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 FROM THE EDITORS DESK / Chairmans message:

I am hoping that this will be the last double job that I have and that a Chairman will have been found at the convention in Vancouver in late August. Jon Johnstons' seminar will be "The CPR Perfins outside of Canada" at 12 noon on Friday. I hope to be able to publish his seminar in a future edition of the Newsletter. Also a summary of the meeting that will take place.

Due to the mail strike and slowdown of our mail, Lord knows when you will receive this newsletter.

I talked to Mike Hargraft and we have only about four consignes for the auction. Some people have indicated that they were going to send in material but have not come through. Mike indicated that in his opinion we should have at least 5 people before going ahead with the auction.

Letters received with infomation, titbits, beefs and bouquets. From Michael Dicketts: In the July/Aug issue of the The Perfins Bulletin, a member is quoted as reporting that U.S. perfin B161 BM/c is that of Boston Music Company, who bought out Hatch Music Company in 1919. While they seek a cover which confirms this information it would seem that a tentative change should be made in our handbook on page 23. In this issue Perfins with Rarity Factors A to D, Stamps and Positions known to Exist by M.A. Hargraft and other odds and ends as fillers.

My thanks to all contributors to this newsletter. We need more like you. So don't stop sending me more information, PLEASE, I am running low on Material for future issues.

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PLATING by Conrad M. Tremblay

T13 - TRAVELERS INSURANCE CO.  
Montreal, P.Q.

