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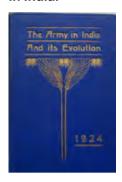
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India

1. The Army in India & its Evolution. Including an Account of the Establishment of the Royal Air Force in India.



1st Ed., xi+253pp. Calcutta: Govt. Press. 1924

An invaluable official survey of the IA with much on its organisation, manpower, establishments &c. during the Great War period, with Appendices showing strength & distribution in 1887, 1895, 1903, 1914-18 & 1923 &c., lists of units, details of the reserve system, &c. A prefatory note states that "The

principal purpose of this book is to provide a contemporary account of the measures of reorganisation carried out in the Army of India after the Great War, & to describe in a connected form the essential features of the army as thus reconstructed." Packed with interesting statistics & detail on the WW1 era & earlier. Orig. blue cloth, gilt, VG. [Ref: 68285] £50

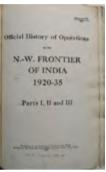
2. Memorials of a Young Soldier, Lieutenant Giffard, Northamptonshire Regiment.



1st Ed., [v]+68pp., portrait frontis. Clowes & Sons. 1898
A memoir of Lt. Cecil Lerrier Giffard, who was born in Guernsey in 1868
&, following service in the Militia, was commissioned in the 58th (2nd Bn. Northampstonshire Regt.) in 1890. He served in India with his regiment until KiA by a sniper's bullet during the Tirah campaign on 6th Nov. 1897 with the 48th (1st Northamptonshire). Includes

extracts from his diaries & letters in India including the Tirah campaign. Orig. half white morocco boards & red cloth sides, gilt title to front panel, rebacked in matching calf with red leather lettering label. VG thus & rare. [Ref: 66183] £225

3. Official History of Operations on the North-West Frontier of India 1920-1935. Three parts: Part I, Operations from the Dispersal of the Derajat Column in May 1920 till the commencement of the Red Shirt Movement in 1930. Part II, The Afridi & Red Shirt Rebellion 1930-1931, The Mohmand & Bajaur Operations 1931. Part III, The Loe Agra Campaign 1935. The Mohmand Campaign 1935.

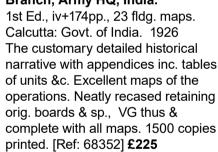


1st Ed., viii+260pp., 2 col. & 18 b/w illus., 26 fldg. maps. Delhi: Govt. of India Press. 1945

Full & detailed accounts of air & ground operations. Orders of Battle &c. Orig. red cloth, spine untitled, customary wear, generally VG but please note fldg. maps from endpocket are absent, indeed there is no sign that the pocket was ever present in this example. All the

bound-in maps/plates are present (together with one uncalled for map (Sketch Map of Tribal Areas). One of 750 copies & seemingly a low survival rate as it is very scarce indeed. [Ref: 68390] £265

4. The Third Afghan War 1919: Official Account Compiled by the General Staff Branch, Army HQ, India.





5. BRADDON (Sir Edward, KCMG) Thirty Years of Shikar.



1st Ed., x+373pp., frontis., 13 decorative initial letters & 13 tailpieces heading & tailing each chapter, fldg. map of "Oudh Forest Tracts & Nepal Terai."

Blackwood. 1895

Big game in Tibet & Oudh; also detailing the author's service during 30 years of mercantile life in India from Days of Griffinage & Among the Indigo Planters to The Santhal Rebellion, The Santhal Country in the Mutiny, Station Life in

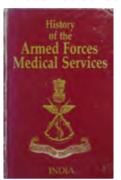
Oudh, &c. Orig. green cloth, gilt to sp. & titled in black to front, VG, nice copy. [Ref: 55594] £220

6. FOSTER (Sir William, CIE) John Company.



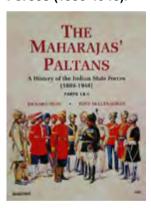
1st Ed., xi+286pp., 22 plates, 2 sketches. John Lane. 1926 Standard history of the Honourable East India Company. Orig. blue cloth, gilt, VG. [Ref: 66248] £35

7. GHOSH (Col. A.) Ed. History of the Armed Forces Medical Services India.



1st Ed., xvi+333pp., 27 photos. New Delhi: Orient Longman 1988 Very useful outline history of medical services in the old Indian Army, campaigns (inc. WW1 & WW2), organisation, post-1947 changes & services. Laminated boards, somewhat rubbed, scarce. [Ref: 68358] £75

8. HEAD (Richard) & MCCLENAGHAN (Tony) The Maharajas' Paltans: A History of the Indian State Forces (1888-1948).



1st Ed., 2 Vols., xxvii+527 & xii+[554]pp., 4to, illus. throughout (some colour), several maps. VG in dws & slipcase. New Delhi: Manohar (in conjunction with the United Services Instirution of of India 2013

A substantial work in 2 large volumes & the last word on Indian State Forces, i.e., those maintained by the rulers of the many Indian Princely States

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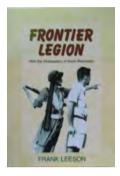
1st Ed., xxi+584pp., 12mo, 14 col. plates, num. b/w illus. Sampson Low. 1940

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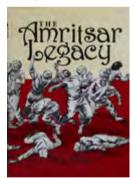


1st Ed., xii+233pp., photos. & maps. Ferring, West Sussex: The Leeson Archive. 2003 Author was a British Officer attached to the North Waziristan

attached to the North Waziristan Khassadars (tribal police tasked with protecting the communications of the Frontier region) during 1946-47. Historical account of the Faqir of Ipi & his previous campaigns against the British,

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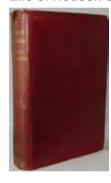
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19. 10th Gurkha Rifles. Register of Casualties - The Second World War 1939-45.



Reprint, approx. 74pp. Stockholm: Ashok Nath. 1992
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NCOs & men of the regiment
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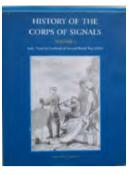
33. ATKINSON (C.T.) A History of the 1st (P.W.O.) Battalion The Dogra Regiment 1887-1947.



1st Ed., xiv+210pp., portrait frontis., 39 photos., 28 maps. Southampton: Printed for subscribers by the Camelot Press. 1950
Raised as 37th Dogras in 1887 & renamed 1st Bn. 17th Dogras: campaigns include Black Mountain, Chitral & Mohmand campaigns, WW1 in Mespot. (Kut &c.), Waziristan 1936, WW2 Burma campaign (Arakan & later Imphal fronts). Officers' services, roll of

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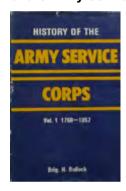
34. BARRETO (Brig. T.) History of the Corps of Signals. Volume I: Early Times to Outbreak of Second World War (1939).



2nd Ed., 288pp., 4to, num. photo., several maps. VG in dw. New Delhi: Directorate General of Signals. 2006
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35. BULLOCK (Brig. Humphrey, CIE, OBE) History of the Army Service Corps. Volume I: 1760-1857.



2nd Ed., xi+259pp. VG in chipped dw. New Delhi: Sterling Publishers. 1976

Scholarly work first published in 1952 by Gale & Polden which on its 1976 reprinting (here offered) became Volume I of the major five volume history of the Indian Army Service Corps from inception to 1962. This volume (vide Perkins, p. 519) "describes the Commissariat Dept. of the HEIC & its role in the

Nepalese War (1814), First Burma War (1824-1826), First Afghan War (1838-1842), the two Sikh wars, the Second Burma War (1852-1853), the Persian War (1856-1857), & the siege of Lucknow (1857)." Orig. blue cloth, gilt, VG in chipped dw. [Ref: 68380] £145

36. GIBBS (Lt.-Col. H.R.K.) Historical Record of the 6th Gurkha Rifles. Volume II, 1919-1948.



1st Ed., xix+320pp., portrait frontis., 21 photos., 5 fldg. maps. Aldershot: G&P. 1955

Several inter-war Waziristan & NWF forays; WW2 three bns. in Burma (one with Chindits), one in PAIFORCE & Italy. Roll of Hon., awards & much excellent detail. Perkins 504. Orig. rifle green cloth, silver gilt, VG. [Ref: 68265] £145

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1st Ed., xiv+274pp., 30 photos. VG in dw. Cooper. 1975
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38. MAJUMDAR (Lt.-Col. B.N.) History of the Army Service Corps. Volume II: 1858-1913.



1st Ed., xii+406pp. VG in chipped dw. New Delhi: Sterling Publishers. 1976

Volume II of the major five volume history of the Indian Army Service Corps from inception to 1962. This volume (vide Perkins, p. 519) "describes the role of military transport in the campaigns of Umbeyla (1863), Bhutan (1864), Abyssinia (1867-1868), Second Afghan War (1878-1880), Third

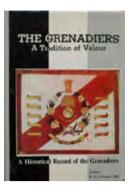
Burmese War (1885), Sikkim (1888-1890), the Frontier Risings (1888-1898), Manipur (1891), Chitral (1895), Tibet (1904)& the Abor Expedition (1911-1912)." Orig. blue cloth, gilt, VG in chipped dw. [Ref: 68381] £145

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40. PALSOKAR (Col. R.D., MC) The Grenadiers: A Tradition of Valour.



1st Ed., xxiv+538pp., col. frontis., 5 other col. plates & 120 b/w illus., 49 maps. VG in sl. chipped dw. Jabalpur: The Regimental Centre. [1980].

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41. PETRE (F. Loraine, OBE) The 1st King George's Own Gurkha Rifles, The Malaun Regiment, 1815-1921.



1st Ed., xvi+358pp., 4to, 4 col. & 8 b/w plates, 34 maps (most fldg., 4 in end-pocket). RUSI. 1925 Substantial & rare. Campaigns include Sikh Wars, Indian Mutiny, 2nd Afghan War, various North-West Frontier Campaigns & WW1 with the Indian Corps in France 1914-15 (inc. Neuve Chapelle & Festubert) & Mesopotamia & Palestine 1916-18, 3rd Afghan

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42. PHYTHIAN-ADAMS (Lt.-Col. E.G., Madras Regt. &c.) Madras Infantry 1748-1943.

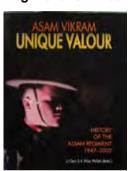


1st Ed., x+133pp., frontis. Madras: Govt. Press. 1943

The Madras Army, its regiments & campaigns, with a table of units noting when raised, changes in designation, disbanded &c. "A very detailed & readable narrative history... good descriptions of many small-scale actions... helpful notes on battle honours, unit lineages, & unit war services." - Perkins. Dec. paper covd. boards with green cloth

backstrip, covs. somewhat rubbed worn, generally VG & scarce. [Ref: 68263] £90

43. PILLAI (Lt. Gen. S.K., PVSM [Retd.]) Asam Vikram. Unique Valour. History of the Assam Regiment 1947-2002.



1st Ed., xvi+464pp., 4to, num. illus., both col. & b/w, several maps. VG in dw. Macmillan India Ltd. 2004

Raised in 1941 to meet the Japanese threat in north-east India, the regiment became (& remains) a part of the post-Independence regular Indian Army & performs a valuable security role in the north-eastern

region. It has also participated in the Jammu & Kashmir ops. 1948, Indo-Pak wars of 1962 & 1971, &c. Excellent illustrated history plus Roll of Hon., awards, &c. (including WW2). VG in dw. [Ref: 68234] £75

44. POULSOM (Lt.-Col. Neville W.) & AHMAD (Lt.-Col. Rifat N.) Uniforms & Devices of the Baloch Regiment.



Based on Army Dress
Regulations. 1st Ed., [vii]+250pp.,
4to, illustrated throughout with
col. plates & b/w photos. dw.
Abbotabad, Pakistan: Baloch
Regimental Centre. 2011
Al excellent illustrated record of
the Baluch/Baloch Regiment's
cap badges, pouch belts,
shoulder titles, &c., with many
photos of uniforms in wear (old
group photos., portraits, &c.). VG

in dw but binding split (due to inferior manufacture, although the whole if nicely printed on art paper throughout. [Ref: 68231] £45

45. SHAKESPEAR (Col. L.W.) History of the 2nd King Edward's Own Goorkha Rifles (The Sirmoor Rifles).



1st Ed., xii+183pp., 4to, 26 plates, maps, plans. Aldershot: G&P. 1912

Fine history covering Indian Mutiny (notably at Delhi), 2nd Afghan War, North-West Frontier &c. Perkins 498. Orig. green cloth, gilt, with red morocco corners. Little rubbed, o/w VG. [Ref: 68371] £125

46. SMITH (Lt.-Col. E.D., DSO, MBE) The Story of the Sirmoor Rifles.



1st Ed., [ii]+58pp., col. frontis., 6 col. plates, several b/w photos. Singapore: Jay-Birch (for the regt.). [1968].

