

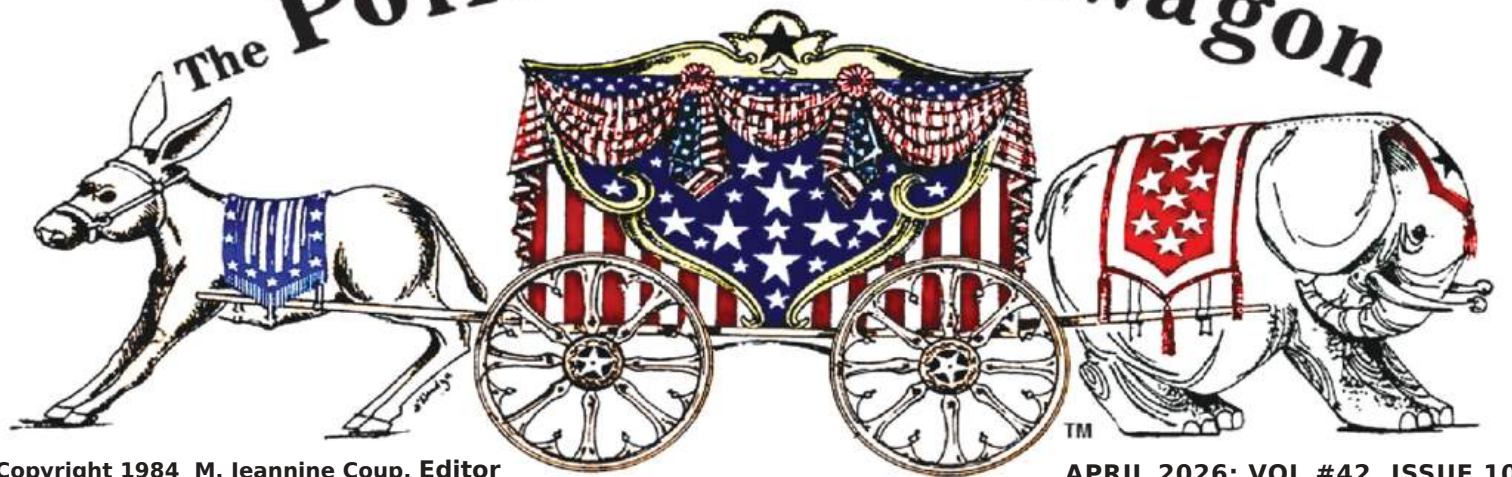


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### A MEMORIAL TO LINCOLN: MAN OF THE PEOPLE

*Abraham Lincoln: Superb Solid 18K Gold Memorial Watch. A magnificent filigreed and enameled watch with wonderful full color scene of Washington placing a wreath on the head of the martyred president (an image taken from one of the most widely-distributed Lincoln memorial cartes de visite). The white enamel dial is marked "American Watch Co." and the watch is in working order with winding key. Attached is an elaborate 14K gold fob/chain with a large, flawless, and beautifully-faceted amethyst attached (Feb birthstone). Jewelry value alone on such a fine watch and fob is easily several thousand dollars, aside from the value as a Lincoln item. A truly marvelous piece that must be seen and held to be fully appreciated. Diameter 1.75". Beautiful condition. Courtesy of Heritage Auctions. 2019 Nov 2 Lincoln and His Times Americana & Political Signature Auction - Dallas #6214 / Lot #43313. Sold for: \$4,500.00*



Memorial Commission to oversee the project. The bill was signed by President Taft February 11, 1911. A \$2 million fund was established for the project. But the final cost was more like \$3 million.

Congress appointed several prominent politicians to the Lincoln Memorial Commission (LMC) and charged it with honoring the nation's 16th president, Abraham Lincoln. As required by law, it turned to the newly formed Commission of Fine Arts (CFA) for advice on locating and designing the proposed memorial. A design by Architect Henry Bacon was finalized in 1912. Construction began in 1914 and the memorial was completed in 1922. It was dedicated 104 years ago on May 30, 1922.

Audience members heard the speeches from a distance with the help of microphones and loudspeakers that carried the words of the day's chosen speakers. The U.S. Navy also broadcast the ceremony across two of its local radio networks.

The day prior to the dedication, *The Washington Post* crowed that two million people would be able to hear the dedicatory ceremony with these new technologies, saying "Amplifying devices, cleverly concealed so that they did not detract from the beauty of the memorial, carried the speakers' voices several hundred yards, and by the same means the speeches were sent broadcast by radiophone."

The dedication included an invocation, speeches, and a benediction. Robert R. Moton, President of the Tuskegee Institute, gave the keynote address. Ironically, despite Lincoln's renown as the "Great Emancipator," the dedication ceremonies were strictly segregated; even Robert Moton was not allowed to sit on the speaker's platform and instead was required to sit in an area reserved for African Americans.

Former President, Supreme Court Chief Justice Taft's presented the monument to President Harding. Taft was serving as the head of the Lincoln Memorial Commission at the time. President Harding delivered his speech accepting the gift of the memorial from Taft on behalf of the people.

Mr. Chief Justice:

It is a supreme satisfaction officially to accept on behalf of the Government this superb monument to the savior of the republic. No official duty could be more welcome, no official function more pleasing. This memorial edifice is a noble tribute, gratefully bestowed, and in its offering is the reverent heart of America; in its dedication is the consciousness of reverence and gratitude beautifully expressed.

Somehow my emotions incline me to speak simply as a reverent and grateful American rather than one in official, responsibility. I am thus inclined because the true measure of Lincoln is in his place today in the heart of American citizenship, though more than half a century has passed since his colossal service and his martyrdom. In every moment of peril, in every hour of discouragement, whenever the clouds gather, there is the image of Lincoln to rivet our hopes and to renew our faith. Whenever there is a glow of triumph over national achievement, there comes the reminder that but for Lincoln's heroic and unalterable faith in the Union, these triumphs could not have been.... *President Harding, May 30, 1922, speech at the dedication of the Lincoln Memorial*

Notable attendees included Harding's Vice President, Calvin Coolidge; members of the Supreme Court; members of Congress; foreign ambassadors and their staffs; Civil War veterans from both North and South; Henry R. Bacon, the architect who had designed the memorial; Daniel Chester French, the sculptor of the Lincoln statue; and Jules Guerin, designer of the monument's frescoes; and the artists who had helped to construct this new monument. Two seats were reserved for former President Wilson and his wife, but Wilson was not well enough to attend.



Chief Justice Taft, President Harding and Robert Todd Lincoln at the Lincoln Memorial Dedication 5/30/1922

**PART ONE: APRIL 14th & 15th - THE LINCOLN MEMORIAL & THE TITANIC**

President Lincoln was shot April 14th, 1865. He died on the 15th. Forty-seven years later on the same day the Titanic struck an iceberg on April 14th, 1912 and sank on the 15th. An interesting bit of trivia to be sure, but there is another coincidence linking the two disparate events.

The Lincoln memorial to the martyred President was conceived in 1867. But it took decades until two congressmen pushed a bill to create the Lincoln

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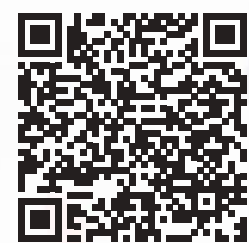


John F. Kennedy: "A Time for Greatness" Wisconsin Campaign Poster, Signed by JFK.



Lincoln & Hamlin: Jugate Ribbon.

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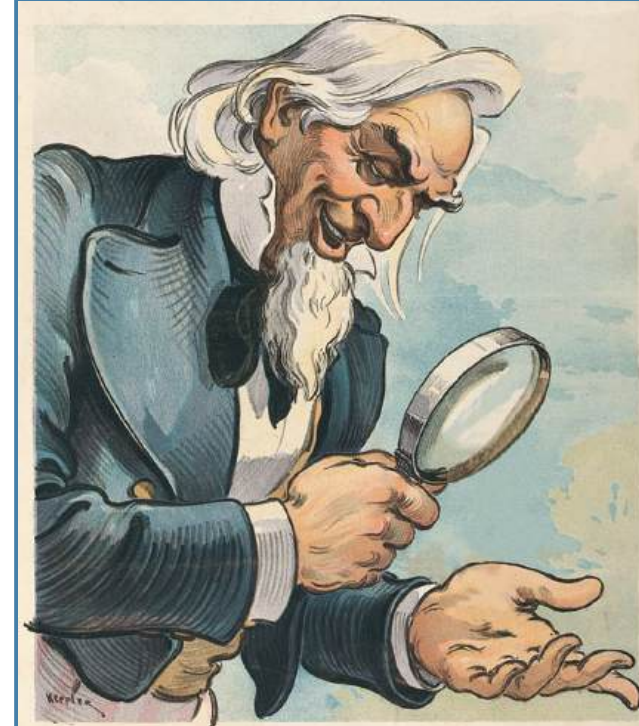
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25-\$10.00 Johnson/Humphrey Let Us Continue 7/8" rwb	26-\$6.00 Johnson/Humphrey curl: A.G. Trimble rwb	27-\$6.00 My Brand's LBJ 7/8" rwb, curl: JT Moore, Pittsburgh	28-\$6.00 HHH/Muskie floating heads 7/8" blk/w	29-\$6.00 LBJ for Pres. blu/w	30-\$5.00 LBJ/HHH jugate 45th Inaugural 1788-1965, rwb	31-\$5.00 Nixon color photo 7/8"	32-\$10.00 anti-Nixon Nixon Eats Grapes purple/w, grape boycott	33-\$5.00 Veteran for Nixon 7/8" rwb	34-\$5.00 I'm For Nixon 7/8" blu/w	35-\$5.00 Nixon, Click with Dick, rwb litho	36-\$4.00 Nixon/Agnew 1972 jugate, rwb curl: A.G. Trimble
37-\$10.00 Keep America Strong with IKE rwb 7/8" litho curl: Green Duck	38-\$68.00 JFK Vote Democratic union bug, rwb	39-\$4.00 McCarthy for Pres. 7/8" green/blk/w	40-\$5.00 Free Martha (Mitchell) Watergate scandal green/w	41-\$5.00 EMK 1972 1" green/w	42-\$5.00 Carter/Mondale 1976 jugate green/w/yellow	43-\$4.00 Anderson 1980 blu/w	44-\$10.00 Carter, Re-elect the President Mr. Peanut, r/w/green	45-\$5.00 Ronald/George First for the USA blu/w	46-\$5.00 Ronald/George First for the USA blu/w	47-\$5.00 Keep George & Laura in 2004, color photo jugate, paper: Yellow Tractor, Medford, OR	48-\$3.00 Dole/Warner '96 blu/w
49-\$10.00 Reagan cowboy hat 1" gold color pin back	50-\$10.00 Reagan cowboy hat 7/8" tie tac gold color clutch	51-\$8.00 LBJ initialed hat 1/2" silver color pin back	52-\$15.00 Unc Sam style Lincoln embossed profile 3/4" on stickpin	53-\$15.00 Wilson USA rwb enameled 1/2" shield pin back small chip top of 2nd red stripe	54-\$12.00 Landon/Knox embossed sunflower 5/8" gold color pin back	55-\$48.00 Landon, bro/y enameled sunflower 3/4" stud back	56-\$6.00 G'64 Goldwater gold/blk 5/16" x 3/8" embossed clutch back				
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133-\$6.00 I'm A Carter for Ford, blu/w	134-\$6.00 Carter 1976 Grits & Fritz green/w	135-\$12.00 anti-Carter Duhmp Jimmum purple/w	136-\$4.00 Howard H. Baker for Pres. 1980 blk/w	136-\$4.00 Robert Dole for Pres. 1980 blk/w	137-\$6.00 EMK, New York Kennedy '80 blu/w	138-\$22.00 Vote Reagan to Keep It, Liberty Bell, bro/w	139-\$6.00 Reagan, Let's Make America Great Again 1-1/8" rwb litho	140-\$8.00 Reagan for Pres. Put Michigan Back To Work Again, blu/w	141-\$4.00 I'm for Reagan blu/w	142-\$5.00 anti-Bush(41) Just Say Nothing r/blk/w	143-\$6.00 RNC '86 San Diego rwb, Missouri Delegation
144-\$5.00 anti-LBJ for EX President orange/blk	145-\$5.00 Viva LBJ rwb Spanish curl: Phila. Badge Co.	146-\$8.00 Kennedy for Pres. blu/w	147-\$6.00 McCarthy for Pres. union bug	148-\$5.00 Nixon USA map, blu/w curl: Emress	149-\$5.00 Nixon Renew in '72 elephant, blu/silver	150-\$6.00 Nixon's the One Watergate ladybug curl: NG Slater blu/w	151-\$5.00 California Ford Country, rwb curl: Button Works, Nevada City	152-\$6.00 Amnesty for Nixon? y/blk	153-\$4.00 Ford Jerry No, r/w	154-\$10.00 Universal Party '68 Heusel for Congress Mackenna/VP blu/yellow	155-\$20.00 Vote Vanden Heuvel for Congress (D-NY) 1960 lost to Lindsay, rwb
156-\$5.00 Vote Socialist Workers Party yellow/blk	157-\$5.00 Vote Socialist Workers Party orange/blk	158-\$5.00 Vote Socialist Workers Party green/blk	159-\$6.00 Vote Socialist Workers Party '72 blu/w/blk	160-\$6.00 Vote Socialist Workers Party '72 yellow/w/blk	161-\$6.00 Vote Socialist Workers Party '72 orange/w/blk	162-\$6.00 Hold On Muskie 'Nomination' text on donkey, green	163-\$6.00 Hold On Muskie 'Nomination' text on donkey, pink	164-\$15.00 (AJ) Lowenstein, rwb 1974 USA Sen. race/withdrew	165-\$8.00 McGov/Eagleton curl: NG Slater rwb	166-\$8.00 Run With Hillary Eleanor's Legacy NY, rwb	167-\$22.00 Rockefeller NY curl: Emress blu/w
168-\$6.00 Bush(41) for Pres. 1980, green/yellow	169-\$6.00 EMK, 1980 Another Kennedy Delegate blu/yellow	170-\$6.00 Reagan coattail '80 (Rep. Phil) Crane (R-IL), blu/w	171-\$6.00 Reagan for Actor in 1980 r/yellow	172-\$6.00 Irangate, Reagan Knew & Bush Too blk/w	173-\$6.00 Irangate, What Did Reagan Forget? When Did He Forget It? blk/w	174-\$6.00 Reagan '84 coattail (Sen. Wm) Armstrong '88, R-CO, blu/w	175-\$6.00 Reagan '84 coattail Falwell '88 '88, R-CO, blu/w	176-\$4.00 Bush/Quayle 1988 rwb curl: NG Slater	177-\$4.00 '92 Nebraska for Perot/Stockdale rwb jugate	178-\$5.00 Perot/Volunteers for Clinton/Gore rwb, union bug	179-\$6.00 Virginians for Clinton, rwb (Bill)
180-\$6.00 McGov/Shriver Hard Hats orange/blk	181-\$7.00 Goldwater, I'm a BGB, glasses under letters, blu/w litho	182-\$6.00 McGov for America Pres. 1972 pink/blk/w	183-\$8.00 Presidente Nixon Ahora mas que nunca (Spanish-Now More Than Ever) rwb	184-\$6.00 Dick & Pat Nixon for Pres/First Lady, rwb jugate (light spots)	185-\$5.00 Nixon coattail (Richard) Oglivie for Gov/defeated for re-election, rwb litho	186-\$5.00 Nixon blu/w	187-\$5.00 Nixon's the One Watergate, rwb, curl: ©Buttons of History 1973	188-\$5.00 I'm An American Don't Bug Me Watergate, rwb	189-\$5.00 LBJ All the Way rwb litho	190-\$8.00 John Fitzgerald Kennedy 1917-1963, blk/w	191-\$8.00 Iowa Republican State Convention Delegate, 1972 Aug 12, rwb
192-\$5.00 Only Lindsay Will Do for '72 pink/blk jugate	193-\$5.00 John F. Lindsay Proven Leader Pres. '72, pink/blk	194-\$5.00 Wallace '76 rwb, curl: Fargo Rubber Stamp Co.	195-\$5.00 Win With Wallace rwb, union bug	196-\$5.00 Win With Humphrey rwb, union bug	197-\$6.00 HHH '76 The 3H Club rwb	198-\$4.00 Pres. Ford '76 blu/blk/w curl: NG Slater	199-\$8.00 Elect Ford, Don't Settle for Peanuts rwb, curl: NG Slater	200-\$6.00 Betty Ford Start Packing The Carters Are Coming, r/green/w curl: NG Slater	201-\$6.00 Carter-Mondale '76 Get America Moving Again rwb, curl: NG Slater	202-\$6.00 Carter-Mondale '76 New Leadership & Competence, rwb curl: NG Slater	203-\$8.00 Jerry's Joint (CA Gov.) Brown 'Moonbeam' blu/w
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216-\$6.00 Clinton, Washington Wants Hillary's Husband for Pres., curl: Wash. St. Clinton-Gore Coord. Campaign, rwb	217-\$4.00 Americans for Clinton 1992 pink/blk/w	218-\$4.00 Americans for Clinton 1992 green/blk/w	219-\$6.00 Nader '92, w/text: 'Paid for by Committee to Draft Ralph Nader for Pres.', rwb	220-\$6.00 anti-Clinton Don't Whitenash Whitewater blu/w	221-\$8.00 Women for Clinton Gore, Light the Way for Change! blu/y, curl: NG Slater	222-\$8.00 Clinton-Gore Democrats Abroad rwb, curl: NG Slater					
223-\$11.00 Carter/Mondale peanut, green/tan 1.75"	224-\$12.00 Jimmy & Rosalynn Carter blk/w jugate photo, 1.75"	225-\$6.00 Viva Reagan red on yellow, 1.75"	226-\$8.00 Ron & Nancy Reagan yet you ain't seen nothing yet Inaug. Day 1985 Jan 21, 1.75" rwb	227-\$6.00 anti-GOP, 1.75" union bug, r/blk/w							

