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Krazy Kids Karnival Creates Gateway for Full Family Children Explored India's History at the Coin Museum by SNS Coin Gallery in Association with Kotak Mahendra Bank

Mumbai: The Krazy Kids Karnival successfully concluded in the city with more than 25,000 visitors in span of three days.

One of the largest events for children in Mumbai, the carnival saw innovative fun and engaging activities for kids as well as their parents. The event witnessed yet another successful edition from October 26-28 that was organized by Meltwater Events at BKC (Bandra Kurla Complex). The Karnival was inaugurated by Shree Rajeshwariji Modi (Raj Didi) from Narayan Reiki foundation. The inauguration was followed by more than 250 kids attending the Karnival for free from different NGO's. The NGO kids enjoyed the Karnival a lot. Children here enjoyed themselves as well as learned new things. Children from all over Mumbai attended and participated in activities like live shows, adventure, amusements, flea market and food court. This year children enjoyed events like Robotics, Art & Craft & Virtual Reality and Coin Museum by SNS Coin Gallery. [Cont on Page 4th](#)



The Timeless Allure of Collecting Collectibles

Indian Numismatist and Notaphilist Shri. Vastupal Shah from Ahmedabad has been passionate towards his hobby for nearly two decades. His vast collection consists of Indian and World coins and currency notes. Signature sets, Fancy numbers, Errors, Specimens and what not? A person with very pleasant smile and nature Mr. Shah, very friendly shared his collection and experience with ICCG News.... Excerpts from the interview:

From when have you been collecting coins?

I have been collecting currency notes & coins from the age of nine years.

Who has been your inspiration?

Our golden past and culture is in itself the greatest source of inspiration which teaches us to prevent our heritage. My parents have also been my inspiration and they have helped me a lot with my collection and also my friends have been quite supportive. In those days most people who knew my interest used to get change for me whenever they had abroad trips. And slowly I also started with my Indian coins and currency notes collection as well.

In your earlier days, how did you manage your collectibles which were huge in numbers?

At first, I just used to just dump my coins and other collectibles in bags which I used to buy or collect. But eventually I started to organize them well, by storing them in 2x2 coin holders and files according to their country, year and denominations. [Cont on Page 3rd](#)



Shri. Vastupal Shah

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Government to Issue Rs 75 Coin to Mark 75th Anniversary of Tri-color Hoisting by Netaji Subhash Chandra Bose

The commemorative Rs 75 coin will be made out of 50 per cent silver, 40 per cent copper, and 5 per cent each of nickel and zinc, and will weigh 35 grams.

The government will release Rs 75 coin to commemorate the 75th anniversary of Netaji Subhash Chandra Bose hoisting the Tricolour for the first time at Port Blair. The Ministry of Finance has issued a notification regarding the release of the Rs 75 coin along with its specifications.

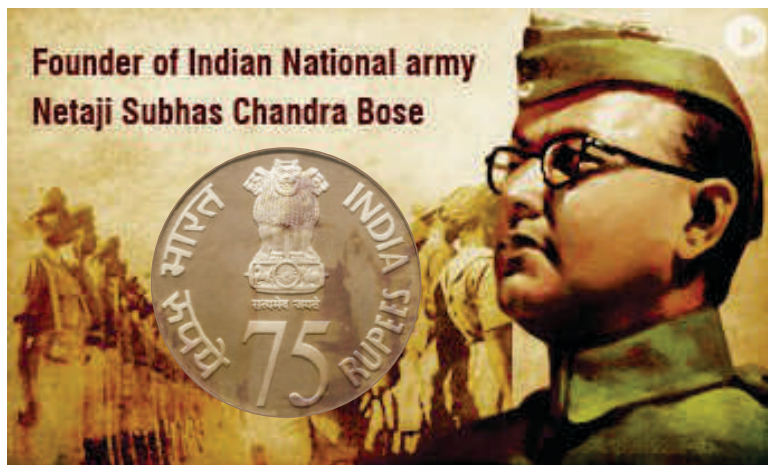
On December 30, 1943, Bose, who raised the Indian National Army (INA) to fight against the British, had hoisted the Tricolour for the first time at Cellular Jail, Port Blair.

