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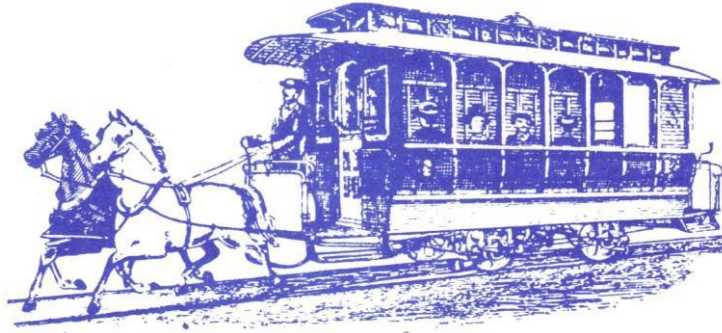
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AVA Convention 2023 – Rich Mallicote, Convention Chairman

Plan now for the 2023 AVA Convention, to be held August 3-6 in Cheyenne, Wyoming. For anyone planning to fly, I would recommend flying to Denver and renting a car. Cheyenne is only 1-1/2 hours by car from the Denver airport through a beautiful area of northeast Colorado.

We will begin the convention with the Executive Board meeting on Thursday afternoon. I am planning on holding the auction on Friday morning. After a break for lunch, we will visit the Cheyenne Depot and Depot Museum (Cheyenne railroad history) and a narrative tour around Cheyenne in the Cheyenne Street Railway Trolley on Friday afternoon. This will give attendees the opportunity to find out what they would like to go back and see on Friday night or Saturday, if they do not want to participate in boursing. Boursing will be held on Saturday, with the convention dinner on Saturday night and the Business Meeting on Sunday morning.

Our host hotel is the Little America Hotel & Resort located at 2800 West Lincolnway in Cheyenne. Everything is set up for attendees to start booking rooms at Little America Cheyenne. The room rates will be \$149 for Wednesday and Thursday nights; \$159 for Friday and Saturday nights. Below is the information to either call or book online.

Group Block Name: American Vecturist Association Dates: August 2-6, 2023

Last Day to Book at Discounted Rate: July 3, 2023 *Rooms types are based on hotel availability at the time of booking

Check-in: 4:00pm // Check-out: 11:00am

The toll-free number for you to call to make a reservation is 800-235-6396.

Or you can use the link below to book online... <https://reservations.travelclick.com/4651?groupID=3841803>

The convention fee this year is \$85, which includes the trolley ride, museum entrance, dinner, token, ribbon, and meeting space costs. This is the same fee as last year, even though our costs have increased. For first time convention attendees, the fee will be \$40 as an incentive for people to come for the first time to enjoy our hospitality.

Please send your convention fee to the following address, payable to AVA: Rich Mallicote, 1039 Arbor Drive, Lakemont, GA 30552. Also please email, write, text, or call me with any questions at rmallicote@comcast.net; 678-642-6933.

Also, I am looking for suggestions for the 2024 convention somewhere in the eastern portion of the US. FYI – we have never held a convention in Louisiana, Alabama, or Mississippi.



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It's About the Journey - by Gary Knell

Recently I have been organizing our Library's State Token reference collection. I am discovering state listings of a wide range of exonomia, some of which catalog cross references to transportation tokens. We have catalogs for 31 states, including the District of Columbia. There are currently 6 states with reference works we do not have and 14 states with no references known. Some of our holdings date back to works published in the mid 1970's and most all are probably out of print and rarely available. As I review this vast assemblage of information I am humbled by the research and countless hours which must have gone into producing these valuable collecting aids. These pioneering collectors, authors, collaborators, and editors have provided our collecting road maps guiding our journey. Many of our AVA catalog holdings are also listed as recommended for a particular state on the website tokencatalog.com.

Many of you undoubtedly encounter "good for" merchant and various medals in your pursuit of transportation related tokens. Collections by region, state, county, local town or city as well as broader categories are not uncommon. Our State Token references provide a broader focus than just transportation. In many cases these references provide additional supporting information including local history, varieties, and geographic details. These books may be useful in your collecting pursuits.

Maybe, like many of our members, you find transportation tokens mixed in with medals, merchant "good fors", and other exonomia. Flea markets, friends and relatives, coin dealer "junk boxes" along with other sources are often fertile grounds for plucking that sought after transportation related item. My own exonomia quest is pretty much confined to the Pacific Northwest region, and in addition to transportation, I frequently encounter the merchant good for pieces I collect. Often I encounter groups of tokens which are from areas outside my collecting focus. Many are mavericks which often provide little clue to their provenance. This is where the state listings are helpful to the research and attribution process; if I determine a location I may be able to trade or sell that token to a fellow collector. It's about the exploration, research "treasure hunt" for many of us.

