

# THE GARRETT SEARCHER™



December 2020

Garrett Metal Detectors®



**Finder:** Jeff L., Massachusetts  
**Using:** *AT Gold* with 9x12 concentric coil  
**Find:** 1821 silver Capped Bust dime



**Finder:** Michael H., Europe  
**Using:** *AT Pro International*  
**Find:** Beautiful Roman zoomorphic bird pin brooch, estimated 1000AD



**Finder:** Alan C.  
**Using:** *AT Max*  
**Find:** Civil War late model US buckle



**Finder:** Taylor B., Minnesota  
**Using:** *ACE 400*  
**Find:** 1898 silver Barber quarter, 1907 Indian Head penny, and a 1900 Liberty V-nickel



**Finder:** Kintija K., Europe  
**Using:** *AT Pro International*  
**Find:** Silver coin cache found while searching for WWII relics



**Finder:** Alexander M., Russia  
**Using:** *ACE 250*  
**Find:** German SS Cockade "Dead Head", circa 1930-1940

**Finder:** Rodrigo L., Argentina  
**Using:** *ACE 400i*  
**Find:** Swastika lead seal



**Finder:** Mark R., Ohio  
**Using:** *AT Pro*  
**Find:** 10k yellow gold ring with three blue sapphire stones and two tiny diamonds accent chips



## Vaughan Garrett's FAVORITE FIND OF THE MONTH

SHOW US YOUR FINDS!

The Vaughan Garrett Find of the Month competition will continue, and we believe this is a great time to submit your stories and photos.

Vaughan has decided to give away the **NEW ACE Apex** metal detector.

Click on the links below to see the most recent winners!

U.S. winners

International winners



Vaughan Garrett

# ACE APEX™

*From The Field:  
Real people making Real finds*



Zach F., United States  
Indian Head penny



Arron W., Europe  
Silver engagement ring



Roger S., United States  
Spur



Shawn L., Europe  
1662 Charles II English Crown



Yoann S., Europe  
Roman gold ingot

## The NEW RIPPER™ MULTI-FLEX™ SERIES COIL

5" X 8" DD MULTI-FLEX RIPPER™ SEARCHCOIL



## The NEW RAIDER™ MULTI-FLEX™ SERIES COIL

8.5" X 11" DD MULTI-FLEX RAIDER™ SEARCHCOIL



**AVAILABLE NOW!**



**Finder:** Bob G., Michigan  
**Using:** *AT Pro*  
**Find:** Engagement ring found and returned



**Finder:** Doug H., Canada  
**Using:** *ACE 400i*  
**Find:** Seigneur UL WWI-era trench lighter made in England



**Finder:** Ronald P., Alabama  
**Using:** *AT Pro*  
**Find:** Returned platinum wedding band found at the beach



**Finder:** Jason K., Arkansas  
**Using:** *AT Max*  
**Find:** Brass Arkansas seal stamp: "The Board of Physical Examiners Therapy", circa 1864-1907



**Finder:** Chad C., New Hampshire  
**Using:** *AT Pro*  
**Find:** 1804 Draped Bust half cent



**Finder:** Wyatt B., Indiana  
**Using:** *ACE 350*  
**Find:** Howe Military School uniform button, circa 1884-1935



**Finder:** Dean P., Europe  
**Using:** *ACE 400i*  
**Find:** 1784 George Smith III silver spoon (236 years old)



**Finder:** Daniel G., Europe  
**Using:** *ACE 250*  
**Find:** Medieval bronze mace donated to the local museum, circa 13th century

## CHECK THE HOLE!

**Finder:** Warren H., United Kingdom  
**Using:** *AT Max International*  
**Find:** Warren shares his amazing finds: "I was out in a well hunted field and it had just started raining. I was making my way back to the gate and home for the day. I picked up a strong but jumpy signal on my trusty *AT Max* and decide to dig one more before the heavens opened. I nearly fell over with shock when I saw a yellow gleam and shakily retrieved an amazing 1877 Half Sovereign with Victoria's head staring at me. Resisting the urge to clean it I carefully put it away and did what every good detectorist should and I 'checked the hole'. Imagine the look of shock on my face when I had another strong signal. A few seconds later I had in my hand an 1872 full Sovereign! Two golds in one hole. When does that EVER happen? Here's hoping it happens again soon. Thanks, Garrett! Amazing machine and crossed two items off my wish list in less than 12 months of detecting!"