"The coin of seventy-five rupees denomination shall only be coined at the Mint for issue under the authority of the central government on the occasion of '75th Anniversary of Hoisting of Tricolour' for the first time by Netaji Subhash Chandra Bose at Port Blair," the Finance Ministry notification said.

The commemorative Rs 75 coin will be made out of 50 per cent silver, 40 per cent copper, and 5 per cent each of nickel and zinc, and will weigh 35 grams, a PTI report said. This coin will bear the portrait of 'Netaji Subhash Chandra Bose' saluting the flag on the background of Cellular Jail in Port Blair.

A numeral 75th along with inscription "anniversary" will be depicted below the portrait. The coin will carry an inscription saying 'First Flag Hoisting Day' in both Devnagari script and English.

On October 21, Prime Minister Narendra Modi had hoisted the National Flag at Red Fort and unveiled the plaque to commemorate the 75th Anniversary of formation of Azad Hind provisional government, formed by Bose.



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What has been your source of knowledge towards your subject?

Books, living scholars and collectibles themselves have been the major source of knowledge to me.

Any particular problem that you face, while doing your collections?

In earlier years, there was no awareness of condition (grading), therefore I used to get many top condition coins and notes for my collection but from last many years, people know the value of grading, therefore now a days I am getting very less coins in high grade.

And how the growth has been since then?

After a short pause, Mr. Shah continues.... Growth was always in regards of interest of the subject and passion, collection just kept growing accordingly. For any type of hobby, one needs to have interest and passion from within. Its of no use to grow a collection just for the sake of growing it tall.

What else did develop your interest for your hobby?

As I kept adding my collection, my interest kept on growing. Not only did I add collectibles but also kept on adding more and more friends from the numismatic community. I also referred lots of books on coins and notes.

What does collections means to you?

My collection has always been my passion. Yes, it does require a bit of money to start but then later it is ones investment for his future needs. My collection is not only my hobby but it has also helped me growing by making the whole journey a quality learning experience. It is my dream that people know me for my collection. It's both - pleasure and treasure for me. A great way to pass my time, increase my knowledge about history and meet new friends.

Any collection can be any kind?

Yes, one can collect anything which catches ones fancy. From coins to post cards to Picture Posters to matchboxes, there is something that is waiting to be collected by someone.

How do you feel sharing your collection with friends and family and how has the journey been?

It gives lots of pleasure sharing collection with friends and family and surely its been one fun-filled journey wherein I have received immense support from all the people connected with this field.

Do you feel any change to the numismatic industry in the past 10 years?

Yes, I feel there are many changes in the Numismatic Industry, today collectors have learnt to concentrate on a particular subject and to collect the collectibles in good quality. Only good quality-high grade quality currency notes & coins can give the best result. I feel social media has also had a great impact on our field after 'Facebook' and 'WhatsApp' came into existence, more and more people got aware of the Coins and also got in touch with many like minded people with just a single touch on the phone. Some 15 years back there were no auction houses but now there are over 5 auction houses in our country which also adds on.

How do you see Indian Numismatics evolving over the next 10 years? More international interest?

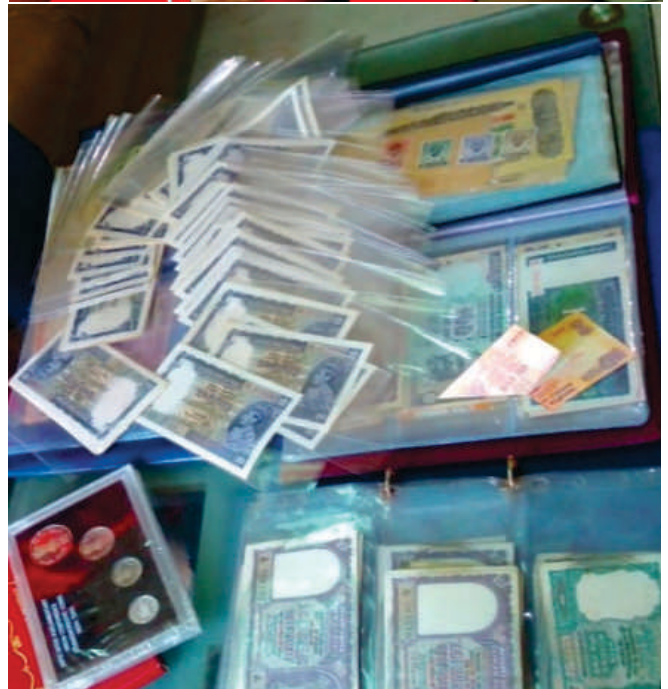
Indian Numismatic will very much boom in next 10 years around world. Even now the Indian coin market is booming in the world. People buy coins around the world and are selling in India.