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240-\$10.00 Jackson for Pres. Follow the Rainbow multi-color

241-\$10.00 Jesse Jackson Now is the Time

242-\$18.00 Goldwater for Pres. 1964, gold on blu. curl: Olet Bros.

243-\$48.00 Krushchev Does No Want Nixon & Lodge, I Do, rwb 2.25"

244-\$8.00 Betty Ford for First Lady in '76 2.25" rblk/w

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247-\$7.00 '76 (B.J.) Clegg/Pres. (A.L.) Packwood/VP. Minister ran 7x for Pres. from rwb, NH

248-\$6.00 Individuals for Ford/Dole. Vote Nov 2, '76, rwb

249-\$8.00 The Coming of Carter, caricature farmer, rwb/y/g

250-\$8.00 Bucksyes for EMK '80, Oh Draft Kennedy Comm. green/w

251-\$54.00 Ted Kennedy 1980 Geo. Orwell 1984 rwb

252-\$10.00 anti-Carter, ABC, Anybody But Carter for Pres., rwb

253-\$15.00 ABC, Anybody But Carter, Anderson Because, r/blk/w

254-\$10.00 Reagan, Remember When America Had A Real Pres., blu/w

255-\$22.00 The Reagan Bush Bears Bitter Fruit anti-Labor, Hunger, War, Pro Rich, anti-Poor blk/w

256-\$8.00 We're Not in The Bag, Re-Elect The President, blk/w

257-\$12.00 Reagan coat/lit Simon, A Time For Change, blu/w

258-\$10.00 My Heroes Have Always Been Cowboys, Reagan Bush(43) jugate

259-\$22.00 Dole/Kemp jugate Team Up, Vote Repub. Join the Winners for Lower Taxes Nov 5th, rwb

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261-\$8.00 Dukakis, CWA 50th Anniv, Conv, 1988, Reclaiming New Orleans for the Duke rwb

262-\$10.00 Missouri Victory '88 Dukakis/Bentsen, Hearn, Askew, Wolf, Holden, Carnahan, Nixon, Chronicle rwb/y

263-\$8.00 Dukakis/Bentsen by the GOP, Houston Holden, Carnahan, Nixon, Chronicle rwb/y

264-\$6.00 Bush(41) in '92 rwb/g/ caricature curl: 92-2129

265-\$8.00 Reelect Barbara's Husband, color photo

266-\$15.00 92' Wyoming for Clinton, Democrat for Pres., rwb

267-\$15.00 Wyoming is Wild About Bill Clinton '92, r/blk/w

268-\$15.00 Wyoming Wants Clinton/Pres, Gore/VP Democrats '92, rwb, curl: Paid for by Lonnie Keller, Torrington, WY

269-\$10.00 Support Pres. Clinton Vote Dem. in '93 blu/w coat/lit, Terry, Beyer, Dolan

270-\$15.00 Bush 2004 Wyoming Equality State rwb

271-\$10.00 Colin Powell 2008 Pres., rwb, curl: Republican Campaign Headquarters

272-\$6.00 NH Republicans & Independents for Bush(43) for Pres. 2004, rwb

273-\$12.00 Frogs for Bush TCU Republicans Fort Worth, TX rwb

274-\$12.00 Republican Conservatives for Obama, r/blk/w

275-\$10.00 Obama 2012 Yes We Can...Again rwb

276-\$12.00 Obama '08 America's First Family, blk/w

277-\$15.00 Wyoming for Trump, 2016, rwb

278-\$9.00 Democrats Are We for LBJ & HHH rwb jugate, 3" litho curl: Green Duck

279-\$9.00 LBJ, Best for You Best in View rwb

280-\$9.00 USA Likes LBJ rwb, USA map

281-\$15.00 Nixon, Unc Sam He's Good Enough For Me in '68, rwb, curl: AG Trimble, cardboard back

282-\$10.00 Me Gusta Rockefeller (Spain) rwb

283-\$6.00 EMK, Kennedy '80 4-leaf clover green/w

284-\$6.00 EMK, Kennedy '80 sunrise, rwb/y

285-\$10.00 Reagan/Bush America A New Beginning, Inaug. 1980, Ben Tarpico, IL Day 1981, rwb jugate

286-\$10.00 Illinois is Reagan Country, Republican Party, Lincoln, IL 1911 Land of Lincoln

287-\$15.00 Iowa Republican Pres. Convention Reagan Delegate Frank Enten, hand written, '80

288-\$6.00 Reagan/Bush rwb jugate

289-\$8.00 Reagan/Bush 1981 America A New Beginning, jugate Inaug. Day, rwb

290-\$25.00 '56 Be Happy With Happy Chandler (Gov. D-Ky; Baseball Commissioner) blk/y

291-\$10.00 Democrats Let's Send Ronnie & Phil the same message we sent Bill Powell, rwb trigate

292-\$10.00 Desert Storm (Dukakis?) Team, Bush(41) 1988, blk/w

293-\$5.00 Team Bush/Quayle '92 OH Youth Delegation Go For The Vote, rwb

294-\$8.00 George/Dan, Don't Change Team in Middle of Stream rwb

295-\$12.00 Bill & Hillary America's Next First Family, rwb

296-\$8.00 Rally to Win, Kendrick Meek & Pres. Clinton UCF Orlando 10-20-10 gold/w

297-\$8.00 Clinton/Gore '92 Teamsters: Let's Make America Work Again, Oct 31, blugold rwb/y

298-\$8.00 UAW for Clinton Gore '96 United Auto Workers Team, rwb/y football jugate

299-\$8.00 UAW for Clinton Gore '96 United Auto Workers Team, rwb/y football jugate

300-\$8.00 America's Dream Team, rwb/y football jugate

301-\$5.00 Dole '96 rwb

302-\$20.00 Florida Route to the White House, Kerry/Edwards, Bush/Cheney double jugate, green/w

303-\$8.00 Gore/Liebermann Rolling Thunder (special needs running program) rwb

304-\$6.00 W Rides Again Bush(43) blk/w/gold

305-\$6.00 Re-Elect Bush 2004 Keep Old Glory Proudly Flying, rwb

306-\$6.00 Bush/Cheney 2000 Repub. Leadership Lincoln, TR, Reagan rwb

307-\$6.00 Republican Lawyers for Re-Election of Bush/Cheney rwb jugate

308-\$6.00 Hillary for Pres. of the Village Board 2000 multi-color

309-\$8.00 Obama 2000 We Believe in America, rwb jugate

310-\$5.00 2012 Support the Constitution, Vote Good/Pres. Clymer/VP Constitution Party, rwb

311-\$6.00 Rubio for Pres. Rubio/Reagan jugate rwb

312-\$6.00 Romney for Pres. 2012, text in glove: "Mitt, Experience & Integrity", GOP logo

313-\$4.00 RFK, Jr/Shanahan 2024 jugate rwb

314-\$30.00 FDR union bug, rwb cardboard back

315-\$54.00 LBJ/IFK (shadow) Let Us Continue rwb 1964 jugate

316-\$11.00 LBJ, America Needs Johnson, rwb curl: NG Slater

317-\$12.00 Johnson/Humphrey for '64, rwb jugate

318-\$12.00 LBJ/HHH for the USA, rwb jugate

319-\$38.00 RFK, Kennedy for Pres. in '68 3.5" rwb

320-\$26.00 (Geo.) Romney for Pres. in '68, rwb

321-\$10.00 Minnesota HHH for Gov, Citizens for Anderson

322-\$6.00 America Needs Nixon, rwb, curl: NG Slater

323-\$8.00 Clinton, I Told You So, r/blk/w

324-\$12.00 Illinois Land of Crane curl: 9173 A Gordon Wayman Design, blu/yellow

325-\$10.00 Nixon/Agnew '72 r/blk/w jugate

326-\$18.00 Pres. Carter, Barbara Walters, "Be Wise With Us... Be Good to US" Dec 1976, gold/blk/w

327-\$8.00 RNC Reagan/Bush Victory in '84 Delaware County, PA, rwb jugate

328-\$10.00 Reagan coat/lit (US Rep Dick) Schuler, Bush/Quayle Presidential Edition You, 1985/Jan 21, rwb

329-\$10.00 RNC 1992 Houston Bush/Quayle Presidential Edition You, 1985/Jan 21, rwb

330-\$10.00 Mondale, Fritz & Joan for First Family, jugate blu/blk/w

331-\$30.00 California Here We Come, New York State, blu/yellow

332-\$8.00 Dole '96, Ohio Sunflowers Bloom in Nov., bro/w/yellow

333-\$5.00 Clinton, I Told You So, r/blk/w

334-\$12.00 4" Crane in 1980 Illinois Land of Crane curl: 9173 A Gordon Wayman Design, blu/yellow

335-\$27.00 4" Goldwater Our Next Pres. JFK Let Us Continue, Great Society, rwb trigate

336-\$15.00 4" LBJ/HHH 45th Inaug. 1965 WDC Official Nixon Button

337-\$12.00 4" Nixon r/w, curl: Official Nixon Button

338-\$14.00 6" Melania, Your Word is Your Bond, You Do What You Say & You Keep Your Promise, 2020

339-\$18.00 6" Trump/Pence is Trump Pence 2020 Statue of Liberty rwb jugate

340-\$18.00 6" Vote Trump Pence 2020 Statue of Liberty rwb jugate

341-\$24.00 6" Nixon's The One r/blk/w, USA map

342-\$6.00 6" McGovern blk/w

343-\$8.00 6" anti-Mondale Fritz Busters, ©1984 r/blk/w, Ghost Buster's film reference

344-\$18.00 6" Reagan, Our 40th Pres. Inaug. Day 1981, rwb

345-\$20.00 6" Bush 1988 color photo on gray bgkd

346-\$20.00 6" Clinton, From Hope 1946 to Giving Hope Around the World 2006, Happy 60th Birthday, blu/w

347-\$22.00 6" Clinton Keeps Going, Keeping All the Way to White House, rwb jugate

348-\$18.00 6" America is Bush Country USA map, rwb

349-\$12.00 6" Romney/Ryan 2012 America's Comeback Team rwb jugate

# CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Shows & events of interest to political items collectors.  
It is recommended you confirm dates & times of each event before traveling.

