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The popular *Casemate Short History* series continues to grow with the addition of four new accessible and entertaining guides to military history topics – *Battleships*, *Castles*, *Amphibious Warfare* and *The Roman Legionary* (p. 8–9). Helion & Company also add to their paper wargaming series *Battle for Britain* with *Wargame Castle Assault* and *Jacobite '45* (p. 49).

Finally don't forget to turn to page 89 for a selection of highlights out now, including some of our most popular new and recently reviewed books. We always like hearing from you at Casemate UK – please do get in touch if you have any feedback on the service we offer.

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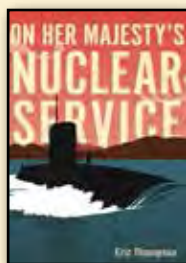
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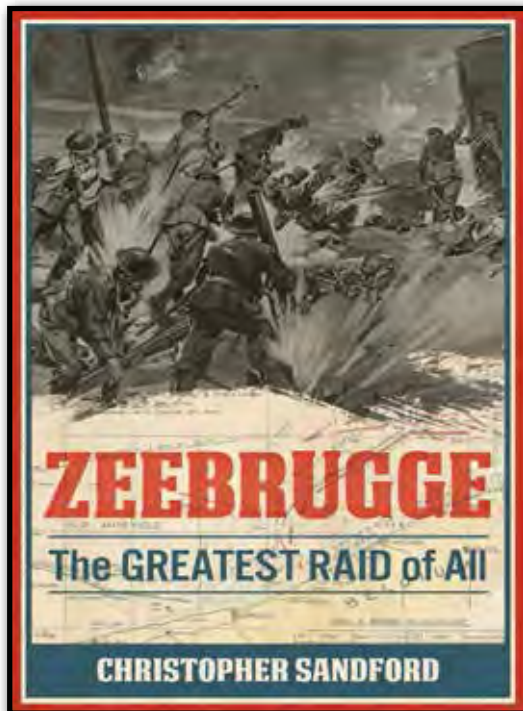
The Greatest Raid of All

By *Christopher Sandford*

The dramatic story of the 1918 Zeebrugge raid and the men who volunteered in their hundreds for this suicidally dangerous mission, based on first-hand accounts.

The combined forces invasion of the Belgian port of Zeebrugge on 23 April 1918 remains one of Britain's most ambitious military undertakings. It was not quite as epic a failure as the charge of the Light Brigade, or as well publicised as the Dam Busters raid, but with many of the same basic ingredients. A force drawn from the Royal Navy and Royal Marines set out on ships and submarines to try to block the key strategic port, in a bold attempt to stem the catastrophic losses being inflicted on British shipping by German submarines. It meant attacking a heavily fortified German naval base. The tide, calm weather and the right wind direction for a smoke screen were crucial to the plan. Judged purely on results, it can only be considered a partial strategic success. Casualties were high and the base only partially blocked. Nonetheless, it came to represent the embodiment of the bulldog spirit, the peculiarly British fighting élan, the belief that anything was possible with enough dash and daring.

The story is told through direct, first-hand accounts of its survivors – including that of Lieutenant Richard



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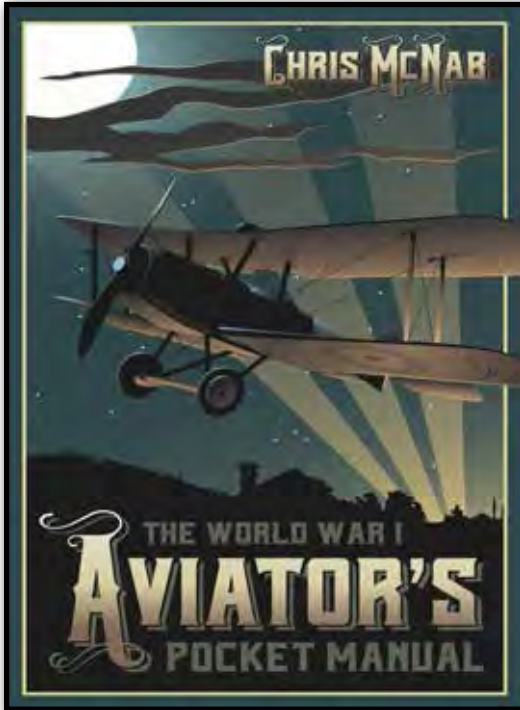
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THE WORLD WAR I AVIATOR'S POCKET MANUAL

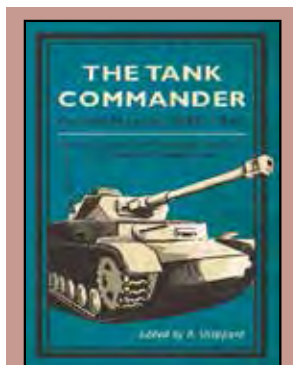
By *Chris McNab*

This pocket manual opens up the world of the Great War aviator, with extracts and images from WWI training manuals for pilots, with modern introductions.

Aviation was still in its infancy when World War I broke out. The first men to take to the skies above the battlefield undertook reconnaissance. Pilots and observers soon branched out into primitive bombing attempts, and attacking enemy aircraft when they came into contact. Nascent air forces produced manuals to help these pioneers as they took warfare into a new dimension.

Pulling together information from British manuals such as *A Few Hints for the Flying Officer* and *Practical Flying*, as well as American, German and French training guides, this pocket manual shows what type of information the pilots were given. From the basics of how to care for, start, and fly an aircraft, through tactics and strategy in the air, identifying whether vehicles below were friend or foe, interacting with mechanics, and coordinating with army or naval forces, this fascinating time capsule opens up the world of the Great War aviator. With introductions to the manuals by Chris McNab, setting them in context and providing background.

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An up-to-date view of Operation Market Garden making full use of modern research. With over 500 illustrations including many maps, aerial photography and then and now images.

The battle of Normandy ended as the Allied armies crossed the Seine at the end of August 1944, a month after Operation Cobra had broken the stalemate. The Allies harried the retreating Germans, who left their tanks and heavy weapons south of the Seine, and by mid-September the Allies were coming up against the defences of Germany itself, the impressive Westwall. As far as the Allies were concerned, the Germans were beaten. The scent of immediate victory was in the air, the only question was where to apply the coup de grace. Logistics demanded that this should be a single thrust rather than Eisenhower's broad front approach. The plan was simple: use the Paratroopers to hold key bridges along a single route with British XXX Corps who would make an advance that would be "rapid and violent, and without regard to what is happening on the flanks." Unfortunately, in spite of the audacious actions of the Paratroopers who would cover themselves with glory, Operation Market Garden showed that the German ground forces would still provide the Allies with stiff opposition in the West.



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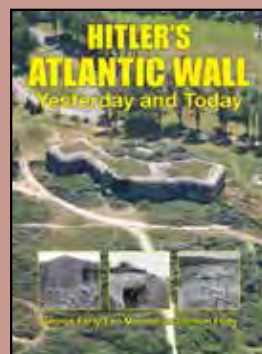
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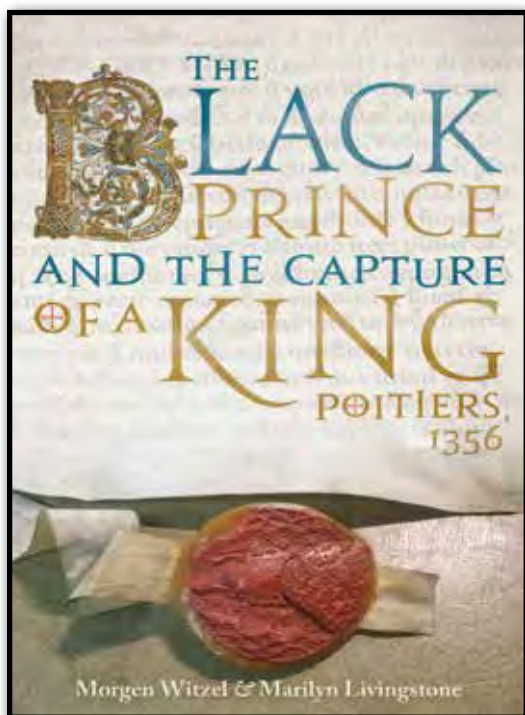
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Poitiers 1356

By Morgen Witzel and Marilyn Livingstone

A new detailed account of the battle of Poitiers in 1356 which saw one of the most sensational episodes of the Hundred Years War: the capture of the French King Jean by the Black Prince.

The capture of a king in the course of a battle was a relatively rare event. This, the climactic event of the Black Prince's first campaign as commander, came at the end of nearly of a year of campaigning across the southwest of France. The battle of Poitiers in 1356 is less well known than more famous clashes such as Agincourt, though Poitiers was no less dramatic, and equally important in terms of the course of the Hundred Years War. The capture of King Jean brought France to the brink of total defeat, and led to one of the most devastating and destructive periods in French history.

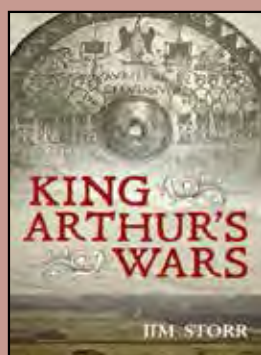
It is no exaggeration to say that the battle of Poitiers changed the course of history for both France and England. In the summer of 1356 the Prince and his army drove northward towards the Loire, attacking once again deep into French territory. This time he met real opposition: the full French army led by King Jean and many of the leading nobility of France, some of them veterans of the defeat at Crécy ten years before. Outnumbered, the Prince fell back, but in September

he turned near the city of Poitiers to make a stand. The core of the book is a day-by-description of the campaign of July-September 1356, climaxing with a detailed description of the Battle of Poitiers itself. The detailed account and analysis of the battle and the campaigns that led up to it has a strong focus on the people involved in the campaign: ordinary men-at-arms and non-combatants as well as princes and nobles.

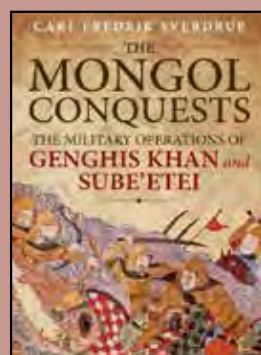
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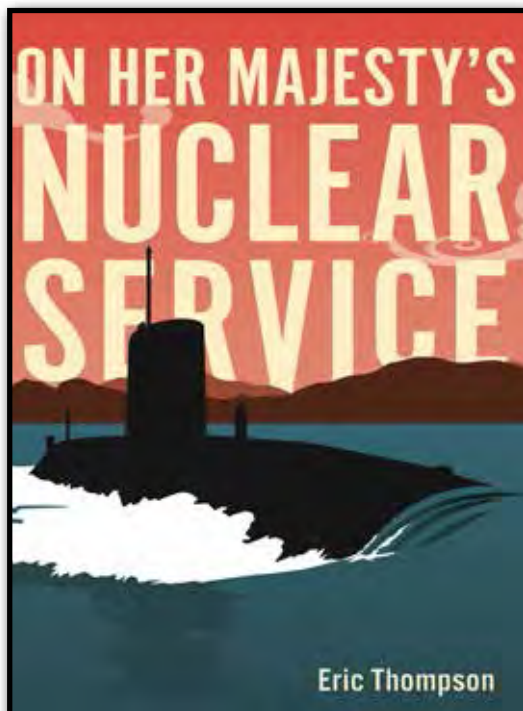
ON HER MAJESTY'S NUCLEAR SERVICE*By Eric Thompson*

The first ever memoir by a Royal Navy nuclear submarine officer, this is the inside story of the men who ensured that 'Mutually Assured Destruction' was maintained at all times during the Cold War.

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Eric Thompson is a career nuclear submarine officer who served from the first days of the Polaris missile boats until after the end of the Cold War. He joined the Navy in the last days of Empire, made his first sorties in World War II type submarines and ended up as the top engineer in charge of the navy's nuclear power plants. Along the way, he helped develop all manner of kit, from guided torpedoes to the Trident ballistic missile system.

In this vivid personal account of his submarine operations, he reveals what it was like to literally have your finger on the nuclear button. In his journey, the author leads the reader through top-secret submarine patrols, hush-hush scientific trials, underwater weapon developments, public relations battles with nuclear protesters, arm-wrestling with politicians and the changing roles of females and homosexuals in the



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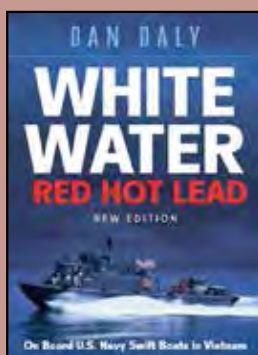
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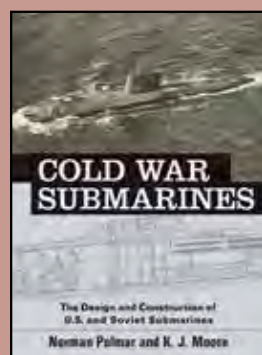
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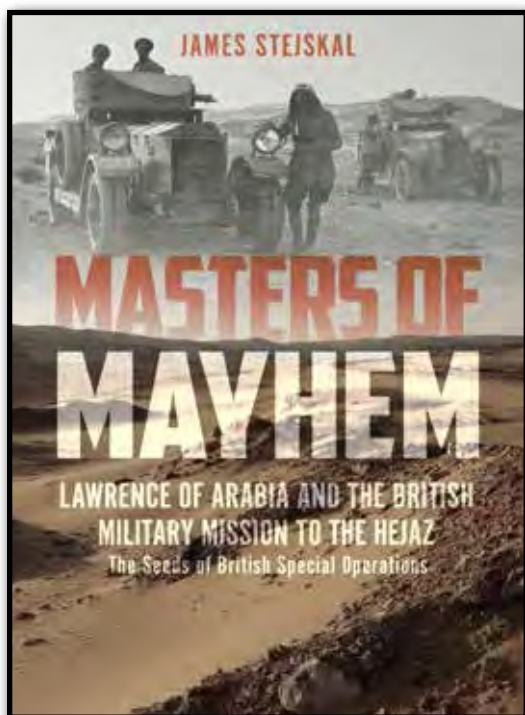
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Laurence of Arabia and the British Military Mission to the Hejaz – The Seeds of British Special Operations

By James Stejskal

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Striking where the enemy is weakest and melting away into the darkness before he can react. Never confronting a stronger force directly, but willing to use audacity and surprise to confound and demoralize an opponent. Operations driven by good intelligence, area knowledge, mobility, speed, fire-power, and detailed planning and executed by a few specialists with indigenous warriors – this is unconventional warfare.

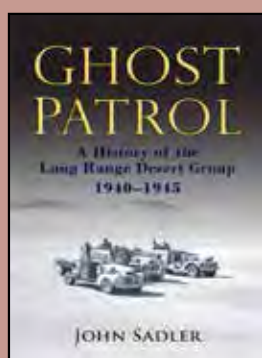
T. E. Lawrence was one of the earliest practitioners of modern unconventional warfare. His tactics and strategies were used by men like Mao and Giap in their wars of liberation. Both kept Lawrence's *Seven Pillars of Wisdom* close at hand. This book looks at the creation of the HEDGEHOG force, the formation of armoured car sections and other units, and focuses the Hejaz Operations Staff, the Allied officers and men who took Lawrence's idea and prosecuted it against the Ottoman Turkish army assisting Field Marshal Allenby to achieve victory in 1918. Stejskal concludes with an examination of how HEDGEHOG has influenced special operations

and unconventional warfare, including Field Marshal Wavell, the Long-Range Desert Group, and David Stirling's SAS, and modern US and UK special forces.

