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Happy New Year!

This is my first catalog as a full-time numismatist. It is as varied and as competitive as ever, if not more so! We are pleased to present a good selection of Canadian and world coins, tokens and medals, as well as our ever-popular bulk lots, bullion lines and a selection of military medals. As usual, there are some real "steals" hidden away among the listings, so please look carefully. Look out for me if any of the following shows are in your area in the next few weeks: we will have a table at each and will be glad to meet with you.

I look forward to hearing from you, honoured client, at your convenience.

Miami Beach Greater Florida International Coin Show, Konover Hotel,

January 13-15.

Philadelphia International Numismatic Society Show, Adam's Mark Hotel, January 19-21.

Vancouver Coin Show, Sheraton Plaza, Febuary 10-12.
Edmonton Coin Show, Capilano Motel, February 17-19.

Paul

TERMS OF SALE - PLEASE READ BEFORE ORDERING

PRICES are in Canadian funds, U.S. please deduct 20%. POSTAGE charges, please add \$2.50 to all orders as a contribution to postage and registration charges. VISA AND MASTERCHARGE gladly accepted, though we prefer a check. TAX - Ontarians please add 7%, except on books. GUARANTEES AND REFUNDS - 15 days in original holder, please. ORDERING - by phone (24 hour service) or by mail. LAY-AWAY - 1/3 payment with order, postdated checks for balance must be sent with initial request for balance, payable after 30 and 60 days. No credit cards on lay-away plans, and this service is confined to orders over \$200. DEALERS - we offer generous discounts on items ordered in quantity for resale. Please ask!

We are pleased to present, first, a newly acquired and highly collectible list of

COINS OF CANADA AND NEWFOUNDLAND

All are priced at "trends".

In the Canadian section, please take a discount of 15% on a filled order of 10 or more coins, 25% for 50 coins or more.

SUPER SPECIAL. In the Newfoundland section, take 40% discount if you buy 10 or more coins, 50% if you wish to buy all coins listed.

These offers apply in this first section only. More Canadian coins are offered later in our "new purchases" section.

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1858	Unc	175.00
1859/8W	VG	30.00
1881H	EF	12.00
1.876H	VF, scratch	3.00
1882H	EF	6.00
1884	AU	18.00
1886	VF	8.40
1887	EF	10.80
1888	VF plus	4.50
1890H	VF	15.00
1891LD	VF	13.20
1891SDLL	VF	90.00
1892	VF	8.40
1893	VF plus	7.50
1894	VF	15.00
1895	EF/VF	10.00
1896	EF	6.00
1897	VF	3.60
1899	EF	6.00
1900	F	10.80
1901	VF-EF	4.00
1906	EF	6.00
1914	aEF	4.00
1918	EF, rotated die	2.40
1920	VF	1.50
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		4 00
1921	VF	4.00
1922	VF	20.00
1923	EF	30.00
1924	VF/EF	12.00
1925	EF	40.00
1929	EF-AU	4.00
1930	VF plus	6.00
1931	EF-AU	7.00
1933	VF	0.75
1934	EF	3.00
1936	VF	2.00
1938	EF	1.00
1949	AU	0.75
1950	AU	0.75
1952	UNC	. 1.00
1979 re-6	engraved date BU	1.00
CANADA F	IVE CENTS	
1070ED	r.	15.00
1870FB	F	21.00
1870RB	F-VF	21.00

F	15.00
F-VF	21.00
VF	25.00
F-VF	16.00
VF plus	12.00
F	10.00
F	11.00
F	10.00
VG	17.00
F	8.00
VF	11.00
VF, en.	16.00
	F-VF VF F-VF VF plus F F VG F VF

1893	aXF	17.00
1896	F	8.00
1897	VF plus	16.00
1900 Oval	0, VF plus	12.00
1901	VF	6.00
1902	EF	10.00
1903H	VF plus	12.00
1904	VF	8.00
1906	aEF	8.00
1908	aVF	16.00
1909	EF	15.00
1912	VF plus	6.00
1913	VF	5.00
1916	VF	11.00
1918	EF	6.00
1919	EF, nicely toned	6.00
1923	VF	4.00
1924	VF	4.00
1930	VF	4.00
1931	EF	8.00
1932	aEF	7.00
1934	EF	8.00
1936	VF	4.00
1940	aEF	4.00
1942	EF	5.00
1942T	UNC	4.00
1964 e.w.	l. BU	60.00

CANADA TEN CENTS

1874H	G-VG	6.00
1880H	F plus	20.00
1881H	aVG	8.00
1885	VG/F	20.00
1887	F	40.00
1888	VF	25.00
1892	VG	10.00
1901	VF/F	13.00
1902	aF	6.00
1902H	F plus	9.00
1904	F/VF	18.00
1914	VF	8.13
1920	EF	10.00
1928	VF	7.00
1929	VF plus	10.00
1930	VF	7.00
1932	EF	20.00
1936	XF-AU	20.00
1941	XF plus	14.00
1968 Ot	tawa Mint, PL	.1.00

