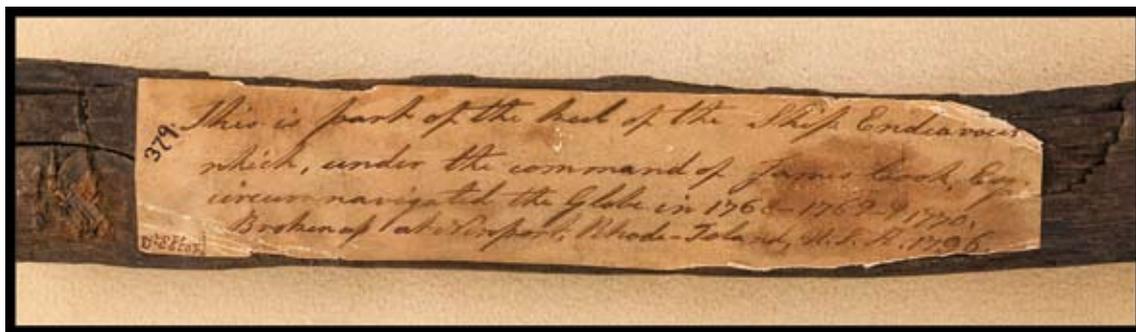


## AUSTRALIAN HISTORICAL MEDALS

### The Unique Provenanced Piece of Timber from Captain Cook's Ship 'Endeavour'



853\*

**Captain James Cook's H.M. Bark Endeavour**, a piece of timber (22cm long x 2cm wide) being part of the keel retrieved from the wreck of the ship at Newport, Rhode Island, USA., in a gilt timber framed display case with label attached, written in 18th century hand (probably that of Sir Joseph Bank's sister, Sarah) that reads, 'This is part of the keel of the Ship Endeavour which, under the command of James Cook, Esq, circumnavigated the Globe in 1768-1770, Broken up at Newport, Rhode-Island, U.S.A. 1796.' *There are only two pieces of this historic ship in private hands, this one and the other is in a Sydney Collection, excessively rare and of the highest importance to Australian history.*

\$400,000

Ex Bristol Baptist College, Clifton, England; private hands; Spink Auctions (Australia), Sale 18 (lot 947) 16-17 April 1986; and R.G. and C. Pratley Collection.

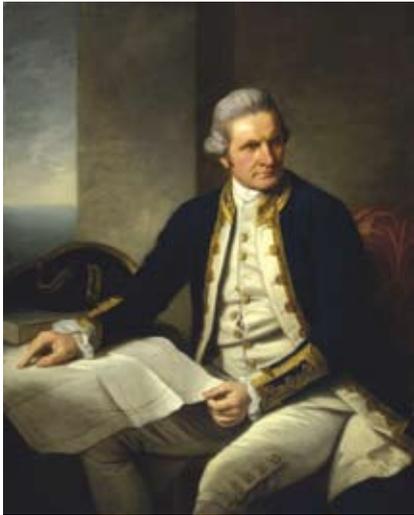
With numerous articles and research documents as well as a variety of postcards, first day cover and photos mostly relating to Captain Cook or the Endeavour, sheet of Cook Bicentenary 5c stamps.

Alan Villiers, the authority on Cook, describes in his book - *Captain James Cook, the fate of the Endeavour*: 'The Endeavour alone (of Cook's ships) still has some existence. She was wrecked or damaged by stranding and afterwards allowed to fall to pieces at Newport, Rhode Island. She was a French whale ship (known as) La Liberte - really Franco-American, for apparently the French provided the flag and a work subsidy, and the New Englanders the whaling skill - when she arrived there some time in 1795. Part of her original sternpost is preserved in the Museum of the Newport Historical Society, who provided a piece in 1966 to be built into the proposed Endeavour replica memorial (at the National Maritime Museum, Greenwich).'

Another piece was given by the Newport Museum to the Cook Memorial Museum. It is also interesting to note that a splinter from the sternpost was supplied to NASA and it was transported to the moon on the Apollo 15 mission and the lunar landing model for this mission was named 'Endeavour'. Also a small piece of timber stern post from Cook's Endeavour, on loan to NASA from the Graduate School of Oceanography at the University of Rhode Island travelled with the Space Shuttle Endeavour on its maiden voyage in 1992, symbolic of Cook's command on HMS Endeavour's maiden voyage.

The piece of the 'Endeavour' offered in this lot is of great interest and historical importance in that it has an impeccable provenance. It was donated to the Bristol Baptist College at Clifton by Dr. Elton, a contemporary of Joseph Banks, and also a patron and collector of the natural sciences. The College was founded in the early 18th century as a missionary and theological institution, and throughout the 18th and 19th centuries built up an outstanding library and museum. One benefactor of the 1750s, Thomas Gifford, gave a collection of books including a Caxton, Chaucer and a Tyndal Bible, as well as medieval incunabulae. The Museum housed Pacific and South Sea artefacts, many of which were sent by former staff and students. After the Second World War, the College sold its treasures and it was then that this relic of the 'Endeavour' left the place it had been in for 150 years. It eventually found its way to Sydney, Australia in 1982 when a book dealer purchased a large collection of old books on Australia and the South Seas from an English collector. Then in 1986 it was put up for auction with Spink Auctions (Australia).

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Captain Cook painting by Nathaniel Dance-Holland in National Maritime Museum, Greenwich, London, ex Wikimedia Creative Commons



Colin F.M. Smith photograph of replica of Captain Cook's Boat "Endeavour" 24/6/2000 ex Wikimedia Creative Commons

An investigation into the fate of the ship in which Captain Cook sailed the South Seas in 1768-1770, landing in Australia in 1770, showed that on Captain Cook's return to England the British Admiralty declared the Endeavour to be unseaworthy. It was restored as a store ship and sent to the Falkland Islands where Britain was maintaining a precarious hold on the outpost. However, the garrison there did fall to Spain in 1774 and the navy then sold the Endeavour to a private operator and it was used as a coal runner for the next 15 years.

The ship was then sold to France and refitted as a whaler in Dunkirk. The revolutionary racked French Government, competing against Britain and Holland for control of the high seas, offered bounties to American whalers who had set up a small colony in Dunkirk. During one of these whaling expeditions in 1793 the Endeavour, now sailing under the French flag as La Liberte, was chased by British gunships towards the American coast and eventually came to grief in the waters of Rhode Island. Eventually the ship was broken up, some parts used in other vessels and the remains of the hull left in the mud until a gale in 1815 destroyed sections of the old hull.

Another theory that evolved in 2016 was that US archaeologists claimed that they had discovered the wreck of the 'Endeavour' off the coast of Rhode Island where they believed it was scuttled during the American Revolutionary War. They believe the 'Endeavour' was renamed Lord Sandwich and used as a troop carrier and prison ship during America's revolutionary war and eventually was one of 13 ships scuttled in Newport harbour in 1778 as part of a blockade to prevent a French attack by sea. This find is not conclusive because over a period of over 200 years the sea water has taken a toll on the timbers and metals, although in September 2018 a team of marine archaeologists claimed that they had identified what they believe to be the wreck.

Nonetheless, whatever the fate of the 'Endeavour', any fragment of timber from its hull is of the utmost rarity.



854\*

**Convict token**, 1807 penny with reverse shaved smooth and stiple engraved 'R.W. Cook / 1832 / FORGET ME NOT'. *Fine/very fine and rare.*

\$500

Robert Cook was sentenced at Southampton on 18 December 1830 to be transported for life. He was among 67 other offenders with a similar sentence who sailed to Australia on the Captain Cook, which left Southampton on 2 May 1833 and arrived in Sydney on 26 August.



855\*

**Convict love token**, created on a shaved down Great Britain 1797 cartwheel penny, stiple engraved on obverse, 'John/Deceive/Me Not/My Lad/May 3/1833', and on the reverse, 'Excuse/My/Freedom/My Lass', and with a small X at the bottom between the last two words. *A few edge bumps, otherwise good fine.*

\$250

Possibly connected to the HMS Buffalo which departed with all female convicts on 4 May 1833.



856\*

**Convict token**, on a British 1797 cartwheel penny completely shaved smooth on both sides, one side stiple engraved, 'Henry Wilton/AE, 18/March/22/1836', the other side stiple engraved at edge, 'S&T' (probably Sentenced & Transported). *Very fine.*

\$250

Probably Henry Wilton who was convicted at Gloucester City Assizes to 7 years transportation. He departed England on 10 July 1837 and arrived at Sydney on board the 'James Pattison' on 25 October 1837.



857\*

Convict era love token, created on a shaved down Great Britain halfpenny, inscribed on obverse, 'Dolly/is a sweet/ Girl', and on the reverse, 'and a/Lafs to/my/Mind'. *Small edge nick, otherwise very fine.*

\$100

Lafs (Love at first sight).



858\*

Convict era token, created on a shaved down Great Britain halfpenny, inscribed on one side, 'Helen./Allcock/1797'. *Some pitting, otherwise fine.*

\$100



859\*

Convict era token, created on a shaved down Great Britain cartwheel penny of 1797, impressed on obverse, 'Louisa/ Lamb/1842'. *Fine.*

\$100



860\*

Fort Academy, Kent Street North, Sydney; handcrafted in silver with ornate surround mount (55x68mm), reverse inscribed "The Prize/for/Diligence/Awarded to/George Bolton/May 6th 1843". *Good very fine and extremely rare.*

\$1,500

Ex Gregory J. Smith Collection.

Fort Academy at Princes Street, Church Hill in Sydney was founded by George Taylor in May 1841. He had been the headmaster of St James' Grammar School at Church Hill in Sydney and in the St James' Hall, at Phillip Street there is a tablet to his memory. After serving from 1838 he had an affliction that hindered his moving around so he was granted permission to leave and he founded the Fort Academy at his residence in Prince Street, Church Hill on 10 May 1841. Then on 26 April 1843 he announced that the Academy had moved from Prince Street to Kent Street North but still at Church Hill. He closed the Fort Academy at the end of 1849 and returned to St Philip's Grammar School in 1850 but before the end of that year he left to enter into private enterprise. He would later move to Dubbo, where he pioneered the legal profession, becoming a well known citizen there and in the surrounding districts.

The above medal issued by George Taylor's Fort Academy on 6th May 1843 must be the first of its kind issued from the Academy at Kent Street North having been issued only ten days after the announcement of its new location. It is also rare because the Fort Academy was only open for the short period of 8 1/2 years.



863

**Australasian Holy Catholic Guild of St Mary and St Joseph, 1863, in brass (55mm) with loop mount (C.1863/1) (2); International Eucharistic Congress, Sydney, 1928, silvered [40mm] (C.1928/3) (2); Papal Visits, 1970, (C.1970/54 gilt) (2), (1970/56 bronze and silvered) (40mm), (C.1970/79 proof silver) (32mm) (2); 1986 (C.1986/67 bronze and silvered); together with Roman Catholic Total Abstinence Pledge medal, in white metal (42mm), undated, by Stokes & Martin, Melbourne, holed at top; Stations of the Cross - Christ's Second Fall, uniface medal in bronze (63mm), 1947, by Andor Meszaros. *Some discolouration to one of the first medals, otherwise fine - nearly FDC.* (14)**

\$120



861\*

**International Exhibition London, Products of Queensland, 1862, in bronze (64mm) (BHM2748), by J.S. & A.B. Wyon, reverse inscription, 'Queensland Offers/Her First Fruits/ To Britain'. *Edge nicks and some marks in reverse field, otherwise very fine and rare.***

\$500

864\*

**Visit of The Duke of Edinburgh, H.M.S. Galatea, 1867, in white metal (47mm) (C.1867/2), by T.Stokes, Melbourne, holed for suspension. *Reverse with usual oxidation stains, otherwise good very fine.***

\$80

Ex Barry McGown Scott Collection and previously from Downie's Australian Coin Auctions No 292, (lot 626) with their card.



862\*

**Irish National League S.A. (South Australia), Est.1864, in silver (31mm) (C.ZI/1, this medal), no maker, ring top suspension with ribbon and suspender bar, reverse inscribed, 'G.A.W./Alexander/1887'. *Nicely toned very fine and rare in this condition.***

\$350



865\*

**Burrangong Pastoral & Agricultural Association**, in bronze (38mm), by Stokes & Martin, Melbourne, inscribed on obverse, '18th April 1871', reverse inscribed, 'Wm Scott/1st Prize/Collection/of Fruit'. *Toned, good extremely fine and scarce.*

\$600

Ex Noble Numismatics Sale 98 (lot 1988) The David Allen Collection.

Burrangong is a small rural area in New South Wales in the local government area of Hilltops. See *Australian Agricultural Show Medals and Awards 1822-c1910* by Hugh Armstrong and Les Carlisle, p119, for an illustration of another identical medal awarded to Wm Scott in 1871.



867\*

**International Exhibition Victoria, 1873**, in silver (47mm), by Stokes & Martin, Medallists, reverse inscribed, 'Robert L.J.Ellery/for/an Essay on the/Climate of Victoria/1873', and the edge is impressed, 'For Services Rendered'. *Hairlines and a small cut on obverse, otherwise extremely fine and rare as a service award and a prize medal.*

\$500

This medal differs from the normal Exhibition Medal as it does not have the words 'PRIZE/MEDAL' on the reverse (see lot 868).

Robert Lewis John Ellery CMG, FRS was an English-Australian astronomer and public servant who served as Victorian government astronomer for 42 years. Born in Cranleigh, Surrey, England on 14 July 1827 Ellery qualified as a medical practitioner but his main focus was on astronomy. He came to Victoria in 1851 attracted by the discovery of gold. In 1853 the Victorian government established an astronomical observatory and as Ellery had already established a reputation as an astronomer he was placed in charge of the facility.

In addition to his astronomical work, Ellery was one of the founders of the Royal Society of Victoria and its president from 1866 to 1884. In 1882 he became a trustee of the public library, museums and National Gallery of Victoria. He was also a member of the council of the University of Melbourne for many years. In 1873 he organised the Victorian Torpedo Corps and later the Submarine Mining Engineers and was in command until 1889 when he retired with the rank of lieutenant colonel. In 1900 he was elected president of the Australasian Association for the Advancement of Science. He was also a keen apiarist and in 1885 he was the first president of the Victorian Beekeepers' Club and editor of the *Australian Beekeepers' Journal*.

Ellery was elected a Fellow of the Royal Society, London in 1873, created a CMG in 1889 and was awarded the Clarke Medal by the Royal Society of New South Wales in 1889. Mount Ellery in Antarctica was named in his honour in 1886. Robert Lewis John Ellery CMG, FRS died on 14 January 1908.



866\*

**Commemorating the Opening of the Victorian Exhibition, 1872**, prize medal in white metal (47.5mm) (see C.1872/3 reverse for this medal's obverse), by Stokes & Martin, unawarded. *Toned, otherwise extremely fine and rare.*

\$200



868\*  
**International Exhibition Victoria, 1873**, in silver (47mm), by Stokes & Martin, Medallists, reverse with the words, 'PRIZE/MEDAL' in relief, and the edge is impressed, 'F.R.GODFREY, STUFFED BIRDS.'. *Hairlines, otherwise nearly extremely fine.*

\$350

870\*  
**National Agricultural & Industrial Association Of Queensland, (1877)**, in bronze (72mm) by R.Capner, reverse inscribed, 'N.Lade/for/Mach:Belting/1877'. *Dark toned, otherwise good extremely fine.*

\$400

Ex Barry McGown Scott Collection and previously from Colonial Auctions 23/7/05 (lot 431).

Mr N.Lade of Queen Street, Brisbane was a saddle and harness manufacturer, established in 1858, and in 1877 his tender to the Queensland Government for the supply of Volunteers' belts and pouches was accepted. In 1862 he was awarded a prize medal at the International Exhibition in London.



869\*  
**New South Wales Intercolonial Exhibition, c1873**, in white metal (47mm) (C.T/4, also cf C.1873/3), by Stokes & Martin, Melbourne, holed for suspension. *Good very fine and scarce.*

\$140

Ex Dr W.J.D.Mira Collection.



871\*

**Riverina Pastoral Society**, in silver (45mm) by J.Hogarth for G.Crisp Melbourne, inscribed on reverse 'Hackneys/1st Prize/Best Ladies Hack/Won by/Mr C.Gollaher/31st July 1879'. *With brooch mount on reverse, light scratches in fields, otherwise nearly extremely fine.*

\$300



872\*

**Riverina Pastoral Society**, in silver (45mm) by J.Hogarth for G.Crisp Melbourne, inscribed on reverse 'Hackneys/1st Prize/Best Light Weight Hackney/Won by/Mr C.Gollaher/31st July 1879'. *With small hole in rim at 12 and 6 o'clock for a swivel mount, light scratches in fields, otherwise nearly extremely fine.*

\$300



873\*

**Intercolonial Juvenile Industrial Exhibition, 1879**, handcrafted in silver (30x30mm), no maker, ring top suspension, reverse inscribed, 'A.Collins.' *Toned very fine.*

\$250

Ex Noble Numismatics Sale 56 (lot 687) part.

This Exhibition was held in Melbourne and started on 23 December continuing on into the first few months of 1880. The above silver medal was awarded for Class XVII - Fine arts and was won by Annie Collins of Ballarat for drawing.



874\*

**Grand National Demonstration, 1879**, in white metal (38.5mm) (C.1879/8), by Evan Jones, 11 Hunter St, Sydney, pierced hole for suspension. *Some oxidation spots, otherwise good very fine and scarce.*

\$250

The Grand National Friendly and Trades Societies Procession was held on the Prince of Wales birthday, Monday 10 November 1879. Those taking part in the procession were requested to wear full regalia or a distinguished badge or rosette. The marchers assembled at Prince Albert Park at 9.30am and then proceeded through the city streets to the main entrance of the Exhibition Building. Quantities of the above medal were especially struck for the day by Evan Jones and were for sale in the Exhibition Building or in Jones' Hunter Street premises.



875\*

**S(ydney) I(nternational) E(xhibition) 1879**, committee members admission badge in gold (22 carat, 30x55mm, 11.53g), by Evan Jones, maker's name stamped at the base of plain back. *With original fawn ribbon attached, extremely fine and extremely rare.*

\$1,500

Ex Gregory J. Smith Collection, from the W.J. Noble Collection Sale 33 (lot 2651).



877\*

**Sydney International Exhibition, M.D.C.C.C.L.X.X.I.X.** (1879), in silver (76mm) by J.S. & A.B. Wyon, inscribed 'To/ E. Eugster, Esq/Swiss/Commissioner'. *Somewhat polished, rim nicks, otherwise extremely fine and very rare in this metal.*

\$750

Ex Gregory J. Smith Collection.

876\*

**S(ydney) I(nternational) E(xhibition) 1879**, commissioner's admission badge in gold (22 carat, 30x55mm, 14.05g) by Evan Jones, maker's name stamped at the base of plain back. *With blue ribbon attached, extremely fine and extremely rare.*

\$1,500

Ex Gregory J. Smith Collection, from the W.J. Noble Collection Sale 32 (lot 611).



