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A new year is upon us and perhaps a little reflection upon last year is due.

1. Did I write a short article for the APNA Newsletter? (We are getting low.)

2. Did I introduce anyone to numismatics last year?
These two questions apply to all of us. If our hobby is to move ahead in 1984, it must be promoted. What better way than by doing the above. I trust you will all add two more resolutions to your New Year list.

This bulletin represents the first issue from our new editor Wayne Gillcash. He is looking forward to hearing from ALL of you with constructive criticism and positive comments.

Our spring and fall rallies are both under way by capable hands in Sydney and Fredericton. I hear rumours that Saint John might host a small show before the spring rally, and of course, Newcastle and Charlottetown always have an annual show, so we have four, perhaps five shows in the Maritimes to look forward to this year. More on all the dates and details in the next couple of Newsletters. I also hear rumours that there may be an APNA Medal struck for the Fall Show by the Fredericton Coin Club. very energetic undertaking as well as an expensive one (\$5000. plus) and I do hope all members will support this if it does get off the ground.

As you can see by the sketchy outlines above, the Maritime Provinces are once again going to experience a good year numismatically. I hope to see you all at some of the functions.



#### 1984 AMHERST TRADE DOLLAR

The Amherst Township Historical Society, founders of the Cumberland County Museum, have issued a souvenir trade dollar for 1984 depicting on the obverse the McKay Motor Car, which was built in Amherst from 1912-1914 and on the reverse the Amherst Town Crest.

The promise of a large modern plant and other assistance was successful in interesting Jack and Dan McKay in moving their carriage factory from Kentville to "Busy Amherst"in 1912 where they changed the name to The Nova Scotia Carriage and Motor Car Company. The company remained in production at the huge 340 x 60 foot four-storey building on LaPlanche Street for two years producing 125 cars before closing for lack of working capital. Two models were produced- the 1912 Torpedo Coupe with a 30hp motor and selling for \$1450 and a 1914 Five Passenger Touring with a 40hp motor and price tag of \$2050. Profits from the sale of these trade dollars, which have the 1914 model depicted, will be used in restoration and preservation of the Cumberland County Museum.

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# BY WAYNE GILLCASH

In my first issue as your new editor I would like to wish a happy New Year to everyone. I received a note recently from Wallace Moase of Summerside

wishing success to my editorship. He noted that it was unfortunate that copies of the agenda and the pre-convention frolic information about the Summerside and North Shore trip were not made available to all of the membership in time for them to participate. He assured me that all who attended enjoyed it. He expressed thanks to all who attended the Fall Show and stated that "for a small place it was a determined success". Success to the Spring APNA Rally in Sydney is also extended by Wallie, who, unfortunately, has resigned as PEI Representative. He asks all APNA members to support Douglas Morton as the new PEI Representative.

An article from Yvon Marquis on MULTIDOLLARS has been received and contains much information on these new "banknotes"issued by Multibonus Inc. of Montreal. They are issued in denominations of 1 and 5 Multidollars and are offered to the general public in packs of two notes of each denomination (12 Multidollars) for \$10. Other incentives are included in the pack, for example in September there was a Loto-Quebec Ticket (\$1) a share in a 6/49 lotery, and other 'boni! You may contact Yvon at Box 283, Pointe-au-Pere, Quebec, GOK 1GO for further information.

Jwo issues of merchants'tokens released at the end of November by Boris Haltais of J.A.Moisan Grocery Store, 699 rue St Jean, Quebec, Que.GlR 1P7 are examples of merchant tokens to mark a municipal event. One bears the

portrait of Samuel de Champlain and marks the founding of Quebec City in 1608 (375 Anniversary). The other commemorates the 450th anniversary in 1984 of Jacques Cartier's first voyage to Canada in 1534. The reverse of both tokens features the grocery store and a phrase stating the token is valid for 30¢ in merchandise in the store anytime. N-B-S specimens are available for \$1.50 postpaid to the address above. Jerry Remick, Box 9183, Ste Foy, Quebec, GlV 4Bl sent the above information together with a request that APNA members may wish to cooperate with merchants or municipalities in issuing either a Cartier token or perhaps the 200th anniversary of Loyalist arrival or even the Bicentennial of New Brunswick. Jerry would like to hear about any project and will answer any questions you may have. Copies of the two above mentioned are as follows:





#### TRIVET OR TREASURE?

by J. Maurice G. Cormier

The Saturday morning is typical....somehow after three cups of coffee, my mind slowly grinds into gear and I remember that I promised my wife we would take on the flea market at the Moncton Coliseum. Psychologists would probably have a field day trying to explain what could possibly motivate two full grown adults into believing that in exchange for a bit of their hard earned money, they could somehow walk out of a flea market convinced they have acquired "useful" bits of junk, "priceless" antiques and forgotten "treasures" of bygone days which "would just look beautiful in that corner over there!" but which invariably end up in the basement gathering dust.

After having parked my aging 1969, rust-eaten Chrysler in the most "accident prone", "theft likely" spot possible in the parking lot (so that, pray God, something might happen to it and force me to buy something more in keeping with 20th century technology), we fight our way through the labyrinth of tables which stand as a mute testimony to the fact that one man's trash is another man's treasure.

As usual, there is the odd oasis in the desert...yup! Jim's Coin Shop from Newcastle has a couple of tables about halfway down the first aisle, and I bet this time he has picked up a few interesting ancient coins.

-"Hi Jim! Got any ancients with you?"

A polite smile follows which could only be prompted by deep wonderment about why anyone in his right mind would ever want to collect anything but Canadian decimals or trade dollars, and the gleam in his eyes tells me I'm out of luck so far... As I turn to make my way further down the aisle, an elderly woman who has just bought matching pictures of Queen Victoria and Prince Albert gives me a cursing look because she's convinced I walked on her bunion laden foot. Another woman with a kid in a stroller directly in front of me is trying to make up her mind whether to challenge me to a game of "chicken" for what seems to be the only two square feet no one is standing on in the entire first aisle. Somehow I gain safe ground only to notice my wife is standing there next to me talking to my good friend and fellow "Maritime token and medal" collector, Geoffroi LaCloche.

-"Bonjour, good buddy! Found any numismatic treasures yet?"

The reply sounds jestful, but between the lines I sense he feels threatened by the possibility of a fellow numismatist spotting something before he does...

-"I didn't know they let guys like you into places like this?"

We exchange a few polite pleasantries and convince our wives to say "goodbye" so that we can both tackle the next row of tables.

About halfway down the second aisle, I finally spot clear ground at the end of some guy's table, and succeed in claiming it for myself. A cursory look at his wares convinces me that there must be a law somewhere which prevents junk dealers from calling themselves antique dealers and merchants in "objets d'art". But wait! What's this? There in front of me is a piece of poured bronze about four inches by six inches, containing oriental characters and in which are embedded ten chinese coins.

-"Hey lady! What is this thing?", I asked the dealer's wife.

-"Oh! that? It's a chinese tea pot trivet", she replies.

-"How much?", I asked.

-"For you, fifteen dollars", she says, testing her hunch that "there's one born every minute".

By now, the caffeine in my three morning cups of coffee have brought fresh enzymes to my cerebral machinery, and I recognize it as a mid-eighteen century chinese money tree. V.F. by the most discriminating standards, I recall an Ottawa coin dealer showing me one which he had bought in a recent auction and which he was willing to sell me for \$300. This one was of the type used for offerings to monks in temples, allowing them to keep it as is, or to periodically break off coins from it to use in their day-to-day needs.

Uncontrollably, my left hand makes for the wallet in my hip pocket and I close the deal. She wraps it in a plain brown paper bag, no doubt to make me feel I got a little something extra in the exchange, and I take on the Vimy Ridge of commotion in the aisle to find my wife.

Not ten feet away she is again standing with my friend, Geoffroi LaCloche and his wife, engaged in some deep meaningful conversation about the weather.

-"Hey good buddy, look at what I picked up for fifteen dollars!", wiping the canary feathers from the side of my mouth.

Groans follow.

-"Oh! You picked that up at that table over there, didn't you?", says Mrs. LaCloche.

Further groans follow.

(LaCloche to his wife:) -"You mean you spotted this on some guy's table and didn't tell me?"

-"Yes, you were there with me!". "Remember?"

More groans, this time deeper and with much more feeling. A roll call of several cannonized saints follows, but they are muffled by a kid nearby trying to play TAPS on a plastic bugle which he obviously got a buy on.

Somehow the music is appropriate...like a victorious general carting away the spoils of war, I bid "goodbye" to the LaCloches, and head down the battlefield which is the centre aisle to regain the safety of my car and the cherishment of my prize...

A guy has to be nuts to enjoy this kind of punishment, but then maybe, just maybe, it's all worth it. Today, I really won my épaulettes.



THE MONCTON COIN CLUB MEETS ON THE THIRD TUESDAY OF EACH MONTH (EXCEPT JULY AND AUGUST) AT ST. PATS. CENTRE ON PROVIDENCE STREET AT 7:30PM. ALL ARE WELCOME. WHEN AND WHERE DOES YOUR CLUB MEET? PLEASE TELL ME SO I CAN LIST IT IN THE NEXT NEWSLETTER! AFTER ALL - IT'S NEWS.

THE EDITOR



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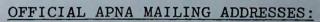
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I trust everyone has circled May 18 and 19 on their 1984 numismatic calendar. That is when we are all meeting in Sydney for our Spring Rally. The Cape Breton Coin Club has just a super time arranged for us. (see detailed information in this newsletter) All that is necessary for a complete success is Y-O-U-R presence.

This being New Brunswick's 200th anniversary, the province has a great deal of money available for worthwhile projects. The clubs in this province might look into the availability of funds for a coin club medal commemorating this event. I believe the Fredericton Club is doing this, and perhaps you should also. If the Fredericton Club is successful in its efforts, an exceptionally fine medal in bronze and silver will be produced. More on this at a later date, in the next newsletter.

Elections will be held in Sydney this year. Geoff. Bell is the Nominating Committee Chairman. If you are asked, please give Geoff. your support. This is your club, and we need your help to run it. I also would like to mention that if you would like to run for any of the offices available, do not hesitate to get in touch with Geoff. and let your desires be known.

Did everyone remember to drop Wayne a short note and tell him what a great job he did on his first bulletin. You didn't! Shame on you, but it's not too late to let him know what you think of his second issue. Looks like Maurice Cormier is again trying to win the A. Mitch MacDonald Literary Award for the best article in the Newsletter.

I am very pleased to report that our Association is running along very smoothly with no major problems. Dues are a little slow in coming in and I ask that at your next club meeting you mention this to your membership. PAY YOUR APNA DUES! We need thame to function well.

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### CALL FOR NOMINATIONS

There will be an election of officers of the A. P. N. A. to be held at the Annual Meeting in May at Sydney, Nova Scotia.

Please send nominations for the following positions to the undersigned by April 15, 1984. All names submitted should have the written permission of the person nominated.

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SYDNEY, NOVA SCOTIA



January 23,1984

Dear Editor:

The Cape Breton Coin Club will host the A.P.N.A. Spring Rally at the Holiday Inn, Kings Rd., Sydney on Saturday May 19, 1984. There will be a get acquainted reception on Friday evening from 7-9 at the Holiday Inn.

