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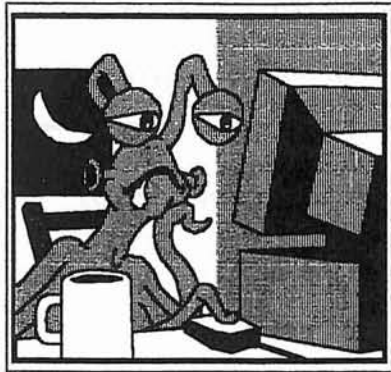
By Jerry Remick

To commemorate its 35th anniversary in 1994, the Waterloo Coin Society issued a large souvenir \$35 note for their banquet in June 1994. The note has no redeemable value.

Club member Earl Sheriff in designing the note, tried to duplicate in a number of ways the large size and coloring of the Canadian Bank Note Company's "Horse Blanket" notes of many years ago. The large note is 178 mm long by 84 mm wide (7 inches X 4.5 inches). It is printed on heavy, light-green paper in greenish ink with the serial number in black. Only 150 notes were printed. The serial numbers run from 000001 to 000150.

The note is available in a thick plastic envelope at \$3.00 postpaid from the Waterloo Coin Society, P.O. Box 40044, Waterloo Square P.O., 75 King St. South, Waterloo, Ont., N2J 4V1.





EDITOR'S NEWS

Caution... editor at work!!!

By now, most clubs who traditionally break for the summer months are back in full swing with a good number of activities planned for the coming numismatic year. Just glance at our **SHOW AND BOURSE** section and you'll see that a number of clubs are planning to stage coin and collectible shows within the next short while.

I hope everyone had a good summer. For those of you who were unable to attend the CNA convention in July, you missed a great show.....great as far as the meetings, bourse, displays and educational aspects went, but not so great from the accommodations point of view. Mark my words, as long as it's in my control (unless things change drastically), I'll never plan anything at the Royal Connaught Hotel again. The rooms were a disgrace (and I was not the only one who felt this way, in fact several of us ended up staying across the street at the Ramada), the food (or lack thereof) was expensive and tasteless, the staff were apathetic and to top things off.....no air conditioning for most of the show (when temperatures outside consistently rose above 30 C for the duration!).

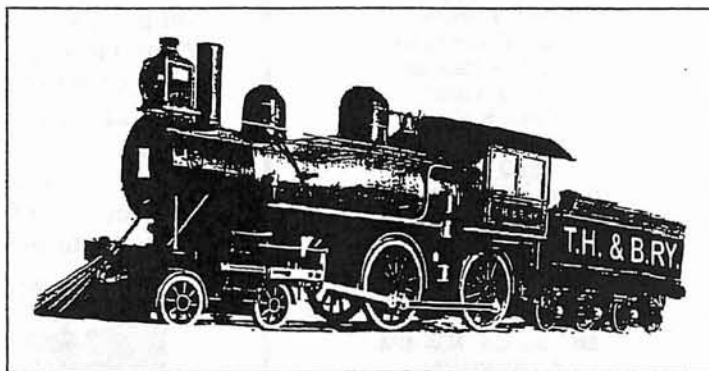
The North York Coin Club should be congratulated for still putting on a heckuva show, even in light of the hotel's dismal performance. In fact, I was impressed with the hardworking lot whom, it was apparent, were well prepared and eager to make the show a success. And that it was.

Tom Masters and I were awarded the "Best Regional Newsletter" award for 1993 (you'll remember we each did 3 issues in '93 - yours truly taking over in July). Hope I can keep up the good work which Tom began and perhaps even improve a bit on last year's bulletin.

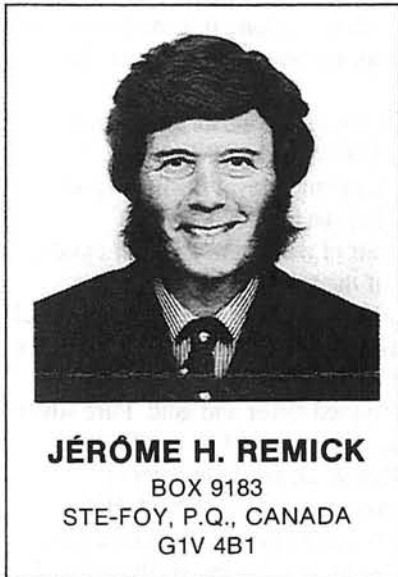
I'm told that elections are soon coming up, so.... for those of you who would like to run for any of the executive positions, or who would like to nominate someone who they feel might be interested, please send your nominations or intentions to run to the ONA box office in Waterloo.

In this issue, Jerry Remick's name again graces the pages with several fine articles on new token issues, a book review and a new commemorative paper note issued by the Waterloo Coin society. I've included an article of mine about collecting Canadian Municipal medallions. And of course there's the usual club news, show and bourse, classifieds and odds and sods. Hope you enjoy.

Until next month....keep those newsletters and show info. coming in. And I'd like to hear from any club who still doesn't include me on their mailing list - please do so (It would be nice to hear from the Thunder Bay club - not often we hear about what's going on in the Northwest of the province....how about it?). And don't forget - we're always in need of articles of any length to add variety to these pages (it's the spice of life, as they say). Keep in touch!



DRINK TOKEN ISSUED IN WATERLOO



A 33 mm nickel Bonded steel drink token was issued by Heartfest of Waterloo, Ontario, administrators of the 1994 Canadian Women's Curling Championships, held from February 26 to March 5th in the new Waterloo Recreational Center. The annual tournament, known as the Scott Tournament of Hearts, is sponsored annually by Scott Paper Limited. It takes place in a different city each year.

Using a combination of the word "heart" from the name of the annual event "Scott Tournament of Hearts" and the word "Fest" from the well known Oktoberfest, held annually in the Kitchener-Waterloo area, the name Heartfest for the 1994 Tournament was derived.

During the Scott Tournament of Hearts in Waterloo, the tokens were sold at \$3.50 each or six for \$20.00. They could be used to purchase a bottle of beer, a shot of liquor or a glass of wine in the curling clubs. There is no value



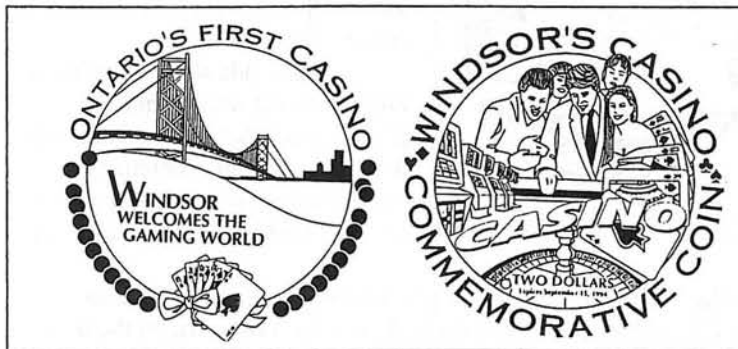
indicated on the token.

