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MEMORANDUM

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FROM:

H. I. ELSÄSSER

TO:

MR. M. JONES

[EXT. 422]

DATE:

20.4.83

Please note that the following Trial Dies have been sunk.

COUNTRY: JERSEY

DENOMINATION: ALL (PROOF & ORDINARY)

OBVERSE:

REVERSE:

WORKING PUNCH DATED:

H. I. E.

7.3.83
12.08

FACS

ATT. M. H. ELSSER.

JERSEY 1983 DESIGNS

I confirm JERSEY has approved all comi
designs.

Regards

Kusum Verman

7 March 1983

Facs

Att. Hubert Elsassey
cc Mr. R. Smith

JERSEY 1983 Coin Designs.

I have received confirmation from Jersey that
all 1983 coin designs are now approved.

Regards

Kusum Kuman

4 March 1983

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267321 MINTLN G

4192390STATES G

4TH MARCH 1983

ATTN MARTIN JONES - ROYAL MINT

ALL DESIGNS FOR 1983 JERSEY COINS NOW APPROVED

BEST WISHES

R.E.HARRIS

STATES OF JERSEY - TREASURY

4192390STATES G

267321 MINTLN G

18th February 1983

Mr. H. Elsasser

c.c. Mr. R. Smith
Mr. P. Colvin

Jersey 1983 Coinage

Robin Harris has confirmed approval of the £1, 50 pence, 20 pence and at 10 pence ~~obverse~~ ^{reverse} plasters.

As you know the 5 pence plaster requires modification and he wishes to see a photograph of the modifications before giving approval.

The 1 pence and 2 pence plasters have not yet been seen and I would be grateful if you could forward me photographs as soon as possible.



D. Martin Jones.

JERSEY:

Order of Parishes according to size
of population from 1981 Census:

	<u>Coin date</u>
1. ST Helier.	1983
2. ST SAVIOUR	1984
3. ST BRELADE	1985
4. ST CLEMENT	1986
5. ST LAWRENCE	1987
6. ST PETER	1988
7. GROUVILLE	1989
8. ST MARTIN	1990
9. ST. OVEN	1991
10. TRINITY	1992
11. ST JOHN	1993
12. ST MARY	1994

Sent ~~23~~ 10 Pence plaster
model photographs to
Mr. Monions - Jersey.
today 4/1/83

Museum

5 pence photos. sent
8/2/83 Revised photo sent 28/2/83
by
50 pence photos sent 17/2/83.

MEMORANDUM

REF.:

FROM:

[EXT.]

DATE:

TO:

267321 MINTLN G

4192390STATES G

16TH FEBRUARY 1983

TO: MARTIN JONES, ROYAL MINT

FROM: R.E. HARRIS, STATES TREASURY, JERSEY.

PLASTER MODELS

PLASTERS APPROVED

£1 CREST OF ST. HELIER
50P GROSNEZ CASTLE
20P CORBIERE LIGHTHOUSE
10P DOLMEN

NOT YET APPROVED

5P SEYMOUR TOWER. *Photos sent 28/2/83*
HAVE SEEN BUT MINOR MODIFICATION REQUIRED AWAITING
PHOTO OF REVISED PLASTER MODEL

1P LE HOCQ TOWER - NOT YET SEEN *Sent on 28/2/83*

2P HERMITAGE - NOT YET SEEN

WOULD BE GRATEFUL FOR COSTINGS ON SCRAP VALUE OF £2 NICKEL
SILVER ASOP AS METAL MARKETS ARE ON THE UP.

KIND REGARDS

ROBIN HARRIS

4192390STATES G

To : MARTIN JONES

267321 MINTLN G

16.2.83

TO: STATES OF JERSEY TREASURY

ATTN: MR ROBIN HARRIS

CAN YOU PLS LET ME HAVE A TLX CONFIRMING THE PLASTERS THAT YOU
APPROVED EITHER DURING THE VISIT TO LLANTRISANT OR PREVIOUS TO
THAT THROUGH PHOTOGRAPHS.

BEST REGARDS
D. MARTIN JONES

267321 MINTLN G
4192390 STATES G

IAN MONINS F.R.N.S.
(Adviser on Coinage to Jersey States Treasury)
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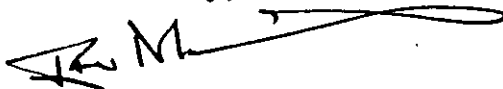
12th January 1983

Dear Mr. Jones,

I have today written to Mr. Elsasser confirming the designs finalised by the Finance and Economics Committee today as follows:-

- 1p - Le Hocq Watch Tower (formerly 10p design)
- 2p - The Hermitage (as illustrated)
- 5p - Seymour Tower (as previously submitted)
- 10p - Dolmen (stone grave)
- 50p - Grosnez Castle Arch.

Yours sincerely,



Ian Monins



1p.

ONE PENNY



2p

BAILIWICK OF JERSEY
TEN PENCE

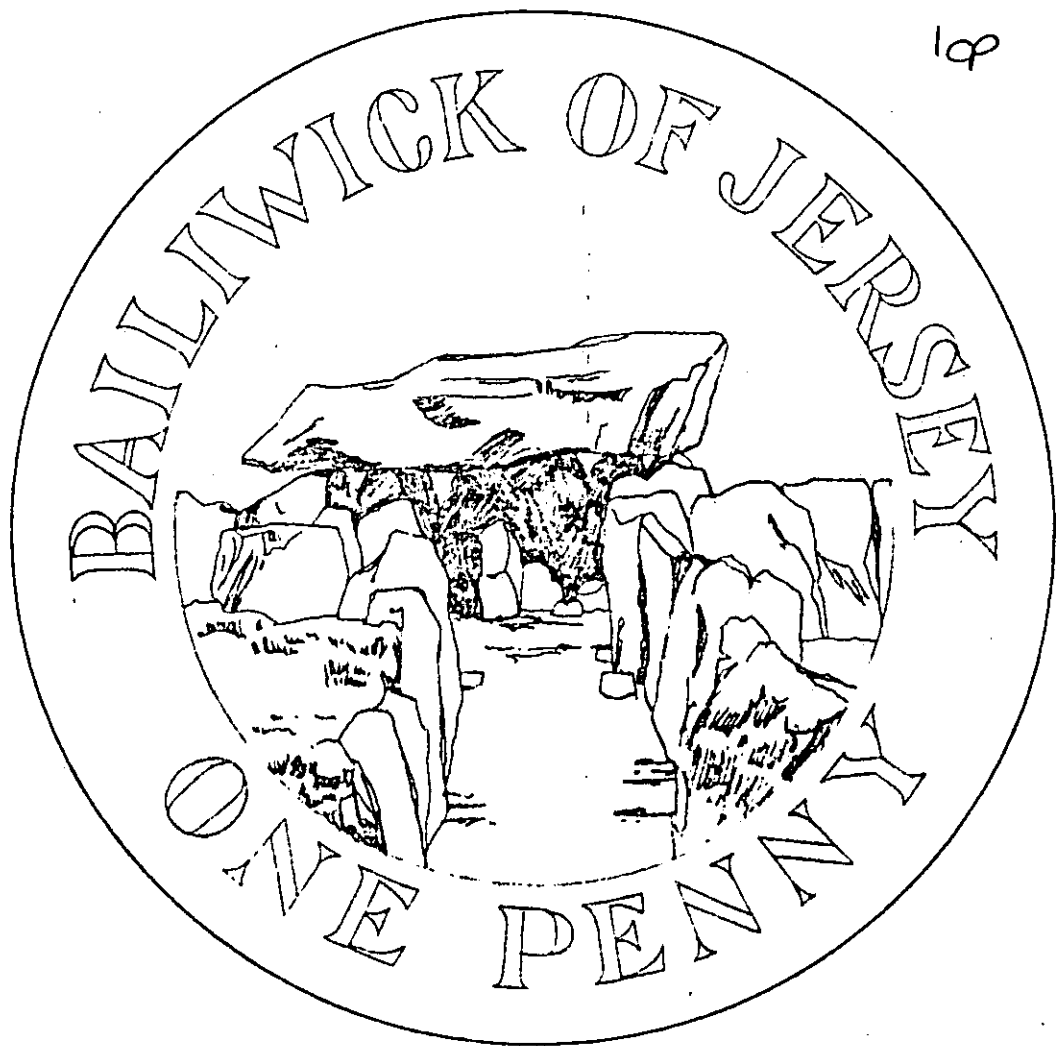


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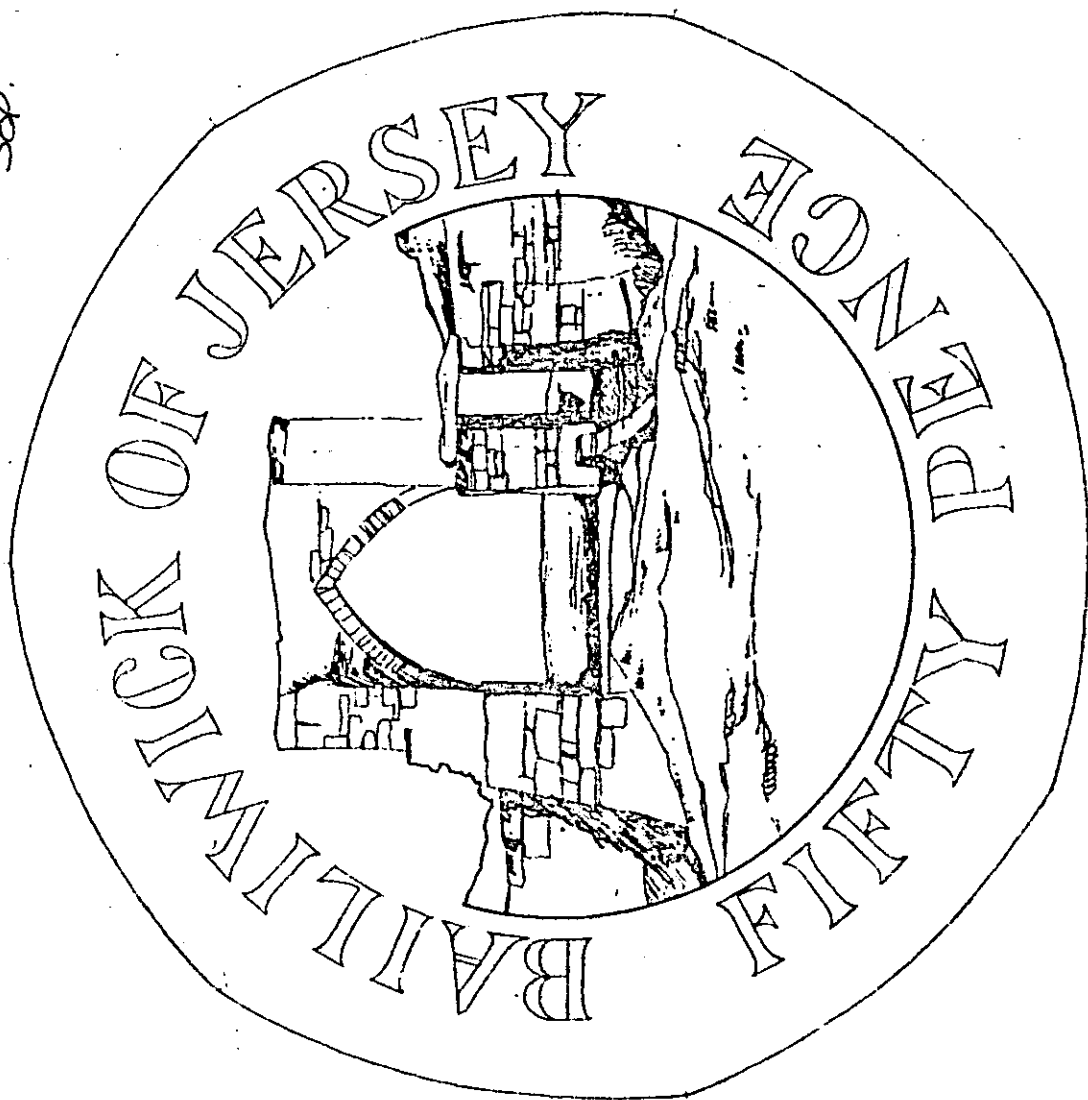
SEYMOUR TOWER

ELIZABETHAN ERA



Ten Pence
2

50c.



