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Form: Circular

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Variations:

Size	Metal	Mass	Value
44.6 mm	Nickel (99,9%)	45.0 gm	\$25

Edge: Plain. Impressed: "STRUCK BY THE ROYAL MINT, BRITISH EMPIRE EXHIBITION, 1924."

Obverse: Britannia, right, in Art Deco style. Below, on a representation of part of the earth, symbols of Empire territories: springbok (Africa), Beaver (Canada), Kangaroo (Australia) and tiger (India).

Reverse: Across: "THE / MIND / NICKEL / COMPANY / LTD / NICKEL 99.9% (in an arc)"

Notes: The medal was commissioned Mond Nickel Company, a British company established in 1900 owning nickel mines in Canada and a refinery in Wales.

The British Empire Exhibition was held in the north London suburb of Wembley. It ran in two sessions from April to October 1924 and for a second six months in 1925. Most British Empire territories had displays. South Africa had a Pavillion in the Cape Durban.