

## *Appendix 3*

### *Memorabilia*

*1715 Plate Fleet coins, clump of coins, letter from  
Kip Wagner, autographed books, press articles  
and associated memorabilia of the  
Real Eight Co., Inc.*

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In - Daniel Treasure  
 Col. Salve - 305 - 723-3318  
 (Back) 305  
 1st 11 - 262-4551  
 262-3039  
 Real Eight gallery  
 Merritt Island  
 REA - corp.  
 > Col. Thompson -  
 412-946-9301 9-  
 - 20116  
 Kip Wagner - 100<sup>00</sup>  
 Lorne  
 Sebastian 305-5895409  
 6<sup>th</sup> on case  
 12.66 cents  

18	141
6	6
96	84
12	3
192	87
	12
	174
	87
	1044

P.F. 773-1319  
 Col. Thompson 117 Cat Cay Lane  
 Indian Harbor  
 Fla. 334  
 30<sup>th</sup> dance  
 \$300<sup>00</sup> estimate 40 coins  
 may be superior to loose coins -  
 Real Eight gallery  
 of Spanish Treasure  
 262-3039  
 1st National Bank  
 Satellite Beach  
 305-  
 Mrs. Elva M. Abella  
 sister to Col. Thompson -  
 Col. Thompson  
 Sebastian, FL  
 Inform dated  
 4-1-66



Reverse side of stationery on which the above notes were written.



Figure 1. Original notes of Father ca. 1966

6-29-66

Dear Mr. Orr.

Have just finished packing the clump of coins. Will take them by the Post Office tomorrow A.M. before I open the museum. I am glad you and your Dad are buying the coins. Somehow I would rather "you'all" have them than anyone I know. I feel sure you will have nice coins from this clump. Would love to know how you make out.

The address you want is Henry Christianman  
95 River St.

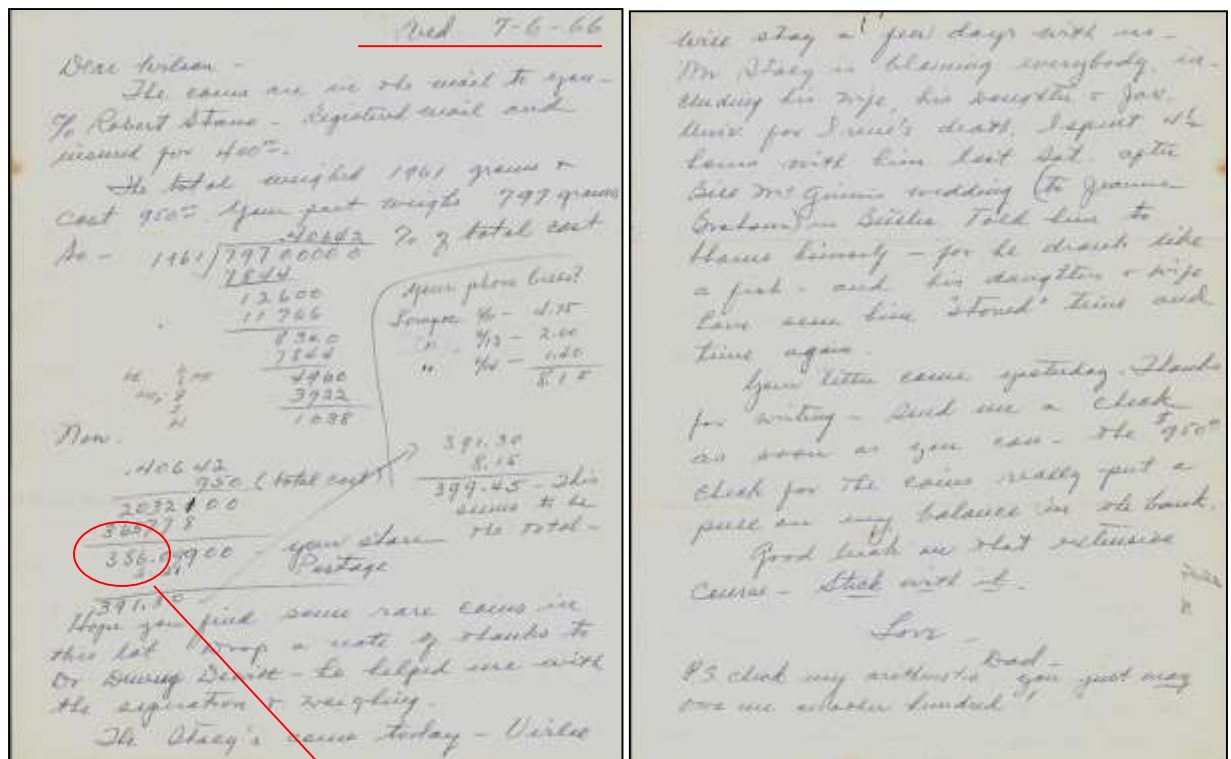
Hoboken, New Jersey.

The Book - "Crest of Early Spanish Colonial Coins of Mexican Mint." by W. M. Nickles price \$2.00 in case you want to order one.

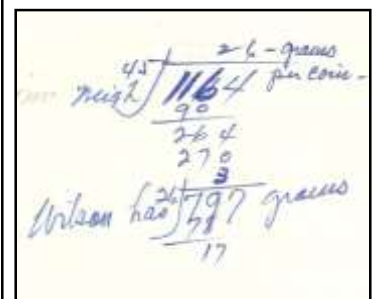
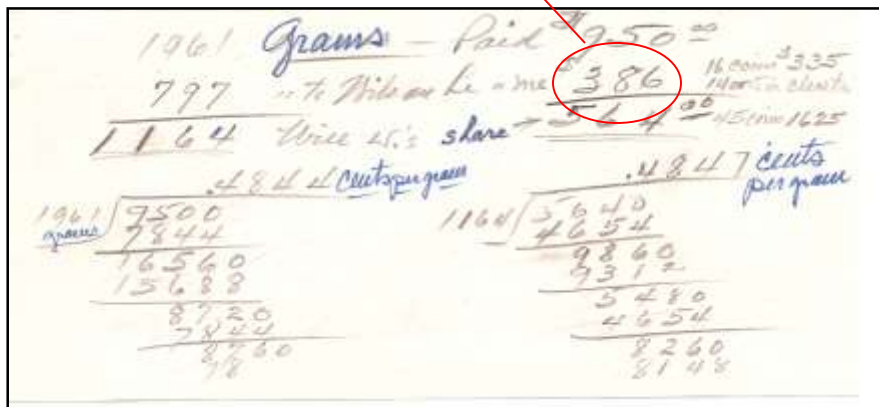
I enjoyed your visit to the museum. Even missed you both when you left. How about that? Hope we see you again soon.

Cordially  
Elva McArdle

**Figure 2.** June 29, 1966 letter from Mrs. Elva McArdle regarding purchase of first clump. Dad and I had visited her at the Museum June 7 or 8, 1966, and decided to purchase a 1961 gram clump of silver cob coins from the 1715 Plate Fleet. This letter is on two pages, scanned side by side..

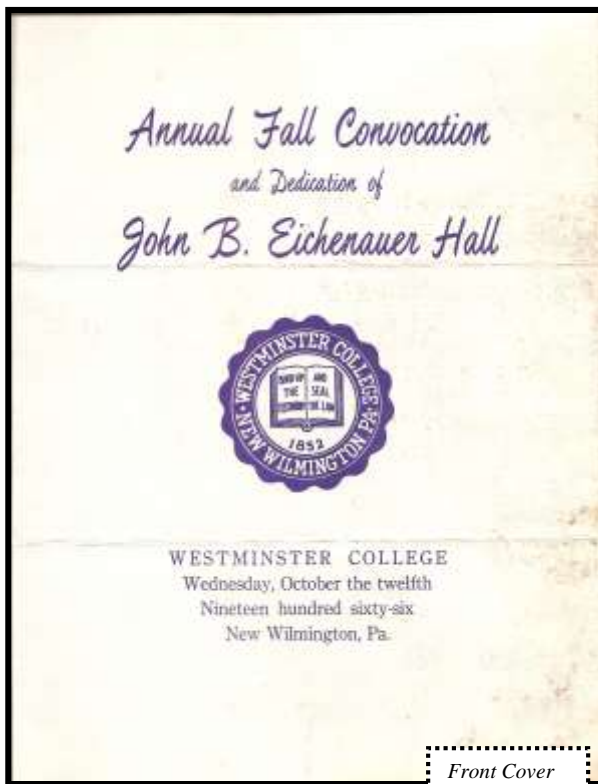


Father's 1966 letter requesting a check for my share of the clump of coins. His calculations are below.

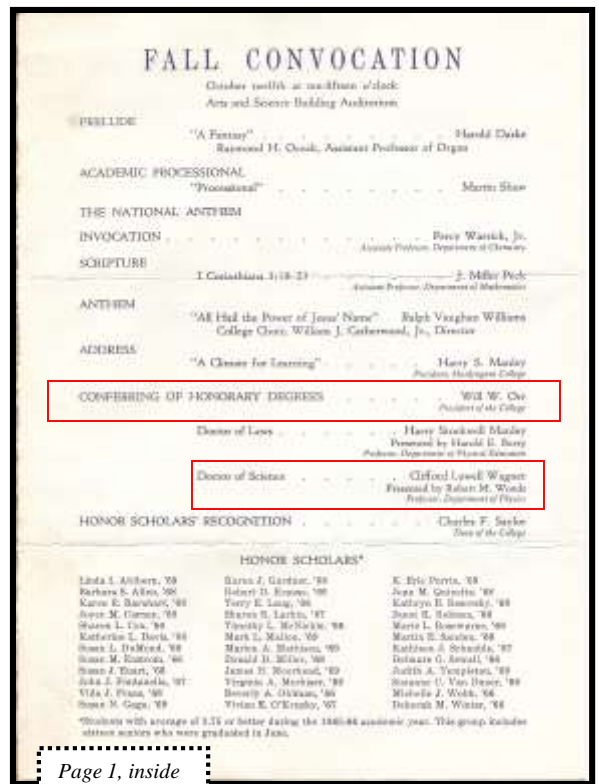


**Figure 3.** Dad's letter to me, July 6, 1966 - and accompanying calculations regarding our first purchase, a 1921 gram clump of silver cob coins.

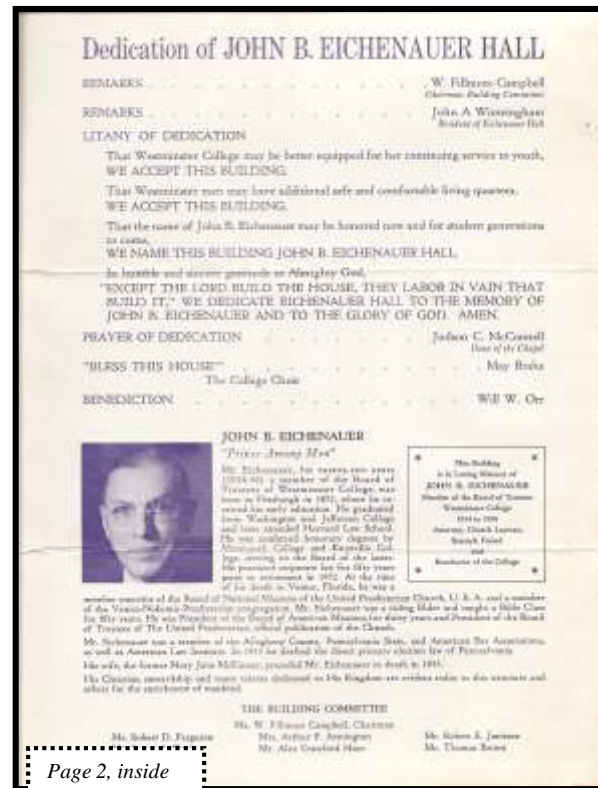




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**Figure 4.** Program from Fall Convocation, October 12, 1966 at Westminster College (PA). Dad awarded Kip Wagner an honorary Doctor of Science Degree at this event.