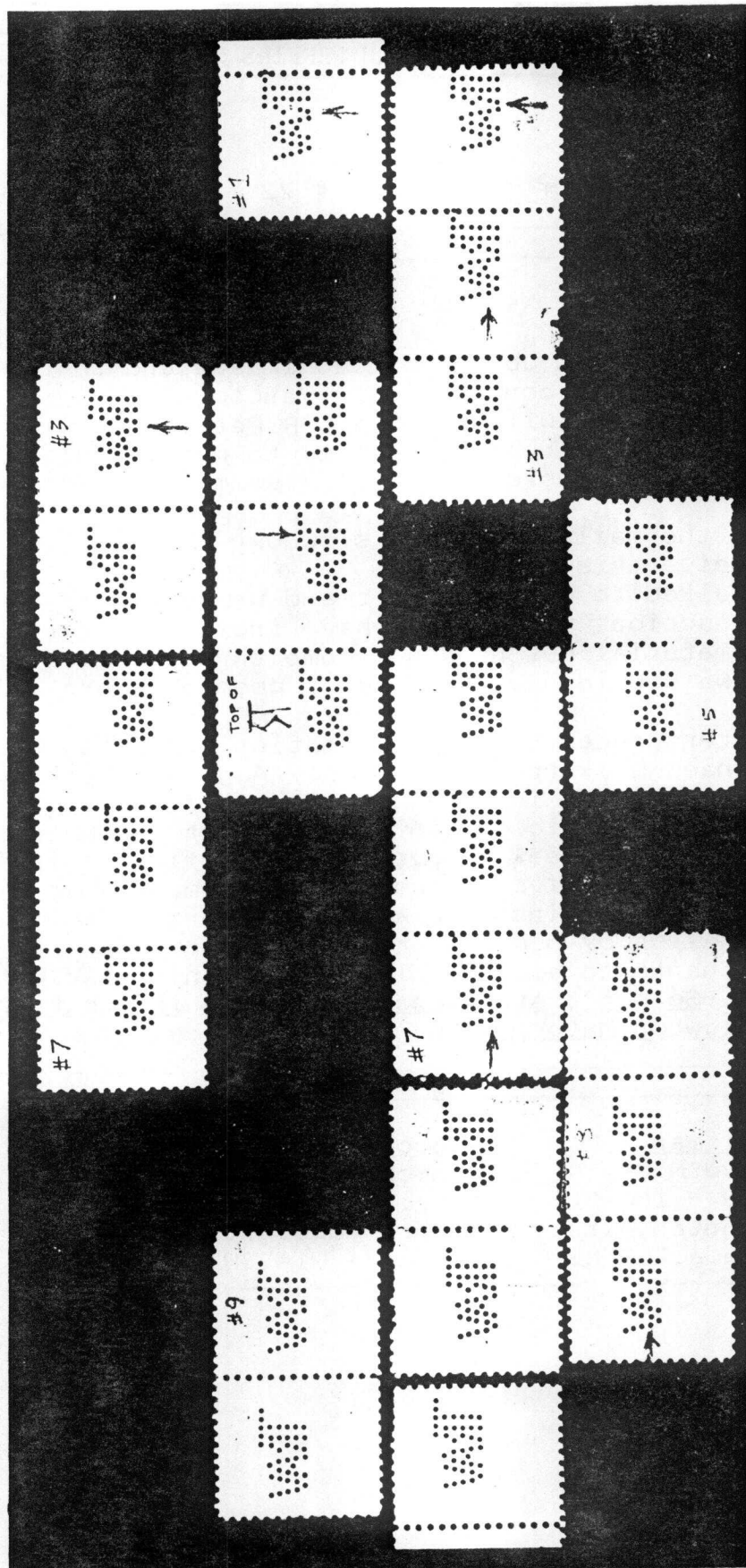
Perfin Factor: F

A 10-die perforator used on  
1942 to 1953 Issues.  
(Latest stamp reported: 328)

Stamps used for the plating:  
from top to bottom, left to right (as shown):

- 252 (strip of 3), 254 (2)
- 254 (2), 252 (3), 249 (1)
- 252 (1), 254 (2), 251 (3), 252 (3)
- 255 (3), 254 (2).

All the stamps used for the plating have a  
Montreal roller cancel.



Die 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1

Perfins with Rarity Factors A to D  
Stamps and Positions Known to Exist

M.A. Hargraft

For the last five years, I have gathered as much information as I can about existence of stamps and positions in the various perfins designs. I have a massive card index - it cries for computerization - and I have had great help from many of the members of the Study Group.

For this first report, I list what I believe exists. Where a stamp number is followed by numbers in brackets, the bracketed numbers are the positions known. Where no brackets follow, a report has been made of the existence, but information about positions was not given.

So I can continue with this work, please let me know if you know of the existence of unreported stamps or positions. I will update this information as necessary.

For some A and B perfins, I have no reports of any stamps, and these entries are followed by a dash.

A Perfins

<u>A1</u>	106 (1)	<u>B3</u>	E1(4)
<u>B7</u>	-	<u>B8</u>	-
<u>B10</u>	192, FCD1	<u>C1</u>	236
<u>C2</u>	-	<u>C7</u>	107,233
<u>C16</u>	-	<u>C39</u>	OST16(2)
<u>C55</u>	FCD2	<u>C59</u>	E2
<u>C60</u>	104(3)	<u>D1</u>	FCD3
<u>D5</u>	-	<u>D10</u>	107
<u>F1</u>	107, 237	<u>G4</u>	89,90,106,FX36
<u>G12</u>	104,306,FCD1(1)	<u>H1</u>	90,MR2(135)
<u>I5</u>	89,90	<u>J7</u>	-
<u>J10</u>	104,106	<u>L2</u>	FCD4(6)
<u>L4</u>	106,109,126,150,168	<u>L7</u>	90,106,MR4,128,219,341
<u>M10</u>	FCD3	<u>M14</u>	378(3)
<u>M18</u>	FWT13,FX8	<u>M21</u>	-
<u>M28</u>	90,107	<u>M29</u>	106(2)
<u>N25</u>	-	<u>N26</u>	165
<u>N30</u>	109(1)	<u>O14</u>	106
<u>P1</u>	FX38(4)	<u>P16</u>	107
<u>P18</u>	-	<u>R2</u>	101
<u>R4</u>	107(35),109,111,MR1(15)	<u>R10</u>	90,110
<u>S5</u>	Nf146; 164(27)	<u>S6</u>	-
<u>S12</u>	150	<u>S14</u>	-
<u>S15</u>	-	<u>S16</u>	-
<u>S20</u>	-	<u>S21</u>	-
<u>S22</u>	-	<u>T14</u>	-
<u>U1</u>	-	<u>V2</u>	116
<u>W2</u>	106(1), 112	<u>W4</u>	FCD1
<u>W16</u>	E1		