Recently I encountered two apparently identical transportation tokens from Mississippi. That is all I knew as no place attribution was on the pieces. I consulted the Atwood-Coffee 7th Edition and narrowed the locations to either be Hattiesburg or Laurel due to identical descriptions. I turned to Brozenes and Doodlum, Private Money in Mississippi by George P. Chatham. This revealed not only illustrations but cross references to Atwood, mintage information, date, rarity estimate, and interesting geographical and historical information about the towns. Making the journey complete I referred to Atwood-Coffee Fourth Edition - Volume Three with illustrated minor die varieties. This study revealed I had a token from each place!

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Not hailing from Mississippi, or ever having set foot there, I was unfamiliar with the colloquial term “brozenes and doodlum”. After reading the book, the author defined that expression, which made my journey complete.

In other Library developments, member Stan Varnon of Alabama wrote me shortly after publication of the February *Fare Box*. He was our first customer and I mailed him a printed listing of our Library Catalog as he requested. Shortly after, Roy Lush of Florida sent me a colorful old transportation postal card with a request for information. As a reminder, any member who wishes a mailed copy of our catalog can send a legal size SASE with the two ounce postage affixed and I will process. For those who use our AVA website the most current listing of our Library holdings is linked on our home page.



A Selection of States from our AVA Library

ANDREW ABADIA AUCTION PAGE 1

1. All bids must be received by 5/15/2023.
2. Postage and insurance will be added to all orders.
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6. Bids over \$5.00 will be reduced to 15% over highest bidder or 1.5 times catalog, whichever is higher.

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2127	NY 235A		2178	NY 628C		2229	NY 631L		2280	NY 735La		2331	NY 905C	
2128	NY 235B		2179	NY 629C		2230	NY 631M		2281	NY 735M		2332	NY 905D	
2129	NY 235C		2180	NY 629D		2231	NY 631N		2282	NY 745A		2333	NY 905F	
2130	NY 285Da		2181	NY 629G		2232	NY 631O		2283	NY 775A		2334	NY 905J	
2131	NY 285Db		2182	NY 629H		2233	NY 631Q		2284	NY 780B		2335	NY 905Oa	
2132	NY 290A		2183	NY 629J		2234	NY 631R		2285	NY 780D		2336	NY 905Ob	
2133	NY 290B		2184	NY 629K		2235	NY 631S		2286	NY 780I		2337	NY 905P	
2134	NY 290C		2185	NY 629L		2236	NY 631T		2287	NY 780J		2338	NY 905Q	
2135	NY 305A		2186	NY 630T		2237	NY 631U		2288	NY 780K		2339	NY 905R	
2136	NY 315A		2187	NY 630U		2238	NY 631V		2289	NY 780L		2340	NY 905S	
2137	NY 355D		2188	NY 630W		2239	NY 631W		2290	NY 780M		2341	NY 905T	
2138	NY 360A		2189	NY 630Y		2240	NY 631X		2291	NY 780N		2342	NY 945A	
2139	NY 360C		2190	NY 630Z		2241	NY 631Y		2292	NY 780Q		2343	NY 945D	
2140	NY 360D		2191	NY 630ABa		2242	NY 632A		2293	NY 780R		2344	NY 945F	
2141	NY 380C		2192	NY 630ABb		2243	NY 632B		2294	NY 780S		2345	NY 955A	
2142	NY 410A		2193	NY 630ACa		2244	NY 632C		2295	NY 780T		2346	NY 980A	
2143	NY 425B		2194	NY 630ACb		2245	NY 632D		2296	NY 780U		2347	NY 980B	
2144	NY 437A		2195	NY 630AE		2246	NY 632E		2297	NY 780V		2348	NY 995B	
2145	NY 437B		2196	NY 630AF		2247	NY 640A		2298	NY 780W		2349	NY 995C	
2146	NY 437C		2197	NY 630AJ		2248	NY 640B		2299	NY 780X		2350	NY 1000D	
2147	NY 437D		2198	NY 630AK		2249	NY 640C		2300	NY 780Y		2351	NC 20A	
2148	NY 440B		2199	NY 630AM		2250	NY 640D		2301	NY 780Z		2352	NC 40B	
2149	NY 445H		2200	NY 630AN		2251	NY 640E		2302	NY 785C		2353	NC 130B	
2150	NY 445I		2201	NY 630AP		2252	NY 640H		2303	NY 785D		2354	NC 130J	
2151	NY 500B		2202	NY 630AQ		2253	NH 640I		2304	NY 790D		2355	NC 160A	
2152	NY 505A		2203	NY 630AT		2254	NY 640J		2305	NY 790J		2356	NC 160E	
2153	NY 560B		2204	NY 630AU		2255	NY 640K		2306	NY 800A		2357	NC 160F	
2154	NY 560V		2205	NY 630AV		2256	NY 645B		2307	NY 810B		2358	NC 160G	
2155	NY 590B		2206	NY 630AW		2257	NY 660B		2308	NY 810C		2359	NC 160H	
2156	NY 590C		2207	NY 630AX		2258	NY 660C		2309	NY 810D		2360	NC 160I	
2157	NY 590D		2208	NY 630AY		2259	NY 680A		2310	NY 810E		2361	NC 160J	
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2163	NY 590J		2214	NY 630BF		2265	NY 685H		2316	NY 850C		2367	NC 160Q	
2164	NY 590K		2215	NY 630BG		2266	NY 690A		2317	NY 875A		2368	NC 160R	
2165	NY 590L		2216	NY 630BH		2267	NY 695A		2318	NY 875B		2369	NC 190D	
2166	NY 590M		2217	NY 630BI		2268	NY 695B		2319	NY 875C		2370	NC 240A	
2167	NY 590N		2218	NY 630BJ		2269	NY 695C		2320	NY 875D		2371	NC 265A	
2168	NY 590O		2219	NY 630BK		2270	NY 695D		2321	NY 875O		2372	NC 290A	
2169	NY 590P		2220	NY 631A		2271	NY 695G		2322	NY 875Q		2373	NC 290B	
2170	NY 590Q		2221	NY 631Bb		2272	NY 715A		2323	NY 875U		2374	NC 290C	
2171	NY 590R		2222	NY 631C		2273	NY 735A		2324	NY 875V		2375	NC 290D	
2172	NY 615A		2223	NY 631D		2274	NY 735B		2325	NY 875W		2376	NC 380B	
2173	NY 615B		2224	NY 631E		2275	NY 735C		2326	NY 875AA		2377	NC 380C	
2174	NY 615C		2225	NY 631F		2276	NY 735F		2327	NY 875AC		2378	NC 380D	
2175	NY 615F		2226	NY 631G		2277	NY 735G		2328	NY 875AE		2379	NC 380E	
2176	NY 628A		2227	NY 631H		2278	NY 735Hb		2329	NY 890H		2380	NC 425A	

