

# Contursi Family Newsletter

Quarterly - Spring 2025

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Contursi Family Members

Arrow&Branch Winery, Napa Valley

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Spring is an exciting time for growth and new beginnings. We are excited to begin the 2025 grape growing season in Napa Valley, following two stellar harvests in 2023 and 2024.

In the spirit of new beginnings, our winery team recently introduced a new brand, Coronet, which made its debut at Premier Napa Valley. This debutante was the belle of the ball, receiving the highest score of 98+ by respected reviewer, Anthony Mueller.

In our family office spotlight, Steve Contursi interviews his daughter, Nicolette

Contursi, who is following her dream of curating vintage designer fashion pieces at her blossoming Paris boutique, Les Archives.

From our family to yours, we wish you and your loved ones a happy and prosperous spring season.

Cheers!

The Contursi Family

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## **Family Office Spotlight: Nicolette Contursi**

Founder of Les Archives Paris



Nicolette Contursi- Les Archives, Paris

In this special father-daughter feature, Steve Contursi interviews up and coming fashion tastemaker, Nicolette Contursi, founder of Les Archives based in Paris.

A Few of the Topics Discussed Include:

- ★ Early influences, including style lessons from Seanne Contursi
- ★ Over- production and consumption leading to the vintage trend
- ★ Important attributes when considering fashion pieces as investments
- ★ More shoulder pads, less sneakers...

[lesarchivesparis.com](http://lesarchivesparis.com)

[Click to Read Interview](#)

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## ARROW & BRANCH RARE COINS





## Protect and Grow Wealth

- Wealth preservation and alpha creation through low-entry level acquisition cost and opportunistic sales
- Outperforms public equity markets with zero beta, enhancing diversification even in market downturns
- Underlying investments are real assets that serve as a 3x better inflation hedge than gold bullion

Email Michael Contursi at [michael@arrowandbranch.com](mailto:michael@arrowandbranch.com) to learn more

[Click to Read Penn State Study of Rare Coin Market 1979-2023](#)

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# ARROW & BRANCH

NAPA VALLEY



**Chef Wolfgang Puck Collaboration with  
Arrow&Branch Wines**



## **Noble Wine & Dine - April 12th & 13th**

Pendry Newport Beach  
690 Newport Center Drive  
Newport Beach, CA 92660

Join Arrow&Branch at this must-attend event of the year. Two extraordinary days of grand tastings, each offering a completely unique experience. Legendary Wolfgang Puck will be presenting all-new, one-of-a-kind dishes paired with Arrow&Branch wine from Napa Valley.

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**CORONET**

## **2023 Coronet Cabernet Sauvignon**

### **Inaugural Release Fall 2025**

Last month, Arrow&Branch Winery participated in the Premiere Napa Valley's charity wine auction, exclusively for members of the wine trade such as high-end restaurants and retailers worldwide. The auction consists of limited edition wines, specially crafted for the event and is considered by many to be Napa Valley's best week for the wine business.

Wine blogger, Anthony Mueller, reviewed 85 PNV lots and ranked Coronet (tied with Morlet) as his **highest rated PNV wine at 98+ points!**

[Click to Read Mueller's Wine Review from PNV](#)

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# RARE COIN

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## WHOLESALE

*An S.L. Contursi Company*

### **Own a National Treasure** 1797 New York Theatre Penny

Certified by the Professional Coin Grading Service as Proof 64+ Brown

Certification Number: 39536105



The New York Theatre Penny has been popular in American circles for a long time. The American Journal of Numismatics, April 1868, noted "This rare and interesting token represents the Park Theatre, destroyed by fire May 25, 1820, but afterwards rebuilt in a style somewhat different from that of the building exhibited on the coin."

The cornerstone was laid on May 5, 1795, on Chatham Row, New York City. At first called the New Theatre, the facility officially opened on Monday, January 29, 1798. Featured was Shakespeare's *As You Like It*, preceded by an address by Mr. Hodgkinson and a prelude by Mr. Milne, and followed by "Purse, or American Tar," a musical entertainment. Up to about 2,300 people could be seated. In 1806 the building was sold to John Jacob Astor and John K. Beekman for \$50,000. They were the owners at the time of the fire.

This token was probably issued in 1798, when passion in England for collecting Conder tokens was fading rapidly. The dies were executed by Benjamin Jacob, a Birmingham engraver, auctioneer, and ironmonger. Coining was accomplished at a factory operated by Peter Skidmore, in partnership with his father John, at 15 Coppice Row, Clerkenwell, London from 1797 to 1809. The penny size is unusual in the context of Conder-style tokens and was part of a series of Skidmore issues of this format, illustrating various buildings.

Stack's Bowers

**Price: \$29,700**

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