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LVNS Club Meeting August 10th, 2019

"IN THE BEGINNING"



A special presentation about
Historical Photography

By: Joseph Cavallaro

Saturday Aug. 10th, 2019

Examples of Daguerreotypes, Ambrotypes, and more!

Morgan Dioguardi will report on his
ANA Summer Seminar experience!

AND

Another fine auction of coins and collectibles presented by
the LVNS and its members.

Raffle...Door Prizes...and Refreshments

This year's LVNS Bus Trip: Saturday October 5

VEGAS MOB TOUR

Relive Sin City's Dark Past



"You've heard the phrase "What happens in Vegas, stays in Vegas." Well, what happened here all started with the Mob. Join us as we take you back to the 1940s and travel in time through the 1980s when the Mob's influence reached its pinnacle. You will visit sites where mob murders, burglaries, a car bombing, and other underworld activities occurred. Learn about the ruthless Mob enforcers and hear how they operated in the shadows while dodging law enforcement officials. "Your tour will begin with a mini-documentary about Las Vegas and the Mafia's influence on the town. The tour guide will relate stories of how Las Vegas gained the nickname "Sin City" while showing you various locations relating to the Mob. "Highlights of the tour include some filming locations from the classic "Casino," sites where Mob activity occurred, and a monument dedicated to a mobster. Throughout the tour, visual aids will be shown relating to the stories, including video clips and FBI surveillance photos. At the end of the tour, enjoy pizza and more stories from your guide inside the Tuscany Suites". More information about the tour is available at vegasmobtour.com.

PLEASE ARRIVE NO LATER THAN 11:45.

Here's the Skinny:

On Saturday, October 5, the LVNS Vegas Mob Tour will begin and end at the Tuscany Suites and Casino, 255 E Flamingo Road, 702-893-8933. There is ample free parking or you can use valet. Meet inside the casino entrance facing Flamingo or go directly to the bus if it's there. Chilled water will be supplied. No alcohol permitted. The tour lasts two hours and you will leave the bus twice: once to see the Bugsy Siegel Memorial behind the Flamingo and the other to view the home where many of the scenes from the movie Casino were shot. The Memorial requires walking about a ½ block each way and there are just a few stairs. Before signing up, you might want to consider that the Mob in Las Vegas consisted of people who were criminals and killers. These topics are openly talked about during the tour and some graphic material is shown. After the tour, there will be pizza (or salad if you prefer) at the Tuscany. Soft drinks included.

Schedule: 11:45 Boarding 12:00 to 2:00 Vegas Mob Tour 2:00 Pizza at the Tuscany

See or call Fred (Big Tuna) Kuch – 702-497-4858 for tickets. \$10 for LVNS members,

\$30 for non-members.

Seating is limited



Collectors could be getting a 2021-CC Morgan dollar. House Bill 3757 was introduced July 16 to authorize production of Morgan and Peace silver dollars to mark the centennial anniversary of the production transition between the two designs in 1921 — including Morgan dollars struck at the former [Carson City Mint](#) and a high relief Peace dollar.

An unspecified number of Morgan dollars from the maximum combined output of 500,000 Proof and Uncirculated Morgan and Peace

silver dollars authorized in the legislation would be struck with the CC Mint mark at the former Carson City Mint in Nevada, which now houses the Nevada State Museum.

The production would likely be executed on a coinage press hauled from a current [U.S. Mint](#) production facility, presumably Denver or San Francisco.

The enabling legislation was jointly introduced in the House by U.S. Reps. Emanuel Cleaver, D-Mo., and Andy Barr, R-Ky.

The commemorative coin initiative is being spearheaded by two longtime collectors, Thomas J. Uram, chairman of the [Citizens Coinage Advisory Committee](#), president of the [Pennsylvania Association of Numismatists](#), and a departing member of the [American Numismatic Association Board of Governors](#), and Mike Moran, a member of the CCAC.

Uram said it is also the intent to offer a limited-edition Coin & Currency set of 25,000 or 50,000 maximum units to include a 2021-CC Morgan dollar and an intaglio print from the Bureau of Engraving and Printing of the back of a Series 1886 \$5 silver certificate. That note features the obverse of a 1886 Morgan dollar flanked on each side by two silver dollar reverses as its central vignette.

The 2021-CC Morgan dollar could be struck in Uncirculated condition, and the Proof version might be struck at the San Francisco Mint with the S Mint mark. Discussion is also ongoing concerning what finish will be on the Morgan dollar for the Coin and Currency set and at what Mint the coin would be struck.

The Proof and Uncirculated 2021 Peace dollars would be struck at the Philadelphia Mint with the P Mint mark, if things go as planned, Uram said.

According to the proposed legislation, “The conversion from the Morgan dollar to the Peace dollar design in 1921 reflected a pivotal moment in American history. The Morgan dollar represents the country’s westward expansion and industrial development in the late 19th century. The Peace dollar symbolizes the country’s coming of age as an international power while recognizing the sacrifices made by her citizens in World War I and celebrating the victory and peace that ensued.”