**APR 4, 2026 - NEW ENGLAND SPRING SHOW** at Community College, Hartlieb Technology Center, Haverhill, MA. Free parking. DEALERS ONLY FROM 8am-9am. NO EARLY BIRDS! Public show runs from 9am-1pm. Admission: \$3.00 for adults; 12 & under are FREE; students FREE with ID. To assist potential sellers and new collectors, free on-site appraisals will be offered, as well as the opportunity to auction items (with a reserve) at the show. Rental fees: \$30 for the first table and \$25 for each additional table. Free table for first time dealers. For table reservations contact Susan Roman and send table rental checks (payable to NE Chapter APIC) to: Mike Dunham, 440 Central Street, Holliston, MA 01746. We are considering a potluck lunch from 1-2 PM to discuss committee assignments and plans for July 2026 APIC National Convention. More details coming soon. Any questions? Email Susan Roman (reganroman@comcast.net), Mike Dunham (burdun@comcast.net) or Tom McGrail (tmcgrail2@verizon.net); or call Susan Roman at 603-868-2293.

**APR 10-11, 2026 - VERNON HOUSTON CHAPTER SHOW** (formerly the Dixie Chapter) annual show at the Wyndham Garden, 415 S. Swing Rd., Greensboro, NC 27409. Fri eve 4/10: Room Hopping & Hospitality Room. Sat 4/11: full day of bourse 9am-3pm. Admission \$3. Tables: wall tables \$60 each, interior tables \$50 each. Make checks payable to Winston Blair, PO Box 1455, Clemmense, NC 27012. Room reservations: contact the hotel directly at 336-299-7650 and select "Sales" from the menu. Mention the APIC for the \$109.00 +tax per night room rate. Questions? Contact Winston Blair, 336-830-2727 or email wblair1987@gmail.com

**APR 12, 2026 - WISCONSIN APIC CHAPTER SPRING SHOW** The Wisconsin APIC chapter is hosting its 2026 spring show on Sunday April 12th at the Cudahy Family Library. A Milwaukee suburb. Hours are 12-

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3pm. Free parking, no stairs. For table reservations and further information contact Pat Kehoe at pkehoe@gmail.com

**APR 25, 2026 - P.A.C.K. POLITICAL AMERICAN COLLECTORS OF KENTUCKY** from 9am-3pm at the Zachary Taylor American Legion Post #180, 4610 Shelbyville Rd., Louisville, KY 40207. Thousands of political items, sports, advertising, and more. Enjoy early Kentucky Derby activities, Bourbon Trail, and much more. Dealer 8 ft. tables: \$35 each or 3 for \$100. Contact person: Gene Heid (502) 499-1543 or email g.heid@twc.com

**APR 26, 2026 - CHICAGO APIC SPRING SHOW** The Chicago APIC is hosting their spring show on April 26th at the Orland Park Civic Center, 14750 S. Ravinia Ave Orland Park, IL. Show time 10am-2pm. Tables are \$20 each. Contact Barb Zaczek for table reservations and more details. barbarzaczek@yahoo.com or 720-545-8484 text/cell.

**MAY 2, 2026 - 52nd ANNUAL MONROE D. RAY FINGER LAKES POLITICAL & POP CULTURE MEMORABILIA SHOW** The Finger Lakes Region of Central New York is beautiful in early spring, and there are many antique shops and historical sights to visit. This region was a hotbed of the Woman Suffrage movement. Join us on Sat, May 02, from 8:30am-2pm at the Sons and Daughters of Italy Lodge, 31 Prospect Ave, Geneva, NY. Admission: \$2 per person. Table Reservations: \$30 per table. Checks payable to: Monroe D. Ray Chapter APIC, Inc., 15 North Brook St., Geneva, NY 14456. Contact person: Anthony Noone (315) 651-8313 or email noone.anthony21@gmail.com (See our ad on pg 22)

**MAY 9, 2026 - 58th ANNUAL MICHIGAN POLITICAL & POP CULTURE SHOW** Sat. 9am-3pm at the Skyline Hotel, 31500 Wick Rd, Romulus, MI. Room reservations: (734) 721-3315. Ask for Linda Hester. Room rate: \$119/night. Fri., May 8th: all day room hopping at the hotel, Reception @ 6:30pm, and Auction @ 7pm. More than 50 dealer tables at the show on Sat. Dealer tables: 1/\$70, 2/\$110, 3/\$150, 4/\$180. FREE parking. Admission: \$5. Contact Eric Schroeder 517-918-5354 Email: eschroederlaw@gmail.com (See our ad on pg 23)

**MAY 15, 2026 - CHUCK BAILEY HEART OF TEXAS POLITICAL SHOW, AUSTIN** at the Fickett Boy Scout Center, 12500 N. I-35, Austin, TX on Sat. May 16th from 9-5. Room hopping & Texas barbecue Fri, May 15th. Show hotel: Springhill Suites by Marriott (next to Boy Scout Center), 12520 N. I-35, Austin, TX. Room rates: \$109/night, mention "APIC" for this rate. Wall Tables: \$60. Interior Tables: \$50.

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**MAY 15-16, 2026 - BANDWAGON EXTRAVAGANZA**, Two day bourse: Fri, 5/15, 11am-6pm; Sat, 5/16 from 8:30am-1pm. at the Holiday Inn Harrisburg-Hershey, 604 Station Road, Grantville, PA 17028 (Located at Exit 80 on I-81). Group room rate: \$145 per night. Call the hotel directly at 717-469-0661. Wall tables: \$70 ea; interior tables: \$65. Admission: \$5 per person, under 18 Free. Silent Auctions during show hours, including the Premiere Silent Auction 5pm Friday. If you email us a photo of your Premiere item we'll print it in the April Bandwagon. Contact person: Jeannine Coup, polbandwgn@aol.com or 717-656-7855 (See our ad on pg 3 & 12)

**2026 APIC NATIONAL CONVENTION JULY 27-AUG 1, 2026** Location: Double Tree Hotel North Shore, Danvers, MA. Guest Room Rates: \$149 + tax per night. A shuttle is planned to bring members from Logan Airport in Boston to the Doubletree hotel in Danvers. Convention highlights. Sale/Bourse Days: open Thurs, Fri & Sat. Member's Auction: Thurs night. Banquet: Fri night. For specific needs contact Susan Roman at reganroman@comcast.net or 603-534-0157, or Mike Dunham at burdun@comcast.net or 617-212-4249. Watch for convention news in the monthly APIC Newsletter on page 20.

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**"I oppose the war in Vietnam because I love America. I speak out against it not in anger but with anxiety and sorrow in my heart, and above all with a passionate desire to see our beloved country stand as a moral example of the world."**

Martin Luther King, Jr., February 26, 1967  
Anti-War Conference, Los Angeles, California,

# THE FRUGAL COLLECTOR - APRIL 2026

By Scott Jasnoch

This month a few items found on the Political Memorabilia Exchange page from Facebook are discussed. They are courtesy from Tom Peeling and his offerings.

First is a 1 3/4-inch Franklin D. Roosevelt (FDR) memorial pin, listed for \$38. The pin features a black-and-white portrait of FDR with the words "WE MOURN OUR LOSS" in bold black lettering. It was produced in 1945 as a commemorative item following Roosevelt's death in office.

Next is a large, 3 1/2-inch vintage campaign pin featuring a humorous and provocative slogan from Richard Nixon's presidential runs. The pin displays the phrase "THEY CAN'T LICK OUR DICK" in bold red letters, accompanied by a small black-and-white portrait of Nixon. It sold for \$30.

It's not everyday a 1 1/2-inch anti-Spiro Agnew pin is available for \$25. The pin features a satirical and highly controversial design, depicting Vice President Agnew's limbs arranged to form a swastika.

Another interesting pin is this 1 1/4-inch campaign example of Edith Willkie, the wife of 1940 Republican presidential nominee Wendell Willkie. It was listed for \$15 and sold quick!

A must have is this 1 3/4-inch anti-Vietnam War protest pin listed for \$15. The yellow button features the bold text "STOP KILLING YOUTH" above a list of locations where high-profile violence or military action occurred: Kent, Jackson, Augusta, and Indo-China.

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# REMEMBERING DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.

At 6:05 P.M. on Thursday, 4 April 1968, Martin Luther King was shot dead while standing on a balcony outside his second-floor room at the Lorraine Motel in Memphis, Tennessee. King had arrived in Tennessee on Wednesday, 3 April, to prepare for a march the following Monday on behalf of striking Memphis sanitation workers.

President Lyndon B. Johnson called for a national day of mourning to be observed on 7 April. In the following days, public libraries, museums, schools, and businesses were closed, and the Academy Awards ceremony and numerous sporting events were postponed. On 8 April King's widow, Coretta Scott King, and other family members joined thousands of participants in a march in Memphis honoring King and supporting the sanitation workers. King's funeral service was held the following day in Atlanta at Ebenezer Baptist Church. It was attended by many of the nation's political and civil rights leaders, including Jacqueline Kennedy, Vice President Hubert Humphrey, and Ralph Bunche. During King's funeral a tape recording was played in which King spoke of how he wanted to be remembered after his death: "I'd like somebody to mention that day that Martin Luther King, Jr., tried to give his life serving others." Morehouse College President Benjamin Mays delivered the eulogy, predicting that King "would probably say that, if death had to come, I am sure there was no greater cause to die for than fighting to get a just wage for garbage collectors" (Mays, 4/9/1968) Source: <https://kinginstitute.stanford.edu/assassination-martin-luther-king-jr>

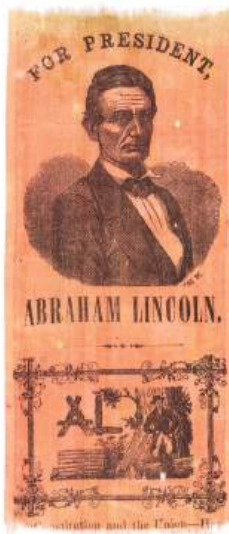
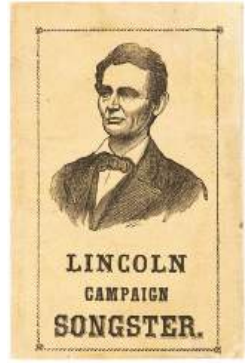
# Auctions on Parade

By Michael McQuillen  
**HERITAGE #6335**

Heritage Auctions offered over 300 lots from the famed collection of Dan Madsen in its March 2026 sale. Here, we will take a look at many of the lots selling in the \$700 and up range.

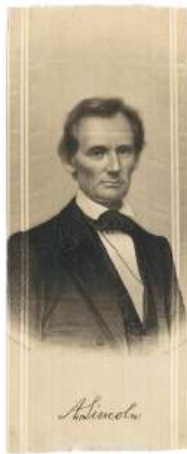
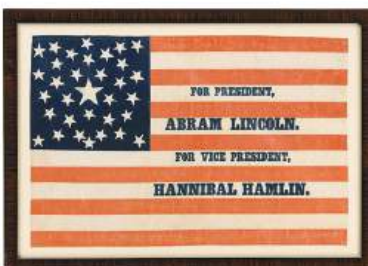


Abraham Lincoln: Back-to-Back Ferrottype. AL 1860-96, 25mm gilt brass shell. Includes red, white, and blue ribbon sold for \$688 (all prices realized are rounded up to the nearest dollar and include a 25% buyer's premium.)  
Abraham Lincoln: Albumen Portrait Stickpin, Civil War Era. 19 x 25mm, O-55 gem albumen badge with brass frame, likely produced during or shortly after Lincoln's presidency made it to \$813.  
A 19th-Century Double Eagle Figural Campaign Torch. 8 3/4" x 10" brass campaign torch burned brightly at \$844.



Abraham Lincoln: Rare Dual Portrait Rail Splitter Ribbon. 2-3/8" x 5-1/2" red silk ribbon featuring a bust portrait of Lincoln had minor aging and got to \$5750.

Bell & Everett: Campaign Parade Flag. 11-1/2" x 17-1/4" glazed cotton flag in support of the 1860 Constitutional Union Party nominees flew to \$6000. A great display piece a Lincoln & Hamlin et al: 1860 National Political Chart of the United States. 32" x 42" political chart, printed by King & Baird of Philly, was tacked up at \$6875. In great shape was a Lincoln & Hamlin: Currier & Ives Grand National Banner. 8-7/8" x 13-1/8" (sight), hand-colored lithograph published by Currier & Ives, titled: "The Republican Banner For 1860 - and needing \$8750.



