

COMMON PERFIN - UNKNOWN IDENTITY By Dave Hill.

I suspect there are many as yet unrecorded identities in members' collections. Few members have the Illustrated Catalogue and with so many dies known on GB stamps many are very similar.

A case in point is C0060.02, a common perfin on KGVI stamps but the identity is unknown. I suspect a cover lurks in someone's collection and they think it is C0060.04. The letters of C0060.02 are noticeably thinner than C0060.04. (See illustrations below)

To check, make a tracing on natural tracing paper and superimpose it over the stamp on your cover. A glass and good source of light help.

I also illustrate C0060.05, another common perfin, the user of which is also unknown.

