Philatelists Association on the 23rd and 24th July 1982 at Westminster Cathedral Hall, S.W.1. Some of the stamps, with the perforation "JP/II" type 1 were sold to members of the Association for their collections and correspondence.

3rd perforation: ("PR/CF" 8,10/7, 7 41/2)



The Polish Institute and General Sikorski Museum in London used the above perforation "PR/CF" - P/olish R/Regimental C/olours F/undation - //Fundacja Szandarow P.S.Z // on commemorative postcards issued on 13th August 1983 for the special "Annual Reunion Day".

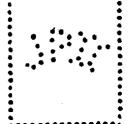
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the Battle of Vienna the 300th Anniversary of For under King the command of the Polish Joannes III Sobieski 1683. the Polish Institute General Sikorski in and Museum in London together with Polish Philatelists Association in the United Kingdom issued the commemorative organised for the exhibition postcards by the Institute and the Museum. The stamps used on postcards were perforated with the King's initials.

5th perforation: (" JP II (in curve) 6, 8, 7, 6)

То the 5th Anniversary of Pope John Paul commemorate II's Pontyficate the Committee of Polish Philatelists decided Association in the United Kingdom to organise exhibition the stamp in London on the 15th and 16th October 1983 and to issue the commemorative postcard the stamp's with Pope perforate definitive and John Paul "JP П" II's initials set The in a curve. hand-stamp designed and commissioned the Polish was bv Philatelists Association Post Office and the British again granted a hand-stamp in the Polish The language. of the perforated for majority stamps used were official postcards and some perforated stamps were members of the Association sold to for their collections and correspondence.



# DR. JAEGER'S SANITARY WOOLEN UNDERCLOTHING

Collectors of perfins from this well known user may be interested to know of a recent reference to the firm in the "New Scientist" on the 23rd February, 1981 - p.33.

# HIS MAJESTY'S FACTORY PERFIN - EARLY USAGE by Tony Edwards



The perfin HM/F is well known. It was used by His Majesty's factory near Gretna Green. The perfin is not common but is found on the George V 1912/22 issues from 4<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>d to 2<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>d. This factory was in use from 1915 to 1919 and examples are usually found within this date range and postmarked either "GRETNA" or "CARLISLE". I was, therefore, a little surprised to come across an example on an Edward VII issue, which, presumably, went out of use long before the factory was opened in 1915. The stamp, illustrated above, is a 1d red and is postmarked "FOLK" (possibly FOLKESTONE or FOLKINGHAM) the year being unclear.

Can anyone provide more evidence of early usage, or information about an earlier "His Majesty's Factory". Perhaps Edward VII issues were supplied as late as 1915. All information would be welcome.

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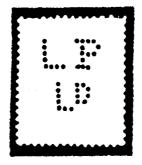
#### **GRAPHITE-LINED PERFINS**

by Reg Powell

In October. 1983 issue of The Perfins Bulletin. Mr. Bob Schwerdt who is The Perfins Club Co-Ordinator for the perfins regarded as Foreign by the United States of America, drew attention to the scarcity of perfins on the Graphite-lined issues of G.B. In his over 25,000 G.B. perfins he has only three on three different values. NC (51.5) on SG 562, T & S (404.3) on SG 566 and SW/GB (812.1) on SG 593.

Moved by this note, I found that I had six on four graphite-lined stamps of differing values:- W.S./M (702) on SG 563. CK (411.1) and FRY (358.1) on SG 589, V & S. (668.5) on SG 593 and C/W/S diagonally (853.1) and BN/& H (515.1) on SG 591.

The Editor would welcome similar returns from other members, with details of postmarks, if these are evident.



The above perfin die is listed in the Tilles catalogue, but without an identity. I recently came across it on an advertising picture postcard and hope that clues on this card may help one of our members to solve the puzzle of the user.

The postcard bears a K.E. VII <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>d green stamp, and was posted from London on October 7th 1910 to an address in Lancashire. The picture side depicts the Cemetery of the Capuchin Monks with the commentary "To make room in the burial place of the Friars, the bodies that have been buried longest were placed in this vault, which contains earth brought from Jerusalem. When these bodies fall into decay the bones are collected for decorating the walls of the vault".

The picture shows skulls and bones stacked against the walls and stuck to the ceilings in patterns and designs, together with seemingly decaying bodies in Monks garb precariously propped up against them.

A footnote to the picture gives us our first clue and reads, "ONE OF THE 1000 ILLUSTRATIONS APPEARING IN 'THE WONDERS OF THE WORLD'. Part 1. 7d". The perfin then clearly belongs to the publisher of this magazine or booklet.

The reverse of the card bears a printed message in green ink in imitation of handwriting reading: 'Have you seen Part 1 of "The Wonders of the World"? It is magnificent! ', and signed 'K.C.H'.

