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Form: Circular with attached loop.

By: James Fenton, Great Hampton Street, Birmingham according to the "J.F" maker's mark on the silver medals of the series.

Date: 1900

Ref: AM: 53 (General French); Hern: 124 (other generals); Laidlaw: 0513d;

Variations:

Size	Metal	Mass	Value
29.7 mm	Silver	10.4 gm	\$50

Edge: Plain.

Obverse: Beaded border round the rim. Bust of General Buller in uniform with cap, slightly left. Legend above: "RELIEF OF LADYSMITH FEB 28TH 1900" and below: "GENERAL BULLER".

Reverse: Beaded border round the rim. On an ornate rectangular plaque across: "SOUTH AFRICA 1900". Behind, laurel wreath top and bottom and crossed bayoneted rifles with Queen's crown at the top. Stamped below plaque with the maker's mark: "J.F." and below that the Birmingham sterling silver hallmarks for 1899-1900 (z).

Notes: One of a series of similar medals depicting British commanders.