Madison County Coin Club of Huntsville, Alabama



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The President's Corner

Greetings, Everyone!

Wow...we had a great meeting in April! The highlight of our meeting was the presentation given by our youngest member - Mr. Aaron Wales. He talked about all the special coins being minted by the U.S. Mint in 2022. I was amazed at the number of different coins being minted! Coins representing people of color in sports, famous women who have excelled in different professions, as well as historical accomplishments like the creation of the Tennessee Valley Authority (TVA). Aaron impressed us all with the work he had put into his presentation and his presenting skills! A sharp young man that we are honored to have as a member of our club!

Doug

P.S. Just a reminder, we will have a meeting in May. Mike Campbell is our speaker.

£1 Coin Series "Hebe"

By H.K. Fears

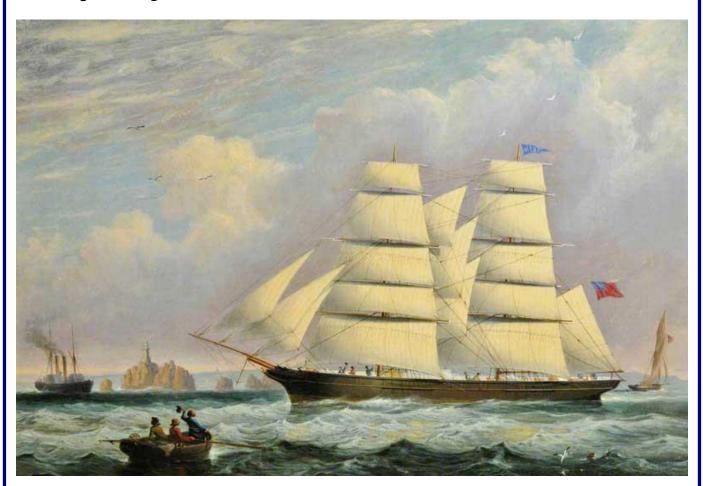
The third coin in Jersey one pound ship series depicts a two masted brig, the *Hebe*. The *Hebe* was built by Daniel Le Vesconte of First Tower and owned by the Le Boutilier Company. This brig, launched in January 1861, weighed 236 tons, measured 119 feet long with a beam of 24 feet and had a draft of 13 feet. She plied her trade on the North Sea and the North Atlantic. She was also used to ferry emigrant workers from Europe to Canada. She had a major repair, and in 1878 her old wooden deck was replaced by a new deck. In 1874. J. Le Boutillier was still listed as the owner. She was wrecked in October 1887 on Bryon Island in the Gulf of St. Lawrence. When she was wrecked her owner is given as J. Wright. Most probably John Wright, a captain from Jersey. And by the way, Hebe was the daughter of Hera and Zeus and the sister of Ares and Eileithyia. She is the goddess of youthful beauty and the

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cupbearer of the Olympus, later to be replaced by Ganymedes. She married Herakles after he won immortality.

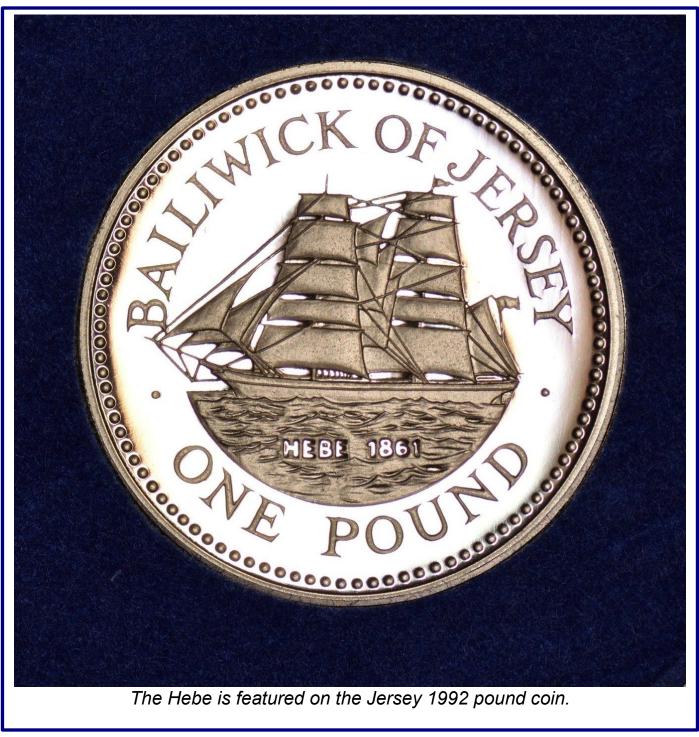
Things to note:

