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FROM THE EDITORS DESK / Chairmans message:

I have heard from someone who is volunteering to do the seminar in Vancouver BNAPEX-91 and that is Jonathan Johnson of Calgary. His seminar will be "The CPR Perfins outside of Canada" at 12 noon on Friday. I find that I can't make it to Vancouver so Jon will be chairing the meeting in my place. I want to give up the chairmans position. I am hoping that we will have a volunteer. I will still stay on as Editor of the newsletter.

Auction # 4 will be going this fall and Mike Hargraft wants your auction material now and send in a reserve along with the material. Publication of the auction material will not be in this issue July newsletter as it is still coming in.

In this issue Plating by Conrad M. Tremblay and a list of all our paid up members and others who receive our newsletter free of charge including their addresses

My thanks to all contributors to this newsletter. We need more like you. So don't stop sending me more information, PLEASE.

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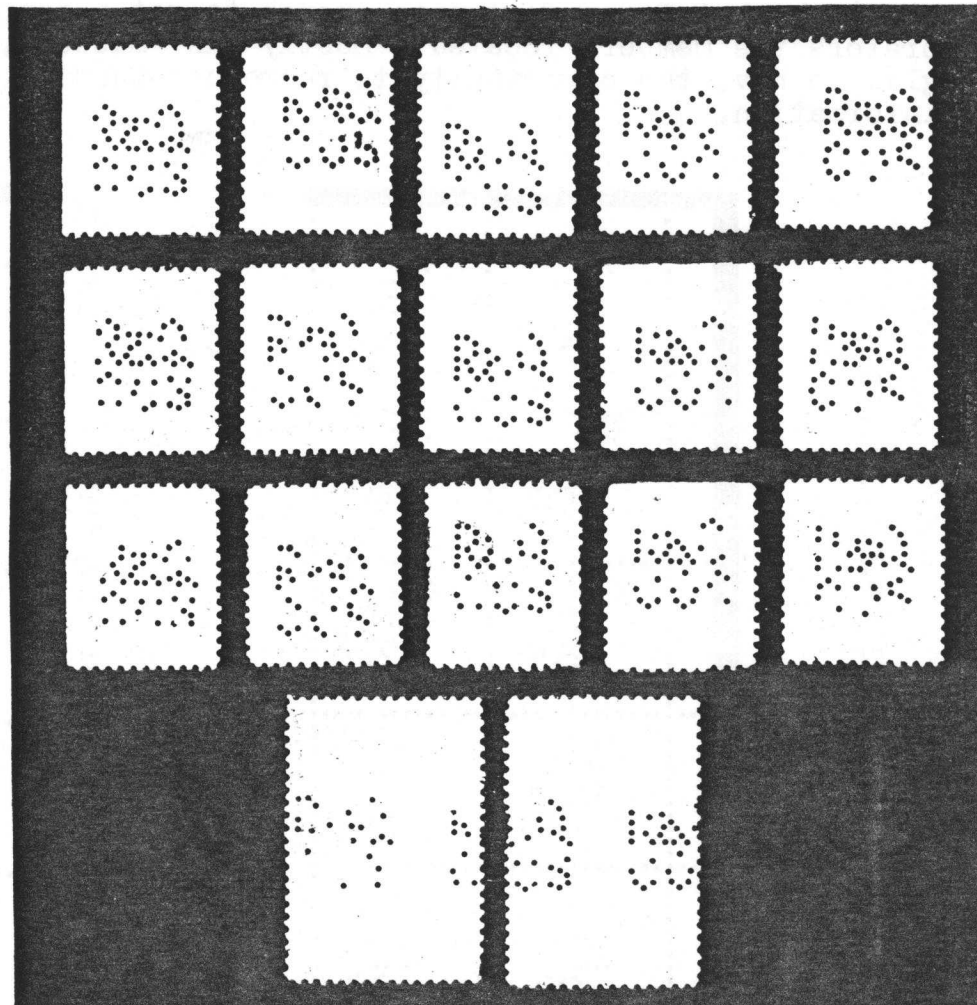
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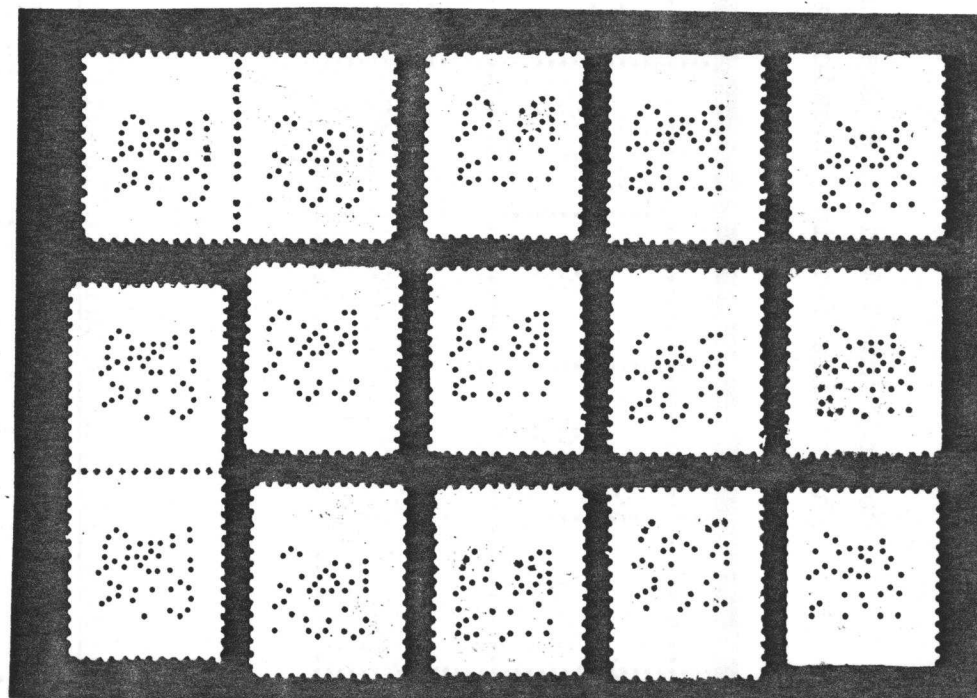
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The plating of this 5-die perforator using only perfins with missing pins shows the deterioration of the dies. The two perfinned stamps No. 155 with split patterns confirm the proper sequence of the three center dies. The die No. 1 and 5 confirmed only by the pair of stamps (face down) linking the die No. 5 to the group of three, leaving the other row of stamps perfinned by the die No. 1 (with 4 out of 6 stamps having a straight edge).