Now, a look at my "Big 3" of the sale. Abraham Lincoln: Brady Single Portrait Ribbon. 3-1/8" x 7-1/2" silk ribbon with 1/2 length portrait. Published by J.C. Buttre of New York for the 1860 campaign saw action to \$11,875. Abraham Lincoln: 1864 Campaign Broadside. Two printed pages front and back, 22-3/4" x 16-1/4"; [New York]; [1864] sold for the same \$11,875. Finally, framed and ready to enjoy was an Abraham Lincoln: 1860 Lincoln & Hamlin Campaign Flag. 17-1/4" 11-1/4" rare 1860 Lincoln & Hamlin campaign flag unlisted in Collins' "Thread of History". A 33-star printed cotton flag in red, white and blue which commanded \$81,250!



Heritage Auctions can be contacted on the web at: www.heritageauctions.com or by phone at: 1-800-872-6467. (See their ads on pages 2-3).

Auctions on Parade appears monthly in The Political Bandwagon. I invite readers to write me if they would like to suggest auctions to be reviewed or have any other questions or suggestions. Michael J. McQuillen can be reached by writing him directly at P. O. Box 50022, Indianapolis, Indiana 46250-0022, e-mail: michael@politicalparade.com or through his web-site: www.PoliticalParade.com

## DID YOU KNOW?

The Lincoln Memorial includes 36 fluted Doric columns of Colorado marble, one for each state in the Union at the time of Lincoln's death in 1865; each column stands 44 feet (13.4 metres) high.

Above the colonnade inscribed on the frieze are the names of 36 states and the dates in which they entered the Union. Their names are separated by double wreath medallions in bas-relief. The cornice is composed of a carved scroll with lions' heads in between them and ornamented with palmetto.

The next step up on the memorial above the colonnade is called the attic frieze. Here, at the top of the memorial, the names of the 48 states present at the time of the dedication are inscribed. Because Hawaii and Alaska attained statehood several decades after the Lincoln Memorial was finished, their names are inscribed on a plaque located on the front steps.

All ornamentation on the friezes and cornices was done by Ernest C. Bairstow, the Washington, D.C. architectural sculptor who completed the carving of the exquisite Lincoln Memorial exterior details such as the states, wreathes, festoons, and eagles. The memorial interior also features Bairstow's handiwork in the lettering for the Gettysburg Address, the Second Inaugural Address, and the Royal Cortisoz epithet above the Lincoln statue.

## A MEMORIAL TO LINCOLN

(Continued from page 1...)

Perhaps the most important guest of all was 79-year-old, Robert Todd Lincoln, the only surviving son of the sixteenth president. Making what turned out to be his last public appearance, the younger Lincoln's pale and aged visage reminded members of the audience of his father, martyred in the final days of the Civil War at nearby Ford's Theatre.

The memorial was the work of years of coordinated efforts by the members of the Lincoln Memorial Commission as well as the recently founded American Commission for Fine Arts, of which Francis Millet had been Vice Chairman until his death on the Titanic. And there it is. Another coincidental link to the Titanic tragedy. So who was Francis Millet?

### PART TWO: FRANCIS MILLET

"One of the passengers aboard the ill-fated Titanic in April of 1912 was Francis Millet who served . . . during the Civil War with the 60th Massachusetts Infantry. Millet became a renowned writer and artist who led a full, colorful life that was sadly snuffed out in the icy waters of the North Atlantic. It is almost tragically poetic his life should end this way, as he was born in a small seafaring town built around the shipping industry". wrote Rachel Moses in her post titled "The Civil War and a Titanic Tragedy" for the National Museum of Civil War Medicine.

He was a mere 13 years old when the Civil War broke out and only 15 in May 1864 when he enlisted. "His underage enlistment was not uncommon for the time, no doubt helped by the fact that he served with his father who was a surgeon." wrote Moses. Francis "served in this capacity just under two weeks." He kept a journal of his experiences. Soon after his 16th birthday in November of that year Millet was "mustered out and his wartime career came to an end but his illustrious career as a writer and artist was about to begin."

...Millet graduated Harvard in 1869 with a degree in Modern Languages and Literature. He worked as a newspaper editor for the *Boston Advertiser* and enrolled in the Royal Academy of Fine Arts at Antwerp, Belgium. In 1877 he served as a journalist for the *New York Herald, London Daily News* and as an artist for the *London Graphic* during the Russian Turkish War. [He was decorated by Russia and Romania for bravery under fire and services to the wounded.] The following year he was a member of the fine arts jury at the Paris exposition and exhibitor in the Salon and British Royal Academy. (Moses)

Mark Twain was a close friend who traveled to Europe to serve as best man at Millet's marriage on March 11, 1879. Millet also painted a portrait of Twain (1877 oil on canvas shown here). A few years after Millet was lost on the Titanic, Twain recalled the humanity of Millet, in a 1917 *Harpers Magazine* article,

"Millet was the cause of lovable qualities in people, and then he admired and loved those persons for the very qualities which he (without knowing it) had created in them. Perhaps it would be strictly truer of these two men to say that they bore within them the divine something in whose presence the evil in people fled away and hid itself, while all that was good in them came spontaneously forward out of the forgotten walls and corners in their systems where it was accustomed to hide."

According to the Minnesota Historical Society, Millet's broad-ranging career included work with worlds' fairs in Vienna, Chicago, Paris, and Tokyo as a juror, administrator, muralist, decorator, or advisor. In 1893, as director of decorations for the World's Columbian Exposition (Chicago World's Fair) he was responsible for the decorative appearance of the buildings, and ended as master of ceremonies. Millet painted historical murals for the capitols of Wisconsin and Minnesota and the Baltimore Customs House.

He wrote a series of articles for *Harper's* which later formed the basis for his book based on his 1892 travels 1,700 miles down the Danube, *From the Black Forest to the Black Sea*.

Millet was among the founders of the School of Fine Arts in Boston and involved in the American Academy in Rome. In 1911, he went to Rome as chief administrator of the newly combined Schools of Fine Arts and Classical Studies. The following year he died aboard the RMS Titanic on his return home.

Millet was on academy business in Rome with his close friend, Archibald Butt, an Army officer and aide to President Taft in early 1912. The pair booked return tickets to New York first class on the Titanic and boarded at Cherbourg, France the evening of April 10, 1912. Millet's ticket (number 13509) cost 26 pounds 11 shillings (roughly \$5,200 today) and he occupied cabin E-38. . .

The night of the sinking, Millet and Butt were seen by survivor Archibald Gracie playing cards in the smoking room and later helping women and children into the lifeboats. Butt and Millet both went down with the ship. Millet's body was later recovered by the Canadian ship Mackey Bennett. Among the personal possessions found on his body were a gold pocket watch engraved with "F.D.M.", glasses, two gold studs and a silver tablet bottle. Millet's body was sent to Boston and buried in East Bridgewater Central Cemetery. Butt's body was never recovered.

At a memorial for Francis Millet in 1913, Senator Elihu Root said:

"He must have been born with a sense of the beautiful and a love for it, for he devoted his life to it....He was one of the most unassuming and unselfish of men....He was a man of great strength and force, decision and executive capacity....He always pressed on to the accomplishment of his purposes, purposes in which self was always subordinate...."

### PART THREE: ARMY ENGINEERS AND THE LINCOLN MEMORIAL, 1911-1922

The following story is excerpted from a post May 2022 on the US Army Corps of

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Among the most notable landmarks in Washington, D.C., are its many extraordinary monuments and memorials, many of which went up in the 19th and 20th centuries with the help of Army Engineers. Congressional commissions established to manage various memorialization efforts usually delegated the day-to-day supervision of construction to the Office of Public Buildings and Grounds (OPBG), an independent office that managed federal land in the capital and reported directly to the Chief of Engineers. Army officers from the Corps of Engineers led the OPBG and its successor throughout its existence (1867-1933).

This was true of the Lincoln Memorial project. In 1911 Congress appointed several prominent politicians to a Lincoln Memorial Commission (LMC) and charged it with honoring the nation's 16th president, Abraham Lincoln. As required by law, it turned to the newly formed Commission of Fine Arts (CFA) for advice on locating and designing the proposed memorial.

The U.S. Commission of Fine Arts is an independent federal agency that advises on art, architecture, and design in Washington, D.C., ensuring aesthetic excellence and preserving the dignity of the nation's capital.

The Commission of Fine Arts was established by Congress in 1910 to provide expert advice to the President, Congress, and federal and District governments on matters of design and aesthetics, particularly as they affect federal interests in Washington, D.C. It plays a key role in guiding the architectural development of the city and reviewing designs for public and private projects in designated areas. The CFA also supports arts institutions through programs like the National Capital Arts and Cultural Affairs (NCACA) program.

At the time the Lincoln Memorial Commission turned to the newly formed Commission of Fine Arts, the CFA was composed of architects and artists [including Francis Millet, as Vice Chairman until his death on the Titanic]. The head of the Office of Public Buildings and Grounds (Cosby) served as the Commission of Fine Arts' secretary, executive, and disbursing officer. The Lincoln Memorial Commission soon also selected the public buildings chief to act as its disbursing officer and executive. Thus, Army Engineer officers became key players in the development of the Lincoln Memorial in both its design (CFA) and its construction (LMC) while also serving as a conduit between the two commissions.

Four Engineer officers of the OPBG served as commission secretaries and executives during this period. They were Cols. Spencer Cosby, William W. Harts, Clarence S. Ridley, and Lt. Col. Clarence O. Sherrill.

Site and Design. Over the next several months, the two independent commissions held quite different opinions about a preferred location, design, and architect. Cosby, as the Army Engineer head of the OPBG, dutifully served both commissions, learning the sentiments and strategies of both and communicating engineering data to all the members. Eventually a decision was reached where to site the memorial and to engage an architect. Congress formalized the decision in early 1913, at which point Cosby shifted focus from design to construction.

The two commissions were at odds over the site, and thus the design, of the planned memorial. The Commission of Fine Arts preferred a location at the western end of the Mall on recently reclaimed land. Members of the Lincoln Memorial Commission felt the area could never be made adequately beautiful and suggested other sites. Then, eschewing the normal practice of holding a competition, the Commission of Fine Arts asked then-unknown architect Henry Bacon to submit a design. Meanwhile, the Lincoln Memorial Commission authorized Cosby, as its executive, to contract with architect John Russell Pope to design Lincoln memorials for two alternate sites. Although Cosby preferred Bacon and the Mall site, he continued to serve dutifully both commissions.

In early 1912 the Commission of Fine Arts made a decisive determination on the Mall location and ultimately won over the Lincoln Memorial Commission as well. The CFA then asked both architects to refine their designs for the chosen location. After careful consideration, it recommended Bacon's proposal. The LMC eventually signed off as well, and by early 1913 Congress approved the resolution to build Bacon's memorial on the Mall site. Subsequently, Cosby transitioned from

National Mall circa 1914. The area where the memorial now stands was a muddy floodplain called the Potomac Flats.

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Honorable Discharge.) WW2

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the Spanish-American War  
complete w/rifle & pack, 1"  
embossed & painted on  
stick pin.

**W125-\$250.00**  
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missing in action off the Solomons,  
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Office of War Information, Wash., DC  
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have with the pride of those who know that the day has  
come when America is privileged to spend her blood  
and her might for the principles that gave her birth and  
happiness and the peace which she has treasured. The  
supreme test of the nation has come. We must all speak  
act and serve together." Ground war w/tanks (left), ships  
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W304-\$45.00 (below) **W.H. Goss Lot 2 (2 pieces: Teapot & Vase 1)**



**W186-W.H.Goss Lot 2, Item 1.** Teapot pictures Allied flags, a fraternal handshake & a wreath. Gilt embellished. Banner text underneath says: "c union fait la force eendracht maakt macht" which translates to "Union makes strength; unity creates power." Flags of the Allies. Great Britain, France, Belgium, Serbia, Russia, Japan, Italy. This teapot is 4-3/4" tall white glazed porcelain & has the same image both sides. Maker's mark on bottom: W. H.Goss & Pub. by F.B. den Boer, Middelburg. The lid also has W. H.Goss logo maker's mark. Commemorates WWI allies before US involvement.

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**W190-W.H. Goss Lot 3, Item 1** Flags of the Allies, Great Britain, France, Belgium, Russia. 3-1/8" white glazed porcelain vase. Maker's mark on bottom W.H. Goss.



**W190-W.H. Goss Lot 3, Item 2** Flags of the Allies, Great Britain, France, Belgium, Russia. 2-3/4" white glazed porcelain vase. Maker's mark on bottom W.H. Goss.



**W190-W.H. Goss Lot 3, Item 3** Creamer is 4-1/4" tall with text on banner that says: "Flags of the Allies, Great Britain, France, Belgium, Russia." White glazed porcelain. Gilt embellished. Maker's mark on bottom: W.H. Goss



Creamer



W188-\$38.00

**Remember Pearl Harbor, In God We Trust to Save America.** E Pluribus Unum printed above eagle on sunburst. Flags along sides: Mexico, Guatemala, Honduras, El Salvador, Nicaragua, Costa Rica, Panama, Cuba, Dominican Republic, Haiti, Columbia, Ecuador, Brazil, Argentine, Bolivia, Peru, Paraguay, Uruguay, Venezuela, Chile. Lower right text: Copyright 1941 Harry Reiter, New York. Vertical hand stitched repair in upper right corner. Thread bare spots upper left & middle left. Tear at border under "S". Stain spot under "AM". Photographed while under shrink-wrapped plastic so some of what seems to be stains are an artifact of reflected light off the plastic. Normal aging. 10.5" x 12.75" printed silk textile (handkerchief?).