CANADA TWENTY-FIVE CENTS

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Canada 25¢ continued		Newfound	land One Cents co	ntd.
1882H aF	25.00	1873	VF .	7.00
1886 F	25.00	1876H	VF-EF	10.00
1890H F/VF 1899 F	50.00	1880ROED		14.00
1899 F 1900 aEF	12.00	1890	F	3.50
1901 F	54.00	1894	F	3.50
1910 aVF	10.00	1896	VF plus	6.00
1912 VF plus plus	30.00	1904H 1907	VF plus	25.00 8.00
1913 almost EF	40.00	1909	EF, edge nick	15.00
1914 EF	60.00	1919c	F	1.50
1920 VF	15.00	1929	VF	2.50
1928 VF	13.00	1938	AU	10.00
1929 VF	13.00	1940	VF-EF	9.50
1930 VF plus 1946 AU	25.00	1942	VF-EF	2.00
1947 EF/AU	50.00	1944	EF	5.00
1976 Ch. BU	30.00	1947	VF-EF	3.00
1977 Ch. BU	0.50	Neuron	F C	
1978 type I Ch. BU	0.50	NEWFOUND	LAND FIVE CENTS	
	0.50	1896	F	24.00
CANADA 50 CENTS		1908	F	12.00
CANADA DU CENTS		1940c	EF, cleaned	3,00
		1942	EF .	8.00
1906 Nice Fine	40.00	1945c	EF	5.00
1941 EF/BU	20.00	1947c	aEF	15.50
1942 AU	25.00			
1978 round beads BU	12.00	NEWFOUND	LAND TEN CENTS	
CANADA DOLLARS			U. S.	
- TOPELANO		1873	VG/F	50.00
1935 Nice frosty RU 1	icha	1880	aVG	40.00
1935 Nice frosty BU, 1 short scr on obv	ignt 60 00	1882H	VG	30.00
1936 EF	20.00	1890 1894	VF F	60.00
1939 Choice AU	16.00	1904	F	18.00
1946 AU	75.00	1912	VF	30.00
1949 UNC	50.00	1940	VF	9.00
1950 AU	20.00	1941c	EF	12.00
1952 NWL AU-BU	30.00	1942c	VF-EF	8.50
1977 type I nickel BU, wi	th	1943c	AU	50.00
type II and type III	25.00	1945c	aEF	10.00
IN CASE YOU MISSED THEM	-	NEWFOUND	LAND TWENTY CENTS	
please see front page fo	r the			
generous discounts we ar	e off-	1865	F	30.00
ering on Canadian and Nf	1d	1870	F-VF	100.00
coins from this section		1872	EF, tiny carb. sp	.275.00
		1876H	F plus / G plus	30.00
NOVA SCOTIA		1880	F	50.00
		1881	F	25.00
1¢ 1864, F	3.50	1890	F	15.00
NEWFOLKING AND ONE CENTE		1894	F	15.00
NEWFOUNDLAND ONE CENTS		1896	F/VF	35.00
		1899W9	F/VF	30.00
1865 VF	7.00	1899N9 1900	VG VF	10.00
1872H VF	7.00		F	40.00
		1904H 1912	VF	30.00
		1912	V F	50.00

NEWFOUNDLAND TWENTY-FIVE CENTS

1919	VF	13.00
Newfoun	DLAND FIFTY CEN	
1885	VG	23.00
1888	aVF	80.00
1894	F	35.00
1896	aVG	12.00
1898	VF	60.00
1908	VG	10.00

<u>Understanding the current Canadian</u> Market - a Review

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Though our major interest lies in the collection, rather than the appreciation for monetary gain, of Canadian coins, we can't help but gain a good overview of the "market" due to our position in the coin business. As a result, we are frequently asked to provide commentaries on the state of it.

An interesting thing has happened over the last three months. Canadian coins have commenced selling again at a rate which is difficult to keep up with. Rare, pricy pieces have started to move - we owned our Choice BU 1905 50¢ piece for only 10 days before it sold to an anxious buyer. A 1903 Choice BU 5¢ sold for \$1900 at the A.N.A. in San Diego, and virtually all the Canadian coins offered in our last auction went for respectable prices. What has happened?

Basically, somebody somewhere decided that Canadian coins had "reached the bottom" somewhere around the ANA in Boston in 1982. At that time, you couldn't give some coins away. Now, you can't buy good material all that easily. Once everyone realized the bottom had been and gone, everyone had to buy again - coins were not going to get any cheaper, and consequently it was no good holding off on one's collection any longer. So things started to move.

As a result, we'd say, Canadian

coins' real prices (i.e. those for which coins actually sell for, not necessarily "trends") have moved upwards about, 20% during 1983. This bodes well for those who invested in marketable items early in the year, and will help those who "hung on" to pieces bought in the boom at the start of the decade. Shortly, I predict, a good quantity of nice material will start coming back onto the market as sellers gain confidence from the new price levels. I would not be surprised if the new 1984 season (which effectively gets under way mid-March in Eastern Canada) opens up with another immediate gain of 10-15% over this year's closing market.

What about Newfoundland? This is a little-understood market. and there is a generally held view that Nfld coins are overpriced in general. Not so! A small number of Nfld coins are very common, and can be bought at good discounts almost all the time. Some pieces (e.g. 1917 50¢ in VG) are so common that it makes good sense to melt them even though one gets less than half "trends" this way. But many more Newfoundland coins are unbelievably difficult to find in decent condition. This applies to all the Victorian issues to 1890 in EF and better, to some Edward VII issues, and of course to the classic George VI rarity, the 1946c 5¢ silver. These coins have attracted steady prices throughout the now-passed slump.

It is still making good sense to purchase decent, collectible coins in nice condition, and we predict it will not be cheaper to fill holes in one's collection for some time to come (i.e. the next down in the seven-year coinmarket cycle, about 1987).

.Your comments on the above would be most welcome

Paul

WHOLESALE CANADIAN

Here's a chance for everyone to make some great savings. Don't miss the great discounts offered on Canadian singles in the first section of this catalog, nor the choice items offered, often at bargain prices, in the extensive "new purchases" section. But here are some Canadian offerings with good quantity discounts, of interest to dealer, collector and investor alike.

