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One PIL (Public Interest Litigation) leaves hundreds of republic India collectors in a state of confusion and uncertainty. Though online shopping portals continue without fear.



On 15th of July, the Madhya Pradesh High Court issued notices to Union ministry of finance, Reserve Bank of India (RBI) for alleged online trading of Indian currency having 'unique' numbers on portals like Quikr India Pvt Ltd, OLX India Private limited and eBay India Private Limited. Notices had also been sent to these portal operators. As a reaction, all the online portals were deserted of any currency note for sell. But that was only for a day. The very next day saw the portals flooded with fancy number notes as it was ever before. Mixed reactions and long

debates were seen on social networking sites like 'face book' and 'whatsApp' in regards with the PIL filed by Mr. Jitendra Singh Yadav. One collector, on condition of anonymity said the ICCG News that "the sections 22 to 24 of the RBI act never mentions anything in regards of selling currency notes as mentioned in the PIL." Cont. 2nd Page

ONE RUPEE NOTE GETS RE-LAUNCHED AFTER TWO DECADES

Government of India has re-launched new one rupee notes which was discontinued post 1994.

A picture of the oil exploration rig of Sagar Samrat off the Mumbai coast will feature on the reverse. This is very similar to the image that was present on the older notes of the 1980s and 1990s. This time though we would see this note with the new 'r' symbol. ICCG News brings you the analysis of the new rupee logo from the astrological point of view through the eyes of DR Sunil Harlalkaa. Cont. 8th Page



INDORE MUDRA UTSAV 2015: Journey through time and rare coins



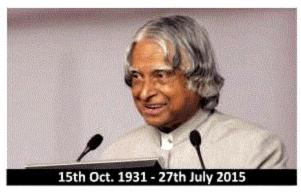
Coins, say historians, are the best repositories of the bygone days as they have over the years helped frame Indian history. If unknown facts from the pages of history are what one longs for, then any coin exhibition is the best of the places and the Indore coin exhibition just proved that right.

The Indore Mudra Utsav (Coin Festival) was organized from 10th July till 12th July. Here, the coins that were on display were from ancient to modern. Sultans of Bengal, Mughals, British era and independent India. "Earlier, people from the city used to visit Mumbai for such exhibitions.

Now we have 65 stalls from collectors all over the country. We have had thousands of visitors in these three days, from all over the state", said A.V.JEYACHANDRAN a collector and dealer from pondicherry Numismatics, which earlier used to be a hobby of schoolchildren, has been recreated as an alternative insurance avenue designed to endure economic crisis. People are so keenly interested in such exhibitions.

Two auctions were also organized in this exhibition, which has always been an attraction of various coin expos throughout the country. Both Rajgor Auction's and Kohinoor Auction's were quite a

Mr Mahesh Prabhu, a roadside food-stall vendor with a daily income of Rs 200 who sold his currency notes in the exhibition told ICCG News that I was passionate about currency and notes since childhood but I had never thought that my passion will become a business some day. "Today, large number of sellers and buyers are getting attracted towards rare coins, whose worth multiplies with each passing year" He added. For ten-year-old Manav, the 'Mudra Utsav' had been an eye-opener. The student of Class VIII realized the value of his rare coin collection only when he inquired about the prices of the coins that were on display at the three-day exhibition. "It was a delight to see many more students who visited the exhibition, and its indeed a good idea to keep students engaged in such activities" said Shri Harish Bansal, a teacher from a local school and a coin collector.



A KARMA YOGI

Has left his body and united with Divinity, where he had come from..!!

Former President, top scientist, Bharat Ratna, Missile Man, People's President.... These are just some of the titles that come before the name of Dr. APJ Abdul Kalam who left the world just a few days before India could celebrate its 69th independence day. The entire Nation came to a halt with the sudden demise of India's dearest leader who died on 27th July in Shillong, collapsing in the middle of what he loved doing most -- talking to students. In this case, the students of the Indian Institute of Management. He was 83.