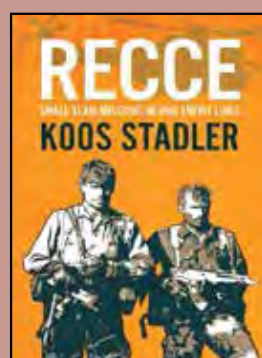
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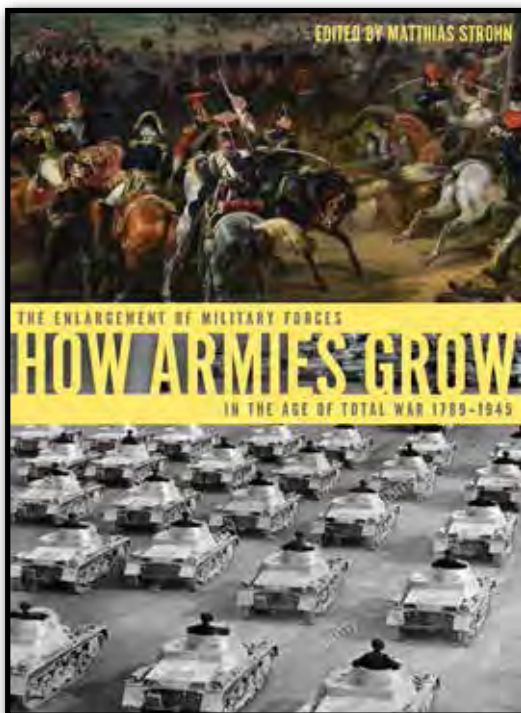
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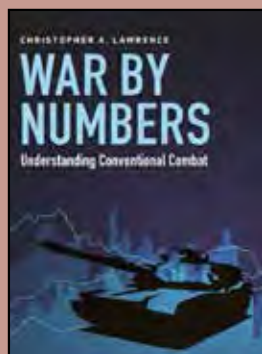
An anthology of case studies by academic historians into how armies have expanded during the period 1789–1945, providing insights for the modern army.

The first two decades after the end of the Cold War were characterised by government's desires to reduce the sizes of their armed forces. Hand in hand with this general reduction went an intellectual and doctrinal re-orientation of the armies from conventional warfare to counter-insurgency operations. These trends combined had a deep impact on all armies, in particular in Europe. As a result, capabilities were lost and the current generation of army leaders have lost the ability to think in terms of large-scale, conventional military operations.

Recent changes to the geopolitical situation and current developments in Eastern Europe have resulted in a new shift of thinking. Today, armies are growing again in size and all armies look back to the past in order to learn something about the build-up, composition and use of large formations. Lessons from history that had been learned by armies the hard way are addressed in this book. What does history tell us about these processes? How did armies prepare and train for a major conflict in times of peace? What

internal structure did the armies adopt? What were the problems in the areas of equipment? All these questions were as relevant then as they are now. This anthology analyses a number of case studies and provides insights into themes and topics that characterised the so-called 'reconstitution' of armies in their historical and social contexts. The emphasis is on land forces, but air forces and navies are also included. The period covered is the "age of total war" from the French Revolution to the end of the Second World War, which provides the intellectual framework for the challenges that armies are facing today.

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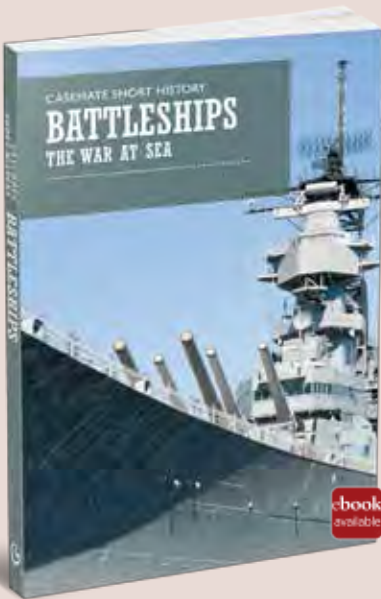
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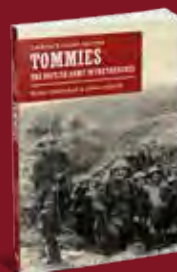
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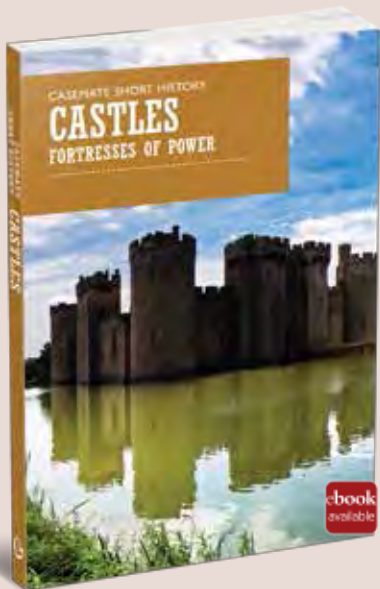
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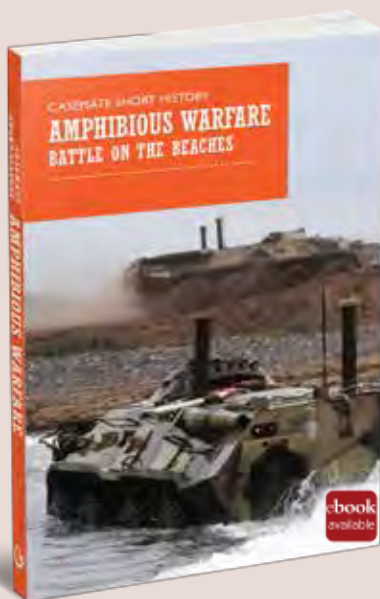
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FORTRESSES OF POWER

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After the Norman conquest of England, castles exploded in popularity amongst the nobility, with William the Conqueror building an impressive thirty-six castles from 1066–1087, including Windsor Castle. This concise and entertaining short history explores the life of the castle, one that often involved warfare and sieges. Also explored is how they evolved from motte-and-bailey to stone keep castles, in the face of newly-developed siege machines and trebuchets.

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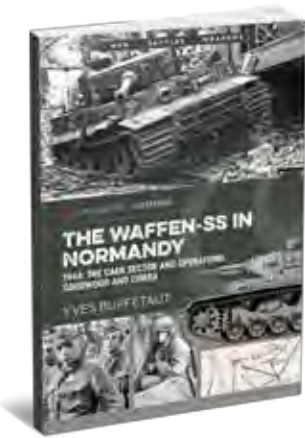
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THE WAFFEN-SS IN NORMANDY

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Unveiling the Mysteries of Custer's Last Stand

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A lifetime of in-depth research into one of America's most famous disasters, the defeat of Custer's 7th Cavalry at the hands of the Sioux and Cheyenne Indians at Little Horn.

This remarkable book covers the defeat of Custer's 7th Cavalry at Little Horn at the hands of the Sioux and Cheyenne Indians, as well as the complete annihilation of that part of the cavalry led by Custer himself. The author, Gordon Harper, spent countless hours on the battlefield itself as well as researching every iota of evidence of the fight from both sides, white and Indian. This book was the winner of the 2014 John Carroll Award.

January 2018 • 9781612005638 • £14.99 • New in Paperback • 228 x 152mm
200 pages • 16 pages of photos



FIGHTING WITH THE FILTHY THIRTEEN

The World War II Story of Jack Womer – Ranger and Paratrooper

By Jack Womer and Stephen C. DeVito

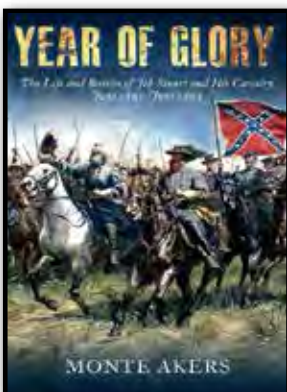
Action-packed account of fighting with the Filthy Thirteen as a spearhead of 101st Airborne in Normandy, Market Garden, and Battle of the Bulge by one of the squad's integral members.

In this long awaited work one of the squad's integral members—and probably its best soldier—reveals his own inside account of fighting as a spearhead of the Screaming Eagles in Normandy, Market Garden, and the Battle of the Bulge. Jack Womer fought beyond the breaking point of the soldiers around him. In this work, Jack provides an amazingly frank look at close-quarters combat in Europe, as well as the almost surreal experience of dust-bowl-era GI's entering country after country in their grapple with the Wehrmacht, finally ending up in Hitler's mountaintop lair in Germany itself.



WORLD WAR II

January 2018 • 9781612005645 • £14.99 • New in Paperback • 229 x 152mm
312 pages • 14 pages of b/w photos



AMERICAN CIVIL WAR

YEAR OF GLORY

The Life and Battles of Jeb Stuart and His Cavalry, June 1862-June 1863

By Monte Akers

A fast-paced history of Jeb Stuart, the colourful Major General who more than anyone else came to epitomize the 'cavaliers' of the Confederacy.

No commander during the Civil War is more closely identified with the "cavalier mystique" as Major General J.E.B. (Jeb) Stuart. And none played a more prominent role during the brief period when the hopes of the nascent Confederacy were at their apex. Jeb Stuart was not only successful in leading Robert E. Lee's cavalry in dozens of campaigns and raids, but for riding magnificent horses, dressing outlandishly, and participating in balls and parties that epitomized the "moonlight and magnolia" image of the Old South. This book looks at his career from June 1862 – June 1863 when the Confederate hopes remained.

February 2018 • 9781612005652 • £14.99 • New in Paperback • 229 x 152mm
372 pages • 16 pages of b/w photos



PRISONER OF THE SAMURAI

Surviving the Sinking of the USS *Houston* and the Death Railway

By James Gee and Rosalie Hamric, edited by Allyson Smith

Moving account of the experiences of James Gee, USMC, a survivor of the USS *Houston*, who was captured and held as a prisoner of war by the Japanese.

During World War II, Lt. Rosalie Hamric was an R.N., serving as Charge Nurse in the Psychiatric Ward of the Guantanamo Bay Naval Hospital. At the end of the war, a group of liberated prisoners were sent to the ward for treatment and encouraged to write down their experiences as part of their therapy. James Gee's covered the sinking of the *Houston*, his rescue by a Japanese ship, and his experiences in Japanese camps over the next three years. Rosalie worked his accounts into a manuscript, which following her sudden death, languished in an attic for thirty years. Now rediscovered, James' story can be told to a new generation.

March 2018 • 9781612005973 • £25.00
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16 pages of b/w photos

THE BATTLE OF CHERKASSY

By Nikolaus von Vormann

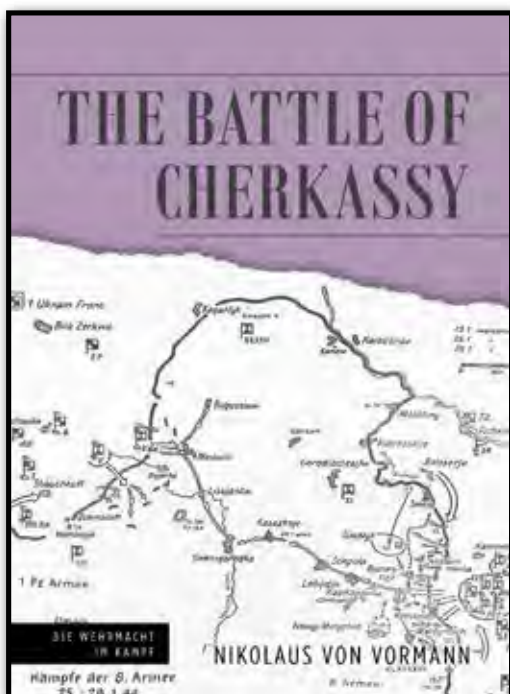
An account of the Battle at Cherkassy, written by one of the German commanders present there.

The Battle of Cherkassy is also known as the Korsun Pocket, Korsun being the small town at the centre of the area containing the surrounded German forces. After sudden attacks by the 1st and 2nd Ukrainian Fronts, in January 1944 the Russians achieved a major encirclement of six German divisions, a total of 60,000 soldiers. Generalleutnant von Vormann's account starts with the retreat to the Dnepr in 1943, describes the battle of Kirowograd from 5th-17th January 1944, the encirclement, and the breakout. His account also contains a description of the psychological effects on the men of this most brutal and physically exhausting battle. It is one of the few primary source materials that exists and is therefore of significant historical interest.

July 2018 • 9781612006031 • £25.00
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11 maps • Wehrmacht im Kampf

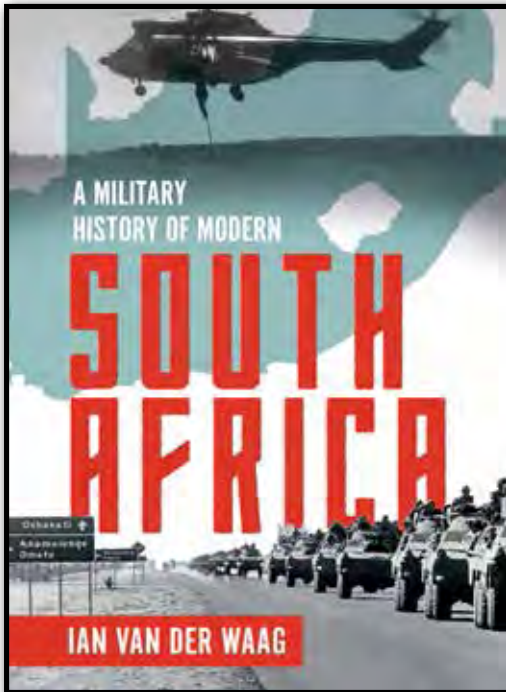


WORLD WAR II



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AFRICA



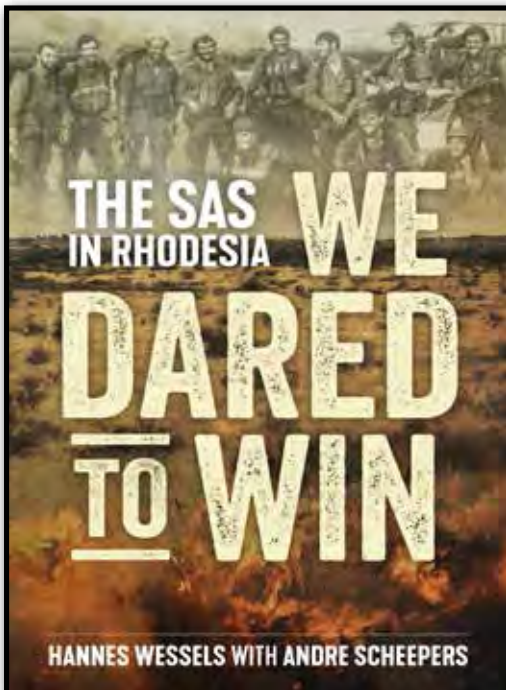
A MILITARY HISTORY OF MODERN SOUTH AFRICA

By Ian van der Waag

A century of South African military history in a single volume, the first of its kind. Includes the Second Anglo-Boer War, the two world wars, and the South African Border War.

Twentieth-century South Africa saw continuous, often rapid and fundamental socio-economic and political change. The century started with a brief but total war and following a century of intermittent, violent conflicts, the century ended as it started, with another war. This book is the first study of the South African armed forces as an institution and of the complex roles that these forces played in the wars, rebellions, uprisings and protests of the period. This is a fascinating study of a century packed full of episode and personality in which South Africa was uniquely embroiled in three total wars.

April 2018 • 9781612005829 • £25.00
Hardback • 228 x 152mm • 420 pages
12 illustrations



SPECIAL FORCES | AFRICA



WE DARED TO WIN

The SAS in Rhodesia

By Hannes Wessels with Andre Scheepers

Action-packed account of a member of the celebrated Rhodesian SAS, who fought with incredible tenacity and ingenuity against overwhelming odds in the Rhodesian Bush War of the 1970s.

In his own words Andre Scheepers describes his childhood on a farm, learning about the bush from his African friends, and becoming a soldier. A quiet, introspective, deep thinker Andre started out as a trooper in the Rhodesian Light Infantry commandos and was hectically engaged in Fire-Force combat operations before leaving for the SAS. Wounded 13 times, his operational record is exceptional even by the high standards that existed at the time. Loved by his men, Andre writes very eruditely about his mental and emotional condition during the war and reflects very candidly on what he learned and how war has shaped his life since.

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Hardback • 228 x 152mm • 320 pages
32 pages of colour & b/w photos

JOHN ANDRÉ

The Spy Who Turned Benedict Arnold

By D. A. B. Ronald

A new biography of John André, head of British secret services in the Revolutionary War, who was captured in 1780 and hanged as a spy.

John André was head of the British Army's Secret Service in North America as the Revolutionary War entered its most bitter and, ultimately, decisive phase. In 1780, he masterminded the defection of a high-ranking American officer—General Benedict Arnold. After a clandestine meeting between the two men, André was captured within American lines, had changed into civilian clothes and was carrying maps of West Point hidden in his boots. He was convicted by military tribunal and hanged—his death lamented both in America and England. This new biography of André puts forward a new answer to the mystery of John André's actions.