Canadian	Proof	ike Sets
	Each	5 for
1968	3.00	12.50
1969	3.00	12.50
1970	7.00	30.00
1971	4.00	17.50
1972	6.00	27.50
1973	4.00	17.50
1974	5.00	22.50
1975	-	-
1976	9.00	40.00
1977	6.00	26.00
1978	3.00	13.00
1979	9.00	40.00
1980	19.00	84.00
1981	11.00	50.00
1982	8.00	36.00
1983	8.00	36.00

Canadian S	ilver Dollars
Uncirculat	ed -
Each 10 for 100 for 1000 for	\$12.00 \$117.00 \$1150.00 \$10575.00
Circulated	1 -
Each 10 for 100 for 1000 for	\$10.00 \$95.00 \$925.00 \$9100.00

BU ROLL SET
Special
complete 1970
set 1¢ to \$1
\$110.00

Old Canadian checks, from the Bank of Hochelaga, about 1900-1905, VF and better condition.

Each \$1.00	100	for	\$14.00
50 for \$8.00 500 for \$60.00	1000		\$99.00

Wholesale Large Cents of Victoria and Edward

These lots contain coins in VG condition and better, and no damaged coins. They include semi-key dates, and the larger lots include keys (e.g. 1858).

\$100 trends value \$75.00 \$500 trends value \$350.00 \$1000 trends value \$675.00 We buy and sell bulk silver and gold coinage, including sovereigns, maple leaves, etc. Please phone for daily quotes when buying or selling.

GOLD SOVEREIGNS

We always carry an excellent retail and wholesale stock of British gold. We can now offer:

Five different mints 750.00 Three different monarchs 395.00 Ten sovereigns, mixed types 1300.00 50 sovereigns, mixed types 6400.00

WORLD PAPER MONEY

We are pleased to offer a small group of four colourful notes, each displaying a portrait of a famous composer: France 10 Fr 1978 (Berlioz); Italy 1000 L. 1969 (Verdi); Spain 100 F. 1970 (da Falla); Netherlands 25G 1971 (Sweelinck). All Crisp UNC \$30.00

Our offer of "free coins" in our last list was so popular we've decided to continue it for another list. Here's how you get "something for nothing" when ordering. Each coin is marked with an estimated value in brackets. You may request, free of charge, coins from this section to a value of 10% of your completed order. Thus, if your order totals \$100, you may order \$10 worth of coins from this section free - if your order is \$500, you will have \$50 coins free from this section. And, as an additional bonus, we will send coins for which no value is listed, on request, free with every order. We will substitute other items of equal value if your first choice is not available.

Canada, 10c 1950, AU (\$6)	Great Britain, Proof Set 1970 (\$20)
Canada, 10c 1950, EF (\$3)	Great Britain, Proof Set 1971 (\$20)
Canada, Communion token Bow-	Netherlands Indies, 21c 1945,
188, VF (\$20)	VG-BU (\$)
China, ancient, Huo Pu or	Cayman Islands, 8 coin proof set
spade money, Wang Mang c.10	with silver, 1975 or 1976 (\$60)
AD, VF (\$24)	Canada, Breton token 589, EF (\$6)
China, ancient, Ming Knife,	Canada, \$1 1958 Prooflike (\$60)
blunt end, c.250 BC (\$30)	Book, Beierlein's Bavarian Money (\$6)
Straits Settlements 50c	Book, Davis Numismatic Ottawa (\$12)
1920, Unc (\$12)	Sasanian Empire, silver drachm
- 50c 1921, UNC (\$12)	of Khusru II, Fine (\$30)

NEW PURCHASES - ANCIENTS

As an additional incentive, <u>free with any purchase from this section</u> we will give away a one-year subscription to the lists of our associated company, "Deradrachms". Please request this on your order form. The value of this subscription is \$10, andwe can recommend "Deka" for their excellent stock, first-rate service and professional counselling. Give them a try!

ANCIENT GREECE

Lydia, 450-330 B.C. (A very early coin!) Siglos, kneeling King with bow and spear, S.4682, in silver, 70.00 nice Fine. Athens, 336-297 BC, Ar tetradrachm. Owl on reverse (old style), Countermarked "X" (for circulation in another state) on cheek of Athena on obverse. Nice VF, oblong flan. An attractive example of this 350,00 exquisite coin Alexander the Great, silver tetradrachm, Muller-570, nice VF with good portrait Danubian Celts Silver tetradrachm, Ist century B.C., imitation of Ar tetra of Thasos. Crude head of young Dionysus r/figure of young Heracles holding club and lionskin. 140.00 Fine, nice

ANCIENT EGYPT

Ptolemy I. Silver tetradrachm, portrait/eagle, nice VF and very attractive. Svoronos 339 310.00 Ptolemy III (246-221 B.C.) Euergetes, Ae 42. (Huge bronze coin). Obv. Diad. head of Zeus Ammon r. Rx eagle stg. 1. on thunderbolt, legends. About VF for type, far superior to state in which these huge coins are usually found, and a fine portrait. Some light red pest on surface, but better than usual.

ANCIENT ROME

We are very pleased to present a superb example of one of the earliest coinages of Rome!

Aes grave, c.265-242 BC. Sextans, tortoise, rx. wheel of six spokes, no mark of value. Cr.24/7, Syd. 63a, Haeberlin pl.25, 16. Very Fine. These huge bronze pieces are the predecessors of modern coinage, and it is most unusual to find them in an excellent state of preservation. This example is particularly attractive in light of the full and plainly recognizable tortoise on obverse.

We are equally pleased to present the following coin of Brutus, assassin of Caesar!

