

EVANS, JOHN EMRYS (1853 - 1931), South African banker

Name: John Emrys Evans
Date of birth: 1853
Date of death: 1931
Parent: Emrys Evans
Gender: Male
Occupation: South African banker
Area of activity: Economics and Money
Author: Edward Morgan Humphreys

Born at Bron-y-berllan, Denbighshire, 1853, son of Emrys Evans, Calvinistic Methodist minister. He became a bank official and went to South Africa in 1882. During the South African war he was financial adviser to the commander-in-chief (lord Roberts); in August 1900 he was made controller of Transvaal treasury and later auditor-general of the Transvaal. He was a director of Barclay's Bank (dominion, colonial, and overseas) and vice-chairman of the South African local board. From 1907 to 1910 he was a member of the Transvaal legislative assembly. He died in November 1931.

Author

Edward Morgan Humphreys, (1882 - 1955)

Sources

The Liverpool Daily Post, 26 November 1931

Additional Links

Wikidata: [Q20733406](https://www.wikidata.org/wiki/Q20733406)

Published date: 1959

Article Copyright: <http://rightsstatements.org/page/InC-RUU/1.0/> 

The Dictionary of Welsh Biography is provided by The National Library of Wales and the University of Wales Centre for Advanced Welsh and Celtic Studies. It is free to use and does not receive grant support. A donation would help us maintain and improve the site so that we can continue to acknowledge Welsh men and women who have made notable contributions to life in Wales and beyond.

Find out more on our [sponsorship page](#).

