WHY AND HOW TO COLLECT CIVIL WAR TIMEPIECES WITH ILLUSTRATIVE EXAMPLES

SPEAKER: CLINT B. GELLER

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Clint B. Geller is a Fellow with the National Association of Watch & Clock Collectors. Among his accomplishments, Dr. Geller has collected, researched and written about antique American pocket watches for over thirty years focusing on the history and products of early U.S. watch manufacturers.

Dr. Geller specializes in timepieces with American Civil War provenances. His presentation will review the role and prevalence of personal watches in Civil War armies, and the kinds and characteristics of watches carried by Civil War combatants. The latter part of his talk will focus on watches from his personal collection, their original owners, the units with which they served, and the battles in which they fought.

His collection of watches will be on display. After the talk, he looks forward to seeing and discussing watches that may be brought by members of the audience.

Light refreshments served. 2nd Saturday Lecture Series made possible by the Massey Charitable Trust.

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