The logo for the annual Scott Tournament of Hearts, consisting of four hearts, is pictured in the center on one side of the token. "THE SCOTT TOURNAMENT OF HEARTS/ KITCHENER 1994 WATERLOO" is inscribed around the outer part.

The other side features the logo for the 1994 tournament, consisting of a beer stein, representing the annual K-W Oktoberfest, with the head of Softie, the mascot of Scott Paper Limited at the top. "HEART / FEST" is engraved on the hat on Softie's head. The 4 hearts logo is featured on the upper part of the beer stein and just below "THE SCOTT / TOURNAMENT / OF HEARTS / 1994".

Specimens of the 1994 token are available at \$2.75 postpaid from the Scott Tournament of Hearts, 353 Old Post Rd., Waterloo, Ont., N2L 5P3.

NEW CASINO ON WINDSOR TOKEN



A scene from the recently opened gambling casino in Windsor, Ontario is featured on the obverse side of an issue of 1994 \$2.00 municipal trade tokens sponsored by the Windsor & District Chamber of Commerce of Windsor, Ontario. The design is a collage of different elements in Windsor's new gambling casino showing a roulette wheel in the foreground; 5 playing cards

showing a royal flush in spades to the right; four slot machines at the left and a group of 5 enthusiastic people in the background, one of whom has perhaps rolled the dice onto the table. "CASINO" in large letters is inscribed over the lower part. "TWO DOLLARS / EXPIRES SEPTEMBER 15, 1994" is inscribed at the bottom. "WINDSOR'S CASINO / COMMEMORATIVE COIN" is around the outer part in large letters, the two phrases separated by a heart and a diamond at the left center and a spade and a club at the right center. This is one of the most dynamic designs I have seen in a long time on a municipal token. Bill Foster of Hargreaves, Charbonneau and Associates in Windsor designed both sides of the token.

A sketch of the Ambassador Bridge, connecting Detroit, Michigan and Windsor is featured on the reverse side with the skyline of Windsor in the background "WINDSOR / WELCOMES THE / GAMING WORLD" is inscribed below the bridge. Five playing cards showing a royal flush in spades with a bow from a ribbon attached at the bottom of the cards is pictured at the bottom center. "ONTARIO'S FIRST CASINO" is around the outer part of the upper half of the token. Circular blanks, representing playing chips, are around the outer part of the lower half of the token.

Sherritt Mint of Fort Saskatchewan, Alberta struck 60,000 tokens on 33 mm nickel bonded steel blanks and marked a small quantity with a secret mark, denoting a prize winning token. The secret mark will be announced after September 15, 1994 and prizes awarded. From this order of 60,000 NBS specimens, 1000 were plated in equal quantities in antiqued bronze, antiqued silver and gold. Pure silver (.55 ounces) and pure gold (.9 ounces) tokens were also made, but these are in proof-like condition.

Specimens in NBS are available at \$3.00 postpaid from Windsor & District Chamber of Commerce, Commemorative Coin Project, 500 Riverside Drive West, Windsor, Ontario, N9A 5K6 (telephone 519-256-2641). The following "off-metals" are available at the price given in brackets plus \$2.00 per order for shipping and handling: antiqued copper plated NBS (\$5.18), Antiqued silver plated NBS (\$7.48), antiqued gold plate NBS (\$8.63), pure silver (\$28.75) and pure gold (\$857.00)

The Casino Windsor opened on May 16, 1994. It is situated at 445 Riverside Drive West, Windsor, Ontario, N9A 6T8 (telephone 519-258-7878), being very close to the waterfront and the Windsor-Detroit tunnel and bridge. The Casino offers roulette, blackjack, baccarat, mini-baccarat and over 1700 slot machines with a wide variety of games costing from 25 cents and up.

Casinos which previously opened in Canada are situated in Montreal and Winnipeg. On June 24, 1994, a casino opened in Pointe Au Pique, Quebec, situated 170 KM northeast of Quebec City. Other gambling casinos are scheduled to open in various parts of Canada in the near future.

NEW CHATEAU FRONTENAC MEDAL



Jerry Remick has designed and issued a new 38 mm medal in proof condition showing three sights very familiar to tourists in Quebec City. The medal was made to be sold in souvenir stores to tourists, but a small quantity was purchased for collectors by dealers.

One side shows the Chateau Frontenac, the world's most photographed hotel. It was issued to mark the Chateau Frontenac's centennial in 1993. "1893-1993" is

below the Chateau Frontenac. LE CHATEAU FRONTENAC / QUEBEC, CANADA" is around the outer part.

LA PORTE SAINT-LOUIS (The Saint Louis Gate), the gate which goes through the wall surrounding Quebec City and allows traffic and people to pass on St Louis Road is shown on the other

side with a horse and buggy in front. Tourists may rent the horse and buggy for \$50.00 for a 45 minute tour of Quebec City. "LA PORTE SAINT-LOUIS / QUEBEC, CANADA" is around the outer part.

Pressed Metal Products, 505 Alexander Street, Vancouver, B.C., V6A 1C8 struck the medals (after cutting the dies) on 38 mm blanks with a frosted proof finish in the following metals with mintages in brackets: gold-plated copper (118), Copper (52), Commercial bronze (30), yellow brass (30) and nickel-silver (30).

Jocelyn Roy, box 486, Stn. C, Montreal, Que., H2L 4K4 can supply the medal in any metal at \$6.00 postpaid for one medal and \$5.50 postpaid each if 2 or more medals are ordered. He only has 15 of each for sale. If he is sold out, try Ray Desjardins, P.O. Box 11447 Stn. H, Nepean, Ont., K2H 7V1. I do not know his prices. He has only 10 of each metal for sale.

This is probably the only time this combination of these two dies will be used. A new die will be cut for future issues showing the Chateau Frontenac without the dates below of "1893-1993".

To aid collectors, copper is a brilliant red and a lovely metal. Nickel silver is the color of silver or at least of our nickel coinage. Gold plated is a deep rich golden color. Brass is a lighter golden color than gold plated. Commercial bronze is an extremely pleasing honey color and highly recommended. It is not bronze color or copper color at all.

TECUMSEH LIONS ISSUE TOKEN

"LIONS SERVING THE HANDICAPPED" is the theme of the 1994 Tecumseh \$3.00 municipal token, sponsored by the Tecumseh Lions club.

The Tecumseh Lions Club was founded in 1971 to raise funds for the blind. since that time, their charitable work has expanded to include: leader dogs for the blind, local park recreation facilities and transportation for senior citizens and the handicapped. Profit from the sale of their 1994 municipal token will be used for these projects.



A diagrammatic sketch of a person in a wheelchair is featured in the center of the obverse side of their 1994 token. This is the international symbol of access that was adopted by Rehabilitation International in 1969. The symbol informs a handicapped person, particularly one using a wheelchair, that a building or facility is accessible and can be entered and used without fear of being blocked by architectural barriers. The symbol is now in use throughout the world. "1994" is just below the wheelchair. The International Lions Club logo is shown to the right and above it "EXPIRES DEC. 31, / 1994". "VALUE \$3.00 / IN TECUMSEH" is to the left of the wheelchair. "TRADE DOLLAR" is above. "LIONS SERVING THE HANDICAPPED" is inscribed at the bottom of the obverse side.