Roman Republic, Denar of Decimus Iumius Brutus Albinus, <u>assassin of Julius Caesar</u> ("Et. tu, Brute?"). Rx. two joined hands, holding caduceus. Obv. Pietas behind head of Piety, S. Postumia-10. Choice VF-XF, quite rare and most attractive

Roman Imperial

Domitianus, 84-96 AD. Denarius, rx. Minerva stg. r., C.252. Nice	
Very Fine, and scarce	135.00
Hadrian, 117-138 AD. Denarius, rx. Fortuna stg. 1., C.762. Very	
Fine and quite rare	150.00
Hadrian, Ae As, RIC 821, Rx. Pax Avg. Fine, decent portrait	50.00
Antoninus Pius, 138-161 AD. Denarius, rx. Antoninus Pius stg. 1.,	
sacrificing. EF with traces of mint lustre, scarce thus	150.00
, denarius, rx. Annona stg. 1., C.288. VF plus	120.00
Marcus Aurelius, 161-180 AD. Denarius, C.519, rx. Providentia Deor	rum,
Providentia stg. 1. Almost as struck, AU	220.00
Lucius Verus, 161-169 AD. Denarius, C.126, rx. Pax stg. 1. EF wit	:h
excellent portrait and lovely patina, RARE	190.00
Julia Domna, wife of Septimus Severus. Rx. Venus Genetrix std. 1.	
C.212. Extremely Fine, a commoner coin but scarce this nice	115.00
Caracalla, 198-217 AD. Denarius, C.424. Rx. Mars stg. 1. EF	160.00

Roman Provincial

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Antoninus Pius, 138-161. Billon tetradrachm, S	ear-1220. Bare hd.	
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and rate thus, most attractive for a provincial	DIONZE	130.00

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80.00

BYZANTIUM

Focas,	602-610.	S.647	Pen	tanummia	(5	nummia),	crude	F but quite
scarce.	Focas	was an	army	captain	who	rose to	become	emperor!

PARTHIA

Silver	drachm of Vologases	s III, 105-147.	King with Long Pointed
	S.5831, from an ex		

ANCIENT AND MODERN - GOLD

Our recent visit to the New York International Coin Fair, at a time of depressed gold prices, yielded some excellent purchases. We are now pleased to present some of them. For more gold see in the Canadian section later ...

ROME Theodosius II, 402-450. Gold solidus, S.4190, rx. Victory std.

I., in ex. CONOB. Virtually UNC, two marks at face slightly detract from what would otherwise be a \$2,000 coin!

750.00

Byzantium. Phocas, 602-610. Gold solidus, mint of Constantinople. Rx. Victoria Avgg, S.616/23. Angel stands facing. Nice VF, not scarce but very attractive and a great place to begin an inexpensive ancient gold collection!

Byzantium, Heraclius, 610-41. Gold solidus, 613-616. Crowned busts of Heraclius and Heraclius Constantine facing, exergual line beneath. Rx. cross on steps, Hahn-8a. Partial weakness in striking, otherwise a strong, fully lustrous EF

380.00

RARE GERMAN OFF-STRIKE IN GOLD

We are tickled pink to be able to present this HAMBURG, 1 Schilling 1790, STRUCK IN GOLD! Not only is this a VERY RARE off-metal strike, but ours is a lovely, lustrous AU. Choice, not to be missed at 600.00

BRITISH GOLD

We really have picked up some lovely British coins for this list. The party is nearly over, as everyone is sure that the pound will decline no or little further. British coins are once again "hot" as an almost sure-fire investment item! Collectors may wish to get in before things move up too far ...

1/3 guinea, 1804.	EF, nice, S.3740 Only			180.00
1/2 guinea, 1787.	VF/aVF, nice and attractive	. Only	**	145.00
1 guinea, 1798. I	Extremely fine, S.3729. Only			330.00

Iran, Bank Melli Proof gold medal, Yr. 2030 (portrait of the Shah and his father). .072 oz, lovely proof
70.00

NETHERLANDS GOLD

		gold. Lustrous AU/EF, nice	265.00
Netherlands ducat, 1	1928, Unc.	Y-15, lustrous and pretty	75.00

UNITED STATES

Gold dollar 1852, Very Fine. First we've had for a while.. 210.00

NEW PURCHASES - CANADIAN AND WORLD COINAGE

Austria, taler of Ferdinand, 1564-1595. Fine plus, unfortunately has some graffiti, thus only 80.00 Bohemia, Taler 1736, Prague Mint, D-1086. Pleasing VF 220.00 Bhutan, 15 Ngultrums 1974, Y-11. UNC 11.00 Bhutan, 30 Ngultrums 1975, Y-17. Unc 11.00

At the recent New York Show, we purchased an immense quantity of Canadian Large Cents and some key date small cents. In our next section we offer these, with some discount. The prices shown are already below current trends - further, we will allow a discount of 10° for purchases of 10 pieces or more, and

25% for purchases of 25 pieces or more. There are duplicates of most dates and grades in stock, so please feel free to order up to five of any date if you wish. And, don't forget that we now have a "wholesale Canadian" page which has many more offers of large quantities of Canadian coinage for the investment-minded or the dealer needing accurately graded, reliable supplies of stock. These coins dated, graded, in flips and "ready to go"!

THIS OFFERING OF CANADIAN ONE CENT PIECES STARTS ON NEXT PAGE.