Can anyone therefore solve the mystery from these clues? I look forward with interest to any suggestions.

# SEAHORSES PERFIN - SPECIAL SALES PACKET.

By John Luft

The Packet Superintendent has received from a member three booklets which contain only sea horses in the three values (5/-. 10/- and £1.) in singles, pairs, strips and blocks, perforated with one or other of the two dies of the perfin S/T/C. Members may remember that this information was circulated in the past then, however, response was rather poor and John thinks that the material is important enough to warrant a second chance before he returns it. Members who have seen the booklets have praised the quality of the material on offer. Prices range from 65p to several pounds and the stamps may be of interest to G.B. collectors as well.

The plan is to make up a special packet of the booklets and members would pass the packet on as is done with the normal packet. If you would like to be included in this special packet, please write to John Luft.

within a fortnight of receiving this Bulletin. He will make up the list on a "first come" basis.

The material is rare and important but remember, there are three booklets but only ONE perfin S/T/C (two dies).

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#### HANDBOOK OF DANISH PERFINS...... REVIEW

In Bulletin No. 207 (October 1983) we reported favourably on the publication of a bi-lingual "Catalogue of Danish Perfins" published by one of our members, Peter Engelbrecht. The catalogue constituted Part 2 of the handbook and we can now report that the other sections are to appear in "THE PERFINIST" as follows :-

Part 1 Historical Background
Part 2 Perforations on Special Stamps
Part 4 History of forms from covers etc.
Part 5 Machines.

In addition corrections and new entries for the catalogue also appear in the above publication. Further details from:-

Peter Engelbrecht.

#### THE PERFIN SOCIETY LIBRARY TRANSLATIONS PROJECT continued

BY Brian Birch

In the following list the order is as follows: S.E.P.S. TRANS Number Author Title Bibliographic details - volume number underlined; issue number in brackets.

S.E.P.S. TRANS. 1. MAZUR, P. Stamps with perforations. Filateliya SSSR, Apr. 1971. (4), 6-7 (0241)

S.E.P.S. TRANS. 2. MAZUR, P. Stamps with perforations. Filateliya SSSR, Sept. 1977. (9), 38-39 (0242)

S.E.P.S. TRANS. 3. RIBAULT, D. Catalogue of French perfins: Introduction. (0259).

S.E.P.S. TRANS 4. MAZUR, P. More about perforations on postage stamps Filateliya SSSR, April, 1973, (1), v-vi (0217)

S.E.P.S. TRANS. 5. Germany - POL stamp. Michel Briefmarken - Katalog Deutschland 1969, Verlag dea Schwaneberger Album, Munchen, 1968. p. 107. (0164)

S.E.P.S. TRANS. 6., MAZUR, P. Perforations on Soviet postage stamps. Filateliya SSSR, Dec. 1975. (12), 25-27 (0497)

S.E.P.S. TRANS 7. ALEKSANDROV, YU. Perforations on postage stamps from pre-revolutionary Russia Filateliya SSSR, February 1973, (2), 31. (0498)

S.E.P.S. TRANS. 8., LABLAND, G. French issues. Vol. 3. The Perforated stamps of France, Second, Third and Fourth lists). Study No. 97, Le Monde des Philatelistes, Paris, 1968. (0356)S.E.P.S. TRANS 9, Cancelling with perforating machines Catalogo de los sellos postales de la Republica Argentina, 6th Edition, Victor Kneitschel, Buenos Aires, 1958, Vol. 2, pp. 518 - 559. (0116)S.E.P.S. TRANS 10 Minutes of the meeting of the Board of Directors of 10th May 1977 ANCOPER, May, 1977 S.E.P.S. TRANS 11, Election of the Committee, ANCOPER, September, 1977. S.E.P.S. TRANS 12, General Assembly of 26th October, 1977 ANCOPER, October, 1977 S.E.P.S. TRANS 13, Bulletin de Liaison, October, 1977. No. 1. S.E.P.S. TRANS. 14 Bulletin de Liaison, Nov. 1977. No. 2. S.E.P.S. TRANS. 15 Bulletin de Liaison. January, 1978. No. 3. S.E.P.S. TRANS 16. Bulletin de Liaison. Mar. 1978. No. 1. S.E.P.S. TRANS 17 Bulletin de Liaison, April, 1978. No. 5. S.E.P.S. TRANS 18 Bulletin de Liaison, May 1978. No. 6. S.E.P.S. TRANS 19 KADOCSA, G. Hole in the stamp. Filateliai Szemle, Mar. 1968, 6 (0417)S.E.P.S. TRANS 20 Bulletin de Liaison, June 1978. No. 7.

### MEMBERS INTERESTS No. 9.

(The continuing saga of what we collect. Many thanks to all those we sent in copy - keep it coming. Editor)

#### by Steve Dunderdale

I joined the Society late in 1977 after years of saving perfins. Not a conscious desire to collect but as many dealers let perfins go for little or no charge I thought it was a good subject for a Yorkshire man to collect!