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2382	NC 450C		2433	OH 35C		2484	OH 230AH		2535	OH 505AD		2586	OH 985D	
2383	NC 450D		2434	OH 35F		2485	OH 230AK		2536	OH 515B		2587	OH 990A	
2384	NC 470A		2435	OH 35G		2486	OH 230AO		2537	OH 515C		2588	OH 995C	
2385	NC 475A		2436	OH 80A		2487	OH 230AP		2538	OH 520A		2589	OH 1000K	
2386	NC 475B		2437	OH 115A		2488	OH 230AQ		2539	OH 520B		2590	OH 1000O	
2387	NC 625A		2438	OH 115C		2489	OH 230AR		2540	OH 520C		2591	OH 1000P	
2388	NC 630A		2439	OH 125A		2490	OH 245A		2541	OH 520F		2592	OK 10A	
2389	NC 670A		2440	OH 125D		2491	OH 245B		2542	OH 520H		2593	OK 20A	
2390	NC 690C		2441	OH 125J		2492	OH 380A		2543	OH 535C		2594	OK 70A	
2391	NC 690D		2442	OH 160A		2493	OH 380B		2544	OH 535D		2595	OK 70B	
2392	NC 690E		2443	OH 160B		2494	OH 380C		2545	OH 550A		2596	OK 70C	
2393	NC 700B		2444	OH 160C		2495	OH 380G		2546	OH 552C		2597	OK 180A	
2394	NC 700C		2445	OH 160D		2496	OH 385E		2547	OH 552D		2598	OK 280A	
2395	NC 700F		2446	OH 160E		2497	OH 425A		2548	OH 552E		2599	OK 280B	
2396	NC 700H		2447	OH 165Q		2498	OH 425F		2549	OH 552F		2600	OK 280C	
2397	NC 710A		2448	OH 165R		2499	OH 425G		2550	OH 552H		2601	OK 280D	
2398	NC 710B		2449	OH 165T		2500	OH 435A		2551	OH 560A		2602	OK 320B	
2399	NC 730A		2450	OH 165U		2501	OH 435C		2552	OH 605A		2603	OK 330E	
2400	NC 750A		2451	OH 165X		2502	OH 435D		2553	OH 605B		2604	OK 330F	
2401	NC 830A		2452	OH 165Y		2503	OH 440A		2554	OH 605C		2605	OK 380A	
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2405	NC 980F		2456	OH 165AH		2507	OH 440F		2558	OH 605G		2609	OK 590B	
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2410	ND 260J		2461	OH 175Xa		2512	OH 440Kb		2563	OH 750A		2614	OK 610C	
2411	ND 260L		2462	OH 175Z		2513	OH 440M		2564	OH 752B		2615	OK 640A	
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2431	OH 15H		2482	OH 230U		2533	OH 505AB		2584	OH 915G		2635	OK 860E	

EVENTS WHERE EXOMUNIA ITEMS ARE AVAILABLE - Bill Brenner

Exonomia items are non-legal tender Numismatic items that are studied and collected. While there are events held exclusively for Exonomia items they are often also found at events labeled Numismatic events. This list is meant to be inclusive of any upcoming event where significant selling, buying or trading of Exonomia items takes place. The "Early Bird" hours, daily public bourse hours, educational forums and auction information is usually found on either the Website indicated or contact information on the list. Show dates are subject to change, so verify before attending.

