

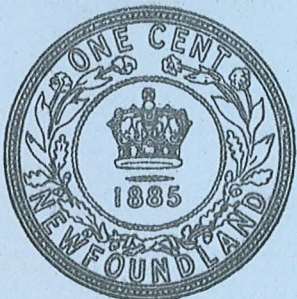
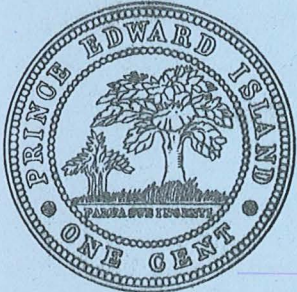
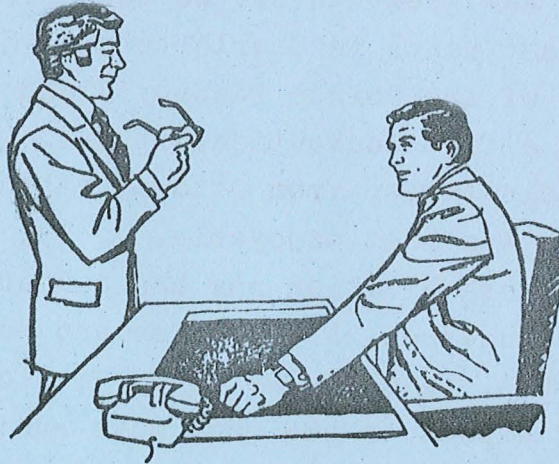
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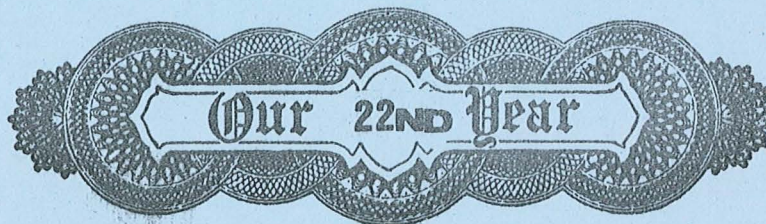
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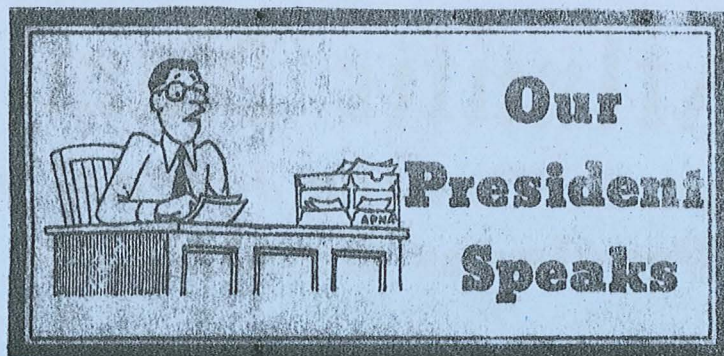
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It was great to see so many A.P.N.A. delegates at the recent Rally last month in Charlottetown. My thanks to the Committee and members of the Prince Edward Island Numismatic Association for hosting a fine convention. It was nice to see A.P.N.A. life member Paul Nadin-Davis, from Ottawa, attend and be our banquet speaker. His talk was most enjoyable.

Our organization now has a Head Display Judge in the person of Tim Henderson. A very wise and popular choice on behalf of the membership. Thanks also go to Tim for staging a super exhibit seminar. I expect to see many more quality displays at our next gathering on the Miramichi!

In other business, the Halifax Coin Club Literary Award will be activated again and presented to the A.P.N.A. member who pens the best article on an Atlantic theme appearing in "The Atlantic Numismatist". We hope to see many more articles appearing in our newsletter--so get to work on it now and forward your copy to our Editor. He certainly can use more articles.

A new catalogue entitled "Wooden Money of the Atlantic Provinces" has recently hit the stands. The book is co-authored by two Frederictonians, Dave Taylor and Glenn Rodger. It's great to see a numismatic publication originate from Atlantic Canada. This resource book would make a fine addition to your library.

