

THE PUBLICATIONS OF F.ELMORE-JONES

Francis Elmore-Jones (1898-1982) was elected to the Society in 1938. He served as Treasurer from 1946 to 1954 and was elected a Vice-President in 1955. In 1956 he was awarded the Sanford Saltus medal of the Society. He was made an Honorary Member in 1973, and in 1977 volume 47 of *BNJ* was dedicated to him on the occasion of his eightieth birthday.

Thanks to Mr Mitchell's excellent obituary notice in Spink's *Numismatic Circular* (1982, p.52), we already possess a lively and judicious appraisal of FEJ. As its own tribute, the Society wishes to complement what has already been so well said by recording in detail his published contribution to numismatic scholarship. In fact, the list which follows has been compiled by our President, Mr J.D.Brand, but I am pleased to have the opportunity of prefacing it with a purely personal reminiscence. Always a true and courteous gentleman, FEJ was to me, as he was to so many others, a kind, wise and generous friend.

I first met him when I became a regular attender at Baldwin's Saturday morning sessions in the early 1950s. Presided over by the late Albert Baldwin and much enlivened by his trenchant wisdom and tart good humour, these were occasions essentially for informal numismatic discussions and for the leisurely and collective viewing of coins newly acquired or lately come to light. FEJ was there most Saturdays, as were many of his numismatic friends (there were usually at least half a dozen of us), and it was he, more than anyone else, who through discussion and example deepened and expanded my interest in medieval numismatics. It was he, together with Albert Baldwin, who proposed me for membership of our Society in 1952.

Following our morning sessions at Baldwins we would pursue our discussions further in a local pub. Afterwards, if he was not off to Lords to watch a cricket match, we would make our way to the British Museum where, in those far off and unrestrictive days, Michael Dolley would let us have access to the cabinets, then still in their wartime quarters in the East Wing.

It is the FEJ of those days that I most like to remember: a man possessed of an unerring eye for a coin and a quite incredible visual memory for a die. He was always ready to explain and discuss and, while never discourteous or assertive, would clarify and rationalize arguments with impressive ability. He was, as Michael Dolley rightly said, a natural scholar and it is his published scholarly achievement that we now set out in full.

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1946

1. 'Short Cross Pennies' (anon. but reprinted with additions in 1948 under his name), *SCMB* July, pp.4-6.

1947

2. 'The Stephen Mint of BRAN...A New Attribution', *BNJ* 25ii, 119-24.
3. 'An Unpublished "Mule" of Stephen', *BNJ* 25ii, 230-31.

1948

4. 'The Last Short-Cross Issue of Henry III (Class 8)', *BNJ* 25iii, 286-90.
5. 'Short Cross Pennies', in *Notes on English Silver Coins 1066-1648*, edited by H.A.Seaby, pp.9-13.

1949

6. 'Hedon near Hull - A New Norman Mint', *BNJ* 26i, 28-30.

1950

7. 'The Short Cross Coinage and the Question of a Civil War' (letter), *NCirc* 58, 529-30.

1952

8. 'A Find of Edward Pence at Chester' (with R.H.Dolley and G.Webster), *BNJ* 27i, 91-92.

1953

9. 'New Light on the Abbot of Peterborough in the Norman Period', *BNJ* 27ii, 179-81.

1955

10. 'Some Corrigenda to the Two Volumes of the British Museum Catalogue of Anglo-Saxon Coins' (with C.E.Blunt and R.H.M.Dolley), *BNJ* 28i, 57-59.
11. 'An Intermediate Small Cross Issue of Aethelraed II and Some Late Varieties of the Crux Type' (with R.H.M.Dolley), *BNJ* 28i, 75-87, Pl.4.
12. 'An Unpublished Mule of Edward the Confessor', *BNJ* 28i, 189-90, Pl.14.
13. 'Thoughts on the Norman Coinage of Wales in the Light of Two Additions to the Series', *BNJ* 28i, 191-95, Pl.14.

1956

14. 'The Mint "aet Gothabyrig" and "aet Sith(m)estebyrig"' (with R.H.M. Dolley), *BNJ* 28ii, 270-81, Pl.22-23.
15. 'A Preliminary Note on an Intermediate Small Cross Type of Aethelraed II in Relation to Late Varieties of Crux' (with R.H.M.Dolley), *NCirc* 64, 5-8.
16. 'A New Sussex Mint', *NCirc* 64, 165-66.

1957

17. 'The Tenth-Century Mint "aet Weardbyrig"' (with C.E.Blunt), *BNJ* 28iii, 494-98, Pl.37.
18. 'Stephen Type VII', *BNJ* 28iii, 537-54, Pl.31.
19. 'An Unpublished Penny of Henry I', *BNJ* 28iii, 652-54.

- 20. 'An Unpublished Variant of the Crux Type of Aethelraed II', *NCirc* 65, 57-58.
- 21. 'An Unpublished Penny of Edward the Confessor', *NCirc* 65, 157-60.