NOTE: AVA members who take part in Exonomia events not listed are encouraged to add those events to the list. Submit to: Bill Brenner 570-698-8158

April 6-8, 2023

New Hampshire Coin and Currency EXPO
Double Tree Manchester Downtown
700 Elm Street
Manchester, New Hampshire
EBW Promotions, LLC 978-658-0160 (100+ Tables)

April 7-8, 2023

Waco Spring Coin Show
Bellmead Civil Center
3900 Parrish St.
Bellmead Texas 76705
idmonthey@yahoo.com

April 14-16, 2023

PNNA – Pacific Northwest Numismatic Association (Submitted by Gary Knell)
Tukwila Community Center
12424 42nd Ave S
Tukwila, Washington
www.pnna.org (85 Dealers)

April 14-16, 2023

GNA Anniversary Coin Show Georgia Numismatic Association
Dalton Convention Center
2211 Dug Gap Battle Road
Dalton, Georgia
Tom Youngblood 770-875-4042 (350 Dealers)

April 14-15, 2023

2023 Spring Coal Scrip Show (Submitted by Dennis Poland)
National Scrip Collectors Association
Country Inn and Suites
2120 Harper Road

Beckley, West Virginia

Dennis Poland - www.tokenguy56@gmail.com

April 15, 2023

Baltimore Stamp & Coin Show (Submitted by David Van de Streek)

Maryland State Fair Ground, Mosner Miller Building

2200 York Road

Timonium, Maryland

Andrew Graber 443-686-0146

April 24-30, 2023

CSNS – Central States Numismatic Society (Submitted by Paul Cunningham)

Renaissance Schaumburg Hotel & Convention Center

1551 North Thoreau Drive

Schaumburg, Illinois

Kevin Foley 414-807-0116 (350+ Tables)

May 7, 2023

Oregon, Coin, Currency, Token & Medal Show

Holiday Inn

25425 SW 95TH Ave

Wilsonville, Oregon

Randy Van Wie 503-640-4700

May 14, 2023

Bel Mar Coin Club Show (Submitted by David Van de Streek)

Holiday Inn Express

1007 Beards Hill Road

Aberdeen, MD 21001

Len Brokos 410-679-2511 and Andrew Graber 443-686-0146

May 18-20, 2023

PAN Spring Show - Pennsylvania Association of Numismatics and

PATCO Swap & Meeting – Pennsylvania Area Token Collectors Organization

Monroeville Convention Center

2090 Mall Blvd.

Monroeville, Pennsylvania

www.pancoins.org (250 Tables)

May 20-21, 2023 (Submitted by Luke Johnson)

AMA Coin & Stamp Show / Midwest Token & Metal Show (Submitted by Luke Johnson)

Sioux Falls Convention Center

1201 N. West Ave, Sioux Falls South Dakota

Dar Makram 605-321-9195 (110 Tables)

**Parkers Landing Bridge Co – Peg Leg One Foot Passenger Token –
Parker, PA** By C. Judge # 1566

Parker, Pa. was an oil boom town located 82 miles north of Pittsburgh on the Allegheny river. After oil was discovered in 1865 the population grew from several hundred to over 20,000 people. The only way to cross the river was a small ferry operated by James P. Parker at Parkers Landing. In 1872 S.D. Karnes, H. R. Fullerton and Fullerton Parker formed the Parkers Landing Bridge Company and built a “Substantial Iron Bridge” crossing the Allegheny river for railroad, and vehicle traffic. The bridge cost the then huge sum of \$80,000 and was operated as a toll bridge.

The Parkers Landing Bridge Co. Issued five tokens over its operational life. This example is listed as Pennsylvania 745-B in Atwood’s transit catalog. It is a whimsical take on “one foot passenger” showing a man with a wooden leg on the reverse of the token. The token is brown vulcanite, 25mm in diameter issued in unknown quantity. Catalog valuation given on this piece is \$350.00. Currently the example shown below is listed on eBay with what appears to be a \$499.99 optimistic buy it now price. No other sales records of this token could be located, so it just might bring the asking price.



The original 1872 bridge was declared unsafe and obsolete in the early 1930's and was replaced with a 4 span modern truss design in 1934. The bridge is interesting in that it is not level but actually rises 6.25 degrees from low to high point due to shoreline elevation changes. The design allowed for both two lane vehicular and foot traffic.



This image shows the Parkers Landing bridge – now named Veterans Memorial Bridge - entrance at night and shows the pedestrian walkway on the right hand side.