Incidentally Glenn Rodger was the recipient of the "Outstanding A.P.N.A. Member of the Year" Award at our recent Rally. Congratulations Glenn!

On behalf of myself and the A.P.N.A. Executive have a Happy Holiday Season.

Ian Graham,
President.

ATLANTIC PROVINCES NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION
HOLDS FALL SHOW, MEETING IN CHARLOTTETOWN

The Prince Edward Island Numismatic Association recently hosted the Atlantic Provinces Numismatic Association's Fall Rally in Charlottetown. The location for the two-day event was the historic Charlottetown Hotel in the heart of the city. It was well attended by a great many A.P.N.A. members from throughout the Atlantic provinces, other parts of Canada and the New England states.

The weekend of fun began with a wine and cheese social on Friday night courtesy of the P.E.I.N.A. This enjoyable function was very well attended by the members, dealers and their guests. Many friendships were renewed and many stories exchanged at this pleasant gathering.

Early Saturday morning the various dealers set up their tables in the bourse room and at ten o'clock the show was officially opened by the Hon. Lloyd MacPhail, Lieutenant-Governor of the Province of Prince Edward Island. Assisting the Governor with the ribbon cutting ceremony were Ian Graham, President of the A.P.N.A., and Ralph Dickieson, Chairman of the Host Committee and President of the P.E.I.N.A.

Later that morning the members of the Atlantic Provinces Wooden Money Association held their bi-annual meeting. A very enthusiastic group of wooden money collectors attended and several new woods were issued at the meeting.

Also, several A.P.N.A. members entered competitive displays in the various display categories. These displays were then judged by a panel of judges under the direction of the A.P.N.A.'s newly appointed Head Judge, Tim Henderson, of Florenceville, N.B. The other judges were Bernie Kline and Sheldon MacDonald both of Halifax, N.S. The display awards were presented at the banquet later that night. The following is a list of the award winners:
Canadian Decimal Coinage: 1. Roger Robichaud, Miramichi Coin Club; 2. Julie Robichaud, Miramichi Coin Club; Ken Townshend, Maine.
Canadian Paper Currency: 1. Mark McLaughlin, Miramichi Coin Club; 2. Richard Becker, Boston, Mass.; 3. Ralph Dickieson, P.E.I.N.A.
Canadian Medals: 1. Glenn Rodger, Fredericton Coin Club.
Miscellaneous: 1. Vince Mitchell, Miramichi Coin Club; 2. Clair Perry, P.E.I.N.A.; 3. Ken Townshend, Maine.
The coveted Best in Show Award was won by Glenn Rodger, of Fredericton, for his display of the Dartmouth, N.S. YMCA-YWCA medals.

On Saturday afternoon Ian Graham presided over a short A.P.N.A. business meeting which was followed immediately by a very interesting and informative seminar on the topic of competitive displays. The seminar was very capably presented by Tim Henderson. Tim has enjoyed great success in the field of competitive displays at all levels and seemed to relish the opportunity to pass on some of his knowledge to the many members in attendance.

Saturday evening, following a short reception, the delegates sat down to a delicious banquet in the elaborate Georgian Room. Following the meal Ralph Dickieson introduced the guest speaker for the evening, Mr. Paul Nadin-Davis, international coin dealer. Mr. Nadin-Davis enthralled his audience with his talk on Island Numismatics. He compared the early coins of P.E.I. to those of other islands around the world pointing out their common themes: agriculture, fishing, shipping and a call for self-government. He cited such Island nations and colonies as Bermuda, New Zealand and the Bahamas as having these same themes in their coinage. He also suggested that all numismatists should seek out a common theme for their collections, such as a single country, a head of state or monarch, or a series of a certain issue of currency. Mr. Nadin-Davis feels that by finding a specialty a collector can establish more meaningful relationships with other collectors who share their particular interest.