Useful short history of 2nd Gurkha Rifles: raising of the regiment, Indian Mutiny (notably on the Delhi Ridge), NWF, WW1 in France & Middle East, WW2 Burma & MEF. Orig. red & green cloth, gilt, VG. [Ref: 68262] £30

47. SOLLY (Capt. A.R.) Historical Record of the 4-5th Mahratta Light Infantry.



Compiled from Various Sources. Bound photocopy of 1924 1st Ed., [ii]+67pp. Lahore: Civil & Military Press. 1924

A concise account (with rolls of awards) & a rare history but note this is a photocopy, trimmed to original page size & bound in half green calf with gilt title to sp. [Ref: 67230] £35

Africa

48. East Africa Protecorate. Kericho. (Provisional) Sheet South A36/F. 1:250,000.



Fldg. canvas-backed map, 64x64cm approx., produced by GSGS/
Ordnance Survey, 1916.
Area of Kericho, in BEA (later Kenya), in the Lumbwa country, also showing the Mau Escarpment & part of the Uganda Railway from 16 miles east of Kisumu,, via Fort Ternan & Lumbwa Station, &c., to Clutterbuck's
Crossing. VG. [Ref: 51001] £85

49. German East Africa. Eyassi. B4. 1:300,000.



Fldg. canvas-backed map, 85x71cm, produced by GSGS/Ordnance Survey, based on the German standard map, 1915.

This sheet shows part of the central region inc. Lake Nyarasa (now Lake Malawi). As well as names of towns, hill ranges &c., conditions such as 'open steppe,' 'grass savanah', 'water hole' &c. are detailed. VG. [Ref: 68366] £125

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Fldg. canvas-backed map, 85x71cm, produced by GSGS/Ordnance Survey, based on the German standard map, 1916.

This sheet shows the region west of Mohoro & SW of Dar-es-Salam. As well as names of towns, hill ranges &c., conditions such as 'open steppe,' 'grass savanah', 'water hole' &c. are detailed. VG. [Ref: 45071] £120

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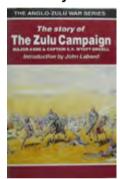
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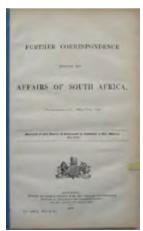
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53. ASHE (Major) & WYATT-EDGELL (Capt. E.V.) The Story of the Zulu Campaign.



Facsimile reprint of 1880 1st Ed., intro. by John Laband, xxix+418pp., fldg. map. VG in dw. Constantia: N&S Press. 1989
Classic account of 1879 war with new intro. & index. VG in dw. [Ref: 68368] £20

54. Command paper. [C.-2374] Further Correspondence Respecting The Affairs of South Africa. (In Continuation of [C.-2367] of July 1879). Presented to both Houses of Parliament by Command of Her Majesty, July, 1879.



1st Ed., v+149pp. Printed by Eyre & Spottiswoode for HMSO. 1879
Fine series of correspondence between SA & War Office, Admiralty &c. in London with customary detailed Table of Contents. Raugh (p.479) states: "Correspondents include: Sir Garnet Wolseley, Sir H.B.E. Frere, Sir H. Bulwer. Includes: Series of Zulu papers; report from Brigadier-General Wood; correspondence with Bishop Colenso on assault on David

Smith by the Zulu; attempts of Cetshwayo to obtain assistance of other chiefs against the British; reports from border agents & magistrates on raids into Zululand; Lord Chelmsford on progress of war & overtures for peace by Cetshwayo; death of the Prince Imperial."

Excellent source material & rare, orig. wraps. replaced with modern plain blue paper wraps., VG thus. [Ref: 64320] £225

55. DUXBURY (G.R.) David & Goliath: The First War of Independence 1880-1881.



1st Ed., orig. card wraps., vi+90pp., frontis., 18 illus., 4 maps. Jo'burg: SA National Museum of Military History. 1981
Useful concise account of The First Boer War, Majuba Hil &c. VG. [Ref: 62732] £15

56. GANN (L.H.) & DUIGNAN (Peter) The Rulers of British Africa 1870-1914.



1st Ed., xiii+406pp., 20 photos., map, tables. VG in lightly rubbed dw. Croom Helm. 1978
Scholarly study of the civil & military administrations & the men who ran them, divided onto chapters on: The Colonial Office; The Army; Military Organization & Campaigns; The Colonial Governor; The District Officer; The African Assistant, &c., offering much of great interest on the formative years of the British

Empire in South, East, Central & West Africa. VG in somewhat worn dw. [Ref: 68399] £25

Other Campaigns & Wars

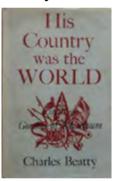
57. English Cavalry in the Army of the East. 1854 & 1855. Divisional Orders & Correspondence Whilst Under the Command of Lieut.-General The Earl of Lucan, K.C.B.



1st Ed., [v]+clxiipp. Routledge. 1856 Contains Lucan's Divisional Orders, May 1854-Feb. 1855, followed by correspondence between Lucan & Cardigan, & Paulet, Airey, &c. with much interesting close matter regarding the conditions of the campaign in the Crimea. Also notes on Lucan's recall & other matters. Orig. maroon cloth, blindstamped boards with gilt titles to sp. & front. Nicely recased & VG thus with

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58. BEATTY (Charles) His Country was the World: A Study of Gordon of Khartoum.



1st Ed., [vii]+296pp., 3 maps. VG in dw. Chatto & Windus. 1954 Gordon, his work & campaigns in China, Africa &c. VG in dw. [Ref: 68302] £20

59. MUNRO (Surgeon Gen. Wm., MD, CB) Records of Service & Campaigning in Many Lands.



1st Ed., 2 Vols., xvi+363 & x+426pp. Hurst & Blackett. 1887

Following the success of "Reminiscences of Service with the 93rd Sutherland Highlanders" Munro expands his experiences & gives fuller accounts of the campaigns in which he took part. To do so he was lent the official regimental records & numerous officers provided him with their own diaries & reminiscences to supplement his own. He was first appointed surgeon in the 91st, serving in the Kaffir Wars, then to

the 93rd for the Crimea & expedition to Kertch, Indian Mutiny inc. Relief of Lucknow, Rohilcund & Oudh. Rebound in older red cloth, gilt, VG ex-RUSI & scarce. See illustrat [Ref: 65803] £125

The First World War: General History & Memoirs

60. The Attack of the British 9th Corps at Messines Ridge.



1st Ed., orig. printed wraps.,
148+ivpp., sketch map & col.
drawings of conventional (military)
map identifications (HQs, &c.) in
text, together with 10 fldg. maps
(excellent cold. reproductions of
British operational maps).
Washington, US Govt. Printing
Office. 1917
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TRENCHES. An incredibly detailed study, founded on British official documents, of the planning & preparations for the attack on the Messines Ridge on 7th June 1917, the successful precursor to the Third Ypres offensive. Much on the administrative arrangements as well as the infantry attack, including all aspects of the assault. One of the most remarkable components of this study is the excellent series of finely reproduced actual size coloured folding maps (numbered 1-10) which consists of (1) Cross Country Tracks, IX Corps Area, 1:20,000, which was Compiled by IX Corps Topo. Section & dated 29/5/1917; (2) 1:10,000 scale map of the Army Front at Messines with superb details of attack arrangements, brigade & divisional boundaries, barrage lifts, objectives, &c., as well as detailed trench systems; (3) Corps Front & boundaries, i.e. 1:10,000 Wytschaete trench map (corrected to 1/4/1917) overprinted with boundaries & objectives; (4) Second Army Area, Sheet 3. 1:20,000. Information on Enemy Country; (5) Wytschaete 1:5:000. A very detailed map of the village & the defences, trenches & features around it; (6) Wytschaete trench map 1:10,000 overprinted with machine gun barrage lines & positions; (7) 1:20,000 scale map of region around Westroutre, Kemmeil, Messines, &c. Two British sheets reproduced side-by-side showing trench lines &c. with much interesting detail overprinted inc. HQs, admin. areas, boundaries, &c; (8) Map of entire region of operations from Poperinghe in NE corner, eastwards to Ypres &c., south to Ploegsteert, showing trenches, this overprinted with railway communications &c.; (9) Traffic Routes, IX Corps, 1:40,000; (10) 1:20,000 scale trench map overprinted with divisional boundaries, &c., in the rear area behind Wytschaete. VG, housed in modern cloth slipcase with orig, printed paper title panel to.front. [Ref: 68351] £275

61. Comforts for the Wounded in Our Hospitals.



Written by the Staff of Fort Pitt Hospital. 1st Ed., orig. pictorial wraps., 36pp., approx. 20 photos. Charham, Mackay & Co. on Behalf of the Committee of the Comforts Fund, [Central

Military Hospital, Fort Pitt, Chatham]. 1915
Illustrated record of work at this military hospital in
Chatham, 1914-15, including Surgical Division, Operating
Theatre, Radiant Heat & Massage Dept., Dispensary,
&c. Orig. pictorial wraps., little chipped/rubbed, generally
VG & scarce contemporary souvenir. [Ref: 68378] £60

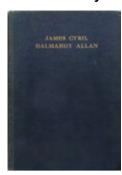
62. Henry Augustus Coit, Number 487429, Private in Princess Patricia's Canadian Light Infantry.



1st Ed., 31pp., 197x158mm, portrait frontis., one other portrait & one photo. of Duke of Connaught inspecting Fifth University Overseas Copamyy (Coit identified on parade). No imprint/date. Printed for Private Distribution. [1917] Henry Augustus Coit, an American & a student at Yale, enlisted in the PPCLI at Montreal

in December 1915, sailed for England in March 1916 where several months were spent in training before arriving in France where he he had been a month on active service when he was struck & dangerously injured by a motor lorry near Ypres. He died at Third Canadian CCS at Remy Siding & was buried in Lijssenthoek Military Cemetery. Includes records of his services, memoir & various letters of condolence, &c. Rare: no copies on JISC/Library Hub, one institutionally in USA (at Yale). Orig. brown paper covd. boards with brown cloth backstrip, title to front with embossed bronze medal. [Ref: 68153] £145

63. James Cyril Dalmahoy Allan: A Memoir.



By D.F. 1st Ed., vii+103pp., portrait frontis. Edinburgh: Privately printed by T. & A. Constable Ltd. 1927 Allan was born in India, son of a rich planter, was Ed. at Rugby & the Univ. of Edinburgh. He became a doctor & was practising in Hong-Kong pre-war, having previously spent several years at Christmas Island. Efforts to gain military employment failed until his

help was enlisted to round up candidates for the Chinese Labour Corps, & he went to France with the contingent where after some time he transferred to an RAMC unit. Contains a few letters describing experiences with the CLC &c. After ther war he returned to the East & died in HK in 1926. Orig. blue cloth, gilt, sp. little rubbed, generally VG. [Ref: 68386] £35