A left-facing profile sketch representing Chief Tecumseh with full feather headdress (1768 - 1813), with his name inscribed just below is featured on the reverse side. No authenticated portrait of Chief Tecumseh is known. The international Lions Club logo is to the left side and a maple leaf is to the right side. "TOWN OF TECUMSEH FOUNDED 1927 / ONTARIO, CANADA" is inscribed above the portrait. "TECUMSEH LIONS CLUB FOUNDED 1971" is below the portrait. This portrait and much of the inscription forms the town's logo.

Shawnee War Chief Tecumseh was still in his early twenties when he began leading the fight to preserve his native Ohio Valley for the Shawnee. His vision was to unite all Indian tribes of the Midwest United States against the westward migration of American settlers. His appeal and efforts failed and he took his warriors northward to Upper Canada (Ontario) where they joined British and Canadian forces battling the Americans in the War of 1812. Together with British General Isaac Brock, Chief Tecumseh

(Shooting Star) was one of the great military leaders in the War of 1812. He was a competent organizer, as well as a first-rate military commander. As general of the Indian troops, Tecumseh played an important role in the early victories of the war, including the capture of Detroit, Michigan. On October 5, 1813, he was killed in the Battle of Moraviantown on the Thames River, which runs through Chatham, Ontario, while leading his people against the invaders, after the British had fled.

Sherritt Mint, Fort Saskatchewan, Alberta, struck the token on 33 mm blanks in the following metals with mintages in brackets: nickel bonded steel (2,200), bronze plate (400), gold plate (400), pure silver (80) and pure gold (10). The pure silver specimens contain 0.55 ounces of silver and the pure gold specimens 0.90 troy ounces of gold. Both are in proof condition.

Specimens are available postpaid as follows: NBS (\$3.50), bronze plate (\$6.50), gold plate (\$9.50), pure silver (\$30.50) and pure gold (\$775.00) from the Tecumseh Lions Club, 12421 Tecumseh Road, Tecumseh, Ontario, N8N 1M6 (telephone 519-735-5754, contact Joe Hebert). Specimens of their 1990 medal and their 1991, 1992 and 1993 municipal tokens are available in the same metals and at the same prices as their 1994 token. The portrait of Chief Tecumseh is on the reverse side of all pieces. A brochure illustrating each piece is available free on request.

1995 WORLD COIN CATALOGUE ISSUED

The 1995 edition of the "STANDARD CATALOGUE OF WORLD COINS" by Chester L. Krause and Clifford Mishler and edited by Colin Bruce II was released in August. It is available from the publisher Krause Publications, Book Dept. NR, 700 East State St., Iola, Wisconsin, 54990, USA (telephone 715-445-2214). Retail price is \$49.50 US. Postal orders are an additional \$2.50 for United States residents and \$5.00 for those living outside the United States. This is the 22nd annual edition of this large telephone directory size catalogue which is 2.5 inches thick.

The 2200 page catalogue contains over 100,000 coin listings and covers all coins minted from 1801 through the first part of 1994 by date and mintmark. All type coins are illustrated. There are over 5200 actual size photographs of coins. Coin valuations are given for up to four collectable grades. Mintage figures are also given. Commemoratives as well as proof, presentation and mint sets are catalogued. Actual precious metal weights for silver, gold and platinum coins are given.

New, emerging republics in Eastern Europe are each catalogued separately as for example former members of the U.S.S.R. and Slovenia, Slovakia and the Czech Republic.

For each country there is an index map locating it and a few paragraphs on its history, geography, population and resources.

The book contains numerous aids to assist world coin collectors among which are: an illustrated guide to identifying coins, standard international numeral systems, grading terminology and abbreviations, date conversion chart (from Jewish, Hejira and other calendars to the Christian era), mint index, coin denomination index, a list of legend abbreviations, chart of coin sizes, foreign exchange rates and a cross-referenced country index.



CANADIAN MUNICIPAL MEDALS

By Jeff Fournier



Collecting Canadian municipal medals can be an inexpensive, yet rewarding sideline to your decimal collection. There are many thousands of pieces available which have been issued by towns and cities across Canada. One thing many people are struck by when they first begin to collect commemorative medals are the many and varied types which exist. It's quite possible to put together a collection of medals depicting hockey stars, ships, trains, famous people and historical events

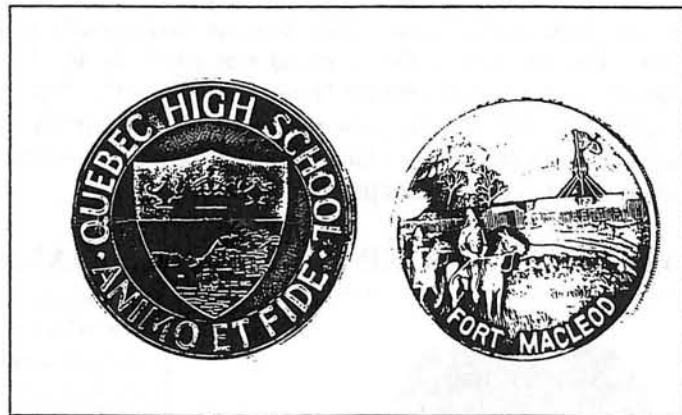
Municipal medals have been struck in numerous metals including bronze, copper, silver, nickel, gold and even platinum. A few are even enamelled or cast, but the vast majority

are struck in inexpensive base metals. Sizes range from as small as a dime (medal), to crown size (medal) and as large in diameter as a hockey puck (medallion). I tend to use the term medal in a general sense to cover all three situations, in order to simplify matters.

We sometimes forget that decimal coins have many restrictions placed on them because of government regulations and the necessity of striking something that will last for extended periods even with much abuse. Of course, cost is a factor as well. Intricate designs and raised features on the surface of coins would not wear well or strike well. Not so with a medal. The artist is free to express himself/herself in designing the medal's surface, since it is not intended to be circulated as money.

Unlike a token (they are most often confused with municipal trade tokens or trade dollars), a medal isn't intended to be used for exchange. It will have no mention of monetary worth on either side (obverse or reverse). Medals are struck as souvenir pieces only, and are usually issued to commemorate a municipal centennial, royal visit, or to mark an important anniversary of a local area, landmark, or event. Some medals feature local dignitaries, celebrities, industries, businesses, carnivals, or service clubs.

Canadian municipalities have been issuing commemorative medallions since before the turn of the century, but the majority have been issued since 1950 with numbers peaking in the mid '60's and early '70's.



This is an untapped field, with very few books available, and many bargains waiting to be found. Since so few people collect municipal medallions, the individual who does a little digging and research of his own should be able to "unearth" some very interesting and inexpensive pieces.

