

THE DR. JOHN M. CHAPMAN COLLECTION

EXPLORATION MEDALS



661*

Great Britain, British Colonisation, 1670, in silver (41.5mm) by (J.Roettiers), obverse, conjoined busts of Charles II and Catherine, reverse, a terrestrial globe (Betts 44, Eimer 245). *Nearly very fine.*

\$450



662*

Admiral of the Fleet Lord Anson, 1747, in copper (43mm) by T.Pingo, obverse, bust of Lord Anson, left, being crowned by Victory, reverse, Victory, holding a wreath and trident standing upon a sea monster, six laurel wreaths around with the names of the principal officers of the 'Centurion' on her world voyage of 1740-1743 (MH 345, Eimer 616). *Good extremely fine.*

\$350

Ex Spink Australia Sale 3 (lot 88).



663*

Germany, medal proclaiming the New Century, 1800, in silver (40mm) by C.I.Kruger second engraver to the Dresden Mint, featured on the medal is the word 'Australien' representing a new land of hope. Very early use of the word 'Australien' rather than 'New Holland' and the first in numismatics. *Good very fine and rare.*

\$500

Ex Spink Australia Sale 23 (lot 954).



664*

Map of the World, c1820, in white metal (74mm), obverse, detailed map of the Eastern Hemisphere, continents of Africa, Asia, Europe and New Holland together with countries and islands, reverse, detailed map of Western Hemisphere, continents of North America and South America identified, together with countries and islands (Eimer 1139). *Good extremely fine.* \$200



665*

Map of the World, c1820, in white metal (51mm), obverse, detailed map of the Eastern Hemisphere, Continents of Africa, Asia, Europe and New Holland together with countries and islands, reverse, detailed map of Western Hemisphere, continents of North America and South America identified together with countries and islands (Eimer 1139). *Pierced at top (3mm) otherwise very fine.*

\$100

Ex Max Stern & Co Sale Nov 1976 (lot 1444).

UNIQUE SILVER RESOLUTION AND ADVENTURE MEDAL



666*

George III, Resolution and Adventure Medal, 1772, in silver (44mm, 45.96gms) by J. Westwood for Matthew Boulton for Sir Joseph Banks, struck from first (or cracked) reverse die at initial stage, with 180 degree rotation, obverse signed B:F (Boulton fecit?) (MH 373, BHM 165, Eimer 744, Klenman 1). Roughly filed planchet left unfinished edge. Unique silver specimen from first reverse die, first striking of Matthew Boulton's first medal and first impression of the first medal relating to Captain James Cook. *Good extremely fine.*

\$35,000

Ex Ron Greig in 1978.



667*

George III, Resolution and Adventure Medal, 1772, in platina (brass) (42.5mm) by J. Westwood for Matthew Boulton for Sir Joseph Banks, struck from the first (or cracked) die with 180 degree rotation, obverse signed B:F (Boulton fecit?) (MH 373, BHM 165, Eimer 744, Klenman 1). *Rim drilled at top, suspension ring missing, good very fine and rare.*

\$6,500

Ex Glendining Sale November 1989 (lot 140).

The type in bronze was issued with a loop mount on the edge and was intended for distribution to natives in the Pacific Islands during Captain Cook's voyage. Some examples have been found on the coast of some of these islands including New Zealand.



668*

George III, Resolution and Adventure Medal, 1772, in silver (44mm) by J. Westwood for Matthew Boulton for Sir Joseph Banks, struck from the second reverse die (without die crack) obverse signed B:F (Boulton fecit?) (MH 373, BHM 165, Eimer 744, Klenman 2). *Blue and gold toning, good extremely fine and rare, one of the finest known.*

\$15,000

Ex Noble Numismatics Sale 56 (lot 666).



669*

Daniel Solander, 1778, in silver (37mm) by C.L. (probably Carl Leberecht who was an engraver at St Petersburg at the time), obverse, bust of Solander right, reverse, an inscription expressing gratitude to Joseph Banks from C.L. and John Alstroemer, C.L. on truncation of Solander's neck (BHM 252, Eimer 798). *Toned, extremely fine and extremely rare.*

\$1,750

Ex Spink Australia Sale 3 (lot 98).

Daniel Charles Solander (1736-82) botanist. Born in Sweden, Solander was a pupil of Linnaeus who recommended him to naturalists in England. In 1760 Solander came to England and obtained an appointment at the British Museum. In 1768 he accompanied Joseph Banks on Cook's voyage around the world. He also went with Banks to Iceland in 1772. In 1773 he was made Keeper of the Natural History Department in the British Museum.



670*

Daniel Solander, 1778, in bronzed copper (37mm) by Gustave Ljunberger (Sweden) (BHM 252, Eimer 798). *Peripheral die break on obverse, extremely fine and very rare.*

\$1,500

Ex Spink Australia Sale 24 (lot 997).



671*

Captain James Cook, 'Courage and Perseverance', 1780, in bronze (37mm), in exergue 'Born 1728 Died 1779' (BHM 218, MH 375, Eimer 778). *Edge knocks, otherwise extremely fine and very rare.*

\$2,000

Ex Spink Australia Sale 3 (lot 95).



672*

Captain James Cook, memorial medal in silver (43mm) by L.Pingo for the Royal Society in 1784 (MH 374, BHM 258, Eimer 780). *Nearly extremely fine.*

\$2,500



673*

Captain James Cook, memorial medal in bronze (43mm) by L.Pingo for the Royal Society in 1784 (MH 374, BHM 258, Eimer 780). *Light spotting in field, otherwise extremely fine.*

\$750

Ex Spink Australia Sale 2 (lot 482).



674*

The Copley Medal, in silver (43mm). A gold medal of this was awarded by the Royal Society of London to Captain James Cook R.N. (Klenman 2). *Extremely fine and rare.*

\$750

Baronet Godfrey Copley instituted this medal which was awarded annually from 1736.

675

The Copley Medal, in copper (43mm). *Some mint red, toned, good extremely fine and rare.*

\$400

Ex Spink Australia Sale 24 (lot 995).

Baronet Godfrey Copley instituted this medal which was awarded annually from 1736.



676*

Sir Joseph Banks, 1816, in bronze (40mm) by W.Wyon for the Royal Horticultural Society (BHM 911, Eimer 1088). *Extremely fine.*

\$350

Ex Philip Kennedy Collection 1973 (lot M202).

Sir Joseph Banks accompanied Captain Cook on his circumnavigation of the world in a ship equipped at his own expense. He was President of the Royal Society from 1777 to his death in 1820 and bequeathed his Natural History collection to the nation.



677*

Sir Joseph Banks, 1816, in silver (40mm) by W.Wyon for the Royal Horticultural Society (BHM 911, Eimer 1088). *Nearly extremely fine.*

\$400

Ex Glendining Sale November 1989 (lot 227).



678*

James Cook, in bronze, 1823 (41mm) from the Universal series by Durand, the portrait by Smith. *Uncirculated.*

\$450

Ex Spink Australia Sale 19 (lot 1267).



679*

Sir John Franklin, R.N., portrait medal in white metal (28mm) by Stothard, Royal Polytechnic Institution, London, series to great men (BHM 2101, Eimer 1349). *Extremely fine.*

\$100

Ex Spink Australia Sale 24 (lot 1024).

Sir John Franklin (1786-1847), rear-admiral, Arctic explorer and Lieutenant Governor of Tasmania. He was appointed to the latter position in 1837 and after six fairly turbulent years, he returned to England. He wrote 'A Narrative of Some Passages in the History of Van Diemen's Land during the last three years of Sir John Franklin's Administration in the Colony' before setting off in H.M.S. Erebus to search for the North West Passage. It was on this voyage that he died in 1847 aged 59.



680*

London Missionary Society, Missionary ship, John Williams 1844, in white metal (41mm) by J.Davis (BHM 2201, Eimer 1349). *Pierced at top, nearly extremely fine.*

\$100

Ex Spink Australia Sale 8 (lot 1024 part).



681*

La Perouse's Exploring Expedition, 1785, in silver (60mm) by R.Duvivier (MH 170, not recorded in silver), obverse die variety without date on truncation of King's shoulder. *Toned, extremely fine and very rare.*

\$3,500

Ex Spink Australia Sale 7 (lot 435).

In 1785 La Perouse sailed with the ships 'Boussole' and 'Astrolabe' and explored the far eastern coasts of Asia and Australia. In 1788 he sailed from Botany Bay, but both ships were lost with all hands near the New Hebrides.



682*

La Perouse's Exploring Expedition, 1785, in copper (60mm) by R.Duvivier (MH 170) with C.L.Platt ticket and envelope. *Traces of mint red, good extremely fine.*

\$1,500

Ex Spink Australia Sale 20 (lot 446).



683*

Baudin's Exploring Expedition, 1801, in silver (38mm) for the Corvettes Geography and Naturalist voyage to New Holland (Australia), by Montagny, obverse, the Consul Bonaparte's bust left (MH 174, Bramsen I,72). *Reverse (die I, 'C' over 'A'), peripheral die break on obverse, extremely fine and rare.*

\$600

Ex Spink Australia Sale 3 (lot 82 part).



684*

Baudin's Exploring Expedition, 1801, in copper (38mm) for the Corvettes Geography and Naturalist voyage to New Holland (Australia), by Montagny, obverse, the Consul Bonaparte's bust left (MH 174, Bramsen I, 72). *Reverse (die I, 'C' over 'A'), peripheral die break on obverse, extremely fine.*

\$350

Ex Spink Australia Sale 3 (lot 82 part).



685*

Baudin's Exploring Expedition, 1801, struck on a gilt flan (30mm), for the Corvettes Geography and Naturalist voyage to New Holland (Australia) by Montagny, obverse the Consul Bonaparte's bust left (MH 174, Bransen I, 72). Reverse (die 2 'C' over 'B'). *Peripheral die break on obverse, good extremely fine and rare.*

\$650

Ex Spink Australia Sale 17 (lot 712).



686*

Baudin's Exploring Expedition, 1801, in pewter (38mm) for the Corvettes Geography and Naturalist voyage to New Holland (Australia) by Montagny, obverse, Consul Bonaparte's bust left (MH 174, Bransen I, 72). Reverse (Die 2, 'C' over 'B'). *Peripheral die break on obverse, good very fine.*

\$350

Ex Spink Australia Sale 17 (lot 713).



687*

Louis XVIII, Louis de Freycinet's Scientific Expedition, Cruise of the Corvette 'Uranie', 1817, in silver (40.5mm) by Andrieu (c.f. MH 188). *Edge knock on obverse, otherwise extremely fine.*

\$600

The 'Uranie', captained by de Freycinet sailed from Toulon in 1817 on a world cruise. They landed at Shark Bay on the West Coast of Australia, on the 12th September 1818, where they set up an observatory. After visiting Timor and the Sandwich Islands the 'Uranie' reached Port Jackson on the 19th November 1818. They left on Boxing Day that year on a course for Cape Horn. On 13th February 1820 the ship was wrecked off the Falkland Islands but they managed to save all the crew and a good amount of the records of the voyage.



688*

Louis XVIII, Louis de Freycinet's Scientific Expedition, Cruise of the corvette 'Uranie' 1817, in bronze (40.5mm) by Andrieu (c.f. MH 188). *Good extremely fine.*

\$650

Ex Spink Australia Sale 24 (lot 2127).



689*

Louis XVIII, Louis de Freycinet's Scientific Expedition, Cruise of the corvette 'Uranie', 1817, in yellow bronze (41.5mm) by Andrieu (c.f. MH 188), obverse variant Gayrard under bust. *Very fine.*

\$450



690*

Voyage of 'La Coquette', 1822, in silver (51mm) by Andrieu, struck to commemorate the voyage around the world by the 'La Coquette' commanded by Lieut Duperney, 1822 (MH 189). *Good extremely fine and rare in silver.*

\$700

Ex Spink Australia Sale 2B (lot 484).

For an account of this great voyage see Ferguson's Australian Bibliography, vol I, item 1069.

691

Voyage of 'La Coquette', 1822, in bronze (51mm) by Andrieu struck to commemorate the voyage around the world by the 'La Coquette' commanded by Lieut Duperney, 1822 (MH189). *Extremely fine.*

\$400

Ex Spink Australia Sale 19 (lot 1266).

For an account of this great voyage see Ferguson's Australian Bibliography, vol I, item 1069.



692*

Dumont D'Urville's Voyage of the 'Astrolabe', 1826, in silver (50mm) by Depaulis (MH 190, only recorded in bronze), obverse, bust of Charles X, King of France, reverse, inscription in French. *Good extremely fine and rare in silver.*

\$1,250

Ex Spink Australia Sale 6 (lot 421).



693*

Dumont D'Urville's Voyage of the 'Astrolabe', 1826, in bronze (50mm) by Depaulis (MH 190), obverse, bust of Charles X, King of France, reverse, inscription on French. *Extremely fine.*

\$750

Ex Spink Australia Sale 3 (lot 84).



694*

France, Louis Philippe, 1837, in bronze (51mm) to Honour the Voyage of Exploration to the Antarctic of Dumont D'Urville and Jacquinot (MH 377, BHM 1207). *Extremely fine.*

\$300

Ex Max Stern & Co Sale Nov 1976 (lot 1443).



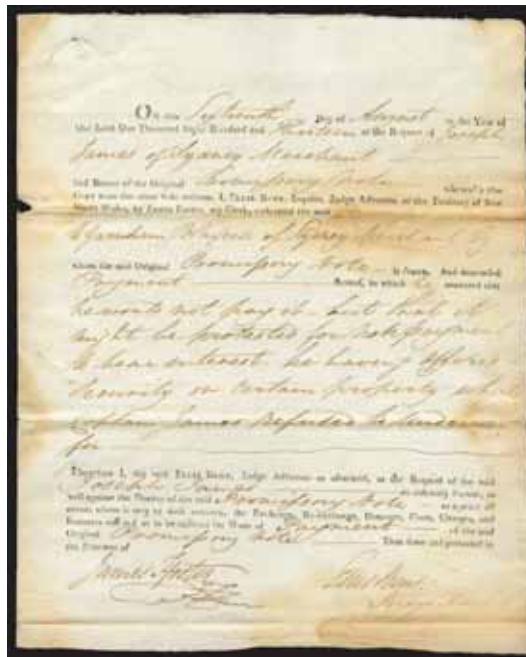
695*

Admiral Dumont D'Urville, 1844, in bronze (69mm), obverse, the Admiral's head left, by Oudine, reverse, view of monument which commemorates the life and death (1842) of Dumont D'Urville (MH 199). *Extremely fine.*

\$350

Ex Spink Australia Sale 3 (lot 87).

COLONIAL CURRENCY



696*

Bill of Exchange, G. Blaxcell, handwritten, Sydney, March 20th 1812, two hundred and fifty pounds, payable to Captain Joseph James, on or before 24th June 1812. Accompanied by a printed form of a notice of protest printed by George Howe, Sydney, 1813, signed by Ellis Bent, Judge Advocate of the Territory of New South Wales, showing that Blaxcell had not paid by 16th August 1813. *Stained on right and left hand side, good fine and extremely rare. (2)*

\$2,500

Garnham Blaxcell (1778-1817).

OUTSTANDING HOLEY DOLLAR



697*

New South Wales, five shillings or holey dollar, 1813 (Mira-Noble 1807/4) struck on a Charles III Potosi Mint eight reales 1807 P.J. (die I/3-A/3). *The countermarks extremely fine and well struck, the matrix extremely fine, overall an extremely fine holey dollar without any "dishing", as such of considerable significance being one of the finest known and very rare.*

\$200,000

Ex R.W. Farman and Ray Jewell Collections.

Originally purchased across a bank counter by a bank teller Campbell and sold to Roy Farman in the 1940's, sold by Ray Jewell to John Chapman in 1965 (ACR March 1965, p11). This coin was Ray Jewell's favourite of the 29 specimens he owned and was used for the Ray Jewell designed NAV 150th anniversary medal in 1963.



698*

New South Wales, fifteen pence or dump, 1813 (Mira dies A/1) traces of reverse/ original coin on obverse. *Toned fields, edge graining sharp, nearly extremely fine and well struck, very rare in this condition.*

\$50,000

Ex Ray Jewell Collection (ACR March 1965, p11).



part

699*

Bolivia, Charles III, eight reales, 1807 PJ (Potosi) (KM.73), the original matrix for the Chapman holey dollar was an example of this coin. Together with the Numismatic Association of Victoria Commemorative medallion in oxidised silver plate depicting the Chapman holey dollar as designed by Ray Jewell for the 150th anniversary of the issuing of the holey dollar and dump, and the medalet for the NAV exhibition in Melbourne Town Hall October 26.27.28 1964 (C. G/5 and 1964/4). *Extremely fine.* (3)

\$300

The eight reales ex Spink Australia Sale 8 (lot 1603), the medallion ex Ray Jewell Collection and edge numbered 1.

700

Bank of Van Diemen's Land, cheques (2), dated 16th June 1829 for £45-0-0 and 15th Nov 1833 for £12-9-4, both signed by James Kelly. *Very fine.* (2)

\$200

James Kelly (1791-1859) sealer, pilot, harbourmaster and regarded as the 'father and founder' of whaling in Tasmania. Born in Parramatta, December 1791, he was apprenticed in January 1804 to Kable & Underwood to learn the art of a Master Mariner. Completing his apprenticeship in 1809 he travelled extensively including trips to India in 1810, and sealing ventures to Macquarie Island. Moving to Hobart Town in 1815, he set out in a whale-boat to circumnavigate Van Diemen's Land and along the way discovered Port Davey and Macquarie Harbour. In 1817 he sailed to New Zealand where, although initially welcomed by the Maoris was attacked the next day and three of his men killed. Governor Lachlan Macquarie, in May 1819, confirmed Kelly's appointment as pilot and harbourmaster at the Derwent. He assisted in transporting convicts to the penal station at Macquarie Harbour and helped to set up the penal station on Maria Island. Giving up his position of harbourmaster in 1829 he concentrated on whaling and his other business interests. He assisted in forming the Derwent Whaling Club in 1826, was elected one of the first directors of the Derwent and Tamar Fire, Marine and Life Assurance Co and was on the committee of the Anniversary Regatta. Kelly suffered personal and shipping losses in the 1830s and hit by the depression of the 1840s was forced to assign his property to creditors. He went back to work with the port authorities. He died suddenly in Hobart on 20th April 1859.



701*

South Australia, Government Assay Office, Adelaide, gold ingot (1852), an electrotype copy of an ingot of 5dwt.5grs (Andrews 720), obverse, with Sawtell incuse top left corner, reverse, with 'Electro' engraved. *Very fine.*

\$500

Ex Max Stern & Co Sale Nov 1976 (lot 231).



702*

Gold nugget, 301.3gms, clean solid shape no inclusions, found at Kingower, Victoria with a metal detector.

\$9,500

703

Gold specimen in quartz (2), gross weight 38gms, gold content 4gms, gross weight 60.25gms, gold content 29.9gms, from the Ballarat District.

\$900

AUSTRALIAN HISTORICAL MEDALS

THE CHARLOTTE MEDAL

Believed to have been engraved by convict Thomas Barrett, the first man hanged in NSW, for Surgeon John White, while at anchor in Botany Bay in January 1788



704*

The 'Charlotte' Medal, 1788, in silver (74mm, weight 37.58gms) (MH.49 - **this piece**), engraved on both sides of a thin silver disc, obverse, fully-rigged ship secured to a buoy, sun near horizon to left, crescent moon and stars in the sky, inscribed in left field 'The Charlotte at anchor / in Botany Bay / Jany. th 20, / 1788', inscribed on reverse a full description of the voyage from London to Botany Bay (13,106 miles) in nautical terminology. Contemporary in style this medallion was engraved by Thomas Barrett one of the convicts on board the 'Charlotte' whilst the ship was anchored in Botany Bay between 20th and 26th January. This medal is widely acclaimed as the first Australian Colonial work of art and an icon of the foundation of our nation and as such is of immense historical interest to Australia. *Extremely fine and unique.*

\$750,000

Ex The Marquess of Milford Haven, A.H.F. Baldwin and (Spink Australia Sale 6 [lot 422]) John J.Ford Collections.

