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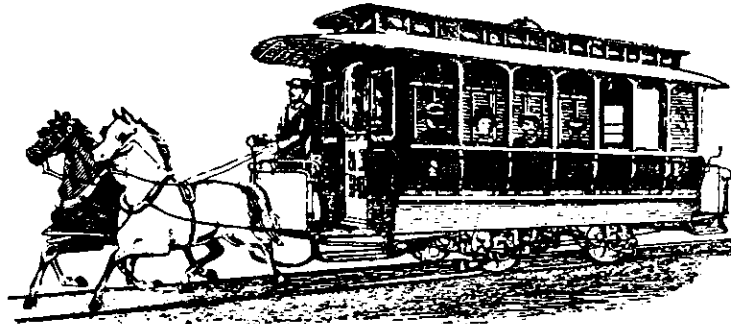
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KAZUMA OYAMA and GEORGE SHREEVES

It distresses me to have to report the deaths of two more members. Kazuma Oyama, AVA 1692, of Wahiawai, Hawaii, joined us in 1977. A veteran of the famous 442nd Division of the U.S. Army, all of whom were Americans of Japanese descent, Kazuma died October 7 at age 80. A retired federal budget analyst, he is survived by his wife Kikue, two brothers, two sisters, a son & daughter, and 9 grandchildren. They, and we, miss him poignantly.

George Shreeves, AVA 2838, of Mannheim, Pennsylvania, joined in September 1997, and died in August at age 72. A retired locksmith, he was an avid token collector and a good friend. He was killed in a head-on auto crash when the other driver crossed the center line on a curve. His loss is felt by all of us.

October 18. On page 94 last month I mentioned new brass and WM tokens now in use in Birmingham, AL. These are used only on special buses that run to special events, and the fare value of each token is \$6.00. There aren't enough for our New Issues Service, but Billy Joe Wood, a former AVA member, believes he can get a few of them at the company office. He will take orders only till December 1, at \$8 per token (\$16 for the pair) +SASE. After Dec. 1 he'll go in and see if he can buy enough to cover his orders. If he can't get enough he'll use your SASE to return your check. The \$8 covers his time & expense in driving 25 miles in heavy traffic into Birmingham. The token is pictured on page 94 last month. (See page 108, this issue)

Louis Crawford learned that Windham Region Transit District in Willimantic, CT, was using tokens. He wrote and got one. It turns out to be the same token now in use at Pullman, WA (WA 710 E), as indicated in the 3-year supplement. Tokens sell at 10 for \$11.50, somewhat more than what they sell for in Pullman.

Bob Kelley drove all the way to Marion, IN, to get the token mentioned, and pictured, on page 94 last month from that city. They are not inclined to sell any at all to collectors. Bob did talk them out of just one. They are apparently senior tokens. Bob added, "The fellow at Indiana said maybe some day they would get out of the token business altogether. Just too many problems, and go to a card system which they already have in some places. I gave them my name & address to let me know if they do dispose of them. He said he would." Bob drove 350 miles round trip to Marion. That is a true collector!

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THE UNITED KINGDOM ANNUAL TOKEN CONGRESS: 1999
By Ronnie Breingan

From 3rd to 5th September 1999 the 18th Annual Token Congress was held in the Cumbrian College of Art and Design in the town of Carlisle in the north of England. The Congress is held each year in a different town or city in the United Kingdom. Over 70 delegates attended. They all had an interest in collecting tokens of various types including some who collect transport tokens.

I had come south from Scotland as my main interest is in Scottish transport tokens. The Congress was opened with a welcome from the organiser, Mr. Charles Farthing. Although there were no major talks on the tokens relating to transport, a varied programme was held with talks on the Saturday on aspects of token collecting including the local ones of the area, framed tokens and those of J. Lyon & Co. Ltd., the well known British suppliers of tea, cakes and ice cream, but in the talk the subject related to when they were involved in the explosive industry.

A local historian gave us an interesting account of the local banks in Carlisle and their note issue last century (19th Century) and a member spoke on "Pension Provisions 1799." A well known lady member then spoke on the subject "A Remarkable Lady" after a talk was given on "Portable Antiquities Pilot Scheme."

There followed a few short talks including an update on some of the British transport tokens.