Indians tend to see Kalam sir as a father figure. But he was not just a father figure. An outsider in politics and free of political affiliations, he redefined and demystified Indian presidency. From India's Missile Man, he became the People's President.

He was by far the most popular President of the republic. In Dr Kalam's death, the country has lost a sagacious statesman, a great scientist, a friend of the under-privileged and a fine human being. A true Indian and an aspiration to generations to come. He will definitely remain one role model for us to show to our kids and the generations to come on the power of education and determination.

As a country the best gift that we can give to Kalam sir's soul is to make his India's 2020 vision a reality. Further ICCG News would hereby request the Nation to please commemorate Kalam sir and his achievements through coins, currency notes, stamps and in every possible way which may benefit even the next generations in a great learning experience.

ICCG News on behalf of entire numismatic community, conveys our deepest respects towards our most loved leader. Salutes and Love!

SILVER COINS RUPEE RATE MUMBAI ZAVERI BAZAR BUY SELL Queen (Rani) 91.60% 720 810 Edward . George V (Raja) 91.60% 630 710 George VI (Raja) 51.60% 250 320 Estimated Rate Thanks To Zaven Bazar

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He further added, "I like collecting fancy number notes like 111111, 222222 Cont. 1st Page etc and also religious number notes like 786786, 786000, 000786, 111786, 222786 and the likes. I have collected some from circulation and also from coin fairs for more than six years now. When I got few doubles,

I did not mind selling them, as I had put in a lot of effort in collecting them, but now I would have to think twice. I often worry that someday my entire collection may be termed as illegal as its only the collectors and small dealers who would get effected and not these selling portals like 'OLX', 'Quikr' or 'e-bay'."

Over the past two weeks, ICCG News has seen both the pain and the fear among many a collectors and dealers. The news seems to have highly discouraged many collectors, especially those who collect republic India coins & banknotes. 'Face book' is one social network that had been very popular with selling, buying and displaying of almost any numismatic item. This had been a place with various forums for collectors with different interests and topics with thousands of respectable members. But after the news on 15th July, almost every forum was seen with a new name. All the trading/bidding forums turned into knowledge sharing groups, though it's expected that the buying/selling would be a part through private messaging.

It was felt that, even after collecting for many years, there still are hundreds of republic India collectors who feel that there is less security to their collectibles and the law could be more supportive and clear for them to proceed with their hobby without any sense of fear.

One young collector Mr Vikas Panikar expressed his pain to ICCG News, "I am a small collector of republic India coins & banknotes. I collect these as small children (whom I display my collectibles) easily relates with these coins and notes rather than old coins. But many a times, when I may not succeed from circulation, I got to buy few coins or notes to fill the gaps in my collection through dealers and from coin expos, as getting all rare and scarce coins/notes through circulation may not be very possible. But now I am afraid that I may be doing a big crime by doing so, and if it's so, then I may stop collecting as I may not like to get into any trouble due to my collection, though I still love my hobby."

A lot of panic due to confusion and uncertainty is what was seen among many collectors/dealers all over the country as they felt the law was not very clear on numismatics.

ICCG News respects the feelings, love and passion of every republic India collector in regards to their hobby, with a hope that the concerned authorities may too feel the same and that we may soon see some positive solution to this. Tejas shah

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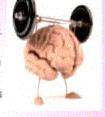
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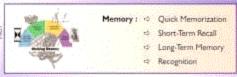






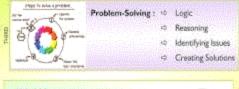


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"THE YOUNGEST COIN COLLECTOR"

ARPIT GUPTA, a coin collector at an age of 15 has already set a world record. Also awarded "YOUNG COLLECTORS AWARD" at "INDORE MUDRA UTSAV 2015" by Indore Coin Society. Please let us know something about yourself. I am a student of 11th standard. I am a resident of Indore (M.P.).