July 2018 • 9781612005218 • £19.99
 Hardback • 228 x 152mm • 288 pages
 15 black and white & 15 colour illustrations

CRUSADER

General Donn Starry and the Army of His Times

By Mike Guardia

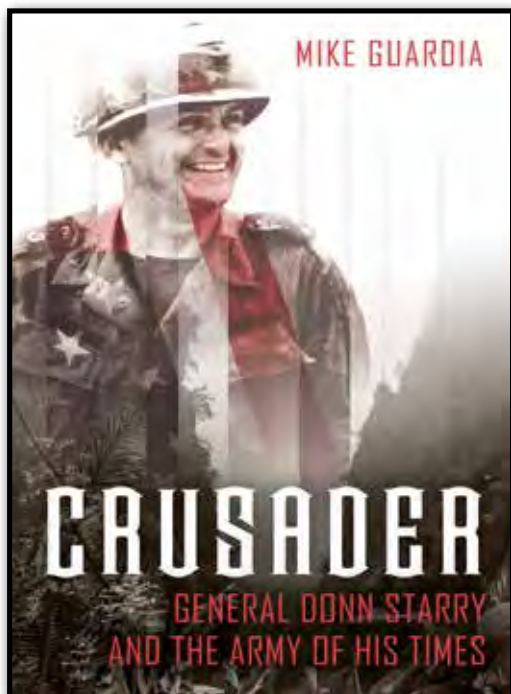
New biography of General Donn Starry, armor officer who worked to transform the Army after Vietnam, and created the AirLand doctrine.

Donn Starry was one of the most influential commanders of the Vietnam War, and after Vietnam was one of the “intellectual giants” who reshaped the US Army and its doctrines. Throughout his career he worked to improve training, leadership and conditions for the men who served under him. When commander of Fort Knox and the Armor Center and School in the 1970s, Starry redeveloped armor tactics and doctrine and improved training. In this new biography of General Donn Starry, armor officer Mike Guardia examines the life and work of this pioneering, crusading officer using extracts from interviews with veterans and family, and from Starry's personal papers.

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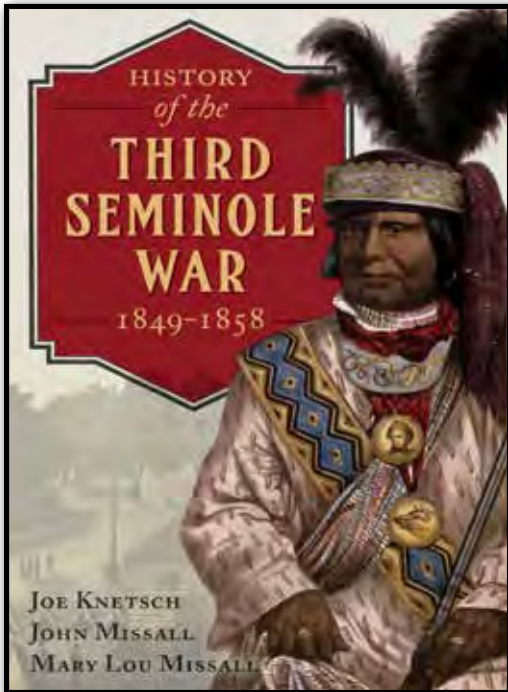


18TH CENTURY HISTORY



20TH CENTURY HISTORY





19TH CENTURY HISTORY



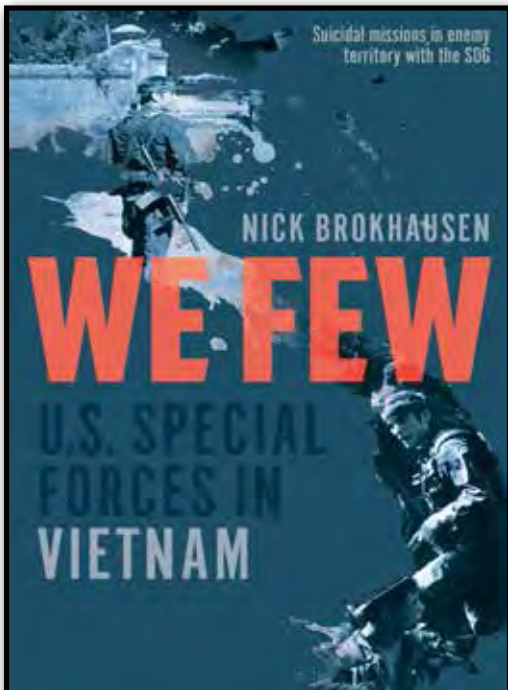
HISTORY OF THE THIRD SEMINOLE WAR 1849–1858

By Joe Knetsch, John Missall and Mary Lou Missall

A full history of the Third Seminole War (1848–1859), with a detailed narrative of the war and its causes, containing numerous first-hand accounts.

Spanning a period of over forty years (1817–1858), the three Seminole Wars were America's longest, costliest, and deadliest Indian wars, surpassing the more famous ones fought in the West. After an uneasy peace following the conclusion of the second Seminole War in 1842, a series of hostile events followed by a string of murders in 1849 and 1850 made confrontation inevitable. Written in a clear, easy-to-follow style, the work is intended for both a general and scholarly audience and will be of value to those interested in Florida history, American history in general, military history, Native American studies, and nineteenth century subjects.

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VIETNAM WAR



WE FEW

U.S. Special Forces in Vietnam

By Nick Brokhausen

Vivid Vietnam memoir of the author's experiences in MACV-SOG, as a member of a small recon team, operating covertly in North Vietnamese-controlled areas.

On his second tour to Vietnam, Nick Brokhausen served in Recon Team Habu, CCN. This unit was part of MACV-SOG (Military Assistance Command Vietnam Studies and Observations Group). The group conducted some of the most dangerous missions of the war, despite never exceeding 30 Americans. They were the best source for the enemy's disposition and were key to the US military being able to take the war to the enemy. It came at a terrible price, however; the number of wounded and killed in action was incredibly high. This riveting memoir details the actions and experiences of a small group of Americans and their allies who were the backbone of ground reconnaissance in the Republic of Vietnam during the Vietnam War.

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16 illustrations



VIETNAM WAR

FIRE IN THE STREETS

The Battle for Hue, Tet 1968

By Eric Hammel

The definitive and highly-acclaimed account of the battle for Hue during the Tet Offensive in 1968.

In *Fire in the Streets*, the dramatic narrative of the battle for Hue unfolds on an hour-by-hour, day-by-day basis. In addition, Hammel examines the tremendous strain the surprise attack put on the South Vietnamese-U.S. alliance, the shocking brutality of the Communist "liberators," and the lessons gained by U.S. Marines forced to wage battle in a city—a task for which they were utterly unprepared and which remains highly relevant today. Re-issued in the fiftieth anniversary year of the battle, with an updated photo section and maps this is the only complete and authoritative account of this crucial landmark battle.

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420 pages • 16 pages of photos



KHE SANH

Siege in the Clouds. An Oral History

By Eric Hammel

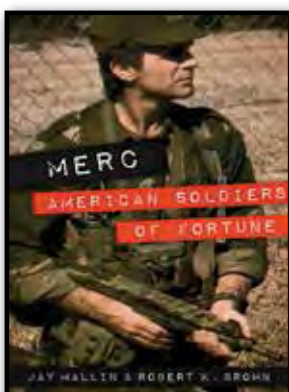
The highly-acclaimed history of the siege of Khe Sanh from January to April 1968, using the accounts of 100 participants.

Eric Hammel's classic account of the battle at Khe Sanh is a vivid oral history, using the words of American fighting men caught up in the gruelling, deadly seventy-seven-day ordeal create a harrowing tapestry of tragedy and triumph. The gripping—and moving—narrative flows from the masterfully woven threads provided by nearly a hundred men who gallantly endured the wrenching all-out struggle to hold the combat base and its vulnerable outlying positions. Re-issued in the fiftieth anniversary year of the siege, with an updated photo section and maps, this is a ground-breaking and influential history of this crucial landmark battle.



VIETNAM WAR

February 2018 • 9781612005904 • £14.99 • Paperback • 228 x 152mm
512 pages • 16 pages of photos



20TH CENTURY HISTORY

MERC

American Soldiers of Fortune

By Jay Mallin and Robert K. Brown

A classic collection of fast-paced and revealing stories profiling US mercenaries.

Merc is a classic; first published in 1979, its characters and stories are as vivid and worthy of retelling today. The mercenaries profiled in this book range from West Point graduates and Harvard poets to former CIA agents and ex-cons. Because their private histories parallel the larger history of unconventional warfare and political upheaval, *Merc: American Soldiers of Fortune* provides insight into global conflicts, but most of all it is a fast-paced, eye-opening account of a little-known but fascinating way of life.

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224 pages • 40 b/w photos & 15 colour photos



SUPERKING

Building Trumpeter's 1:16th Scale King Tiger

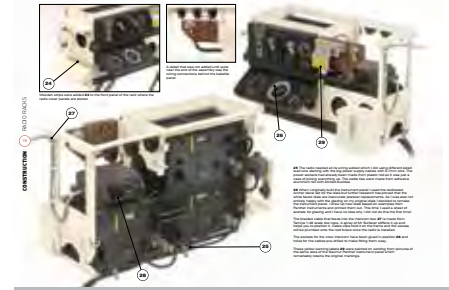
By David Parker

The step-by-step story of David Parker's remarkable award-winning 1:16 scale replica.

This new book from AFV Modeller brings together archive photographs with walkaround photography of the real vehicle in over 450 pages for the ultimate guide to modelling the King Tiger. It brings together the three and a half year coverage from AFV Modeller Magazine with additional unpublished material. David Parker's completed model went on to win Gold medals at Euro Militaire, Scale Model Challenge and the IPMS UK National Competition.



MILITARY VEHICLES | MODELLING



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Hardback • 210 x 297mm • 452 pages



AVIATION | MODELLING

AIR MODELLER'S GUIDE TO WINGNUT WINGS, VOLUME 2

Showcasing a selection of builds of the high detailed kits from Wingnut Wings.

Great for fans of WWI aircraft this book showcases a selection of builds using the stunningly high detailed kits available from Wingnut Wings. This publication is the second in a series of books showcasing a number of different kit builds that detail the methods and materials used to achieve stunning models.



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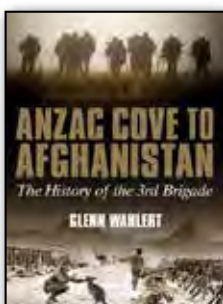
A CAREFREE WAR

The Hidden History of Australian WWII Child Evacuees

By Ann Howard

During World War II Australia was under threat of invasion. Could Australia be invaded by the Japanese? Anxious parents made decisions to protect their children, with or without government sanction. Small children were sent away, often unaccompanied, by concerned parents to friends, relatives, or even strangers living in 'safer' parts of the country. Author Ann Howard, who was evacuated with her mother from the UK during World War II, writes this book to look at the effects this had on families.

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260 pages • Highly illustrated, b/w maps and images**



AUSTRALIAN ARMY

ANZAC COVE TO AFGHANISTAN

The History of the 3rd Brigade

By Glenn Wahlerst

As the first Anzacs to land at Gallipoli on 25 April 1915 and among the last to serve in Afghanistan 100 years later, the men and women of the Australian Army's 3rd Brigade have a long and proud history. Initially raised in 1903, the 3rd Brigade served as part of the Australian Imperial Force during World War I, and from 1980 the brigade has been the government's land force instrument of choice in response to military or peacekeeping interventions.

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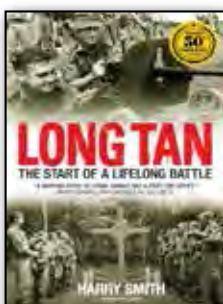
AN UNENDING WAR

The Australian Army's struggle against malaria 1885–2015

By Ian Howie-Willis

Malaria is not only the greatest killer of humankind, the disease has been the relentless scourge of armies throughout history from Alexander the Great to the Vietnam War, when malaria caused more casualties than enemy action. Ian Howie-Willis, in this very readable book, tells the dramatic story of the Australian Army's long and continuing struggle against malaria. It breaks new ground by showing how just one disease, malaria, is as much the serving soldier's foe as any enemy force.

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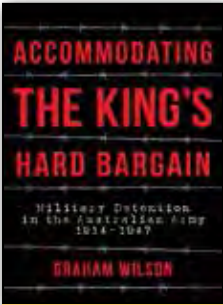
LONG TAN

The Start of a Life Long Battle

By Harry Smith

On the afternoon of 18 August 1966, just five kilometres from the main Australian Task Force base at Nui Dat, a dispersed Company of 108 men held its ground with courage and grim determination against a three-sided attack from a force of 2,500 Viet Cong and North Vietnamese Army troops. These men were led by a gruff and gusty perfectionist, Major Harry Smith. Now, some 50 years after the battle, Harry tells his story.

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CRIME AND
PUNISHMENT

ACCOMMODATING THE KING'S HARD BARGAIN

Military Detention in the Australian Army 1914–1947

By Graham Wilson

Like all crime and punishment, military detention in the Australian Army has a long and fraught history. This book tells the gritty story of military detention and punishment dating from colonial times. Armies are powerful instruments, but also fragile entities, their capability resting on discipline. It is in pursuit of this war-winning intangible that detention facilities are considered necessary — a necessity that continues in the modern army.

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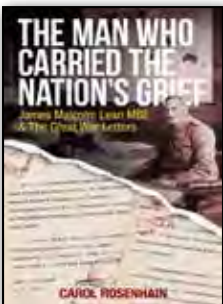
YOU'LL BE SORRY

How World War II Changed Women's Lives

By Ann Howard

In *You'll Be Sorry!* Ann Howard honours grandmothers and mothers in a superb account of women's participation in the Services during World War II, and their ensuing battle for equal opportunity that set the foundation for the Women's Liberation Movement of the 70s. Howard presents a vivid account of women's growing confidence as they were given responsible positions, only to find there was no place for them outside the home after peace was declared.

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WORLD WAR I

THE MAN WHO CARRIED THE NATION'S GRIEF

James Malcolm Lean MBE & The Great War Letters

By Carol Rosenhain

Thousands of Australians during World War I received news of the loss of loved ones through the office known as 'Base Records'. Every letter was answered with patience and courtesy and every response carried the same signature: J. M. Lean. *The Man who Carried the Nation's Grief* describes the extraordinary work of James Lean, whose office at times received over 100 letters a day from distressed families.

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AUSTRALIAN ARMY

PRESERVING OUR PROUD HERITAGE

The Customs and Traditions of the Australian Army

By Leslie Terrett and Stephen Taubert

The Australian Army's customs and traditions represent the symbols and substance of much of their national character, adopted from Army's forebears and developed between 1901 and today. This thoroughly researched and beautifully presented full colour edition of *Preserving Our Proud Heritage: Customs and Traditions of the Australian Army* includes a companion CD of the Australian Army's Regimental marches and bugle calls, assembled together for the very first time.

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GEORGE BUTTERWORTH SOLDIER AND COMPOSER

By Laurence Green

Looks at the First World War military career of the eminent composer George Butterworth.

George Sainton Kaye Butterworth was one of the most brilliant, enigmatic and promising young composers of the early twentieth century. Butterworth joined the army as a private in the Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry in 1914. Within a short time Butterworth and his friends were commissioned in the Durham Light Infantry and eventually sent to France to fight in the unspeakable horror of the Battle of the Somme. This book outlines Butterworth's brief life and achievements and concentrates on his months in the army. He was awarded the Military Cross for conspicuous gallantry and had a trench named after him by his men. In his own words: 'The war gave me something to do.'