Document in good condition, as shown; original is 8 1/2" x 11 1/2"



Kip L. Wagner  
Col. D. F. Thompson  
Lt. Col. H. E. Cannon  
Robt. Brown  
Bob. Johnson  
Delphine Long  
John Jones  
Rex Stocker  
Louis J. Ullian

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(American Numismatic Society)  
Dr. Kip Kelso

Real "s" Co., Inc.

Sunday 23, '66

Ki- If this package reaches you in time, it could save you a telephone call.

Our division with the State is postponed until a later date. I wanted to give you a gold coin when I returned to Penn. This needs to be done after the division - so if you want to make plans for me to come up for a presentation - go ahead - anytime. You can get your coin when you come to Florida.

Hope you can use these old coins  
will hurry and get in mail.

Regards to Mrs.

K/LR

**Figure 5.** As Sunday the "23<sup>rd</sup>" occurred twice in 1966: January and October.

This letter is from October 23<sup>rd</sup>, as Dad had awarded Kip Wagner an honorary Doctor of Science Degree at the Westminster College (PA) Fall Convocation on October 12, 1966.



**Figure 6.** New Wilmington Globe article, January 5, 1967, noting Kip's Doctor of Science degree and the upcoming lecture to be given at Westminister College on January 9, 1967.





## Real Eight Co., Inc.

### INSTRUCTIONS FOR CLEANING ENCRUSTED SILVER COINS

The following supplies will be necessary to clean your silver coins:

28% muriatic acid/28% hydrochloric acid solution (Manufactured by Humco Labs.,  
Texarkana, Arkansas)

Glass container

Rubber gloves

Tweezers

Baking soda

0000 Steel wool

1. Submerge coin (one) with tweezers in solution of 28% muriatic acid/  
28% hydrochloric acid ( 1/4 to 1/2 cup - just enough to cover coin).  
Be sure to wear rubber gloves as solution is very strong.
2. Within approximately 15 minutes encrustation will "boil off" coin. Length  
of time will depend on amount of encrustation.
3. Remove coin from solution with tweezers. Coin will be black at this point.  
Take a small ball of 0000 steel wool, dip in acid and scrub to remove the  
black.
4. Neutralize by submerging coin in solution of 1 teaspoon baking soda and  
1/2 cup water. "Boiling action" will begin again. When this "boiling  
action" stops, your coin will be ready to remove and polish.
5. Dip 0000 steel wool in water and then into baking soda. Steel wool must  
be moist. Carefully polish to desired brightness.

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**Figure 7.** Cob cleaning instructions, 8 ½ x 11", never folded.  
Kip Wagner's "recipe," perhaps pre-dating the Museum,



1.	1714	-	375 <sup>00</sup>	
2.	714	-	125 <sup>00</sup>	
4	14	(2) @ 50	100 <sup>00</sup>	
	MARKED 8	(5) @ 40	200 <sup>00</sup>	
	4 MARKED 8		35 <sup>00</sup>	
	<del>COIN</del> (P/B)	(13) @ 20	260 <sup>00</sup>	
	double group	@ 20	20 <sup>00</sup>	
	MARKED 4 (2) @ 25		50 <sup>00</sup>	
	<del>8/12</del>	<del>15</del>	<del>168</del>	- 37
	P/A	12 @ 15	180 <sup>00</sup>	- 38
				- 1495 <sup>00</sup>
<hr/>				
	1714		375 <sup>00</sup>	4/R 1 <sup>5</sup> 6000 COIN @ 25 = 150 <sup>00</sup>
	714		125 <sup>00</sup>	L 1 <sup>5</sup> 175 <sup>00</sup>
	714		75 <sup>00</sup>	
	4		60 <sup>00</sup>	
	MARKED 8	(5) @ 40 AM	200 <sup>00</sup>	
	4 MARKED 8		25 <sup>00</sup>	
	8/R	3 @ 20	60 <sup>00</sup>	
	8/R	3 @ 40	120 <sup>00</sup>	
	8/R	3 @ 30 AM	90 <sup>00</sup>	MINI PLACES COIN
	8/R	4 @ 15	60 <sup>00</sup>	
	8/R	1 @ 50	50 <sup>00</sup>	double group
	7/R	7 @ 20	140 <sup>00</sup>	
	7/R	2 @ 15	30 <sup>00</sup>	

Coins selected for purchase by Wilson directly from Kip/Museum during Christmas of 1968.

**Figure 8.** Value estimates for individual coins I purchased in 1969. This shows the denomination and value estimates by Dad and my self –compared with those of Mrs. Elva McArdle.

*Most of these coins are included in this offering.*

Feb 2, 1969

Dear Wilson,

I've been to Kip's house &  
three times talking with you.  
Mind him. So - no news up to  
coins - or reason why Champ  
is more expensive for coin  
than claimed coins. Logic  
say - "Chance of finding extra  
value coins."

Should you be interested  
in my claim? Its in back  
of - Think I should clean  
out things like coins, gems,  
etc - would lose about  
40% of their value in estate  
inheritance Tax. Talk  
more of this when you are  
here -

Enclosed in vials  
Why not mail your check  
direct to Mrs. Elna  
McArde - to Furber  
Treasure Museum, 50  
Berkeley, Melbourne, Fla

Hope we have arranged  
for David & Elaine to come  
to Charlotte - & then bring  
Mother Reid on down with  
them - spent a hour or  
thim last night when  
Isabel phoned & that Mr Reid  
wanted to come - but could  
nt travel alone - Called  
David - Elaine said he  
was with you - that you  
were not well - You seem-  
ed alright when we talked  
earlier - but that some day  
(Friday) Hope you do not  
have the flu -

Life & Love

Enclosed will serve as guide  
for book keeping purposes. Return  
the 9-5-67 one - along with the  
new one. Let's make <sup>change</sup> ~~date~~ for First  
of Month.

Dad's suggestion to me that I pay the museum directly for the 38 coins I purchased.

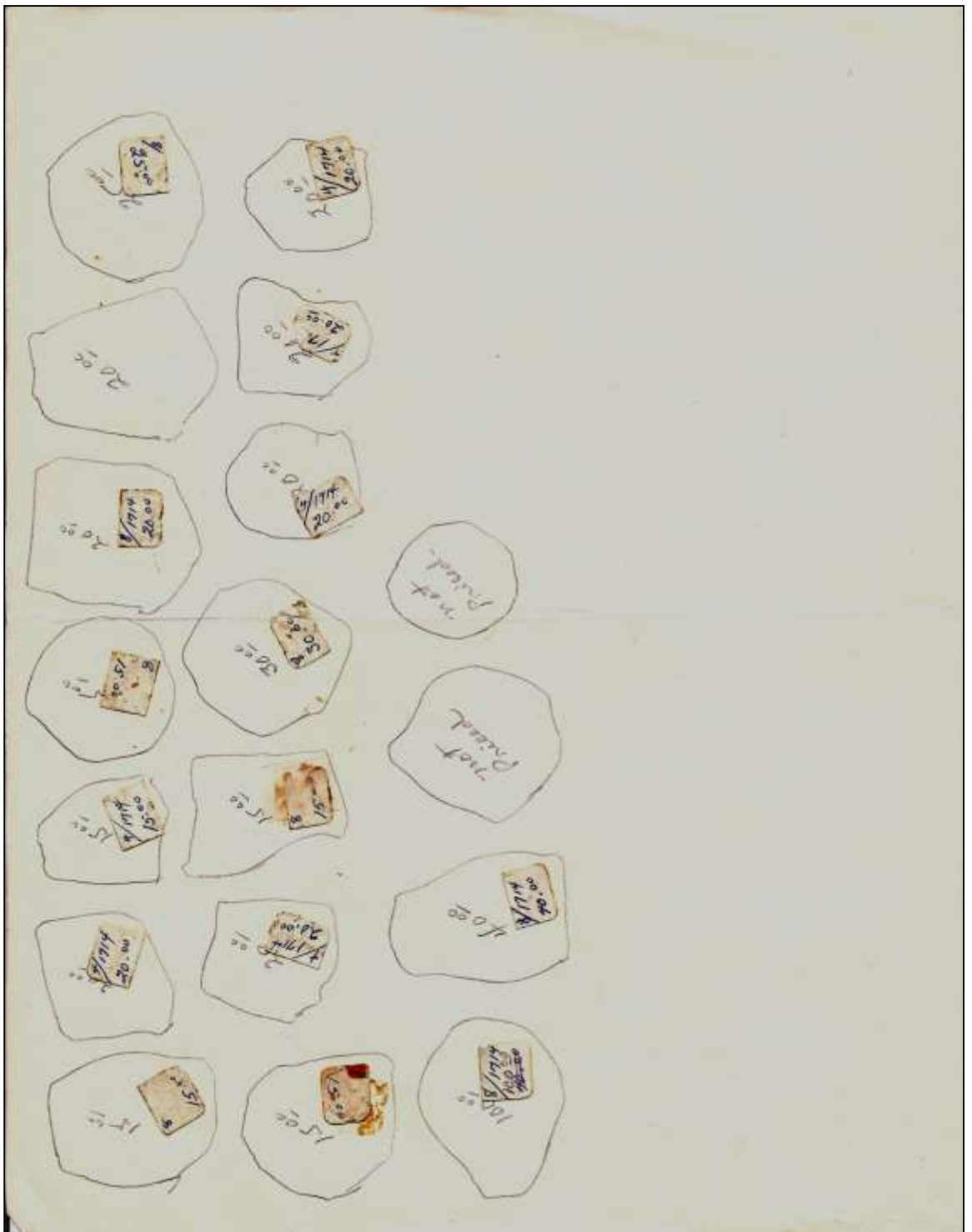
**Figure 9.** Letter from Dad to Wilson, February 2, 1969, regarding Wilson's 1969 coin purchase.

