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**THE WILLIAMS COLLECTION OF  
ANGLO-SAXON, VIKING AND NORMAN  
COINS PART I: ANGLO-SAXON COINS**

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# Order of Sale

**TUESDAY 27 MARCH 2018**

**Commencing at 2.00 p.m.**

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**ANGLO-SAXON COINS FROM THE WILLIAMS COLLECTION**

The one hundred Anglo-Saxon Pennies and Halfpennies offered here have been selected from the collection of nearly 900 Anglo-Saxon, Viking, and Norman coins formed over the last 30 years by Allan Williams. It is a pleasure to be able to offer such a group, replete as it is with high quality, interesting, rare, and sometimes even beautiful, numismatic treasures.

The Anglo-Saxon silver coinage occupies a very special and unique place in English history. For three centuries before the Norman Conquest the various Anglo-Saxon kingdoms produced some of the finest silver coins in the world, a feat unrivalled in Western Europe, and the envy of their neighbours. The Normans, aware of this, happily embraced the English monetary system, changing nothing, except of course the name of the king, and so the silver Pennies continued to be produced into the twelfth century.

There is only one other element of Anglo-Saxon civilization that can stand alongside the coinage, and that is the remarkable series of Chronicles, the books of 'events and laws', written in the vernacular, and now collectively known as the Anglo-Saxon Chronicle. This also survived and continued to flourish after the Norman Conquest, and like the coinages, gives us first hand evidence of the richness and complexity of Anglo-Saxon society, as well as the civil wars, invasions, tumults and 'anarchy' that were a part of every-day life. To sit with a tray of coins and a copy of the chronicles is both a joy and a luxury for the historian of the period that cannot be matched.

These coins also present us with an intriguing secondary study. While the 'circulation' life (we could call it the 'first life') of an Anglo-Saxon Penny might be 'nasty, brutish and short', the 'academic' life of the same coin (the 'second life') might be peaceful and extend over two centuries. Take the contrasting examples of the two coins of Wulfred Archbishop of Canterbury, lots 10 and 11. The first is in beautiful condition and must have had a short 'first life' before it was lost. Since being found in 1987, in its 'second life', it has been around the world. The second coin may have circulated for slightly longer, but this coin was found in 1834, and in the 180 years of its 'second life' it has been the subject of learned papers read before academic societies, been engraved by 19th century artists, and has passed through at least ten famous collections. The piecing together of the 'second life' of Anglo-Saxon coins is a curious and fascinating study in its own right. For the collector, in a fast moving world, the 'second life' of a coin, its provenance, is becoming increasingly relevant.

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**KINGS OF KENT**



1

1 (x2)

x1

**Kent, Egberht** (c.765-780), Penny, 1.26g, 12h, Canterbury, Udd, EGCBERHT around solid inner circle containing RX, *rev.* VDD between two beaded lines, cross with ornaments above and below (CEB 4; Chick 87c this coin; SCBI 2 (Glasgow) 383 same reverse die; N.200; S.874), *a neatly struck full round coin of good metal, extremely fine, very rare*

£5,000-6,000

PROVENANCE:

Spink auction 129, 17 November 1998, lot 133  
Aiskew hoard, Bedale, North Yorkshire, found April 1977  
Barclay, Numismatic Chronicle, vol. 157, 1997, no. 12



2

2 (x2)

x2

**Kent, Eadberht Praen** (796-798), Penny, 1.17g, 12h, Canterbury, Aesne, EAD/BERHT/REX in three lines divided by two straight lines, *rev.* AE/SNE above and below a bone shaped ornament divided by a beaded line, numerous pellets in fields (Naismith Cl a this coin; N.205.1; S.875), *a full round coin, very fine, extremely rare, only two coins by this moneyer listed in Naismith*

£3,000-4,000

PROVENANCE:

Purchased from Baldwin, July 1994  
Found at Worksop, Lincolnshire, 1993



**x3** **Kent, Eadberht Praen** (796-798), Penny, 1.32g, 12h, Canterbury, Duda, EADBERHT REX, legend ends at 6 o'clock, around inner circle containing Mercian m, *rev.* DV/DA/m+ with numerous pellets in angles of two-lined tribrach moline (Naismith C10a this coin; N.206.1; S.875A), *a very neat full round coin of good metal, extremely fine, extremely rare, only two examples listed in Naismith, and this by a long way the better of the two* £5,000-6,000

PROVENANCE:  
 Purchased from Patrick Finn, March 1997  
 From Dereck Chick  
 Found near Aylesbury, Buckinghamshire, August 1996



**x4** **Kent, Cuthred** (798-807), Penny, 1.084g, 12h, cross and wedges type, Canterbury, Werheard, + CVÐRED REX - CANT, legend begins at 10 o'clock, diademed and draped bust right breaking inner circle, *rev.* + VERHEARDI MONETA around solid inner circle containing cross pommée with wedges in angles (Naismith C.35.1h this coin; BLS 22, and same dies as pl ii, = BMC 9 and = SCBI 67 (British Museum) 694; SCBI 16 (Norweb) 82 this coin; N.211; S.877), *an attractive and expressive portrait, about very fine, very rare* £2,000-2,500

PROVENANCE:  
 Spink Australia auction 27, 2 March 1989, lot 1238  
 Norweb, part 1, Spink auction 45, 13 June 1985, lot 17  
 Purchased from Spink, November 1957  
 EMC 1016.0082



x5

**Kent, Baldred** (c.823-825), Penny, 1.46g, 12h, non portrait type, Canterbury, Sigestef, + BELDRED REX CANT, NT ligate, around beaded inner circle containing cross pattée, *rev.* + SIGESTEF around beaded inner circle containing cross pattée, pellets in angles (Naismith C63.3a this coin; cf. N.213, variety with pellets in angles not noted; S.880), *a very full round coin of good metal, good very fine, extremely rare, the only example listed in Naismith*

£3,000-4,000

PROVENANCE:

Spink Numismatic Circular, November 1994, no. 7131

Found at Minnis Bon, Birchington, Isle of Thanet, Kent, June 1994



x6

**Kent, anonymous coinage, regal issues** (c.822-823), Penny, 1.43g, 12h, Canterbury, Sweferd, 'Coelwulf head' type, + SVVEFHERD MONETA, diademed head right within solid inner circle, *rev.* DORO/BERNIA/CIVITA/S, in four lines, cross between two pellets above (BLS 5a this coin; SCBI 30 (America), 216 this coin; Naismith C55.1a this coin; N.221.1; S.878), *tiny chip on edge at 1 o'clock, old cabinet toning and a spot of red wax on the obverse, extremely fine*

£3,000-4,000

PROVENANCE:

Dresser, Stack's, 4 May 1995, lot 2173

Lord Grantley, part 3, Glendining, 22-23 March 1944, lot 896 (illustrated), purchased by Seaby for £15 - with Seaby ticket

Montagu, part 1, Sotheby, 18-23 November 1895, lot 312

Marsham, Sotheby, 19 November 1888, lot 120

EMC 1030.0216

*This issue belongs to the period between the rejection by Kent of the Mercian Coelwulf I and the installation of Baldred as king. Coelwulf I was crowned by Archbishop Wulfred probably in late 822 and Baldred seems to have become king by 824, suggesting this anonymous regal issue belongs to a very short period of about a year in 822/23.*





x7 **Kent, anonymous coinage, regal issues (c.822-23), Penny, 1.30g, 3h, Canterbury, Oba, diademed and draped bust right within solid inner circle from which extend three arms each in the form of a Latin cross dividing the legend, OBA-MON-ETA, uncial M, rev. DOROB/ERNIA C/IVITA/S in four lines, small cross pattée above (cf. Naismith C53 - this coin not listed; N.222; S.878), small edge chip at 10 o'clock and a small surface crack on the reverse, crimped, lightly toned, good very fine, extremely rare** £3,000-4,000

PROVENANCE:

'A collection of Coins of the Canterbury Mint, the Property of a Gentleman', Spink auction 211, 13 December 2011, lot 2  
 Purchased from Spink in 2007

**ARCHBISHOPS OF CANTERBURY**



x8 **Archbishops of Canterbury, Jaenberht (765-792), with Offa as overlord (c.780-792), Penny, 1.16g, 6h, OFFA REX, in two lines in lunettes divided by a beaded bar with fleurs at each end, rev. + IAENBRHT AREP around solid inner circle containing wheel design of eight limbs radiating from a central pellet (Chick 157c this coin; SCBI 2 (Glasgow) 391 same dies; N.224; S.882), edge slightly weak at 11 - 12 o'clock, good very fine, very rare** £3,000-4,000

PROVENANCE:

Linzalone, Stack's, 7-8 December 1994, lot 2328  
 Found at Lodge Farm, Cobham Hall, near Rochester, Medway, 1989, EMC  
 2001.1132



x9

**Archbishops of Canterbury, Aethelheard** (793-805), with Coenwulf as overlord, Penny, 1.28g, 6h, + COENVVLF REX, around solid inner circle containing uncial m, *rev.* + AEDILHEARD AR, around solid inner circle containing ep (Naismith C22.1j this coin; N.232; S.886A), *a neat round coin of good metal, about extremely fine, very rare*

£4,000-5,000

PROVENANCE:

Spink Numismatic Circular, December 1991, no. 7953  
 From Derick Chick  
 Found near Dunmow, Essex, 1988, EMC.2001.0976



x10

**Archbishops of Canterbury, Wulfred** (805-832), Penny, 1.34g, 6h, anonymous group I (c.805-810), + WVLFREDI ARCHIEPISCOPI, tonsured and draped bust facing, within solid inner circle, *rev.* + DOROVERNIAE CIVTATIS (sic) around solid inner circle containing cross crosslet (Naismith C36.1c this coin but the error spelling CIVTATIS not noted; N.235; S.887), *an attractive sharply struck coin with an arresting depiction of the Archbishop, darkly toned, extremely fine, very rare*

£6,000-8,000

PROVENANCE:

Sotheby, 25 April 1996, lot 731  
 Christie's, 28 February 1989, lot 200, illustrated on the cover of the catalogue, £7,150  
 Found at Great Missenden, Buckinghamshire, 1987, EMC 2001.0992

*At the time of its discovery this was only the second cross crosslet coin of Archbishop Wulfred recorded, the other being in the British Museum (see The Coinage of Southern England by Blunt, Lyon & Stewart in BNJ XXXIII pp. 1-74, the B.M. coin noted on p.69). Naismith records five other examples. This example is the only one to have the error spelling CIVTATIS on the reverse.*



x11

**Archbishops of Canterbury, Wulfred (805-832), Penny, 1.43g, 6h, 'Baldred' type, group VI (c.823-825), Sweferd, + VVLFRED ARCHIEPIS, tonsured and draped bust facing, two pellets at left, all within solid inner circle *rev.* + SVVEFHERD MONET, around solid inner circle containing DRVR/CITS (for Dorovernia Civitas) (SCBI 20 (Mack) 659 this coin; Naismith C68d this coin; N.239; S.891), of good metal and the surfaces now with attractive old cabinet toning, good very fine, very rare**

£6,000-8,000

PROVENANCE:

Linzalone, Stack's, 7 December 1994, lot 2330  
 Mack collection, sold privately (with his ticket)  
 Lockett, part I, Glendining, 6-9 June 1955, lot 335  
 Carlyon-Britton, Sotheby, 17-21 November 1913, lot 298  
 Astronomer (F. McClean), Sotheby, 11-12 June 1906, lot 125  
 Montagu, Sotheby, 18-23 November 1895, lot 307 £15 to McClean  
 Brice, collection purchased by Montagu, 1887  
 Shepherd, Sotheby, 22-25 July 1885, lot 50, £16 to Brice  
 Murchison, Sotheby, 28-30 May 1866, lot 90, £10.10/- to Shepherd  
 Loscombe, Sotheby, 30 March - 14 April 1855, lot 1056, £18 to Lincoln  
 Sevington, Wiltshire, hoard, 1834 (see *Archaeologia* xxvii, pl. xxiii no. 2)

*The Sevington hoard is not recorded as a provenance for this coin in any of the sale catalogues prior to the publication of SCBI 20 in 1973. The hoard, discovered on a farm at Sevington in North Wiltshire in 1834, contained 70 coins, as well as a quantity of silver objects including two that were described as 'a spoon and a fork'. The hoard was briefly described by Edward Hawkins in a paper read to the Society of Antiquities of London in 1837, and is dealt with more thoroughly by C. E. Blunt in BNJ vol. XLI (1972) pp. 7-13. The bulk of the hoard was acquired by Mr C. W. Loscombe who at the time was living at Pickwick House in Corsham, just three miles south of Sevington. His collection was dispersed by Sotheby in an eight day auction containing 1,472 lots, in 1855 ('the late C.W. Loscombe Esq. F.S.A. of Clifton comprising ... Ancient British and Anglo-Saxon coins many being of great rarity & interest'). In the Spink library copy of the Loscombe catalogue under lot 1031 it is noted 'This and many other Saxon coins in this collection were found at Sevington in Wiltshire, see *Archeologia*.' Under lots 1034-1037 (Sceattas) it is noted 'these Berhtulfs were all from Sevington, and none of them fine, they all sold well, but the price of 1036 was most extravagant.' There were two coins of Archbishop Wulfred in the collection, lots 1055 and 1056. Under lot 1056, the coin offered here, it is written 'This and the preceeding lot were from Sevington & both extr. fine.'*





12



12 (x2)

x12

**Archbishops of Canterbury, Ceolnoth (833-870)**, Penny, 1.21g, 6h, anonymous, + CEOLNOD - ARHIEPI, tonsured and draped bust facing, breaking inner circle, *rev.* + DOROVERNIA around inner circle containing cross with CI/VI/T/AS in angles (Naismith C132a this coin; SCBI 20 (Mack) 665 this coin; N.243; S.894), *slight edge clip at 6 o'clock, some small spots of verdigris and a spot of red wax on the obverse, old cabinet toning, about extremely fine, extremely rare*

£2,500-3,000

PROVENANCE:

Mack collection (with his ticket)  
 Lockett, Glendinging, 26-27 April 1960, lot 3556  
 Evans, collection purchased by Spink, many later sold to R C Lockett (with his ticket)  
 Montagu, Sotheby, 18-23 November 1895, lot 314  
 Brice, collection purchased by Montagu, 1887  
 Bergne, Sotheby, 20 May 1873, lot 116  
 Murchison, Sotheby, 28-30 May 1866, lot 149  
 Dymock, Sotheby, 1-4 June 1858, lot 44  
 Cuff, Sotheby, June - July 1854, lot 397, 'very fine, found at Dorking'  
 Dorking, Surrey, hoard, 1817

*Only three examples of this rare type are listed by Naismith. The second, which shares the obverse die with this coin, is in the British Museum, and the third is 'cracked and poor'.*



13



13 (x2)

x13

**Archbishops of Canterbury, Ceolnoth (833-870)**, Penny, 1.08g, 3h, lunettes type, Hebeca, + CEOLNOÐ - ARCHIEP, diademed and draped bust right, breaking inner circle, *rev.* HEBECA, lunettes with MON above and ETA below (Lyons and MacKay, BNJ 2007, Ce2 this coin; N.249; S.895), *tiny spots of verdigris on obverse and a small metal flaw by M of MON on reverse, very fine, very rare*

£3,000-4,000

PROVENANCE:

Baldwin auction 18, 13 October 1998, lot 1636  
 Sotheby, 22-23 March 1990, lot 372  
 Found at Kirmington, Humberside, 1988  
 BNJ 57 (1987) Coin Register no.104



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14 (x2)

x14

**Archbishops of Canterbury, Plegmund** (890-923), Penny, 1.52g, 9h, class I (890-895), Hunfreh, + PLEGMVND ARCHIEP, legend begins at 3 o'clock, around solid inner circle containing DO/RO, lozenge Os, *rev.* HVNFRE/ÐMO, lozenge O, in two lines divided by three small crosses, additional crosses above and below (cf. SCBI 36 (Berlin) 90; N.254; S.898), *two tiny spots of verdigris on obverse, very fine*

£2,000-2,500

PROVENANCE:

Coin Galleries, New York, 12 July 2000, lot 276



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15 (x2)

x15

**Archbishops of Canterbury, Plegmund** (890-923), Penny, 1.64g, 9h, group II (c.905-923), Horizontal type, Eicmund, + PLEGMVND ARCHIEP, legend begins at 11 o'clock, around small cross pattée, *rev.* EICMV/ND MO, in two lines divided by three small crosses, trefoils of pellets above and below (CTCE P5i this coin; N.256; S.900), *a full round coin with attractive old tone typical of the Vatican hoard, good very fine*

£2,500-3,000

PROVENANCE:

Purchased from Baldwin, September 1991

Lockett, part X, Glendining, 26-27 April 1960, lot 3561

Vatican Hoard (M A O'Donovan, BNJ XXXIII (1964), pp 7-29, no. 9 this coin)

**KINGS OF MERCIA**



x16

**Mercia, Offa (757-796)**, with Eadberht, Bishop of London (+c.787-789), Penny, 1.18g, 3h, light coinage, + O/FF/AR/EX, around large lozenge with central circle containing a lobed cross saltire, trefoils in angles, *rev.* adb/ERHT, the HT ligate, in two lines within beaded rectangle, divided horizontally by a bar with forked ends, cross above, EP ligatured below (Chick 79b this coin; N.280; S.911), *an exceptional coin, round and of good metal and very attractively toned, extremely fine, a great rarity, only two examples listed by Chick, the other in the Vatican collection, apparently from a 9th century Italian hoard*

£5,000-6,000

PROVENANCE:

Lawrence Stack, Sotheby, 22 April 1999, lot 276  
 Spink Numismatic Circular, December 1988, no. 7790  
 Glendining, 3 October 1988, lot 141  
 Found at Eastbury, near Lambourn, Berkshire, November 1987 (EMC 1999.1004)

*For a discussion of this coinage and a possible link with the Synod at Chelsea in 787 at which the Province of Canterbury was divided and a new Mercian See created at Lichfield, see Chick, 'Towards a Chronology for Offa's Coinage: An Interim Study' in The Yorkshire Numismatist 3 (1997) and revised in The Coinage of Offa and his Contemporaries, pp. 9-10*



x17

**Mercia, Offa (757-796)**, Penny, 1.26g, 3h, light coinage (c.779-792/3), London, Ibba, IBBA, downwards in field to right of diademed and draped bust right with diadem ties and distinctive curved shoulders, *rev.* OFRM, in angles of lozenge cross fleury with plain cross in centre (Barclay, Numismatic Chronicle, 1997, pp. 229-230, and plate 48, no. 10 this coin; Chick 53a this coin; N.300; S.905), *edge chipped behind portrait but only to the beaded border, an exceptional portrait, extremely fine, the remarkably smooth surfaces with an attractive light brown patina, extremely rare, one of only three examples listed by Chick and this by far the best of the three*

£6,000-8,000

PROVENANCE:

Christie's, 28 April 1993, lot 589  
 Aiskew, near Bedale, North Yorkshire, hoard, Autumn 1992





x18

**Mercia, Offa** (757-796), Penny, 1.18g, 12h, light coinage (c.780/5-792/3), East Anglia, Eadberht, T OFFA + REX, legend begins at 7 o'clock, the first cross is a T, the O is a lozenge with pellet, crude diademed and draped bust right breaking beaded inner circle, *rev.* EA/RD/ER/HT, the first R retrograde, in arms of a lozenge cross, in the centre a small cross with pellet in each angle (Chick 163a this coin; N.305.1; S.906), *the surfaces a little rough but of good metal, good very fine, a typical East Anglian style portrait and a great rarity, the only coin by this moneyer listed by Chick and so apparently unique*

£2,000-2,500

PROVENANCE:

Sotheby, 10 March 1989, lot 703  
 Found by Mr J Blows on farmland at Sutton (near Sutton Hoo), three miles south east of Woodbridge, Suffolk, in 1989



x19

**Mercia, Offa** (757-796), Penny, 1.28g, 6h, light coinage (c.779-792/3), London, Lulla, +OFFA REX· MERC· IORU, legend begins at 7 o'clock, lozenge shaped Os, diademed head right, truncation breaking beaded inner circle, *rev.* + L/U/LL/A, divided by four large pellet encircled bosses, around floral design of a cross and saltire in a beaded circle (Chick 63a this coin; N.312; S.905), *an almost classical portrait by the moneyer Lulla who produced several portraits of Offa with similar reverses but this surely his most accomplished, a single metal flaw on neck otherwise good very fine, extremely rare*

£5,000-6,000

PROVENANCE:

Purchased from Spink, November 1992  
 Found at Northampton, 1987/8



x20

**Mercia, Offa (757-796)**, Penny, 1.19g, 9h, light coinage (c.779-792/3), London, Eahmund, ·+O·F·F·A·:·R·E·+, bare headed bust right, with spreading shoulders and large pendant jewel at neck, breaking beaded inner circle, *rev.* AL·HM/UND, in two lines, surrounded by a serpent torque (Chick 37e this coin; same obverse die as BM 15 and SCBI 2 (Glasgow), no. 307; N.318; S.905), *legend flat at 2 o'clock and edge slightly chipped at 4 o'clock, otherwise good metal though with some staining, an attractive lively portrait with wide bare shoulders, very typical of the moneyer Eahmund, extremely fine, scarce*

£2,000-2,500

PROVENANCE:  
 Purchased from Spink, December 1994  
 Found at Brentwood, Essex, September 1994



x21

**Mercia, Offa (757-796)**, Penny, 1.40g, 6h, heavy coinage, non portrait type, Canterbury, Ethelnoth, m/+OFFA/REX in three lines, the O lozenge, the upper and lower parts in lunettes, *rev.* EP·EL/NOF above and below a bone shape containing a row of pellets (Chick 236d this coin; N.326; S.908), *full and round, almost extremely fine, very rare*

£3,000-4,000

PROVENANCE:  
 Spink auction 129, 17 November 1998, lot 135  
 Found at Box Hill, Surrey, March 1998



x22

**Mercia, Cynethrith** (wife of Offa), Penny, 0.63g, 3h, light coinage (c.779-792/3), Canterbury, Eoba, EOBA, lozenge shaped O, the A inverted, in field before diademed and draped bust right, *rev.* +CYNEDRYD REGIN around uncial m in beaded inner circle (Chick 144b this coin; N.339; S.909), *a very neat coin with an unusually vigorous portrait in high relief, glossy dark smooth surfaces, good very fine, a great rarity*

£8,000-10,000

PROVENANCE:

Purchased from Spink, April 1991

Found on Canvey Island, Essex, February 1991 (EMC 2001.0962)



x23

**Mercia, Cynethrith** (wife of Offa), Penny, 1.10g, 1h, light coinage (c.779-792/3), Canterbury, Eoba, + CFNEDRFd REGINA, around uncial m within beaded inner circle, *rev.* + E/O/B/A, lozenge O, each letter on limb of a cross of lobes, fleurs in angles (Chick 148g this coin, N.340 var.; S.910), *some porosity but of good metal, very fine, very rare*

£4,000-5,000

PROVENANCE:

Millennia Collection, Goldberg, 26 May 2008, lot 187

Dr Jacob Y Turner collection

Found at Vale Farm, Longparish, near Andover, Hampshire, 1991 (EMC 1990.1094)





24



24 (x2)

x24

**Mercia, Coenwulf** (796-821), Penny, 1.30g, 1h, early transitional type (c.796), London, Diola, CENVVLF, retrograde N, uncial m above, REX below, divided by two beaded bars, broken at their centre and with added hooks, *rev.* DI/O/LA, lozenge shaped O, in angles of double tribrach (as BLS Coenwulf 3, two examples listed; Naismith L2c this coin; N.343; S.912A), *surface slightly porous, otherwise good fine/very fine*

£1,500-2,000

PROVENANCE:

Vecchi auction 15, 15 June 1999, lot 1730

Found near Newark, Nottinghamshire, EMC 1999.037



25



25 (x2)

x25

**Mercia, Coenwulf** (796-821), Penny, 1.36g, 6h, transitional type (c.797-798), London (?), Pendwine, +CENVVLF, retrograde N, uncial m above, REX below, divided by two beaded bars, broken at their centre and with added hooks, additional pellets above and below, *rev.* PENDVINE, retrograde N, legend begins at 7 o'clock, around voided long cross containing beaded line and cross (Naismith L5a this coin; N.-; S.912A), *some light surface corrosion and slight edge wave, good very fine, toned, one of only two examples known*

£3,000-4,000

PROVENANCE:

CNG Triton III, 30 November 1999, lot 1466

Valued History (Ely, Cambs.) list, December 1997, no. 48

Found near Watton, Norfolk, 1997 (EMC 1997.0115)

BNJ Coin Register 1997, no. 115

*Pendwine is a very elusive moneyer. He is not known as a moneyer for Offa, and Blunt Lyon and Stewart listed only one coin of Coenwulf by him, a 'tribrach moline' type from the Delgany hoard (BLS 17; N.342). Since then two examples of this remarkable 'standing cross' type have been found, this example, found in Norfolk in 1997, and the second found at Alfriston, East Suffolk, in 2009. While the obverse has stylistic ties with the early London issues of Coenwulf, and therefore the coin has been listed as a London type by Naismith, the 'standing cross' reverse does not relate to any other reverse type, and is not known for any other moneyer.*



26



26 (x2)

x26

**Mercia, Coenwulf (796-821), Penny, 1.32g, 12h, portrait/cross and wedges type (c.805-810), Canterbury, Werheard, + COENVVLF - REX m, diademed and draped bust right, breaking solid inner circle, *rev.* + VERHEARDI MONETA, HE and NE ligate, around solid inner circle containing cross pommée, wedge in each angle (Naismith C28j this coin; N.344; S.915), *full and round and of good metal, a most attractive portrait piece, almost extremely fine, rare***

£2,500-3,000

PROVENANCE:

DNW, 26 September 2006, lot 26  
 P Finn list 19, May 2001, no. 57  
 P Finn list 14, September 1998, no. 82  
 P Finn list 7, Summer 1996, no. 75  
 Spink Numismatic Circular, September 1982, no. 6636



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27 (x2)

x27

**Mercia, Coenwulf (796-821), Penny, 1.35g, 3h, portrait type (c.810-821), Rochester, Ealhstan, +COENVVL - F RES m, L upside down and s retrograde (for x), crude draped bust right breaking inner circle, *rev.* +EALHZTAN MONETA around plain inner circle containing cross moline with pellet in each angle (Naismith R2.2b this coin; N.348; S.917), *flan slightly buckled and with outer circle crack at 1 o'clock and other tiny perforations along the creases, otherwise very fine***

£1,250-1,500

PROVENANCE:

Baldwin, auction 18, 13 October 1998, lot 1642  
 Christie's, 26 February 1991, lot 496  
 Found at Little Kimble, Bucks, Spring 1990  
 EMC 1989.0076 (n.b. finds in early 1990 are recorded in the 1989 listing)



x28

**Mercia, Coenwulf (796-821), Penny, 1.286g, 6h, large portrait type (c.810-822/23), Canterbury, Swefherd, + COENVVLF REX m, legend begins at 7 o'clock, diademed and draped bust right breaking solid inner circle, *rev.* + SVVEFHERD MONETA around solid inner circle containing cross fourchée with pellet in each angle (Naismith C43c this coin; N.353; S.916), some dark colour on the obverse, even tone on the reverse, good very fine, very rare**

£2,500-3,000

PROVENANCE:

Spink Australia, auction 27, 2 March 1989, lot 1240  
 Norweb, Spink auction 45, 13 June 1985, lot 24  
 R P Mack, private sale to Spink Lockett, Glendining, 6-9 June 1955, lot 373  
 Found at Blandford, Dorset before 1915 (*Inventory* 125)

*It is interesting to see that the grade of this coin was given as extremely fine in the Lockett catalogue in 1955 and very fine in the Norweb catalogue in 1985.*



x29

**Mercia, Coenwulf (796-821), Penny, 1.28g, 6h, large portrait type (c.810-822/23), Canterbury, Oba, COENVVLF - REX m, diademed and draped bust right breaking inner circle, *rev.* + OBA + MON + ETA around cross pattée with leaf shaped wedges in angles, all within a solid circle inside the beaded border (Naismith type C41.4 this coin not listed; N.355; S.916), toned, good very fine, extremely rare**