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208 pages • 24 illustrations

GEPRUFT

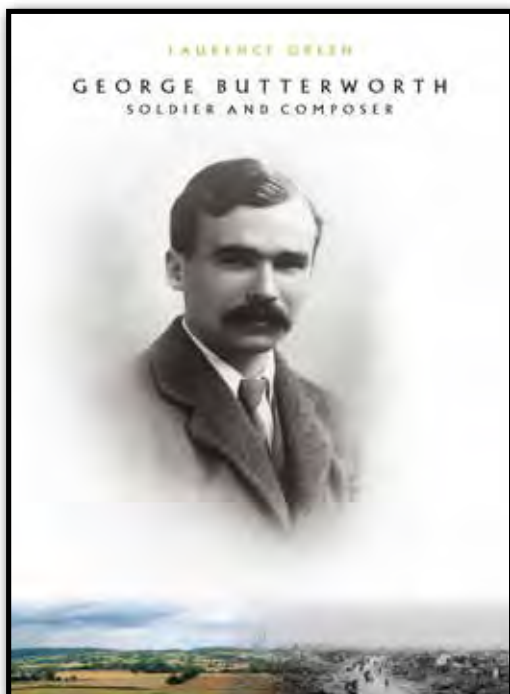
The Remarkable Second World War Letters of Prisoner of War John Valentine and his wife Ursula

By Frances Zagni

John Valentine's letters home from his time in a Prisoner of War camp during World War Two.

Shot down in his Avro Manchester on the Thousand Bomber raid of 30/31 May 1942 Bomber Command observer and navigator John Valentine saw out the rest of the Second World War as a prisoner in Germany. During that period, he wrote extensively to his wife Ursula, telling her of his survival, the circumstances in which he was shot from the sky, his capture, and the daily rigours of life as a prisoner of war. Illustrated with previously unpublished photographs *Gepprüft* is a truly remarkable and comprehensive account of the effect of the Second World War on the lives of a young married couple, and their generation.

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WORLD WAR II | AVIATION



AMERICA | PHOTOGRAPHY

THE NEW HEARTLAND

Looking for the American Dream

By Andrew Borowiec

Photographs offer a fresh, razor-sharp view of contemporary American culture.

In many ways, Ohio has become for America the quintessential heartland state, for what happens in Ohio happens over all of the United States. It's where fast-food companies test-market new products and where chewing gum, Teflon, the first cash register, first vacuum cleaner, first airplane, first traffic signal, and first gas-powered automobile were invented. This landmark book of photography offers a fresh view of contemporary American culture in Ohio and the rest of America.

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100 pages

EAST COAST

Arctic to Tropic

Photographs by David Freese

An expansive photographic sojourn from Greenland to the Florida Keys.

The East Coast of North America is a wondrous, intriguing, yet threatened coastline. It zigs and zags for more than 5,500 miles and assumes a multifaceted, jigsaw shape from the Arctic Circle and Greenland across the Canadian Maritimes, then southward into Maine, Cape Cod, New York Harbor, the Delaware and Chesapeake Bays, along the Outer Banks to Charleston Harbor and on to Cape Canaveral. It ends at the Dry Tortugas on the western tip of the Florida Keys near the Tropic of Cancer. In this companion book to *West Coast: Bering to Baja*, David Freese has once again captured a vast coastal region.



AMERICA | PHOTOGRAPHY

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320 pages • 185 colour photographs and 1 colour map



AMERICA | PHOTOGRAPHY

TIDAL RHYTHMS

Change and Resilience at the Edge of the Sea

By Stephen Strom and Barbara Hurd

The tidal waters and beaches of America's Pacific Coast captured by photographer Stephen Strom and award-winning essayist Barbara Hurd.

This book is a collaborative effort by photographer Stephen Strom and award-winning essayist Barbara Hurd. Strom's images, taken along beaches in the Gulf of California and the Northern California and Oregon coasts, document a world teeming with ancient life-forms, clinging to rocks and finding nourishment but revealed for only a few hours before the tidal waters return. The primitive flora and fauna together create transient marine landscapes whose complex patterns resonate with what we humans perceive as beauty.

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176 pages • 116 colour photographs



INDIA | ART

ACROSS THE THRESHOLD OF INDIA

Art, Women, and Culture

By Martha A. Strawn, Mark H. Sloan, Kapila Vatsyayan, William K. Mahony and Jack Colling

An important and strikingly beautiful new study of the sacred and ancient Hindu practice of threshold drawing.

In the Hindu world-view, threshold is a profoundly important concept that represents a passage between one space and place and another. By presenting the most recent scholarship on the history and art of the threshold drawings and combining that engaging tale with her wonderful fine-art and documentary photographs, Martha Strawn has given the world a unique and enduring gift.

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320 pages • 32 duotone and 167 colour photos by the author • Casebound set of two hardcover volumes

JOHN RAIMONDI

Drawing to Sculpture

By Henry Adams

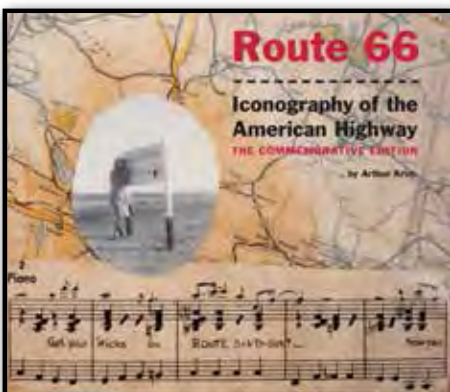
An illustrated retrospective book about one of America's most renowned living sculptors and artists.

John Raimondi (b. 1948) is a contemporary American artist whose more than 100 monumental works of outdoor sculpture have earned him international distinction and acclaim. This is a seminal new book that presents not only an unprecedented number of Raimondi's sculptures and drawings, but also a sense of his ever-evolving career and creative approach to making unforgettable art. The book also complements a forty-five-year retrospective of Raimondi's work at the Boca Raton Museum of Art.



ART

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AMERICA | TRAVEL

ROUTE 66

Iconography of the American Highway

By Arthur Krim and Edited by Denis Wood

Winner of the J. B. Jackson Prize for the Best Book in Cultural Geography.

Route 66 was the iconic highway of twentieth-century America, stretching from downtown Chicago to the Mississippi River at East St. Louis and proceeding through the Indian lands of Oklahoma and the Southwest to Los Angeles and the Pacific Coast. In this engaging, meticulously researched, and fully illustrated study, Arthur Krim explores the fascinating history and complex symbolism behind this most famous American highway.

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LANDSCAPE
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AMERICA'S ENDANGERED COASTS

Photographs from Texas to Maine

By John Ganis

A pioneering and thought-provoking photographic survey of coastal areas of the Atlantic and Gulf Coasts of the United States that are already threatened by a rising sea. This book photographically responds to low-lying areas that are frequently over-developed and vulnerable to high tides and storms such as Hurricanes Katrina, Irene, and Sandy.



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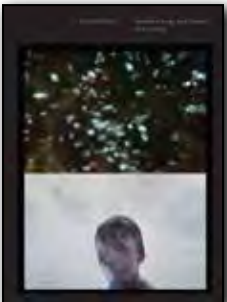
TAKE ME TO THE RIVER

Photographs of Atlantic Rivers

By Michael Kolster

Explores four post-industrial rivers that flow into the Atlantic Ocean—the Androscoggin (Maine/New Hampshire), Schuylkill (Pennsylvania), James (Virginia), and Savannah (Georgia/South Carolina)—as they emerge from two centuries of use and neglect. Today, these rivers still carry the legacies of longstanding pollution in their currents and sediments, yet they have become waterways, renewed and rediscovered.

**December 2016 • 9781938086427 • £45.00 • Hardback • 290 x 300mm
240 pages • 185 ambrotype plates (including 10 foldouts), 2 duotones,
2 colour photos, 4 historic photos, 4 b/w maps**



PHOTOGRAPHY

BACKSCATTER

Between Here and There

By Tom Young

Backscatter is the reflection of particles, waves, or signals back to the direction from which they came: in underwater photography, back to the lens. The reflection, however, is diffuse, as opposed to clear like a mirror, thus softening images and even making them obscure. For this book, Tom Young has embraced backscatter as both subject and metaphor to render spaces below and above the water's surface—between here and there—in highly original ways.

**October 2016 • 9781938086380 • £37.00 • Hardback • 229 x 304mm
112 pages • 78 colour photographs**



LANDSCAPE
PHOTOGRAPHY

THE POWER OF BELIEF

Spiritual Landscapes of the Rural South

By David Wharton

Winner of the 2017 Mississippi Institute of Arts and Literature award for photography. The rural American South has no grand cathedrals or other wonder-of-the-world monuments to religious belief. Nevertheless, as David Wharton reveals in his remarkable new book of photographs, the rural South is a place—a land, a region, a culture, a “way of life”—so heavily invested in religious belief that the spiritual is constantly made manifest in the ordinary.

**October 2016 • 9781938086397 • £37.00 • Hardback • 254 x 304mm
176 page • Duotone photographs by the author**



MEMENTO MORI

Testament to Life (Two Volume Set)

By Erika Diettes, Anne Tucker and Ileana Diéguez

Memento Mori: Testament to Life is a poignant tribute to the victims of Colombia's armed conflict that has claimed more than 250,000 people during the last fifty years. The book is presented as four bodies of photographic work in a two-volume, bi-lingual edition: English and Spanish. At once majestic, accessible, and deeply moving, this book makes a significant contribution not only to documentary art but also to those wanting to understand the human cost of terrorism.

PHOTOGRAPHY

**March 2016 • 9781938086328 • £45.00 • Hardback • 292 x 209mm
248 pages • Photographs throughout**



RECYCLED REALITIES

By John Willis and Tom Young

Near the homes of photographers John Willis and Tom Young is a paper mill that sits in the otherwise pristine and picturesque climes of western Massachusetts. Willis and Young's quadtone photographs transform this mill and the innumerable mounds of recyclable waste it processes daily into an indelible and evocative landscape. These unforgettable images of discarded paper from the printed world trace the processes of emergence, revelation, and redemption that make the cycle of life possible.

PHOTOGRAPHY

**September 2015 • 9781938086311 • £34.00 • Hardback • 248 x 280mm
80 pages**



A FIELD GUIDE TO OTHER PEOPLE'S TREES

By Margot Anne Kelley

Old houses retain many palpable vestiges of their pasts. And when Margot Anne Kelley and her husband, Rob, moved into an old farmhouse, they inherited that past as well as the property. Intimate and informative, Kelley's field guide is a joy to read and a gift to all who share her love of nature and of place. Like the plants that define her land in Maine, this book invites readers to recognise that we can be fully grounded in our home place.

NATURE

January 2015 • 9781938086304 • £30.00 • Hardback



A YEAR IN ROCK CREEK PARK

The Wild, Wooded Heart of Washington, DC

By Melanie Choukas-Bradley

This is a hardcover, limited edition of 350 copies, slip-cased and signed by the author. Rock Creek Park is Nature's gem in Washington, DC. Twice the size of famed Central Park in New York City, Rock Creek Park is the wild, wooded heart of the nation's capital, offering refuge and a keen sense of place for millions of residents and visitors each year. Within these pages, Choukas-Bradley leads us on a personal discovery of the wonders of Rock Creek Park.

NATURE

November 2014 • 9781938086267 • £55.50 • Hardback



IRELAND

IRELAND

One Island, No Borders

By Gerry Adams and Elizabeth Billups

Presents the country as seen through the eyes of one of its most famous and passionate sons, and an equally passionate American of Irish ancestry.

Ireland is a place of mystical, enduring appeal, especially for the many millions of Americans who claim its special heritage, more than one in six according to the last U.S. Census. But Ireland has also become an international place of pilgrimage and discovery for all who venture there. This unique collaboration between Elizabeth Billups, a Santa-Fe-based photographer and activist, and Gerry Adams, the renowned leader of Sinn Fein, reveals a side of Ireland and of Gerry Adams not often portrayed in the guidebooks, magazines or media.

August 2014 • 9781938086144 • £20.00 • Hardback • 292 x 250mm
150 pages

HONORING THE DOUGHBOYS

Following My Grandfather's World War I Diary

By Jeffrey A. Lowdermilk and foreword by Helen Patton

A tribute to the American doughboys of World War I.

A stunning presentation of contemporary photographs taken by the author that are paired with diary entries written by his grandfather, George A. Carlson, who was a soldier in the U.S. Army during World War I. This image-rich tour of European landscapes, battlefields, and monuments offers the reader a moving expression of gratitude to American veterans of the Great War. The foreword by Helen Patton, granddaughter of General George S. Patton, Jr., adds an extra dimension to the narrative.



WORLD WAR I

August 2014 • 9781938086182 • £30.00 • Hardback • 254 x 229mm
128 pages



INDIA | PHOTOGRAPHY

THE JUNGLE AT THE DOOR

A Glimpse of Wild India

By Joan Myers with an essay by William Debuys

Photographs capturing land and life in India's last remaining wild jungles.

Through the miracle of photography and the beholding eye of a master photographer such as Myers, we are able to experience the land and life in India's last remaining wild jungles.

September 2012 • 9781938086069 • £35.00 • Hardback • 363 x 259mm
96 pages

**DARK BEAUTY**

Photographs of New Mexico

By Jack Parsons and Frederick Turner

Jack Parsons has been investigating the incredible landscapes, amazing light, and diverse cultures of the American Southwest for more than thirty-five years, in turn becoming a master of photographic art. *Dark Beauty* features 100 of his rarely seen or published photographs of New Mexico, taken from the time of his arrival in the summer of 1969 right up to the present day.

PHOTOGRAPHY

**September 2014 • 9781938086229 • £30.00 • Hardback • 307 x 279mm
148 pages**

**ALLIGATORS**

Prehistoric Presence in the American Landscape

By Martha A. Strawn

For more than 65,000,000 years, the alligator has inhabited the North American continent. Martha Strawn spent a decade traveling throughout the American South taking more than 40,000 photographs of this incredible creature. The 151 photographs featured here are each based on a concept or feeling designed to inform and recreate a network of field experiences that are complemented by vignettes, poems, lyrics to songs, and engaging text.

NATURE

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**FIRMAMENT**

A Meditation on Place in Three Parts

By Andrew Beckham

Firmament is a meditation on place unlike any other. In viewing Andrew Beckham's work, we see depth and beauty, serenity and enlightenment, and we gain a certain reassurance that there is something greater than ourselves when we contemplate the universe with a sense of reverence and even awe. We also come to realise that we have a sacred duty to understand and respect our individual place within the world.

PHOTOGRAPHY

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**FIRMAMENT: DELUXE EDITION**

A Meditation on Place in Three Parts

By Andrew Beckham

This is a signed and numbered edition of 100 copies, which will be slipcased. The transient nature of our place in the world has long been an abiding artistic concern of Andrew Beckham. Whether he stands firmly on the ground or star-gazes into the heavens, Beckham, through the frame of his camera, tries to answer questions that have accompanied human life over the millennia.

PHOTOGRAPHY

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ILUMINACIONES

By Jack Parsons and Frederick Turner

How does a photographer learn to see? How does he create his own visual language – as unique as a fingerprint and as inimitable as the voice of a great writer? In *Iluminaciones*, Jack Parsons's seventeenth book takes the viewer on a very personal, deeply intuitive journey that reveals how he has honed his photographic vision. Complemented by the artful commentary of Frederick Turner, *Iluminaciones* is a stunning visual exploration of beauty.

PHOTOGRAPHY

**November 2014 • 9781938086274 • £35.00 • Hardback • 315 x 279mm
148 pages**



WALKING MAGPIE

On and Off the Leash

By Chuck Forsman and Eric Paddock

People love dogs, and dogs love people. Walking a dog is one of the most visible and mutually beneficial manifestations of that bond. It is a ritual steeped in affection and obligation. *Walking Magpie* is about a dog and what a dog sees. It is also a work of serious photography by a well-known and pioneering landscape artist: Chuck Forsman.

DOGS | PHOTOGRAPHY

**June 2013 • 9781938086113 • £30.00 • Hardback • 287 x 234mm
136 pages**



AT HOME IN THE WEST

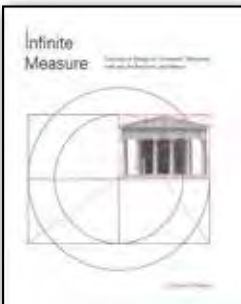
The Lure of Public Land

By William S. Sutton

The American West has defined the character of the United States of America as no other region could. Willy Sutton has spent much of the past thirty years taking his camera to places of natural wonder both well known and obscure. He has assembled one of the great photographic bodies of work dealing with the public lands of the American West.

