

justice in obverse and reverse

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seriously: let defendants choose their coin,
execute their own calls, make their own coin flips—
attentive referee, no need for a court.

—or assess ability to toss a coin
into circles of chalk, just a one-time toss
or two-out-of-three for some crimes, for some folks.

adjudication by coin toss, what a sport!
let adjudication chambers come equipped
with no more than, say, three or five coins apiece:

while some defendants might prefer rolls of coins,
gold and silver judgments tilt justice's scales.