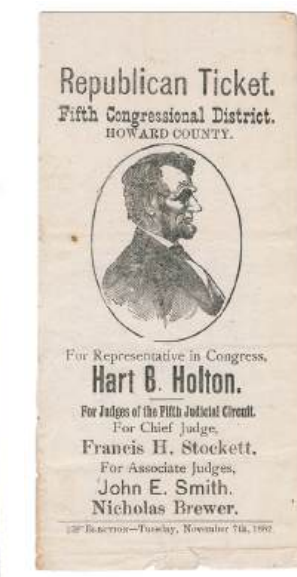
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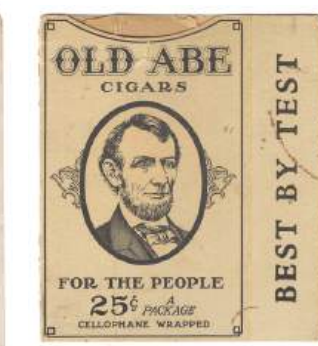
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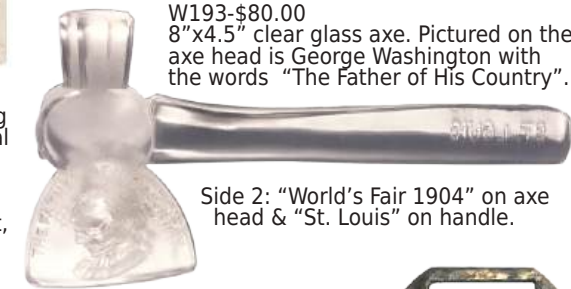
W191-\$48.00 Republican Ticket picturing Lincoln, Fifth Congressional District, Howard County, Hart B. Holton for Rep. in Congress. 5th Circuit judges: Francis H. Stockett, John E. Smith, Nicholas Brewer. **Elections Tue, Nov 7th 1882.** Spot left of Lincoln. Small edge tears. Paper 6-3/8".



side 1 W192-\$25.00 Old Abe Cigars For The People, 25c A Package, Cellophane Wrapped. Edge text: Best by Test. Edge 2 text: Factory No.50 1st Dist.PA. Cardboard sleeve, 8.25"x 3-3/8" x 1.25"



side 2 W193-\$80.00 8"x4.5" clear glass axe. Pictured on the axe head is George Washington with the words "The Father of His Country".



Side 2: "World's Fair 1904" on axe head & "St. Louis" on handle.



W198-\$62.00 George Bush, Bill Clinton, Ross Perot Election 1992 boxed set w/three 1.75" jugate buttons (Bush/Quayle Vote '92 jugate; Clinton/Gore '92 Vote for Change jugate; Ross Perot '92 America's Future jugate) and a pocket knife with "Bush\*Clinton\*Perot" inscribed on large blade. Box lid paper hinge is torn on the right side. Otherwise in very good condition. (see lid above & interior view below.)



W199-\$28.00 Embossed & enameled fob 1-5/8". Text in red banner: The Salvation Army. Text in blue circle: Blood and Fire

W196-\$115.00 (right) He's Good Enough For Me! Endorsement poster. Uncle Sam stands behind TR with a hand on TR's shoulder. By Davenport (signature under Sam's right foot). Small text: From the N.Y. Evening Mail. Copyright 1904, by the Mail and Express Company. Union bug. Image is 10.5"x 15.75". Framed & matted under glass, finished size 14.5"x 20"



W195-\$75.00 (left) Panama-Pacific International Exposition San Francisco 1915, Independence Hall Philadelphia, Philadelphia. 1"



W200-\$155.00 Lovely early 1800s snuff box. Gentleman in top hat hunting on horseback w/ dogs & shrubs on the left and a man with a rifle walking behind the horse. Looks like an etching on paper pasted to top of box that has a cracked surface. Black surface on side of box @ 1 o'clock is chipped on both the lid & bottom halves. Some wear on edges of bottom visible when you flip it over. 2.25" dia. x 3/4" black laquered paper mache



W202-\$55.00 Reagan unsigned lobby card. Movie promotion for *Hong Kong Port of a Thousand Dangers*, Paramount, 1952, co-star Rhonda Fleming. #51-525, paper 11"x 14"



W203-\$32.00 Reagan unsigned lobby card. Movie promotion for *The Girl from Jones Beach*, Warner Brothers, 1949, co-star Virginia Mayo, #49358, paper 11"x 14"

W197-145.00 Madison, Wisc. 2" cello picturing James Madison with signature printed below image. Left of him is a scene of the State Capitol. Right is first home. Under these is the refrain from sheet music: "Home! Home! Sweet, Sweet Home; There's No Place Like Home!" A song adapted from American actor and dramatist John Howard Payne's 1823 opera *Clari*, or the *Maid of Milan*. The song's melody was composed by Englishman Henry Bishop with lyrics by Payne. A badge is shown at the bottom. Attached to a 6.5" cloth ribbon with text: Farmers' National Congress, 28th Annual Session, Madison, Wis., September 24-30, 1908.



W206-\$125.00 Pat Nixon 7"x 9" autographed photo "With Best Wishes, Patricia Nixon" & Pat for First Lady 3.5" button. Nicely matted & framed under glass.. Finished size: 20" x 13.25"



Side 1 W207-\$74.00 Side 2 Lincoln 1.75" embossed commemorative medal. Side 1: "Lincoln" embossed above profile. Text at left: "1809-1865". Text at shoulder height: "With malice toward none...With charity for all." The quote is embossed in Lincoln's hand writing script as is the signature under the bust "A. Lincoln." Side 2: text along top says "A House Divided Against Itself Cannot Stand." Image is of rising sun, sunburst rays & clouds over mass of figures in distress (presumably slaves). From the clouds in the center two hands reach skyward triumphantly with broken chain at wrists. Around the sun the text is "Emancipation Proclamation." Below the mass of people is says, "The Hall of Fame for Great Americans at New York University 1963." Edge text: "Medallion Art Co. NY, Bronze." Excellent condition.



W205-\$00.00 (lid left, inside view below) Reagan pocket knife set in tin box. Text on lid: 40th U.S. President 1981-1989. Son, Husband, Father 1911-2004. Presidential seal. Inside are 4 pocket knives and 1 key ring all unopened in their original packaging. Each handle has a different color picture (same on both sides of knife): Reagan w/aircraft carrier; Reagan w/NY city skyline; Reagan & Nancy w/White House; and Reagan on horseback at ranch. The key ring fob has Reagan portrait bust. Diagonally across Reagan's face on the lid is faint lettering that is an artifact of printing. Otherwise the box & set are in near mint condition.



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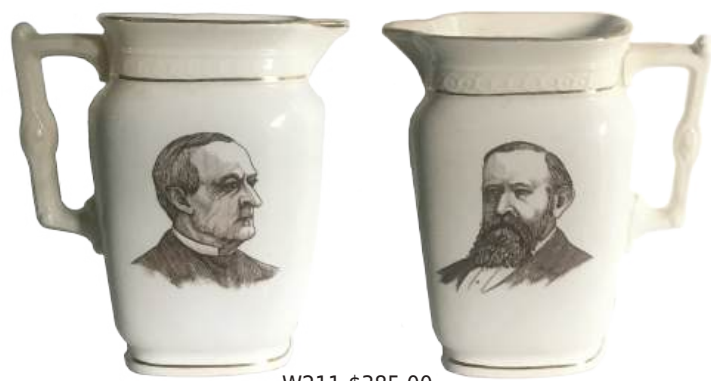
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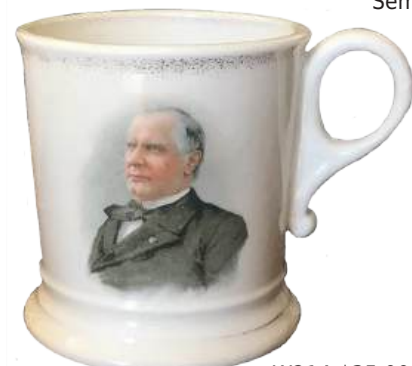
W210-\$20.00 **RARE (Grandfather of JFK)**  
Text: Hon. John F. Fitzgerald, Mayor of Boston, City Hall & Rear View Kings Chapel, School Street, Boston, Mass. 3-3/8" x 5-3/8" unused postcard, worn soft corners, two small creases left of portrait oval & one small crease in upper right sky, surface dinged lower right.



W211-\$385.00  
Harrison and Morton unusual campaign pitcher. We haven't encountered this Harrison china variation before. Crisp portraits of the candidates accent either side. Unusual in its form, exceptional example, gilt embellished, transfer portraits, light overall crazing. Excellent condition. 6.25" tall



W212-\$395.00  
Benjamin Harrison log cabin 15.5" x 12.25" platter  
Columbian Star pattern, Ridgeway's Royal Semi-Porcelain, England



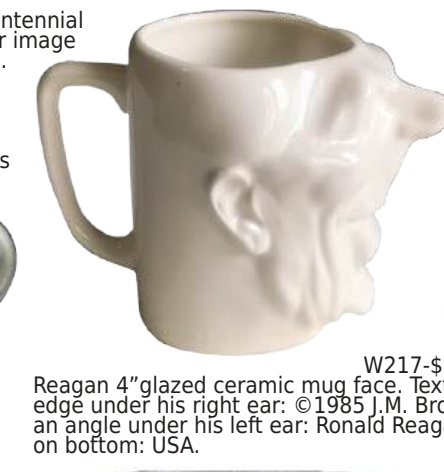
W213-\$95.00  
(left side) Admiral George Dewey portrait w/gilt embellished epaulettes; (center under spout) crossed flags w/gilt embellished flag pole tips; (right side) Flag Ship Olympia. 6.5" tall pitcher with lovely embossed & gilt embellished winged eagle head collar & spout. (Hairline crack on collar above ship and inside at handle.) Bottom text: Made by Cook Pottery Co., Trenton, NJ, July patented 1899. (lightly crackled glaze) Beautiful crisp images. Very good condition overall.

W214-\$35.00  
McKinley transfer portrait mug. Bottom text: I&E Mayer, Semi-Vitreous China. 3.5" tall. Crisp image. Most of gilt embellishment is worn off.

W215-\$24.00  
Outlet Square, Showing Public Library and New Old South Church, Boston, Mass. 3-3/4" gilt embellished transfer soap dish. Reverse: C.H.H.R., Bavaria



W216-\$52.00 Washington Centennial cup w/crisp brown ink transfer image w/his portrait flanked by flags. The yellow, red & blue colors are hand painted over top of the print. 1776 is on the left flag. 1876 is on the right flag as shown below. 3 small chips on the inside edge of lip.



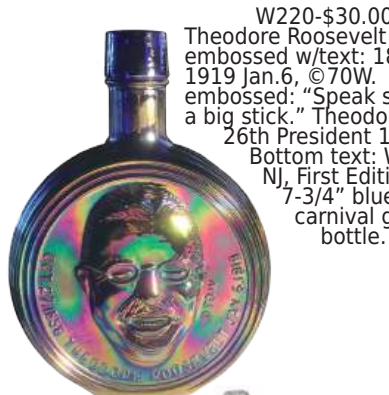
W217-\$125.00  
Reagan 4" glazed ceramic mug face. Text inscribed on bottom edge under his right ear: ©1985 J.M. Brooks. Text inscribed on an angle under his left ear: Ronald Reagan signature. Inscribed on bottom: USA.



W218-\$24.00  
5.5" grinning Carter mug textured peanut w/lace-up work boots. Text inscribed on bottom of boots: Bud '77



W219-\$23.00  
3.75" Carter grinning gazed ceramic textured peanut on 2-1/4" x 1-7/8" base: The Buck Stops Here



W220-\$30.00  
Theodore Roosevelt portrait embossed w/text: 1858 Oct.27, 1919 Jan.6, ©70W. Side 2 text embossed: "Speak softly...but carry a big stick." Theodore Roosevelt 26th President 1901-1909. Bottom text: Wheaton, NJ, First Edition. 7-3/4" blue carnival glass bottle.



W221-\$10.00  
4" square ashtray, Franklin Roosevelt transfer portrait. Reverse: English Ware, Lancasters LTD, Hanley, England. Inscribed: England 127.



W222-\$12.00  
Ronald Reagan 40th President gilt letters & E Pluribus Unum seal 3-7/8" ceramic mug



W223-\$60.00  
text: White House Barbecue September 23, 1981, one day event, Reagan 4-3/4" mug, Lion insignia on side 2



W224-\$5.00  
Perot for President '92 3-3/4" ceramic mug, ©Specialty House of Creation, Elmer, NJ



W225-\$32.00  
Civil War commemorative cast metal trivet 5" dia. Printed around the center medallion: Confederate States of America 22 Feb 1862 Deo Vindice. Soldier with sword on horseback in center. Printed in shield above center medallion: 1861-1865. Flanked by cannons, then sword hilts, then flags. Outer ring is a wreath with bow at bottom. Reverse: 1018 C.S.A. Trivet, copyright 1952, V.A. Metal Crafters.



W226-\$40.00  
Small text under FDR transfer portrait: Franklin D. Roosevelt. 5.5" dia. fluted ashtray. Reverse text: Souvenir The Little White House, Warm Springs, GA.



W228-\$38.00  
Anti-Nixon dart board titled "Stick Dick" featuring Nixon flashing peace sign and with the bullseye on tip of his nose. 11.5" lithographed cork board. Small hanger & 2 yellow darts attached on back. Each numbered section in the red circle of the board has a Watergate reference (from top & going clockwise): 20-Oct Cox Fired; 1-Phase; 18-Minutes; 4-Phase; 13-Copyright ©D. Eppes 74; 6-Unemployment; 10-Oct Agnew Resigns; 15-Oct Plumbers Indicted; 2-Phase; 17-June Watergate Arrests; 3-Phase; 19-69-767; 7-Conspirators; 16-Watergate Eve; 8-Gainsville; 11-Jan Hunt Pleads Guilty; 14-Nov Missing Tapes; 9-Tapes; 12-McCord Offered Clemency; 5-Yrs To End War (referring to the Vietnam War).