PHOTOGRAPHY

**February 2013 • 9781938086083 • £30.00 • Hardback • 284 x 236mm
200 pages**



INFINITE MEASURE

Learning to Design in Geometric Harmony with Art, Architecture, and Nature

By Rachel Fletcher

Infinite Measure is both a creative workbook and an authoritative reference guide for teachers, students, and practitioners of all kinds of design from architecture to sculptures. Taking pages from books of nature, art, and architecture, Fletcher provides visual designers of all art forms and disciplines with geometric methods for composing harmonious spaces and places.

DESIGN

January 2013 • 9781938086021 • £34.00 • Paperback



PHOTOGRAPHY

MAIN STREET

Towns, Villages, and Hamlets of the Great Plains

By Danny Singer

The Great Plains is one of Earth's greatest ecosystems. Comprised of short- and tall-grass prairie, it extends from the Canadian Arctic through to Texas and from the Rocky Mountains in the dry west to the humid east. Danny Singer's *Main Street* offers an original and lasting view of the heart and soul of the North American Great Plains.

January 2013 • 9781938086076 • £55.50 • Hardback



ARCHITECTURE

ON WALL STREET*By David Anderson*

David Anderson realised that the architecturally elaborate and stylistic buildings of the late nineteenth century through the 1930s that defined Wall Street would never be made again. He thus embarked on a remarkable twenty-year project (from 1980 to 2000) to document Wall Street's classic architecture before further changes were made in the area, including the demolition and destructive renovation of too many historic structures.

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PHOTOGRAPHY

LAS VEGAS PERIPHERY

Views from the Edge

By Laurie Brown and Sally Denton

Laurie Brown has long been fascinated with what happens at the edge of cities. Few other places engender such a common image of excess and extravagance as does Las Vegas. But Brown reminds us that what makes Las Vegas such an alluring place to live and to visit is its location in the magnificent Mojave Desert.

January 2013 • 9781938086014 • £30.00 • Hardback
389 x 234mm • 96 pages

PHOTOGRAPHY

CHOOSING FATHERHOOD

America's Second Chance

By Lewis Kostiner

Choosing Fatherhood: America's Second Chance sees Lewis Kostiner make portraits of dads who are involved in their children's lives. The book is also accompanied by essays written by leading authorities on the subject. This book offers a hopeful direction that America does have a second chance at correcting a troubling trend, but time is slipping, and awareness of the problem is an important start.

November 2012 • 9781938086052 • £37.00 • Hardback

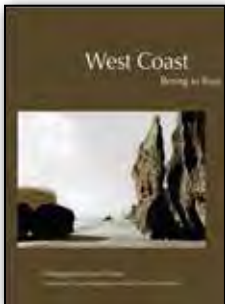


PHOTOGRAPHY

THE VALLEY OF 10,000 SMOKES*Photography by Gary Freeburg*

On June 6, 1912, among the Katmai volcanoes and its resident native people, an unforgettable natural event occurred: the largest volcanic eruption on Earth during the twentieth century. Now preserved as part of the 4.7-million-acre Katmai National Park and Preserve, the Valley of 10,000 Smokes continues to inspire great artists such as Gary Freeburg who seeks out the Alaskan sublime, as it is revealed in one of Earth's most remote, raw, and wild places.

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184 pages**



PHOTOGRAPHY

WEST COAST

Bering to Baja

By David Freese, Simon Winchester and Naomi Rosenblum

There is no more beautiful or alluring coast in the world than the West Coast of North America. No photographer until David Freese has explored the various and wondrous landscapes along the Pacific Ocean in such depth, making this the first book to look comprehensively at what makes the natural beauty of this particular coast so memorable. The engaging and informative text by renowned author Simon Winchester grounds us in understanding the deep relationship between geology and scenery.

**November 2012 • 9781938086045 • £35.00 • Hardback • 236 x 284mm
192 pages**



PHOTOGRAPHY

SMALL TOWN SOUTH*By David Wharton*

Small Town South is the result of Wharton's travels through a region that extends from Texas, Louisiana, and Arkansas in the west to Virginia and the Carolinas in the east, from Kentucky and Tennessee in the north to Florida in the south, with Mississippi, Alabama, and Georgia forming the region's center in between. No other photographer has devoted so much time and attention to recording this distinctive American place.

**November 2012 • 9781938086090 • £30.00 • Hardback • 287 x 234mm
160 pages**



PHOTOGRAPHY

TIMELINE

Learning to See with My Eyes Closed

By Tom Young

Tom Young has created an entirely new genre: visual fiction. Here, in each picture, he offers an assemblage of personal life that could very well be yours, and he has intertwined it with the interior and exterior places that can surround us: trees and rocks and windows and showers and fields of grain. The accompanying titles convey not only a direction toward meaning for each image, but also a declaration that each image is a work of art.

**November 2012 • 9781938086106 • £40.00 • Hardback • 239 x 310mm
128 pages**

EMB-314 SUPER TUCANO

Brazil's Turboprop Success Story Continues

By João Paulo Zeitoun Moralez

The Embraer Super Tucano uses the most advanced technology to use up to 1.5 ton of weapon in combat missions from the Amazon region to the desert.

The EMB-314 Super Tucano is a robust attack aircraft capable of staying weeks in continuous operation with high availability index and attending to the most varied types of missions. It holds almost nothing from its predecessor EMB-312 Tucano. The two .50 inches machine guns installed inside the wings allow a superior combination of 130 types of armament positioned at five external points under the wings and fuselage. With more than 250 units produced, the Super Tucano is used by Brazil and 11 other countries. The US may become the next Embraer turboprop operator on close air support flights with a contract that can reach 300 airplanes.

April 2018 • 9780997309249 • £19.99
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80 pages

MODERN CHINESE WARPLANES

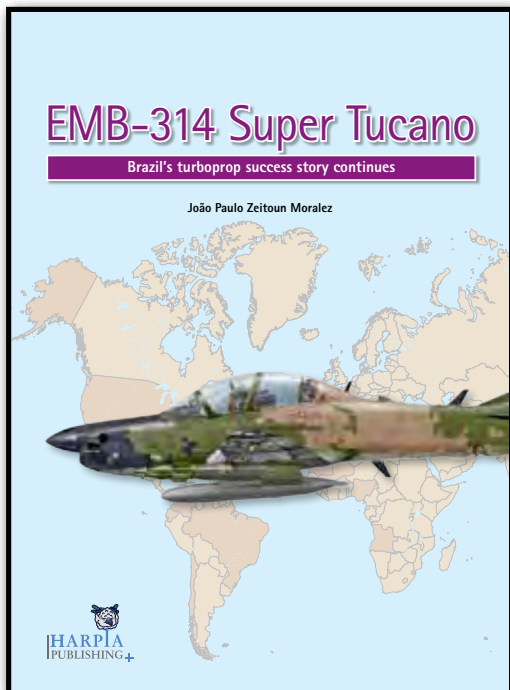
Chinese Naval Aviation (PLANAF) – Combat Aircraft and Units

By Andreas Rupprecht

This comprehensive directory serves as an in-depth analysis and overview of the Chinese Naval Aviation branch.

Due to China's strong reliance on its economic development but also due to its rising political ambitions with the aim to resume a central role in the regional and global affairs, it is vital for China to show some sort of military presence in its area of influence. Consequently, within the past decade, China's military has undergone some of the most profound reforms since its establishment and the Chinese Navy and its Naval Air Arm play an ever more increasing role to achieve these goals. This uniquely compact yet comprehensive directory serves as a magnificently illustrated, in-depth analysis and directory of modern Chinese Naval Air Power.

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WORLD WAR II
BATTLEFIELD GUIDES

NORMANDIE 1944

By Georges Bernage

Uses first hand testimony to describe the events of Normandy 1944.

This book is the result of forty years of interviews with witnesses, military and civilian, of research, analysis and descriptions of several thousand photographs, concerning D-Day and the Battle of Normandy. This publication is the best synthesis, day by day, from June 6 to August 30, 1944, with a precise narrative, an exceptional report illustrated with the best photos (470), 22 armoured and airplane profiles and, above all, 79 maps to follow this very complex battle with clarity.

July 2017 • 9782840483724 • £38.00 • Paperback • 297 x 210mm
224 pages

TEXT IN FRENCH

THE MEDIEVAL COSTUME

From 1320–1480

Rich, colour photographs with multiple reenactors allow a true understanding of medieval costume.

This is a detailed, precise, modern work on medieval dress of the thirteenth and fourteenth centuries (1320–1480). Taking cues from the works of Viollet-le-Duc and Adrien Harmand, the first part is devoted to jewels and accessories, the second to male dress, and the third to female dress. Rich, colour photographs with multiple reenactors allow a true understanding of medieval costume. This can be used as a highly detailed work of reference.



MEDIEVAL COSTUME

January 2018 • 9782840483793 • £35.00 • Paperback • 215 x 297mm
216 pages • Rich colour photos



WORLD WAR II

KORVETTENKAPITÄN KENTRAT

1925–1945

du croiseur Emden à l'U-196

By George Bernage and Jean-Paul Pallud

Highly illustrated book about the great seaman's career.

An exceptional work retracing the career of Korvettenkapitan Kentrat. This work presents the career of this great seaman through his personal documents, letters, and uniform. This is a richly illustrated book with 130 photos of U-196 in the open sea, with levels of detail never before seen.

January 2018 • 9782840483830 • £84.00 • Hardback
297 x 210mm • 350 pages

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WORLD WAR II

LES PARAS DE LA WAFFEN-SS, VOLUME 1

By Franz Rüdiger

An account of the Luftwaffe's Yugoslavia operations written by a surviving German pilot.

Former captain of the paratroopers of the Luftwaffe, the author went on to earn his degree during the 60's, and became a historian. This is the first volume of three, with each detailed history close to 400 pages. The first volume is dedicated to the operation against Tito's troops in Yugoslavia, the second to the engagement in the Baltic States and the third to operations in Hungary, in the Ardennes, and at the bridgehead of the Oder Front. The whole series, dedicated to this SS-Fallschirmjäger Battalion 500/600, will offer more than a thousand photos.

January 2018 • 9782840484066 • £76.00 • Hardback • 297 x 210mm
400 pages

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LES MARINS FRANÇAIS DU JOUR J

FNFL – Normandie 44

By Thierry Terrier

The story of the French seafarers who took part in the Normandy Landings in 1944.

June 4 1944, 18:30, South of England. Liaison officers board twenty-two French vessels. Locked up with the commanders, they hand them a large sealed envelope. From the departure of the English, the "pachas" discovered their mission in operation "Neptune" (the codename given to the landing of the Allied troops in Normandy). The crews are assembled. The men discover that they will be the first Frenchmen to contribute to the landing. The participation of French seafarers is rarely, if ever, mentioned when celebrating the anniversaries of the Normandy landing. It is time to repair the injustice done to these men, their buildings and the Navy.



NAVAL

TEXT IN FRENCH

January 2018 • 9782840484219 • £26.00 • Hardback • 297 x 210mm
100 pages



WORLD WAR II

LA WAFFEN-SS

Vol. 1: 1939–1945

By Hervé Bertin

This book traces the history, organisation, uniforms and equipment between 1939 and 1945 of the Waffen SS.

This book traces the history, organization, uniforms and equipment between 1939 and 1945 of the Waffen SS. This elite force counted nearly a million volunteers from all European countries. The variety of uniforms presented shows how the Waffen-SS reserved, especially from 1941, the most modern equipment. All the panoply of Waffen SS is carefully detailed in the 2 volume book with rigorously authentic objects. Accompanied by original photographs mostly unpublished and from private archives, this book covers a gap in the field in which no truly comprehensive study has done to date.

June 2018 • 9782840484233 • £73.00 • Hardback • 297 x 210mm
256 pages

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ARMOUR

2. PANZERDIVISION EN NORMANDIE, VOLUME 2

Août 1944

By *Frédéric Deprun*

Looks at the engagement of this Panzer Division in the hedgerows of Normandy.

The author, Frédéric Deprun, has devoted more than ten years to meticulously studying the 'engagement of this armoured force in the Norman hedgerow'. In volume 2 the author recounts the impotence of the Panzer unit in containing the Allied offensive from the south of Saint-Lo at the end of July 1944. The two volumes of 350 pages, illustrated with 800 unpublished photographs and more than 60 maps, lead the reader through multiple testimonies of the tragic paths of the soldiers in the 2. Panzerdivision of the Calvados until the crossing of the Seine.

June 2018 • 9782840484370 • £81.00 • Hardback • 297 x 210mm
320 pages

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1796–1797 DU PONT D'ARCOLE À LA BATAILLE DE RIVOLI

Les derniers jours de la Première campagne d'Italie

By *Jean-Marie Mongin*

A study of Napoleon's campaigns in Northern Italy, specifically his battles and mœuvres.

This work looks at the last months of Napoleon's northern Italy campaign. The first chapters focus on the narratives of battles and maneuvers, the tactical significance of victories and the strategic importance of Bonaparte's vision. The second part deals with the technical and uniform components of the units of the two camps. The third, finally, interested in the "booty" amassed by the young general, deals with the cultural, economic and political dimensions of the first victorious campaign of Bonaparte.



NAPOLEONIC HISTORY

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January 2018 • 9782840484592 • £59.00 • Hardback • 297 x 210mm
160 pages



REGIMENTAL

HOHENSTAUFEN 1943–1945

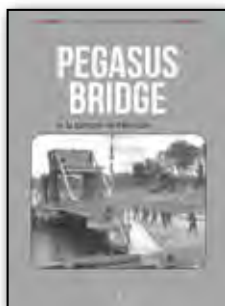
By *Charles Trang and Pierre Tiquet*

Almost 800 unpublished photos illuminate this volume on the 9th Panzer Division.

In 1984, Heimdal published their very first divisional history: *9.SS-Panzer-Division*. Written by the late Herbert Fürbringer, formerly of the Stauffer, this work is a landmark. Today, the two best French specialists on the Waffen SS team up to provide it with an indispensable accompaniment. Approximately 800 photos, largely unpublished, nearly 200 documents, numerous testimonies as well as biographies of the principal officers of the division.

January 2018 • 9782840484721 • £89.00 • Hardback • 297 x 210mm
420 pages

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PEGASUS BRIDGE ET LA BATTERIE DE MERVILLE

By Helmut Konrad von Keusgen

Major John Howard's "coup-de-main force" is undoubtedly one of the most spectacular and famous commando-type operations on D-Day or even World War II. After a very brief and bold glider landing, the rocking steel bridge over the Caen canal to the sea is captured by a thunderous assault of a few dozen airborne soldiers of the 6th Airborne Division. Enriched with more than 270 photos, the story is exciting from beginning to end.

WORLD WAR II

December 2017 • 9782840484820 • £56.00 • Hardback
297 x 210mm • 248 pages

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HISTOIRE DES ESCADRES DE L'ARMÉE DE L'AIR

1945–2015

By Georges Paloque

Born at the same time as the Air Force itself, in the early 1930s, air wings symbolised the evolution of the French air force for decades. It is this history, more than half a century long, that makes up this book devoted to French squadrons of hunting and reconnaissance from 1945 to 2015. The book covers the propeller jet, the Spitfire, and from the Thunderbolt to the Mirage 2000 and the Rafale, via the Hurricane, Mystery and other Mirage III.

AVIATION

November 2017 • 9782840484837 • £47.00 • Hardback
297 x 210mm • 224 pages

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MÉMORIAL DE LA BATAILLE DE FRANCE, VOLUME 3

Du 5 au 16 juin 1940

By Jean-Yves Mary

On 5 June 1940, the Germans launched their second major campaign offensive against a particularly weakened French army. The fighting on the Somme and the Aisne will take a great intensity before the numerical superiority of the Germans force the French troops to withdraw little by little. The fall of the Reynaud government on June 16 in the evening sealed the fate of the French campaign.

WORLD WAR II
BATTLEFIELD GUIDES

January 2018 • 9782840484882 • £94.00 • Hardback
297 x 210mm • 400 pages

TEXT IN FRENCH



MÉMORIAL DE LA BATAILLE DE FRANCE, VOLUME 4

Du 17 au 25 juin 1940

By Jean-Yves Mary

June 17, 1940: while the French Army is in full retreat towards the south-west and the Germans are in pursuit of it, the new head of government Marshal Petain broadcast a speech in which he announces: "We must stop the fight." It is the last eight tragic days of this campaign that this book revives, as well as the lessons to be learned from these final struggles.