The Congress Dinner took place on the Saturday evening followed by the bourse. That is the time when many members take a table to exhibit and sell very varied collections of tokens. During this time I was fortunate in purchasing a few Scottish transport tokens including a W. Alexander & Son Ltd., duty pass.

On the Sunday the subjects were again interesting such as "Token Issuers and the Heralds' Visitations" followed by Bath Pleasure Gardens, Canteen Tokens of a Munitions Factory and with a Scottish flavour the tokens issued between Edinburgh and Leith.

A subject which I am sure most readers would have enjoyed was "The Dinorwic Quarry Workmens' Train" followed by a talk on managing a colliery by tokens. The Congress talks ended with The First (and only) Silver Tokens of Carlisle.

After lunch we said our farewells for another year as we each departed in our different directions to our homes in various places in the United Kingdom and, for one member, back to the U.S.A.

Larry Dziubek writes of his good fortune in picking up one of the all-time classics, PA 385 B, the black vulcanite 8¢ Foxburgh & St. Petersburg T & P. Road token. Hal Ford has one, which came out of the Atwood collection. I don't know of any others. Larry also sends along a photocopy of a green rectangular cardboard ticket (49x30mm) issued by the Pittsburgh, Allegheny & Manchester Ry. Co. and bearing the written signature of J. Kirkpatrick, whose name is also on the black oval vulcanite PA 765 B. Larry's ticket says "Good For One Seat between Wood's Run & Car House." Nice find!

Dick Schubert sends a clipping from the Wall Street Journal, reporting that over a decade some 43,000,000 tokens were "bought for use on the Garden State Parkway, but were never tossed into toll baskets." These would be NJ 570 A-E. So they're ordering 3,000,000 more "copper and nickel tokens at a cost of \$138,000." So we wonder if the new ones will be different from A to E, or just like them. If you use the Turnpike check and see.

Louis Crawford sends a photocopy of a 24mm brass token (with ears, like a car wash token) inscribed THE SKYWALK/PRUDENTIAL CENTER in incuse letters on obverse, and a picture of the building on reverse. That's right here in Boston and for all I know it's in use now. I'll check into it and let you know.

HIAWATHALAND TRANSIT: MN 665 A
By Ron Geppert

Hiawathaland Transit is a curb-to-curb Dial-a-Ride public transportation service for all residents age 2 and up in the small towns of Cannon Falls, Elgin, Kellogg, Lake City, Plainview, Wabasha, and surrounding villages such as Frontenac, Sand Prairie, and Reads Landing in southeastern Minnesota. It is administered by the Three Rivers Community Action, Inc., at 1414 North Star Drive in Zumbrota, MN 55992. It is supported by the Minnesota Dept. of Transportation, Goodhue County, Wabasha County and the above mentioned towns. The radio dispatched buses are owned by the state and operated by Kurth Bus Services Inc., which also operates school buses in the area. The hours of operation are 8:30 to 5:30 during the work week with no service on major holidays or when road conditions deteriorate to the point where schools are closed. The cost of a one-way trip is \$1 or a token, and double that if the trip is to one of the nearby villages. Token cost is also \$1, and they are available at city halls and some businesses. Reservations are taken 24 hours a day and less than 24-hour notice is handled on a first come, first served basis.

GLASGOW UNDERGROUND TOKENS
By Ronnie Breingan

When we think about collectible tokens we tend to look back at least earlier in the 20th Century and often into previous centuries, but this should not necessarily be the case. The Glasgow Underground, previously known as the Subway, has issued a variety of tokens from the 1970's, most of which are now obsolete and many of them were only in use for a short time.

Shields Road was the first station to use Park & Ride tokens. These were issued by Greater Glasgow Passenger Transport Executive. They were struck in brass and had the initials GGPTTE round a U on the obverse and CAR PARK across the reverse. They were 22½mm in diameter. When the Transport Executive became known as Strathclyde Passenger Transport Executive new tokens were issued of similar size and design, except that the lettering was SPTE with the E reversed. The reversed E was obviously an error in striking, and was later corrected with a new issue where the E was the correct way round. The new token seems to be less common than the one with the reversed E. These three types were all issued at Shields Road Station as when other stations started a Park & Ride system larger tokens of 24½mm diameter were used. These were Bridge Street, West Street and Kelvinbridge. These issues were of brass and although larger, were thinner. The wording for each of these stations was different.