The 'Charlotte' was built on the Thames in 1784. Her length was 105 feet, the maximum breadth between her wales was about 28 feet 2½ inches, and her tonnage 38 tons. The ship featured two decks and three masts, but had no embellishments such as a figurehead or galleries, and contemporary records generally describe her as 'square-sterned'. She was noted in the official register as 'barque-built'. The 'Charlotte', along with other ships destined to become First Fleet transports, was chartered by the Admiralty late in 1786 from her owner, a Mr Matthews. She was fitted out at Deptford and in January, 1787, after making her way to Plymouth, embarked with her prisoners. The First Fleet weighed anchor on 13th May, 1787, at the Motherbank in the Channel. It comprised two warships, 'Sirius' and 'Supply', three storeships, 'Borrowdale', 'Fishburn' and 'Golden Grove' and six convict transports: 'Alexander', 'Charlotte', 'Friendship', 'Lady Penrhyn', 'Scarborough' and 'Prince of Wales'. The 'Charlotte' complement consisted of crew, marines (one captain, two lieutenants, two sergeants, three corporals, one drummer and thirty five privates) and convicts (eighty nine male and twenty female). The master of Captain Thomas Gilbert, and the Surgeon, John White. John White was the first Chief Surgeon of the Colony, and a keen sketcher. (Source: Marine Captain Watkin Tench 'A Complete Account of Settlement at Port Jackson', London, 1793). The Fleet arrived at Teneriffe, The Canaries, on 3rd June, 1787, by which time 'Charlotte' had 15 men on the sick list, one man had already died, and during the stay, a second death occurred. On 10th June the Fleet sailed from Teneriffe and during the crossing of the equator, the 'Lady Penrhyn', whose crew were busy playing King Neptune, almost collided with 'Charlotte'. On 5th August, 1787, the Fleet reached Rio de Janeiro, where it stayed for recuperation until 4th September. After leaving Rio, the Fleet arrived at Cape Town on 13th October, and after a stay, began the final leg of the voyage to Australia on 13th November. The First Fleet finally arrived at Botany Bay on 20th January, 1788, after a somewhat circuitous voyage of 15,063 nautical miles in 184 days of actual sailing time. On 26th January, 1788, the entire First Fleet went around to Port Jackson and anchored there. In early May, 1788 'Charlotte' under charter to The East India Company, sailed for China from whence she shipped a cargo of tea to England. She was then sold to a firm of London merchants, Bond & Co. and began the next stage of her career, the London to Jamaica run. 'Charlotte' ended her career under the ownership of John Jones, a merchant in Quebec, Canada. In 1818 she was lost off Newfoundland. (References: Hawkins, J.B., 'Nineteenth Century Australian Silver', Woodbridge 1990, Vol 1, page 31, plate 3; article by Dr John M.Chapman 'The Solution of the 'Charlotte' Enigma' in the Journal of the Numismatic Association of Australia, Vol 9, pages 28-33.)

THE LAWRENCE HALLORAN SCHOOL MEDAL

Engraved by Samuel Clayton



705*

The Halloran School Medal, 1823, in silver (72mm) with loop suspender, by Samuel Clayton, obverse, an allegorical scene of Minerva leading a schoolboy, the temple of Fame and a church in the background, legend, *Ardua prima via est sed fit labor ipse voluptas* (At first the way is hard but labour itself becomes a pleasure) and signed 'S. Clayton Delt. et. Sculpt.', reverse, legend, *Ingenuo magnaue spei adolescenti / Guiliemo M. Campbell / Propter insignes in Artibus / Progressus signum hoc / Honorarium dedit / Praeceptor ejus, et amicus / Laurentius Halloran / SS.T.P. / 1823* (upright young man of great future, William Campbell, on account of his distinguished progress on his studies, his teacher and friend Lawrence Halloran gave this mark of honour SS.T.P. 1823). *Extremely fine and very rare, amongst the earliest of Australian medals extant having been executed by the finest silversmith in the colony at the time.*

\$20,000

Ex Spink Australia Sale 24 (lot 1018).

This is now the fifth of these medals to be discovered, the others being awarded to Robert Campbell (dated 1819), Francis Lord (1822), Charles Driver (1823) and Henry Halloran (1824). The Sydney Gazette of 15th July 1820 records 'On Friday ult. the half yearly exhibitions of the various exercises by Dr Halloran's pupils took place at his house in Phillip Street, and the Latin class underwent a public examination in their classical studies. To those who are appraised of Dr Halloran's long experience as a teacher, and of the number of persons now filling eminent situations who were educated by him, it will scarcely be necessary to say that his pupils acquirements in the short period during which they have studied under his directions, appeared highly creditable to themselves and their instructor. Handsome silver medals of considerable value were presented to Masters Henry Robinson and John Wile'... 'Similar medals were obtained at Christmas last by Francis Lord and Robert Campbell'. Another entry in the Sydney Gazette, dated 22nd December 1821 states 'Silver medals were awarded by their Reverend Tutor as follows: one to Master John Piper and the other to Master John Terry'. Lawrence Hyres Halloran was born on 29 December 1765 in Raroath, County Meath, Ireland. He was orphaned in 1772, placed in the care of his uncle, Judge William Gregory, and educated at Westminster School and later at the Royal Mathematics School attached to Christ's Hospital which specialised in navigation. He entered the Navy in 1780 but deserted some two and a half years later after killing a midshipman with a sword. He was tried for murder at the Exeter Assizes in 1783 and was acquitted. In 1785 he opened a grammar school at Alphington near Exeter which he ran with great success for twelve years. A silver medal with a similar allegorical scene to the present one awarded to a pupil of the school in 1794, is illustrated in 'Silver Medals, Badges and Trophies from Schools in the British Isles 1550-1850' by M.E. Grimshaw (Cambridge, n.d.) page 21. Obviously the design by the Exeter silversmiths H. and J. Sweet was to Halloran's liking for him to ask Clayton to reproduce it some twenty five years later. The school must have had a good reputation as it was responsible for the education of the future Lord Gifford, Master of the Rolls. Whilst at the school Halloran married Lydia Anne Hall who eventually bore him twelve children. He changed his religion from Catholic to Church of England in 1796, took Holy Orders and rejoined the Navy, this time as Chaplain, in 1798. Two years later he submitted himself as a candidate for the honorary degree of doctor of divinity at King's College, Aberdeen for which he was accepted but it would appear that he never completed the doctorate. His naval career included being present by the Battle of Trafalgar (21st October 1805) and concluded whilst chaplain to the naval and military forces at the Cape of Good Hope, a job he undertook between 1807 and 1810. In the later years he ran foul of the commander of the forces General H.C. Grey, by defending two officers charged with duelling and by subsequently disobeying an order to proceed as chaplain to the outpost at Simonstown. In June of that year he resigned his commission and published several poems which were highly libellous. Grey insisted that the Governor prosecute Halloran and the ensuing case found him guilty of defamatory libel. He was heavily fined, had costs charged against him and banished from the colony. He returned to London with no money, no job and apparently no family. Between 1811 and 1817 he wandered the length and breadth of the country trying to find employment. He was handicapped however, by a sense of persecution and a passion for litigation. Eventually he turned to forging letters in order to gain employment as a curate and was caught. The authorities found in his possession a 'copper plate for making impressions of Deacons' and Priests' orders, together with impressions of the plate on parchment ... two other copper plates for letters of orders for the Kingdom of Ireland and seals engraved on stone and metal which had been used by him at various times including one used by him on the letter bearing the forged frank'. He was charged with forging a temporary frank of Sir William Garrow M.P., allegedly for the purpose of accrediting himself

as a curate. He was found guilty and sentenced to seven years transportation. He arrived in Sydney on the transport 'Baring' in June 1819 finding in the town John Thomas Campbell, a friend from his days in South Africa, who held the post of Vice-regal Secretary. It was on Campbell's recommendation that Macquarie issued Halloran a ticket of leave soon after his arrival that was later rescinded. Halloran was assigned as a servant to Simeon Lord, who, with John Macarthur, helped him establish a private school (The Sydney Free Public Grammar School) which opened in late 1819 and was quickly patronised by the leading emancipists in Sydney. Halloran's standard of education can not be questioned: Macquarie said that he was 'the best and most admired instructor of youth in the Colony' and J.T.Bigge had to admit that the standard of his school 'added one more to the many proofs that have been exhibited of Halloran's skill in the art of instruction' although he deplored the employment of a convicted forger. In 1822 Halloran's family came out to Sydney but his wife died a year after the birth of their twelfth child. He married Elizabeth Turnbull, aged 17, in August 1824, who bore him several children. Halloran's obsessive sense of persecution and his penchant for writing libellous tracts kept him constantly involved in litigation and was primarily responsible for his pecuniary troubles. In order to escape the endless creditors he moved his school frequently but this did not prevent several spells in jail. In 1825 he proposed the establishment of a public grammar school under the patronage of the governor (then Brisbane) and managed by thirty trustees each of whom could nominate a pupil with a subscription of fifty pounds. A land grant and payments from the police fund were suggested as sources of income and the headmaster was to take twenty pupils on his own terms. Every three years the government was to send two outstanding graduates to Oxford or Cambridge after which they were to take holy orders before returning to the colony. In November 1825 the school opened in temporary quarters with Halloran as the headmaster and his eldest son as undermaster. It took only a month before the trustees found cause to reprimand Halloran for his litigious behaviour and within four months to investigate complaints of unseemly behaviour which had been made against the son. In October 1826 the trustees resolved to suspend the running of the school at the end of the year citing the need to use their limited funds to build a permanent structure but Halloran's imprisonment for debt in November must have persuaded the trustees to start afresh. He re-opened his private school in January 1827 and on the 5th April he published the first issue of the 'Gleaner'. The paper was not a success and Halloran's propensity for attracting libel suits against him along with his limited business knowledge caused it to be shut down on 29th September. In 1828, Governor Darling took pity on him and appointed him coroner for Sydney but had to dismiss him when he threatened to publish a defamation of Archdeacon Scott with whom he had fallen out. In 1830 Halloran tried his hand at drawing up memorials for persons with grievances. He died in Sydney on 8th March 1831. References: 'Australian Dictionary of Biography', Vol 1, p.506-7 (A.G.Austin). 'ANS Journal 1982', Sydney Grammar School Medal 1819-1824, by L.Carlisle, p.2-10. 'Silver Medals, Badges and Trophies from Schools in the British Isles 1550-1850' by M.E.Grimshaw.



706*

Wesleyan Sunday School, Parramatta, 1825, engraved on the reverse of a three shillings token (1812-1815) (35mm) 'Wesleyan / Sunday School / Parramatta / 1825', housed on an old card on which is written on the front 'This Silver Medal was struck to commemorate the opening in 1825 of the First Sunday School in Australia which was founded in Parramatta, then the Capital of Australia by the followers of John Wesley under the leadership of the Revd Samuel Leigh - the first Wesleyan Minister in Australia, signed M.Hyman 11.11.1841', and on the back 'This medal was recovered from the building on its demolition. M.H.' A rare and early historical medal of Australia utilising a 'coin' of the time as a necessity. Unpublished and probably unique. *Holed, otherwise very fine.*

\$2,500

Ex W.J. Noble Collection and Spink Australia Sale 24 (lot 1019).

This 'medal' may have been laid in the foundation stone. Leigh Samuel (1785-1852) established the first Methodist Church circuit in Australia for which he travelled 150 miles every three weeks. He was appointed superintendent at Parramatta about 1825. His memory is honoured by the Leigh Memorial Centenary Church, Parramatta. 'The Queenslander' in 1895 serialised 'The Numismatic History of Australia', by Walter E.Roth, in chapter IV he states 'There is still in existence a Bank of England three shillings token rubbed smooth on one side, upon which there has been subsequently engraved 'Wesleyan Sunday School, Parramatta, 1825'. See Parramatta Sunday School medal, 1821, by same engraver - Noble Numismatics Pty Ltd Sale 64A (lot 930)

707

The seal of the Archdeacon of Van Diemen's Land, 1836-1841, silver set in brass (33mm x 26mm) with an elaborate finely turned wooden handle, central Royal Coat of Arms - The Archbishop of Van Diemens Land. *Good vey fine and very rare.*

\$750

Ex Philip Kennedy Collection 1973 (lot M126).

William Hutchins (1791-1841) first and only Archdeacon of Van Diemen's Land. He died in office just before the Colony made a See with the appointment of a Bishop on 21st August 1842. In March 1836 Van Diemen's Land was created an Archdeaconry. Together with newspaper clipping 'Sydney Morning Herald' 13.3.1934, plus copy of a letter, also wax impressions from the seal.



708*

Saint James Grammar School, Sydney, 1841, handcrafted medal in silver (57mm), silver disc within a heavy ornamental frame with decorative suspension mount, engraved on obverse 'Saint James's / Grammar School / Elizabeth Street / Sydney.', and on reverse 'The Prize / Diligence / Awarded to / William Unsworth / Christmas A.D. 1841'. *Extremely fine and extremely rare.*

\$1,250



709*

Australian Floral & Horticultural Society, 1841, handcrafted medal in silver (48mm), two convex silver discs within an ornamental frame with a decorative suspension mount, engraved on obverse 'Australian / Floral & Horticultural / Society' and on reverse 'February Show / 1841 / Presented to / Robert Rennie / for the best / Potatoes'. *Extremely fine and very rare.*

\$1,000

Ex Ray Jewell Collection 1965.



710*

Port Phillip Academical Institution, 1844, handcrafted prize medal in silver (37mm), engraved on obverse 'Port Phillip Academical Institution / Established / Aug. 1st / 1844', and on reverse, '2nd Prize Geography / for 1/2 year / Ending 31st / Decr 1844 / Mastr W. Williamson'; together with, medalet in white metal (27mm), obverse, view of Bruce Castle, reverse, All is the Gift of Industry around, and inscribed within tablet 'W. Williamson'. First medal housed in a small circular wooden box. *Extremely fine.* (2)

\$4,750

The handcrafted medal to W.R. Williamson is the earliest surviving numismatic production of the Port Phillip district by at least five or more years. Almost certainly made by lathe tooling an English crown flat and adding two peripheral ornamental grooves. For further research on this important medal see 'A Pioneer Piece of Port Phillip' by Dr J.M. Chapman in the *Australian Numismatist*, 1994, pages 3-12.



711*

Snuff box, in sterling silver, hallmarked, engraved on lid 'To Owsley Cockburn Esq / by the Inhabitants of / Melbourne, Pt Phillip / for his Bravery and Humane Exertions in aiding / the suffering survivors from the / Awful Wreck (by night) of the Emigrant Ship / 'CATARAQUI' / on Kings Island Aug 4th 1845 / when out of 423 persons but 9 were saved'. Note: the inscription on the snuff box as to the number of deaths does not tally with the true number. *Extremely fine.*

\$15,000

Owlsley Cockburn, grandson of Archibald Cockburn of Cockpen, Baron of the Exchequer and nephew of Lord Cockburn the Scottish Law Lord. He and his brothers were squatters between 1839-1850 (Paul De Serville 'Port Phillip Gentlemen'). This snuff box is mentioned in 'Chronicles of Early Melbourne', 1888, by Edmund Finn, 'Garryowen', page 587; 'Nineteenth Century Australia', by Hawkins, J.B., Vol 1 Silver, page 184. The wreck of the ship 'Cataraqui' on the south west shore of King Island, on 4th August 1845 with a loss of 399 lives which included 369 immigrants was and still is Australia's greatest loss of civilian lives. The 'Cataraqui' was the last vessel to be chartered by the Immigration Commissioners under the bounty system. She left England in April 1845 bound for Australia. After fourteen weeks at sea, heavy weather struck. Captain Finlay had not been able to accurately plot his position, in fact he was about sixty miles off course. This had the 'Cataraqui' heading straight for King Island and disaster. When she struck many of the passengers including women and children were confined below decks and were drowned in their quarters, about two hundred others clung to the ship which was being hit by massive waves. During the evening the vessel broke in two and with this happening taking many lives. Finally, when the remainder of the 'Cataraqui' broke into pieces there was only nine survivors who managed to get ashore on King Island. The survivors were found and cared for by a party of sealers for four weeks until 7th September when a cutter 'Midge' was signalled as she approached the island and took aboard the survivors, taking them to Melbourne. Excerpt from 'The Chronicles of Early Melbourne', 1888, by Edmund Finn, 'Garryowen', pages 586-587 '...That this meeting considers that Messrs. Fletcher and Cockburn deserve a token of public approbation for the prompt and humane manner in which, at great risk, they brought of the survivors from the place of wreck...' 'gratuity to two seamen belonging to the 'Midge'; silver snuff-boxes with suitable inscription, to Messrs. Fletcher and Cockburn, owners of the 'Midge' each of the value of five guineas'. The Government some time after caused to be erected on the spot a tablet thus inscribed 'Memorial / Of the total wreck of the Immigrant ship / 'CATARAQUI' / From Liverpool to Port Phillip / C.W.Finlay, Master / On these reefs / 4th August 1845. 'Of four hundred and eight souls on board, but nine survived - The Chief Mate, Thomas Guthrie, seven sailors, and one emigrant, Solomon Brown. This memorial records and deplores the loss of the Master, C.W.Finlay; Surgeon-Superintendent, C. Carpenter; Assistant Surgeon, Edward Carpenter, and twenty seven officers and men of the ship's company. Of sixty two emigrant families, comprising three hundred and thirteen souls; of unmarried female emigrants, thirty three; of unmarried male emigrants, twenty three; in all, three hundred and ninety nine souls. This tablet is erected at the expense of the local Government of Port Phillip'.



712*

Round box, in silver (dia 70mm, ht 60mm) with a Loyal Foley Lodge medal surrounded by a star shape for the lid, hallmark Sheffield 1847, maker I.S. (Isaac Simmons), inscribed on the underside of the lid 'Presented to / Geo Woodcock Esq. / by the / Brothers of the Loyal Foley Lodge / Eardisley / of the I.O.F.M.U. in token of his many / and valuable services to the cause of / Oddfellowship / Jany 1849', base of box 'Wendt' with crown and lion (his early form of mark). *Extremely fine*.

\$500

Rev.W.J.Woodcock, Palmer Place, North Adelaide (Christ Church), Governor Church of England Collegiate School of St Peters, Adelaide. Member (Secretary) of the Standing Committee of Diocesan Assembly Adelaide. Jochim Matthias Wendt (1830-1917) born in Denmark, apprenticed to a watchmaker and silversmith, emigrated to South Australia in 1854. He opened his first shop in Pirie Street, Adelaide. Wendt took first prize in 1865 in the New Zealand Exhibition in Dunedin. He made medals and presentation pieces for the Duke of Edinburgh's visit in 1867-68 (Royal Warrant).



713*

Gardeners' and Amateurs' Horticultural Society, (Tasmania), 1848, handcrafted medal in silver (44.5mm), silver disc with ornate surround and loop mount, inscribed on obverse 'Gardeners' and Amateurs' Horticultural Society / Prize / for / Wine / 1848', and on reverse 'Presented / to / F.G.Tabart Esqre. / Fonthill'. *Extremely fine and extremely rare*.

\$1,000

Ex Noble Numismatics Sale 64A (lot 932).

Lieutenant Francis G Tabart arrived from Andover, England with his family in Hobart Town in 1830 on the ship 'Mary'. In 1831 he was granted 2,560 acres of land at Rushy Lagoon, Eastern Marshes and in 1834 named the property 'Fonthill'. In 1838 he was given an additional grant of 1,130 acres. He died aged 68 years in 1856.



714*

Thorn Hill Ploughing Match, (Tasmania), 1849, in silver (65mm, 77.8gms) including ornate laurel wreath surround, composite silver medal comprising silver disc (51mm) with central overlay of a silver plough surrounded by a laurel wreath overlay, almost certainly by Charles Jones of Liverpool St, Hobart, inscribed on reverse 'Thorn Hill Ploughing Match 1849 / 1st Prize / presented by / Mr Richd Crocker / to / George Woolley'. The earliest agricultural medal recorded in Tasmania. *Good very fine and rare if not unique.*

\$5,000

Ex Noble Numismatics Sale 52 (lot 690).

Charles Jones was a convict silversmith employed by David Barclay in Hobart in the 1830s. By 1840 Jones was in business on his own account in Liverpool Street, Hobart, until 1857. This is only the second medal so far attributed to him. This spectacular medal originally came to light as a result of the publicity surrounding the sale of the medal by Charles Jones in our July 1996, Sale 51 (lot 974).

715

Government of Tasmania, 1850-1860, seal die in steel (29mm x 25mm), oval design with Coat of Arms. *Very fine.*

\$120

Ex Spink Australia Sale 31 (lot 1373).

