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NEWFOUNDLAND

ESSAYS AND PROOFS

PERKINS BACON & CO

1941

ON WHITE WOVE

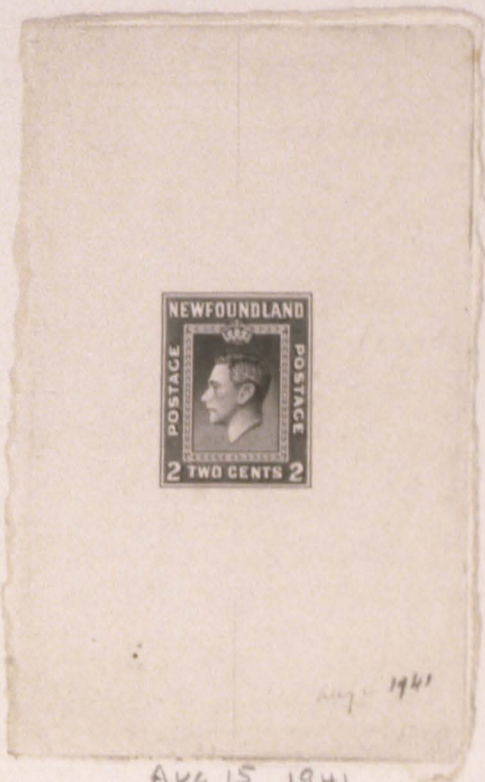
WATERLOW & SONS

LARGE DIE PROOFS

UNWATERMARKED.

NEW

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THE NEWFOUNDLAND WAR ISSUE, PRINTED IN 1941, WAS THE COMBINED PRODUCT OF PERKINS BACON AND WATERLOW. IN MAY 1941 PERKINS BACON WAS BOMBED OUT AND THE DIES AND PLATES WHICH WERE USEABLE WERE TURNED OVER TO WATERLOW & SONS. SOME NEW DIES WERE MADE AND SOME NEW PLATES. THE PRINTING WAS DONE BY WATERLOW. ALTHOUGH NOT USED THIS 7¢ DIE WAS PROOFED BY WATERLOW AND IS PART OF THE SET OF 13 DIE PROOFS MADE THEN. ONLY THREE COMPLETE SETS ARE KNOWN.

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NEWFOUNDLAND

ESSAYS AND PROOFS

1941

LARGE DIE PROOFS

PERKINS, BACON & CO.

WATERLOW & SONS

ON WHITE WOVE .00375

UNWATERMARKED



4 LINES ABOVE "NEWFOUNDLAND"
SHADING LINES IN FACE AND
BACKGROUND DIFFERENT. SOLID
LINES BELOW "2".

NEW DIE - NO DIE NUMBER



NEW DIE - SECONDARY DIE MADE
FROM ORIGINAL ROLLER



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NEWFOUNDLAND

ESSAYS AND PROOFS

PERKINS BACON & CO

1941

ON WHITE WOVE .00

WATERLOW & SONS

LARGE DIE PROOFS

UNWATERMARKED.



NEW DIE - NO DIE NUMBER
 ONE SHADING LINE BELOW 3
 NO 1 BETWEEN 0 IN FRAME



OLD DIE # 960 WITH +
 ADDED.



PROOFS WERE NOT PREPARED FOR THE DIES OF THE 4¢ & 7¢. THE ISSUED STAMPS HAD NO PLATE NUMBERS ON THE SHEETS. EVIDENTLY THE OLD PLATES WERE RESCUED FROM THE FIRE AND REUSED IN 1941.

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NEWFOUNDLAND

ESSAYS AND PROOFS

1941

LARGE DIE PROOFS

PERKINS, BACON & CO.
WATERLOW & SONS
ON WHITE WOVE .00375
UNWATERMARKED



OLD DIE #1024 WITH CROSS MARK ADDED

THE HOLE IN THE DIE BLOCK
COULD ONLY HAVE BEEN MADE BY
SOFTENING THE DIE AND THEN
HARDENING IT. PERHAPS THE
DIES WERE PARTIALLY TEMP-
ERED IN THE FIRE AND HAD TO
BE REHARDENED.

