

# IAG's Signature Auction 94 – GOING LIVE soon!



The Finest Known 20 Cent scalloped edge struck on a HK \$2 blank

IAG's next major Signature Auction, Sale 94 - to be held on September 18<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup> 2021 and online shortly – is one of the best and most important auctions they have run in the last 10 years! Despite covid restrictions forcing several key collections to be pushed back to feature in other upcoming sales, the quality and depth of material in this auction is a testament to succeeding under pressure, as

ways were found to get material from all over the country to auction on time.

One of the key collections featured is an old British collection of Crowns, featuring several rare coins such as the Cromwell and Commonwealth issues and includes almost all of the portrait types, with everything in superior high grade. From the same vendor is a small but rare collection of medals, featuring

the first Gallantry medal awarded to an Australian for Military Service and a group of four from the famous 93rd Highlanders (the Thin Red line) along with medals from the Boer, Crimean, China and Indonesian wars. Also from the same collection is a nice selection of choice Proclamation issues, including an aUnc 1731M Johanna.

There are several banknote collections



A rare 10 Pound 1918 Estimated at \$28,000



featuring many key highlights; headlined by not one but two rare 100 Pound note issues (1924) of both types (R 69a and R 69b). Also highlighted is a 10 Pound 1918 (R 52c) in gVF/aEF, a 1 Pound 1933 Specimen note and a huge selection of issued and specimen Pre Federation. Pre Decimal notes include a 1 Pound 1923 pair in UNC and an original run of ten 10 Pounds 1949. Decimal notes also feature, along with Star-notes, Specimens including a \$5 and \$10 Polymer presentation album and a large selection of First and Last Prefix banknotes, interesting serial numbered notes and some trial banknotes. Also on offer in this impressive sale is the second part of a significant Misprint collection, with some major and important error notes on offer.

Rare Australian coins of note include a choice Type 1 1852 Adelaide Pound in MS 61, two Type II 1852 Adelaide Pounds, a Type 3 1919 and Type 12 1921 Kookaburra Penny, a number of Pre Decimal Proof coins including 1916 and 1939 Roo Halfpennies, 1947Y and 1948Y Penny, 1937 Crown and a 1934 silver set all in FDC. Rare Pre Decimal coins of significance include two 1930 Pennies, two 1813 NSW Dumps, a Specimen 1934/5 Melbourne Centenary Florin along with a fantastic selection of Decimal error coins including the highest graded scalloped edge 20 Cent struck on a Hong Kong \$2 blank and a previously unknown \$2 with a 5 Cent Mule. A strong selection of gold features a number of key Half Sovereigns and Sovereigns including choice Sydney



*Two of the super highlights from a quality collection of British Crowns.*

Mint Half Sovereigns from 1856 on and a complete run of Sydney Mint Sovereigns with some in high grade such as an 1855 in EF, as well as a large quantity of lower grade, mint issue and bullion quality gold.

Along with these many highlights is Part Three of the vast Estate of former dealer Klaus Ford, including a large quantity of World coins and banknotes, GB, Tokens and Medals, Pre Decimal and Decimal coins and banknotes, along with a huge selection of Pre Decimal Coins including PCGS. Additional to this are several large estate consignments that includes numerous RAM, Perth and NPA mint issues, sets, bulk and unreserved lots. Another large estate (shipped in 4 enormous metal boxes) includes some

choice Pre Decimal coins and banknotes, along with hundreds of Mint products, bullion silver, a sizable collection of gold Half Sovereigns and Sovereigns, dozens of Stamp albums and much more.

Sale 94 will be online and open for bidding in early September, with the printed catalogue to be posted out then. The PDF catalogue for Sale 94 can be downloaded and viewed online then also, along with images for every lot in the sale. Free to register and bid. For further information visit IAG's website: [www.iagauctions.com](http://www.iagauctions.com) for more details, auction information, previous catalogues, prices realised and more, or contact IAG on - Phone (07) 55 380 300 - or Email [mail@iagauctions.com](mailto:mail@iagauctions.com)

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*Rare Medal Group featuring the first Gallantry Award to an Australian.*