64. Letters from Bob (Captain George Pollard Kay) Flight Commander 46th Squadron, Royal Flying Corps.



With an Intro. by Rev. F.E. Brown, Headmaster, Geelong C. of E. Grammar School. 1st Ed., xi+152pp., portrait frontis., 9 photos. Melbourne: Melville & Mullen. nd (c.1917) George Pollard Kay, a native of Melbourne, Australia, Ed. at Trinity Grammar School, Kew, & Geelong Grammar School, sailed for England in Feb. 1916 in company with a group of school friends whose aim was to join in the war. Arriving in London, he

was accepted for pilot training in the RFC but this was delayed for several months by appendicitis. He was posted to France in Jan. 1917, attached to No. 46 Squadron ("a topping lot of chaps"), flying Nieuport scouts, & saw much service until died of injuries sustained in a crash on 29th June 1917. Contains a short biographical introduction mainly describing sporting achievements & school life, then his letters from Feb. 1916 onwards: voyage to England, training & active service, together with letters of condolence. Contemp. nicely tooled full calf school prize binding, crest of Geelong Grammar Schl. to front, presentation bookplate to paste-down (but attempted removal of this leaving unsightly remains: still nice copy & rare). [Ref: 68295] £120

65. The Letters of Major Henry Bentinck, Coldstream Guards.



1st Ed., vi+138pp., portrait frontis., 3 plates. Robert Scott. 1919
Henry Duncan Bentinck was born in 1881, Ed at Harrow & Trinity
College, Cambridge.
Commissioned in the Coldstream
Guards in 1903 & served in Egypt & the Sudan 1903-1911 & 19131915 (with XII Sudanese). He joined the 2nd Coldstream in France in April 1915 & died on 2nd October 1916 of wounds received

on the Somme on 15th September (when he was hit in the head by shrapnel and in the thigh by a machine gun bullet – his leg was amputated at No. 2 Red Cross Hospital at Rouen). He was thirty-five and is buried at St Sever Cemetery, Rouen. Contains a memoir & his letters including those from France April 1915-Sept. 1916. Of interest for life in trenches, Guards characters, etc. Orig. red cloth, VG & scarce with presentation inscrip. "Phil. Armitage from Charles Bentinck in remembrance of Henry. August 1942." [Ref: 68300] £95

66. The Letters of Mayo Lind.



With an Introduction by J. Alex Robinson. 1st Ed., 175pp., frontis., 4 portraits, 5 other photos. inc. named group of Newfoundland Regt. soldiers &c. St. Johns, Newfoundland: Robinson & Co. Ltd. 1919

Letters & memoir of No. 541 Pte. Francis Thomas Lind (nicknamed Mayo Lind after a fundraising effort he organised) a Newfoundlander born in 1879 who enlisted in the

Newfoundland Regiment in Sept. 1914, served in Gallipoli & France until KiA at Beaumont Hamel on 1/7/1916 & is buried in Y Ravine Cametery. Before the war Lind was engaged in trade but the war revealed latent journalistic ability & his letters, reproduced here but also contemporarily in the St. John's newspaper the 'Daily News', earned him the soubriquet "Newfoundland's First War Correspondent" due to their descriptive qualities. This worl contains letters from Dec. 1915-August 1915 in training & en route to Gallipoli, from the Dardanelles until Dec. 1915, hospital at Malta until March 1916 then in France from April 1916 until the day before his death in action at Beaumont Hamel. Orig. blue cloth, gilt, little wear, VG & rare. [Ref: 68229] £225

67. ADAM (H. Pearl) Paris Sees it Through: A Diary. 1914-1919.



1st Ed., xv+331pp., 8 platyes. VG in chipped dw. Hodder & Stoughton. 1919

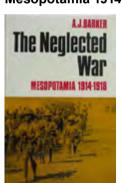
Helen Pearl Adam (nee Humphry) was a lady journalist resident in Paris throughout the war who recorded the mood, social conditions, air raods, &c. Orig. red cloth, titled in black, VG in chipped dw. Rare, especially so in dw. [Ref: 68217] £85

68. BADSEY (Stephen) The British Army in Battle & its Image 1914-1918.



1st Ed., xvii+238pp., 4 photos. VG in dw. Continuum. 2009
Essays on aspects of Western
Front fighting including a raid, the
Somme, Sir Douglas Haig & his
relationship with the Press, &c.
Orignal hardback edition, VG in dw.
[Ref: 68277] £30

69. BARKER (A.J.) The Neglected War: Mesopotamia 1914-1918.



1st Ed., 534pp, 55 photos., 33 maps/sketches. VG in dw. F&F. 1967

Valuable standard account; a thorough investigative study with Orders of Battle, notes on organisation, equipment, &c. Orig. black cloth, gilt, VG in dw. [Ref: 68200] £35

70. BEGG (Dr. R.C., MC, MD, FRCS) Surgery on Trestles: A Saga of Suffering & Triumph.



1st Ed., xii+259pp., 16 illus., 6 maps. VG in dw. Norwich: Jarrold (for the author). 1967 MO in Mesopotamia inc. advance after the relief of Kut &c., 1916-17, serving with 20th British Field Ambulance in the Meerut Division. An shocking account of the appalling climatic conditions & the dire mismanagement of of supplies & medical services at this stage of the campaign. VG in dw. [Ref:

68190] £25

71. BEHREND (Capt. & Adjt. A.F.) Nine Days: Adventures of a Heavy Artillery Brigade of the Third Army during the German Offensive of March 21-29 1918.



1st Ed., xvi+115pp., 13 photos., 3 drawings, 2 fldg. maps. Privately printed at Cambridge by Heffer & Sons. 1921

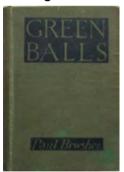
Appealing & detailed account of the activities of 90th Bde. RGA during this hectic period. Roll of Officers & WOs. Orig. pale blue cloth, gilt, dec. with Bde. sign to front, lacjs ffep & to trimmed. VG thus. [Ref: 68203] £60

72. BERTRAND (Adrien) The Victory of Lorraine, August 24-September 12, 1914.



Preface by Hilaire Belloc. 1st Eng. Ed., 136pp., map. VG in chipped/worn dw. Thomas Nelson. nd (1918) Personal account of events leading up to the Battle of the Marne by a junior cavalry officer of the French Army (who die of wounds in November 1914). Orig. red cloth, titled in black, VG in chipped/worn dw. [Ref: 68204] £50

73. BEWSHER (Paul) Green Balls: The Adventures of a Night Bomber.



1st Ed., ix+309pp. Blackwood. 1919

Observer with RNAS bomber sqdrns. 1915-April 1918 when the Handley Page 0/100 in which he was flying crashed at sea after the Zeebrugge raid. Orig. green cloth, blocked gilt & black, little dusty, VG & scarce copy of original edition. [Ref: 68271] £45

74. BORDEAUX (Henry) Guynemer, Knight of the Air.



1st Ed., 256pp., portrait frontis. Chatto & Windus, 1918
Life & career French fighter ace killed in Sept. 1917. Orig. yellow cloth, titled in red, sp. little rubbed, VG. See illustartion on our website. [Ref: 68319] £25

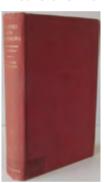
75. BOYD (Donald [F., MC]) Salute of Guns.



1st Ed., 389pp., 4 plates (from aerial photos.). Cape. 1930 Eloquent & scarce memoirs of war commissioned RFA officer in France May 1915-Oct. 1918 (with one six-month break); much on the Somme, 3rd Ypres & March Retreat. The late Bob Wyatt included the work in his revised edition of Falls (Greenhill, 1989): "...describes attitudes of Indian Army Regulars to the newly joined schoolboys; the

Somme, Hill 60, Arras & the Spring Retreat are all covered with the sort of skill one usually expects only from writers such as Sassoon & Blunden. The story is told here of the deserters who lived in High Wood who came out at night to search for food amongst the corpses & when the Gunners went out to capture them seven or eight surrendered & the rest were bombed in their dug-out..." Orig. orange cloth, gilt, sp. little tanned & sl. chipped o/w VG. [Ref: 68195] £90

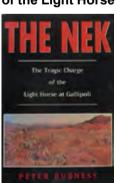
76. BRIDGES (Lt.-Gen. Sir Tom) Alarms & Excursions: Reminiscences of a Soldier.



Foreword by Winston Churchill. 1st Ed., ix+361pp., portrait frontis. Longmans. 1938 Boer war with the ILH & West Australian MI; Somaliland 1902-04; Major 4th Dragoon Guards in 1914 (when he famously averted the surrender of 2nd Dublins & 1st Warwicks at St. Quentin); Military Mission to Belgian Field Army 1914-15 then GOC 19th (Western) Division 1915-17. &c. Orig. maroon

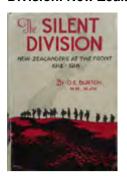
cloth, gilt, VG ex-lib. & scarce. [Ref: 68289] £30

77. BURNESS (Peter) The Nek: The Tragic Charge of the Light Horse at Gallipoli.



1st Ed., orig. laminated wraps., 168pp., 18 photos., map. Kenthurst, NSW: Kangaroo Press. 1996 Detailed account of the Light Horse regiments & their battle at the Nek on 7th August 1915. Orig. wraps., VG. [Ref: 68379] £25

78. BURTON (Ex-2nd Lt. O.E., MM) The Silent Division: New Zealanders at the Front: 1914-19.



Foreword by Maj.-Gen. Sir Andrew Russell. 1st Ed., x+326pp. VG in sl. chipped dw. Sydney: Angus & Robertson. 1935

The NZEF experience of Gallipoli, France & Flanders based on author's service with 2nd Bn. Auckland Regt. from the initial landing at ANZAC to the end of the war. Not in Perkins. Burton also wrote the Auckland regimental

history; in WW2 he was imprisoned as a conscientious objector. Orig. red cloth, titled in black, VG in chipped (but neatly internally repaired) dw, most presentable thus & rare in the jacket. [Ref: 65509] £245

79. CALLWELL (Maj.-Gen. Sir C.E.) Experiences of a Dug-Out 1914-1918.

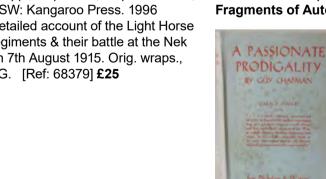


1st Ed., xvii+339pp., frontis. Constable, 1920

One of the retired officers recalled in 1914 to fill the gap made at the War Office by the rush of the staff to the front, becoming Director of Military Operations, Falls (awarding a coveted two stars) explains: "When the Staff at the War Office was so inadvisedly permitted to rush out to France in 1914, a number of officers who had already retired were called

up to take the place of these knights-errant. One of these 'dug-outs,' Sir Charles Callwell, became Director of Military Operations. A witty & attractive writer, he is here at his best. From the point of view of high policy his record is not of first-class importance, but it gives the atmosphere of the War Office under the shadow of 'K' very well. His missions to Russia are also interesting." Orig. red cloth, gilt, nice clean copy with bookplate of Sir John Gretton of Stapleford. [Ref: 61783] £50

80. CHAPMAN (Guy) A Passionate Prodigality: Fragments of Autobiography.



1st Ed., [vi]+347pp., plate. VG in sl. foxed dw. Nicholson & Watson. 1933

Classic Western Front infantry officer's memoir with 13th (Service) Bn. Royal Fusiliers, from raising of the bn. to service in France & Flanders throughout the war. Orig. green cloth, titled in red, VG & scarce original edition, especially in dw (this somewhat foxed, as always, with neat

internal renovations). Nice copy. [Ref: 63945] £220

81. [CHARTERIS (Hon. Evan)] H.Q. Tanks 1917-1918.



