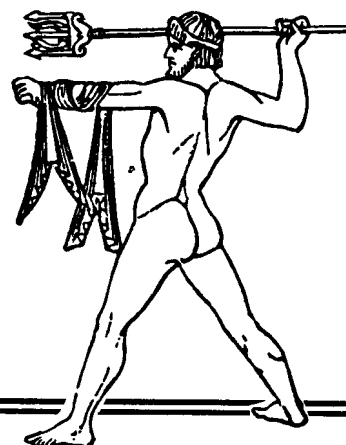


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COIN SHOWS

M.I.N.N. Annual Coin Show January 23-24.
Apache Plaza Mall, Silver Lake Road, St. Anthony.

St. Paul Coin Carnival February 6-7. Kelly Inn,
Marion Street & I-94, St. Paul.

59th Annual Northwest Coin Show March 19-21.
Earle Brown Heritage Center, Brooklyn Center.
Minnesota's largest coin show! Don't miss it.

ETHICS IN NUMISMATICS TO BE TOPIC OF PRESENTATION BY ALLAN DAVISSON

Allan Davisson will address the club at our next meeting, January 28th. Allan will discuss ethics in the field of numismatics. This is a topic of importance for both dealers and collectors.

Allan will provide us with insights based on his experiences in the coin business over the last 20+ years.

Remember: 1993 membership dues (\$5) are now due. Please pay our Treasurer, John Carnes, at the meeting. Thanks.

THE EVENING'S SUB-TOPIC: ANIMALS ON COINS



Lion



Peacock

Many ancient coins bear (no pun intended) pictures of animals, both real and mythological. Our sub-topic for the January 28th meeting will be "Animals on Coins." You are encouraged to bring appropriate items from your collection to show & tell.

HEY KENN & DON, THANKS FOR YOUR SUPPORT!

The members of the club extend thanks to a couple of great guys, Kenn Hollister and Don Doyle, for their generous donation toward the cost of our annual holiday banquet. Thanks, guys.

CLUB MEMBER NEEDS HELP!

Club member Jerry "Bookman" Kolton is hard at work compiling a history of the Twin Cities Ancient Coin Club. As you know, it can be difficult finding time to chat with each of you at our busy meetings.

Jerry asks that those of you with memories of happenings in the club jot down a few notes and give them to him at future meetings. I won't take much time and will really support his efforts to compile a meaningful club history. Please help.

**"BOOKMAN" PROMISES TO BRING MANY
NEW PURCHASES TO OUR JANUARY
MEETING! DON'T MISS THESE BARGAINS**

VISITORS ARE ALWAYS WELCOME AT THE TWIN CITIES ANCIENT COIN CLUB

The club is open to anyone interested in ancient coins and history. We meet on the fourth Thursday of each month at Immanuel Lutheran Church, 104 South Snelling (corner of Snelling and Goodrich) in St. Paul. Meetings begin at 7:30 P.M.

An educational program is always featured, followed by an auction of coins and books. All are welcome to participate.

Annual dues are \$5.00 payable each January. In addition, members are asked for a \$1.00 donation at each meeting to cover the expense of renting the meeting room.

See you there. Bring something to show!

The Collector's Perspective (Another "Back Page")

"The Joy of Exhibiting"

We all work hard and spend a lot of money to build our numismatic collections over a period of many years. Whether it contains a lot of rarities or is composed of all common pieces, your collection is a source of pride. It is also a piece of history waiting to be told.

Unfortunately, too many collections never see the light of day. Imagine how much fun it would be if we had the opportunity to examine each other's collections. Many collectors like to "show off" their stuff and tell the story of their collections. We all have a chance to do this once a year at the annual Northwest Coin Show sponsored by the Northwest Coin Club.

This show, to be held at the Earle Brown Heritage Center in Brooklyn Center, March 19-21, is the only show in Minnesota that encourages and allows space for collector exhibits. Collector exhibits are one of the main attractions at the larger shows such as the annual conventions of the Central States Numismatic Society or the American Numismatic Association. All these shows encourage exhibitors and award prizes based on the decisions of qualified numismatic judges. Winning the Best of Show award at the annual A.N.A. convention is the collectors' equivalent of winning the Super Bowl or the World Series—quite an accomplishment. But just participating is fun enough for most collectors.

A quality exhibit is more than just some coins laid in a showcase, however. It may contain just one coin or dozens of coins, but each is described and their story is told. An attractive layout and the presentation of plenty of numismatic and historical information will ensure that your exhibit is admired by collectors from around the state.

This is your chance to display the items you've worked to hard to acquire and to allow your fellow collectors to learn from your efforts. You should start working on your exhibit now. A quality exhibit takes a lot of time to produce, but the rewards are well worth the effort.

Those who want to exhibit at the Northwest Coin Show should contact the Exhibits Chairman, Kenn Hollister, at 331-9007 (daytime) for an application and details. Locked display cases and around-the-clock security are provided by the club.

Exhibiting is fun...give it a try!

—Bill Daehn