B Perfins

<u>A2</u>	104,106	<u>A6</u>	90,106
<u>A7</u>	89(13),90,104,106	<u>B4</u>	-
<u>C4</u>	89,90(1),106(4)	<u>C35</u>	350
<u>C56</u>	FCD1(53),FCD2,FCD3,FCD4(7), FX64(4)	<u>C57</u>	FCD2(3),FCD7,FCD10(3)
<u>D3</u>	104,106	<u>D9</u>	104,106,107
<u>E3</u>	75,90,104,106,109	<u>F3</u>	219(5),233
<u>H3</u>	90(1),106,MR3	<u>I2</u>	-
<u>J4</u>	108,165,166,197(1),219,233	<u>J5</u>	167,233
<u>L5</u>	E1,FCD1(1),FCD8(1)	<u>M9</u>	106,MR2,FWT8(1)
<u>M20</u>	106,109	<u>M26</u>	107(1)
<u>N2</u>	112,113(4)	<u>N22</u>	197(1),271,325,354,C9
<u>N29</u>	104(1),106(1),341	<u>O12</u>	106,107,109(1),111(1),116,MR1
<u>P2</u>	104,MR4,130(1),FWT8,FX64	<u>P8</u>	108,129,134
<u>P9</u>	89,90,93,106	<u>P13</u>	544
<u>S8</u>	106,113,116,119,120	<u>T11</u>	340(1),379
<u>U2</u>	106,108	<u>W8</u>	89,90

C Perfins

<u>A5</u>	90(12),91,93	<u>B6</u>	89,104,106
<u>B12</u>	104,107,142,150,164,166,241	<u>B13</u>	90,109,150,FWM17,FX41(4),FX56(4)
<u>C3</u>	89(4),90(14),91,104,106(48)	<u>C5</u>	89(7),90(1)
<u>C48</u>	77,90(17)	<u>C62</u>	108,FCD1,FCD2(1),FCD7,FCD8(3)
<u>E5</u>	106(1),108,MR3,MR4,135	<u>E6</u>	107(4),112(1),165,FCD1, FCD2(37),FCD6(5),FCD7
<u>G3</u>	117(1),118(1),195(1),197,336	<u>G7</u>	286,289,306,328(5),341(5),395, 396,398
<u>G16</u>	231,232(15),233,250(1),254, 286(37),288,301(37),306(15), 316(37),326(4),328(357), FX64(246)	<u>I1</u>	37/41,38/42,44,76,77(5),79,89, 90,92(1),141,F2,FCD6(5),FX57
<u>I4</u>	90,91(6),104,106(47),111,113, 116,MR4(5)	<u>J6</u>	35,36(1),37/41
<u>M2</u>	149,150,162,163,164,165(1), 166b,FWT7	<u>M15</u>	109(1),119(1),FWT8(2),FX36(4)
<u>M17</u>	104,106(1),MR1	<u>M24</u>	89(1),90(1),106,107,109,166(1), 196(1),233
<u>M25</u>	106,107(15),FX36	<u>N7</u>	105,107,150,164,233,251,254,291
<u>N8</u>	91(1),104,106,108,MR4(1),167, 232(5),249,351,FCD8	<u>N10</u>	104,165,165a,232,233,241,249, 250,251,254(1),276,285,287(1)
<u>N21</u>	197	<u>N23</u>	219,237,248,249,252,254
<u>N24</u>	77,89(5),90,104,106	<u>N27</u>	77,90(2),91,93,FX67
<u>O2</u>	105,107,109(1),112,197	<u>S10</u>	221,232
<u>S11</u>	106,107,108	<u>T7</u>	104(24),106(248),108(8),111(24) MR3(2),MR4(2),135(2)
<u>V1</u>	107,150,FCD1,FCD2,FCD3	<u>W6</u>	89,90,92,104,106
<u>W11</u>	89,90(13),104(5),106(5),111,MR3		

D Perfins

A4 89(1),90(1),104(16),105,106(123),108

B2 195(2),198,213,217(1),218,219,223,231(1),232(1),234(1),235(1),241(2),  
246

B5 89,104(13),105,106(13),107(1),108,116,MR1,MR2(1),MR3(13),MR4(13),135

C12 104(1357),105,106(157),108(135),111,112,113(3),119,MR1

C21 104(5),105,106(7),107,108,109,116,MR3(15),MR4,135,144,146(57),155(1),  
163,164,190(3),197,219(5),223(13),232(15),233(135),235(15),241(28),  
241a(8),247,248(1),249,250,251(3),254,257(8),269