~~to~~ up coins  
 950 - for 1961 grams  
 386 - " 799  
 564 - (@.0844 @ grams in cluster)  
 300  
 bat  
 860 - cost (net)  
 180 - phone, etc, postage  
 880 - 2 coins  
 3400 - evaluation 4/2/69  
 total cost 915.00  
 77 coins

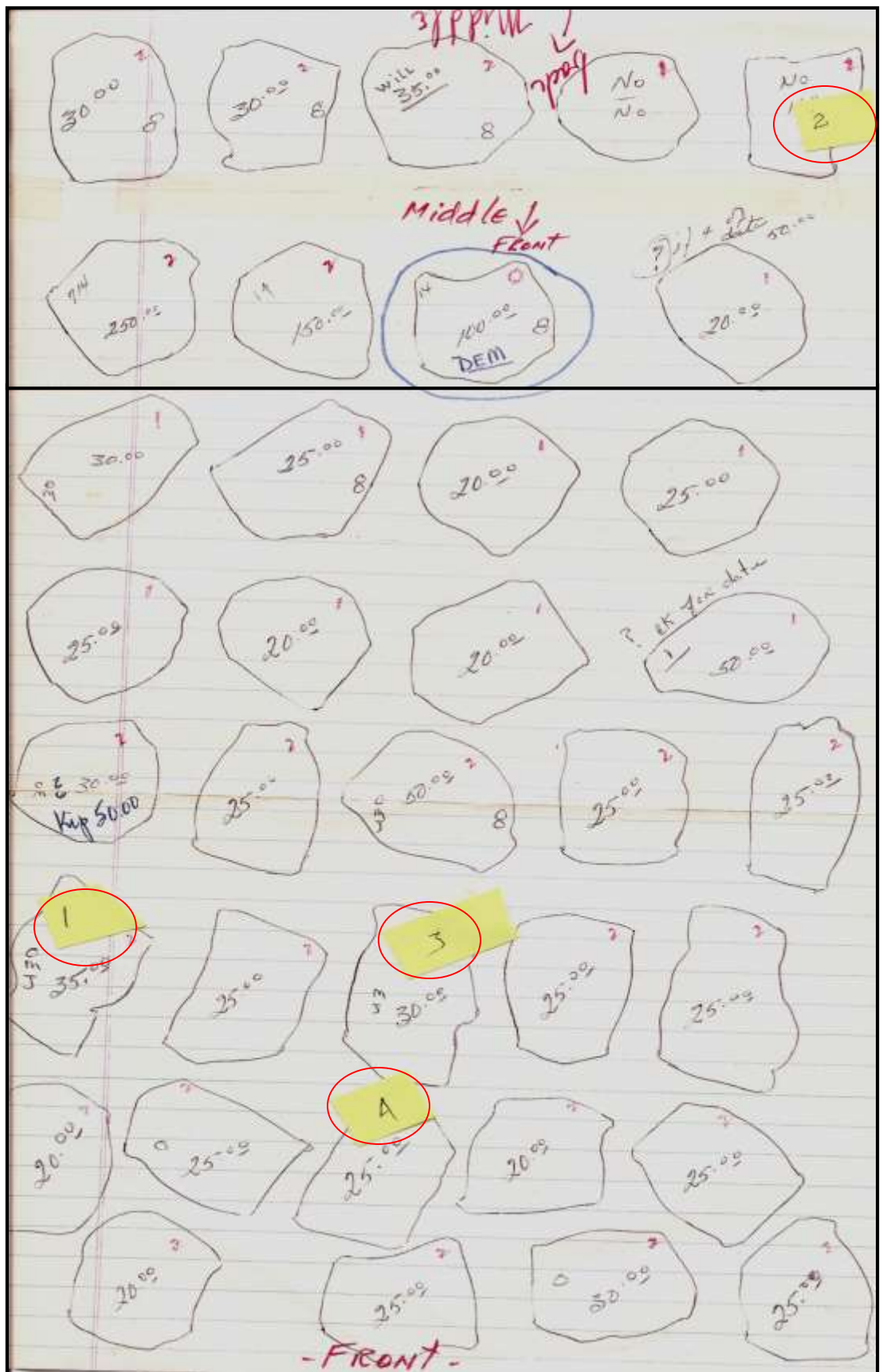
Dad's math - showing his purchase of an additional \$300 (in loose coins), likely after 2/2/69 but prior to this date – 4/2/69. Here he puts his collection "evaluation" at \$3400, and notes his original "total cost" (as of 4/2/69) at \$915.00.

**Figure 10.** Dad's notes regarding his total investment in coins dated 4/2/69.

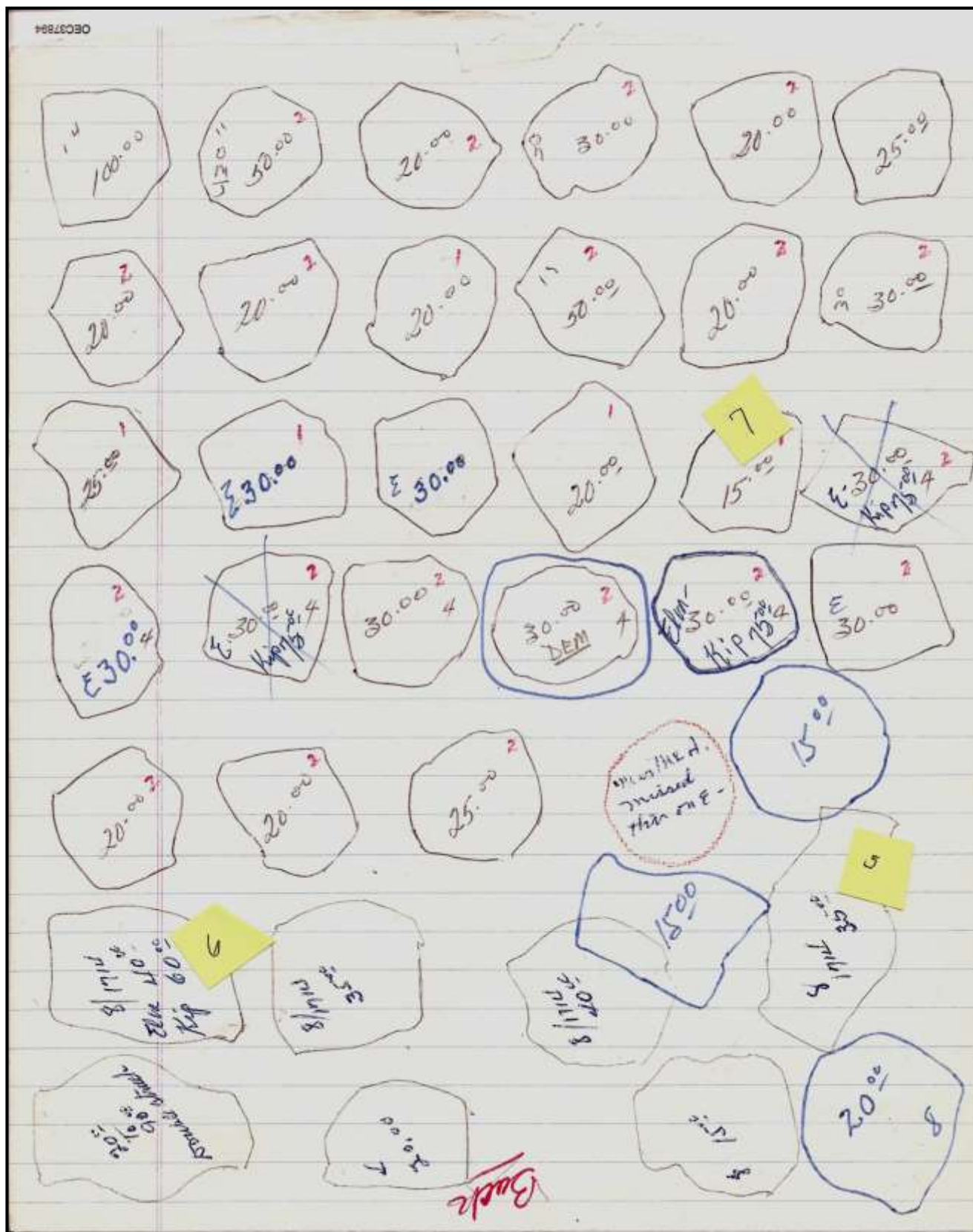




**Figure 11.** 18 coin outlines by Dad; I have excellent certificates signed by Kip Wagner for 8 of these which are in this offering. Some of These may have been part of a \$300 purchase made by Dad in March or April of 1969



**Figure 12.** 36 coin outlines by Dad; With Kip's help an original valuation at time of purchase. Page 1.

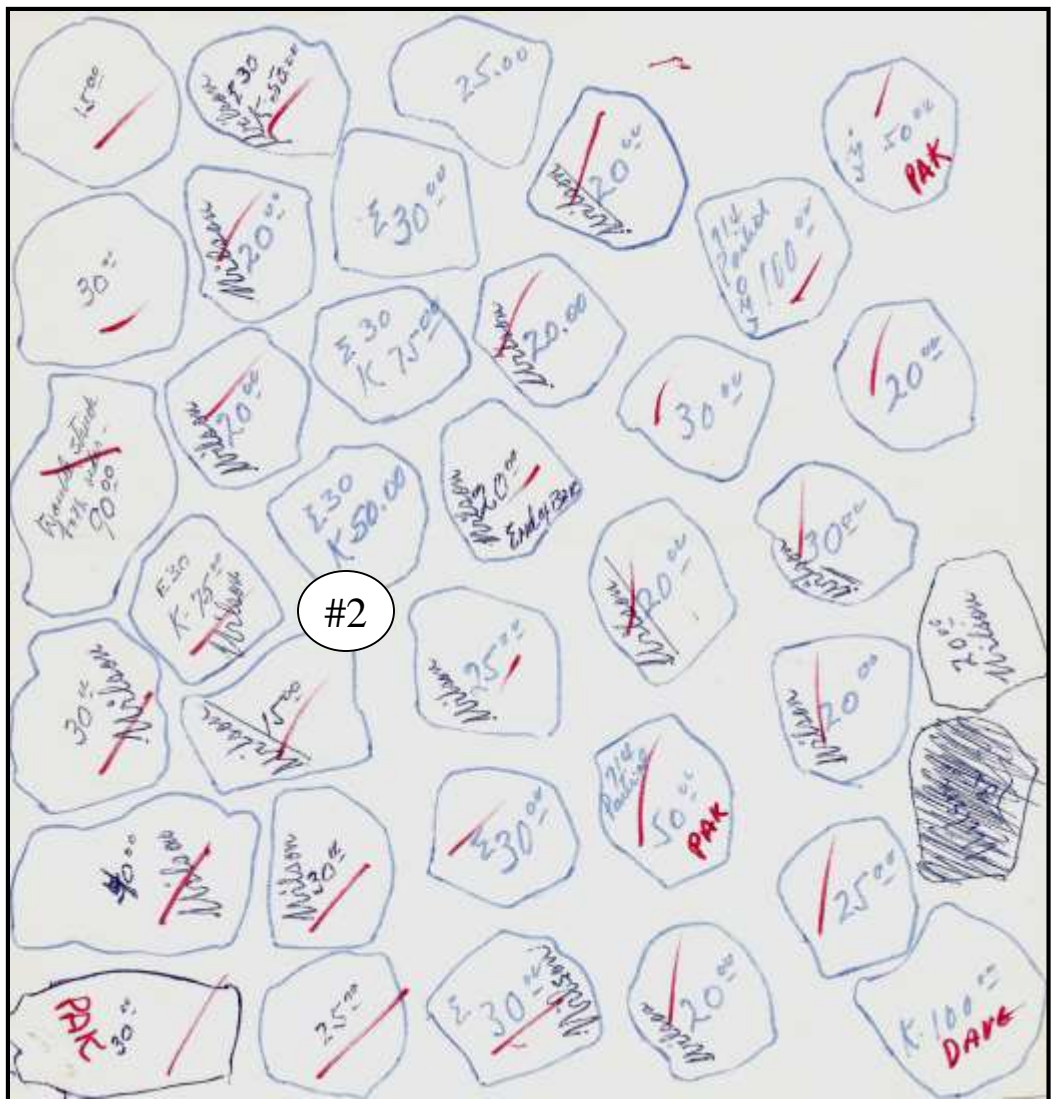


**Figure 13.** An additional 38 coin outlines by Dad; Again with Kip's help an original valuation at time of purchase. Page 2.