THE VICTORIAN SEPARATION MEDAL 1850



716*

Separation of Victoria, 1850, in white metal (53mm), plain edge with milled rims, holed above crown as issued by A.Ronalds Engr (C.1850/1), obverse, a circle divided into quadrants, with heavily embossed sun at the centre. The mottoes of the symbolic quadrants designs are opposite them in a peripheral annulus, they read Maternal Affection-Adieu-How Sweet is Liberty-Separated But Still United, reverse, Commemorative / of the / Great Charter / of / Self Government / Granted to the / Colony / of / Victoria / Augst. 5th / 1850, surrounded by a wreath of British emblems, rose, thistle and shamrock, divided by a crown above. At the base in small script, A.Ronalds Engr. *Finest example known, extremely fine and extremely rare.*

\$22,500

Ex Ray Jewell Collection.

Alfred Ronalds (1802-1860) born in London, immigrated to Australia arriving in Williamstown, Victoria, February 1849 with his six children. He proceeded to Geelong and within a short time set up his business. Placing advertisements in the 'Geelong Advertiser' his first entry being 'Alfred Ronalds, Draughtsman, Engraver and Copper Plate Printer'. He brought with him from England the equipment he needed for this business venture. On the 11th November 1850 the vessel 'Lysander' brought news to the residents of Port Phillip that they had been granted separation from New South Wales. The Separation Act had been passed by British Parliament on 1st August and received Royal assent on the 5th August. From the 1st July 1851 the Port Phillip District was to become the separate Colony of Victoria. Ronalds was inspired by this news, he decided to produce a medal as an everlasting memento of the birth of this new Colony. It was purely a private commercial venture without official sponsorship. The simple but effective drop hammer process must have been used to strike the medals, as there was no coining press in Australia much less Geelong. The number struck is not known, however the great rarity of this piece would indicate it would have been minimal. This was Alfred Ronalds first and only medal production. The first medal struck in Australasia and is so rare with no recorded sale other than this piece being offered can be found in the last sixty two years. (Reference Article - 'Alfred Ronalds and his Victorian Separation medal' by Dr John M. Chapman in the Journal of Numismatic Association of Australia, Vol 9, pages 59-66).

J.C. THORNTHWAITES MEDAL FOR CAPTURING BUSHRANGERS



717*

Colony of New South Wales, medal for Capturing Bushrangers, (c1851), in silver (38mm), unawarded, obverse, Queen Victoria bust left, J.C.T. on truncation, Granted For Faithful and Distinguished Services, reverse, Colony of New South Wales and unofficial Coats of Arms. Obverse with die break. One of three known. *Good very fine and extremely rare.*

\$20,000

Ex Philip Kennedy Sale 1973 26 (lot M1).

The earliest die struck medal in New South Wales and J.C.Thornthwaite's first production.



718*

London International Exhibition, 1851, Exhibitors medal in bronze (45mm), impressed on edge 'Van Diemen's Land No.198' (BHM 2463, Eimer 1462). *Good extremely fine and rare.*

\$500

Ex Spink Australia Sale 8 (lot 124).



719*

Great Exhibition, Jurors' medal, 1851, in bronze (64mm) by W.Wyon/G.G.Adams, impressed around edge 'Presentation Jurors Medal of the Exhibition - Van Diemens Land'. *Contact marks in obverse and reverse fields, otherwise very fine.*

\$250



720*

Victoria Industrial Society, 1st Prize, in gold (26mm, 12.5gms) with loop mount at top, obverse, aborigine with spear standing between a kangaroo and an emu, reverse, 1st prize / Awarded / by the / Victoria Industrial Society. This is the only known specimen and the earliest struck gold medal for Victoria. *Fine and unique.*

\$3,000

Walter E Roth wrote a series of articles on the Numismatic history of Australia in the Queenslander in 1895, in chapter VI he states that this medal was described in the 'Berliner Munzblätter' Nos 110, 111 where the date ascribed to it is 1851. In the Government Estimates 1852 p.21 - Industrial Society, in aid of Award of Prizes by the Society £150.



721*

The Old Identities Association, Ballarat, 1851-1854, in silver (32.5mm) with silver suspender 'Ballarat' by C.A.Welch, Ballarat (Charles Andrew Welch, Jeweller, 23 Sturt Street, Ballarat), inscribed on reverse 'Arrived Aug / 53 / B.W.Wright'. *Very fine and extremely rare.*

\$3,500

Ex Spink Australia Sale 22 (lot 1571).

Ray Jewell knew of two other specimens, one in the Museum Victoria Collection, the other a specimen without the bar, in the Gold Museum at Sovereign Hill, Ballarat.



722*

Snuff box, in sterling silver, hallmarked Birmingham 1851, by Nathaniel Mills, engraved on lid 'Presented to / Mr R.C.Young., / Architect, on his leaving Gateshead / For Australia / by the Mayor, on behalf of his / Fellow Townsmen as a Mark / of their High Regard / Oct 13, 1852'. *Extremely fine and rare.*

\$1,000

L.C. WYON'S EXTREMELY RARE RIVER MURRAY MEDAL 1853



Lot 723

723*

New South Wales - South Australia - Victoria, River Murray Steam Navigation and Commerce, in bronze (77mm) struck in England by the Royal Mint (L.C.Wyon). *Extremely fine and extremely rare.*

\$35,000

Ex Philip Kennedy Collection 1973 (lot M8).

Three gold medals were struck one for each of the following, Captain Francis Cadell, the Governor Sir Henry Fox Young and one to be held with records of the Legislature of South Australia. None of these gold medals seem to have survived. Less than six of the original bronze medals have been recorded.



724*

New South Wales - South Australia - Victoria, River Murray Steam Navigation and Commerce, in bronze, 1853, (77mm) (restrike) (C.1853/1 variant). When the Murray Navigation gold medal was stolen from the Art Gallery of South Australia in 1914, the badly rusted original dies were used by Stokes to produce restrikes (c1920). They are easily identified by the extensive die damage and a thinner, lighter flan (135gms) as compared to (255gms) for the original strikings. *Very fine.*

\$650

Ex Spink Australia Sale 5 (lot 137).



725*

Cessation of Transportation, 1853, in bronze (58mm) (C.1853/2). *Nearly uncirculated and very rare.*

\$1,500



726*

Cessation of Transportation, in white metal (58mm) by the Royal Mint London (C.1853/2). *Extremely fine.*

\$300

UNIVERSITY OF SYDNEY INAUGURAL GOLD MEDAL



727*

University of Sydney, 1853, hand engraved medal in **gold** (92.18gms, 64.5mm), presented to Fitzwilliam Wentworth, obverse, central floral spray within decorative border, around, inscription in latin 'Universita Sidneien Virtutem Doctrina Paret', engraved on reverse inscription in latin which translates as 'the Principal, Vice-Principal and Fellows of the University, all concurring and present in the Month of March in the year 1853, gave as a gift and sign of their goodwill and encouragement to work, a medal struck in gold to Fitzwilliam Wentworth, student of the youthful University of Sydney, outstanding for his interest in both sides of scholarship on his departure to Cambridge'. An interesting early and historical medal of the University of Sydney being the first medal awarded by Australia's first University. Flan fitted with a gold ring and pierced for suspension. *Nearly extremely fine and extremely rare.*

\$12,000

Ex Spink Australia Sale 23 (lot 957).

Fitzwilliam Wentworth, son of W.C.Wentworth was one of the first matriculants of the University of Sydney which was founded by an Act in 1850. His name appears in the first register of lecture fees dated 14th October 1852. The first lectures were given in 1853. The Wentworth Medal was first awarded in 1854 and involved two hundred pounds for best English essay (won by Mr Wyndeyer). The first graduates came out in 1856.

728

Wax seal of the University of Melbourne, 1853 (95mm) with attached blue ribbon, in original Japanned circular tin box. *Seal with cracks, however all intact, very fine.*

\$200



729*

Named pass, in silver (16.2mm), fabricated from an English groat, reverse side smoothed and engraved with central star/ray ornament and 'R.Lewis / Hobart Town', holed for suspension. *Very fine and rare.*

\$250

Richard Lewis (1789-1867). In 1823 he was one of the foundation proprietors of the Bank of Van Diemen's Land. He had extensive business interests in Hobart and was a shareholder in Pioneer Victorian Railways.



730*

Port Phillip Farmers Society, 1854, in silver (51mm) by Arnoldi, inscribed on reverse 'Horse Hay Rake / First Prize / to / Mr Joseph Nicholson / 1854'. With original case of issue. *Extremely fine.*

\$1,000

First year of issue 1854.



731*

Port Phillip Farmers Society, 1854, in silver (38mm) obverse by Arnoldi, inscribed on reverse 'Wheat / Second Prize / to / Mr Peter McCracken / 1854'. With original case of issue. *Two minor edge bruises, otherwise good very fine.*

\$600

First year of issue 1854.

732

Melbourne Exhibition, Victoria, 1854, in bronze (64mm) by (J.S.Wyon) edge impressed 'Prize Medal, 517, Livezey & Alexander, Daguerreotype Portraits' (C.1854/2). *Good very fine.*

\$500

Ex Ray Jewell Collection.



733*

Melbourne Exhibition, Victoria, 1854, in bronze (64mm) by (J.S.Wyon) edge impressed 'Prize Medal 239 E Gilks, Lithography' (C.1854/2). With case of issue. *Good extremely fine*.

\$600

Ex Spink Australia Sale 2B (lot 487).



734*

Melbourne Exhibition, Victoria, 1854, in bronze (38mm) design by W.Brown, dies by W.Barclay struck by Reginald Scaife (C.1854/3). Note a substantially different obverse die has been used (orientation of top flag). *Good extremely fine and extremely rare in bronze*.

\$400

Ex Philip Kennedy Collection 1973 (lot M10)



735*

Melbourne Exhibition, Victoria, 1854, in tin (38mm) design by W.Brown, dies by W.Barclay, struck by Reginald Scaife from Ovens River tin (C.1854/3). *Uncirculated*.

\$200

736

Melbourne Exhibition, Victoria, 1854, in tin (38mm), design W.Brown, dies by W.Barclay, struck by Reginald Scaife from Ovens River tin (C.1854/3). *Extremely fine*.

\$120



737*

Taylor, W.J., Melbourne halfpenny, undated, United States mule (A.575). *Minor contact marks otherwise proof-like good extremely fine and rare.*

\$3,000

Ex K. Frost Collection, Stern Sale Nov. 1976 (lot 606).



738*

Products of New South Wales, Sydney, 1854-55, Exhibition medal in silver (73mm) by L.C.Wyon. In case of issue. *Edge bruise on obverse rim at 3 o'clock, lightly polished, extremely fine and very rare.*

\$4,000

Ex Spink Australia Sale 19 (lot 1271).



739*

Products of New South Wales, Sydney, 1854, Exhibition medal in bronze (73mm) by L.C.Wyon. *Good extremely fine.*

\$1,500

Ex Philip Kennedy Collection 1973 (lot M9).



740*

Products of New South Wales, Sydney, 1854, Exhibition medal in white metal (73mm) by L.C.Wyon. This is the only recorded example in white metal and therefore unique in this metal. *Extremely fine and very rare.*

\$1,500

Ex Spink Australia Sale 3 (lot 103).



741*

Russia, Imperial Court Presentation Jewel (48.43mm x 63.45mm) with brooch mount, comprising a central amethyst surrounded by a cluster of diamonds, within a gold oval ring with green enameled facings top and at both sides, a double headed Imperial eagle holding sceptre and orb in gold at base. In red case of issue with silver plaque affixed to lid inscribed 'Presented by / His Imperial Majesty / the Emperor of all the / Russias / To / D.J.Williams, Esq M.D. / Surgeon to H.I.M.Yacht / 'Queen Victoria'. A highly important piece presented by Czar Nicholas I of Russia to Dr D.J.Williams of Eureka fame. *Extremely fine and extremely rare.*

\$50,000

Provenance - The current owner acquired this piece in the late 1950s from a direct descendant of Dr D.J.Williams.

David John Williams (1819-1902) Born in Glamorganshire, Wales, in 1819, he studied medicine in England and Scotland, graduating M.R.C.S. Eng., 1841; L.S.A. Lond., 1845; M.D. St Andrews, 1848; F.R.C.S. Eng., 1861. In 1844 he sailed aboard the 'Templar' as Surgeon-Superintendent arriving in Sydney in August of that year. On his return to England he served in Russia as part of the English Medical Service. He was appointed personal medical officer to Czar Nicholas I and spent the summer sailing with the Czar aboard his yacht 'Queen Victoria', and the winter serving in hospitals in St Petersburg. On leaving Russia Dr Williams was presented with the Order of St Anne by Czar Nicholas. Arriving in Melbourne aboard the 'Bride' in May 1853 Williams was transferred to Ballarat as District Surgeon, whilst there he conducted the inquest into the death of James Scobie on 7 October 1854 and, later that of Henry Powell on 9 December 1854 (who was wounded during the Eureka rebellion). As Camp Doctor Dr. Williams attended to the wounded from the Eureka rebellion. Dr Williams remained in Ballarat as coroner when the position of District Surgeon was abolished. He resigned in March 1855, visited England and on his return settled in Queenscliff serving first as Assistant Health Officer at the Heads in 1858, then as Health Officer in 1867. Whilst in Queenscliff he took an active part in civic and church affairs, being elected to the Council and becoming the first Mayor of the Borough of Queenscliff in 1863. Williams died in 1902 and was buried in Queenscliff. St George's Church vestry erected a rear window as a memorial to Dr Williams in recognition of his long and invaluable contribution to the church. (References: 'Goldrush Doctors at Ballarat' by Keith Macrae Bowden, Mulgrave, 1977; 'Great News Stories of Queenscliff').



742*

Sydney Branch of the Royal Mint, established 1855, Queen Victoria Medal, in **gold** (41mm, 62gms) by L.C.Wyon (C.V/7). *Obverse with contact marks and edge bruise at 10 o'clock, otherwise good very fine and extremely rare.*

\$5,000

Ex Spink Australia Sale 1 (lot 434).

The Sydney Mint was opened in 1855 as the first Australian colonial branch of the Royal Mint. The reverse die continued to be used on special occasions until the close of the Mint in 1926. The Queen Victoria Medal may have been struck on special occasions other than to commemorate the establishment of the Mint.

743

Sydney Branch of the Royal Mint, established 1855, Queen Victoria Medal, in silver (41mm) by L.C.Wyon (C.V/7). *Nearly extremely fine.*

\$1,500



744*

Sydney Branch of the Royal Mint, established 1855, Queen Victoria Medal, in bronze (41mm) by L.C.Wyon (C.V/7). *FDC.*

\$1,000



745*

Queen Victoria, c1880, uniface medal in silver (45mm) by L.C.Wyon. Same obverse portrait punch as Sydney Mint medal (C.V/7). *Extremely fine.*

\$450

Ex Spink Australia Sale 3 (lot 105) and Sale 34 (lot 539).



746*

Presentation trowel, in silver with black handle, (length 345mm), engraved on face of blade 'Presented / together with a / Purse of Gold / to / Mr Edward Shield / by a few friends / on his leaving / Cromlington Colliery / Northumberland / For / Hobart Town, Tasmania / Oct 2nd 1856'. *Very fine.*

\$300



747*

Geelong and Western District Agricultural Horticultural Society, 1856, in silver (33mm) by W.H.Marriott, inscribed on reverse 'March 1856 / 1st Prize / to / J.Martyn Esq. / for / Baking Apples'. *Good very fine and extremely rare, the finest known.*

\$1,250

Ex Spink Australia Sale 33 (lot 2536).



748*

Geelong and Western District Agricultural and Horticultural Society, 1857, in silver (35mm) by Pinches, London, inscribed on reverse '1st / Prize / for / Mr W.W.Miles / for Peas / Sepr 1857'. *Good extremely fine.*

\$400

749

Geelong and Western District Agricultural and Horticultural Society, 1857, in silver (35mm) by Pinches, London, inscribed on reverse '2nd / Prize / C.N.Thorne Esq. / for Gladiolas / Sepytr 1857'. *Good extremely fine.*

\$400



750*

Coppin's Balloon medal, 1858, in white metal (38mm) (C.1858/1). *Good fine and extremely rare, one of possibly four known.*

\$1,000

George Coppin, comic actor and entrepreneur (1819-1906). Born April 1819 in Sussex, England. In 1842 Coppin left England and arrived in Sydney 1843. A hurried trip to England in search of new talent Coppin was back in February 1858 to stage the first balloon ascent to be held in Australia in 1858. Coppin was persuaded to contest the Richmond seat for the Legislative Assembly, he was defeated, however he succeeded five years later. In 1874-77 and 1883-88 he was a member for East Melbourne in the Assembly and in 1889-95 he represented Melbourne in the Legislative Council.



751*

Victoria Industrial Society, in silver, set in heavy cast wreath surround (31/52mm), inscribed on reverse 'Awarded / to / J.S.Mackennal / for origin of / Corinthian / Capital / February / 1858'. *Good extremely fine.*

\$600

John Mackennal was a partner in Mackennal and Scurry, producers of Architectural Mouldings and Sculptures, John Mackennal and the father of Sir Bertram Mackennal.

752

Port Phillip Farmers Society, 1858, in silver (51mm) by Arnoldi, inscribed on reverse 'Four Horse Waggon / First Prize / Awarded to / Mr Joseph Nicholson / Annual Exhibition / 1858'. *Extremely fine.*

\$1,000

THE JOHN PASCOE FAWKNER AWARD MEDALS



Lot 753

753*

Victoria Agricultural Society, 1858, three handcrafted medals in silver (56mm), double convex discs in a decorative ring frame with swivel ring suspension, engraved on obverse, fantasy Australian Coat of Arms between a cast beehive and wheat sheaf, below, an engraved plough over 'Speed The Plough', first medal inscribed on reverse 'Extra prize / Victoria Agricultural Society' and 'Oats / Awarded to / Jas.Bryden / April 21st / 1858' within handworked wreath; the second medal inscribed on reverse 'First Prize / Victoria Agricultural Society' and 'Early Potatoes / Awarded to / Robt.Laidlaw / April 21st / 1858'; the third medal inscribed on reverse 'First Prize / Victoria Agricultural Society' and 'Cape / Barley / Awarded to / Mr Bostock / April 21st / 1858'. One other example of this medal type, dated 1862, is known to exist, in a private collection. *Good very fine and extremely rare.* (3)

\$10,000

Provenance - These three medals originally hung on a wall in the home of John Pascoe Fawkner and are believed to have been awarded to workers, tenant farmers or friends of Fawkner's. Passed down to legacies of Fawkner, they remained in the family until being purchased by the current owner at Christies Sale in August 1998 (lot 409). The first agricultural society, the Pastoral and Agricultural Society of Australia Felix was formed in 1840. From this other agricultural societies were formed including the Victoria Agricultural Society, in Heidelberg, in 1850.



754*

Victoria Agricultural Society, 1858, handcrafted uniface medal in silver (38mm), engraved on obverse 'Extra Prize / Victoria Agricultural Society' and 'Black / Millet / Awarded to / Mr R.W.Appleton / April 21st / 1858' within handworked wreath. *Good very fine.*

\$750

Ex Ray Jewell Collection.



755*

Cigar case, in sterling silver, hallmarked Birmingham, 1855/56, maker A.T., engraved on case 'From / Hugh Glass Esq / to / Saml. H. Bindon / in / remembrance / of / Professional exertions / Melbourne / 1858'. *Good very fine.*

\$750

Hugh Glass (1817-1871) speculator, squatter and merchant in Victoria. Samuel Henry Bindon (1812-1879) Legislative Assembly for Castlemaine 1864, appointed Minister of Justice, Melbourne 1866, in 1869, Chairman of General Sessions, District Judge for Bairnsdale, Palmerston, Sale & Walhalla, in 1874 His Honour Judge County Courts, Gippsland and District.

