

## Buttrey, Theodore Vern ('Ted')

Prof.

(1929-2018)



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### Biographical and Other Notes

Born in Havre, Montana, he was an American educator, classicist and numismatist. Degree and PhD in classics from Princeton. Started work at Yale in 1954, then Michigan 1964-85 when he retired. Already visiting Cambridge University he took an assistant lectureship in classics. Keeper of coins and medals at the Fitzwilliam 1988-91, 2008-2018. Prolific writer on Greek and Roman coins, also Mexican coinage and the 1996 ANS talk questioning the authenticity many American gold bars. Also a major driving force behind the Fitzwilliam Museum's outstanding collection of auction and sales catalogues.

Contributors to British Numismatics

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