Seriously, my interests are G.B. and Ceylon, but to expand that bald statement, taking G.B. first. My collection is on advertising rings, hence perforated of postal stationery, course, perfinned stationery itself. cancels and of Add overprinted stamps. King George V to this under or and VI cards and covers with identities and you have the extent of my G.B. interest.

Now on to Ceylon. Its my main collecting country for everything, as with this country it had problems with stamps being stolen. The thefts were in the main by servants taking mail to receiving and unscrupulous receiving office staff, who would offices sell the stamps in the Pettah (Market). In an attempt to combat this, permission was given in the early 1860's for individuals to tie stamps to covers with a manuscript date, person initials or some such device. So far as a business or hotel were concerned, it would have been quite tedious to sign each item so rubber hand-stamps were used for this purpose. Perfins were also used, the earliest known being on 1872 - 80 issues. There is an excellent study of the Island's perfins by Albert the Ceylon Study Circle Bulletin. Ellis, published in Albert also a member of the Society. My collection includes is not only perfins but examples of the manuscript marks and rubber hand-stamps as these are of course, security endorsements.

## SOCIETY NEWS

<u>New Members</u> BENCE S.J. ALSTON N.

<u>Re-instatements</u>: TOMASSON G.D. BROEKMEIJER DRS. J.G.&.M. CARR C.J.T.

<u>Change of Address</u>: CARR C.J.T

Requests from Members:

Danish Perfins:

Member Peter Engelbrecht is organizing an exchange roster for those interested in Danish Perfins. The Editor has details and registration forms and will be pleased to forward them on request.

Thomas Cook & Son.

Member Boris Pritt is seeking correspondence regarding Thomas Cook & Son and perfins from this firm, both on and off cover. He is looking for perfins on stamps of any country.

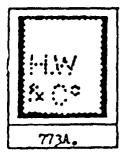
Japanese Perfins

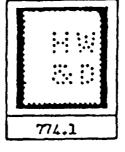
Eugene Alpern, member of the Perfin Club of U.S.A., has accumulated a large number of GB perfins and wishes to exchange them by mail for perfins of Japan. Recognising that Japanese perfins are scarcer than those of GB he is offering to exchange 10 GB for one Japanese and will accept duplicates.

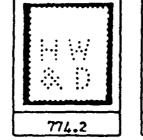
# TILLES CATALOGUE SUPPLEMENT

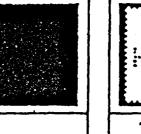
The Tilles catalogue is, in my view, the most important of our publications. It is difficult to see how any serious perfinist can manage without it. Comprising as it does some 600 pages, it is expensive to produce, which, no doubt, is why so few were sold.

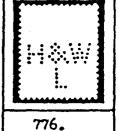
For those who do not possess a copy, it may be helpful to see the format:











Each page has 30 spaces, with blanks where dies are known, or suspected, to exist. On the opposite page (the reverse of the previous page) are serial numbers, written designation and user, where known.

The proposed supplement is in two parts:

- (a) dies which can be inserted in the blanks in the present edition.
- (b) dies for which no such space exists.

Obviously for those without the present edition there is really no difference between these.

At the start of the supplement we need to consider the best format. This will depend on how one uses the catalogue. I have used it as an album; obviously I thus lose the illustrations. It seems to me that we have the following options :-

- A. As at present, with 30 spaces per page. If blank pages were prepared these could contain either all the new illustrations (for those who do not have the first edition) or just the ones for which no spaces are available in the first edition (for those who have).
- B. Pages with 6 spaces for illustrations per page, with spaces for a stamp under each illustration.
- C. Pages with 6 spaces for illustrations per page, with two spaces for stamps alongside plus space for user's name and address (or notes

D. Pages with 6 spaces for illustrations per page, with four spaces for stamps alongside

All these could be prepared in "blank" form so that the illustrations could be stuck in. This is not too laborious since only a few will be sent out at any one time.

The printing of written identity plus user on the reverse is, I feel, not really necessary and certainly adds to the cost. As nearly all of us possess the Identities Catalogue, as it is sent with the Bulletin, that is surely sufficient in the case of A., B., and D. Obviously a mark could be added to identified dies so that reference could be made to the Identities Catalogue.

The preparation of these pages would be rather costly as they need to be on good quality paper. At the present time only nine members have shown any interest, so perhaps the whole idea will fall to the ground. I imagined that even those without the first edition would welcome the supplement, but an obviously wrong.

Finally, my real goal is to produce a completely new edition of the catalogue, but I realise it would be very expensive and the idea is likely to remain a pipe-dream.