1st Ed., [ii]+94pp. Privately Printed. 1920

Bound photocopy reproduction of the rarest of the Tank Men's memoirs (allegedly, & as recorded in the Liddell Harts papers at KCL, just 20 copies were printed) most informative on the conduct & course of the Battle of Cambrai as seen from Tank Corps HQ. Hon. Evan Charteris (1864-1940), a younger son of the 10th Earl of Wemyss, was Ed, at Eton,

commissioned in the Coldstream Guards but proceeded to Balliol & practiced at the Parliamentary Bar. A man of affairs, he was Chairman of the Trustees of the National Portrait Gallery, a Trustee of the National Gallery & of the Wallace Collection. In 1916 he became a Staff Captain in the RFC then GSO III in the Tank Corps from Aug. 1916 to Jan. 1918. He resigned his commission in April 1918. The author of several historical works, he did not, however, include this privately printed volume in the list of published works submitted for his "Who's Who" entry. The book was published privately & anonymously. It covers the period July 1917-January 1918, when the author was GSO3 at Tank HQ with the role of historian of the Tank Corps. J.F.C. Fuller, in the Introduction to 'Tanks in the Great War,' thanks Charteris "for the accurate & careful records of the Corps which he compiled from the earliest days of the tank movement in 1914, to the close of the battle of Cambrai. Many of these were written under, shall I say, far from luxurious circumstances, in his shell-blasted estaminets, less well cared for than the rats of Albert & as much out of place as Alciabeadees in a Peckham parlor." He continues: "The two G.S.O.s3 were Captain the Hon. Evan Charteris & Captain I.M. Stewart, M.C. Charteris was the 'Arbiter Elegantarum' of our Headquarters. He kept the Corps records, as already stated, & without these it would scarcely have been possible to write this history. he was our 'maitre d'hotel'; he gave us beach nut bacon & honey for breakfast, he kept his weather eye open for a one-armed man, elaborated menus which rivalled those of Trimalchio, & gave sparkle to us all by the ripple of his wit." For his part, Charteris offers an illuminating description of J.F.C. Fuller (called Evans in this work): "I moved up to the neighbourhood of Ypres... Here I found the whole of the H.Q. Staff, & first made acquaintance with Evans, the G.S.O.1 of the Tank Corps - G.S.O.1 & brain. A little man, with a bald head, & a sharp face & a nose of a Napoleonic cast, his general appearance, stature, & feature earning him the title of Boney. He stood out at once as a totally unconventional soldier, prolific in ideas, fluent in expression, at daggers drawn with received opinion, authority, & tradition. In the mess his attacks on the red-tabbed hierarchy were viewed in

the spirit of a rat hunt; a spirit he responded to with much vivacity & no little wit. But he could talk amusingly & paradoxically on any subject. His specialities were Eastern religions, about which he could be bewildering, spiritualism, occultism, military history & the theory of war... He was an inexhaustible writer, & from his office issued reams on reams about training, plans of campaign, organisation, & schemes for the use of tanks. He was an invaluable element from a military & social point of view, but his brains would have been better utilised at G.H.Q. galvanising that conservative centre with advanced ideas..." Blue cloth, gilt to sp., VG & useful text that has not been reprinted. [Ref: 68398] £75

82. CORBETT-SMITH (Major A., RFA) The Marne - & After.



1st Ed., xii+324pp., 4 portraits, 2 fldg. maps, 3 in text. VG in chipped dw. Cassell. 1917

Popular contemp. narrative of the crucial battles of the Marne, Aisne & First Ypres. Atmospheric & readable account of the period. Useful aerial view (drawing) of the valley of the Aisne. Orig. red cloth, gilt, VG in rather chipped but scarce & attractive pictorial dw. [Ref: 68287] £120

83. CRIPPS (Leonard) War Diary: August 15 to 20 October MCMXIV.

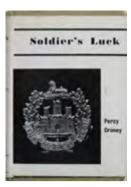


1st Ed., 86pp. "Printed for Private Circulation Only" by Richard Clay & Sons. nd (c.1915).

Rare & interesting memoirs of mobilization as a subaltern with the 4th Hussars at the Curragh in 1914, Retreat from Mons, advance to the Marne then operations in Flanders until wounded by a shell at Hollebeke towards the end of September. Containing some interesting observations & much of

interest on the work of the cavalry in 1914. Author was Major Hon. Leonard Harrison Cripps, who served on the staff following his participation with his regiment in the opening campaign; awarded CBE in 1918, was 3rd son of 1st Baron Parmoor; a shipowner & chairman of Elder Dempster Lines from 1941. Orig. white buckram, gilt title to front board, VG with several loosely inserted cuttings from a regimental journal or somesuch listing officers embarking at Dublin, 13th August 1914, nominal roll of officers wounded during the war (including the author, listed as wounded on 2nd Nov. 1914), & a list of those granted awards. [Ref: 64494] £245

84. CRONEY (Percy) Soldiers' Luck: Memoirs of a Soldier of the Great War.



1st Ed., 319pp., portrait frontis. dw. Ilfracombe: Stockwell. 1965 Croney enlisted in the 12th (S) Bn. Essex Regt. in 1914, was posted to the 1st Bn. at Gallipoli then served with it in France, wounded 1/7/16, the First Day of the Somme, at Beaumont Hamel. Attd. to 2/5th Scottish Riles during convalescence then posted to their 2nd Bn. in 1917 & captured in the March Retreat 1918.

Interesting & uncommon account from the ranks. VG ex-lib. in dw (just minor markings). Rare. [Ref: 68213] £125

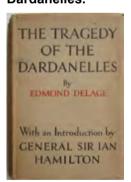
85. DEASE (Alice) With the French Red Cross.



1st Ed., 96pp. Sands & Co., London & Edinburgh. nd (c.1918)
Alice Dease (1874-1949) was an Irish writer & folklore specialist. The romantic stories of work with the French Red Cross here offered were apparently founded on truth, & Dease herself served as a nurse in the war, but the tales have the ring of fiction rather than personal experience. Whatever, it is one of her less well known published

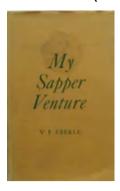
works. Orig/ blue cloth, titled in paler blue, dec. with a red cross on white background to front panel, VG. [Ref: 68284] £30

86. DELAGE (Edmond) The Tragedy of the Dardanelles.



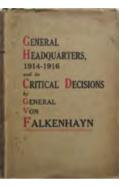
1st Eng. Ed., xxiii+268pp., map. VG in chipped dw. Lane. 1932 Acclaimed French account of the campaign with intro. by lan Hamilton. Orig. cloth, VG in chipped dw & rare thus. [Ref: 60676] £100

87. EBERLE (Lt.-Col. V.F., MC) My Sapper Venture.



1st Ed., viii+208pp., portrait fontis., map. VG in dw. Pitman. 1973
Pre-war TF officer, RE Fd. Coy. in 48th (S. Midland) Territorial Div., served in France & Italy 1915-18 inc. Ploegsteert, Somme (Ovillers), 3rd Ypres (Langemarck), the Piave & Asiago in 1918. Involved, in 1916, in development of the Bangalore Torpedo. VG in dw (trace of old price label to front). Scarce. [Ref: 68212] £35

88. FALKENHAYN (Gen. Erich von) General Headquarters 1914-1916 & its Critical Decisions.



1st Eng. Ed., 299pp., 6 plates, 5 sketch maps. VG in dw. Hutchinson. 1919 German Chief of Staff responsible for inter alia Verdun & the early Somme battles. "Falkenhayn was solely responsible for the conduct of the war on Germany's side in that period [September 1915-August 1916], & what he has to say of the Battles of Ypres & the Masurian lakes, the great drive

against Russia in 1915, the Battles of Verdun & the Somme is of the highest interest & importance..." - sleeve notes. Highly regarded by Falls who awarded two stars ("There are perhaps half a dozen German histories important to the British reader in search of information regarding the policy & conduct of the War from the enemy's pint of view. Of these the late General von Falkenhayn's apologia is certainly one..." Orig. blue cloth, gilt, VG in chipped & tanned but rare dw. [Ref: 68383] £165

89. F.O.O. [Pseud. of STREET (Capt. C.J.C., MC)] With the Guns.



2nd Imp., 222pp., ep map. Eveleigh Nash. 1916
Gunnery work on the Western
Front as practised in 1915 with
much on the Battle of Loos ("His
description of the preliminary
bombardment & the day of assault
at Loos is masterly" - The Times).
Orig. olive cloth, VG. [Ref: 68225]
£35

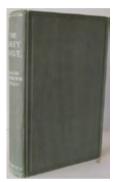
90. FULLER (Maj.-Gen. J.F.C., CBE, DSO) Memoirs of an Unconventional Soldier.



1st Ed., xii+494pp., portrait frontis., 8 plates, 17 diagrams, 5 fldg. maps. Nicholson & Watson. 1936
The great 'tankophile' who was Chief General Staff Officer of the Tank Corps 1916-16 & a constant & vocal advocate of the mechanised arm. This important work largely devoted to 1914-18, tanks & the operations in which they were used. Orig. red cloth, gilt, sp. sunned, head of sp. chipped with about half square inch

loss, o/w sound & scarce. Inexpensive copy. [Ref: 68220] £70

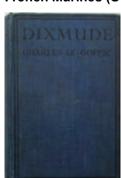
91. GIBBS (Major A. Hamilton) The Grey Wave.



Introduction by Philip Gibbs. 1st Ed., xvii+271pp. Hutchinson. 1920 Enlistment & training with the 9th Lancers in 1914, serving with them briefly in France before returning home to a commission in the RFA at the beginning of 1915. Returned to France with 379th Battery RFA, ultimately to command it until gassed in the March Retreat, 1918. "Major Gibbs is a brother of Sir Philip Gibbs, & has some of his power of

description, as well as a dash of his philosophy - undeveloped when this book was written. He gives a good account of the life of a keen & diligent, but somewhat emotional, New Army gunner officer in France." - Falls. Orig. green cloth, titled in grey to sp., bookplate of RA Inst., Woolwich, no other markings, VG & very scarce. [Ref: 68193] £75

92. GOFFIC (Charles le) Dixmude: The Epic of the French Marines (October 17-November 10 1914).



Translated by Florence Simmonds. 2nd Imp. of 1st Eng. Ed., [xx]+164pp., frontis., 12 plates, 2 maps (one fldg.). Heinemann. 1916

Marine brigade at the Battle of the Yser &c. Orig. blue cloth, titled in black, VG & scarce. [Ref: 68194] £45

93. GRAVES (Robert) Goodbye to All That: An Autobiography.



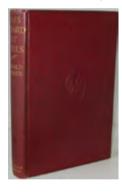
1st USA Ed., [xi]+430pp., portait frontis., 4 plates, 4 maps. VG in sl. chipped dw. NY: Jonathan Cape & Harrison Smith. 1930
Classic Western Front memoirs of poet & infantry officer. 1st & 2nd Bns. RWF, Loos, Somme, &c. Nice copy of 1st USA edition: orig. red cloth, gilt, VG in sl. chipped & neatly repaired dw. [Ref: 60064] £220

94. [GRAY-WATTERS (William)] A Sunny Subaltern: Billy's Letters from Flanders.



3rd Imp., [ii]+175pp. VG in dw. Toronto: McClelland, Goodchild & Stewart. 1916
Engaging, & amusing letters from a young Canadian infantry officer from Nov. 1915 en route to europe then active service until wounded in August 1916. Good description of his army life & experiences. Orig. brown paper covd. boards with cloth backstrip, VG in sl. chipped dw. Scarce. [Ref: 68205] £65

95. GURNER (Ronald) Pass Guard at Ypres.



1st Ed., vii+241pp. Dent. 1930
Near classic Western Front
memoirs in novelised form. Gurner
served in F&F with the Rifle Brigade
& Cyclist Corps, gaining the MC &
being badly wounded. He never
really recovered & committed
suicide after a successful teaching
career at Marlborough, Whitgift &c.
Orig. maroon cloth, very nice copy
with front panel from the original dw
neatly laid onto ffep & ink ownership

inscrip. + armorial bookplate of Clarence Van Schaik Mitchell (1890-1966, born in New York & was at Princeton University when he volunteered to serve the French Army in 1914 to fight in a war "that was a crusade against a nation gone mad." After a year of service, he returned to the USA and received his law degree from Harvard in 1917. When United States entered the war he enlisted and went through officer training. In 1918, he returned to France & was a liaison officer for the French General Noel Edouard de Castelnau. His letters home were published as "Letters from a Liaison Officer" by Princeton Univ. Press in 1920. [Ref: 68206] £85

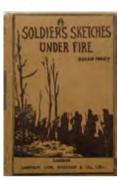
96. HARDING (Geoffrey) Escape Fever.