How and when did you start your journey as a coin collector? I started collecting coins in the year 2013 when I was 12. The idea of collecting coins strike upon me on a common morning while reading a local newspaper! The interview of a renowned coin collector MR. GIRISH SHARMA (president-Indore coin society). I am not sure whether this was the 1st time when my interest in coins increased. Immediately I asked my mother whether we too have some old coins. She replied YES positively. The coins which she handed over to me were 10 paisa commemorative coins. This way my passion to collect begun.

How was the support from your family and who has been your inspiration and mentor? My inspiration to this passion was Mr. Girish Sharma, president of Indore coin society. Along with him my family especially my MOM & DAD supported a lot. When my uncles and grandparents came to know about my hobby they started offering old coins to me...*(especially maternal grandmother). Everyone who is guiding me to achieve my goals is my mentor.



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Let us know something about your collection and achievements.... I have a collection of commemorative coins of republic India (700). Along with this I collect coins of different nations. My collection consist 1835 to 2015 coinage. I also collect bank notes. I am also a collector of mint error coins of India.

Achievements: 1) Made a world record in "golden book of world records". 2) Also in "super kids records". 3) Awarded "young collectors award" in "Mudra Utsav Indore 2015".

WHAT'S THE STATUS? Earlier I kept coins according to the design or picture they carried. But now after gaining a certain amount of knowledge (a lot at my age) I collect coins according to year, mint, & commemoration. Now, I also write blogs as "THE YOUNGEST COIN COLLECTOR" My friends from my inspiration have also started collecting coins. It is very helpful for me as it promotes exchanging process.

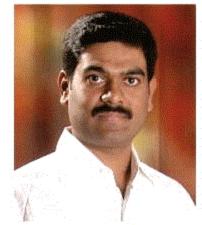
WHAT DO YOU THINK ABOUT COIN COLLECTING? Coin collecting for me is a "future investment by present investment". Coin collecting requires a bit of money to start and then later it is ones investment for his future needs. Coin collecting is my hobby; passion; craziness; wisdom & obsession. It is my dream that people know me for my coin collection.

WHAT DO YOU THINK ABOUT COMMEMORATIVE COINS? Commemorative coins for me are "remembering heroes; historical events & special days". A commemorative coin gives you brief knowledge about history. It makes history simple and fun. It is the best way to remember past and struggle for freedom.

WILL YOU CONTINUE COLLECTING COINS? Yes, definitely I would. Coin collection has now become a part of my life and I would like to spread care for coins among people in my contact.

SOME VIEWS AND SLOGAN/tagline? Everyone around the globe have some or the other hobby. Among them 26% are children 74% are adults, 8% would be 65 and older. I would like to spread care for coins and currency to save our past and heritage. Coin collecting is the hobby of special minded history loving people. All of them always face differences in views by their family members and relatives regarding their hobby. But they should remember that 35% of people who starting collecting coins have now become a passionate numismatist which means made their hobby as profession.

"Care for coins, become a numismatist" is the tagline for my web.



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JOURNALISM GETS NEGATIVE AGAIN FOR NUMISMATICS..!! MISLEADING REPORT IN THE TIMES OF INDIA:

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Got ₹1? Rare ones worth a treasure

A Bundle Of Notes With Ahluwalia's Signature Up For Sale on Internet For ₹3.5Lakh

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Kolkata: This will send you scurrying to look for your long-forgotten piggy banks. All those coins from your childhood can now get you lakhs, thanks to a new trend among coin collectors. A hundred Re I notes in a considerably good condition with the signature of Manmohan Singh, who was Union finance secretary in 1977 and 1978, can fetch up to several lakhs.

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A Re 1 bundle signed by Montels. Singh Ahlawalia, too, can fetch a big amount. A collector from Kolicate has offered two such currency notes for sale enline for Rs 2,000 each. A bundle of notes in good condition with Ahlawalia's signature is also on offer for a whopping Rs 3,50,000.