J.M. Rucklidge

# A SPANISH PERFIN

#### by Jack Brandt

From time to time one comes across a pair of stamps, one with a perfin, and the other without. This is usually caused by carelessness on the part of the one doing the perforating. Below are depicted a pair from Spain where the correct number of perforations were made, but they are both on the one stamp, with none on the other. This perfin is very common and normally, when looking through Spanish perfins, one finds too many of them. However, with the possibility of odd pairs like this, it keeps one's interest up.

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# LONDON MEETING

The London Meeting this year will be held at a new venue:

Baden Powell House, Queens Gate, London SW7 5JS

The date - Saturday 17th November. The time 1 p.m. onwards. It is hoped that this venue will be a great improvement on the cramped quarters at the B.P.F.

B.P. House is on the corner of Queens Gate and Cromwell Road.

We are told that there is plenty of metered parking available.

Don't forget - put this in your diary NOW !

I am informed by Mr. Tully that refreshments are available in the snack bar, so if you arrive early go there, and you will probably find some fellow members.

# PUBLICATIONS OFFICER

Following my recent appeal, we now have a Publications Officer:

Mr. D. H. Higgs,

I would like to thank, him (and the others who volunteered). He will be responsible for preparing and/or stacking all our publications, viz:

Identities Catalogue Abstracts Railway Perfins of G.B. - Bowman Hand-book of British Perfins - Nelson (when re-printed) G. B. Officials Book - Edwards/Lucas (when printed)

He has custody of the Society's copies for preparing the first three.

All enquiries and monies should be sent to him and NOT to any other officer.

J. M. Rucklidge.

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#### **NEW IDENTITIES RECEIVED**

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Abbreviations used in this auction :		
* = No. of defective stamps	perfs.	= perforations
comp. = comprising	pl.	= plate number
C.U.S. = circular date stamp	pmks.	= postmarks
difft. = different	pp.	= pages
dupn. = duplication	qty.	= quantity
incl. = including	seln.	= selection
m/s = manuscript		

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Many thanks to vendors responding to my plea for material in the last Bulletin. I have had enough lots to get this, the second auction of the year, underway. Material is now eagerly sought for the next auction which should appear with the June Bulletin.

This auction contains some interesting material including fiscals, good mixed lots, and the first part of a superb whole world accumulation from an antipodian vendor. This comprises the suitably lotted Commonwealth portion - an unrepeatable feast for specialists of these elusive perfins. "Full name" collectors are also well catered for this time.

Just a reminder to vendors that receipt of lots for auction will not be acknowledged unless accompanied by the return postage. You will, however, be advised of your lot numbers prior to the publication of the auction list.

Closing date for this auction is Thursday, 31st May, 1984.

Overseas bidders are advised to send their bids by airmail.

The address for bids is:- P. G. Day,

Lot No.	Description	Quantity	Reserve
1.	KE VII 1/- perfin WD/ &S (cat. no. 204.3) of Wm.DAWSON & SONS Ltd. Slightly 'watery' green and minor crease	1	20p
2.	Printed weekly pricelist sent from BAERLEIN BROS. of Manchester in 1913 to an address in Norway. Bears a KG V ½d green perfin B.B/M (cat. no. 134 and therefore new identity).	1	50p
3.	As previous lot	1	90p
4.	QE II machins off paper. Vendor states "good variety of dies, and where these are duplicated, there is no dupn of stamp value"	500	£3
5.	Similar to last lot	200	£1.25
б.	KE VII Full name dies incl. FORCE/FOOD; FLOUR; MYERS; LINE; MOY; etc. Some may not be full names but a good lot	12	£3
7.	KE VII Full name dies incl. BICLAM; LAYERS (2 difft.); MOSS; SELL; TITE; E & T PINK; etc. Some may not be name dies	18(*1)	) £3.50
8.	KE VII Full name dies incl. WILLS; LINE; FORCE/FOOD; FLOUR; CURRIE; ETC.	8	£1.20
9.	KE VII Full name dies incl. MYERS; BASS; DALECS; FORCE FOOD; etc.	8	£1.20
10.	KE VII Full name dies incl. C & B/SOHO; DALECS; MYERS; WILLS; etc.	8	£1.20
11.	KG V CONTRACT NOTE fiscals. Values 6d, 1/- (x2), 2/- and 10/ Non-perfin but clean and collectable	5	£1.50
12	QV CHANCERY COURT 2/- fiscal _ Non-perfin but clean. M/S cancel	1	35p