2nd Imp., 224pp., portrait frontis., 12 plates, num. sketches, fldg. map. Hamilton (Airman's Bookshelf). 1935 After 18 months in the trenches with 1st Cheshires Lt. Harding joined 25 Sqdrn. as an observer, flying FE2b's. Shot down by Richthofen's 'Flying Circus' in May 1917, incarcerated at Karlsruhe then Strohen, from whence he successfully escaped in Oct. 1917. Orig. blue cloth, one inch tear at head of sp. o/w about VG.

[Ref: 68219] £20

97. HARVEY (Harold) A Soldier's Sketches Under Fire.



1st Ed., xiv+176pp., portrait frontis., 40 plates of sketches, map. Sampson, Low, Marston & Co. nd (c.1916).

Acclaimed commercial artist joined 2nd Bn. Royal Fusiliers in the ranks 1914 (had previous experience in the Yeomanry); shortly sailed for Malta then to the Western Front in December. Descriptions & sketches of these travels, life in the line &c. until "bowled over by

shrapnel & poison gas" during 2nd Battle of Ypres, 1915. Orig. mustard pictorial cloth, VG. Rare original edition with appealing drawings. [Ref: 68192] £60

98. HEWISON (W.S.) Aspects of Orkney 3: This Great Harbour, Scapa Flow.



2nd Ed., xi+431pp., 41 photos., 4 maps. VG in dw. The Orkney Press. 1990

Excellent detailed & well illustrated record of the great naval base in WW1 & WW2. Detailed sources notes, indices of ships, &c. VG in dw. [Ref: 68276] £15

99. HEYDEMARCK (Capt. [George Wilhelm] Haupt) Flying Section 17



1st Eng. Ed., trans. by Claud W. Sykes, 178pp., frontis., 32 photos. VG in dw. John Hamilton. nd (c.1934)

Heydemarck was an observer in Feld Flieger Abteilung 17 (Flying Section 17), a 2-seater observation squadron, on the Western Front 1915-16. Transferred to FFA 30 in Macedonia Dec. 1916 (the subject of his 'War Flying in Macedonia.') Scarce 1st Eng. Ed., orig. black

cloth, gilt, near fine in very nice attractive pictorial dw with just minor wear at extremities. [Ref: 68274] £165

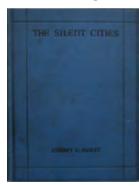
100. HUGHES (C.E.) Above & Beyond Palestine: An Account of the Work of the East Indies & Egypt Seaplane Squadron 1916-1918.



1st Ed., ix+268pp., 64 illus. (from sketches by the author), 2 maps. Benn. 1930

Author served with this RNAS/RFC squadron in Palestine & off the Arabian coast from 1916 as an observer & latterly Intelligence Officer. Orig. orange cloth, gilt, VG. [Ref: 68272] £45

101. HURST (Sidney C.) The Silent Cities: An Illustrated Guide to the War Cemeteries & Memorials to the 'Missing' in France & Flanders: 1914-1918.



1st Ed., xv+407pp., 4to, 959 illus., 31 maps. Methuen. 1929 The rare & superbly evocative, nicely printed, original edition, containing details & superb photographs of hundreds of the Western Front cemeteries, with a concise description of each. Orig. blue cloth, titled in black, scarce original edition with plate quality far superior to the modern reprint. VG ex-lib. with

minor markings. [Ref: 68222] £60

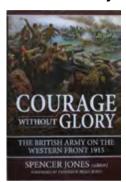
102. JOFFRE (Marshal) et al. The Two Battles of the Marne.



1st Eng. Ed., 255pp., 11 maps. VG in worn dw. Butterworth. 1927 Brings under one cover the accounts of four major protagonists, Marshals Joffre, Foch & Ludendorff & the ex-Crown Prince Wilhelm of Germany, in the battles of 1914 & 1918. Orig. green cloth, VG with somewhat chipped/worn dw. [Ref: 68196] £45

103. JONES (Spencer) Ed. Courage Without Glory: The British Army on the Western Front 1915.

68267] £20



1st Ed., 448pp., approx. 50 illus., 15 maps. VG in dw. Solihull: Helion. 2015 Collection of scholarly essays on various interesting aspects of operations in France & Flanders during 1915. VG in dw. [Ref:

104. JONES (Spencer) Ed. Stemming the Tide:

Officers & Leadership on the British Expeditionary Force 1914.

1st Ed., 375pp., 20 photos., 8 maps. VG in dw. Solihull: Helion. 2013

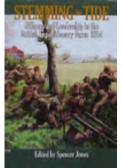
Collected papers inc. Stephen

Badsey on 'Sir John French &

Command of the BEF'; John Bourne on Archibald Murray; Sheffield on Haig ('The Making of a Corps

Commander'); Spencer Jones &

Steven J. Corvi on Smith-Dorrien; Simon Robbins on Allenby; Michael



LoCicero on Bulfin, &c. VG in dw. [Ref: 68266] £20

105. JUNGER (Ernst, Lt., 73rd Hanoverian Fusilier Regt.) The Storm of Steel: From the Diary of a German Storm-Troop Officer on the Western Front.

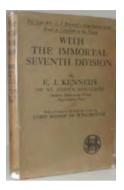


With an Introduction by R.H. Mottram. 3rd Imp. of 1st Eng. Ed., xv+284pp. C&W. 1929 Classic account of a German NCO then infantry officer, Somme &c. Orig. red cloth, gilt, VG, nice copy of Eng. Ed. with a small, neat contemp. presentation inscrip. in Latin. [Ref: 68384] £75

106. KELLY (Capt. D.V., MC) 39 Months with the "Tigers," 1915-1918.

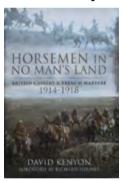
1st Ed., 160pp., 8 plates, 10 maps. Benn. 1930 Fine personal account of service with Staff of 110th Bde. (37th & 21st Divs.) comprising the 6, 7, 8 & 9 Leicesters. Especially good on Bazentin Wood 14/7/16 & Polygon Wood in 1917. Orig. green cloth, gilt, head of sp. chipped & torn with sl. loss, o/w VG. [Ref: 68218] £45

107. KENNEDY (Rev. E.J.) With the Immortal Seventh Division.



4th Ed., x+198pp., portrait frontis. VG in dw. H&S. 1916
Chaplain with the 7th Div. 1914-15: an account of his experiences with chapters including "The Care of the Wounded," "Work at the Base" &c. Note: Chaplain Major Kennedy served for a year with the BEF, 1914-15. Returning to England he died of illness in 1916. Orig. red cloth, VG in dw & rare thus. [Ref: 65516] £145

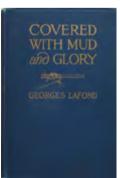
108. KENYON (David) Horsemen in No Man's Land: British Cavalry & Trench Warfare 1914-1918.



Foreword by Richard Holmes. 1st Ed., xxvi+293pp., 15 photos., 6 maps. VG in dw. Pen & Sword. 2011

An understudied aspect eloquently addressed & commendably including the role of the Indian cavalry in France. VG in dw. [Ref: 68268] £20

109. LAFOND (Georges) Covered with Mud & Glory: A Machine Gun Company in Action (Ma Mitrailleuse).



Foreword ("A Tribute to the Soldiers of France") by Georges Clemenceau. 1st Ed., xxiii+265pp., 8 photos. Boston: Small, Maynard & Co. 1918

Personal account including battles of Champagne, the Somme &c., during which the author, a Sergeant-Major of the Territorial Hussars, was acting as intelligence officer to the machine gun sections of a regiment of Colonial Infantry.

Orig. blue cloth, gilt to sp. & front, old ownership inscrip. to ffep neatly obliterated with Tippex, o/w VG. [Ref: 68197] £30

110. LAMBERT (Arthur) Over The Top: A P.B.I. in the H.A.C.

3rd Imp., 224pp. VG in chipped worn dw. John Long. nd (c.1921) Personal account by 1917 conscript in the HAC, posted to 2nd Bn., 7th Div., & fought at 3rd Ypres &c. then to Italy from Nov. 1917 'til the end of the war (Battles of the Piave & Asiago Plateau) then finally the occupation of the Austrian Tyrol. Orig. red cloth, titled in black, VG, in



chipped & worn but very striking & rare dw portraying an infantryman clambering over the edge of a shellhole (one inch loss at head of sp panel). [Ref: 68211] £125

111. LESLIE (Shane) Ed. Memoirs of Brigadier-General Gordon Shephard, DSO, MC.

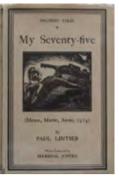


1st Ed., 233pp., 7 illus. (inc. attractive col. frontis. of his Memorial Scroll, several portraits & his original 'propeller' wooden grave marker), 2 maps. Privately Printed. 1924

Gordon Strachy Shephard, formerly of the Royal Fusiliers, was an early entrant to the fledgling Royal Flying Corps and went to France with No. 4 Squadron in 1914. He later commanded, in succession, Nos.

10 and 6 Squadrons, then 8 and 12 Wings on the Western Front. He was killed in an accident on 19th January 1918, aged thirty-two, and his grave is in Lapugnoy Military Cemetery. Contains an account of his youth at Summerfields & Eton, much on pre-war vachting but also an account of his service career & extracts from letters from France 1914-17 + list of sorties undertaken in 1914. Orig. paper covd. boards with cloth backstrip, labels to front & sp., VG & rare with neat ink presentation inscrip. from the compiler: "Oswald Birley from Shane Leslie." Note: Sir Shane Leslie, 3rd Baronet, was an Irish born diplomat & writer, cousin of Winston Churchill & supporter of Irish Home Rule. During the war he served in an Ambulance Corps until invalided out, when he was sent to Washington to help the British ambassador obtain American intervention in the war. He was a contemporary of Gordon Shephard at Eton which presumably accounts for him writing this memoir. The recipient, Sir Owald Hornby Joseph Birley, MC, was a portrait painter favoured by the Royal Family who painted, inter al, George V, George VI, Queen Mary, The late Queen Mother & Queen Elizabeth II; also Winston Churchill & many other distinguished figures of his time. He was father of Mark & grandfather of Robin Birley of Annabel's fame. A copy with most interesting provenance. [Ref: 68281] £250

112. LINTIER (Paul) My Seventy-Five: Journal of a French Gunner (August-September 1914).



1st Eng. Ed., With a Foreword by Marshal Joffre, xxv+212pp., 8 plates, ep map. Davies. 1929 Classic French account of 1914 in the ranks of an artillery unit armed with the famous 75mm. Battles of the Marne, Aisne &c. Author was KiA 1916. "Lintier, a young field artilleryman doing his service when war broke out, kept a journal until the 22nd September [1914] when he was wounded, which is among

the finest documents of its kind ever published. He is one of the few writers whose powers of description & of self-analysis are equally great. His battery was in the French IV Corps, & took part in the disastrous action of Virton. The details of the defeat, the pictures of the shaken infantry & of the roads blocked by fleeing country people, are wonderfully good. But defeat was not to be his sole experience. The exhausted battery was suddenly entrained with its division & moved through Paris to the left flank, where it formed part of General Maunoury's Army, & on the 9th September for the first time 'got its own back' firing over open sights upon the enemy in mass. Then came the wild joy when it was discovered that the enemy had broken off the action. The advance to the Aisne followed. Just before Lintier was wounded there was another desperate action, in the course of which the battery was firing at a range of 800 metres. On returning to the front Lintier kept another journal, which was found on his body when he fell in action." - Falls. Orig. maroon cloth, gilt, fine in VG dw, excellent copy & rare in dw, especially in this condition. [Ref: 68188] £145