In this issue of the *ONTARIO NUMISMATIST*, we'll be looking at a few of the many medals which have been issued by communities across Canada, giving a broad overview of what's available. Whether you're a beginning or advanced collector, municipal medals might just be the type of collectible you've been looking for - inexpensive, obtainable and fun to collect!

ONTARIO MEDALLIONS



Diversity of subjects, metals and sizes are readily apparent in the Ontario Medal series. Let's look at a few of the many medals which could form part of your collection if this particular series appeals to you.

Cobalt, once one of the world's richest silver producing areas, has several medals to its credit. These were issued in 1963, 73 and 78 to commemorate the town's 60th, 70th and 75th anniversaries respectively.

A medal honoring the 300th anniversary of Moose Factory was struck in 1973. It is very large in size - over 50 millimetres and brings to mind the role native Canadians played in the development of our country.

Sudbury boasts over 100 pieces ranging

from INCO commemoratives to the widely collected "Canadian Centennial Numismatic Park Series". Many of you know Sudbury as the city with the world's largest nickel!

Manitoulin Island is best known for its extensive and popular trade dollar series which has run continuously since 1969. But few realize that a medal was struck by the Little Current Lions Club in 1968 for "Hawewater weekend". This is a popular festival held every year on the island (incidentally, the world's largest freshwater island) and enjoyed by the locals as well as a host of tourists and past residents.



OTTAWA - ISSUER OF MANY MEDALS



Ottawa is Canada's capital city and not surprisingly, a city which is responsible for issuing numerous medals. As one would expect, many of the medals from here revolve around the Royal Canadian Mint including: a bronze and nickel medal to commemorate its 60th anniversary; a large copper medal struck in 1986 to mark the reopening of the mint after some major renovations and a medal depicting a former master of the mint, Norval A. Parker.

Other medals have been issued to commemorate the Constitutional act of 1982 (struck in French and English) and Pope John Paul II visit in 1984. The list of issues is extensive and cannot all be covered here.

ST. CATHERINE'S GRAPE AND WINE FESTIVAL



Every year, a gala festival is held in the city of St. Catherine's in honor of the grapes and wine which it is renowned for. From 1970 to 1977, a series of medals were minted as souvenirs for the festival goers. These large medals (approximately 40 millimeters in diameter) all have a common caricature on one side - Mr. Grape, the festival's mascot. An interesting collection could be formed of these medals alone. Although they were issued for eight years only, many more exist since they were struck in various metals including gold, silver, nickel-silver and bronze.

TORONTO - KING OF THE MEDAL ISSUERS

Ontario's capital city is not to be outdone when it comes to medal issues. Hundreds of medals exist and cover all areas imaginable: sports, business, the C.N.E., animals, landmarks, historical events and the list goes on. The C.N.E medal series is as old as the event itself and thus, boasts numerous samples. To cover this series adequately would take a complete volume to do it justice.

One of the more interesting medals from Toronto is a large bronze piece issued by the Metro Toronto Zoo. It features an ark full of animals on one side and the zoo's logo on the other.

Royalty is well represented in medallic form here in the Queen city - from the Royal birth of Prince Henry in 1984 to Charles' and Diana's wedding in 1981 and a medal for the Queen's Own Rifles of Canada. The royalty collector could have a field day with the Toronto issues.



THE MEDALS OF THE NORTHWEST TERRITORIES

"Rupert's Land" and the "North-Western Territory" transferred to the Dominion of Canada by way of an Imperial Order in Council on June, 23, 1870. Acquired from the Hudson's Bay Company for what was then a substantial 300,000 pounds (about \$1.5million), the massive area was renamed the Northwest Territories. The purchase increased Canada's size by approximately 800 percent.

Ten years later, in 1880, the Territories were expanded to include the remainder of the Arctic Islands, and again in 1925 were increased in size with the extension of Canada's boundaries to the North Pole. Due to its vast size and remote communities, the Northwest Territories have, for the most part, been ignored by coin collectors. This is unfortunate since the area is rich in history and offers abundant opportunities to those who enjoy a numismatic challenge. Like other areas of Canada, trade dollars, merchant tokens, scrip and medals have been issued by a number of local individuals and organizations.

CENTENNIAL COMMEMORATIVES



Many Canadian communities and provinces commemorated Canada's centennial year with an issuance of medals and the N.W.T. was no exception. Yellowknife distributed medals in bronze (3000), gold filled (500) and gold (525) featuring a coat-of-arms on one side and the Canadian Centennial symbol on the other. Inuvik had medals struck in silver (50) white metal (50) and bronze (200). Like the Yellowknife medal, one side bore the centennial symbol and the other, a figure of an Eskimo in native attire, with a lightning bolt held in his outstretched arm. Incidentally, this same design had been used for a medal issued in 1963 commemorating the establishment of the Royal Canadian Naval base, H.M.C.S Inuvik, only one side featured a map of the Mackenzie River Delta instead of the '67 symbol.

N.W.T CENTENNIAL COMMEMORATED

In 1970, medals were struck to mark the 100th anniversary of the purchase of the N.W.T.

One medal, in particular,



best exemplified the spirit of unity which prevailed during the months in which the centennial celebrations took place. It was authorized by the Government of the NWT at Yellowknife and struck in brass, 32 millimeters in diameter. Three parka-clad figures were portrayed on one side, representing the three main ethnic groups inhabiting the area: Eskimos (35%), Indians (35%) and others (30%). This, the official Centennial symbol was also designed to represent the three major regions of the N.W.T.: the Districts of Franklin, Keewatin and Mackenzie. This medal was produced on behalf of all municipalities in the NWT.

NWT: MEDAL ISSUES

FORT SIMPSON

- 1a) Oldest Trading Post On Mackenzie R., 1984 - NBS/33mm
- 2a) Papal Visit, 1984 - Nickel/33mm
- 2b) Papal Visit, 1984 - Gold-plate/33mm

FROBISHER BAY

- 1a) Gordon Robertson Education Center, 1971 - copper/39mm

GREAT BEAR LAKE

- 1a) Branson's Lodge, no date - bronze/40mm
- 1b) Branson's Lodge, no date - antiqued-silver plate/40mm
- 1c) Branson's Lodge, no date - silver/40mm

INUVIK

- 1a) H.M.C.S Inuvik, 1963 - bronze/36mm
- 1b) H.M.C.S Inuvik, 1963 - zinc/36mm
- 1c) H.M.C.S Inuvik, 1963 - silver/36mm
- 1d) H.M.C.S Inuvik, 1963 - sterling gilt/36mm
- 2a) H.M.C.S Inuvik, 1967 - bronze/36mm
- 2b) H.M.C.S Inuvik, 1967 - zinc/36mm
- 2c) H.M.C.S Inuvik, 1967 - silver/36mm

PORT RADIUM

- 1a) Echo Bay Mine, 1972 - bronze/38mm
- 1b) Echo Bay Mine, 1972 - silver/38mm

YELLOWKNIFE

- 1a) Canada's Centennial, 1967 - bronze/32mm
- 1b) Canada's Centennial, 1967 - gold-filled/24mm
- 1c) Canada's Centennial, 1967 - gold/21mm
- 2a) Boy Scouts Arctic Northern Jamboree, 1970 - zinc/31mm
- 3a) Hudson's Bay Company, 1974 - brass/38mm
- 4a) Salute To The Mining Industry, 1981 - silver/33mm
- 5a) Salute To Aviation, 1982 - silver/33mm
- 6a) Salute To Trappers and Traders, 1983 - silver/33mm
- 7a) Yellowknife 50th Anniversary, 1984 - gold/33mm

INDUSTRY DEPICTED

More recently, a number of medals have been made available portraying industries in and around Yellowknife.

