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Our Third edition of the Perforator for 2002 is made up of Auction 19. The closing date is June 17 and there are some very nice items to be had. Please get your bids in early. I have included a brief history of the Newfoundland companies behind perforators A3, A8 and A9 which may be of some interest.

#### Wanted

1167 - 39¢ CN45 Winnipeg perfin mint and used on and off cover;

1168 - 40¢ CN45 Winnipeg perfin mint and used on or and cover;

1357 (old #1359) - 42¢ CN45 Winnipeg perfin mint and used on and off cover; and 1358 (old #1360) - 43¢ CN45 Winnipeg perfin mint and used on and off cover.

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## Anglo- Newfoundland Development Company - Pattern A3

The Anglo Newfoundland Development Company came about as a result of the Harmsworth Brothers and associates need to ensure another supply of printing paper for their newspaper, the London Daily Mail. In the event of a European war they were fearful of losing their current supply of newsprint from Scandinavia and Finland.

The Harmsworth Brothers decided to construct a pulp and paper mill in Newfoundland. Grand Falls was chosen as the site. It was only a few miles from the railroad, twenty miles from a deep water harbor and was on the bank of a river with the largest water shed in Newfoundland. Pulpwood from the territory above the site could be driven down river with very little expense. The manufactured pulp and paper could be shipped by water from Botwood or via rail to an ice free port during the winter period.

The Anglo Newfoundland Development Company Limited was incorporated at St. John's on January 7, 1905 and was approved by the legislature of Newfoundland on June 13, 1905. The first shipment of paper from the new mill was produced in December 1909 and was transported by the Newfoundland Railway to Heart's Content, Trinity Bay to be sent to England.

In April 1961 the merger of the A.N.D. Company and Price Brothers and Company Limited took place and as a result the name was changed to Price Pulp and Paper Limited on April 29, 1965. In 1975 Abitibi Price Company acquired controlling interest in the Price Company and in 1980 the name of the company was changed to Abitibi Price. The Company is now known as Abitibi Consolidated.

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## Ayre and Sons Limited - Patterns A8 and A9

The beginning of the Ayre & Sons Limited occurred in 1859 when Charles Robert Ayre opened a store on Water Street in St. John's. Three years later he joined Alexander Marshall and formed a new company, known as Ayre and Marshall. They operated as importers and wholesale and retail provision merchants. In 1884 Marshall retired and three of Ayre's sons, John Bray, Frederick William and Robert Chesley took over in his place and the name of the business was changed to Ayre and Sons. Upon Charles Robert Ayre's death in 1889 a fourth son, Charles Pascoe, entered the business.

A few years later the four brothers began expanding the business, opening a department store in St. John's and beginning a mail-order service for clients outside the city, while continuing to operate a wholesale service. During the Great Fire of 1892 their premises were destroyed but soon after a temporary building was constructed and within two years the company opened a large new store on Water Street.

In 1903 Robert Chesley Ayre died and the company became known as Ayre and Sons Limited. In the next thirty years the company opened a five-storey building in which hardware, groceries, stationery, books and other retail departments were housed. They acquired a third building, adjoining their older store, which allowed them to expand other retail departments.

By the late 1930s the second generation of directors had died and the company was being managed by grandsons and great-grandsons of the founder.

This was the period which saw the most prolific use of the Ayre perforators as they were phased out in the 1940's with the coming of Postal Meters and Confederation with Canada.

#### BNAPEX 2002

This years conference will be held in Spokane Washington on September 27 - 29. Jon Johnson will be attending since he is a Board Member. He can probably chair a meeting for the Study Group but was wondering if there will be another member attending who would be willing and able to do a presentation or short talk on some aspect of their perfin collecting. Please let me know as soon as possible if someone is able to help. You can also contact Jon directly at: 9604 Kalamalka Road, Vernon, BC, V1B-1L3. If you have any questions you can contact Doug Lingard at his email address: lingardd@istar.ca.

## IT'S GOOD TO HEAR FROM A MEMBER

Our congratulations are extended to Wally Gutzman on receiving a GOLD award for his perfin exhibit at the Lakeshore Stamp Show in April of this year. He said the gold came in spite of the fact he didn't include 8 of his rarest perfins.

Wally is a long time member of the BNAPS Perfins Study Group as his name appears as a contributor to the second edition of the Perfin Handbook issued in 1961.

In the letter from Wally he states that he has greatly enjoyed being a member of the Study Group over the past years although he didn't always find time to take part in various studies. He also said that perfins continue to rise in popularity, a fact that pleases him greatly as he will soon dispose of his collection.