CANADA	ONE	CENTS				CANADA TEN CENTS	
	VG	F	VF	EF	BU	1870 NO, VF \$45, Fine 1886 L6, VG	20.00
1858	-	\$40	VF+60	-	_	1896, Very Fine	8.00 23.00
1859	-	-	\$3	-	-	1903. Very Good	7.00
1876H	-	-	4	\$7	-	1903, Very Good 1911, VG \$10, G/VG	7.00
1881H	\$3		-	-	-		7.00
1882H	-	2	3	-	-	CANADA 20 CENTS	
1884 1886	4	5	-	-	\$50	1858, nice VF	115.00
1887	3	4		10	-	CANADA 25 CENTS	
1888	-	_	3	-	-	1872H, about VF	24.00
1890H	5	10	14	-	_	1874H, Fine	
1891sd1			-	-	-	1886, Fine	14.00
1891sds	1 -	42	68		-	1889, Fine to Very Fine	290.00
1892	3	5	-	-	95	1892, Extremely Fine	125.00
1893	-	3	5	-	-	1893, nice toned VF	330.00
1895	-	7	-	-	-	1900, AU - a bargain at	250.00
1896	-	2	3	-	-	1900, VG-F	6.00
1897	-	2	-	-	50	1915, just VF	120.00
189811	4		9	-	128	1916, VF-EF	23.00
1899	-		3	5	40	1918, nice EF	35.00
1900	-		-	-	85	1921, Very Good	10.00
1900H	-	2	3	-	75	CANADA FO CENTS	
1901	-	2	. 3	-	45	CANADA 50 CENTS	
1902	-	-	2	4	-	1917, nice VF	40.00
1903	-	2	3	-	28	1918, Very Fine	28.00
1904	-		4	-	30	1936, abt. VF/VF	75.00
1905	4	-	9	-	70	CANADA DOLLARS	
1906 1908	3		3	-	45		
1909	-	-	6 3	-	35	1945, Extremely Fine	150.00
1911	-			4	30	1946, nice AU	75.00
1916	-	-		-	35	1947 blunt 7, AU	115.00
1917	-	-			17		14.00
1918	-	-	-	2	30 13	1 1955FB, EF	12.00
1919	-	_		-	18	1959, baggy UNC	12.00
1922	12	14	_	-	-	CANADA TEN DOLLARS GOLD	
1923	18	-	-	-	-	*1914, Extremely Fine -	850 00
1924	5	7	-	-	-	Total, Extremely Time	1150.00
1925	16	20				ANTICOSTI ISLAND	
1926	2	3	-	-	80		
1929	-	-	-	-	15	1/8 Penny 1870A, toned UNC and	
1930	2	21	-	-	25	very nice 1/8 Penny 1870A, lustrous AU	80.00
							70.00
CANADA	FIV	E CEN	TS			MAGDALEN ISLAND	
1858	VF				25.00	Br-520 Penny, VG, cleaned but	22 02
			date VF	2	80.00	quite clear and presentable	22.00
1875H,	sma1	1 H,	VG	1	00.00	NEW BRUNSWICK	
1884, f	ille	r			40.00	104 1962 mout 2 mins un	100 00
1884, f 1887, F	-VF				32.00	10 ¢ 1862 recut 2, nice VF	100.00
1926 Fa	r 6,	Fine	, nice	1	40.00		
1924, V	F-EF				6.00		

70.00

NEWFOUNDLAND

5¢ 1880, Very Fine 115.00 5¢ 1896, Choice AU and rare, an excellent piece for the type collector 300.00 10¢ 1865, abt. F 30.00 10¢ 1890, Fine 20.00 20¢ 1873, VF, mark on obv. 70.00 20¢ 1870, Fine 20¢ 1888, Very Fine 40.00 55.00

TWO DOLLARS GOLD 1880

¥ \$2 1880, Extremely Fine. remarkable coin is beautiful. call it XF because under magnification it shows several tiny marks of circulation or bagging. However, particularly the obverse from 6 inches away looks uncirculated, which unfortunately it is not! 3,000.00

TWO DOLLARS GOLD 1888

\$2 1888, AU, but unfortunately the piece has two scratches on the obverse on the Queen's neck, which make the coin a little less attractive on close examination. Nevertheless a nice piece and a bargain at 290.00

CANADA: BLACKSMITH TOKENS

12.00 Wood-1, Fair Wood-4, VF (this piece is also a Northern New England U.S. 20.00 colonial piece) 15.00 Wood-5, VG Wood-14, brass, nice F, light parallel abrasions on obv. 30.00 Wood-18, brass, really excellent 25.00 example, Fine Wood-23, VG/G, holed, edge damage, but RARE! 45.00 Wood-33, Fair 12.00

CANADA: COUNTERSTAMPED PIECES

Sou marqué of 1640, fleur-de-lys on douzain of Charles X, 1593-D. Posthumous issue of ligne Catholique. Fine on good, most 65.00 interesting

French Colonies 1767-A sou, with counterstamp RF plus J.W. and a rosette. Fine, historically most interesting and unique. A rare triple-counterstamp item 145.00

1¢ 1859, c/s A. LONG in bold 19.00 heavy caps. Nice

MEDIEVAL COINAGE OF FRANCE

Philip IV, 1285-1314: Double Bourgeois, C.221, VG-F 10.00 Philip IV, 1285-1314: Double Tournois, C-218, VG-F 10.00 Philip V, 1316-1322: Denier tournois, C-248, F., verd. 10.00 Charles IV, 1322-28. Double parisis, C-259, abt. Fine 10.00 - Double parisis c.1326, C.261, with o below crown (debasement) \$10 François I, 1515-47. Liard, C.1181, Toulouse Mint, VG-F 10.00 Francois I, -, liard C.1181, Mint of Grenoble, VG 10.00 Louis XIII, Double toirnois 1629, mm.D. F condition, ex. O.P. EKLUND collection. 20.00 - Double tournois, 1633D, F 10.0 - Double tournois, 1642K, VG-F \$10 10.00 Louis XIV Ae jeton, c.1700, bust/ elephant. Abt. Fine 20.00 French Colonies, "stampee" (1779), superb toned EF, C-10 18.00 French Indo China, Y-9a Piastre