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Numismatists and agents are going around the city looking for coins and currency notes that most people would not consider rure. Among the coins that collectors are on the lookest for are those of Re 1 minted in 1972 and 1985. If such a coin weighs above nine gram, it can fetch Rs 20-30,000.

Other coins in high demand are those with faces of public figures. A

NOT SMALL CHANGE > '(1 coin minted in 1972 and 1985, can fetch

₹20-30,000 if it weighs

- above **9gm**> **₹5 coin** with Indira
 Gandh's face may be sold
 for **₹50,000**
- > 25 paise coin with a. Reserve Bank of India symbol (tiger and palm tree) can fetch <10-15,000
- 5 paise coin from 1964 can get the owner several thousands

Other denominations in demand

- > 75 note with five deer

collector has offered Rs 50,000 for a Rs 5
coin with former Prime Minister ladira Gandhi's face on it, Even the 25
paise-coin that went out of circulation
paise coin, minted in 1961 or earlier.

A Set of all currency notes printed or coins minted in the year 1984 could be of great value, it could fetch a huge sum. Collectors know this and offer good money for coins or notes that would be of little interest to common people. This is a growing

For coins, collectors look for faces, weight and metal used for notes, the signature is apparture in the portant.

A ₹I note with Montek Singh Ahluwalka's signature

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and currency notes. They are ready to pay a lot of money if they get what they are looking for roody to pay a lot if they got what they are looking for. The demand for a particular coin or note goes up at certain times. There are also some rare notes, only a few of which were ever printed. These also fetch good value. However, we have to be very careful when looking at coins. Some people are manufacturing falses to try and fool collectors," a collector said.

Agents normally go around shops, particularly smaller establishments that deal with a lot of change. They ask for five-rupe notes with five deer printed on them or a Rs 20 note with a whoel. These are indications that help the agents identify the date of printing. According to one agent, collectors are issen to build complete sets for a particular year. They then sell them to other collectors.

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"A set of all notes printed or coins minted in 1964 could be of great value. Collectors offer good money for those which are of little interest to the common man. This is a growing trend. Many have become aware and are digging into old boxes and trunks and bringing out old coins. Some of these are worth fortunes." an agent said.

In its inaugural edition, the ICCG News reported all the hurt and damage caused due to the irresponsible and negative approach by the media towards the numismatic community. A reporter from the local newspaper in Rajkot came up with his negative article without any efforts to see the facts and caused a serious damage to the entire coin exhibition which finally had to be called off. Just to take this one step forward, a reporter Jayanta Gupta from 'the times of India' came up with his most irresponsible and kiddish article.

Mistakes have happened in reporting news for decades but what was published in the Kolkata issue of The Times of India on the 23rd of July was clear example of false reporting.

Reporting the truth is an important goal for professional journalists whose reputation depends on it. For this, gathering some piece of knowledge on the subject becomes essential apart of

fact finding. Alas, both of these were seen rubbished by the journalist Jayanta Gupta from the 'times of India'.

The 'fake news' in such a reputed news paper, where almost everything common and even fake or tooled is said to be great collectibles, has deeply hurt the sentiments of every numismatist and collectors all over the country and has been condemned and highly objected on various social networks.





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NEWS ARTICLES

HAMPI'S STONE CHARIOT TO FEATURE ON 10 RUPEES NOTE.



The Stone Chariot at the Vijaya Vittala temple complex in Hampi will now adorn the new Rs. 10 note. The news has already been exciting many a numismatics all over the country.

The monument, known for its fine carvings, can be described as poetry in stone. It is not clear as to the period (reign of which Vijayanagar king) when it

was sculpted. What is apparent, however, is the fact that the stone chariot houses an idol of Garuda, the bird vehicle of Hindu Lord Vishnu.