#### PERFIN STUDY GROUP AUCTION No. 19

Welcome to the 19th PSG Auction.

You will find 310 lots with many issues never seen. This is the 3rd portion of four from Albert Aldrich perfin collection. This auction is a great source of Winnipeg tagged. Do not miss this opportunity.

Usually, all the lots with an estimate or reserve value of 10\$ or more are photographed, and they are reduced to 50% to save space. But not this time. Too many lots would have to be illustrated. I selected only the perfins which I couldn't describe perfectly, as double punch, or high values...

Important notice: the estimated values I inserted only represent a selling price based on several factors like - perfin factor or quantities in circulation of that perfin, the stamp and the cancel condition, the period of usage, the growing demand for perfins and also the increasing number of perfins collectors. But remember: the starting bid is always 75% of the estimated value, unless the lot has a Reserved asking price which becomes the starting bid. That' what I meant in the pass when I wrote "Bids lower than 75% of the estimate value will be decline". Take advantage of that starting bid if you thing you may have a chance to buy that lot at that low price...

Kindly bid by lot number in  $10 \rlap/e$  increments below a dollar and  $25 \rlap/e$  increments otherwise. Successful bids will be 10% above the next highest bid, rounded up according to the avove increments. The Study Group will charge a 10% commission only on the lots sold, payable by the consignors.

No unlimited bids. In case of tie bids, the first bid received will be accepted. Cash deposit not required. All single perfins are complete and in good condition unless otherwise specified. In larger lots or mixes, incomplete patterns, split patterns, and duplication are to be expected. All lots returnable if not as described, EXCEPT, large lots or mixes. Lots must be paid for or returned within THREE (3) days of receipt.

Successful bidders will be notified by mail. All lots with a 100\$ value or more will be sent by registered mail. Mailing cost will be paid by the buyer. Bid by lot number.

Please sent your bids to: Conrad M. Tremblay, 1563 Papin Street,

L'Assomption, Qc Canada

June 24 J5W 5H9 or call (450) 589-2307

Bidding closes at midnight (postmark on your letter). All bids will be in canadian funds. Payments in U.S. funds acceptable at the current rate of exchange as applicable on the day of sale.

GOOD LUCK and thank you for your participation.

#### ABBBREVIATIONS USED

circ can -Circular cancellation SON : Sock-on-nose cancellation. reg. - registered d.1 : Die 1 - (re: issue).

(2h.) - No. of holes missing des : Design (printed image).

Lt Light T: top

perf - Perforations of the stamp B: bottom m. or m.p. Missing pins in pattern R: right SE or S.E. Straight edge L: left

inc. - Incomplete pattern. Center: Centering of the design.

## PERFIN STUDY GROUP AUCTION No.19

Lot #	Style	Issue & Perfin Position			F	Description		Estimate or Reserve	
1 2 3 4 5 6	A3 A8	105-1 116-4 117-1 117ii-1 166-5 185-1 133-1	AN/D AYRE	E	Part of a Mint no gu Red brown, Deep brown Mint, no g Light cds,	, light cancel n, """ gum , one round corne	ncel "BADGER'		(15) FILL STATE (15)
8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 1 22 22 22 22 22 22 23 33 33 34 45 34 45 34 45 34 45 35 35 36 37 89 40 14 23 44 45 46 47 48 49 55 15 20 20 20 20 20 20 20 20 20 20 20 20 20	B1 B11 C6	134-1 135-1 139-1 142-1 146-2 147-2 149-2 150-2 151-2 156-2 157-2 164-2 166-1 175-1 179-2 70-1 126-1 137-1 140-1 141-1 186-1 188-1 191-1 191a-1 191a-1 195-2 196-2 209-2 252-2 254-3 255-1 256-1 104-1 (	AYRE	G E F G	Slogan - C Light cds  """  Repaired ( Blurred cd Light circ " slog " blur " blur " Light cds, sp Cancelled Lt cds, sp Cancelled Lt cds, on """  S x 2 mm p Very light ""  Lt cancel, Heavy cance Very light Looks unca Very light Looks unca Very light Looks unca Very light Looks unca Very light "" Wavy cance Light cance Purple Reg Circ. cds """ """ """ """ """ """ """ """ """ "	Pattern inc., ("E Torned in one-halls, pattern inc., ("E Torned in one-halls, pattern inc., ("E Torned cds "" Torned in one-halls, pattern inc., ("E Torned in one-halls, pattern inc., ("E Torned in one-hall of Torned in one-hall of Torned incelled Torned in one-hall of Torned in one-half Tor	<pre>, split pat. E" missing)  lf) ("E" missing)  t. between 25  issing  r missing  f the stamp ttern</pre>	3.00 3.00 3.00 10.00 2.00 2.00 5.00 4.00 6.00 5.00 7.50 2.00 2.00 3.00 10.00	22. 23. 24.