THE ADMELLA MEDAL



756*

The wreck of the Steamship 'Admella', 1859, in silver (51mm) by DeGruchy and Leigh (Sydney), De G & L on truncation to ground, obverse, a scene of the wreck with 'Hope to last' on a ribbon, divided by an anchor, legend around rim 'The Admella Steamer wrecked on her passage from Adelaide to Melbourne off Cape Northumberland (6 Aug, 1859)', reverse, a corded border outside a wreath enclosing, at top of the All-seeing eye, legend in field 'Awarded to 'John F. Johnstone' by the Victoria Colonists for Heroic Exertion in Saving Life (under Divine Providence) from the wreck of the Admella'. *Good very fine and extremely rare, a classic Australian medal.*

\$10,000

Research discloses that this medal was struck at the Sydney Branch of the Royal Mint. The steamship 'Admella' of 500 tons was built in Glasgow in 1857. Taking her name from the first syllables of ADelaide, MELbourne and LAunceston, she commenced service between Adelaide and Melbourne in August 1858. The following account is reproduced from the S.A.N.J. July 1950 'The Steamship, 'Admella', left Port Adelaide on Friday, August 5, 1859, bound for Melbourne carrying 82 passengers and a crew of 31. Included in the cargo were four racehorses which were to take part in the first Melbourne Cup. The story of the tragic loss of the ship is one of epic heroism mixed with almost unbelievable ill-luck which dogged the rescue attempts. Late on Friday afternoon, due to a heavy swell, a mishap occurred to one of the horses, soon after the 'Admella' had passed Cape Willoughby and the ship was brought around so that the frightened animal could be quietened. The change in course apparently caused some confusion because of the lack of landmark and the subsequent misreading of the compass. Around about 4.30 on Saturday morning the ship ran onto Carpenter's Rocks, a sunken reef between Robe and Port MacDonnell. The tragic story from then on is of disappointments and failures in the rescue attempts. It is difficult to believe that, although only a mile from the shore and less than 24 hours steaming distance from Port Adelaide, it was a whole week before the survivors were taken off. By a series of mishaps, the ship's lifeboats were all lost and by Sunday morning more than half of those aboard had been washed off the sloping decks or thrown when the forepart of the ship broke up. Two of the crew managed to get ashore on a make-shift raft on Sunday afternoon and proceeded on foot to Cape Northumberland lighthouse some twenty-odd miles away. The keeper of the lighthouse, Captain Germein, was later to figure prominently in the rescue attempts. With their numbers diminishing daily and without food or water, the 56 who remained aboard on Sunday morning were to spend five more days of prolonged horror witnessing futile attempts to rescue them. It was not until Saturday, August 13, that the half demented remainder, only 22 including the captain and the sole woman survivor, were taken off. Of the fifteen children and thirty four women aboard, only one woman was saved. By an ironic twist of fate, the four racehorses were rescued and one of them actually took part in the Champion Stakes in October. Adam Lindsay Gordon's poem 'From the Wreck' is said to describe his own ride carrying the news of the 'Admella'. Because of this link a bound volume of the official report on the disaster was added to the Dingler Dell collection of Gordon's relics at Mount Gambier in 1989. Stirred by the tragic loss and the heroism of the rescuers, the Victorian Colonists were instrumental in having a medal struck in London for presentation. This was made at a special gathering in the Exhibition Building in Melbourne on June 28, 1860. A total of 3 gold and 33 silver medals were awarded. John F. Johnstone was a school teacher; he held a distress rocket in his bare hands in attempting to get a line to the wreck.



757*

Board of Trade Medal for Gallantry in Saving Life at Sea (VR), in bronze (48mm) inscribed around edge 'Chas. Patterson Wreck of 'Admella' near Cape Northumberland Aug 6th 1859'. An extremely rare award to a member of the Portland Lifeboat crew for one of the most famous rescue missions attempted on the Australian coast in the 19th century, in one of the country's greatest maritime tragedies. *Very fine*.

\$3,500

Ex Spink Australia Sale 26 (lot 1851).

The steamship 'Admella' of 500 tons, was built in Glasgow in 1857. Taking her name from the first syllables of ADelaide, MELbourne and LAunceston, she commenced service between Adelaide and Melbourne in August 1858. The Admella, with a ship's company of twenty eight, eighty one passengers, seven horses and general cargo, left Adelaide for Melbourne on Friday 5th August 1859. With a further three passengers and a fireman taken on at Semaphore, the complement now totalled one hundred and thirteen which included nineteen women and fifteen children. Despite a heavy swell and fog experienced off Kangaroo Island, it was expected that the ship would be off Cape Northumberland before daylight the following day. The Captain believed the ship to be many miles off shore, but shortly before 5 a.m. on Saturday 5th August she struck a submerged reef with the swell lifting her firmly onto the rocks. Orders were given to prepare the lifeboats, but within fifteen minutes the ships had broken into three sections sweeping a number of passengers and all the horses into the sea. Almost all the women and children were on the bow section with a number of other passengers clinging to the aft section. Distress rockets were fired, but to no avail. Daylight revealed a deserted coastline and a ship passing in the distance. Despite signals, this ship, 'Admella's sister ship 'Havilah', sailed on without seeing them. During the day a number of unsuccessful attempts were made to reach the shore just over a kilometre away but with tragic results. With no water and practically no food the survivors spent a hard night cold and continually drenched with spray. The sound of another ship, 'SS Bombay' passing close by without sighting them added to their misery. Next morning a number of passengers managed to cross by a rope from the fore to the aft section. Fifteen men made it across, although three men and two children were lost. No women made the attempt, remaining with their children and a few of the men. Within a few hours the bow section broke up and they were all lost. Eventually a raft manned by seamen managed to reach shore after a three hour battle in the rough seas. After regaining their strength, an all night journey through the scrub enabled them to reach the Cape Northumberland lighthouse and inform the head keeper of the disaster. The nearest post office was at Mount Gambier and contact was made with reports of the wreck being telegraphed to Adelaide and Melbourne. The nearest lifeboat was at Portland over three hundred kilometres away, but arrangements were made to transport a small boat from the lighthouse overland to the scene of the wreck. A salvaged boat from 'Admella' had also been repaired although rough seas prevented any rescue attempts being made. The pounding seas had by now forced the survivors to climb into the remaining rigging or cling to the side of the hull. Two fishermen from Robe and the 'SS Corio' from Adelaide had managed to reach the stricken vessel but were forced to lay off due to the sea state. Early on Thursday 11th August 'Corio' launched her pilot boat and although the seven men crew battled for almost an hour they were forced to return to the beach. The fifty or so remaining survivors on 'Admella' made an unsuccessful attempt to build and launch another raft. They also saw similar attempts from the beach fail. 'SS Corio' was forced to depart owing to lack of coal. As she left, 'SS Ladybird' appeared towing the Portland lifeboat and a whaler, whilst 'SS Ant' arrived from Robe. At 9 a.m. the following day, the lifeboat pulled for the wreck. Several attempts to attach light lines by rockets failed and as the lifeboat lost six oars and her rudder destroyed as huge seas swept over them the crew returned exhausted to the 'Ladybird'. Another attempt was prepared but abandoned due to the weather. The following morning the ocean had subsided somewhat and the calmer seas allowed the lifeboat to approach and secure a line to the wreck. The survivors managed to reach the lifeboat and transferred to 'Corio's pilot boats. Although capsizing in the surf, all made it ashore. The 'Admella' lifeboat rescued another man who, however, was lost when it also capsized in the surf. Meanwhile the Portland lifeboat now managed to secure to the 'Admella' and a further eighteen men and one woman were rescued. Thus a mere twenty four from the original one hundred and thirteen managed to survive. The rescue attempt had attracted fever pitch interest throughout the colonies and extra editions of newspapers reporting the rescue quickly sold out. Relief surged throughout the country when the survivors were safe. The seamen involved in the rescue were feted and treated as heroes. Relief funds were also established and special medals struck in commemoration. Many of the men who assisted at the rescue also received the Board of Trade bronze medal for 'Gallantry in Saving Life at Sea'.



758*

Ballarat West Fire Brigade, 1859, handcrafted medal in silver (36mm), silver disc within a heavy ring with beaded inner border, decorative suspension and brooch bars, crimson ribbon, engraved in centre of obverse, symbols of firefighting equipment including hose, helmet, ladder, lantern, grapnel, hammer, 'Ready Aye Ready' below, and 'Ballarat West Fire Brigade / Established 1859' around, and on reverse 'Presented / by / Matthew Campbell Esq. / Capt of the Brigade / to / James Allan / for his / Expertness as a / Volunteer Fireman'. *Good very fine and very rare in this style and period.*

\$1,000

Ex Spink Australia Sale 2B (lot 505).

759

Port Phillip Farmers Society, 1860, in silver gilt (51mm) obverse by Arnoldi, inscribed on reverse 'Sewing Machine / 1st Prize / Awarded to / Mr Walter Brown / Annual Exhibition 1860'. Only example recorded in silver gilt, with a very thick flan. *Edge knocks and contact marks in obverse field, otherwise very fine.*

\$750

Ex Ray Jewell Collection.

760

Port Phillip Farmers Society, 1860, in silver (38mm) obverse by Arnoldi, inscribed on reverse 'Common Rabbits / 1st Prize / awarded to / Master Denys Walton / Annual Exhibition 1860'. *Good very fine.*

\$500



761*

Ballarat Agricultural Society Exhibition, 1860, handcrafted medal in **gold** (14.3gms, 38mm), a plain gold disc, engraved on obverse 'Ballarat Agricultural Society, Exhibition Oct 1860', and on reverse Colonial Draught Entire Horse / 2nd Prize / Awarded to / Mr Thos. Bath'. *Nearly extremely fine and very rare.*

\$1,250

Thomas Bath (1825-1901) an important Ballarat pioneer. Founder of the Agricultural Society. He was involved in commercial development of Ballarat (Baths Hotel).



762*

Belle Vue Academy, 1860, handcrafted uniface medal in silver (55mm), silver disc within a frame of embossed grapevine motifs with engraved scroll bar, inscribed on obverse 'Belle Vue Academy / 1860 / Presented to / Alfred Blannin / for General Scholarship'. *Extremely fine*.

\$300

Alfred Blannin (1844-1889). Belle Vue Academy was a 'select Boarding School for Boys' run by Mr William Ross at Cowies Creek, near Geelong from January 1856. See lot 1355.



763*

Highland Society, Buninyong, 1860, handcrafted medal in silver (58mm), silver disc enclosed in a thin beaded ring frame with loop mount and ornamental brooch bar, obverse, central cast figure of a highlander in high relief with sword and shield, engraved around 'Highland Society Instituted 1857 / Lamh Na / Ceartais', engraved on reverse 'Buninyong / 1st Prize / Strathspeys & Reels / Dancing / Archibald Lamond / Decr.26th 1860'. *Extremely fine*.

\$2,000



764*

Scottish Society, Geelong, 1860, in silver (51mm) inscribed on reverse 'Light Stone / 1st Prize of / Cummun Na Feinne / to / ____ / Geelong Jany 2nd 1860'. Name appears to have been officially erased, extremely fine.

\$550

Ex Spink Australia Sale 5 (lot 167 part).

A meeting of former Scots started the Commun Na Feinne or Brotherhood of Fingalians in December 1856 and held their first open-air sports meeting on 1st January 1857. They were also very friendly with the Aborigines.



765*

Victorian Government Prize Essays, 1860, in silver (51mm), plain silver disc engraved both sides, on obverse 'Victorian Government Prize Essays 1860 / Second Prize / J.Brache Esqr', and on reverse 'Subject No.1 / Collection and Storage of / Water & C. / Royal Society of / Victoria / 1860'. Good very fine.

\$550

A prize of one hundred and twenty five pounds was awarded by the Victorian Government for the best essay on each of four subjects relating to the progress of Victoria. The Royal Society of Victoria organised the competition and published the winning entries.



766*

Geelong and Western District Agricultural and Horticultural Society, 1861, in silver (42mm) by Pinches, London, inscribed on reverse '1st / Prize / to / Mr Frank Fawcett / for / Entire Colt / Sept 1861'. *Good extremely fine.*

\$500



767*

Smeaton Spring Hill & Bullarook Agricultural Association, 1861, handcrafted medal in silver (45mm) by (J.T.Sleep, Goldsmith & Jeweller, Lydiard Street, Ballarat), silver disc enclosed in a deep stepped frame with ornamental swivel suspension and bar, obverse, with a high relief cast overlay of wheat sheaves and plough and engraved around 'Smeaton Spring Hill & Bullarook Agricultural Association / April 10th 1861', engraved on reverse 'Salt Butter / 1st prize / Awarded to / Mr John Allen / Bullarook'. *Extremely fine and rare.*

\$1,000

768

Burke & Wills, 1861, in white metal (38mm) by E.A. Sc T.S.M. at base (C.1861/1), obverse, Burke & Wills monument also with small countermarks, reverse, In Commemoration of Australia being Crossed / by / Burke / Wills / King / and / Gray / in / 1861. With case of issue. *Very fine.*

\$550

Ex Philip Kennedy Collection 1973 (lot M14).

769

Burke & Wills, 1861, in white metal (38mm) by E.A. Sc T.S.M. at base (C.1861/1 this piece). *Reverse with casting flaw, very fine.*

\$500

This specimen suggests that some pieces were cast rather than struck.

770

Burke & Wills, 1861, in bronze (42mm) by E.A. Sc T.S.M. at base (C.1861/1 variant). *Nearly very fine.*

\$750

This piece was made using rusted dies to produce uniface strikes of the obverse and reverse, then sweat them together (note dividing solder line). Careful measurements show that the design impression is slightly larger than the medal in white metal. This would confirm that the medals in white metal were cast as the metal would contract on cooling. E.A.Altmann had not established his business at that time and therefore had not press of his own.



771*

Ballaarat Cricket Club, 1862, handcrafted medal in silver (78mm star shape), a buckled garter imposed on a six pointed star with an early fire engine in high relief being the centre piece, a fireman's helmet and fire fighting implements in the triangular points of the star which is framed with a fine ornamental border, with loop mount and suspension bar, engraved on obverse 'We Strive to Serve', and on reverse 'Presented / to / S.Dempster / by the / Ballaarat Cricket Club / as / Winner / of the / Firemen's Race / 26 Decr 1862'. An interesting and important item of Australiana. *Extremely fine and very rare.*
\$6,500

Ex Spink Australia Sale 29 (lot 2120). The Ballaarat Cricket Club was founded in 1856. The oval was recognised as one of the finest in Australia. The 'All England' team usually played at Ballaarat including W.G.Grace in 1874. The Ballaarat Fire Brigade (located in Ballaarat East) was formed in 1856.



772*

Public Charities of Victoria, 1862, handcrafted uniface medal in silver (48mm), silver disc enclosed in a cast ornamental frame with a decorative bracket and suspension ring, engraved on obverse 'J.V.A.Bruce / to / W.G.Baillie / for / assisting to raise the Sum of / 3,000 / for the Public Charities of / Victoria / 1862', impressed on reverse in relief 'J T'. *Good very fine.*

\$1,000

John Vans Agnew Bruce (1822-1863) was born in Edinburgh and arrived in Victoria in 1854 where he tendered for road construction contracts. In 1857 a group of Gisborne residents petitioned him to stand for the Legislative Assembly seat of West Bourke but he was far too busy to enter politics. With W.C.Cornish he successfully contracted for the first 13 sections of the Melbourne-Murray River railway. The job was plagued with strikes (Bruce being a tough employer) so he imported 400 German masons to compete with local labour. In 1859 a select committee proved that Bruce was using inferior materials in an effort to maximise his profit out of the colonial government. The committee recommended that a closer watch be put on Bruce. He helped finance the Burke and Wills expedition and promoted Burke as the leader. Despite his merciless handling of labour he was to some degree philanthropic acting in 1863 as Chairman of the Irish Relief Committee. On completion of the railway contract he returned to Melbourne but died after an attack of apoplexy on 5 April 1863 aged 41.

NSW PRIZE EXHIBITORS MEDAL IN GOLD 1862



773*

New South Wales Prize Exhibitors medal, 1862 (London) in **gold** (76mm) struck in virtually pure gold (23.5ct) (12ozs / 365gms) by W.Kullrich, awarded as a special prize by the New South Wales Government for the best spun yarn from NSW grown wool to Joseph Craven of Dole Mill, Thornton, Yorkshire. Inscribed on edge 'Joseph Craven. Fabric'. Probably the largest Australian Award medal in gold. In original case. *Nearly FDC and only one other known.*

\$25,000

Ex Spink Australia Sale 3 (lot 106).

At the time of the award the French lodged a protest claiming that the Bradford entries of Craven could only have been made in France and had been smuggled across to England. To produce the medal to the specific requirements set down by the N.S.W. Government proved costly and difficult according to newspaper accounts. The cost came to over £200 just to make the medal. Together with original newspaper cuttings.



774*

New South Wales Prize Exhibitors medal, 1862 (London) in **silver** (76mm) by W.Kullrich, edge inscribed 'John Campbell Esq. Services' *Extremely fine.*

\$1,500



775*

New South Wales Prize Exhibitors medal, 1862 (London) in bronze (76mm) uninscribed. *Good extremely fine and rare in this metal.*

\$1,250



776*

International Exhibition, London, 1862, prize medal in bronze (77mm) edge impressed 'Victoria Government, Class I', (BHM 2747, Eimer 1553). Together with letter signed by Ray Jewell. *FDC.*

\$300



777*

International Exhibition, London, 1862, Products of Queensland, in bronze (64mm) by J.S. & A.B.Wyon, edge impressed '106' (BHM 2748). *Nearly FDC.*

\$250



778*

Barrowclough, Melbourne penny, 1862 (A.28). *Extremely fine and rare in this condition.*

\$300

Ex Ray Jewell Collection and Strathburn Collection - Spink Australia Sale 29 (lot 2565).

779

Australasian Holy Catholic Guild of St Mary and St Joseph, 1863, in brass (55mm) with loop suspension (C.1863/1). *Good very fine and rare.*

\$350

Ex Philip Kennedy Collection 1973 (lot M244 part).



780*

Australasian Holy Catholic Guild of St Mary and St Joseph, 1863, in brass (55mm) with loop for suspension (C.1863/1). *Good very fine and rare.*

\$350

Ex Philip Kennedy Collection 1973 (lot M244 part).

781

Marriage of the Prince of Wales and the Princess of Denmark, 1863, in white metal (34mm) (C.1863/2). *Holed with suspension ring, very fine.*

\$150



782*

Marriage of the Prince of Wales and the Princess of Denmark, 1863, in silver (20mm), obverse, Prince of Wales plumes - The Prince of Wales and the Princess of Denmark, reverse, Commemorated in Victoria May 19, 1863, within wreath Married / March 10, another specimen, in silver (20mm), variant dies for both obverse and reverse, obverse, larger plumes, different spacing of legend, reverse, much larger wreath, different spacing of legend, stop after 10. *Both holed at top, very fine - good very fine and extremely rare pair of medalets, no record of public sale for the last forty years. (2)*

\$500

783

Geelong Scottish Society, 1864, in silver (51mm) inscribed on reverse 'Comunn Na Feinne / Educational Examination / Novr 1.2 & 3 1864 / 1st Prize for general proficiency / in Middle Class / Awarded to / Margaret Wallace'. *Extremely fine.*

\$550



784*

St Kilda Bowling Club (Victoria), handcrafted medal in silver with gold overlay (56mm), obverse, a bowler in gold, engraved below 'A Great Player', reverse, the Arms of St Kilda, and inscribed around 'Presented to the St Kilda Bowling Club for competition by Wm. Nimmo, Vice-President - gained by Geo. Freer'. *A superb and historical item of Australiana and probably unique, uncirculated.*

\$4,000

Ex Spink Australia Sale 22 (lot 1573).

The first game of bowls at the newly formed St Kilda Club took place in 1865 between two teams representing the President and Vice-President (Wm. Nimmo). See article on this medal in the Journal of the N.A.A. Vol 4, 1998, p12. Together with photocopies of letters from the St Kilda Bowling Club.



785*

Agricultural medal, c1865, in silver (45mm) by T.S(tokes), uninscribed and most likely a trial or pattern for a stock issue. *Good very fine and excessively rare, only one other known.*

\$550

Ex Noble Numismatics Pty Ltd Sale 51 (lot 979).



786*

Ballaarat District Exhibition, 1866, in silver (38mm) inscribed on reverse 'Awarded to / Mr W.H.Barnard'. *Gun metal grey toned, FDC and extremely rare, this is the only one known.*

\$1,500

Ex Philip Kennedy Collection 1973 (lot M45) and Spink Australia Sale 33 (lot 2495).