Following Mr. Nadin-Davis's speech and the presentation of display awards Mr. Geoff Bell, of Moncton, made a special presentation to Glenn Rodger, of Fredericton, N.B. Mr. Rodger was named as the Atlantic Numismatist of the year and presented with his Award by Mr. Bell. This was a very popular choice in recognition of Glenn's success in issuing a catalogue of the wooden money of the Atlantic Provinces.

The evening's activities then concluded with a very successful Donation Auction.

Sunday morning found many of the delegates in attendance at an A.P.N.A. breakfast which was enjoyed by one and all. The bourse operated most of the day and friends said goodbye until they meet again next May in Newcastle, New Brunswick. Our host on that occasion will be the Miramichi Coin Club.

by Brian L. MacKenzie

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ATLANTIC PROVINCES NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION

Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island

October 4, 1986

A general meeting of the Atlantic Provinces Numismatic Association was held on October 4, 1986 at the Charlottetown Hotel starting at 2:00 PM with President Ian Graham in the chair.

It was moved by Rick MacKinnon and seconded by Tim Henderson that the minutes of the April 26, 1986 meeting be approved as printed in the "Atlantic Numismatist". Motion Carried.

It was moved by Wayne Gillcash and seconded by Clark Mullock that the treasurer's report be approved as circulated. Carried. It was reported that the Life Membership account would be changed upon expiration of term deposit in December.

Brian MacKenzie, editor of "Atlantic Numismatist" reported that the latest issue had been distributed and that he would like to ask all members who promised articles during the past year to submit them as soon as possible. Tim Henderson expressed thanks to Brian for a job well done. It was expressed that early payment of 1987 dues would aid in the preparation of an accurate mailing list.

New Business

- a) Appointment of Head Judge. It was moved by Rick MacKinnon and seconded by Bernie Kline that Tim Henderson be appointed Head Judge of APNA. Carried
- b) A seminar on displaying will be given by Tim Henderson following the business meeting.
- c) The position of Junior Director was discussed by President Ian who stated there was nothing to report.
- d) President Ian Graham announced that the APNA was now accepting bids to host the 1987 Fall Show and the 1988 Spring Show.
- e) It was announced that the APNA would be presenting the A. Mitchell MacDonald Award for the contributor of the best article in "Atlantic Numismatist" in 1987.

Announcements.

Moncton Coin Club "25th Anniversary Show" Nov.1,2 1986
Spring 1987 APNA tentative dates May 8-9, Northumberland-Mall

Moved by Wally Moase and seconded by Ralph Dickieson that meeting be adjourned. Carried Time 2:25 PM.



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FINANCIAL STATEMENT

March 31, 1986 -- September 30, 1986

Balance to March 31, 1986.....		\$1879.52	
Receipts			
Dues.....	\$ 32.00		
Cape Breton Coin Club.....	100.00		
Payment for medals.....	59.50		
Advertising (Newsletter)...	39.00		
Interest on Savings*.....	32.26		
		\$262.76	\$ 262.76
			2142.28
Disbursements			
Cheques for new account...\$	25.84		
Advance to Editor.....	250.00		
Bank Charges.....	0.70		
		\$276.54	276.54
			\$1865.74
True Balances			
Savings Account.....\$	779.98		
Current Account.....	1085.76		
		\$1865.74	\$1865.74

* No account transfers from previous Sec/Treas were completed until 17/07/86 at which time an undocumented single bank draft was received. Difference between March 31, 1986 balance and draft was assumed to be interest on savings.

PIECES OF EIGHT by Sheldon MacDonald

The signing of the Treaty of Aix-La-Chappelle in 1748 ended the years of conflict between England and France. The Treaty also returned the Island of Cape Breton (Isle Royale), and more specifically, the Fortress Louisbourg, to the French. This created a situation which was most unfavorable with the English. Consequently, the London Government decided to take action to counteract the French presence at Louisbourg and to confirm their ownership of Nova Scotia, by establishing a new settlement. Edward Cornwallis was selected to govern the new colony. In 1749 Cornwallis and about three thousand settlers were sent out at the expense of the British Government. The site selected was Chebucto Harbour, which Cornwallis renamed Halifax.