- 10,000 circulation coins were minted via Work Order 342.
- 6,000 circulation coins were minted for inclusion in the 1992 mint set. See the Royal Mint document MINT-36-CG4-Z.pdf for details.
- There was a total of 227 gold proof coins minted. The maximum allowed of 3000 silver proof coins were also minted.
- With the Royal Mint selling 167 gold and 2,550 silver coins along with Jersey's order of 37 gold and 450 silver, the total number of proof coins surviving is 204 gold and 3000 silver.



The HEBE

by Philip John Ouless.



The Hebe is featured on the Jersey 1992 pound coin.

Why not bring a friend to the next meeting?

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Dear Mr. Davies,

UNCIRCULATED COIN SET

Thank you for the revised colour concept of our proposed uncirculated coin set. I am very pleased with it. It is an attractive presentation and hopefully will be well received locally and by your Coin Club members in due course.

I would like to have the set available by the end of March if this would slot in with your production programme. I accept that this would mean that I am including the 10 pence coin prior to its general introduction and, to a lessor extent, the £1 HEBE. Do you see this as a problem?

I am able to confirm that I will require 3,000 sets and it would be administratively convenient to receive a separate account for the tooling charges relating to the changes of date on the 50 pence, 20 pence, 5 pence, 2 pence and 1 penny coins and for the tooling charges of the £1 and 10 pence coins to be included in the account in respect of the standard circulation coins.

I am grateful for your assistance in providing this concept and as usual I would be pleased to discuss any further points you may wish to raise.

Yours faithfully,

F.H. LE MARQUAND Chief Cashier

The mint set is to include the Hebe coin.

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Cuba's Barber Dime

As we all know, Charles Barber served as the sixth chief engraver of the United States Mint from 1879 until his death in 1917. He had a long and fruitful career in

coinage, designing most of the coins produced at the mint during his time as chief engraver. The Barber coinage were named after him. But did you know that Barber also designed the Cuban coinage of 1915? Cuba did not have its own minting operations and the United States was contracted to strike coinage for them in 1915. Chief Engraver of the United States Mint Charles E. Barber, known for designing the Barber Dime, Barber Quarter, and Barber Half Dollar, designed every Cuban denomination within the first series, which consists of the 1, 2, 5, 10, 20, and 40 Centavos and the Peso. The 1, 2, 5, 10, and 20 Peso denominations were struck in gold and designed by Barber as well.



The obverse design of Cuba's 10 centavos features a Star with Rays, the single prominent star is representative of Cuba's independence. On the outer periphery are the words "PATRIA Y LIBETRAD" or *Homeland and Liberty*. Also, on the outer periphery (separated by dots) are the year of issue, coin weight (2.5G), and the silver fineness (.900).

The reverse design features Cuba's National Coat of Arms. The coat of arms consists of a shield divided into three sections. The lower left section of stripes represents the different states during colonial times. The palm tree in the lower right section displays Cuba's national tree. The upper section is a depiction of two rock masses separated by water with a key in between to represent that Cuba is the "Key" point of access to the Gulf of Mexico and the Americas. Behind the shield are a bundle of rods with a Phrygian Cap or liberty cap. The bottom of the bound rods is flanked by a laurel branch at its left representing strength, and an oak branch at its right representing victory.

Every Barber dime collector should have at least one of these in their collection!



Cuba's 10 centavos coin depicts the national arms within wreath, denomination below



The obverse of Cuba's 10 centavos coin depicts a star.

Some Scenes from our Last Meeting



Doug Glandon (L), Madison County Coin Club President, presents Aaron Wales with an ANA Educational Award for his April 19, 2022 Club meeting presentation on "New in 22," which nicely captured already issued and planned issues of 2022 new US coin designs.