787*

Exhibition of Colonial Products, Brisbane, Queensland, 1866, bronze (64mm) by J.S.Wyon, edge impressed '379'. *Good extremely fine.*

\$500



788*

Seymour Agricultural Association, in silver (37.5mm), F & M in exergue, inscribed on reverse 'First Prize / Best Entire Draught Horse / Lothian Tom / D. & J. Ewart / Sept 1866'. *Extremely fine.*

\$350



789*

Life Saving Medal, 1866, in silver using a China War Medal 1857, with the reverse image of medal being skillfully removed by machining, then inscribed 'Presented / to / William Pullen / as a reward for bravery / in saving a fellow creature / from drowning in / Hobsons Bay / 22nd November / 1866'. *Possibly the earliest award medal for life saving in Victoria, very fine and unique.*

\$1,500

Ex Noble Numismatics Sale 47 (lot 961).



790*

B(endigo) T(urf) C(lub), Life Members pass, 1866, handcrafted fob in **gold** and silver (19.5mm), gold disc in a thin silver frame with loop mount, engraved on obverse 'B T C / Life Member', and on reverse 'James Cotter / 1866'. *Very fine and rare.*

\$400

Ex Spink Australia Sale 25 (lot 1913).



791*

Intercolonial Exhibition, Victoria, 1866-67, in bronze (220mm) uniface electrotype, awarded to 'Allan & Baldry' (Wangaratta Flour Millers) impressed in relief. Mounted in a wooden frame (glazed). *Good extremely fine.*

\$1,750



792*

Melbourne Regatta, 1867, medal in silver (44.5mm) by W.J.Taylor, inscribed on reverse 'Melbourne Regatta / 1867 / Challenge / Four Oared Race / H.Saddler / (Bow)'. *Edge knocks on obverse, otherwise good extremely fine.*

\$350



793*

France, Exposition Universelle, Paris, 1867, participation medal in silver (50.5mm) impressed in relief in centre of reverse 'Commission Du Queensland'. *Toned, FDC.*

\$500

Ex Philip Kennedy Collection 1973 (lot M46).



794*

France, Exposition Universelle, Paris, 1867, in bronze (68mm) impressed in relief 'M.C.O'Connell'. *FDC*.

\$500

Ex Philip Kennedy Collection 1973 (lot M46).

Maurice Charles O'Connell was the grandson of Governor William Bligh, President of the Queensland Legislative Council until 1879. He was knighted in 1868 when as Administrator of the Government he was host to the Duke of Edinburgh on his visit to Brisbane, 25 February 1868. Together with newspaper clipping references, Sydney Morning Herald July 1831, September 1935, also business card Dr John A Kennedy.



795*

France, Paris Universal Exhibition, 1867, in bronze (39mm) by L.C.Wyon, impressed in relief on reverse 'Products / of New South Wales / Sydney'. *Extremely fine*.

\$300

796

H.R.H. Duke of Edinburgh, Visit to Australia, 1867, in white metal (47mm) by T.Stokes, Melbourne (C.1867/2). Pierced, with original blue ribbon attached. *Good extremely fine*.

\$200



797*

H.R.H. Duke of Edinburgh, Visit to Australia, 1867, in white metal (47mm) by T.Stokes, Melbourne (C.1867/1). *Holed at top, scratches in obverse field, otherwise good very fine and rare*.

\$350

Ex Spink Australia Sale 34 (lot 540 part).



798*

H.R.H. Duke of Edinburgh, Visit to Australia, 1867, in white metal (plated)(47mm) by T.Stokes (C.1867/2 variant) on a thicker flan and (4gms) heavier than the normal flan. This piece is the only unholed specimen in a private collection (a similar specimen is in the Museum Victoria collection). *Good very fine and rare.*

\$500

Ex Spink Australia Sale 34 (lot 540 part).



799*

Duke of Edinburgh Visit, (1867), uniface trial in lead (55mm) of a pattern obverse die by Thomas Stokes. This die failed and exhibits a full horizontal die crack. *Good very fine and excessively rare, one of 3 or possibly 4 specimens known.*

\$650



800*

H.R.H. Duke of Edinburgh, Visit to Melbourne, 28 Nov 1867, in **gold** (23mm, 7.5gms) laying the foundation stone at Melbourne Town Hall, by T.Stokes, Melbourne, with loop mount (C.1867/3). *Good fine and rare.*

\$1,000

Ex Spink Australia Sale 2B (lot 475).

801

H.R.H. Duke of Edinburgh, Visit to Melbourne, 28 Nov 1867, in **gold** (23mm, 7.5gms) laying the foundation stone at Melbourne Town Hall, by T.Stokes, with loop mount (C.1867/3), inscribed around edge '??? Lawrence Contra ???'. *Very good and rare.*

\$880

This piece was given to contractor Lawrence.



802*

South Australian Agricultural & Horticultural Society, 1867, in gold (33.5mm, 28.5gms) by (J.M.Wendt), presented by H.R.H. Duke of Edinburgh (C.1867/4), inscribed around edge 'Robt Smith / Draught Entire / Victor'. With case of issue inscribed inside 'Designed and Manufactured / by / J.M.Wendt, / Adelaide'. *Nearly FDC and very rare.*

\$5,000

Ex G.Morton Adelaide.



803*

South Australian Agricultural & Horticultural Society, 1867, in silver (33.5mm) by (J.M.Wendt), presented by H.R.H. Duke of Edinburgh (C.1867/4), inscribed around edge 'J.Primrose - Malt'. *Edge knock on obverse, otherwise good very fine and rare.*

\$1,500



804*

South Australian Agricultural & Horticultural Society, 1867, in bronze (34.5mm) by (J.M.Wendt), Adelaide, presented by the Duke of Edinburgh (C.1867/4) uninscribed. *Uncirculated and rare in this condition.*

\$1,000



805*

South Australian Agricultural & Horticultural Society, 1867, in white metal (33.5mm) by (J.M.Wendt) presented by the Duke of Edinburgh (C.1867/4) uninscribed. *Good extremely fine and rare.*

\$750

806

H.R.H. Duke of Edinburgh, Visit to Australia, 1867-8, in white metal (47mm) by T.Stokes (c.f. C.1867-8/1 but maker's name in exergue). *Good very fine and rare.*

\$250

Ex Spink Australia Sale 33 (lot 2389).



807*

H.R.H. Duke of Edinburgh, Visit to Tasmania, 1868, in white metal (47mm) by T.Stokes, Melbourne (C.1868/1). *Holed at top, good extremely fine.*

\$250



808*

Horticultural Society, New South Wales, 1868, in silver (62mm) by Thornthwaite, Sydney, inscribed on reverse 'Mr E.W.Lang / For / Preserved Fresh Meat' (C.1868/4). *Nearly extremely fine and very rare.*

\$1,500

This medal was struck at the Sydney Mint (52 silver medals were presented).

809

Horticultural Society, New South Wales, 1868, presentation medal in bronze (62mm) on a thick flan (7mm) by Thornthwaite, Sydney (C.1868/4), inscribed on reverse 'Mr Spencer / For / Models / of Morgans / Patent Floats'. *Edge knocks, otherwise very fine and rare.*

\$750



810*

Castlemaine Agricultural & Horticultural Society, 1868, handcrafted medal in silver (57mm), plain silver disc with an ornate floral design surround and swivel suspension from a scroll clasp, obverse, a central overlay of a cast silver bunch of grapes and leaves, inscribed around 'Agricultural & Horticultural Society Castlemaine', inscribed on reverse 'Best Colonial Red Wine / 1st Prize / Awarded / to / Mr Thos Meredith / Vintage 1868'. *Extremely fine and rare.*

\$600



811*

Castlemaine Agricultural & Horticultural Society, 1868, handcrafted medal in silver (56.5mm), plain silver disc with an ornate floral design surround and swivel suspension from a scroll clasp, obverse, a central overlay of a cast silver bunch of grapes and leaves, inscribed around 'Agricultural & Horticultural Society Castlemaine', inscribed on reverse 'Best Colonial White Wine / Presented / by / J.W.Lyon / to / Mr Thos Meredith / 1st Prize / Vintage 1868'. *Extremely fine and rare.*

\$600



812*

Bank Street School, Emerald Hill, 1868, in silver (41.5mm) by W.J. Taylor London, inscribed on obverse 'Bank Street School Emerald Hill', and on reverse 'Highest Class / Frederick Smith / Decr 1868'. With case of issue, gold blocked inside lid 'Kilpatrick & Co / Goldsmiths & Jewellers / To His Excellency / 59 Collins St West / Melbourne. *Extremely fine.*

\$350



813*

Queensland Pastoral Society, Springsure, 1868, in silver (51mm) by J.S. & A.B. Wyon, inscribed on reverse 'Banana Branch / to / Thomas Gillespie Esq. / for the best Colonial-bred / Blood Stallion / 1868'. *Good very fine.*

\$350

814

Queensland Pastoral Society, Springsure, 1868, in bronze (51mm) by J.S. & A.B. Wyon, inscribed on reverse 'Banana Branch / to / Thomas Gillespie Esq. / for the second best pen / of five Colonial Bred Rams / over twelve months / 1868'. *Good very fine.*

\$300



815*

Northern Agricultural Association, Singleton Show, 1869, in silver (45mm), plain silver disc engraved both sides with a twisted rope surround and grape leaf finial and suspension ring, inscribed on obverse 'Northern Agricultural / Association / Singleton Show / 26 Aug. 1869', and on reverse 'Awarded to / Messrs Kelman / of Kirkton / for the best / best (sic) four bottles of Red Wine / Vintage 1868'. *Extremely fine and rare.*

\$350

Ex Philip Kennedy Collection 1973 (lot M50 part).



816*

Northern Agricultural Association, Singleton Show, 1869, in silver (45mm), plain silver disc engraved both sides with a twisted rope surround and grape leaf finial and suspension ring, inscribed on obverse 'Northern Agricultural / Association / Singleton Show / 26 Aug 1869', and on reverse 'Awarded to / S.B.Dight Esq / of Clifford / for second best / pen of five fat sheep / coarse woolled'. *Extremely fine and rare.*

\$350

Ex Philip Kennedy Collection 1973 (lot M50 part).



817*

Northern Agricultural Association, Singleton Show, 1871, in silver (47mm), plain silver disc engraved both sides with a twisted rope surround and grape leaf finial and suspension ring, inscribed on obverse 'Northern Agricultural / Association / Singleton Show / 16th August 1871' and on reverse 'Awarded / to / S.B.Dight Esq / of Clifford / for best / Fat Steer / any breed'. *Extremely fine and rare.*

\$350

Ex Philip Kennedy Collection 1973 (lot M50 part).

818

Award tankard, in silver with see through base (ht 8.5cms), inscribed 'Upper Yarra Scratch Fours / C.H. / Wheatland / No.2 / 1869'. *Very fine.*

\$250



819*

Tasmanian Council of Education, in gold (42mm, 57.5gms) by J.S.Wyon, inscribed around edge 'James W.Whyte, Senior Associate 1870'. *FDC and extremely rare.*

\$3,500

James Whyte (1820-1882) As a child he lived in Van Dieman's Land, moving to Victoria as a young man. He returned to Tasmania enriched by gold royalties from his property in Clunes, Victoria. Whyte was elected to the Legislative Council in 1856 and became Premier in 1863. He was appointed to the Tasmanian Council of Education in 1870 and the Board of Education in 1876 and was also a Fellow of the Royal Society of Tasmania.

820

Tasmanian Council of Education, in white metal (42mm) by J.S.Wyon. This is a trial strike showing a substantially different reverse die and is the only specimen recorded in this metal. *Edge knock on reverse, extremely fine.*

\$300

Ex Spink Australia Sale 2B (lot 491).



821*

William Branwhite Clarke Memorial Award, in bronze (55mm), obverse, William Branwhite Clarke M.A. F.R.S. 1870, reverse, The Royal Society of New South Wales, Sydney, For / Researches / in / Natural / Science'. *Slight edge bruise on reverse, otherwise FDC.*

\$350

William Branwhite Clarke (1798-1878). Arrived in Australia in 1839. For his great knowledge of Australian Geology and his scientific writings he was elected a Fellow of the Royal Society and was a founder of the Royal Society of the New South Wales. His valuable collection of Australian fossils and minerals that was acquired by the Government after his death were destroyed with his scientific library in the Garden Palace fire of 1882.

822

Coonamble P(astoral) & A(gricultural) Association, c1870, handcrafted medal in silver (45mm), composite medal, engraved Maltese cross with a central oval overlay and loop mount, engraved on obverse 'Coonamble / P & A / Association' within centre, and on reverse 'For / Champion Ram / Won by / T.M.Keogh', stamped 'Sterling Silver'. *Extremely fine.*

\$300

Ex Philip Kennedy Collection 1973 (lot M98 part).



823*

Coonamble P(astoral) & A(gricultural) Association, c1870, handcrafted medal in silver (37mm), composite medal, engraved Maltese cross with a central oval overlay and loop mount, engraved on obverse 'Coonamble / P & A / Association' within centre, and on reverse 'For / 2 strong combing / Merino Rams 5 yrs / won by / T.M.Keogh'. *Extremely fine.*

\$300

Ex Philip Kennedy Collection 1973 (lot M98 part).

824

Coonamble P(astoral) & A(gricultural) Association, c1870, handcrafted medal in silver (37mm), composite medal, engraved Maltese cross with a central oval overlay and loop mount, engraved on obverse 'Coonamble / P & A / Association' within centre, and on reverse 'For best / Gentlemans Hackney / won by / T.M.Keoghs / 'Darkie'. *Extremely fine.*

\$300

Ex Philip Kennedy Collection 1973 (lot M98 part).



825*

Masonic jewel, c1870, in **gold** (18ct, 37gms, 37.5mm x 64mm) by H.Newman (Melbourne jeweller), a central six pointed star enclosed in a circle backed with blue enamel, circle inscribed 'Deo Regi Fratribus Honor Fidelitas Benevolentia', star inscribed 'Beauty / Wisdom / Strength / Truth / Peace / Concord'. The outer border is set with six rose cut diamonds between engraved star points, the whole enclosed within a decorated cast frame with voided brackets above and below. The jewel is suspended from an ornate clasp with another pin backed clasp with smaller bar on a ribbon, uninscribed. *Good extremely fine.*

\$650



826*

New South Wales Intercolonial Exhibition, c1870, in bronze (47mm) by Stokes & Martin, Melbourne, obverse, Ricketty Dick portrait by Julius Hogarth (c.f. C.1873/1-2). *Good extremely fine.*

\$200



827*

New South Wales Intercolonial Exhibition, c1870, in white metal (47mm) by Stokes & Martin, obverse with portrait of 'Ricketty Dick' by Julius Hogarth (cf.C.1873/1-2). Holed at top. *Edge bruise on reverse, extremely fine.*

\$200



828*

New South Wales Intercolonial Exhibition, c1870, in white metal gilt (47mm) by Stokes & Martin, obverse, Ricketty Dick portrait by Julius Hogarth (c.f. C.1873/1-2). *Good very fine.*

\$200

829

New South Wales Intercolonial Exhibition, c1870, in white metal (47mm) by Stokes & Martin, obverse, Ricketty Dick portrait by Julius Hogarth (c.f. C.1873/1-2). *Good very fine.*

\$170



830*

New South Wales Railways, Life Pass, c1870, handcrafted in gold (13gms, 26mm), composite manufacture of two discs within a frame with a scrolled mount, obverse, cast overlay of Royal Arms, reverse, voided monogram 'NSWR' and inscribed around rim 'The Hon. Sir James Martin C.J. Life Pass', engraved around edge 'T.T.Jones & Son Sydney'. *Extremely fine and rare.*

\$1,500

Sir James Martin (1820-1886) Born Midleton, Cork, Ireland, 14th May 1820. Emigrated to Australia with his family in 1821. Educated at a dame's school in Parramatta and later at W.T.Cape's school 1833-36. He became a journalist with the 'Australian' newspaper, and was acting editor in 1839. After studying law he was admitted a solicitor in 1845. He helped draught the New South Wales Constitution, also sponsored the establishment of the Sydney Mint. He became Attorney General in 1856, elected Fellow of the University of Sydney in 1861 and Premier in 1863. He was appointed Chief Justice of New South Wales in 1873. Martin Place in Sydney was named after him. See lots 904 and 932.



831*

Port Phillip Kangaroo Office, in bronze gilt (22mm), obverse, half ounce 1853, obverse die (heavily rusted), reverse, wreath around unofficial Coat of Arms. *Good extremely fine and extremely rare, believed only six struck.*

\$2,500



832*

Port Phillip Kangaroo Office, 1873, in brass (22mm), obverse, aboriginal head by Julius Hogarth (I.H. on truncation), Ex. Rex Australia / 1873, reverse, half ounce Kangaroo Office 1853. *Good extremely fine and possibly unique.*

\$4,000

The impression of the obverse of the Kangaroo Office half ounce die is in near mint condition albeit with minor rust pitting, consistent with having been struck in 1873. This die was used to strike six pieces with Coat of Arms reverse in the early 1900s, however by that time badly rusted and cracked after two strikings. This specimen apparently is unique in being the only impression of this aboriginal die (Ex.Rex.Australia) by Julius Hogarth. See article by Ray Jewell in the 'Australian Numismatist', March 1963, Vol 17, No.9.

833

Queen Victoria, lead strikes from dies and hubs used by Stokes for 19th century medalets. *Very fine - extremely fine.* (5)

\$100



834

Wimmera District Pastoral & Agricultural Society, 1871, in gold (45mm, 40.3gms) by (J.H. S.C. / G.Crisp Melbourne), inscribed on reverse 'Presidents / Champion Prize / awarded to / S.Wilson / for / Champion Ram / and / Champion Ewe / 1871'. Edge knock, extremely fine.

\$2,000

Ex I.S.Wright 1995.

Sir Samuel Wilson (1832-1895) pastoralist and politician. Established a Wimmera run in 1852 and also had some success at the goldfields. He bought Longerenong Station at the junction of the Wimmera River and Yarriambiak Creek. Wilson supported the work of the Acclimatisation Society by experimenting with ostrich farming and breeding angora goats. He acquired many other properties, including Ercildoune Stud. He represented Wimmera in the Legislative Assembly 1861-64. He gave 30,000 to build a hall at Melbourne University. Wilson was President of the National Agricultural Society of Victoria in 1873 and was knighted in 1875. Later he retired to England.

835

Opening of the Victorian Exhibition, 1872, in white metal (47mm) (C.1872/3 variant, different reverse die). Extremely fine.

\$150

836

Opening of the Victorian Exhibition, 1872, in white metal (47mm) (C.1872/3). Nearly extremely fine.

\$150

837

Opening of the Victorian Exhibition, 1872, award medal in white metal (47mm) uninscribed (c.f. C.1872/3 different reverse die). Holed at top, nearly extremely fine.

\$150



838*

Agricultural Society of New South Wales, 1872, award medal in bronze (89.5mm) by Hardy Brothers, London and Sydney, inscribed on reverse 'James Campbell / Morpeth / Chicory / 837 / No1207 / 1872'. With original case of issue. A rare example of an award to a token issuer, though not for tokens. FDC.

\$1,500

Ex Philip Kennedy Collection 1973 (lot M65).

839

Wimmera District Pastoral & Agricultural Society, 1872, in bronze (45mm) obverse J.H. S.C. G.Crisp Melbourne in exergue, inscribed on reverse '2nd Prize / 2 Lincoln Ewes / A.McMillan / 1872'. *Edge bruise, otherwise very fine.*

\$200



840*

N.S.W. Rifle Association, c1873, in silver (30mm), obverse, aborigine with spear and boomerang - soldier with rifle, 1788-1873, reverse N.S.W. / Rifle / Association within wreath. *Extremely fine.*

\$130



841*

London International Exhibition, 1873, in bronze gilt (70mm) by G.Morgan SC, obverse, Albert Edward Prince of Wales. President, impressed around edge 'Acclimatisation Society of Victoria' (BHM 2964, Eimer 1622). *Edge knock on obverse edge, otherwise good extremely fine and rare.*

\$1,000

Ex Spink Australia Sale 8 (lot 144).



842*

International Exhibition, Victoria, 1873, prize medal in silver (47mm) by Stokes & Martin, obverse, Ditissama Terra / J.Hogarth Fec / O.R.Campbell Des., inscribed around edge 'MacMeikan & Co. Patent Manures'. With case of issue. *FDC.*

\$750

'International' is misleading as the exhibits were confined to Victoria product destined for London ex 1873.



