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Form: Circular holed at 12 o'clock

By: Stokes of Melbourne

Date: 1900

Ref: Hern: 682; Carlisle: 1899-00/13; Laidlaw: 0608;

Variations:

Size	Metal	Mass	Value
22.6 mm	Gilded Bronze	5.2 gm	\$40

Edge: Plain.

Obverse: In the centre within a circular frame crowned at the top, diademed and veiled head of Queen Victoria, left, against a background of two crossed standards bearing Australian flag (left) and the Royal arms (right). In arcs below: "BRITISH / TRANSVAAL WAR 1899-1900".

Reverse: Clasped hands. Above: "WELCOME (in an arc) / HOME" and below: "AUSTRALIANS (in an arc)". Legend on a band at the top: "RETURN OF TROOPS FROM S. AFRICA" and below between stops: "DEC. 1900".

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