# ANT-I-FACTS



# CENTRAL FLORIDA METAL DETECTING CLUB

AUGUST: 1989

The next meeting of the Central Florida
Metal Detecting Club will be held on Friday,
August 11th at the Goldenrod Civic Center at
8 PM. See you there!

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#### FIND OF THE MONTH

Coin: 1902 Indian Head penny found in Winter Garden by Robert Loucks.

Coins: Silver half dollar, two silver dimes, 7 wheaties & tokens found at Winter Park schools by Bob Stackhouse.

Jawal: 1896 half-sovreign 22 kt. gold coin with a 14 kt. gold bezel found at New Smyrna Beach by Arlene Shaffer.

Jewelry: Four neck chains (two gold & two silver), i.d. bracelet, anchor pendant, ring with 4 diamonds, emerald ring, all rings of 14 kt. gold found in local lake by Bill Ackerman.

Artifact: Cast iron Journal cover from turn of century train found near Church Street Station area in Orlando by Jim Stoll.

Artifacts: No Entry. Handful of nails would have won it.

Odd: Rosewood/gold cigarette lighter found in St. Petersburg area by George Livingston.

Ends: Boy scout emblems, fishing weight, ring of keys, two pair of clippers, cigarette lighter, toy car found at various elementary schools by Bob Stackhouse.

Good work, TH'ers, keep up the good finds.

Bank Night: \$20.00 was won by Glenn Corder. Way to go, Glenn.

## CLAUDE RAINEY UPDATE

As many of you are aware of Claude's battle with lung cancer, he is currently doing chemotherapy. It is very hard on his system as many of you probably knew someone who had to go through with it. It has left Claude very ill and dizzy. Be sure to include him in your thoughts and prayers that his cancer will go into remission. He's been the mainstay in our club and we all miss him. As a Th'ing partner, Claude and I in our club and we all miss him. As a Th'ing partner, with him. have shared many adventures and I'd like to share a few more with him. Drop him a card or call him as he's confined to his home for now. We love you, Claude, hang in there.

### AUGUST CLUB BASH

Don't forget that on August 19th, beginning at 10 AM to 6 PM+ our club bash takes place. Goldenrod Civic Center will have many fun things to do even if it rains. An auction will be held so bring your old detectors, mining equipment, treasure maps or that worn out shovel and Ray Leist will fetch you a fair price. Good time to clean out the garage or attic. Don't forget to bring a dessert or covered dish and garage or attic. Don't forget the meat. There will be raffles, bingo as always the club will provide the meat. There will be raffles, bingo and door prizes. Be sure to mark it on your calendars. See ya'll there.

#### FLORIDA TREASURE SITES

In 1848, Aaron Jernigan built a log house that served as a stockade during Indian uprisings somewhere along the shores of Lake Holden. W.H. Holden later purchased the house and it remained occupied to the 1930's. The Old Tampa Trail once ran alongside the section line of this property.

There was once a ferry stop at "Montgomery's Crossing" on the Wekiwa River. It's research time to find this one.

On Lake Osceola in Winter Park, a wharf & boathouse were built for the S.S. Capen at the foot of Canton Avenue during the 1890's.

An old hotel once stood near the Highland Park Landing, west of Deland, between the 1830's & 1840's.

Silver and gold coins have been washing up on the beaches opposite the Venice Airport. It seems a Spanish Nao wrecked offshore and the coins are thought to come off this wreck. I'll be down there at the time you receive this newsletter and if I find anything it'll be on the Find of the Month table for sure.

#### EDITOR VACATION

Last newsletter, I said I was going to Georgia to mine gold. I sure was looking forward to the trip but unforseen medical bills quickly ended my plans. Instead I'll be spending a few days in the Venice area hunting the beaches for coin and jewelry. Then I'll be off to Panama Beach City to examine a piece of Th'ing equipment that could make me self-employed. Hopefully I'll have something to show during the September meeting.

#### BOTTLE CLUB MEETING

The Mid-State Antique Bottle Collectors hold their meetings on the second Wednesday of each month. It's held at the William Beardall Senior Center, 800 South Delaney Avenue, Orlando. A pot luck dinner begins each meeting.

#### ELECTROSCOPE DISTRIBUTOR

The Editor has received a distributor's package featuring the Electroscope and the products that are presented by TOMACO. I'll have the binder available for those of you who are interested. I don't own a 'Scope "yet".

#### CLASSIFIED ADS

To place ads, call 239-0962 for Harry Rainey. Give a brief description, price, name and telephone number. Thank you.

C&G Wildcat w/11.5" coil. Good condition. \$150.00, Edna Liberatore 678-2190.

Fisher 1260X, \$150.00. George Hill 422-2229.

Garrett Groundhog ADS, hip mount & case, \$125.00; Huffy 10 speed bike, \$45.00. Bill Ackerman 671-0214.

Garrett ADS 3 with 7.5" & 12" + rechargeable batteries. \$225.00 Jim Ingram 933-1308.

Usika Brave, \$60.; Fisher 1220X, \$100.; White's 4900D, \$125.00 John Walters, 407-267-2694.

White's Treasuremaster Amphibian, \$250.; W's Surfmaster, \$100.; Garrett XL 500 pulse w/7.5 & 15 coils, headphones, too, \$250.00. White's 6000Di Pro w/8" & 10" coil, hip-mount, MEV. \$325. Charlie Peterson, 904-423-2213.

Ten inch coil for White's 6000, 5 pin, \$30. Clare Myers, 407-783-2081.

Teknetics Mark 1 "LTD" with hard case, \$350.00. Barbara Bos, 647-5791.

Fisher 1280X Aquanaut w/10.5 coil, \$400.00 FIRM; Big Bud Pro, NEW: \$275.00 George Shaffer 904-427-7996.

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Military buttons from Seminole Indian & Civil War. David Gascoyne: 767-0530.

Old Trade Tokens perferably Florida tokens. Robert Waters, 629-2783.

Grand Master Hunter: George Shaffer, 904-427-7996

Come to B&B Restaurant at corner of Atlantic and Broadway in Daytona for some good seafood. Ask Ralph Flippo, he owns it.

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