A 5-die perforator.
All the stamps used
are: 104, 106, 108,
and two No. 155.



Die 1 Die 2 Die 3 Die 4 Die 5

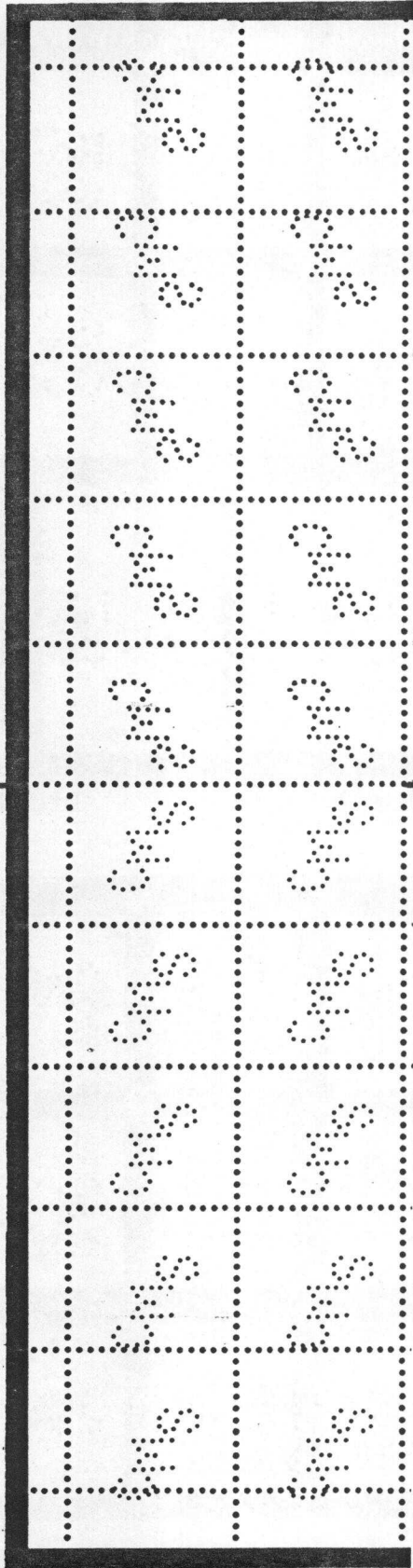


Die 5 Die 4 Die 3 Die 2 Die 1

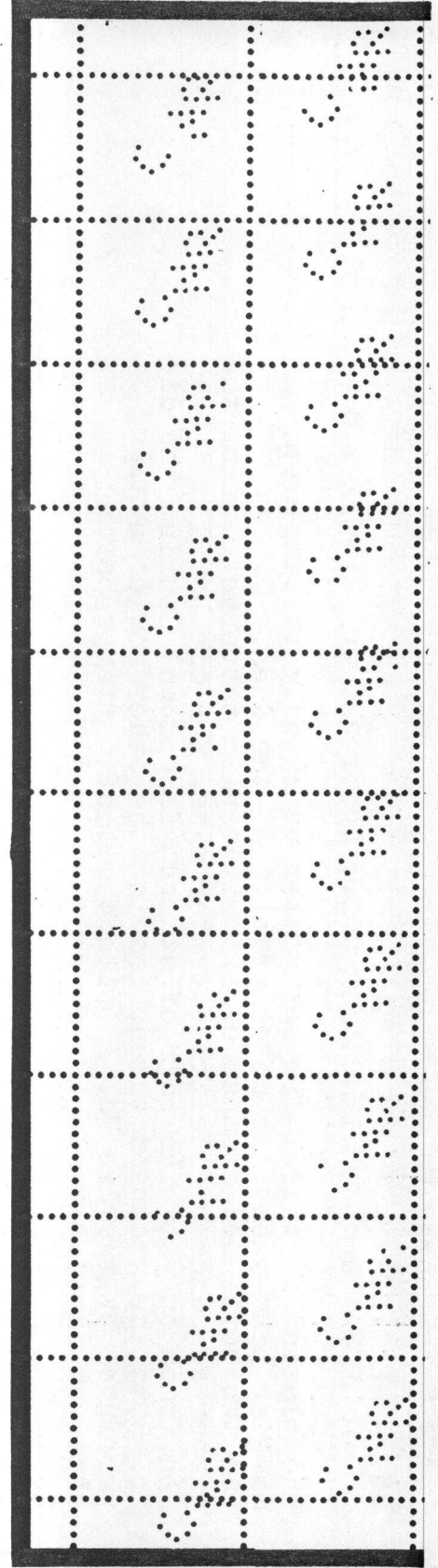
These are the last two philatelic punches from a 5 and a 10-die perforator submitted to me about 10 years ago, from various sources and members of the club. I never saw a perforator, other than the