As per you, how does ones hobby help a person grow in life?

Collections can help people make new friends, learn new things, keep one busy and in the process make a legacy which can be cherished by future generations. A collector can grow in life by sharing the knowledge that he has amassed during his many years spent collecting. He could also offer guidance and support to budding new collectors and act like a god father to many.

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Collection of Shri. Vastupal Shah



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The Coin Museum

The SNS Coin Gallery in association with Kotak Mahindra Bank was up with a display of coins where children got a look and feel of the ancient coins- some of which they had only read or seen about in their text books. On display were some rare coins dating back to the Mughal era and earlier. The collection of coins was displayed in five categories – Coins from Sultanate and Mughal Period, Pre-Independence India, Post-Independence India (definitive, commemorative & Proof /UNC sets), International & error coins. With many unique and rare coins on display, the students got a chance to see the pattern and progress of minting technology in India, apart from getting the rare opportunity to touch, feel and hold oddly shaped, handmade, rare coins, handed down through centuries. Volunteers were present to explain every bit of the information and clear any doubts that children or parents had. Renowned numismatist Mr. Siddharth Shah interacted with the children and shared his experiences of over a period of 20 years. He also gave some valuable tips to the children to develop the hobby of numismatics. "Our team is proud to create such smiling moments for kids and families. We look forward to creating such more occasions in future," Navin Todi, Director and Co-Founder of Meltwater Events.



The Karnival successfully gave a learn-through-play experience for children as well as fun-filled activities for parents. It was a great experience for all who attended the Krazy Kids Karnival. This event concluded as an exclusive event that showcases the most innovative fun and engagement activities for kids to parents.



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Do you think that there aren't more young kids involved with the hobby? If yes, what do you think can be done to get more kids to become involved with numismatics?

Yes I feel there aren't more kids involved with this hobby yet. I think we should arrange the exhibitions in schools and colleges and also invite them in our exhibitions. We can also arrange lectures in schools and colleges to promote the hobby in them so that they may start with the hobby from their childhood.

Do you have any advice for young collectors looking to prosper in the industry?

I would advise young collectors to start collecting coins from childhood and get the knowledge of what they are collecting. Keep deep study. After many years of study they would have good knowledge on the subject and only then they can prosper in the industry. Collect anything in Numismatic, but if you will concentrate on one subject, you can reach to a level. Always try to get best quality coins; as those will give you very high returns.

Any message for ICCG News?

The venture started by my brother Siddharth Bhai (ICCG News) is an excellent initiative and I feel that it surely will go a long way. Keep up the fantastic work that you'll be doing of spreading awareness and knowledge.

And finally, we thanked Shri. Vastupal Shah for his valuable time, thoughts and collectibles shared. We believe his thoughts and collection is sure to inspire the young generation in a very positive way.



Collection of Shri. Vastupal Shah

Coins, Stamps to be Released to Mark Jallianwala Centenary

Special commemorative coins and postage stamps would be released to mark 100 years of the April 13, 1919, Jallianwala Bagh massacre.

A light and sound show, based on virtual reality, which has been defunct for the past four years, will be revived. This was decided by members of the Jallianwala Bagh National Memorial Trust during its meeting chaired by Union Home Minister Rajnath Singh in New Delhi on 08th of November 2018. Union Minister of State (Independent Charge) for Culture and Tourism Mehesh Sharma, Rajya Sabha member Shwait Malik and Punjab Governor VP Singh Badnore attended the meeting.

As per the information gathered by ICCG News, Rajya Sabha member Shwait Malik said the proposal was discussed at length, besides other infrastructural upgrade requirements for the park.