Member's Personal Tokens are collectable and are an interesting part of AVA history. – Keith Haney

Member's Personals have been produced from member #1 up to some new members adding to the fun. In 2009, everything known was cataloged, and just now has been updated. The Curator of the AVA holds the master collection, but also has many duplicates which are available for sale to members who need some additional tokens for their collections.

The Members Personal Tokens, also called MPT's, are cataloged in a six file Word format with two Excel indexes, alphabetic and numeric order. They were originally sold, but now are offered for free. They are listed in the same manner that the Atwood-Coffee editions were done, so they are easily understood. They are in groups of 1000 membership numbers, but also segregated as to AVA specifically related, (files 1, 2, and 3), and non-related (files 1A, 2A, and 3A).

Personals were made to be handed out freely, and many were traded at AVA gatherings, and may represent other club memberships, or just personal stuff like anniversaries, milk tokens, or memberships in different token clubs, etc. They are made of metal, plastic, laminated paper, to even cork. There are watch fobs and also mirrors. They are cataloged by the member's name and a letter just like cities are for transportation tokens.

The following is a list of those tokens which are available for sale. Tokens are priced at one dollar, with mirrors sold for \$5. If you are interested in either the new catalog or tokens themselves, send me an email or snail mail request, and I will get back to you with the catalog and/or a list of what tokens are still available. Keith Haney, Curator, 11 Sunset Circle, Wimberley, TX 78676-2114, or Amikaymh@rhaney.com

MPT Dupes For Sale							
Tokens							
17 A, B	287 A,B,D	412 V,W,X	487 A	713 A	1051 A,B,C	1216 A,C	1505 Da,E
20 A	292 A,B,C	412 Y,AA	497 A	746 A	1051 D,E,F	1219 C,D,F	1505 G
14 E	292 D,E	425 A,B,C	498 C	785 B,C	1076 G	1219 G,H,I	1508 A,B,C
17 B	305 A,B,C	425 E,F	514 A	795 B,C	1080 A	1226 C,I	1508 D,F,G
20 B	305 D,E,F	431 B,C,D	552 C,G,I	810 R,T	1087 A	1257 A	1508 H,I
116 A,D,E	305 G,H,I	431 E,F,G	553 A	826 A,B,C	1089 E,J,K	1312 A	1527 B,C
116 F,G,H	305 K,AG	431 H,I,J	554 B,D,E	826 D,E	1089 M,N,Q	1331 B,C,D	1530 A,B
116 I,J,K	305 BP	431 K,L,M	554 F,G,H	828 B,C,D	1089 R,X,Y	1348 A,B,C	1544 A,C,D
116 L,M,N	336 A,B	431 Q,S,T	554 I,J	828 G,N	1089 Z,zz	1348 D,E,F	1544 H, Ia,J
116 O	375 C,D,F	431 U	570 A,C,D	839 D	1096 A,B,C	1348 G,I	1546 A
118 A,B,C	375 J,K,L	438 B	570 E,F	906 A	1096 D,E,F	1361 B,C,D	1547 A
118 D,E,F	375 M,N,O	441 J,R	571 B,C,D	923 A,C,H	1096 G,H	1365 A,B,C	1566 B,C,D
118 G,I	375 P,R	449 C	571 E,F,H	923 I,J,K	1111 C,K,N	1365 H	1571 A,B
128 A	399 B,G	461 A,B	571 I,K,z	923 L,M,N	1125 A,B	1368 A	1597 A,B,C
184 A	401 C	462 C,D	577 A	923 O,P,Q	1127 A,B,C	1375 A,B,F	1598 A
215 A	407 A	464 A	592 A,D	923 R	1127 D,E,F	1398 B	1605 B
227 A	412 A,B,C	472 B,C	601 B,C,F	940 A	1127 G,H,I	1406 B	1622 A,B
227 z	412 D,E,F	472 D,E,F	605 A, Bb	978 D	1127 J,K,L	1457 B	1623 B
228 A,B	412 G,H,I	472 G	611 A	991 C	1171 A	1459 A	1630 A,C
240 A	412 J,K,L	479 A,B,C	631 A,B,C	1011z	1189 A	1475 A	1662 C,E,F
242 A	412 M,N,O	479 D,E,F	632 A,B	1035 B,C,D	1213 D,E,F	1483 A	1662 G,H,I
266 B	412 P,Q,R	479 G,H,N	655 A,C	1035 Q,y	1213 G,H,I	1498 B,I	1662 J,S,T
277 B	412 S,T,U	479 O,Y	696 A	1047 A,B	1213 J	1505 A,B,C	1662 U,V,W