878\*

**Sydney International Exhibition, M.D.C.C.C.L.X.X.I.X.** (1879), in silver (51mm) by J.S. & A.B.Wyon, inscribed "I.N.Oxley/ Honorary Member/of/Committee". *Rim bruises or nicks, toned extremely fine.*

\$350

Ex Gregory J.Smith Collection.



879\*

**Sydney International Exhibition, M.D.C.C.C.L.X.X.I.X.** (1879) in bronze (76mm) by J.S. & A.B.Wyon inscribed 'John/Alfred Wade/for/Services'. *One minor rim nick, otherwise good extremely fine, in original Wyon case but this is damaged and poorly repaired.*

\$350

Ex Gregory J.Smith Collection.



880\*  
**Sydney International Exhibition, 1879**, in bronze (76mm), by J.S. & A.B.Wyon, no stop after CCC, reverse inscribed, 'A Robertson/1st Prize/Class 642/Hemp'. *At one time cleaned now retoning, some scuffing in fields, otherwise very fine.* \$150

Alexander Robertson of Nelson, New Zealand was a renowned New Zealand flax and hemp textile manufacturer.  
 With research.



881\*  
**Sydney International Exhibition, 1879**, in bronze (76mm), by J.S. & A.B.Wyon, no stop after CCC in date, reverse chisel engraved, 'Awarded to/Mrs. W.Sharman,/for/Parian Marble/in Wax.'. *Some tone spots and a very small edge nick, otherwise extremely fine.* \$300



882\*

**Sydney International Exhibition, 1879**, in bronze (76mm) by J.S. & A.B.Wyon, no stop after CCC in date, unnamed. *Some scratches on reverse and some remnants of cleaning cream, otherwise good very fine.*

\$100



883\*

**Sydney International Exhibition, 1879**, in bronze (51mm, small size as awarded to school children), by J.S. & A.B.Wyon, stop after CCC in date, reverse chisel cut cursive engraved, 'J A Mitchell'. *A few small edge nicks or bumps, dark toned, otherwise good very fine.*

\$250

Awarded to Jessie Anderson Mitchell, a 13-year old, highly commended for needlework.



884\*  
**The Sydney International Exhibition (1879)**, ornate money purse with glazed painting on the front (80x53mm). *Very fine and very rare.*

\$500

Ex Gregory J. Smith Collection.



886\*

**Adelaide (Exhibition), 1881**, prize medal in gilt silver (29.5mm), no maker, reverse inscribed, 'Morris Little & Son/Phenyle'. *A few very minor edge nicks and a few small marks in obverse field, otherwise very fine and scarce gilt issue.*

\$250

This medal was awarded to Morris Little & Son in the Disinfectants Section of the Adelaide Exhibition held in 1881. Little's soluble phenyle was awarded a First Order of Merit along with Hesse's soluble carbolic compound, however the judges stated that they had a leaning in favour of the phenyle.

887

**Medalets**, Adelaide Exhibition, 1881, in gilded (22mm) (C.1881/2); To Commemorate H.R.H. Prince of Wales Visit to Australia, 1920, in silvered (27mm) (C.1920/5); Centenary of Melbourne/and Victoria, 1934-35, in silvered (27mm) (C.1934-35/1); Souvenir of Visit to Royal Show, 1948, in aluminium (28mm) (C.1948/2), with metal defect in form of a bubble from rim to rim at top on obverse; Sesqui Centenary of Issue of Holey Dollar, 1964, in gilt (29mm) (C.1964/4); Captain Cook Bi-Centenary, Botany Municipal Council, 1970, in gilt (30mm) (C.1970/8); Sutherland Shire, Captain Cook Bi-Centenary Commemoration Committee award medal, 1970, in silvered (38mm) (C.1970/33); also New South Wales Police button (QC) in nickel silver (20.5mm). *Very fine - extremely fine.* (8)

\$40



885\*  
**Sydney International Exhibition 1879**, large printed scarf (45x45cm). *Slight rust, otherwise very fine and very rare.*

\$150

Ex Gregory J. Smith Collection.



lot 888

888\*

**The Northern Agricultural Society, S.(outh) Australia, in bronze (50mm), by E.Altmann, Melbourne, reverse inscribed, 'W Catford/2nd Prize/2 Merino Rams/(Auburn) 1882', suspension pin at top but no suspender. *Some digs on obverse and reverse, otherwise toned very fine.***

\$250

This was the Northern Agricultural Society's 29th Annual Show. It was held at Auburn on 19 September 1882. The judges' comment in relation to W.Catford's two merino rams was, 'Very superior lot'.



889\*

**Tasmanian Juvenile Industrial Exhibition, 1883, in silver (38.5mm), no maker, reverse inscribed, 'Josephine Cundy/Section II/Class IV', edge inscribed, 'Chair & Fender Stool, &c.'. Pierced hole on top and bottom rim for fitting to a swivel stand, nicely toned, some hairlines, otherwise extremely fine. *Nearly FDC.***

\$200



890\*

**S S Flora tag, impressed on the smoothed reverse of a Great Britain young head Queen Victoria penny, holed at top edge for suspension. *Very good and scarce.***

\$100

The S S Flora, originally a livestock transport ship, was purchased by the Tasmanian Steam Navigation Company in 1883 to replace wrecked S S Tasman and was converted to a passenger ship for their Hobart-Sydney service.

With research.



891\*

**Shepparton & L. (Lower) Goulburn District Agricl. & Pastl. Society, in silver (38mm), by E.Altmann, Melbourne, reverse inscribed, 'C McDonald/for/3 Yr Old Blood/Stallion/1883'. *Nicely toned, hairlines, otherwise extremely fine.***

\$300

892\*

**Cootamundra P.H.A & I. Assn (Pastoral, Horticultural, Agricultural & Industrial Association), in silver (44.5mm), by Evan Jones, 9 & 11 Hunter St, Sydney, reverse inscribed, 'Spring Show 1883,/Sec.C.Cl.1, 1st Prize Awarded to./Stephen White,/for/Merino Ram,/4 tooth.'. *Edge nicks on reverse and some small digs and scratches, otherwise very fine.***

\$200

See Australian Agricultural Show Medals and Awards 1822-c1910 by Hugh Armstrong and Les Carlisle, p49, this medal.



893\*

**Mackay Agricultural Pastoral & Mining Association, undated (1883), in silver (38mm), by T.S. (T.Stokes), reverse inscribed, '1st/(Prize)/(Awarded To)/Rice & Co/for Draught Mare/Bred In District./Any Age.'. *A few small edge nicks and some hairlines, otherwise nearly extremely fine.***

\$120

See Australian Agricultural Show Medals and Awards 1822-c1910 by Hugh Armstrong and Les Carlisle, p247, this medal.



894\*  
**Parramatta, Juvenile & Industrial Exhibition, 1883**, in bronze (30mm) (C.1883/2). *Extremely fine.*

\$90



896\*  
**Shoalhaven Agricultural & Horticultural Assoctn, N.S. Wales**, in silver (50mm), by Altmann, reverse inscribed, '1st/(Prize)/(Class Section)/(Awarded To)/Hudson Bros/for/Agricult. Implem./1885'. *Small obverse edge nick and some small surface marks, otherwise extremely fine and scarce.*

\$450



895\*  
**Calcutta International Exhibition, 1883-84**, in silver (51mm), no maker, reverse inscribed, 'Edward Brain/Tasmania'. *Toned, good very fine and rare to a Tasmanian.*

\$400

Edward Brain received his award for Horse Halters. In the exhibition, Tasmanian exhibitors were awarded 12 gold medals, 28 silver medals as well as various classes of certificates.



897\*  
**Towers Pastoral Agricultural & Mining Association, 1885**, in silver (48mm), reverse inscribed, 'C.J.Lamonds (should be 's, see note below)/"Dominican"/1st Prize/Blood Stallion/4 Years & over/1885'. *Hairlines on obverse, otherwise extremely fine.*

\$700

Together with case.

The fifth annual exhibition of the above association was held in the School of Arts, Charters Towers on Wednesday 3 June 1885 and was continued the next day at the association's showground. The reported winner of Section VI - Blood Stock - best stallion 4 years or over was awarded to Dominican, owned by C.J.Lamond. See Australian Agricultural Show Medals and Awards 1822-c1910 by Hugh Armstrong and Les Carlisle, p49, [this medal](#).



898\*  
**Macleay River Agricultural Assoc.** in silver (23x31mm) by E.Altmann Melb. 'Miss L.A.Lane/1st Prize/Fancy Woodwork/1885'. *Extremely fine*.

\$150

Ex Gregory J.Smith Collection.



lot 899 part

899\*  
**Cootamundra A.P.H & I. (Agricultural, Pastoral, Horticultural & Industrial) Assn.**, uniface prize medals in bronze (45mm) (2), first medal with gilt filled inscription on obverse, 'Cootamundra/A.P.H & I.Assn./Spring Show 1886/Class Q. Sec.10/Messrs Hudson Bros./Horse Hay Rake'; second medal also with gilt filled inscription on obverse, 'Cootamundra/A.P.H & I.Assn./Spring Show 1886/Class Q. Sec.8/Messrs Hudson Bros./Winnowing/Machine'. *Both in Hardy Brothers' cases, one with purple interior, the other case with blue interior, medals toned, the second with some very minor edge nicks, otherwise extremely fine.* (2)

\$180



900\*  
**Port Macquarie & Hastings Dist.(riict) A & H. (Agricultural & Horticultural) Soc.**, in silver (23x27mm), by E.Altmann, Melb., with scroll and ring top suspension, reverse inscribed, 'R.McKenzie/For/Blood Colt Foal/1886'. *Good fine*.

\$100

See Australian Agricultural Show Medals and Awards 1822-c1910 by Hugh Armstrong and Les Carlisle, p94, [this medal](#).

901  
**Adelaide Jubilee International Exhibition, 1887, For Services, in bronze (75mm) (C.1887/6)**, by E.A.Altmann, Melbourne, unnamed and in case of issue with Exhibition name gold blocked on lid and on the lid lining is gold blocked, 'M.J.Hammond. J.P.'. *The medal heavily toned, otherwise extremely fine*.

\$150

M.J.Hammond was a member of the New South Wales Commission for the Adelaide Jubilee Exhibition.

Mark John Hammond was a gold miner and later a politician. He was born on 15 November 1844 in Sydney and attended school at Newtown. The family then moved to the goldfields and after various moves and ventures he finally struck it rich in 1872 with the discovery of the world's greatest specimen of reef gold. As a result in June 1873 he was wealthy enough to retire to Sydney. On 24 September 1878 he was elected an alderman of Ashfield municipality and mayor in 1882. He helped found the Municipal Association and became one of its vice-presidents. In 1884 he won the seat for Canterbury in the Legislative Assembly.

He was a most outspoken member of parliament on various topics. He retired in 1887 but was on the NSW Commission for the Adelaide Jubilee Exhibition. He went to England in 1889 and on his return he became vice-president of the Ashfield Bowling club and joined the Ashfield Horticultural Society. After Federation he was a strong supporter of Edward Barton in the Australian Democratic and Liberal Reform League. He died on 4 February 1908 from heart failure after having surfed at Manly Beach. He was buried in the Roman Catholic section of the Bathurst Cemetery.

See lot 1539 for military service medals to his grandson.



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902\*

**Australian Centenary, 1888** in bronze (51mm) by Amor (C.1888/1), various medalets 1877-1948 including Sydney Harbour Bridge rivet and Queensland 1901 in silver; checks (2). *Fair - extremely fine.* (19)

\$120

904\*

**Centennial International Exhibition Melbourne, 1888**, in silver (51mm) (C.1888/8), Melbourne Mint, edge inscribed, 'Cardigan Dann, Chief Torpedo Gunner. V.N.'. *Nicely toned, some light hairlines, otherwise virtually uncirculated.*

\$500

Augustus Cardigan Frederick Dann, born in England in 1839, came to Australia in 1884. It was reported in *The West Australian* on 7 August 1937 as follows.

'The torpedo section of the Victorian Navy was always very efficient. At an early date there transferred from the Royal Navy a remarkable torpedo officer, Mr. Cardigan Dann. Originally an engine room artificer, he specialised in torpedo and eventually became chief torpedo gunner. He was an inventive genius and Victoria was indeed fortunate in securing the services of this outstanding officer. He was the inventor of the torpedo-dropping gear which bears his name. The torpedo depot at Williamstown had the heater torpedo before any vessel of the Australian squadron of the Royal Navy had it as part of its armament.'

(Note: Letters Patent for the above Universal Torpedo Dropping Gear were granted on 14 February 1888.)



903\*

**Melbourne International Exhibition, 1888**, in silver (51mm), by H.Stokes, edge impressed, 'W.Dyring, Tallangata (sic) - Tin'. *Edge nicks and contact marks, otherwise very fine.*

\$150

Tallangatta is a town in north-eastern Victoria about 39 kilometres east of Wodonga. It is believed that the word 'tallangatta' is a local Aboriginal word for kurrajong trees.



905\*

**The National Agricultural Society Of Victoria, (1888),** in silver (35mm), no maker, reverse inscribed, 'Hon. J. Buchanan/First Prize/1888', edge inscribed, 'White Wine Full Bodied Sweet 2 Years Old Or Over'. *Edge nicks and a few hairlines, otherwise good very fine.*

\$450

The following courtesy of Australian Dictionary of Biography.

James Buchanan (1827-1914), farmer and politician, was born on 12 February 1827 at Chryston, Lanarkshire, Scotland, son of John Buchanan, farmer, and his wife Elizabeth, n e Bullock. He arrived at Port Phillip in 1849 in the *Reaper*. His lungs were weak so he made for the warmer Riverina and worked in the Edward River district until attracted back to Victoria by the discovery of gold. Buchanan carted potatoes and wheat to the Bendigo and Castlemaine diggings while farming in the Plenty district. In 1857 he bought the Ardblair property at Berwick and in 1858 won a gold medal from the Port Phillip Farmers' Society for the wheat he grew there. As the price of wheat dropped he broadened the scope of his farming to include dairying, cheese making and the breeding of Ayrshire cattle; he achieved some note with his bull, Lord Beaconsfield. In 1859 he won the Mornington Farmers' Society award for the best managed farm in its area. Buchanan remained an active member of this society and gave it a ninety-nine-year lease of the showground for a token sum. He was also an executive member of the Royal Agricultural Society. By the end of the 1870s Buchanan owned houses and 2033 acres (823 ha) in Berwick.

Buchanan was an original member of the Berwick District Road Board created in 1862 and remained a member of it and the later Shire Council until 1875. In May 1865 he was appointed a presiding magistrate at the first Police Court Sessions in the district. In 1876 he was elected to the Legislative Council as member for the Southern Province. His distinguished career in the council ended in September 1898. Buchanan supported protection, advocated the opening up of the Mallee as a wheat-growing area, and supported the introduction of irrigation to the Mallee and other schemes of water conservation. He was a member of the first Viticultural Board and was for many years government representative on the Council of Agricultural Education. Buchanan was prominent in the foundation of Dookie Agricultural College and a member of its first council. In 1890 he was a member of the first committee appointed by the Victorian parliament under the Railways Standing Committee Act.

Buchanan was active in the development of medical services in the colony. He had some medical knowledge himself and in his first years at Berwick was sometimes called on for help and advice. He persuaded his nephew, James Buchanan, to qualify as a doctor. He had wide veterinary knowledge and helped to bring about the appointment in 1884 of the board to report on tuberculosis as affecting both mankind and cattle, on which he was the only layman.

Buchanan was widely esteemed for his kindness and charity. He was elected to the local Presbyterian Church Board in 1876 and remained a member until his death on 11 September 1914. His wife Anne Jane, n e Wilson, whom he had married in 1859, predeceased him, as did his two sons. He was survived by two daughters, Mrs W. Wilson and Mrs L. D. Beaumont, and he bequeathed his house in Berwick, Burr Hill, and seven acres to the Presbyterian Church for a manse.



906\*

**Exhibition Of Women's Industries, Sydney, 1888, in bronze (39mm) (C.1888/14),** by Amor, Sydney, fitted with a silver medal suspension with the clasp inscribed, 'R.G.Pearson', fitted with an over-wide ribbon. *Toned good very fine and probably unique with the named ribbon suspender fitting.*

\$200



obverse only

907\*

**Newington College, uniface medal in silver (45mm),** no maker, with ribbon scroll suspension, obverse inscribed, 'Newington College/Junior Public/Examination/1888/E.C.Hall'. *Hairlines and staining on reverse, otherwise very fine.*

\$120

The annual distribution of prizes for Newington College was held at the college at Stanmore, Sydney, NSW on Wednesday 19 December 1888 with Rev. C.Lane, president of the Wesleyan Conference taking the chair in the absence, through illness, of the Hon. E.Webb MLC. The silver medal for distinction in Juniors was awarded to E.C.Hall who achieved a pass of 7 A's, a feat equalled by only one other candidate. He was also Dux and first in Classics, English, French and Mathematics.

See lot 923 for another medal to this recipient.



908\*  
**Australia's Centennial, Melbourne Cup, 1888**, in silver (16mm) (C.1888/12a), no maker, pierced hole for suspension. *Very fine and rare.*

\$150



909\*  
**Centennial Band Contest Souvenir, 1888**, in silver (25mm) (unlisted in Carlisle), no maker, ring top suspension, obverse inscribed, '4th Regiment N.S.W. Infantry', reverse inscribed, 'Centennial Band Contest Souvenir/Presented by/Officers/4th Regiment/Infantry./1888.' *Obverse edge bump, toned nearly very fine and very rare.*

\$250

The great band contest between twelve bands from various states held in January 1888 in connection with the Centennial celebration at Sydney was won by the band of the 4th Regiment NSW Infantry hailing from Newcastle with 274 points with Bulch's Model Brass Band from Ballarat coming second with 234 points and third place was taken by the Launceston City Band with 233 points. The 4th Regiment Band formed in 1884 had 25 performers under Bandmaster, Mr W.Barkell.



910\*  
**Centennial International Exhibition, Melbourne, 1888-89**, in silver (38mm) (C.1888-9/4), by Stokes & Martin, Melbourne, with brooch mount fitted to reverse like the illustration in Carlisle which has remnants of brooch mount. *Very fine and very scarce in silver.*

\$150



lot 911

911\*  
**Centennial International Exhibition, Melbourne, 1888-89**, in gilt bronze (38mm) (C.1888-9/4), by Stokes & Martin, Melbourne. *Most gilt worn off, otherwise very good/good fine and scarce.*

\$100



912\*  
**Herberton Mining Pastoral & Agricultural Association, 1889**, in bronze (48mm), by Hardy Bros, Sydney, reverse inscribed, '1889/Flowering or Variegated/Bulbous Plant/won by/Jas. Wilkinson'. *Toned good very fine and scarce first year of issue.*

\$200

Herberton is in Queensland and when it was established in 1880 it was the location of the richest tin mining field in Australia. The Herberton Mining Pastoral & Agricultural Association held its first show on 25 April 1889.