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7th January 1983

For the attention of Mrs. Verman

Dear Mrs. Verman,

I was delighted to speak to you on the telephone today and, as requested, please consider this letter as official confirmation of our request for samples of the new f1 Jersey coin. This is required for publicity purposes in connection with the announcement of the issue, as it is much more satisfactory to have an illustration of the actual coin rather than a photograph of the model or the design.

I have discussed this request with Robin Harris of the Jersey States Treasury and I understand that you usually provide about six sample coins for this purpose.

With best wishes for 1983.

Yours sincerely,



Ian Monins

MEMORANDUM

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FROM:

H. T. ALSASSER

TO:

MRS. K. VERMAN

[EXT.]

DATE:

Please note that the following Trial Dies have been sunk.

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DENOMINATION: £ 1

OBVERSE:

REVERSE:

WORKING PUNCH DATED:

Please issue workorder and
ask for samples

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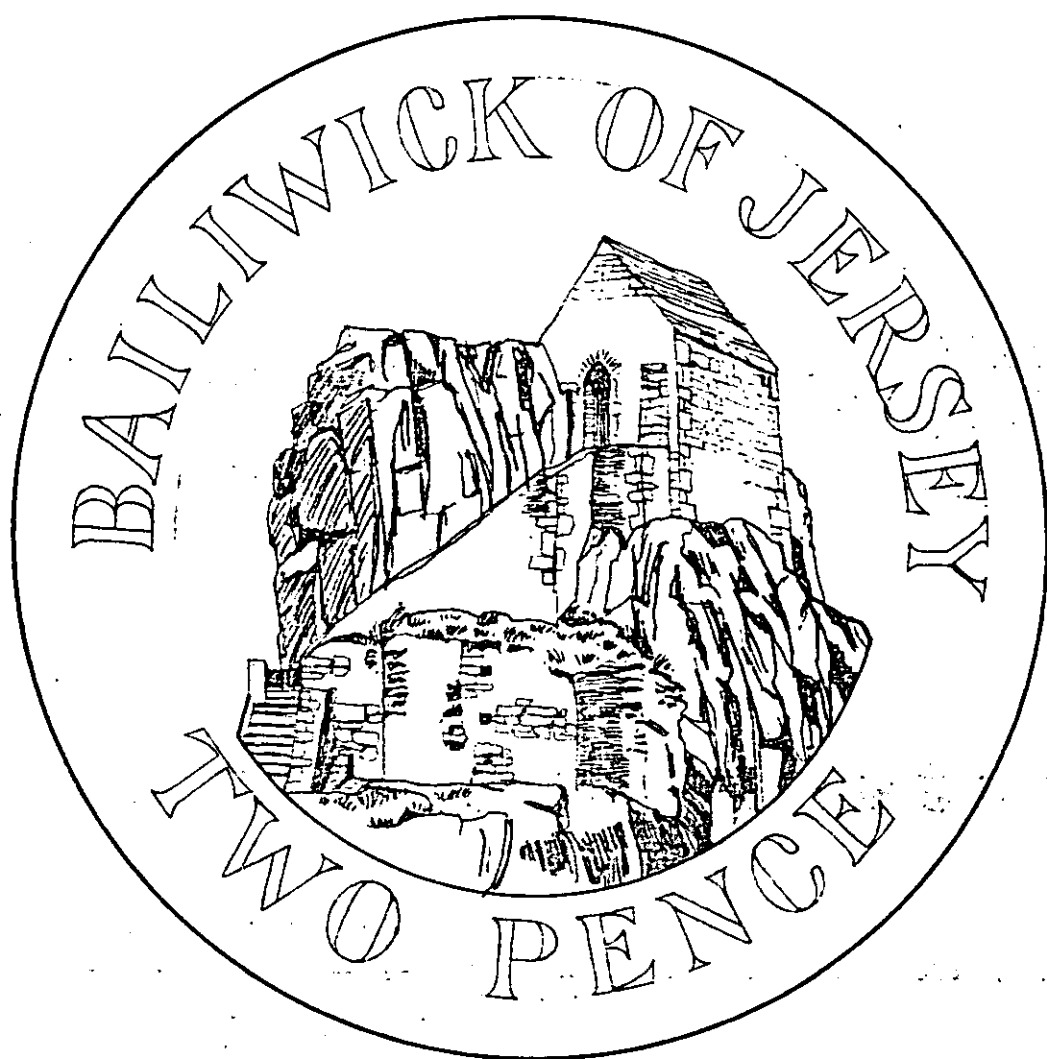
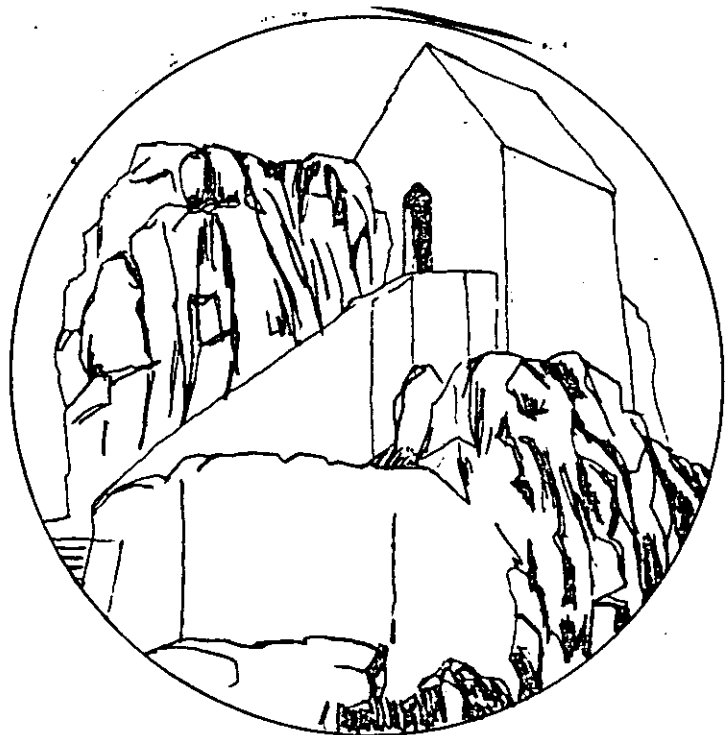
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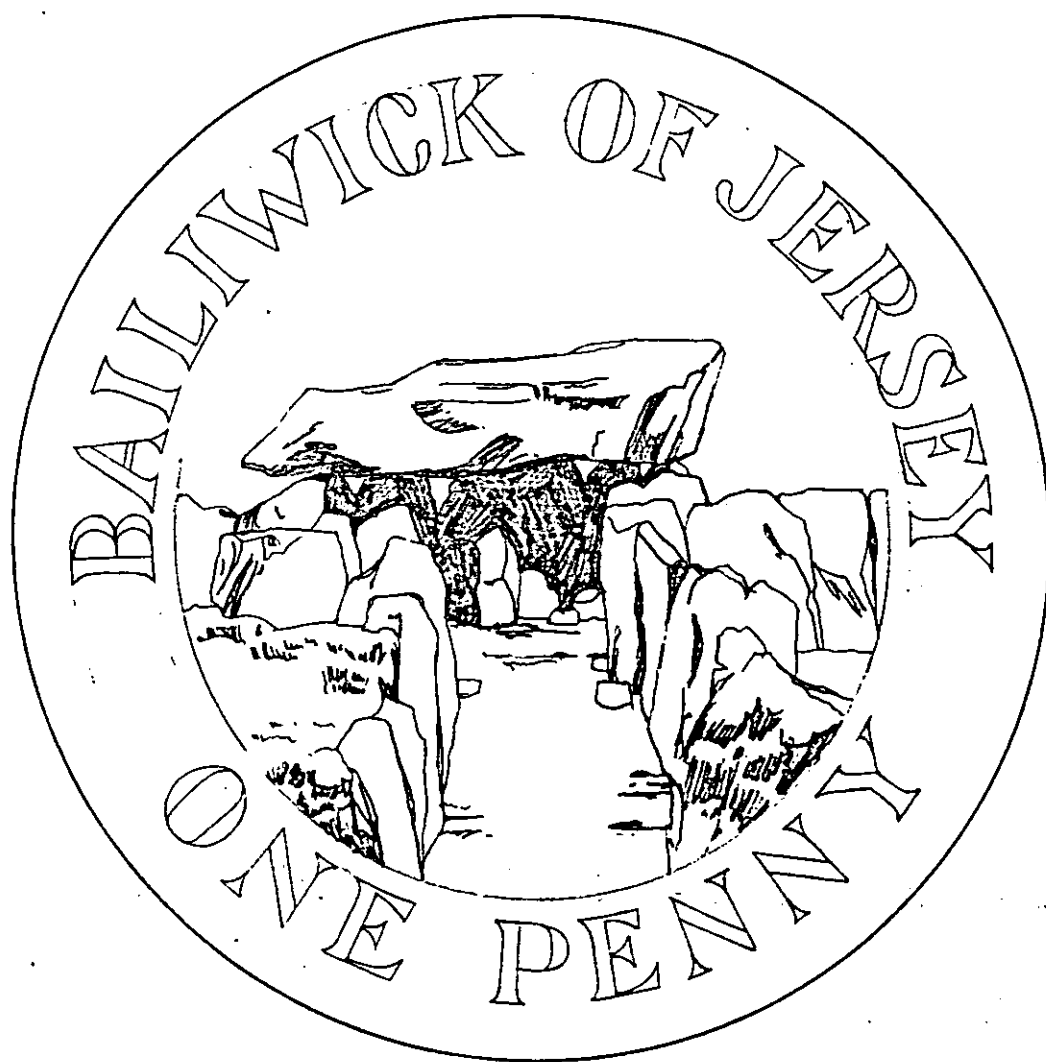
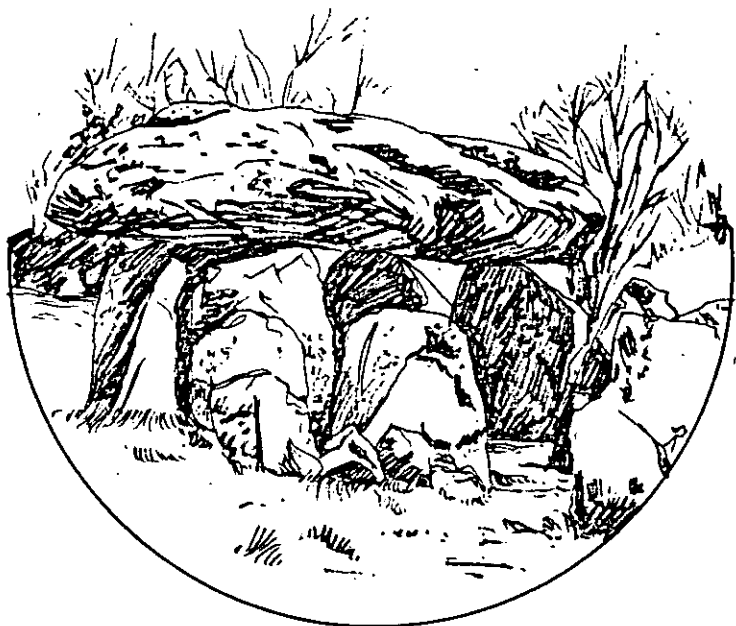
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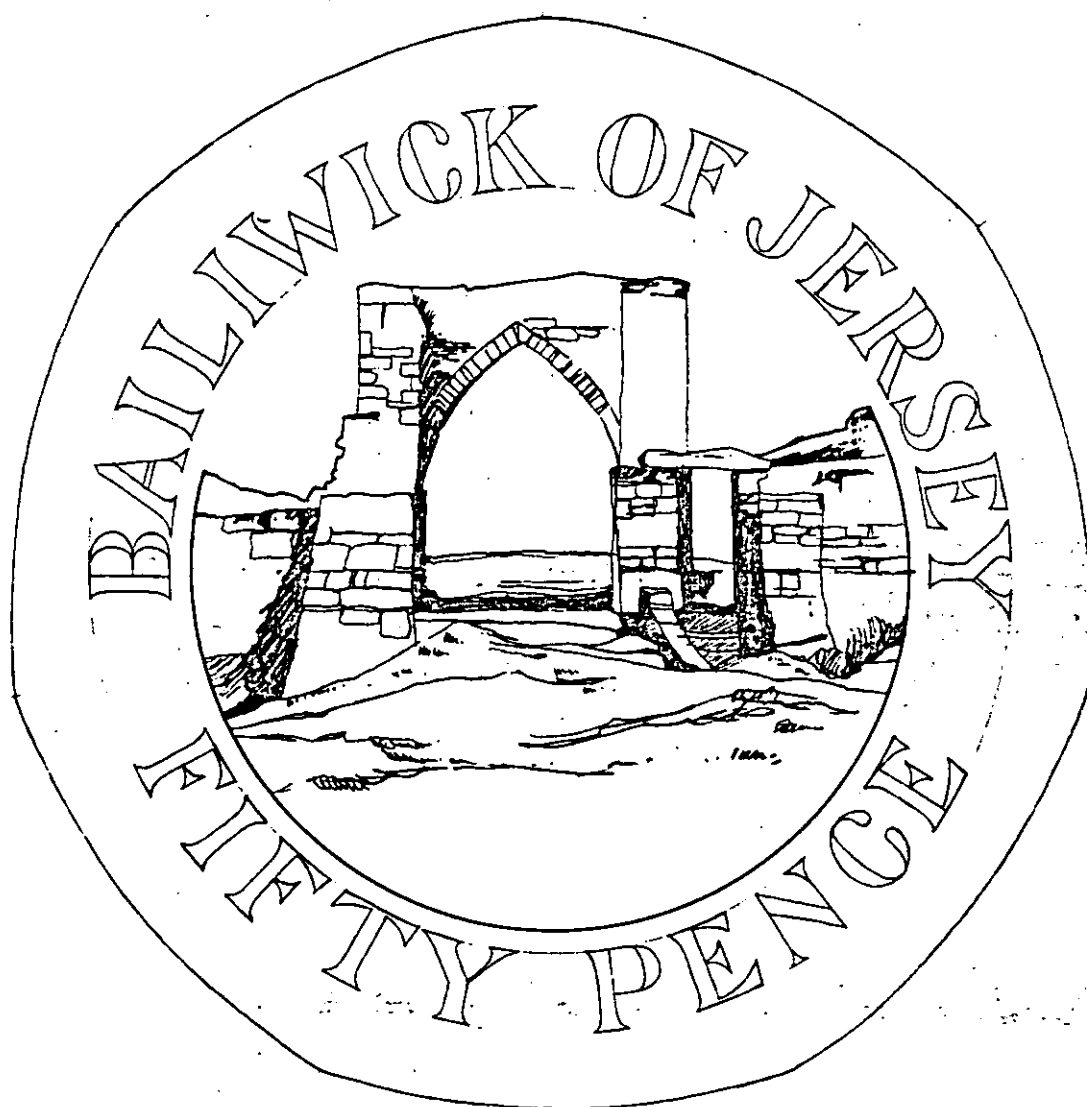
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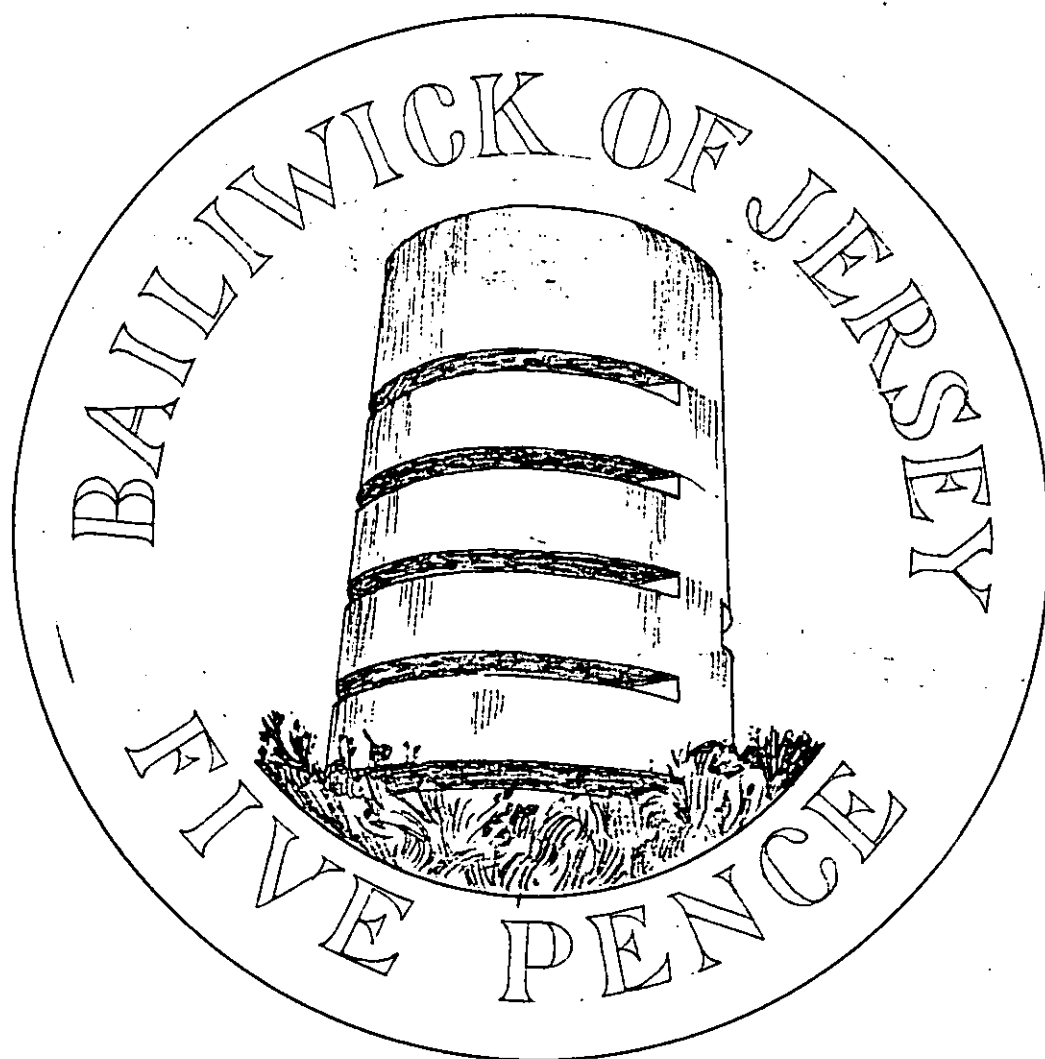
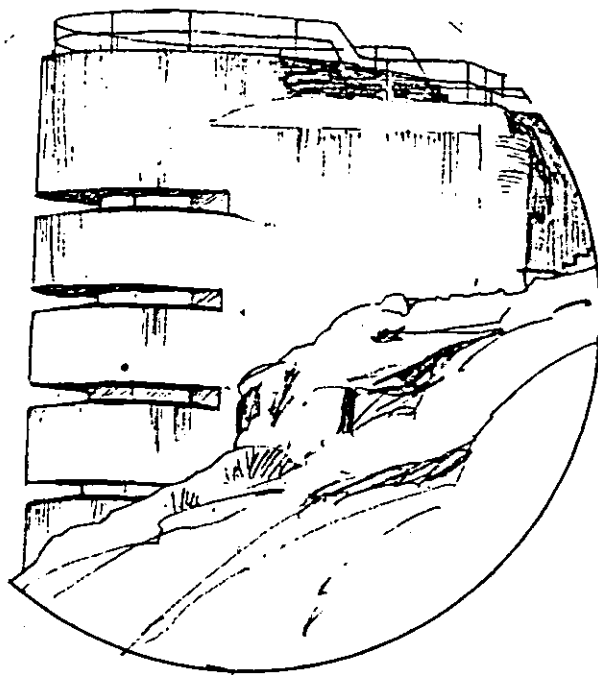
For your file I enclose new design
submitted to Jersey for approval.