It has been proposed that coins and postal stamps will be introduced to inculcate a feeling of patriotism during the centenary. Another proposal is to introduce programmes like 7-D documentary, depicting the massacre and its real-time feel through a light and sound show. Special cultural activities such as 'kavi sammelans', plays, exhibitions and seminars dedicated to Jallianwala Bagh will be conducted separately across the country.

Lying defunct since 2014, the 52-minute-long light-and-sound show portrayed the April 13, 1919, massacre of freedom fighters at Jallianwala Bagh with Amitabh Bachchan's voiceover and was a hit among the visitors.

Similarly, the showcase of an 18-minute documentary through a projector daily in seven shows at a 50-seat hall at the park, too, has been discontinued for long. The software and lens used for the show is learnt to have developed a technical snag, which could not be revived to date.

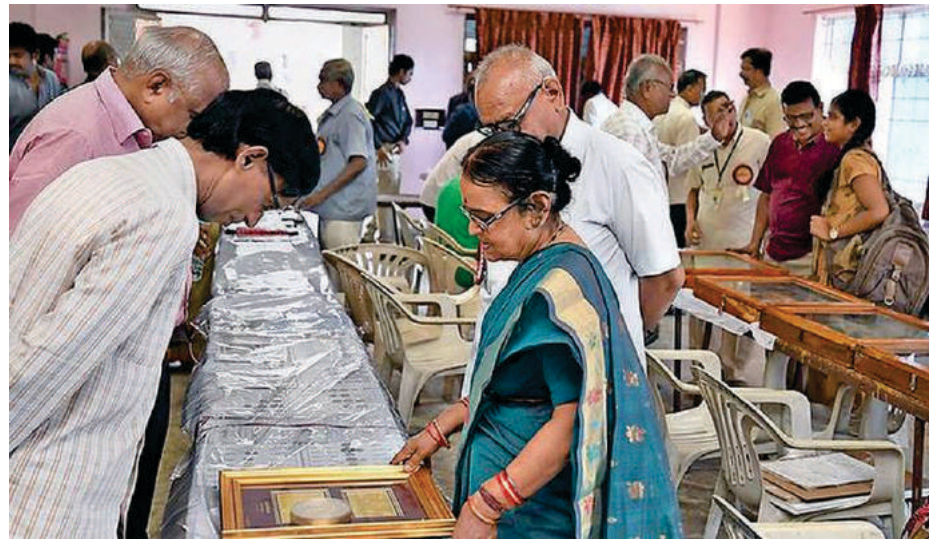
The Jallianwala Bagh National Memorial Trust, which is responsible for the park's upkeep, runs under the chairmanship of the Prime Minister. Union Minister Arun Jaitley had included Jallianwala Bagh in the list of heritage sites. Admitting the delay and flaws, Malik said the Centre had authorized trust members to revive it.

“To improve infrastructure, funds have been adequately spared for public conveniences. In our futuristic planning, several century-old buildings around the Bagh too would be purchased to improve and expand the facade of the park. The blueprint is going to be prepared soon. There is also a proposal to increase the timing of visit to the bagh.



Rare Coins and Stamps Display at VISNUPEX 2018

Visakhapatnam: There were rare notes, commemorative coins and a lot of enthusiasm on display at a two-day expo VISNUPEX 2018 at Lions Community Hall, Ramnagar where collectors displayed their precious stamps and currencies. The event was organised by the Numismatic and Philatelic Society of Visakhapatnam (NPSV). The neatly laminated currencies told stories of the period to which they belonged. They also were an indication of the country's socio-political journey. For instance, the first paper currencies printed after India's independence had their denominations written in only a handful of languages whereas today it stands at 15 (out of 22). There were also notable displays such as the one-kilo silver coin issued at Malta in 2004 with Mahatma Gandhi on it with the inscription 'Truth Is God'. One also got to see the first one rupee note issued by the Government of India after Independence, besides a coin which was circulated during fifth to third century BC in Northern Western region of India. Some of the collectors present had brought their spare change to exchange and add to their existing collection. "A numismatist always carries spare currency to exchange for new ones," explained K Kameswara Rao.