£2,500-3,000

PROVENANCE:

A Stein, Stack's, 9-10 December 1991, lot 1034

*Naismith lists only two coins of this type, both from the same reverse die, one in the British Museum, the other in the Lyon collection on deposit at the Fitzwilliam Museum. This third example is from different dies.*





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30 (x2)

x30

**Mercia, Coenwulf** (796-821), Penny, 1.36g, 12h, large portrait type (c.810-822/3), Canterbury, Dealla, +COENVVLF REX m, draped bust right, breaking solid inner circle, *rev.* +DEALLA MONETA, around solid inner circle containing cross-croset, pellet in angles (Naismith C38.3c this coin; N.356; S.916), *nicely toned, slight edge loss at top, otherwise extremely fine, rare*

£1,500-2,000

PROVENANCE:

CNG auction 7, 5 October 1991, lot 381  
 Spink Numismatic Circular, October 1989, no. 5342  
 Westminster School collection, Sotheby, 27 May 1976, lot 349  
 Delgany, Co. Wicklow, hoard (Sir John Evans, *Numismatic Chronicle* 1882, no. 1a)



31



31 (x2)

x31

**Mercia, Coenwulf** (796-821), Penny, 1.28g, 12h, large portrait type (c.800-821), East Anglian mint (Ipswich?), Lul, CONVVLV - REX m, retrograde N, R and m inverted, crude diademed bust right, bust extends below, but does not break, the plain inner circle, *rev.* +/l/v/L in angles of cross within large quatrefoil, three pellets with each L and rosettes of pellets in cusps (Naismith E10.2i this coin; N.363; S.919), *slight verdigris on obverse, toned, extremely fine, very rare*

£2,500-3,000

PROVENANCE:

Lawrence Stack, Sotheby, 22-23 April 1999, lot 311  
 John Dresser, Stack's, 4 May 1995, lot 2175  
 Spink Numismatic Circular, June 1947, no. 49784, EF £22.10/-  
 Lord Grantly, part 3, Glendining, 22-23 March 1944, lot 846  
 Spink Numismatic Circular, April 1913, no. 4078, £5.0.0.  
 Spink Numismatic Circular, October 1911, no. 91961, £7.0.0. (this item numbered 81961 in error)  
 Sir John Evans (duplicates) collection  
 Delgany, Co. Wicklow, hoard (Sir John Evans, *Numismatic Chronicle* 1882, no. 26)



32



32 (x2)

x32

**Mercia, Coenwulf** (796-821), Penny, 1.26g, 12h, large portrait type (c.800-821), East Anglian mint (Ipswich?), Wodel, + COENVVLF - REX m, lozenge shaped O, diademed and draped bust right breaking inner circle, stylised chevron shaped drapery, *rev.* PO/d/E/L, lozenge shaped O, in angles of beaded cross with annulets in beaded circles at centre and at each point (Naismith E13.1a this coin; N.369; S.920), *some small spots of black deposit on both sides, one or two scuffs but about extremely fine, very rare*

£2,000-2,500

PROVENANCE:

De Witt, Künker auction 137, 14 March 2008, lot 3039  
 Norweb, part 4, Spink auction 59, 17 June 1987, lot 1178  
 Lockett, part VII, Glendining, 4 November 1958, lot 2656  
 Roth, part II, Sotheby, 14 October 1918, lot 65  
 Crowther, Sotheby, 10 November 1904, lot 5  
 Montagu, part 1, Sotheby, 18-23 November 1895, lot 249  
 Brice, collection purchased by Montagu, 1887  
 Bergne, Sotheby, 20 May 1873, lot 64  
 Rev. Christmas, Sotheby, 1 February 1864, lot 27



33



33 (x2)

x33

**Mercia, Ceolwulf I** (821-823), Penny, 1.33g, 9h, portrait type (c.810-821), East Anglian mint (Ipswich?), Wodel, + CEOLVVLF - REX m, diademed and draped bust right of finer style, breaking solid inner circle, *rev.* ∴ POD/DEL MO/NETA, in three lines, divided by lines with crook at each end (BNJ 32 (1963), 32e this coin; Naismith E20.2e this coin; N.392; S.927), *a full round coin, tiny edge split at 3 o'clock, otherwise extremely fine, extremely rare*

£6,000-8,000

PROVENANCE:

Bruun Rasmussen, auction 764, 11 December 2006, lot 5413  
 Bagnall, collection sold to Spink Grantley, Glendining, 22-23 March 1944, lot 856  
 Montagu, part 1, Sotheby, 18-23 November 1895, lot 264  
 Brice, collection purchased by Montagu, 1887  
 Wigan, collection purchased by Rollin and Feuardent, 1872  
 Cuff, Sotheby, June - July 1854, lot 320



34



34 (x2)

x34

**Mercia, Beornwulf** (823-825), Penny, 1.43g, 12h, East Anglian mint, Eadnoth, +BEORNWULF REX, legend begins at 6 o'clock, bare head right, the stylised truncation breaking inner circle, *rev.* + E DNO MONET, around plain inner circle containing cross-crosslet (Naismith E23.c this coin; N.397; S.929), *extremely fine, very rare*

£6,000-8,000

PROVENANCE:

Linzalone, Stack's, 7 December 1994, lot 2337  
 Lockett, part VII, Glendinning, 4-6 November 1958, lot 2663, 'in beautiful state and excessively rare', £175 to Spink  
 Rashleigh, Sotheby, 28 June - 1 July 1909, lot 55, 'only specimen known of this moneyer'  
 Murchison, Sotheby, 28-30 May 1866, lot 96  
 Dymock, Sotheby, 1-4 June 1858, lot 64, £41 to Cureton  
 Joseph Barratt collection dispersed anonymously  
 Rich, Sotheby, 7-9 July 1828, lot 15, £8.10/6 to Young (for Barratt)  
 Dimsdale, Sotheby, 6-22 July 1824, lot 210, £10.15/- to Rich  
 Rodwell, Sotheby, 27 November 1821, lot 84, £11.0.6d to Dimsdale  
 Engleheart, Sotheby, 11 April 1820, lot 44, £11.11/- to Rodwell  
 From the Dorking, Surrey, hoard, 1817

*The Spink library copy of the Dimsdale catalogue has the following note against lot 210 'From the Dorking find. Bought by Mr Engleheart of a coachman.' (see also H Pagan, The Engleheart parcel of coins from the 1817 Dorking hoard, BNJ vol.68, 1998, pp. 141-142)*





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35 (x2)

x35

**Mercia, Ludica** (825-827), Penny, 1.19g, 6h, East Anglian mint, Werbald, + LVDICA REX ME, legend begins at 9 o'clock, diademed bust right, the beaded inner circle following the shape of the plain square truncation, *rev.* PER BALD MONE in three lines (Naismith E28.b this coin; N.398; S.931), *small edge chip and a little buckled, otherwise very fine and of the highest rarity*

£8,000-10,000

PROVENANCE:

Spink auction 106, 12 October 1994, lot 385

Found at Bradenham, near Dereham, Norfolk, June 1994 (EMC 1993.0183)

*This coin is listed by Naismith as type E28b, with the only other example being the coin in the Hunterian which is listed as E28a. This is due to the similarity of obverse legends and the virtually identical reverse type. When it comes to the portraits however, while the heads are similar, the draped bust of the Hunterian coin is very different to the square undraped truncation of this piece, and so they are not really the same type.*



36

36 (x2)

x36

**Mercia, Wiglaf** (second reign 830-840), Penny, 1.32g, 11h, London, Raedmund, + VVIGLAF REXm, around beaded circle containing a cross with pellet in each angle, *rev.* D/+REDMA/h, in three lines, the D and h in pelleted lunettes above and below (cf. Naismith L29.1 this coin not listed but see L29.1c same dies; N.401/1; S.934), *two slight edge chips, a little buckled and with some surface cracks both sides, otherwise good very fine, extremely rare*

£3,000-4,000

PROVENANCE:

Spink auction 119, 4 March 1997, lot 79  
 Found near Thame, Oxfordshire, March 1996



37

37 (x2)

x37

**Mercia, Berhtwulf** (840-852), Penny, 1.17g, 12h, London, Deneheah, + BERHTYLF REX, legend begins at 7 o'clock, diademed and draped bust right breaking inner circle, *rev.* + DENEHEAH, around circle containing cross with two limbs crosslet and two limbs moline (Booth 26; Naismith L35.1g this coin; cf. BMC 125 same dies; N.408; S.935), *small split on edge at 1 o'clock, extremely fine, very rare*

£5,000-6,000

PROVENANCE:

Linzone, Stack's, 7 December 1994, lot 2338  
 Mack, SCBI 20, no. 603, with his ticket Ryan, Glendining, 22-24 January 1952, lot 646, Walters, Sotheby, 26-30 May 1913, lot 29  
 Rashleigh, Sotheby, 21 June - 1 July 1909, lot 60  
 From the Trewiddle, Cornwall, hoard, found 8 November 1774



38

38 (x2)

x38

**Mercia, Berhtwulf** (840-852), Penny, 1.08g, 9h, London, Burnwald, + BERHTVLF REX, legend begins at 8 o'clock, diademed and draped bust right breaking inner circle, *rev.* + BVRNVVALD, around central circle containing alpha and omega monogram (Booth 77; Naismith L33.10a this coin; N.421; S.935), *minor striking faults, toned, good very fine, very rare*

£5,000-6,000

PROVENANCE:

Lawrence Stack, Sotheby, 22-23 April 1999, lot 323  
 Spink Numismatic Circular, October 1988, no. 6304  
 Found at Thetford, Norfolk, 1988 (MC 1999.1007)



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39 (x2)

x39

**Mercia, Burgred** (852-874), Penny, 1.19g, 3h, Duda, + BVRGRED REX, diademed and draped bust right breaking inner circle, type with lips omitted, *rev.* MON/+DVDA/·ETA, in three lines divided by two lines with curved ends (MacKay H1.16 this coin; N.426; S.942D), *almost extremely fine*

£500-600

PROVENANCE:

De Witt, Kunker 137, 11 March 2008, lot 3042  
 Spink Numismatic Circular, April 1071, no. 4291  
 Parsons, Glendining, 11 May 1954, lot 114 (part)  
 From the Gravesend, Kent hoard, 1838 (see inventory by Edward Hawkins in Numismatic Chronicle, vol. III (1841) pp. 14-34, in which a single coin with this reverse is described on page 20).  
 The O on the reverse is described by MacKay as 'O with cruciform spikes'. In the Hawkins inventory the same type of o is illustrated, and it is described as 'lozenge'





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40 (x2)

x40

**Mercia, Coelwulf II** (874-879?), Penny, 1.49g, 11h, London, Liofwald, CIOLVVL - F REX:, diademed and draped bust right, *rev.* LIOF/VA/LDM/ONET, the NE ligate, in arms of long beaded cross with lozenge centre containing smaller cross (BNJ 63, pl.VIII.7 (same dies); N.429; S.944), *metal flaw on neck, good extremely fine, extremely rare*

£1,200-1,500

PROVENANCE:

Spink auction 119, 4 March 1997, lot 80  
‘Recently found in Buckinghamshire’

**KINGS OF EAST ANGLIA**



41

41 (x2)

x41

**East Anglia, Eadwald** (c.796-798), Penny, 1.17g, 12h, Circumscription type, Eadnoth, + E.A.D.A.AFDRE around small plain cross, trefoils of pellets in angles, *rev.* E/AD/N/OD, retrograde N and lozenge O, in angles of beaded cross within quatrefoil (cf. Naismith E2.2 this coin not listed but same dies as 2.2b; N.-, but see 432 for reverse; S.947A), *buckled and straightened, slightly ragged edge, very fine, extremely rare*

£2,000-2,500

PROVENANCE:

Purchased from Spink, January 1992



42



42 (x2)

x42

**East Anglia, Aethelstan I** (c.825-845), Penny, 1.3g, 3h, portrait type, 1.3g, 9h, Eadgar, :EPELSTAN RE:, legend starts at 7 o'clock, diademed and draped bust right breaking inner circle, *rev.* + EA/.DG.AR MONE/.T.A. in four lines (Naismith E29.1a this coin; SCBI Norweb 106 this coin; N.438; S.949), *extremely fine, very rare*

£8,000-10,000

PROVENANCE:

Linzalone, Stack's, 7 December 1994, lot 2342  
 Norweb, part 1, Spink auction 45, 13 June 1985, lot 30  
 Bagnall, collection purchased by Spink in 1964  
 Lockett, part VII, Glendining, 4-6 November 1958, lot 2671, 'in a beautiful state and excessively rare with bust', £200  
 Bascom, Sotheby, 4 June 1914, lot 25  
 Rashleigh, Sotheby, 21 June 1909, lot 110  
 Cuff, Sotheby, 8 June 1854, lot 349, 'extremely rare', £17.10/- to Rashleigh Rich,  
 Sotheby, 7-9 July 1828, lot 21  
 Naismith comments 'probably Suffolk hoard.'  
 This coin is accurately illustrated in both Ruding, *Annals of the Coinage of Britain*, plate C, no. 3 and Hawkins, *Silver Coins of England*, pl. XIV, no. 190.