H.T. EL











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JERSEY, C.I.
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Copy To Kuz

H.T. Elsasser, Esq.,
Chief Engraver,
Royal Mint,
Llantrisant,
Pontyclun,
Mid Glamorgan,
CF7 8YT

15th November 1982

Dear Mr. Elsasser,

Jersey 1983 Coin Designs

After a meeting with the States Treasurer, Mr. Clennett, at which the suggested designs were gone into in detail, I was requested to ask if you would re-present designs on the following basis, which it was felt would be more favourably received by our Finance and Economics Committee.

The denominations would be £1, 50p, 20p, 10p, 5p, 2p and 1p of which the £1 (Parish Arms) and 20p (Corbiere lighthouse) have been agreed. There would be no halfpenny design required. The remaining five denominations of 50 pence, five pence, two pence and one penny should bear the following subject matter on their reverses:

1. Grosnez Castle
2. Le Hocq Tower
3. German Observation Post
4. The Hermitage
5. A Dolmen

The inclusion of related matter below the main design as recently submitted should be removed. All coins should bear the obverse design which has been agreed for the one pound coin, the simplicity of which is pleasing.

I enclose an outline sheet indicating what is intended although the denominations need not be those illustrated to the coin size.

It was felt that perhaps a different view of the dolmen might be more easily recognisable.

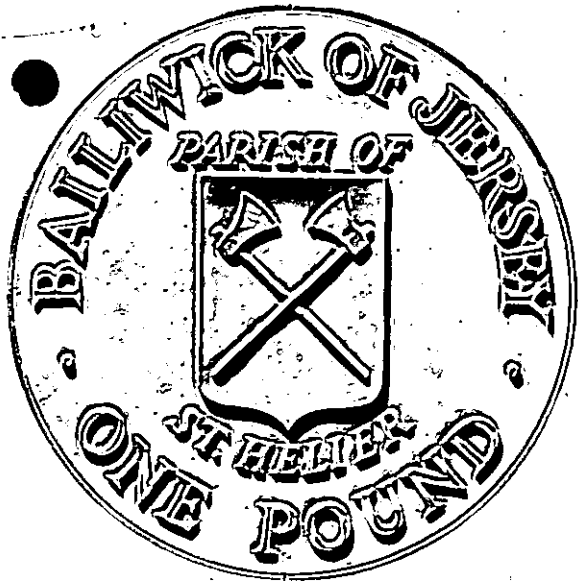
The Hermitage and the German observation tower are new ideas and you may require further illustrations to help with the designs in which case please let me know.