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Franklin Deleanor Roosevelt 1882-1945 10" dia. w/rose border, reverse: The FDR Memorial Plate, Old English Staffordshire Ware, Jonroth, England. FDR Quote: "We must maintain the offensive against evil in all its forms..." Sept. 1942 (lightly crazed)



W231-\$24.00  
4" dia. Text under image: "City Hall, Philadelphia, PA" gilt embellished fancy edge Reverse: Made in Germany



W232-\$28.00  
5-1/8" dia. Philadelphia 1776-1926 US Susquecentennial plate w/ Liberty Bell pictured. Reverse text: Copenhagen, Denmark



W233-\$20.00  
Pres. & Mrs. Lyndon B. Johnson 9-1/4" dia. gilt embellished transfer portrait plate



W234-\$35.00  
10-3/4" Our Bicentennial Pres.-Gerald R. Ford, Jr. 1776-1996, edge vintettes: Wh. House, Boyhood Home, H.S., Capitol, USS Monterey, Yale Univ. Birthplace. Reverse: Gorham Fine China USA, Ltd. Edition 50/10,000. Gilt embellished.



W235-\$38.00  
First Lady Mrs. McKinley transfer portrait on fancy edged milk glass 5-1/4" dia. plate



W236-\$42.00  
6-1/8" dia. plate, (left) McKinley Home (right) McKinley Monument, Canton, OH gilt embellished transfers. Reverse: Made in Germany. (small chip @ 5 under edge)



W237-\$58.00  
7-3/4" dia. Text: "The Capitol" rose border. Reverse: U.S. Capitol Wash.D.C. Wm. Adams & Sons, England. (lightly crazed overall)



W238-\$38.00  
7-1/4" dia. plate. Souvenir of Philadelphia Vintettes: Rear View Independence Hall; City Hall; Betsy Ross House; Carpenter's Mill; Phila.&Reading Station; Old Liberty. Reverse: Cohen, Phila., PA, Made in Austria. (gilt is mostly worn off of the edge)



W239-\$65.00  
9-7/8" dia. President Eisenhower transfer, "Larry Pendleton '52" text @ lower right of portrait. Rev: Sanders Mfg. Co. Nashville, Tenn., 1, First Edition Warranted 23 K Gold



W240-\$42.00  
7.5" dia. Text: Landing of Ponce De Leon, St. Augustine, FL 1512 Mar 27th Reverse: Wheelock Made in Germany for W.H. Du Bois, St. Augustine, FL



W241-\$20.00  
5-3/8" Vote Democratic Adlai for 1956 ashtray transfer portrait



W242-\$65.00  
text: "Washington Memorial Chapel, Valley Forge, PA" 7" dia. plate, reverse Made in Germany, Imported by Washington Inn, Valley Forge, PA



W243-\$72.00  
9-1/4" dia. Reverse text: The Washington Elm, Cambridge, Under this tree Wash. first took command of the American Army July 3rd 1776. Reverse: Wedgwood, Etruria, England, Sole Importer, Copyright J. Andes 1899



W244-\$30.00  
6" dia. Bunker Hill Monument, Boston, Mass. Reverse: Made in Germany



W245-\$35.00  
7-1/8" dia. Col. Lindbergh w/2 vintettes featuring portraits of George & Martha Washington w/eagle, swastika & horseshoe between them & flowers on either side. Gilt text: B.F. Black & Bros. 25th Anniv. Opening, New & Greater Dept. Store, Norristown, PA 1928 Oct 5-6. Rev: Limoges USA China Co.



W246-\$62.00  
9-5/8" dia. Independence Hall, Phila. rose border, reverse text: Liberty Blue, Original Copper Engravings of Historic Colonial Scenes Printed on Staffordshire Ironstone, Made in England.



W247-\$40.00  
6-1/4" dia. clear glass with Taft portrait pressed into center back & painted gold (or gilded?) unusual



W248-\$42.00  
8-1/4" dia. William H. Taft text under portrait. Fancy gilt edge embellishment. Reverse text: Sevres. (lightly crackled)



W249-\$28.00  
9-3/4" dia. Text: The People of Florida Welcome You to the RNC 1968 Miami Beach, Gov. Congress Host Comm. Chair, FL GOP State Comm. Chair, Flag w/FL State Seal. Rev. text: Souvenir of '68 RNC, 1st time RNC held in FL. China by The Walker China Co., Bedford, OH, Division of Alco Standard Corp.



W250-\$28.00  
8-3/4" dia. TR gilt embellished 1911 calendar transfer plate Text at bottom: McKain Bros., Meridosa, IL. Lightly crazed.



W251-\$34.00  
9-1/4" dia., text: The McKinley Home rose border, McKinley portrait oval, reverse text quote: "Let us ever remember..." Last speech, Buffalo, 1901 Sep 3. Wedgwood, England



W252-\$45.00  
7-1/4" dia. Three Bears sitting on log. (left) smokes pipe, (center) reading book to others, (right) eyeglasses on nose. embossed milk glass plate, TR bears



W253-\$48.00  
10" dia. TR 26th Pres. of U.S. Center portrait w/life vintettes Reverse: Rowland & Marcellus Co., Staffordshire, England

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Tom Peeling explains walk-in auction

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# TREASURES on the WEB

By Paul Bengston

I have always been a specialist of sorts. For many years I specialized in just FDR. At some point I decided that someone from Minnesota should specialize in Humphrey. That caused me to move into other Minnesota items which became yet another large specialty. I bought a collection that had two John L. Lewis items and so started another specialty collection. And this is how I ended up where



I am, a specialist with many subspecialty collections. I really enjoy seeing those collections where a person has spent a lifetime collecting just one thing. I however have let my mind wander into many areas, and this has kept me interested. I suspect that had I just stayed with FDR; I would have become bored at some point. I catch myself starting a new frame of this or that all the time. The internet, eBay, Facebook and the endless list on on-line auctions make specializing easier than ever. We can now sculpt a collection of areas that interest you. For me, one area is just not enough and that is OK. If you find yourself getting bored, start a new collection.

Little information was given on the listing of this Brady CDV of Lincoln. Bidders didn't mind as it shot up to \$1,750.



I have become a fan of tin shell pinbacks popular in the late 1800's. This Harrison sold for \$214. One of these had just sold in Anderson for about half this price. What a fun specialty collecting tin shells would be.



Listed as an Admiral Dewey item, it was McKinley and Hobart. A wonderful dated 1896 enamel with the "Protection" slogan, it sold for only \$76.



My mother collected fobs. She started collecting after taking me to several APIC shows in the early 70's. One seller on eBay this last month sold dozens of different TR fobs. This one with "1904 Washington DC Via Peoples Line" sold for \$526. Regrettably, mom didn't have this one.

File this under "too good to be true". The "Teddy at the Gate" pin was offered as a Buy It Now for \$20 and sold quickly. My understanding is that the seller was alerted to their error and the sale was cancelled. I bet we will see this up for auction in the next year. This was probably the best Buy It Now ever offered of a political button in the history of eBay.



From his 1909 tour of the West, this 1 1/4" "Souvenir Oct. 11 1909 Los Angeles" pin is really a beauty and unique in design. It sold for \$231.

I had the pleasure of seeing one of these Harding posters at the last APIC National I attended. It is a thing of beauty. The large 27" x 40 3/4" size adds to its appeal as does the "America First" slogan. This sold for \$1,403 which I thought a good buy.



Another "America First" item was this 1 1/4" Wilson that sold for \$294.

I specialized in Davis long enough to build a frame. That took several years. I don't recommend collecting Davis if you need action. This Davis cello fob had one tiny ding on his forehead yet still sold for \$120.



It had been a long time since I had seen one of these 1" LaFollette Wheeler jugates offered. Pent up demand caused it to soar to \$764 with some scratches.

Getting a Huey P. Long picture pin is a tough thing to achieve. This litho (listed as 1 1/8") sold for \$1,135 with a few scratches.

I assume this Lindy pin is from Hamilton Beach NY, but I have no idea what the "ONE SET HEIGHTS" slogan means. It must be a tough one as it sold for \$333.

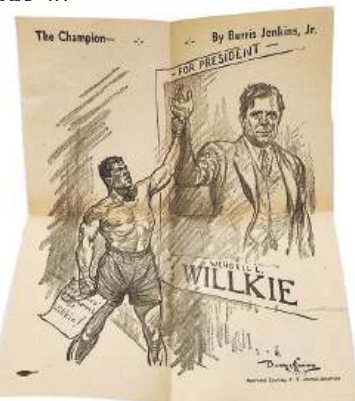


Byrd's hopes of securing the Democratic nomination for the presidency were shot down in 32 but this 4" celluloid soared to \$551.

As I mentioned above, I have a John L. Lewis collection. I failed to secure this "National Chairman" pin with attached delegate ribbon as it sold for \$379. I wasn't even the 2nd underbidder.



I have always loved this FDR Churchill and Stalin pin. The yellow color makes it really pop out in a frame. A great item for WWII, FDR, Churchill and even Stalin collectors. This comes in two sizes, 1 1/4" and as seen here, 1 3/8". It sold for \$283.



I thought I was going to sneak a good buy off as this 10" x 13" Willkie Joe Louis poster sat all week with no bids. In the last seconds it sold for \$83. It will be fun to match this up with the Louis Willkie pins. A great sports/political item.

I think it is fair to say that this 1 3/4" anti-Truman is a classic. The "Get your ass off the grass it's all Dewey" slogan, size, color and graphics combined make it a must have Dewey item. This mint example sold for a very good buy of \$360.



This charcoal drawing pin for Truman comes in several sizes. This 1 1/4" was a good buy at \$219. A cell separation on the back held it down.

The Progressive Party put out this neat "Hallinan and Bass Vote Row D for Peace in '52" pinback. Not one you see offered and collectors took note as it sold for \$446.



John Kennedy gave his support to Robert Peacock of New Jersey on this 1 1/4" coattail pin. JFK's help wasn't enough, Peacock lost. This sold for \$264.



One of my side specialties are Carter window pins. This "Carter Mondale Piney Point August 1980" version is not one I recalled seeing before. It sold for \$169 with me as the underbidder. Congrats to the winner.



The always popular "Carter Mondale Willie Nelson September 13, 1980" pin sold for \$362.



One seller offered many scarce and unusual Ford pins for auction last month including several I had not seen before. Included were a handful of designs with the slogan "Proud Again" as seen on this version that sold for \$124.



If you enjoy discussing online sales, join the Facebook group "Treasures on the Web" for comments on these and many other items.



Best & happy hunting, Paul Bengston APIC #3514

## WHAT DO WE MEAN BY THE REVOLUTION?

"This is the most magnificent moment of all. There is a dignity, a majesty, a sublimity, in this last effort of the patriots, that I greatly admire. The people should never rise, without doing something to be remembered -- something notable and striking." John Adams in his diary after the 1773 Boston Tea Party

"The die is cast. The people have passed the river and cut away the bridge. Last night three cargoes of tea were emptied into the harbor. This is the grandest event which has ever yet happened since the controversy with Britain opened." John Adams

"What do we mean by the Revolution? The war? That was no part of the Revolution; it was only an effect and consequence of it. The Revolution was in the minds of the people, and this was effected, from 1760 to 1775, in the course of fifteen years before a drop of blood was shed at Lexington." John Adams, 1815

"I must study politics and war that my sons may have liberty to study mathematics and philosophy." John Adams



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John F. Kennedy Library Tour, Tue., July 28 <sup>th</sup> . Limited seating. Includes roundtrip bus ride & admission for one person.	<del>\$50.00</del>	x	<del>\$</del> <b>JFK LIBRARY TOUR SOLD OUT</b>
Official 2026 National Convention T-Shirt Designate size: Extra Large, Large, Medum or Small	\$20.00	x	\$

DEALER TABLES & SHOW CASES (July 30 - Aug. 1)	COST	QTY	EXTENDED TOTAL
Wall Tables (6-foot) each: Located against the outside wall of the ballroom.	<del>\$150.00</del>	x	<del>\$</del> <b>WALL TABLES ARE SOLD OUT</b>
Aisle Tables (6-foot) each: Located within the interior of the ballroom & foyer.	\$125.00	x	\$
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Make checks payable to: New England Chapter APIC

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Registration is also available on-line with a credit card by visiting [www.apic.us](http://www.apic.us) and clicking on the link for the 2026 National Convention.

Questions? Contact Mike Dunham at (617) 212-4249 or Susan Roman at (603) 534-0157.



# The A.P.I.C. NEWSLETTER

## APRIL 2026

### FROM THE PRESIDENT



I'm very pleased to announce that Benny Brandvold, a long-time APIC member, has volunteered to become our new APIC Newsletter editor starting with the June issue.

Benny will be replacing Harvey Goldberg, who has served as newsletter editor since the 1990s (Harvey can't remember exactly when he started). Harvey has done an amazing job through the years, month in and month out, keeping the newsletter up-to-date and full of information. We all owe Harvey a big thank you for his tireless efforts!

Benny will be bringing a new voice to our publication. Hopefully many of you have seen and enjoyed the articles Benny has written in the past on a range of topics impacting our hobby. For example, in the member-only area of the APIC website (you need to log in to see it), in the section called "Preserving My Collection," Benny shares his article "How to Restore Damaged Political Items." It's an excellent overview of what's possible when a political campaign item needs extra care to bring it back to life.