113. LLOYD (T.) The Blazing Trail of Flanders.



1st Ed., 254pp., 16 illus. VG in dw. Heath Cranton. 1933 Excellent personal memoir: author joined Brecknockshire Bn., SWB, 1914 & served in Aden, then commissioned 15th (S) Bn. Cheshire Regt., 35th Div., Western Front from 1916 & contains much of interest on fighting in the Ypres Salient 1917-18: most absorbing & highly recommended account of both active operations & the routine of

regimental soldiering in France & Flanders. Orig. dec. cloth, VG in dw & scarce thus. [Ref: 68209] £125

114. LUBBOCK (Percy) George Calderon: A Sketch From Memory.



1st Ed., 194pp., 228x150mm, portrait frontis., 10 plates (including leaf from a sketchbook & 4 drawings by the subject). Grant Richards Ltd. 1921

George Calderon, author & playwright, was born in 1868 & educated at Rugby & Trinity College, Oxford. He was called to the Bar, studied at St Petersburg & worked in the British Museum Library from 1900-1903; thereafter

he devoted all his efforts to family life, writing & producing plays, travel, sketching & so forth. He went to Flanders as an interpreter with the Royal Horse Guards on 5th October 1914 and in the same month received a (rather irregular) battlefield commission in the 2nd Battalion Royal Warwickshire Regiment; he later transferred to the Oxfordshire and Buckinghamshire Light Infantry & was attached to the 1st Battalion King's Own Scottish Borderers at Gallipoli where, in an attack on 4th June 1915, he was posted missing and is commemorated on the Helles Memorial. He was fortysix years old. Contains an account of his life drawing, the recollections of several friends, with extracts from letters written from Flanders during the First Battle of Ypres, when having arranged an attachment to the Warwicks he was wounded the same day that he adopted their badges and "burnt my interpreter's brassard." Recovering at home, he was officially commissioned in the Ox. and Bucks., then posted to the Dardanelles & attached to the K.O.S.B. as a platoon commander on arrival about 27th May. Letters describe his journey, arrival & brief service with the battalion, covering some dozen or so pages. Orig. blue cloth, gilt to sp. & front, VG & rare memoir. [Ref: 68286] £225

115. MCNAIR (Donald) Ed. by MCNAIR (Prof. Philip) A Pacifist at War: Military Memoirs of a Conscientious Objector in Palestine 1917-1918.



1st Ed., orig. dec. wraps., xxii+95pp., portrait frontis., 27 photos. Much Hadham: Asastasia Press. 2008

The editor's father's letters from Palestine where he served unwillingly in the ranks of the 8th Bn. Hampshire Regiment, plus family notes & photos. VG. [Ref: 68290] £12

116. MAXWELL (Mrs C.) Frank Maxwell, Brig.-General, VC, CSI, DSO: A Memoir & Some Letters.



Edited by His Wife. 1st Ed., xi+228pp., 5 plates, 2 sketches. dw. Murray. 1921
Francis Aylmer Maxwell was born in 1871, Ed. at the United Service
College at Westward Ho! & Sandhurst. In 1891 he joined the Royal Sussex Regiment in India for a year before his appointment to the Indian Army, initially to the 24th Punjab Inf. His first active service was in the Tochi Valley in 1895, then

in the Chitral Relief Expedition when he was attached to the Guides Cavalry. During this campaign he was recommended for the VC. The following year, 1896, he transferred to the 18th Lancers, saw further active service on the North-West Frontier including A.D.C. to his uncle, Gen. Sir William Lockhart, in the Tirah Expedition, after which he was awarded the DSO. He was attached to Roberts' Horse in South Africa during the Boer War, when he was awarded the V.C. for gallantry at Sannah's Post. He was A.D.C. to Lord Kitchener (who bestowed on him the nickname "The Brat") & Military Secretary to Lord Hardinge. In 1916 he was posted to France & given command of the 12th (S) Bn., Middlesex Regiment – a New Army unit that had failed to perform & required firm leadership to bring it up to standard. Under Maxwell's command the battalion was transformed, doing well on the Somme including the capture of Trônes Wood & Thiepval. Maxwell received a bar to the DSO & command of the 27th Infantry Brigade, 9th (Scottish) Division. He was killed in action on 21st Sept. 1917 while personally undertaking a reconnaissance in No-Man's-Land. He is buried in Ypres Reservoir Cemetery. Excellent memorial to a fine soldier, based on his letters from various campaigns, including the Western Front 1916-17. Orig. red cloth, gilt, 18th Lancers (IA) crest to front, also that of Imperial Service College & bookplate recording that one R.G. Levett was awarded the Frank Maxwell Prize for 1936. Note: Oct. 1945 Army List shows R.G.L. as temp. Lt.-Col., North Staffordshire Regiment. [Ref: 68294] £120

117. MAYBURY (Harold) The Years of Remembrance, "Ich Dien."



1st Ed., [vi]+166pp. John Walker & Co., Examiner Office. 1924
Privately published & rare memoir of service of a sniper & scout in Flanders from January 1917 onwards with 2/4th South Lancs., 57th Div. Contains many atmospherically described Front Line episodes & experiences. Orig. blue cloth, gilt, cloth rubbed & worn, internally VG. [Ref: 68201] £75

118. MILLER (Patrick) The Natural Man.



1st USA Ed., [v]+307pp. VG in chipped dw. NY: Brentano's. 1924 A novel of the war of the guns. "This is a neglected & almost forgotten novel far superior to some which won more notice a few years later. It is one of three or four examples of good fiction concerned with the artillery. It is also one of the rare novels in which we find that acceptance of the life & conditions of warfare, so

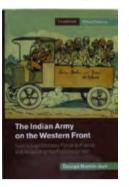
much more common among strong-minded men than recent fiction would lead the uninitiated to suppose." - Falls. Orig. red cloth, titled in black, VG in chipped dw, with little loss at top edge. Appealing & scarce dw. [Ref: 68202] £145

119. MONELLI (Paolo) Toes Up: A Chronicle of Gay & Doleful Adventures of Alpini & Mules & Wine.



1st Eng. Ed., 224pp., 21 photos. VG in dw. Duckworth. 1930 Personal account of the crack Alpine troops fighting the Austrians. The author was wounded, decorated & eventually captured. Orig. blue cloth, gilt, VG in sl. chipped dw. [Ref: 65525] £145

120. MORTON-JACK (George) The Indian Army on the Western Front: India's Expeditionary Force to France & Belgium in the First World War.



1st Ed., xi+335pp. VG in dw. Cambridge Univ. Press. 2014 Valuable revisionist study. Recommended. VG in dw. [Ref: 68189] £30

121. MUNRO (Ion S.) Youth of Yesteryear: Campaigns, Battles, Services & Exploits of the Glasgow Territorials in the last Great War.



Foreword by Ian Hay. 1st Ed., 117pp. Hodge & Co. 1939
Various units inc. territorial gunners, 5th Scottish Rifles, 9th HLI, Yeomanry & Red Cross on fronts such as Gallipoli, Palestine, France & Flanders. Orig. green cloth, VG & scarce. [Ref: 68299] £60

122. NADAUD (Marcel) The Flying Poilu: A Story of Aerial Warfare.



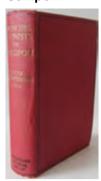
Translated by Frances Nelson Huard. 1st UK Ed., 216pp., 10 drawings by Charles Huard. H&S. 1918

Based on author's services as Observer-Bombardier in the French airforce. Orig. mustard cloth, blocked in black to sp. with illustrated onlay to front. VG, nice clean copy. [Ref: 68280] £35

123. PARSONS (Edwin C.) Flight into Hell: The Story of the Lafayette Escadrille.

1st Eng. Ed., 255pp. John Long. 1938 By a pilot who flew with the Escadrille. Orig. red cloth, gilt, sp. tanned o/w VG. [Ref: 68273] £25

124. PATTERSON (Lt.-Col. J.H.) With the Zionists in Gallipoli.



1st Ed., 307pp., plate (depicting Zion Mule Corps badge), 2 sketch maps. Hutchinson. 1916

The Zion Mule Corps in Gallipoli by the CO. Orig. blue cloth, gilt, nice copy. [Ref: 61139] £145

125. PEAT (Harold R.) Private Peat.



1st Ed., [x]+235pp., portrait frontis., 15 photos., 2 sketch maps. VG in dw. Indianapolis: Bobbs-Merrill. 1917

First-hand account of service with the 3rd Bn., 1st Canadian Contingent in F&F until wounded at Ypres. Orig. brown cloth, titled in white, VG in chipped, attractive dw bearing a portrait of the author above the strapline "Two years in Hell & back with a smile." The back

panel of the jacket is basically an exhortation to Americans to enlist in the American Army then being formed for service in europe. It includes such fantastical statements as "Don't picture your son choking & writhing in a gas attack. The universal use of gas masks has made that devilish German innovation about as harmless as a morning mist." Yeah, right. [Ref: 68260] £50

126. P.I.X. [Pseud. of HALLAM (S/L T.D.) The Spider Web: The Romance of a Flying-Boat War Flight.



1st Ed., x+278pp., portrait frontis. (caricature of author), 278pp., 16 photos., 3 maps/diagrams.
Blackwood. 1919
Following brief but eventful service with the RND at Gallipoli Hallam was appointed Lt. in the RNAS at Hendon then mainly at Felixtowe 1916-18, commanding seaplanes sub-hunting in the North Sea &c. Orig. dec. blue cloth, gilt & white, VG. [Ref: 68320] £75

127. PLATTS (Jessie) The Witness.



1st Ed., 288pp., 2 portraits. VG in dw. Hutchinson & Co. nd (c.1924) Jessie Platts lost two sons in action: Capt. John Carrick Platts, attd. 10th Lancers, Indian Army, who was KiA in a cavalry charge in Iraq in 1920 & Lieut. Edgar Lovell Filmer Platts, RMLI, who was wounded in 1916 at Beaumont Hamel & KiA near Gavrelle on 28th April 1917 when still under 18 years of age. This is explained in a short

biographical Foreword, but the vast majority of the work consists of "a series of messages" in which Edgar "describes after-death conditions & life in the spirit world." The messages were recorded on paper through the medium of their mother's hand during 1918, after which the spirit perhaps ran out of imaginative new things to say. A triumph of belief of which Sir Arthur Conan Doyle said: "The best I have read, and I have read a good many." Orig. blue cloth, gilt, VG in chipped/rubbed dw, little damage to inner front joint, still nice copy. [Ref: 68216] £65

128. POLLENDINE (Chris) Campaign 1914: Uniforms & Equipment of the British Servicemen in the First World War.



1st Ed., 174pp., 4to, colour illustrations throughout.
Military Mode Pubg. 2013
Excellent, erudite, fully illustrated handbook of all manner of uniform & kit. Orig. laminated boards, VG & scarce. [Ref: 68255] £45

129. POULTON (Edward B.) The Life of Ronald Poulton.



By His Father. 1st Ed., xi+410pp., portrait frontis., 17 plates. S&J. 1918 Memorial to Lt. R.W. Poulton-Palmer, a Balliol man & one of the most promising Rugby players of his generation, heir to the Huntley & Palmer biscuit fortunes & also deeply involved with the boys clubs movement. He held a commission in the 1/4th Berks. (TF) & was KiA at Ploegsteert Wood. Includes a substantial & detailed biography

followed by around 30pp. extracts from his wartime journal (kept from 30th March-24th April 1915) & letters written during his brief service in Flanders, mainly around Ploegsteert, followed by accounts of his death (he was hit by a bullet while in charge of a working party, superintending the completion of a dugout, during the night of 4th/5th May) & burial on 6th May contributed by several officers & men of his battalion. Orig. blue cloth, gilt, little dusty, generally VG with presentation inscrip. "To Evelyn Wells with the Author's warmest thanks for her kind help. In memory of our three dear ones gone before - very dear to her as well as to us. Oxford, Nov. 28, 1919." [Ref: 68215] £145

