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**Form:** Circular. Pierced at 12 o'clock for ring and a second to a blue corded ribbon.

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**Variations:** **Size** **Metal** **Mass** **Value**  
32 mm Pewter 14 gm \$40

**Edge:** Plain

**Obverse:** Conjoined busts of the Duke and Duchess, left. Legend on a scroll: "THEIR R.H. THE DUKE AND DUCHESS OF CORNWALL AND YORK".

**Reverse:** Coat of arms of the Cape Colony with supporters, Hope crest and motto: "SPES BONA". Above in three concentric arcs: "CHILDRENS' CELEBRATION OF THE VISIT / OF THEIR R.H. THE DUKE AND DUCHESS OF CORNWALL AND YORK TO THE CAPE, 1901" and below: "KALK BAY / MUIZENBERG (in an arc)".

**Notes:** The visit to South Africa was part of a world tour of British Colonies to show Royal appreciation for their support during the Boer War.

The Duke and Duchess were to become King George V and Queen Mary in 1911.