Object Code: ELM/HIST 8761 Quantity: 1.00 Cultural Association: Maker: Production Place:

Description:

Campaign medal issued for service during the South African frontier wars in the 1800's.

The medal is silver and 36mm in diameter, with an ornamental scroll swivelling suspension, and a date bar with the date 1877-1878.

The obverse portrays the diademed head of Queen Victoria and the words VICTORIA REGINA. The reverse depicts the lion of South Africa crouching in front of a protea bush. Below the lion is a shield with four spears. Above the lion are the words SOUTH AFRICA.

On the edge of the medal the following is inscribed "Capt. G. A. NettletonKeiskammahoek Corps".