Discussions have already been held in this regard by the secretary and joint secretaries of the union Finance ministry with the chief general manager of the currency management department of the country's apex bank.

The Finance ministry officials have also held talks with the Director-General of the Archaeological Survey of India (ASI) and finalized the project, as per the reports attained by ICCG News.

Two miniature elephants, that seem to pull the chariot, also find a place in the sculpture.

Shri N C Prakash Nayakanda, Deputy Superintending Officer of the ASI, Hampi mini circle said that the director general had requisitioned pictures of the chariot to feature it on currency notes.

"We have sent to him the photos of the structure taken from different angles, to be used for printing on currency notes" he said.



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EX RBI GOVERNOR'S NAME ON RUPEE NOTE PROVES COSTLY



Former governor of the Reserve Bank of India, Duvvuri Subbarao may have vacated the office of India's Central banking institution in September 2013 but currency notes bearing his

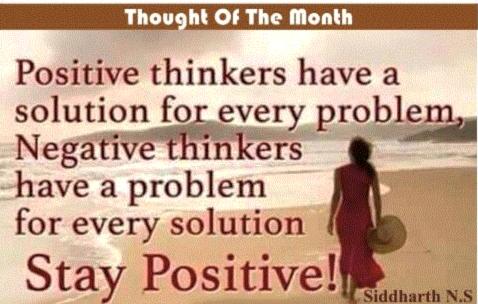
signature continued getting printed till February 2014.

According to the information attained by the ICCG News, the Bank Note Press Dewas continued to print Rs 20, Rs 100 and Rs 500 denomination notes with the signature of the former RBI governor (D Subbarao) in 2014 even though the governor had completed his tenure in September 2013, thereby incurring an infructuous expenditure of Rs 36.69 crore, the CAG (Controller and Auditor General) has said in its latest compliance report on a few PSUs of the finance ministry.

As known by the ICCG News, going by the auditor's account, the Dewas press did not follow the instructions given on September 14, 2013, 10 days after new governor Raghuram Rajan took charge, the Bharatiya Reserve Bank Note Mudran Pvt Ltd -the agency for issuing designs and printing places -had issued a specimen note of Rs 10 with the new governor's signature and asked the press in Dewas as well as Nashik to collect security material to begin printing. A month later, it also informed the press about the approval for "machine proof" of Rs 50, Rs 100 and Rs 500 notes with Rajan's signature. The norm is to put the new governor's signature on notes that are printed from January.

But, while the Nashik press followed instructions, Dewas press somehow got it wrong and it woke up to the mistake only after RBI offices rejected the new notes with the previous governor's signature.

Although Bank Note Press (Dewas) has maintained that the notes have not been rejected and that they would be dispatched as soon as RBI issued instructions, the CAG has noted that there was a "very remote" possibility to this.



FAQ

Frequently asked question

Why should one buy coins or notes only from reliable sources / auction houses? Jack Leen (goa)

Ans.) In today's era of counterfeit /forgeries, it's very difficult to judge strangers. Thus buying from some reliable source may guarantee a risk free deal. And for the auction houses, one gets the collectible with bill with all taxes paid. So this could be another preferred option.

2.) What is the main objective of numismatic expos in India? Jigar Pandya (Nagpur)

Ans.) The main objective is to increase the interest of the collectors and provide new collectors a platform to develop their hobby.

Numismatic market has been low since last three years. Reason? Ram Agarwal (kolkatta)

Ans.) There are few reasons to this: a) Dip in silver and gold prices, b) re-issuing of proof and UNC sets and re-striking of sets post 2002. C) Counterfeits and forgeries. D) Investors backing out from investing in coins/notes.

The striking quality has been worse in new coins when compared to old coins. Reason? Sunita Das (Orrisa)

Ans.)One of the major reason is that the number of coins being minted has increased. Crores of coins are being minted from the same die. Second reason is that the machines that mint the coins within the mint are quite old.