913\*  
**NSWR (New South Wales Railways), 1883**, ASHFLD Second Class pass in bronze (22x27mm oval), no maker, pierced hole at top for suspension ring, reverse inscribed, '356/J.Gaskell/IX'. *Nearly very fine.*

\$100

Presumably this pass is for Ashfield in Sydney.

914  
**N.S.W.R. (New South Wales Railways), 1887**, Second Class pass in bronze (21x27mm), no maker, pierced hole at top for suspension ring, obverse inscribed, 'A.S.Powell/40', reverse inscribed, 'To/2 (space) 13/12'. *Some oxidation to surface on obverse, otherwise very good.*

\$50



915\*  
**N.S.W.R. (New South Wales Railways), 1887, First Class pass in silver (22x26.5mm oval), no maker, pierced hole at top for suspension ring, obverse inscribed, 'W.L.Dash/96', reverse inscribed, 'To/2 (space) 11/3'. A few edge nicks, otherwise very fine and scarce.**

\$120



919\*  
**Fire Insurance Companies Brigade, Melbourne, 1891, medal in sterling silver (41x43mm) with loop mount, by S&M, inscribed on reverse 'E.H.Butler/2yrs.8mos'. Very fine.**

\$400



916\*  
**N.S.Wales Railways Of Australia, State Parliament, pass (KC) for electorate of Bligh, in gold (9ct; 10.86g; 27x34mm), no maker, ring top suspension. Very fine and rare.**

\$500



920\*  
**Australian political check, Vote For Hollis, in bronze (22.5mm), no maker, pierced at top for suspension ring, obverse, bust of Hollis facing left. Very fine.**

\$50

Mr Robert Hollis was an engine driver who emigrated from England to Australia and was a founding member of the Labor party in 1891. He was elected to the NSW Legislative Assembly in 1901 as the Labor member for Newtown-Erskine. He remained a Labor backbencher until he was expelled by the Political Labor League in November 1916 for supporting conscription. In 1917 he ran for the seat again but as a Nationalist. Unfortunately for him, he was beaten soundly by the Labor candidate, Frank Burke. He died at Ashfield in 1937.



917\*  
**N.S.W.R. (New South Wales Railways), 1889, first class pass in silver (22.5x27mm oval), obverse inscribed, 'T.Bride (e has registered on edge)/220', reverse inscribed, '7to2/9', holed at top for suspension ring. Fine.**

\$150

918  
**Juvenile Exhibition, Ballarat, 1890-1, in silver (20mm) (C.1890-1/3), no maker, ring top suspension; Tasmanian Exhibition, Hobart, 1894-5, in silver (20mm) (C.1894-5/2), no maker, ring top suspension; Exhibition Souvenir, Coolgardie, 1899, in silver (16mm), no maker, ring top suspension but ring missing; as previous but a mule (C.1899/6a), features obverse (as obverse of C.1899/6) and reverse (as obverse of C.1899/8), no maker, ring top suspension but ring missing. Very fine - good very fine. (4)**

\$120



921\*  
**Tenterfield I.P.A. & M. (Intercolonial Pastoral, Agricultural & Minerals) Society, in silver (37.5mm), by E.Altmann, Melb, and impressed, 'A.H.W.& Co.' (A.H.Wittenbach & Co), reverse inscribed, 'Marshall &/Slade./1st Prize./For/ Shorthorn Cow/3 yrs & over/1891.'. Minor edge nicks and some surface marks, otherwise nearly extremely fine.**

\$300

Ex Barry McGown Scott Collection and previously from Downie's Australian Coin Auctions 23/5/01 (lot 395).



922\*

**Warialda P & A. Assn. (Pastoral & Agricultural Association), 1891, in silver (45mm), no maker, reverse inscribed, 'Awarded/To/Lawson &.Campbell,/Best/Spring Cart Horse.'** *Toned, a few small edge nicks, otherwise good very fine.*

\$250

Warialda is a small town in the Gwydir Shire, north-west NSW. See Australian Agricultural Show Medals and Awards 1822-c1910 by Hugh Armstrong and Les Carlisle, p111, this medal although it is incorrectly recorded in the book as bronze.



923\*

**New South Wales University Of Sydney, Prize Medal in silver (42mm), by Amor, reverse inscribed, 'Senr Public Examn/1891/ French/Edwin Cuthbert Hall'.** *Edge nicks and surface marks on reverse, otherwise very fine.*

\$120

The following details courtesy of Wikipedia.

Edwin Cuthbert Hall (1874-1953) was an Australian physician and philanthropist who through a bequest funded the Edwin Cuthbert Hall Chair of Middle Eastern Archaeology within the Department of Archaeology at the University of Sydney. In 1973, the Hall Bequest was the second largest donation to the University after the Power Bequest.

Hall was born in Sydney to Reuben and Mary Ann Hall of Ashfield, New South Wales, and attended Newington College (1886-1891). In 1889 and again in 1890, he won the Wigram Allen Scholarship, awarded by Sir George Wigram Allen, for mathematics, with David Edwards receiving it in 1890 for classics. At the end of 1891 Hall was named Dux of the College and received the Schofield Scholarship. He went up to the University of Sydney and in 1894 graduated as a Bachelor of Medicine and Chirurgery.

After appointments as a resident medical officer and a medical superintendent at Royal Prince Alfred Hospital, Hall became the Government Medical Officer at Parramatta, New South Wales in 1922. After the death of his first wife, he became a specialist with rooms in Macquarie Street, Sydney. Hall was the author of several plant species, especially in the genus *Eucalyptus*.

The terms of Hall's will were that his estate was to be held in trust until the death of his wife "for the University of Sydney for the endowment of a Professorship in the subjects of Archaeology and Mythology in the Ancient Middle East, namely, Palestine, Egypt and Asia Minor." On 31 December 1959 the University received £88,608 12s. 7d. In 1960 the Edwin Cuthbert Hall Chair of Middle Eastern Archaeology was established with the first occupant being appointed on 2 August 1960.

See lot 907 for another medal to this recipient.



924\*  
**N.S.W. Poultry, Pigeon, Canary & Dog Society, 1889**, in bronze (53.5mm) by Ottley Birrmm, inscribed on reverse 'N.S.W./Poultry, Pigeon/Canary & Dog/Society/Awarded To/W.Baker/B.G.Duckwing Cock/1891'. *Toned extremely fine.*

\$120



925\*  
**Tasmanian International Exhibition, 1891-2**, prize medal in silver (32mm) (C.1891-2/4 but with Awarded To on reverse and variation to wreath), no maker, reverse inscribed, 'Frank Lloyd & Co/Sydney/N.S.W.'. *Heavily toned, otherwise good very fine and scarce as a named award medal.*

\$100

Frank Lloyd & Co received this award for Horse and Cattle Food. Following the award, it seems that some hawkers in Tasmania were approaching stock owners purporting to have food identical to that of this company. The company took out a newspaper advertisement warning stock owners in Tasmania that the 'cheap' and 'shoddy' food was not produced by them, that they had no hawkers or canvassers in Tasmania and the products could only be obtained through their accredited representative.



926\*  
**Woman's Work Exhibition, Sydney, 1892**, in bronze (39mm) (C.1892/3), by Amor, Sydney. *A few oxidation spots on obverse, otherwise toned extremely fine and scarce.*

\$250



927\*  
**Townsville Pastoral & Agricultural Association**, in silver (44.5mm), by R.C. (Robert Capner), reverse inscribed, 'H.R (inscribed over A).Crawford/Mechanical/Drawing/Sept 1894.' *Edge bumps and nicks and surface marks, otherwise good very fine.*

\$250

See Australian Agricultural Show Medals and Awards 1822-c1910 by Hugh Armstrong and Les Carlisle, p266, this medal.



928\*  
**The National Agricultural & Industrial Association Of Queensland**, in silver (51mm), by J.S. & A.B.Wyon, reverse inscribed, 'Exhibition/1894/Marshall/& Slade/Merino/Strong Woolled/Ewe'. *Some hairlines, otherwise uncirculated.*  
 \$150

See Australian Agricultural Show Medals and Awards 1822-c1910 by Hugh Armstrong and Les Carlisle, p200, for an illustration of another identical medal awarded to Marshall & Slade in 1896.



930\*  
**Tasmanian International Exhibition, Hobart, 1894-5**, in gilt (38mm), by Stokes & Sons, Melb, unnamed as usual. *Some light toning, otherwise extremely fine.*  
 \$150



931\*  
**Gawler Agricultural Horticultural & Floricultural Society S.A. (South Australia)**, in bronze 47mm), by Stokes & Martin, Melbourne, reverse inscribed, 'Awarded To/ I.Clements./Cabinet Work/25th Sep 1895'. *Toned, good extremely fine.*  
 \$450



929\*  
**Tasmanian International Exhibition, Hobart, 1894-5**, in gilt (38mm), by Stokes & Sons, Melb, reverse inscribed, 'King/Engel & McCullagh Ltd/for/"Correct thing at last"/ Tobacco'. *A few tone spots, otherwise good very fine.*  
 \$200

King Engel & McCullagh Ltd were Melbourne based wholesalers and importers who introduced a new dark tobacco called 'Correct thing at last' which was advertised throughout various Australian states as the best tobacco on the market. The above medal was referred to as a gold medal award.



932\*

**Wide Bay & Burnett Pastoral & Agl (Agricultural) Society,** in silver (44mm), by E.Altmann, Melb./Wittenbach & Co, Melb., reverse inscribed, 'G.H.Jones/For/Blood Entire Colt/1895'. *Edge nicks and digs in obverse field, otherwise very fine.*

\$300

See Australian Agricultural Show Medals and Awards 1822-c1910 by Hugh Armstrong and Les Carlisle, p253, **this medal.**



934\*

**Royal Agricultural Society Of New South Wales, Struck At The Easter Exhibition, 1896,** in white metal (43.5mm) (C.1896/10), by W.J.Amor, Sydney. *Toned extremely fine, a few very minor edge nicks and very scarce in this condition.*

\$200



933\*

**Cook District Pastoral And Agricultural Society, Estd 1891,** in silver (39mm), no maker, reverse inscribed, 'E.C.Earl/ Blood Mare/3 yrs/1895'. *Edge nicks and contact marks, otherwise good fine.*

\$500

Cook District is in far north Queensland and covers the vast Cape York Peninsula north of Cairns. One of its small towns is Cooktown. See Australian Agricultural Show Medals and Awards 1822-c1910 by Hugh Armstrong and Les Carlisle, p227, **this medal.**



935\*

**Queensland International Exhibition, 1897,** in gilt (45mm) (C.1897/9), by S & Sons (Stokes & Sons) (note 'Stoke' has not registered in relief), unnamed. *Hairlines on reverse and small blob of metal on lower front edge below 18, otherwise extremely fine.*

\$150

Ex Downies Australian Coin Auctions 318 (lot 1358) and the Terry Pepperell Collection.



939\*

**R.A. (Royal Agricultural) Society of Queensland**, in silver (45mm), by J.Moore, reverse inscribed, 'R.A. Society/ of/Queensland/August 1898./"Champion Sow"/won by/ W.R.Robinson'. *Edge nicks and surface marks, otherwise good very fine.*

\$200

See Australian Agricultural Show Medals and Awards 1822-c1910 by Hugh Armstrong and Les Carlisle, p264, [this medal](#).

936\*

**The Royal Agricultural Society Of Victoria**, in silver (35mm), by S. & M. (Stokes & Martin), reverse inscribed, 'Stickland & Sons/1897', edge inscribed, '1st. Prize. Spring Cart'. *A few small edge nicks, otherwise toned good very fine.*

\$120

Stickland & Sons won their medal in the section for Carriages, buggies, spring carts, and drays.



937\*

**Queen Victoria**, mule medalet in bronze (31mm), with obverse for Queen Victoria's 60th Year Of Reign, 1837 to 1897 (C.1897/16), and reverse for Adelaide Exhibition, 21st June 1887 (C.1887/50), pierced hole at top for suspension. *Unlisted in Carlisle, dark toned extremely fine and very rare.*

\$250

938

**Queen Victoria Diamond Jubilee**, (West Australia), 1897, in silver (24mm) (C.1897/87) (2), no maker, pierced hole for suspension ring; **King George V & Queen Mary Coronation**, Western Australia Commemorates, 1911, in white metal (31mm) (C.1911/23), no maker, ring top suspension with suspender and ribbon bar marked 'Fear God And/Honor The King'. *Very fine - good very fine.* (3)

\$70

Ex Barry McGown Scott Collection and previously from Downie's Australian Coin Auctions 23/5/2001 (lot 418).

940\*

**The Governor's Prize**, 1899, in silver (46mm), by P.Blashki & Sons, reverse with coat of arms of Sir Thomas Brassey, Governor of Victoria 1895-1900, obverse inscribed, 'J.Walburn/1899'. *Some minor edge nicks and hairlines, otherwise good very fine.*

\$600

This medal, referred to in newspaper reports as the Lord Brassey Medal, was easily won by J.Walburn for butter test for dairy cow at the 17th annual show of the Buln Buln Agricultural Society held on 26 April 1899 at Brandy Creek. Buln Buln is a small town in West Gippsland, Victoria.



lot 939



941\*

**Boer War Peace**, 1900, in gilt (30.5mm) (C.1900/6), no maker, pierced hole for suspension ring. *Some small tone spots, otherwise extremely fine and scarce.*

\$80



942\*

**Commonwealth Celebrations, Victoria, 1901**, fob in voided gold (15ct; 6.38g; 19x25mm) (C.1901/11), no maker, scroll and ring top suspension, reverse inscribed, 'A. J. Arnot'. *Very fine.*

\$700

Arthur James Arnot was born on 26 August 1865 at Hamilton in Scotland. He was educated at Hutchisontown Grammar School and Haldane Academy in Glasgow and then attended Glasgow College of Science from 1881 before being appointed assistant engineer at Grosvenor Gallery power station. He arrived in Melbourne, Victoria in 1889 on a two year contract to erect a large alternating current plant for Union Electric Co and in the same year he patented the world's first electric drill. In 1891 he was appointed as the first electrical engineer of the Melbourne City Council.

While with the Council he managed the installation of a comprehensive system of street lighting in the city 1891-92, designed and managed Spencer Street power station 1894-1901, and helped draft the Victorian Electric Light and Power Act of 1896. He was a member of the Institution of Electrical Engineers, London 1899-1906, president of the Electrical Association of New South Wales and president of the Victorian Institute of Electrical Engineers in 1899. He was also an examiner in electrical technology for Victorian technical schools and councillor for the Working Men's College 1897-1901. From 1901-1929 he was Australasian manager of Babcock & Wilcox Ltd, Sydney.

Arnot also was in the volunteer forces serving as Lieutenant with Submarine Company, Victorian Engineers from 1894 and with Australian Engineers, AMF from 1915 retiring in 1925 at the rank of Major. He retired from Babcock & Wilcox in 1929 and died on 15 October 1946 at Castle Hill, Sydney, New South Wales.



943\*

**Commonwealth Celebrations, May 1901, Victoria**, in silver (19x25mm) (C.1901/11), no maker, with scroll and ring top suspension, reverse impressed, 'B. N. Salisbury'. *Very fine and scarce.*

\$100

Ex Roxbury's Auction No.96 (lot 115).



944\*

**Press (Pass)**, (1901), in silver (25mm), no maker, scroll and ring top suspension, unnamed. *Good very fine.*

\$100



945\*

**Aust. Commonwealth Opening of the First Federal Parliament, 1901**, in silver (29x35mm) (C.1901/2), by Stokes & Sons, ring top suspension with ribbon and silver and enamel ribbon brooch bar 'Australia' with Australian coat-of-arms in centre. *Toned uncirculated and rare with brooch bar.*

\$200

Probably a medal as issued to official function attendees or to government officials.

946

**Australia, Opening of First Federal Parliament, 1901** (C.1901/2), in gilt; Coronation of Edward VII, 1902 (C.1902/1a), in gilt; First Visit of Commonwealth Fleet, 1913, in bronze (C.1913/5); South Australia America Carnival 1918 fund raising pin badge in silvered and enamel; Peace/Victory medal, 1919, in silvered (C.1919/2), as issued to school children; also world medals including France, miniature WWI Medal of Honour with crossed swords (Bravery); Great Britain, Queen Victoria, Golden Jubilee, 1887 silvered cross with her photo in centre; another similar in gilt for Diamond Jubilee, 1897 issued by the town of Congleton; another Diamond Jubilee issue in gilt and enamel with names of Commonwealth countries of Australia, India, Canada, and South Africa. *Fine - extremely fine.* (9)

\$100



947\*

**Australian Commonwealth, 1901**, in gilt and enamel (32x38mm) (C.1901/7), no maker, ring top suspension, reverse inscribed, 'Presented/by/The Western/Australian Bank/1. Jan. 1901'. *Very fine.*

\$70

Mostly seen with a plain reverse but the above is inscribed as per the medalet illustrated in Carlisle.





953\*  
**Eastern Downs Horticultural & Agricultural Asson, Warwick, in silver (31mm), no maker, reverse inscribed, 'W.Maker/(For)/Jersey Heffer/Under 3 Yr/1905'. Dark toned, a few edge nicks and surface marks, otherwise very fine.**  
 \$140



955\*  
**First Australian Exhibition Of Womens Work, Melbourne, 1907, prize medal in bronze (29.5mm) (C.1907/4), by Newman, reverse inscribed, (Highest/Award For) 'Wands/ St Kilda S.S.'. Very small edge bump, otherwise good very fine.**  
 \$80



954\*  
**P.R.F. (Pioneer River Farmers) Association, A.P. And I. (Agricultural, Pastoral And Industrial) Show, Mackay, in silver (31mm) (3), by Stokes & Sons, the first medal inscribed on reverse, 'C.P.Rich./Pair of Hacks/Bohneen/&/ Biddy./1906'; the second medal inscribed, 'C.P.Rich's/1st Prize/(1) Pair of Hacks'/Floodbird/& Lifeguard/1908'; the third medal inscribed, 'C.R.Rich's/1st Prize/Pair Of/Buggy Horses/1908'. All in case, nicely toned, nearly uncirculated. (3)**  
 \$400



956\*  
**Italy, Vittorio Emanuele II, Messina Earthquake Medal 1908, awarded to an Australian, with a silver pin backed bar inscribed 'Quartermaster A.E. Turner R.M.S. Ophir'. In case of issue. Extremely fine and very rare.**  
 \$800

Together with newspaper clipping attached to inside case lid. It reads 'An interesting presentation to one of the heroes of the recent earthquake, by which the city of Messina was destroyed, took place at the Metropolitan Fire Station yesterday, when a former quartermaster of the R.M.S. Ophir, Mr A. Turner, who is now a member of the Metropolitan Fire Brigade, received a silver medal, sent by King Victor Emanuel of Italy, in recognition of the services performed by Mr Turner when Messina was in ruins. The crew of the Ophir, it will be remembered, were instrumental in saving a great number of lives, and in that noble work Mr Turner took a prominent part. The presentation which took place in the presence of members of the Metropolitan Fire Brigade board and members of the headquarters staff, was made through the medium of the shipping master at Melbourne, Captain Parsons, whose laudatory remarks were supported by Mr F.T. Hickford, the President of the board.'