43

43 (x2)

x43

**East Anglia, Aethelstan I** (c.825-845), Penny, 1.305g, 9h, non portrait type, Monna, AEPELSEA RE, S on its side and E for T, around cross within beaded circle, *rev.* MON MONET around cross within beaded circle, no initial cross and no pellets in angles of cross on either side (Naismith E45.4b this coin; cf. N.446.3; S.951), *good very fine, extremely rare*

£1,500-2,000

PROVENANCE:

Purchased from Baldwin, May 1995  
 Spink Numismatic Circular, June 1989, no. 3208



44



44 (x2)

x44

**East Anglia, Aethelstan I** (c.825-845), Penny, 1.40g, 3h, ship type, Eadgar, + EBLSTAN REX around ship, the initial cross is positioned at the mast head, *rev.* +EA+/dGA in two lines divided by X R between two plain bars (Naismith E29.4 this coin; N.449/2 and plate 6 no. 26 this coin; S.952A), *very fine, unique*

£15,000-20,000

PROVENANCE:

Purchased from Spink, May 1992

*One other Penny of Aethelstan with a ship on the obverse is recorded, see Marion Archibald, 'A ship-type of Athelstan I of East Anglia' in BNJ 52 (1982), pp. 34-40. The other example, discovered at West Harling in 1977, was folded when found, and broke into two pieces during the attempt to flatten it. It was subsequently acquired by the Castle Museum, Norwich.*

*'The obverse type of a ship is clearly derived from the similar vessels shown on the reverses of the rare Carolingian deniers of Charlemagne, 768-814 and Louis the Pious, 814-840, struck at Dorestadt (M&G 105 and 330) and Quentovic (M&G 121a and 351), the important trading posts at the mouths of the Rhine and Canche respectively. The issues of Charlemagne are less likely to have provided the model since the ships in the two known examples are consistent in being rudderless, with single ropes springing from fairly close to the base of the mast. The shape and fittings of the Aethelstan ship are most closely paralleled on coins of Louis the Pious from Dorestadt (e.g. M&G pl. XI, 330), which are in fact the only Carolingian deniers to have survived, and, presumably, to have been struck, in any numbers. It may be noted that the oars shown on the ultimate Roman prototype and reproduced on the Carolingian dies as oars and/or waves are lacking on this English example. The ship type was introduced some time during the last years of Charlemagne and although the issues of Louis the Pious cannot be dated precisely, they are securely attributed to early in his reign. At what stage the English copy appeared is difficult to assess. The ship type itself demonstrates the long interval that can divide a coin design from its prototype, but it is most probable that the English coin was produced while the Carolingian ship-type was still a significant presence in the circulating medium of the Frankish kingdom and its trading neighbours. This was during the earlier part of the reign of Louis the Pious before the ship type, with its predecessors and contemporaries, became heavily outnumbered in circulation by the large issues of two-line and temple types made during his middle and later years. Some examples did however survive long enough to be included in hoards buried into the early 840s. The date of the other group of imitations of the Carolingian ship type, produced in Scandinavia, is equally difficult to resolve; while some scholars would prefer a later date, Professor Malmer, who has made the most detailed recent study of the question, places their issue c. 825. Thus, although the date of the ship type must remain open, production earlier rather than later in Aethelstan's reign seems more probable.'*

*The reverse, with the moneyer's name Eadgar in two lines with the final letter R in the centre next to an X, and the use of miniscule for the letters D and G, is very reminiscent of the reverses, including those by the moneyer Eadgar, on the later coins of Coenwulf and Ceolwulf and also those of Beornwulf.*





45



45 (x2)

x45

**East Anglia, Aethelweard** (c.845-855), Penny, 1.34g, 9h, Eadmund, +AEDLVVEAED REX (sic), around inner beaded circle containing large A, *rev.* + EADMVND MO, the O is runic, three pellets at end of legend, around inner beaded circle containing cross with pellets in angles (cf. Naismith E50 this coin not listed but same dies as e = SCBI 4 (Copenhagen) 98; N.450; S.953), *extremely fine, very rare, with the error in the king's name*

£3,000-4,000

PROVENANCE:

Linzalone, Stack's, 7 December 1994, lot 2344



46



46 (x2)

x46

**East Anglia, Saint Edmund** (855-869), Penny, 1.36g, 6h, early phase (c.855-870), Beornferth, + EADMVND REX AN, around beaded inner circle containing three crosses on single stem, *rev.* BEORNFERÐ MO, around beaded inner circle containing cross with pellets in angles (Naismith E56.1h this coin; N.459; S.955), *almost extremely fine, rare*

£1,200-1,500

PROVENANCE:

Spink auction 82, 27 March 1991, lot 94

Norweb, part 4, Spink auction 59, 17 June 1987, lot 1180

Brand, collection dispersed after 1932

Ready, Sotheby, 15 November 1920, lot 42

Astronomer, Sotheby, 11-12 June 1906, lot 110

Bateman, Sotheby, 4 May 1893, lot 266

Cuff, Sotheby, 8 June - 3 July 1854, lot 330

*Illustrated in Ruding, Annals of the Coinage, plate 9 no. 4, where the obverse is depicted upside-down EMC 1016.0111*

**KINGS OF WESSEX**



x47

Wessex, **Ecgberht** (802-839), Penny, 1.30g, 6h, Canterbury, Osmund, + ECGBEAR - HT REX, diademed and draped bust right breaking plain inner circle, *rev.* + OSMVND MONETA, legend begins at 9 o'clock, NE ligate, around monogram of DOROB C, four pellets around, all within plain inner circle (Naismith C86g this coin; N.573; S.1033), *a slight scrape on the obverse and a few striking cracks, otherwise good very fine, very rare*

£2,500-3,000

PROVENANCE:

Spink Numismatic Circular, November 1994, no. 7134



x48

Wessex, **Ecgberht** (802-839), Penny, 1.39g, 9h, Rochester, Dunun, + ECGBEORHT REX, legend begins at 9 o'clock, diademed bust right within plain inner circle, *rev.* + DYNYN MONETA, NE ligate, cross potent within plain inner circle (Naismith R12.2c this coin; N.576; S.1039), *dark tone, extremely fine, very rare*

£3,000-4,000

PROVENANCE:

Lawrence Stack, Sotheby, 22 April 1999, lot 389

Glendining, 27 May 1987, lot 361

Lockett, part VIII, Glendining, 4-6 November 1958, lot 2687, £82 to Spink

Found at Blandford, Dorset, before 1915

Discussed by Lockett in the *Numismatic Chronicle* XV (1915), pp. 336-344, and this coin illustrated on plate XVII no.5



49

49 (x2)

x49

**Wessex, Aethelwulf (839-858), Penny, 1.358g, 9h, non portrait type, Canterbury, Herebeald, + EDELVVLF REX, around cross pattée over cross saltire in solid inner circle, rev. + HEREBEALD MONET, legend begins at 9 o'clock, around SAX/ONIO/RVM in three lines within solid inner circle (N.596; S.1044), *very fine, rare***

£1,200-1,500

PROVENANCE:

Spink Numismatic Circular, April 1991, no. 1794  
Lockett, part VII, Glendining, 4-6 November 1958, lot 2695



50

50 (x2)

x50

**Wessex, Aethelwulf (839-858), Penny, 1.24g, 9h, Canterbury, Daegheah, + EDELVVLF REX, diademed and draped bust right breaking beaded inner circle, rev. + DEIHEAH MONETA, NE ligate, around cross crosslet within beaded inner circle (Naismith C107.2k this coin; N.610; S.1047), *small flan perforation at edge by x, otherwise good very fine***

£1,200-1,500

PROVENANCE:

Purchased from M Roberts May 1991  
Noble, Glendining, 11 December 1975, lot 380  
SCMB November 1973, no. H3909  
SCMB June 1973, no. H3606  
SCMB April 1973, no. H3520  
Drabble, Glendining, 4-6 July 1939, lot 371, illustrated  
Dr Alexander, Glendining, 12-13 June 1929, lot 240 (part)





51



51 (x2)

x51

**Wessex, Aethelwulf** (839-858), Penny, 1.36g, 9h, phase 4, Inscribed Cross type, Canterbury, Hunbearht, + AEDELVVLF REX, daped bust right breaking beaded inner circle, *rev.* + HVNBEA RHTMO on limbs of beaded cross, NETA in angles, NB and HT ligatured (Naismith C144.i this coin; N.618; S.1051), *good very fine, toned, rare*

£2,000-2,500

PROVENANCE:

Sotheby, 23 May 1988, lot 310  
Purchased from Baldwin, 20 February 1962



52



52 (x2)

x52

**Wessex, Aethelberht** (858-865/6), Penny, 1.10g, 6h, Floriated Cross type, Canterbury, Torthmund, + AEDELBEARHT REX, legend begins at 7 o'clock, HT ligate, diademed and draped bust right breaking beaded inner circle, *rev.* + TORHTMVND MONETA around beaded inner circle containing cross fleury with leaf shaped wedges in angles (Naismith C217.c this coin: N.621: S.1054), *edge chip at 9 o'clock, otherwise extremely fine, very rare*

£3,000-4,000

PROVENANCE:

Lawrence Stack, Sotheby, 22 April 1999, lot 407  
Spink Numismatic Circular, November 1989, no. 5908  
Dupree, collection dispersed through Spink during 1980s  
Duke of Argyll, collection purchased by Spink, 1949  
Grantley, part III, Glendining, 22-23 March 1944, lot 991, illustrated  
Montagu, part I, Sotheby, 18-23 November 1895, lot 503, £9 to Rollin & Feuardent  
Addington, collection purchased by Montagu in 1883  
Bergne, Sotheby, 20-30 May 1873, lot 147  
Murchison, Sotheby, 28-30 May 1866, lot 166  
Dymock, Sotheby, 1-4 June 1858, lot 112 £9 to Cureton  
Cuff, Sotheby, 8 June - 5 July 1854, lot 444, £7 to Cureton (for Dymock)

*It is interesting to note that Lord Grantley had thirteen coins of Aethelberht. At his sale the other twelve were lotted in pairs and the coins fetched on average between one and two pounds each. This coin, the only one offered individually, was illustrated, and sold for £35.*





x53

Wessex, **Aethelred I** (865/6-871), Penny, 1.23g, 9h, Lunettes type, Canterbury, Herebeald, + AEDĒLRED - REX, legend begins at 9 o'clock, diademed and draped bust, with bonnet, right breaking solid inner circle, *rev.* HEREBEA in one line between lunettes containing LDMO above and NETA below, HE and NE ligate (cf. BMC 8; cf. Lyons & MacKay Ae2.75 and Ae2.76; N.622; S.1055), *tiny spots of verdigris, good very fine/very fine, very rare, only two other coins by this moneyer listed by Lyons & MacKay*

£2,500-3,000

PROVENANCE:

Purchased from M Roberts, 20 May 1991



x54

Wessex, **Alfred** (871-899), Penny, 1.28g, 7h, Cross Lozenge (Ceolwulf) type, uncertain mint, Regingild, + ÆLFRED REX SAX, legend starts at 7 o'clock, diademed and draped bust right, no inner circle, *rev.* REGI/NGIL/DMO/NETA, the Ns reversed, in the angles of a long cross with large central lozenge containing a small cross saltire with pellets in angles (Blackburn & Keynes 56 this coin; Haigh, 'Coins of Alfred', p. 25, no. 20 and pl.2, 10 this coin; SCBI Mack 732 this coin; N.629; S.1058), *a remarkable portrait of very distinctive style, ragged edge but good very fine, the only known example of this type*

£4,000-5,000

PROVENANCE:

Linzalone, Stack's, 7 December 1994, lot 2352

Mack, with his ticket

Ryan, part 2, Glendining, 22-24 January 1952, lot 713, 'excessively rare'

Carlyon-Britton, Sotheby, 17-21 November 1913, lot 339, 'of the highest rarity, especially reading SAX on the obverse.'

Rashleigh, Sotheby, 21 June - 1 July, 1909, lot 224

Cuff, Sotheby, 8 June - 5 July 1854, lot 453, to Webster

*See Hawkins 'An account of some Saxon pennies, and othe articles, found at Sevington, North Wilts' in Archaeologia 27 (1883), referring to a Cross and Lozenge coin of Alfred in Mr Cuff's collection before the discovery of the Cuerdale hoard. See Ruding, 'Annals of the Coinage', third edition (1840), supplementary plate c, no.17, for an accurate drawing of this coin. The relative merits of various collections of engraved plates of coins are discussed by Hawkins in his introduction to 'Silver coins of England', 1841, and he observes 'The additional plates included in the edition of Ruding of 1840, are fully entitled to the confidence of the collector.'*



x55

**Wessex, Alfred (871-899), Penny, 12h, Two Line type, London, Cuthbert, + EL FR ED RE around small cross pattée with pellets in angles within solid inner circle, rev. CVDB ERHT in two lines, divided by central pellet and two groups of three pellets to left and right (N.636; S.1066), good very fine**

£1,500-2,000

PROVENANCE:

Purchased from Baldwin, November 1991



56



56 (x2)

x56

**Wessex, Alfred (871-899), Penny, 1.56g, 9h, Portrait/London Monogram type (c.886-888), London, Tilewine, ÆLFR - ED RE +, legend begins at 7 o'clock, diademed and draped bust right, no inner circle, rev. London monogram, TILEWINE above, MONETA below, NES ligate, groups of five pellets at sides and groups of six pellets above and below (SCBI 48 (Northern Museums) 589 same dies, also same obverse die as SCBI 2 (Glasgow), 578, SCBI 11 (Reading) 43, and SCBI 39 (Berlin), 155; Dolley and Blunt 1961, pl. 9, no. 9 again same obverse die; N.646; S.1062), a very pleasing refined portrait, extremely fine, very rare**

£8,000-10,000

PROVENANCE:

Spink auction 82, 27 March 1991, lot 96

Spink Numismatic Circular, December 1988, no. 7796, 'a superb portrait coin, in our opinion the finest known from this combination of dies'

Sotheby, 20 September 1988, lot 608

*"The obvious historical occasion for this noble coinage would have been Alfred's military occupation of London in 886, a conscious turning-point in English history, and certainly this date is far from being inconsistent with the numismatic evidence. Two distinct phases of issue may be detected. The earlier and more prolific coins omit the name of the moneyer, but on a few late pieces there appears the name TILEWINE. Presumably it was intended to increase the size of the issue - though coins of this type purporting to be by other moneyers are all Danelaw imitations - but the idea was abandoned with the introduction of a 'Non-portrait' type so that these coins can be dated with considerable precision."* Dolley and Blunt, 'The Chronology of the Coins of Alfred the Great', in *Anglo-Saxon Coins*, 1961, p.83.



