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LOT 183 - 1949 (Newfoundland Joins Canada) Uncirculated Silver Dollar



Description

This uncirculated 1949 silver dollar celebrates Newfoundland's entry into Canadian Confederation. The reverse side of this special coin features the *Matthew*, the historic ship of explorer John Cabot, who reached Newfoundland in 1497. The detailed engraving of the *Matthew* sailing on stylized waves symbolizes Newfoundland's maritime heritage and its significance to Canadian history. The obverse side displays the profile of King George VI, finely struck with excellent detail in this uncirculated coin.

Struck in sterling silver, this coin remains in pristine condition, showcasing brilliant luster and well-defined details, with no visible wear or handling marks. It is a treasured collectible that marks a pivotal event in Canadian history—the official union of Newfoundland as Canada's tenth province on March 31, 1949.

Quantity: 1

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