MPT Dupes for sale, continued						
Tokens						Mirrors
1662 AB	1775 Ea,Eb	1872 A,C	2139 A	2467 D,E,F	2604 D	375 E
1666 A	1775 F	1903 A	2168 A	2467 G.,H,I	2656 B	991 D,E,F
1667 A	1820 A,Ba	1904 B	2199 A	2467 J,K,L	2906 A	991 G
1690 A	1824 B	1910 A	2230 A	2467 M,N,O	2928 A,B,C	1111 O,P,Q
1693 A	1832 A	1943 C,V	2294 A	2467 P,Q,R	2928 D,E	1111 R,S,T
1701 A	1833 A	1966 A,B	2317 D,I	2467 S,T	2982 A	1111 U
1702 C	1841 B,C,E	1976 B,C	2350 A	2536 A,B,C	3093 A	1213 C
1707 A,B,C	1841 Fa,H	2052 z	2382 AS	2536 D	3199 A,B,C	1232 B
1720 A	1841 P,Q,R	2105 A	2397 B	2559 A	3202 E	1251 Q,S
1745 A,B,C	1865 D,G,I	2114 A	2467 A,B,C	2604 A,B,C	3472 z	1375 C
1775 A,B						

NEW ISSUE SERVICE

New Issue Service 2023-01 was sent out in March. It included tokens from Michigan, Oregon, and South Dakota.

Please note, the token envelope marked SD 840 F should have been marked SD 840 H. It is also in error on the invoice. My error and I am sorry for the error.

If anyone needs MI 450 AH, I have a limited number available from the NIS for \$2.65 These date to the mid 1990's and may have been handled by NIS at the time. Check your collection and let me know if you want this unique token.

New Issue Service is accepting new members. If you are interested in joining and getting the new tokens we are finding, please contact me at:

E-mail NIS@Vecturist.com

Fred Sader, AVA NIS Manager
 830 Cooper Drive
 Charlotte, NC 28210-2932

Phone (704) 679-3979
 Cell (704) 281-9843

If you call either number, please be prepared to leave a message so I can get back to you if I do not answer.

Abadia Auction #1.3 Results - Closed 3/15/23

KS 790A	3.00
KS 800A	10.06
KS 820B	2.25
KS 998A	1.50
KS 998B	1.50
KS 998C	1.50
KS 1000D	3.00
KY 10L	13.00
KY 80C	3.25
KY 160A	8.06
KY 280C	2.25
KY 370G	3.00
KY 480E	5.00
KY 480M	1.50
KY 480N	3.00
KY 480O	2.00
KY 480Q	3.00
KY 480Y	2.50
KY 510N	8.06
KY 510O	7.00
KY 510AG	10.06
KY 510AK	2.50
KY 510AL	2.50
KY 510BC	15.06
KY 510BD	2.50
KY 510BF	2.50
KY 510BG	2.50
KY 510BI	2.00
KY 510BQ	13.00
KY 680T	5.00

LA 120A	2.06
LA 120B	2.06
LA 120C	2.06
LA 520A	3.50
LA 620B	5.06
LA 620C	3.56
LA 670Ga	9.00
LA 1000C	4.00
ME 40A	7.80
ME 40B	15.60
ME 70B	1.00
ME 80A	1.50
ME 200A	3.00
ME 200B	3.00
ME 200D	2.60
ME 200G	2.60
ME 200H	2.60
ME 460A	26.00
ME 480C	1.00
ME 480E	10.50
ME 550A	21.00
ME 655B	2.60
ME 710B	10.00
ME 740A	31.50
ME 930A	15.06
MD 40E	3.00
MD 60K	10.06
MD 60L	12.06
MD 60M	16.00
MD 60N	14.06

MD 60Z	7.56
MD 60AE	14.50
MD 60AL	5.56
MD 60AN	7.56
MD 60AO	15.06
MD 60AP	10.06
MD 60AR	2.70
MD 550A	12.00
MD 580A	3.50
MD 620F	5.00
MD 815A	6.00
MD 840C	31.00
MD 940A	35.49
MD 940C	25.06
MD 940D	5.56
MA 45A	5.00
MA 45B	25.20
MA 50A	7.00
MA 115I	1.50
MA 115K	8.06
MA 115N	2.00
MA 115P	2.00
MA 115Q	10.00
MA 115R	1.00
MA 115S	0.75
MA 115U	7.50
MA 115V	1.00
MA 115W	2.00
MA 115X	5.06
MA 115Y	10.50

MA 115Z	2.00
MA 115AB	5.06
MA 135D	1.50
MA 145A	2.60
MA 145B	5.00
MA 145Ca	2.06
MA 145D	4.55
MA 210B	7.80
MA 215A	3.15
MA 245B	4.55
MA 245C	4.55
MA 245D	2.60
MA 275Aa	1.05
MA 275Ba	1.05
MA 275C	1.05
MA 305B	4.00
MA 430C	1.05
MA 430D	1.05
MA 445A	5.06
MA 505A	7.50
MA 540A	1.05
MA 540B	1.05
MA 540C	1.05
MA 550F	0.75
MA 550G	0.81
MA 550H	0.75
MA 630C	5.06
MA 630D	10.50
MA 630E	2.60
MA 645B	0.75