57

57 (x2)

x57

**Wessex, Alfred** (871-899), Halfpenny, 0.56g, 3h, two Line (Guthrum) type, Canterbury, Buce, + ERNV DOROE, the V an upside down A, the Os lozenge shaped, around small cross pattée, *rev.* BVE E(MN)O in two lines, again the V an upside down A and the O lozenge shaped, the MN are ligate (N.640; S.1068; see the discussion by Hawkins, Numismatic Chronicle, vol. V, pl. III, 29), *good very fine, very rare*

£3,000-4,000

PROVENANCE:

Purchased from Spink, August 1992  
 Grantley, part 3, Glendining, 22-23 March 1944, lot 1025, illustrated, 'very fine and extremely rare', £21 to Baldwin  
 Murdoch, part 1, Sotheby, 31 March - 4 April 1903, lot 93, illustrated, 'extremely fine and excessively rare'  
 Montagu, part 1, Sotheby, 18-23 November 1895, lot 516  
 Shepherd, Sotheby, 22 July 1885, lot 76  
 Murchison, Sotheby, 28-30 May 1866, lot 215



58

58 (x2)

x58

**Wessex, Alfred** (871-899), Halfpenny, 0.50g, 6h, London monogram type, ELF - RED, diademed and draped bust left, cloak decorated with rows of pellets, *rev.* Londinia monogram, groups of three pellets above and below (N.466; S.1063), *very fine, extremely rare with left facing bust*

£5,000-6,000

PROVENANCE:

Purchased from Spink, June 1991



59

59 (x2)

x59

**Wessex, Edward the Elder** (899-924), Penny, 1.56g, 1h, Two Line type, Ealhstan, + EADVVEARD REX, around small cross pattée in solid inner circle, *rev.* EALHS-TAN MO in two lines divided by three small crosses pattée, groups of three pellets above and below (N.649; S.1087), *surfaces somewhat rough but very fine*

£600-800

PROVENANCE:

Colonial Rare Coins, 21 November 1994, lot 129





x60

**Wessex, Edward the Elder (899-924), Penny, 1.59g, 9h, West Mercian mint, Cuthbert, + EADVVEARD REX, legend begins at 4 o'clock, diademed and draped bust right, within solid inner circle, rev. CVDB ERHTO in two lines divided by +++, trefoils of pellets above and below (CTCE pl 4. no. 7 this coin; SCBI 16 (Norweb) 147 = same dies; N.651; S.1084), extremely fine, toned**

£4,000-5,000

PROVENANCE:

Noble Numismatics auction 53, 9 April 1997, lot 53  
 Linzalone, Stack's, 7-8 December 1994, lot 2357  
 Lockett, part X, Glendining, 26-27 April 1960, lot 3658, £54  
 Captain Douglas, collection sold c.1912

*Cuthbert was one of five West Mercian moneyers who had previously worked for Alfred. The central ornaments on the late Alfred coins was trefoil-pellet-trefoil, and under Edward cross-pellet-cross was also used and in fact became the norm. It is possible that these two central combinations were deliberately intended to identify West Mercian minting at the turn of the century. (Blunt, Stewart & Lyon, 'Coinage in Tenth Century England', p.35)*



x61

**Wessex, Edward the Elder (899-924), Penny, 1.65g, 3h, portrait type, London, Igere, + EADVVEARD REX, diademed and draped bust left within solid inner circle, rev. IGEREII MONETA in two lines divided by three crosses, trefoils of pellets above and below (BMC VII, 6; SCBI 20 (Mack), 752 this coin; N.651; S.1084), a spot of verdigris in the first v, some details weak but overall extremely fine, with an attractive old tone typical of the Vatican hoard**

£3,000-4,000

PROVENANCE:

Purchased from M Roberts  
 Lockett, part X, Glendining, 26-27 April 1960, lot 3654, 'extremely fine and rare', £42  
 Vatican hoard, c. 1929 (BNJ XXXIII 1964, pp. 7-29), no. 441





62



62 (x2)

x62

**Wessex, Edward the Elder (899-924)**, Penny, 1.67g, 3h, North Western mint, Eadmund, + EADVVEARD REX, around small cross pattée within solid inner circle, *rev.* EADM VN-D+ divided by reliquary or church tower (BSL 320A,a this coin; SCBI 16 (Norweb), no. 151 this coin; N.666; S.1083), *extremely fine, attractively toned, very rare*

£8,000-10,000

PROVENANCE:

Davisson auction 13, 2 May 2000, lot 13  
 Lawrence Stack, Sotheby, 22-23 April 1999, lot 458  
 Norweb, part IV, Spink auction 59, 17 June 1987, lot 1189  
 Lockett, part I, 6-9- June 1955, lot 527, £78 to Spink  
 Carlyon-Britton, Sotheby, 17-21 November 1913, lot 372  
 Murdoch, part I, Sotheby, 31 March - 4 April 1903, lot 99  
 Boyne, part I, Sotheby, 21-31 January 1896, lot 1141  
 Murchison, Sotheby, 28-30 May 1866, lot 239  
 Dymock, Sotheby, 1-4 June 1858, lot 126  
 Earl of Pembroke, Sotheby, 31 July -19 August 1848, lot 38

**KINGS OF ALL ENGLAND**



x63

**Kings of All England, Aethelstan (924/5-939), Penny, 1.605g, 3h, Crowned Bust type, Norwich, Hrothgar, + ÆDELSTAN REX, crowned and draped bust right breaking solid inner circle, rev. + HRODGAR MO NORPIC, around small cross pattée in solid inner circle (SCBI 30 (America), 337 this coin; same obverse die as SCBI 34 (British Museum) 143 = BMC 74; N.675; S.1095), surface lightly scratched by forehead, otherwise good very fine, very rare**

£2,500-3,000

PROVENANCE:

Norweb, part 3, Spink auction 56, 19 November 1986, lot 785  
 Purchased from Spink, April 1969  
 From an old European hoard dispersed via J Schulman, Amsterdam



x64

**Kings of All England, Aethelstan (924/5-939), Penny, 1.47g, 12h, Northumbrian issue, York, Wyltsig, +XX AEDLSTAN REM, around small cross within solid inner circle, rev. tower above a straight horizontal line dividing the field, annulets to left and right, PVLISIG, retrograde, below (SCBI 16 (Norweb) no. 153 this coin; N.683; S.1100), extremely fine, with an attractive old tone, very rare**

£5,000-6,000

PROVENANCE:

Spink auction 81, 19 November 1990, lot 71  
 Norweb, part IV, Spink auction 59, 17 June 1987, lot 1191  
 Lockett, part I, Glendining, 6-9 June 1955, lot 556 'in beautiful condition and very rare', £50 to Spink  
 Reynolds, Sotheby, 4 May 1914, lot 56



65



65 (x2)

x65

**Kings of All England, Aethelstan (924/5-939), Penny, 1.29g, 1h, York, Regnald, + AEDLSTAN REXX, around small cross pattée, pellets in second and third quarters, all within a solid inner circle, rev. tower above a straight horizontal line dividing the fields, EB - OR/AC - AC in two lines at sides, REGNALD/MON in two lines below, trefoils of pellets either side of MON and small cross below (BSL pl. 7, 24 this coin; cf. Blunt and Stewart, *Numismatic Chronicle* 1983, pp. 146-163, and pl. 23 no.B7 this coin; N.684; S.1101), traces of ghosting on the obverse, extremely fine, attractively toned, very rare**

£5,000-6,000

PROVENANCE:

Lawrence Stack, Sotheby, 22-23 April 1999, lot 468  
 Sotheby, 28 May 1987, lot 332 (one of four coins from the Bossall/Flaxton hoard - 'The Property of a Gentleman')

*The Bossall-Flaxton hoard, discovered in October 1807, contained about 300 Anglo-Saxon Pennies. The coins were dispersed, and many have been traced in 19th century collections. The present coin is from a small group from the hoard acquired by Samuel Birchall (1761-1814), a wool stapler from Leeds and a keen token collector. He issued a Leeds Halfpenny token in 1795.*



66



66 (x2)

x66

**Kings of All England, Eadmund (939-946)**, Penny, 3h, Two Line type, North Western mint, Dorulf, EADMVND REX, around small cross pattée within solid inner circle, *rev.* DORV LFEM in two lines divided by three small crosses, rosettes of pellets above and below (N.691; S.1105), *good very fine*

£800-1,000

PROVENANCE:

Spink Numismatic Circular, December 1990, no. 7560



67



67 (x2)

x67

**Kings of All England, Eadmund (939-946)**, Penny, 1.66g, 12h, Bust Crowned type, Ergimbalt, + EADMVND RE, legend begins at 9 o'clock, diademed and draped bust right, breaking solid inner circle, *rev.* + ERGIMBALT MONETA, around small cross pattée (N.697; S.1106), *toned, very fine*

£2,500-3,000

PROVENANCE:

Superior auction, 11 December 1992, lot 1388

Lockett, part 1, 6-9 June 1955, lot 587

Drabble, Glendining, 4-6 July 1939, lot 418

Carlyon Britton

Montagu, part 1, Sotheby, 18-23 November 1895, lot 659





68

68 (x2)

x68

**Kings of All England, Eadred (946-955), Penny, 1.38g, 3h, Bust Crowned type, Wilebert, + EADRED REX, legend begins at 9 o'clock, crowned and draped bust right, extending beyond solid inner circle, *rev.* + WVILEBERT NONET around small cross pattée in solid inner circle (SCBI 16 (Norweb) 162 this coin; SCBI 2 (Glasgow) 665 same dies; cf. Chester hoard 257; N.713; S.1115), *very fine, rare***

£2,500-3,000

PROVENANCE:

Glendining, 8 September 1993, lot 428  
 Norweb, part 3, Spink auction 56, 19 November 1986, lot 787  
 Purchased from New Netherlands, April 1953  
 Duke of Argyll, collection purchased by Spink, 1949  
 Drabble, Glendining, 13 December 1943, lot 852  
 Mann, Sotheby, 29 October 1917, lot 60  
 Bliss, Sotheby, 22 March 1916, lot 96  
 Montagu, part 1, Sotheby, 18-23 November 1895, lot 681



69

69 (x2)

x69

**Kings of All England, Eadred (946-955), Halfpenny, 0.48g, 9h, Two Line type, Pigelm, + EADRED RE around small cross in solid inner circle, *rev.* PIGEL/MO in two lines divided by three crosses, rosettes above and below (CTCE -; N.721.1; S.1120), *surface slightly rough, otherwise good very fine/good fine, very rare***

£1,500-2,000

PROVENANCE:

Spink Numismatic Circular, December 1991, no.7969

**KINGS OF ENGLAND**



70



70 (x2)

x70

**Kings of All England, Eadgar (959-975), Penny, 1.31g, 12h, Bedford, Forthgar, + EADGAR REX, legend begins at 9 o'clock, crowned and draped bust right, breaking solid inner circle, *rev.* + FORDGAR MONETA BE, around small cross in solid inner circle (CTCE 346 this coin; SCBI 30 (American), 389 same dies; SCBI 2 (Glasgow), 710 same obverse die; N.751; S.1139), *good very fine, very rare, this moneyer not represented in the British Museum in this very rare type***

£3,000-4,000

PROVENANCE:

Noble Numismatics auction 50, 21 March 1996, lot 2538  
 Norweb, part 4, Spink auction 59, 17 June 1987, lot 1198  
 Lockett, part 1, 6-9 June 1955, lot 628, £44 to Spink  
 Carlyon-Britton (not in sale)  
 Astronomer, Sotheby, 11-12 June 1906, lot 196  
 Montagu, part 1, Sotheby, 18-23 November 1895, lot 711, £4.12/- to Money  
 Marsham, Sotheby, 19 November 1888, lot 187



71



71 (x2)

x71

**Kings of All England, Eadgar (959-975), Halfpenny, 0.55g, 12h, EADG+AR RE, legend begins at 8 o'clock, around simple head right, no inner circle, bust decorated with row of pellets, *rev.* Londinia monogram, cross above, pyramid of six pellets below (SCBI 34 (British Museum) 1172 = CTCE pl 25 no. 394 same dies; N.753; S.1140B), *extremely fine, extremely rare***

£2,500-3,000

PROVENANCE:

Purchased from Spink, December 1991

*Another case of harking back, this time to the coinage of Alfred, is provided by a unique halfpenny (type f, pl.25, no.394), from the same (Chester 1950) hoard which has as obverse type a crowned head and as reverse type the London monogram familiar from Alfred's coinage. There is no inner circle on the obverse, and the legend, which begins at 8 o'clock, is curiously broken at 12 o'clock by what would normally be an initial cross: EADG+ARRE. (Blunt, Stewart & Lyon, *Coins of Tenth Century England*, p.204)*



72

72 (x2)

x72

**Kings of All England, Eadgar (959-975)**, Halfpenny, 0.48g, 6h, Floral type, + EADGAR REX around small cross in solid inner circle, *rev.* double floral spray on a solid horizontal line which divides the field, letters N-D beneath each spray, AELFSTAN and a rosette of pellets below (N.762 but this moneyer not noted; S.1140), *two edge chips, otherwise good very fine, very rare*

£1,500-2,000

PROVENANCE:

Baldwin, auction 9, 8 October 1996, lot 1785

Found in discarded soil from river dredging at Bath, 1973



73



73 (x2)

x73

**Edward the Martyr (975-978)**, Penny, 1.45g, 12h, sole type, Stanford, Cnape, + EADPARD REX ANGL, diademed and draped bust left, within solid inner circle, *rev.* + CNAPE MO STANF, around small cross pattée in solid inner circle (SCBI 20 (Mack) 815 this coin; N.763; S.1142), *extremely fine, very rare*

£5,000-6,000

PROVENANCE:

Mack, portion of collection sold privately through Spink

Duke of Argyll, collection purchased *en bloc* by Spink after 1949



74



74 (x2)

x74

**Aethelred II** (978-1016), Penny, 1.28g, 1h, First Small Cross type, York, Oda, + ÆDELRED REX ANGL, diademed and draped bust left, within solid inner circle, *rev.* + ODA MO EFERPIC, around small cross pattée in solid inner circle (N.764; S.1143), *a little off-centre otherwise extremely fine with a strong portrait, very rare*

£2,500-3,000

PROVENANCE:

Spink auction 81, 19 November 1990, lot 76  
Lockett, part X, Glendining, 26-27 April 1960, lot 3717

*NB Spink catalogue says Bagnall and Oakham (Rutland) hoard, but Lockett catalogue says Carlyon-Britton collection*