The Bridge Street tokens have STRATHCLYDE TRANSPORT round a large thin U on obverse, and on reverse BRIDGE STREET PARK AND RIDE. The West Street tokens were the same on the obverse as the Bridge Street ones, but reverse had the wording WEST STREET CAR PARK. The Kelvinbridge tokens were the same size but obverse simply had SPTE across and K/B on reverse. Then there was a token with same obverse as the Bridge Street and West Street tokens, but on reverse it has PARK AND RIDE PARK AND RIDE (twice). No reference to name of the station. The smaller ones were still used at Shields Road. Recently all these tokens have been replaced with brass ones of 24½mm. That is the same size as the three stations' tokens but with no reference to the region. Glasgow or Park & Ride and simply have the initials ASL across obverse with blank reverse. The letters obviously relate to the machine company for the car parks rather than the Underground.

From the mid 1970s to the late 1990s eight types of tokens have been issued for Park & Ride use, by Glasgow Underground. Only one of these is still issued, although it may be that a few of the later large ones could still be in use at some of the stations as they are or the same size.

What makes many of these tokens scarce is firstly that some of them were only in use for a short time, and secondly the public did not normally take them home as they needed to be put into the machine to open the barrier when leaving the car park.

[acknowledgments: Andrew MacMillan, Ralph Hayes, Brian Longworth]

- from The Glasgow & West of Scotland Numismatic Society newsletter

OCTOBER SUPPLEMENT TO THE ATWOOD-COFFEE CATALOGUE
By Harold V. Ford

CALIFORNIA

Fremont 295 (Reported by Louis Crawford)
KARTS-N-GOLF® /2-SEATER/(GO-KART)
A B 27 Sd)crown inside design \$6.00

San Diego 745 (Reported by John Coffee)
SEAPORT VILLAGE/BROADWAY FLYING HORSES/
AD Z 25 Sd (PERSON ON CAROUSEL HORSE)
1/Ride Token/Non Refundable/No Cash Value/HH
(bronze-plated) 1.00

KANSAS

Herington 390 (Reported by J.L. Hargett)
GOOD FOR/1/RIDE/J.C. PEUGH
A o A Oc Pc Herington/Kan. (incuse inscriptions) (26mm) 75.00

LOUISIANA

Miscellaneous 1000 (Reported by Louis Crawford)
PRIDE AIR/KREWE/(LOGO)
F o A 39 Sd Drink/Token/(airplane) (reeded edge)
G o A 39 Sd " " (anodized blue)
H o A 39 Sd " " (anodized gold)

NEW MEXICO

Albuquerque 40 (Reported by New Issues Service)
SANDIA PEAK/SKI & TRAMWAY/(LOGO with TRAMWAY
M o Bz 39 Sd CAR)/GOOD FOR ONE ROUND TRIP FARE/49th ANNUAL
CONVENTION AUGUST 13-15, 1999
(AVA seal) (325 struck) 7.50

ERRORS AND ADDITIONS

KS 620 J: add Vars: a. ornament at each end of TRANSFER
b. no ornaments

NOTES BY HAROLD V. FORD

The listed CA 295 go-kart ride token was the first of three currently in use at this location, and very few specimens remain at this time. The New Issues Service will not handle this one.

The CA 745 AD listing is in short supply at this time. Maybe when they reorder we can obtain a supply for the N.I.S.

J.L. Hargett picked up the Herington, KS, token at a recent exomunia show. Per a 1934 Directory, J.C. Peugh operated a service station.

Re the LA 1000 listings, Louis Crawford reports that Pride Air was founded in 1984 by a group of Continental pilots, operated 727's between Florida and western destinations, with headquarters in New Orleans. It had insufficient capitalization to compete, and shut down in 1986.

The Albuquerque, NM, 1999 AVA Convention tour token will be sent to all N.I.S. members. It was struck by Masterpiece Medallions of Claremont, CA.

J.L. Hargett obtained a second variety of KS 620 J via an auction in the NATCA publication TALKIN' TOKENS.

