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Henry wanted to succeed to the post, but Stephen instead supported , who was eventually appointed.

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A total of 30 mints were employed in the initial recoinage the mint at Ipswich was not active during the early stages — but was extremely productive from class B until the end of the series. The Reverse shows a cross moline a Christian cross that is a cross with the end of each arm forked and recurved. Stephen also had a personal confessor appointed to him by the Archbishop of Canterbury, who implemented a for him, and Stephen encouraged the new order of to form abbeys on his estates, winning him additional allies within the church.

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He married , inheriting additional estates in and that made the couple one of the wealthiest in England. These were the last guineas to be struck and about 360,000 were produced in total.

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From here, silver was drawn for the first Scottish pennies, with mints at Berwick, Carlisle, Edinburgh and Roxburgh. David I of Scotland r. When the city was besieged by a Scottish army from October 1644, every citizen was asked to offer up their silver plate to be coined.

Stephen, King of England

For some English historians, these have been opportunistic irritants aimed at gaining concessions from King Stephen, who had many other problems to deal with. Tasked with raiding Spanish possessions in the Pacific in a bid to disrupt trade, Anson sent sail from England in September 1740 with a squadron of eight ships. He had fought for Stephen at the Battle of the Standard in 1138 against David I of Scotland and would later proclaim loyalty to Henry II, becoming one of the leaders of the English army which captured William the Lion in 1174.

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