

Partial History of Pattern C315.5IP

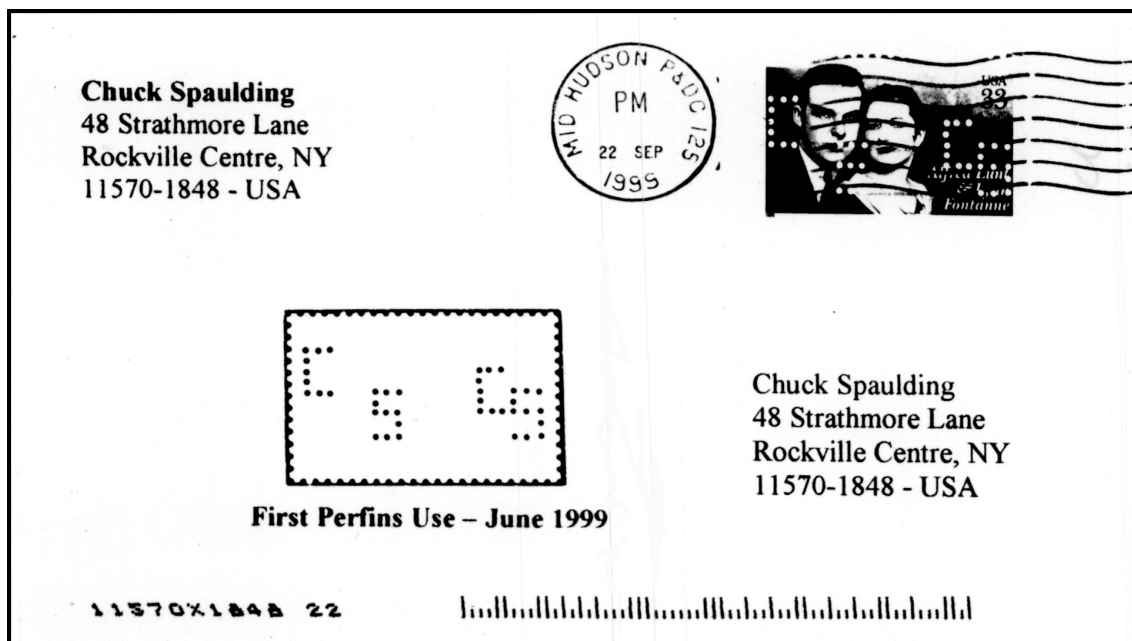
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Don't look in your Catalog of US Perfins for C315.5 it is the number assigned by Richard Learn, the current catalog editor, has assigned it to my CS : CS se-tenant perfin design. I have been perforating my stamps with this design since June of 1999.

The CSCS design was created from George E. Shuck's multi-head perforator that produced two similar versions of his 'GES' initials. Only one version is shown in the U S Catalog and it is numbered G75.5IP. There are slight variations between the two patterns perforated by this device,

but they were not considered to be significant enough to require separate catalog listings.

Steve Grabowski (#3409) did the alteration for me by removing pins from the original perforator head. The full two-pattern design will fit in commemorative stamps. When perforating regular stamps only half the design (a complete CS rather than the two punched by the perforator) will be in each stamp.



Any Club member who would like a copy of the design should send stamps to Chuck. His address is on the back cover.