75



75 (x2)

x75

**Aethelred II** (978-1016), Penny, 1.50g, 3h, First Hand type, London, Wulfmaer, + ÆDELRED REX ANGLOX, the last letter runic, diademed and draped bust right within solid inner circle, *rev.* + PVLFMÆR M-O LVNDONI, around Hand of Providence between alpha and omega (N.766; S.1144), *small edge loss at 5 o'clock, good very fine*

£500-600

PROVENANCE:

Sotheby, 22 March 1990, lot 374





x76

**Aethelred II** (978-1016), Penny, 1.68g, 9h, Benediction Hand type, Norwich, Lefwine, + ÆDELRED REX ANGLO, draped bust right, sceptre in front, within solid inner circle, *rev.* + LEFINC MO NORD, Benediction hand (N.769; S.1147), *peck marks, extremely fine*

£3,000-4,000

PROVENANCE:

Baldwin auction 18, 2 October 1998, lot 1695



x77

**Aethelred II** (978-1016), Penny, 1.75g, 12h, Long Cross type, Axbridge, Aelfnoth, + ÆDELRED REX ANGLOR, NG and OR ligate, draped bust left, no inner circle, bust divides legend, *rev.* + ÆLF NOÐ MƆO AXA, voided long cross (F E Jones, *The Mint of Axbridge*, BNJ XXX (1960), p 67,1, pl VI, 12 (same dies); N.774; S.1151), *some light surface cracks on reverse, good very fine and attractively toned, extremely rare*

£4,000-5,000

PROVENANCE:

Conte, CNG auction 60, 22 May 2002, lot 2170  
Peter Spink collection



78



78 (x2)

x78

**Aethelred II** (978-1016), Penny, 1.74g, 3h, Long Cross type, Bridport, Eadnoth, + ÆDEL RÆD REX ANGLOR, draped bust left, no inner circle, bust divides legend, *rev.* + EAD/NOÐ/MƆO/BRY, voided long cross (SCBI 7 (Copenhagen) 35 same dies; N.774; S.1151), *good very fine*

£1,000-1,200

PROVENANCE:

Purchased from Baldwin, July, 2014



79



79 (x2)

x79

**Aethelred II** (978-1016), Penny, 1.66g, 6h, Long Cross type, Huntingdon, Aelfric, + ÆDEL RÆD REX ANGLOR, NG ligate, draped bust left, no inner circle, bust divides legend, *rev.* + ÆL/FRIC/MON/VNT, voided long cross (N.774; S.1151), *old cabinet tone, extremely fine*

£300-400

PROVENANCE:

Purchased from Dolphin Coins, September 1995  
Arnot, BDW auction 11, 21 March 1995, lot 143  
Oman, Christie's, 31 October 1972



80



80 (x2)

x80

**Aethelred II** (978-1016), Penny, 1.67g, 6h, Long Cross type, Lydford, Aelfstan, + ÆDEL RÆD REX ANGLOR, NG ligate, draped bust left, no inner circle, bust divides legend, *rev.* + ÆLF/STAN/MƆO/LYDA, voided long cross (N.774; S.1151), *peck marks, about extremely fine, toned*

£300-400

PROVENANCE:

Purchased from Baldwin, July 1994



81

81 (x2)

x81

**Aethelred II** (978-1016), Penny, 1.67g, 6h, Long Cross type, Milborne Port, Aethelric, +ÆDEL RÆD REX ANGLOR, NG ligate, draped bust left, no inner circle, bust divides legend, *rev.* + ÆD ELRI CMΩO MYLE, voided long cross (SCBI 7 (Copenhagen) 999 same dies; N.774; S.1151), *good very fine, very rare*

£4,000-5,000

PROVENANCE:

Purchased from Baldwin, July 1994



82

82 (x2)

x82

**Aethelred II** (978-1016), Penny, 1.72g, 6h, Long Cross type, Oxford, Athelmaer, +ÆDEL RÆD REX ANGLOR around diademed and draped bust left, *rev.* + ÆDE/LMER/MΩO/OXIIA, voided long cross (N.774; S.1151), *extremely fine*

£500-600

PROVENANCE:

Stack's Coin Galleries, 12 July 2000, lot 278



83

83 (x2)

x83

**Aethelred II** (978-1016), Penny, 1.73g, 3h, Long Cross type, Shaftesbury, Goda, +ÆDEL RÆD REX ANGLOR, NG ligate, draped bust left, no inner circle, bust divides legend, *rev.* + GO/DAM/ΩOS/CEFT, voided long cross (N.774; S.1151), *extremely fine, rare*

£400-500

PROVENANCE:

Spink Numismatic Circular, May 1993, no. 2602  
 Doubleday, Glendining, 6 October 1987, lot 435  
 Lawrence, Glendining, 14 March 1951, lot 258





84



84 (x2)

x84

**Aethelred II** (978-1016), Penny, 1.73g, 3h, Long Cross type, Warminster, Alfvold, + ÆDELRED REX ANGLO, NG ligate, draped bust left, no inner circle, bust divides legend, *rev.* + ALF/POLD/MΩO/PORI, voided long cross (SCBI 7 (Copenhagen) 1443 same dies; N.774; S.1151), *peck mark, extremely fine, attractively toned, rare*

£1,000-1,250

PROVENANCE:

Purchased from Baldwin, May 1992  
Fred Baldwin collection  
W C Wells collection



85



85 (x2)

x85

**Aethelred II** (978-1016), Penny, 1.29g, 11h, Last Small Cross type, Thetford, Wulfnoth, + EDELRED REX ANGLO, diademed and draped bust left, within solid inner circle, *rev.* + PVLFNOD MON DEO, four small crosses around central cross pattée (R A G Carson, 'The Mint of Thetford' in NC 1949, pp. 189-236, no. 71 this coin; Hild. -; N.779; S.1154 var.), *peck marks, extremely fine, very rare variety with crosses in field on reverse*

£600-800

PROVENANCE:

Spink auction 90, 16 March 1992, lot 258  
Drabble, Glendining, 4 July 1939, lot 452  
B Nottingham





86

86 (x2)

**x86**

**Cnut** (1016-35), Penny, 0.93g, 9h, Quatrefoil type, Cambridge, Leofsig, + CNVT REX ANGLORVM, legend begins at 9 o'clock, around crowned and draped bust left within quatrefoil, *rev.* + LII/ONG/RAN, voided long cross on quatrefoil, pellet at each cusp (N.781; S.1157), *extremely fine, very rare*

£500-600

PROVENANCE:

Spink auction 82, 27 March 1991, lot 98  
 Glendining, 10 September 1983, lot 9  
 Drabble, Glendining, 13-14 December 1943, lot 870  
 Ready, Sotheby, 15 November 1920, lot 120



87

87 (x2)

**x87**

**Cnut** (1016-35), Penny, 0.94g, 9h, Quatrefoil type, Chester, Athelnoth, + CNVT RX ANGLORVM, legend begins at 9 o'clock, around diademed and draped bust in quatrefoil, *rev.* + Æ/LNO/DON/LEG, voided long cross on quatrefoil (N.781; S.1157), *very fine*

£250-300

PROVENANCE:

Format list 45, April 1992, no. 1007  
 From the Chester hoard



88

88 (x2)

**x88**

**Cnut** (1016-35), Penny, 1.15g, 9h, Short Cross type, Axbridge, Leofwine, + CNVT RECX ANGLORVM, diademed and draped bust dividing legend, sceptre in front, *rev.* + LEOFWINE ON ACX, voided short cross, pellet in annulet in centre, within solid inner circle (F E Jones, 'The Mint of Axbridge' BNJ XXX, 1960, pp. 61-69, pl. VI, 12, same dies; N.790; S.1159), *toned, extremely fine, extremely rare*

£4,000-5,000

PROVENANCE:

Conte, CNG auction 58, 19 September 2001, lot 1827  
 Purchased from Baldwin in 1993



89



89 (x2)

x89

**Cnut** (1016-35), Penny, 1.10g, 3h, Short Cross type variety with flag, London, Brihtred, + CNVTR - RECX, diademed and draped bust left, breaking legend, with flag in place of sceptre, *rev.* + BRIHTRED ON LVN, voided short cross, pellet in annulet in centre, within solid inner circle (N.791; 1159A), *flan slightly creased but very fine, extremely rare, Mark Blackburn recorded four examples in museums, and there are perhaps two examples, including this one, in private hands*

£2,000-2,500

PROVENANCE:

Baldwin auction 23, 3 May 2000, lot 832

*A European hoard, sometimes referred to as a 'German' hoard*



90



90 (x2)

x90

**Harthacnut** (1035-42), Penny, 1.10g, 12h, Arm and Sceptre type with name Cnut, Canterbury, Cytel, + CNVT: RECX: diademed and draped bust left holding sceptre before, *rev.* + CNYTEL ON CNET:, lozenge with incurved sides, pellets on tips, all around central pellet, at centre of voided short cross, all within solid inner circle (N.799 under Cnut as 'posthumous type'; S.1169), *slightly wavy flan, very fine, extremely rare, only one example by this moneyer recorded*

£1,000-1,250

PROVENANCE:

Baldwin auction 13, 28 May 1997, lot 1537

*A European hoard, sometimes referred to as a 'German' hoard*



91



91 (x2)

x91

**Harold I** (1035-40), Penny, 1.12g, 9h, Jewel Cross type, London, Brunman, + HAROLD RECX - AN, legend begins at 9 o'clock, diademed and draped bust left breaking legend, *rev.* + BRVNMAN ON LVND, the ND ligate, around jewel cross (N.802; S.1163), *good extremely fine with an attractive tone, a very rare variety with the legend beginning at 9 o'clock and ending AN rather than REX, and with the bust coming after REX rather than breaking the king's name*

£1,200-1,500

PROVENANCE:

Spink auction 82, 27 March 1991, lot 99  
Spink Numismatic Circular, December 1990



92



92 (x2)

x92

**Harold I** (1035-40), Penny, 1.14g, 4h, Fleur-de-Lis type, Cricklade, Aegelwine, + HARO - LD RECX, diademed and draped bust left with sceptre, *rev.* + AGL/PINN/EON/CRO, voided long cross with fleurs in angles (N.803; S.1165), *toned, good very fine, scarce*

£1,500-2,000

PROVENANCE:

Conte, CNG Triton VI, 13 January 2003, lot 1413  
Elmore Jones, Glendining, 12-13 May 1971, lot 228  
Lockett, part 1, Glendining, 6-9 June 1955, lot 764





93



93 (x2)

x93

**Edward the Confessor** (1042-66), Penny, 1.02g, 6h, PACX type variety, London, Eadwold, + EDPER - DREX, diademed and draped bust left holding sceptre, *rev.* + EADPOLD ON LVND around short voided cross, pellet in circle at centre, PAXX in angles (Pagan, 'The PACX Type of Edward the Confessor', BNJ vol. 81 (2011), no. 255.3 this coin; Freeman 351 (listed); N.814 this variety not noted; S.1172 this variety not noted), *very fine, extremely rare*

£600-800

PROVENANCE:

Spink auction 82, 27 March 1991, lot 100

CNG auction, September 1990, lot 1425

Spink Numismatic Circular, 1986, no.1010

Glendining, 10 September 1983, lot 36



94



94 (x2)

x94

**Edward the Confessor** (1042-66), Penny, 1.11g, 6h, Expanding Cross type, Hastings, Brid, diademed and draped bust left, trefoil headed sceptre in front, *rev.* BRID ON HASTI[...], expanding cross, pellet in centre (N.820; S.1176), *parts of legends weak, very fine*

£300-400

PROVENANCE:

Purchased from M Roberts, May 1991



95



95 (x2)

x95

**Edward the Confessor** (1042-66), Penny, 1.23g, 3h, Sovereign type, Steyning, Wulftric, EADPRD FX ANGOR, king enthroned, wearing crown but without beard, holding sceptre and orb, *rev.* + PVLFRIC ON STEN, voided short cross, birds in angles (N.827; S.1181), *good very fine*

£300-400





96

96 (x2)

x96

**Edward the Confessor** (1042-66), Penny, 1.29g, 9h, Hammer Cross type, Hastings, Duninc, + EADPAR-RD RE, crowned and draped bust right, sceptre in front, *rev.* + DVNINC ON HEST., voided short cross, the arms terminating in curves (N.828; S.1182), *extremely fine*

£250-300

PROVENANCE:

Stack's Coin Galleries, 15 November 1989, lot 1089



97

97 (x2)

x97

**Edward the Confessor** (1042-66), Penny, 1.12g, 12h, Bust Facing/Small Cross type, York, Arngrim, + EADPARD RE., crowned bust facing, with prominent beard and cloak decorated with pellets, *rev.* + ARNGRIM ON EOI, small cross, annulet in second quarter (N.830; S.1183), *good very fine*

£250-300

PROVENANCE:

Colonial Rare Coins, 1 September 1992, lot 1280



98

98 (x2)

x98

**Edward the Confessor** (1042-66), Penny, 1.50g, 5h, Pyramids type, York, Ulfcetel, EADPARD REX, crowned and draped bust right, sceptre in front, *rev.* + VLF CETEL ON EOF, voided short cross, pyramids in first three angles, annulet in last (N.831; S.1184), *good very fine*

£250-300

PROVENANCE:

Stack's Coin Galleries, 15 November 1989, lot 1093



99



99 (x2)

x99

**Harold II** (1066), Penny, 1.33g, 9h, PAX type, Steyning, Deorman, ++ HAROLD REX ANGL, crowned head left, sceptre in front, *rev.* + DERMOM OM STENI, legend begins at 6 o'clock, PAX across field between two lines (N.836; S.1186), *verdigris both sides otherwise attractively toned and with a good portrait, good very fine*

£4,000-5,000

PROVENANCE:

Purchased from M R Roberts, May 1991



100



100 (x2)

x100

**Harold II** (1066), Penny, 1.31g, 3h, PAX type, variety without sceptre, Norwich, Godwine, + HAROLD REX ANGL, legend begins at 9 o'clock, crowned head left, *rev.* + GODPINE ON NOR, legend begins at 6 o'clock, PAX across field between two lines (N.837; S.1187), *cleaned, good very fine, very rare*

£2,500-3,000

PROVENANCE:

Conte, CNG auction 60, 22 May 2002, lot 2293  
Corringham, Lincolnshire, hoard, 1994

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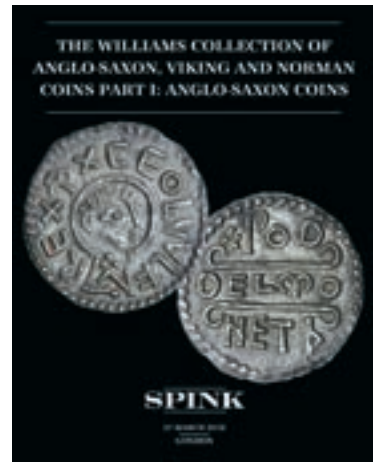
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If you give us instructions to bid on your behalf, by using the form provided in our catalogues or via our website, we shall use reasonable endeavours to do so, provided these instructions are received not later than 24 hours before the auction. If we receive commission bids on a particular Lot for identical amounts, and at auction these bids are the highest bids for the Lot, it will be sold to the person whose bid was received first. Commission bids are undertaken subject to other commitments at the time of the sale, and the conduct of the auction may be such that we are unable to bid as requested. Since this is undertaken as a free service to prospective buyers on the terms stated, we cannot accept liability for failure to make a commission bid. You should therefore always attend personally if you wish to be certain of bidding.