Benny also maintains a website of his own where he has an excellent article on determining values and the market for political memorabilia, as well as other important topics and photos of some of his amazing collection. You can see them by visiting [collectingpoliticalbuttons.com](http://collectingpoliticalbuttons.com).

Of course, Benny has another claim to fame: he's a recently retired neurosurgeon. And after many years of living and working in Great Falls, Montana, he and his wife Karen have relocated to Washington State to begin their retirement and be closer to their kids, which frees Benny up to take on this role for APIC. I'm sure we're all excited to see what Benny brings to the newsletter in the year ahead.

In the meantime, I'd like to thank Jeannine Coup and Cynthia Lee for their help and support of the newsletter. Harvey works closely with both every month, but Cynthia takes the lead on making sure the newsletter is complete, in place and on schedule so that all members receive the Bandwagon in a timely way. Of course, the post office often throws a wrench into that timeliness, but that's the advantage of now being able to read the publication online through the APIC website, usually a week or more before the paper version makes it to your mailbox.

One other change I'd like to share: for the past year or so, I've been maintaining the APIC show schedule on the homepage of [www.apic.us](http://www.apic.us). Harvey creates the calendar in the newsletter each month by checking the website listings and Benny will be doing the same moving forward. So if you organize a show that you would like to have included in our print and online calendars, please send that information to me as soon as you know it and I'll make sure it appears everywhere it should. You can reach me at [tonylee08560@gmail.com](mailto:tonylee08560@gmail.com). *Thanks, Tony*

## THE APIC CALENDAR

### NEW ENGLAND APIC SPRING SHOW

New Englander Chapter will meet on April 4 at 100 Elliot street, Northern Essex Community College, Hartlieb Technical Center, Haverhill, Massachusetts

### LOOKING AHEAD...

**APRIL 10-11, 2026 - THE VERNON HOUSTON CHAPTER** (formerly the Dixie Chapter) annual show at the Wyndham Garden, Greensboro, 415 S. Swing Road, Greensboro, NC 27409. Friday evening 4/10: Room Hopping/Hospitality suite. Saturday 4/11: full day of bourse 9am-3pm. Tables: wall tables \$60 each, interior tables \$50 each. Room reservations: contact the hotel directly at 336-299-7650 and select "Sales" from the menu. Mention the APIC for the \$109.00 +tax per night room rate. Questions? Contact Winston Blair: Phone 336-830-2727 or email [wblair1987@gmail.com](mailto:wblair1987@gmail.com)

### ON WISCONSIN...

The Wisconsin APIC chapter is hosting its 2026 spring show on Sunday April 12th, at the Cudahy Family Library. A Milwaukee suburb. Hours are 12 Noon-3pm. Free parking, no stairs. For table reservations and further information contact Pat Kehoe at [pjkehoe@gmail.com](mailto:pjkehoe@gmail.com). 414-690-4980 cell/text.

### THE PACK MEETS AGAIN...

PACK (The Political Americana Collectors of Kentucky) have scheduled their 2016 show on Saturday April 25, 2016 from 9:00am-3:00pm at the Zachary Taylor American Legion Post #180, 4610 Shelbyville Road, Louisville, Kentucky 40207. Tables are \$35.00 each. Contact Gene Heid at 502-499-1543 or email [g.heid@twc.com](mailto:g.heid@twc.com).

### CHICAGO CHAPTER OF APIC

The Chicago APIC is hosting their spring show on April 26th at the Orland Park Civic Center, 14750 S. Ravinia Ave Orland Park, IL. Show time 10-2pm. Tables are \$20 each. Contact Barb Zaczek for table reservations and more details. [barbarzaczek@yahoo.com](mailto:barbarzaczek@yahoo.com) or 720-545-8484 text/cell.

### MONROE D. RAY CHAPTER

The Monroe D. Ray May Show will be held on May 2, 2016 at the Sons and Daughters of Italy Lodge, 31 Prospect Avenue, Geneva, NY.

### 2026 ANNUAL MICHIGAN SHOW

The 58th annual Michigan Pop Culture & Political Show will be held on Saturday, May 9, 2025 at the Delta Hotel, 31500 Wick Road, Romulus, Michigan.

### HEART OF TEXAS SHOW

The Heart of Texas Show is scheduled for May 15-16, 2026. Room hopping & Texas BBQ on Friday, 5/15 with a full bourse 9am-5pm on Saturday 5/16 at the Marriott Springhill Suites, 1250 N. I-35 in Austin. Mention the APIC Show for the \$109/Night show room rate. Phone 512-883-8100. Wall tables are \$60 and interiors \$50 each. Contact: Greg Thompson 678-361-6293, or [gregmbt@outlook.com](mailto:gregmbt@outlook.com)

### 2026 APIC NATIONAL

Mon., July 27-Sat., Aug. 1, 2026

At the DoubleTree Hotel Northshore In Danvers Massachusetts.

Guest room rates are \$149.00 +tax/night.

Susan Roman 603-534-0157 ([reganroman@comcast.net](mailto:reganroman@comcast.net)) and Mike Dunham 617-212-4249 ([burdun@comcast.net](mailto:burdun@comcast.net))

## Post your shows in the Newsletter

### APIC ELECTION BALLOT

Your 2016 APIC ELECTION BALLOT is presented on page 2 of this edition of the Newsletter. There is no online voting this year. Complete and sign your ballot and mail it to APIC SECRETARY Winston Blair at PO BOX 1455, Clemmons NC 27042. All ballots must be RECEIVED on or before JUNE 30, 2026.

### More on this year's National:

**Transportation:** The Logan Express bus is available from Logan Airport to the Liberty Tree Mall in Danvers with a free shuttle from the mall to the Doubletree Hotel.

**Registration: Members Only** (no family members): for one active APIC member \$45.00

**Registration: Household Family:** including one APIC member & all immediate family members: \$65.00.

**Wall Tables:** Located on the inside WALLS of the ballroom: \$150.00 each. 1st come 1st served on table rentals.

**Aisle (inside tables):** Located within interior of the ballroom & foyer: \$125.00 per table.

**LOCK CASES:** Rental of display lock cases: \$45.00 each.

**Meetings:** Chapter meetings, seminars, and the APIC Board meeting will be scheduled on Wednesday, July 29. Meeting times and locations will be finalized at a later date.

**Awards Banquet:** Friday July 30, 6:00pm - \$55.00/person. Includes attendance & buffet dinner for one person to the awards dinner.

**JFK LIBRARY TRIP: TUESDAY, July 28 - \$50.00/** person. Includes roundtrip bus & admission to the Kennedy Library.

**2026 FRIENDS of APIC NAT'L CONVENTION:** \$100.00 (Includes early admission)

**Bronze:** \$250.00 - Quarter page ad in the convention program.

**Silver:** \$500.00 - Half page ad in the convention program.

**Gold:** \$1000.00 - Full page ad in the convention program.

Please make checks payable to the New England Chapter APIC. Mail checks to Mike Dunham, 440 Central Street, Holliston MA 01746.

P.S.: Correction: In one of the recent columns about the National listed Susan Roman's email incorrectly as [Reganroman@comcast.net](mailto:Reganroman@comcast.net). The correct email is [reganroman@comcast.net](mailto:reganroman@comcast.net).

### The Shuttle To The National



Though some consider Danvers to be "in the Boston Area", it is 20 miles north northwest of Logan International Airport, approximately a 45+ minute drive. If you are flying into Logan for the National you can take the "Logan Express Shuttle" from the airport to Danvers Liberty Tree Mall (Tickets are \$9.00 from the Logan Express site to Danvers Liberty Mall).

Currently the Double Tree hotel is working to offer the APIC group a complimentary shuttle service from the Liberty Tree Mall in Danvers to the Hotel in Danvers. The mall is about 3 miles from the hotel. Once we confirm that the Double Tree shuttle service is scheduled we will share it with the group.

The Logan Express Shuttle picks up passengers on the lower level (outside baggage claim) of every terminal at Logan Int'l. Look for orange signs and numbered doors marked "scheduled bus stop doors" for service to Danvers.

### APIC ELECTION 2026

Here is the election process:  
1. If you do not currently hold a position but are interested in running for office, let me know via email what office you would like to seek by March 1. ([wblair1987@gmail.com](mailto:wblair1987@gmail.com)).  
2. I will reach out to existing office holders by March 1 as well to determine if they intend to run again.  
3. At that time candidates will be notified, confirmed and the ballot will be created.  
4. Voting will take place via online ballot and paper ballot published in the Bandwagon with the voting period open from May 1 to June 30.  
5. Election results for contested races will be announced as soon as they are tabulated with the new Officers and Board taking office at the National Convention in Danvers, Mass

It's also time to recognize APIC members for their work & contributions to the organization. If you have someone you believe should be so honored, please send your nominations to me at your earliest convenience.

Winston Blair, APIC Secretary  
PO Box 1455, Clemmons NC 27012  
[WBLAIR1987@GMAIL.COM](mailto:WBLAIR1987@GMAIL.COM)

## OFFICIAL APIC 2026 ELECTION BALLOT

There is no on line voting for this year's APIC election. Indicate your choices with an 'X' next to their names. One ballot per member. Voting outside your region, voting for more than 3 board members, or re turning your ballot unsigned will invalidate your ballot.

All ballots must be RECEIVED on or before June 30, 2026

Mail completed ballot to Winston Blair, PO Box 1455, Clemmons NC 27012

### National Officers:

#### President:

Tony Lee  
Titusville, NJ

#### Secretary:

Winston Blair  
Clemmons, NC

#### Treasurer:

Tom Morton  
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(vote for only the candidate in your region (region list to right))

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Michael Dunham  
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#### Region 3:

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#### Region 4:

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#### Region 5:

David Stelzer  
Parker, CO

#### Region 6:

Adam Gottlieb  
Davis, CA

#### Region 7:

Will Giles  
Decatur, GA

### Board Members:

(Vote for no more than three in your region only)

#### Region 1:

Dennis Belt  
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Susan Roman  
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#### Region 2:

Thomas McGrail  
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#### Region 2:

John Chapman  
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Mark Gelke  
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Adam Kress  
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Scottsdale, AZ

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 Carter Todd  
Nashville, TN

Michael Brooks  
Pelham, AL

Thomas Tolbert  
Oxford, MS

Below are APIC regions:

Region #1: CT, MA, ME, NH, NY (except Metro NYC and Long Island), RI and VT

Region #2: Metropolitan NYC, Long Island, the states of PA and NJ

Region #3: DE, District of Columbia, MD, OH, VA, and WV

Region #4: IL, IN, KY, MI, and WI

Region #5: CO, IA, ID, KS, MN, MO, MT, ND, NE, NM, OK, SD, UT, WY, and members living overseas

Region #6: AK, AZ, CA, HI, NV, OR, and WA

Region #7: AL, AR, FL, GA, LA, MS, NC, SC, TN, TX



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New Member, or  Renewal APIC#: \_\_\_\_\_

### MEMBERSHIP TYPE (check one) \$ per yr

USA Membership (publications via Periodic rate) \$42

USA Membership - Expedited (publications via 1st Class Mail) \$72

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Name of Relative \_\_\_\_\_

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1 year,  2 years,  3 years,  4 years, or

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SEND TO: APIC Member Services, 9018 Balboa Blvd., #111, Northridge, CA 91325

## AMERICAN POLITICAL ITEMS COLLECTORS (APIC) NEW MEMBER & RENEWAL APPLICATION FORM

There are 3 ways to apply for or renew your membership: On-Line at [www.APIC.us](http://www.APIC.us), or by Mail (using this form) or by Phone (561-214-0782).

There is a 5% discount if you sign up for 5 years! Your renewal date is the anniversary month of your membership.

**FOR QUESTIONS & INFORMATION CONTACT:**  
Danielle Peeling, APIC Membership Director  
Email: [apicmemberservices@gmail.com](mailto:apicmemberservices@gmail.com) Phone: (561) 214-0782

### PAYMENT METHOD (check one) Check VISA Mastercard

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**Friday, May 15th**  
Room Hopping and Texas barbecue

**Saturday, May 16th 9:00-5:00**

**Fickett Boy Scout Center**  
12500 N I-35, Austin, TX



Contact: Greg Thompson  
gregmbt@outlook.com  
(678) 361-6293

Show Hotel: Springhill Suites by Marriott  
(next to Boy Scout Center) 12520 N I-35, Austin, TX  
Room Rate: \$109/night, mention "APIC" for rate

Wall Tables: \$60  
Interior Tables: \$50

### A MEMORIAL TO LINCOLN

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intermediary in this quasi-competition to supervisor of the memorial's construction.

Construction. On October 1, 1913, shortly after construction bids were opened, Harts succeeded Cosby in the OPBG and on the commissions. He spent the next four years approving the selection of materials and managing the Lincoln Memorial's construction from foundation to frieze. He supervised everything from the complicated substructure to the decorative carving; a challenging issue for such a weighty building erected on land created from dredge fill. The memorial was built on a marshy spot called Kidwell Flats, an insect-ridden tract on the Potomac River that had been reclaimed with mud dredged from the bottom of the river. (See a picture of the flats on pg 9).

In October 1918 the colonnade was finished, by then under the direction of Ridley, and the structure practically completed by November 1919, when excavation began for the Reflecting Pool. By December, sculptor Daniel Chester French had finished his statue and seen it placed. On January 1, 1920, the Chief of Engineers assumed the care and maintenance of the memorial, and on June 21, 1921, it opened to visitors. In 1921-22, under Sherrill, the OPBG continued to grade and landscape the area, installed paved roadways and sidewalks, and underpinned the terrace wall.

