23 JANUARY 2001. Mr Douglas Adrian Hunter and Maj-Gen. Adrian William Lyons, CBE were elected to Ordinary Membership and the Museum of Westphalia (Germany) to Institutional Membership. Mr Graham Dyer then read a paper entitled The Royal Mint and the Festival of Britain, 1951.

27 FEBRUARY 2001. The President announced the death of Mr W.B. Ferguson, a member since 1972. Mr David Graham Russell Salmond was elected to Ordinary Membership, and the President admitted Maj-Gen. A.W. Lyons a member of the Society. Mr Stephen Minnitt and Dr Jonathan Williams (in the absence of Mr Richard Abdy) then read a paper entitled The Shapwick (Brune Valley) hoard of Roman denarii.

27 MARCH 2001. Mr Peter John Cook was elected to Ordinary Membership. Kristin Bornholdt then read a paper entitled Coin finds and currency of the Isle of Man in the Viking Age and later Middle Ages.

24 APRIL 2001. The President announced the death of Prof. J.P. Mass. Rachel Head and Messrs. David John Arnold, Norman P. Brand, Colin Hugh Thomas Rooney, David Seaman and James Matthew Robertson were elected to Ordinary Membership, and The Getty Research Institute to Institutional Membership. Dr Nicholas Mayhew and Mr Timothy Crafter then read a joint paper entitled Ancient British coin types: New ideas, new interpretations.

22 MAY 2001. The Rt. Hon. Ian, Lord Stewartby was elected to Honorary Membership, Mr Ronald David Haller-Williams to Ordinary Membership and Mr David Christopher Clark to Junior Membership. The President admitted Mr K.V. Eckardt a member of the Society. Dr Donal Bateson then read a paper entitled The medallic works of Neil Macphail.

26 JUNE 2001. The President announced the death of Mr L.N. Woolf, a member since 1971. Dr Jonathan Williams then read a paper entitled The Gayton hoard of Henry II cross and crosslet pennies.

25 SEPTEMBER 2001. Messrs. Laurence John Bamford and Roland Giles Mumford were elected to Ordinary Membership. Mr Robert Heslip then read a paper entitled Out of balance: Weights and foreign coins in early eighteenth century Ireland.


27 NOVEMBER 2001. Mr Richard Downs and Rev. Roderick Palmer were elected to Ordinary Membership. The following Officers and Council were elected for 2002:

President: D.W. Dykes
Director: K. Clancy
Treasurer: P.H. Mernick
Librarian: A.J. Holmes
Secretary: C.R.S. Farthing

Council’s proposal that the subscription for 2002 should remain unchanged at £24 for Ordinary Members and £10 for Junior Members was approved. Gratitude was recorded to Messrs. E.M. Besly and T.G. Webb Ware for their services as Director and Treasurer respectively. The President, Dr D.W. Dykes, then delivered his Presidential Address and was thanked, on behalf of the Society, by Dr C.E. Challis.

EXHIBITIONS

January
By Mr R.A. Merson:
(1) Medallion dated June 21st 1833 commemorating a visit by HRH Prince George, Duke of Cambridge, to the Royal Mint (Æ, approx Farthing size). Possible unpublished example of what may be a sovereign reverse die (cf. BHM 1645).
(2) Royal Mint internal tokens in paper/cardboard material and encapsulated in clear plastic, 1p, 2p, 3p, 10p, 50p (1972 or earlier – cf. Coins, Jan 1973) and £1 (post 1983). All were rectangular (2.875 × 1.875 in) except the 50p which was square (1.875 in).

February
By Lt.-Cdr. C.R.S. Farthing:
Short-cross penny of Cnut by Farthein on Eofe (York) of unknown provenance. Dia. 17–18 mm and Wt. 1.13 g.
By Mr J.G. Scott:
Copper penny of George III, dated 1826 below the bust, with standard Britannia rev. and obv. similar to the Irish 1822–3 penny.

April
By Mr W.A. MacKay:
(1) Penny of Edmund, King of East Anglia. Found in a small scattered hoard near Newmarket, Cambs, c.1996.
Wt. 1.28 g (N.461, Fitzwilliam EMC 2001.0004).
Obv. +EADMVNDREX, cross patee with pellets in each angle.
Rev. +BÆGÆLMÆM, cross patee with pellets in each angle.
Obv. +EADMVNDREX
Rev. +FREDARD MONEIT (retrograde N for M and N)

May
By Mr J.G. Scott:
White-metal medal dated 1861 by N(eil) Macphail depicting the Wallace Monument, Stirling. Dia. 35 mm.

June
By Mr J.G. Scott:
Medal by N(eil) Macphail, dated 1895–6 of the Hunter Medical School, Glasgow. Awarded to Alexander L. Watson, AM in classe Physiologiae. Dia. 70 mm., Æ.

SUMMARY OF MEMBERSHIP CHANGES

The following adjustments relate to the 12 month period which followed the most recently published list of members (Vol. 70):

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*The additional Honorary Member was formerly an Ordinary Member