WORLD WAR II
BATTLEFIELD GUIDES

May 2018 • 9782840484899 • £94.00 • Hardback
297 x 210mm • 400 pages

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LES MARINES DANS L'ENFER DU PACIFIQUE

By Charles Trang

After the works on the battle of Iwo Jima and the 1st Marine Division, Charles Trang provides an encyclopaedic study of the Marines in the Pacific from 1941 to 1945, where each of their campaigns is treated in detail with numerous testimonies and mostly unpublished photos. Battle orders, command structures and portraits of all the recipients of the Congress Medal of Honor complete the set.

REGIMENTAL

February 2018 • 9782840484905 • £94.00 • Hardback
297 x 210mm • 480 pages

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LA SAGA DES GENS DU LJOSAVATN

By Grégory Cattaneo

This saga is about the feud opposing two neighboring groups in northern Iceland: the people of Ljósavatn ("Ljósvetningar") and the people of Möðruvellir in the Eyjafjörður ("Möðruvellingar"). The conflict between these two groups seems to have begun when a powerful chieftan called Guðmundr Inn ríki Eyjólfsson goes on trial with the sons of the chieftains of Ljósavatn, Þorgeirr Þorkelsson. The book also includes an introduction, notes, lexicon, maps, index and illustrations.

ANCIENT &
MEDIEVAL WARFARE

March 2018 • 9782840484912 • £47.00 • Paperback
240 x 160mm • 200 pages

TEXT IN FRENCH



RUNES

L'alphabetisation durant l'âge du Fer germanique

By Stephen Pollington

Since Lucien Musset's introduction to runology in 1965, very few books have been published on the very rich subject of runes. This new book makes it possible to analyse and understand the various types of research concerning the appearance of the runes in Northern Europe. The author discusses a set of theories and provides a new analysis of runic inscriptions. This book also offers an interesting analysis of the symbolism of the different types of inscriptions, such as "ALU", "LAUKAZ" or "OTA".

MEDIEVAL &
RENAISSANCE

April 2018 • 9782840484929 • £63.00 • Paperback
240 x 160mm • 480 pages

TEXT IN FRENCH



LA NOUVELLE HISTOIRE DES VIKINGS

By Grégory Cattaneo

This new history of the Vikings presents the results of the last three decades of research on the Vikings. With translations of historical sources and explanations of archaeological reports in support, the book takes up the great aspects of the history of the Vikings, dusted from the phantasmagoria that surrounds this theme. New questions concerning the ethnicity of the Vikings, their geographical origin and their social organisation will constitute a basis for the overall reflection of the work.

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MEDIEVAL WARFARE

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297 x 210mm • 224 pages

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LES VIKINGS

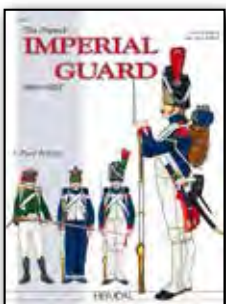
By Damien Bouet

This book, a perfect guide to the age of the Vikings, offers an exhaustive compilation of archaeological and historical data, from medieval Scandinavia between the eighth and eleventh centuries. Indeed, it is during this period that the foundations of Viking society are laid. Far from the romantic phantasmagoria inspired by these warriors, the author approaches different points of Scandinavian society to discover more about the legendary people.

ANCIENT &
MEDIEVAL WARFARE

November 2017 • 9782840484943 • £31.00 • Hardback
297 x 210mm • 80 pages

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THE FRENCH IMPERIAL GUARD, VOLUME 1

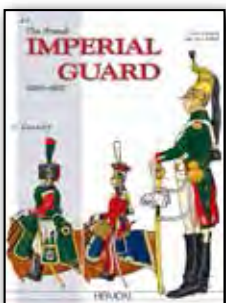
Foot troops

By André Jouineau and Jean-Marie Mongin

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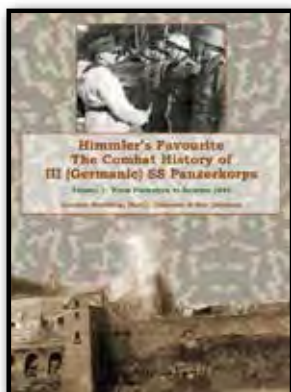
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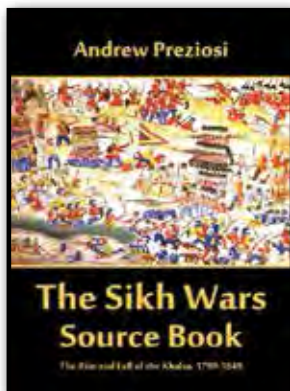
The Combat History of III SS Panzerkorps Volume 1: From Formation to Autumn 1944

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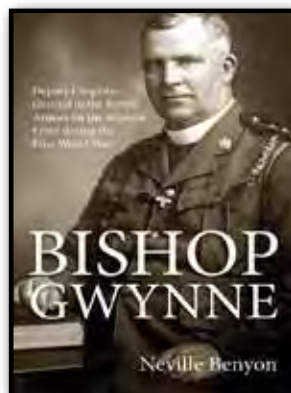
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By Neville Benyon

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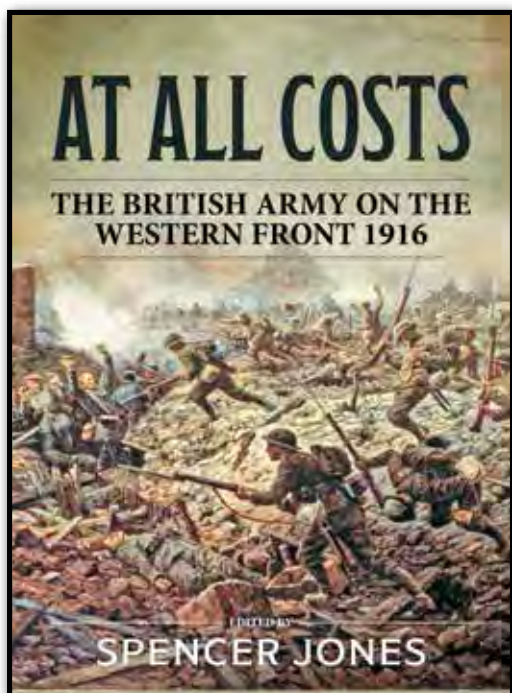
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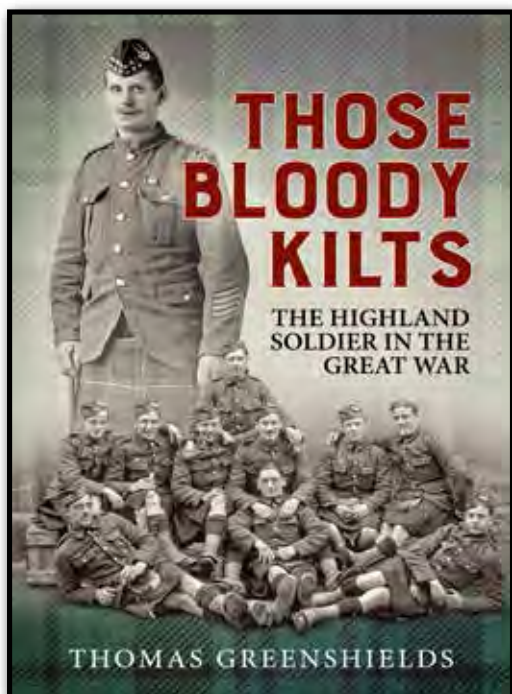
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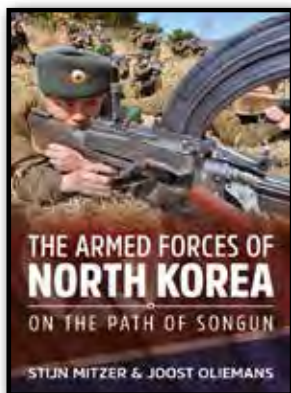
The Battle of Solferino, 1859

By Bruno Dotto

Solferino was the largest battle fought on Italian soil before the First World War, and the culmination of the 1859 campaign in northern Italy. Chiefly remembered today as the catalyst for Henri Dunant establishing the Red Cross, an up-to-date military account of the campaign is badly needed. In this tremendously detailed study the author, a lifelong student of the battle, reassesses the evidence based on an enormous amount of original archival research.

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Reginald Hoare commanded the 4th Queen's Own Hussars from 1905 to 1909 and was a senior brigadier-general at the start of the First World War. Before Gallipoli he wrote to Miss Walker, who was the daughter of a polo friend, and the correspondence continued up to their eventual wedding in October 1918 on his discharge from hospital. *Dear Miss Walker* includes a background to his pre-war soldiering and exchanges with a bumptious young subaltern, WS Churchill, who was in his winning regimental polo team.

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The Anglo-Russian Invasion of Holland 1799
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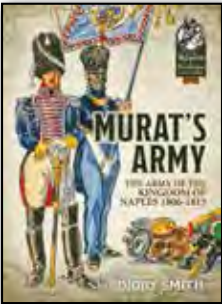
'WE ARE ACCUSTOMED TO DO OUR DUTY'

German Auxiliaries with the British Army 1793–95

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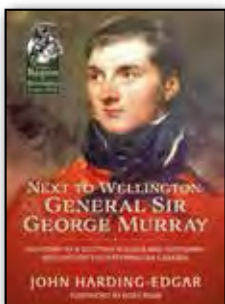
Militiaman and Coldstream Sergeant, 1803–15

By Thomas Jackson, with notes and commentary by Eamonn O’Keeffe

Thomas Jackson’s autobiography provides a colourful account of his experiences as a militiaman, Coldstreamer and Chelsea pensioner. Jackson joined the Staffordshire Militia aged 17 and spent a decade on home service, much of it passed at Windsor Castle and Weymouth guarding King George III. Enhanced with additional research and commentary by historian Eamonn O’Keeffe, this new edition makes Jackson’s lively and invaluable testimony publicly available for the first time in 170 years.

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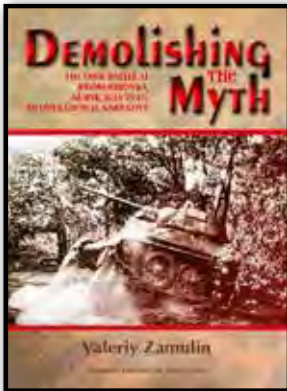
By Norbert Számvéber

Days of Battle describes a hitherto neglected part of the military history of Hungary during World War II. Dr Norbert Számvéber presents detailed accounts of four important clashes of German-Hungarian and Soviet armour north of the river Danube, in the southern territory of the historical Upper Hungary (now part of Slovakia). This is a very important new study that throws much-needed light on armoured warfare on the Eastern Front during the final months of the war.

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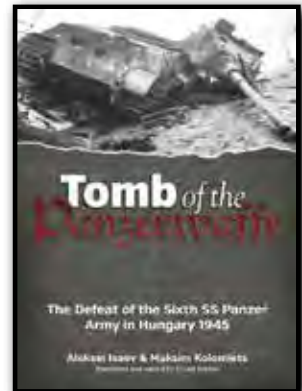
**TOMB OF THE PANZERWAFFE**

The Defeat of the Sixth SS Panzer Army in Hungary 1945

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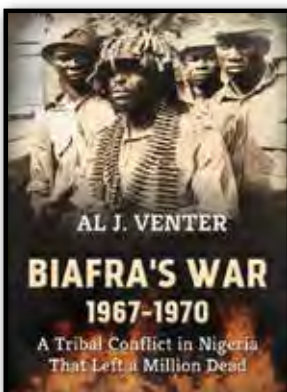
In March 1945 the German Wehrmacht undertook its final attempt to change the course of the war by launching a counteroffensive in the area of Lake Balaton, Hungary. Here, the best panzer forces of the Third Reich and the elite of the Panzerwaffe were assembled, including up to 900 tanks and self-propelled guns. In this book, penned by two leading Russian military historians, this major defeat suffered by the Wehrmacht has been described and analyzed for the first time using data from both Soviet and German archives. This edition is illustrated with over 100 rare photographs.



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20TH CENTURY HISTORY

BIAFRA'S WAR 1967-1970

A Tribal Conflict in Nigeria That Left a Million Dead

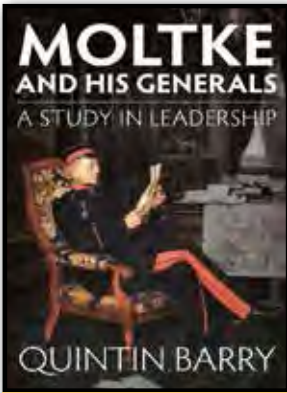
By *Al J. Venter*

Almost half a century has passed since the Nigerian Civil War ended, but memories die hard. Biafra's war was modern Africa's first extended conflict and lasted almost three years.

A million or more people perished in this conflict, the majority women and children who were starved to death. For that reason alone, this book is an important contribution towards understanding Nigeria's ethnic divisions, which are no better today than they were then. Biafra was the first of a series of religious wars that threaten to engulf much of Africa. Similar conflicts have recently taken place in the Ivory Coast, Kenya, Southern Sudan, the Central African Republic, Senegal (Cassamance), both Congo Republics and elsewhere.

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MOLTKE AND HIS GENERALS

A Study in Leadership

By Quintin Barry

When Helmuth von Moltke took over as Chief of the Prussian General Staff, the Prussian army had not fought for more than forty years. Yet within a decade and a half he had brought it to the point where it was the strongest in Europe.

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This is the riveting true story of Paul Martelli, a fifteen-year-old German-Italian, who fought in Pomerania, on the Eastern Front.

This is the riveting true story of Paul Martelli, a fifteen-year-old German-Italian, who fought in Pomerania, on the Eastern Front, in 1945 as a member of the 33. Waffen-Grenadier-Division der SS "Charlemagne" and, later, as a soldier with French forces during three years (1951–1954) in the Tonkin area, Vietnam. This is a unique memoir, packed with incident and recounting the story of one individual caught up in a series of life-changing events.