### 4.5 On-line Bidding

We offer internet services as a convenience to our clients. We will not be responsible for errors or failures to execute bids placed on the internet, including, without limitation, errors or failures caused by (i) a loss of internet connection by either party for whatever reason; (ii) a breakdown or problems with the online bidding software and/or (iii) a breakdown or problems with your internet connection, computer or system. Execution of on-line internet bids on [www.spink.com](http://www.spink.com) and Spink Live is a free service undertaken subject to other commitments at the time of the auction and we do not accept liability for failing to execute an online internet bid or for errors or omissions in connection with this activity. Buyers who acquire lots on the-saleroom.com will have a fee of 3% on the hammer price added to their invoice for using this facility.

#### 4.6 Telephone Bids

If you make arrangements with us not less than 24 hours before the sale, we shall use reasonable endeavours to contact you to enable you to participate in bidding by telephone, but in no circumstances will we be liable to either the Seller or you as a result of failure to do so.

#### 4.7 Currency Converter

At some auctions, a currency converter will be operated, based on the one month forward rates of exchange quoted to us by Barclays Bank Plc or any other appropriate rate determined by us, at opening on the date of the auction. Bidding will take place in a currency determined by us, which is usually sterling for auctions held in London. The currency converter is not always reliable, and errors may occur beyond our control either in the accuracy of the Lot number displayed on the converter, or the foreign currency equivalent of sterling bids. We shall not be liable to you for any loss suffered as a result of you following the currency converter.

#### 4.8 Video images

At some auctions there will be a video screen. Mistakes may occur in its operation, and we cannot be liable to you regarding either the correspondence of the image to the Lot being sold or the quality of the image as a reproduction of the original.

#### 4.9 Bidding Increments

Bidding generally opens below the low estimate and advances in the following order although the auctioneer may vary the bidding increments during the course of the auction. The normal bidding increments are:

Up to £100	by £5
£100 to £300	by £10
£300 to £600	£320-£350-£380-£400 etc.
£600 to £1,000	by £50
£1,000 to £3,000	by £100
£3,000 to £6,000	£3,200-£3,500-£3,800-£4,000 etc.
£6,000 to £20,000	by £500
£20,000 and up	Auctioneer's discretion

#### 4.10 Bidding by Spink

4.10.1 We reserve the right to bid on Lots on the Seller's behalf up to the amount of the Reserve (if any), which will never be above the low estimate printed in the auction catalogue.

4.10.2 The Spink Group reserves the right to bid on and purchase Lots as principal.

#### 4.11 The Auctioneer's Discretion

The auctioneer has the right at his absolute discretion to refuse any bid to advance the bidding in such manner as he may decide to withdraw or divide any Lot, to combine any two or more Lots and, in the case of error or dispute, to put an item up for bidding again.

#### 4.12 Successful Bid

Subject to the auctioneer's discretion, the striking of his hammer marks the acceptance of the highest bid, provided always that such bid is higher than the Reserve (where applicable), and the conclusion of a contract for sale between you and the Seller.

#### 4.13 After Sale Arrangements

If you enter into any private sale agreements for any Lot with the Seller within 60 days of the auction, we, as exclusive agents of the Seller reserve the right to charge you the applicable Buyer's Premium in accordance with these Terms and Conditions, and the Seller a commission in accordance with the terms of the Seller's agreement.

#### 4.14 Return of Lot

4.14.1 Once your bid has been accepted for a Lot then you are liable to pay for that Lot in accordance with these Terms and Conditions. If there are any problems with a Lot then you must notify us within 7 days of receipt of the Lot, specifying the nature of the problem. We may then request that the Lot is returned to us for inspection. Save as set out in clause 5.13, the cancellation of the sale of any Lot and the refund of the corresponding purchase price is entirely at our sole discretion. We will not normally exercise that discretion if the Lot is not received by us in the same condition that it was in at the auction date.

4.14.2 No lot may be returned on account of condition if the condition was stated by a third party grading company (including, but not limited to PCGS, NGC, ANACS, ICG, PMG, WBG).

### 5 AFTER THE AUCTION

#### 5.1 Buyer's Premium and other charges

In addition to the Hammer Price, you must pay us the Buyer's Premium at a rate of 20% of the final Hammer price of each lot, a fee of 3% on the hammer price total for using the-saleroom.com and a fee for paying by card.

#### 5.2 Value Added Tax

Other than in respect of Zero-rated Lots (o) VAT is chargeable on the Hammer price and the Buyer's premium of daggered (†) and (J) lots at the standard rate (currently 20%), and on lots marked (x) at the reduced rate (currently 5% on the Hammer price and 20% on the Buyer's premium). VAT on Margin scheme lots (identified by the absence of any VAT symbol next to the lot number) is payable at 20% on the Buyer's premium only.

#### 5.3 VAT Refunds

##### General

5.3.1 As we remain liable to account for VAT on all Lots unless they have been exported outside the EU within 3 months of the date of sale, you will generally be asked to deposit all amounts of VAT invoiced. However, if a Spink nominated shipper is instructed, then any refundable VAT will not be collected. In all other cases credits will be made when proof of export is provided. If you export the Lot yourself you must obtain shipping documents from the Shipping Department for which a

charge of £50 will be made.

5.3.2 If you export the Lot you must return the valid proof of export certificate to us within 3 months of the date of sale. If you fail to return the proof of export certificate to us within such period and you have not already accounted to us for the VAT, you will be liable to us for the full amount of the VAT due on such Lot and we shall be entitled to invoice you for this sum.

5.3.3 To apply for a refund of any VAT paid, the proof of export certificate must be sent to our Shipping Department clearly marked 'VAT Refund' within 3 months of the date of sale. No payment will be made where the total amount of VAT refundable is less than £50 and Spink will charge £50 for each refund processed.

#### VAT Refunds - Buyers from within the EU

5.3.4 VAT refunds are available on the Hammer Price and Buyer's Premium of Daggered (†) and Investment Gold (g) Lots. You must certify that you are registered for VAT in another EU country and that the Lot is to be removed from the United Kingdom within 3 months of the date of sale.

5.3.5 Where an EU buyer purchases a Lot on which import VAT has been charged, no refund of VAT is available from us. It may be possible to apply directly for a refund on form VAT 65 to HM Revenue & Customs Overseas Re-payment Section, Londonderry.

#### VAT Refunds - Buyers from outside the EU

5.3.6 Where a Lot is included within the Auctioneers' Margin Scheme and evidence of export from the EU is produced within 3 months of the date of sale, the VAT on Buyer's Premium may be refunded.

5.3.7 Where the Lot is marked as a Daggered (†) Lot the VAT charged on the Hammer Price may be refunded where evidence of export from the EU is produced within 3 months of the date of sale. A refund of VAT charged on the Buyer's Premium can also be made on receipt of proof of business as a collectibles dealer.

5.3.8 Where the Lot is marked as an Omega (J) Lot or an Import VAT (x) Lot and evidence of export from the EU is produced within 3 months of the date of sale, the VAT charged on both the Hammer Price and Buyer's Premium may be refunded. Where required, we can advise you on how to export such Lots as a specific form of export evidence is required. Where we advise you on the export of the Lots, please be aware that the ultimate responsibility in respect of obtaining a valid proof of export certificate will lie with you and we will not be responsible for your failure to obtain such certificate.

5.3.9 Lot marked as Investment Gold (g) is exempt from VAT on Hammer price. A refund of VAT charged on the Buyer's Premium can be made on receipt of proof of business as a collectibles dealer and where evidence of export from the EU is produced within 3 months of the date of sale.

#### 5.4 Payment

5.4.1 You must provide us with your full name and permanent address and, if so requested, details of the bank from which any payments to us will be made. You must pay the full amount due (comprising the Hammer Price, the Buyer's Premium and any applicable VAT) within seven days after the date of the sale. This applies even if you wish to export the Lot and an export licence is (or may be) required.

5.4.2 You will not acquire title to the Lot until all amounts due have been paid in full. This includes instances where special arrangements were made for release of Lot prior to full settlement.

5.4.3 Payment should be made in sterling by one of the following methods:

(i) Direct bank transfer to our account details of which are set out on the invoice. All bank charges shall be met by you. Please ensure that your client number is noted on the transfer.

(ii) By cheque or bank draft made payable to Spink and Son Ltd and sent to Spink at 69 Southamptown Row, Bloomsbury, London WC1B 4ET. Please note that the processing charges for payments made by cheques or bank drafts drawn on a non-U.K bank shall be met by you. Please ensure that the remittance slip printed at the bottom of the invoice is enclosed with your payment.

(iii) By Visa or Mastercard. All Corporate cards regardless of origin and Consumer debit and credit cards issued outside the EU are subject to a fee of 2%. For all card payments there are limits to the amounts we will accept depending on the type of card being used and whether or not the cardholder is present.

5.4.4 Payments should be made by the registered buyer and not by third parties, unless it has been agreed at the time of registration that you are acting as an agent on behalf of a third party.

#### 5.5 Invoices

Invoices may consist of one or more pages and will show: Zero rated Lots (o); no symbol Lots sold under the Auctioneers' Margin Scheme; Lots marked (g) special scheme Investment Gold; Daggered Lots (†), imported Lots marked (x) and (Ω), (e) Lots with Zero rated hammer for EU VAT registered buyers.

#### 5.6 Collection of Purchases

5.6.1 Unless specifically agreed to the contrary, we shall retain lots purchased until all amounts due to us, or to the Spink Group, have been paid in full. Buyers will be required to pay for their lots when they wish to take possession of the same, which must be within 7 days of the date of the sale, unless prior arrangements have been made with Spink. Without prior agreement, lots will not be released until cleared funds are received with regard to payments made by cheque.



5.6.2 Unless we notify you to the contrary, items retained by us will be covered in accordance with our policy which is available for inspection at our offices from the date of sale for a period of seven days or until the time of collection, whichever is sooner. After seven days or from the time of collection, whichever is the earlier, the Lot will be entirely at your risk.

5.6.3 Our policy will not cover and we are unable to accept responsibility for damage caused by woodworm, changes in atmospheric conditions or acts of terrorism.

#### 5.7 Notification

We are not able to notify successful bidders by telephone. While Invoices are sent out by email or mail after the auction we do not accept responsibility for notifying you of the result of your bid. You are requested to contact us by telephone or in person as soon as possible after the auction to obtain details of the outcome of your bids to avoid incurring charges for late payment.

#### 5.8 Packing and handling

5.8.1 We shall use all reasonable endeavours to take care when handling and packing a purchased Lot but remind you that after seven days or from the time of collection, whichever is sooner, the Lot is entirely at your risk. Our postage charges are set out at the back of the catalogue.

5.8.2 It is the responsibility of the Buyer to be aware of any Import Duties that may be incurred upon importation to the final destination. Spink will not accept return of any package in order to avoid these duties. The onus is also on the Buyer to be aware of any Customs import restrictions that prohibit the importation of certain collectibles. Spink will not accept return of the Lot(s) under these circumstances. Spink will not accept responsibility for Lot(s) seized or destroyed by Customs.

5.8.3 If the Buyer requires delivery of the Lot to an address other than the invoice address this will be carried out at the discretion of Spink.

#### 5.9 Recommended packers and shippers

If required our shipping department may arrange shipment as your agent. Although we may suggest carriers if specifically requested, our suggestions are made on the basis of our general experience of such parties in the past and we are not responsible to any person to whom we have made a recommendation for the acts or omissions of the third parties concerned.

#### 5.10 Remedies for non-payment or failure to collect purchases

5.10.1 If you fail to make payment within seven days of your stipulated payment date set out in your invoice, we shall be entitled to exercise one or more of the following rights or remedies:

5.10.1.1 to charge interest at the rate of 2% per month compound interest, calculated on a daily basis, from the date the full amount is due;

5.10.1.2 to set off against any amounts which the Spink Group may owe you in any other transaction the outstanding amount remaining unpaid by you;

5.10.1.3 we may keep hold of all or some of your Lots or other property in the possession of the Spink Group until you have paid all the amounts you owe us or the Spink Group, even if the unpaid amounts do not relate to those Lots or other property. Following fourteen days' notice to you of the amount outstanding and remaining unpaid, the Spink Group shall have the right to arrange the sale of such Lots or other property. We shall apply the proceeds in discharge of the amount outstanding to us or the Spink Group, and pay any balance to you;

5.10.1.4 where several amounts are owed by you to the Spink Group in respect of different transactions, to apply any amount paid to discharge any amount owed in respect of any particular transaction, whether or not you so direct;

5.10.1.5 to reject at any future auction any bids made by you or on your behalf or obtain a deposit from you before accepting any bids.