Lot. No.	Description	Quantity	Reserve
13	KG VI CONTRACT NOTE £2 fiscal. Clean with M/S cancel. Non perfin	1	90p
14	QE II CONTRACT NOTE fiscals of values 8/-, £1 and £2. Non-perfin but difficult items	3	£1.50p
15	QV 2/- JUDICATURE FEE fiscal. Non-perfin. M/S cancel	1	25p
16	QE II £1 CONTRACT NOTE fiscals perfin JC/CO. Both have minor faults.	2	30p
17	QE II LAND REGISTRY and CONTRACT NOTE fiscals. Various values from 6d to £2. Non-perfin.	15	£1.50.
18	KGV CONTRACT NOTE fiscals, 6d, 1/- and 10/- with dupn. plus KG VI CONSULAR SERVICE fiscal. Non-perfin	13	£1.50
19	QV 1d lilacs with overprints, all different incl. CORPORATION/OF/ BRIGHTON in red. Nice lot.	10	£1
20	QV 1d lilacs with overprints of PRUDENTIAL ASSURANCE CO. (2 difft. types). Different years in fiscal cancels	7	60p.
21	QV ld lilacs with various fiscal cancels or overprints. Some damaged perfs.	10(*5)	60p
22	As lot 20	7	20p
23	Similar to last lot	7 (*1)	20p
24	Similar to last lot	6	10p
25	Early QE II mixture of overprints with Power Industry, Local Govt. etc. Some dupn.	13	10p
26	Early GERMAN to 1900 incl. Full name + monogram perfin dies. 2 duplicates only.	41 (*1)	30p

Lot No.	Description	Quanti	ity I	Reserve
27	European mixture circa 1902-06 Mixed condition	27	7(*14)	) 10p
28	Belgium perfins (circa 1893) incl. 3 stamps with tabloid attached	28	3	25p
29	France: early mixture circa 1902-06. Nice lot with only 3 duplicates	37	7	35p
30	GB mixture QV to date, off paper, all difft. dies	10	0 0	£l
31	As last lot	10	0 0	£1
32	As last lot	10	0 0	£1
33	As last lot	10	) ()	£1
34	As last lot	10	) ()	£1
35	AV ld lilacs with perfins, all difft.	25	ō	£1.50p
36	KE VII ½d + ld values, all difft. dies	10	00	£2
37	KE VII 2½d blues, all difft. dies and all C.D.S. pinks.	10	)	75p
38	KG VI off paper, all difft. dies. Good mixture	10	00	75p
39	Similar lot	10	0 0	75p
40	QE II off paper mixture, all difft. No GLC; IL/EA or PAC dies	33	3 0	£1
41	Similar lot	33	30	£1
42	Local Authority perfins - 26 difft. dies. Mostly QE II and all pre-decimal. values to 9d.	55	5	30p
43	Barclays Bank dies on QE II (pre-decimal), values 2d to 10/-, incl. blocks of 4 of 1/- and 1/6, and pairs of 3d + 9d.	20	)	50p

#### Lot No. Description

Quantity Reserve

44	GB off paper QV to KG V with 50 diff. dies (believed all identified ones). Condition unchecked.	96	50p
45	Mixture of KG VI + QE II on + off paper, with 70 difft. perfin dies. Condition unchecked	100	50p
46	Overprints on KGV (XI), KG VI (X2) and QE II. Appear to be Insurance Cos. or Power Industry.	8 (*1)	30p
47	Barclays Bank on QE II pre decimal. Values 2d - 10/-, incl. block of 4 of 9d, and pairs of 1/6 and 2/6.	18	50p
48	GB all regions, off paper. Superb lot, all difft. dies, incl. QV X 139 and QE II X 413. Good variety	1330 (*120)	£10
49	GB Overprints, mainly on QE II 2d values. Heavy dupn., but a few of the more interesting older noted.	450	£1
50	GB Commems with perfins, KG V to QE II incl. NSD/1975 pair. Nice lot.	15 (*1)	50p
51	KE VII ld red on 1908 cover, perfin BNZ with identity on back of Bank of New Zealand. Clean item	1	25p
52	Very good Commonwealth and Foreign mixture with may QV values noted. Condition appears well above average	120	£1.20
53	Commonwealth and foreign mixture incl. 30 X Australia, 7 X Canada 32 X India and 50 X Belgium. Condition appears good	130	£1

Lot <u>No.</u>	Description	Quantity H	Reserve
54	Literature: 12 pp booklet on high quality art paper, well illustrated entitled "The Postal Surcharge + Revenue Stamps of Cyprus" by A.N.D. BOLS. Contains a list of all known Cyprus perfins	1	10p
55	Foolscap envelope + letter (1961) from J. SLOPER & CO. Headed notepaper bears their perfin JS/& CO., as does 3d stamp on envelope	1	25p
56	QV Id lilacs with perfins all difft. dies. Good lot with only a few minor faults noted.	175	£3
57	QV ld lilacs, all difft. dies + not duplicates of lot 56. All stamps, however, have some damage	77(*77)	60p
58	QV Jubilee 1/- green with perfins EM/& Co. and C & Co. Both C.D.S. Pmks. but one has small stain and other light blue crayon mark. Colours fresh, however.	2	£1
59	KE VII lop perfin J.S/&Co. (die 698.3) and 1/- perfin M/C Co. (die 120). Fresh colours	2	60p
60	1924 Wembley lid perfin ETC. Also 1925 Wembley lid perfin W & S, with some staining	2	£1.50
61	GB off paper KE VII - KG CI, low values. Some dupn. noted but includes some Railway dies, etc. Also 6 x QE II commercial large size covers with identities.	60(*4)	£1.25p
62	Eire: off paper, some dupn. but better dies noted include the "Castles" design perfin.	48	50p