In 1981, a silver, 33 millimeter metal (mintage 1000) was struck as a salute to the mining industry, with a miner and headframe on one side and the crest of the N.W.T on the other (common to all three medals).

The 1982 edition honored aviation and was struck, again in silver, 33 millimeters (mintage 1000) with a bush pilot and plane on one side.

A final medal, struck in 1983 portrayed a trapper and was struck in silver, 33 millimeters, though this time, with a mintage of only 650.

PAPAL VISIT CANCELLED

In 1984 a commemorative medal was struck in Nickel (20,000) and gold-plate (10,000) to mark the visit of Pope John Paul II to the community of Fort Simpson. Unfortunately, the Pope was unable to fulfill his commitment to visit due to inclement weather.

UNDAUNTING

The list furnished here includes only those medals struck for specific localities and excludes general issues. The data provides information on issuer and/or reason for issue, date, composition and size (given in millimeters). Readers should be advised that this is a tentative listing only and cannot be considered complete at this time.

As you can see, NWT medals have not been issued in great quantities. Therefore, readers wishing to collect this series should not feel overwhelmed. Be cautioned, however, that some of the medals are quite difficult to obtain, especially those issued in silver and gold. Mintages for these are generally quite low (sometimes as few as 25). There's really no need to collect all the metal types for each particular issue; one example from each location is really all that's required.

ALBERTA MEDALS

Commemorative medals issued in Alberta are as diverse as the province itself. Hundreds have been issued here and there are probably many unknown to collectors, just waiting to be discovered by an enthusiastic individual.

As one might expect, a good many of these medals have been struck to mark events such as the Calgary Stampede and '88 winter olympics.

Edmonton leads the way in regards to municipal issues. Even the town of Wildwood, with a population of less than a thousand people has had a number of these medallic pieces struck.

To those who live in Alberta or anywhere else in Canada for that matter, a collection of these items would prove to be



interesting and challenging to assemble. Let's look at some of the medals comprising this series.

FROM A TO Z



If you were to build a collection around medals issued from different towns and cities in Alberta, you could almost cover the entire alphabet. Municipalities from A to W (well, almost!) have had medals struck.

Athabasca commemorated its 75th anniversary in 1986 with a nickel medal. Banff, one of Canada's most beautiful resorts, has been responsible for several examples as well. Literally dozens of medals have been produced for the city of Calgary including one marking the coronation of King George V in 1911. Several medals feature what was once North America's tallest landmark, the Husky tower. But by far, the Calgary Stampede has been the most widely immortalized on a medallic piece.

The stampede attracts thousands of visitors to the area every year. These visitors are only too happy to take a memento back with them as a souvenir of their stay. This likely accounts for the rather large number of medals issued here.

Another event which Calgary hosted - the 1988 winter Olympics - was well represented on commemorative medals. One of the more impressive issues features a picturesque view of the Calgary skyline with the famous Rocky Mountains in the background. Minted in bronze, it is 62 millimetres in diameter.

Drumheller, home to some of the richest fossil grounds in the world boasts a number of medals popular with fans of the dinosaur. One such medal, produced in 1967, features a brontosaurus on one side. A series of medals has also been produced in more recent years by the Tyrell museum of Palaeontology, each depicting a dinosaur of the type found in the area.



NUMEROUS ISSUES FROM EDMONTON



Edmonton, Alberta's capital city and the oil capital of Canada is undoubtedly the winner when it comes to most medals issued. So far, about 140 are known to exist. Hockey fans might be inclined to collect the many medals minted with hockey as their main theme. But sports collectors in general would be happy with the multitude of sports-related pieces. These include a number which depict Edmonton's Northland coliseum, commonwealth athletes and the Edmonton Eskimos football team.

We could literally go on for days covering issues from other municipalities that have had medals struck: Edson, Fairview, Falher, Fort Saskatchewan, Grand Prairie, Hanna, Hillcrest, Jasper, Killam, Lethbridge, Medicine Hat, Onoway, Pincher Creek, Red Deer, Stavely, Three Hills, Vegreville, Vulcan and Wildwood. Many others have been left out as they are too numerous to mention here. Suffice to say, if municipal medals are your forte, then you're in luck!

FROM EXPLORERS TO POPES

Are you a history buff? If you are then you'd be interested in a number of medals that were issued to commemorate famous Canadian explorers. One such example is the piece struck by the Sherritt Mint in 1967 featuring Henry Kelsey. Made from pure nickel, the medal pays tribute to a man whose accomplishments include being the first Englishman to penetrate beyond the coastline into Western Canada. Kelsey was also the first among his countrymen to explore the west coast of Hudson Bay (north of Churhill) and the first to reach the Canadian Prairies. His journey through the areas now known as Manitoba and Saskatchewan secured his place in Canadian history books.

Three medals were produced in 1984 to mark the Canadian visit of Pope John Paul II. Two of these were issued by the province of Alberta while the third was struck for the city of Edmonton. (Anyone who collects Papal medals/coins and so forth might also be interested in knowing that many other Canadian cities issued medals to commemorate John Paul's visit in that same year.)



BRITISH COLUMBIA MEDALS



Like the other provinces covered so far, BC has a wealth of medals to choose from. Vancouver, being the largest city in the province probably also constitutes the city with the largest number of issues.

An interesting medal was struck for this coastal city in 1965 to commemorate its first annual Spring Carnival. Interestingly, the medal has the misspelled word "beautiful", which was noted only after the medal was issued.

In 1986, a series of medals were issued to mark the World Exposition held in Vancouver that year.

Several interesting medals have also been issued for the Pacific

National Exhibition, held annually in the city of Vancouver.

In Kitimat, several medals have been issued by the Aluminum Company of Canada, made, of course, from Alcan aluminum. The first piece was issued to commemorate the pouring of the first aluminum at the Alcan smelter which had been erected in 1951. This piece was given to plant employees. Later, in 1959, two pieces were issued and used for presentation purposes to visitors to the plant. These were in two sizes: 1 7/32" and 1". A 3rd piece of similar design was issued in 1960 but with large letters "Kitimat" and small letters "Alcan".