Joe Barreiro recently traded to me a very interesting vecturist item that is not listable, but is worth noting. It is paper thin rectangular 25x49mm, red plastic with black printing: OMNIBUS / TRANSFER TICKET / CHEBOYGAN/The American Art Works, Coshocton, O.//(blank reverse)

ADDRESS FOR ORDERING THE NEW BIRMINGHAM TOKENS MENTIONED ON THE FRONT PAGE: Billy Joe Wood - 575 7th Street SW - Graysville, Alabama 35073-1622. Send orders directly to him.

NEW FOREIGN TRANSIT TOKEN LISTINGS supp # 13

By Curtis H. Judge

This supplement continues the English listings provided by Mr. John Tolson. In the past two English supplements I used the Atwood Catalog notation style to list the color of the plastic tokens, IE: a small letter following the C for celluloid. The Smith foreign catalogs do not have the listings of these color notations. For the benefit of Non - U.S. members that may not have a copy of Atwood, I will list the colors of the tokens from the last supplements, and continue to list the color with each individual token in this and future listings. Sorry for the confusion.

ENGLAND COLORS ---

- 135 CF-ORANGE, ZA-ORANGE, CJ-YELLOW 148 CA-ORANGE, CB-LT. BLUE
- 180 BM-ORANGE, BN-RED, BO-TURQUOISE, BP-BLUE, BQ-YELLOW, BR-RED
- 405 EP-PURPLE, ET-LT. VIOLET, EU-BLUE, EV-RED 465 AA-GREEN
- 498 BG-ORANGE, BH-RED, BI-ORANGE, 527 ZA-BLUE
- 543 ZA-RED, BO-YELLOW, BP- LT BLUE, BQ-RED

Cirencester 180

Cotswold District Council 40P

BS o C 26mm sd Cotswold District Council 40P (turquoise) 9 sided \$3.00
 Used 4-1-98 to 3-31-99

Cotswold District Council 40P

BT C 26mm sd Cotswold District Council 40P (blue) 9 sided \$3.00
 Used 4-1-99 to date

Newport 550

N.T. (V cypher)

BB B 21mm ch One Journey Token (small center hole 4mm) \$2.00
 Used 8-1988 to date



The following listings of National Transport tokens are located in Preston. Previous listings had the company located in Manchester, it was purchased by Stagecoach Holdings and the headquarters moved to Preston.

Preston 605

N.T.T. 10P

CA A 19mm sd N.T.T. 10P Pattern

National Transport Token 20 (7 sided)

CB A 25mm sd N C Midi 1989 (minibus) \$2.00
 Used 1989 to date

National Transport Token 20 (7 sided)

CC A 25mm sd Leyland N Type 1920 (bus) \$2.00
 Used 1992 to date

National Transport Token 50 (9 sided)

CF A 29mm sd Leyland Lion 1927 (bus and map) \$3.00
 Used 1990 to date

National Transport Token 50 (9 sided)

CG A 29mm sd Caernarfon Castle (castle) \$3.00
 Used 1990 to date



Please send new listing information to 3589 Redbud Lane Harrisonburg, VA 22801 USA
Telephone 540-574-0078 evenings E-Mail JUDGEFAM@AOL.COM

NEW FOREIGN TRANSIT TOKEN LISTINGS supp # 14

By Curtis H. Judge

In this supplement we continue the English listings provided by Mr. John Tolson. We have sufficient additional material to provide several more supplements from England, Scotland and Ireland. If this effort is to continue, I need additional listing information from our other non-US members. Please send me any new or old unlisted transit token information you have. A rubbing of the token and complete wording will be necessary to insure accuracy. I appreciate your help.

ENGLAND

Preston 605

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| National Transport Token 50 (9 sided) | | |
| CH | A 29mm sd Conway Castle (castle) | \$3.00 |
| | Used 1990 to date | |
| National Transport Token 50 (9 sided) | | |
| CI | A 29mm sd Edinburg Castle (castle) | \$3.00 |
| | Used 1990 to date | |
| National Transport Token 50 (9 sided) | | |
| CJ | A 29mm sd York Minster (cathedral) | \$3.00 |
| | Used 1990 to date | |



The next listings are a complete group of Zodiac signs. A complete set of these would be rather difficult to assemble. All of these tokens have an intermittent milled edge for identification purposes. All were used March 15, 1994 to date. The obverse is common to all tokens.

