SAHRIS OBJECT PDF REPORT

Object Code: ELM/HIST 4921

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 1877-8-9.

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 "Pte. F. ColeNo 9 Troop Cape Mounted Rifles".