**Figure 14.** March 1969 Appraisal of 83 of Dad's coins by Mrs. Elva McArdle, *Museum of Sunken Treasure*, page 1.



"4 hit wi 8" – Dad's notation of Mrs. McArdle's opinion of this coin being a 4 real blank struck with 8 real dies.



**Figure 15.** March 1969 Appraisal of Dad's coins by Mrs. Elva McArdle, *Museum of Sunken Treasure*, page 1.







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Phone (803) 232-8297

4-12-82

Dear Wilson —  
Here is my file  
on coins — you  
may want it - if not  
throw it away —  
Love  
Dad

**Figure 18.** Dad's "letter of transmittal" to me along with all the material he had pertaining to Kip and the 1715 Plate Fleet wrecks.

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MUSEUM OF SUNKEN TREASURE  
8625 ASTRONAUT BLVD.  
CAPE CANAVERAL, FLA. 32920  
PHONE 352-783-8375

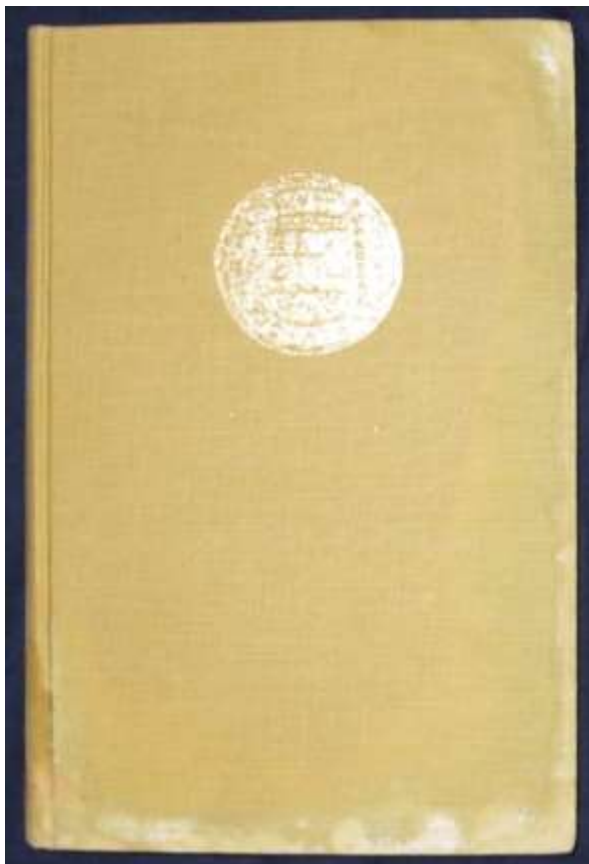
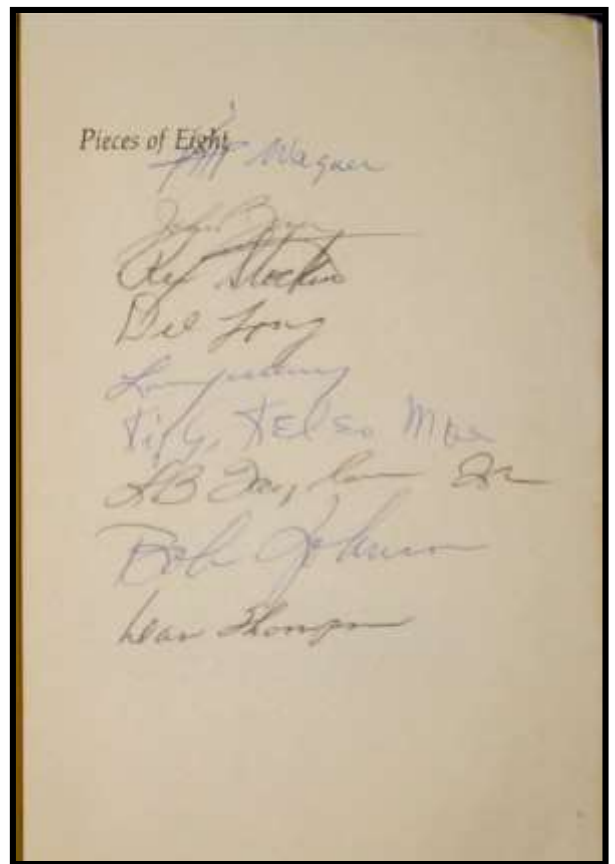
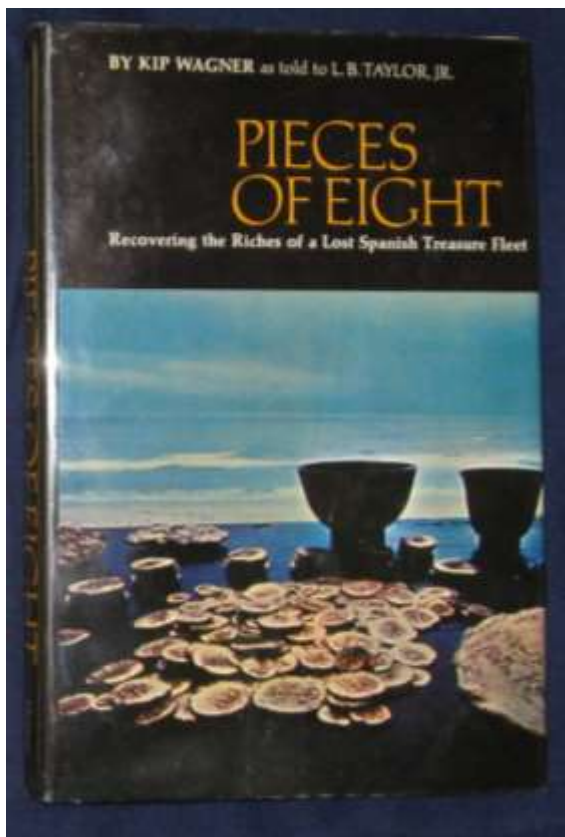
NAME <i>H. Wagner</i>		DATE 19	
ADDRESS			
SOLD BY <i>Harriet</i>	CASH	C. O. D.	CHARGE
PAID ON ACCT.		MDSE. RET.	PAID OUT

QUAN.	DESCRIPTION	PRICE	AMOUNT
1			
2	<i>Pieces of Eight</i>		<i>15.00</i>
3	<i>Books</i>		
4			
5	<i>TAX</i>		<i>.60</i>
6			
7			
8			<i>15.60</i>
9			
10			
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22			

CUSTOMER'S ORDER NO.	RECEIVED BY: <i>H. Wagner</i>
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ALL PURPOSE #1805

**Figure 19.** Original sales slip found with books offered in this collection. Stamped with “Museum ...” at top.



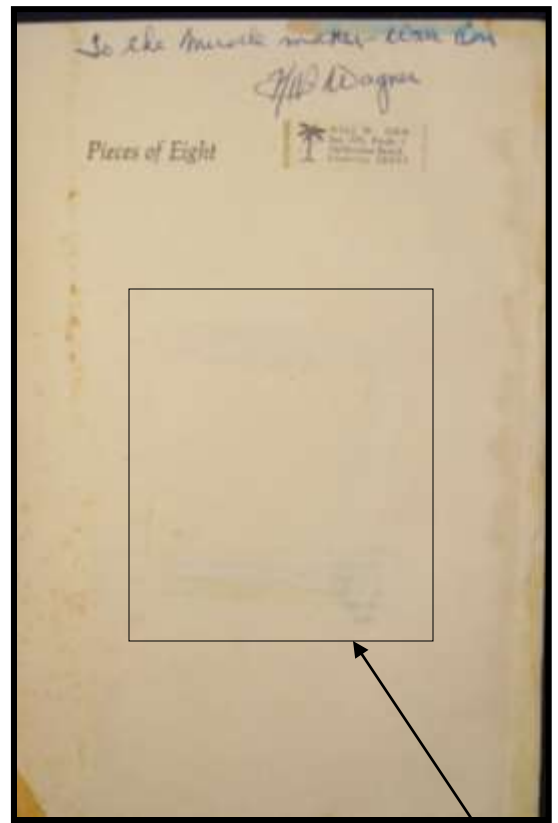
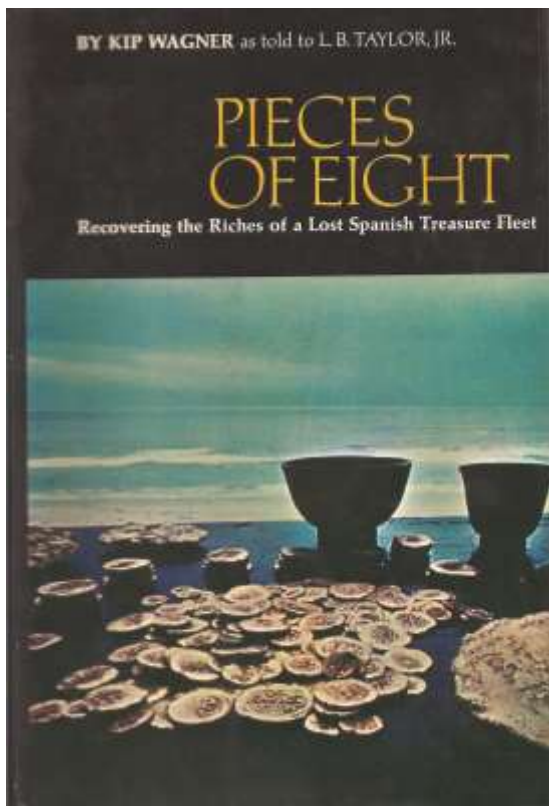
Book jacket: Bright and pristine with Mylar cover

Flyleaf: minor stains on autograph page  
Dad added his home address sticker.

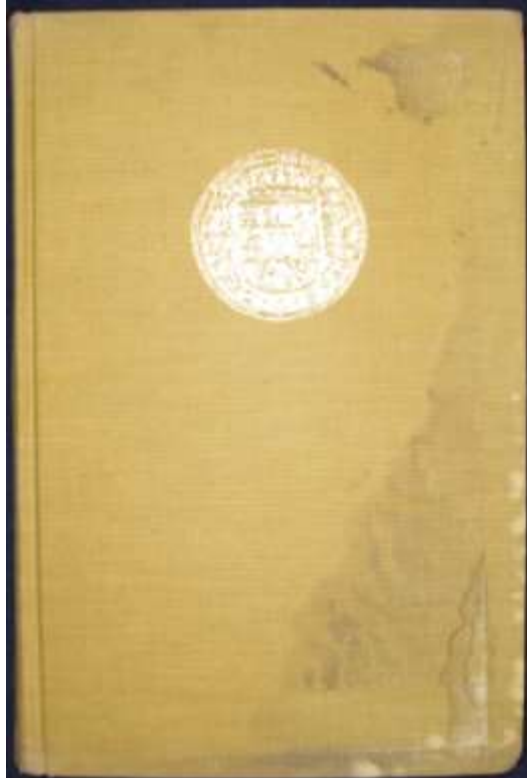
Hard cover at left: shows exterior staining  
No interior stains or marks inside book.