Lot No.	Description	Quantity	Reserve
63	GB on & off paper, completely unsorted from a non-perfin source. All reigns f QV ld red - QE II Machins, though most earlier. Some S.E.P.S, literature included (approx weight 1 lb) Hours of fun, many good values. Approx 10% damaged but sold "as is".	rom ly	£5
64	GB unsorted, on and off paper, all reigns but strength in 3 Kings. From a non-perfin collector. Many good values noted. Approx 10% defective but sold "as is".	600+	£3
65	Packet of perfin off paper from a non-perfin collector. Mainly GB with strength in KG V, but all reigns noted, also some Foreign. Unsorted, sold "as is". Approx 20% damaged	700+	£4
66	QV line engraved, mainly ld reds, with a variety of dies incl. Railway full names, etc. Much dupn. & usual damage, but unusual in qty. From a non-perfin collector.	80(*5	3) £7
67	QV off paper mixture, from a non perfin collector. Mainly Jubilee issues to 1/-, but some good surface printed values also. Unsorted but obviously a good lot.	84 (*:	20) £6
68	Newfoundland: Small batch of 5 difft. values all with diagonal perfin AYRE.	б	20p
69	West Indies. seln. comp. 4 x Jamaica with 2 difft. dies 1 x Bermuda and a very early "seated Britannia" ld value from Barbados with one small central perfin hole	б	50p
70	Eire - small seln. off paper with dupn but includes earlier material, e.g. Overprint issues.	34(*7	) 30p
71	India off paper incl. a few native states. Wide range from QV onwards incl. higher values. Good lot	136(*	16)£1.50

Lot No.	Description	Quantity	Reserve
72	African Continent incl. Gold Coast Nigeria, Natal, Cape of Good Hope etc. Also 46 X Sudan and 21 X Egypt. Interesting lot	104(*:	27) £1.
73	Small islands, comp perfins from Malta, Cayman Isles, Fiji (X 2) Papua, Burma, Norfolk Island and Australia KG V 2d O/P N.W. PACIFIC ISLANDS perfin OS. Some perfins partly blind.	8	50p
74	Papua: Early 'boat' defins. values ½d (X3), ld (X1) and 2d (X2) All perfin OS. Scarce lot.	6	£2
75	Hong Kong: QV issues. comp 2 cents perfin. N.C.H. (S1 'killer' pmk.), + H & S/BC on 20 cents overprints one with 'B62' pmk, other Sydney C.D.S.	3(*)	£1
76	Hong Kong: Unusually large seln off paper incl. many good QV issues Obviously dupn. but at least 8 difft, dies noted.	37(*9	) £2
77	Tasmania, wide seln of 'A' and 'T' perfins on values to 6d. Seldom seen in such quantity & invaluable for study. Also 2 with OS perfins.	119(*	33) £6
78	Straight Settlements plus some Malaysia & Singapore. Very good lot, off paper with values to \$5 noted. Good for the specialist collector	77(*1	7) £3
79	Canada: Seln, off paper with strength in KGV & KG VI issues. Unsorted, but approx. 15%-20% with defects.	187	£2
80	Ceylon: Large qty off paper incl. multiples. Strong in KG V & KG VI issues with values to at least 5 rupees noted. Good lot for the specialist. Unsorted but condition above average	167	£2
	condition above average	107	~ 4

Lot No.	Description	Quantity	Reserve
90	KE VII ½d green perfin full name CENTURY in 'horse-shoe' shape (cat. No. 236)	1	25p
91	KE VII 2/6 lilac very fine used perfin full name SUTTON/READING	1	£1.50
92	QV 1d red pl. 173 perfin full name BASS	1	50p
93	QV ld red pl. 152 superb used perfin G W R of Gt. Western Railway. Deep fresh colour	1	50p
94	Seln. of perfins on KE VIII issues. All difft. dies	26	50p