Following tradition, a donation auction will be held on Saturday afternoon. Anyone with material to donate for the Auction should contact Harley Isenor at P. O. Box 12, Sydney, NS or call 902-564-5017.

There will be six foot tables available on a first come, first served basis. The price of the bourse tables is \$30.00 each. Please forward reservations as soon as possible to avoid disappointment.

A good turn out of exhibits and competitive displays is expected from the membership. A block of forty rooms has been reserved at the Holiday Inn at a special long weekend rate of \$49.00 (1 night), \$89.00 (2 nights), and \$109.00 (3 nights). Banquet tickets are \$14.00 per person. Ticket reservations are only available until May 17,1984. The guest speaker for the evening is Mr. Alex Stor' who will speak on "Le Chemeau" treasure, and present his underwater film SEAWEED AND GOLD. This should not be missed!

We are personally extending an invitation to each and every one to attend our first A.P.N.A. Rally and help us celebrate our 20th Anniversary.

Yours truly.

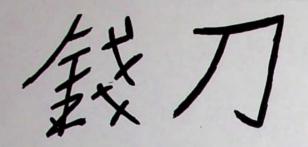
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A complete schedule will be printed in the next Newsletter.

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by: J. Maurice G. Cormier

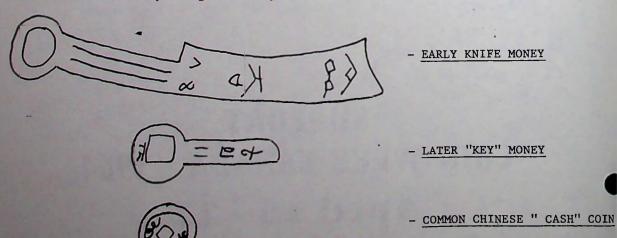
Currency has taken on many shapes and sizes throughout the ages, and has not always had the form of coinage as we know it today. Early peoples, often pressed by the impracticalities of storing and safe-keeping objects of barter in their day-to-day lives, eventually fell upon the advantages of introducing a "medium of exchange" in their trading activities.

In the beginning, simple objects to which people attached a special value such as shells, pressed bricks of tea and even animal tusks and teeth, served this purpose. As commerce expanded, however, trading peoples soon recognized the importance of standardizing and authorizing the objects which they would accept and use as their medium of exchange with others, and began fabricating things which would serve as "currency".

The early Chinese were among the first to develop the idea of currency, and as early as 1954 B.C., the founder of the Hia Dynasty cast metal implements which he successfully used in bartering for the relief of some of his people who had been devastated by the flooding of the Hwang-Ho river. Eventually, smaller but similar bronze implements, such as hoes, spades and sickles, which had been crudely standardized by weight, were to become a widely used currency.

By about the 9th century B.C., small cast knives had found their way into the Chinese currency system, and were especially used by soldiers in tending to their pecuniary needs. It was at this time that distinct emblematic markings appeared on the "knife money" of early China to certify its acceptance as official currency by the ruling authorities.

Scholars disagree on the exact monetary value of knife money, but speculate strongly that this primitive currency evolved into what we now know as Chinese "cash coinage". Because of the impracticality of exchanging currency of such sizeable weight and form, the Chinese eventually cast their knife money without "blades", and finally cast it without "handles", giving currency the form which we readily recognize today as Chinese "cash".





## Saint John, N.B. Trade Dollar



by MICHAEL FRANCIS (3604)

Saint John is Canada's first incorporated city by Royal Charter (1785). The city received its name when Samuel de Champlain on June 24, 1604 arrived on the site on St. John the Baptist Day - hence the name Saint John. The establishment of Fort LaTour at the mouth of the Saint John River here in the early 1630's marks the community as one of the oldest on the continent.

Then came the American Revolution and as a result, a large amount of people who preferred to live under the British Flag. On May 18,1783 3000 United Empire Loyalists landed at, what is now known as Saint John, to literally found a city overnight. Two years later it became a city.

The Loyalist Days Committee since 1978 has been issuing Trade Dollars to help create funds for the Loyalist Days Festival. The first dollar issued in 1978 depicts a male and female settler dressed in 18th century costume on the observe along with the inscription LOYALIST DAYS SOUVENIR TRADE DOLLAR VALUE ONE DOLLAR JUNE 23-SEPT. 8, 1978. The reverse of the dollar and all succeeding trade dollars until 1984 have the following inscription SAINT JOHN NEW BRUNSWICK CANADA and the City's Coat of Arms. The Coat of Arms arrived in Saint John and adorned the combination chapel and council chambers in the infant city. In 1791, they were placed in the newly constructed Trinity Church from which they were rescued during the Great Fire of 1877 to be returned to their place of honour when the new church was built. This Coat of Arms is one of the most interesting historical items in Canada. It was carved around the year 1714 and carried by the British Army in the field and displayed in station.

The 1979 Trade Dollar depicts the Great Ship Marco Polo. Her keel was laid in 1850 in the narrow Marsh Creek. When the vessel was launched into Marsh Creek, her momentum could not be checked and she burrowed deep into the mud on the other side of the creek, where she fell over on her side when the tide dropped. People thought that was the end of her, but after two weeks of digging the ship floated free. The Marco Polo was purchased by an Australian Line in 1852 and sent into trade between Liverpool and Melbourne. In 1861 she collided with an iceburg and was badly damaged. Repaired, she was sold to new owners and remained in the Australian trade until 1883 when she was caught in a gale and went ashore at Cavendish, PEI ending 32 years afloat.

The 1979 trade dollar has the inscription LOYALIST DAYS SOUVENIR TRADE DOLLAR VALUE ONE DOLLAR JUNE 25 - AUG. 10, 1979. The reverse is the same as the 1978 issue.

The 1980 dollar shows the Bandstand in King Square in Uptown Saint John. This Bandstand has played host to many great lands and is still in use today. The olverse inscription reads LOYALSIT DAYS SOUVENIR TRADE DOLLAR VALUE ONE DOLLAR JUNE 1- - AUG. 10, 1980. The reverse is the same as previous issues.

The Loyalist House is depicted on the obverse of the 1981 Dollar. The house, built by David Merrit, was started in 1810 and finished in 1817. It remained in the same family for five generations. The building was acquired by the N.B. Historical Society in 1959 and has been carefully restored.

This trade dollar, like all the others, has different dates of legal tender. The obverse inscription reads LOYALIST DAYS SOUVENIR TRADE DOLLAR VALUE ONE DOLLAR JUNE 22 to SEPT. 4, 1981. The reverse is the same as the other Trade Dollars.

The 1982 Trade Dollar portrays the Old County Court House. Inside this building is a spiral staircase. Engineering genius and structural beauty combine in this unique spiral staircase, constructed around 1830 from 100 tons of free-stone quarried in Scotland. It sweeps gracefully around rising two stories. Each of the forty-nine steps is cut from a solid block of stone and fitted without a central pillar. The inscription on the obverse is as follows: LOYALIST DAYS SOUVENIR TRADE DOLLAR COUNTY COURT HOUSE 1830 VALUE \$1.00 JUNE 1st 70 AUGUST 15th 1982. The reverse is the same as previous issues.

The 1983 Trade Dollar depicts a 1783 Delancey's Brigade Drummer in special commemoration of the 200th anniversary of the Loyalist arrival in Saint John. Delancey's Brigade had three companies formed by a wealthy Loyalist landowner, Oliver Delancey, of Long Island, N.Y. in 1776. The Delancey Brigade was the first regiment commissioned by the British as Royal Provincials serving under their own colonial officers. They fought in every major battle. They supervised and defended the Loyalist evacuation from the 13 colonies. The Brigade soldiers themselves arrived in October with the final boats.

The olvense reads as follows: DELANCEY'S BRIGADE LOYALIST DAYS 1983 VALUE ONE DOLLAR MAY 17 - JULY 31, 1983 with the reverse the same as previous issues.

The 1984 Trade Dollar will feature a Loyalist Sergeant of the New Jersey Volunteers, many of whom took up grants in the Saint John River and Sussex areas. The engraping is to be done from a photograph of a Fred Ross painting as was done for the 1983 Trade Dollar. The reverse will bear the Provincial Bicentennial Symbol, familiar to us all, thus ending the use of the city's coat of arms which first appeared on 1978 and subsequent issues.

The 1978 Trade Dollar was struck by the Sherritt Mint as are all succeeding issues. There were 40,000 struck on 33mm blanks of pure nickel. The 1979, 1980, and 1981 Trade Dollars were struck on 33mm blanks in a quantity of 40,000 as well but the 1981 Dollars were the first struck on Nickel-Bonded-Steel. In 1982 and 1983 30,000 Trade Dollars were minted on 33mm NBS Blanks and in 1984 it is expected that between 30,000 and 40,000 will be struck. For the first time, silver and gold trade dollars will be available for \$30. and \$750. each if ordered before February 15. The mintage will be the number ordered and prepaid by that date.

A price list and ordering information can be obtained by writing LOYALIST DAYS INC., 24 Sydney Street, Saint John, N.B.? E2L 2L3

TRADE DOLLAR UPDATE

AMHERST TRADE DOLLARS 1984 (MACKAY CAR) AS DESCRIBED IN THE LAST ISSUE HAVE ARRIVED EARLY AND ARE NOW AVAILABLE.

IN THIS ISSUE SEE THE FATHERS OF CONFEDERATION SERIES FOR 1984 AS ISSUED BY CHARLOTTETOWN.



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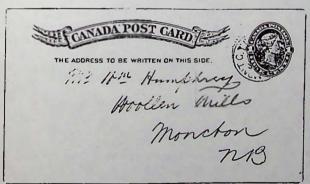
Coin Week Canada is designed to bring our hobby to the public at large. In the past there have been displays in libraries, banks, malls, stores, etc.; interviews on radio and television; articles in weekly and daily newspapers; advertising of a local club meeting or show; issuing of wooden nickels or trade dollars; and, many other ideas limited only by your imagination. Let's bring our hobby to the public. Promote, promote, promote - that is the key word.

Coin clubs are encouraged to make and submit a scrapbook of their Coin Week Canada - 1984 activities. All entries will be recognized by CNA either by a plaque or certificate.

Don't overlook schools. A number have clubs and this might be a good way not only of promoting CWC but also of attracting junior members to our ranks.

Please write and let me know what you or your club is doing this year for Coin Week Canada. Your comments and your suggestions will also be welcomed. I have a few flyers, ribbons and other materials available to assist in your promotion so please ASK.

Wayne Gillcash



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Could you get me a Nova Scotian penny or in fact any N.S. copper coins. I am terribly short of them in my collection would like to fill up the gap, if you pay in coppers it would be a good opportunity. I would like to get hold of any copper tokens that have been issued by any maritime firms - If you can help me in this I will be eternally obliged to you. Remember me to all Moncton. SAM

NOTE: COLLECTORS DON'T CHANGE DO THEY !

The Greater Charlottetown Area Chamber of Commerce will be issuing 2 more in the series of 36 Fathers of Confederation Trade Dollars in 1984. That will bring to 10 the number issued to date. Featured on the 1984 Trade Dollars will be George Coles of Prince Edward Island and Peter Mitchell of New Brunswick.

