

Mint Perfins Revisited

With respect to collecting mint perfins versus cancelled ones **Bill Donle, Jr. (#1356)** wrote:

This is how I obtained a couple of mint perfined stamps. A number of years ago I would write to different corporations inquiring about their perfin usage, etc. with mixed results as far as responses go. With a response from a General Electric Co. office in New York, NY, however, was included 2 pairs of mint-attached stamps, 4 stamps total. They were GE perfin, Perfin Catalog #G72-2A on Scott Catalog #C60. I was certainly pleasantly surprised with this response. Whether the sender of the stamps would technically have pilfered the stamps to send them to me I don't know. As I recall I had

enclosed a SASE for the reply but am assuming the reply was sent from the GE office.

And, with the exception of illustrations of some covers for later use from Vince McDermott, a possible article (subject matter only right now) from

Bill Shields and another from Dave Cooper (which needs a permission to reprint which I am pursuing) I think I have caught up on my “old” file. To those of you whose information has finally made it into print here – THANKS for your patience and your input!