MA 660A	13.00
MA 970E	5.00
MA 1000A	1.30
MA 1000C	4.55
MA 1000D	3.56
MI 5L	2.00
MI 5M	3.00
MI 20B	1.75
MI 20D	1.75
MI 20F	1.75
MI 65B	7.00
MI 65C	7.06
MI 68D	0.75
MI 70B	1.31
MI 75I	3.00
MI 80A	17.21
MI 125A	19.34
MI 135A	2.00
MI 135E	5.06
MI 225E	3.50
MI 225W	3.50
MI 265C	5.00
MI 345D	1.00
MI 360C	4.00
MI 370B	12.06
MI 370C	3.56
MI 370M	3.00
MI 370N	2.06
MI 375C	5.56
MI 390C	2.00

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U.S. PARKING TOKENS NEWS AND VIEWS – Bill Brenner

This article's goal is to provide Parking Token Collectors a list of what tokens can be collected. It supports a collector utilizing both a typical book catalog and www.tokencatalog.com. Members are encouraged to submit new tokens with image (BMP or JPEG files) of obverse and reverse, vital information (composition, diameter, etc.) state and city where used, operator and any history of token. Contact: Bill Brenner 570-698-8158, bbrenner@portjeff.net, 502 Stock Farm Road, Lake Ariel, PA 18436.

There is a major difference in the way Parking Token Major Varieties are cataloged in the book type catalogs and tokencatalog.com. In addition, both types of catalogs are not consistent with how Major Varieties are cataloged. It is noted in the book catalog "The different varieties are indicated by lower-case letters starting with a". Also noted, "There are 19 known major varieties of the PARCOA type reverses described as "PARCOA token (gate)". These are noted with a Capital letter in a (). Example: [REV A]. Likewise, TC.COM has issues with varieties. A lower-case letter is placed after the Capital letter designating the individual token involved. In addition, the token is given a separate TC number which gives each token recondition. Unfortunately, numerous varieties were not given the lower-case letter or a Capital letter in a (). That has resulted in multiple tokens with the same catalog number. Example: 4 TX 3340-K tokens, 4 IL3150-B tokens, etc. As they come to our attention, they will be changed.

MODIFICATIONS TO TOKENCATALOG.COM (AKA TC-COM) CATALOG

ILLINOIS 2 IL 3070-C tokens changed to IL 3070-Ca (REV I), Cb (REV L)

ILLINOIS 2 IL 3150-AM tokens changed to IL 3150-AMa (REV A), AMb (REV C)

ILLINOIS 3 IL 3150-AX tokens changed to IL 3150-AXa (REV A), AXb (REV C), AXc (REV D)

ILLINOIS 6 IL 3150-AY tokens changed to IL 3150-AYa (REV A), AYb (REV B), AYc (REV C), AYd (REV D), AYe (REV K), AYf (REV R)

ILLINOIS 4 IL 3150-B tokens changed to IL 3150-Ba (REV A), Bb (REV C), Bc (REV K), Bd (REV L)

ILLINOIS 2 IL 3150-BB tokens changed to IL 3150-BBa (REV L), BBb (REV N)

ILLINOIS 5 IL 3150-BD tokens changed to IL 3150-BDa (REV B), BDb (REV C), BDc (REV D), BDd (REV E), BDe (REV H)

ILLINOIS 4 IL 3150-BE tokens changed to IL 3150-BEa (REV D), BEb (REV H), BEc (REV L), BEd (REV C)

ILLINOIS 2 IL 3150-BF tokens changed to IL 3150-BFa (REV G), BFb (REV I)

ILLINOIS 3 IL 3150-BP tokens changed to IL 3150-BPa (REV G), BPb (REV I), BPc (REV Q)

ILLINOIS 2 IL 3150-BS tokens changed to IL 3150-BSa (REV I), BSb (REV L)

ILLINOIS 2 IL 3150-BT tokens changed to IL 3150-BTa (REV I), BTb (REV M)

ILLINOIS 1 IL 3150-BXa token changed to IL 3150-BXa (REV A)

ILLINOIS 2 IL 3150-BXb tokens changed to IL 3150-BXb (REV B), BXc (REV C)

ILLINOIS 2 IL 3150-Zb tokens changed to IL 3150-Zb (REV E), Ze (REV I)

TEXAS 1 TX 3340-H token changed to TX 3340-H (REV D)

TEXAS 4 TX 3340-K tokens changed to TX 3340-Ka (REV G), Kb (REV H), Kc (REV L), Kd (REV D)

TEXAS 2 TX 3400-A tokens changed to TX 3400-Aa (REV D), Ab (REV L)