**Figure 20 - Book 1.**  
Fully autographed book.





Something was taped or pasted into this rectangle

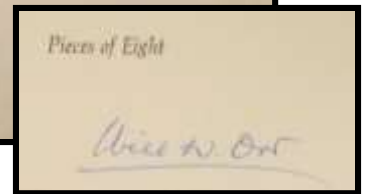
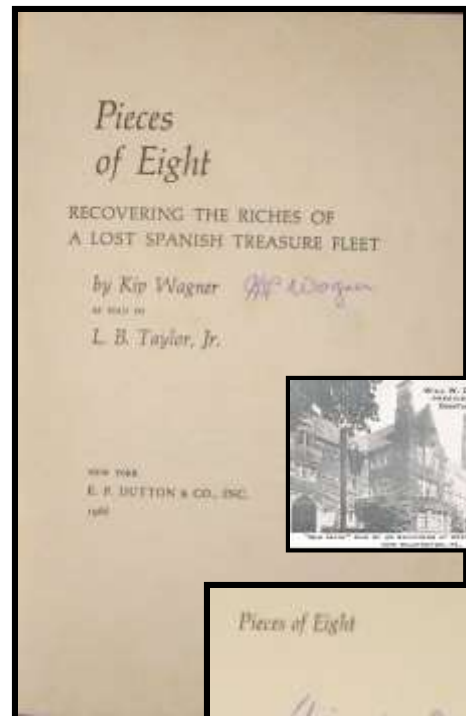
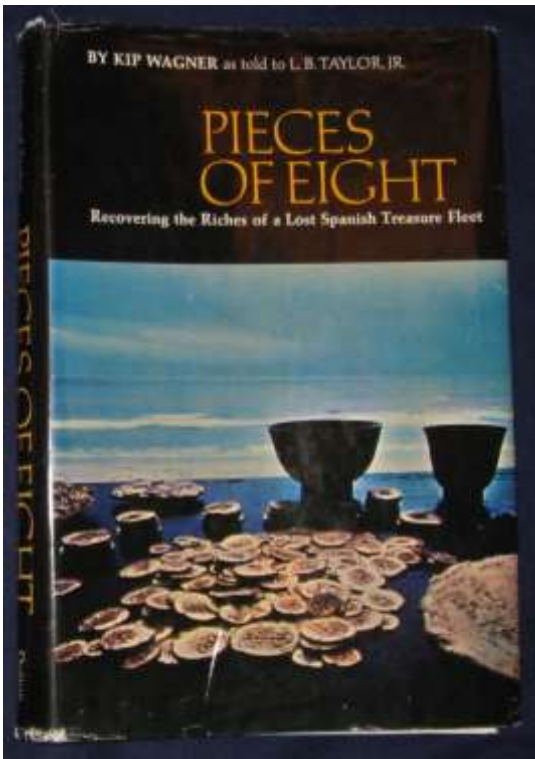


Book jacket: excellent with "Plasti-Kleen" cover

Flyleaf: minor stains on autograph page  
Dad added his home address sticker.

Hard cover at left: shows exterior staining  
No interior stains or marks inside book.

**Figure 21- Book 2.** Book signed  
by Kip to Dad  
"To the Miracle Maker – Will Orr"

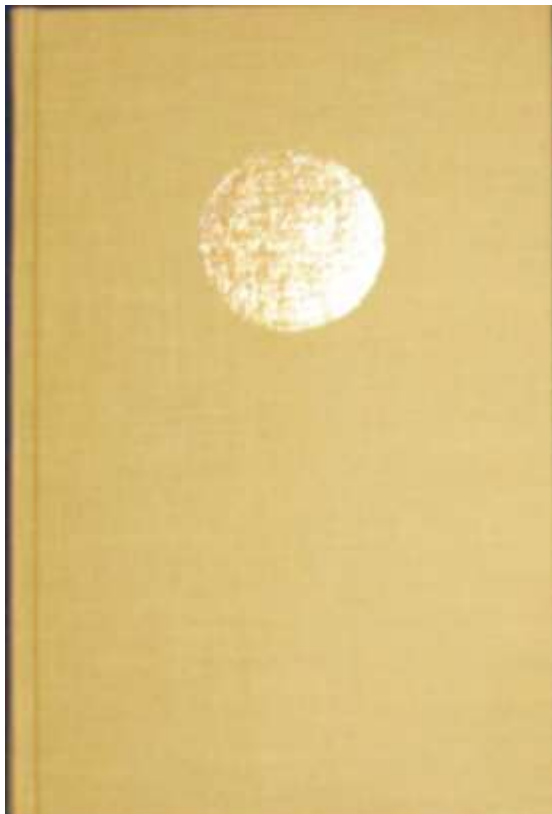
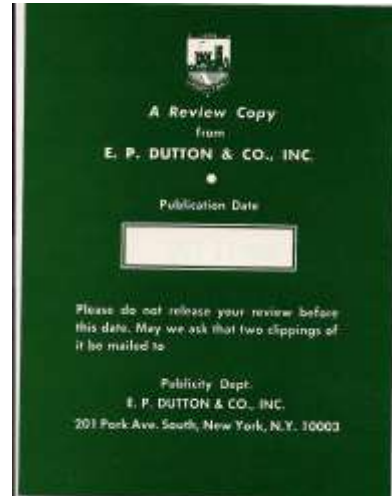
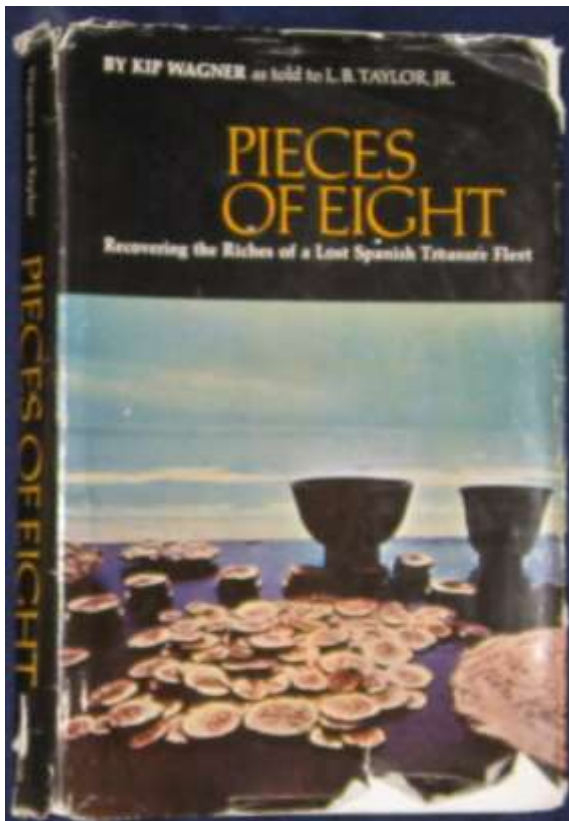


Book jacket: Good, slight tear on inside flyleaf,  
Minor edge wear as shown.

Flyleaf: Autographed by Dad, inside title page  
Autographed by Kip; both as shown above..

Hard cover at left: shows exterior staining  
No interior stains or marks inside book.

**Figure 22 - Book 3.** Book with both  
Kip's and Dad's autographs



Book jacket: Perimeter tears, wrinkles and bends as shown. Inside fly leaves are good.

Review Copy card, dark green, above was inside this book and is dated "Oct 13, 1966."

Hard cover at left: Immaculate, front and back. No interior stains or marks inside book. Binding Remains tight, appears never fully opened or read  
A First Edition from Dutton, 1966

**Figure 23- Book 3.** First edition, "Review copy"

**GUSTINE RECORD** Page Five

## Flagler Church To Have Guest Pastor During Next Six Weeks

Dr. Will W. Orr, former president of Westminster College, will be guest pastor during July and the early part of August at Flagler Memorial Presbyterian Church, while the Rev. David Redding and his family are on vacation and attending conference.

The Reddings plan to visit in Texas, Ohio, New York and Virginia, and he will be back in the pulpit in St. Augustine, August 17.

Dr. Orr was Westminster College after 18 years as president. Dr. Orr and his wife now reside on the Indian River, halfway between Melbourne and Vero Beach.

At present, Dr. and Mrs. Orr spend their time teaching people to water ski on the Indian River. To date, they have taught 2,500 persons this art.

Dr. Orr lists other hobbies as stamp, coin, Indian artifacts of which he has over 4,000 items, books, photography, travel, and most important of all, people.



Dr. Orr

A native of North Carolina, Dr. Orr received his Bachelor of Divinity degree from Pittsburgh Theological Seminary in 1952. He also holds three honorary degrees.

He has served as a pastor in the First United Presbyterian Church, Roanoke Falls, Pa., and Westminster United Presbyterian Church, New Britain, Conn.

### Residents Attend Independence Seminar In Jax

Maria Jefferson Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution and the Don Pedro Band of the Children of the American Revolution were represented at a Declaration of Independence seminar held in the Hayden Burns Library, Jacksonville, this past week.

Attending from St. Augustine were Mrs. W. J. Winter, DAR state recruiting secretary, Mrs. Robert Church, county secretary.



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### SUMMER WORSHIP ORDER

Sunday, August 3, 1969

Eleven o'clock

**PRELUDE**  
Adagio For Organ  
Prelude

Ten-fifty o'clock  
George Lynn  
Healey Willan

**CALL TO WORSHIP**

**\*INVOCATION**

**\*LORD'S PRAYER** (To be sung in unison)

**\*HYMN**  
Amazing Grace

"Cruet" 40 yrs  
"My Trumpet's in" 3 in  
"Thanks" 40 yrs  
"Pleading" etc

"Next Sunday my Last" 40 yrs  
"Footnote" 40 yrs  
"Take" 40 yrs  
"Next" 40 yrs

A - man - ing grace! how sweet the sound That saved a wretch like me!  
I once was lost, but now am found Was blind, but now I see.  
'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear, And grace my fears re - lieved;  
How pre - cious did that grace ap - pear The hour I first be - lieved!  
The Lord has prom - ised good to me, His word my hope as - cures;  
He will my shield and por - tion be As long as life en - dures.

FOR THE YOUNG IN HEART FROM FOUR TO NINETY-FOUR

**SOLO** I Will Arise and Go To Jesus..... Traditional  
Mrs. F. Everett Eubanks

**PRAYER OF INTERCESSION**

**\*HYMN 283** How Firm A Foundation

**SCRIPTURE:** II Timothy 1:1-7  
"... rekindle (stir up) the gift of God that is within you ..."

**SERMON** "BURIED TREASURE" Dr. Orr

Jesus at well  
Drink & water  
I give never

**Figure 24.** Church Bulletin. One of Dad's 23 sermons on "Buried Treasure" where he used a clump and a cleaned coin. 1969.



"BURIED TREASURE" *Wagner* *MT 12 44*

Robert Louis Stevenson captured the imagination of the world with his book "Treasure Island." The hope of treasure in its natural state sets aflame the minds of millions. ~~They~~ *People* will cross a continent in covered wagons, brave unknown seas in small craft, and suffer hunger, toil and peril to discover it. Diamonds in Africa, gold in the Klondike and California were hunted by men haunted by uncontrollable passion.

There is something even more fascinating about treasure that has been collected, refined and purified, and then lost.

~~There have been~~ *Three great* discoveries in the 20th Century *have interested us.*

(A) "A" is The Dead Sea Scrolls, the "B" example is the tomb of King Tut.

(C) ~~The third great~~ discovery of lost treasure was made by ~~Mr.~~ Kip L. Wagner, off the east coast of Florida. In the 18th Century Spain ruled one-third of the world. Ships sailed the seas to bring treasures of all sorts to the king. On the 24th of July, 1715, *10* heavily loaded ships, *riding low in the water*, sailed from Havana, up the straits of Florida, on their way to Spain. On Wednesday, July 31, at 2:00 a.m., a tremendous hurricane struck them and all were lost. Efforts to salvage the huge treasure were not very successful. The sea held almost inviolate ~~that which~~ *almost all* she had gotten by her temper tantrum.

