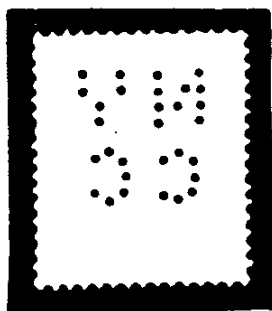


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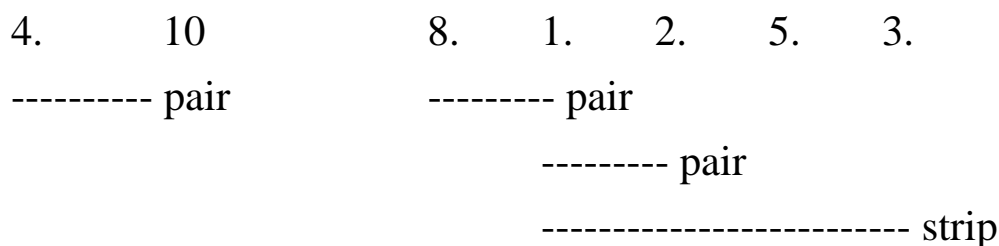
Seen on values 1/2p, 1p, 2p, 5p, 12p, 12 1/2p, 13p, 16p, 17p, 20p, 50p.

Since writing the piece for Bulletin No 223 (June 1986, page 4.) some more stamp types and positional information has arisen.

It will be recalled that, since only singles were all which were available, all that could be done was to show the 10 distinctive types.

Now some re-arrangement of these can be made through joined vertical and horizontal pieces since acquired.

Firstly, it is evident that the dies are arranged horizontally as the same perfin type appears vertically in pairs now known. For clarity, the provisional placement numbers taken from the illustration in Bulletin 223 are used to designate actual positions:-
All as viewed from the back of the stamps-



Linkage of 4/10 to the major placement is not currently possible, nor have the positions of 6, 7 and 9 been determined.

This does bring a little nearer the true positions of the dies in the head.

Please note that the ancillary piece in Bulletin No 224 was wrong. 5 is to the left of 3 and not as stated in that piece.