Dedication. On May 30, 1922, tens of thousands witnessed the dedication of the Lincoln Memorial. Sherrill, under the direction of the Lincoln Memorial Commission, helped arrange the ceremonies. In the months following, as chief of OPBG, he advocated for supplementary funds for lighting and for additional watchmen and their uniforms.

Over the next ten years, Army Engineer officers in the OPBG continued to manage federal lands and monuments in D.C. In 1933, the president disbanded the office and transferred most of its functions to the National Park Service, but the Army Engineers and the OPBG will be forever linked to the early history of the Lincoln Memorial.

#### PART FOUR: WHAT LIES BENEATH THE LINCOLN MEMORIAL?

Underneath the Tennessee pink marble floor of the Lincoln Memorial lies a cavernous undercroft – a three-story grid of concrete columns originally built to support the weight of the 38,000-ton columned edifice built to honor President Abraham Lincoln. That forgotten space is about to be transformed into a museum that will open to the public in 2026, offering new galleries, an immersive theater and long-overdue restrooms and visitor amenities. This hidden space is already generating excitement for America's 250th birthday.

The undercroft beneath the Lincoln Memorial is a vast three-story, 43,800-square-foot basement built in 1914. The undercroft is so large that the entire memorial, flipped upside down, would fit in it. Workers dug down 40 feet and poured dozens of concrete columns to support the memorial's weight. The marble sculpture of Abraham Lincoln alone is 75 tons. For decades it sat unused, accessible only to maintenance crews and the occasional flashlight tour. The National Park Service (NPS) is now converting 15,000 square feet of this space into an interpretive museum and visitor center, with floor-to-ceiling glass walls, immersive projections and exhibits highlighting the memorial's construction

## American Political Items Collectors Presents 52nd ANNUAL MONROE D. RAY FINGER LAKES POLITICAL & POP CULTURE MEMORABILIA SHOW



# Memorabilia Show

SATURDAY, MAY 2nd, 2026

Sons and Daughters of Italy Lodge  
31 Prospect Avenue, Geneva, NY  
8:30 am - 2:00 pm  
Admission: \$2 per person

Checks payable to:  
Monroe D. Ray Chapter  
APIC, Inc.

Mail to: Anthony Noone  
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Geneva, NY 14456

6' Tables: \$30 per table  
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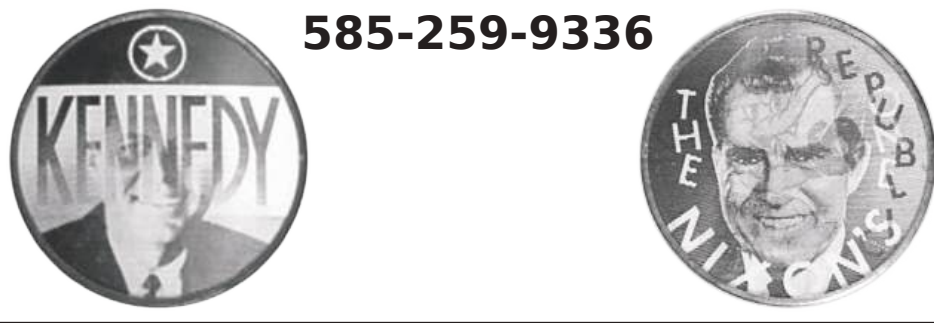
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and its role in civil rights history. Construction began in 2023 and completion is targeted for July 2026 to coincide with the 250th anniversary of the Declaration of Independence.

The architects never intended to open the undercroft to the public. Its purpose was purely structural: to distribute the weight of the memorial and give the impression that the building sat atop a natural hill. Over time, moisture seeped in, forming stalactites, and a small ecosystem of insects and rodents developed. Though the space remained out of sight, it played a critical role in stabilizing the monument for more than a century.

After the memorial opened in 1922 the space was largely forgotten. Renovations in the 1970s uncovered graffiti and drawings left by the original workers in 1910. There are carpenters' pencil drawings of a figure resembling President Woodrow Wilson, who was in office during the memorial's construction, as well as the cartoon characters Mutt and Jeff. But there's also a rather "sexy" drawing thought to depict a scandalous figure. The drawing shows the profile of a woman with dark makeup and a cigarette dangling from her lips. Just beside it is the word "Vamp"—a clue to who this woman is. She's believed to be Theda Bara, a silent film star who popularized the image of a woman who seduces and exploits men. In a breakthrough role in 1915's *A Fool There Was*, Bara played a character called "The Vampire," later shortened to "Vamp," who lured a prosperous attorney away from his family. Though it's unclear when the drawing was made, *A Fool There Was* was released in the same year workers finished pouring the undercroft's foundational pillars.

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## WELCOME TO THE 58th ANNUAL POLITICAL & POP CULTURE SHOW

MAY 8-9, 2025  
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Room rate: \$119.00  
Ask for Linda Hester

Friday, May 8:  
ALL DAY Room Hopping,  
Reception 6:30pm,  
Auction 7pm  
Saturday, May 9:  
Bourse 9am-3pm  
Admission: \$5/person.  
FREE PARKING.

### A MEMORIAL TO LINCOLN

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The story taps into curiosity ("What's under the Lincoln Memorial?") and invites travelers to plan ahead for a once-in-a-generation unveiling. As the capital prepares for DC250 events, the undercroft becomes a symbol of renewal—honoring history while adding new layers to the national story.

The museum will be organized into several zones, each exploring a different aspect of the memorial:

- Construction Gallery: Explains the engineering challenges of building on the Potomac Flats, using diagrams, models and original blueprints. Visitors can view cross-section renderings similar to the images released by the NPS, showing the memorial above and the undercroft below (see below right).
- Symbolism and Artistry: Examines the design choices of Henry Bacon and Daniel Chester French, the meaning behind the columns and friezes, and the influence of Greek temples on American architecture. Replicas of the statue will allow guests to examine details up close.
- Civil Rights Theatre: Projects footage of Marian Anderson's concert, Martin Luther King Jr.'s speech and other protests onto the undercroft's foundations. The immersive environment encourages reflection on the ongoing struggle for equality.
- Legacy Wall: Highlights quotes and stories from visitors and activists who have used the memorial as a gathering place. This section invites guests to share their own reflections via digital kiosks, creating a living archive.
- Visitor Amenities: New restrooms, a larger bookstore and accessible elevators will greatly improve the overall visitor experience. The bookstore will feature books on Lincoln, civil rights and Washington D.C. history, while the restrooms will serve both museum visitors and those visiting the memorial above.

The current effort to use the space was launched in 2016 with an \$18.5 million donation from billionaire philanthropist David Rubenstein. The nonprofit National Park foundation raised \$43 million for the project, part of which was Rubenstein's donation. The National Park Service and the federal government gave another \$26 million. "The power of the public/private partnership is what kept this thing alive," Will Shafroth, the foundation's president said.

The story of the undercroft resonates because it ties together engineering ingenuity, historical memory and contemporary relevance. In the years since its dedication, the Lincoln Memorial has often served as the site of noteworthy moments in U.S. history, including protests and celebrations, especially those related to civil rights.

Ironically, the memorial's dedication ceremony itself was a segregated event.

On the front steps on Easter Sunday 1939, African American opera singer Marian Anderson performed to an audience of 75,000 after the Daughters of the American Revolution would not let her sing at Constitution Hall. Of the event, historian Harold Holzer remarked that, "Suddenly this statue and this building became a symbol of aspirational equality, instead of just a symbol of Northern and Southern brotherhood." Indeed, only 24 years later, the memorial was the setting for one of the biggest moments of the civil rights movement, when Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. gave his famous "I Have a Dream" speech to an enormous crowd in 1963. Countless events have taken place at the memorial under the watchful gaze of the statue of Lincoln. Many more will come.

In the words of Secretary of War Edwin Stanton at the moment of President Lincoln's passing, "Now he belongs to the ages."

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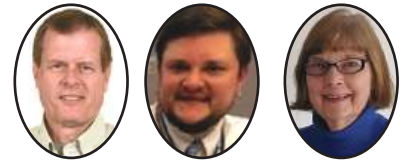
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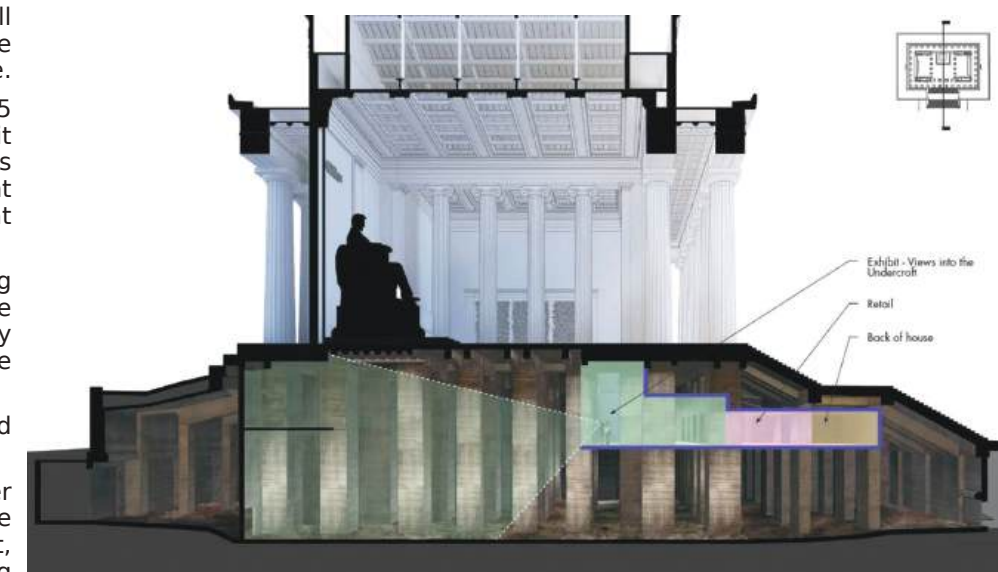


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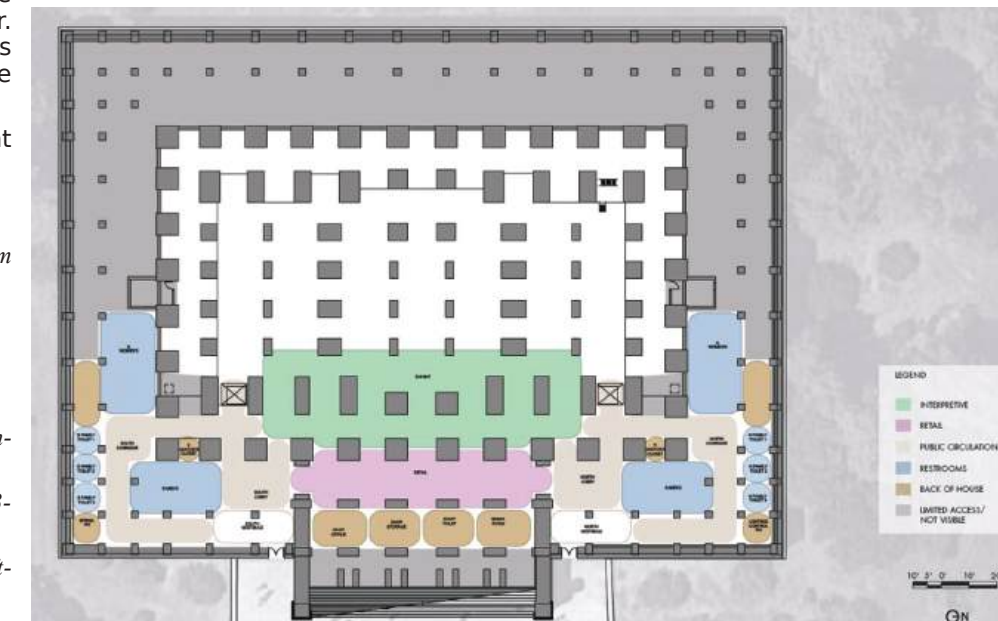
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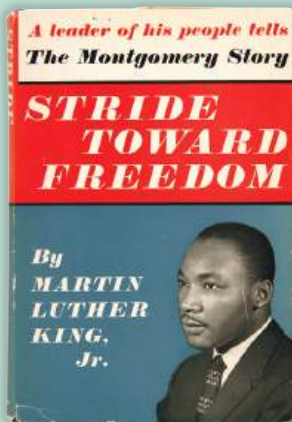
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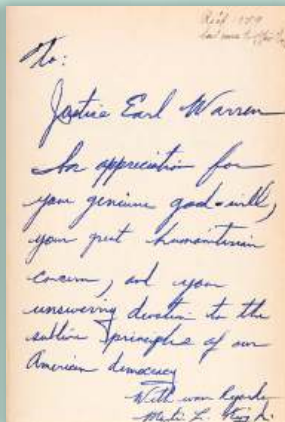
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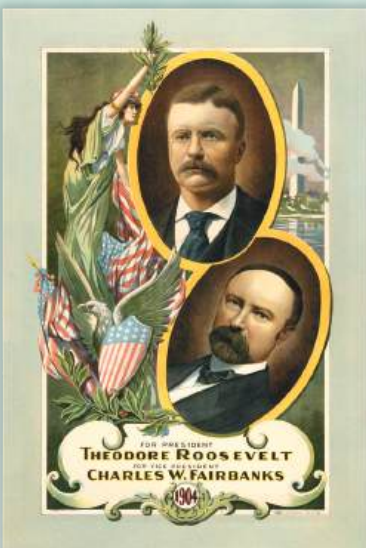
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