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53 54 <b>5</b> 5	C6	290-3 291-3 292-3	CBC	G	Circ. cds Sackville, N.B. circ. cds, inc. pat.(4) Lt circ. cds	1.25 1.00 1.25
56		293-1			Circ. cds	2.50
57		301-3			Corner Brook, NF,11/IX/52	.50
58		303-3			Circ. cds	1.50
59		304-3			LIZULANI PRI VVIN I " 8-0	1.50
60		305-5				1.25
61		306-1			Part of Corner Brook, NF, 31/V/52	1.00
62		311-3			Gander, NF circ. cds	2.00
63 64		313-3 315-3			Corner Brook, NF, 27/8/52 Wavy	2.50
65		316-2			Lacombe, AB VI/13/53	1.00
66		317-7			Sydney, NS NO/27/53	2.50
67		318-1			Rolller	1.50
68		319-1			Corner Brook, NF 7/II/53	1.50
69		320-7			Prince Rupert, BC 20/VI/53	1.25
70		322-1			Part of Gander, NF	1.25
71 72		323-1 324-7			Grand Falls, NF, 53 Sydney, NS, circ. cds	1.25
73	201 min 11	325-7	Article Administration of	1002	Circ. cds	1.00
74		326-1			" " negota H AND 8-6	1.00
75		327-7			Wavy	1.00
76		328-1			Circ. cds	1.00
77		329-1			" " See The Bull As A Control	1.25
78		330-6			Grand Falls, NF 1953	2.00
79 80	D	C9-1 E11-3			Sackville, NS circ cds	1.00
81	C8	MR3-1	CCC	F	Quebec circ cds 1952 Wavy	15.00
82	00	FWT8-2			Uncancelled	3.00
83	C10	105-1	C(Co)	G	Slogan	1.50
84		247-2			Wavy	2.00
85		315-5		_	The state of the s	2.00
86	C13	108-1	CFF	F	usperd - train so	2.00
87 88	C14 C15	90-1 252-3	C/GE C/GE	F	Wavy - Inc pattern	1.00
89	013	254-1	C/ GL	11	Heavy slogan	.50
90		305-1			Very It cds	.75
91		313-1			Wavy	1.00
92		317-7			9-5 Machine ods. split Dat	2.00
93	C15a	286-1	Retooled	-	Circ cds	.75
94	040	-3	C(III)	-	Machine cds	.75
95 96	C18 C20	167-1 89-1	C(HI)	E F	Lt cds (Yorkyon, SK) Wavy, missing pins	8.00
97	020	233-5		1	wavy, missing pins	2.00
98		327-5			Slogan	2.00
99		338-6			Code hole missing, slogan	2.00
100		339-8			Slogan, split pattern	3.00
101		341-1			(2) star 8 May (ancel "	1.50
102		3-2				1.50
103 104		-5 -6			Wavy a , too iso might 7 H to 8 1 \$ 60	1.50
105		371-5			ika ing karata naji a lamba 💢 🖼	3.00
106		375-4			u a de la companya d	4.00
27		376-3			Machine cds	4.00
.08		387-3			Wavy	4.00

109 110	C23 C24	104-1 232-5	C(HI)	F G	Uncancelled corner damaged Slogan (Quebec, P.Q.)	1.00
111 112 113	C25	260-1 170-1 212-3	11	G	Roller One half of HAMILTON circ cds Wavy	2.00 1.00 1.00
114 115 116	C30	233-1 219-3 233-5	11	F	Machine cds Wavy (Regina, SK) Slogan	.50 2.00 2.00
117 118 119	C32 C33	106-3 106-3 231-1	11	F F	Large "R", Saskatoon, SK Slogan " - Few perfs short	2.00 2.00 1.00
120 121 122 P		233-3 292-1 6-195-1			Uncancelled Wavy Precancelled 5850	2.50 2.50 10.++
123 124	C34	231-1 249-5	11	E	Wavy Slogan	5.00 5.00
125 126 127	C36a C36b C40	225-1 232-4 90-1	CIL CNR	E F F	(With serifs), Montreal duplex No serifs - wavy Wavy	5.00 2.00 3.00
128 129	C41	106-1 305-3	CNR	Н	Light cancel, 2 perfs short Slogan	1.00
130 131		306-1 456-4			Machine Circ cds	.50 1.00
132 133 134		459-4 459b-4 718-4			Slogan Roller Xtra light cancel	1.00 1.00 1.50
135 136		726-1 -4			GT, 1991 pocon (\$1 Fundy Park) GT, uncancelled """	4.00 4.00
137 138 139		-5 785-1 855-4			GT, circ cds " " Xtra light cancel Wavy	4.00 2.00 3.00
140 P 141	C42	NF257-2 89-1	CNR	H'		15.00
142 143	0,1	105-1 232-1	0		Die 1- slogan Light cancel	1.00
144 145 146	C43	234-1 C8-1 112-3		Н	Roller Slogan Circ cds, damaged, Vancouver perforator	1.50 2.00 1.00
147 148	043	313-1 319-5		"	Slogan Machine cds, split pattern	3.00
149 150 151		320-7 349-3 401-4			Wavy Slogan	1.50 1.00 .75
152 153		404-4 405-2			и п	.50 .50
154 155		417-2 444-8			и и	2.00
156 157 158		449-1 452-1 456-2			Wavy	2.00 2.00 2.00
159 160		458-2 459-4			II II	1.00
161 162 163		462-1 -4 -8			и и	2.50 2.50 2.50
164		465A-4			п	2.50





