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Form: Circular with attached knob for a ring to a ribbon with a brooch bar at the top. Ribbon is crimson with two narrow white bands along the edge, and two narrow blue bands in the centre.

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Variations:

Size	Metal	Mass	Value
32.0 mm	Silver	28.4 gm (with ribbon)	\$55

Edge: Plain.

Obverse: Crowned and robed bust of the Queen , Right.

Reverse: Crowned: "EIIR" monogram. Legend: "QUEEN ELIZABETH.II.CROWNED 2ND JUNE 1953".

Notes: Official Royal Mint issue for presentation to dignitaries throughout the Commonwealth. Comes in a oblong red cardboard box with: "(crowned EIIR monogram) 1953 / CORONATION MEDAL (in an arc)" in black on the outside of the lid.

Medals for ladies were made with a bow-ribbon and came in a larger box.

Cecil Walter Thomas OBE, FRBS (1901-1976) was a British medallist, sculptor, and engraver.