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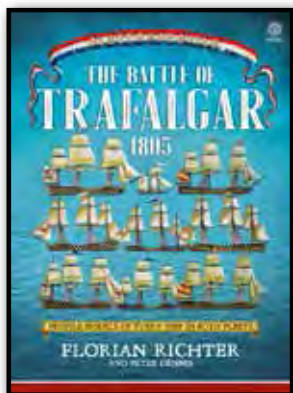
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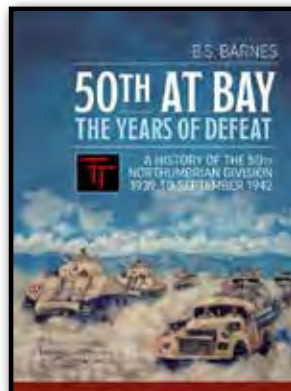
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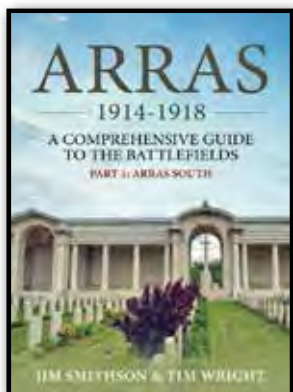
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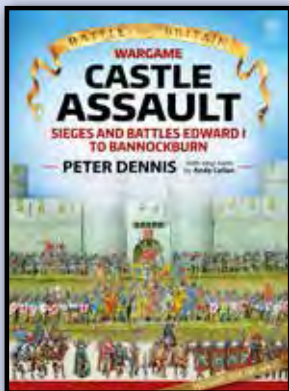
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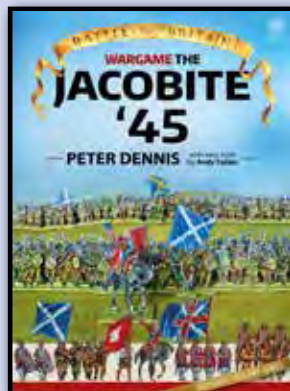
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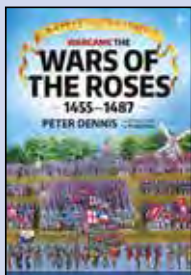
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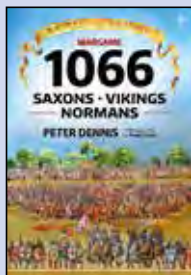
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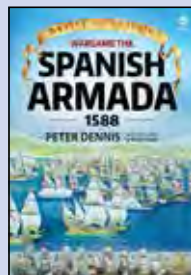
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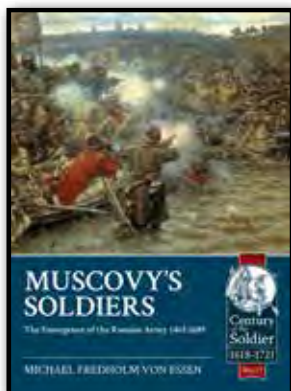
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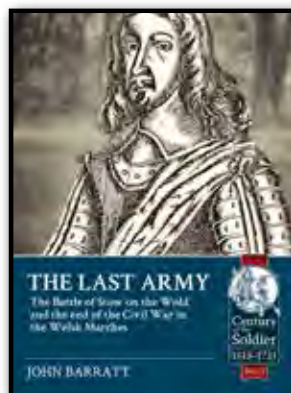
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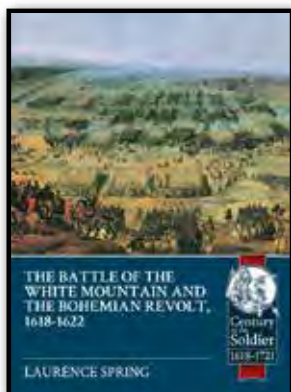
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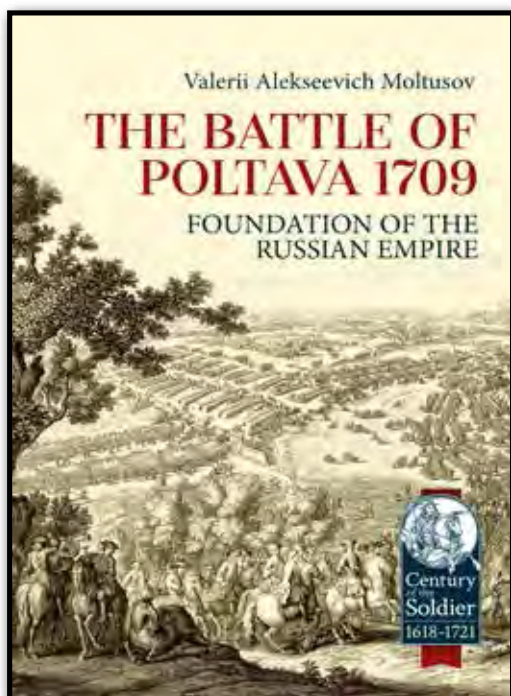
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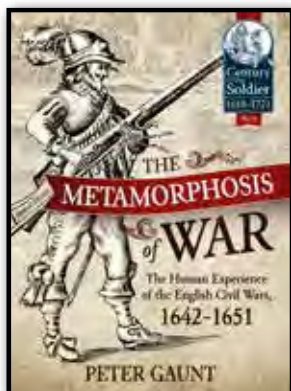
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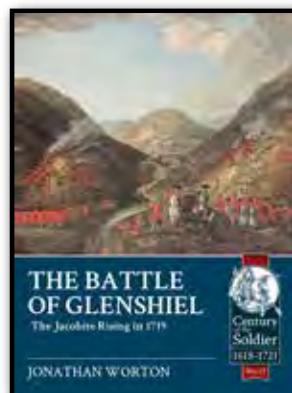
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The Jacobite Rising in 1719

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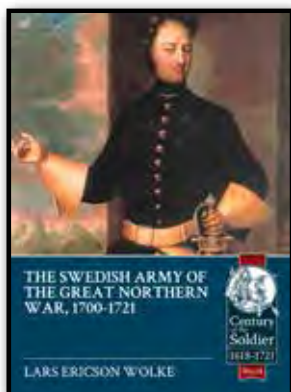
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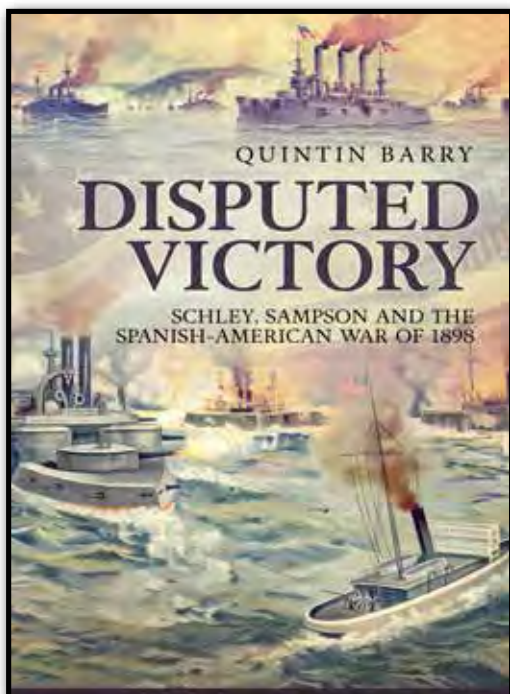
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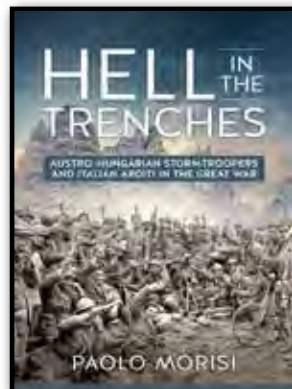
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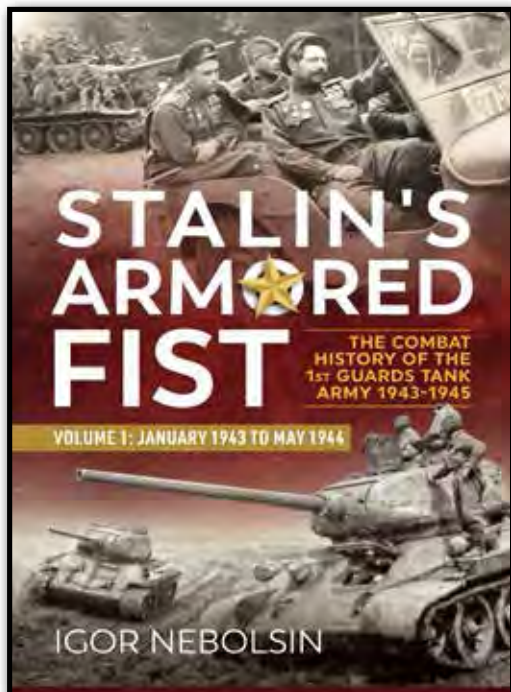
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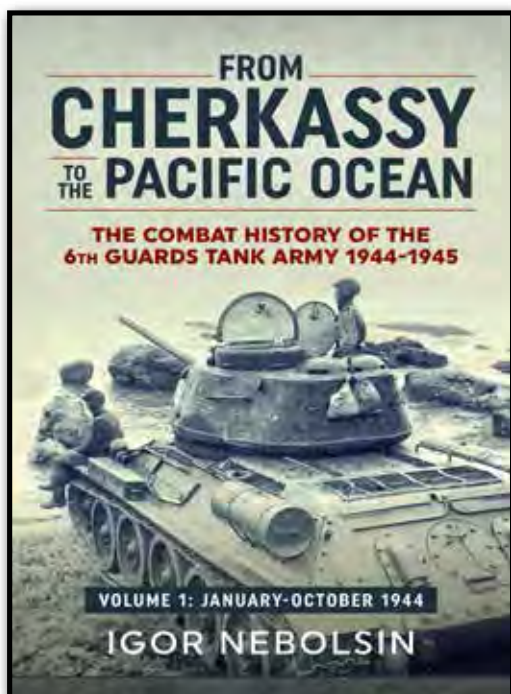
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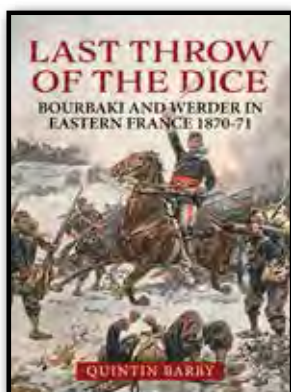
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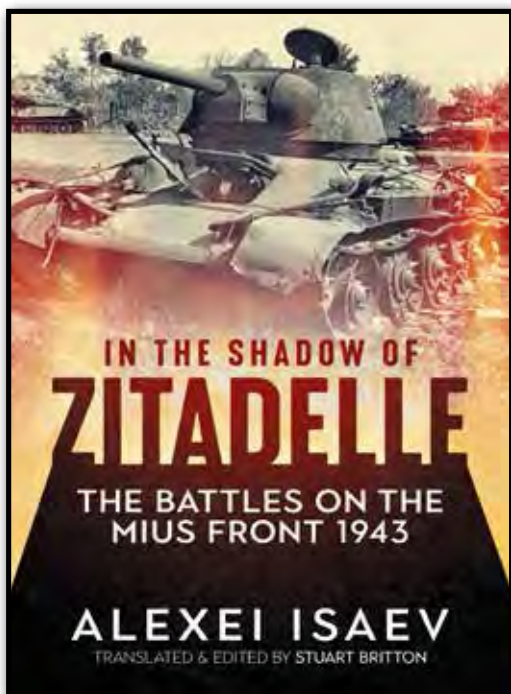
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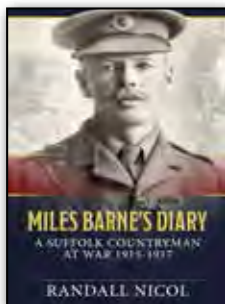
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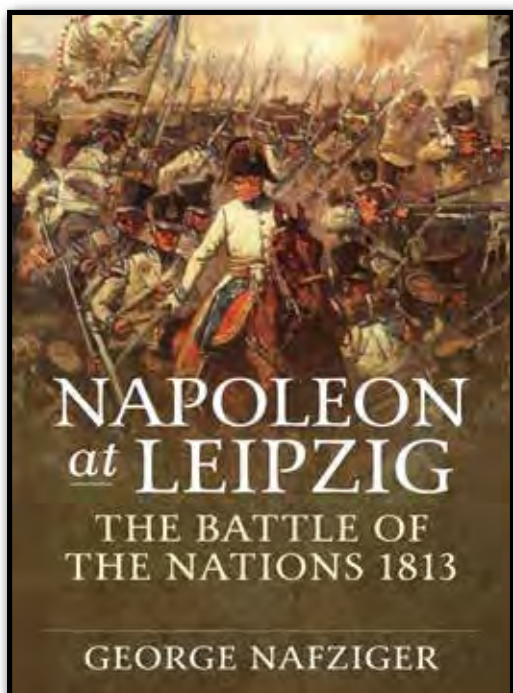
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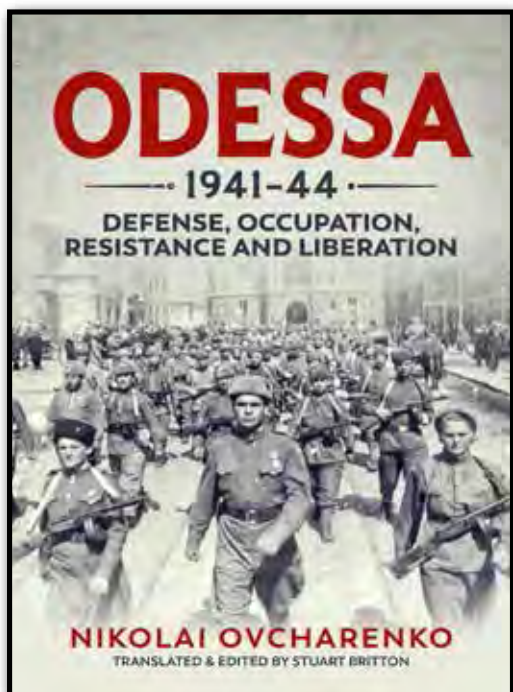
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WORLD WAR II

ODESSA 1941-44

Defense, Occupation, Resistance and Liberation

By Nikolai Ovcharenko and Edited by Stuart Britton

After a brief overview of the origins and development of the city of Odessa on the Black Sea Coast, author Nikolai Ovcharenko turns to its citizens' ordeal during the Second World War.

Ovcharenko describes the heroism of the city's defenders and residents in the summer of 1941 on the land, sea and in the sky, when defending against insistent Romanian attacks. When the city finally fell, there ensued more than two years of occupation and underground resistance. Finally, in the spring of 1944, Odessa was liberated by forces of the advancing Third Ukrainian Front. Ovcharenko describes this offensive against forces of the resurrected German Sixth Army.

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PANZERS IN THE DEFENCE OF FESTUNG POSEN 1945

By *Maciej Karalus and Jarosław Jerzak*

The first book published in English to describe the bitter battle for Festung Poznań in 1945.

That Polish city, occupied by the Nazis since almost the very beginning of the Second World War in 1939, was declared a fortress (Festung) on January 20 1945, and for the whole month it saw heavy fighting between Wehrmacht and Waffen SS troops. Among the garrison of the fortress a special part was played by a small heavy Panzer unit which possessed just 1 Tiger tank, 2 Panthers, 1 Panzer IV and a handful of Sturmgeschütze. This is the first book in English that allows the reader to follow the street fighting in Poznań through the eyes of the Wehrmacht soldiers, documenting the story of the German armoured forces engaged in the battles for the city.

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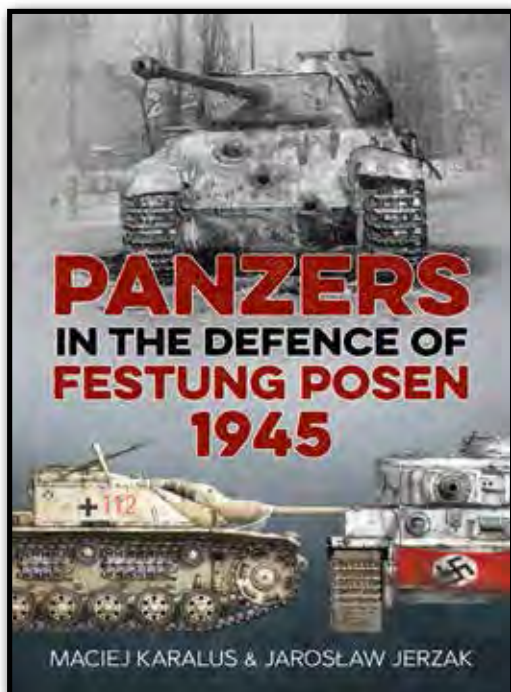
Logistics and the British Expeditionary Force on the Western Front 1914–1918

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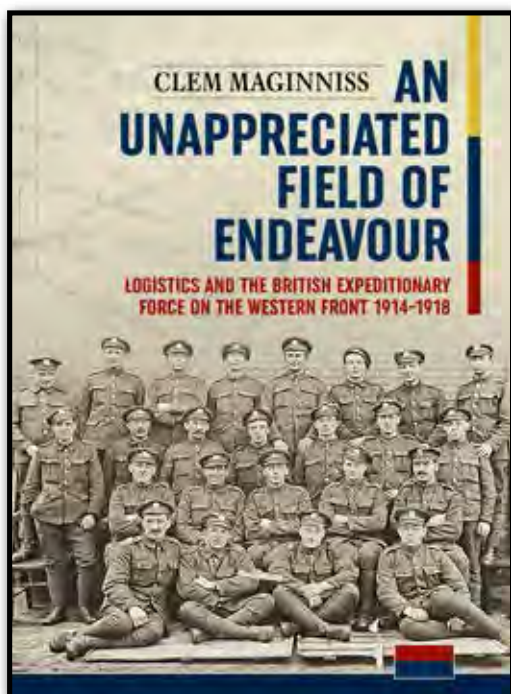
A penetrating and refreshing analysis of the contribution of military and commercial logistics to the operations of the BEF on the Western Front.