Your idea of assigning the designer of the 20p Corbiere lighthouse to this project to ensure continuity of approach was thought an excellent suggestion and it would be much appreciated if this could be done.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Ian Monins', with a long horizontal stroke extending to the right.

Ian Monins





ROYAL MINT

Llantrisant Pontyclun Mid Glamorgan CF7 8YT

Telex 49353

Telephone Llantrisant 222111
STD Code 0443

Your reference

Mint reference

Date : 3/11/82.

FROM. ENGRAVING DEPT.

Find enclosed photographed copies
of recently finished Jersey. £1 REV.
Plaster. Copies have also been sent
to MR. MORRIS in Jersey. for his
approval.

R. Lowe.

H. I. ELSÄSSER

TO MR. M. JONES

NEW COINAGE FOR JERSEY

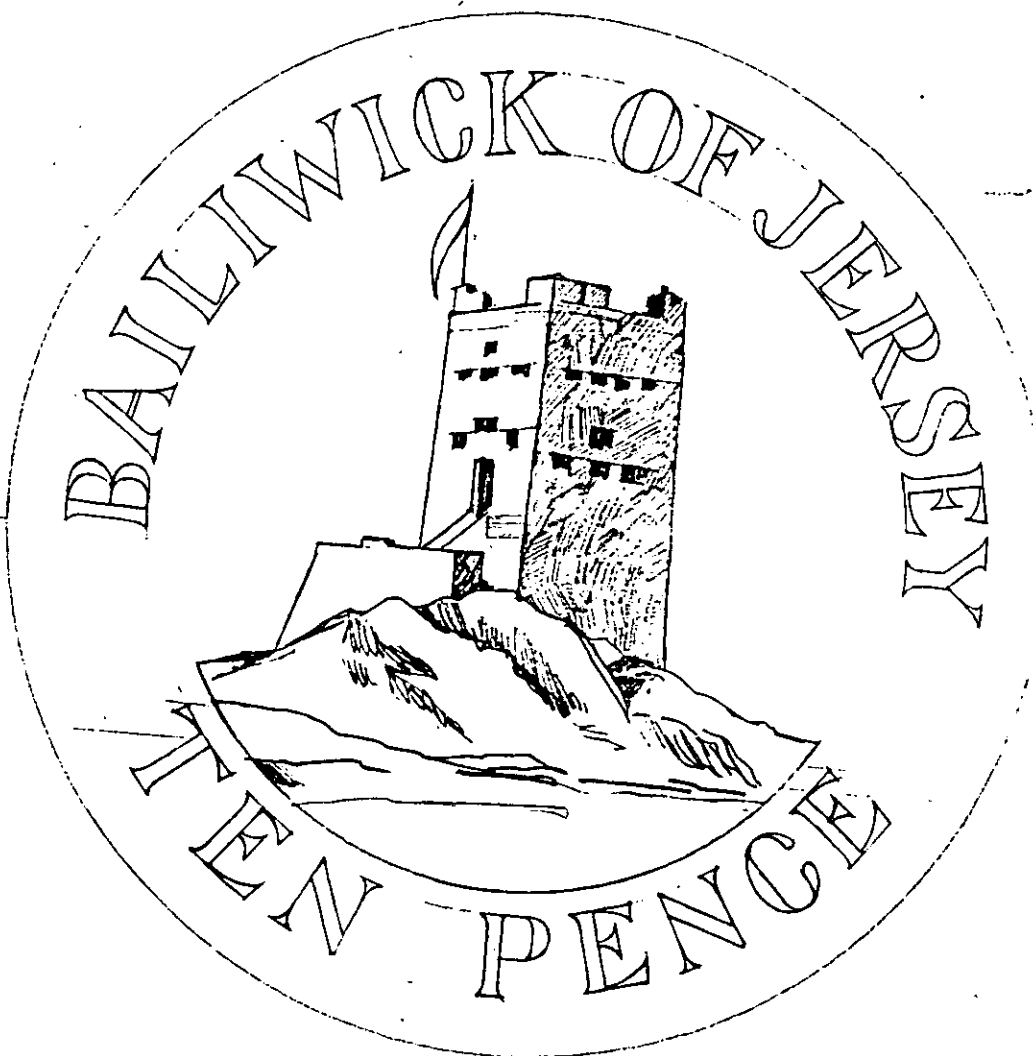
6 Copies of each have been send
To Mr. I. Monins in Jersey, for him
To circulate to his Committee.

He has asked us to cover the entire
history of Jersey, which we have done.

All sketches are identical in size, therefore
all designs are interchangeable.

regards
Habit.

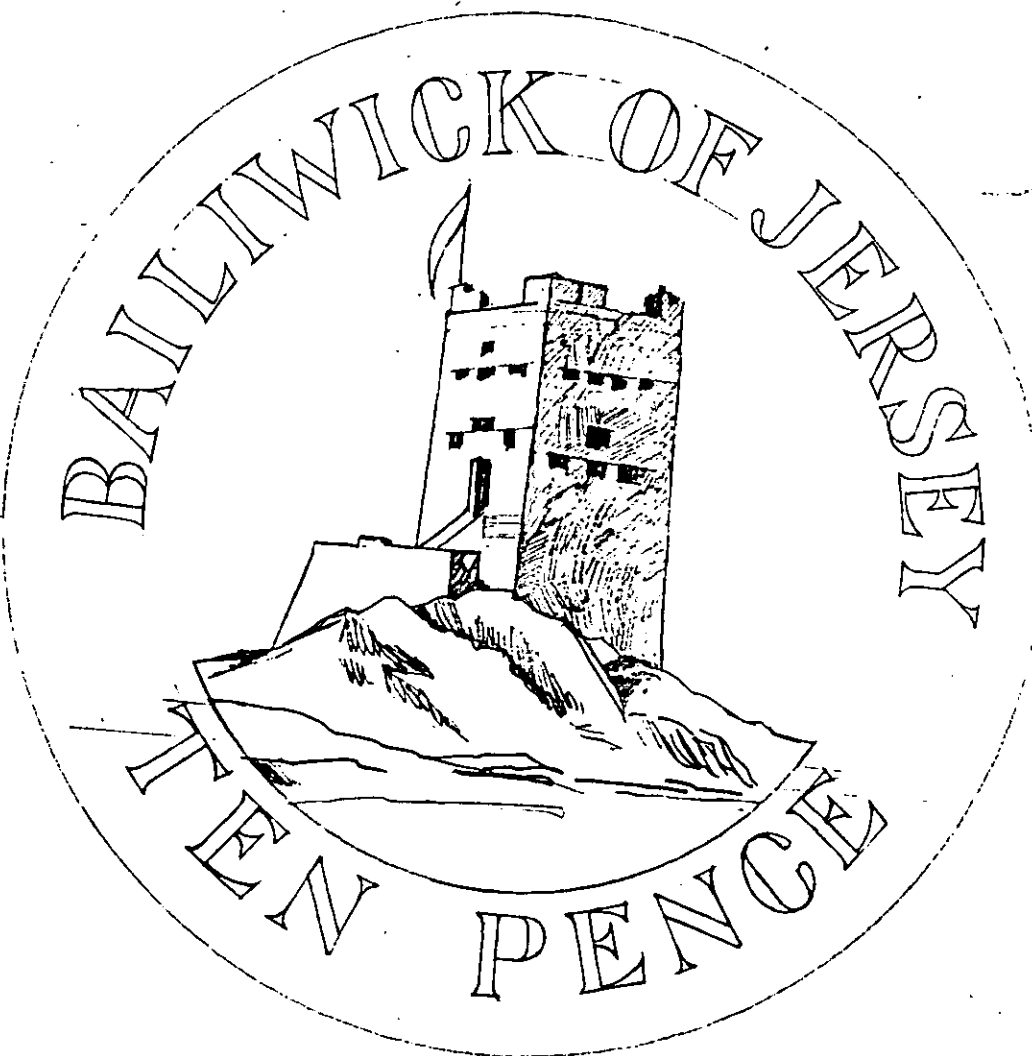
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SEYMOUR TOWER
ELIZABETHAN ERA.

DRWG. N.
MATERIAL
TOLERAN

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SEYMOUR TOWER
ELIZABETHAN ERA

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TOLERAN

LE HOCQ-TOWER

NAPOLÉONIC. ERA.