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165 C43 166 167 168 169 170 171 172 173 174 175 176 177	503-4 517-1 523-1 544-2 -4 552-7 593-1 664-2 714-1 782-1 834-1 907-1 923-1 924-1	CNR H	Roller, hibrite paper Wavy Vancouver roller Roller Machine cancel Wavy Extra light slogan Roller Slogan " (x2) Cancelled Slogan "	2.00 2.00 3.00 2.00 2.00 3.00 1.50 5.00 3.00 2.00 2.50 2.00 2.00
179 P 180 C44 181 C45 182 183 184	NF257-6 105-1 212-1 218-1 232-1 233-1	CNR F CNR I	Newfoundland stamp Die 2, wavy, Montreal perforator Wavy, Vancouver perforator " Part of Victoria cancel	15.00 2.50 1.50 .50 .50
185 186 187 188 189	242-5 247-4 250-1 251-1 252-1		Heavy suplex cancel Slogan Wavy Slogan	1.00 1 <b>79</b> 1.00 .50 .50 .50 .50
191 192 193 94 195	-5 -7 259-1 284-1 -3		Wavy	.50 .50 2.00 .50 .50
196 197 198 199 200 201	286-1 -3 -5 288-1 304-3 305-1		Slogan Roller Wavy Roller	.50 .50 1.00 1.00
202 203 204 205 206 207	306-3 -5 320-1 -3 321-2 322-1		Slogan Machine cds Wavy 1954 circ cds Duplex cancel, \$! Totem Pole Slogan	.50 .50 1.00 1.00 8.00 1.00
208 209 210 P 211 212 213	325-1 -3 326-1X 327-1 -3 -4		" double impression Machine	1.50 1.50 1.00 .50
214 215 216 217 218	-5 -7 328-1 -3 -5 329-1		Slogan Machine Wavy Wavy	.50 .50 .50 .50 .50
220	330-2		Machine	1.50

221	C45	335-5	CNR	Ι	Wavy	1.00
222		336-1			н	1.00
223 224		337-1 -7			Winnipeg circ cds	.50 .50
225		340-1			Machine cds	.50
226		-3			Slogan	.50
227 228		349-1 350-3			Machine cds Circ cds	1.00
229		351-1			Winnipeg double barrel cancel	.50
230		-3			roller	.50
231 232		357-1 362-1			Slogan 1963 Winnipeg circ cds	1.00
233		-3			Winnipeg tag one-side, light cds	.75
234		404pxiii-2			" " slogan	2.00
235 236		-4 405p-4			" " roller " two-sides duplex	2.00
237		454-4			Wavy	1.50
238		454p-4			Winnipeg 2-bars, plain paper, circ cds	1.50
239 240 P		454pi-2 -4/3	(2 pos.)		Winnipeg center bar, circ cds	2.00
241		-3	(L pos.)		11 11 11 11	2.00
242 243		-4			" " wavy cds	2.00
243		456p-5 457pv-4			Winnipeg 2-bar, plain paper, roller " tagged 1-bar at Rigkt, fluor	2.00
245		-5			" " DULL	2.00
246 247		457pi-2 457pii-1			" center tag, dull, slogan " " " fluor, circ cds	2.00
248		458-2 hor	. pair		Circ cds in center	4.00
249		458p-4			Winn. tag 2-sides, plain, circ cds	2.00
250 251		458pi-2 -4			" center bar, dull " "	2.00
252		459p-2			WT - 2-sides, plain, wavy, split pattern	3.00
253 254		464-3 543-2			Roller, blind perfs.	2.50
255		544-4			Wavy	2.00
256		502-6			HB - circ cds	3.00
257 258		503-1 505p-1			HB - wavy, split pattern Winnipeg 2-bars	2.00
259		518-3			Winnipeg circ cds, blind perfs.	3.00
260		525p-1			WT 2-sides, hibrite, slogan	3.00
261 262		555p-5 587-1			" " ", split pattern, circ cds Slogan	2.00 1.50
263		593A-1			" many blind perfs.	1.50
264 265		643-4 653-3			Canada Post slogan	4.00 4.00
266		705-2			Circ cds	1.00
267		713-1			Roller	1.00
268 269		714-5 715-3			Slogan, incomplete punch 1960 circ cds	1.00 1.50
270		718-4			Split punch, circcds	2.00
271		719-2			Circ cds 15 Fundy National Park untag uncan	2.00
272 273		726a-1 781-1			1\$ Fundy National Park, untag, uncan Xtra light cds	5.00 1.00
274		782-1			" " (3 h.)	1.00
275		783-3			" " (2 h.)	1.00