1958

- 22. 'A Parcel of Cross-and-Crosslets Pence from the Tealby Find' (with R.H.M.Dolley), *BNJ* 29i, 82-86, Pl.5.

1959

- 23. '"Edwardus Rex Ain" : de Bury or Hatfield? - A New Approach to an Old Problem', *BNJ* 29ii, 326-33, Pl.27.
- 24. 'Two Unpublished Barnstaple/Exeter Die-Links', *BNJ* 29ii, 417-18, Pl.28.

1960

- 25. 'The Mint of Axbridge', *BNJ* 30i, 61-69, Pl.6.
- 26. 'A new Mint for Stephen Type VII', *BNJ* 30i, 188-89, Pl.11.
- 27. 'Some Remarks on *BMC* Type VII Var. B of Edward the Confessor' (with R.H.M.Dolley), *NC* 6th series 20, 183-90, Pl.14-15.
- 28. 'A New Suggestion Concerning the So-Called "Martlets" in the "Arms of St Edward"' (with R.H.M.Dolley), in *Anglo-Saxon Coins: Studies Presented to F.M.Stenton on the Occasion of his 80th Birthday, 17 May 1960*, edited by R.H.M.Dolley (1961), pp.215-26, Pl.15.

1961

- 29. '"Edwardus Rex Ain" - A Further Postscript', *BNJ* 30ii, 363-65.
- 30. 'The Transition between the "Hand of Providence" and "Crux" Types of Aethelraed II' (with R.H.M.Dolley), in *Commentationes de Nummis Saeculorum IX-XI in Suecia Repertis*, I, 175-86.

1962

- 31. 'Four Anglo-Saxon, Norman, and Plantagenet Notes: The Mysterious Mint of "Dernt"; Two Unpublished Pennies of William II; Stephen Type VII - Four "New" Coins; An Unpublished Edward III/Edward II Mule', *BNJ* 31, 66-73.

1963

- 32. 'An Unpublished Penny of William I', *BNJ* 32, 91-93.

1964

- 33. 'Norwich or Northampton - A "Short Cross" Problem', *BNJ* 33, 70-72, Pl.7.
- 34. 'Four "New" Coins of the Huntingdon Mint', *BNJ* 33, 168-69, Pl.7.

1965

- 35. 'The Buckingham Mint' (with R.H.M.Dolley and D.J.Elliott), *BNJ* 34, 46-52, Pl.4.
- 36. 'The Episcopal Marks on the Coins of the Prince-Bishops of Durham' (letter), *NCirc* 73, 5-6.

1966

- 37. 'The Emergency Mint of Wilton in 1180' (with J.D.Brand), *BNJ* 35, 116-19, Pl.15.

- 38. 'A Rare Penny of William I from Cirencester' *NCirc* 74, 92.
- 39. 'A Parcel of "Tealby" Type Pennies from France', *NCirc* 74, 125-26.
- 40. 'A Suspicious Looking Penny of Stephen Type VII', *NCirc* 74, 204.

1967

- 41. 'A Remarkable Parcel of Norman Pennies in Moscow' (with C.E.Blunt), *BNJ* 36, 86-92, Pl.3-4.

1968

- 42. 'On Some Hoards of the Time of Stephen' (with C.E.Blunt and P.H. Robinson), *BNJ* 37, 35-42.
- 43. 'A Note on the Mint of Horncastle', *BNJ* 37, 191-92.
- 44. 'A Cricklade/Salisbury/Wilton Die-Link in William I Type VIII', *NCirc* 76, 224-25.

1969

- 45. 'Mr Pagan's Numismatic "Geese"', *NCirc* 77, p.199.
- 46. 'Two Wiltshire Coin-Hoards of the Time of Stephen' (with C.E.Blunt), *Wilts Arch & Nat Hist Mag* 64, 65-70.
- 47. 'Davit on Gipe', *Crowther FPL* 1969 No.1, p.3.

1970

- 48. 'Southampton/Winchester Die-Links in Canute's Quatrefoil Type', *BNJ* 39, 6-11, Pl.10.
- 49. 'Stephen Type VII - A "New" Mint', *BNJ* 39, 164-65.

1971

- 50. *SCBI* 16. *Collection of Ancient British, Romano-British and English Coins formed by Mrs Emery May Norweb, Part 1, to 1180*, (with C.E. Blunt and R.P.Mack).
- 51. 'A Supplementary Note on the Mints of Bedwyn and Marlborough', in *Mints, Dies and Currency: Essays Dedicated to the Memory of Albert Baldwin*, edited by R.A.G.Carson, (1971) pp.121-27.

1972

- 52. 'Two Pennies of Stephen Type I', *BNJ* 41, 206.

1975

- 53. 'Two Suspect Coins of Stephen', *SCMB*, 151-53.