OLD DIE #972 WITH CROSS MARK ADDED



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NEWFOUNDLAND

ESSAYS AND PROOFS

PERKINS BACON & CO

1941

ON WHITE WOVE .00

WATERLOW & SONS

LARGE DIE PROOFS

UNWATERMARKED

OLD DIE # 957 WITH +
ADDED.



OLD DIE # 958 WITH
+ ADDED.



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NEWFOUNDLAND

ESSAYS AND PROOFS

PERKINS, BACON & CO.
WATERLOW & SONS
ON WHITE WOVE .00375
UNWATERMARKED

1941

LARGE DIE PROOFS



OLD DIE #956, WITH CROSS
MARKS ADDED

OLD DIE #1028, WITH TWO SETS
OF CROSS MARKS ADDED



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NEWFOUNDLAND

ESSAYS AND PROOFS

1941

LARGE DIE PROOFS

PERKINS, BACON & CO.
WATERLOW & SONS
ON WHITE WOVE .00375
UNWATERMARKED



NEW DIE #17114, EVIDENTLY SECONDARY DIE MADE FROM THE ORIGINAL ROLLER. A WATERLOW DIE NUMBER.



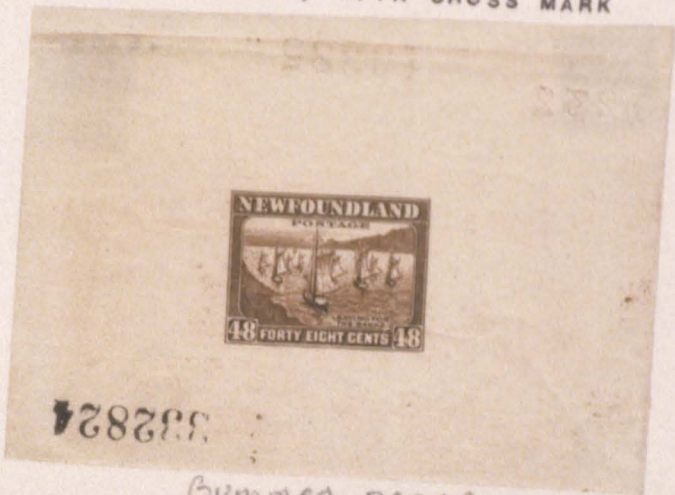
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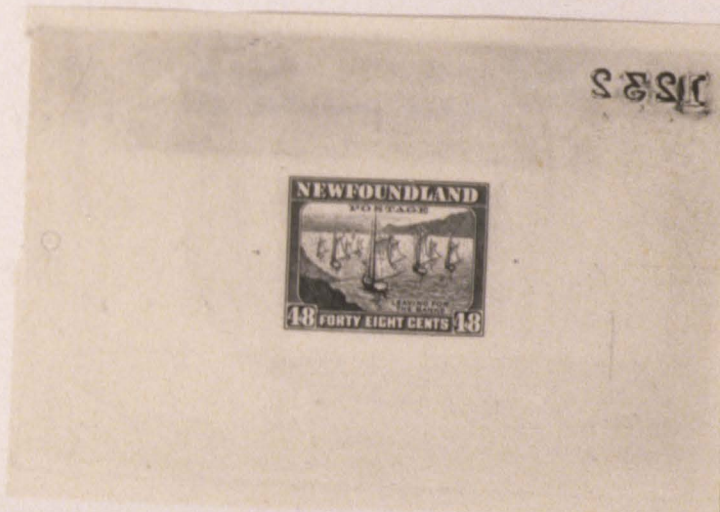
OLD DIE



OLD DIE #1232, WITH CROSS MARK



Bumped paper



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NEWFOUNDLAND

ESSAYS AND PROOFS

1941

LARGE DIE PROOFS

PERKINS BACON & CO

WATERLOW & SONS

ON WHITE WOVE .00375



ONLY ONE SET OF THESE DIE PROOFS REMAINS UNTRIMMED AS THESE EXAMPLES. THE OTHER TWO WERE CUT DOWN.

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NEWFOUNDLAND

ESSAYS AND PROOFS

PERKINS BACON & CO

1941

ON WHITE WOVE .00

WATERLOW & SONS

LARGE DIE PROOFS

UNWATERMARKED.