C47 89(13),90(13),91,104(13),105,106(135),116,118

C49 89(13),90(13),91,92,93,107,113

D2 104,106(1),108(1),109,111,112,116,118,119(1),MR2,MR3,141,142,150,153,  
163(1),164,165,167,190,195,196,197,199,212,213,215,218,219,221,223

D7 104,105,106(1),107(35),108(137),109,110,111,112(1),116,117,118(1),  
119(1),120,135,141,142,148

D8 104,106,107(1),108(1),109,112,112a,117,118,141,142(15),144,150,155,  
197,241,FX39,FX64

G9 351(3),401p(248),402p(28),403,403p,404(4),404p(248),405p(15),443,  
453p(24678),454p,455p(4),456(24),456p(8),457(28),457p,458,458p,  
459(4),459p,459bp,464(4)

G11 89,90,92,93(1),104(1),106(3), FCD1,FCD2,FCD3(1),FCD6

G15 89(13),90(1),104(13),105,106(1),107,109,153,167

G21 104(1),105,106(1),107,108,109(1),111,112,113(1),116,MR1,MR2,MR3,141,  
142,144,150(1),155,157(4),192,197,199,217,FWT7(2),FWT8,FWT12,FWT13,  
FX3,FX36,FX62,FX64

I6 47,77,89(13),90(1),97,98,104,106,113

L3 109(1),149,150,152,160,161(24),165(1),165a,168,172,173,179,180

M1 104,111,113,116(1),167

M4 104(5),106(357),107(14),108(15),111,112(7),116,117(5),MR1(5),  
MR2(16),MR3(15),MR4,142,146,168,FWT8

M6 104,106(1),107,108(25),109,MR4,135(2),142

M8 104(13),105(1),016,107(135),108(1357),110(5),112,114,116,118,142,  
143,150,190,195,219,221(1)

M19 90(1),104(1),105,106(1357),107(1357),108(15),109(15),112,116(1),118,  
119,MR1(15),MR3,MR4,135(7),144,FWT8(1)

M27 104(15),105,106(17),107(15),108(17),109(1),112(1),115(1),116(1),117,  
119(12),120,MR4,146,148,150(1),153,154,155,164(1),169,C1

N13 90(1), 91, 104(13), 106, 107(5), 108(13), 110, 111(14), MR1, MR4(1), 150, 152, 155, 164, 167, 191, 192(7), 233(1), 249(5), FX36, FX37, FX38

O3 67, 75, 77(46), 89(246), 90(12345678), 91(8), 92, 105(5), 119(3)

O10 77(3), 79, 81(8), 87, 90(12468), 91(124568), 92(1248), 94

P7 119, 146, 149, 150, 153, 164, 168, 170(1), 172, 176, 197(1), 199, 204, 221, 225, 235(57)

P11 89(15), 90(1), 104(3), 105, 106, MR1, FWT7, FWT10, FWT12, FWT13

P12 105, 107, 118, 119(1), 120, 144(1), 146(1), 151(1), 155, 157, 165

R1 89(15), 90, 92, 93, (135), 94(1), 104, 106(15), 111, 116(1), 119(5)

S4 104(137), 105(13), 106(137), 107(137), 108(13), 109(13), 110, 111, 112, 113(13), 116(3), 118, 119(7), MR1(3), MR2, MR3, MR4(37), 135, 141, 145, 146, 149, 150, 153(5), 154, 155, 156, 163, 164, 165, 166(1), 167(3), 172(2), 173, 192(13), 196(3), 197(13), 199, 211, 212, 214(3), 218, 219, 231, 232, 233(13), 249(13), 250(3), 251(3), 252(3), 253(46), 254(13), 255, 257, 260, 269, 271, 274(4), 275(24), 276, 277, 358, C6, C7(3), C8, FWT8, FX36, Nf146

T1 89(1), 91, 104(13)

T2 104(1), 105(1), 106(1), 107(1), MR1(1), MR2

T3 75, 77, 90(1), 91, 92, 93(1), 104(1), 106(3), 109

T4 104(1), 105, 106, 108, MR4

T5 89, 90(1245678), 91(2), 99, 106(1)

T6 89(4), 90(248), 104(2), 106, MR3(4)

T8 104(246), 106(2468), 110(4), 111(24), MR1(246), MR4(2468), 135(6)

T10 104, 106(4), 107(13), 108(1), 109(1), 112