It was 240 years later that another tantrum of the sea removed some 15 feet of sand on the beach and laid bare to Mr. Wagner's eyes and hands a tiny portion of that vast wealth. Mr. Wagner is pre-eminently a student. By patient and painstaking research, including a study *in* ~~of~~ the archives ~~of~~ Spain, he ~~discovered~~ opened those loaded sea-locked chests. He says, "Our finds have included heavy ingots of silver and gold, magnificent jewelry, gold coins in mint condition, silver dishes, delicate K'ang-hsi Chinese porcelain, thousands of pieces of eight, and several beautiful chains of purest gold." (National Geographic, January 1965, Page 1)

I have here a cluster of ~~pure~~ silver coins re-discovered after being locked for 250 years in the sea. *Ames* ~~I have met~~ Mr. Wagner. I was on the salvage ship recently when this coin was brought up.

Figure 25. Original sermon dictated by Dad. Mother typed this for him as he had serious glaucoma.

R.L. STEVENSON = Treasure Is ① TREASURE IN NATURAL STATE  
 ② "REFINED STATE"  
 49 Gold, Silver, Pearls, Rubies, Sapphires  
 By State Limited by people in passion uncontent, allable  
 Found & Refined - & Lost: More & More's Treasure  
 Lost in Sea - there has got been found.  
 3 Discoveries have Caught our Attention in this Cent. 20<sup>th</sup>  
 1. Dead Sea Scrolls - 1947 - 15 yr old Bedouin goat herds  
 NEAR DEAD SEA -  
 2. King Tut's tomb - Along Nile - Egypt  
 By 1150<sup>BC</sup> over 500 Tombs had been looted.  
 PHARAOH AT 12 died AT 18 mid 13<sup>th</sup> Cent BC.  
 3. 10 Spanish Ships. 18<sup>th</sup> Cent - Spain Ruled  $\frac{1}{3}$   
 vt - Ships sailed 7 Seas & More to bring  
 Treasure to Spain. 24 July 1715 - 10  
 heavy-laden → HAVANA 31 July 1715 HURRICANE  
 All driven on Reef 1200 feet off ~~the~~  
 the Island where we lived.  
 240 yrs Later - Another Violent Sea Moved  
 15' v Sand - and pieces v Eight

MARK  
 GEOG.  
 JAN.  
 1965

Formula for finding your treasure -  
 1. Faith - No Handicap can destroy it  
 Deal w/ FEAR - Natural, Involuntary  
 in B (Moscow, Gideon, Joshua, Mary Diggins Mother  
 Lincoln, Daniel, "In Faithfulness & Confidence shall  
 shall be Passions - your Strength  
 2. Hook:  
 Paul, Andrezenki, CARUSO, M. FORTINSON  
 at work Break -  
 3. Loyalty - HQ Ed. Hoover - "Loyalty"  
 Primary loyalty to God - I dead? yes  
No

1964 - WAGNER Discovered 10 Treasure Ships  
 ingots v Gold & Silver  
 magnificent Jewelry  
 gold coins in mint condition  
 silver dishes, delicate Chinese Porcelain  
 1687 -  
 July 24, 1715 sailed to HAVANA  
 1000s v Pieces v 8 -  
 Several beautiful aboriginal Forest Gold.  
 July 31, 2 AM  
 Hurricane Lost!  
 So, we combed the beach ~~found~~  
 Didn't find Pieces v 8  
 Did find 8 Pieces -  
 then to Satellite Beach - ! Col. Salvo -

Figure 26. "Buried Treasure" sermon notes in Dad's handwriting. He did a "note sheet" for each use to adapt the message to each audience.



**Version 2 (oldest?).** Only two copies, printed on heavy gray-tone paper. Note the spelling of Phillip with 2 "ls"

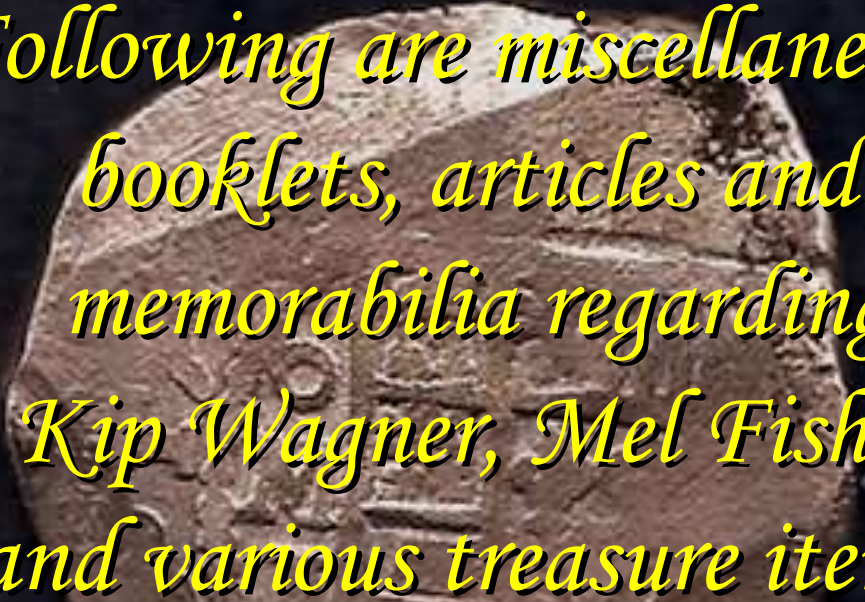
**Version 2.** Only one copy with handwritten note by Dad re shield variation; printed on heavy tan paper.

**Version 3.** 125 + copies, printed on white, lighter weight paper.

**Figure 27.** Crest of Philip, information sheet, 3 versions; All varieties are 5 ½ inches x 8 ½ inches, printed one side only.

*I believe these were inserted in books and otherwise distributed by The Museum of Sunken Treasures in the late 1960s.*





*Following are miscellaneous  
booklets, articles and  
memorabilia regarding  
Kip Wagner, Mel Fisher  
and various treasure items.*

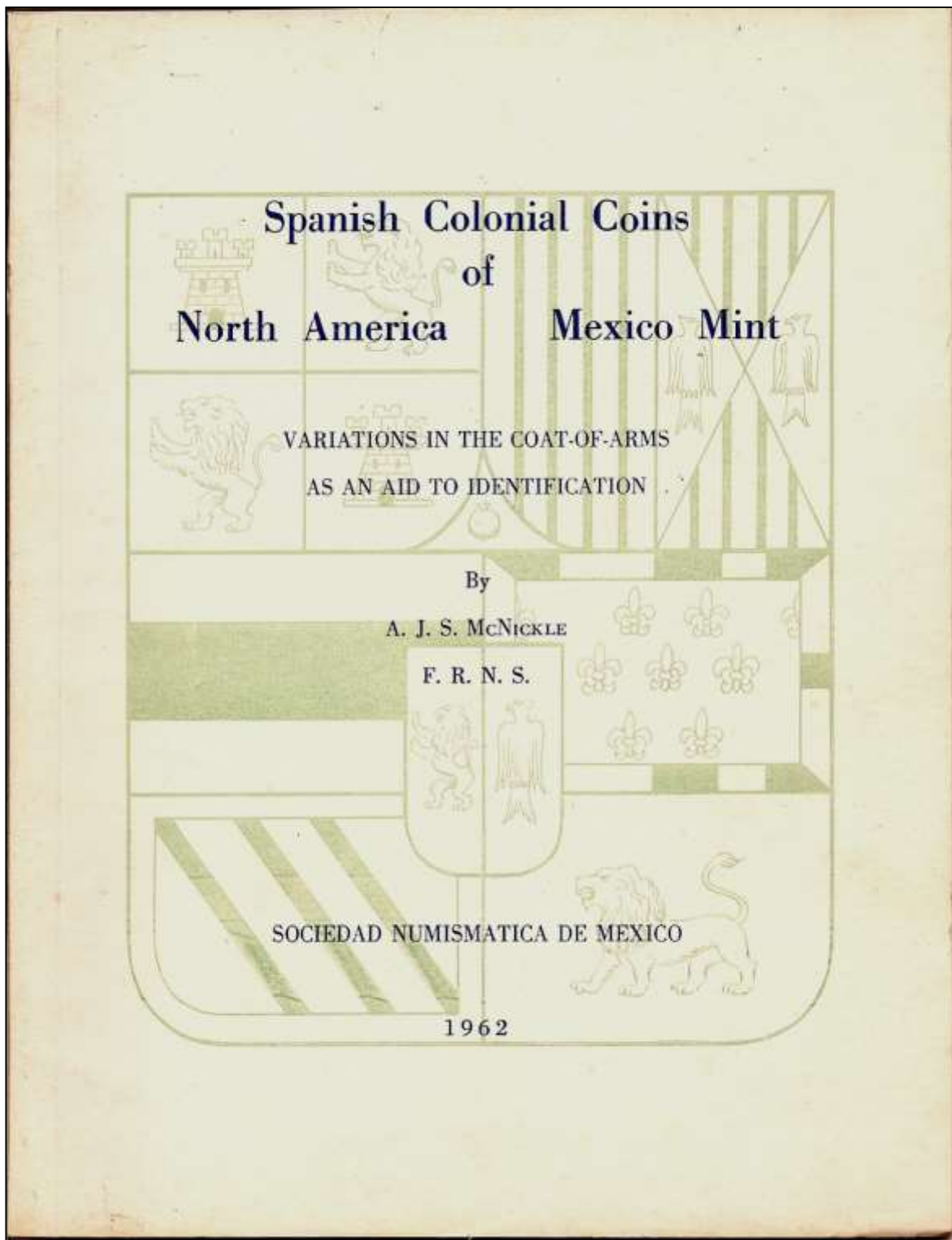
Dad, friends and other family mailed all these items to me in 1982, or thereafter as dated.





Found in Pieces of Eight book which was autographed by all the Board members.