130. PRIESTMAN (E.Y.) With a B-P Scout in Gallipoli: A Record of the Belton Bulldogs.



1st Ed., xv+311pp., portrait frontis., 4 plates, num. sketches. Routledge. 1916

Memoir, letters and sketches of Lt. Edmund Yerbury Priestman (born 1890), Scoutmaster of the 16th (Westbourne) Sheffield Boy Scouts. He was commissioned October 1914 in the 6th (S) Bn. York & Lancaster Regiment, trained at Belton Park & Godalming then went to Gallipoli with the battalion: landed Suvla Bay in

August 1915 & was KiA on 19th Nov. when, whilst engaged in improving a front line position at night, his party was rushed & wiped out by the Turks. The next night the position was recaptured and Priestman's body was recovered. The recaptured position was renamed Priestman's Post in honour of his gallant defence. He was buried in Hill 10 Cemetery, Gallipoli. Orig. green cloth, gilt, VG. [Ref: 58708] £75

131. PUGSLEY (C.) Gallipoli: The New Zealand Story.



1st Ed., 384pp., excellent illus. throughout, several col. plates, 19 maps. VG in dw. Auckland: H&S. 1984

Acclaimed work. The full story, from letters, diaries & interviews with veterans. VG in dw. [Ref: 68333] £25

132. QUEX [Pseud. of NICHOLS (Capt. G.H.F., RFA)] Pushed.



2nd Ed., 336pp., 2 maps. Constable. 1930

Fine personal account of March Retreat & Allied Advance in 1918, serving with 82nd Bde. RFA, 18th Divisional Artillery. The author (who also authored the history of the 18th Division in the war) was dedicated to his Colonel - Thorp, who commanded the Battery throughout the events described in this work

until Killed in Action on 30th October 1918: the news of the death of the beloved Colonel occupies the last few leaves of the text. "Below the title on the copy of this book before the writer, some irreverent spirit has pencilled a sub-title. 'or. I and the Colonel.' The wellknown journalist known as 'Quex' does not, in fact, hide his light under a bushel. He has, however, written a most entertaining account of a battery of the 18th Divisional Artillery in the German offensive of 1918 & of the great British 'return push.'" - Falls, Orig, blue cloth, titled in black, sp. tanned. First published 1919: this new edition includes a short Introductory Letter by R.C. Sherriff & two maps (the 18th Div. sector in March 1918 & the division's attack on the Hindenburg Line at Vendhuille at the end of September) not in the original 1919 1st edition. [Ref: 68221] £65

133. REDDAN (William J., Capt., 114th Infantry) Other Men's Lives (Experiences of a Doughboy) 1917-1919.



1st Ed., x+341pp., portrait frontis., 12 photos. Published by the Author, Bloomfield, NJ. 1936 An excellent personal memoir cum Company history (author commanded B Coy. of the 114th Infantry, 29th Div.) with Roll of Hon. & complete nominal roll of unit. Among other events the author addresses the Battle of Ormont Farm & Wood on 12th Oct. 1918 during the Meuse-Argonne

offensive when the Coy. suffered its heaviest casualties. As he states in his Foreword: "In November, 1918, a telegram was sent to a United States Senator requesting an investigation to be made, as, 'something went wrong in the 114th Infantry, at Ormont Farm.' It is hoped that this book will serve to answer that telegram as well as to demonstrate the adverse conditions under which we served, terminating in a 'reckless exposure of infantry,' as recorded in the German field reports of our attack on Bois de Ormont." An engaging work. Orig. red cloth, gilt, VG. [Ref: 68297] £45

134. RIGGLES (Logan E., US Navy) The Part the U.S.S. Von Steuben Played in the Great War.



Log & Notes by Owen W. Norton, US Navy. 1st Ed., 109pp., num. photos. No imprint/date. Printed by the Eagle Press, Brooklyn, c.1920.

The 'Von Steuben,' formerly the luxury liner 'Kronprinz William' of the German Lloyd Steamship Line, was interned by the US Govt. in 1915 & duly transformed into an armed auxiliary cruiser & troopship & served in the Atlantic 1917-18 as a trooper, convoy

escort & sub-hunter. Excellent illustrated account providing the background history of the vessel but most WW1 service, with Roll of Hon. & rolls of officers & crew. Orig. blue cloth, gilt to front, VG. [Ref: 68307] £45

135. ROBERTS (Eric S.) Passing Along.



1st Ed., [xi]+168pp., frontis., 6 plates. Sheffield: J.W. Northend Ltd. 1925 The author was Ed. at Harrow School, enlisted Sheffield City Bn. 1914, commissioned in 2nd/4th Hallamshires 1915 but found unfit in 1916 & became a recruiting officer in Doncaster, finally left to join the Hallamshires at the Front in August 1916, served at Arras, Gavrelle &c. Orig. red cloth, gilt, VG with later ink note to ffep & related cutting pinned-

in. [Ref: 68210] £60

136. ROSE (Mme. Marie) Pseud. Marie du Coin: The True Experiences of a French Girl Who Lived During the Great War in a Town in the War Area.



1st Ed., orig. dec. wraps., 47pp.
Newcastle-on-Tyne: R. Ward &
Sons, Printers. 1929
The narrator was a the daughter of
the strict matriarch of a well
established family in Hazebrouck
who ran a popular cafe/estaminet,
where she grew up. She records the
coming of troops, first German, then
French, then English. A CCS sprang
up nearby, RAMC doctors were
billeted at the cafe, the town was

occupied until the debacle of 1918 when the town was shelled & all left. Returning in April the family found the cafe surrounded by barbed wire & barricades; the town remained occupied & she became engaged to & then married an RAMC sergeant & moved to England after the armistice, presumably to Newcastle as this work was printed there. Orig. printed wraps., little dusty, staples rusted, o/w VG, inscribed: "To Monsieur and Madame Logan with the compliments of the authoress Madame Yvonne Perkins 19 Sept. 1931." An unusual account of the occupation by a local civilian. [Ref: 68224] £65

137. SAPPER [Pseud. of MCNEILE (Lt.-Col. H.C.) No Man's land.



1st Ed., 328pp. VG in worn dw. Hodder & Stoughton. 1917 RE officer's classic Western Front novel. Orig. red cloth, titled in black, VG in chipped/worn but scarce jacket. [Ref: 68288] £50

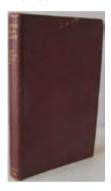
138. SETON (Bt.-Col. Sir Bruce, CB) & GRANT (Pipe-Major John) The Pipes of War: A Record of the Achievements of Pipers of Scottish & Overseas Regiments during the War, 1914-18.



1st Ed., xi+291pp., 4to, col. frontis., 4 col. & 2 b/w plates. Glasgow: Maclehose. 1920 Magnificent record of bagpipers of British & Colonial regiments on all fronts, with notes & rolls of pipers listing those killed, wounded, awarded decorations &c., additional notes on gallant conduct that resulted in awards (including MMs & MiDs). Orig. blue cloth, sp. tanned, o/w about VG & scarce. [Ref:

68304] £75

139. SHORT (Capt. Walter, BA) Pictures from France.



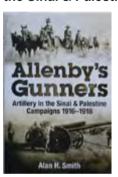
1st Ed., xv+117pp., 19x13cm, 2 portraits, photo. of memorial. Manchester: Sherratt & Hughes. 1919

Walter Short was born in Sheffield in 1879. He began a business career in the Goods Department of the Midland Railway Company. His religious zeal was embraced in Methodism and he joined the Upper Chapel at Sheffield, becoming a lay preacher. Ultimately this led to his admission to the

Unitarian Home Missionary College in Manchester; he graduated B.A. at Manchester University and became Minister of the Unitarian Church at Stalybridge in 1909. He married the same year and a son was born in 1910. In 1912 he moved to the Unitarian Free Church at Bootle. In November 1915 he joined the Inns of Court O.T.C. and precisely one year later received a commission in the 3rd (Special Reserve) Battalion, King's Own Yorkshire Light Infantry. He served in France with the 7th (Service) Battalion from 17th January 1917, becoming Adjutant in August. This battalion was disbanded in February 1918 and Short was killed in action on 20th July that year (during the Champagne Offensive) as a Captain commanding "A" Company in the 5th (Service) Battalion. He was thirty-nine and lies in Courmas Military Cemetery. Contains a memoir and his letters "To the Congregation" at Bootle from his enlistment through to the time of his death in 1918. The letters include much interesting detail on his experiences on active service, followed by letters of condolence from his Commanding Officer and another officer of the Battalion (unidentified) "who buried Captain Short on the battlefield on July 20th, 1918" and who describes the manner of his

passing: "As I was the last to see Captain Short alive I feel it is my bounden duty, painful though it is, to describe the situation. He was wounded in the left arm about 10 a.m. on the 20th inst by machine gun fire which swept the advance of our troops. This wound was bandaged but owing to the activities of the enemy it was impossible to have the wounded taken away. In trying to get back many were fired upon again and your dear husband was again hit on the left side... I stopped and spoke to him... Kneeling beside him he looked up and in a faint voice (with a heavenly smile on his handsome face) he said, 'I'm done for old boy. Give my love to —.' I pressed his hand in a last farewell. The sentence was never finished, but well was the meaning known... He is buried alongside another officer and men of the battalion in a cornfield near by a vineyard with beautiful woods on two sides and a picturesque French village on another. (I saw him buried myself)..." Orig. maroon cloth, gilt, VG. [Ref: 68301] £145

140. SMITH (Alan H.) Allenby's Gunners: Artillery in the Sinai & Palestine Campaigns 1916-1918.



1st UK Ed., vii+373pp., 18 photos., approx. 30 maps & plans. VG in dw. Pen & Sword. 2017 Substantial, detailed account. VG in dw. [Ref: 68227] £20

141. SMITH (Capt. H. Raymond) A Soldier's Diary: Sidelights on the Great War 1914-1918.



1st Ed., 123pp., portrait frontis., 13 plates. Evesham: Printed by the Journal Press. 1940 Very scarce privately printed personal memoir of service with 1/8th Worcesters, 48th (South Midland) Div., France from April 1915; to No. 3 Officer Cadet Bn. at Bristol in Nov. 1916 & commissioned in the Rifle Brigade. Served with 11th (S) Bn. in France 1917-18 inc. 3rd Ypres, Cambrai &c. Original red

wraps., titled in black, VG. [Ref: 68292] £145

142. SMITH (Helen Zenna) [Pseud. of Evadne Price] "Not so Quiet..." Stepdaughters of War.



1st Ed., 239pp. VG in chipped dw. Albert Ed. Marriott. 1930
Promoted as the frank personal story of a VAD, later WAAC driver, Western Front ("An honest, unsentimental, savage record of a girl ambulance driver in France"), & frequently cited as such by historians, but Evadne Price never served in the forces or even visited France during 1914-18. Orig. cloth, titled in red to front & sp., VG in

chipped but attractive dw & uncommon thus. [Ref: 68214] £125

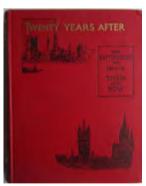
143. SUTHERLAND (L.W., MC, DCM) Aces & Kings.



1st Ed., xii+275pp., 29 photos. VG in dw. Sydney: Angus & Robertson. 1935
Excellent account of No. 1 Sqdrn. Australian Flying Corps in Palestine. Includes a chapter devoted to their ops. with T.E. Lawrence during the Arab Revolt. Orig. grey cloth, titled in black, VG in scarce pictorial dw. Minor wear but generally excellent copy in dw. Rare thus. [Ref: 68308]

£245

144. SWINTON (Gen. Sir Ernest) Twenty Years After: The Battlefields of 1914-1918 Then & Now.

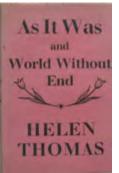


Complete set of Vols. I, II & Supplementary Vol., viii+viii+1532 & viii+800pp., 4to, fully illus. with 'then & now' photographs with explanatory text & full index. Newnes. nd (c.1938).

