

North, Jeffrey James

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Biographical and Other Notes

Born in Brighton, attended Varndean Boys' Grammar School and at 17 joined Barclays Bank in Brighton. He was conscripted into the army in 1940, commissioned in 1942. Following illness he was redeployed in a liaison role with Allied Forces HQ in Italy. Returned to Barclays and rose to be Manager of the Portslade branch. He retired in 1979.

By 1957 he had become a serious student of English hammered coins. Wrote many articles in SNC, published the classic two volume English Hammered Coinage in 1960, co-writer of the SCBI volume of the Brooker Collection of Coins of Charles Contributors to British Numismatics

I. His own collection of Edwardian silver 1279-1351 became an SCBI volume. Collection sold privately, later collection of Chinese cast copper coins donated to the Fitzwilliam Museum.

Sources and References

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