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Form: Circular, pierced for a ring and a second ring through which is threaded a narrow red, white and blue ribbon.

By: Reverse after L.C. Wyon

Date: 1900

Ref: Laidlaw: 0102b;

Variations:

Size	Metal	Mass	Value
32.0 mm	White Metal	7.3 gm	\$75

Edge: Plain

Obverse: Uniformed bust of Baden Powell with hat, front. Legend on raised band: "RUSHEN HONOURS HEROIC MAFEKING 1900" stop at the foot.

Reverse: Veiled and diademed head of Queen Victoria, left. Signed: "A.W" (indistinct) on the truncation. Legend: "VICTORIA, QUEEN AND EMPRESS" with a garland of roses, thistles and shamrocks at the foot.

Notes: There is no town called Rushen in England. Possibly the medal was intended for Rushden which is a town county of Northamptonshire.

The image of Baden-Powell is the same as Laidlaw 102a.