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## PROBUS, 276 to 282 A.D.

*Argenteus.*

88. *Obv.* IMP. C. PROBUS P.F. AVG. Radiate head to right.  
*Rev.* SPES AVG. Hope walking to left, holding a flower in her right hand, raising her garments with left.  
 Found in Lincoln. Presented by the late B. Vickers, March, 1906.

*Argenteus.*

89. *Obv.* IMP. C. M. AVR. PROBVS AVG. Radiate head to right.  
*Rev.* CLEMENTIA TEMP. The emperor standing to right, holding sceptre in left hand, and receiving with right hand a globe from Jupiter, who stands to left holding a spear in left hand. In the field B. In the exergue XXI.  
 Found in Lincoln. Presented by Mrs. H. Mackinder Dec. 23rd, 1909.

*Argenteus.*

90. *Obv.* As 88.  
*Rev.* MARS VICTOR. Mars holding spear and trophy advancing to right.  
 Found in Lincoln. Presented by A. Smith, Oct., 1909.

## CARINUS, 282 to 285 A.D.

*Argenteus.*

91. *Obv.* IMP. CARINVS P.F. AVG. Radiate head to right.  
*Rev.* FIDES MILITVM. Fidelity standing, holding a standard on each side.  
 Found in Lincoln. Presented by Mrs. H. Mackinder, Dec. 13th, 1909.

## DIOCLETIANUS, 284 to 313 A.D.

*Argenteus.*

92. *Obv.* IMP. C.C. VAL. DIOCLETIANVS P.F. AVG. Radiate head to right.  
*Rev.* VOT. XX. B. Within a garland.  
 Found in Lincoln. Presented by Mrs. H. Mackinder Dec. 13th, 1909.

## MAXIMIANUS, 286 to 310 A.D.

*Argenteus.*

93. *Obv.* IMP. C.M.A. MAXIMIANVS P.F. AVG. Radiate head to right.  
*Rev.* CONCORDIA MILITVM. Jupiter with spear in the left hand, presenting the Emperor with a figure of Victory. In the field KA.  
 Found in Lincoln. Presented by Mrs. H. Mackinder, Dec. 13th, 1909.
94. As 93. In the field KΓ.
95. *Obv.* IMP. MAXIMIANVS P.F. AVG. Head to right.  
*Rev.* GENIO AVGVSTI. Genius standing to left, with cornucopia in left hand, patera in right. In the field a crescent and B.  
 Found in Lincoln, 1878. Presented by Nathan Heywood, Sept. 24th, 1909.

## CARAUSIUS, 287 to 293 A.D.

*Argenteus.*

96. *Obv.* IMP. C. CARAVSIVS P.F. AVG. Radiate head to right.  
*Rev.* PAX AVG. Peace standing with olive branch in right hand, sceptre in left. In the field S.P. In the exergue MLXXI.  
 Found in Lincoln. Presented by the late B. Vickers, March, 1906.
97. As 96. In the field B.P. In the exergue ML ---.  
 Found in Lincoln. Presented by the late B. Vickers, March, 1906.
98. As 96. In the field B.E. In the exergue MLXXI.  
 Found in Lincoln. Presented by Mrs. H. Mackinder, Dec. 13th, 1909.

*Argenteus.**Argenteus.*

99. *Obv.* IMP. CARAVSIVS P. AVG. Radiate head to right.  
*Rev.* LAETIT. AVG. Happiness to left holding a garland in right hand, sceptre in left. In the exergue C.  
 Found in Silver Street, Lincoln, 1909. Presented by C. Street, April 1, 1909.

*Argenteus.*

100. A corroded specimen.  
 Found in Thonock Park, Gainsborough. Presented by F. M. Burton, Jan. 21, 1908.

## ALLECTUS, 293 to 296 A.D.

*Argenteus.*

101. *Obv.* IMP. C. ALLECTVS P.F. AVG. Radiate head to right.  
*Rev.* PAX AVG. Peace to left, a flower in the right hand, sceptre held transversely in left. In the field S.P. In the exergue ML.  
 Found at Owmbly. Presented by Miss O'Neill, Oct., 1907.

*Argenteus.*

102. As 101. Sceptre erect. In the field S.  
 Found in Lincoln. Presented by the late B. Vickers, March, 1906.

*Argenteus.*

103. *Obv.* ALLECTVS AVG. Radiate head to right.  
*Rev.* SPES AVG. Hope to left, scales in right hand, cornucopia in left. In the field VI.  
 Found in Lincoln. Presented by A. Smith, Oct., 1909.

*Argenteus.*

104. *Obv.* ALLECTVS P.F. AVG. Radiate head to right.  
*Rev.* Much worn.  
 Found at Owmbly. Presented by Miss O'Neill, Oct., 1909.