Rugby Football League Medals  
to Eastern Suburbs Champion Player

957\*  
Italy, Vittorio Emanuele II, Messina Earthquake Medal 1908, awarded to an Australian, Mr G.H.Hopkins of East Guildford, Perth, West Aust. In case of issue. *Extremely fine and very rare.*

\$750

Together with a letter from the Premier's Office, Perth, dated 5th August 1912, addressed to Mr G.H.Hopkins, 'Caerleon', James St, East Guildford, requesting his attendance at the Royal Show Grounds, Claremont, on Wednesday next, to be presented with the medal by His Excellency the Governor, Sir Gerald Strickland, from His Majesty the King of Italy.



958\*  
NSW Rugby Football League prize medals, includes N.S.W. Rugby Football League, 1908, in gold (9ct; 7.32g; 27mm), reverse inscribed, 'Eastern Suburbs/Premiers/2nd Grade/C.Lees.'; NSWRL Premiers 1911, in gold (9ct; 18.06g; 34mm), by Angus & Coote, Sydney, fancy voided floral suspension, reverse inscribed, 'First Grade./Premiership Medals./1911./Eastern Suburbs District/Winners./C.Lees.'; NSWRL, 1912, in gold (9ct; 19.64g; 34mm), by Angus & Coote, scroll suspender, reverse inscribed, 'NSW Rugby Football/League/1912./Eastern Suburbs./District Club./1st Grade Premiers./C.Lees.'; NSW Rugby Football League, 1914, in gold (9ct; 15.67g; 32x40mm), by W.Kerr, with fancy scroll suspension, reverse inscribed, 'Eastern Suburbs/District Club/City Cup/Competition./C.Lees.'; also a small flat-backed gold plated football (9.5x14mm), by Harry Young and with loop suspension. *The first with a dent on the domed centre and suspension missing, the third with a gem stone missing from the centre claw setting, otherwise very fine and a rare set of NSWRL medals.* (5)

\$5,000



lot 958 part

Charlie Lees was born at Woollahra, Sydney, NSW in 1887. He was a forward with the Eastern Suburbs Leagues Club playing as a second-rower, a prop and lock. He was in the premiership winning 2nd grade team in 1908 and was a member of the club's first premiership winning first grade team in 1911 and was his team's only try scorer in the match. He followed this up with premiership wins in 1912 and 1913 playing alongside Dally Messenger, who captained the team in all three years, and in the 1913 super side every team member had represented either Australia or NSW. He also won the City Cup Competition with his club in 1914, 1915 and 1916. The City Cup was a post season tournament inaugurated in 1912. Competitions were held in 1912-1925, 1937, 1942 and 1959.

Charlie Lees played 152 matches for the Eastern Suburbs Club and was one of the first to play in 100 matches. In 1913 he was selected to represent NSW, playing in 4 games and on 12 January 1931 he was recognised with the awarding of Life Membership of the New South Wales Rugby League, being one of two selected from 21 nominations. He died at Rose Bay, Sydney, NSW on 21 June 1976.



959\*

**Pt Pirie Pioneer Association, 1908**, in bronze and enamel (25x25mm), no maker, ring top suspension, reverse inscribed, 'Duncan Campbell./1876.'. *Nearly uncirculated.*

\$80

A meeting was held at the Port Pirie Hotel on Thursday 1 October 1908 for the purpose of establishing an association of Port Pirie Pioneers. It was decided as follows:- 'It is to consist of an unlimited number of male and female members, who, before September 1, 1883, were resident within 10 miles of the Port Pirie Post Office and were instrumental in assisting the opening up and development of the town, and also those who for five years prior to the date named were constant residents, but were not now residents of the town. Provision is also made for the admission of those who for five years prior to 25 years ago made regular weekly visits, the object of this being to admit those who were on board steamers or ketches when the shipping trade of the port was opened up. Sons and daughters of pioneers, who were not under 14 years of age, and residents of the port on September 1, 1883, are also to be allowed to join, and honorary members admitted under certain conditions.'

Then at a meeting on Tuesday 15 December 1908 it was decided that the insignia of the Association consist of a bronze Maltese cross inscribed in enamelled lettering with the name of the Association and with the name of the member on the reverse side together with date of arrival at Port Pirie.

960

**Aktiebolaget Separator Stockholm 1883-1908**, in silver plate (61mm) by Erik Lindberg, 'available in America, Australia, Africa'. *Good very fine.*

\$50

Ex Gregory J.Smith Collection.



lot 961

961\*

**Queensland Jubilee, 1859-1909**, Royal Agricultural Society Of Queensland, in bronze (46mm) (not in Carlisle cf C.1909/7), no maker, unnamed. *Digs in reverse field, otherwise nearly uncirculated and a scarce unlisted type.*

\$250



962\*

**Jubilee of Congregational Church, Wharf St, Brisbane, 1909**, in bronze (30mm) (C.1909/3), no maker, holed for suspension. *Carlisle states gilded but this example appears to be heavily oxidised copper, otherwise very fine and scarce.*

\$60



963\*

**Jubilee of Toowoomba, 1860-1910**, in silver (24mm) (C.1910/4), no maker, pierced hole at top edge for suspension. *Very fine.*

\$60



964\*

**Medalets and badges; Dunbar, 'relics recovered July 1910'** inscribed on plain back with ornate silver surround mount; Australia Boat Trade Employes (sic) Federation (Smith 73); Alfa Laval Separator voided badge; enamelled badges, BCCF, school (3), Water Polo, universities 1974-6, in 2x2 holders. *Very fine - extremely fine. (9)*

\$100

Ex Gregory J.Smith Collection.



965\*  
**Art nouveau medal by an Australian artist**, uniface, features a draped ladies head left in bronze (63.5mm) and at base is signed, 'Franz R.Stelling/1910', mounted on a square (10cm) of stained timber. *Good very fine.*

\$80

Franz R.Stelling was a prominent landscape artist living in Sydney in the early 20th century.

Ex Dr W.J.D.Mira Collection.



966\*  
**N.S.W. Church Rugby Union, 1910**, prize fob in voided gold (9ct; 7.08g; 27x35mm), no maker, ring top suspension, reverse inscribed, 'N.S.W./Church.Rugby.Un/N.S.B (Northern Suburbs Branch)/St Thomas. Ch. 1st/A. Premiers/S.Warren/1910'. *Toned very fine.*

\$220

**British Exhibition Medal to Australian Heavyweight Boxing Champion and a Member of the Men's Relay Team to the 1912 Olympics that Won Australia's First Ever Olympic Swimming Relay Gold Medal and he also Won 2 Individual Swimming Bronze Medals**



967\*  
**Festival Of Empire Imperial Exhibition And Pageant Of London, Crystal Palace, 1911**, in gilt bronze (63.5mm), no maker, reverse inscribed, 'Harold Hardwick/For/Services To/Boxing'. *Some oxidation marks, otherwise very fine.*

\$300

As part of the festival an Inter-Empire sports championship was held in which teams from Australasia (Australia and New Zealand combined), Canada, South Africa and the United Kingdom competed in athletics and swimming events as well as boxing and wrestling. The Australian boxer, Harold Hardwick, won the heavyweight boxing event undefeated.

Harold Hampton Hardwick (14 December 1888 - 22 February 1959), was born in Balmain, Sydney, New South Wales and attended Fort Street High School. He was a versatile Australian sports star of the early 20th century - an Olympic gold medal swimmer, national heavyweight boxing champion, and a state representative rugby union player. He later became a colonel in the Australian Imperial Force. Hardwick was on the winning team of the 4x200-metre freestyle relay at the 1912 Summer Olympics and won bronze medals in the 400-metre and 1500-metre freestyle.

With research.



968\*

**Australasian Amateur Swimming Championship**, prize medal in gold (15ct; 20.94g; 29.5mm), no maker, reverse inscribed, '100Yards/W.Longworth/1st/3.2.12/Time 58 4/5 secs./Perth. W.A.'. *Toned extremely fine.*

\$1,100

William 'Bill' Longworth was an Australian freestyle swimmer who represented Australasia in the 1912 Summer Olympics. He went to Sydney Grammar School where he was outstanding in swimming, athletics and rugby union. In January 1911, representing the Eastern Suburbs Swimming Club, he won the 1,320 yard freestyle event by 30 yards at the Australian Championships in world record time and in doing so beat Cecil Healy and Frank Beaurepaire. In 1912 he won all New South Wales and Australian freestyle championship events from 100 yards to one mile. In the same year he also qualified for the final of the 100 metres freestyle as well as for the semi-finals of the 1500 metres freestyle at the Olympic Games in Stockholm, Sweden, but because of illness was forced to withdraw. Then in 1913 and 1914 he won every New South Wales and Australian freestyle swimming title except for the 100 yards.

Born at Singleton, New South Wales on 26 September 1892 'Bill' Longworth enlisted in the AIF on 13 September 1915. He embarked in May 1916 and served in France as a sergeant with the Anzac Entrenchment Battalion as well as in supply and motor transport columns. He was commissioned in June 1917 and while overseas represented the AIF in swimming competitions. He married an English woman, Ellen Humphrey on 16 July 1919, returning to Australia in November.

After the war he entered the lucrative family business and over the years held directorships with various companies. He was also prominent in the sport of billiards and snooker being the New South Wales amateur snooker champion in 1920 and 1921, and Sydney Metropolitan billiards champion in 1937. He was vice-president of the British Billiards Control Council, a member of the Australian Jockey Club as well as a racehorse owner and was chairman of the Owners and Trainers' Association and the Sydney Turf Club. In 1946 he was divorced and remarried on 5 February 1947 to Irene Ley. William Longworth died at his home in Wahroonga, Sydney, New South Wales on 19 October 1969.

See also lots 969 and 974 for medals to same recipient.



969\*

**N.S.W. Amateur Swimming Assoc.**, prize medal in enamel and gold (15ct; 18.63g; 29x32mm), no maker, reverse inscribed, 'Mile/Championship/8.1.12./Domain. Sydney./W.Longworth/First/Time 24 min. 40 Sec.'. *Extremely fine.*

\$950

See also lots 968 and 974 for medals to same recipient.



970\*

**Shipwrights' Provident Union Of N.S.Wales**, Jubilee, 1912, uniface in silver (27x34mm) (C.1912/3; Smith 584), by W.Kerr. *Good very fine and scarce.*

\$150

971

**Newtown Jubilee**, 1912, in gilded (31mm) (C.1912/2), no maker, ring top with suspension pin fitting; Ducon-Mikropul Australasia Pty Ltd Ten Years Operation, 1982, in darkened bronze (63.5mm), no maker; Water Board Centenary, 1988, in nickel silver (47.5mm), no maker; Kiama Bicentennial Committee presentation medal, 1988, in oxidised base metal (50mm), no maker, ribbon loop; Australian Bicentenary Commemorative Medal, 1988, in gilt and enamel (41mm), no maker, set into a small timber frame and with plaque inscribed, 'Bicentennial Pioneers Dinner/1988/Auburn Municipal Council'; Australian Quality Awards, 1989, in chromed metal and enamel (50mm), no maker, ring top suspension, reverse impressed, 'To Commemorate The Sydney Assembly Plant Of Ford Motor Co Winning The Premier 1989 Australian Quality Award For Outstanding Achievement in Total Quality Management'; Sesquicentenary of Kiama, 1990, in oxidised silvered (63.5mm), no maker; Queensland Fire Service shoulder patch; also France Cables Et Radio, C.T.S. Afala Wallis, 1989, in bronze (58mm), no maker, issued for opening by Michel Rocard, Premier Minister of France. *The first very fine, the rest uncirculated.* (9)

\$100

Ex Barry McGown Scott Collection.



972\*

**Australian Bowling Team**, 1912, badge in the design of an Australian 1912H florin in gilt and enamel (26.5mm), by Vaughtons Ltd, Birm, pin-back. *Very fine.*

\$100



973\*  
**N.S.W. Railways & Tramways Ambulance Corps, Challenge Shield medal**, in silver (29x33mm), no maker, ring top suspension, reverse inscribed, 'W.H.Cooper,/Newcastle Railways/30.11.12.'. *Dark toned, very fine.*

\$60



976\*  
**U.Q.A.C. (University of Queensland Athletics Club)**, in bronze (50mm), no maker, reverse inscribed, '2nd/220 Yds/Champ./J.F.Neilson/1914'. *A few tone spots, traces of mint red, a small edge bump and an edge nick, otherwise good very fine.*

\$80

Believed to be John Francis Neilson BSc, born at Charters Towers, Queensland and who by the end of 1915 would have completed his Bachelor of Science degree at the University of Queensland. At 29 years of age he enlisted in Brisbane in the AIF on 3 May 1916 listing his occupation as science master at Brisbane Grammar School. However, he was discharged on 4 September 1916 as his services were required for munitions manufacturing.



974\*  
**Australasian Amateur Swimming Championship, prize medal** in gold (15ct; 18.01g; 29.5mm), by Golding, reverse inscribed, '880Yds/W.Longworth/N.S.W./1st. Hobart/8-2-13'. *Toned extremely fine.*

\$900

See also lots 968 and 969 for medals to same recipient.



975\*  
**Lower Clarence Football Asscn, 1913, handcrafted prize fob** in gold (9ct; 6.02g; 27x31mm), by F.W.&Co, ring top suspension, reverse inscribed, 'Maclean F.C/1st Grade/Premiers/D.McDermid/1913'. *Nearly uncirculated.*

\$180



kot 977

977\*

**Royal Shipwreck Relief & Humane Society of N.S.W.**, bronze medal with ribbon and brooch bar (pin missing), reverse inscribed, 'James Glew/for saving Life/at Little Beach/6th March 1914'. *Ribbon damaged, medal toned, otherwise good very fine.*

\$900

An article in The Sun, Sydney on 19 April 1914, page 16 reported the following.

'SAVED THREE LIVES - A MODEST HERO

"Bravo, Jimmy!" exclaimed his fellow-workmen, as James Glew emerged from the surf at Little Coogee after having plunged in fully clothed and rescued a drowning woman. But Jimmy, with characteristic dislike of fuss, stepped aside, declined their outstretched hands, and made off home for a change of clothes. "It's only what I should have done," he remarked to one of them.

Jimmy Glew is an unostentatious hero. And were it not for the fact that others have talked, the chances are that three acts of bravery performed by him would be unknown, except to those who owe their lives to his daring.

Glew, who follows the plastering trade, is also an inveterate angler, and fills in most of his spare time at a favourite spot off the rocks at Little Coogee. For three years or more he has been a constant frequenter of that locality, and on an afternoon two years ago he distinguished himself by saving a man's life. The man was also fishing from the rocks, and in his enthusiasm had disregarded the rising tide. He was washed off. He was helpless, and was being badly battered by contact with the rocks when Glew, divesting himself of his boots and coat, jumped in. Being a strong swimmer, he brought the man round to a safe landing spot, and eventually got him up on to the rocks. A month later he rescued a little girl from almost certain death. The youngster was paddling close in, but being of the venturesome spirit she waded in beyond her depth, and immediately became at the mercy of an unusually strong current. Glew, who was the only fisherman on the rocks that day, had his attention arrested by the shrieks of the girl's mother, and diving in he was able to intercept her and bring her back.

After he had effected his third rescue, on the 6th of last month, Glew was offered a sum of money, and an order for a new suit of clothes; but he refused it, remarking, "I couldn't think of such a thing. I only did my duty."

On this occasion a young woman, a recent arrival from Newcastle, while surf-bathing at Little Coogee, was carried out by the current. Her screams were heard by the workmen at the new surf, sheds, and Glew, who had a sub-contract in the construction of those sheds, was first down to the water's edge. Without waiting to strip any of his clothing, he plunged in. He had to swim 80 yards, but he reached the woman, and after a game battle against the current ultimately got her to a landing place. His struggle had, however, weakened him so much that he was unable to lift her on to the rocks, and it required the assistance of a workman to complete the rescue.

His work has not been officially recognised, but surely he has qualified for the Royal Humane Society's medallion. Glew was born at Penrith, but now lives at 60 McKenzie-street, Waverley. He is 36 years old, and has had 24 years military service, having served in the Boer war.'

Finally, James Glew's heroism was recognised when this bronze medal was awarded to him for his bravery in swimming out, fully dressed, and without a line, from Little Coogee Beach, on March 6 1914 and saving the life of a young woman who had been carried out to sea by the strong current that was running.



978\*

**SMS EMDEN, (HMAS Sydney), Captain Von Muller/Emden, 1914**, in silver (33mm) (17.8g) by Lauer Nuremberg (MH.430b; Zet.4051). *Hairlines, otherwise nearly uncirculated.*

\$450

Ex Barry McGown Scott Collection and previously from Colonial Auctions.



979\*

**Old Geelong Grammarians Association**, badge in enamel and gold (9ct; 5.67g; 24mm), no maker, pin-back, reverse inscribed, 'G.G.S/1915-18/R.I.Travers'. *Some spotting on enamel, otherwise good fine.*

\$170



980\*

**In Memory Of Gallipoli, 1915**, badges (3), first in blue and green enamel and gold (9ct; 7.89g; 23mm), by Amor, pin-back; the second in purple and green enamel and silver (23mm), by Amor, pin-back; the third in white and green enamel and gilt (23mm), no maker, pin-back. *Very fine - extremely fine.* (3)

\$450



981\*  
**League of Loyal Women of Australia**, undated, in gilt and enamel (30mm), by E.C.Evans, ring top suspension with pin-back bar 'ENGINEERS', reverse numbered, 315. *Small enamel chip in bar, otherwise very fine.*

\$150

The League of Loyal Women of Australia was established in South Australia on 20 July 1915 essentially to establish a permanent fellowship among women and to secure co-operation and concentration of effort in the belief that the recovery of the British Empire from the war would greatly depend on the efforts of women and that they could best serve the country and the King by uniting in an endeavour to make themselves more efficient in the performance of those duties which especially devolved upon them. They also performed many fundraising ventures and established a Trench Comforts Fund for Australia's fighting men. The League ceased to operate in January 1923.