There were eleven editions of Rs.10 and Rs.100 notes post Independence explained BMKB Rao who displayed all printed versions of one, two, five, ten, twenty, fifty and hundred rupee notes since Independence. A numismatist has several interesting facts to share that can be gleaned from the currency, such as the materials used to make the notes and coins, the significance of symbols on them and the history behind the images. P Subramanyam Setty pointed out that notes with asterisk in their currency number are the reprinted ones because of improper printing in the first attempt. Gadu Satyanarayana, president of TNPSV, says, "Organizing such exhibitions is less rewarding because only the hobbyists attend. The objective to educate children isn't being fulfilled." He rues, "While they may pass on their collection to their children and grandchildren, they rarely are able to transfer their spirit of curiosity to them."

Source: The Hindu

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'PM Modi Releases Silver Coins to be Sold to Sai Devotees on No Profit No Loss Basis'

Shirdi: Shri Sai Baba Sansthan has issued demand Draft to Indian Government Mint, Mumbai towards Purchase of 25 gram Silver Commemorative Coins released by Shri Sai Baba Sansthan in lieu of Centenary Celebration of Shri Sai Baba's Maha Samadhi after receiving the necessary approval by Maharashtra Legislative Assembly. Prime Minister Narendra Modi recently visited Maharashtra's temple town of Shirdi to attend the closing ceremonies of a year-long festival marking the centenary of samadhi of the Shirdi Sai Baba. The prime minister also unveiled a Saibaba Centennial Commemorative silver coin.



The coins are being sold to Sai devotees on no profit no loss basis by Sansthan to enable them to preserve the coins as remembrance of

Centenary Celebration of Shri Sai Baba's Maha Samadhi. Sansthan Chairman Dr. Suresh Haware clarified at a Press Conference held on 5th November that there was no scam involved in this deal.

Vice Chairman Chandrashekar Kadam, Chief Executive Officer Rubal Agarwal, Trustees Bhausahab Wakchoure, Adv. Mohan Jaykar, Dr. Rajendra Simha, Trustee and Chairperson of Shirdi Municipal Corporation Yogitai Shelke, Deputy District Collectors Dhananjay Nikam, Manoj Ghode Patil, Deputy Executive Officer Babasaheb Ghorpade and others were also present on the occasion.

Dr.Haware said that with a view that Sai Devotees should remember the Centenary Celebration of Shri Sai Baba's Maha Samadhi, Silver Commemorative Coins have been made available to them on no profit no loss basis. All costs will be recovered by Shri Sai Baba Sansthan and as such Sansthan will not be incurring any financial loss in this case. Maharashtra Government has given the required administrative approval to purchase the Silver Commemorative Coins from Government of India Mint, Mumbai vide government notification dated 17th October 2018.

Government of India Mint, Mumbai is a Central Government organization and hence there is total guarantee with respect to purity of Silver. The purity of each coin is thoroughly checked at the Government Mint. However, if the coin is purchased from a private organization, it is not possible to check the purity of each and every silver coin. Also, extra cost will be incurred towards checking the purity of each coin. Accordingly, Silver Coins weighing 25 grams were purchased from Government of India Mint, Mumbai and the break-up of which is as follows: 1. Original Silver Price is Rs.1013.65 ; 2. Wastage is Rs.19.31; 3. Making Charge is Rs.712.04; 4. Packing Charges (Cover) is Rs.5.00; Thus, the total Cost works out to Rs.1750.00; GST @ 3% works out to Rs.52.50; One Time Die Cost is Rs.23.18; Hence, the cost of one Silver Coin weighing 25 grams works out to Rs.1825.68.

Shri Sai Baba Sansthan had placed orders for purchase of 10,000 silver coins with Government of India Mint, Mumbai out of which 1000 coins have already been received. Sansthan has issued Demand Draft towards the total bill of Rs.20,34,000 pertaining to Silver Coins and Rs.2,31,681 towards die cost.

However, when the reality is in front of everyone, there should not be room for any doubt. Even then some politically vested interest persons are trying to create confusion in the minds of people for reasons best known to them. Sai devotees should not be victims to this mis conception and should know the actual facts. Dr.Suresh Haware categorically stated that there was neither any scam nor any money being wasted in this deal.