Extensive text describing many operations & locations on all Fronts, but mainly France & Flanders, with thousands of superb photos.. a fine

reference work originally issued in about 62 parts but more convenient in this bound form. Complete set including Supplementary Volume, orig. dec. red cloth, VG & highly recommended. [Ref: 64169] £75

145. THOMAS (Helen) As It Was and World Without End.



Combined Ed., 1st Ed. thus, 183pp. VG in dw. Heinemann. 1946
Helen Thomas's memoirs of her life with the poet Edward Thomas: Part I describes their youthful courtship & marriage (with the censored page of the 1926 1st Ed. restored); Part II their family life until Edward's departure for the front. Orig. brown cloth, titled in white, VG in dw. [Ref: 68198] £35

146. TILSLEY (W.V.) Other Ranks.



With an Intro. by Edmund Blunden. 1st Ed., xiv+269pp. VG in worn dw. Cobden-Sanderson. 1931 Fine third-person account of life in the infantry in France & Flanders closely based on author's service as a private soldier, with a glowing endorsement as to its mood & authenticity by Blunden. The author was Cpl. William Vincent Tilsley, who enlisted in the Manchester Regt., served with it. & later 1/4th

Loyal North Lancs. in 55th (West Lancs.) Div., in France, & who was MID LG 25/5/1917. In the battalion history he is listed as serving with 'C' Coy. & wounded on 20/9/1917 (Battle of the Menin Road). He provides a very true to life account of the infantryman's experience of battle, as well as behind the lines, including a year in the Ypres Salient. Orig. black cloth, gilt, about VG in rare but worn & repaired dw. An interesting copy with author's presentation inscription: "To Ethel & Herbert - for so painstakingly typing the original draft of this Chronicle with compliments and kind regards. Vin." Beneath this is a small cutting from the births & deaths column of a local Stockport newspaper recording the death of John Alvin Tilsley, only son of Alice & Vincent Tilsley, beneath which is inscribed "Vincent, father of above and author of this book, died -." [Ref: 68316] £260

147. VERNEDE (R.) War Poems & Other Verses.



3rd Imp., 88pp., portrait frontis. VG in chipped/torn dw. Heinemann. 1917

Novelist commissioned in the Rifle Brigade in 1914, wounded on the Somme with the 3rd Bn. & KiA at Arras, 1917, with 12th (S) Bn. Orig. red cloth, gilt, VG in chipped/torn dw, & scarce thus. [Ref: 59188] £65

148. WARE (Fabian) The Immortal Heritage: An Account of the Work & Policy of The Imperial War Graves Commission during twenty years 1917-1937.



Intro. by Edmund Blunden. 1st Ed., 81pp., 32 photos. Cambridge Univ. Press for IWGC. 1937 Amplified text of a Report on the inception & first twenty years work of the Commission by its first Vice Chairman. Includes a fascinating range of statistics on the million war dead of the British Empire, details of the Memorials to the missing. &c., also fine

photographs of some of the finished cemeteries & memorials. Orig. blue cloth, gilt, sp. sunned o/w VG & rather scarce. [Ref: 68199] £45

149. WERNER (Prof. Johannes) Knight of Germany: Oswald Boelcke, German Ace.



1st Eng. Ed., [ix]+241pp., 27 photos., 4 maps. VG in sl. chipped dw. Hamilton. 1933
Biography, based on extensive diary, of German fighter ace & national hero with 40 victories when killed in Oct. 1916. Orig. blue cloth, VG & scarce, especially in the attractive & rare pictorial dw (this is, however, rather worn & neatly repaired, with price sticker on spine panel). VG thus & very scarce in dw. [Ref:

65329] £145

150. WHITE (AVM Hugh Granville) War Amongst the Clouds: My Flying Experiences in World War I.



1st Ed., 239pp., num. photos. VG in dw. Grub Street. 2019
Personal account of FE2 ace scout pilot with 20 Sqdrn. RFC on the Western Front. VG in dw. [Ref: 68279] £15

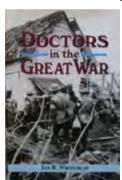
151. WHITE (Capt. Thomas A.) Diggers Abroad: Jottings by a Digger Officer.



Illustrated by David Barker. 1st Ed., ix+228pp., portrait frontis., several dozen sketches in text. Sydney: Angus & Robertson. 1920 Excellent memoir with 13th AIF (commanded at one time by Monash) of which Capt. White later wrote the history. Includes an attack on 'Stormy Trench' near Guedecourt in Feb. 1917, Messines & 3rd Ypres 1917, Villers-Bretonneux 1918. &c. Interesting

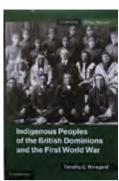
memoirs illustrated with several dozen pleasing sketches in the text. Orig. blue cloth, gilt & black, little rubbed & worn. [Ref: 68226] £35

152. WHITEHEAD (lan R.) Doctors in the Great War.



1st Éd., x+309pp., 20 photos. VG in dw. Cooper. 1999
The RAMC contained 13,000 doctors by 1918: their experiences & work on various fronts, the treatment of wounds, disease, shell shock &c., & administrative systems. Original hardback edition, VG in dw. [Ref: 61865] £20

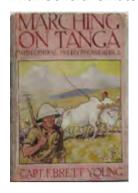
153. WINEGARD (Timothy C.) Indigenous Peoples of the British Dominions & the First World War.



1st Ed., xiv+312pp., 20 illus., 4 maps, 10 tables. VG in dw. Cambridge Univ. Press. 2012 The peoples of Canada, Australia, Newfoundland, NZ & South Africa, whom, it is demonstrated, "responded with patriotism & enthusiasm both on the battlefield & the home front & shared equally in the horrors & burdens of the First World War." - sleeve notes. Rare original hardback edition, VG

in dw. [Ref: 61838] £35

154. YOUNG (Francis Brett) Marching on Tanga: With General Smuts in East Africa.



1st Ed., xii+265pp., 6 col. plates, 12 photos, fldg. map. Collins. 1917

Medical Officer of 2nd Rhodesia Regt. in East Africa. "One of the comparatively rare classics of the War... gives an extraordinarily vivid picture of the conditions of the campaign"- Falls (awarding three stars, i.e. "a book of superlative merit"). Orig. blue cloth, gilt, VG in chipped but neatly restored

pictorial dw with an original photo. affixed to ffep captioned "Brett Young. Cumberledge. & Rutherford's feet. Tidworth July 1917." Rare in dw. [Ref: 68309] £265

Official History 1914-1918

155. History of the Great War based on Official Documents: Principal Events 1914-1918.



1st Ed., 394pp., 4to, 14 Ige. fldg. tables. HMSO. 1922
Very useful reference arranged in three parts: (i) General
Chronological List of all events of Naval, Military of Political importance, (ii) Sub-divided version of the same, printed in parallel columns to show the synchronisation of events, with extra notes, (iii) alphabetical reference to events. Scarce official history, only 1000 copies printed. Orig. blue cloth, VG ex-library & scarce. [Ref:

683701 £250

156. ASPINALL-OGLANDER (Brig. C.F., CB, CMG, DSO) Military Operations Gallipoli: Volume I: Inception of the Campaign to May 1915. Maps & Appendices



1st Ed., viii+77pp., 5 fldg. maps. VG in sl. chipped dw. Heinemann. 1929 Maps & appendices to Part I: Includes reproductions of Hamilton's, Birdwood's & other subordinate commanders' orders for the original landings, Battle of Krithia &c. Excellent & widely acclaimed history of which Falls states "No serious student of the War can avoid reading this book... he will find this no imposition, for

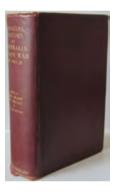
the book is easily & attractively written." Orig. red cloth, gilt, VG in sl. chipped & marked but scarce dw with bold ink presentation inscription from the author: "Alan Moorehead with all good wishes from Cecil Aspinall-Oglander. These maps were prepared by - though not actually drawn by - Major A.F. Becke, I'm ashamed to see his name does not appear. Vol. II also." Note: Doubtless given to Moorehead by Aspinall-Oglander while the former was writing his classic account of the campaign published in 1956. The author's regret at the absence of Becke's name on this volume affirms the value placed upon the latter's work. It should be added that Becke's name did appear on the title pages of both the text volumes. Interesting copy. [Ref: 61087] £165

157. BEAN (C.E.W.) The Story of Anzac: Vol. I, From the Outbreak of War to the End of the First Phase of the Gallipoli Campaign, May 4, 1915.



Reprint, Ixviii+662pp., 56 illus., 111 maps. VG in dw. Univ. of Queensland Press. 1981 Superb Australian official history. Hardback reprint, VG in dw. [Ref: 68207] £30

158. BEAN (C.E.W.) The Story of Anzac: Vol. II, From 4 May, 1915, to the Evacuation of the Gallipoli Peninsula.



1st Ed., xviii+975pp., 524 illus. & maps. Sydney: Angus & Robertson. 1924

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160. PERRY (F.W.) Comp. Order of Battle of Divisions Part 5B. Indian Army Divisions.



1st Ed., 180pp., 4to. Newport: Westlake. 1993
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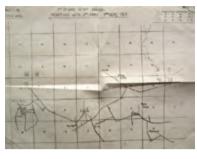


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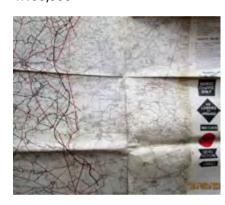
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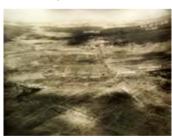
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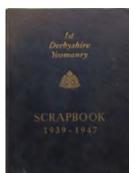
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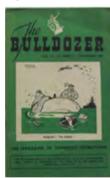
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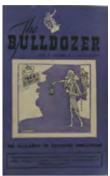
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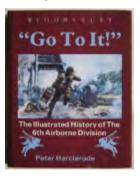
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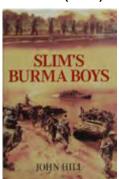
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Grey & Scarlet: Letters from the War Areas by Nursing Sisters On Active Service.



Foreword by HM Queen Mary. Intro. by Dame Katharine Jones (Matron-in-Chief, QAIMNS). 2nd Imp., 200pp., 11 drawings. Hodder & Stoughton. 1944 Including letters from France 1940 (Dunkirk &c.), MEF, escape from Singapore, &c. Orig. grey cloth, titled in red, VG. [Ref: 68389] £20

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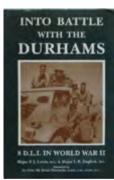
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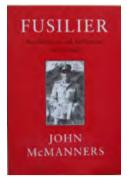


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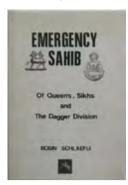
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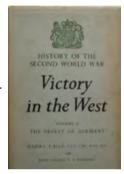
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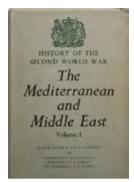
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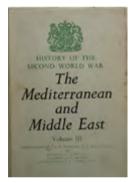


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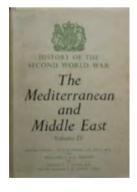
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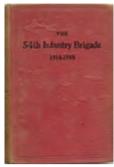


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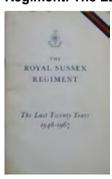
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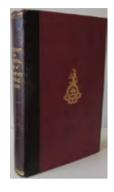
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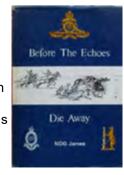


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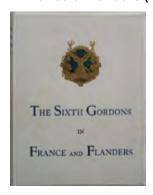
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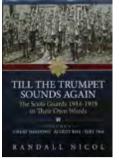


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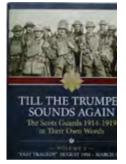
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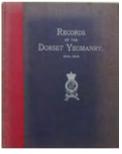
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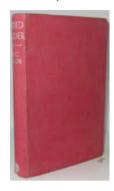
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