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NEWFOUNDLAND

WATERLOW & SONS

1941 - 1948

WHITE WOVE .003

RECORD SHEET - PLATE #

WATERMARKED



SEE - "THE LAST STAMPS OF NEWFOUNDLAND" - BY JOHN AYSHFORD

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NEWFOUNDLAND

WATERLOW & SONS

1941 - 1948

WHITE WOVE .093

RECORD SHEET - PLATE #

WATERMARKED



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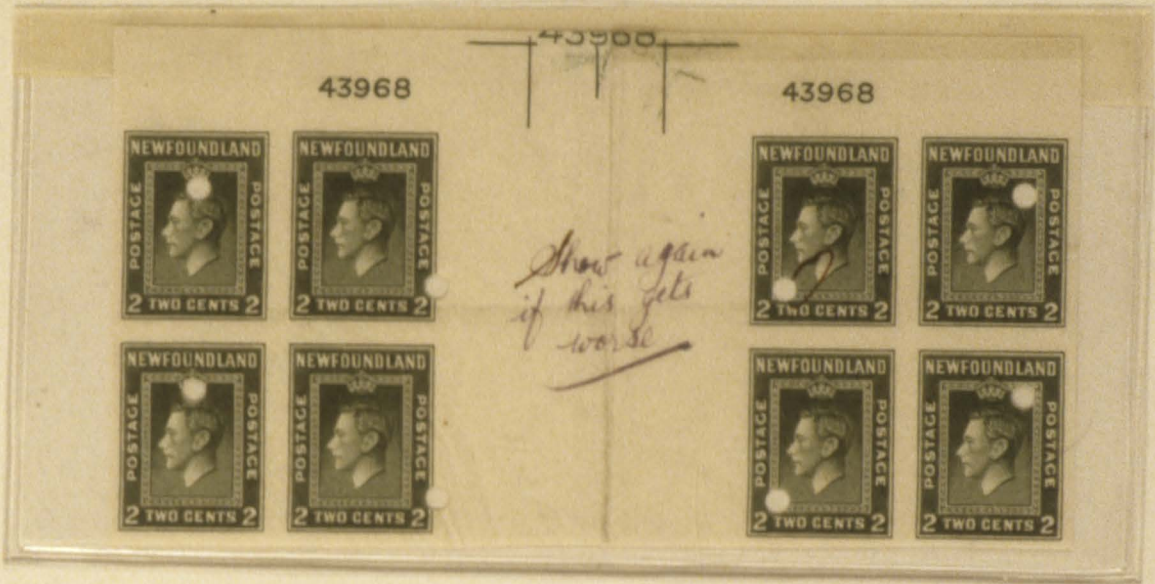
WATERLOW & SONS

