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Form: Circular, holed at 12 o'clock for a ring

By: Obverse after L.C. Wyon

Date: 1901

Ref: Laidlaw: 1010;

Variations: Size Metal Mass Value

32.3 mm White Metal 10.2 gm

Edge: Plain.

Obverse: Veiled and diademed head of Queen Victoria, left. Legend: "VICTORIA, QUEEN AND EMPRESS" with a garland of ros

thistles and shamrocks at the foot.

Reverse: Within an inner bearded border, across: "OUR LATE / SOVEREIGN LADY / QUEEN VICTORIA / OF BLESSED AND /

GLORIOUS MEMORY / (line) / BORN / MAY 24 1819 / DIED / JAN 22 1901". Legend, outside beaded border, above: "MEMORIAM" and encircling below a repeated sequence rose-shamrock-thistle, starting with rose at the foot..

Notes: Made for issue in the Cape Colony.