843*

International Exhibition, Victoria, 1873, in bronze (47mm) obverse, J.Hogarth Fec, O.R.Campbell Des, reverse, Stokes & Martin Medallists, inscribed around edge 'New Norh (sic) Clunes Quartz M.Co., Quartz Specimens'. *Nearly extremely fine.*

\$250

844

International Exhibition, Victoria, 1873, in bronze (47mm), inscribed around edge 'Robert Russell Etchings'. *Edge knocks and bruises, obverse field with scratches, otherwise very good.*

\$400

In 1836 Robert Russell was appointed to the infant settlement at Port Phillip and commenced to survey the Melbourne site, however his difficult personality led to his replacement by Robert Hoddle. Russell subsequently practised as an architect in Melbourne and was the pioneer lithographer and etcher in Melbourne. His depictions of early Melbourne are now prized (see 'The Dictionary of Australian Artists' by Joan Kerr, Melbourne, 1992, p.691)

845

Beechworth Exhibition, 1873, prize medal in bronze (48mm) by Stokes & Martin, Melbourne, impressed around edge 'Mr W.Lindgard'. *Good extremely fine and rare.*

\$350



846*

Beechworth Exhibition, 1873, prize medal in bronze (48mm) by Stokes & Martin, Melbourne, with 'Knowledge is Power' obverse. *Good very fine/extremely fine.*

\$350

Ex Noble Numismatics Sale 54 (lot 670).

847

Beechworth Exhibition, 1873, prize medal in bronze (47mm) by Stokes & Martin, obverse, figure of 'Victoria' raising wreath surrounded by symbols of commerce, reverse, Prize / Medal / Beechworth / 1873 / Exhibition. *Good very fine and rare.*

\$300

Ex Spink Australia Sale 33 (lot 2500).



848*

The National Agricultural Society of Victoria, 1873, in gold (51mm, 82.4gms) by J.Hogarth, inscribed on reverse 'A.G. Corbett / First Prize / Portable / Steam Engine / October 1873'. The first one of this medal in gold to be offered at auction. *Extremely fine and very rare in gold.*

\$2,500

849

The National Agricultural Society of Victoria, 1873, in silver (51mm) by J.Hogarth, inscribed on reverse 'A.G. Corbett / Second Prize / Threshing Machine / October 1873'. *Extremely fine.*

\$350

850

The National Agricultural Society of Victoria, 1873, in silver (51mm) by J.Hogarth, inscribed on reverse 'A.G. Corbett / Second Prize / Portable Steam / Engine / October 1873'. *Extremely fine.*

\$350



851*

National Agricultural Society of Victoria, 1873, in silver (51mm) by J.Hogarth, inscribed on reverse 'Hon S.H. Bindon / First Prize / For Setter / 'Boz' / October 1873'. *Extremely fine.*

\$400

Samuel Henry Bindon (1812-1879). Arrived in Victoria in 1855, where he practised law and was elected to the Legislative Assembly for Castlemaine in 1864. Bindon pressed for Development of the Agricultural and Industrial wealth of the country and was the moving force behind the Melbourne Exhibition of 1866. He became Chairman of the Technological Commission of 1869 and was a Trustee of the Public Library, Museum and National Gallery of Victoria, also a member of the Acclimatisation Society of Victoria.



852*

Long Wooled Sheep Association of Victoria, 1873, award medal in silver (38mm) by Stokes & Martin, inscribed on reverse 'Mess Austin Maidment & Milliar / 4th Prize / 1873' and impressed around edge 'Best Leicester Ram Any Age'. *Good very fine.*

\$250



853*

The Duke of Edinburgh Medal, c1873, in silvered bronze (38mm) by Stokes & Martin, obverse, the Duke of Edinburgh Medal / bust of Prince Alfred, reverse, Love / Purity / & Fidelity in a triangle superimposed on a double star design (C.T/3). This piece cannot be earlier than 1873 when Martin combined with Stokes. *Extremely fine.*

\$200

Ex Philip Kennedy Collection 1973 (lot M28).

854

The Duke of Edinburgh Medal, c1873, in bronze (38mm) by Stokes & Martin, obverse, The Duke of Edinburgh / bust of Prince Alfred, reverse, Love / Purity / & Fidelity in a triangle superimposed on a double star design (C.T/3). Initials 'E.M.' *lightly scratched in obverse field, otherwise extremely fine.*

\$150



855*

The Victoria Medal, c1873, in silver (38mm) by Stokes & Martin, obverse, head of Queen Victoria, The Victoria Medal, reverse, Love / Purity / & Fidelity in a triangle superimposed on a double star design. This piece cannot be earlier than 1873 when Martin combined with Stokes. *Good extremely fine.*

\$200

Ex Spink Australia Sale 29 (lot 2143).



856*

Melbourne Annual Regatta, 1873, handcrafted uniface medal in silver (44mm), silver disc within an ornamental frame with suspension bracket, engraved on obverse 'Melbourne / Annual Regatta / 1873 / Gardiner Cup / won by / Melbourne Club / C.Wickers / Cox'. *Very fine.*

\$400

Ex Philip Kennedy Collection 1973 (lot M51).



857*

U(nited) A(cient) O(rder) of D(ruids), 1873, silver star (60mm x 62mm) with cast ornamental ring overlay encircling a Druid head, ring suspension from an engraved bar, brooch bar with pale blue ribbon, brooch bar engraved in relief 'U.A.O.D.', clasp bar inscribed 'Presented / to / P.A.Bro.F.Medhurst / by the Mistletoe Lodge / for his Zeal in behalf of his Lodge & Order / August 18th 1873', reverse of star on bar impressed with E.K. & S (E.Kuster & Son 1871-76, Australian silversmith). With case of issue. *Good very fine and rare.*

\$400



858*

Agricultural Society of New South Wales, 1874, award medal in silver (89.5mm) by Hardy Brothers, London & Sydney, inscribed on reverse 'Messrs Barnes & Smith Bros. / Excellence in Section 1, 2 & 3 / at the Clarence Past. & Agr. / & Hort. Society's Show / 1874'. *Extremely fine and rare in silver.*

\$1,500



859*

Agricultural Society of N.S. Wales, Metropolitan Exhibition, 1875, in gold (38mm, 33.5gms) with ornamental suspension mount, by Stokes & Martin, inscribed on reverse 'The Honble / Lady Robinson / Miscellaneous Collection / of Plants / 1875'. *Nearly uncirculated.*

\$1,500

Ex A.H.F.Baldwin Collection and Spink Australia Sale 1.

Lady Robinson was the wife of Sir Hercules Robinson, Governor of New South Wales.



860*

Agricultural Society of New South Wales, 1875, award medal in bronze (90mm) by Hardy Brothers, London & Sydney, inscribed on reverse 'Lyon Cottier & Co / Stained Glass / Class 578 / 1875'. With case of issue. *Extremely fine.*

\$450



861*

Queensland Exhibition, 1875, handcrafted medal in silver (35mm) by C.A. Brown Brisbane, plain silver disc with makers imprint on reverse, engraved on obverse between concentric circles 'Queensland Exhibition 1875', and on reverse '1st Prize Biscuits' between concentric circles, and a wheat sheaf in centre, initials 'AN' at top. *Good very fine and rare.*

\$500

Charles Allen Brown (1850-1908) Australian silversmith. See article by Sue Air in 'Australiana' Journal, August 2001, Vol 23, No.3.



862*

Villiers & Heytesbury Agricultural Association (Warrnambool), 1875, in bronze (38mm) by W.J.Taylor, London, inscribed on obverse 'Warrnambool' and on reverse, '2nd Prize / Awarded to / James Hood / For / 2 Cross Bred / Ewes / 21st October 1875'. With case of issue. *FDC*.

\$300



863*

Intercolonial Exhibition Melbourne, 1875, Philadelphia, 1876, in silver (69.5mm), obverse, O.R.Campbell Des - J.Hogarth Fec in line above exergue, below Stokes & Martin - Melbourne, impressed on obverse 'Melbourne 1875' and impressed around edge 'The Hon.Caleb Joshua Jenner M.L.C.'. *Scratches on reverse, otherwise very fine*.

\$550

This was a preliminary Exhibition to select exhibits for the Philadelphia Centennial Exhibition 1876.



864*

Victorian Intercolonial Exhibition, Melbourne 1875, Philadelphia 1876, commemoration medal in white metal (38mm) by Stokes & Martin, Melbourne (C.1876/1). *Holed at top, extremely fine*.

\$200

865

Victorian Intercolonial Exhibition, Melbourne 1875, Philadelphia 1876, commemoration medal, in white metal (38mm) by Stokes & Martin (C.1876/1). *Holed at top, extremely fine*.

\$150



866*

Intercolonial Exhibition Melbourne, 1875, Philadelphia, 1876, in bronze (69.5mm), obverse, O.R.Campbell Des - J.Hogarth Fec in line above exergue, below Stokes & Martin - Melbourne, impressed on obverse 'Melbourne 1875' and impressed around edge 'Zoological & Acclimatization Society'. *Extremely fine.*

\$400

For Angora goats hair grown at Sir Samuel Wilson's Mount Bute Estate.

867

Intercolonial Exhibition Melbourne, 1875, Philadelphia, 1876, in bronze (69.5mm), obverse, O.R.Campbell Des - J.Hogarth Fec in line above exergue, below Stokes & Martin - Melbourne, impressed on obverse 'Melbourne 1875', and impressed around edge 'Julius Hogarth'. *Extremely fine.*

\$400

An award for Hogarth's own production, for impressions of his medals.



868*

U.S.A., Philadelphia International Exhibition, 1876, in bronze (76mm) awarded by United States Centennial Commission, uninscribed. With Package Ticket for admittance on November 10th 1876, No.20116. *Good extremely fine.*

\$200



869*

Agricultural Society of New South Wales, 1876, award medal in silver (89.5mm) inscribed on reverse, 'Awarded / to / Barnes & Smith Bros. / for / Largest Number / of Exhibits / Sec. 1, 2 & 3 / Grafton / 1876'. *Extremely fine and rare in silver.*

\$1,500



870*

Great Western Downs Pastoral Society, Blackall, 1876, prize medal in silver (45.5mm) by F.B. & R., inscribed on reverse 'Executors of late / P.McIntosh Esq / 'Lorne' / Best / Pen Rams under 12 mos / 1876'. *Very fine.*

\$350

871

Great Western Downs Pastoral Society, Blackall, 1876, prize medal in bronze (45mm) by F.B. & R., inscribed on reverse 'Executors of late / P.McIntosh Esq / 'Lorne' / Second Best / Pen Rams over 12 Mos / 1876'. *Good very fine.*

\$300

872

Bohemian R(owing) C(lub), 1876, in silver (23mm x 27 Maltese cross) with loop mount, inscribed on obverse 'Bohemian / R.C. / Trial Fours / Dec 27th / 1876' and on reverse 'Won by / A.Edwards / Cox'; **V(ictorian) R(owing) C(lub), 1879**, in silver (25mm x 30mm embellished Maltese cross) with loop mount, inscribed on obverse 'V.R.C. / Trial Fours / 22nd Novr. / 1879', and on reverse 'Won by / A.Edwards / Cox'; **J(unior) W(arehousemen's) R(owing) C(lub), 1881**, in silver (33.5mm x 33.5mm octagonal with scalloped cast overlays), obverse monogram 'J W R C' in centre, inscribed on reverse 'Trial Fours / Won by / Authur (sic) Edwards / Cox / January 1881'. *Very fine - extremely fine. (3)*

\$300



873*

High School Athletic Sports, 1876, in silver (24.5mm) a smoothed shilling engraved on obverse 'High School Athletic Sports 1876', and on reverse 'Handicap / Flat Race / 110 yds Senior / G.E. Butler'. Of Tasmanian origin. *Very fine and rare.*

\$350



874*

Four Oared Race, Victoria v Tasmania, 1876, handcrafted medal in silver (32mm), silver disc within a narrow cast ornamental frame with loop mount, engraved on obverse 'Four Oared Race / Victoria v Tasmania / Won by / Victoria' and on reverse 'A Edwards / Cox / Decr 12th 1876'. *Good very fine.*

\$270



875*

Victorian Humane Society, 1876, award medal in silver (38mm) by J.Hogarth F.-G.Turner D., with scroll suspender, blue ribbon with silver brooch at top featuring the unofficial Australian Coat of Arms, inscribed on reverse 'Thomas J Bennett / 11 August 1876'. With case of issue and letter from the Royal Humane Society of Australasia. *Very fine and very rare.*

\$1,000

Thomas John Bennett, ten year old schoolboy from Murchison, jumped into the Goulburn River at high flood with his clothes on to rescue his sister Susan, aged five, who was being carried out into the stream, depth of water about thirty feet. This medal was presented by the Right Reverend Dr Moorhouse Bishop of Melbourne. Only twenty seven silver medals were awarded before the Victorian Humane Society became the Royal Humane Society of Australasia in 1883.

876

Agricultural Society of New South Wales, 1877, award medal in bronze (90mm) by Hardy Brothers, London & Sydney, inscribed on reverse 'P.E.Reynolds / Collection of / Works of Art / 1877'. With case of issue. *Edge bruise on obverse, good very fine.*

\$450

P.E.Reynolds was an important early publisher of engravings and chromolithographs, he won a medal at the Sydney Exhibition 1879 for an entry which he included his chromolithograph of Sydney Harbour, published 1st Aug 1879.



877*

East Moreton Agricultural and Horticultural Association, 1877, handcrafted medal in silver (36mm), silver disc within a narrow stepped frame with loop mount, inscribed on obverse 'East Moreton / Agricultural / and / Horticultural Association / 1877' and on reverse 'J.H.Hocker / Manufactured Tobacco'. *Good very fine.*

\$400

878

East Moreton Agricultural and Horticultural Association, 1877, handcrafted medal in silver (36mm), silver disc within a narrow stepped frame with loop mount, inscribed on obverse 'East Moreton / Agricultural / and / Horticultural Association' and on reverse 'J.H.Hocker / Tobacco Leaf'. *Good very fine.*

\$400



879*

Metropolitan Intercolonial Exhibition, 1877, New South Wales, in white metal (38mm) by Stokes & Martin (C.1877/2), obverse, head of Governor (I H on truncation) - Metropolitan Intercolonial Exhibition 1877 / President / Sir Hercules Robinson K.C.M.G., reverse, view of the Exhibition Building - Exhibition / New South Wales. *Holed at top, extremely fine.*

\$200

880

National Agricultural & Industrial Association of Queensland, 1877, award medal in bronze (73mm) by R.Capner, inscribed on reverse 'J.H.Hocker / for / Tobacco / Unmanuf / 1877'. *Extremely fine.*

\$400



Lot 881 part



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881*

National Agricultural & Industrial Association of Queensland, 1877, award medal in bronze (73mm) by R.Capner, inscribed on reverse 'D.Munro & Co / for / Victory W-Mill / 1877'; another., 1877, in bronze (73mm) by R.Capner, inscribed on reverse 'D.Munro & Co / for / Centre Pump / 1877'; another., 1878, in bronze (73mm) by R.Capner, inscribed on reverse 'D.Munro & Co / for / Single Horse Gear / 1878'; another., 1878, in bronze (78mm) by R.Capner, inscribed on reverse 'D.Munro & Co / for / Raising Water Apparatus'; The National Agricultural Society of Victoria, 1880, in silver (50.5mm) by J.Hogarth, inscribed on reverse '2nd Prize / D.Munro & Co / Collection / Agricultural Machinery / 1880'; another., 1880, in bronze (51mm), inscribed on reverse 'Presented / by the / Commissioners of the / Melbourne International Exhibition 1880 / to / D.Munro & Co / for / Earthscoop'; another., 1880, in bronze (51mm), inscribed on reverse 'Presented / by the / Commissioners of the / Melbourne International Exhibition 1880 / to / D.Munro & Co / for / Windmill'; Melbourne International Exhibition, 1880, in **gold** (38mm, 51.1gms) by H.Stokes, impressed around edge 'David Munro & Co. Melbourne - Patent Earth Scoop & Pumps'; another., 1880, in silver (51mm) by H.Stokes, impressed around edge 'David Munro - For Services'; Victoria's Jubilee, 1887, in silver (31mm) by Stokes & Martin, engraved on reverse 'Presented to Councillor Munro / By J.F.Hamilton / Mayor of Brighton; awarded to David Munro (albeit unnamed) Victorian Intercolonial Exhibition of Wine Grain Fruit & Co, 1884, uniface medal in **gold** (9.5gms, 32mm), small circle at top of wreath for piercing; another., 1884, in silver. *Very fine - good extremely fine.* (12)

\$4,000

David Munro (1844-1898) engineer, contractor and speculator, best remembered for his construction of the present Princes Bridge and Queens bridge (Melbourne). He was one of the colony's biggest employers. He patented many successful farm machines the most enduring being his 'Victory Mill'. Munro served as President of the Chamber of Manufactures and Councillor of the national Agricultural Society. He was a close associate of Thomas Bent. His fortune was lost in the eighteen nineties crash.



882*

National Agricultural & Industrial Association of Queensland, 1877, award medal in bronze (73mm) by R.Capner, inscribed on reverse 'N.B.A.Co / for / Wool.Ewe.Hog.G.Cloth / 1878'. *Good very fine.*

\$600



883*

Australian Juvenile Industrial Exhibition, Ballaarat, 1878, in silver (47mm) by (E.A.Altmann, Melbourne) inscribed on edge 'A.Gibbons' (C.1878/1 reverse die variant). *Good very fine.*

\$300

884

Australian Juvenile Industrial Exhibition, Ballaarat, 1878, in silver (47mm) by (E.A.Altmann, Melbourne) inscribed on edge 'L.M.Kirk' (C.1878/1). *Good very fine.*

\$300

885

Australian Juvenile Industrial Exhibition, Ballaarat, 1878, in bronze (47mm) by (E.A.Altmann, Melbourne) uninscribed (C.1878/1). *FDC.*

\$200



886*

Central Queensland Graziers & Farmers Society, 1878, handcrafted medal in silver (41mm) by C.A.Brown, Brisbane, plain silver disc engraved on obverse, between concentric circles 'Central Queensland Graziers & Farmers Society / Gracemere / May 1878', and on reverse 'Best Durham Cow / Any Age / 1st / Awarded / to / E.Cross Esq. / For his Roan Cow / Blossom'. *Good very fine and rare.*

\$500

Charles Allen Brown (1850-1908) Australian silversmith. See article by Sue Air in 'Australiana' Journal, August 2001, Vol 23, No.3.



887*

County of Bendigo Agricultural and Horticultural Society, 1878, in silver (38mm) by (Ernest A Altmann, Melbourne) inscribed on reverse 'Mr J Nicholson / 1st Prize / Wincrowing Machine / Oct 25th 1878'. *Nearly extremely fine.*

\$300



888*

The National Agricultural Society of Victoria, 1878, in bronze (51mm) by J.Hogarth, inscribed on reverse 'J.Curtis / 1878' and impressed around edge 'Special Prize Collection of Portmanteaus'. *Nearly extremely fine.*

\$250



889*

St Arnaud Pastoral & Agricultural Society, 1878, in silver (38mm) by Stokes & Martin, Melbourne, inscribed on reverse 'J.Nicholson / 11th Oct 1878' and impressed around edge 'Best Stripper'. *Extremely fine*.

\$300



890*

France, International Exhibition, Paris, 1878, in silver (68mm) by J.C.Chaplain, impressed on reverse within tablet 'J.Kelman'. *Extremely fine*.

\$300

Ex Spink Australia Sale 34 (lot 643).

James Kelman of Kirkton N.S.W. - Class 75 - Fermented Drinks. Kelman was an important pioneer of the Australian wine industry, establishing Branxton as a centre of wine production.

891

France, International Exhibition, Paris, 1878, in bronze (68mm) by J.C.Chaplain, impressed on reverse 'T.K.Bennett' within tablet. *Extremely fine*.

\$170

Ex Noble Numismatics Sale 61A (lot 2469).

T.K.Bennett of Melbourne - Class 72 - Meat and Fish.

892

France, International Exhibition, Paris, 1878, in bronze (68mm) by J.C.Chaplain, impressed on reverse 'G.Innis' within tablet. *Extremely fine*.

\$170

George Innis of Mount Buninyong, Victoria - Class 69 - Cereals and Farinaceous Products.

893

France, International Exhibition, Paris, 1878, in bronze (68mm) by J.C.Chaplain, impressed on reverse within tablet 'Allcock & Cie'. *Extremely fine*.