As the new settlement grew and prospered so did the need for a "hard" circulating currency. Although local transactions were mostly carried out with a system of barter and promissory notes, Halifax was fast becoming an important trading port between Europe and the West Indies, therefore, Halifax's commerce demanded a universal medium of exchange. This problem soon came to the attention of Governor Cornwallis.

The importance of this problem is reflected in the business transaction carried out between Governor Cornwallis and one Captain Bunker, a local merchant. Captain Bunker sold 2,540 Spanish Silver Dollars, or Pieces of Eight, to the Governor for a price of five shillings per dollar. Since the fixed rate was four shillings and six pence per dollar Bunker earned a premium of four pence per dollar. Both the seller and the buyer were satisfied with their business deal, as Captain Bunker was paid with a Draft on the British Government in pounds sterling, and Governor Cornwallis received a temporary solution to a big problem.

Editor's Note: The above is reprinted from the April, 1986 issue of the HALIFAX COIN CLUB NEWS.

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND'S CREDIT UNIONS CELEBRATE
FIFTIETH ANNIVERSARY WITH TRADE DOLLAR ISSUES

The big news in P.E.I. numismatics this month is the early release of a new Island Trade Dollar for 1987. 1987 is the fiftieth anniversary of credit unions on P.E.I. and in celebration of this milestone they have collectively issued a trade dollar to mark the event. This trade dollar is "Good for \$1.00 at any Credit Union of P.E.I. & expires Sept. 30, 1987." The Sherritt Mint has produced 7,500 nickel-bonded-steel specimens and 530 gold-plated specimen of this attractive trade dollar. The latter will be available at \$6.50 each.

This interesting coin features bilingual wording, presumably in recognition of the heavy French-Acadian influence upon the early development of the credit union movement in Prince Edward Island. One side features a map of the Island above which is "50 ANNEES DE PROGRES-1937-1987" while below the map appears "50 YEARS OF PROGRESS." The map is surrounded by the phrases "ANNIVERSAIRE DES CAISSES POPULAIRES-ANNIVERSARY OF CREDIT UNIONS." The other side features the official logo of the credit unions which consists of two human hands holding a globe with four figures representing a family unit within it. The logo is surrounded by the phrases "CAISSES POPULAIRES DE L'I.P.E.-CREDIT UNIONS OF P.E.I." Both specimens are now available at any Credit Union in P.E.I.

by Brian L. MacKenzie

BANK OF CANADA DIRECTOR SPEAKS TO P.E.I.N.A.

The Prince Edward Island Numismatic Association was very fortunate to have Mr. Fred Hyndman, P.E.I.'s representative on the Board of Directors for the Bank Of Canada, as its guest speaker for its recent October meeting. Mr. Hyndman is one of the twelve Directors of the Bank Of Canada. The provinces of Quebec and Ontario each have two members on the Board and each of the other provinces has one. Mr. Hyndman explained that these people are appointed from the country's general population and cannot have a direct stake in the financial sector.

He went on to explain that while the Bank Of Canada is the financial agent of the Federal Government it has to remain independent of the government. Consequently, having ordinary citizens serve on its board of directors is one way to assure its independence.

Mr. Hyndman also pointed out that the Bank serves as a clearing house for the country's chartered banks. It is also the custodian of Canada's Reserves (gold, etc.). However, its most important function is to borrow money on a daily basis to cover Canada's deficit. This mammoth task has made its debt management dept. Ottawa's "fastest growing industry."

Following a question and answer session Ralph Dickieson, President of the P.E.I.N.A., presented Mr. Hyndman with a small gift and thanked him for taking the time to talk to our club.