982\*  
**Queensland's Patriotic Day, Rifle Club Parade, Aug. 28th 1915**, in aluminium (30.5mm) (C.1915/12, this medal), no maker, pierced hole for suspension ring. *Mint lustre, uncirculated and rare in this condition.*

\$100



983\*  
**GCC (German Concentration Camp) Liverpool, N.S.W., 1914 - 1916**, in aluminium (31mm) (C.1916/4), no maker, reverse legend, 'Zum Andenken An Unsere Kriegsgefangenschaft' (A Memento of Our Prisoner of War Days). *Very fine and scarce.*

\$500



984\*  
**GCC (German Concentration Camp) Liverpool, N.S.W., 1914 - 1916**, in aluminium (31mm) (C.1916/4), no maker, pierced hole for ring top suspension, reverse legend, 'Zum Andenken An Unsere Kriegsgefangenschaft' (A Memento of Our Prisoner of War Days). *Good fine and scarce.*

\$500



985\*  
**Queen Victoria**, mule medalet in gilt (31mm) (C.1916/9a), by Stokes & Sons, ring top suspension, with obverse for Queen Victoria's 60th Year Of Reign, 1837 to 1897 (C.1897/37), and reverse as for obverse of St Johns Church Newtown, Tasmania, 1835-1916 (C.1916/9). *Nearly uncirculated and very rare.*

\$250



986\*  
**Melbourne Eight Hours Committee, Diamond Jubilee, 1916**, in voided silver and enamel (26x32mm), by C.Bentley, with ring top suspension, a ribbon and stick-pin (pin missing) ribbon bar 'Committee'. *Good very fine and scarce.*

\$200

See an image in Emblems of Unity by Gregory J.Smith, page 17. Not listed in Carlisle.



987\*  
**Newcastle Rocket Brigade**, presentation fob in voided gold (9ct; 10.94g; 27x35mm), by G.Bros, ring top suspension, obverse inscribed, 'TS', reverse inscribed, 'Presented to/ T.Stratten./by members/N.R.B./as a token of esteem/14.7.17'. *Name inscribed on obverse is worn, could be restored, otherwise fine.*

\$300

The Newcastle Rocket Brigade was formed in 1866 as a support unit for the Newcastle Lifeboat Service. The Rocket Brigades were based on the north and south sides of Newcastle harbour and supported the lifeboats by using rocket launchers to fire ropes on to ships stranded along the 30-kilometre stretch of Stockton beach. The units last rescue attempt was in 1974. There is a memorial to the Lifeboats and the Brigades at Nobbys Beach on the walk to the Lighthouse at Newcastle East. Alderman T.Stratten was the Mayor of Stockton Council. This gold fob was presented to him and also to R.Gow, both retiring members of the Brigade, at a meeting at the Royal Hotel at Stockton.

It is of interest to note that in 1914, while not the mayor, alderman T.Stratten moved a motion, which was supported, to raise a half-squadron of Light Horse consisting of members from Stockton, Newcastle, Fullerton Cove, and Salt Ash because he considered that most of the intending members knew every inch of the country along the coastline and this would be of immense benefit to the Defence Department.



988\*  
**War Chest For Our Soldiers, 1917**, in gold (9ct; 2.27g; 21mm), by WFW', pin-back. *Good very fine.*

\$70



989\*  
**War Chest For Our Fighting Men**, enamelled tinnie set into gold backing holder (9ct; tot wt 2.99g; 22mm), no maker, pin-back but securing lug missing. *Very fine.*

\$80



990\*  
**A.R.C. (Antwerp Rowing Club)**, handcrafted fob medal in gold (9ct; 5.51g; 33x38mm), no maker, ring top suspension, reverse inscribed, 'A.R.C./Open pairs/Won by/A.Parker/ Str./1/11/18'. *Extremely fine.*

\$180

Antwerp is a small town about 400 kilometres north-west of Melbourne. The Wimmera River passes about 500 metres west of the town.



991\*  
**S.A. Tattersalls Anzac Benefit, 1918**, badge in voided gold (9ct; 1.73g; 23x23mm), maker's mark unclear, stick-pin back. *Small repair mark where horse's nose touches horse shoe, otherwise extremely fine.*

\$150

In The Journal, Adelaide, South Australia on Friday 15 November 1918, page 1 it was reported as follows. 'In connection with Saturday's Patriotic Race Meeting at Victoria Park, the committee of Tattersalls Club has issued a neat memento of the occasion. It takes the form of a golden shoe, bearing the words "S.A. Tattersalls Anzac Benefit, 1918," with the head of a thoroughbred in the centre. - The price is one guinea.'



992\*  
**Commonwealth Police**, Investigation Branch detective's ID fob chain medallion, c1919-40, in silver (?) (35mm), no maker's name, suspension hole unpierced, unnumbered. *Possibly a specimen strike, extremely fine.*

\$200

993

**Balmain Bowling Club**, fob badge in silver and enamel (24x30mm), by G.A.Miller, Sydney, ring top suspension, reverse inscribed, 'Peace 1919/W.Waugh/President'. *Very fine.*

\$50



994

**Voluntary Workers Association**, Member badge 1919-20, in gilt and enamel (25mm), by Amor, Sydney, pin-back; Womens Association Fair Trade Imperial Union, badge in gilt and enamel (29x35mm), by Wilks/B'Ham, pin-back, obverse design features the names of Australia, Canada, New Zealand, South Africa and India with a Union Jack in centre. *Extremely fine.* (2)

\$80

997\*

**ANA (Australian Natives' Association)**, No31. Toowoomba Branch, fob in enamel and gold (9ct; 5.23g; 20x24.5mm), by Newman, ring top suspension, reverse inscribed, 'J.L.Cooke/President/June to Dec/1921'. *Good fine.*

\$180

Ex G.Stevens Collection.



Ex Barry McGown Scott Collection and previously from Colonial Auctions 26/6/04, the first ex (lot 508) and the second ex (lot 500).

998\*

**Queensland Japanese Association**, 1922, in silver (26mm) (C.1922/5), by A.J.P (A.J.Parkes), suspension loop missing. *Some hairlines and with the usual die break on reverse, otherwise nicely toned extremely fine and very scarce.*

\$200



995\*

**V.R.A (Victorian Rifle Association)**, Affiliated Unions, prize fob medal in gold (15ct; 6.85g; 27mm), no maker, scroll suspender, obverse with a square enamel target in relief, reverse inscribed, 'No.8 D.R.C.U/1921/Won by/S.N.Watson'. *Very fine.*

\$350



999\*

**The Church Street Bridge**, 1921-1923, fob medal in gold (9ct; 3.40g; 24mm), by H.Bros, scroll and ring top suspension, reverse inscribed, 'Presented to/L.Alexander./Opening of Bridge/6th July 1924.' *Nearly uncirculated.*

\$200

The new Church Street Bridge over the Yarra River was opened on the night of 8 July 1924 to allow more people to attend the ceremony. It was estimated that at least 20,000 witnessed the opening. The bridge connects the municipalities of Prahran and Richmond and was officially opened by the State Governor, His Excellency the Earl of Stradbroke.



996\*

**Parkerville City**, 1921, uniface fob medal in silver (24.5mm), by Austral Stg Co, Hay St, Perth, W.A., scroll and ring top suspension. *Toned very fine and scarce.*

\$100

Parkerville is a suburb in the Shire of Mundaring in Western Australia. Parkerville City was one of several 'Cities' created in October 1921 for the purpose of raising money for the children of the Parkerville Home. A fair was held and various stalls operated and many items offered for sale as well as dancing competitions and other events. No doubt the above medal was associated with this fundraising venture.



1000\*

**L.W.F.C (Leichhardt Ward Football Club)**, (Rockhampton), prize fob handcrafted in gold (9ct; 6.52g; 29x41mm), by SAB, ring top suspension, reverse inscribed, 'L.W.F.C/Premiers/1922/L.H.Neosome/(Forw)'. *Nearly uncirculated.*

\$200



1001\*  
 TC (?), For Loyalty Fifteen Years, fob medal in voided gold (9ct; 6.32g; 26mm), no maker, ring top suspension, reverse inscribed, 'A.Lowe/2.12.22'. *Very fine.*

\$180



1004\*  
 University Of Sydney New South Wales, prize medal in bronze (52mm), by A.Wyon, reverse inscribed, 'B.A.Examination/1924/W.G.K. Duncan/(Philosophy)'. *Traces of mint red, a few very small oxidation spots, otherwise nearly uncirculated.*

\$100

Walter George Keith Duncan was born at Leichhardt, Sydney, New South Wales on 11 July 1903 to his New Zealand born parents. He was educated at Fort Street Boys' High School and the University of Sydney where he graduated with a Bachelor of Arts degree in 1924 and a Master of Arts degree in 1926. He graduated with first class honours and was awarded a medal in history and another in philosophy and then completed his master's degree passing with first class honours and another medal for philosophy.

He was awarded a James King of Irrawang travelling scholarship and studied in both England and the United States of America. After his return to Australia in 1932, Duncan had a distinguished career in the education system including with universities in Sydney and Adelaide from 1951 as well as being involved with various commissions into education. Walter Duncan died at North Adelaide on 18 December 1987.



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1002\*  
 B.S.A. Interstate Challenge Shield, prize medal in silver (21x31mm) (3), by Elkington & Co Ltd, with ring suspension at top rear of medal, first medal inscribed, 'Interstate/1923/Won by N.S.W./C.Cunliffe'; the second inscribed, 'N.S.W./C.Cunliffe/1927'; the last inscribed, 'N.S.W./C.Cunliffe/1929.'. *The last two in cases of issue by Elkington & Co Ltd, nearly uncirculated.* (3)

\$200

The B.S.A. Interstate Challenge Shield was a shooting competition conducted by the Miniature Rifle Clubs Union.



1003\*  
 "Boy" Charlton, Worlds Champion Distance Swimmer, 1924, in bronze (32mm) (C.1924/1), by Amor, with ring top suspension fitted. *With some mint red, a few small oxidation spots, otherwise good very fine and scarce.*

\$60



1005\*  
 B&DCA, Balmain & District. Cricket. Assoc, prize fob handcrafted in gold (9ct; 8.42g; 29x38mm), by W&H (Walker & Hall, Sheffield), ring top suspension, reverse inscribed, 'B.Grade/Won.By/Rozelle. Waratah/C.C/J.Hird./1924-5'. *One tone spot, otherwise extremely fine.*

\$250



1006\*

**Federated Soc(ie)ty Boilermakers & Iron Shipbuilders Australia**, presentation fob in enamel and gold (9ct; 8.16g; 27x27mm) (cf Smith 335 in silver), by Amor, with scroll and ring top suspension, reverse inscribed, 'Presd/to/J.S.Sweeney./for/Services/Rendered/Railway/Strike /1925'. *Good very fine.*

\$250



1007\*

**"The Referee" Medallion**, in bronze (49.5mm), by Henry Dropsy, reverse inscribed, 'J.Herbert/Fremantle C.C./Winners/of West Australian C.A./Premiership,/1925 - 1926.'. *Uneven toning, otherwise good very fine and scarce.*

\$200

Ex Barry McGown Scott Collection and previously from Colonial Auctions 23/7/05 (lot 455).

(Henry) James 'Jim' Herbert was born 24 April 1895 in Fremantle, Western Australia and died 21 November 1957 at Claremont, Western Australia. He was a right handed batsman and a right arm fast medium bowler. His career spanned from 1922 to 1927. Jim Herbert scored his first century, 113, playing for Fremantle against Claremont.



lot 1008

1008\*

**Wesley Hall Cup**, 1926, fob/badge handcrafted in gold (9ct; 6.04g; 28.5x33mm), no maker, pin-back and also ring top suspension, unnamed. *Good very fine.*

\$180

In the soccer competition final for the Wesley Hall Cup played on 29 August 1926 at the Gymnasium Ground at Rockhampton, Hartley and Nerimbera played a drawn match. A second final match was played at the same ground on 5 September 1926 and Nerimbera defeated Hartley 2 to Nil.



1009\*

**New South Wales Government Ambulance**, silver with gold centrepiece 20 Years Long Service Medal, reverse inscribed, 'Coal Cliff/Ambulance/Class/1924/James Brownlee', with a ribbon and pin-back silver suspender bar for N.S.W. Govt. Ambulance Corps and this inscribed, 'Scarborough Class 1926/James Brownlee'. *The ribbon damaged, medal and bar dark toned, otherwise good very fine.*

\$150

It was reported in The Labor Daily, Sydney newspaper, Wednesday 3 February 1926, page 6 as follows.

'The Miners' Way - A Comrade's Work.

The pit-top at Coalcliff mine, smoky, dirty, and noisy, yesterday afternoon, was the scene of a little ceremony dear to the hearts of the miners working there. Nobody realises more than a man who is liable to the myriad accidents of a coal-pit, the value of the first-aid man - and the Coalcliff miners showed their appreciation of the 20 years' service of their "Zam-buk" man.

Twenty years ago James Brownlee went to Coalcliff, and started work as a blacksmith. At the same time the mine badly needed a first-aid man and Brownlee stepped into the breach. Armed with a fair knowledge of first-aid he soon proved himself invaluable to his comrades under the earth. The bond between life and death is very close, down under. It is only a little slip here or there, and a mangled human-being is writhing in agony. Thousands of feet away from doctors and hospitals, only one man can do anything- and in his twenty years Brownlee did it. They were not times for exuberant thanks- and men such as those do not go in for talking. But Brownlee's twenty years of work and sacrifice were remembered even more for that.

Working as a blacksmith at the same time, Brownlee receives the wages due for that. Not one penny for his far more invaluable services for humanity was paid by the management. Yesterday afternoon the Coalcliff miners said "Thanks" to Mr. Brownlee. A little group of men by the main shaft, a bar and hand-clasp, a murmured "Thanks" and it was finished - but it meant more to Brownlee than most other things could. The employers see no use for ambulance stations; no use for modern surgical instruments; no necessity to relieve pain and retard death. It is left to men like Brownlee, with torn shirts, handkerchiefs, and sheets, pieces of wood and Iodine, to play the game of life and death. It is well for the miners that men like Brownlee exist.'

1010

Church of England Grammar School, prize medal for "Athletic Sports" in bronze (47 mm), graffito on awardee reserve; South Australian Chamber of Manufactures Incorporated, All Australian Exhibition, 1925 & 1930, both in bronze (32 mm) both engraved. *Fine - very fine.* (3)

\$50



1013\*

Glen Osmond Rovers Football Club, 1928, fob medal in gold (9ct; 6.81g; 27mm), frame edge stamped by Barre, scroll and ring top suspension, reverse inscribed, 'For most/Consistent Player/Presented by/R.W.Abbott./Won by/B.Armstrong'. *Toned extremely fine.*

\$200

Glen Osmond is a suburb of Adelaide, South Australia.



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1011\*

Photography, Picturesque New Guinea, J.W.Lindt 1845-1926, uniface plaque in bronze (59x90.5mm); also "The Bamboo Blind", Harold Casneaux, 1878-1953, uniface plaque in bronze (58x90mm); Melbourne Camera Club, International Exhibition, uniface plaque in silvered bronze (58x70.5mm) (C.M/3). *The first with oxidation marks on reverse, the second with oxidation spotting on obverse, and the third with some irregular dark toning, otherwise nearly uncirculated; extremely fine; very fine.* (3)

\$150

Ex Dr W.J.D.Mira Collection.



1014\*

Wesley College Melbourne, prize medal, undated (1928), in bronze (51mm), no maker, obverse, college arms, reverse inscribed, 'F.Williams/Tennis/Champion/1928'. *Traces of mint red, a few small oxidation spots, otherwise good extremely fine.*

\$100



1012\*

N.S.W. Royal Visit, 1927, badge (KC) in silver and enamel (22x28.5mm), by Angus & Coote, screw-back (screw on plate missing), with clasp suspended below the badge and with die struck title, 'D/Marshall' (Deputy Marshall). *Extremely fine and scarce.*

\$80

1015

NSW Railway Ambulance Corps, service cross, enamelled silver 1928 EFFICIENT by Angus & Coote 'A.E.Thurling'; S.A. Children's Patriotic Fund, War Service enamelled bronze badge & clasps (2) by Stokes & Sons Melb, WWI peace medalet attached. *Very fine.* (3)

\$100

Ex D.Featherstone/L.McNaught Collection.



1016\*

N.S.W. Rugby Football League, 1929, prize fob in enamel and gold (9ct; 14.0g; 28x34mm), by Harry Young, ring top suspension, reverse inscribed, 'Eastern Suburbs./D.J.R.F.L./ 'A' Gde Premiers./Olives./F.Spears.'. *Extremely fine.*

\$450



1018\*

Amalgamated Road Transport Workers Union of Australia, 1928-30s, in brass and enamel (24x30mm), by G.A.Miller & Sons, Sydney (Smith 30); Hospital Employees Association N.S.W., unfinished sample strike in bronze (22mm), by Amor, Sydney (not in Smith, see note below). *Very fine - toned extremely fine.* (2)

\$100

Note: The Hospital Employees Association of NSW was formed in 1947 from an amalgamation of associations, one of these was The Health and Research Employees Association of Australia (see their badge, identical except for name, at Smith 408). The above unfinished sample was apparently found in the Amor factory car park after heavy rain.

Ex Dr W.J.D.Mira Collection.



1017\*

Amateur Swimming Union Of Australia, in silver (54mm), by Stokes, Melb., reverse inscribed, '220 yds/National Breast Stroke/Championship of Australia/1929/Third/C.O.Waite.'. *Edge nicks and hairlines, otherwise very fine.*

\$100

Clem Waite of the North Adelaide Swimming Club won many titles during his career and in 1932 was the South Australian record holder for the 220 yards breast stroke event.



1019\*

New South Wales Government Ambulance, silver 10 Years Long Service Medal, reverse inscribed, 'Abermain Ambulance Class 1931/Reuben M./Chappell'. *Toned, otherwise extremely fine.*

\$80

Abermain is a small town located about 8 kilometres from Cessnock in the Hunter region of New South Wales. It was established in 1903 by workers in the nearby gold and coal mines. The Abermain Ambulance Class was a public body that trained ambulance officers, particularly for working within the mining community.



1020\*  
**AMP (Australian Mutual Provident [Society]) Industrial Department**, fob medal handcrafted in gold (15ct; 8.41g; 28x25mm), by Angus & Coote, scroll and ring top suspension, reverse inscribed, '335/S.R.Merlo/13.6.32'. *Nearly uncirculated.*

\$250



1021\*  
**Dunlop Senior Inter-Club Road Premiership**, prize fob in gold (9ct; 6.93g; 29x32mm), by W.Kerr, ring top suspension, reverse inscribed, 'N.S.W.C.U/1932/Won by/Marrickville B.C./B.McWhirter'. *Some toning, otherwise nearly uncirculated.*

\$200

1022  
**Sydney Harbour Bridge bottle opener**, 1932, cast in brass (57.5x120mm), with suspension ring; I (heart [for Love]) Sydney Ferries tinnie badge; The Australian Classic Series pin badges (5), by Nu-color-Vue, on cards of issue (issue price \$5.95 each), all different for Kangaroo, Koala, Wombat, Kookaburra, and Cockatoo, struck in metal with enamel (25mm), clip-pin back; also Australia, one dollar, 1984, with wide rim. *Fine - uncirculated.* (8)

\$40

1023  
**Captain Cook**, a variety of medals issued to commemorate his voyage to Australia, British Columbia, New Zealand and Hawaii, in various metals and sizes, all mounted on a coin album page, some items include C.1932/2 (gilt), C.1970/5 (copper), 8 (gilt), 17 (gilding metal), 29 (bronze), 33 (4, bronze, silver, gilt [2]), 43 (gilt and enamel), and various others. *Very fine - uncirculated.* (17)

\$200

Ex Dr W.J.D.Mira Collection.