80.1	A&B/M	10,12,13/15	4½IIIa	Affleck & Brown Ltd,
				Manchester.
83	A/Bros	10/13,11,10,1	0 6/5½,4½	Ackroyd Bros Ltd, Bradford,
92	A&B/Y	10,12,12/7	5½ IIIa	Aplin & Darratt,
				Yeovil,Somerset.
101.2	AC	10,8	<b>4½</b>	The Anglo Continental
				(Late Ohlendorf's)
				Guano Wks, London
101.5	AC	10,7	5½	1. Accrington Corpn. Lancs.
				2. Acton Corpn: London
102.3	A.C	10,10	6½	Anglo-Continental
				Guano Wks. London
				Agency.
110	AC/Co	10,8/8,6	<b>4½</b>	The Aldridge Colliery
				Co. Walsall.
111	ACD	10,8,11	<b>4½</b>	Davey & Co, London Ltd
				London E.
113	AC/F	10,10/8	5½	A.C.Finken & Co., London.
120.1	AC/Ld	8,7/6,6	<b>4½</b>	A.C.Cars Ltd, Thames
				Ditton. Surrey
125	A&C/N	10,14,8/15	4½ III	Aire & Calder
				Navigation Office,
				Leeds.
128.2	A&Co	10,16,8,4	5 II	Armour & Co Ltd,
				London EC
130.1	A/&Co.	10/12,8,6	4½ IIIa	S. Allcock & Co,
				Reddich.
135.1	A&Co/Ld	10,14,11,4/7,	7 5½ III	Arthur & Co Ltd,
				Glasgow.
141	A.C.P./Co.	10,10,10/10,6	6	Anglo-Continental
				Produce Co, Ltd,
				London SE.
147	AC/&S	10,8/13,11	5½ III	1. Alex Cowan & Sons,
				London EC.
				2. Alexander Cross & Sons
				Glasgow.
154	ACT	10,8,7	6	A.C.Thomson, Glasgow
161.1	AD	8,9	<b>4½</b>	Allerdale District
				Council. Cumbria.
162	A/D	8/9	<b>4½</b>	Amalgamated Dairies Ltd
				London SE1.
165	ADAM	10,11,10,15	4	J&J Adam Ltd, London
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167	A/D/C	8/9/7	<b>4½</b>	Alexander Duckham & Co Ltd. London E.
1611	ADCL	10,10,8,7	<b>4½</b>	The Aylesbury Dairy Co Ltd. London W
169	AD/CL	10,12/11,7	<b>4½</b>	The Amalgamated Dental Co Ltd. London W1
173	A&D/CS	8,12,9/7,9	4½ Ia	Aberdare & District Co-op Society (E2/1 to E2/3)
191	AE	10,10	<b>4½</b>	Anglo-Egyptian Bank Ltd. (V2, G5/2)
196	A.E.B.	10,10,13	5½	Ayreshire Electricity Board. Kilmarnock.
197.1	AE/B	8,9/11	<b>4½</b>	Albert E. Bishop Ltd. London EC 3.
199.1	AEC	8,9,7	<b>4½</b>	American Express Co.,
199.2	AEC	10,10,8	4	London SW1 G5/3,G6/1) Do. do.
200.1	A/EC	8/9,7	<b>4</b> ½	British Gear Grinding & Manufacturing Co Ltd
200.2	A/EC	10/9,7	5½/4½	Do do.
208.1	A/EI	8/9,4	4½	A.E.I. Lamp & Lighting Co Ltd. Sheffield (E2/1;E2/2)
208.2	A/EI	10/10,5	7	Associated Electrical Industries Ltd (E2/1;E2/2)
215	A&E/TCL	10,12,10/7,8,	7 4½ IIIa	Africa & Eastern Trade Corporation Ltd. Liverpool. (G6/1)
224	AF/B	10,8/13	5½	Anglo-Foreign Banking
225	A.F/B	10,8/13	5½	Co Ltd. do. do.
228	A.F/Co.	10,8/8,6	5½	Alfred Field & Co Ltd. Birmingham.
229.1	AF/&Co	10,8/12,8,6	4½ IIIa	Alexander Findlater & Co Ltd. Dublin
229.2	AF/&Co	10,8/14,8,4	<b>4</b> ½ III	Adolph Frankau & Co Ltd London EC (V2;V3;E7;G5/1)
232	A/F/E	10/8/10	<b>4</b> ½	The Anglo French Explor- ation Co Ltd. London WC2
234.2	AF/PCo	10,8/10,8,4	5	The Acme Flooring & Pav- ing Co(1904)Ltd. Barking. (G5/3)
237	AF/&S	10,8/14,10	5 I	Alex Fraser & Son Ltd. London EC2. (GS/3;E8;G6/1)