**Figure 28.** An identifier pass for an (unknown) event in August, 1977 ?



**Figure 29.** Book, 2 copies, 6  $\frac{3}{4}$  x 8  $\frac{3}{4}$ , 53 pages with foldout  
"Comparison Diagram of the Different Coat-of-Arms"

*An excellent treatise on the minting process with great  
detail regarding the coats of arms and their dating.  
Good condition*



## The Mexico Mint 450 Years of Tradition

MIGUEL L. MUÑOZ ANA 51678



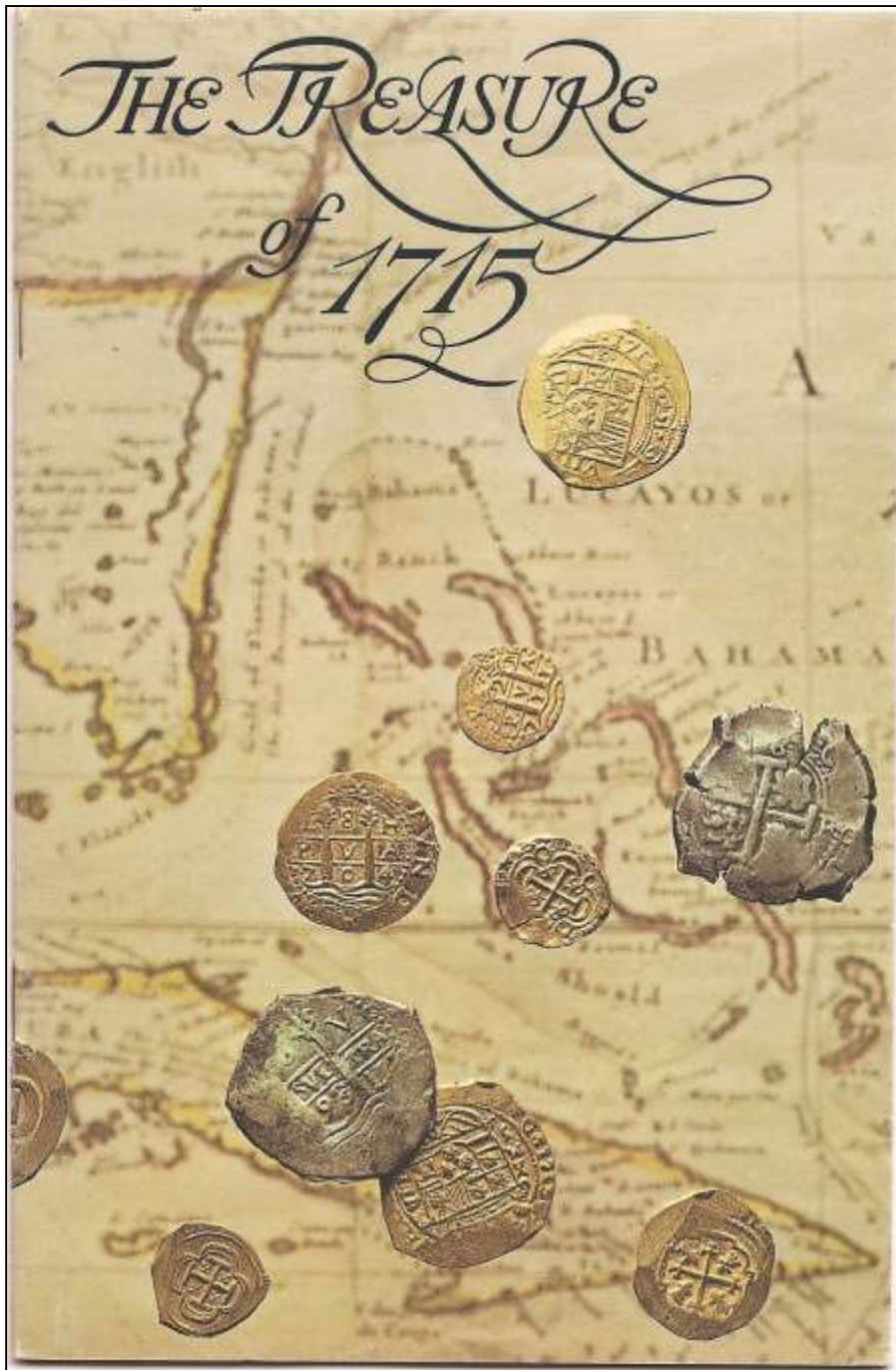
celebrating its 450th anniversary on May 11, 1985, the Mexico Mint has been in continuous operation since its inception, a record unmatched by any other mint or similar establishment. Not quite 30 years after Columbus' discovery of America, Hernán Cortés and his daring captains, commanding a heterogeneous group of adventurers, entered the great Mexican capital city of Tenochtitlan on November 15, 1519. The Spaniards were

well received by Aztec Emperor Moctezuma and his people, and today a modest monument notes the spot—now downtown Mexico City—where European and American cultures first met.

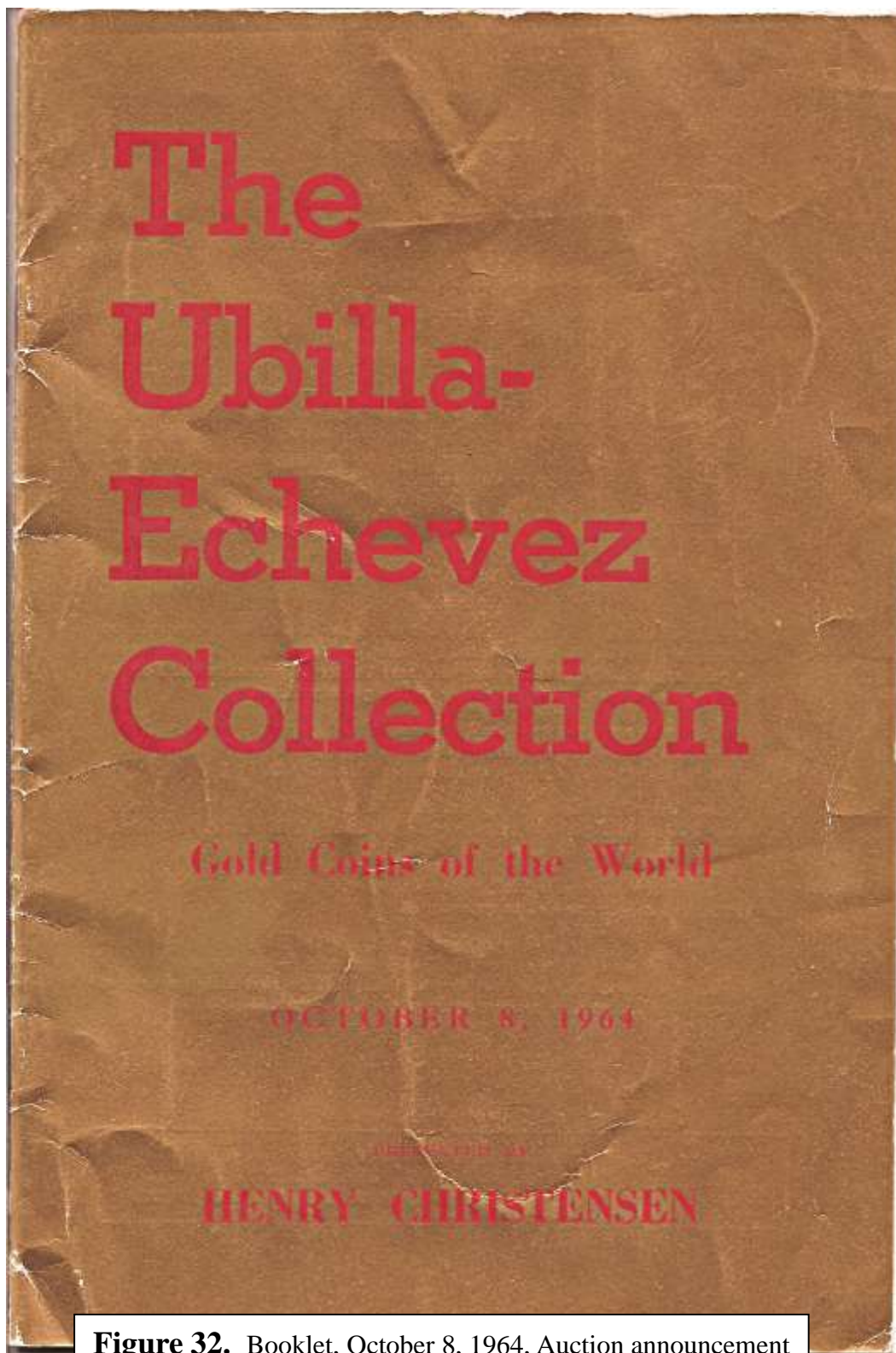
Cortés and his companions were conducted to Moctezuma's father's palace, known as Axayácatl's Palace, on the west side of Tenochtitlan's main plaza. It is a remarkable coincidence that Moctezuma selected this spot to lodge Cortés and his troops,

**Figure 30.** Article, *The Numismatist*, May 1985, complete article included, through page 892, with endnotes, bibliography, and additional sources. *Condition Excellent*





**Figure 31.** Booklet, 10 pages, fully illustrated, 5 ½ x 8 ½ , wreck history, coin information and period value with grading guide for both gold and silver cobs; published by Stacks, 123 West 57<sup>th</sup> Street, New York, NY  
2 copies, ca. 1964



**Figure 32.** Booklet, October 8, 1964, Auction announcement by Henry Christensen. Auction date 10/8/1964 in Hoboken, New Jersey. 40 pages: each coin pictured and identified.  
*Good Condition*



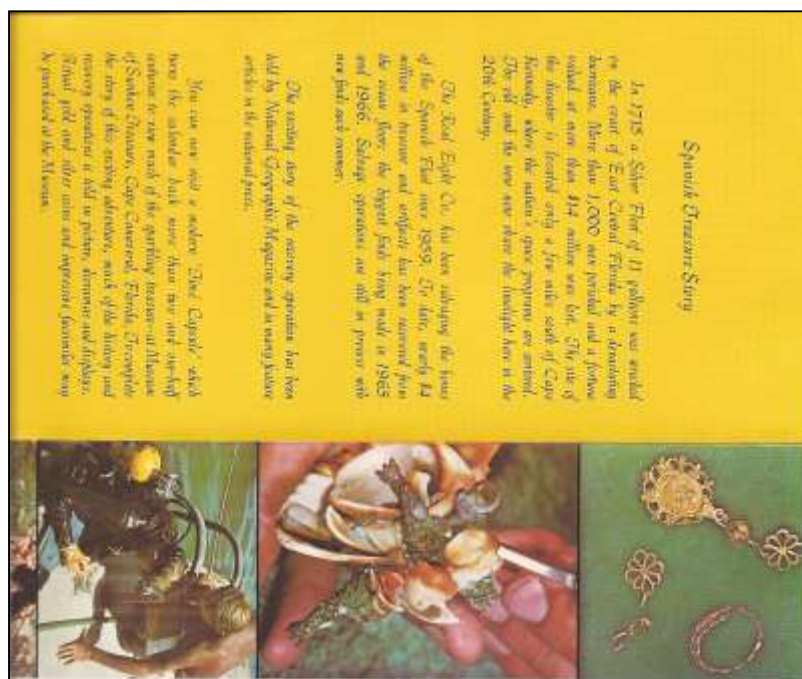
Bookmark(?), 2 ¼ x 8 ¾, printed one side, likely given out at the *Museum of Sunken Treasure* with various purchases

**Figure 33.** Book marks, *Excellent original condition*  
44 copies





Trifold flyer from the  
*Museum of Sunken Treasure*  
 This measures 8 ¾ x 12”  
 Which is too large for me to scan  
 In its entirety.  
 1 copy, excellent condition  
 ca. 1970(?)



**Figure 34.** Promotional Flyer, *Good Condition*



## TREASURE!

Bars of gold;  
wedges of silver.  
Coral-encrusted  
cannon, and pieces  
of eight. A dream of  
riches, or of sand.