pictures shown in the Handbook, but I was fortunate enough to get a sample of most of the perforators the members located - mostly in museums, I was told, and I am glad to have the opportunity to reproduce them in the Perforator for your information.

Conrad Tremblay

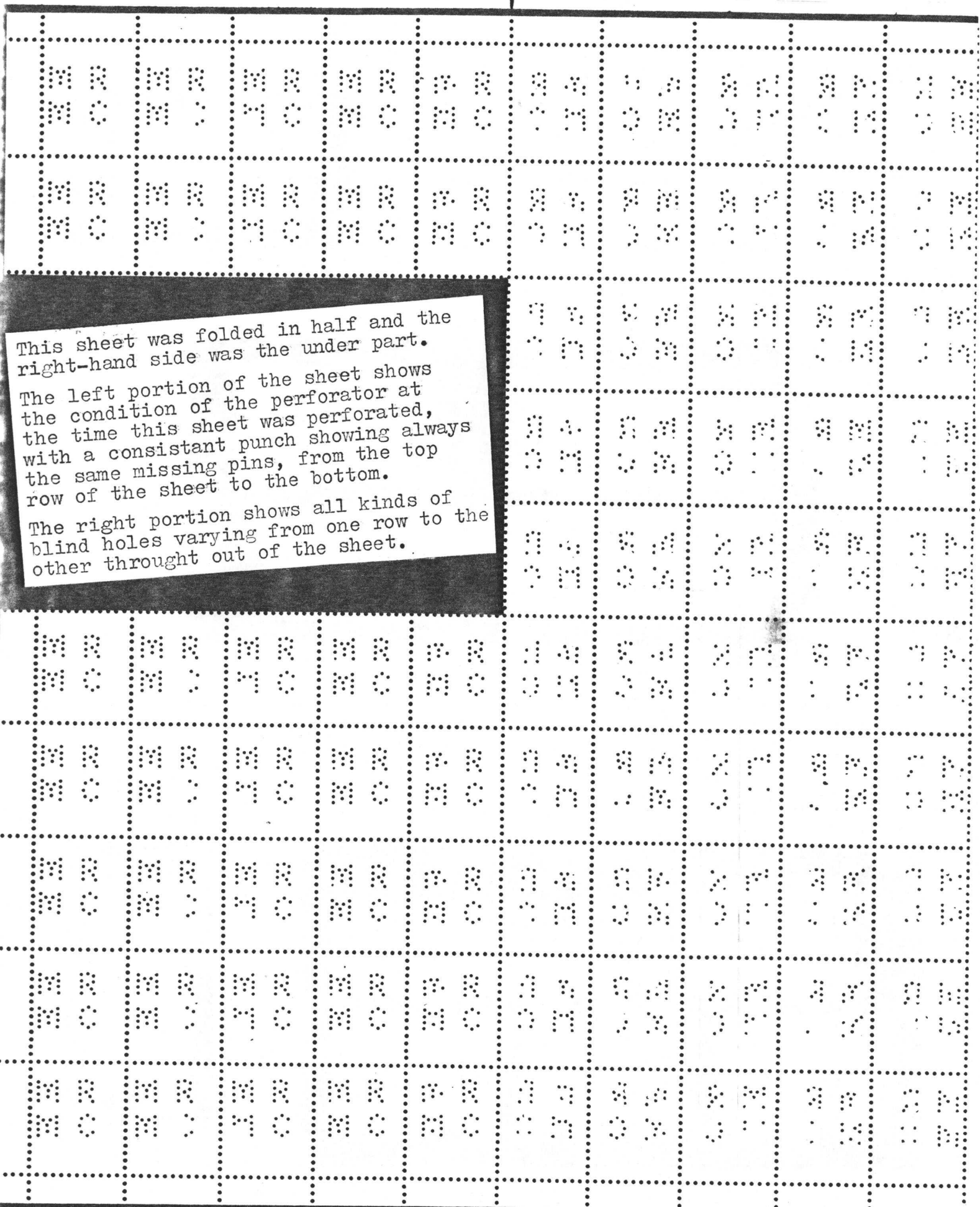
C38 - Consolidated Mining & Smelting of Canada Ltd., Trail, B.C. PF : G
Philatelic Perfins showing a 5-die perforator.



