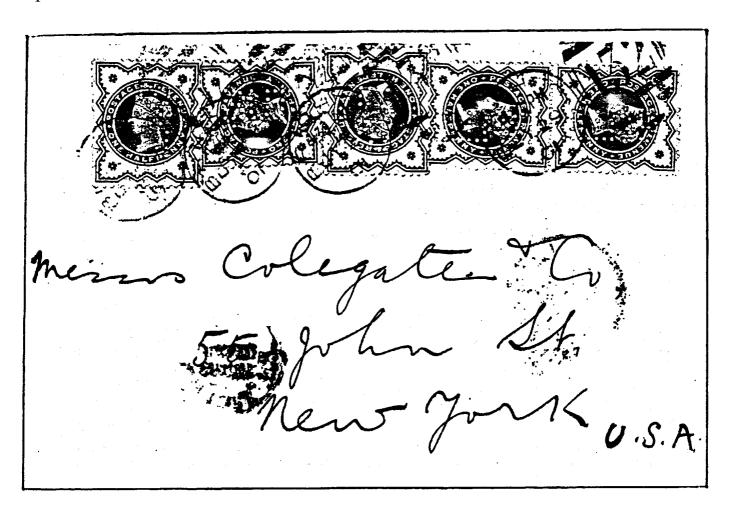
PERFIN ODDITIES

From Alan Sandy

This 1901 cover with 5 QV ½d Jubilee stamps seems to show the Queen doing a somersault.

Starting from left to right the Queen is first upright, then sideways facing down, then upside down, and finally a pair shows her lying flat facing up.

The perfin is BUTT (B7360.01). The cover has no identity but this perfin seems not common.



[Ed.- In Tomkins there is an identity for BUTT (B7360.02) of John Eede Butt & Sons, Littlehampton with period of use from F to M. The postmark on this cover is Duplex 132 for Brighton.. Both Littlehampton and Brighton are in West Sussex so perhaps this could be a possible identity?]