BY GLENN COUVILLON



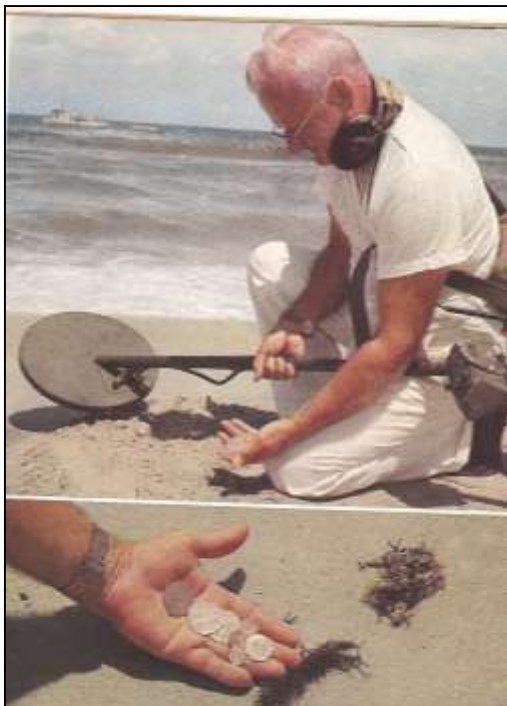
**Fascinating article; tells Kip Wagner's  
story beginning with coins he found  
in 1948 and the beginning of the Real Eight Co.  
Includes involvement of Bob Holloway and  
Mel Fisher.**

*Good condition, complete article and pictures  
Pages 6 through 11, uncut.*

**Figure 35.** Article, Pastimes (airline magazine ?),  
*Good Condition*



Fascinating booklet, 22 pages, printed in England by Lund Humphries, London & Bradford. Undated, but appears to be an announcement for an auction by Parke-Bernet Galleries, Inc. (*Southeby & Co.*) on February 4, 1967.

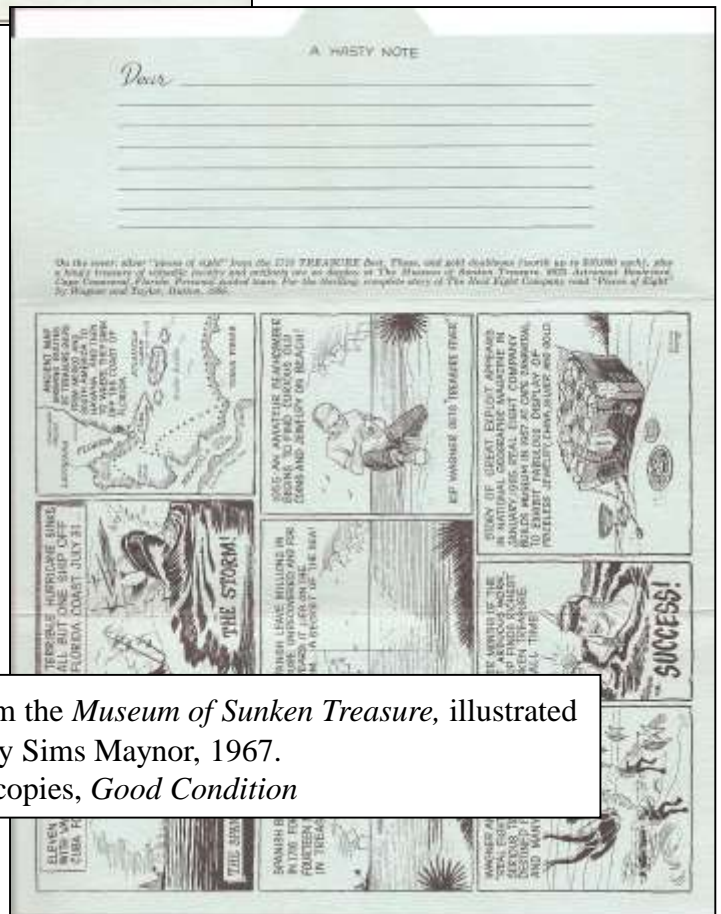


**Figure 37.** Booklet, for Auction by Park-Bernet Galleries, NY. February 4, 1967.  
*Very Good Condition, Excellent color throughout.*



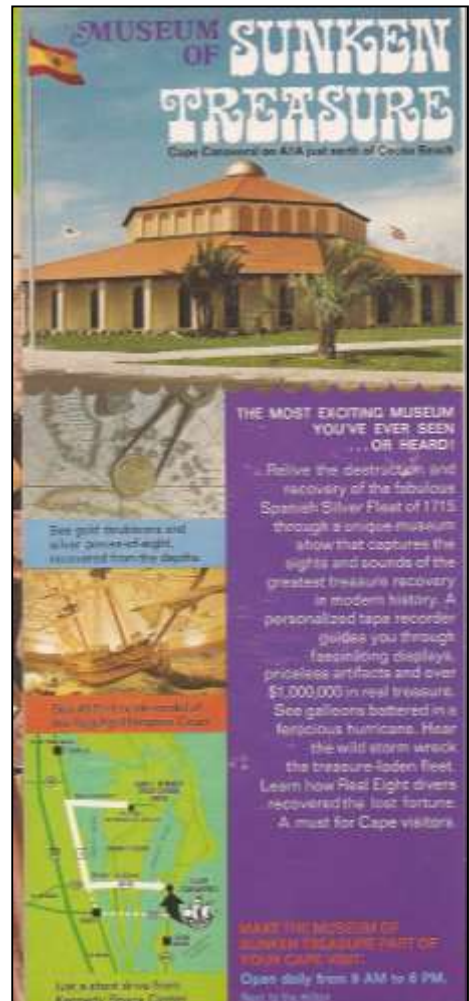


Trifold, mail flyer from the  
*Museum of Sunken Treasure.*  
 ca.1970 (?)  
 3 copies, crisp



**Figure 40.** Mailer from the *Museum of Sunken Treasure*, illustrated  
 By Sims Maynor, 1967.  
 3 copies, Good Condition





Two sided flyer, 4 x 9, from the *Museum of Sunken Treasure*, ca.1970 (?), 9 copies, crisp

**Figure 41.** Flyer, excellent color  
*Good Condition*



# \$1 Million in Treasure At Real Eight Museum

More than \$1 million worth of gold, jewels and artifacts recovered from sunken Spanish treasure ships are on display in the Real Eight Museum of Sunken Treasure.

The \$750,000 museum — located next to the Cape Kennedy Hilton in Cape Canaveral — contains hundreds of relics brought up from the Spanish Plate Fleet of 1715, which went down off Florida's coast in a fierce hurricane.

In a unique sight and sound presentation, visitors get the

full story of how the fleet went down and of the 2½-century effort to recover the sunken treasure.

Highlight of the display is a two-thirds scale model of the fleet's flagship, El Capitan. The vessel — which was named Hampton Court before the Spaniards captured it from Great Britain — is shown in two phases: As it looked sailing the stormy ocean and as it looked when discovered in 40 feet of water by Real Eight's divers.

Also in the eight-sided,

Spanish style building are gold and silver coins, and jewels recovered from the sea floor plus cannons, dishes and other artifacts that survived some 250 years on the sea bottom.

Real Eight was founded in the early 1960s by Kip Wagner of Sebastian to hunt for the ships of the 1715 fleet. From its success in that venture, the company — based in Satellite Beach — has branched into oceanography and related fields.

Article, unknown paper or date; yellowed and references treasure on display the the Real Eight Museum of Sunken Treasure.

**Figure 45.** Newspaper article. Unknown source  
*Fair and faded, as shown*



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## THE TREASURE OF 1715

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TOTAL \$ \_\_\_\_\_

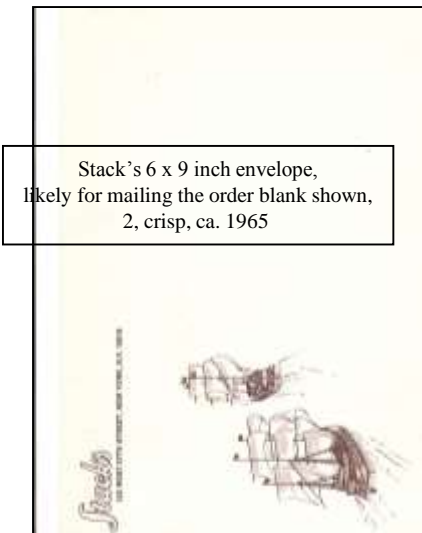
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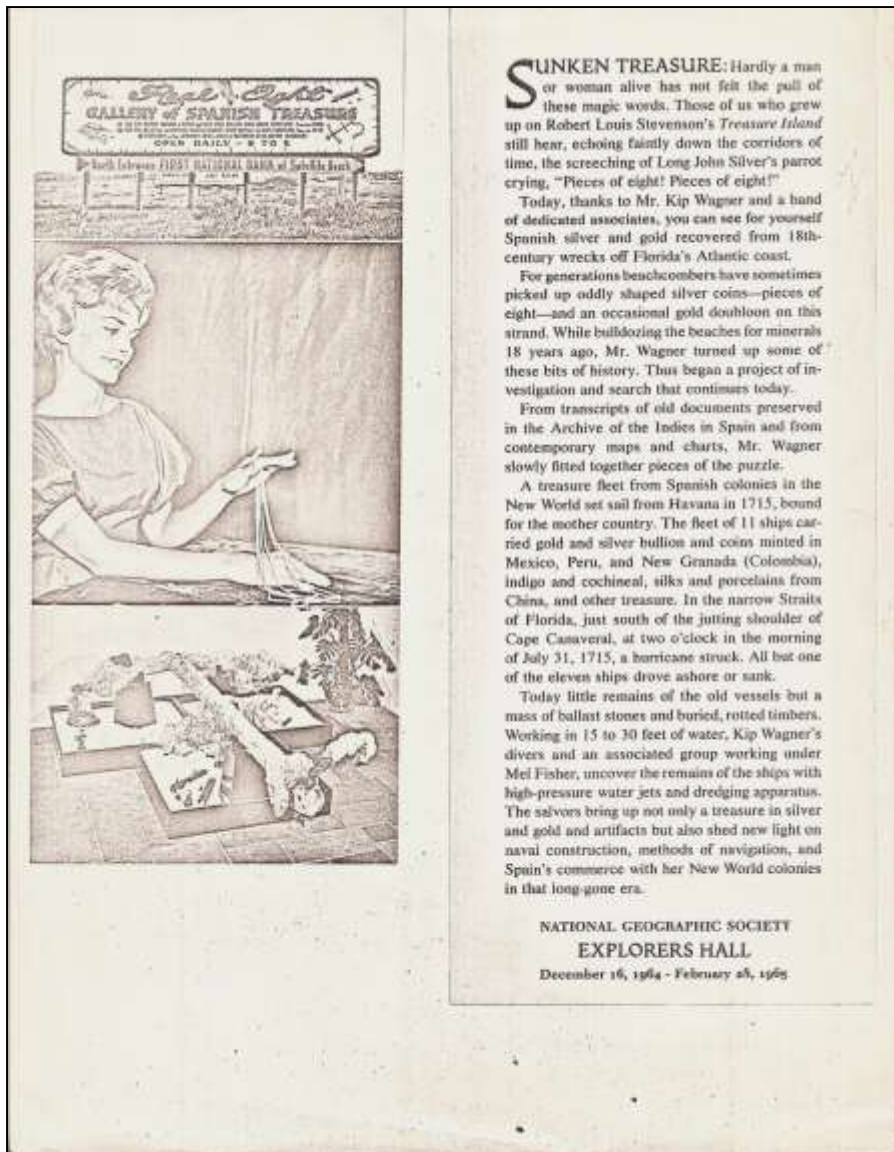
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**Figure 46.** Mail order blank. Stacks.  
*Good Condition*





The above appears to be two separate announcements of 1715 Plate Fleet artifact showings. The left one at The First National Bank of Satellite Beach, likely early 1965. The announcement on the right (*as noted on the bottom*) was for A showing at the National Geographic Society, Explorers Hall, From December 16, 1964 to February 28, 1965. *This item is a one page and faded copy of the originals.*

**Figure 50.** Announcements, copy