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246.1	AG	8,9	4½	Alfred Graham & Co Ltd Alfred Goalett & Co Ltd London WC2 A. Garniere & Co Ltd, London
246.5	AG	8,9	5	Whittington Hospital London N 19
	(Archway Ge	eneral, old nam	e for Hospit	
248	A&G	10,14,10	4½ III	Ashton & Green Ltd, London EC.
250	A/&/G	10/12/10	4½/4/4½ Ia	Abstainer & General Insurance Co. Ltd
253C	A./G/G	10,10/10	5½	Alexander Gray, Glasgow
254	AG/Co.Ld	10,10/8,6,7,7	<b>4½</b>	Alfred Goslett & Co Ltd London WC 2
258.2	AG/&Co/L	10,10/14,8,4/	75	A. Gagniere & Co Ltd London W.1
259	AG/I	10,10/5	<b>4½</b>	Ashton & Green Iron Co London & Bristol.
261.1	AG/S	8,9/9	<b>4½</b>	Arthur Guiness Son & Co Ltd. Dublin
262	AGS/&Co	10,10,11/12,8	,6 4½ IIIa	A.G.Scott & Co Ltd Deptford.
263	A.G.S/&Co.	10,10,13/15,1	0,8 5½ IIIb	Arthur Guineas Son & Co Dublin.(V2 E7)
265	A.G.S/&Co./	'Ltd 10,11,12/ 13,10,8/7,6,9		do. do.
271.2	АН	10,12	5	Archbishop's House, London SWl
271A	A'H	14,16	10	Anderton's Hotel, London EC.
272.2	A.H	10,11	5½	Alfred Herbert Ltd, Coventry. (KG5/1 KG5/2, KG5/3, KG6/1 E2/1)
273.2	А.Н.	12,10	6	Sir Augustus Harris, London
274.2	A&H	10,13,11	5½ III	Arnati & Harrison, London EC.
275	A/&/H	8/12/10	<b>4½</b>	Arding & Hobbs Ltd., London S.W.
276	A/H		<b>4½</b>	Archbishop's House, Westminster, S.W.1
278	AHB/&Co	10,12,14/14,8	,4 5 III	Arthur H. Brandt & Co London EC 3
279	AH/BLtd	10,12/13,7,5,	7 4 <sup>1</sup> /2	A.H. Bull Ltd, Reading.
283	A.H.G	10,12,10	5	Arthur H. Godfrey & Co Strand, London WC.

IC6/A4

284	АН/Н	8,10/10	<b>4½</b>	Angel H, Hart & Co., London.
290	A.H/&/S	10,11/13,11	<b>4½</b>	Abel Heywood & Sons Ltd Manchester.
296	AI/B	8,4/11	<b>4½</b>	Anglos International Bank Ltd. London.
305	A.I.R	10,5,12	5½	Avon India Rubber Co Ltd, Melksham, Wilts.
314.2	A&J	10,14,7	5 III	Apollinarian & Johannis Ltd. London W.
354	A/6	8/6	4½	Associated Lead Manuf- acturers Ltd.Chester.
359	AL/CoLd	10,8/8,6,7,7	4½ Ø	Alfred Leney & Co Ltd Dover.
362.2	A/Ld	10/7,7	5	Addressograph Ltd London NW 10
367	AL/M	10,8/13	5½	Assoc: Lead Manufacturers Export Co Ltd. London
372	A/Ltd	10/7,5,7	5½	Auster Ltd, Birmingham.
383	AM	8,11	<b>4½</b>	Addressograph Multigraph Ltd. London NW 2.
385.1	A/M	8/11	<b>4½</b>	do. do.
385.2	A/M	10/11	5/4½	do. do.
385.2 391.2	A/M AM/&Co	10/11 10,15/14,8,4	5/4½ 5	do. do. A. Macnair & Co Ltd, Manchester 12
	-	-		A. Macnair & Co Ltd,
391.2	AM/&Co	10,15/14,8,4	5	<ul> <li>A. Macnair &amp; Co Ltd, Manchester 12</li> <li>Armour &amp; Co Ltd,</li> </ul>
391.2 396	AM/&Co AMF	10,15/14,8,4 8,11,7	5 4½	<ul> <li>A. Macnair &amp; Co Ltd, Manchester 12</li> <li>Armour &amp; Co Ltd, London EC 1.</li> <li>Addressograph Multi-</li> </ul>
391.2 396 399	AM/&Co AMF AM/Ltd	10,15/14,8,4 8,11,7 8,11/6,5,6	5 4½ 4½	<ul> <li>A. Macnair &amp; Co Ltd, Manchester 12</li> <li>Armour &amp; Co Ltd, London EC 1.</li> <li>Addressograph Multi- graph. London NW 2.</li> <li>Australian Mutual</li> </ul>
391.2 396 399 400	AM/&Co AMF AM/Ltd A.M.P	10,15/14,8,4 8,11,7 8,11/6,5,6 10,15,10	5 4½ 4½ 5½	<ul> <li>A. Macnair &amp; Co Ltd, Manchester 12</li> <li>Armour &amp; Co Ltd, London EC 1.</li> <li>Addressograph Multi- graph. London NW 2.</li> <li>Australian Mutual Provident Society.</li> <li>Anglo Mexican Petrol-</li> </ul>
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