As in previous years the 33mm Trade Dollars will be minted by the Sherritt Mint in niclel-bonded-steel and a limited supply will also be gold plated, rhodium plated and bronze plated. Some 25 of each will also be minted in .999 pure silver and will be numbered.

Delivery of the new Trade Dollars is expected in early April but a special rate will apply to those ordering before March 31. Postage will be paid on all orders over \$5.00 and 25¢ postage and handling per coin is requested on orders under \$5.00. All prices are for sets of two - mixed-bonded-steel \$2.00; rhodium, gold or bronze plated \$12.00; and, silver \$75.00. Order from: THE GREATER CHARLOTTETOWN AREA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, 115 Queen St., P.O.Box 67, Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island C1A 7K2.

#### MEDALLIC CALLING CARDS BY JEROME REMICK

Thanks to Saskatchewan numismatist Frank Harding's request and to the generosity of Pressed Metal Products in offering to cut a die free of charge showing the CATC logo, medallic calling cards are now available to anybody for any association.

Frank's medallic card will feature the CATC  $1\frac{1}{2}go$  on one side and on the other side his name, address, phone number, CATC membership number and "GOOD FOR A CUP OF COFFEE". Frank will hand them out at the July CNA Convention in Hamilton.

Frank is having 250 struck on 38mm aluminum blanks at a cost of 75¢ each plus 9% tax and shipping charge. (100 aluminum medallions would cost \$1.00 each plus 9% tax.) Die charges for his customized reverse die are \$170.00. His personal reverse die was first used for his 1983 Christmas medallion and costs nothing extra to be used again on his medallic calling card. Medals other than aluminum are available for 38mm calling cards.

Medallic numis'atic calling cards can of course be made using logos of other associations such as CNA, ANA, CAWMC, APNA, TAMS, etc. Pressed Metal Products will also consider issues of personalized medallions for the July CNA Convention bearing the CNA member's logo and a suitable convention inscription on the obverse. For more details contact Alan Trammell, Pressed Metal Products Ltd., 505 Alexander St., Vancouver, B. C. V6A 1C8.

# "Numismatics... A Foundation for Friendship"

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# Club Arws

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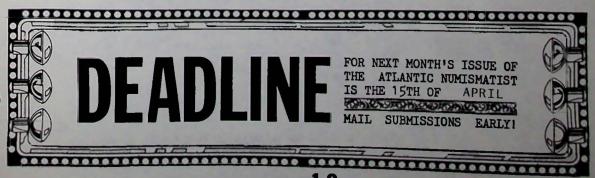
On Wednesday, February 8, 1984, Geoffrey G. Bell, President of the C.N.A. spoke to a group gathered at the Cumberland County Museum in Amherst, Nova Scotia. His topic for the evening was MARITIME TOKENS AND COINS. Some of the items included in his talk were the development of tokens in the Maritimes and the cataloging of these by Breton; the contribution of the Wyon family to the designing of medals; early pattern coins of Nova Scotia; local tokens of the Maritimes; the Presbyterian Communion Tokens; local merchant tokens of Amherst and Cumberland County; and, present day script. Despite a small crowd, the evening was enjoyed by all present and it is hoped it might be possible to have Geoff back at a later date to speak to the group again.

NEWCASTLE The General Meeting of the Miramichi Coin Club was held at the Linden Recreation Centre, Newcastle, NB on 17 January, 1984 at 8:00PM. A donation auction was held, a lively round of bidding went on and was enjoyed by all. Also presented was a slide show from CNA entitled BRITISH COLUMBIA PAPER "ONEY. It was very informative and drew many comments. The meeting adjourned and coffee was served.

MONCTON

The February meeting of the Moncton Coin Club was held on Tuesday, February 21 at 7:30 PM at St. Pat's Center in Moncton. Guest speaker Edith Gillcash presented a slide show on LOVE TOKENS accompanied by an informative talk on the collecting of Love Tokens. Following an auction, members and guests were treated to "token shaped"scotch cakes from the kitchen of Edith Gillcash.

HALIFAX - Pat Vinish gave a talk at the January meeting of the Halifax
Coin Club about suitable containers for coins and paper money.
Jean Snow presented the club with the nicely framed C.N.A.
25th anniversary certificate. New officers for 1984 are:
President - Clarence H. Pelley; Vice-President -Bernard G.
Kline; Secretary - Dorothy Rickard; Treasurer - Doris Young;
Directors - Leger d'Entremont, Peter Bradford, Gregory
Spinelli, Clark Mullock, Pat Vinish, Douglas Ferguson;
Editor - Bernard Kline. Club specialist in ancient coins,
Aza Avramovitch will be conducting a ten week course on "The
History of Coinage"at the Nova Scotia College of Art and Design
on Wednesday evenings from 7:00 to 9:00PM.





# WHAT: WHERE: WHEN We'd like to meet you there!



March 11	Aroostook Stamp Club Coin and Stamp Show 9:00AM to 5:00PM	١
	at Keddy's Motor Inn, Presque Isle, Maine. Further info.	
	from Thom Willard, 44 Franklin Ave., Houlton, ME 04730	

March 20	Moncton Coin	Club meeting at	St. Pat's Center	7:30PM with
	a speaker on	French Coinage.	All are welco'e.	

March 23	Canadian Association of Wooden Money Collectors meets
	at Lakeshore Inn, Toronto, 7:00PM (Don't forget T.I.C.F.
	at above location March 23,24 and 25)

April 14	Prince Edward Island Coin Club Spring Coin, Stamp, Sportscard
	and Military Show at Kirkwood Motel, Charlottetown from 9:00AM to 5:00PM.

April 15-21	COIN WEEK	CANADA - 19	84 What	is your	club doing?
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April 17	Moncton Coin Club meeting at St. Pat's Center 7:30PM with
	a guest speaker on Military Exonumia plus an auction.

Hay 18,19	A.P.N.A. SPRING RALLY 1984	at	Holiday Inn, Sydney, NS
	(See full details elsewhere	in	this bulletin.)

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-	What about the regular meeting dates of other clubs? Last
2	issue I asked for information about the meeting date, time
-	and location of your club's monthly (or other) gathering.
	Many of our members travel and would be pleased to attend
	one of your meetings. How about dropping me a line for the
	next issue - deadline April 15.



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#### BANQUET REGISTRATION

DATE:

Saturday May 19, 1984

PLACE:

Holiday Inn, Kings Rd., Sydney

TIME:

7:00PM

COST:

\$14.00 per person

MENU:

Raisin Bannack

Scotch Broth

Roast Beef - Gaelic sauce/ Baked Potato

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# WORLD COIN WEEK

APRIL 15 - 21, 1984

# The Atlantic Aumismatist

Award Winning Journal of the **Atlantic Provinces Numismatic Association** 

CNA NO 7182 Volume 20, Number 3 ISSN 0708-3181 May/June 1984 ANNOUNCING **Atlantic Provinces** Numismatic Association 19th ANNIVERSARY 1984 SPRING RALLY & **COIN SHOW** HOLIDAY INN King's Road SYDNEY CAPE BREJON --00000--**MAY 19** 

Shortly after you receive this issue of the bulletin, we will all be getting together in Sydney for our semi-annual meeting. PLAN NOW TO ATTEND!! The Sydney Club has put together a fine set of plans, and they need your support to make the show a success. Mark May 18th and 19th on your calendar and I will see you all in Sydney.



Dues are exceptionally slow in coming in this year. Our membership is only about 65% paid up. At the club level, I would appreciate it very much if the presidents would mention this fact at the next club meeting. We need all members support if the APNA is to be a viable operation.

Wayne tells me he can still use some articles to publish in the Bulletin. This being the Atlantic Provinces Numismatic Association, our emphasis is naturally on Atlantic Provinces articles.

All clubs have been contacted regarding the upcoming election of officers for the APNA in Sydney. I do hope that all who are called upon will support the organization. The show season is upon us. I have been very busy going from show to show, and I manage to see some of our members everywhere I go.

No word yet on the medal the Fredericton Club is hoping to promote for our Fall Rally in October, but as soon as I know, I will pass the information along to the membership.





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For more information write: Marvin Kay, 12 Peveril Rd S., Toronto, ONT



# MINTO Trade Dollars



The year 1984 is the Bi-centennial year for the Province of New Brunswick and the 80th anniversary of the incorporation of the Village of Minto. In order to co-memorate these events the Business Association have produced a Souvenir Trade Dollar of Nickel Bonded Steel (Sheritt Mint 33mm) in a quantity of 5000. Those interested in purchasing them may write: MINTO BICENTENNIAL BUSINESS ASSOCIATION. P. 0. Box 400, Minto, New Brunswick, EOA 1JO. Prices including postal charges are:

10 trade dollars for \$12.00

20 trade dollars for \$23.00

30 trade dollars for \$34.00 100 trade dollars for \$110.00

50 trade dollars for \$55.00

All trade dollars should be available by May 15, 1984 and almost 2000 have been sold to date. Sixty silver, two gold and 25 brass were struck and presold. John P. Flynn suggests that you order early!!

ROBERT PURVES MERCHANT TOKEN.

BY DOUG PATRIQUIN APNA 637

The Robert Purves General Store was located just east of the village of Wallace, Cumberland County, Nova Scotia. Purves was a shipbuilder by trade and built his store next to his shippard at Wallace. He also had another store at Tatamagouche, N. S.

In 1854, the RETREIVER, the largest ship ever constructed in Wallace, was built at his shipyard. It was a 990 ton full rigged ship with one deck and three masts. Purves was known to be close with his money. In order to make a profit by selling his shipbuilders all the goods they needed, he had a copper token made in 1855, with his name on it, to pay his men. These tokens were redeemable for merchandise at his store and had the following inscription: Observe: ROBERT PURVES CHEAP FAMILY STORE/ WALLACE

Reverse: ENCOURAGE COUNTRY IMPORTERS

He left Wallace in the early 1860's and moved to Tatamagouche, where he continued to operate his other store and to build many smaller ships. His store was later torn down and the first steam powered engine to saw lumber for ship construction was set up on the site.

When he died in 1872, his widow sold the balance of the remaining tokens, which totalled around 200. Purves was buried at Tatamagouche.

The author wishes to acknowledge the assistance of Mr. Francis Grant of Wallace, N.S. and the Cumberland County Museum, Amherst, N. S. for their help in locating material for this article.

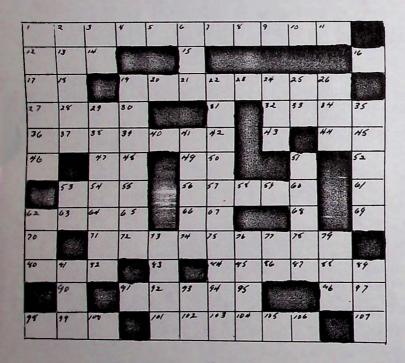
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Try your hand at the following crossword puzzle and win an <u>ancient coin</u> from the "upper drawer" of the J.M.G. Cormier coin cabinet.

First correct puzzle received by the APNA Journal editor will be declared winner. Solution and winner published in next APNA Journal. Judges decision final.



1.	Gol
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DOWN:

1. Gold coin of Florence

84. Restaurants have them

96. New Brunswick (abb.)

98. Desirable coin condition(abb.)

2. \_\_\_\_ d'or

Across Cont'd ...

