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GOLD COIN REPLICAS & FAKES

A number of replica gold coins have been presented to us which helped us learn to identify originals from replicas and fakes.

Replica, or copy, or restrike gold coins are imitations of the original coin but can be identified when comparing fine details and the shine of the gold. Generally old gold coins are dull while replicas and copies are shiny, even though both types are made from the same carat gold.

Old gold ages and appears old, I guess like us!

Naturally there's a big difference in coin values between an original and a replica, often 10:1 respectively.

Meantime gold and silver continued their downward trend during July, dropping 4% and 11% respectively.

*Natasha is back at Goldex after three weeks leave.
Welcome back!*



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