\$170

Ex Noble Numismatics Sale 61A (lot 2470).

Allcock & Co of Melbourne - Class 17 - Cheap and Fancy Furniture. Allcock & Co was a prominent billiard table manufacturer.



894*

Acclimatization Society, Victoria, 1878, in silver (58mm) by J.S. & A.B.Wyon Sc / 1868 / T.Landseer A.R.A. Adj in exergue (C.1868/3), inscribed around edge 'Presented to the Chairman of the Melbourne Ice Coy July 1878'. With case of issue. *Good extremely fine*.

\$5,000

Awarded for assistance in the preservation of salmon roe destined for the mountain streams of Tasmania.



895*

Acclimatization Society, Victoria, 1878, in bronze (58mm) by J.S. & A.B.Wyon SC / 1868 / T.Landseer A.R.A. Adj in exergue (C.1868/3), inscribed on edge 'Presented to Messrs Robertson & Wagner July 1878'. With case of issue. *Edge bruise on obverse, otherwise good extremely fine*.

\$1,000

Ex Philip Kennedy Collection 1973 (lot M49).

Robertson & Wagner, 35 Bourke Street East, Melbourne, the proprietors of Cobb & Co Coaches and assisted the Acclimatization Society with the transporting of animals.

LOCH ARD BRAVERY MEDAL TO TOM PEARCE



896*

Awarded by the Board of Trade for Gallantry in Saving Life, 1878, in silver (58mm) by B.Wyon Sc, engraved around edge "Thomas R.Pearce Wreck of the Ship 'Lochard' (sic) of Glasgow on the 1st June-1878. *Extremely fine.*

\$15,000

Together with photographs of Tom Pearce and Eva Carmichael.

The Lochard, an iron clipper sailed from Gravesend 1st March 1878 to unload her cargo in Melbourne then return homeward bound via the Horn. However this was not to be, during the night of 31st May she was caught in a heavy haze. Captain Gibbs could not get a clear observation of the sun and thought his ship was about 150 miles off the coast. However she was only 27 miles west of Cape Otway. Early on the 1st June the haze cleared to expose cliffs close by. Trying to steer her clear from what was to be her doom, failed. The anchors were dropped, however they could not grip in the sandy bottom. She hit a reef which tore into her stern and she began to sink. In the swell her yard struck the side of the cliff and brought a downpouring of rocks which crashed into many of the passengers and crew. Attempting to launch the port lifeboat was unsuccessful. The men aboard were quickly dumped into the sea when hit by a massive wave. Tom Pearce was the only one who was able to cling to the upturned boat for some hours until it had washed into the gorge. Tom let go and swam to the shore. While having a rest and trying to regain some strength, he heard somebody cry out, looking out to the water he saw Eva Carmichael holding onto part of a mast and floating towards the shore. Tom managed to get Eva to a cave in the gorge. After resting for some time he left Eva and climbed the cliffs around the gorge. Once on top he found a path and proceeded along until he saw two men from Glenample Station. They went back and brought Eva to a nearby homestead. Thus began Tom Pearce the hero. Tom and Eva were the only survivors of the shipwreck the Loch Ard. There were numerous functions to honour Tom, among his rewards was the Board of Trade Medal for Gallantry – this piece.



897*

St Kilda Swimming Club, 1878, handcrafted medal in silver (29mm), a voided six pointed star within a circular frame with loop mount, engraved on obverse 'St Kilda Swimming Club' and within star '500 yards / Open Race / March 9th 1878', on reverse 'Won by'. *Extremely fine.*

\$250



898*

Intercolonial Eight Oar Race, 1878, in gold (30.4gms, 54mm x 56mm) with loop mount, an embellished Maltese cross with circle overlay, engraved on obverse, with crossed flags and oars, Australian Coat of Arms inside circular overlay and inscription 'Intercolonial Eight Oar Race / 1878', and on reverse 'Won by / Victorian Crew / 6th March / 1.R.Ward / 3.W.Bray / 4.J.L.Irvine / 5.W.H.Tuckett / 6.J.M.Simson / 7.T.H.Young / 8.G.Fairbairn / F.Edwards / Cox / No.2.J.Booth'. *Extremely fine.*

\$1,250

1878 the first year of this annual regatta.

899

Carey & Page's, 1878, voided shield in a double frame in gold (15ct, 4.2gms, 25.5mm) with loop mount, inscribed on obverse 'To / F.C.Bosher / 1878', and on reverse 'I.M. / Carey & Page's / Employes'. *Extremely fine.*

\$120



900*

Scottish School medal, 1878, in silver, (53.5mm), a hand engraved silver disc in a very heavy cast ornamental frame with suspension bracket and ring, engraved on obverse 'Stand Firm / Presented by / Alex Grant Esq SSC / Ex Mayor of Fitzroy / Melbourne Australia', and on reverse 'Gained by / John Londen / Second / in Competitive Examination / English Lower School / Madras Academy / Cupar Fife / 26th June 1878'. With case of issue. *Good extremely fine.*

\$300



901*

Lodge of Australia Jubilee, 1878, uniface medal in silver (41 x 55mm) by Weisner. *Good very fine and very rare.*

\$350



902*

Masonic badge, 1878, in silver (53mm), modified Maltese cross with overlaid clasped hands inside a decorative ring, arms of cross engraved with overall ornament, suspender bar attached on reverse side, inscribed on reverse 'O.F.L.A. / Presented to / P.D.G.M. W.H. Coombes / as a mark of respect for / past services / Jan 26th 1878'. *Extremely fine.*

\$120



903*

Melbourne Monster Clothing Company, Melbourne, 21st Anniversary, 1878, in silver (27mm) (C.1878/2); Bendigo Miners and Engine Drivers Exhibition, 1896, in gilt bronze (23mm) (C.1896/3); Exhibition Australian Manufacturers & Products A.N.A., 1905-6, in white metal (30mm x 25mm) (C/1905-6/1). *Extremely fine - uncirculated and scarce.* (3)

\$150



904*

Sydney International Exhibition, 1879, in silver (76mm) by J.S. & A.B.Wyon, inscribed on reverse 'The Honourable / Sir James Martin, C.J. / Vice President / of / Commission', no stop after CCC in date. *Edge bruise on obverse at 2 o'clock, otherwise nearly uncirculated and extremely rare in this metal.*

\$1,250

Sir James Martin (1820-1886). See lots 830 and 932.



905*

Sydney International Exhibition, 1879, in bronze (76mm) by J.S. & A.B. Wyon, inscribed on reverse 'Awarded / to / John Curtis / of Melbourne / For Improved / Iron Frame / Solid Leather / Portmanteaus / 1879', no stop after CCC in date. *Extremely fine.*

\$300

906

Sydney International Exhibition, 1879, in bronze (76mm) by J.S. & A.B. Wyon, inscribed on reverse 'Hollington Bros / First Award', stop after CCC in date, London striking from new die. *Edge bruise on reverse and obverse, otherwise extremely fine.*

\$300



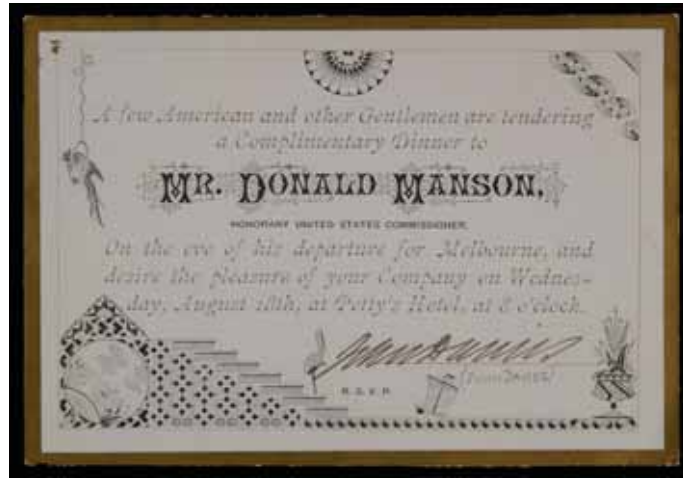
907*

International Exhibition, Sydney, N.S.W., 1879, in **gold** (51mm, 93.18gms) by J.S. & A.B. Wyon, inscribed on reverse 'Sir William G / Armstong & Co / Ordnance'. With case of issue. *Slightest surface marks, otherwise nearly FDC and extremely rare.*

\$6,500

Ex Spink Australia Sale 32 (lot 1189) and Noble Numismatics Sale 48 (lot 775).

Judges report 'In classes 266 and 267, the exhibits of Sir W.G. Armstrong & Co stand pre-eminent'. With single page of research detailing recipients. These gold medals are the rarest prize medals of Australian nineteenth century exhibitions, twelve awarded to exhibitors.



908*

Sydney International Exhibition, 1879, in silver (51mm) by J.S. & A.B. Wyon, inscribed on reverse 'Donald Manson / Acting Honorary / Commissioner / for the / United States'. *Light scratches on obverse field, otherwise extremely fine.*

\$400

Ex Philip Kennedy Collection 1973 (lot M78).

Together with invitation to a Complimentary Dinner in his honour, on the eve of his departure for Melbourne, on August 18th (1880), at Petty's Hotel (5 York St. Sydney).

909

Sydney International Exhibition, 1879, in bronze (51mm) by J.S. & A.B. Wyon, inscribed on reverse 'Rachel Lipman / 1880'. *Extremely fine.*

\$150

Rachel Lipman, schoolgirl aged 13, Fort Street Public School, for Needlework.

910

Sydney International Exhibition, 1879, in bronze (51mm) by J.S. Wyon & A.B. Wyon, uninscribed. *Good extremely fine.*

\$130



911*

Sydney International Exhibition, 1879, Official Judges Pass in silver (38mm) with loop mount and ring suspension, by W.Burt, inscribed on reverse 'R.C.Patterson'. *Obverse with small knocks, otherwise extremely fine and rare.*

\$1,000

Ex Spink Australia Sale 20 (lot 458).

R.C.Patterson, Adelaide, South Australia.



912*

Melbourne Intercolonial Juvenile Industrial Exhibition, 1879, pass in gold (24mm, 70.7gms) with ornamental suspension mount, inscribed on reverse 'F.Moss'. *Small crack in mount otherwise, very fine and very rare.*

\$500

Ex Spink Noble Sale 40 (lot 625).

913

First International Exhibition, New South Wales, 1879, in white metal (38.5mm) by Evan Jones, Sydney (C.1879/6) variant without maker's name. *Extremely fine.*

\$650



914*

First International Exhibition, New South Wales, 1879, in silver (38.5mm) by Evan Jones, Sydney (C.1879/7). This is one of the finest of the Cook portrait medals and is unusually fine work for Evan Jones. *Toned, extremely fine.*

\$1,500

915

First International Exhibition, New South Wales, 1879, in bronze (38.5mm) by Evan Jones, Sydney (C.1879/7). *Holed at top, extremely fine.*

\$1,000

916

First International Exhibition, New South Wales, 1879, in white metal (38mm) by Evan Jones, Sydney (C.1879/7). *Holed at top, nearly very fine.*

\$500



917*

National Agricultural & Industrial Association of Queensland, 1879, award medal in bronze (73mm) by R. Capner, inscribed on reverse 'N.Bartley / for / Collection of / Minerals / 1879'. *Good very fine.*

\$650

Nehemiah Bartley (1830-1894). A very colourful pioneer related to the Tooth Brewing family, he had a chequered career, initially in Hobart and Melbourne. When overlanding ten thousand sheep he saw Captain Cadell's 'Lady Augusta' on her historic first trip up the river Murray. In 1854 he settled in Brisbane representing Tooth Colonial Sugar Company and founded his own importing business which failed in 1866 due to the crash of the Bank of Queensland. He then devoted his time to collecting Australian minerals for which he received many awards. Later he became a well known eccentric writing two books of reminiscences, 'Opals and Agates' and 'Australian Pioneers' (A.D.B.).



918*

Sandhurst Industrial Exhibition, 1879, award medal in silver (38mm) by Ernst A. Altmann, Melbourne, inscribed on reverse 'Apprentices / Vulcan Foundry / Geelong / Condensing / Steam Engine'. *Nearly extremely fine.*

\$300

919

Sandhurst Industrial Exhibition, 1879, award medal in bronze (38mm) by Ernst Altmann, Melbourne, inscribed on reverse 'Mrs Herschell / Sandhurst / Paper Flowers'. *Good very fine.*

\$250



920*

Goulburn Agricultural Pastoral & Horticultural Society, 18--, handcrafted uniface stock medal in silver (44mm, with mount 60mm), silver disc within a frame, a silver ribbon with engraved 'G A P H S' scrolled through a horseshoe at top, with loop suspended from horseshoe, engraved on obverse 'Goulburn / A.P. & H.Society / Annual Show / 18--'. *Extremely fine.*

\$300



921*

Newington College, 1879, in silver (45mm) with ornate suspension and ring, inscribed on obverse 'Newington / College / December / 1879' and on reverse 'Presented / to / F.P.Fawcett / for success in the / University / Public Exam'. With case of issue. *Extremely fine.*

\$650

Newington College, Stanmore, Sydney, New South Wales, was established in 1863 at Silverwater. The College was moved to its present site in Stanmore in 1880. Frank P Fawcett enrolled from Moruya in 1878. His medal would be the last awarded at the old site.

922

Victoria's Pride S U, in silver (19.5mm)(4), variants, bronze gilt, obverse, Sailors & Brothers, reverse, Victoria's / S / U / Pride. *Silver issues holed, very fine - extremely fine.* (5)

\$350

923

Sydney International Exhibition, 1879, in silver (22mm) (C.1879/3), obverse, Albert the Good; First International Exhibition, Sydney, 1879, in silver (22mm) (C.1879-80/13); another., with different obverse, in gilt bronze (22mm). *Very fine - nearly uncirculated.* (3)

\$120

924

Intercolonial Juvenile Industrial Exhibition, 1879-80, in silver (22mm) (C.1879-80/5); another., in bronze. Both pierced at top. *Very fine - extremely fine, the first scarce.* (2)

\$100

925

Australian International Exhibitions, Sydney 1879-80, Melbourne 1888-81, in bronze (76mm) by J.S. & A.B. Wyon, inscribed on reverse 'James Mirams M.P. / For / Services'. With case of issue. *Good extremely fine*.

\$400

James Mirams (1813-1916). Initially a dairy farmer he was then a school teacher, a bookseller, stationer, newsagent at Collingwood during 1863-74 and later became a financial promoter and speculator. He represented Collingwood and later Williamstown in the Legislative Assembly. Some overborrowing of funds whilst with the Premier Building Association eventually earned him a sentence of a years imprisonment in 1890. He was a Commissioner for the Melbourne International Exhibition in 1880, also on the Executive Committee of the Royal Commission for the Australian International Exhibitions.



926*

N.S.W. International Exhibition, 1879-1880, in white metal (38mm) by Stokes & Martin Medallists (C.1879-80/9). With case of issue. *Dark uneven tone on reverse, otherwise very fine*.

\$150



927*

Geelong Industrial & Juvenile Exhibition, 1879-80, award medal in silver (34mm) by Altmann, inscribed on reverse 'John Curtis / Melbourne / Portmanteau'. *Extremely fine*.

\$200



928*

Geelong Industrial and Juvenile Exhibition, 1879-80, commemoration medal in white metal (29mm) holed with ring suspension and original blue ribbon, by (Melbourne Mint), obverse, with Geelong Coat of Arms and Commemoration / Medal, reverse, Geelong Industrial & Juvenile Exhibition 1879-80 / E.A. Altmann / Medalist / & Engraver / 80 Elizabeth St / Melbourne. *Uncirculated*.

\$150

929

Geelong Industrial & Juvenile Exhibition, 1879-80, in silver (27mm x 23mm oval) with loop mount, inscribed on reverse 'Awarded to / James Baum / Birregurra / Mod Plough'. *Fine*.

\$170



930*

Geelong Industrial & Juvenile Exhibition, 1879-80, in bronze (27mm x 23mm oval) by E.A.A. Melb. Possibly a trial strike, none were awarded in bronze. *Good extremely fine*.

\$150



931*

Australian International Exhibitions, Sydney 1879-80, Melbourne 1880-81, in bronze (76mm) by J.S. & A.B. Wyon, inscribed on reverse 'Warrington W. / Smyth / F.R.S. / Commissioner'. With case of issue. *FDC*.

\$400

Sir Warrington Wilkinson Smyth (1817-1890). A noted geologist and mineralogist. Elected F.G.S. in 1845-6 and President from 1866-68.

932

Australian International Exhibitions, Sydney 1879-80, Melbourne 1880-81, in bronze (76mm) by J.S. & A.B. Wyon, inscribed on reverse 'The Hon: / Sir James Martin / For / Services'. With case of issue. *Good extremely fine*.

\$500

Sir James Martin (1820-1886). See lots 830 and 904.



933*

N.S. Wales 1879, Melbourne 1880, commemoration medal in white metal (39mm) by Evan Jones 9 & 11 Hunter St Sydney (C.1879-80/15). *Very fine*.

\$250



934*

First International Exhibition, Sydney, 1879-80, in gilt bronze (22mm); another., in silver; International Exhibition, Melbourne, 1880-81, in gilt bronze (22mm) (C.1880-81/9). Uncirculated. (3)

\$150



935*

Melbourne International Exhibition, 1880, in bronze (76mm) by H.Stokes, impressed around edge 'D.F.Walton - Juror'. Good extremely fine.

\$250

936

Melbourne International Exhibition, 1880, in bronze (76mm) by H.Stokes, impressed around edge 'T.J.Hamilton - Juror'. Nearly extremely fine.

\$200



937*

Melbourne International Exhibition, 1880, in white metal (76mm) by H.Stokes. Possibly a trial strike. Very fine and rare in this metal.

\$450



938*

Melbourne International Exhibition, 1880, in bronze (43mm) trial strike of dies of an unissued size. *Extremely fine and rare.*

\$350



939*

Melbourne International Exhibition, 1880, in **gold** (39mm, 51.2gms) by H.Stokes, engraved around edge 'Hon Sir James Martin - For Services'. *FDC.*

\$2,250

Sir James Martin was President of the New South Wales Commission.



940*

Melbourne International Exhibition, 1880, in silver (51mm) by H.Stokes, impressed around edge 'Archibald Fisker J.P. - For Services'. *Extremely fine.*

\$350



941*

Melbourne (International) Exhibition, 1880, in **gold** (22mm, 5.6gms) reverse with unofficial coat of arms (C.1880/11). *Holed at top, very fine.*

\$1,000



942

Melbourne International Exhibition, 1880, Foundation Stone, commemoration medal in gold (22mm, 8.1gms) by (E.Altmann), inscribed on reverse 'W.B.Jones Esq. / J.P. / Commissioner / 19/2/79' (C.1880/12). *Peripheral die break on obverse, good fine and rare in gold.*

\$1,250

See article by John Sharples in the NAA journal vol 1, 1985, p.55.



943*

Melbourne International Exhibition, 1880, pass with photograph of Exhibitor A.B.Wells (Belgium Courts) and his signature, also signed by the Secretary J.C.Levy. *Very fine and rare.*

\$150



944*

Melbourne Exhibition Trustees Pass, 1881, in gold (31mm, 10.7gms) with loop mount and hollow cast wreath frame, inscribed on reverse 'Thos O'Grady Esq / J.P. / Oct 1st 1881'. *Very good.*

\$1,000

Thomas O'Grady (1824-1890). Building contractor, Mayor of Melbourne 1872-3, Chairman of the Melbourne Harbour Trust, Commissioner for Melbourne Exhibitions in 1880 and 1888, Chairman of the Tramways Trust.



945*

County of Bendigo Agricultural & Horticultural Society, 1880, award medal in silver (38mm) by Ernst Altmann, Melbourne, inscribed on reverse 'Jas.Duff / Sandhurst / 2nd Prize / for Jumper / March 24th 1880'. *Very fine.*

\$200



946*

Horsham & Wimmera District Pastoral & Agricultural Society, c1880, in silver (45mm) by Stokes & Martin, Melbourne, inscribed on reverse 'A.J.Tuxen', impressed around edge 'First Prize - Double Harness'. *Extremely fine.*

\$250



947*

Narracoorte Pastoral and Agricultural Society, 1880, in silver (52.5mm) a silver disc within a heavy engraved frame with loop mount, engraved on obverse 'Narracoorte Pastoral and Agricultural / Society / First prize / for / Draught Stallion / Won by / 'King of Hearts' / 25th August 1880', and on reverse, a finely executed engraving of a draught horse in a field. *Good very fine.*

\$550

Ex Spink Australia Sale 24 (lot 718).