1941 - 1948

WHITE WOVE .003

RECORD SHEET - PLATE #

WATERMARKED



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NEWFOUNDLAND

WATERLOW & SONS

1941 - 1948

WHITE WOVE .003

RECORD SHEET - PLATE #

WATERMARKED



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NEWFOUNDLAND

WATERLOW & SONS

1941 - 1948

WHITE WOVE .003

RECORD SHEETS - PLATE #

WATERMARKED



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NEWFOUNDLAND

WATERLOW & SONS

1941 - 1948

WHITE WOVE .003

RECORD SHEET - PLATE #

WATERMARKED



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NEWFOUNDLAND

WATERLOW & SONS

1941 - 1948

WHITE WOVE .003

RECORD SHEET - PLATE #

WATERMARKED



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NEWFOUNDLAND

WATERLOW & SONS

1941 - 1948

WHITE WOVE .003

RECORD SHEET - PLATE #

WATERMARKED



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NEWFOUNDLAND

WATERLOW & SONS

1941 - 1948

WHITE WOVE .003

RECORD SHEET - PLATE #

WATERMARKED



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NEWFOUNDLAND

WATERLOW & SONS

1941 - 1948

WHITE WOVE .003

RECORD SHEET - PLATE #

WATERMARKED



1941

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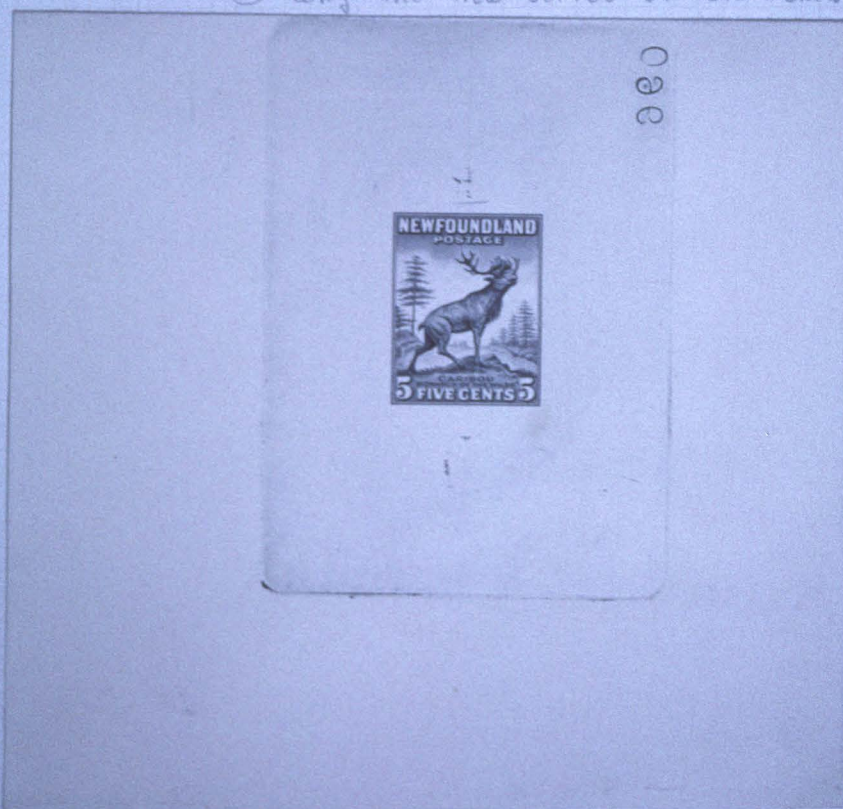
Perkins Bacon & Co.?

LARGE DIE PROOFS

ON WOVE .00375

WHITE UNWATERMARKED

- War Issue Questions —
- ① Why were the 2^d + 3^d dies reingraved
 - ② Why were the 4^d + 7^d dies not in this group?
 - ③ Why the essay of the old 7^d value
 - ④ Why were new secondary dies made for the 1^d + 2^d
 - ⑤ Was Perkins + Bacon the Printer and reingraver
 - ⑥ Why the holes in the dies
 - ⑦ Why the new series of Die Numbers



Die 960 - Second State + added.

Made on doubled over paper.

A new method of constructing printing plates first used on 1937 issue made addition of + marks at each end of stamp necessary.

For some reason all dies except 5^d, 7^d + 14^d now have holes in one end. Only 3 sets of proofs of this issue are presumed to exist. The new Perkins Bacon + Co. was formed in 1936 and named Perkins Bacon Ltd. in 1939.

1941

NEWFOUNDLAND

Perkins Bacon & Co.

LARGE DIE PROOFS

ON WOVE .00375
WHITE UNWATERMARKED



New Die - No Die *

One shading line below 3
No I's between circles
in frame - only shading lines

Stamp 21 x 26 1/2 mm

See # 246

49

As the original die was
made in 1938 it
could have been used
without change. There
were no plate numbers
for this stamp. Probably
the old plates were used
see # 247

10189

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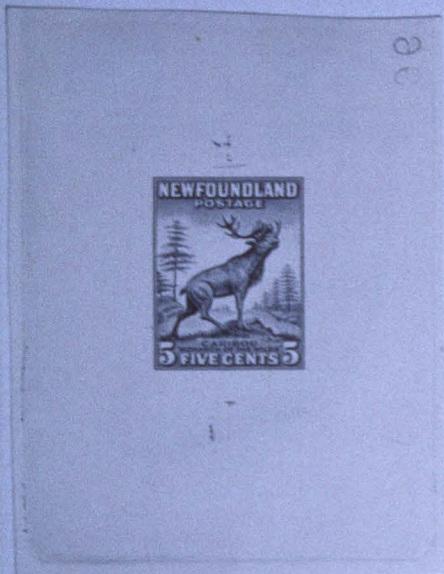
1941

NEWFOUNDLAND

Perkins Bacon & Co.