276 277 278	C45	-3 785-1	I Xtra light cancel 1.00 Machine cancel, (3 h.) 1.00 Split punch, blind perfs. 1.00	
79		786-1 hor.strip o		
280		787-3	Light fold, light cds 1.00	
281		789-3	Light cds .75	
282		791-1	" " 2.00	
283		5.0% -3 63 83.	Wavy, (4 h.) 2.00	
284		792-1	Light cds 2.00	# (I) AAA
285			2.00	**********
286		834-1	3.00	La Address
287		904-1	Melville, SK 30 XII 81 3.00	
288		907-1	Light cds 2.00	
289		-1 hor pair	Circ. cds 4.00	
290		8V2 -3 00 01.	Slogan, many blind perfs. 2.00	
291		917a-1 h. pair	4.00	
292		918-1	Light cds 00 2.00	0.0
293		-1 h.strip of	3 - "ae " 03.6 - ae 00.8 - 5.00	
294		□ 1 -3 PA PA	2.00	
295		923-1	" (4 h.) 2.00	
296		.00 120 8-2,25	Slogan, split pattern 1.50	
297		00.a-4 ast 00.	Circ cds, blind perfs 2.00	E COLUMN
298		924-1	Light cds, " "2.00	1
299		al 1-3 (8) 03.	2.00	
300		926B-4	2.00	V. V.
301		973-2	Wavy cds 3.00	0.74
302 P		E8-5	A very rare stamp perfinned - thin 50.00	
303 P		0A112c-1 OH/MS	·	
04 P		0A155-1	10¢ Mt. Hurd cat. value:25\$ MB 12.50	
305 P	)	0A118-1	10¢ bistre brown cat.value: \$25 MB 12.50	X (13)
Large	lots	and FOREIGN perfins:		
305ລ-	small	mixture of 31 canada	ian perfins: 5 BT, 2 C(HI), 11 CPR, 5 G8,	.465
			olication, a couple with faults. MR2 to 301	
306 -	Unsol	d lots - Auction No.	270 1 GJ02MU - 8F JON HOLTOOA EST: 6-10\$	
000			part of four from Albert Aldrich perfin	
	colle	ction. Not being inte	erested in perfins anymore, he does not	
	want.	the unsold lots back.	. Its your chance to get a real bargain	
			ems with a total estimate value of over	
			each lot). The list of these lots are	
	follo		EST: 50-75\$	
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A superbe collection of 210 perfins, all different patterns and showing the complete punches. If you are interested in different foreign perfin collections, I will have them for you. EST: 25-30\$

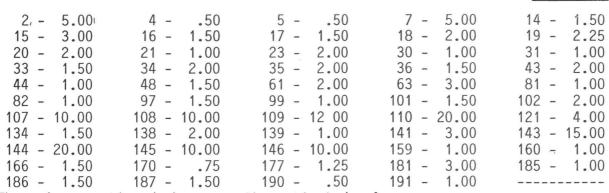
308 - A mixture of 500 US perfins from Scott Catalogue No. 304 to modern. Counting them, I notice several commemoratives including No. 549, 744, etc. also of the early Washington issues, the 8¢ Franklin perforated 11. Received from a non-US perfin collector. Sold as they are.

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#### AUCTION No. 18 - PRICES REALISED

### Unsold and retired lots are listed below

## AUCTION No. 18 - UNSOLD LOTS See lot 306 before you bid



The prices mentioned above are the estimated value.

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