1781

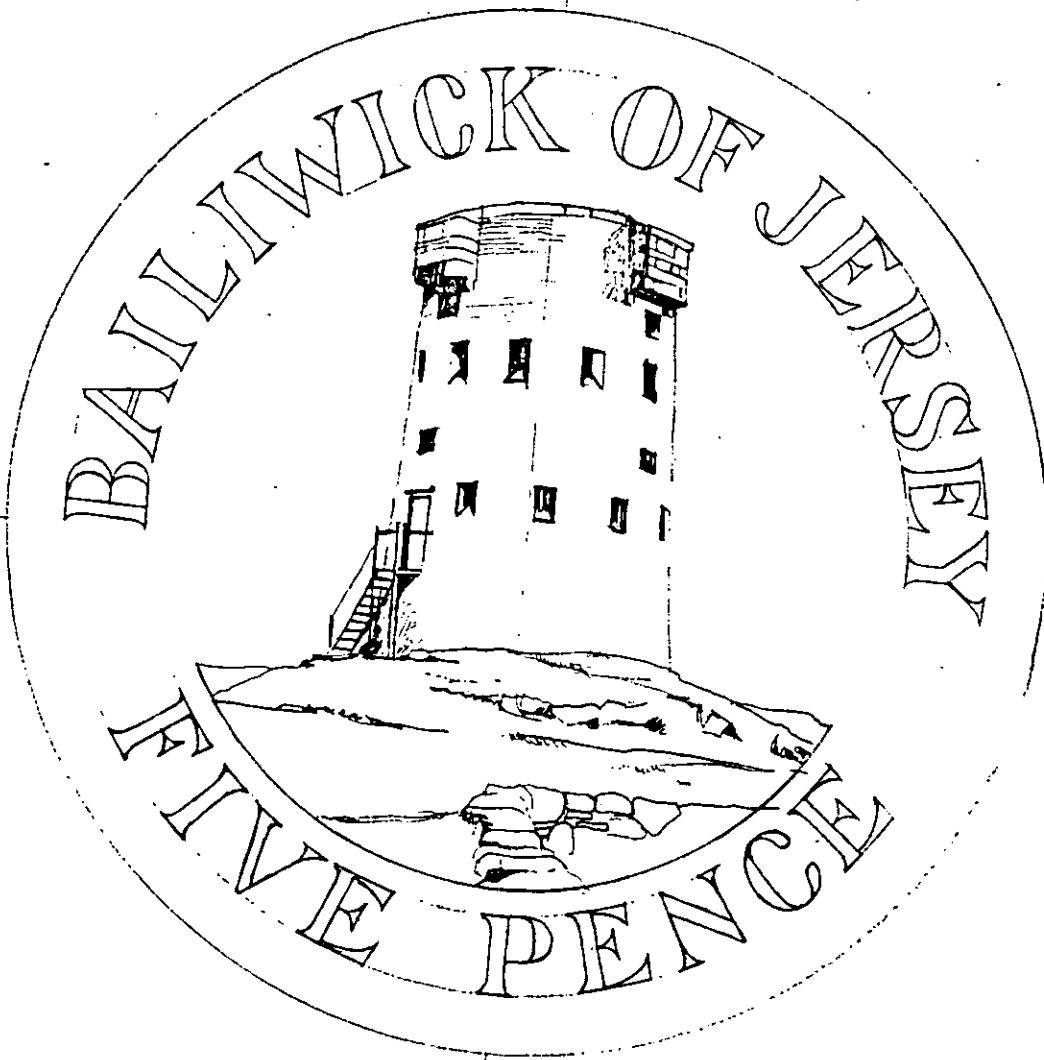


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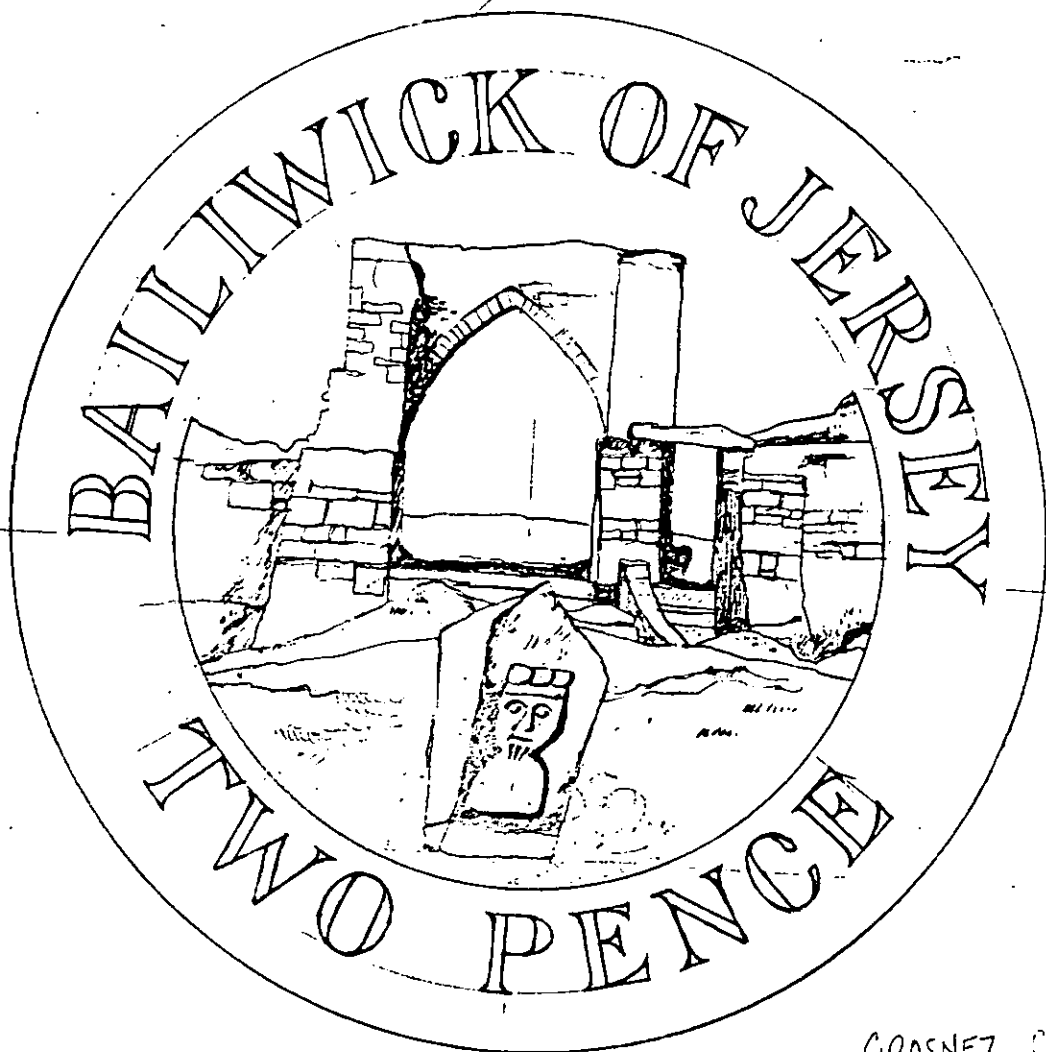
LE HOCQ-TOWER

NAPOLÉONIC. ERA.

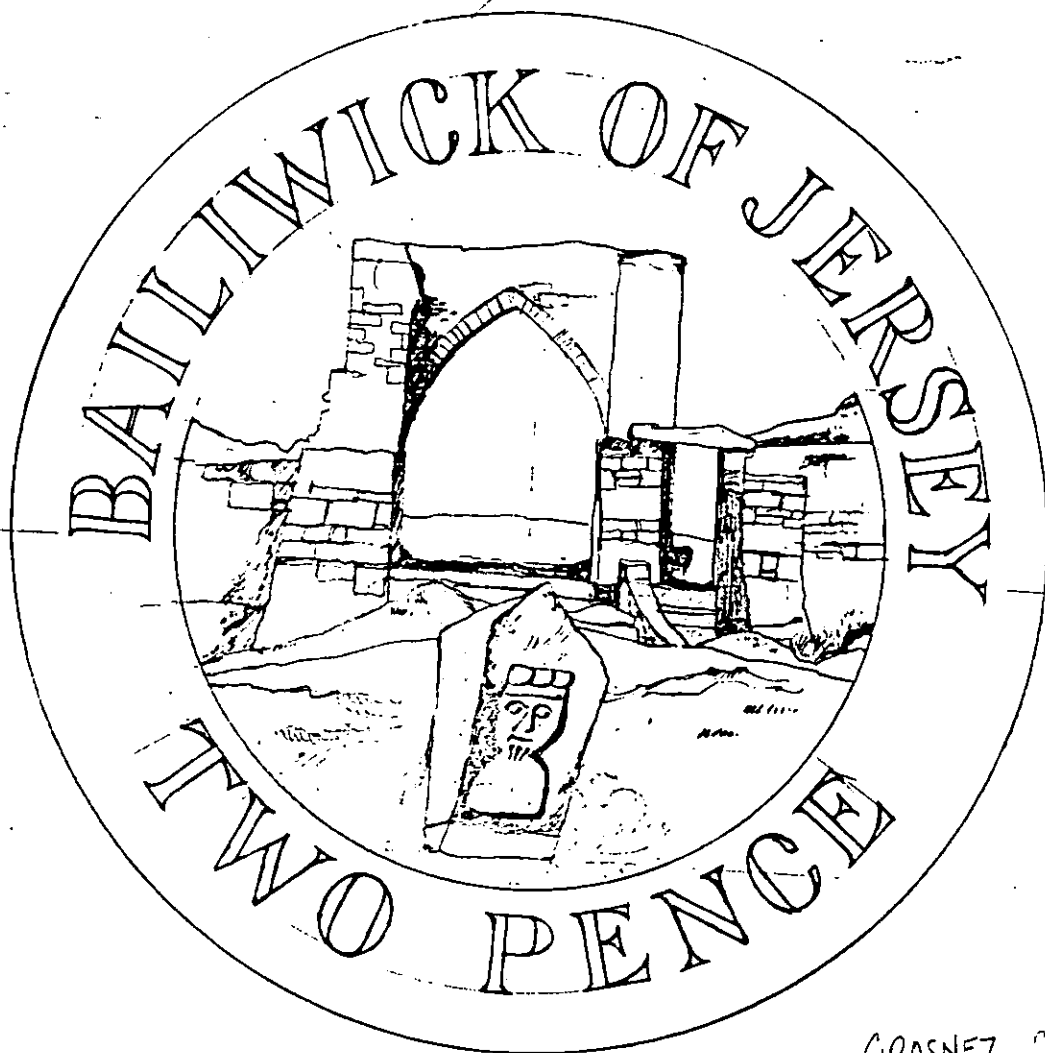
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5P



GROSNEZ CASTLE.
Representing MEDIEVAL
PERIOD.



GROSNEZ CASTLE.
Representing MEDIEVAL
PERIOD.

5.3/20

REFERENCE:

DATE:

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PREHISTORIC
representing
Archaeologically
important site.

LA HOUQUE. BIE
NEOLITHIC TOMB. (PLAN)

5.3/20

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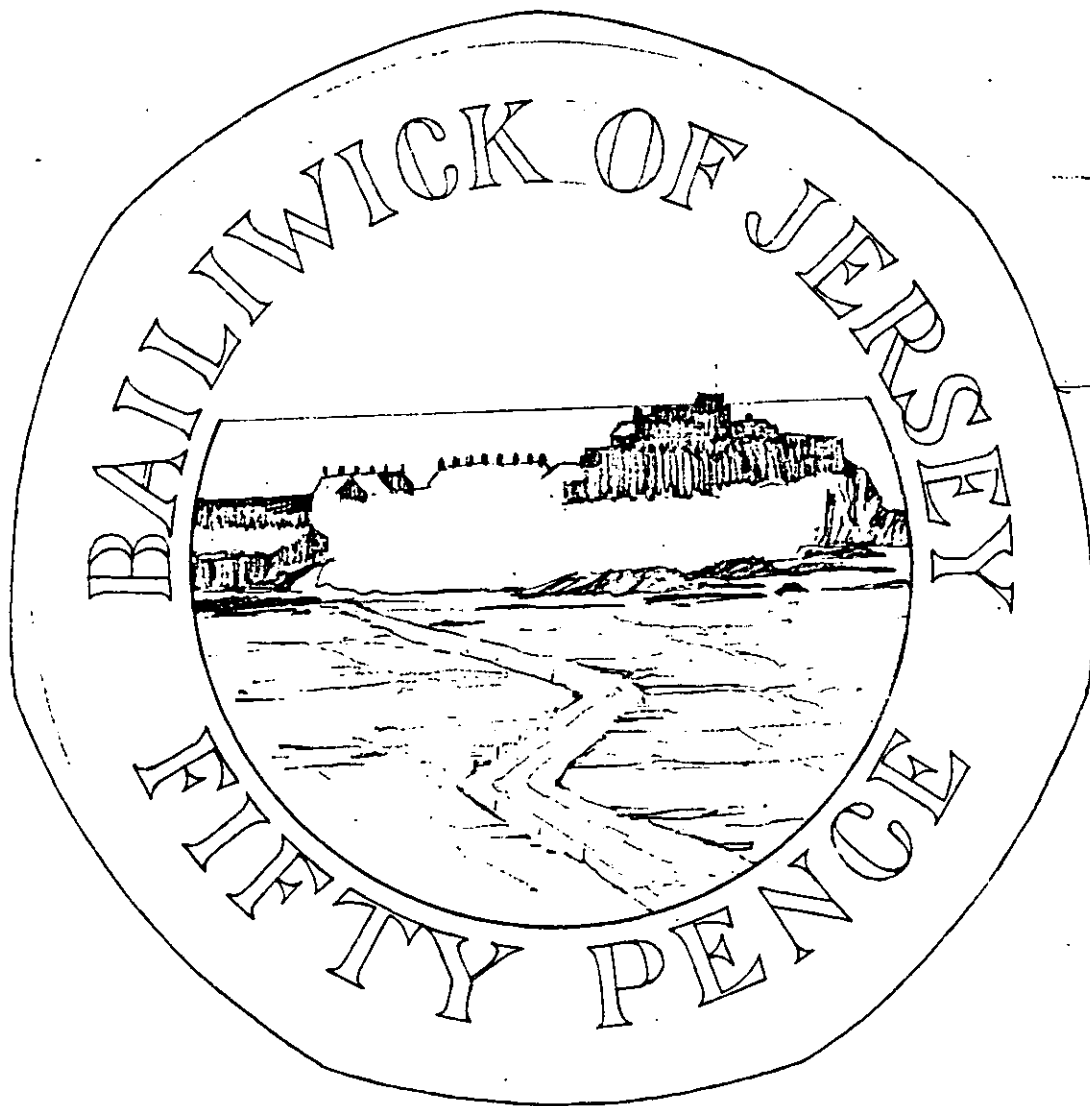