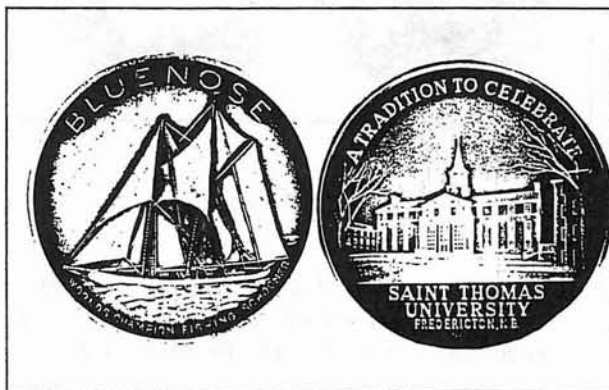
One of my favorite places - White Rock (situated on the North end of Semiahmo Bay near the American Border) - produced an interesting medallion in 1980 and again in 1981. It was cast in the likeness of a sand dollar. A sand dollar is a small animal found in sandy areas along coastal beaches. It is a small starfish like animal of the sea cucumber family and is flat and about the size of a silver dollar (hence its name). The medallion was made of zinc and is quite unique.



Another series of medals which is worth mentioning were produced by Cominco Ltd., of Trail. The company celebrated its 50th anniversary in 1956 with the production of two medals: a zinc die-cast piece, which was given to local schoolchildren and a long service medal to recognize employees having 40 years of service (it should be noted the company was known then as the Consolidated Mining and Smelting Company of Canada, Ltd. It shortened its name to COMINCO Ltd. in May of 1966.) A silver medal was struck by the company in 1986 to mark its 80th anniversary and another silver piece was produced in 1989 to commemorate the blast furnace operations at their smelter.



ATLANTIC PROVINCES



Canada's Atlantic Provinces have had some interesting and topical medal issues including a crown size piece depicting the famous schooner "Bluenose". The distinctive medal was issued to commemorate the exploits of the famous metal which sank off the Haitian coast in 1946. Only 200 silver medals were issued by a small group of numismatists in Halifax, Nova Scotia.

In Fredericton, New Brunswick, beautifully engraved bronze and silver medals were issued to commemorate the 75th anniversary of the founding of St. Thomas

University in 1985. The obverse features the university and the reverse, it's crest.

The Dartmouth, Nova Scotia museum society had an medal struck in 1967 to commemorate Canada's centennial. Variations in the mint mark and in the number of chimneys on the building featured in the logo on the obverse, are known. The medal was produced in antiqued bronze and silver.

Another community in Nova Scotia - the town of Baie Verte - issued a commemorative medal in 1983, marking its 25th year of incorporation. These were struck only in brass.

In 1964, the Provincial Centennial committee of Prince Edward Island issued a medal to mark the 100th anniversary of the Charlottetown Conference. The medal - struck by Canadian Artistic Dies (now known as the Lombardo Mint) - was produced in bright bronze, golden bronze, sterling silver, 10 kt gold and aluminum. The aluminum pieces were distributed to the schoolchildren of the province.



SASKATCHEWAN MEDALS

When a North Battleford Hospital celebrated its 60th anniversary in 1973, it chose to commemorate the occasion with the issuance of a medal. The obverse shows a picture of the hospital and



the reverse features an inscription telling of the anniversary. 900 were struck in bronze, 100 in nickel silver and a mere 10 in pure silver.

Sporting events such as the Canada Games held in Regina in 1975 were preserved for all time in medallic form.

Other communities issued medals marking important events such as the 50th

anniversary of Nipawin, celebrated in 1974 and commemorated on a brass medal; or the town of Creighton who released a bronze medal to pay tribute to its namesake - Thomas Creighton who discovered the Flin Flon mine in 1915.

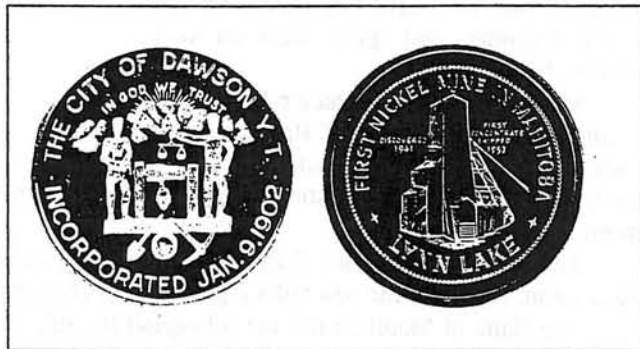
As with the other provinces municipal medal issues, this only scratches the surface!

MANITOBA and YUKON MEDALS

Medals issued in the Yukon territories are not numerous but there have been several struck for the city of Dawson among others. In 1977, for example, Dawson commemorated their 75th year of incorporation with the issuance of a nickel medal featuring mining tools on one side and a coat of arms (with two miners depicted) on the other.

In Manitoba, Winnipeg and Thompson both have issued several medals as have Brandon, Churchill, Fox Mine, Flin Flon, Lynn Lake and Yorkton, to name a few.

Because of its association with the International Nickel Company, it only stands to reason that the City of Thompson would have many pure nickel medal issues such as the one struck in 1967 to commemorate Canada's Centennial or another honoring Canada's first Prime Minister, Sir John A. Macdonald.



QUEBEC MEDALS RICH IN HISTORY



Hundreds, perhaps thousands of medals have been issued in the Province of Quebec, which is one of Canada's most historically rich provinces. Many of these medals celebrate this historical diversity and preserve it in medallic form.

Significant events such as Canada's Centennial in 1967, the Montreal Olympics in 1976 and the 125 celebrations in 1992 along with many others have been commemorated by medal issues. One such medal was issued by the Bank of Montreal in 1992.

BANK OF MONTREAL MEDAL, 1992

When Confederation was achieved in Canada 125 years ago, the country's largest financial institution was already celebrating its 50th anniversary.

The Montreal Bank was the first bank in British North America to give full banking services when it opened its doors on November 3, 1817.

Funded by nine Montreal merchants, it later became the "Bank of Montreal" by the grant of a charter in 1822.

Over the years, the bank had a major influence on the growth and development of Canada. It funded the building of Canada's Lachine Canal between 1821 and 1825, Canada's first railway - the Champlain and St. Lawrence from 1832 to 1836 and the Grand Trunk Railway in the 1850's, which ran from Quebec to Sarnia.

The Bank of Montreal became the major source of financing for the Canadian Pacific Railway's construction of the transcontinental railroad which was completed in November of 1885. Donald Smith (later known as Lord Strathcona) who drove the legendary last spike, went on to become the bank's president.

Mergers with the Exchange Bank of Yarmouth, the People's Bank of Halifax, the People's Bank of New Brunswick and the Molson's Bank, among others, strengthened the Bank of Montreal's branch network which eventually extended from coast-to-coast.

The bank was appointed fiscal agent of the Province of Canada in 1864 and in 1867, the year of Confederation, it became the new federal government's bankers.