1024\*  
**50th Anniversary of the Concordia Club**, Sydney, 1933, in gilt (31mm) (C.1933/1), no maker. *Toned, good very fine and rare.*

\$100



1025\*  
**MacRobertson International Air Race**, 1934, competitor's medal in gilt (34mm) (C.1934/5), by Stokes, ring top suspension with ribbon and pin-back suspender bar 'MacRobertson'. *Extremely fine and rare.*

\$900

This race, also known as the London to Melbourne Air Race was held in October 1934 as part of the Melbourne Centenary celebrations. Prize money was provided by Sir Macpherson Robertson on the condition that the race be named after his MacRobertson confectionary company and that it be organised to be as safe as possible. Sir Charles Kingsford-Smith, one of the favourites, failed to enter due to aircraft problems. The outright race winners were C.W.A.Scott and Tom Campbell Black of Britain, flying a DH.88 named Grosvenor House in an elapsed time of 71 hours, this was 19 hours and 13 minutes ahead of the winner on handicap.

With research.



1026\*

**Professional Photographers Of Victoria, Melbourne Centenary, 1934, in bronze (50mm) (C.1934/7), by Stokes, unnamed. Toned good extremely fine with very small edge bump, very low mintage and rare.**

\$400

1028\*

**King George VI & Queen Elizabeth Crowned May 12 1937, The Three Kings Of 1936, in bronze 51mm) (C.1937/21), by Amor, Sydney, in Amor Ltd, Sydney case of issue. The case with some damage, the medal with a very minor edge nick and toning spots, otherwise uncirculated.**

\$240



1027\*

**Uron Club, L.S.O.D. (Lominga School of Dancing), Life Member badge, in gold (9ct; 2.71g; 22x20mm), by W.B, button back, reverse inscribed, 'W.McDiarmid/1936'. Very fine.**

\$100

Note: In all newspaper reports the club is recorded as the Urown Club.

Wallace 'Rusty' McDiarmid was secretary of the Urown Club of the Lominga School of Dancing, the principals of which were Matt Lominga and Marie Addison. He was also a foundation member of the Tugun Surf Life Saving Club as well as having held several official positions with that club. In 1936 he was appointed M.C. of modern dancing at the Carlton Cabaret in Brisbane where he had been actively associated with dancing for several years and figured successfully in leading competitions.



1029\*

**South Australia, To Commemorate The Coronation May 12, 1937, solid steel tiered cylinder being the die for the reverse of this medal (50x38; 0.545kg) (C.1937/18), on the side of the lower half of the die is marked in white paint, '5710'. Good very fine.**

\$100

Ex Dr W.J.D.Mira Collection.



1030\*

**Australia's 150th Anniversary, 1788-1938**, in silver (57mm) (C.1938/7), by Amor, edge marked St.Sil and also inscribed, 'MS1'. *Uncirculated and very scarce in silver.*

\$250

Usually struck in silvered bronze, this medal is possibly a specimen strike for the Ron Byatt Collection, hence it is marked 'MS1' (minting (?) specimen 1).



1031\*

**Australia's 150th Anniversary, 1788-1938**, in silvered (57mm) (C.1938/7), by Amor, a presentation piece impressed on edge, 'Her Excellency The Marchesa Marconi,'. *Small edge nick, otherwise good very fine and very interesting, see footnote.*

\$350

Was this medal ever presented to the Marchesa as it seems there was more detail to be added to the edge inscription, note the comma after Marconi. Perhaps the medal remained in storage with the medallist Amor after the Marchesa was unable to come to Australia (see details below).

The following was reported in The Sydney Morning Herald, Saturday 25 September 1937, p16.

'The Marchesa Marconi Australian Visit Warm Welcome Assured.

The Minister In Charge of the 150th Anniversary Celebrations (Mr. Dunningham), said yesterday that Australians would extend a very warm welcome to the Marchesa Marconi, widow of the great pioneer of wireless, who has accepted an Invitation to attend the 150th Anniversary celebrations next year. The Marchesa will be accompanied by her daughter, Elettra.

The invitation was extended by Sir Ernest Fisk, on behalf of the Institution of Radio Engineers of Australia. Formerly the Contessa Maria Cristina Bezzi Scali, the Marchesa Marconi is the daughter of Brigadier-General Scali, of the Guardia Nobile. She married the Marchese Marconi in 1927, when she was 23.

The Marchese Marconi had accepted the Institution's invitation to attend the World Convention of Radio Engineers, to be held in Sydney from April 4 to 14, 1938, and Marchesa Marconi was to have accompanied him. Following Marconi's death, Sir Ernest Fisk, who is chairman of the convention, repeated the Institution's invitation to the Marchesa Marconi, when he met her abroad recently, and she informed him that she would be delighted to accept it.'

The Marchesa's husband was famous and shared a noble prize for physics in 1909. Much of his research work was done in Britain from 1896 as the Italian government was at first not interested in his work on hertzian waves (electromagnetic waves in the radar and radio range). As the result of his scientific work, much of which was carried out in the 1920s on his 700 ton yacht, Marconi became one of the world's most famous Italians. He joined the Fascist Party in 1923 and was conferred with the title of Marchese (Maquis) in 1929. Despite his declining health he was chosen in 1935 to make a tour of Latin America and Europe to defend his country's invasion of Abyssinia. However, he suffered a series of heart attacks and died in 1937. This is the prelude to why the Marchesa was invited to Sydney to take the place of her famous husband and was probably a diplomatic type operation that the British government encouraged.

Unfortunately the Marchesa's visit never eventuated because of illness and that as she was intending to travel by ship she was not sufficiently recovered to journey through the tropics. The proposed visit was cancelled two days before she was due to leave Italy and reported in Australian newspapers in March 1938.



1032\*

**Australia's 150th Anniversary, 1788-1938**, in bronze (57mm) (C.1938/7), by Amor. *Beautiful chocolate coloured striking, a few small marks otherwise uncirculated and rarely seen in bronze.*

\$250

There are two small marks on Phillip's cheek that appear to have been made in minting and possibly that is why it has not been issued, or alternatively it has been retained for the Amor archive collection.



1033\*

**Australia's 150th Anniversary, Commemorative Salon Of Photography, Sydney, 1938**, in silvered (64mm) (C.1938/4), by Amor, edge inscribed, 'H. Monroe Baker'. *Toned extremely fine.*

\$150

Probably the finest collection of photographic art ever presented in Australia to date was on display when the Australian Commemorative Salon of Photography was officially opened by Mr H.W.Whiddon, MLC, in the basement of the Commonwealth Bank Building in Martin Place, Sydney on 23 March 1938. Photographers from 32 countries sent prints. The exhibition officially closed on 9 April 1938. H. Monroe Baker was a photographer from West Virginia, USA.



1034\*

**Australia's 150th Anniversary, 1938**, in bronze (51mm) (C.1938/17), by Amor. *Uncirculated and scarce in bronze.*

\$150



1035\*

**Australia's 150th Anniversary, All Schools Swimming, Sydney, 1938, prize medal in gilt (32mm) (C.1938/18), by W.Kerr, ring top suspension with ribbon and pin-back suspender bar, unnamed. *Nearly uncirculated and very scarce.***

\$70



1036\*

**Australian War Memorial, Villers-Bretonneux Somme (France), 1938, in bronze (59mm) (C.1938/21). *With edge nicks, small cut on King's cheek, very fine.***

\$250

King George VI unveiled the Memorial on 1st July 1938.



1037\*

**British Empire Games, (Sydney) Australia, 1938, Medal of the Winners, in antiqued bronze for third place (63mm octagonal), engraver, D.E.Morden, by Stokes, Melb, unnamed. *A few tone spots, otherwise good extremely fine.***

\$200



1038\*

**British Empire Games**, Sydney, Australia, 1938, medal in antiqued bronze (62x75mm) (C.1938/22), engraver, D.E.Morden, by Stokes, Melb, unnamed. *A few small edge nicks and a few oxidation spots, otherwise toned every fine.*

\$150

1039

**Fiftieth Anniversary Amor**, 1938, in silvered (39mm) (C.1938/1); Eucharistic Congress, Melbourne, 1973, in bronze (30x35mm) (C.1973/7); Queen Elizabeth II Silver Jubilee, 1977, in silver (39mm) (C.1977/37), in souvenir medal holder; ANS, Sydney Harbour Bridge, 1982, in bronze (34mm) (C.1982/11); St Joseph's Cathedral, Rockhampton, Centenary of Diocese, 1982, in copper (32mm) (C.1982/20), in card holder; William Joseph Amor, Amor Sanders, 1988, in bronze (39mm) (C.1988/37) (3); The Fourth Great Burra to Broken Hill Barrow Push, 1988, in silvered (31mm) (C./Bicent.33), in card holder of issue; N.S.W. Railway & Transport Employees' Hospital Fund 100th Anniversary, 1989, in silvered (31mm), in plastic case; Duyfken 1606 Replica, Fremantle Australia, undated, struck uniface in bronze (38mm), with suspension loop; Shire of Shark Bay Centenary, 1998, in bronze (49mm), with suspension lug; Canberra Australia, undated, in bronze (60mm) (C./C.18); The Australian Numismatic Society, undated, struck uniface in dark bronze (34mm). *Extremely fine - uncirculated.* (14)

\$150

Ex Dr W.J.D.Mira Collection.

1040

**Enamelled badges**, a large assortment including some unfinished samples, noted a Sydney Cricket Ground member's badge 1938-1939, also product badges, a name tag for a worker at Borg-Warner and plaque presentation metal tags, includes some world badges for tourism and one in an official bag marked 'Special Badge', being a Korea badge issued to Turkish Brigades in Korea 1923-1954, some ring topped bronze tags that appear to be Hindu related (3), and a well worn ring, appears to be US Army; a Swedish pilot wings badge and a USA American Airlines pilot badge and a Boy Scout's 1939 small wrap-around Ten Year Program award 1933-1942 in gilt and enamel, and a pair of Guadalcanal earrings and some other items such as keyrings, tiepins and cufflinks (mostly one of a pair). *Good - uncirculated.* (approx 100)

\$150

Ex Dr W.J.D.Mira Collection.



1041\*  
**Prudential Building Sydney**, Opened May 1939, in silver (64mm) (C.1939/4), by Amor. *Toned uncirculated, a scarce VIP issue in silver.*

\$350



1042\*  
**White Australia**, Australia For The Australians, c1930s, in bronze and aluminium (23mm) (similar to C.W/4 but the medal in this lot not voided), no maker, scroll and ring top suspension. *Oxidation mark on obverse, otherwise very fine and a rare variety.*

\$200



1043\*  
**Royal Australian Historical Society**, membership badge (KC), c1930s, in gilt, bronze and enamel (20x30mm), by Miller & Sons, Sydney, pin-back, obverse features darkened bronze head of Captain Cook to right. *Good extremely fine.*

\$100

Ex Dr W.J.D.Mira Collection.

1044  
**Royal Life Saving Society**, 1931-74, award medals in bronze, includes Bronze Medallions (3, two varieties), named to, 'J.Rutter/1930', 'A.McDonald/31.1.31', 'S.Jensen/10-4-74'; also Proficiency Medals ((3), named to '6667/A.McDonald', '25419/L.Schwartz/7.12.'47', '26068/K.Foden/5.12.'48', all with ring top suspension except first one missing. *Very fine - good very fine.* (6)

\$60

Ex Barry McGown Scott Collection and previously from Colonial Auctions 23/7/05 (lot 461).



1045\*  
**Royal Australian Historical Society**, test sample of a membership badge (KC), c1930s, in dull bronze and bright bronze (20x30mm), by Miller & Sons, Sydney, no pin fitting, two piece construction with the centre piece glued and fitted to reverse, obverse features bright bronze head of Captain Cook to right. *Good extremely fine.*

\$50

Ex Dr W.J.D.Mira Collection.



1046\*  
**Democracy Honors A Great Leader, Josef Stalin, c1940**, in bronze (59x73mm) (C.D/6), by Amor Pty Ltd. *Some toning, otherwise uncirculated.*

\$500

1047  
**Modified Australian coins**, includes penny, 1943 counterstamped on reverse with a St Christopher medal image; threepence, 1921M roughly trisected on reverse and then sweated onto a silver disc made from a shaven down sixpence and on the reverse is inscribed, '2/9/28.'; a blank struck with the reverse of a 1913 halfpenny and below the word YNNEP (i.e. PENNY) are the initials, 'SNA' (i.e. ANS 'Australian Numismatic Society'); also two halfpennies, 1961Y. and 1964Y., in a pack with a card inside that reads, 'Two Halfpennies to Rub Together', issued by a wholesaler at Engadine, NSW. *Very fine - extremely fine.* (4)

\$50

Ex Dr W.J.D.Mira Collection.



1048\*  
**N.S.W. Gould League of Bird Lovers**, badges (2), in gilt and enamel, the first by Millers Ltd, Sydney, War Time Finish, and pin-back (securing lug broken) and reverse with details in relief, 'Scissors/Grinder/1945'; the second with no maker and pin-back and reverse with details in relief, 'The/White Fronted/Chat/1948'. *Very fine; good very fine.* (2)

\$100

1049  
**Swimming and lifesaving medals**, includes swimming competition medal in silver (48.5mm), no maker, reverse inscribed, 'S.A.S.C (Southport Amateur Swimming Club)/ J.Stringer/30 Yds/Breast C'ship/1948-49'; Australian Life Saving Society, Bronze Medallion, ring top suspension, reverse inscribed, 'C.Blake./N.F.C.1955.'; Surf Life Saving Assn of Aust, Proficiency medal in bronze, ring top suspension, reverse inscribed, 'K.Young.'; RANC (Royal Australian Naval College) Creswell, prize medal in nickel silver (50x56.5mm), no maker, reverse inscribed, 'Swimming Carnival/1975/B Team Medley Relay/O.J.Faulkoner'. *The first three toned, very fine - extremely fine.* (4)

\$60

Ex Barry McGown Scott Collection and previously from Colonial Auctions 23/7/08 (lot 478).



1050\*  
**Red Cross Queen Competition**, c1940s, Air Queen Nancy Bird, 5/- donation winged badge (KC), in silvered and enamel (58x20mm), by Amor, Sydney, pin-back. *Toned, nearly extremely fine.*

\$40

This badge was issued to assist Air Queen Nancy Bird Walton to raise funds in the Red Cross Queen Competition. The badges were sold in various locations throughout the country. There were nine contenders for the title which was established to raise funds for the Red Cross. Some of these Queens were representing the Army, Navy, Air Force, Civil Services, Journalists and Liquor Trades.



1051\*

**M.S.Dunera**, badge in gilt and enamel (22mm), by Fattorini & Sons, pin-back. *Nearly extremely fine.*

\$150

The MS Dunera was originally a troopship, HMT Dunera, which was used to transfer Germans interned in England to Australia. Initially they were interned in England between May and July 1940 in consequence of general internment orders even though practically all were refugees of Nazi oppression because of their religious beliefs. They were then transferred to Camps 7 and 8 at Hay, N.S.W. Australia, being transported on H.M.T.Dunera. Those transferred documented a series of complaints of ill treatment during their time on the Dunera.

1052

**Historic medals and military badges**, includes Royal Agricultural Society of Victoria, hat badges, c1950, in white metal and enamel (65mm), c1990, in gilt and enamel (72mm) (2); RAEME cap badge; Rising Sun sweetheart brooch in silver and enamel; Female Relative's badge, WWII, (2) with one star, one is Air Force; Great Britain, Royal Welsh Fusiliers, cap badge; National Safety Council with six year clasp; Boy Scouts, hat badge; Sunday Sun, VFL commemorative medallions with various players (16) and cricketers (10). *Good - very fine.* (44)

\$100



1053\*

**Commonwealth Jubilee Celebrations, 1951**, in bronze (36x64mm) (C.1951/1), by Denham, Neal & Treloar, Sydney, ring top suspension with ribbon and brooch bar, 'Queensland'. *Ribbon aged, toned good very fine.*

\$80



1054\*

**Commonwealth Jubilee Celebrations, 1951**, in bronze (36x64mm) (C.1951/1), by Denham, Neal & Treloar, Sydney, ring top suspension with ribbon and brooch bar, 'Participant'. *Ribbon damaged, toned good very fine.*

\$80

1055

**New South Wales Government Ambulance, silver 10 Years Long Service Medal**, reverse inscribed, 'Kurri Kurri/P.Grainger/1952'. *Dark toned, very fine.*

\$50

Kurri Kurri Ambulance was a branch of the Cessnock-Kurri Kurri Ambulance in the Hunter mining region of New South Wales. Initially it operated from Kurri Kurri Hospital but from January 1952 it operated from its own building at Weston.



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1056\*

**Davis Cup**, 1952, Adelaide, Australia, L.T.A.A.-Challenge Round, badge in gilt (30x48mm), by Olympiad Fine Art Studio, Seaford, Vic and Stokes, pin-back; Melbourne Cricket Club, Lady's Ticket 1968/69, 1969/70, 1977/78, 1978/79, all in thick cardboard and with clip marks on time used (4); football prize medal in silvered (48mm), by K.G.Luke, reverse inscribed, 'A.S.C./Rugby League 1964/ Normanhurst G. Grade/Best Forward/B.Usher'. *Very fine - uncirculated.* (6)

\$100

Ex Barry McGown Scott Collection and previously from Colonial Auctions 23/7/05, the first two ex (lot 512) and the last ex (lot 491).



1059\*

**Railways Of Australia, Queensland, Life Pass (KC)**, in gold (9ct; 16.34g; 27x34mm), no maker, with ring top suspension, reverse inscribed, 'Mr V J Bird'. *Uncirculated.*

\$500

Mr V.J.Bird was a member of the Queensland legislative assembly.



1060\*

**Black Family coat of arms badge**, Australian version with kangaroo at top between motto *Via Crusis Via Lucis* (Cross the Path of Light), in silver (34x46mm), pin-back, hallmarked for Edinburgh 1955, by maker 'M&C' (Mackay & Chisholm, Edinburgh). *Nearly uncirculated.*

\$60



part

1057\*

**Centenary of the First Steam Railway in Australia**, 1954, in silver (38mm) (C.1954/14), by Stokes, Melb, issued by Numismatic Association of Victoria, edge number 20; another in bronze, edge number 55. *Extremely fine and very scarce.* (2)

\$150

Low issue of 40 silver and 60 bronze.



part

1061\*

**NSW Police Force, Police Cadet shoulder title**, 1950s-80, in chrome and enamel (46x25mm), with two lugs on reverse (a few small chips to enamel); New South Wales Police Force trial of hat badge, struck in bronze and enamel (29x34), no lugs, by Amor, Sydney; NSW Police commissioned officer rank badge in chromed metal (QC), 1950s-80; Prisons badge in voided chrome (34x34mm), no details; Electronic Industries, Security Officer badge in chrome and enamel (57x63mm), pin-back. *Very fine - extremely fine.* ((5)

\$100

Electronic Industries, full name Astor-Radio Corp-Electronic Industries, Victoria ceased operations c1970s.