LARGE DIE PROOFS

ON WOVE .00375
WHITE UNWATERMARKED



old die 960 with + added.

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As the original die was made in 1938 it could have been used without change. There were no plate numbers on the issue stamp. Probably the old plates were used.

See # 248

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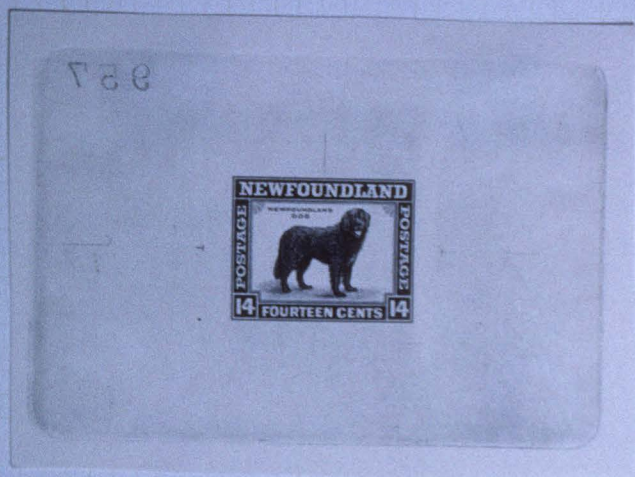
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NEWFOUNDLAND

Perkins Bacon & Co.

LARGE DIE PROOFS

ON WOVE .00375
WHITE UNWATERMARKED



old die 957 with + added.

See #194



old die 958 with + added

See #195

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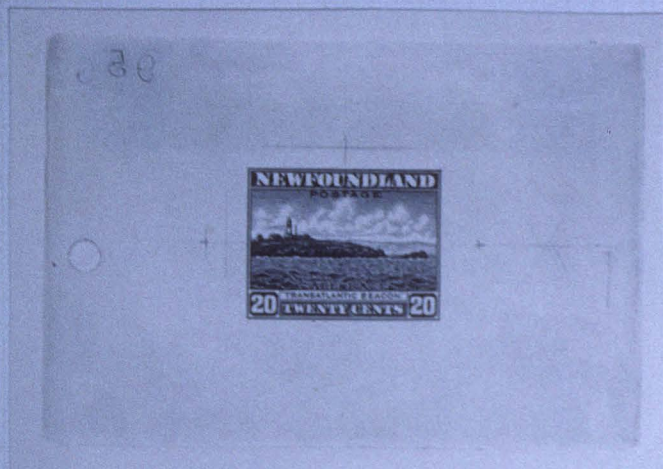
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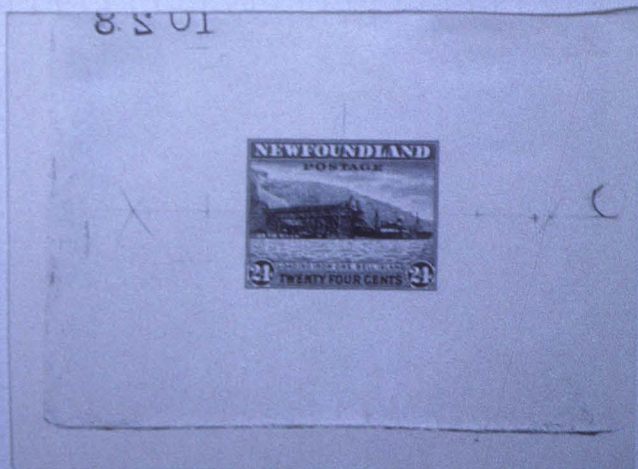
Perkins Bacon & Co.