Coin of the Month

Mated Pair of Commemorative Uniface Coins

Error: These are an Extreme Rare pair of 'Uniface' error coins.

Description: A coin having no design on one of its faces is called a Uniface coin.

Full design on one side and other side blank

Occurrence: It occurs when there have been two blank planchets in the press at the same time, the upper blank fully covering the lower coin blank. The upper blank obstructs the upper die from having the upper design on the lower blank, and the lower blank obstructs the lower die from having the lower design on the upper blank. So both the blanks results as uniface coins.

Denomination: 1 rupee Year of Issue: 1989

Condition: UNC Mint: Bombay (Mumbai)

Metal: Cupro Nickel **Shape:** Circular **Weight:** 6 gms

Diameter: 26 mm **Edge:** Security

Obverse side: The obverse of this coin shows the Ashokan lion and the value '1' in International numerals on the center. In English "INDIA" and "RUPEE" appear on the right periphery and in Hindi "Bharat" and "Rupaya" appear on the left. "Satyameva Jayate" in Hindi is shown just below the Ashokan Lion.

Reverse side: The reverse shows the effigy of Pandit Nehru with a "Gandhi Cap" on his head and the legend "JAWAHARLAL NEHRU", "CENTENARY" and "1989", the centenary year in English and "Jawaharlal Nehru", "Janmashati" in Hindi on the reverse.



Reverse

Obverse

This coin of the month is chosen from the collection of Mr. Siddharth N Shah's collection. Man Carries 10,000 coins in Metal Pot to File Nomination Papers

Indore: A candidate from Indore-3 Assembly seat in poll-bound Madhya Pradesh on 08th of November brought Rs 10,000 in one-rupee coins as security deposit to accompany his nomination papers.

The state goes to polls on November 28 and counting of votes will take place on December 11, 2018.

Returning Officer Shashwat Sharma had to deploy five office staff to count the coins brought by candidate Dipak Pawar.

While it took them almost 90 minutes to count the coins, Pawar did not file his nomination papers, Sharma said, adding that 09th November was the last day to do so.

Pawar was given a receipt for the deposit which he will he will have attach along with his nomination papers, officials said explaining the process.

Pawar, who claimed to be an advocate and leader of Swarnim Bharat



Inquilab Party, said he was making his poll debut and Rs 10,000 in one-rupee coins comprised donations given by people who were keen to see him contest.

"As I could not get notes by way of donations, I was left with no option but to deposit coins as security," Pawar told reporters.

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December	9, 10, & 11	Jam Coin Mela	Red Cross Bhavan, Sakchi, Jamshedpur, Jharkhand
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Commemorative Coins of Modern India: Year wise & mint wise journey with ICCG News

आधुनिक भारत के स्मरणीय सिक्के: वर्षवार, टक्साल्वार यात्रा ICCG न्यूज़ के साथ

Commemorative coins of India are usually issued to celebrate some special occasion or to mark a special event. They also have been issued as a mark of respect towards some distinguished individuals or monument. Indian commemorative coins were issued from the 1964 onwards. Such coins have a distinct design with reference to the occasion on which they were issued. Few coins of this category serve as collector's items only, although most commemorative coins are issued for regular circulation. Modern and Commemorative Indian Coins are very interesting to discuss as they cover various topics like Indian Independence Struggle, War, Peace, Wildlife, Vegetation, Great Personalities, Various Events and Organizations. The highest valued coin is INR 1000 that was issued on the occasion of 1000 years of Brihadeeswarar Temple. In 1 set, there may be 2 to 9 coins of different denominations.

MINTS: Commemorative coins are made at various mints across India including the ones at (Bombay) Mumbai, Noida, (Calcutta) Kolkata & Hyderabad.



1994 – International Year of the Family

As per the decision taken in the U.N. General Assembly, the year 1994 was declared as the INTERNATIONAL YEAR OF THE FAMILY. A one rupee coin was issued on 27th December 1994 to highlight the increased awareness of family issues in a society. This coin is the first 1 rupee commemorative coin issued in FSS.

Obverse: The obverse of this coin shows the Ashokan lion and the value '1' in International numerals on the center. In English "INDIA" and "RUPEE" appear on the right periphery and in Hindi "Bharat" and "Rupaya" appear on the left. "Satyameva Jayate" in Hindi is shown just below the Ashokan Lion.

