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**Form:** Circular with bezel rim. Attached crown at top with loop for a ring.

**By:** J Aitkin & Son, Spencer Street, Birmingham

**Date:** 1911

**Ref:** Laidlaw: 0887;

**Variations:**

Size	Metal	Mass	Value
31.0 mm x 42.5 mm	Silver	14.0 gm	\$70

**Edge:** Plain. Thickness of bezel ring 3.8 mm. Medal thinner.

**Obverse:** Bareheaded busts of the King, on left facing slightly right, and the Queen on right facing slightly left. On a scroll below: "CROWNED JUNE 1911".

**Reverse:** Ornamentally engraved across: "LAWN TENNIS / DIAMOND FIELDS / CORONATION MEDAL. / WON BY / T.B. MELLER / JUNE 22ND. 1911." Stamped with the maker's mark: "JA&S" and the Birmingham silver hallmark for 1910-11.

**Notes:** The coronation took place on 22 June 1911.