Wayne Koger

Members' Notices

Rules for users of the member notice page: All notices are free and should be directed to the editor, hkfears@gmail.com, of the Madison County Coin Club newsletter. 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
- Trades Offered
- 4. For Sale Items

Looking for Alaskan Medals and Tokens. Contact: Richard at ANALMRJ@gmail.com .

Looking for numismatic material (medals, tokens, coins) for the islands of Jersey and Guernsey, Channel Islands. Contact: Harold at hkfears@gmail.com.

World Coins, Tokens, Jade, Relics, etc. for sale. Contact: Steve Young, P.O. Box 8031, Huntsville, AL 35808, 334-300-5409 taegu steve@hotmail.com.

Inclement Weather Notice

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

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

2022 Coin Shows Within Driving Distance From Huntsville

Date(s)	Area	Location	Contact Info	
		Tennessee State Numismatic	Bob Hurst	
Mar 4-6		Society	321-427-6474	
	Chattanooga, TN	Camp Jordan Arena	forum@comcast.net	
Nov TBD		I-75, Exit 1	www.tsns.org	
		Chattanooga, TN		
		Fri & Sat 10 am – 6 pm		
		Sun 10 am – 3 pm		
		58th Georgia Numismatic	Chip Cutcliff	
		Association Coin Show	770-421-8387	
		Dalton Convention Center	chascoins06@yahoo.com	(C
April 8-10	Dalton, GA	I-75 exit 333	www.gamoney.org	()
		2211 Dug Gap Battle Road		
		Dalton, GA		
		Fri- Sat 10 am – 6 pm		
		Sun 10 am – 3 pm	0 1 111 01 11	
		Alabama State Coin Show	Corbitt Chandler	
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July 15-17	Bessemer, AL	Bessemer, AL	jcolyn@aol.com	
		Bessemer Civic Center		
		10 am – 6 pm		
		63rd Blue Ridge Numismatic	Katie Williams	
		Association Coin Show	Katie.mull@gmail.com	
		Dalton Convention Center	423-401-8363	
Aug 4-6	Dalton, GA	I-75 exit 333	www.brna.org	
		2211 Dug Gap Battle Road		
		Dalton, GA		
		Fri-Sat 10 am – 6 pm		
		Sun 10 am – 3 pm		

If anyone knows of a show that you want added to the list, please send Richard Jozefiak an email with the information on the coin show (analmrj@gmail.com).

Richard's Rating: Small coin show, no educational programs- +

Medium/Large coin show, no educational programs- ++

Large coin show, educational programs and/or exhibits. Worth the drive- +++

2022 Madison County Coin Club Program Refreshments and Programs Schedule

NOTE: Meeting Day is the 3rd TUESDAY of the month

Meeting Date	Refreshments	Program			
March 15	Kurt Bellman	Hal Pullum			
April 19	Don Adams	Aaron Wales			
May 17	Wayne Koger	Mike Campbell			
June 21	4th of July Potluck, Bourse Night, and Auction				
July 19	Harold Fears	Kurt Springfield			
August 16	TBD	Ben Crow			
September 20	TBD	David Hollander			
October 18	TBD Nomination of 2018 Officers	Charles Cataldo			
November 16	Thanksgiving Potluck, Bourse Night, and Auction Election of Officers				
December- NO ME	ETING				

Last update: REV A, February 19, 2022

The ANA eLearning Academy Courses

Enjoy online courses and lectures from fellow collectors and experienced numismatists. The courses are free and open to the public. See https://info.money.org/elearning for details.

Madison County Coin Club Website Update

Our Madison County Coin Club website (http://mccc.anaclubs.org/) has two links that will give you access to all our previous newsletters dating back to 2005! We also have a link to programs that are presented at club meetings! This gives you an opportunity to read previous articles posted in our newsletters, as well as, review recent programs. These resources can be very useful in increasing your knowledge on specific coins, a series, types, and other coin-related topics. Go check it out!

Read our previous newsletters at: http://mccc.anaclubs.org/newsletters/

Read our previous programs at: http://mccc.anaclubs.org/programs/

Club Officers

President: <u>Doug Glandon</u> Vice President: <u>Kurt Bellman</u>
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