



Pacific Coast Numismatic Society

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Minutes of the PCNS Meetings of December 23, 2015

These minutes were circulated to the PCNS Board by email and reviewed at the Jan. 27, 2016 Board Meeting without changes or comment — Approved.

Board Meeting

Recorder Bill Hyder called the meeting to order at 7:06pm. Present were officers Bill Hyder (Recorder) and Stephen Huston (immediate past President), and active members Michael Wehner and Ken Takahashi.

Bill noted the following items received by mail:

- Letter from the San Francisco Public Library thanking PCNS for a copy of the PCNS Centennial Publication.
- Letter from member Ed Fulwider, indicating his regret at missing the Centennial Banquet.
- Two new membership applications were received, from Fritz Maytag (San Francisco) and Greg Burns (Upland, CA). In keeping with our Bylaws, barring any formal objections, these applicants will become Active Members of the Society at the January 2016 meeting.

There was no other business for the Board, and the Board Meeting was adjourned after about 10 minutes.

General Membership Meeting

The membership meeting was called to order at 7:30. The letters noted above were read, and we then moved on the election of new officers, reported by Michael Wehner of the Nominating Committee:

President: William Hyder
Vice Pres: Mary Lannin
Recorder: Stephen Huston
Governors: Jason Macario
Bob Somers
Ed Treuting

There were no nominations from the floor, and this slate was elected unanimously. Bill Hyder continued to chair the meeting, now as the newly-elected President.

Exhibits by the members included:

- Federico Castillo: 3 Mexican tokens and 2 unknown pieces. The Mexican pieces were an agricultural workers token, a good-for for a bath, and a Masonic membership token.
- Stephen Huston: a PPIE die hub which he had been asked to help evaluate.
- Bill Hyder: an engraved Bryant Dollar sold to him as damaged due to an inscription, which is actually of a known banker and adds value to the piece; a 14k American Legion badge, 1928.
- Michael Wehner: large U.S. Mint medal for Winfield Scott, in honor of his Spanish-American War victories.
- Mark Wm Clark: a military requisition note from Mexico, 1862, signed by Gen. Zaragoza, who won the Cinco de Mayo battle.
- Ken Takahashi: Wells Fargo Express mail with Chinese characters and WF revenue stamps, to Chinatown SF addresses.

Also present at the general meeting were members Bob Somers, Jason Macario, and Chris Donaldson.

Stephen Huston announced that the PCNS Papers already had been published online, and the publication was scheduled for printing, with delivery in January.

The December meeting was then adjourned for those present to enjoy the refreshments provided by the members.

Submitted by Stephen Huston, PCNS Recorder