5.10.2 If you fail to make payment within thirty-five days, we shall in addition be entitled:

5.10.2.1 to cancel the sale of the Lot or any other item sold to you at the same or any other auction;

5.10.2.2 to arrange a resale of the Lot, publicly or privately, and, if this results in a lower price being obtained, claim the balance from you together with all reasonable costs including a 20% seller's commission, expenses, damages, legal fees, commissions and premiums of whatever kind associated with both sales or otherwise, incurred in connection with your failure to make payment;

5.10.2.3 when reselling the Lot, place a notice in our catalogue stating that you successfully purchased the Lot at auction but have subsequently failed to pay the Hammer Price of the Lot; or

5.10.2.4 take any other appropriate action as we deem fit.

5.10.3 Where purchases are not collected within seven days after the sale, whether or not payment has been made, you will be required to pay a storage charge of £2 per item per day plus any additional handling cost that may apply. You will not be entitled to collect the Lot until all outstanding charges are met, together with payment of all other amounts due to us.

#### 5.11 Use of Default Information

If you fail to make payment for a Lot in accordance with these Terms and Conditions

5.11.1 we reserve the right to refuse you the right to make bids for any future auction irrespective of whether previous defaults have been settled; and

5.11.2 you consent to us disclosing details of such default to other auctioneers and live bidding platforms, which will include your name, address, nature of the default and the date of the default. Auctioneers or live bidding platforms who receive details of the default may rely on such information when deciding whether to enter into a transaction with you in the future.

#### 5.12 Export Licence

5.12.1 If required we can, at our discretion, advise you on the detailed provisions of the export licensing regulations. Where we advise you in relation to export licensing regulations the ultimate responsibility in respect of any export will lie with you and we will not be responsible for your failure to apply for any necessary licences.

5.12.2 If the Lot is going to be hand carried by you, you may be required to produce a valid export licence to us or sign a waiver document stating that a licence will be applied for.

5.12.3 You should always check whether an export licence is required before exporting. Export licences are usually obtained within two or three weeks but delays can occur.

5.12.4 Unless otherwise agreed by us in writing, the fact that you wish to apply for an export licence does not affect your obligation to make payment within seven days nor our right to charge interest on late payment.

5.12.5 If you request that we apply for an export licence on your behalf, we shall be entitled to recover from you our disbursements and out of pocket expenses in relation to such application, together with any relevant VAT.

5.12.6 We will not be obliged to rescind a sale nor to refund any interest or other expenses incurred by you where payment is made by you despite the fact that an export licence is required.

#### 5.13 Refund in the case of Forgery

5.13.1 A sale will be cancelled, and the amount paid refunded to you if a Lot (other than a miscellaneous item not described in the catalogue) sold by us proves to have been a Forgery. We shall not however be obliged to refund any amounts if either (a) the catalogue description or saleroom notice at the auction date corresponded to the generally accepted opinion of scholars or experts at that time, or fairly indicated that there was a conflict of opinions, or (b) it can be demonstrated that the Lot is a Forgery only by means of either a scientific process not generally accepted for use until after publication of the catalogue or a process which at the date of the auction was unreasonably expensive or impracticable or likely to have caused damage to the Lot. Furthermore, you should note that this refund can be obtained only if the following conditions are met:

5.13.1.1 you must notify us in writing, within seven days of the receipt of the Lot(s), that in your view the Lot concerned is a Forgery;

5.13.1.2 you must then return the item to us within fourteen days from receipt of the Lot(s), in the same condition as at the auction date; and

5.13.1.3 as soon as possible following return of the Lot, you must produce evidence satisfactory to us that the Lot is a Forgery and that you are able to transfer good title to us, free from any third party claims.

5.13.1.4 you must provide to us all evidence obtained by you that a Lot is a Forgery no later than 7 days after you receive such evidence.

5.13.2 In no circumstances shall we be required to pay you any more than the amount paid by you for the Lot concerned and you shall have no claim for interest.

5.13.3 The benefit of this guarantee is not capable of being transferred, and is solely for the benefit of the person to whom the original invoice was made out by us in respect of the Lot when sold and who, since the sale, has remained the owner of the Lot without disposing of any interest in it to any third party.

5.13.4 We shall be entitled to rely on any scientific or other process to establish that the Lot is not a Forgery, whether or not such process was used or in use at the date of the auction.

#### 6 LIABILITY

Nothing in these Terms and Conditions limits or excludes our liability for:

6.1 death or personal injury resulting from negligence; or

6.2 any damage or liability incurred by you as a result of our fraud or fraudulent misrepresentation.

#### 7 USE OF YOUR PERSONAL INFORMATION

7.1 We will use the personal information you provide to us to:

7.1.1 process the bids you make on Lots (whether successful or otherwise) and other auction related services we provide;

7.1.2 process your payment relating to a successful purchase of a Lot;

7.1.3 arrange for delivery of any Lot you purchase, which will include passing your details to shipping providers and, on overseas deliveries, to customs where they make enquiries regarding the Lot;

7.1.4 inform you about similar products or services that we provide, but you may stop receiving these at any time by contacting us.

7.2 In accordance with clause 4.2, you agree that we may pass your information to credit reference agencies and that they may keep a record of any search that they do.

7.3 In accordance with clause 5.11, you agree that where you default on making payment for a Lot in accordance with these terms and conditions we may disclose details of such default to other auctioneers and live bidding platforms.



7.4 We are also working closely with third parties (including, for example, other auctioneers and live bidding platforms) and may receive information about you from them.

## 8 COPYRIGHT

8.1 We shall have the right (on a non-exclusive basis) to photograph, video or otherwise produce an image of the Lot. All rights in such an image will belong to us, and we shall have the right to use it in whatever way we see fit.

8.2 The copyright in all images, illustrations and written material relating to a Lot is and shall remain at all times our property and we shall have the right to use it in whatever way we see fit. You shall not use or allow anyone else to use such images, illustrations or written material without our prior written consent.

## 9 VAT

You shall give us all relevant information about your VAT status and that of the Lot to ensure that the correct information is printed in the catalogues. Once printed, the information cannot be changed. If we incur any unforeseen cost or expense as a result of the information being incorrect, you will reimburse to us on demand the full amount incurred.

## 10 NOTICES

All notices given under these Terms and Conditions may be served personally, sent by 1st class post, or faxed to the address given to the sender by the other party. Any notice sent by post will be deemed to have been received on the second working day after posting or, if the addressee is overseas, on the fifth working day after posting. Any notice sent by fax or served personally will be deemed to be delivered on the first working day following despatch.

## 11 ADDITIONAL PROVISIONS

The following provisions of this clause 11 shall apply only if you are acting for the purposes of your business.

### 11.1 Limitation of Liability

Subject to clause 6, we shall not be liable, whether in tort (including for negligence) or breach of statutory duty, contract, misrepresentation or otherwise for any:

11.1.1 loss of profits, loss of business, depletion of goodwill and/or similar losses, loss of anticipated savings, loss of goods, loss of contract, loss of use, loss of corruption of data or information; or 11.1.2 any special, indirect, consequential or pure economic loss, costs, damages, charges or expenses.

### 11.2 Severability

If any part of these Terms and Condition is found by any court to be invalid, illegal or unenforceable, that part may be discounted and the rest of the conditions shall continue to be valid and enforceable to the fullest extent permitted by law.

### 11.3 Force majeure

We shall have no liability to you if we are prevented from, or delayed in performing, our obligations under these Terms and Conditions or from carrying on our business by acts, events, omissions or accidents beyond our reasonable control, including (without limitation) strikes, lock-outs or other industrial disputes (whether involving our workforce or the workforce of any other party), failure of a utility service or transport network, act of God, war, riot, civil commotion, malicious damage, compliance with any law or governmental order, rule, regulation or direction, accident, breakdown of plant or machinery, fire, flood, storm or default of suppliers or subcontractors.

### 11.4 Waiver

11.4.1 A waiver of any right under these Terms and Conditions is only effective if it is in writing and it applies only to the circumstances for which it is given. No failure or delay by a party in exercising any right or remedy under these Terms and Conditions or by law shall constitute a waiver of that (or any other) right or remedy, nor preclude or restrict its further exercise. No single or partial exercise of such right or remedy shall preclude or restrict the further exercise of that (or any other) right or remedy.

11.4.2 Unless specifically provided otherwise, rights arising under these Terms and Conditions are cumulative and do not exclude rights provided by law.

### 11.5 Law and Jurisdiction

11.5.1 These Terms and Conditions and any dispute or claim arising out of or in connection with them or their subject matter, shall be governed by, and construed in accordance with, the law of England and Wales.

11.5.2 The parties irrevocably agree that the courts of England and Wales shall have exclusive jurisdiction to settle any dispute or claim that arises out of, or in connection with, Terms and Conditions or their subject matter.

## Postal Charges

### Prices for all other items including postage and packaging

Invoice Value	UK	EU	Rest of the World
Up to £1,500	£12	£18	£25
Up to £10,000	£20	£40	£50
Above £10,001	£30	£60	£75

Shipments of more than 2kg or volumetric measurement of more than 2kg have to be sent by courier. Certain countries may incur extra charge when courier services are required by our insurance policy. For lots sent by courier please contact Auctionteam@spink.com for calculation of any further relevant cost in addition to the above charges.

### Value Added Tax (VAT)

#### Charging of (VAT) at Auction

The information shown on this page sets out the way in which Spink intends to account for VAT.

#### i. Auctioneers' Margin Scheme

1. Where possible, we will offer Lots for sale under the Auctioneers' Margin Scheme. Such Lots can be identified by the absence of any VAT symbol next to the Lot number in the catalogue and will not be subject to VAT on the Hammer Price.

2. Where Lots are sold using the Auctioneers' Margin Scheme to VAT-registered businesses, the VAT on Buyers' Premium is not recoverable as input tax. Upon request on sale day, we will issue invoices that show VAT separately on both the Hammer Price and the Buyer's Premium. This will enable VAT-registered businesses to recover the VAT charged as input tax, subject to the normal rules for recovering input tax.

#### ii. Zero-Rated Lots

Limited Categories of goods, such as books, are Zero-rated (o) for VAT in the United Kingdom. Such Lots are offered under the Auctioneers' Margin Scheme. In these circumstances no VAT will be added to the Buyer's premium.

#### iii. Daggred Lots

Lots which are Daggred (†) in the catalogue are subject to VAT at 20% on both the Hammer Price and the Buyer's Premium.

#### iv. Imported and Omega Lots

Lots which are marked (x) in the catalogue are subject to VAT at 5% on the Hammer price plus 20% on the Buyer's premium. Lots which bear the Omega symbol (Ω) are subject to VAT at 20% on the Hammer Price and on the Buyer's Premium. Such Lots bear VAT because the Lot is liable for VAT at this rate on importation into the EU. In these cases we have used a temporary importation procedure, which in effect means that the point of importation is deferred until the Lot has been sold. At this point the Buyer is treated as the importer and is liable to pay the import VAT due. We will collect the VAT from you and pay it to HM Customs and Excise on your behalf.

#### v. Investment Gold Lots

Lots marked (g) in the catalogue are exempt from VAT on the Hammer Price and are subject to VAT at 20% on the Buyer's Premium. A refund of VAT charged on the Buyer's Premium can also be made on receipt of proof of business as a collectibles dealer outside of the EU.

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## SALE CALENDAR 2018

### STAMPS

6 March	Rhodesia Double Heads 'the Royal Palm' Collection	London	18024
7 March	Australia, The Kangaroo Issues	London	18023
7 March	The Arthur Gray Collection of Australian Pre-Decimal Booklets	London	18027
7 March	The 'Lionheart' Collection of Great Britain and British Empire Part VIII	London	18028
17/18 April	The Philatelic Collectors' Series Sale	London	18029
19 April	Brunei, The Collection Formed by Bill Toye	London	18030
23/24 April	The Philatelic Collectors' Series Sale	New York	166
12 May	The Philatelic Collectors' Series Sale	Hong Kong	CSS33
23 May	The Chartwell Collection of Australian States and Commonwealth	London	18047

### COINS

27 March	The Williams Collection of Anglo-Saxon, Viking and Norman Coins - Part I	London	18011
27/28 March	Ancient, British and Foreign Coins and Commemorative Medals	London	18004
4/5 April	The Numismatic Collectors' Series Sale	New York	340
4/5 April	The Numismatic Collectors' Series Sale	Hong Kong	CSS32
29 April	Spink x Taisei Tokyo International Numismatic Auction	Tokyo	TAISEI2
27/28 June	The Numismatic Collectors' Series Sale	New York	341
3 July	The Williams Collection of Anglo-Saxon, Viking and Norman Coins - Part II	London	18012
4/5 July	Ancient, British and Foreign Coins and Commemorative Medals	London	18005

### BANKNOTES

29 March-11 April	World Banknotes Timed Auction	London	18014
4/5 April	The Numismatic Collectors' Series Sale	New York	340
4/5 April	The Numismatic Collectors' Series Sale	Hong Kong	CSS32
11 April	Shlomo Tepper Collection of Palestine	London	18018
11/12 April	World and British Banknotes	London	18015
27/28 June	The Numismatic Collectors' Series Sale	New York	341
2-11 July	World Banknotes Timed Auction	London	18020

### MEDALS

4/5 April	The Numismatic Collectors' Series Sale	New York	340
4/5 April	The Numismatic Collectors' Series Sale	Hong Kong	CSS32
25/26 April	Orders, Decorations and Medals	London	18001
27/28 June	The Numismatic Collectors' Series Sale	New York	341
18/19 July	Orders, Decorations and Medals	London	18002

### BONDS & SHARES

28 February-21 March	Bonds and Share Certificates of the World - Timed Auction	London	18016
4/5 April	The Numismatic Collectors' Series Sale	New York	340
4/5 April	The Numismatic Collectors' Series Sale	Hong Kong	CSS32
31 May-21 June	Bonds and Share Certificates of the World - Timed Auction	London	18019
27/28 June	The Numismatic Collectors' Series Sale	New York	341

### AUTOGRAPHS

12 July	Autographs, Historical Documents, Ephemera and Postal History	London	18038
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### WINES

19 April	An Evening of Great Whiskies, Cognacs and Rums	Hong Kong	SFW27
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The above sale dates are subject to change

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- VALUATIONS FOR INSURANCE AND PROBATE FOR INDIVIDUAL ITEMS OR WHOLE COLLECTIONS -
- SALES ON A COMMISSION BASIS EITHER OF INDIVIDUAL PIECES OR WHOLE COLLECTIONS -





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