The Morgan dollar, designed and engraved by Assistant U.S. Mint Engraver George T. Morgan, was struck by the U.S. Mint between 1878 and 1904, and again in 1921. The Carson City Mint struck Morgan dollars from 1878 through the facility’s closing in 1893. The Philadelphia, San Francisco Mint and New Orleans Mints also struck Morgan dollars, with the Denver Mint striking the coin in 1921 only.

In December 1921, the Peace dollar, designed by sculptor Anthony de Francisci, was struck exclusively at the Philadelphia Mint, in high relief. The Peace dollar ended its run in 1935.

Uram said it is the intent that the 2021 Peace dollar be struck in the same high relief as the original 1921 output. Uram said although the Nevada State Museum has on its premises a coinage press once used for production at three different U.S. Mint production facilities, that press has been primarily used to strike commemorative medals for the museum in recent decades.

By [Paul Gilkes](#), Coin World

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The revised LVNS monthly Auction Terms commencing September, 2019

- 1) A \$ 2.00 listing fee will be added to each lot
Plus commission as per the following schedule:

On sales up to \$ 100.00	\$ 2.00
\$ 101 to \$ 200	\$ 5.00
\$ 201 to \$ 500	\$ 10.00
\$ 501 to \$ 1,000	\$ 15.00
Sales over \$ 1,000	3 % rounded up
- 2) The listing fee will be charged even if the item fails to sell.
- 3) NO multiple items in one lot unless selling as a group.
- 4) Reasonable reserves will be accepted.
- 5) Must be a member in good standing to consign.
- 6) Limit of 5 lots per consignor.
- 7) Auction is limited to 40 lots.
- 8) Consignment deadline is 11 days before auction date.
- 9) Bidding is open to all members and guests, ID may be required.
- 10) These rates are subject to change, especially for speciality or larger auctions.
- 11) Settlement payments will be made asap, but Not guaranteed the same day. Payments can be mailed or picked up.
- 12) 3 % surcharge will be added to credit card payments.
- 13) Utmost care will be taken to protect, display and sell the consignments.
The LVNS will NOT be responsible for any loss, theft or damage.

LVNS Club Meetings are **currently** held at the University United Methodist Church at 4412 South Maryland Parkway Las Vegas, NV. directly across from UNLV on the second Saturday of each month. Bourse, YN Round Table & socializing start at 2:00 p.m. Meeting starts at 3 p.m.

Free parking (use the rear lot) & free admission.

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Auction lots for Saturday, August 10, 2019 Lots marked with + are LVNS

1. 1912-S Lincoln with roll of BU 1960-D small date cents
2. 5 Walking liberty half dollars in presentation case
3. Eisenhower dollar collection in frame
- 4+. 1957 Proof set in capitol plastic holder
5. 1938-D Walking liberty half dollar Anacs VF 35
6. Original photograph of beetle Paul McCartney
7. Certified Bryant Dollar
8. 1921 Peace silver dollar
9. Silver coin clock
10. 1878 \$2.50 Gold coin PCGS MS 61
11. 1878-S \$2.50 Gold coin PCGS MS61
12. 1917 Standing liberty quarter Type 1 PCGS unc details
13. 1875-S Twenty cent piece
14. 1 Kilo (32.15 oz) fine silver .999 bar
- 15+. 2015 Canada \$20 silver coin (1 oz) GREEN enamel maple leaf
16. Boxed set US commemorative half and silver dollars 10 coins original
17. 1894 \$5.00 Gold coin NGC MS 63
18. 1878 CC quarter NGC XF 45 toned
19. 1896 \$5.00 Gold coin PCGS MS62
20. 1851 \$2.50 Gold coin PCGS MS61
21. 1797 Large Cent PCGS VG details
22. 1891 \$10 Gold coin NGC MS61
23. 1876 Shield nickel NGC XF details "double die"?
24. 1836 \$2.50 Gold coin Classic Head NGC XF40
25. 1992 5 piece Libertad silver coin set original
26. Buffalo statue on stand with 20 coins
27. 1843 \$2.50 Gold coin PCGS AU50
28. Silver Coin clock with Silver dollar
29. 1945-S Micro S Roosevelt dime Anacs MS65
30. 1874 \$10 Gold coin NGC AU55
31. 1954 Proof 68 Jefferson, Roosevelt and Washington coins
32. 1986 ASE Proof 70 Anacs in display box
- 33.+ 2013 Canada \$20 silver coin (1 oz) RED enamel maple leaf
34. Morgan Silver dollar display box
35. BU State quarters in display cabinet
36. 1955 PDS Lincoln cents all PCGS MS66 RED !
- 37.+ 3 early coin replica set in box 2 are fine silver 1 copper NICE !
38. 1930 Lincoln cents PCGS MS66 RED choice 1 or 2 coins sold each
39. 12 different BU nickels 1930-1950
40. 10 different Original BU bank wrap rolls of cents & nickels
41. 1905/06 Indian Head cents PCGS MS 64 BN choice
- 42.+ 50 State & Territorial quarter set in Littleton album \$14 face
43. Beautiful toned Miint State 1976-D Kennedy half dollar NICE!
44. 1930-S Lincoln cents MS 65 RED (choice: 1-PCGS 1-ICG)

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