91. Type of cat

101. Token expert

80. Also

3. Extra terrestrial

6. Faint

19. Forerunner to VISA

22.Precision instrument of measurement

24. Royal Canadian Navy

26.Fini

29.Coins which have been loose their value as collectibles

35. Former German silver coin

41. regnum (vacant throne period)

51.Hill

62. American Numismatic Association

73.Bridge charge

76.Slang for mayonaise

79. Japanese dollar

81.No! (fr.)

89. Group of "hairy coin collectors" (abbreviation)

93. The (fr.)

#### ACROSS

1. F.D.C.

12.Object of auction bid

16. Condition of lowest grade coin

17.0r (fr.)

19. Trade

27. Wealthy

32. Copper coin

36.Persian

44. District Attorney (abb.)

47. Elizabeth Regina

53. Money recipient

56. Jeton

62. Elizabeth's daughter

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9:30AM -OPEN TO PUBLIC

11:00AM -WOODEN MONEY ASSOCIATION MEETS

11:30AM -JUDGING COMPETITIVE DISPLAYS

1:00PM -APNA GENERAL MEETING FOLLOWED

BY DONATION AUCTION

5:30PM -SHOW CLOSES

6:30PM -CASH BAR, DOWNSTAIRS LOBBY

7:30PM -BANQUET -GUEST SPEAKER ALEX STORM (LE CHAMEAU TREASURE)

NOTE:

DEADLINE FOR BANQUET TICKETS IS MAY 17, 1984 (HOTEL RULES) PLEASE USE REGISTRATION FORM IN MARCH/APRIL NEWSLETTER

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#### HARRY BAGLEY'S BICENTENNIAL MEDALLION 1984

Many projects in New Brunswick have sought to be recognized and to recognize the cel ebrations surrounding the 1984 Bicentennial of the province. One such item is the Bicentennial Medallion being marketed by Harry Bagley of Fredericton.

On one side of the medallion is the rendering of the provincial ship shown with waves and the Bicentennial logo beneath and the years 1784 & 1984 on either side. On the "back"of the medallion is the design of a purple violet with both a French and English rendering of the Province's name.

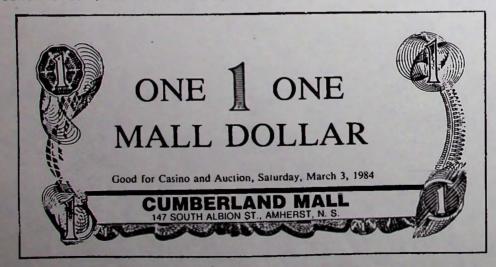
For mintage details, pricing and ordering details APNA Members are urged to contact:

Heritage 200 Inc. P.O.Box 691 Fredericton, N. B.

CUMBERLAND MALL CASINO AND AUCTION DOLLARS

BY DOUG PATRIOUIN

As part of a February promotion, merchants of the Cumberland Mall in Amherst co-operatively sponsored with the local Y.M.C.A. a "MALL DOLLAR". For each five dollars of merchandise bought by a customer he received one mall dollar. On Saturday, March 3 the money could be used to play over 30 games of chance and to bid on an auction which contained over \$1500.00 in merchandise.



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At about the turn of the third century AD, all was not well in the Roman Empire...questions were being raised as to how secure certain borders were, economic affairs were not all that healthy, occasional uprisings had to be quelled, and citizens generally were wondering if the "golden years" of the Empire were not indeed behind them.

Because Roman mints effectively played a dual role at that time, (that of producing money on the one hand, and that of broadcasting certain events and messages for the Emperor by way of the inscriptions on the reverse side of coins on the other) it was believed that the people's morale might be uplifted somewhat if an occasional coin reverse were struck to commemorate what was remembered as the earlier "happier Roman times". With this in mind, coins soon began appearing with a "toast" on the reverse decrying "FEL.TEMP. REPARATIO", which basically translates into "TO THE RESTORATION OF HAPPIER TIMES". Several coin types with this reverse are known, and the one shown below is from a bronze Centenionalis of Constans (AD 337-350) which shows the emperor standing on a galley holding phoenix and labarum in full regal dress. The galley symbolizes the emperor transporting the Empire to new heights, and the phoenix symbolizes the rebirth of the Empire from its ashes.

Interestingly, this kind of thinking on the part of rulers did not end with the fall of the Roman Empire 200 years later. A few weeks ago while "numismating" with a friend, Rev. Lawton Lowe, I picked up an interesting coin (or token) of George III on the reverse of which is the inscription "In Memory Of The Good Old Days". The piece is dated I797 and one can imagine about that time that because of the American Revolution, events such as the Boston Tea Party with cries of "no taxation without representation" and other woes, the monarch may well have wanted to imitate his earlier Roman counterparts.

Anyone care to speculate on the future reverses of Canadian coins?









Cape Breton - The place to be.

Christmas 1983 hearalded a new addition to the realm of Prince Edward Island Numismatics. Charlottetown businessman, Mr. William Griffin, proprietor of the local Sam the Record Man store, had a beautiful personalized Christmas medallion struck by Pressed Metal Products Ltd. to honour the past holiday season.

The silver-plated medallion, featuring a light antiquing, is one and a half inches in diameter or roughly the size of a typical trade dollar. The obverse depicts an angel with the seasonal greeting "Merry Christmas, 1983". The reverse is a personalized die with "William Griffin, Sam the Record Man, Charlottetown. P. E. I."in block letters.

This deeply engraved medallion is one in a series of eight issued by eight different individuals across Canada. Its mintage, however, is the lowest of all; a mere fifty pieces. Undoubtedly, it will become the most desirable member of the series.

The Charlottetown Coin Club was the scene of the 1983 Griffin Christmas Medallion's introduction to the public when, at its recent January meeting, Mr. Griffin, a club member, generously gave each member present one of his Christmas medallions. The members concluded that in both its design and its purpose the 1983 Griffin Christmas Medallion is the most worthwhile addition to the realm of Island numismatics to appear in recent times.

#### TRURO COIN CLUB ANNUAL MEETING

BY EARL BLADES

Local numismatist Don Allen was the special guest speaker at the 16th Annual Meeting of the Truro Coin Club held Thursday evening, February 14 in Room 202 of the Cox Institute at the Nova Scotia Agricultural College, A member of the faculty at the Nova Scotia Teachers'College, Don Allen has been involved in the hobby for over three decades and is one of the leading authorities on numismatics in Canada.

The new President of the Truro Coin Club is Earl Blades of Truro and the Secretary-Treasurer is Elizabeth Andrews also of Truro.

MONCTON COIN CLUB APRIL MEETING

BY WAYNE GILLCASH

A large crowd of Moncton Coin Club members and their guests were treated to an excellent talk on Military Medals by Will Campbell of Sackville, New Brunswick. Will, who is currently the Mayor of Sackville, had with him a vast display of medals and kept those present interested as he detailed not only the history of each medal or type of medal but in addition was able to relate his collecting and trading experiences which was very familiar to those who collect coins or coin related items. A donation auction followed and was ably handled by veteran coin auctioneer Geoff Bell. The next meeting of the Moncton Coin Club will be held at St. Pat's Centre on Tuesday, May 15 when Dave Segee will give a talk on NEW BRUNSWICK COINS AND TOKENS.

PROMOTE YOUR APNA

From the March Newsletter of the Halifax Coin Club comes the news that an application is being prepared to submit to the APNA at Sydney to host the Fall 1985 APNA Rally in Halifax with a possible September date if it can be arranged. The March meeting of the club was held at the Nova Scotia Museum and featured a slide presentation on Canadian Trade Dollars. On Monday, April 16 an exhibition called "Canadian Coinage" was opened at the Public Archives of Nova Scotia, 6016 University Avenue in Halifax. This exhibit also contains items from the Nova Scotia Silver Collection and will be open until September 1984.

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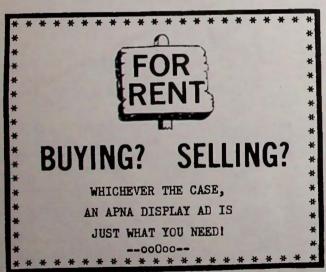
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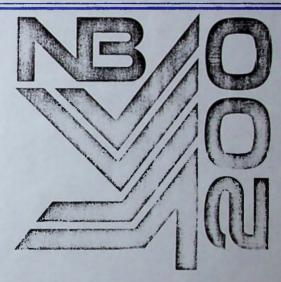












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Is this issue reaching you LATE? When the June 8 deadline for material for this issue passed I had enough to produce a one-page flyer but not enough for a Newsletter. Unfortunately, after that date, school year-end work came first and this issue was set aside until July 1. Please observe the August 10 deadline for the next issue unless you want it to take second place as well.

Our President's message mentions the need for replacing the Editor for a one-year period from June 1985 to June 1986. In the fall of 1983 I accepted the position as interim editor when J. C. Levesque resigned and stated that I would continue to fill that position while your executive and/or nominating committee found someone to fill that position. The Nominating Committee reporting to the Annual Meeting at Sydney did not announce a new Editor so I feel that I have given more than adequate notice (lyr) for them to do so for the 1985 Annual Meeting. In the meantime I will continue to produce, with YOUR support, the best possible Newsletter for APNA.

Thank you, Ian Graham. You are the only APNA member to announce that you read my note on advertising in the last issue. You also provided the only two paid advertisements in this issue. Keep up the good work.

Two Fall Shows for Atlantic Numismatists include the FALL 84 ISLAND COIN AND STAMP SHOW sponsored by the PEI Numismatic Association being held on Saturday, September 29 at the Kinsmen Centre, 250 Queen Street, Charlottetown.(Note the new location) The show will feature coins, stamps, medals, tokens, banknotes, postcards, militaria, as well as hockey and baseball cards. Bourse hours are 9:30 to 5:00. For more information contact - Gordy McCarville, Site 7, Box 27, R.R.# 7, Charlottetown, PEI ClA 7J9. The other show is the APNA BICENTENNIAL RALLY AND CONVENTION at Keddy's Motor Inn, Forest Hill Road, Fredericton on Saturday, October 20. For information and bourse registration write-Fredericton Numismatic Society, P. 0. Box 445, Fredericton, NB E3B 4Z9. Full details will be in the next Newsletter.

THE CURRENCY AND MEDALS OF NEWFOUNDLAND by C .Francis Rowe, et. al. contains the entire numismatic history of Newfoundland in a single volume described as the definitive history of Newfoundland money. The hard cover  $8\frac{1}{2} \times 11$  format is well illustrated and contains much data not previously published. Copies are available for \$26.95 from Geoffrey Bell, 395 Highfield Street, Moncton, NB E1C 5R7.

What did you do for the Bicentennial? What new trade dollar or wood did you help produce for your community this year? What is the story behind the favourite coin in your collection? Tell me your story and I will try to use it in an upcoming issue of THE ATLANTIC NUMISMATIST. Send your material, typed, handwritten or otherwise to - Wayne Gillcash, R. R. # 1, College Bridge, N.B. EOA 1LO.

