

Plewa's Klips

Swan

"SWAN" INTRODUCED TO THE BRITISH PUBLIC IN 1884 BY MABIE, TODD & BARD. (EYE-DROPPER FILLERS)

1908: BRITISH OWNED 1909: MABIE, TODD & CO., LTD. EARLY SWAN "LADIES" FOUNTAIN PEN... ENGRAVED VULCANITE WITH ROLLED GOLD OR STERLING SILVER MOUNTINGS. (EYE-DROPPER).

The SWAN FOUNTAIN PEN

1910: INTRO OF THE SWAN "SELF-FILLING" PEN.

1912: SWAN "SAFETY" PEN.

1913: SMALL LENSES FITTED INTO SIDE OF BARREL... "INK SIGHT" SWAN.

1921: INTRODUCTION OF THE SIDE-LEVER SELF-FILLING SWAN.

1916: LOGO.

1921: LOGO.

1921: "SAFETY TYPE" DROPPER FILLERS ALSO MADE IN 1921.

Mabie, Todd & Co.

17 MADISON LANE NEW YORK

209 S. STATE ST. CHICAGO

6 FEATHERS.

STENOGRAPH NIB.

PENCIL LOGO 1921

2-CAP BANPS.

"Fyne Poynt"

NOTE: UPSIDE-DOWN HEART SHAPE

NOTE: IT WAS THE AIM OF THE INVENTORS TO RIVAL THE FAME OF THE SWAN QUILL FROM WHICH THE BEST PENS WERE MADE.

1924: "CYGNET" AND "LONGSHORT" STYLUS. (STYLOGRAPH PENS).

1928

1924.

SWAN LOGO

1932 CLIP

1936 CLIP

1937

1940

PLAIN CHROME CLIP USED ON "JACKAW" FOUNTAIN PENS.

EMBOSSED "SWAN"

TOP OF CAP OF "LEVERLESS" PEN.

1940

CAP OF SWAN "ETERNAL" PEN

1948 ETERNAL SWAN #46

1952: THE FIRM WAS TAKEN OVER BY BIRO PENS, LTD. AND THE NAME CHANGED TO BIRO SWAN LTD.

1967: NAME CHANGED TO BIRO INC. LTD. NO FOUNTAIN PENS BY MID 70'S

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