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Form: Circular, bezel mounted under glass

By: ?

Date: 1900 (?)

Ref: Laidlaw: 0941;

Variations:

| Size | Metal | Mass | Value |
|---------|-------|--------|-------|
| 17.4 mm | Gilt | 4.0 gm | \$28 |

Edge: Plain. Thickness of bezel 6.5 mm.

Obverse: Bareheaded bust of Roberts in uniform, slightly left. Legend: "Lord (left) Roberts (right)".

Reverse: Naval gun pointed left, sailor behind.

Notes: The bezel mount has pins extending outwards originally to fit into a spinning mount.

The Naval Brigade used converted ships cannons as field guns in Natal during the Boer War.