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Stephanie's Pretty Penny

The 1943 Bronze Lincoln cent: A million dollar mistake

In 1943 there was a copper shortage due to World War II. The United States Treasury used zinc coated steel for the blanks of the Lincoln cent. The US Mint made a mistake and produced 15 bronze cents. The bronze mistakes are very rare and worth a lot of money. In 2018 a bronze 1943 penny sold for over 1 million dollars. In the next issue of the Pretty Penny, I will be writing about a more common minting mistake, the double die.

YN Advisor Minute

- Welcome new YN members: Gage G.; Hayleigh S.; Emma S.; and YN visitor Anthony G
- Nov. YN Educational Program: Many thanks to adult member, Derwin C., for conducting a program on "Prestige Sets"
- 20th Century Type Sets: Earlier this year, many YNs received a 20th Century Type Set coin holder. I would like those YNs to bring their coin holder to the Jan. club meeting to see how you are doing. Grant has filled his coin holder and Nyle is well on his way to filling his holder.

YN Exhibitors at the OCC Annual Coin Show

1st Place: "Silver Animal Coins of the World" by Nathan; He received an 1836 Capped Bust Half Dollar.

2nd Place: "What's in Mickey's Pocket" by Paige; She received a 2016 Silver Eagle.

3rd Place: "Origami Dollars" by Stephanie; She received an 1930-S VF Standing Liberty Quarter. 4th Place: "The History of the VDB Cent" by Grant; He received an 1958 Proof Washington Quarter.

5th Place: "Wheat Cents" by Eli; He received a 1965D MS65 Washington Quarter.

Thank you YNs for your exhibits.

Nathan accepting his congratulations.



YN Assignment for December 2019 THE YEAR 1909

1. Who designed the gold half eagle minted in 1909?
2. What cent types were minted in 1909?
3. What mints struck half dollars in 1909?
4. What type gold eagle was minted in 1909?
5. Who designed the dime minted in 1909?
6. What commemorative coin was minted in 1909?
7. Who designed the gold double eagle minted in 1909?
8. What mints struck the quarters minted in 1909?
9. What type silver dollar was minted in 1909?
10. What is the metal composition of the quarter eagle minted in 1909?

If any YN is unable to attend the meeting, this assignment may be mailed to:

Jim Guy 3136 S Oak Ave Springfield, Mo 65804 10 correct3 YN dollars9 correct2 YN dollars8 correct1 YN dollar

Editor's Say

Another great show in the book. Congratulations to this year's winner. Great job, Nathan! I hope this inspired everyone for next year. I want to welcome our new members. We're glad to have you. Remember that next month's newsletter will have the item list for the YN Auction. Also, remember that our December meeting is our annual holiday banquet. I hope you can make it as there is always good food. Until then, Happy Thanksgiving.

Dillon

Answer to the October's What Am I?



If you guessed the 2020 South Africa R25, then you guessed correctly.

November's What Am I?



Can you guess what this is? See next month's newsletter for the answer.

Happy Thanksgiving

