

# Madison County Coin Club

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## The President's Corner

We had a good meeting and program last month as Mike Ford gave a presentation on "Three Dollar Gold Pieces". It was very informative and interesting.

This month's program is always a special one given annually by Charles Cataldo on "The State of the Coin Market". His program is up to date and he can tell what is hot in the coin market and what is not. Be sure to attend.

In conjunction with this year's ANA participation in National Coin Week in April, we will have a Club Trivia Challenge game of 20 questions dealing with money throughout history at this month's meeting. Winning clubs can get a nice gold coin prize.

If you have coins or anything for "show and tell" please bring them. This is always an interesting part of our meeting.

See you on **February 27th**.

Sincerely,  
Bob

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New titles include:

- The Cathedral Coins: A History of Christianity in Coins (BA20.S8)
- Coin Hoards, Volume 10: Greek Hoards (BB70.H6)
- Eric II: The Encyclopedia of Roman Imperial Coins (BC30.S9 2010)
- The Greenback: Paper Money and American Culture (US20.T7)
- History of Ottoman Coins, Vol. 2 (KA20.T8D3 v. 2)
- Indian Gold Coins of the 20th Century (GB10.F8)
- Monedas de Colombia, 1619-2008 (FE55.R4m 2009)
- The Token Book: British Tokens of the 17th, 18th and 19th Centuries and Their Values (PE30.W5t)
- World War II Finance: Canada and Newfoundland (VR30.D8)

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# A Check List for the Pre-Decimal Coins of Guernsey

By Harold Fears

Below is a check list for the pre-decimal coins of Guernsey. The year and the mintage of the four types of coins are given below:

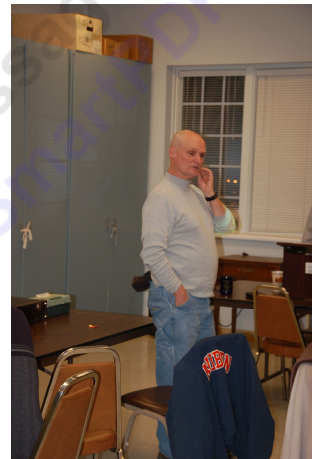
One Double		Two Doubles		Four Doubles		Eight Doubles	
1830	1,648,640	1858	56,128	1830	655,200	1834	221,760
1868	64,368	1868	35,136	1858	114,060	1858	111,469
1885	56,016	1874	45,216	1864	212,976	1864	284,736
1889	112,032	1885	71,280	1868	57,696	1868	54,720
1893	56,016	1889	35,616	1874	69,216	1874	73,248
1899	56,000	1899	35,636	1885	69,696	1885	69,696
1902	84,000	1902	17,818	1889	104,448	1889	222,096
1903	112,000	1903	17,818	1893	52,224	1893	117,600
1911	44,800	1906	17,820	1902	104,534	1902	235,200
1911	89,600	1908	17,780	1903	52,265	1903	117,600
1914	44,800	1911	28,509	1906	52,266	1910	91,467
1929	79,100	1914	28,509	1908	25,760	1911	78,400
1933	96,000	1917	14,524	1910	52,267	1914	156,800
1938	96,000	1918	57,018	1911	52,267	1918	156,800
		1920	57,018	1914	209,067	1920	156,800
		1929	79,100	1918	156,800	1934	123,600
				1920	156,800	1938	180,000
				1945	96,000	1945	192,000
				1949	19,200	1947	240,000
				1956	240,000	1949	230,400
				1966	10,000	1956	494,600
						1959	480,000
						1966	10,000



This copper coin was minted for the Island of Guernsey between 1834 and 1839. The Soho Mint of Birmingham, England minted 221,760 pieces.



## Some Scenes from the Last Meeting



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## Members' Notices

Rules for users of the member notice page: All notices are free and should be directed to the editor of the Madison County Coin Club newsletter (see back page for address). Notices will be limited to a maximum of 8 lines, including the name and contact information. The person entering the notice must answer all responses to notices. Preference will be given in the following order to notices when the page is oversubscribed in a single month:

1. Research Notices
2. Wanted Items
3. Trades Offered
4. For Sale Items

**Looking for world coins or tokens with sailing ships, or dragons.** Interested in crowns, and smaller denominations. Silver, Cupero-Nickel, bronze, Aluminum and the like. Contact Mark at [TheLarsens@bellsouth.net](mailto:TheLarsens@bellsouth.net)

**Looking for Alaskan Medals and Tokens.** Contact: Richard at [ANALMRJ@gmail.com](mailto:ANALMRJ@gmail.com) or 256-337-5092

**Looking for numismatic information concerning the Island of Jersey, Channel Islands.** Especially interested in magazine or newspaper articles. Contact: Harold at [hkfears@knology.net](mailto:hkfears@knology.net) or 256-881-6268.

**Looking for circulated contemporary Canadian coins.** Also have a few available, including some older items. Contact: Mike at [mcampbell7@juno.com](mailto:mcampbell7@juno.com)

**Selling Uncirculated set of Lincoln Cents 1934-1964:** All dates and mints from 1934 to 1964 with the exception of a missing 1960 small date. All cents grade from MS60 to MS65. Most are higher grade. Will sell all for \$175.00. If interested, let me know and I will bring to the next coin club meeting! Mike Ford 256-783-5433

## February is British Commonwealth Month

February is British Commonwealth coin month. So whether if you wish to trade, sell, or buy some shillings, florins, or half crowns, the coin club's February meeting is the place to be!



*A 1936 1/10<sup>th</sup> of a penny from British West Africa*

**Please bring a coin,  
medal, note, or  
something for Show-  
and-Tell.**



## 2012 CALENDAR OF EVENTS

All meetings are held at the Senior Center in Huntsville in the Ceramics Room. We meet on the fourth Monday each month except for May and December. Meetings start at 6:30 and typically end around 8:30. The Thomas W. Davidson, Sr. Senior Center is located at 2200 Drake Ave. SW, Huntsville, AL 35803

### JANUARY 23

THREE DOLLAR GOLD PIECES BY MIKE FORD

### FEBRUARY 27

STATE OF THE COIN MARKET BY CHARLES CATALDO

### MARCH 26

NORFED MONEY BY BOB JAQUES

### APRIL 23

OFFICIAL ALASKA MEDALS BY RICHARD JOZEFIAK

### JUNE 25

ANNUAL POTLUCK AND BOURSE NIGHT

### JULY 23

Open.

### AUGUST 27

Open.

### SEPTEMBER 24

Open.

### OCTOBER 22

Open.

### NOVEMBER 26

ANNUAL THANKSGIVING CELEBRATION AND BOURSE NIGHT

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## Inclement Weather Notice

If the Huntsville City Schools are closed due to inclement weather, then the Huntsville Senior Center is closed. There will be no club meeting if the Huntsville Senior Center is closed. Local TV and radio stations will give notice of any Huntsville school closure.