GERMAN STATES

de Commerce 1900A, AU

Hanau-Lichtenberg 1 Batzen of Philip V, dated 1588, VF 22.00 Munster 3 Pfennigs 1760 (St. Paul portrait), nice VF 9.00 Pfalz-Sulzbach Taler 1774, D-2544, Very Fine (cost me \$300) 250.00 Wurttemburg 5 Marks 1913F, Y-222, VF/EF, light polish marks 30.00

GREAT BRITAIN

Hammered Coinage Henry III, Penny, class IIIa, S. 1362 (1247-72). VF, nice 40.00 flan and good portrait Elizabeth I, milled 6d, S.2595, (tall bust, decorated dress, dated 1562). Fine 40.00 James I Penny, S. 2655, mm. coronet, Strong F/VF 80.00 - Penny, S. 2656, ex. Lingford collection. Mintmark Bell over key - historically most important and interesting. The coin is VF-EF, but with two light scratches across bust. Nevertheless an excellent opportunity for the specialist to acquire an important series piece

Charles I, 1638-42. Aberystwith groat, mm. book, S.2893. This coin is EXTREMELY FINE, and extremely rare thus. A magnificent piece worthy of the best collec-Oliver Cromwell Trial striking of the half Crown, obverse (i.e. Cromwell portrait) in copper on a broad flan. Strong VF. This piece may be original or an early 1800s concoction, nevertheless now historically important and an excellent opportunity to acquire a crown-sized portrait of Cromwell for a fraction of the usual cost Commonwealth Crown, mm. sun, 5.3214. Exquisite about EF, lovely grey tonong and no flan cracks. Absolutely one of the finest examples we have seen, and a coin that will probably remain unimproved in the best of collections. For the collector who wants to buy the best first time! 1,300.00

Milled Coinage

George III, Northumberland Shilling. We are pleased to present this rare one-year type in strict UNC. S.3742 (500 pounds in EF), our piece has superb gray toning and is pristine in all respects. A rare coin. We bought this at auction and were prepared to pay up to \$2000 for it. We got it much cheaper and are now pleased to offer it at just 1,500.00

GOTHIC CROWN

Victoria, Gothic Crown 1847, pleasing EF. These were \$1500 two years ago! Now here's an opportunity to acquire a nice piece, for type, at 800.00

BRITISH TOKENS

Railway token, London, Midland and Scottish Railway, with "Carlisle Citadel Station" inscription. EF and scarce 25.00 Another, same railway, marked 1510 PC (pay check?). Interesting hexagonal piece 22.00 Another, Steam Shed, round

but with one flat side, marked
"3020 P.C.", VF-EF 20.00
Counterstamp, "Woodall." in serated
incuse square on cartwheel penny,
1797. VG on G, the second of these
we have had. 18.00

GREECE, 1 drachma 1873A, pleasing VF, Y-7. Cat. \$62 50.00 Ionian Islands Lepton 1862, red & brown UNC. Cat. in EF \$31, and presumably scarce in higher grades. We offer this UNC at just 30.00

HUNGARY 1 Foring 1887KB, Y-14, Very Fine 10.00 - 1 forint 1892, VF, Y-15 12.00

IRELAND Henry VIII, 1509-47, with Catherine Howard. S.4474 Harp groat, 1st issue, F-VF for type and very pretty 170.00

ITALIAN STATES

Lombardy-Venice, 3¢ 1852M, C-26, Very Fine 20.00 Tuscany, 5 quattrini 1830, C-65, Fine to Very Fine 15.00

25.00

LITHUANIA 3 Kr. 1514, F-VF

LOVE TOKENS

"J" and patterned border on Canada 5c silver, quite pretty VF 10.00 "DD" in ferns and ornate border, exquisite, on William III half crown. Scarce and very desirable, holed at top for suspension 40.00

 $\frac{\text{MEXICO}}{\text{some}} \quad \begin{array}{c} \text{Onza, 1949, KM-49a, UNC,} \\ \text{40.0} \end{array}$

SUPERB UTRECHT DUCATON

Netherlands: Utrecht. Ducaton C-F22, 1786. Gem Prooflike UNC, with exquisite colour, absolutely unimprovable. The finest example of this coin we have ever seen, and a \$2,000 dollar coin in the right market! Just 725.00

PHILIPPINES, Peso 1967 Y-45, Unc 14.00

RUSSIA, Rouble 1877HI, Y-25, Choice BU, superb colour. - Rouble 1921, Y-84, UNC

SOUTH VIETNAM 50 Xu 1953, Y-5, UNC 16.00 TONKIN, 1/600P. Y1, UNC 24.00

Special offer on a rare ancient coin

Danubian Cents, imitation silver tetradrachm of Thasos, made in the 1st century B.C. The Danubian Celts attempted to copy the lovely tetradrachm of Thasos, but made a cruder coin which is easily distinguishable. Our example is F-VF, but has a small hole pierced at the top. Would look great in jewellery, or will fill that hole in your collection! Normally selling for \$180 plus, our special price for this item \$55.00



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From this increasingly popular oriental state, we have just purchased a hoard of 1920 and 1921 half dollars in original UNC condition. Present catalog value is \$12.50 each: our special price for the pair just \$14.00

Scarce Parthian Coin

This silver drachm of King Vologases III was made between 105 and 147 AD. It depicts the powerful King with a long, pointed beard. Every representative collection should contain at least one of these distinctive Parthian coins! A lustrous VF example is priced at only \$40.00

The new 1983 British Proof Set

The new British Proof set is in a new-look simulated leather case, resembling that used for the Canadian double-dollar set, and can be opened to display your coins. It contains both the new 20 pence and the new 1 pound piece in Proof. We were just lucky enough to purchase 8 sets below the issue price. We can therefore offer them at just \$29.00 (We usually stock most dates of British Proof sets - please phone or write for details if you would like to complete your

NEW World Crown Price Guide

collection).