## GALERIUS MAXIMIANUS, 292 to 311 A.D.

*Follis.*

105. *Obv.* IMP. C. GAL. VAL. MAXIMIANVS P.F. AVG. Laurate head to right.  
*Rev.* GENIO IMPERATORIS. Genius standing to left with cornucopia in left hand, pater in right. In the exergue ANTA.  
 Found in Lincoln. Presented by Mrs. H. Mackinder, Dec. 13th, 1909.

## MAXIMINUS DAZA, 305 to 313 A.D.

*Follis.*

106. *Obv.* IMP. MAXIMINVS P.F. AVG. Laureate head to right.  
*Rev.* SOLI INVICTO COMITI. The Sun advancing to left, the right hand up-lifted, a globe in the left hand. In the exergue AL.  
 Found in Lincoln. Presented by Mrs. H. Mackinder, Dec. 13th, 1909.

## MAXENTIUS, 306 to 312 A.D.

*Follis.*

107. *Obv.* IMP. MAXENTIVS P.F. AVG. Laureate head to right.  
*Rev.* CONSERV. VRB. SVAE. Female seated within a temple of six columns. In the exergue ALE.  
 Found in Lincoln. Presented by Mrs. H. Mackinder, Dec. 13th, 1909.

## LICINIUS, 307 to 324 A.D.

*Follis.*

108. *Obv.* IMP. LICINIVS P.F. AVG. Laureate head to right.  
*Rev.* GENIO POP. ROM. Genius standing to left, with patera in right hand, cornucopia in left. In the field TF. In the exergue ATR.  
 Found in Lincoln. Presented by Mrs. H. Mackinder, Dec. 13th, 1909.

*Follis.*

109. As 108. In the field S.F. In the exergue PLN.  
 Found in Lincoln. Presented by Col. Walker, Feb. 2, 1910.

*Follis.*

110. As 108. In the field T.A.  
 Found on Monks Road, Lincoln. Presented by J. Robinson, Jan., 1908.

*Follis.*

111. *Obv.* IMP. LICINIVS AVG. Laureate head to left.  
*Rev.* IOVI CONSERVATORI AVGG. Jupiter holding a victory in right hand, left hand resting on sceptre. In the field a star and FI. In the exergue ANT.  
 Found in Lincoln. Presented by Mrs. H. Mackinder, Dec. 13th, 1909.

*Follis.*

112. *Obv.* IMP. LIC. LICINIVS P.F. AVG. Laureated head to right.  
*Rev.* IOVI CONSERVATORI. Jupiter holding a Victory in right hand, sceptre in left, at his feet an eagle. In the field A. In the exergue SIS.  
 Found in Lincoln. Presented by O. Stammers, Sept. 17, 1907.

## LICINIUS II, 317 to 326 A.D.

*Follis.*

113. *Obv.* D.N. VAL. LICIN. LICINIVS NOB. C. Laureate head to right.  
*Rev.* PROVIDENTIAE CAESS. Gateway with three towers. In the field A. In the exergue SMHE.  
 Found in Lincoln. Presented by Mrs. H. Mackinder, Dec. 13, 1909.

## CONSTANTINUS I, 306 to 337 A.D.

*Follis.*

114. *Obv.* CONSTANTINVS P.F. AVG. Laureate head to right.  
*Rev.* SOLI INVICTO COMITI. The Sun standing to left, the right hand extended, holding a globe in the left. In the field T.F. In the exergue PTR.  
 Found in Lincoln. Presented by Dr. E. Mansel Sympson, Oct. 15, 1909.

*Follis.*

115. *Obv.* IMP. CONSTANTINVS P.F. AVG. Laureate head to right.  
*Rev.* As 114.  
 Found in Lincoln. Presented by the late B. Vickers, March, 1906.

*Follis.*

116. As 115. In the exergue PLG.  
 Found at Stanton-le-Vale. Presented by Miss A. Fieldsend, Feb. 5, 1910.

*Follis.*

117. *Obv.* CONSTANTINVS P.F. AVG. Laureate head to right.  
*Rev.* COMITI AVGG. NN. The Sun standing to left, holding a globe in right hand, a whip in left. In the field a star. In the exergue PLN.  
 Found in Lincoln. Presented by Mrs. H. Mackinder, Dec. 13, 1909.

*Follis.*

118. *Obv.* CONSTANTINVS P.F. AVG. Laureate head to right.  
*Rev.* PRINCIPI IVVENTVTIS. The Emperor standing to left, holding two standards. In the field a star. In the exergue PLN.  
Found in Lincoln. Presented by Mrs. H. Mackinder, Dec. 13, 1909.