**Finder:** Dirk A., Washington  
**Using:** *AT Pro*  
**Find:** 1936 silver Walking Liberty half dollar



**Finder:** Perry F., Canada  
**Using:** *AT Gold*  
**Find:** Gold diamond ring



**Finder:** Aaron L., Tennessee  
**Using:** *AT Pro*  
**Find:** Civil War Hotchkiss shell and a 10 pound Parrett shell



**Finder:** Mason P., Iowa  
**Using:** *ACE 300*  
**Find:** 1927 Buffalo nickel



**Finder:** Dustin K., Indiana  
**Using:** *ACE 400*  
**Find:** .22 Derringer revolver pistol



**Finder:** Scott B., Georgia  
**Using:** *AT Pro*  
**Find:** WWI U.S. Army equipment tag



**Finder:** Tucker R., Virginia  
**Using:** *ACE 300*  
**Find:** 65 coins and other relics found on Tucker's first time out with his *ACE 300*



**Finder:** Henrijs J., Europe  
**Using:** *AT Pro International*  
**Find:** Cache of 18 silver coins from the 16th and 17th century with one brass coin



**Finder:** Ray G., Texas  
**Using:** *AT Pro*  
**Find:** 1908 silver Barber half dollar



**Finder:** Jim G., Missouri  
**Using:** *AT Pro*  
**Find:** "BOZO" the Clown ring, circa 1960s

## "ETERNALLY GRATEFUL!"

**Finder:** Charles F., Louisiana  
**Using:** *ACE 300*  
**Find:** Three years ago Charles purchased an *ACE 300* and a *Pro Pointer AT*. After being in a car accident he wasn't able to use his detector for a while and when he finally began to recover it didn't work. One quick call to Garrett's customer service and he was out detecting a week later. He states, "After an eight month hiatus, I was back out detecting and couldn't have been happier." He shares this 1853 French 10 centimes coin he discovered while hunting with his trusty *ACE 300*.





**Finder:** Mikhail N., Russia Federation  
**Using:** ACE 250  
**Find:** Eleven silver coins, circa 1700-1800s



**Finder:** Dan B., Maine  
**Using:** ACE 400  
**Find:** Copper brooch



**Finder:** Richard P., Connecticut  
**Using:** AT Pro  
**Find:** Revolutionary War British officer's button dug on July 4th

**Finder:** Dean P., Europe  
**Using:** ACE 400i  
**Find:** Three rings in one yard: two silver and one gold



**Finder:** Chris F., Canada  
**Using:** AT Pro International  
**Find:** 1920 silver Canadian 5 cents



**Finder:** Jared R., Connecticut  
**Using:** AT Pro  
**Find:** 1700s "dandy" flat button



**Finder:** Sergei F., Europe  
**Using:** AT Gold  
**Find:** Fake gold ring



**Finder:** Dylan B., Georgia  
**Using:** ACE 200  
**Find:** First silver coin and other finds



**Finder:** Ewen R., Connecticut  
**Using:** AT Max  
**Find:** 1906 silver Barber dime, 1941 silver Mercury dime, 1817 Liberty Head Large cent, and four Indian Head pennies: 1898, 1987, 1889, and 1893



**Finder:** Dean P., Europe  
**Using:** ACE 400i  
**Find:** 1902 coronation Edward VII medallion coin



**Finder:** Brian W., California  
**Using:** ACE 250  
**Find:** One costume ring and one 3/4 carat VS diamond gold ring



**Finder:** Philip K., Maryland  
**Using:** *AT Pro*  
**Find:** 1925 CMTC vs ROTC 3rd CORPS Area broad jump military training camp medal



**Finder:** Troy V., Pennsylvania  
**Using:** *ACE 250*  
**Find:** Waltham pocket watch



**Finder:** Chris F., Europe  
**Using:** *AT Pro International*  
**Find:** 1899 Canadian Large cent



**Finder:** Dmitry W., Europe  
**Using:** *ACE 150*  
**Find:** Bronze Akinak dagger that was used by the ancient nomadic Scythians, circa 4th-7th century BC

**Finder:** Max P., Europe  
**Using:** *AT Max International*  
**Find:** 1792 Carol III 1/4 silver reale



**Finder:** Sam D., Vermont  
**Using:** *AT Pro*  
**Find:** 1786 Vermont Vermontensium Colonial copper coin



**Finder:** Eric J., Minnesota  
**Using:** *AT Pro*  
**Find:** Atlatl copper point forge by the Ojibwa American Indians, estimated to be 3000 to 7000 years old



**Finder:** Fabian V., Europe  
**Using:** *ACE 300i*  
**Find:** Metal capsule containing small aluminum Virgin Mary inside

## Featured Garrett Video Podcast: *Kurt Franz of "The Hoover Boys"*



DISCOVER THE  
**Truth**

The "Leader" of the Hoover Boys

Hoover boys: friends who love to hunt

Places he dreams to hunt: George Washington birthplace and Mount Vernon

Bucket list find would be 1700s US Silver

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## Garrett's Code of Detecting Ethics

Charles Garrett always urged his fellow searchers to conduct themselves as responsible treasure hunters and to leave their hunt areas in better condition than they found them. Please follow your local directives during the current health crisis, but when you are able to safely enjoy detecting, here are just a few of his keys to good conduct in the field:



- Never trespass or hunt on private property without permission.
- National and state parks/monuments, etc. are absolutely off-limits.
- Always fill in every hole that you dig.
- Do not leave litter or other discarded junk items lying around.
- Always carry out all rubbish and dug targets with you when you leave a search area.
- Use reasonable caution in digging toward any target, particularly in areas where you are uncertain of the ground conditions.
- Keep informed on and obey all local and national legislation relating to the discovery and reporting of found treasures.



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## From The Field - real people making real finds



Found by "Lucky Lou" Gagne