Most welcome from Krause publications is the latest edition of Drascovic's Davenport price guide, pricing world Crowns and thalers from 1484 to the present day. Indispensable for the serious dealer, or collector of early Crowns. \$23.50

English COIN 1984 Year book, latest price guide to all English coins, some commonwealth - last few copies at \$15.00

Scarce IRAN coin in choice condition

Iran, 100 dinars 1337, Y-24. A small hoard of these recently surfaced and we were allowed to pick out the best pieces, which we did on the basis of sharp strike and nice toning. We now offer unimprovable BU specimens at just \$10.00

CANADA, Cased Proof Silver Dollars

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Lot C -				postpaid			\$42

World Crowns (silver) only

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Lot	F ·	-	\$500	catalog	value,	postpaid	price	just	\$320

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Lot H - \$500	retail	value,	postpaid	price	just	\$200
Lot J - \$200						\$100

Canadian Coinage

Lot K - \$3,000	trends	value,	postpaid	price	just	\$1,650
Lot L - \$1,000	trends	value,	postpaid	price	just	\$600
Lot M - \$500	trends	value,	postpaid	price	just	\$325
Lot N - \$100	trends	value.	postpaid	price	iust	\$ 70

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THE QUEEN'S SOUTH AFRICA MEDAL

Susan and I were recently very proud and very pleased to purchase an extensive collection of military medals. Included were a number of examples of the well-known "Queen's South Africa" medal of 1899-1902, and during our researches we became familiar with much of the charm and history of this medal. We'd like to share some of this with our readers.

Almost everyone who attends coins shows regularly must have at some time seen a Q.S.A. It is an attractive medal, showing on one side a portrait of Queen Victoria, Crowned, with the legend "VICTORIA REGINA ET IMPERATRIX" - Victoria Queen and Empress. On the other side Britannia stands majestically herself, holding a large flag in one hand and in the other a laurel wreath, offered to a party of advancing soldiers. The sea is to be found in the distance, and on it are two warships. The designer was G.W. de Saulles, well known in numismatic circles as a designer of many commonwealth coins, including the obverse of our own Edwardian coinage and that of Newfoundland.

Canadians figure significantly in the history of the QSA. An early striking of the medal with dates, 1899-1900, was issued only to warriors from Lord Strathcona's Horse, a Canadian regiment. They returned to Canada before the war ended, via London, and the early medals were presented by Edward VII to 50 of them.

The remaining QSAs, over 150,000 pieces originally struck, have no dates on the medals themselves. Their most intriguing feature is the various bars issued. In all, 26 different bars were issued for attachment to the QSA. Some are very common, a few scarce. The largest number of bars issued to an army man was nine, and the most decorated sailor had eight bars.

The QSA is very popular with medal collectors. In part, this popularity must be attributed to the immense variety of units and bar-combinations available, though there is the added complement that there exist virtually no deliberate forgeries or concoctions intended to deceive collectors. Though every conceivable error in the arrangement of bars and every type of tampering exists in the series, this was mainly due to misguided efforts on the part of innocent possessors, as the collector value of the QSA has only recently escalated to a level where a profit might be gained by deliberate alteration.

It is relatively easy to find medals with up to six bars, and there are many ways to collect QSAs. A start may be made by putting together a set with no, one, two, three, four, five and six bars. A much more difficult task is to collect medals showing the full range of bars available, for the bars for Defence of Mafeking, Kimberley, and the Wepener and Rhodesia bars, are quite rare. Nevertheless an attractive and varied display will already have been gakned by the time the other 23 bars are represented. These are: Cape Colony, Natal, Relief of Mafeking, Talana, Enlandslaagte, Defence of Ladysmith, Belmont, Modder River, Tugela Heights, Relief of Kimberley, Paardeberg, Orange Free State, Relief of Ladysmith, Driefontein, Transvaal, Johannesburg, Laing's Nek, Diamond Hill, Wittebergen, Belfast, South Africa 1901, and South Africa 1902. It may seem strange to have this last bar on a Victoria medal, especially as there is a King's South Africa medal issued by Edward, the monarch in that year. The bar was issued, however, to those who were not entitled to receive the Edward medal, though they had been present at the front in the early part of 1902.

Among the medals were purchased were several interesting specimens. I have always found naval issues particularly interesting, and we were lucky enough to acquire one piece to H.M.S. Gibraltar (\$75) (prices shown

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in brackets are our asking prices for medals described). There is an excellent table of medals and bars awarded to naval personnel in Gordon's British Battles and Medals, prepared by Mr. W.H. Fevyer. In all, 622 unreturned medals were issued to H.M.S. Gibraltar. It would be an interesting task to attempt to assemble a collection of QSAs, one to each recipient vessel. A total of 31 Royal Navy ships would be represented, and the task is by no means impossible.

