



Wiltshire Regiment in South Africa c1900

James Bandy

Private. J. Bandy, 4511, 2nd Wilts Regt.

James Bandy was the son of Jane and William Bandy, born in Pewsey about 1872.

In 1881 he was living at Kings corner in Pewsey with his parents. By 1891 he was living at Castle Street, Salisbury with his widowed mother Jane, a charwoman, and was working as a bricklayer's apprentice.

Later, J. Bandy lived at Manton's Gardens, Bedwyn Street, Salisbury, Wiltshire.

Serving as a Private in the 2nd Battalion Wiltshire Regiment, he died of disease at Deelfontein on the 18 June 1900. His name is commemorated on the Boer War Memorial in Salisbury Cathedral.

He was awarded the Queen's South Africa Medal 1899-1902 with 2 clasps, Cape Colony and Orange Free State.

Medal Catalogue (including service papers) and 1881 and 1991 census.