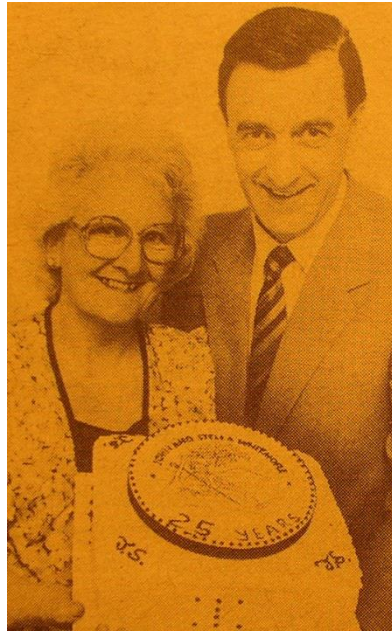


# Whitmore, John

(1932-2016)



John Whitmore and Robert Petersen with  
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## Biographical and Other Notes

In 1965, John and his wife Stella turned a hobby into a business and formed Lickey Coins. This later became the Whitmore sales lists. Especially interested in pub checks and unofficial farthings he contributed to several books and also wrote several of his own; *The Token Collectors Companion*. His numismatic knowledge was very broad and he served on the BNTA council for many years, becoming one of just four honorary life members. His general knowledge was also vast, once whilst visiting the USA, dropped in on a local history society and won the quiz they were holding! He published a summary of all of his sales lists in two important volumes.

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