Preston 605

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| National Transport Token 1994 10 | | |
| CM | A 19mm sd Capricorn (goat) Dec 23 - Jan 19 | \$1.50 |
| CN | A 19mm sd Aquarius (water carrier) Jan 20 - Feb 19 | \$1.50 |
| CO | A 19mm sd Pices (fishes) Feb 20 - Mar 20 | \$1.50 |
| CP | A 19mm sd Aries (ram) Mar 21 - Apr 20 | \$1.50 |
| CQ | A 19mm sd Taurus (bull) Apr 21 - May 21 | \$1.50 |
| CR | A 19mm sd Gemini (twins) May 22 - Jun 22 | \$1.50 |
| CS | A 19mm sd Cancer (crab) Jun 23 - Jul 23 | \$1.50 |
| CT | A 19mm sd Leo (lion) Jul 24 - Aug 23 | \$1.50 |
| CU | A 19mm sd Virgo (girl) Aug 24 - Sep 23 | \$1.50 |
| CV | A 19mm sd Libra (scales) Sep 24 - Oct 23 | \$1.50 |
| CW | A 19mm sd Scorpio (Scorpion) Oct 24 - Nov 22 | \$1.50 |
| CX | A 19mm sd Sagittarius (archer) Nov 23 - Dec 22 | \$1.50 |



The next six listings are similar to the above zodiac pieces except that they are dated 1995. They were issued January 1995 and are still in use. The obverse is common to each token, and all have an intermittent milled edge.

Preston 605

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| National Transport Token 1995 10 | | |
| DA | A 19mm sd Capricorn (goat) Dec 23 - Jan 19 | \$1.50 |
| DB | A 19mm sd Aquarius (water carrier) Jan 20 - Feb 19 | \$1.50 |
| DC | A 19mm sd Taurus (bull) Apr 21 - May 21 | \$1.50 |
| DD | A 19mm sd Libra (scales) Sep 24 - Oct 23 | \$1.50 |
| DE | A 19mm sd Scorpio (scorpion) Oct 24 - Nov 22 | \$1.50 |
| DF | A 19mm sd Sagittarius (archer) Nov 23 - Dec 22 | \$1.50 |

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SUPPLEMENT #22 TO CAR WASH TOKENS OF NORTH AMERICA
By Harold V. Ford

FLORIDA

Naples 595

PALM CAR WASH NAPLES, FL (PALM TREE, SETTING SUN)

A Bz 25 Sd Carwash Token Satisfaction Guaranteed or Double Your Dirt Back
hm .50

IDAHO

Crouch 210

SPIT 'N' SHINE CAR WASH CROUCH, IDAHO

A Bz 25 Sd Carwash Token Satisfaction Guaranteed or Double Your Dirt Back
hh 1.00

IOWA

Cedar Rapids 150 (ex Unid 255)

SELF SERVE CARWASH ABC-STORE rwm (ANTIQUÉ CAR)

E Bz 25 Sd No Cash Value rwm .50

MICHIGAN

Berrien Springs 85 (ex Unid 251)

BERRIEN SPRINGS SUPER WASH NON REFUNDABLE TOKEN (NO CASH VALUE)

A Bz 25 Sd Carwash Token hh (antique car) .50

Douglas 233 (also Fennville, MI)

BEARCO PREMIUM AUTOWASH

A Bz 25 Sd Carwash Token hh (antique car) 1.25

LIKE-NU CARWASH#5

B Bz 25 Sd Carwash Token Non Refundable No Cash Value hh 1.25

MINNESOTA

Minneapolis 540 (ex Unid 208, 209)

TC WASH TENDER CARE

J WM 25 Sd Carwash Token Non Refundable No Cash Value hh 1.00

K B 25 Sd " " " " " " " " .50

MISSOURI

Joplin 430

RACO AUTOMATIC CAR WASH

E B 25 Sd Carwash Token Sstisfaction Guaranteed our Double Your Dirt
Back hh .50

NEVADA

Reno 600 (ex Unid 214 and 328)

REEVES CARWASH WELLS AVE.