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LA HOUCQUE BIE
NEOLITHIC TOMB. (PLAIN)







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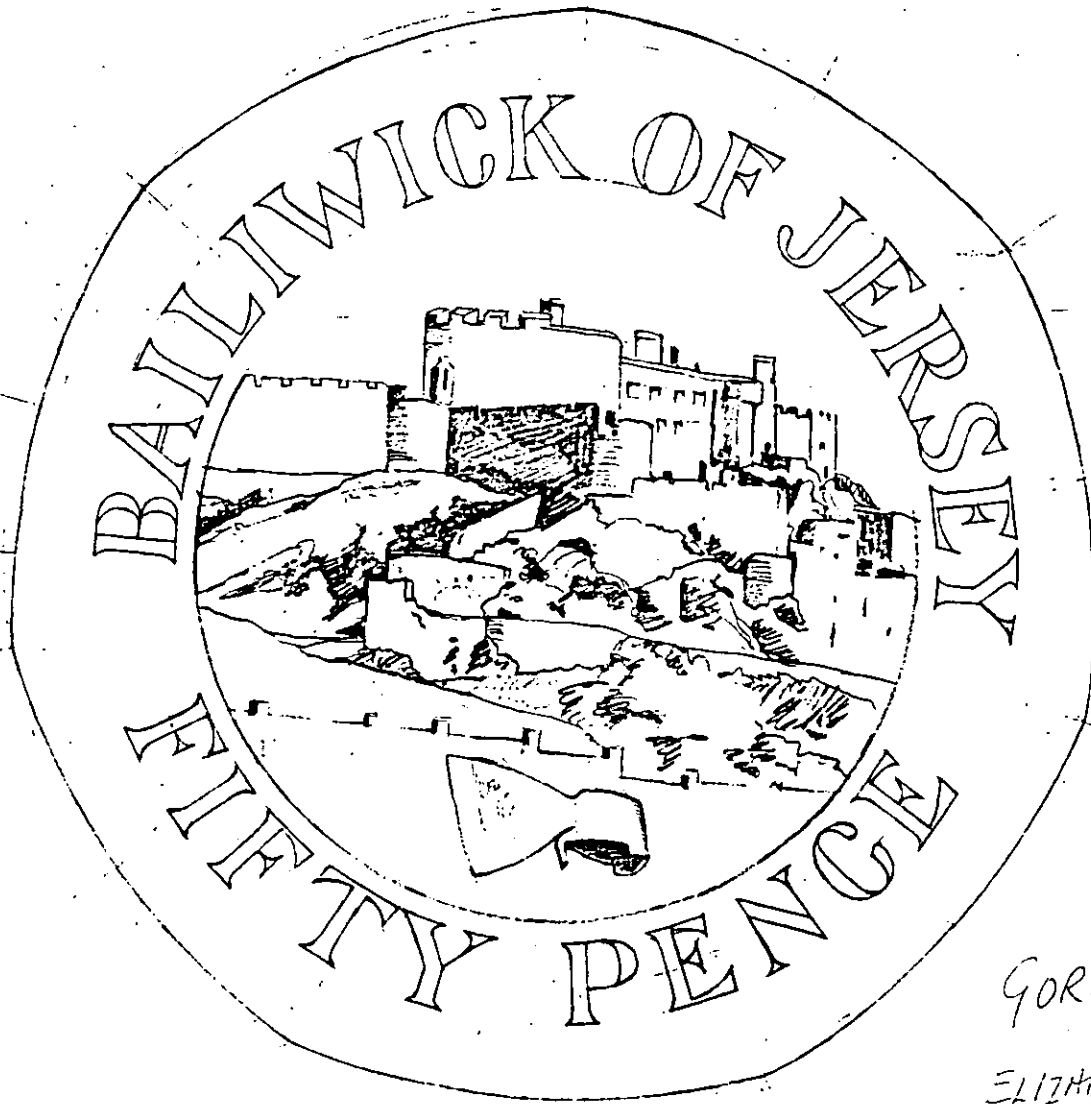
An aerial view would be more + better knowledge of the
 advantage to make a better design causeway.
 within the coin still showing the
 causeway as important feature

ELIZABETH CASTLE



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ELIZABETH CASTLE



GOREY CASTLE

ELIZABETHAN CASTLE

inset feature to do with period
or a feature to be viewed more closely from
castle itself eg. carved stone, wood. that would
be recognisable as belonging to said building.



GOREY CASTLE.

ELIZABETHAN CASTLE

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States Treasury

CYRIL LE MARQUAND HOUSE

P.O. Box No. 353
The Parade, St. Helier, Jersey.
Telephone: (0534) 79111 Ext..... Telex: 4192390.STATES
J. Clennett, F.C.A., A.C.M.A.
Treasurer of the States.



Martin Jones Esq
Royal Mint
7 Grosvenor Gardens
LONDON
SW1W 0BH

Your Ref :

Our Ref : REH/JEM A/T 8

Date 20th October 1982

Dear Mr Jones

I have recently received a letter from Alan Lotherington informing me that John Kelly has been transferred to another sales area and that you have taken his place.

May I take this opportunity to welcome you. I am sure that we will work well together. I don't know whether you intend to travel to your territories in the near future but I am always willing to extend an invitation at any time.

I am responsible to the States Treasurer for coinage issues but we employ a part-time coinage adviser, Mr Ian Monins, who works from his home (telephone 0534 61618) and he undoubtedly will be in contact with you from time to time.

At present we are trying to clear designs for our £1 coin with our Finance and Economics Committee and hope to be in a position to order within the next week. We are also going to alter the designs of all our coins for 1983 and the Chief Engraver at Llantrisant is currently working on suitable designs for us. There is a need to have these as soon as possible and Ian Monins is in touch with Mr Elsasser about this.

Please do not hesitate to contact me should you have any queries regarding any outstanding matters.

Yours sincerely

R E Harris

R E HARRIS
Principal Accountant



Royal Mint copy

Llantrisant, Pontyclun, Mid Glamorgan CF7 8YT. Telex 498353 Telephone Llantrisant (0443) 222111

Mr I Monins
Homeland
St. John
Jersey, C.I.

H T Elsasser
Chief Engraver

4th October 1982

Dear Mr Monins,

Thank you for your excellent set of stamps which will be of great assistance to us.

We have prepared a new sketch for your approval, with the asked for amendments. I feel the Reverse is now much cleaner and the Queen's Effigy on the Obverse is now significantly smaller in relationship to our UK £1 coin.

Actual photographs of our UK coin plus coinsized reductions of your sketches are enclosed for easier comparison.

May I draw your attention to the question of the edge inscription, for production purposes I would like the number of letters to be no greater than twenty.

Perhaps it is of some help to you to know that the UK inscription reads as follows DECUS ET TUTAMEN, Guernsey has selected BAILIWICK OF GUERNSEY.

Yours sincerely,

H T Elsasser



H.T.



REVISED
30.9.82





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Mr Ian Monins F.R.N.S.
Homelands
St. John
Jersey C.I.

Copy to Mr M Jones

21st October, 1982.

Dear Mr Monins,

I enclose actual photographs of your One Pound Obverse model, and hope it will meet with your approval.

We have also made coin-size reductions to give you a better idea.

The new reverse designs are being worked on now and should follow fairly soon.

Yours sincerely,

H T Elsasser
Chief Engraver



HOMELAND,
ST. JOHN,
JERSEY, C.I.
Telephone 61618

H. Elsasser, Esq.,
Chief Engraver,
Royal Mint,
Llantrisant,
Wales

24th September 1982

Dear Mr. Elsasser,

I have now had the initial comments of the Treasurer on the draft design of the one pound coin which will be put before the Finance and Economics Committee.

He would appreciate it if the design could be modified as follows, before submission to the Committee for this valid reason. A stranger would not understand why a shield was entitled St. Mary. So -

- A) "Parish Of" should appear above the shield
- B) The Parish name should replace the date below the shield
- C) The date should be placed below the effigy on the obverse.

I attach an amended sketch (with apologies for the proportions) where I have substituted St. Lawrence' for the Parish name to indicate the advantage of this positioning when dealing with a greater number of letters.

It would also be appreciated if a coin sized sketch of the design with a comparison with the forthcoming U.K. coin could be presented so that the differences can be judged from a coin sorting aspect.

Yours sincerely,

Ian Monins



6.9.82

IAN MONINS F.R.N.S.
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HOMELAND,
ST. JOHN,
JERSEY, C.I.
Telephone 61618

John Kelly, Esq.,
Royal Mint,
7 Grosvenor Gardens,
London,
SW1W OBH

20th September 1982

Dear John,

Thank you for your letter enclosing the sketch of the Jersey £1 coin. I attach a copy of a letter I have sent to Mr. Elsasser for your information. The reduced effigy and the treatment of the legend should result in a distinctive difference and a coin size comparison would be useful.

Yours sincerely,

Ian Monins

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H. Elsasser, Esq.,
Chief Engraver,
Royal Mint,
Llantrisant,
Wales

20th September 1982

Dear Mr. Elsasser,

I greatly enjoyed our telephone conversation and believe that the new Jersey coinage designs will be seen as a definite step forward.

The One Pound Coin. The 'Arms' of the twelve parishes, although today accepted throughout the Island as indicative of each parish, have no historical provenance. They were designed in the early 1920s by A.G. Wright, an art master at Victoria College, Jersey and Major N.V.L. Rybot, DSO, FSA, Hon. Secretary of Societe Jersiaise and an heraldic authority, and the impetus for the work was to embellish the loyal address of welcome to be presented to their Majesties King George V and Queen Mary on their visit to the Island. I enclose a description of the various arms and postage stamps which afford the best coloured illustration of them.

The order of issue of the Parishes might produce local dissention so it would be advisable to suggest an order based upon a known factor. The historic dating of the Parish churches is suspect, besides giving the same date for several Parishes, and I think should be ignored. The following lists give their respective relationship by size and by population and alphabetically.

<u>Size</u>		<u>Population - Census 1981</u>		<u>Alphabetical</u>
St. Ouen	8,341 verges	St. Helier	25,698	St. Brelade
St. Brelade	7,103 verges	St. Saviour	11,020	St. Clement
Trinity	6,817 verges	St. Brelade	9,034	Grouville
St. Peter	6,469 verges	St. Clement	7,053	St. Helier
St. Martin	5,524 verges	St. Lawrence	4,071	St. John
St. Lawrence	5,258 verges	St. Peter	3,893	St. Lawrence
St. Saviour	5,166 verges	Grouville	3,390	St. Martin
St. John	4,846 verges	St. Martin	3,245	St. Mary
St. Helier	4,781 verges	St. Ouen	2,998	St. Ouen
Grouville	4,354 verges	Trinity	2,265	St. Peter
St. Mary	3,604 verges	St. John	2,098	St. Saviour
St. Clement	<u>2,349 verges</u>	St. Mary	<u>1,285</u>	Trinity
	64,612 verges		76,050	

(2¼ verges = 1 acre)

64612 verges = 28,716 acres or 45 square miles)

The order of issue by size of population or alphabetically are probably the least contentious, but the population progression does put Grouville and St. Martin, whose arms are very similar, next to each other.

Obverse: The reduced effigy and the bold legend surround produce a distinct visual difference which should be sufficient to overcome any outsorting problems experienced by the clearing banks.