Reverse: The reverse of this coin shows a stylized central design of a close knit family, consisting of a child with his parents and grand parents. It also shows "1994" -- the year of issue, the legend "INTERNATIONAL YEAR OF THE FAMILY" in English and "Antarashtriyā Pariwar Barsha" in Hindi.

Specifications:

Year of issue: 1994

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Metal composition: FSS

Shape: Circular

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Edge: Milled

Mint: Mumbai & Noida.

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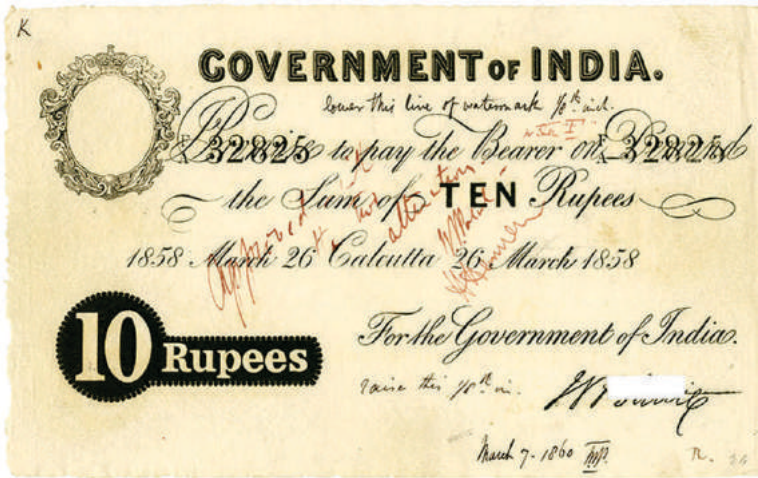
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Rare Banknotes, Stamps: Astaguru's Auction was a Collector's Special



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The auction house forayed into this segment with a star-studded catalogue. Driven and focused to present unique antiques to Indian collectors, the online auction house presented lots that not only intrigued but are also immersed and intertwined in history.

One of the highlights of the auction was the Government of India proof note from 1858. The note was the draft design which was later sanctioned as official currency.

The proof note is one of the first series of notes that were circulated by the government in accordance with the Indian Paper Currency Act of 1861. A proof note is a draft upon which the design and other integral aspects of a banknote that has to be issued etched and scrutinized.

Since the banknote went into circulation post 1861, one can deduce that the design and formatting of the note took about three years to complete.

The most dated lot in this auction was a cancelled Rupees 100 Sicca issued in Calcutta by the Bank of Bengal on April 24, 1834. The script and value of the note is stated in Bengali, Persian and Kaithi. Another lot included a `5 Government of India uniface note. The circle of issue for this note is Kurrachee or Bombay (1867-1910).

Apart from banknotes, the auction also featured lots from countries such as Mauritius, Pakistan and Malaya. Also included is a note from princely India belonging to the Morvi state. Also up for auction were rare stamps. The philatelic segment consisted of lots such as the Blue Scinde Dawk.

The first stamps of India and Asia were produced under the authority of a provincial commissioner of Sind. Bartle Frere, the then deputed authority, along with Edward Less Coffey, the postmaster of Karachi, issued the first stamp for India, now famously known as the 'Scinde Dawk'. On sale at the auction was a ½ Anna Blue from the year 1852.

Other lots included a set of 16 unmounted mint condition archeological series of stamps from 1949. The value of the stamps span three paise to `15. Also, on display was a set of four first issue of Mahatma Gandhi stamps in Courvoisier original booklet.

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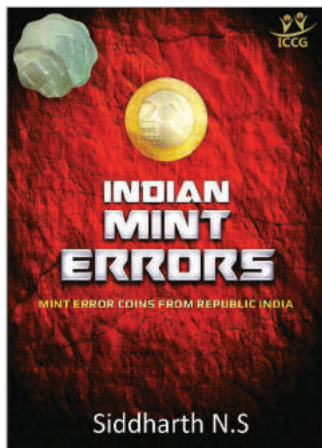
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