LARGE DIE PROOFS

ON WOVE .00375
WHITE UNWATERMARKED



old die #956 with + added
See #196



old die #1023 with + added
See #210

17189

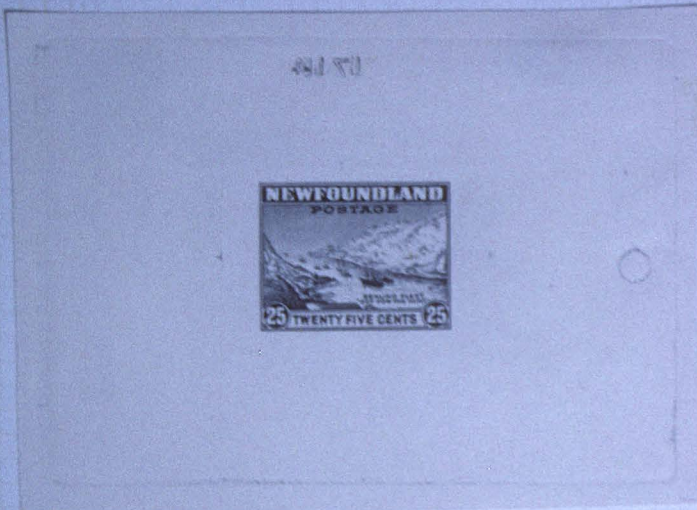
#263-264

1941

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Perkins Bacon & Co.

ON WOVE .00375
WHITE UNWATERMARKED



New die # 17114 - Evidently secondary die made from original roll.



Old die # 1272 with + added.

See # 199

It is strange this die (stamp issued 1938) has die # higher than long yr # 243 also issued in 1937. In the 1941 set stamp from die above was not issued until 1944.

10189

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OFFICE OF THE QUEEN'S PRINTER

ST. JOHN'S, NEWFOUNDLAND

January 13th, 1956

H.M. Lewin, Esq., C.B.E.
Corner Brook.

Dear Mr. Lewin:

I enclose Die proofs of the last issue of Newfoundland Stamps. There were, I believe, only three sets of these proofs printed. Whilst they are not a stamp collectors item they are unique in that no one else has a set.

I visited Buchans on my return trip and was held up there owing to the sudden thaws and only reached home yesterday.

Sincerely yours.

Dave
D.R. Thistle.

NEWFOUNDLAND

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1941

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PERKINS, BACON & CO.

WATERLOW & SONS

ON WHITE WOVE .00375

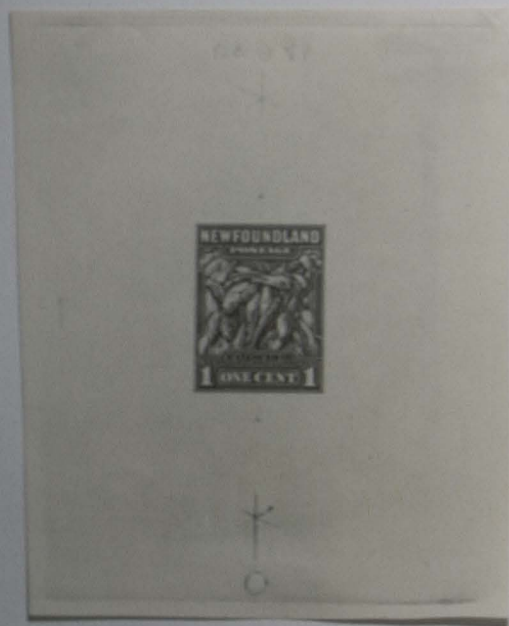
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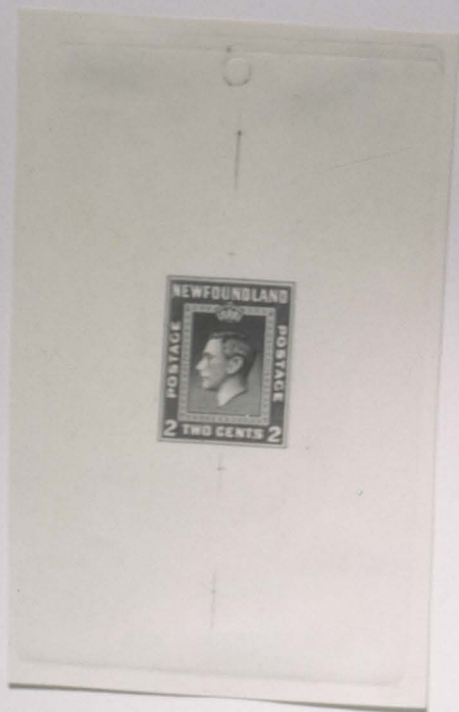
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NEWFOUNDLAND