I o B 25 Sd Carwash Token Non Refundable No Cash Value VB (crown) 1.00

J o B 25 Sd " " " " " " " " (reeded edge) 1.00

OHIO

Cincinnati 165

DON'S CAR WASH 4758 SPRING GROVE 3705 BEEKMAN hh

H Bz 25 Sd (same as obv.) .50

WESTERN CAR WASH 5560 GLENWAY AVE. CINCINNATI, OH (513)922-8736

I Wr 39 Sd \$1.00 Off Your Next Visit (obv. of 1883 Morgan dollar) 1.00

TEXAS

Electra 315 (ex Unid 343)
 ELECTRA CAR WASHES GOOD FOR 75¢ IN TRADE 75¢
 A Bz 29 Sd Carwash token hh (antique car) .75

Ft. Worth 340 (ex Unid 379)
 BAKER BOULEVARD CAR WASH (STARS)
 F B 23 Sd Carwash Token Non Refundable No Cash Value hh .50

Houston 445
 GREGG BINGHAM'S (HOUSTON OILER FOOTBALL HELMET) #54
 AM o Bz 25 Sd No Cash Value rwm 3.50

WISCONSIN

Dyckesville 173
 DEPREY'S 25 KWIKI WASH 25 DYCKESVILLE 25 25
 A B 23 Sd Wash Token Non Refundable No Cash Value hh .50

Platteville 650 (ex Unid 332, 333 & a new one)
 POWER WASH (INSIDE LOGO)
 A B 23 Sd Power Wash Car Wash Token For Self-Serve Bays Only rwm .50
 B B 29 Sd Power Wash Car Wash Token For Brushless Automatic Wash rwm 4.00
 (WM-plated)
 C B 29 Sd Power Wash Car Wash Token For Brushless Automatic Wash rwm 4.00

UNIDENTIFIED

COLONIAL CAR WASH NON-REFUNDABLE 25¢
 393 Bz 25 Sd hh (eagle on emblem over wreath)(stars)
 DIRTY HARRY'S CARWASH (STARS)

394 Bz 25 Sd Carwash Token Non Refundable No Cash Value hh
 CRYSTAL SPRINGS WASH TOKEN CAR WASH

395 Bz 25 Sd (cartoon auto facing left)(stars)
 WASH N' GO CARWASH TOKEN NON REFUNDABLE NO CASH VALUE

396 Bz 25 Sd Good Luck Souvenir hh (two horseshoes)
 U-NEVER-KNOW (CARTOON CHARACTER)

397 Bz 25 Sd Carwash Token hh (antique car)
 RED CORRAL CAR WASH (ANTIQUE CAR)

398 B 25 Sd Carwash Token Non Refundable No Cash Value hh
 MAGIC WAND CAR WASH (WAND)

399 B 23 Sd No Cash Value hh
 BAYWASH SELF SERVICE AUTO WASH

400 Z 25 Sd (cartoon auto facing left)(stars) (Bz-plated)
 ARGONNE-MONTGOMERY CAR WASH (HAPPY FACE)

401 Bz 23 Sd Carwash Token Non Refundable No Cash Value hh
 LANSING CARWASH T.C.W. ASSOCIATES 1901 EAST SHORE DR.

402 B 25 Sd Carwash Token hh (antique car)
 BARCHIKS CAR WASH (STARS)

403 B 23 Sd Free Car Wash hh (stars)
 BLOOMINGDALE CAR WASH SELF-SERVE TOUGHLESS AUTOMATIC

404 Bz 25 Sd Carwash Token hh (antique car)
 HUTCH'S SELF SERVE CARWASH (CARTOON AUTO FACING LEFT)

405 Bz 25 Sd No Cash Value hh

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01 AUCTION (close Nov. 20)	25 SALE	25 SALE
<p>Best offer: [PA] 750-AD, nice. Catalogue \$45.00. Rocco A. DiGiacomo 42 Sunset Drive Mt. Holly NJ 08060-1915</p>	<p>AVA Tour Token collection - 1962 thru 1993 (minus 1981) - as a collection. Also all issues of the Fare Box - 1971 thru 1998. These are great for research and stories about those older tokens! Additional tokens are for sale over next few months. SASE for information. leenott@aol.com Lee Nott P O Box 4305 Fairview Heights IL 62208-4305</p>	<p>Selling duplicate TT's at 2X catalogue. Many new TT's added since my last list. Send SASE for list. Also selling 20 page list of medals, tokens, centennials, woods, doubloons and other material, most with a bridge on them. Send 55c stamp, not pasted on envelope, for list. David A. Bennick 150 Cranberry Drive Stuarts Draft VA 24477-9665</p>
<p>15 MISCELLANEOUS</p> <p>If you know of anyone who has, or collects, tickets, transfers etc. I would really like to hear from you (or them). I buy, sell and trade. For trading I have transit paper and other paper items, transit tokens and cash. Thanks for your consideration. Dan Benice P O Box 5708 Cary NC 27512-5708</p>	<p>100 mixed transportation tokens \$15.00 ppd. James Vander Helm 18618 Birch Avenue Akron IA 51001-8827</p>	<p>[OH] 435-A, Ba, Bb, C, D. 5 tokens postpaid \$6.25. I have 15 sets. Larry Freeman 6500 Ely Vista Drive Parma OH 44129-6149</p>

