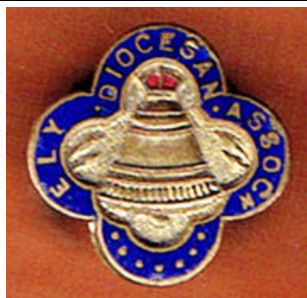


## ELY DIOCESAN ASSOCIATION (founded 1897)

Sometime: Ely & St Edmundsbury Diocesan Association (1919 to 1921)



### Version A

Flower shape, cupronickel with blue enamel border    Width 17mm

Brooch or horseshoe fastening with plain reverse    No manufacturer shown

'The new badges were available, every member present purchasing one.' (The badges were bought for 6d. each and sold for 8d. each)  
'The Ringing World' 10.vii.1936 p449



### Version B (i)

Bell with headstock, brass with red enamel name on headstock and shield on bell. Earlier versions have (i) gap between main body of bell and headstock and (ii) holes in canons rather than filled in

Length 26mm    Designed by Bill Ridgman when General Secretary

Buttonhole and brooch fastenings, both with plain reverse    No manufacturer shown (but known to be John Taylor & Co (Silversmiths)).



### Version B (ii)

As above but no gap between bell and headstock and canons filled in    Both dull and shiny finish known  
Length 26mm    Designed by Bill Ridgman when General Secretary

Buttonhole and brooch fastenings, both with plain reverse    No manufacturer shown

'After a lengthy discussion on the subject of badges it was agreed to leave the matter to the Diocesan Committee to choose a new design as they thought best.'    'The Ringing World' 1.v.1953 p293

'The new Association badge found ready sale.'    'The Ringing World' 29.i.1954 p70

## ELY DIOCESAN ASSOCIATION (continued)



### Version B (iii)

As above but slight difference in details of gudgeons



### Version C (Centenary)

Circular, brass with red and blue enamel    Diameter 26mm

Pin fastening with plain reverse    No manufacturer shown

Only 99 copies produced