Reverse: The standardising of the shield so that only the shield interior, the date and the Parish name need be changed annually is a good idea. One thought, however, in view of the differing number of letters in the Parish names, e.g. St. Lawrence, might this be more readily dealt with by having the Parish name under the shield where it could follow the natural curvature if necessary?

Date: The date could be on either the reverse or on the obverse under the effigy where a space has been left, the controlling factor being the design balance if the length of the Parish name does indeed present problems.

I shall be discussing the security edge inscription with others and will let you know the chosen words as soon as possible. I have two suggestions. A) CAESAREA INSULA because this is the latin name popularly ascribed to Jersey and has a numismatic precedent from the coinage of New Jersey, U.S.A. bearing 'Nova Caesarea', or B) PAX MISSA PER ORBEM (Peace throughout the world) which is an inscription previously used on coins.

1982 Coinage Designs. I would like to present the whole of the new coinage designs to our Finance Committee at the same time as the one pound so that they can appreciate the overall theme of coinage which has started with the depiction of Corbiere Lighthouse on the 1982 twenty pence coin.

John Kelly has asked if I have any views on which denominations should be associated with which design. I have no decided views, but if it is of any help, perhaps the following might be of use, taken in conjunction with the comments

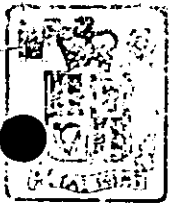
previously made i.e. La Hougue Bie should emphasise the mound.
The Committee should be given a choice of designs wherever possible.

£1	Parish Arms
50p	Le Hocq Watch Tower (alternative Seymour Tower)
20p	Corbiere Lighthouse
10p	Elizabeth Castle (alternative Mont Orgueil/ Gorey Castle)
5p	La Hougue Bie (alternative The Pinnacle)
2p	Grosnez Castle Gateway (alternative Jersey Arch)
1p	The Hermitage (alternative La Collette Power Station)

Yours sincerely,

Ian Monins





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15th September, 1982

Mr. I. Monin,
Homeland,
St. John,
Jersey,
CHANNEL ISLANDS.

Dear Ian,

I enclose a sketch prepared by Hubert showing the proposed obverse and reverse of your £1 coin. Hubert has assumed that you wish to adopt the policy of using the shields of each of the Parishes of Jersey and to commence with St. Mary's. Should this not be the case, I would be grateful if you could advise me further.

With regard to the obverse, he has prepared a design showing his proposal to position the words "Queen Elizabeth II" around the Machin effigy. If this is acceptable I will arrange for the design to be photographed and reduced to coin size to give you a better idea of the comparison between that design and the United Kingdom design. Can you please also advise if you have any specific views on which denominations should be associated with which design for your other coinage so that we may brief an artist to prepare final versions of your designs.

Yours sincerely,

John Kelly
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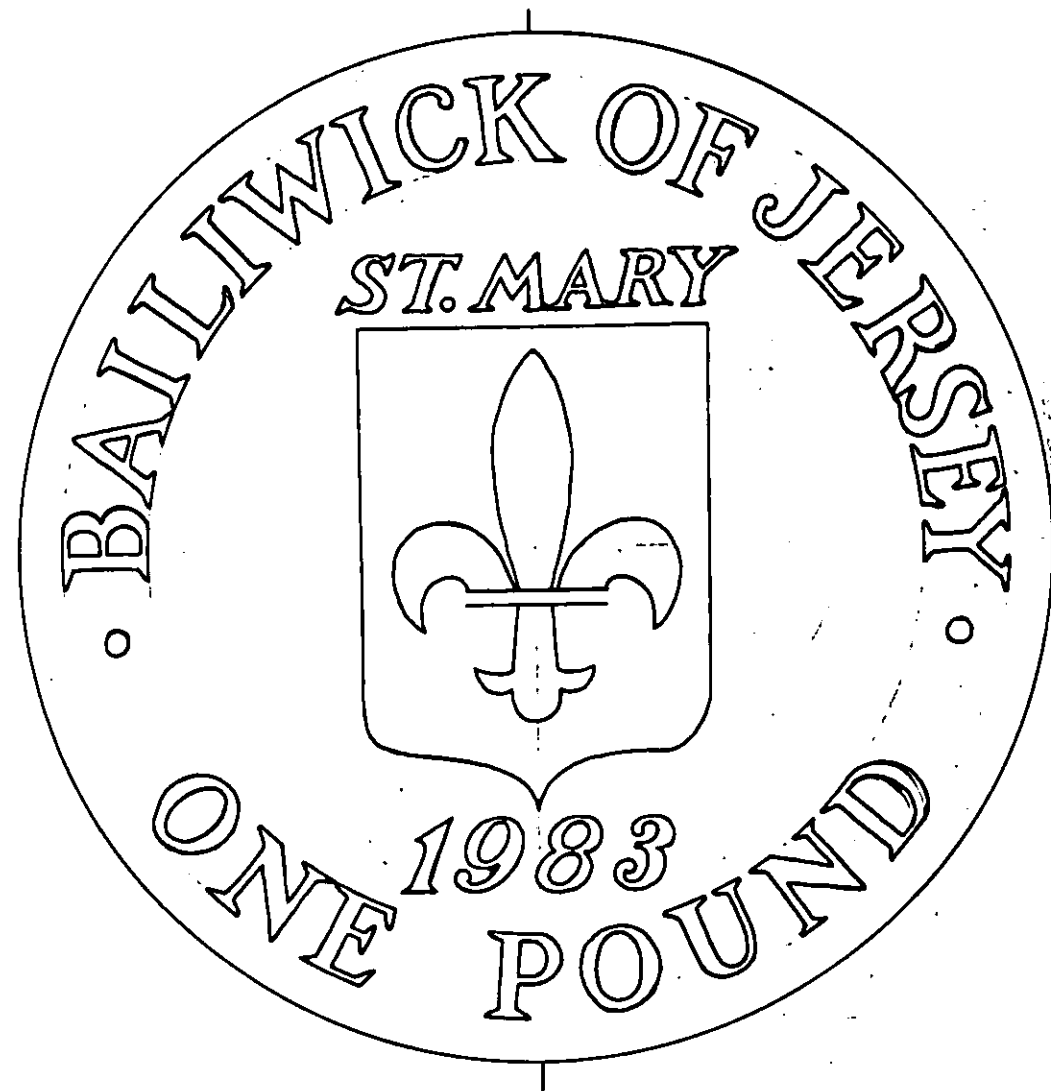
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*P.S. copy of your letter to Hubert received
which answers some of above.*

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MEMORANDUM

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FROM: H T Elsasser

TO:

Mr J Kelly

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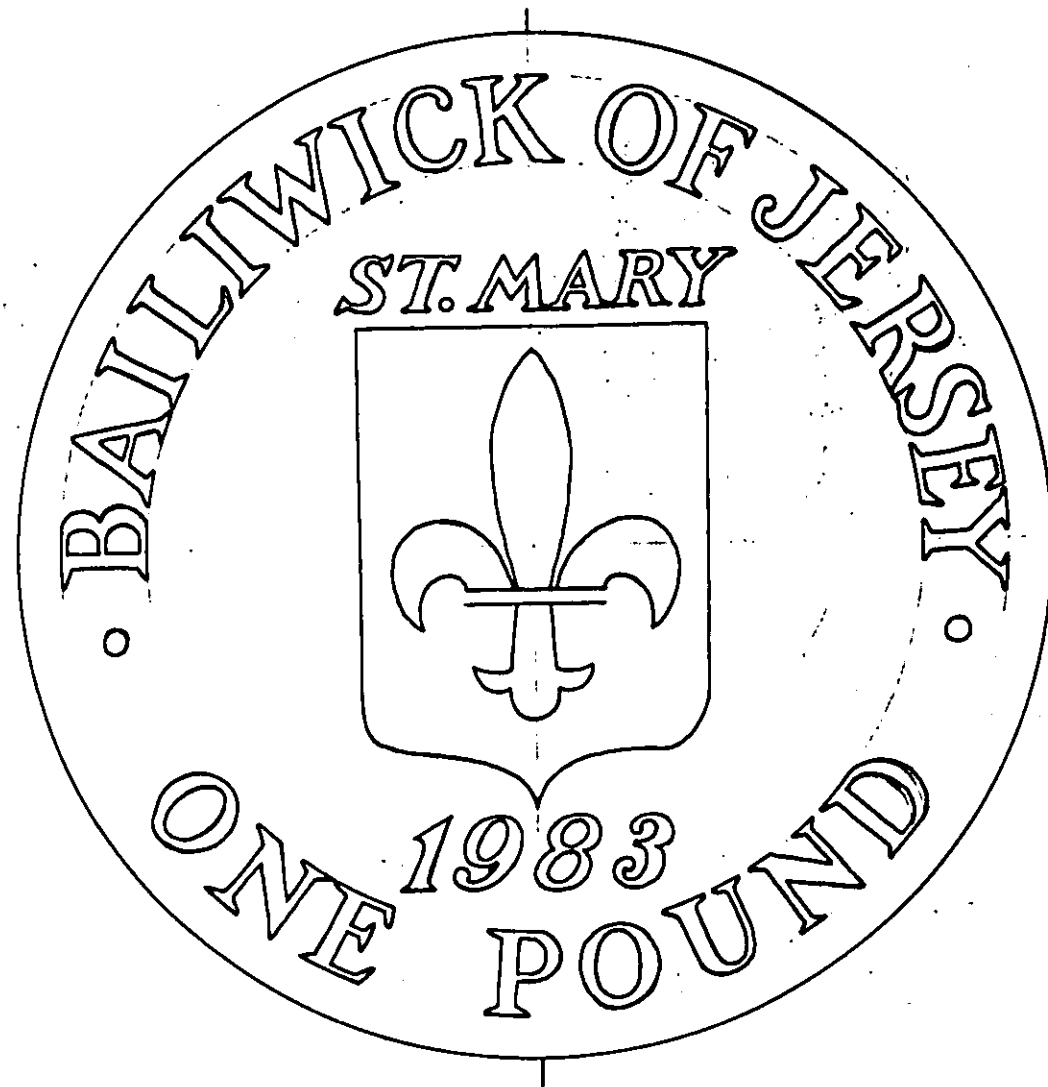
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JERSEY £1 COIN

Enclosed are our proposed new layouts for Jersey £1 coin. Would appreciate Jersey's comments as soon as possible.

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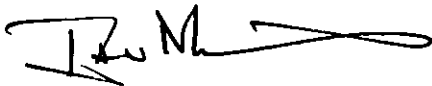
13th September 1982

Dear Mr. Elsasser,

John Kelly has asked me to write to you again about the proposed new designs for Jersey coinage. To refresh your memory, I enclose a carbon copy of my previous letter. Now that Corbiere Lighthouse has been used for our 20 pence coin, it has set the theme for the revised issue. Regarding the original designs (copies enclosed), the granite arch now appears out of keeping and La Hougue Bie as depicted on the 1 penny coin unrepresentative of the site's importance (see notes). The Parish crests for the new fl coin to U.K. specifications would seem to be most suitable now that the Year of the Boy Scouts is over. The order of issue might best be begun with the St. Helier crest.

If there is any further information that I can supply to help in producing a choice of designs to place before the Finance Committee, please let me know.

Yours sincerely,



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c.c. John Kelly

H. Elsasser, Esq.,
Chief Engraver,
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Dear Mr. Elsasser,

New Reverse Jersey Designs

John Kelly will doubtless have told you that our Finance Committee choose the Corbiere Lighthouse preliminary design for the reverse of the forthcoming 20p coin. This lighthouse, one of the first to be built of concrete, is erected on a rock which is connected by a causeway with the shore at half tide. At high tide the rock becomes an islet. I have enclosed photographs of the lighthouse, because, although there is a flag mast on one side, I cannot see where the circlet by the lighthouse window, as shown on your design, occurs.

