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1. A REMINDER TO ALL JUNIORS: ALWAYS ask to see a coin. Never pick-up a coin without asking for permission to touch and look at the coin and REMEMBER always be careful with holding the coin and replacing it the same way you picked it up.

2. The RAREST, regular issue Lincoln cent was made at the San Francisco Mint in 1909 with the designer's initials prominently displayed at the bottom of the reverse ("tails" side). Only 484,000 "1909-S V.D.B." cents were made. The most common Lincoln cent is from the Philadelphia Mint dated 1984: more than eight billion (8,151,079,000 were minted).

3. LINCOLN CENTS are struck in:

Philadelphia (no letter directly below the date)

Denver (a small "D" below the date)

San Francisco (The letter "S" below the date)

Following is your monthly article & quiz: (You have reviewed and answered questions concerning the Lincoln cent in JNN # 3 and the Kennedy half (JNN #2). Now you will see the many coincidences between the two former Presidents of the United States. Abraham Lincoln, our 16th President served in office 1861 - 1865 and John F. Kennedy, our 35th President served our nation 1961 - 1963. Both have been honored with their portraits on United States circulating coins. The first Lincoln coin being struck in 1909 and the first Kennedy coin being struck in 1964. Note the following coincidence between the two:

Lincoln was elected President in 1860 - Kennedy in 1960.

Both Lincoln and Kennedy were concerned with Civil Rights.

Lincoln was an unsuccessful candidate for the Vice Presidential nomination in 1856 while Kennedy was an unsuccessful candidate for the VP nomination in 1956.

The names Lincoln & Kennedy each contain 7 letters.

Lincoln's secretary's name was Kennedy.

Kennedy's secretary's name was Lincoln.

The wives of Lincoln & Kennedy both lost children through death.

Lincoln & Kennedy both were killed on a Friday and in the presence of their wives.

Lincoln & Kennedy were shot from behind and in the head.

John Wilkes Booth shot Lincoln in a theatre & ran to a warehouse.

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Lee Harvey Oswald shot Kennedy from a warehouse & ran to a theatre.  
 John Wilkes Booth was born in 1839 and Lee Harvey Oswald was born in 1939.  
 Booth & Oswald were southerners favoring unpopular ideas.  
 The names John Wilkes Booth & Lee Harvey Oswald each contain 15 letters.  
 Booth & Oswald were both killed before being brought to trial.  
 The successors of Lincoln & Kennedy were both named Johnson, were southern Democrats and served in the Senate.  
 Andrew Johnson, Lincoln's successor was born in 1808 and Lyndon Johnson, Kennedy's successor was born in 1908.  
 The names Andrew Johnson & Lyndon Johnson each contain 13 letters.

READY FOR YOUR QUIZ FOR FREE COINS - Match the answer in Column "B" to the statement in Column "A":

<u>ANSWER</u>	<u>COLUMN A</u>	<u>COLUMN B</u>
_____	(1) Individual who shot Lincoln	(A) theatre
_____	(2) Name of Lincoln's secretary	(B) Friday
_____	(3) Year Lincoln elected President	(C) Civil Rights
_____	(4) Name of Vice Pres succeeding Lincoln & Kennedy	(D) 1860
_____	(5) Lincoln & Kennedy were both concerned with:	(E) Booth
_____	(6) Year Kennedy elected President	(F) Johnson
_____	(7) Lincoln was shot in a _____	(G) 1960
_____	(8) Name of Kennedy's secretary	(H) Lincoln
_____	(9) Individual who shot Kennedy	(I) Kennedy
_____	(10) Day of the week both were killed	(J) Oswald

FOR A BONUS COIN: What is the meaning of Civil Rights? \_\_\_\_\_

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 (date) (Name - please print) (age)



Abraham Lincoln  
 Lincoln Cent  
 1909 to present



John F. Kennedy  
 Kennedy Half Dollar  
 1964 to present