Wayne



Well, another Spring Rally has come and gone, and the members of the Cape Breton Coin Club are to be congratulated. They put together a first class show, and many old friendships were renewed. The crew from Sydney did a first class job, especially considering this was their first effort. We all look forward to attending another show in Sydney in the future. As you know, elections

were held this year, and a new Vice-President was elected, namely Roger Dixon of Fredericton. I would like to take this time to thank Ian Graham, the out-going Vice-President, for his constant support of the APNA and his help during my term of office. One other very important event that arose as a result of the general meeting, is that our current bulletin editor is going to need a l year leave of absence, from June 1985 to June 1986 (SEE EDITOR'S NOTES) Please keep this in mind, as we will need a replacement for this period. Wayne is taking a year off to further his education.

When this issue of the ATLANTIC NUMISMATIST hits your doorstep, everyone will be getting ready for the big convention of the year, namely the CNA, held this year in Hamilton, Ontario July 19-22. Should be a great time - I hope to see you there. I know for sure that over 20 of our members are going to be there.

Speaking of coin shows, don't forget that our own Fall APNA rally will be held October 19-20 in Fredericton. Halifax is going to host Fall 1985 so what I need now is someone to submit a bid for the Spring 1985.

Tim

THE 1984 WALLACE, NS WOODEN NICKEL

BY DOUG PATRIQUIN

The 1984 Wallace Wooden Nickel is now available from the Loyalist-Wallace BiCentennial Committee. Profits from the sale will aid the BiCentennial Committee in events planned this summer to commemorate the 200th anniversary of the founding of Wallace in 1784 by the United Empire Loyalists. Wallace is known for shipbuilding, fishing, building stone, and as the birthplace of astronomer Simon Newcomb.

The obverse depicts a sailing ship on the open sea, with the inscription Loyalist-Wallace BiCentennial 1784 - 1984, while the reverse bears the inscription Wallace, N.S./ A BiCentennial Wooden Nickel/ Spend It With Us in 1984.

In 1984, 800 wooden nickels were produced and are now available for 25¢ each plus postage. A limited number of the 1983 nickels are still available from the -Loyalist - Wallace BiCentennial Committee

P. O. Box 200 Wallace, N. S. BOK 1YO



# DOLLAR TI-COUSIN

par Yvon Marquis



A Souvenir Dollar has been issued for the fifteenth edition of Le Festival d'Automne de Rimouski (Rimouski Autumn Festival) which will be held from october 1 to 8th, 1984. It is the second consecutive year that a trade dollar is issued for this Festival.

The city of Rimouski, located about 200 miles at the east of Quebec City, on the south shore of the St-Lawrence River was chosen in 1970 to host a group of 150 hunters from France, members of "Operation Faisan" (Pheasant Group). Then, many activities including a pheasant hunting were organized to welcome our french "cousins". "COUSINHOOD" was born. Because the good participation and involvment of local population, it was resolute to organize for the next year a popular feast, le Festival d'Automne, which become an yearly event.

Even the principal attraction still the pheasant hunting, many other activities are organized during the Festival, which attracts every year, many thousands of visitors from the other Quebec areas and from other provinces.

The obverse of the Ti-Cousin Dollar depicts the official logo of the Festival, a pheasant named "Ti-Cousin" shown in the middle of a leaf. The revers design features specifically the 15th, anniversary, encouraging peoples to "Fêter Ti-Cousin". The piece will have a value of 1\$ from october 1 to 8 at participating stores.

Dollars are minted by Sherritt Mint and quantities and prices are as follow:

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With 1984 being New Brunswick's Bicentennial year, community groups throughout the province are celebrating in their own way with the help of special local or provincial funding. School Dist. 15, the English-speaking school district based in Moncton, undertook a most interesting project. The district, consisting of 30 schools and approximately 13,500 students, decided to reopen the Victoria School, a 94 year old three storey brick building, for a two week period in May.

Theme exhibits were constructed in each of the 10 classrooms and concerts were presented during the evening in the filled-to-capacity auditorium. The exhibits included an old fashioned general store, an art room, a Victorian parlor, an old-new business education room, an old-new kitchen, an old-new manual training room, a Victorian classroom, a sports room featuring the old and new, and a display by the provincial teachers' association.

All school children from District 15 were bussed to the nearby Edith Cavell school yard where they boarded a wagon hauled by a team of horses and were taken to the school. While at Victoria School they got an ice-cream cone for 10¢ and each one received a souvenir script especially produced for the event.





It would not be difficult to comprehend why such an idea was conceived with Geoff Bell and Ray Mabee as co-chairmen of the project. The script is on parchment paper, 135mm x 75mm and serial numbered. The obverse features a fine representation of the original Victoria School with the signatures of board chairman Susan Murray and superintendent of schools, Gordon Mawhinney. artwork was done by George Wilkinson, an art teacher at MacNaughton High School in Moncton. The reverse portrays the "Intercolonial No. 46", an engine built at the shops in Moncton.

Ray Mabee also issued a wooden nickle as pictured above. These were given to dignataries and committee members. If any should become available to collectors, it will be announced later in this Newsletter.

Anyone interested in acquiring a specimen of the script should send \$1.00 to Geoffrey Bell, 395 Highfield St, Moncton, NB ElC 5R7.

# C ROSSWORD CONTEST

Try your hand at the following crossword puzzle and win an ancient coin from the "upper drawer" of the J.H.G. Curmier coin cabinet.

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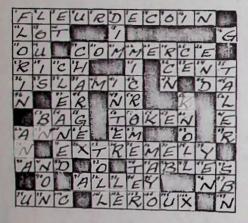
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### Miramichi Coin Club



Hundreds of people attended the coin show sponsored by Miramichi Coin Club at Northumberland Square, Douglastown on Saturday, April 28.

The show was prepared to open at 10:00 a.m. Dealers from Moncton, Fredericton and Newcastle were there to buy, sell or trade numismatic items such such as coins, medals, silver wafers and paper money.

Members spent a lot of time and effort preparing their displays for competition.

A panel of judges deliberated over the examination of the displays and presented the following

awards:
Canadian Decimal series: 1st
award-Roger Robichaud - George
V. nickles; 2nd award-Brenda
Brvan - Royal Visit 1939 dollars.

Canadian Paper Money: 1st award-Brenda Bryan - Canadian asterisk notes; 2nd award-Vincent Mitchell - Curious Bank of Canada notes; 3rd award-Mark McLaughlin - five shilling note and cheques of the Bank of New Brunswick.

Foreign coins: 1st award-Vincent Mitchell - Irish Gun Money; 2nd award-Mark McLaughlin - Col-

ombia leper colony coins.

Canadian Tokens & Medals: 1st award-Brenda Bryan - International Paper Company long service medals; 2nd award-Brenda Bryan-Royal Visit Medals; 3rd award-Nick Haars - Paper script and tokens from Moisan, Quebec.

The awards and trophies will be presented at the next general meeting of Miramichi Coin Club on May 15 at the Gretna Green School,

Library, Douglastown.

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- # 672 ROBERT COFFEY R.R.# 6 FREDERICTON, N. B. E3B 4X7
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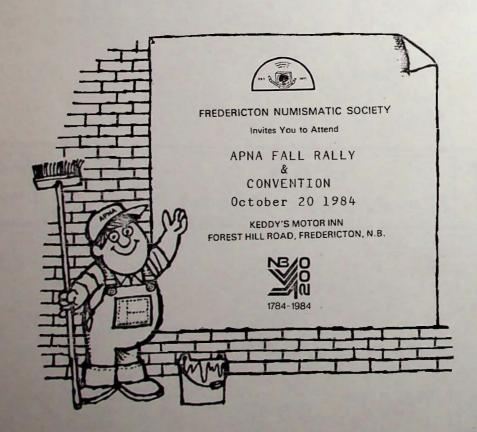
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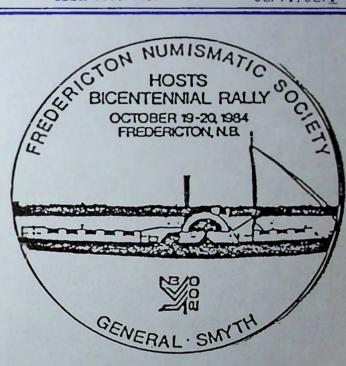












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## Our President Speaks

THIS IS THE LAST ISSUE BEFORE WE ALL GET TOGETHER IN FREDERICTON OCTOBER 19th AND 20th. I DO HOPE YOU HAVE SET ASIDE FRIDAY EVENING AND ALL DAY SATURDAY TO TAKE PART IN OUR SEMI-ANNUAL COIN RALLY. ALL THE PERTINENT INFORMATION CONCERNING THE RALLY IS FOUND ELSE-WHERE IN THIS ISSUE.

AT OUR MEETING IN FREDERICTON, I AM STILL LOOKING FOR A HOST FOR OUR SPRING 1985 RALLY. AS YOU KNOW, WE WILL BE GOING TO HALIFAX IN THE FALL OF 1985.

THE ASSOCIATION SEEMS TO BE RUNNING ALONG QUITE SMOOTHLY. WE GOT QUITE A FEW OF OUR DELINQUENT MEMBERS RENEWED, THANKS TO THE INDIVIDUAL CONTACTS MADE BY ALL THE CLUB REPS. MY THANKS TO ALL WHO DID A FINE JOB.

ON MY WAY TO HAMILTON I HAD THE OPPORTUNITY TO VISIT OUR CURRENCY COLLECTION IN OTTAWA. GRAHAM ESLER, CHIEF CURATOR AND HEAD OF THE CURRENCY MUSEUM, TOOK TIME OUT FROM HIS BUSY SCHEDULE TO PERSONALLY SHOW US MATERIAL NOT ON PUBLIC DISPLAY. HIL KASLOV, ASSISTANT CURATOR, ALSO SHOWED US SOME TRULY UNIQUE THINGS. WHEN IN OTTAWA BE SURE TO TAKE THIS MUSEUM IN - IT IS A NUMISMATISTS DELIGHT. A NEW DISPLAY HAS JUST BEEN OPENED AND CONTAINED IN IT IS A COMPLETE SET OF CANADIAN DECIMALS, A COMPLETE SET OF BRETON TOKENS, SEVERAL THOUSAND MERCHANT TOKENS, AS WELL AS A NICE REPRESENTATION OF WORLD COINAGE. AS A MATTER OF INTEREST, A COPY OF OUR NEWSLETTER WAS LAYING ON HIL'S DESK AND HE ASSURED ME THAT HE DID ENJOY READING

SPEAKING OF OUR NEWSLETTER, WE ONCE AGAIN WON THE BEST REGIONAL NEWSLETTER AWARD FOR 1983. JEAN, WHO WAS EDITOR DURING 1983, IS TO BE CONGRATULATED FOR A JOB WELL DONE. I AM CERTAIN WE WILL DO AS WELL NEXT YEAR UNDER WAYNE'S EDITORSHIP.

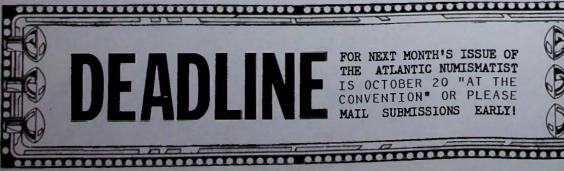
BOTH IAN AND I HAD A FINE TIME AT THE CNA IN HAMILTON, EACH OF US MANAGING TO GET A FEW ITEMS FOR OUR COLLECTIONS. THE AUCTION PRICES SEEMED VERY REASONABLE FROM A BUYERS POINT OF VIEW. AND SOCIAL ACTIVITIES WERE WELL ATTENDED.

