

IRISH PERFINS

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| AAO/Co | 2H | 10,10,10/8,6 | 5½ | Anglo American Ql1 Company |
| AA/CoLd | 2H | 10,8/7,11 | 5 | Alliance Assurance Co. Ltd. |
| A/L | | 10/7 | 5 | |
| AC/LD | 2H | 10,8/7,11 | 5 | |
| AGS/&Co | 2H | | | Arthur Guinness Son & Co. Ltd. |
| AN/J/SL | 3H | 10,13/14/10,4 | 4,9,7 | Junior Army & Navy Supply |
| AO/GC | 2H | 9,8/9,7 | 4½ | |
| B/Ld | 2H | 14/7,7 | 5 | |
| B/Ltd | 2H | 11,/7,5,7 | 5 | |
| B&Co/Ld/D | 3H | 13,12,8,6/7,7/11 | 4 | |
| BP/CoLd | 2H | 14,10/8,6,7,7 | 5 | |
| B.T/D | 2H | 13,17/11 | 4 | |
| B/TH | 2H | 15/7,12 | 7 | British Thompson Houston. Dublin. |
| C | H | 9 | 6½ | |
| C&Co/Ld | 2H | 8,13,8,6/7,6 | 5½ | |
| C&Co | 2H | 9/12,8,6 | 6 |) Clery & Co. O'Connell Str., Dublin. |
| | | 8/12,8,6 | 4½ |) |
| C.I. | H | 7,4 | 4½ | |
| CIE | H | 7,4,9 | 4½ |) Coras Impair reann (Irish Railways) |
| C.I.E | H | 7,4,9 | 4 |) |
| C.S.C | H | 8,11,8 | 5½ | Clyde Shipping Company |
| CU/AG | 2H | 7,8/8,9 | 4½ | Commercial Union Assurance Group |
| DG | H | 9,7 | 4½ | Dublin Corporation. |
| D/Ld | 2H | 11/7,7 | 5/4 | |
| D.R/Co | 2H | 10,11/8,6 | 4 | Dunlop Rubber Company |
| Esso | H | 9,9,9,8 | 4½ | Esso Petroleum Company Ltd. |
| F.R.Y | H | 8,12,8 | 4½ | J.S. Fry Chocolate Company. |
| G | H | 15 | 8½ |) Guinness |
| G | H | 19 | 7½ |) |
| GA/Co | 2H | 10,10/8, | 4½ | Guardian Assurance Company |
| G./C.C. | 2H | 10,9,9 | 5½ | |
| G.J.B/Ld | 2H | 10,7,13/7,7 | 5½ | |
| GS/R | 2H | 9,9/10 | 4½ |) Great |
| GSR | H | 9,9,10 | 4½ |) Southern |
| GSR | H | 10,11,12 | 4½ |) Railway |
| GS | H | 9,9 | 4½ | |
| GS/WR | 2H | 14,11/14,12 | 5 | Great Southern & Western Railway |
| GWR | H | 10,14,12 | 4½ | Great Western Railway |
| HD/&S | 2H | 12,11/14,10 | 4½ | |
| IAO/Co | 2H | 9,10,8,6 | 5½/5 | Irish American Oil Company |
| IBP/CoLd | 2H | 5,10,8/7,4,7,6 | 4 | |

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| I/EC | 2H | 5/10,8 | 5½ | Irish Educational Company. Dublin. |
| IHC | H | 5,12,7 | 5 | |
| IL/D | 2H | 6,8/12 ? | 7 ? | |
| IS | H | 4,9 | 4½ | |
| IS/L | 2H | 4,9/7 | 4 | Irish Shell Limited |
| IT/C | 2H | 9,10/10 | 5 | Imperial Tobacco Company |
| J&Co | H | 6,12,8,4 ? | 4½ | Jacob & Company |
| JP/S | 2H | 7,10/11 | 5½ | |
| | | 9,10/9 | 5½ | |
| K | H | 10 | 5½ | |
| LA | H | 7,8 | 5 | London Assurance Company |
| LAF/AYE/TTE | 3H | 7,10,7/10,7,9/7,7,9 | 4 | Lafayette (Photographers) |
| L&EE | H | 7,13,11,11 | 4½ | |
| LL | H | 6,6 | 4½ | |
| LL/D | 2H | 7,7/11 | 5½ | |
| LISS/Co | 2H | 7,5,10,10/8,4 | 5 | Limerick Steamship Co., Ltd. Dublin. |
| LSS/Co | 2H | 7,10,10,10/8,4 | 5 | - ditto - |
| L&L/&G | 2H | 6,12,6/12,9 | 4½ | Liverpool & London Globe Insurance Co |
| MC | | | | Margate Corporation |
| McB/&Co | 2H | 18,7,14?/12,8,8 | 6 | McBirney & Company |
| McK | H | 15,6,10 | 5½ | |
| MG/&S | 2H | 15,10/12,11 | 4 | |
| MH | H | 17,12 | 6½ | (May be HM) |
| MR/Ld | 2H | 11,10/6, | 4 | |
| MR/CoLd | 2H | 15,12/8,6,7,7 | 4 | May Robert s Company Ltd. |
| NS/PCC | | | | National Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children |
| OA/BG | 2H | 8,8/11,9 | 4½ | Ocean Accident & British General |
| OA/GC | 2H | 8,8/9,7 | 4½ | Ocean Insurance Company Accident & Guarantee Corporation |
| P | H | 10 | 9½ | John C. Parkes & Son, Ltd. Dublin |
| PAC | H | 9,10,8 | 4½ | Prudential Assurance Company |
| PB/Ld | 2H | 10,11,/7,6 | 5 | |
| PDM/L | 2H | 8,9,11/6 | 4 | |
| PR | H | | 4½ | |
| P.V./Ld | 2H | 10,9/7,6 | 5½ | |
| RE/WR | 2H | 10,9/12,10 | 4½ | Railway Executive, Western Region, |
| RG | H | 10,9 | 4½ | Royal Globe Insurance Company |
| RI/Co/Id | 3H | 10,4/7,4/6,6 | 4 | Royal Insurance Company Limited |
| SDO | H | 11,12,10 | 4½ | |
| SN/BP | 2H | 9,11/12,9 | 4½ | |
| S.S | H | 10,10 | 4½ | |
| T.B | D | 7,13 | 6 | |
| TH/D | 2H | 7,12/11 | 4 | |
| VOC | H | 7,8,7 | 4½ | |
| W&A/G | 2H | 14,14,11/10 | 5 | W & A Cilbey (Wine Merchant) |
| W.B. | H | 15,13 | 5½ | |

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| WILLS | 2H | 14,5,7,7,10 | 4½ | W.D.& H.O. Wills & Wm Clarke & Son, Dublin, Cork. |
| W/ITC | 2H | 12/4,6,7 | 4½ | |
| WJP | H | 15,7,9 | 5½ | |
| W.J.S | H | 16,7,10 | 4½ | |
| W/T | H | 12,6 | 4½ | |
| W.T./L | 2H | 15,7/8 | 5½ | |
| WEIR | H | 14,9,5,11 | 6 | WEIR (Jewellers) Grafton Str., Dublin |
| DOCK/RELL | 2H | 9,8,7,9/9,9,6,6 | 5½ | W.J. Dockrell & Co. Georges St. Dublin |
| PA/CO | 2H | 27,31/13,18 | 14½,10 | Patriotic Assurance Company. PA is superimposed over CO and each letter pair (PA & CO) uses holes of each other, where they cross over. |
| 3 Castles | 2H | 68/34 | 5½/5 | Dublin Corporation |