AN UNRECORDED 1984 TRADE DOLLAR by Jerry Remick

The 1984 Pictou (Nova Scotia) trade dollar is not listed in any of the three catalogues and checklists of trade dollars issued during the past year. It has not been on a dealer's price list, nor has it been reported in the numismatic press. Truly, it is an amazing fact that this issue remained unrecorded until Jim Quinn spotted this overlooked trade dollar in a collection he recently purchased.

The town of Pictou issued the 1984 trade dollar to mark the 50th anniversary of the Pictou Lobster Carnival. A lobster is featured on one side. The town's crest is shown on the other side.

Minter's Consultants of Mississauga, Ontario, had the issue struck on 33mm nickel-silver blanks; probably by a private mint in the United States. All specimens exhibit bag marks they acquired during transport. Specimens are available from Jim Quinn, Box 291, Newcastle, N.B., E1V 3M4.

AMERICANS LIKE FUNNY MONEY!!

The last time the Canadian rock group Honeymoon Suite were at The Ritz in New York City, thieves stole their truck, which was abandoned sans "all their equipment". The band recently returned to New York...and The Ritz...and guess what? Someone broke into their bus and stole a lot of personal items, walkmans, clothes and more. Ironically, laying on top of one of their equipment bunks was a bag containing a large bundle of Canadian money, \$300, which they used for petty cash purchases. The bag also contained a bundle of Canadian Tire money. Guess what the thieves took...You're right...the Canadian Tire money.

Editor's Note: The above article is reprinted from page 4 of the October 4, 1986 issue of Canada's music industry's RPM magazine.

NUMISMATIC TRIVIA

QUESTION: What characteristic distinguishes a decoration from a medal?

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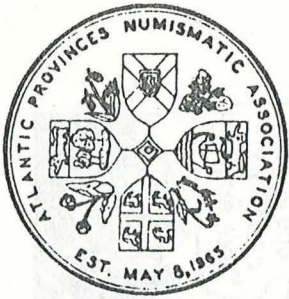
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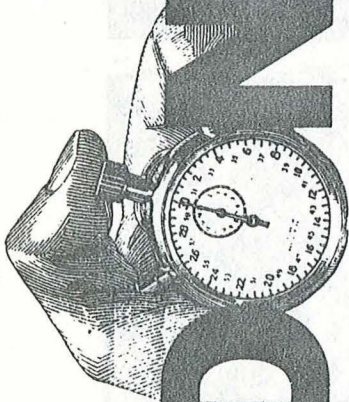
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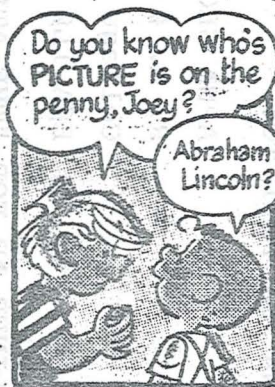
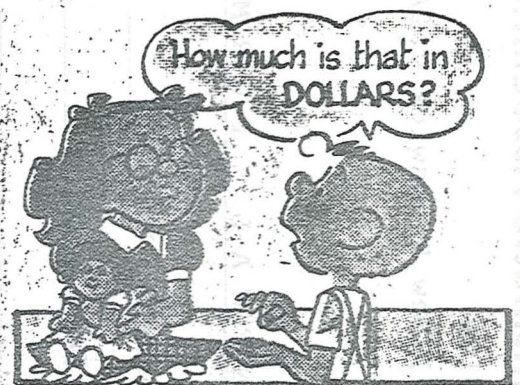
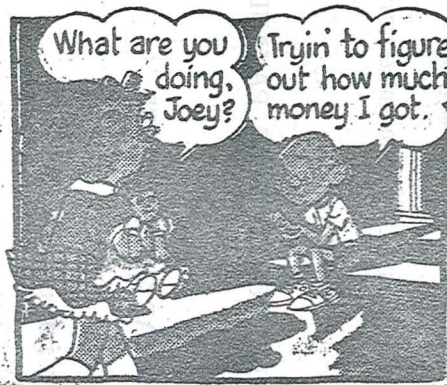
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By Hank Ketcham

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