What is the future of numismatics in India? Om lalwani (Punjab)

Ans.) Though it has its ups and downs, but the future of numismatics is really looking good with so many people venturing into this.



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Coin of the Month!!

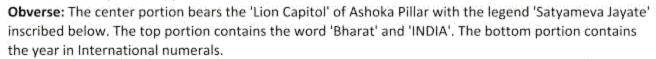
An OMS (Off-metal Strike) coin of the republic India.

This type of error occurs when the coin is minted on a metal that it is not intended for.

This is an OMS (Off-metal Strike) 2 rupees coin which is minted on a ten rupee bi-metallic planchet.

Coin Description:-

Value: 2 rupees. Year: 2011. Mint: Noida Origin Metal: FSS (Ferritic Stainless Steel) OMS Metal: Bi-Metallic. Outer ring: Aluminum bronze. Center piece: Copper Nickel.



Reverse: This face of the coin contains visuals showing one of the 'Mudras', and in center left periphery denomination value '2' in international numerals.

OMS error coins are normally quite sought-after but OMS involving bi-metal is very rare.

This coin of the month is chosen from the collection of Shri Siddharth 's collection from Mumbai.



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Quiz of the Month

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Fill in the blanks:-

 When was the First 5 Rupees commemorative coin was issue

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When was the first Mahatma Gandhi coin was released

Ans:

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4. What is the mint mark of Mumbai Mint

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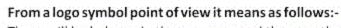
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Dr. Sunil S Harlalkaa

Vastu Logo Analyst

The new rupee logo was launched in the year 2011

The new symbol of the rupee has been brilliantly created keeping in mind the symbolic R in Hindi and in English excluding the straight line to the left. It has two parallel bars on top



There will be balance in the economy and the growth will be parallel to prosperity

The rupee may get fully convertible within 5 years of its launch i.e. y 2016. India would use its own internal resources and project to the world as a successful nation.

The labor force in India to become stronger and the economy will see a big boost. India would however prone to huge fluctuations be in exchange rates in the year

2018. Sound judgement in the financial sectors will put India in the international currency map. The important thing is that this symbol not only makes the rich richer but also the poor rich.

The new one rupee note launched after a gap of 20 years and this time with new rupee symbol, can be seen as one step forward to the symbol point of view shared.

The government may re-introduce coins of high denomination as a general currency including precious metals. But this may happen only after 11 ½ years of its launch i.e. in the year 2023. Notes of higher denomination like 5000, 10,000 would be launched after every 5 years. So one should expect 5000 rupee note to be introduced in the year 2016 and a 10,000 rupee note in the year 2021. Hording of paper money with this symbol may become difficult as it is a very Mercurian symbol of prosperity and fast movement.

The government may aggressively launch commemorative coins every year and monetize the interest which people have developed towards coins and currencies.







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MATCH BOX COLLECTION



COLLECTION'S OF RAJESH MULCHANDANI

One may start up with any hobby simply because it's a fun thing to do. But with time it grows into a lot of passion. Mr Rajesh Mulchandani is one person who goes the extra mile for his hobby. Not only does he loves spending time with his collectibles, he loves to share his joy with other collectors as well. Although a collector of numerous curios and oddities, he specializes in collecting 'match boxes' or Phillumeny, as it is called. "A hobby gives you purpose. Young people need hobbies every bit as much as older people do" is how Mr Mulchandani believes and shares with ICCG News.

Excerpts from the interview:

From when have you been collecting match-boxes?

I have been collecting them for some 22 years now.

What gave a start to this hobby within you 22 years ago?

It all started when I used to get a free match-box with a packet of cigarette, that I

thought of collecting match-boxes. I collect them as I got a lot fascinated by the different designs, pictures, colors and shapes.

We were already viewing one of the most beautiful match-box collection and were eager to know: which was the biggest and the smallest of the match-boxes among them?

The biggest one was from Doha and the smallest one was from Ireland.