Many other collectors have interests in particular regiments or areas, and as usual medals to ranking officers command a premium over those to ordinary soldiers. An astounding array of regiments were present in the South African campaign, including many town guards and troops from all over the commonwealth. As examples, we acquired a single-bar medal, Relief of Ladysmith, a scarce medal, to Br. H. Robinson of the Natal Vol. Amb. Co (\$110), pieces with three, four and five bars respectively to the Loyal North Lancs Regt (\$110), East Surrey Regt (\$90) and Royal Irish Rifles (\$87). Some regiments of particular interest to enthusiasts from other collecting fields are also contained in the collection, for example to the Railway Pioneer Regiment (3 bars to a Major, \$95).

One could go on at some length about this fascinating medal. However, we will be content to direct the reader, further, to the exemplary listing of units, bars and related information contained in Gordon's <u>British Battles and Medals</u> (5th edition by E.C. Joslin, published by Spink). While not inexpensive this book can be ordered through your local library and if you do not already have access to a copy we recommend perusing it.

MILITARY MEDALS FOR SALE

Queen's South Africa, 2 bars: Cape Colony, SAO2. To Pte. H.S. Gendle, 27th Battn, <u>Imperial Yeomenry</u> . Nice Very Fine	75
Q.S.A., 2 bars: Cape Colony, SA02. To Pte H. Parsons, Grenadier Guards. Nicely toned Very Fine to Extremely Fine	\$70
Q.S.A., 3 bars: C.C., Orange Free State, Transvaal. To Tpr. H.W. Beale, S.A.C. Lovely Extremely Fine	80
Q.S.A., 3 bars: C.C., Transvaal, Wittebergen. To Pte. J. Smith, Manchester Regt. Better than Very Fine	578
Q.S.A., 3 bars: C.C., Orange Free State, Transvaal. To C.S. <u>Major</u> A. McKenzie, <u>Rly. Pnr. Regt</u> . Almost Extremely Fine	95
Q.S.A., 5 bars: C.C., Orange Free State, Transvaal, SAO1, SAO2. To Pte. H. McCall, Royal Irish Rifles. Strong Very Fine	87
Q.S.A., 5 bars: C.C., Orange Free State, Transvaal, SAO1, SAO2. To 3rd Tpr. S. Davis, S.A.C. Lustrous extremely fine, excellent piece \$1	25

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21	42	81	9	146	26	200	11	257	20	312	25	388	125
22	9	82	10	147	24	201	15	258	26	313	42	389	115
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51	15	107	20	171	6	224	11	281	39	341	8	456	60
52	43	108	31	172	17	225	18	282	75	342	15	458	41
53	68	109	16	173	230	226	24	283	42	343	15	460	15
54	12	110	44	174	15	227	16	284	80	345	37	462	WD
55	13	111	22	175	440	228	.80	285	26	346	12	463	25
56	15	112	12	176	170	229	250	286	475	347	19	464	2
57	12	113	44	177	8	230	9	287	48	348	40	465	86
58	12	116	55	178	120	234	12	288	65	349	18	466	25
59	9	118	80	179	7	235	130	289	50	350	17	467	20
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A REPORT ON AUCTION 9

This report is not intended to comment on the prices attained by specific pieces, for these can be seen from the accompanying prices realized. The Intention, rather, is to comment on same general aspects and market features to be gleaned from an overview of the auction.

<u>Canadian Decimal Coinage</u> In general prices were strong and the auction room was packed to standing room only capacity for the floor session of Canadian. We plan to offer much more Canadian decimal coinage in future auctions and would be interested to hear from potential consignors.

Maritime Coinage Newfoundland was weak though the other Maritime provinces showed their usual high level of interest and strong prices.

Canadian Gold. Excellent prices were achieved for all Canadian gold coins offered, and we shall be offering several more in our

upcoming auction.

Breton Tokens This was by far the best portion of the sale, with the "Virginia Collection" eventually realizing in excess of \$14,500. Several new records were set as interest was unabated in this area, and anxious floor bidding drove many prices up to new levels. We shall definitely continue this specialty and expect more new records to be realized in the near future.

<u>Canadian Trade Dollars</u> We offered only rarities in this auction, and prices were excellent. We expect to have several fine consignments in our March auction, and look forward with anticipation to some keen bidding for the rarities there to be

offered.

Canadian Medals This was another area of good strength, with both mail and local interest running at high levels. We have been promised a major medal consignment for our upco-ing auction.

World Gold Coins This area was patchy, not surprising as gold reached its lowest level for some years the day before the auction and many bullion-based coins became uninteresting. Persons who bought at the auction have done very well as gold climed rapidly for the next two weeks! Key date and high grade material did well regardless of the weakness of support from the metal market.

Military Medals Consisting of only four lots, this was the single most active area of the auction. All pieces sold at extremely high prices compared to estimate. We shall be expanding our militaria department in deference to this increased interest!

World Crowns This section, containing many high-priced German and continental items, did not do well. This can be attributed largely to decreased interest in these coins as a reflection of the present weakness of European currencies.

World Minor Coins
of material offered. Did well, mainly because of the diversity
Germanic and northern European coins were,

again, rather weak.

English Hammered Coinage This section of nearly 100 lots was equivocal: some lots did very well, others did not sell. Probably we simply offered too many lots of this specialty to expect tham all to do well. Interest was, however, keen for many pieces and some of the small groups of pieces offered.

Ancient Coinage Generally did very well. We have been offered an important high-quality consignment for next auction, but would like to have further quality ancients to offer to our clientele.

Odd and Curious Interest as always was at a high level in this area, and particularly those items from developing countries

attracted strong mail bids.

Literature All lots sold well with high mail interest. This is characteristic of all our literature offerings. Fow others bother!

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