The Bank of Montreal did not relinquish the role of central bank to the country until after the establishment of the Bank of Canada in 1935. Their banknotes, however, which had been issued since 1817, continued to be produced until 1942, but were gradually phased out and eventually withdrawn in 1950, along with other such issues.

Today, the Bank of Montreal continues to provide a large number of services to the Federal, provincial and municipal governments as well as to businesses and private individuals in Canada and throughout the rest of the world.



175TH ANNIVERSARY MEDAL



To mark its 175th anniversary and Canada's 125th year of Confederation IN 1992, the Bank of Montreal issued a commemorative medallions, struck in antiqued brass and produced by "Souvenir Avanti" of Montreal, Quebec.

The obverse design was by Bryan Gauld of H.O. Graphics (Montreal) and featured a stylistic "175" in the center with "YEARS" superimposed on it. The inscription "BANK OF MONTREAL" is below this and the familiar Bank of Montreal logo is to the left at the top.

On the reverse is the Canada 125 logo - a stylistic maple leaf and "Canada 125" below. This was the first 1992 medallion produced with the Canada 125 logo on it.

The medallion was distributed from the Bank of Montreal's head office in Montreal, to branch offices organizing special activities in honor of the joint anniversaries. Other branches requesting copies for special occasions were also given them.

COLLECT WHAT YOU LIKE

We've covered only a small portion of what's available for the medal collector...only touched the tip 'o the iceberg you might say. But, it's enough to get you started in the field. I've tried only to give collectors a quick glance of this fascinating field and to let them know just how large, interesting and exciting it is. A word of advice is in order though. Don't try to collect everything. Choose a city or topic that interests you and concentrate on putting together a collection that you like. Enjoy!



DETECTING CANADIAN COUNTERFEIT CURRENCY

SPECIAL PAPER: A genuine note will have small green discs or planchettes which can be picked off the paper while a counterfeit note will have no planchettes or if simulated, ones which can't be peeled off.

METHOD OF PRINTING: Large lettered "CANADA" and border printed with raised effect. Counterfeits rarely have this raised effect. Most counterfeits are copied using high definition copiers. Therefore, counterfeit notes usually bear all the same serial numbers. No two genuine notes will have the same serial number.

QUEEN'S PORTRAIT: Portrait of Queen is very lifelike with many fine details in a genuine note. Counterfeits lack this detail. Features such as the eyes look lifeless.

SHOW & BOURSE



OCTOBER 1 - HAMILTON COIN CLUB SEMI-ANNUAL COIN SHOW

Royal Can. Legion, Branch 58, 1180 Barton St., E., upstairs, Hamilton, Ont. Hours: 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Admission free. Draws and door Prizes. For additional info. contact N. Kanerva (905) 335-9444.

OCTOBER 1 - NORTH YORK COIN CLUB SHOW

Edithvale Community Centre, 7 Edithvale Dr. North from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Free admission. Info? North York Coin Club, P.O. Box 58508, Corner Plaza P.O., 197 Sheppard Ave. East, North York, Ont., M2N 6R7.

OCTOBER 15 - SCARBOROUGH COIN CLUB MALL DISPLAY

Coin display and information session at the Cederbrae Mall from 9:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. Info: Scarborough Coin Club, P.O. box 562, Pickering, Ont., L1V 2R7

OCTOBER 22-23 - TOREX SHOW, SALE AND AUCTION OF COINS, PAPER MONEY, BOOKS, SUPPLIES, PENS, WATCHES & MILITARIA.

Primrose Hotel, 111 Carlton St., Pearson Ballroom. Hours: Oct. 22 - 10:00 a.m. to 5 p.m.; Oct. 23 - 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Info: Ingrid K. Smith (416) 260-9070.

OCTOBER 29 - BURLINGTON INTERNATIONAL COIN SHOW.

Mainway Recreational Centre, Laurie Branch Auditorium, a few minutes north on Walker's Line off Queen Elizabeth Way. Hours: 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Free admission. Info: N. Kanerva (416) 335-9444.

OCTOBER 29 - DURHAM COIN '94 SPONSORED BY THE OSHAWA & DISTRICT COIN CLUB AND PICKERING TOWN CENTER.

Show and sale of coins, tokens and paper money at the Pickering Town Center. Free admission. Hours: 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Public, dealer and membership draws. Info: Oshawa & District Coin Club, P.O. Box 30557, Oshawa Centre P.O., Oshawa, Ont., L1J 8L8 or phone Earl or Sharon Maclean at 905-728-1352.

OCTOBER 30 - STRATFORD COIN CLUB ANNUAL COIN SHOW

32 annual coin show and bourse. Stratford Kiwanis Centre, Lakeside Dr., Stratford. Info: Ken Wilmot, Stratford Coin Club, Box 21031, Stratford, Ont., N5A 7V4. Hours: 9:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Free admission. Lunch counter, silent auctions and more

NOVEMBER 4-6 - MISSISSAUGA - THE HOBBY SHOW

International Centre, Airport Road. Displays include coins, stamps, cards, model railroads, comic books and a display of Star Trek Props. Hours: Friday: noon to 10 p.m.; Saturday: 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Info: Ted Curl, 600 Euclid St., Whitby, On., L1N 5C2 (905) 428-6466.

NOVEMBER 6 - TILLSONBURG NUMISMATIC SOCIETY ANNUAL COIN & HOBBY SHOW

Mount Elgin Community Centre, 5 mile south of 401 and 5 mile north of Tillsonburg on hwy. 19 - exit south off 401 on hwy. 19, Ingersoll-Tillsonburg exit. Info: Wayne MacFarlane (519) 842-2010.

NOVEMBER 6 - WINDSOR COIN CLUB'S COIN, CARD AND STAMP SHOW

Cabato Club, Tecumseh Rd. E. at Parent, . Hours: 10:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Door prizes, grand prize, displays. Admission \$1.00. Info: Ron Binder 9519254-6855 or 2279 Hall Ave., Windsor, N8W 2L8. (519) 254-6855.

NOVEMBER 19 - WATERLOO COIN SOCIETY COIN SHOW

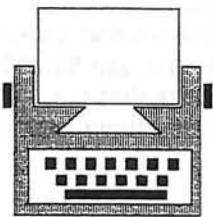
The Rink in the Park, Seagram Dr., Waterloo. Hours 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Free Admission and Free Parking. Buy, sell, trade, evaluate. Info: The Waterloo Coin Society, P.O. Box 40044 Waterloo Square Post Office, Waterloo, Ont., N2J 4V1.

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SECOND SUNDAY EACH MONTH - OTTAWA COIN, STAMP, DEALERS ASSOC. SHOW

Nepean Sportsplex, Woodsroffe Ave., 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Info: Allan Davis, P.O. box 397, Carp, Ont., D0A 1L0.

*Send info. regarding shows, displays, special club events to: **JEFF FOURNIER, P.O. BOX 2111, STN. "A", SUDBURY, ONT., P3A 4R8.** Next deadline for the NOV./DEC. issue of the "Ontario Numismatist" is NOV. 1/94



CLUB NEWS



CHAMPLAIN COIN CLUB

The club finished last season with a ham and turkey banquet to celebrate the club's 32nd birthday. 55 members and guests were present. Paul Orser showed slides of Simcoe County.

