



JENNIE, THE OLD DRUM HORSE of the 7th Dragoon Guards, was the only one to survive, of the black horses on which the Regiment was mounted at the commencement of the S. A. Campaign. She went to S. Africa with the Regiment in February 1900 and accompanied them all through the Campaign. After the campaign every Officer N. C. O. and man in the Regt was so proud of her that the Commanding Officer obtained permission to purchase her from the Government out of the Regimental Funds. She thus became the property of the Regiment and was the Regimental pet.

On the return of the 7th Dn Guards to England in August 1904 they brought her with them. She always carried the drums from November 1902 until she arrived in England, after that time she only carried them on special occasions. She died in August 1905 from enteritis, caused by the sand which had got into her system in Africa. Up till the time of her death she was being trained to march at the head of the Band without a rider and was making great progress.

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