NOTE: TX 3360-E was posted in the Jan 2022 FARE BOX noting the token does not exist. A year later, I found it posted on the 16th supplement to the 7th Edition Parking Token Catalog in April of 2013. It was not in TC.COM. I did not remember the Jan 2022 posting, so I added it to the TC.COM data base. I also posted it in the Jan 2023 FARE BOX. In the March 2023 FARE BOX, I spelled **GREENE COUNTY BANK**, GREEN COUNTY BANK on TN 3300-A and B. Collectors of Parking Tokens are fortunate to have other collectors like Bob Nolan and Dennis Poland who oversee NEWS and VIEWS. Bob identified the mistake I made with TX 3360-E. It has again been removed from TC.COM. **THE TOKEN DOES NOT EXIST. Thanks Bob.** Dennis gave me a spelling lesson on how **GREENE COUNTY** is spelled in East Tennessee. It is spelled correctly on the tokens posted on TC.COM. **Thanks Dennis.**

**Barrow In Furness Postman And Employee Fare Tokens –
England 50-AE & AJ** By C. Judge #1566

Barrow in Furness is a port town in the Cumbria region of England with approximately 70,000 inhabitants. The Barrow-in-Furness Corporation Act of 1925 contained powers to operate motorbuses and authorized expansion of the small existing bus system. The Barrow government was successful and operated a reliable competitive expanding bus system. Under the 1985 National Transport Act, the Corporation Transport Department was forced to become an 'arm's length' limited company, which commenced trading as Barrow Borough Transport Limited on 26th October 1986. The national takeover effectively ended over 6 decades of Barrow municipal involvement in local transport. The Borough Council continued to be the major shareholder until 26th May 1989.

Barrow In Furness Corporation Transport issued a total of eleven different tokens supporting it's operations. Seven were for employee travel and four were designated for the local Postmen's travel usage. No tokens were issued for regular public usage. All tokens are 23mm plastic in various colors and fare valuations. The orange Postman's example shown below is listed in Smiths 1990 transit catalog as England 50-AJ. The olive green employee token is listed as England 50-AE. The series is not rare with catalog value of \$0.50 and usually sells for between \$1.50 and \$3.00 per token.



The photo below is a Leyland Titan 1960 vintage bus of the type used by Barrow. It is a double deck design to maximize the number of passengers that could be carried on the busier routes in the system.



This image is a fare and timetable pamphlet issued by the company in 1971.



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All Ads must be received by the 21st of the prior Month

#10 Books & Catalogues: Looking to acquire the 2007 - 6th Edition of Feisel's Catalogue of Parking Tokens. Will trade tokens or pay U.S. currency. Bill Brenner, 502 Stock Farm Rd Lake Ariel, PA 18436, (570) 698-8158, bbrenner@portjeff.net

#35 For Sale: Bulk mixed tokens: I have (2) 50 pound bags of bulk mixed tokens, mainly lower denomination casino coins, arcade, parking, etc., minimal transportation and car wash. These would be great as bulk tokens in 25c boxes or trade with other collectors. Asking \$165 per bag postpaid. Bob Schneider, 2408 Featherbed Dr., Chesapeake, VA 23325. Phone number is 757-713-0786. Email is mykidsplay@gmail.com

#35 For Sale: Seventy-seven (77) Texas transit tokens for sale, as one lot, for \$310. Many common, some better. Send email address (or SASE) to see the list. Don Bailey, 615 Laurel Lake Drive, Apt. A-119, Columbus, NC 28722 eladonb@gmail.com

#50 Parking: Looking for United States Parking Tokens. Need you to send a Trade/Sell list. If you have U.S. Parking Tokens but don't know the Catalog IDs, contact me and I will provide them. Bill Brenner, 502 Stock Farm Rd Lake Ariel, PA 18436, (570)698-8158, bbrenner@portjeff.net

#70 Wanted: AL 570-E & -F, NY 628-A thru -C, NY 630-AO, all PR TTs and all Philippines TTs. I will pay 1.5 time catalog or swap for tokens from my web site:
<https://bobstokens.com/transportation-tokens/> Bob Schneider, 2408 Featherbed Dr., Chesapeake, VA 23325. Phone 757-713-0786. Email mykidsplay@gmail.com

#70 Wanted: Transportation Tokens: KS 40-Cb, 540-B, 1000-B & -C; CO 110-N, 260-I, 340-V, 998-A & -D; PP (Presentation Piece) -Z, -AH, -AI, -BH. Multiples/Bulk OK. John Kent, 18387 154th Terrace, Basehor, KS 66007, tokent7@hotmail.com 719-650-2007 (Leave Message).

#70 Wanted: Kansas and Colorado Transit, Car Wash and Parking tokens wanted. Have traders from all states available. John Kent, 18387 154th Terrace, Basehor, KS 66007, tokent7@hotmail.com 719-650-2007.

#70 Wanted: The Lucas VA-CAR Bus Lines token, presently listed as NC 280-C wanted. Will pay \$600 or try to work out a trade. David Schenkman, PO Box 2866, La Plata, MD 20646. Phone: 301-274-3441 email dschenkman@verizon.net