The first meeting of the 1994 /995 season was scheduled to take place on Thursday, Sept. 1.

HURONIA NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION

At the June meeting, a slide presentation from the CNA was shown. The topic was "Tokens and Notes of the Hudson Bay Company". The club continues to meet even during the months of July and August. A special birthday meeting was planned for September 15th and a roast beef dinner was to be served. The Huronian club makes good use of articles from other publications to supplement their bulletins, always giving credit to the authors and paper/journal where it was 1st published.

INGERSOLL COIN CLUB

The club newsletter reported the passing of two longtime members, Doug Carr and Lorne Mercer - both very active in the formation of the club.

The Ingersoll Coin Club did not meet during the summer months, but plans for the September meeting included an overview of several numismatic collectibles such as Canadian Tire money, trade dollars and so forth. The October meeting will be an auction night.

NICKEL BELT COIN CLUB

The club did not meet during the summer months. At the September 18th meeting, 22 were in attendance. Several displays were set up for viewing including one covering medallic tributes to the sport of hockey. Another member brought

in the new RCM war medallions. Several other members brought in coins from their collections for people to view. Gerry Albert gave an interesting talk about his personal bankground and collecting interests. The meeting ended with a 66 lot auction. Over \$1000 in coins were sold, with only 2 lots going down.

LAKESHORE COIN CLUB

No meetings were held during the summer months. Plans for the new numismatic year include an open house, and guest speakers. At the September meeting an open forum will be held for the members to show off any new acquisitions

MISSISSAUGA COIN CLUB

June 7th was the final meeting before the club broke off for the summer. A talk was given about the various types of Philippine Guerrilla currency, concentration camp currency, and occupation currency along with a display of UK Military Currency. Elections were held and the results are as follows: Del Murchison, President; George Bliss, Vice President; Len Kuenzig, Treasurer; Mel Gallinger, Secretary and Vince Chiappino, Editor. The club has a new mailing address: **307 Bering Avenue, Toronto, Ont., M8Z 3A5**. The September 6 meeting will feature a topic of "collecting themes".

NORTH YORK COIN CLUB

At the June 28. 22 members and 1 guest were in attendance. Don Bunjivac was the guest speaker with the topic being: "The United Church and its Paper Money for use in China Missions. It was noted in the bulletin that Harvey Farrow would no longer be helping to edit the club bulletin. That job will be the sole responsibility of Paul Petch.

The August 23 meeting featured news on the CNA convention and a slide show from the CNA on British paper money.

OSHAWA & DISTRICT COIN CLUB

The May show hosted by the club was a great success. Over 70 prizes were donated by members and dealers. It was also reported that during 1994, 19 new members had joined the club. At the June 12th meeting, 47 members and guests were in attendance. The scheduled dates for the fall meetings are: Sept. 11, Oct. 16, Nov. 13, Dec. 11, and Jan 8th '95. The editor, Earl MacLean is attempting to start a new classified section for the newsletter. He also reports that the club will be celebrating their 35th birthday soon and are looking for recommendations from members about something special they could do to celebrate.

SCARBOROUGH COIN CLUB

Highlights from the September meeting include an attendance draw of \$10.00 and a slide show and talk about error coins by Terry Cambell. The club did not meet for the summer but will resume on September 7th. Members are asked to bring in items they purchased over the summer and give a short talk to the club. The club will hold a display at the Cedarbrae Mall on October 15 from 9:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m to help promote the club.

THE STRATFORD COIN CLUB

June 13 was the club annual dinner with the featured guest speaker being Dr. Kenneth Shonk. 103 attended. The club did not meet during the summer months.

For the opening meeting of the fall season on Sept. 12, the club will have a short video put out by the Bank Of Canada entitled "Not Your Ordinary Bank". Also to be viewed will be the RCM's video on the 1992 commemorative coinage. The meeting will also include an auction.

The clubs annual coin show will be held on Oct. 30.

WATERLOO COIN SOCIETY

Robb McPherson brought some computer generated numismatic crossword puzzles to the July meeting. An auction was held with the highlights being a 1938 \$1, a 1925 5 cent piece and a 1932 50 cent piece. Several dealer also set up at the meeting.

August's meeting featured a slide show/tape entitled "Canadian Tire Gas Bar Coupons - The End of an Era". The show was put together by Ross Irwin with assistance by Mike Hollingshead.

The newsletter mentioned that the annual mall promotion day would be held on November 12 at the Conestoga Mall.

September's meeting will feature an auction including silver dollars, 50 cent pieces and more. The speaker will be Martin Beckmann who will discuss "Coins and Archaeology".

The club's annual show will be held on November 19.

MEMBERSHIP

The applications for membership which appeared in the July/August issue of the Ontario Numismatist have been accepted:

1389 Mrs. May Bunnett, Willowdale, Ontario
1390 Mrs. Lucille M. Colson, Willowdale, Ontario
1391 R.M. Craig, West Hill, Ontario
1392 Steven Bromber, Orleans, Ontario
1393 Terry MacHugh, Hamilton, Ontario

The following application for membership has been received, acceptance will appear in the next issue of the Ontario Numismatist if no written objections are received:

J1394 William Horne, Hawkestone, Ontario

ONA CLASSIFIEDS

The **ONA CLASSIFIEDS**: Send in your buy, sell, or trade ads c/o the ONA Editor, P.O. Box 2111, Stn. "A", Sudbury, Ont. P3A 4R8. Deadline for the next issue is November 1/94. SPECIAL OFFER!!! FREE!!! GRATIS!!! YOU PAY NOTHING FOR YOUR ADS!!! OFFER ENDS DEC. (2001!!)

COIN CLUB MEDALS WANTED: London Numismatic Society - 1959 and 1971 bronze; Hamilton Coin Club - 1958 and 1959 plastic; ONA - 1965 & 1979 bronze and most years silver, gold-filled; any Waterloo Coin Society gold-filled, Oakville Coin Club 1961 bronze; Toronto Lithuanian Philatelic-Numismatic Society - 1968 (any metal). I also need some APNA, CNA and other club medals. Write with list & prices to **JEFF FOURNIER, P.O. BOX 2111 STN. "A", SUDBURY, ONT., P3A 4R8.**

COUNTERFEIT CONFEDERATE NOTES as well as Genuine Wanted. Not recent reproductions, but Contemporary! Also want any SOUTHERN STATES NOTES OR BONDS. I have CANADIAN stock certificates for sale too. Grover C. Criswell, Box 6000, Salt Springs, Fla. 32134-6000.

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BONAVITA: Serving the collector since 1979, specializing in Canadian Trade dollars, trade notes, medallions, wooden money, pins and badges. Subscription service available. Want lists accepted. Bonavita Ltd., Dept. ONA, P.O. box 11447, Nepean, ont., K2H 7J1.