IN CLOSING, I HOPE TO SEE YOU ALL IN FREDERICTON IN OCTOBER, DON'T FORGET THE DISPLAYS, AND PLAN NOW TO ATTEND.



TIM

ARE YOU COMING TO FREDERICTON?



FOR NEXT MONTH'S ISSUE OF THE ATLANTIC NUMISMATIST IS OCTOBER 20 "AT THE CONVENTION" OR PLEASE MAIL SUBMISSIONS EARLY!

OFFICIAL MINUTES OF THE GENERAL MEETING

ATLANTIC PROVINCES NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION

Holiday Inn, Sydney, N.S.

May 19, 1984

A general meeting of the Atlantic Provinces Numismatic Association was held on May 19th, 1984, in the Clachan Lounge, Holiday Inn, Sydney, N.S. commencing at 1:00 p.m.

The President, Tim Henderson, presided at the meeting, he welcomed the members to the meeting and established that a quorum existed. He thanked the Cape Breton Coin Club for hosting the convention and for doing a fine job, this being the first time they had hosted the A.P.N.A.

The minutes, having been printed in the 'Atlantic Numismatist' and also circulated at the meeting, it was moved by Geoff Bell, seconded by Roger Dixon, that they be approved as printed. Motion carried.

#### BUSINESS ARISING FROM THE MINUTES AS PRINTED:

Peoples Choice Trophy: Vice President, Ian Graham, reported on the trophy. After discussion, it was referred back to the Executive to set up guidelines as to the use of the trophy at future conventions, and to report at the fall convention on their recommendations.

Reports: The Secretary-Treasurer's report was distributed to members present. There being no errors or omissions, it was moved by Glenn Rodger, seconded by Clarey Pelley, that the report be approved. Motion Carried.

Further to this report, it was suggested that a list of members who have not paid their 1984 dues be sent to the A.P.N.A. representative of each club for action.

Editor and Advertising: Our Editor, Wayne Gillcash, requested more advertising be done through our bulletin and asked for cooperation from the membership.

Next deadline for our bulletin - June 10, 1984.

Wayne advised the meeting that he would be giving up the post within the year and that we should be looking for someone to fill the editor's position.

Junior Director: David White presented his report which included the following suggestions:

- (a) that juniors be recognized as equals with the senior membership;
  - (b) dues for juniors be a lower rate;
- (c) media campaigns be started to encourage juniors to join the hobby;
- (d) a program be set up within the A.P.N.A. to assist juniors in collecting, etc.

President, Tim Henderson, asked for suggestions by the membership on how to implement a program to assist juniors, a lengthy discussion followed. As no real program was forthcoming, this report will be held over until the fall convention for further consideration.

Further to his report, David requested the following changes be made in the Constitution of the Atlantic Provinces Numismatic Association. The changes were presented a Notice of Motions, and will be dealt with at the fall convention.

#### Item 3 - Subsection I - Paragraphs B and C:

(b) Any person of good reputation who is 18 years of age or over, shall be eligible to apply for Regular Senior Membership if the applicant is sponsored by a member of the Association in good standing.

Change: 18 years to read '21 years of age or over'.

(c) Any person of good reputation, who is under 18 years of age, shall be eligible to apply for Regular Junior Membership if the applicant is sponsored by a Senior member of the Association in good standing.

Change: 18 years of age to read '21 years of age'.

#### tem 3 - Subsection V:

Regular Junior Members shall not vote.

Change: Delete entire paragraph.

#### Item 3 - Subsection XI - Paragraph

XI All life membership funds shall be deposited to a separate Income Trust Fund of which only the interest received shall be used to purchase audio-visual presentations for the club programming and/or to help upgrade 'The Atlantic Numismatist'.

Change:

#### Item 4 - Subsection I - Paragraph (e)

'E' - The Junior Director:

Change: Add the following:

- (a) to encourage more young people to become interested in coin collecting, etc.
- (b) to assist in staffing the A.P.M.A. Information Desk at conventions.
- (c) to visit member clubs of the A.P.N.A.
- (d) to set up and control a proposed junior program.
- (e) to encourage research and development among juniors in regard to Atlantic Canada coins, tokens, medals, and paper money.

The amendments are to be discussed at the fall convention on October 20th, 1984.

Fall Convention Report: Roger Dixon, Chairman of Convention Committee, Fredericton Numismatic Society, reported that the committees had been set up for the fall convention and that the convention will be held at Keddy's Motor Inn. Forest Hill Road, Fredericton, N.B. on October 19th and 20th, 1984.

Among the features at the convention will be the display from the New Brunswick Museum, Saint John, N.B. on New Brunswick tokens, decimal coins, New Brunswick stamps, and the Bank of New Brunswick paper notes, which was a Bicentennial Project by Glenn and Mildred Rodger for the N.B. Bicentennial Commission.

Report of the Nominating Chairman, Geoff Bell: The following have agreed to act in the following offices:

President - Tim Henderson Vice President - Roger Dixon Secretary-Treasurer - Glenn Rodger Junior Director - David White

#### A.P.N.A. Directors:

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- James Young
- Vacant
- Earl Blades
- Vacant

Upon presentation of the report, President Tim asked for further nominations from the floor,

Rick MacKinnon nominated Sheldon MacDonald for Vice-President. As there were no further nominations, it was moved by Clark Mullock, seconded by Clarey Pelley, that nominations cease. Motion Carried.

Ballots were prepared. President Tim appointed Geoff Bell and Clark Mullock to act as scrutineers. Final count of the ballots revealed Roger Dixon as receiving the largest number of votes. President Tim declared Roger Dixon as Vice-President.

It was moved by Roger Dixon, seconded by David White, that the report be received and a vote of thanks be extended to Geoff Bell for his efforts. Motion Carried.

#### NEW BUSINESS:

- (a) President IIm appointed Roger Dixon and Michael Flynn to act as auditors of the A.P.N.A. and submit their report to the fall convention.
  - (b) Site for Spring Show 1985 vacant.
- (c) Site for Fall Show 1985 Halifax, Nova Scotia.

# MINUTES OF THE SPRING RALLY (Continued):

(d) As there was no further business, the President called for adjournment, moved by Sheldon MacDonald; seconded by Clarey Pelley, that we adjourn. Motion Carried. Time: 2:00 p.m.

The A.P.N.A. Donation Auction commenced at 2:10 p.m. in the Clachan Lounge; Geoff Bell was the auctioneer. All proceeds of the auction was donated to the A.P.N.A. which amounted to \$127.05. Our appreciation to the members who donated material for the auction.

On Saturday morning at 11:00 a.m., the Atlantic Provinces Wooden Money Association held their meeting in the Clachon Lounge. President, David Taylor presiding. Roger Dixon was acting Secretary in the absence of Cora Taylor.

The President reported we had a bank balance of \$90.08.

In regards to the auction of wooden nickels, it will be held at our fall meeting.

Glenn Rodger has donated a trophy for the A.P.W.A. which will be ready for the fall show, to be presented for the 'best of show' annually.

As there was no further business, the President called for adjournment, moved by Glenn Rodger, seconded by Mark McLaughlin, that we adjourn. Motion carried. Time 11:45 a.m.

On Friday evening, May 18th, 1984, the traditional wine and cheese party was held in Room 333 at the Holiday Inn. Registration took place at this time, also the convention packets were distributed.

M.C. for the banquet - Harley Isenor. The banquet was held in the same room as the bourse had been during the day. Guest speaker for the banquet was Alex Storm, who was introduced by Jean Gillis. Alex spoke on the 'Le Chameau Treasure', his lecture was also complemented by audio-visual aids which was most interesting.

Following the banquet, the Display Awards were presented by lan Graham. Judges for the competitive displays were Tim Henderson, Geoff Bell, and Robert Willy, Editor of C.N.A. Journal. Awards were as follows:

Canadian Decimals First Prize Harley Isenor Canadian Medals First Prize Clarey Pelley World Coins & Paper Money First Prize Vincent Mitchell Canadian Paper Money First Prize Mark McLaughlin Rick MacKinnon Second Prize Miscellaneous First Prize Second Prize Sheldon MacDonald Jean Gillis Best of Show Mark McLaughlin

The above were presented with gold and silver Keeper's Medals.

Non Competitive Displays -- Clarey Pelley Vincent Mitchell

Congratulations to Edna Sheehan who was presented with a 'Certificate of Merit' by the Cape Breton Coin Club for her active participation in the A.P.M.A.



Respectfully Submixted Blonn B. Rodger

Glenn B. Rodger Secretary-Treasurer A.P.N.A.



This second-last issue of 1984 contains the full information on the 1984 Fall Rally and Convention of APNA in Fredericton on October 20. Don't miss the opportunity to take in this gathering of Y-O-U-R organization.

As noted in the last issue, the FALL 1984 ISLAND COIN & STAMP SHOW is scheduled for Saturday, September 29 from 9:30 AM to 5:00PM at the Kinsmen Center, 250 Queen St., Charlottetown. No further details were available when this column was prepared.

Have you answered an advertisement recently? Please do not forget to include a S.A.S.E. if you expect a reply. If you order the 1984 Fall Rally & Convention Medal from the Fredericton Numismatic Society for mail delivery, please include a dollar (\$1.) to help cover the postage and handling.

Have you had any good (or bad) mail order coin purchases or sales recently? Why not tell our members about it. Write your story and it may be suitable for a future issue. Articles and new releases featuring Atlantic Canada Numismatics are urgently requested by the deadline for the next issue - Saturday, Oct. 20 "at the Convention" or by mail Monday, October 22.

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# ATLANTIC FROVINCES MUNISPATIC ASSOCIATION BICENTERNIAL RALLY 1984

MOSTED BY: The Fredericton Numismatic Society

October 19 and 20, 1984

At: Keddy's Motor Inn, Forest Hill Rd. Fredericton, N.B.

Friday October 19: 7:00 - 8:00pm A.P.N.A. Delegate Registration

8:00 - 10:00pm Wine & Cheese Reception. Birch Room

Saturday October 20: 8:00am - 12:00 noon A.F.N.A. Delegate Registration

8:00am - 9:00am Bourse and Display Set Up

9:00am - A.P.N.A. Delegates Admitted to

Bourse Floor

10:00am - Official Opening

11:00am - Wooden Money Association Heets

11:30am - Judging Competitive Displays Begins

2:00pa - A.P.R.A. General Heeting Followed

by Donation Auction

5:00pm - Show Closes

6:30pm - Pre-Banquet Reception, Cash Bar

7:00pc - Banquet - Guest Speaker - Mr. Ted

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Deadline for Banquet Tickets is October 15. Price is 12.95 per person.

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THE FOLLOWING APNA MEMBERS HAD 1983 CHRISTMAS MEDALLIONS ( AN ANGEL WITH STRINGED INSTRUMENT) USING THEIR PERSONALIZED DIE: BILL GRIFFEN, HAROLD DON ALLEN, SERGE HUARD AND JERRY REMICK. I BELIEVE BILL GRIFFEN GAVE ALL MEMBERS OF THE CHARLOTTETOWN NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION A GIFT OF HIS MEDAL AT THEIR CHRISTMAS MEETING. YOU CAN HAVE FUN GIVING YOUR PERSONALIZED CHRISTMAS MEDALS TO FRIENDS, FAMILY AND NUMISMATIC ACQUAINTANCES OR BY EXCHANGING THEM WITH OTHER ISSUERS.