PERKINS BACON & CO

1941

WHITE WOVE .003

WATERLOW & SONS

WAR ISSUE

WATERMARKED, PERF 12½



AFTER PERKINS BACON WAS BOMBED OUT IN MAY 1941, WATERLOW & SONS TOOK OVER THE PRINTING OF NEWFOUNDLAND STAMPS. THEY USED SOME PLATES FROM P-B MOST OF THE OLD DIES TO MAKE NEW PLATES AND CREATED SOME DIES OF THEIR OWN. THEY CONTINUED TO PRINT MOST OF THE STAMPS OF NEWFOUNDLAND UNTIL CONFEDERATION.

2-2730

NEWFOUNDLAND

PERKINS BACON & CO

1941

WHITE WOVE .003

WATERLOW & SONS

WAR ISSUE

WATERMARKED, PERF 12

PLATE # 41711



PLATE #

THE FIRST PRINTINGS HAD NO PLATE # ON THE SHEET AND CAN ONLY BE IDENTIFIED BY THE \pm MARKING AT THE CENTER OF THE FOUR SIDES.

2-2740

NEWFOUNDLAND

PERKINS BACON & CO

WHITE WOVE .003

1941

WATERLOW & SONS

WATERMARKED, PERF 12½

WAR ISSUE



PLATE # 41418



PLATE # 41420

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NEWFOUNDLAND

PERKINS BACON & CO

1941

WHITE WOVE .003

WATERLOW & SONS

WAR ISSUE

WATERMARKED, PERF 12



PLATE #



2-2760

NEWFOUNDLAND

PERKINS BACON & CO

1941

WHITE WOVE .003

WATERKOW & SONS

WAR ISSUE

WATERMARKED, PERF 12½



PLATE # 41794

THE SECOND STEP IN THE USE OF THE PLATES WAS TO ADD A PLATE # ABOVE THE CENTER OF THE SHEET. THIS IS FOUND IN THE TOP MARGIN ABOVE THE SHORT SIDE

2-2761

NEWFOUNDLAND

WATERLOW & SONS

WHITE WOVE .0035

1944

PERF 12½, WATERMARKED

REGULAR ISSUE



PLATE # 41796



PLATE # 41797



PLATE # 41791



PLATE # 41793

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NEWFOUNDLAND

PERKINS BACON & CO

WHITE WOVE .003

1941

WATERLOW & SONS

WATERMARKED, PERF 12½

WAR ISSUE



PLATE # 41601



PLATE # 41867



PLATE # 41789



PLATE # 41794

2-2760

NEWFOUNDLAND

WATERLOW & SONS

1944

WHITE WOVE .0035

REGULAR ISSUE

PERF 12½, WATER MARK

41793



CONSTANT ERROR - LOOP BELOW LL 48 IN STAMP # 31

THE INITIAL PRINTING HAD THE PLATE # IN THE MARGIN, TOP, SHORT SIDE OF STA

2-2790

NEWFOUNDLAND

PERKINS BACON & CO

1941

WHITE WOVE .003

WATERLOW & SONS

WAR ISSUE

WATERMARKED, PERF 12½



PLATE # 41796



PLATE # 41795



PLATE # 41791



PLATE # 41793

2-2100

NEWFOUNDLAND

PERKINS BACON & CO

1941

WHITE WOVE .003

WATERLOW & SONS

WAR ISSUE

WATERMARKED, PERF 12½



PLATE # 42430



PLATE # 43066

IN 1945 OR 1946 NEW PLATES WERE MADE FOR THE 1¢, 2¢ & 3¢. THE MARK IN THE CENTER OF THE PANES WAS + AND A PLATE NUMBER APPEARED ABOVE. THERE WERE NO NUMBERS IN THE CORNERS AS YET.