Ex Dr W.J.D.Mira Collection.



1058\*

**Victorian Railways Ambulance, Life Member**, fob medal in enamel and gold (9ct; 12.97g; 26mm), no maker, with scroll and ring top suspension, reverse inscribed, '1955/R.J.Caskey'. *Toned nearly extremely fine.*

\$400

1062

**Numismatic Association of Victoria**, assorted issues, 1960-1999, including Burke & Wills centenary 1960, in sterling silver (C.1960/4); Numismatic Exhibition Melbourne, 1964, in gilt (C.1964/4); Holey Dollar & Dump sesquicentenary, 1964, in sterling silver (C.G/5); Bicentenary of the death of Captain Cook, 1979, in bronze (C.1979/9); Royal Wedding, 1981 (3) in gold plated silver, sterling silver and bronze, all numbered '3' on edge (C.1981/12); Victoria sesquicentenary, 1985, in sterling silver (C.1981/25); Annand Smith sesquicentenary, 1999, box medallion with double sided cards detailing history of tokens in Australia, numbered 19/250; together with Captain Cook Bicentenary, 1970, in sterling silver (2) (C.1970/22). *Fourth to last medallions in cases, nearly extremely fine - uncirculated.* (11)

\$200



1063

**The Amateur Athletic Union Of Australia**, prize medal in gilt bronze (45mm), by Nissen, Bris, reverse inscribed, 'R.A.Vagg/10,000 Metres/C.C.C'ship/35m.20s./26-8-61.'. *A few small oxidation spots, otherwise good very fine.*

\$30

Bob Vagg was a distance running athlete. In 1958 he won the NSW Novice Cross Country Male Championship (5 miles), representing Eastern Suburbs AAC, hosted by St George AAC at Scarborough Park, Ramsgate. He won the Australian Cross Country Championships in 1959 in Melbourne. At the Australian Track and Field Championships 1960-61 held at Lang Park, Brisbane he finished 3rd in the 3 miles race, and 1st in the 6 miles. He also represented Australia in the marathon at the 1964 Tokyo Olympics. Vagg attributed his success to doing paper runs from Paddington through to the hilly Elizabeth Bay area of Sydney and back since he was about 11 or 12 years of age.

With research.



1064

**Australian Numismatic Society**, medals (all 38mm) featuring holey dollar design in aluminium, in copper inset with 1963 shilling, another inset with 1938 sixpence, another inset with 1962 sixpence, another in aluminium inset with 1938 halfpenny, another in white metal inset with ANS logo on obverse and 1913 halfpenny on reverse; another in copper inset with aluminium ANS logo with Sydney Mint gold coinage reverse, to commemorate Sydney Mint Sesquicentenary, 2005; another in copper inset with aluminium ANS logo with Harbour Bridge reverse, to commemorate Sydney Harbour Bridge 75th Anniversary, 2007; another in copper inset with copper ANS logo with 1910 threepence inset into reverse, to commemorate First Commonwealth of Australia Coinage, 2010; also ANS Special Service Award in dark bronze (34mm), unnamed; ANS logo centrepiece in copper (26mm), reverse impressed, 'Merry/Christmas/2006'; another in aluminium, reverse impressed, '2008/A New Year/Another Chase'. *Uncirculated with a few coin insets fine - very fine.* (12)

\$120

Ex Dr W.J.D.Mira Collection.

1065\*

**Pope Paul VI, Episcopal Conference in Australia, 1970**, proof medals in gold (2) (18ct, 54.7g, 44mm; 23.5g, 31.5mm) edges impressed 18CT 0160. *FDC.* (2)

\$4,000



1066\*

**Anpex 1970**, .750 fine gold stamp replicas Sydney View 1850 and Kangaroo 1913 (.64oz) by Matthey Garrett (C.1970/45,6). *In case of issue with certificate 0625, FDC.* (2)

\$700



1067\*

**First Victoria stamp**, 1850 and first Queensland stamp, 1860, .750 fine gold replicas (19) by Matthey Garrett (C-). *In case of issue with certificate 0625, FDC.* (2)

\$700

1068

**Metropolitan Coin Club**, 1970 including oxidised silver (57mm edge) '5th Anniversary April 1970, No 33', cupro-nickel kookaburra square penny 1969 (cased); Royal Visit Jubilee Year 1977 stamp silver medal cover; Franklin Mint Christmas 1973 1000 grain sterling silver ingot (cased); Apollo 11 1969 in silver (31mm) boxed by Stokes; gold plated sterling silver Egyptian and Israeli Peace Treaty 1979 by FM boxed with certificates, also GPS Tower London 620ft, medalets with Sydney Opera House 1973 (3). *Extremely fine - uncirculated.* (10)

\$150

1069

**Papal Visits to Australia**, Pope Paul VI, 1970 (C.1970/54 in gilt) (2), (C.1970/55 silvered), (C.1970/56 bronze, silvered and gilt [3]), (C.1970/79 proof silver), Cardinal Moran, in silver (44mm) medallion history of Australia No.23; Pope John Paul II, 1986 (C.1986/66 gilt), (C.1986/67 bronze (3), silvered); together with International Eucharistic Congress, Sydney, 1928 (C.1928/3 silvered)(2); lapel pins (17), most in gilt and enamel, with duplication, includes Centenary of Melbourne National Eucharistic Congress, 1934; Regional Missionary and Eucharistic Congress, Newcastle, 1938; Melbourne Catholic Diocesan Centenary, 1948; National Eucharistic Congress, Sydney, 1953. *Good - uncirculated.* (38)

\$100

1070

**Captain Cook medals**, includes C.1970/3 (gilding metal), 24 (oxidised silver no.243), 28 (bronze), 31 (gilded), 33 (silvered), 39 (bronze), 51 (gilding metal); also Captain Cook Society badge; Sutherland Hospital 'Endeavour to Serve' Life Member badge with image of Cook's ship 'Endeavour' in centre; Cook's Cottage, Melbourne pins on card's of issue (2); J.Cook bracelet in bronze and features four oval panels with Cook's image. *Extremely fine - uncirculated.* (12)

\$200

Ex Dr W.J.D.Mira Collection.



1071\*

**Capt. James Cook R.N.**, Aust. Bi-Centenary, 1970, solid steel cylinder being the die for the reverse legend of this medal (58x47mm; 0.865kg) (C.1970/24), around the top edge of the die has been removed so only the bottom two-thirds of legend is remaining. *Good very fine.*

\$100

This medal was designed by G.H.Bevan and W.J.D.Mira.

Ex Dr W.J.D.Mira Collection.

1072

**James Cook**, National Trust Of Australia, Victoria, 1970, in bronze (52mm) (C.1970/32), by Andor Meszaros and Stokes, Melb. *In cases of issue, a few cases with foxing on lid lining, all slide on cardboard covers damaged, medals uncirculated.* (6)

\$90

Ex Dr W.J.D.Mira Collection.



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1073\*

**Various medals and medalets**, noted Rockdale Municipal Council Centenary, 1971, in gilded (46x51mm), another in bronze (C.1971/13) (2); Centenary of Ingleburn Public School, 1987, in bronze (31mm) (C.1987/43); various other issues, also USCG Barque Eagle souvenir medal in aluminium (38mm) handed to visitors on board during visit to Australia in 1988 (C./Bicent.292); Amor sample strike for MCC medal design (see reverse of C.1966/17) [illustrated]; copperplate stamped impression of seal of the no longer in existence, The Queensland National Bank Limited (approx 63x63mm). *Good - uncirculated.* (27)

\$150

Ex Dr W.J.D.Mira Collection.

1074

**Medallic History of Australia**, first edition gold on sterling silver proof set of sixty medals (45mm, each 39.32g) issued in 1972 by Stokes and designed by James Berry and housed in an impressive six-page album, ten medals on each page (total weight 2.360kg = 70.25 ounces pure silver). *FDC.* (60)  
\$2,000



1075\*

**Royal Visit, Opening of the Sydney Opera House**, .750 fine gold medals (2) (31mm) (total 46.65g) by Matthey Garrett (C.1973/16, 17). *In case of issue with certificate 0625, FDC.* (2)  
\$1,800



lot 1076 part



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1076\*

**The Australian Numismatic Society**, Society Special Service Award, 1973, in bronze (34mm), reverse inscribed, 'W.J.D.Mira/1973'; Tasmanian Numismatic Society, A.J.Lockwood Memorial Award For Outstanding Numismatic Publications, in dark bronze (51mm), reverse inscribed, 'Presented/To/Dr. Bill Mira'; M.C.C. (Metropolitan Coin Club), 1990, award medal in gilt (34mm), reverse inscribed, 'W.J.D.Mira/1965-1990' and edge inscribed 'C4'; M.C.C. (Metropolitan Coin Club), (1991), award medal in bronze (34mm), reverse inscribed, '25 Yrs/Membership/From/25 April 1966/W.Mira'; gilt and enamel badge and membership card for Metropolitan Coin Club 1980/81 for Mrs Mira; another for Dr W.J.Mira; also a membership badge in silvered and enamel for The Australian Numismatic Society; three pin-back name badges in gilt and enamel for 'W.Mira/President/M.C.C. of Sydney', 'Immediate/Past President/W.J.Mira', 'Patron/Dr.W.J.Mira'; The Australian Numismatic Society, ANS Centenary medal, 2013, in copper (38mm), with 1913 shilling insert; also a Centenary badge together with a copy of the letter that accompanied them; Sydney Cricket Ground, Full Member card 07997 and signed on reverse by W.J.D.Mira; various other documents and colour transparencies relating to historical medals and an envelope from Allan Klenman in British Columbia to Dr William J.Mira together with a handwritten note and Canadian postage stamps featuring his image. *Very fine - uncirculated.* (lot)

\$500

Ex Dr W.J.D.Mira Collection.



1077\*

**Victoria, VJF** (Victorian Junior Football), Umpires Association, fob in gilt and enamel undated (23mm) by M.Whitehead, impressed on back '73'. *Very fine.*

\$100

1078

**Norfolk Island**, 200th Anniversary of Discovery by Captain Cook, 1974, in gilded (31mm) (C.1974/11); Norfolk Island Bicentenary of Settlement, 1988, in gilded (32mm); Bi-Centenary of Lord Howe Island, 1988, in gilded (32mm); Norfolk Island 5 Tourist Dollar, undated, proof in copper (47mm), in plastic holder; Norfolk Island, Australian Society of the History of Medicine Biennial Conference, 1995, in oxidised bronze (55x78mm); also New Zealand, Richard W.Pearse Engineer and Aviator, Museum of Transport & Technology, (1972), in copper (42mm) scarce die 1 (M&P.1972/3A). *Uncirculated.* (6)

\$90

Ex Dr W.J.D.Mira Collection.



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1079\*

**Roche Research Institute Of Marine Pharmacology**, 1974, in bronze (57mm) (C.1974/5), mounted on metal base (only 50 of these issued); Roche Research Institute Of Marine Pharmacology Sydney, Roche Commemorative Medallion, 1974, in bronze (62mm) (C.1974/6). *The first with some small spotting on reverse, otherwise uncirculated.* (2)

\$70

Ex Dr W.J.D.Mira Collection.

1080

**Sydney Cove Medallion**, Wedgwood medallion in buff coloured Jasper, (1975), reproduction for 'Old Sydney Town' at Gosford, NSW (75mm) (C.E/5), reverse with printed seal and name, 'Old Sydney Town/Heritage Park/Somersby' and numbered 148. *In case of issue, this with some foxing spots, also with leaflet and certificate, uncirculated.*

\$80

Ex Dr W.J.D.Mira Collection.



1081\*

**Back To Mount Gambier**, Centenary Celebrations, 1876-1976, in gold (9ct; 18.20g; 32mm) (C.1976/3), no maker, edge number 40. *Toned uncirculated.*

\$550

1082

**The Australian State Medals**, set of six proof sterling silver medals (31.8g, each) issued by Stokes, 1976. *In a frame with slip case and certificate of authenticity, FDC.* (6)

\$160

Ex Noble Numismatics Sale 102 (lot 937).

1083

**The Australian State Medals**, set of six proof sterling silver medals (35g each) issued by Stokes, 1976. *In a frame with slip case and certificate of authenticity, FDC.* (6)

\$100

1084

**Cairns & District Centenary**, 1976, in bronze (51mm) (C.1976/4), by Stokes, Melb; Military Historical Society of Australia, Fiftieth Anniversary Armistice, 1968, in bronze (61mm) (C.T/8), no maker; also reproduction of trade token issued by David Jones for use at Criterion House, in silver (32mm), edge numbered 373 (of 500 issued). *The first and last in cases of issue, uncirculated.* (3)

\$100

Ex Barry McGown Scott Collection.

1085

**Royal Visit**, Australia, 1977, in silver (40mm) (C.1977/13); Mail coach Medallion, replica holey dollar and dump, 1977, in plated zinc (39mm & 19mm) (C.1977/20 & 21) in set case; another set but in zinc and no case; Arthur Phillip Esq, The First Fleet, 1788, in bronze (56x74) (C./Bicent.1); Headquarters Centenary, New South Wales Fire Brigades, 1987, in gilt (50mm) (C.1987/24); Perth Numismatic Society 25th Anniversary, 1990, in one ounce troy fine silver (32mm); Perth Mint, Museum & Gold Shop Grand Opening, 1995, in gilt (32mm), also one empty case; 150th Anniversary of the Cessation of Transportation of Convicts to Tasmania, 2003, in antique brass finish (58mm), with certificate no.150 of 150 medals issued with this finish. *All medals in cases of issue except as indicated, uncirculated.* (6 + 2 sets)

\$150

Ex Dr W.J.D.Mira Collection.

1086

**Private medalets**, Armstrong's penny-farthing in aluminium by Stokes; M.R.Roberts Symposiums 1979, 1980, 1981; Sun-Herald City to Surf 1996; Carl Veen 1988 (4 different); fantasy Ferry tokens bronze (3), aluminium (4); The NSW Milk Board, Silver Jubilee Year 1957 aluminium counter. *Extremely fine - uncirculated.* (17)

\$100

Ex Gregory J.Smith Collection.

1087

**James Cook**, Died in Hawaii/Captain Cook's Cottage, 1979, in bronze (50x38mm) (C.1979/9) by Numismatic Association of Victoria; Centenary Melbourne International Exhibition Building, 1980, in bronze (50mm) (C.1980/33), by Stokes for Numismatic Association of Victoria; Melbourne Numismatic Society Founded 1965 25th Anniversary, 1990, in bronze (38mm). *Very fine - uncirculated.* (3)

\$50

Vendor advises that all ex Terry Pepperell, the designer of the medals.



1088\*

**Captain James Cook R.N.**, 1770-1970, award plaque in bronze (irregular shaped 73x120mm), fitted to a shoe heel shaped timber base with a copper plate at the front inscribed with the words, 'Presented by/The Captain Cook Bi-Centenary/Celebrations Citizens Committee'. *Some marks on the base, the award plaque nearly uncirculated.*

\$100

Ex Dr W.J.D.Mira Collection.

1089

**Modern commemorative medals**, 1970s-1990s, includes one four of a kind and two pairs, otherwise mostly different and mostly in gilt with a few in bronze and some in silvered (mostly about 32mm). *A few medals with oxidation marks, otherwise very fine - uncirculated.* (39)

\$100

Ex Dr W.J.D.Mira Collection.

1090

**Assorted medallions and medalets**, 1970-2003, includes Captain Cook Bicentenary, 1970, in sterling silver (4) (C.1970/22); another, in bronze by the National Trust (C.1970/32); City of Coburg centenary, 1975, in gilt (C.1975/2); Test Cricket centenary, 1977, stamps and sterling silver medal (C.1977/15a) first day cover in wallet of issue; Interflora Conference, Melbourne, 1979, in bronze (2) (C.1979/41); Melbourne International Centennial Exhibition, 1980, proof silver (C.1980/8), Exhibitor's medal in bronze (C.1980/32); Australian Bicentennial Trade Fair, Melbourne, 1988, first day cover stamps and sterling silver medal (C.1988/10a) in wallet of issue, another two medallions struck at the Stokes stand, in copper; Victorian of the Year, 1988, in pewter (C.1988/15); together with Kodak, City of Sydney sesquicentenary, 1992, depicting replica of the Charlotte medal; National Trust 40 years, 1996, Como reverse; Stokes Melbourne token cufflinks (2 pairs); assorted lapel pins (4); paperweight, with Australian coins encapsulated in perspex, 1964 halfpenny and threepence, 1963, sixpence, shilling and florin, issued by the Bank of Adelaide for their centenary in 1965; Zeppelin Flight, Friedrichshafen - Tokio - Los Angeles - Lakehurst, undated, in gilt and enamel (44mm) by Lauer, brooch mount on reverse; Western Samoa, one dollar, 1978, Kingsford-Smith Pacific Flight. *Most medallions cased, plastic sleeve torn on the cricket FDC, extremely fine - FDC.* (31)

\$200

1091

**Municipality of Kogarah**, Centenary Celebrations, 1985, in silvered and enamel, gilded, silvered (2), bronze (all 51mm) (C.1985/89). *Some toning marks on reverse, otherwise uncirculated in individual suede drawstring bags of issue.* (5)

\$70

Ex Dr W.J.D.Mira Collection.

1092

**Marathon medals**, various sizes and types, a few with ribbons, noted Gold Coast International Half Marathon (no year), XXXX Gold Coast Half Marathon 1986 (2), Bob Jane Gold Coast Half Marathon 1985 Finishers Medal, Australian Marathon 1987, Olympic Marathon Trial Canberra 1984, Budget Team Trot '84, other untitled medals (4); also Sri Chinmoy 2 Mile Run (New York), and New York City Marathon. *The last medal with oxidation, otherwise mostly very fine - extremely fine.* (13)

\$100

Ex Barry McGown Scott Collection.

1093

**Municipality of Hurstville's Centenary**, 1987, in gilt (40mm) (C.1987/11), by Moneterium, in case of issue with certificate; military commemorative medals, 1992-1999, in copper (34mm) (5), includes Sydney Harbour Submarine Attack, For the Fallen Dead WWII, Darwin Air Raid WWII, Anzac Day (2, one with suspension loop); also Handover of Hong Kong, 1997, in silver and enamel (39mm), in case of issue with certificate; also a soft cover book titled Medals as Art, Australia and the Meszaros Tradition by John P.Sharple, 30pp with b&w photos of medals throughout. *Uncirculated.* (8)

\$100

Ex Barry McGown Scott Collection and previously the first from Eric Dodd Auction 2002, the second group of five from Colonial Auctions 23/7/05 (lot 523).

