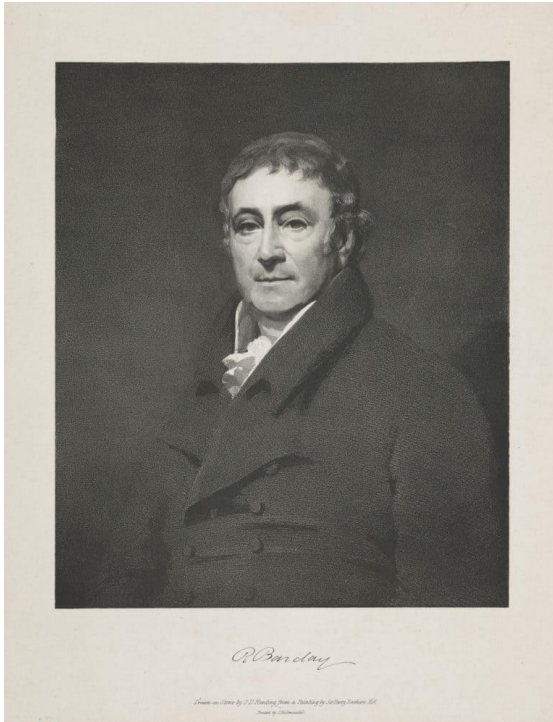


# Barclay, Robert

(1751-1830)



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## Biographical and Other Notes

A brewer and businessman born in Philadelphia, PA, but later resident and landowner in Bury Hill, Surrey. He acquired 553 coins from the Dorking hoard and allowed the BM to purchase a selection; some of the remainder was sold by his son Charles Barclay (1780–1855), in the auction Sotheby 21-23 March 1831 as the property of an ‘Eminent Collector’: Anglo-Saxon, English patterns and proofs, Scottish and medals.

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