2-2810

NEWFOUNDLAND

PERKINS BACON & CO

WHITE WOVE .003

1941

WATERLOW & SONS

WATERMARKED, PERF 12½

WAR ISSUE



PLATE # 43078



PLATE # 43838

2-2820

NEWFOUNDLAND

PERKINS BACON & CO

WHITE WOVE .003

1941

WATERLOW & SONS

WATERMARKED, PERF 12½

WAR ISSUE



DUE TO THE DEMANDS OF PLATE BLOCK COLLECTORS, THE PLATE # WAS ADDED TO THE CORNERS OF THE PLATE IN 1947 OR 1948. ALL VALUES USED WERE SO CHANGED

2-2821

NEWFOUNDLAND

PERKINS BACON & CO

WHITE WOVE .003

1941

WATERLOW & SONS

WATERMARKED, PERF 12½

WAR ISSUE



2-2430

NEWFOUNDLAND

PERKINS BACON & CO

WHITE WOVE .003

1941

WATERLOW & SONS

WATERMARKED, PERF 12½

WAR ISSUE



2-2440

NEWFOUNDLAND

PERKINS BACON & CO

1941

WHITE WOVE .003

WATERLOW & SONS

WAR ISSUE

WATERMARKED, PERF 12



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PERKINS BACON & CO
WATERLOW & SONS

WHITE WOVE .003
WATERMARKED, PERF 12½

NEWFOUNDLAND

1941

WAR ISSUE



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NEWFOUNDLAND

PERKINS BACON & CO

WHITE WOVE .003

1941

WATERKOW & SONS

WATERMARKED, PERF 12½

WAR ISSUE



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NEWFOUNDLAND

PERKINS BACON & CO

1941

WHITE WOVE .003

WATERLOW & SONS

WAR ISSUE

WATERMARKED, PERF 12



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NEWFOUNDLAND

PERKINS BACON & CO

1941

WHITE WOVE .003

WATERLOW & SONS

WAR ISSUE

WATERMARKED, PERF 1



2-2670

NEWFOUNDLAND

PERKINS BACON & CO

1941

WHITE WOVE .003

WATERLOW & SONS

WAR ISSUE

WATERMARKED, PERF 12½



AROUND 1948 NEW PLATES WERE MADE FOR THE 1¢, 2¢, 3¢ & 5¢ VALUES WHICH IN ADDITION TO THE CORNER NUMBERS HAD A NUMBER ABOVE THE GUTTER BETWEEN PLATES OF 100. IF ALL HAD THE SAME NUMBER THERE WERE 9 TO A FULL SHEET OF 200

2-280

NEWFOUNDLAND

PERKINS BACON & CO

WHITE WOVE .003

1941

WATERLOW & SONS

WATERMARKED, PERF 12½

WAR ISSUE



2-2890

NEWFOUNDLAND

PERKINS BACON & CO

WHITE WOVE .003

1941

WATERLOW & SONS

WATERMARKED, PERF 12½

WAR ISSUE



2-2891

NEWFOUNDLAND

PERKINS BACON & CO

WHITE WOVE .003

1941

WATERLOW & SONS

WATERMARKED, PERF 12½

WAR ISSUE



2-2492

NEWFOUNDLAND

PERKINS BACON & CO

WHITE WOVE .003

1941

WATERLOW & SONS

WATERMARKED. PERF 12½

WAR ISSUE



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NEWFOUNDLAND

PERKINS BACON & CO

1941

WHITE WOVE .003

WATERLOW & SONS

WAR ISSUE

WATERMARKED, PERF 12½



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NEWFOUNDLAND

PERKINS BACON & CO

1941

WHITE WOVE .003

WATERLOW & SONS

WAR ISSUE

WATERMARKED, PE



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NEWFOUNDLAND

PERKINS BACON & CO

WHITE WOVE .003

1941

WATERLOW & SONS

WATERMARKED, PERF 12½

WAR ISSUE



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NEWFOUNDLAND

PERKINS BACON & CO

WHITE WOVE .003

1941

WATERLOW & SONS

WATERMARKED, PERF 12½

WAR ISSUE



41793