I HOPE THAT THE APNA WILL PERMIT PRESSED METAL PRODUCTS TO CUT THEIR CREST DIE FREE OF CHARGE. THEN APNA MEMBERS CAN ORDER PERSONALIZED ISSUES AND MEDALS CAN BE MADE FOR SPRING AND FALL RALLIES.





DEADLINE for the next issue of THE ATLANTIC NUMISMATIST will be October 20, 1984 at the APNA FALL RALLY in Fredericton.

SEE YOU THERE!!



## Fredericton Numismatic Society

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Convention Hot Line: Ian Graham (506) 454-9568

Dear A.P.N.A. Members:

The Fredericton Numismatic Society is provid to have been chosen the host for the 1984 Fall Convention and Show October 20, 1984, especially as this is New Brunswicks! Bi-Contonnial Year. It has been three and or a last poors since we hast met in Fredericton for an AFFA Rally. Our convention committee is hard at work to prove that this will be the best convention yet. We look forward to meeting all our AFFA members and friends once again.

By now you will have received, or will be receiving shortly our special Fr.-Convention kit. For out of town guests this will contain a map and tourist information about New Brunswick, Canada's Picture Province. For those not familiar with the Motel location, Keddy's Motor Inn is located just off the Trens-Canada Highway by the Princess Margaret Bridge. It is a two minute drive away from Aptown or downtown shopping and attractions. Remember to throw in your bathing suit as Keddy's has an indoor pool and sauna!

Complete displayers information is included with the pre-convention kits.

Floase read this information and note the various cut-off dates. Exhibit categories are: (1) Canadian Décimal (2) Canadian Paper Money (3) Canadian Tokens
(4) Canadian Medals (5) World Coins and Paper Money (6) Miscellaneous
(7) Junior.

A block of rooms has been reserved at Keddy's Motor Inn at the Convention rate of \$35.00 for a double bed; \$39.00 for two double beds- two people in the coom; each additional person is \$5.00. These rooms will be held until 2 weeks prior to the convention which is our cut-off date. After that date we must release the remaining rooms and registrants must pay the going rate and take their chance on rooms.

Our special guest speaker for the banquet will be Mr. Ted Eaton, recently retired Public Relations Officer at Kings Landing Historical Settlement. Mr. Eatons' likeable and humorous disposition and anecdotes will provide for a very enjoyable evening. Banquet tickets for the Roast Beef meal are \$12.95 per person. Please note the absolute deadline of October 15.

We still have some bourse tables available at the low cost of \$30.00 per six foot table. Each additional table is \$20.00 per dealer. For more information contact our bourse chairman at the above address.

As with past conventions we will be having a Donation Auction immediately following the general meeting. Please mail any items you wish to donate to the above address, or deliver to us at the show. One last item is that for the first time in several years we will be striking a Convention MEDAL. Struck in pewter it will sell for \$10.00. Only 100 will be struck. Reserve yours now!

MAKE PLANS NOW TO ATTEND OUR BI-CENTENNIAL CONVENTION. SEE YOU ALL ON OCTOBER 19 and 20 1984!

The Fredericton Numismatic Society is issuing a medal to coincide with the APNA Bicentennial Rally being held October 19-20, 1984. The medal is limited to 100 and is struck in pewter by Aitkens Pewter of Fredericton.

On the obverse is a depiction of the "General Smyth", the first steamboat on the Saint John River. The maiden voyage was on May 20, 1816. She travelled between Fredericton and Saint John until 1824. Her first captain was James Segee, a Loyalist who settled in Fredericton after the American Revolution. This and additional information can be found in The Early Steamboats of the St. John River by Captain Donald F. Taylor, published by the New Brunswick Museum in 1980.

The reverse shows the crest of the Atlantic Provinces Numismatic Assoc. The medal is available for \$10.00 each (payable to Fredericton Numismatic Society) from Michael Flynn, Medal Chairman FNS, P.O.Box 445, Fredericton, New Brunswick. (See cover of this issue for obverse design.)

#### BOOKLET ON QUEBEC TRADE DOLLARS

A REVIEW BY JERRY REMICK

LES DOLLARS DE COMMERCE DU QUEBEC by Andre Fecteau is available at \$3.00 postpaid from Mr. Andre Fecteau, 694 des Melezes, Ste Foy, Quebec GIX 3G7.

This 40 page booklet, written in French, devotes one page to each issue of Quebec's trade dollars. A text covering the issue, mintage, photo, mint, diameter and how to obtain the trade dollar from the issuer if it is still available is given on a separate page for each trade dollar. A four page check list of Quebec's trade dollars with an entry for each metal concludes the booklet. The booklet is produced by photocopy on  $5\frac{1}{2} \times 8\frac{1}{2}$  inch pages and bound with a stiff paper cover.

This booklet, I hope, will serve as an example of what can be done to provide an interesting coverage for the trade dollars of the Atlantic Provinces. I hope some APNA Member will undertake this project while the background data on the various issues of Atlantic Provinces trade dollars is still available. Valuations can, if desired, be given on a supplementary sheet as an insert. Will there be a response?

#### NEW TOKENS ISSUED IN RIMOUSKI

BY YVON MARQUIS

Two new tokens were issued last May in Rimouski (Quebec) to commemorate important anniversaries. The first was issued by Le Club de Numismates du Bas St-Laurent to commemorate its fifth anniversary of founding. The club which was founded in 1979 has 69 members and is very active. One side of the token shows the Club's fifth anniversary logo while the other side bears the Club's name and the dates of its annual Coin Show held on May 5 and 6, 1984. The inscriptions are in blue on a silver colored field.

The second was issued by Yvon Marquis to commemorate his twentieth anniversary as a numismatist. One side shows the C.N.B.S.L. 5th anniversary logo, which was designed by Marquis who founded the club five years ago. The other side bears Marquis' name and inscriptions related to his 20th anniversary. The inscriptions are green on a silver coloured field.

Both tokens, which are 33mm and are made of 'gravoply' (a kind of rigid plastic) were struck by Decalco Inc.. Only 300 of each were issued and they are still available at \$1.85 each from Yvon Marquis, C.P. 283, Pointe-au-Père, Quebec. GOK 1G0.



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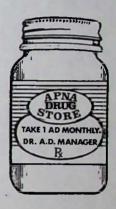
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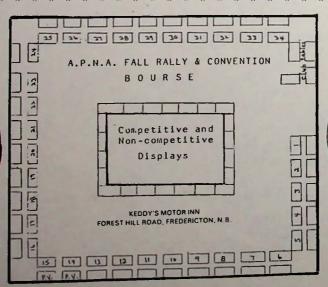
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DEADLINE DEADLINE FOR THE NEXT ISSUE OF ATLANTIC NUMISMATIST - DECEMBER 17 SEND ALL MATERIAL TO WAYNE GILLCASH, EDITOR P L E A S E.

Another APNA Fall Convention and Rally has been completed and from all reports it was successful. A few items were picked up for the Atlantic Numismatist from those attending the show at Fredericton, but for the most part, the contents of this issue were received by mail in advance. Trade dollars for 1985 are in the planning stage and the Amherst Trade Dollar Committee (P.O.Box 686, Amherst, N.S. B4H 4B8) are already accepting orders for the new issue.

It depicts the
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25th anniversary
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the club. Deadline
for next issue-Dec.17.

The Saint John Club reports the loss of two members recently with the deaths of Mr. Kelly and Mr. Clifford. From the Fredericton Club we note the sudden death of Stuart Lowerison recently. All three of these numismatists will be sadly missed by their families and the numismatic community that their hobby made them a part. The 1985 show dates and locations for APNA events have been released with the Spring Rally being held at Keddy's Brunswick Hotel in

Moncton on May 10-12 and the Fall Show being held at Halifax on Sept. 20 and 21. Many more details will follow in upcoming issues. Bourse space at the Moncton Show is already starting to be booked. You can get application forms by writing to P.O.Box 54 Moncton, N.B. E1C 8R9.

#### REGINA SYMPOSIUM - CALL FOR PAPERS

JULY 16, 1985

The Regina Coin Club is organizing a day-long symposium scheduled to take place July 16, 1985, immediately prior to the start of the Canadian Numismatic Association's 1985 Annual Convention in Regina.

Symposium organizers hereby invite numismatists everywhere to prepare papers on any aspect of the numismatics of North America for oral presentation (about 45 minutes per paper) in Regina on July 16, 1985. Subject to the availability of funds, speakers' papers and other written papers on the broad topic specified will be published in a proceedings volume to be printed prior to the conference. Titles and abstracts (maximum 400 words) of papers must be submitted as soon as possible so that selection of suitable material can be made by 31 December.

For the six or seven selected speakers, the Regina Coin Club will pay return air fares from their hometowns and their accomodation expenses (rooms, meals) in Regina for a 48 hour period. The club will also pay the speakers' CNA Registration Fees and will provide each with a ticket to the Convention Banquet. An honorarium of \$100 will also be paid to each speaker to help cover the costs incurred in preparing papers, especially illustrations. Send your abstracts to:

Dr. C. F. Gilboy, Symposium Chairman,
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A great numismatic curiosity came about in the midst of turmoil between Catholics and Protestants in England during the late 1600's.

Protestants of the time, quite dissatisfied with the influence of the Roman Catholic church in England's government affairs, sought to depose the then King James II, a man with all too many catholic leanings as far as many politicians of upper and middle class were concerned, and invited Prince William of Orange and his wife Mary to become joint rulers of England. Forced from his position, James headed for Ireland to seek help in regaining the British throne.

Needing money for his venture, the deposed king arranged for the issue from Ireland of emergency money starting in 1689 which was minted from metal obtained by melting down church bells, pewter and more particularly old cannons. This issue come to be known as "gun-money".

The great curiosity about this gun money is that it is not simply dated by year, but it is also dated by the month of issue. James had promised to redeem the base metal gun money by exchanging it for silver coinage once he had regained his throne, and he had planned to redeem it methodically such that the first coins issued were to be the first redeemed. Thus his gun money was dated both with the year of issue and the month of issue over a period between July 1689 and October 1690.

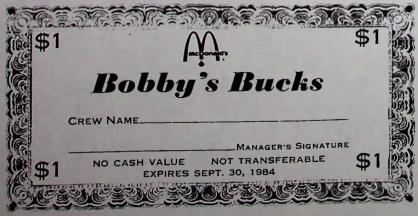
Unfortunately for those to whom it was originally issued, James' forces were defeated at the Battle of the Boyne in 1690 and he neither regained the throne of England nor did he redeem his gun money for the silver pieces promised.

Thanks to Geoff. Bell and Al Penman of Saint John, I picked up a piece of gun money in the Port City recently for \$5.00. It is dated December 1689 and adds nicely to my collection of odd and curious pieces relating to christianity and church history.