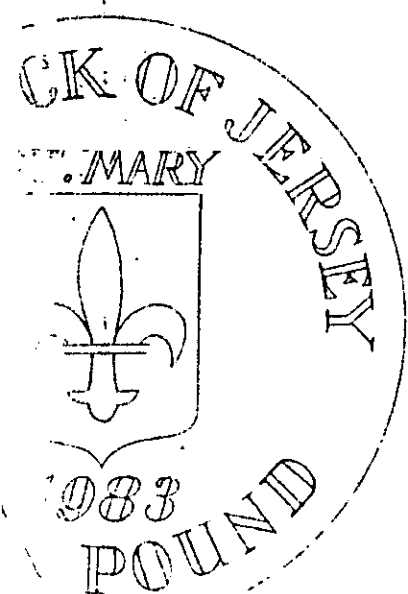
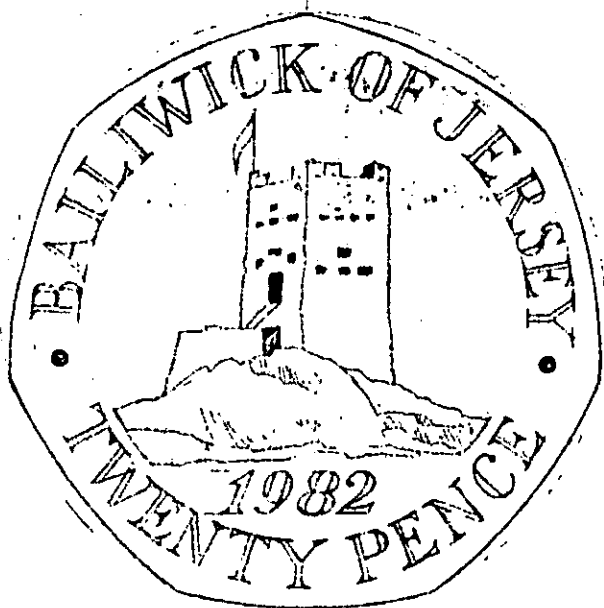
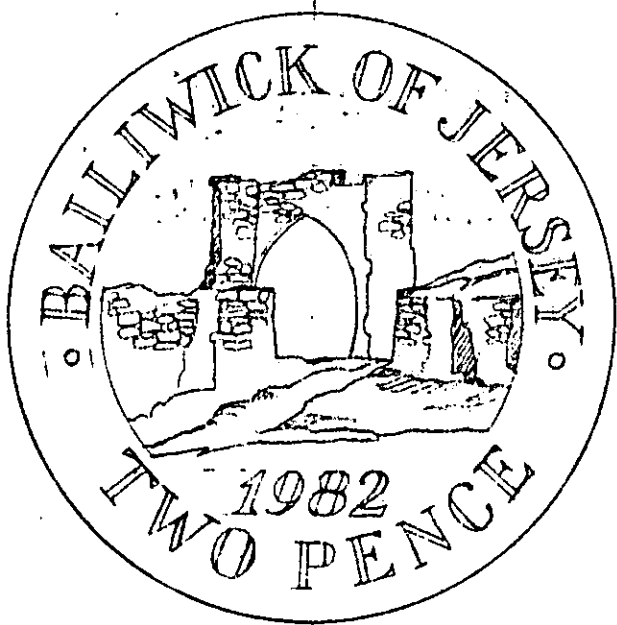
I believe we have a great opportunity here to produce an unified coinage issue depicting the Island's history through representations of its buildings and monuments. I am enclosing a list of possible subjects, which I have arrange in chronological order, and photographs of them which I hope you will find helpful. I have indicated the subjects on which you have produced preliminary designs by using capital letters. Ideally one example of each epoch should be represented on the coins thereby covering the whole of the Island's history, but this may not be practical.

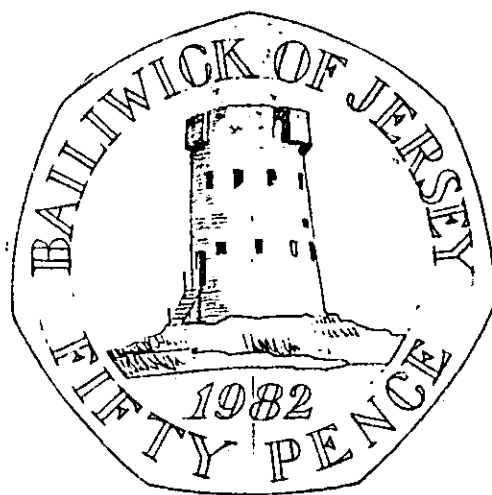
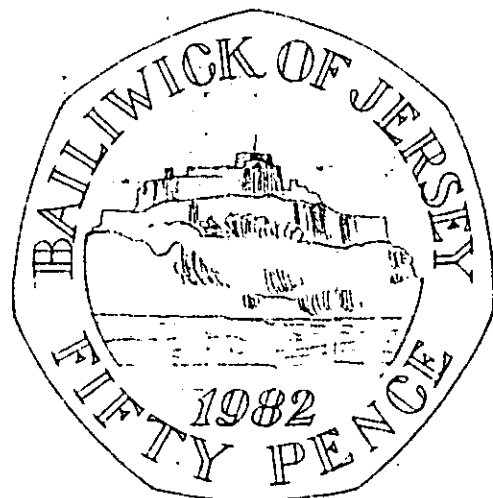
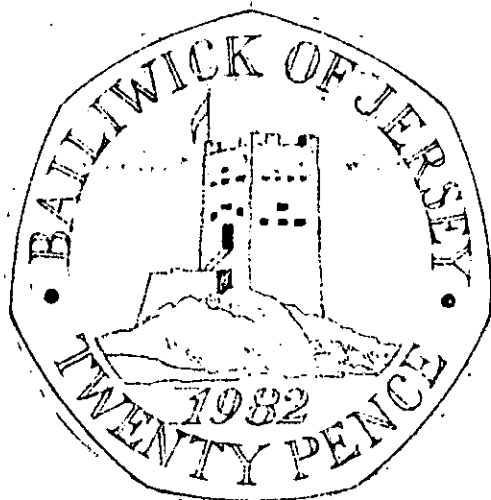
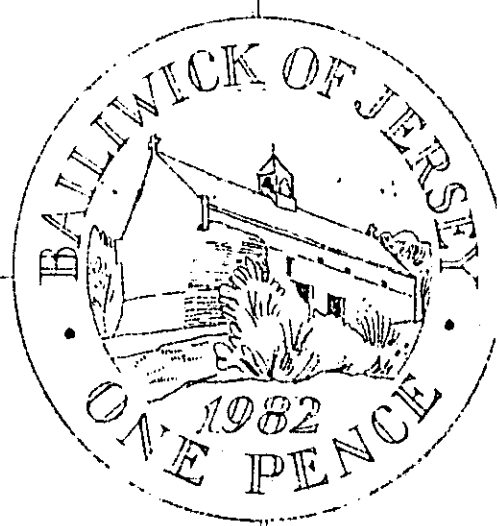
It will be necessary to guide the committee's choice and I believe comments on the suitability of the designs to the size of the coin would be helpful. If a presentation of the designs, giving alternatives but indicating the preferred design from a numismatic point of view could be prepared, I think this would be most usefull.

Please let me know if I can be help in any way.

Yours sincerely,

Ian Monins





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Facs Sue Clarke From KUSUM VERMAN
(Jersey Sheet 2)

<u>EPA</u>	<u>SUBJECT</u>	<u>POSSIBLE DENOMINATION</u>	<u>COMMENT</u>
Elizabethan	Jersey Arch		A typical Jersey architectural feature, but not readily identifiable. Does not fit in with the series.
	Seymour Tower — Sp		Site of tower first erected in 1540. Present tower built 1782. The only square tower in Jersey. Positioned on a rock 1¼ miles out in the Royal Bay of Grouville.
Napoleonic	Le Hocq Watch Tower — 1P		Built about 1781 and therefore predating the action at Mortella Point, Corsica (1794). Thus a Watch Tower built under General Conway for the defence of the Island against France and not a Martello Tower which is squatter and lacks the parapet projections.
	Militia Arsenal and Barracks		There were six arsenals and several barracks built of granite. The Greve de Lecq barracks have recently been restored by the National Trust for Jersey.
Victorian	Corbiere Lighthouse	20p	Designed by Sir John Coode and completed in 1873, it is an early example of a concrete structure. There is a plaque describing how Peter Larbalestier gave his life in 1946 attempting to rescue a visitor cut off by the incoming tide.
	States Buildings, Royal Square		Rebuilt around 1880, the Court house has been sited here since time immemorial, certainly there in 1309.
20th Century	Fort Regent		Now a Leisure Centre housing sport and conference facilities, but built as a fort in 1806-14. The round roof etc. dominate the St. Helier skyline and the signal post 'flags' weather conditions etc.
	La Colette Power Station		The modern chimney dominates the harbour area and new marina of St. Helier. The surrounding area is being reclaimed from the sea and will be an industrial site.
	Airport		Opened before the Second World War and added to at frequent intervals. Not distinctively Jersey.
	Cyril Le Marquand Building		A new building with a hexagonal tower block to house the government offices.

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SUE CLARKE
FROM KUSUM Verman
JERSEY (Sheet 1)

<u>ERA</u>	<u>SUBJECT</u>	<u>POSSIBLE DENOMINATION</u>	<u>COMMENT</u>
Prehistoric	La Hougue Bie		One of the most important archaeological sites in Western Europe. The importance lies in the mound which contains an accessible burial chamber. The mediaeval chapels on top are of secondary importance, but do allow visual identification of the site. A design should emphasise the mound, if possible, and not the chapel.
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	Dolmen — 10p		One of many druidical burial places in the Island. One was used as a reverse design on a banknote during the last century.
	La Cotte de St. Brelade		A most important cave excavation revealing various periods of pre-history with remains of mammoths etc. Prince Charles was a member of the Cambridge team who worked on the site, but illustration is difficult.
	The Pinnacle, St. Ouen		A site of prehistoric dwelling with remains of a Roman Temple at its base. Its representation would mean little to most people.
Dark Ages	The Hermitage — 2p		About 550 A.D. A chapel built on a rock near Elizabeth Castle purporting to be the location of the hermits cave in which St. Helier dwelt.
Mediaeval	Parish Crests	f1	St. Helier - Raiders attacked the island and cut off St. Helier's head. The Parishes were in existence from about 750 A.D. The Crests were, however, designed in the 1930s by Major Rybot but are now accepted as representative. The heraldic designs make a suitable basis for a series of twelve annual issues of a pound coin. Order of issue could be by a) size of population b) alphabetical. The St. Mary's crest was suggested because of the year of the Boy Scouts (fleur-de-lis) but this should not apply.
Mediaeval	Parish Churches	f1	Each church differs and could form an alternative series to that of the Parish Crests. Churches have been successfully depicted on medallions, but the designs might be too complicated for a small coin and such a series should be used on a high denomination such as the f1 coin.
	Grosnez — 50p		A place of refuge against invaders, in use in 1375. The gateway is an impressive feature.
Elizabethan	Mont Orgueil (Gorey Castle)		Used on the 1977 25p coin.
	Elizabeth Castle		The distinctive silhouette is of a floating ship, but like Corbiere has a causeway connection with land at mid-tide. The 30' to 40' tides change the scene dramatically.