(Ads continued on next page)

AUCTION OF FOREIGN TRANSPORTATION TOKENS

Argentina 160 C AP AT; Australia 100 AD AG, 420 AE, 480 XA XB XC XD, 500 AA, 520 AH, 720 YB YC XE, 901 B; Austria 840 AA; Bahamas 600 BA BB BC RA RB RC RD RE RF RG RH; Brazil 540 AA, 700 AB AD AE; Chile 180 B, 420 C H I, 680 B C G BA BB, 920 B w/#, B w/o#, D; China 720 BD BF BG BH YA; Costa Rica 700 A C E; Cuba 180 AA AB, 480 C D AA AB, 720 BA; Czech 540 AD, 600 AA; Denmark 5 BI BJ BT, 10 AA AB AC AG AH AI AL AR BC
= HAROLD V. FORD 43 ARROYO DRIVE - MORAGA; CA 94556 =

UNLISTED UNIDENTIFIED TOKENS FOR SALE: "GOOD FOR ONE MECHANICAL BULL RIDE OR DRINK THE CORRAL" with nude female figure on reverse. Price \$2 +SASE. = Richard Czachur - 411 Ziegler St. - Dupont, PA 18641-1349

FOR SALE: THE FARE BOX Dec. 1947 thru Dec. 1955, and June 1971 thru Oct. 1974; ALSO TEXAS AREA VECTURIST ASSN. NEWSLETTER July 1966 - April 1971; NORTHEAST VECTURIST ASSN. newsletter 1963-1981. Best offer.
GEOFFREY G. BELL - P.O. BOX 1848 - SHEDIAC, NEW BRUNSWICK EOA 3G0

WHEN YOU SEND IN AN ADDRESS CHANGE, PLEASE INCLUDE YOUR AVA MEMBERSHIP NUMBER, SO THE EDITOR WON'T HAVE TO LOOK IT UP.

25 SALE	30 TRADE	40 WANTED
<p>Early ferry pass - Woodside Ferry 1865 (England 75-GH) (Berkenhead) vf cond. Consider cash or trade offer. Phone: (408) 732-5507. Al Kohlhardt P O Box 2649 Sunnyvale CA 94087-0649</p>	<p>Will trade [PA] 3810-A for [PA] 3020-A, 3615-B, 3928-A, 3930-G or 3955-A; [OH] 3010-B, 3030-A, 3060-A, 3475-A, 3650-A or 3805-A. Jim Hartman P O Box 1702 Beaver Falls PA 15010-6702</p>	<p>The Winona Railroad Co. token from Warsaw IN [IN] 940-A. Will buy or trade. Request my list. Ed McGrath P O Box 376 Mahanoy City PA 17948-0376</p>
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- 1849 Bill Orne - 4559 Juniper Place - Evans, GA 30809-4534 [E-MAIL: ornel@prodigy.net]
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- 1212 Robert F. Wolf - 3415 Hazelwood Ct. - Colorado Springs, CO 80918-6404

NEW COMMEMORATIVE MEDAL FOR THE BLUE WATER BRIDGE

Just received from Bill Garrison is a beautiful commemorative medal issued by the Blue Water Bridge of Port Huron, Michigan. It is not good for fare, but makes a nice companion to our tokens MI 775 C and F:

WM 32 Sd SARNIA/POINT EDWARD, ONTARIO PORT HURON, MICHIGAN BLUE WATER BRIDGE 1938 (BRIDGE)
 Canada United States of America Blue Water Bridges 1999 (bridge)

I assume the medal was struck in honor of a newly opened bridge next to the older one, and the bridge on the reverse looks considerably more modern than the one shown on the obverse.