Philatelic Perfins showing a 10-die perforator: C41 - CNR - Toronto, Ont. PF : H



This sheet was folded in half and the right-hand side was the under part. The left portion of the sheet shows the condition of the perforator at the time this sheet was perforated, with a consistent punch showing always the same missing pins, from the top row of the sheet to the bottom. The right portion shows all kinds of blind holes varying from one row to the other through out of the sheet.



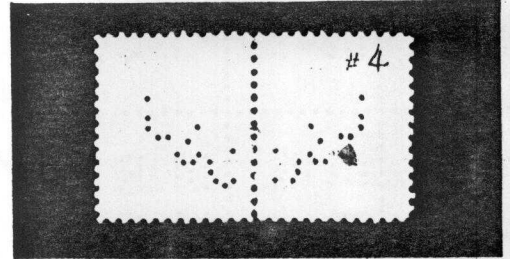
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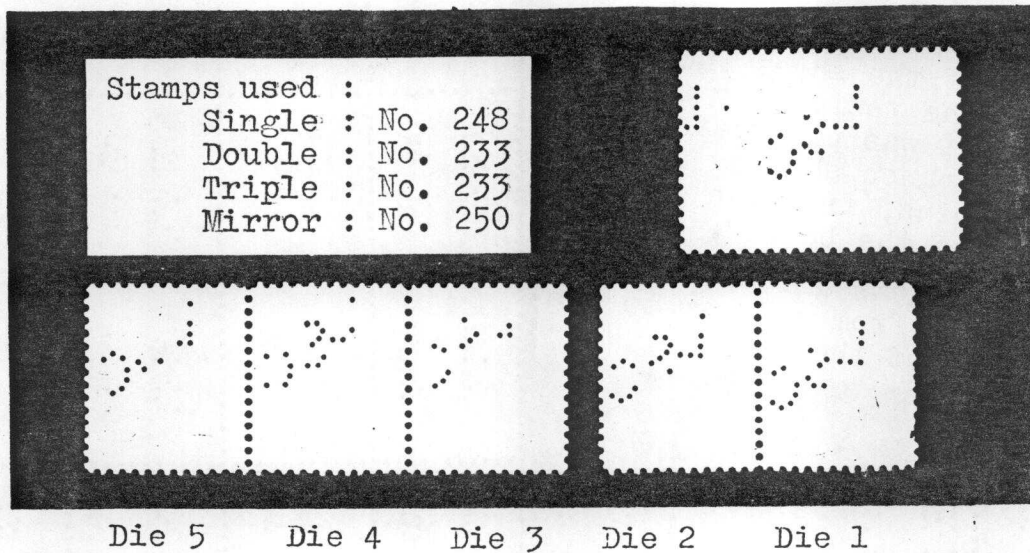
L6 - LSC
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PF : F

A 5-die Perforator showing damages on all dies.



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N11 - NYL
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PF : H

A 5-die perforator showing two damaged dies (4 and 5).

Mirror Pair