948*

North Queensland P(astoral) & A(gricultural) Association, 1880, in bronze (45mm), inscribed on obverse 'North / Queensland / P & A / Association / 1880' within wreath and on reverse '1st Prize / Awarded to / Mr T. Allen / for best collection / of / Photographs / (local)' within wreath. *Holed at top, letter R lightly scratched above R of North, very fine.*

\$200



949*

Peak Downs Pastoral & Agricultural Society, 1880, in bronze (46mm) by F.B. & R., inscribed on reverse 'Best / Ram Hogget / Bred in District / Cochran / Coldham & Hislop / Wolfgang / 1880'. *Very fine.*

\$200



950*

Warrego P(astoral) & A(gricultural) Association, c1880, in silver (45mm) by J. Moore, inscribed on reverse 'Warrego / P & A Association / The / Dilalah Coy / Cutting Out Contest'. *Good very fine.*

\$200



951*

Centenary of Sunday Schools Victoria, 1880, in gilt bronze (31mm) (C.1880/15), with rosette style ribbon. *Extremely fine and scarce.*

\$100



952*

Mons & Mme Marval's School, 1880, in silver (40mm) with loop mount, inscribed on obverse 'Mons & Mme Marval's School / 2nd Class / 1st Div' within wreath, and on reverse 'Marion / Fowler / Dec 1880' within wreath, around edge 'Ramsay House School Adelaide'. *Good very fine and rare.*

\$250



953*

V(ictorian) R(ifle) A(ssociation), 1880, handcrafted fob in silver (27mm x 30mm) with loop mount, engraved on obverse 'Schools / Challenge / Cup / 1880', 'V.R.A.' in centre, and on reverse 'Won by / E.R.P.Martin / 52 Points / 256 Points' and 'H.C.S.' in centre. *Good fine and rare.*

\$200



954*

Stock medal, c1880, in bronze (45mm) by R.C.-Sc. (R.Capner), obverse two horses in landscape, reverse wreath, uninscribed. *Very fine.*

\$120



955*

Stock Agricultural award medal, c1880, in silver (45mm) by Stokes & Martin Melbourne, obverse bull in pasture, reverse 'Awarded to' within wreath, uninscribed. *Good very fine.*

\$130

956

Melbourne International Exhibition, 1880, in silver (16mm, and 22mm) (C.M/7, 1880/18) and silvered (23mm) (C1880-81/7b). *Last medalet with scratch on obverse, extremely fine - uncirculated.* (3)

\$100



957*

M(elbourne) I(nternational) E(xhibition), Melbourne 1880, in silver (20mm) (C.1880/22s); and silvered bronze (22mm) (C.1880-81/7s). *Extremely fine - uncirculated and scarce.* (2)

\$100



958*

Melbourne International Exhibition, 1880-1881, in gilt white metal (38mm) by Stokes & Martin, Melbourne (C.1880-81/1). *Good extremely fine and rare in this condition.*

\$400

Ex Spink Australia Sale 24 (lot 717) and Sale 34 (lot 550).

959

Melbourne International Exhibition, 1880-1881, in white metal (38mm) by Stokes & Martin, Melbourne (c.1880-81/1). *Good extremely fine.*

\$300



960*

Melbourne Intern(ationa)l Exhibi(tio)n, 1880-81, in gilt bronze (35.5mm), obverse, Melbourne Internl Exhibtn 1880-81 (C.1880-81/3). *Nearly FDC.*

\$120

961

Adelaide Exhibition, 1881, award medal in silver (30mm), inscribed on reverse 'P.Lorrillard'. With variant obverse and reverse. *Extremely fine.*

\$200

These medals were overstruck on English gothic florins. There were two varieties of the obverse and two of the reverse. Note '1881' serifs or plain, bow of wreath thick or thin.



962*

Adelaide Exhibition, 1881, award medal in silver (30mm), inscribed on reverse 'Chas Hill'. *This medal with traces of original coin, extremely fine.*

\$200

These medals were overstruck on English gothic florins. There were two varieties of the obverse and two of the reverse. Note '1881' serifs or plain, bow of wreath thick or thin.

963

Adelaide Exhibition, 1881, award medal in silver (30mm), inscribed on reverse 'J.Curtis / Portmanteus'. *Extremely fine.*

\$200

These medals were overstruck on English gothic florins. There are two varieties of the obverse and two of the reverse. Note '1881' serifs or plain, bow of wreath thick or thin.



964*

Adelaide, The Exhibition Medal, 1881, in white metal (38.5mm) by Stokes & Martin (C.1881/15). *Holed at top, very fine.*

\$250



965*

Adelaide Industrial Exhibition, 1881, in silver (19mm) (C.1881/6); Adelaide Exhibition / Victoria's Jubilee, 1887, in gilt bronze (23mm) (C.1887/49), with scroll suspender (unrecorded). *Uncirculated*. (2)

\$100



966*

Hampden & Heytesbury Pastoral & Agricultural Society, 1881, award medal in silver (38.5mm) by Stokes & Martin Melbourne, inscribed on reverse 'Hon. A. Black', impressed around edge '1st Prize Long Woolled Ewe 2 Tooth Grass Fed Camperdown 22 Oct 1881'. *Extremely fine*.

\$250



967*

Villiers & Heytesbury Agricultural Association, 1881, in silver (39mm) by Stokes & Martin Melbourne, inscribed on reverse '1st Prize / Awarded to / Jenkin Jenkins / for / Hereford Bull (Any Age) / Warrnambool / Oct 26th 1881'. *Good extremely fine*.

\$250



968*

N.S.W. Rowing Association, Sydney, Established 1878, in silver (51.5mm), inscribed on reverse 'Intercolonial / Eight Oar Race / Sydney / April 9th 1881 / Won by / Victoria / J.Booth - 2'. *Nearly FDC*.

\$400



969*

France, Bordeaux XII General Exhibition, 1882, in bronze (67mm) obverse, Societe Philomathique de Bordeaux, fondee en 1808, reverse, XII Exposition Generale / Exposition Universelle des Vins 1882 / Medaille de Progres / inscribed 'Hugh Fraser / Olive Hill Vineyard' (Australia). *Extremely fine.*

\$200



970*

Dimboola & N.W. Wimmera Agricultural & Pastoral Society, 1882, award medal in silver (44mm) by Altmann, inscribed on reverse 'Mrs Bicknell / For Best / Single Hooded / Buggy / 1882'. *Good very fine.*

\$250



971*

Geelong Exhibition, 1882, in white metal (38.5mm) by Stokes and Martin Melbourne (C.1882/2). *Holed at top, good very fine.*

\$500

Ex Noble Numismatics Sale 62 (lot 534).



972*

Hampden & Heytesbury Pastoral & Agricultural Society, 1882, award medal in bronze (38.5mm) by Stokes & Martin Melbourne, inscribed on reverse 'James Moodie / Second Prize / for / Blood Filly or Colt / one year', impressed around edge 'Camperdown 25 Oct.1882'. *Fine*.

\$150



973*

Macleay River Agricultural Association, 1882, award medal in silver (38mm) by E.Altmann - Melbourne, inscribed on reverse 'W.D.Scott / 1882'. *Very fine*.

\$170

974

The National Agricultural Society of Victoria, 1883, in silver (35.5mm) by Altmann, inscribed on reverse 'Fitzroy / City Carriage Co / 1st prize / Express Waggon / 1883'. *Edge knocks, otherwise good very fine*.

\$150



975*

The National Agricultural Society of Victoria, 1883, in silver (35.5mm) by Altmann, inscribed on reverse 'Jhn.Curtis / Special prize / Collection / of / Portmanteaus / 1883'. *Nearly extremely fine*.

\$150



976*

National Agricultural Society of Victoria, 1883, in gilt bronze (22mm) (C.1883/7a); Tenterfield I.P.A. & M. Society, award medal in silvered bronze (22mm) (cf.C.A/5) uninscribed. *Uncirculated and rare, good very fine*. (2)

\$100

977

City of South Melbourne, proclaimed 1883, in bronze gilt (38.5mm) by Stokes & Martin. *Extremely fine*.

\$350



978*

Colac Show, 1883, in silver (27mm x 44mm oval within frame), engraved on obverse, a central horseshoe and 'Colac Show / 1883 / 1st Prize', engraved on reverse 'Best / Shod / Saddle / Horse / Won by / J. Baum'. *Very fine.*

\$170



979*

Coonamble P(astoral) and A(gricultural) A(ssociation), 1883, in silver (45mm) with loop and ring suspension, by Evan Jones / 11 Hunter St / Sydney, inscribed on reverse 'Coonamble / P. & A. A. / Awarded to / T.M. Keough / for best / 5. Two Tooth Merino Ewes / bred by Exhibitor / 1883'. *Nearly extremely fine.*

\$270



980*

Goulburn A(gricultural) P(astoral) & H(orticultural) Society, 1883, handcrafted medal in silver (53mm), silver disc within twisted rope frame with suspension bracket, engraved on obverse 'Goulburn / A.P. & H. / Society / 1883', and on reverse 'Awarded to / John Chisholm Esqr. / for / Champion Bull'. *Extremely fine.*

\$350



981*

Parramatta Juvenile & Industrial Exhibition, 1883, in bronze (30mm) (C.1883/2) uninscribed. *Good very fine.*

\$120



982*

Robe Pastoral Agricultural and Horticultural Show, 1883, in silver (40.45mm) with loop mount, inscribed on obverse 'Robe / Pastoral / Agricultural / and / Horticultural / Show / 1883', and on reverse 'Class 3 / Five Fat / Merino Wethers / won by / T.H. Stockdale'. *Good very fine.*

\$250



983*

The Royal Agricultural and Horticultural Society of South Australia, 1883, in bronze (70mm) by J.S. & A.B. Wyon, inscribed around edge 'Awarded to Anderson & Co. for Blacking, Autumn Show 1883'. With case of issue. *FDC.*

\$250



984*

Shepparton & Lower Goulburn Valley Agricultural & Pastoral Society, 1883, award medal in silver (50mm) by E. Altmann Melb, inscribed on reverse 'Shepparton & Lower Goulburn Valley Agricul & Pastl Society / John Ewart / for / Imported Stallion / Oct 1883'. *Extremely fine.*

\$200



985*

Shepparton & Lower Goulburn District Agricultural & Pastoral Society, 1883, award medal in silver (38mm) by E. Altmann - Melbourne, inscribed on reverse 'W. Day / for / Drag Harrows / 1883'. *Good very fine.*

\$200



986*

Shepparton & Lower Goulburn Valley Agricultural & Pastoral Society, 1883, award medal in silver (25mm x 35mm oval) with ornamental suspension bracket, by E.A. Altmann Melbourne, inscribed on reverse 'J. Nicholson / for / Trotter / Oct 1883'. *Uncirculated.*

\$250



987*

Tasmanian Juvenile Industrial Exhibition, 1883, award medal in silver (39.5mm), inscribed on reverse 'N.H. Propsting' and impressed around edge 'Account Books & Machine Paper Ruling'. *Nearly FDC.*

\$300

988

Tasmanian Juvenile Industrial Exhibition, 1883, award medal in silver (39.5mm), inscribed on reverse 'C.Harrison' and impressed around edge 'Two Glazed Frames, Containing Seaweeds'. *Extremely fine.*

\$250



989*

Launceston Art & Industrial Exhibition, 1883, in silver (27mm) (C.1883/1). *Brushmarks in field otherwise uncirculated.*

\$100

990

Launceston Art & Industrial Exhibition, 1883 in silver (27mm) (C.1883/1); **Launceston Exhibition, 1898, Tasmania**, in brass (17mm) (C.1898/5). *Nearly extremely fine - nearly uncirculated. (2)*

\$100



991*

Queen Victoria, c1883, in silver (32mm) by Stokes & Martin Melb, obverse as Sale 35A (lot 535), reverse, plain wreath, uninscribed, ribbon with clasp inscribed 'S.Africa'. Possibly made for a post war tribute medal. *Good extremely fine.*

\$150

Ex Spink Australia Sale 38 (lot 744).



992*

Foundation of the Cobden Club, 1866, in silver (57mm) by J.S. & A.B. Wyon Sc, obverse, bust left, Richard Cobden 1804-1865, reverse, Free Trade Peace Goodwill Among Nations, centre Cobden Club Founded 1866 within wreath, inscribed around edge 'Frederick William Morris Woodward Melbourne University 1883' (BHM 2864, Eimer 1584). *Good very fine.*

\$450



993*

Jubilee of Congregationalism in Australia, 1883, uniface medal in gilded bronze (102mm) by Jackson Ives & Co. *Extremely fine and very rare (with two copies recorded).*

\$750

Ex Spink Australia Sale 16 (lot 1304).

Part excerpt from 'The Sydney Morning Herald' 11 April 1931 'Congregationalism, Its Approaching Centenary' by Frank Walker F.R.A.H.S. 'Those of our denomination in Australia who are looking forward to the centenary of Congregationalism in 1933 will be interested in an illustration of the medal that was struck at the time of the jubilee in 1883, which has only lately come to light. As will be seen, it is of conventional design, the central figure being intended for Moses, the lawgiver. The seven stars surrounding the upper part of the figure represent the six colonies of Australasia and New Zealand, which at that time was included. The bowl of burning incense and palm leaves have a scriptural meaning, but the nature of the plant on the right of the tablet is somewhat obscure.'



994*

Chinese Chamber of Commerce, Victoria, in silver (32mm) with plain suspension bar, by (Stokes & Martin), obverse, flag encircled by Chinese characters, reverse, Chinese characters in centre. *Good extremely fine and very rare.*

\$450

995

Stamp of the Court of Mines Sandhurst, in brass (24mm) with a wooden handle, central feature 'crown'. *Very fine.*

\$150

996

Company Embossing Seals, in bronze, Atlantic Mining Company / No Liability (41mm); Band of Hope Quartz Co. Little Bendigo / Registered (43mm); Bungil Mining Company No Liability / Granya (43mm); New South Temperance Quartz Mining Company / Registered Ballarat (30mm x 42mm oval); Ruby Flat Tin Mining Company / No Liability (40mm); a deeply engraved recessed British Coat of Arms (33.5mm). *Fine.* (6)

\$120



997*

Calcutta International Exhibition, 1883-84, award medal in silver (51mm) inscribed on reverse 'John Curtis / Melbourne / for / Solid Leather / Portmanteaus'. With case of issue. *Good extremely fine.*

\$250

998

Calcutta International Exhibition, 1883-84, award medal in bronze (51mm), lightly scratched on reverse 'Capt / M.H.T. / Brown'. With case of issue. *Good extremely fine.*

\$200



999*

The National Agricultural Society of Victoria, 1884, in silver (35.5mm) inscribed on reverse 'J.Curtis / Special prize / Collection / of / Portmanteaus / 1884'. Note obverse variant to 1883. *Nearly extremely fine.*

\$150

1000

The National Agricultural Society of Victoria, 1884, in silver (35.5mm) inscribed on reverse 'Fitzroy City / Carriage Co / 1st Prize / Double Buggy / (without hood) / 1884'. Note obverse variant to 1883. *Nearly extremely fine.*

\$150

1001

The Royal Agricultural and Horticultural Society of South Australia, 1884, in bronze (70mm) by J.S. & A.B. Wyon, inscribed around edge 'Awarded, March 1884, to Anderson & Robertson for Olive Oil'. *Medal has been officially renamed to the same recipient in a more distinctive engraving, part of the fine engraving can be seen, otherwise nearly FDC.*

\$250



1002*

Herbert River Agricultural and Pastoral Asso(ciation)n., 1884, in silver (45.5mm) inscribed on reverse '1884 / 1st Prize / 12 stone hackney / W.C.C. MacDonalds / 'Normanby'. *Edge knock on obverse, extremely fine.*

\$250



1003*

Presentation trowel, in silver with cream decorative handle, (length 300mm), engraved on face of blade 'Presented to / G. Ravenscroft Esq. / by the / General Committee / of the / Collingwood & Fitzroy / United Friendly Societies Dispensary / on the occasion of his laying / The / Memorial Stone / of / The Institution / September 12th 1884'. *Surface marks on both sides of trowel, otherwise very fine.*

\$300

George Ravenscroft, Architect, Russell Street Melbourne.

1004

Henty Jubilee Portland, 1884, in silver (32mm) (C.1884/1); Henty / Victoria's Jubilee, 1884 in gilt bronze (22mm) (C.1884/4); Centenary of Newcastle 1897, in brass (31mm) (C.1897/2); Larpent Jubilee, 1899 in aluminium and in bronze (31mm) (C.1899/9a) (2). *Extremely fine.* (5)

\$200



1005*

Jubilee of Victoria Exhibition, 1884, in gold (12.7gms, 30mm) by (Stokes & Martin Melbourne) (C.1884-5/1). Obverse with small test cut at 2 o'clock, also P.T. *lightly scratched on reverse shield, otherwise extremely fine and very rare.*

\$750

1006

Jubilee of Victoria Exhibition, 1884-85, award medal in silver (30mm) by (Stokes & Martin Melbourne) (C.1884-5/1), inscribed on reverse 'J.C.Robertson'. *Scratch in obverse field, otherwise nearly extremely fine.*

\$200

1007

Jubilee of Victoria Exhibition, 1884-85, award medal in silver (30mm) by (Stokes & Martin) (C.1884-5/1), inscribed on reverse 'M.L.Hampton'. *Extremely fine.*

\$200



1008*

Armidale and New England Pastoral and Agricultural Society, 1885, in silver (44mm) inscribed on reverse 'Awarded to / B.P.Radford / For / Best Pair / Plough Horses / 1885'. *Extremely fine.*

\$220



1009*

Mackay Agricultural Pastoral & Mining Association, 1885, prize medal in silver (38mm) by T.S. S.C. in exergue, hallmark, Birmingham 1885 J.M., inscribed on reverse 'G.Bromberg / 'Tea & Coffee' / 1885'. *Nearly extremely fine.*

\$200

1010

Riverina Pastoral Society, c1885, in silver (45mm) by J.H. F.C., inscribed on reverse 'T.Robinson & Co / Melbourne / Best Collection / of / Implements'. *Good very fine.*

\$300

1011

Towers Pastoral Agricultural & Mining Association, 1885, in silver (48.5mm) inscribed on reverse 'Awarded to / S.Eddy's / 'Wallace' / 1st Prize / Buggy Horse in Trap / 1885'. *Extremely fine.*

\$250



1012*

Towers Pastoral Agricultural & Mining Association, 1885, in silver (48.5mm) inscribed on reverse 'Awarded to / S.Eddy's / 'Wallace' / 1st Prize / Hack up to 12 stone / 1885'. *Extremely fine.*

\$250



1013*

The 'Cantata' Medal, 1885, in silver (25.5mm) inscribed on reverse 'In Memory of / K.Riordan / 17.8.85'. *Holed at top, nearly very fine.*

\$130

It is thought eight hundred of these medals were struck by the Melbourne Mint for the choristers at the Melbourne International Exhibition 1880-81. See 'Medals of the Melbourne International Exhibitions' by John Sharples, 1996.



1014*

Melbourne Total Abstinence Society, c1885, in bronze (46mm). *Holed at top, very fine.*

\$300

Ex Spink Australia Sale 27 (lot 430).



1015*

National Shipwreck Relief Society of N.S.W., c1885, in bronze (44.5mm) uninscribed. *FDC.*

\$200

1016

Shipwreck Relief & Humane Society of N.S.W., c1885, in bronze (37.5mm) uninscribed. *Good extremely fine.*

\$150



1017*

Royal Geographical Society of Australasia, Queensland, 1885, James Park Thomson medal, in bronze (45mm) by A.Wyon (C.1885/7). *Nearly FDC.*

\$120



1018*

State Schools of Victoria, Board of Advice, proof specimen award medal in bronze (37.5mm) by E.A.Altmann Melbourne. A superb proof of an unissued medal, a museum of Victoria duplicate, one of two specimens known. *FDC and extremely rare.*

\$450

Ex Spink Australia Sale 25 (lot 922).



1019*

University of Sydney, New South Wales, prize medal in bronze (52.5mm) by J.S.Wyon, obverse, Coat of Arms of the University of Sydney, uninscribed. *FDC.*

\$250