1094

**Sydney Cove Medallion**, by Wedgwood (72mm) commissioned by the A.M.P. Society to commemorate Australia's Bicentennial, 1988; Townsville, sterling silver tourist dollar (48mm) 1982, by Stokes; together with Cook Islands, Elizabeth II, proof five dollars, 2010 with Sculptures of the World - Michelangelo reverse (KM.1251). *In cases of issue, first and third items with certificates, extremely fine - FDC.* (3)

\$100

1095

**Australia 1788-1988**, John M.Chapman Collection, medal depicting the 'Charlotte' anchored in Botany Bay, in sterling silver (47mm, 45.6g), edge numbered '4' (C.1988/83); together with specimen strikes in copper (2), struck by the Hafner Mint. *Good extremely fine - uncirculated.* (3)

\$250

1096

**Australia 1788-1988**, John M.Chapman Collection, medal depicting the 'Charlotte' anchored in Botany Bay, in sterling silver (47mm, 45.6g), edge numbered '2'; another, in copper (47mm), edge numbered '27' (C.1988/83); and a uniface strike of the reverse only, in copper, struck by Hafner Mint; together with Admella Commission Replica Medal, in gilt bronze (50mm) produced by the Royal Australian Mint for Portland Aluminium to raise funds for the Portland Lifeboat Restoration Appeal. *Medals cased, the last with certificate No 0230, and with damage to case cover, some toning to first three medals and minor edge nicks to first, otherwise good extremely fine - uncirculated.* (4)

\$300

1097

**Australia 1788-1988**, John M.Chapman Collection, medal depicting the 'Charlotte' anchored in Botany Bay, in sterling silver (47mm, 45.6g), edge numbered '3' (C.1988/83); together with specimen strikes (2) in bronze (47mm), struck by Hafner Mint; also Kodak, City of Sydney sesquicentenary, 1992, replica of the 'Charlotte' medal, in gilt (38mm). *First medal with some toning, nearly uncirculated - uncirculated.* (4)

\$300



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1098\*

**Australia 1788-1988**, John M.Chapman Collection, medal depicting the 'Charlotte' anchored in Botany Bay, in sterling silver (47mm, 45.6g), another, in bronze (47mm), both edge numbered '1' (C.1988/83); together with a specimen strike in copper and a uniface strike of the reverse only, in copper, struck by Hafner Mint. *Nearly uncirculated - uncirculated.* (4)

\$300

1099

**The Australian Bicentennial Commemorative Medallion Series**, set of six proof sterling silver commemorative medallions, 1988 by The Royal Australian Mint. *In case of issue with certificate, FDC.* (6)

\$250

Ex David Ross Collection.

1100

**The Australian Bicentennial Commemorative Medallion Series**, proof set of six medallions in sterling silver (ASW = 12.50 ounces). *FDC*.

\$250



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1101\*

**Australian Bicentenary medals**, includes C./Bicent.156, 157, 178 in folder of issue, 232 variety without suspender, 233, 290, 299 in nickel silver; also Australia Bicentenary 1788-1988, struck uniface bracteate style in oxidised copper (63mm); Kodak Sesqui Commemorative, 1992, in cupro nickel (39mm) (2), obverse features The Charlotte in Botany Bay in 1788; also 4 (two of these identical) drink coasters in cork and enamel featuring scenes of Captain Cook's arrival. *Good very fine - uncirculated*. (14)

\$120

Ex Dr W.J.D.Mira Collection.

1102

**Australian Bicentenary**, 1788-1988, in bronze (45mm) (C./Bicent.3) (4), reverse with floral scene; another but reverse with floral scene and inscription panel (C./Bicent.4) (4). *In cases of issue, all slide on cardboard covers marked, medals uncirculated*. (8)

\$90

Ex Dr W.J.D.Mira Collection.

1103

**The Sun-Herald City To Surf, I Finished**, Bicentennial 1988, in bronze (50mm); another 20th Anniversary Run, 1990, in bronze and enamel (51mm), with suspension ring; another, 1993, in darkened bronze (40mm), with suspension ring; another being 25th Anniversary Run, 1995, in cupro-nickel (35mm), with suspension ring; Gosford Shire's 150th Birthday, 1973, in gilt aluminium (52mm) (C.1973/2), reverse features surfboard rider, with unofficial pierced hole with suspension ring; Commonwealth Games Auckland, Commemorative Games Medallion, 1990, in gilt aluminium (32mm). *Extremely fine - uncirculated*. (6)

\$50

Ex Dr W.J.D.Mira Collection.



1104\*

**Arthur Phillip Esq, The First Fleet, 1788**, in bright bronze (56x74x3mm) (C./Bicent.1); another, but a specimen strike in dark bronze (56x74x4mm), with variation to reverse legend, 'Anchored' instead of 'Arrived'. *Uncirculated, the second rare as believed to be only 4 struck.* (2)

\$300

Ex Dr W.J.D.Mira Collection.



1105\*

**Arthur Phillip Esq, The First Fleet, 1788**, solid steel tiered cylinder being the die for the reverse of the medal but with variation to legend, 'Anchored' instead of 'Arrived' (approx 104x67.5mm; 3.84kg) (cf C./Bicent.1), on the side of the lower half of the die is impressed, 'EZH' and in white paint, 'F'. *Uncirculated and rare.*

\$250

It is believed that only 4 medals were struck using this die.

Ex Dr W.J.D.Mira Collection.



1106\*

**Arthur Phillip Esq**, The First Fleet, 1788, trial lead strike of the reverse but with variation to legend, 'Anchored' instead of 'Arrived', struck in lead (approx 64x82mm) (cf C./Bicent.1). *Uncirculated and rare, believed to be only 4 medals struck.*

\$150

Ex Dr W.J.D.Mira Collection.



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1107\*

**Arthur Phillip Esq**, The First Fleet, 1788, trial lead strikes of the obverse (approx 82x78mm) and reverse (approx 85x80mm) (C./Bicent.1), both with date scratched on the reverse, '14=6=1989', also two partial strikings of the obverse design on hand operated screw press (one 58x56mm and the other 36mm). *Good very fine.* (4)

\$150

Ex Dr W.J.D.Mira Collection.

1108

**School and sports medals**, includes Castle Hill High School inscribed, 'Yr 12 1991/Academic Awards/1st 2U French/S Bambic', other unnamed medals for Hurstville High School Clark Medal, North Sydney Boys High School Award of Merit, St Joseph's Marist Brothers Nth Fitzroy, The Armidale School, Westfields Sports High Sport Study Service Talent; sports medals for A.F.A.R.S (Australian Federation of Amateur Roller Skaters) Queensland Chapter Roller Skating Championships (5, gilt, silvered [2], bronze [2]), QIF (Queensland Indoor Federation of Roller Skating?), Official badge, Caltex Best All Rounder, Lansdowne Zone Sport Blue; also Rockhampton Agricultural Society Centenary Show 1973 badge. *A few in cases, mostly uncirculated.* (15)

\$150

Ex Barry McGown Scott Collection.



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1109\*

The A.F.U.L.E. (Australian Federated Union Locomotive Enginemen), commemorative badge, 1883-1993, die trials or mould castings in silver (13) and bronze (2) plus the rubber mould created for the original membership badges of the NSW Locomotive Engine Drivers, Firemen and Cleaner's Association. A unique lot, uncirculated. (16)

\$600

Ex Gregory J.Smith Collection.



part

1110\*

Australian Federated Union Locomotive Enginemen, a series of specimen restrikes for each state and the Commonwealth (2) in 925 fine silver (edge stamped) and bronze, in 2x2 holders on a plastic page (Smith 91, 316-322). As struck, uncirculated. (16)

\$500

Ex Gregory J.Smith Collection.



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1111\*

The Australian Federated Union of Locomotive Enginemen, commemorative badges, 1883-1993, in silver, antiqued or oxidised silver and 9ct gold (16.5g), numbered 4. In cases of issue with certificates, uncirculated, the gold very rare. (3)

\$500

Ex Gregory J.Smith Collection.



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1112\*  
**Numismatic Association of Victoria, 50th Anniversary, 1946-1996**, medallion in oxidised silver (38mm), and gilded bronze (38mm), both with edge number 001. *Uncirculated.* (2)  
 \$100

1113  
**Sydney 2000 Sports Mascot Medallion Booklets**, each features gilt and enamel medallion (38mm), includes Aquatics, Athletics, Baseball, Basketball, Cycling, Equestrian, Football, Hockey, Gymnastics (2), Tennis; also Sydney 2000 Sports Mascot Medallion and Pin Booklet, each features gilt and enamel medallion (38mm) and a gilt and enamel badge, includes Baseball, Cycling, Equestrian, Football, Hockey, Tennis; also mint five dollars, 1994 Enfranchisement, 1996 Bradman in Westpac holder; mint one dollar, 1992 Barcelona (in RAM Souvenir Token pack); Kodak NSW Holey Dollar medal in copper (31mm) (C.1988/18), in card of issue. *Uncirculated.* (21)  
 \$100

Ex Dr W.J.D.Mira Collection.

1114  
**Various medals and medalets**, mostly in base metal, c1850-1940. *Fine - very fine.* (85)  
 \$150

1115  
**Various medals and medalets**, mostly in base metal, 1879-1955. *Fine - very fine.* (17)  
 \$50

1116  
**Miscellaneous medalets**, check pieces, including foreign, all in a box, noted Hanks & Lloyd penny and halfpenny. *Poor - extremely fine.* (approx 50)  
 \$50

1117  
**Various medals and medalets**, mostly base metal, 1887-1987. *Fine - very fine.* (22)  
 \$60

1118  
**Various medals and medalets**, mostly in base metal, 1867-1951. *Fine - very fine.* (17)  
 \$50

1119  
**Medals, badges and checks**, c1800s-1980s, a large quantity including several multiples, also a few Australian pennies and halfpennies, all stored on plastic coin pages. *Poor - uncirculated.* (approx 120)  
 \$150

Ex Dr W.J.D.Mira Collection.

1120  
**Badges**, includes a large number of tinnies, several larger size issues, also various stick-pin badges, many of these for Red Cross and war related issues, also a star shaped badge for Phantom Ranger Deputy, and a Tin Hat Day badge and NES Warden badge in silvered and enamel. *Fine - uncirculated.* (approx 75)  
 \$100

Ex Dr W.J.D.Mira Collection.

1121  
**Coronation and Jubilee medals and medalets**, various types and regions, Queen Victoria - George VI. *Fine - very fine.* (24)  
 \$70

1122  
**Commemorative and military related**, medals and medalets, mostly base metal issues to commemorate various Australian military campaigns from Boer War to WW II. *Fine - extremely fine.* (15)  
 \$60



1123\*  
**Voluntary Workers Assoc, Life Member badge**, in gold and enamel (9ct; 7.76g; 25x25mm), by Amor, ring top suspension, reverse inscribed, 'P.V.C.Powell/No.12'. *Good very fine.*  
 \$250



1124\*  
**Royal Humane Society Of NSW**, silver medal, unnamed. *No ribbon, nicely toned extremely fine.*  
 \$150



1125\*

**Protestant Alliance Friendly Society Of Australasia**, in gold (9ct; 7.79g; 28x31mm), by Angus & Coote, scroll and ring top suspension, unnamed. *Good very fine.*

\$220

1126

**NSW Country Press Ass'n**, badge in gilt and enamel (28x28mm), by G.A.Miller & Sons, Sydney, small lug on back; **BDGC (Bonnie Doon Golf Club)**, a vintage badge handcrafted in voided silver (23x22.5mm), by Wager, pin-back. *Very fine - extremely fine.* (2)

\$60

Ex Barry McGown Scott Collection and previously from Colonial Auctions, the first ex 26/6/04 (lot 509), the second 16/2/05 (lot 391).

1127

**Medal decorated trays**, featuring a Royal Shipwreck Relief Humane Society of N.S.W. Bronze Medal without suspension, set into the centre of a scooped, circular brass tray (approx 12.5cm), possibly for use as an ashtray, the medal unnamed; another medal being a New South Wales Fire Brigades Long Service and Good Conduct Medal in bronze similarly set into an identical brass tray. *Both medals with remnants of cleaning compound in lettering, otherwise fine - very fine.* (2)

\$100

Ex Dr W.J.D.Mira Collection.

1128

**Agricultural and miscellaneous pins and badges**, an assortment, including Royal Agricultural society of NSW badges (8); Charolais and Angus badges (5), and more. *Fine.* (19)

\$50



1129\*

**Stock agricultural prize medals**, three cows design as used in NSW and Queensland, in silver (45mm), by J.Moore; three sheep design as used in NSW, Queensland and South Australia, in silver (45mm), by J.Moore; three pigs design as used in NSW and Queensland, in silver (45mm), by J.Moore, all medals unnamed. *The first dark toned, the second with hairlines, a few edge nicks and some digs on reverse, the third with hairlines and some edge nicks, otherwise very fine.* (3)

\$200

1130

**Modern enlarged replica of the 1797 Cartwheel twopence, in copper (120mm, 665g). In box of issue, prooflike finish. (2)**

\$100



1131

**Captain James Cook, plaster casting of facing bust of Captain Cook on a leather-like background with rope border, at the base is the name, 'James Cook R.N.', the whole item is made of plaster (14x17.5cm), with a plain reverse and this fitted with a wire hangar, the plaster has been painted with appropriate colours for the items depicted and Cook's image is in golden and dark textures. Several chips in plaster, otherwise fine, makes for an interesting restoration project.**

\$50

Ex Dr W.J.D.Mira Collection.

1134\*

**Barker College, badge in voided sterling silver (50x35mm), with 3 lugs on reverse, scroll inscribed with school motto, 'Honor Non Honores'. Very fine.**

\$70

Ex Dr W.J.D.Mira Collection.

1135

**Australian ballot box metal key tags, includes Australian Electoral Office issues for various states and territories, includes some varieties, together with a booklet titled, 'Australian Ballot Box Key Tags & Electoral Seals' by W.J.D.Mira, 32pp with illustrations, published in 1989 by the Metropolitan Coin Club of Sydney; also unidentified checks (7). Stored in two albums, very good - nearly extremely fine. (approx 225)**

\$450

Ex Dr W.J.D.Mira Collection.



1132\*

**Captain James Cook, Discoverer of Queensland, 1770, S.O.S. Alert, in silver (31mm) (C/C.12), by Amor, not recorded in this metal. Hairlines on reverse, otherwise extremely fine and very rare.**

\$150

Ex Dr W.J.D.Mira Collection.

1136

**Commonwealth of Australia, N.S.W. Electoral 3752 stamp in brass for impressing documents, with timber handle marked 'N.S.W/3752'; brass padlock marked 2385, together with two keys attached to a brass key tag marked 'Commonwealth Electoral Office N.S.W 2385'; another brass padlock marked C of A Electoral, no key; Commonwealth Electoral New South Wales uniface key tag in bronze and impressed with number 1749; another impressed with number 1623; Commonwealth Electoral Office N.S.W uniface key tag in brass and impressed with number 10491; another impressed with number 11375; Australian Electoral Office South Aust. uniface key tag in brass and impressed with number 1161 on reverse; paper seals for Australian Electoral Office and Commonwealth Electoral Office (3). Very fine - good very fine. (13)**

\$100

Ex Dr W.J.D.Mira Collection.



1133\*

**Southern Queensland Rifle Association Medal, in silver (26.5mm), by AJP (A.J.Parkes), with scroll and ring top suspension, unnamed. Dark toned, extremely fine.**

\$60

1137

**Carlton Football Club, life member's fob in sterling silver and enamel, engraved on reverse 'Vern Wright, 166'; together with Carlton Cricket Club, member's fob 1935-36, in brass and enamel, '108' impressed on reverse; Carlton Football Club, membership pass, 1975; North Western Football Association, member's ticket, 1933; photographs (26) includes team photographs, Carlton DT.FC 1919, Brighton Football Club, 1927 and general photographs. Good - extremely fine. (34 items)**

\$250

Vern Wright played in 1920 and 1922 with a total of five games, no goals.

1138

**Football Clubs, members' badges, mostly Australian Rules regional clubs, c1905 - 1950. All but one enamelled, very fine. (10)**

\$50



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1142\*

**Sydney Cricket Ground membership badges**, 1902-3 to 1980-81, some with J others with F (Junior and Female), in 2x2 holders, described on four album pages; first enamel 'Dr C.N.Newman', third, seventh, ninth, tenth to 'J.T.Brogden', fifth to J.Broughton. *Fine - extremely fine.* (69)

\$500

Ex Gregory J.Smith Collection.

1139\*

**Melbourne, St.Kilda Cricket Club membership badges** (14) 1913-14 to 1941; Essendon 1927-28; Fitzroy 1939-40; Camberwell 1928-29; Richmond 1926-27, 1927-28, 1938-39; Melbourne Cricket Ground 1908-9 to 1953-54 (8); Ivanhoe Cricket Club 1927-28; Fitzroy Footballers C.C. 1925-6; Haw(thor)n East Melb C.C. 1929-30; NSW Sports Club North Sydney District C.C. (5 different); South Melbourne C.C. (3, 1922-23, 1937-38, 1946-47); Country Carnival Cricket Association 1953; Adelaide Oval 1938-9, 1950 to 1961-62 (8), on three album pages in 2x2 holders. *Fine - extremely fine.* (49)

\$400

Ex Gregory J.Smith Collection.

1140

**Melbourne Cricket Club, membership badges**, in gilt and enamel, 1931-32 (No.3644), 1933-34 (No.892), 1939-40 (No.3638), 1940-41 (No.1719), 1945-1946 (in gilt only. No.3362), 1958-59 (No.1826), 1961-1962 (No.484). *Very fine - extremely fine.* (7)

\$150

1141

**South Melbourne Cricket Club, membership badges**, in gilt and enamel, 1923-1924 (No.1525), 1927-28 (2) (Nos 1675, 1677), 1938-39 (No.706), 1949-1950 (No.1068). *Very fine - extremely fine.* (5)

\$100



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1143\*

**Sydney Cricket Ground, membership fob badges** in gilt and enamel (27x27mm), all by Amor, Sydney, ring top suspension, 1927-1928 reverse numbered 1499, 1928-1929 reverse numbered 517, 1929-1930 reverse numbered 947. *Good very fine.* (3)

\$100

Ex Barry McGown Scott Collection and previously from Downie's Australian Coin Auctions.

1144

**Victoria, Cricket Club membership badges**, in gilt and enamels, Fitzroy, 1937-38 (No.925), 1938-39 (No.917), 1948-49 (No.1384); St Kilda, 1929-30 (No.668), 1932-33 (No.372), 1935-36 (No.132), 1945-46 (No.082). *Very fine - extremely fine.* (7)

\$180

1145

**Vintage badges and medalets**, most with enamelling, various clubs and institutions, c1920-1970's. *Fine - very fine.* (22)

\$50