*Centenionalis.\**

119. *Obv.* CONSTANTINVS AVG. Helmeted head to right.  
*Rev.* BEATA TRANQVILLITAS. An altar with orb and three stars, inscribed VOTIS XX.  
Found in Lincoln, 1878. Presented by Nathan Heywood, Sept. 24th, 1909.

*Centenionalis.*

120. As 119. Much worn. In the exergue PTR.  
Found in Lincoln. Presented by Dr. E. Mansel Sympson, Oct. 15, 1909.

*Centenionalis.*

121. As 119. In the exergue STR.  
Found in Lincoln. Presented by Mrs. H. Mackinder, Dec. 13, 1909.

*Centenionalis.*

122. As 119. In the exergue STR.  
Found in Lincoln. Presented by Inspector Stokes, April, 1907.

*Centenionalis.*

123. *Obv.* CONSTANTINVS P.F. AVG. Laureate head to right.  
*Rev.* As 119. In the exergue PLON.  
Found in Silver St., Lincoln, 1908. Presented by the Co-operative Society, April, 1908.

*Centenionalis.*

124. As 114. In the exergue BTR.  
Found in Lincoln. Presented by J. A. Graves, Aug. 27, 1908.

\* The "Centenionalis" was the new silver coin instituted by Diocletian, but like those of previous coins became debased so that the greater number are in reality bronze coins.

*Centenionalis.*

125. As 114. In the field a crescent. In the exergue PLN.  
Found in Lincoln. Presented by W. Priestley, Aug. 15, 1908.

*Centenionalis.*

126. *Obv.* As 123.  
*Rev.* SECVRITAS REIPVBLICAE. Victory advancing to left with wreath in right hand. In the field OF. II.  
Found in Lincoln, 1878. Presented by Nathan Heywood, Sept. 24th, 1909.

*Centenionalis.*

127. *Obv.* CONSTANTINVS AVG. Laureate head to right.  
*Rev.* D.N. CONSTANTINI MAX. AVG. In centre a wreath enclosing VOT. XX. In the exergue QT., and a star and crescent.

128. As 127. In exergue QQ.

129. As 127. In exergue PR.

*Centenionalis.*

130. *Obv.* CONSTANTINVS MAX. AVG. Laureate head to right.  
*Rev.* GLORIA EXERCITVS. Two military figures with spears and shields, between them a standard. In the exergue SMNS.  
Found at Greetwell. Presented by T. W. G. Hewitt, April, 1907.

*Centenionalis.*

131. *Obv.* As 127.  
*Rev.* As 130.  
Found in Stonefield Garden, Lincoln. Presented by the late J. Swan, April 3rd, 1907.

*Centenionalis.*

132. *Obv.* As 130.  
*Rev.* Legend as 130. Two military figures with spears and shields, between them two standards. In the exergue SMALB.

133. As 132.  
Found at Greetwell. Presented by T. W. H. Hewitt, April, 1907.

*Centenionalis.*

134. As 132. In the exergue TRS.  
Found at Owmbly. Presented by Miss O'Neill,  
Oct., 1909.

*Centenionalis.*

135. As 132. In the exergue TRP.  
136. As 135.  
137. As 135.  
Found in Lincoln. Presented by Mrs. H. Mac-  
kinder, Dec. 13, 1909.

*Centenionalis.*

138. As 132. In the exergue PCONS.  
Found in Lincoln. Presented by J. A. Graves,  
Aug. 27, 1908.

*Centenionalis.*

139. *Obv.* As 127.  
*Rev.* PPROVIDENTIAE AVGG. A gateway with two  
towers, between the towers a star. In the exergue PTR.  
Found at the Castle, Lincoln. Presented by T.  
W. G. Hewitt, April, 1907.

*Centenionalis.*

140. As 137.  
Found at Greetwell. Presented by T. W. G.  
Hewitt, April, 1907.

*Centenionalis.*

141. *Obv.* D.N. CONSTANTINVS PF. AVG. Helmeted head  
to right.  
*Rev.* VICTORIAE LAETAE PRINC. PERP. Two  
winged Victories, holding a wreath in which is  
VOT. P.R. between them an altar.  
Found in Lincoln, 1878. Presented by Nathan  
Heywood, Sept. 24th, 1909.

FAUSTA, wife of Constantinus I, 307 to 326, A.D.

*Centenionalis.*

142. *Obv.* FLAV. MAX. FAVSTA AVG. Head to right.  
*Rev.* SPES REIPUBLICAE. A veiled woman standing  
suckling two children. In the exergue R. P.  
Found in Lincoln. Presented by Mrs. Mackinder,  
Dec. 13th, 1909.