BOBBY'S BUCKS

BY MICHAEL FRANCIS

Bobby's Bucks were issued to employees of McDonalds only (Saint John, NB). These notes were issued if a person on crew did a task or for example, completed a close checklist by 12:15 then they would receive two "bucks". These dollars were used to buy a three day trip to Prince Edward Island in August. The top six money holders from both stores in town went on the trip. Anyone wishing to acquire one or two samples is welcome to write to: Michael Francis, P.O.Box 3814 Stn."B", Saint John, N.B. E2M 5C2.



THE WESTMORLAND BANK, BEND OF PETITCODIAC, N.B. (P. E. I. BRANCH)

BY J. RICHARD BECKER, F.C.N.R.S., APNA-LM#7

Recently, while researching early Prince Edward Island newspaper files, I happened across an interesting article that immediately caught my eye. The article, from the September 29th, 1854 edition of the <a href="ISLANDER">ISLANDER</a> states:

THE BANK OF WESTMORLAND, NEW BRUNSWICK (P.E.I. BRANCH OFFICE)

Whilst the Royal Assent is unaccountably delayed on refused to the Bank Act of this Island, our more energetic neighbors have passed an Act, during the late Session, incorporating the above institution; and not only commenced operations there but established an agency here, under the management of Mr. Purdie. We have glanced over the Act of Incorporation, and perceive that the affairs of the bank are subjected once every six months to the strict survillance of the Government. Besides the stock of the Bank - which will always be ample security for the public - each stockholder is privately liable to the extent of his stock for claims on the bank. The notes are redeemable in Gold and silver not only at the place of issue, but at the Bank of New Brunswick in St. John. Under these circumstances, it is almost needless to say that its notes, although new and strange to the public of this Island, are perfectly good. Perhaps we have written more in favor of a local bank, in the path now actually followed, than any other journal; but at the same time, so far from entertaining jealousy of the rivalry of any other Bank, the public should be glad of its establishment, because it would certainly benefit from the competition. The Bank has been fortunate in obtaining so experienced, cautious and "responsible" a person as Mr. Purdie to manage the agency.1

According to this article, it is obvious that almost immediately after the formation of the Westmorland Bank of Bend of Petitcodiac (now Moncton), New Brunswick, in 1854, a branch office was opened up on Prince Edward Island. In subsequent newspaper articles dated between 1854 and 1856 there are additional notations of dividends being paid of 4% twice yearly and the branch office on the Island seemed to be thriving. 2 According to newspaper accounts, the Westmorland banknotes were reported to have circulated extensively in the western county (Prince) of P.E.I.3 The last formal indication of dividends being paid by the Island branch appeared in 1856. 4 At present, it can only be surmised why no further business by the Westmorland Bank was done on P.E.I. after 1856. However, since the Bank of Prince Edward Island was chartered and opened it's doors for business in Charlottetown in 1856, it is possible that with the formation of the first truly Island bank, the Westmorland operation ceased to have a necessary function in the community. Further research may reveal additional data concerning this previously unknown branch operation of a very successful New Brunswick bank.....

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The long-awaited first edition of the <u>Price Guide to Canadian Medals</u> by Paul Nadin-Davis was published in Ottawa, Canada on October 1st. Based on the work of Dr. Jos. LeRoux, the noted Canadian numismatist who authored the standard catalog of Canadian medals around the turn of the century, the book is the first comprehensive attempt at a price guide for this extensive series.

Dr LeRoux's basic work, "The Canadian Coin Cabinet", has been the standard reference on Canadian medals ever since publication in the 1890s. It encompasses every type of medal issued in Canada from early Indian Chief medals to the prolific commemorative issues of the late 1800s. A supplement was issued a few years later containing many new issues, which unfortunately were only listed with brief descriptions.

The LeRoux work was reprinted in Winnipeg in 1964, and again in Ottawa by Nadin-Davis Numismatics/Douglas Robins in 1983. The reprint was a huge success, with many hundreds of copies selling immediately. The need remained for a price guide.

In addition, the original work says nothing of metals in which the various medals were issued.

Dr. Nadin-Davis's new edition contains detailed listings of metals in which the various medals are known to exist, along with pricing for the most common grade in which each medal is found. Extensive additional notes detail varieties, mulings, etc., based on a survey of several major collections of Canadian medals.

Of necessity there are several blanks in the new work, as examples of some medals were simply not located or there were no reported sales available to assist in pricing. Blanks have been left in the appropriate places for users to add new information as it becomes available.

The new price guide will be extremely useful as a checklist, for it contains integrated listings of all medals in LeRoux's original work and medals in the supplement.

Copies of the Canadian Medal Price Guide are available at \$10 postpaid from Nadin-Davis Numismatics, PO Box 95, Station A, Ottawa, Ont. The basic LeRoux volume (1983 reprint) which is required for use in conjunction with the price guide, is also still available in limited quantity at \$15.00, also postpaid.

The long drive to Hamilton was well worthwhile, despite one wrong turn, Toronto rush hour and some construction detours. The first full day, July 18 was taken up with business at the CNA Executive Meeting, after which, I renewed many friendships in the hotel lobby. In the evening, I found an excellent small European restaurant, which I later visited.

The second day began with a breakfast meeting of the Canadian Numismatic Research Society, where we discussed the need for more research articles and then a bus tour of Hamilton and the beautiful botanical gardens. In the afternoon, the meeting of the Canadian Association of Token Collectors took place. I chaired the meeting with Ken Palmer. After the business session, a donation auction was held with the proceeds of \$139.75 going to the association. John Regitko presented CATC with a donation of \$100.

During the early evening, the Royal Canadian Mint sponsored a reception where I met some government officials and many friends. Afterwards, we all went to a local Chinese restaurant, where I dined with good friends, good food, and bad jokes. The evening finally ended in the hotel where we discussed numismatics until midnight.

Friday morning was the first time I could manage to visit the bourse and then I quickly departed for the Canadian Paper Money Society luncheon and meeting. Shortly afterwards, I attended the general meeting of CNA and then I returned with friends to the excellent European restaurant where we wined and dined. Unfortunately, I orederd wine, not realizing that the Andres Wine Tour was naxt. We all ran back to the hotel just in time to grab the tour bus. Our driver detoured slightly, to give us a view of the industrial complex along Hamilton's harbour. It was enormous and impressive. The bus trip was all too short, but I did notice the vast Niagara escarpment that winds south of Lake Ontario to form the fruit belt. At the winery we were given a guided tour from grape collection to bottling and distribution. But the best was to come! We ended the tour at their reception lounge where we were able to taste over one dozen wines. Most were available at their retail shop at favourable prices. Somehow, we all made it back to the bus and then to the hotel. Another evening ended with some good friends and good wine.

Saturday started with the club delegate breakfast and meeting which was well attended. Immediately following was the educational forum with three separate speakers. It was unfortunate that so few people realize the pleasure and knowledge available at these forums. Afterwards, the convention awards were presented. I am embarrassed to admit, that I could not find time to see the exhibits. This was the first time ever because of my full schediule. I attended almost every meeting and function, sometimes without a break. The highlight of the convention was the closing banquet. The guest speaker was James C. Corkery of the Royal Canadian Mint. His interesting talk was about the competition for the 1984 dollar commemoratives with a slide presentation. He also discussed some common interests of the RCM and collectors. The host chairman of the banquet was John Regitko, who entertained the audience with some good and some bad jokes. After the banquet, I joined the gang from C.A.O.T.C. for more talk and a tour of downtown Hamilton followed by pizza at midnite.

The last day began with another breakfast meeting with the Canadian Assoc. of Wooden Money Collectors. It involves my "no cost" numismatic collection. This is the fun part of my hobby, because I do not buy wooden nicklels. I receive them free at this meeting and exchange them with other collectors. Normally, I obtain about two dozen at this meeting. Who says collecting numismatic material is costly? This particular area proves that it's free and fun. I left Hamilton with joy, satisfaction and fond memories.

The Canadian Numismatic Association's 1985 Annual Convention is to be held in Regina, Saskatchewan, July 17 to 21. This city has a population of 170,000 and is situated in the heart of North America. It is thus equally accessible from the continent's east and west coasts, as well as from the deep south and the far north. Reginans, who are drawn from many different ethnic groups, pride themselves on their friendliness.

The Regina Coin Club plans to have a 50-table bourse. Twenty-seven tables have already been reserved, so other dealers who wish to participate in what promises to be well attended, outstanding numismatic convention are urged to write to the Regina Coin Club (P. O. Box 174, Regina, Sask. S4P 2Z6) for bourse table application forms. Collectors are respectfully asked to watch the numismatic press for details concerning registration. In addition to the bourse, there will be an excellent range of educational talks (including a one-day symposium devoted to ASPECTS OF THE NUMISMATICS OF NORTH AMERICA), some superb displays -- both competitive and noncompetitive -- an important auction, an enjoyable variety of social events and a comfortable, well-appointed venue ...the Regina Inn...which boasts a beautiful indoor pool on the convention level and attached multistorey parking. PLAN NOW TO BE A PART OF A TRULY GREAT CONVENTION!

#### DELEGATES BREAKFAST AND MEETING, JULY 21, 1984 BY BARRY UMAN

Tim Henderson, chairman, welcomed President Geoffrey G. Bell who in turn welcomed the delegates and told them that over 100 CNA Clubs are in need of suggestions. Yvon Marquis has translated 10 slide sets for CNA. John Regitko questioned the purpose of the scrapbook contest as only 7 were returned. Earl Salterio suggested that the delegates report this to the club membership. Chris Gilboy suggested more awards be given to the club There will be one additional award, i.e. best club editor. Scoop Lewry discussed the scrapbook history and use while others followed. Norm Williamson talked about the CNA and club delegates. Scoop Lewry donated a \$200 trophy to CNA for any use deemed worthwhile. Other topics were discussed, including slides, obtaining and retaining juniors, and other activities for juniors. Norm Williamson presented \$200 from the Vancouver Numismatic Society to the CNA. He asked that all clubs do the same. Regina Coin Club will donate a medallion to the donation auction.

Garry Braunwarth discuszed "Coin Week Canada 1984". All funding was by donations. He awarded first prize for the best scrapbook to Calgary Numismatic Society; second prize to the Regina Coin Club and third prize to the Markham Village Coin Club. Appreciation certificates were awarded to Montreal Numismatic Society, Edmonton Coin Club, Lake Superior Coin Club and Summerside Coin Club. He also awarded plaques to his committee members: Earl Salterio, Al Bliman, Wayne Gillcash, Gary Litrell, Les Copan, H. D. Allen and George Fraser. Garry Braunwarth will continue as chairman for Coin Week 1985. The theme will be "Numismatics open the door with books." from April 21-28. Chris Gilboy discussed the 1985 CNA Convention and reported that there will be a 20% discount on any flight to Regina by Air Canada. Air Canada will offer one free trip for every 50 flights and this will be offered in a future drawing.

F L A S H! Howard Dyer of Moncton will become the new Editor of THE PARTY LINE, official publication of the Canadian Cents Club(CCC). Congratulations from APNA.



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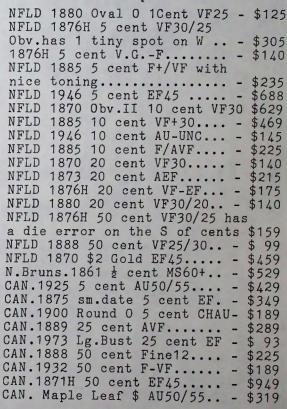
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