So do you collect from all over the world?

Yes, I have a collection from all over the world. From India, I have a collection of match-boxes from almost every 5 star and seven star hotels. My son has also been helping me a lot with my collection. I basically collect only complimentary match-boxes which comes without any price tags as those are indeed tough collects. The ones with price are quite easy to get in the market.

Which is the rarest and dearest match-box to you among so many that you have?

Well, all my collectibles are equally dear to me, but yes, the match-box which is in a 'wine bottle' shape is very rare and also quite old enough to be termed as antique.

Did you ever try to value your collection? Or, did you ever get any offer for your collection?

Many times people ask me to sell few doubles for some good money. But I never sell any of my collectible. Yes, I do have few double match-boxes, but I only keep them for exchange purpose or to fill the gaps of some other equally passionate collector. I feel any collection (of any collector) can never be valued, because its not only about the collectibles, but it's a lot about all the efforts put behind collecting them which is of more importance.



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Smallest Match Box

Rare Match Box

We could see the shine in the eyes of Mr Rajesh as he was sharing his views on his collectibles - after a pause, he continued:

When I look at my collection, I find myself equally passionate as I was some two decades ago. My collection is not yet complete, in fact no collection ever gets completed. I am still collecting and the collection would even continue after me. Its my son who would continue this.



Have you ever thought of exhibiting your collection?

If requested, I can exhibit my collection in Mumbai. As match-boxes are not allowed in flights, so it won't be easy to exhibit my collection in other cities.

You have been in a hobby for more than two decades and already your son is helping you, so how would you advise a young collector?

I would always advise any collector that: whatever be your collection, always be proud of it and respect it. Always be equally passionate about it, stay positive and have a lot of patience. At times, any collection may ask a lot of effort and time but its sure to grow and it also helps in knowledge building.

So after clicking few snaps of the collection, which

could only be valued in a lots of efforts and immense passion for more than 20 years, the ICCG News thanked Mr Rajesh Mulchandani for his time and thoughts which he shared with us and also wishing him a lots of success with his collection.



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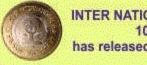
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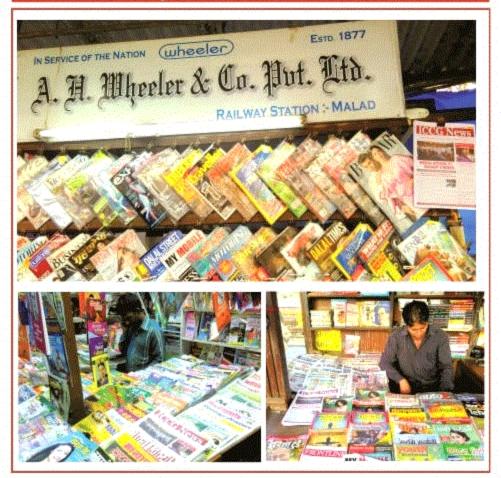
Fakes Finding Place in Numismatics:

One often believes that everything numismatic has a value to someone – even counterfeit coins and currency notes. Though this may not always be the case.

Earlier, few of the coins that were considered to be genuine were actually discovered to be fakes. Such 'fakes' never deserved to be valued in any terms but times have changed. Today, many counterfeits are no longer "worthless weeds" in a collection. There have been many blogs and various forums which catalogs the known contemporary fakes in many a popular series. Today commemorative counterfeit coins and others such as the counterfeit British coins can sell for hundreds to thousands of rupees. Other counterfeits such as of the scarce or rare definitive coins are also fetching good prices. If this trend continues, we may find other "privately made" coins in the name of restrikes, die varieties, mules and etc.



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Earlier such coins were being sold only on streets of few metro cities, but now they are much easy a grab than any normal collectible. Be it any coin store, online selling portals or forums of social media, 'fakes' are available anywhere and everywhere. In fact, 90% coins selling on streets are 'fakes'.

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