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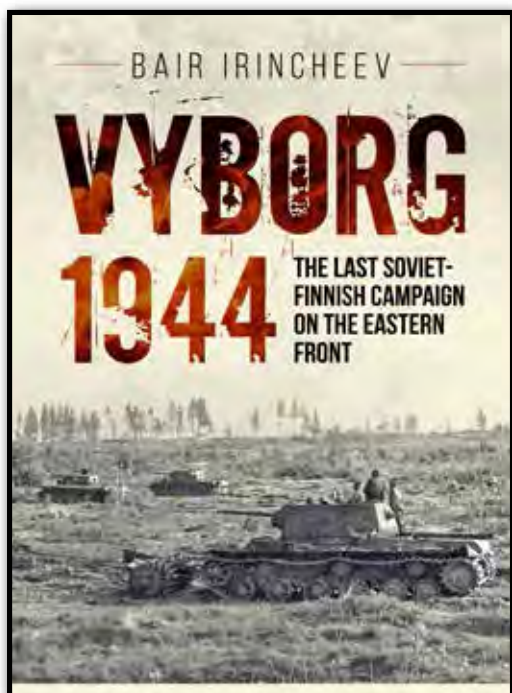
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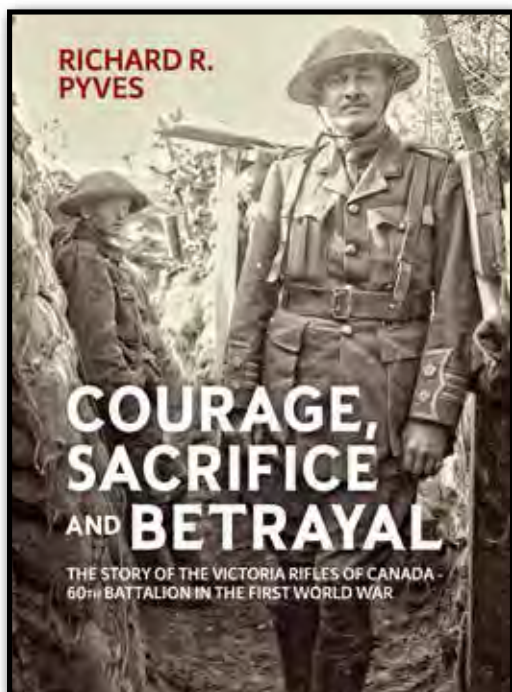
The Last Soviet-Finnish Campaign on the Eastern Front

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The first extensive English-language description of the Vyborg Offensive undertaken in summer 1944 by the Leningrad Front against Finland.

The war between the Soviet Union and Finland in 1941-44 is much less known in the West and in Russia than the Winter War 1939-40. For Finland the Continuation War is one of the cornerstones of national identity. The Vyborg offensive, the battle that ended this war, is described very differently in Russian and Finnish literature. This book attempts to provide an extensive description of the build-up and course of the battle as well as the diplomatic games that lay behind it. The book includes photos and maps of the operations.

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The Story of the Victoria Rifles of Canada – 60th Battalion in the First World War

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20TH CENTURY
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CHILE 1973, THE OTHER 9/11

The Downfall of Salvador Allende

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Colombian and Peruvian air operations during the 1932–1933 conflict

By Amaru Tinco and Santiago Rivas

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Mexican Military Aviation in the Second World War 1941–1945

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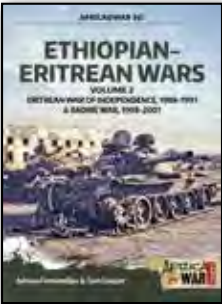
ETHIOPIAN-ERITREAN WARS, VOLUME 1

Eritrean War of Independence, 1961–1988

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Ethiopia, a country of ancient origins in eastern Africa, remains a military powerhouse of that continent. Nowadays involved in the war in neighbouring Somalia, Ethiopia was also involved in half a dozen other armed conflicts over the last 60 years. This volume provides a detailed account of the Eritrean Wars of Independence, from the outbreak of armed insurgency in 1961 until the crucial battle of Afabet, in 1988.

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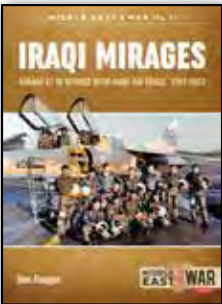
ETHIOPIAN-ERITREAN WARS, VOLUME 2

Eritrean War of Independence, 1988–1991 & Badme War, 1998–2001

By Adrien Fontanellaz and Tom Cooper

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Mirage F.1 in Service with Iraqi Air Force, 1981–2003

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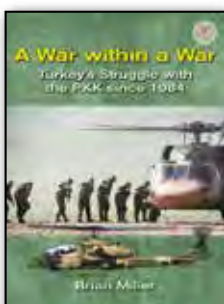
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Russian Military Intervention in Syria, 2015–2017

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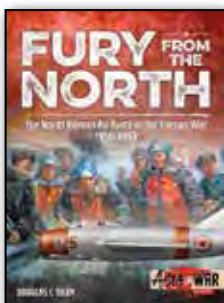
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Rising from the remains of the Ottoman Empire in 1923, Turkey inherited many ethnic and sociological problems from its predecessor. Of these the Kurdish question has been the most challenging one to the state itself. The young republic survived many revolts in its predominantly Kurdish-inhabited southeastern regions, but the PKK (Partiya Karkeren Kurdistan: Kurdistan Workers Party) has been the most crucial threat to the integrity of the country.

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North Korean Air Force in the Korean War, 1950–1953

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On Sunday 12th July 1691, two armies met in battle around the Galway village of Aughrim. To fight at all was a gamble by both commanders – St.Ruth commanding the forces loyal to King James II had run out of room to manoeuvre and had to fight and win if the Stuart cause were not to be extinguished. By the end of the day's fighting, and in perhaps Ireland's bloodiest battle, St.Ruth lay dead on the field and his army was in retreat to the ports of Galway and Limerick.

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17TH CENTURY HISTORY

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Memoirs of the Western Front

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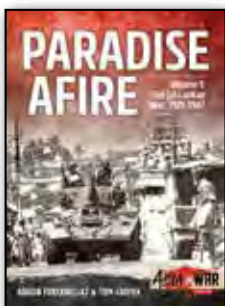
By Brian Bond

This book describes the author's role in pioneering a virtually new academic subject – military history/war studies.

This is the personal account of how a boy from a poor background became a university teacher and eventually a professor and what that involved, especially teaching international classes at MA level and supervising PhD candidates. The special interest, beyond the personal, is the author's involvement in the development of a new (and now very popular) field of study – military history/war studies.

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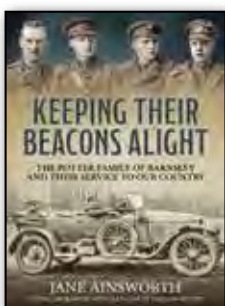
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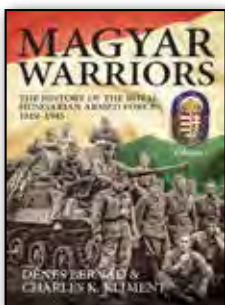
KEEPING THEIR BEACONS ALIGHT

The Potter Family of Barnsley and their Service to Our Country

By Jane Ainsworth, in collaboration with Jean Copley and Ian Potter

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Volume 1: January 1943-June 1944

By Igor Nebolsin and Stuart Britton

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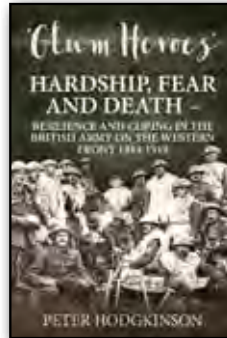
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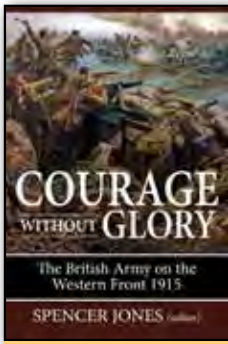
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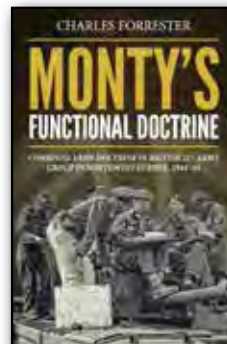
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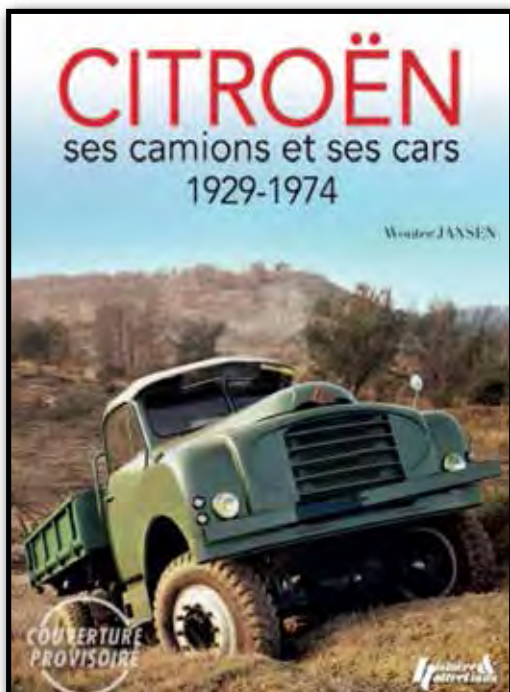
By Wouter Jansen

The development of Citroën as a producer of heavy-goods vehicles from 1929 to 1974.

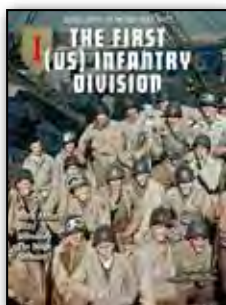
In 1919, André Citroën launches his first car totalling 10 horsepower. It would be another ten years before he produced anything which could be described as a “heavy goods vehicle” with the C6. Citroën would soon forge itself a reputation of robustness. This work is about the creation of the brand with the double chevron pattern, from its relatively modest debuts up to the latest models of the sixties constructed in collaboration with Berliet. Thanks to its rich range of pictures (600 mostly unedited shots and illustrations), this book recreates the atmosphere of France at that time. The writer will also uncover the prototypes and Citroën projects that were never brought to life.

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**THE FIRST (US) INFANTRY DIVISION**

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By Marek Katarzyński

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By Oleksandr Boiko

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DORNIER DO 22

By Djordje Nikolic

Developed by one of the most famous German airplane manufacturing companies at the request from the Kingdom of Yugoslavia, the Dornier Do 22 was never adopted by the Luftwaffe and was condemned to obscurity as one of the peripheral airplane types. With only 29 manufactured in total, it was not a major success for Dornier-Werke. It's distinct service with the air forces of the Kingdom of Yugoslavia, Kingdom of Greece and Finland was to date only covered superficially. This volume sheds light on the entire history, development, use by the three countries and the subsequent fate of the Dornier Do 22.

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HENSCHEL HS 126

By Srecko Bradic

Henschel Hs 126 was a two-seater all-metal hinged monoplane with fixed landing gear. The first prototype had its flight-test in August 1936. The first combat employment of several Hs 126's took place in Spain, where they were used as tactical reconnaissance within Aufklarungsgruppe 35. At the beginning of World War II the Hs 126's were the backbone of reconnaissance units of the Luftwaffe. Today not much parts of the Hs 126 is preserved and most of them were lost over the Soviet Union.

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By Witold Koszela

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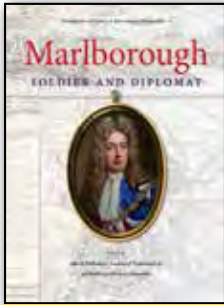
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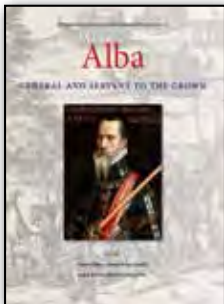
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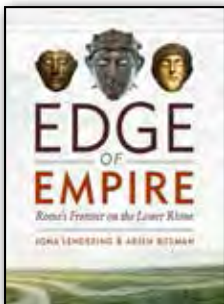
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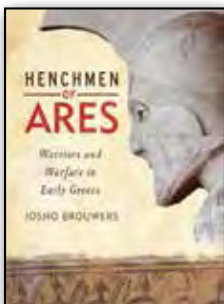
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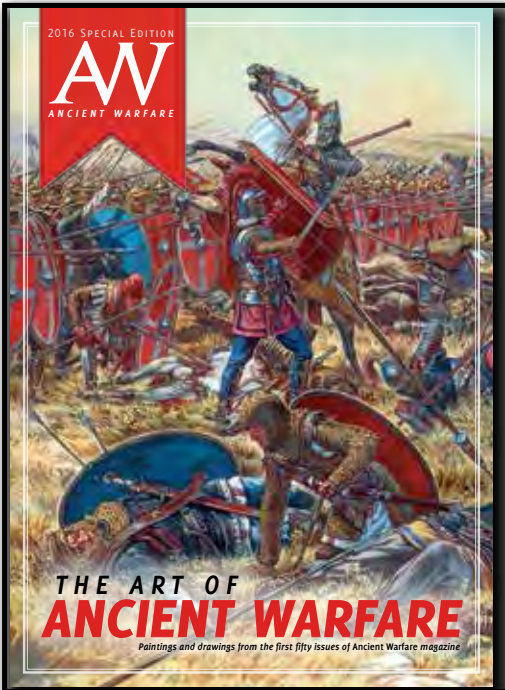
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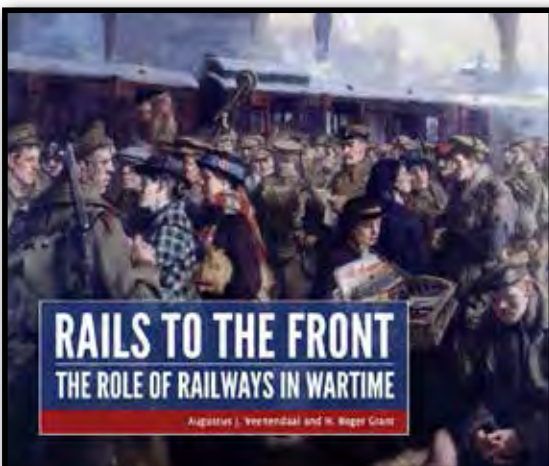
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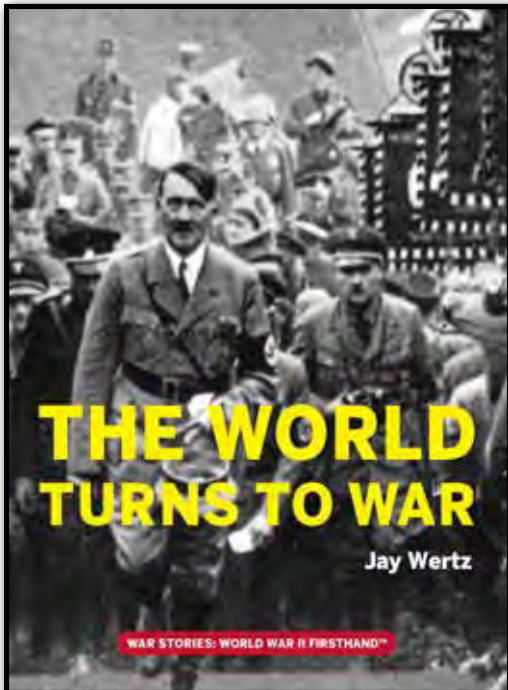
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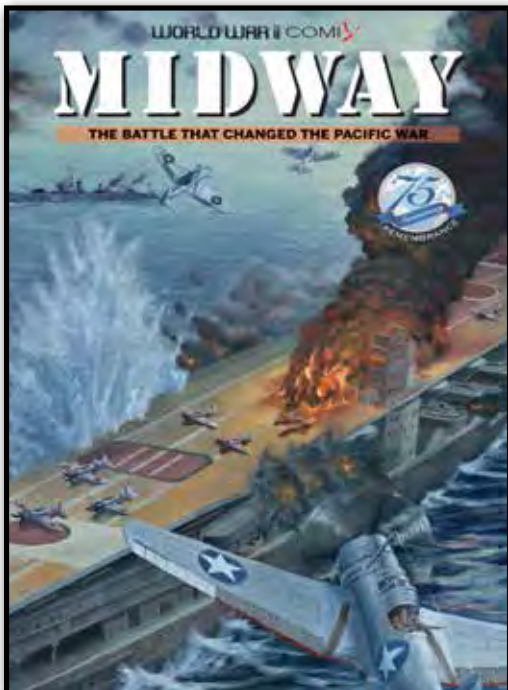
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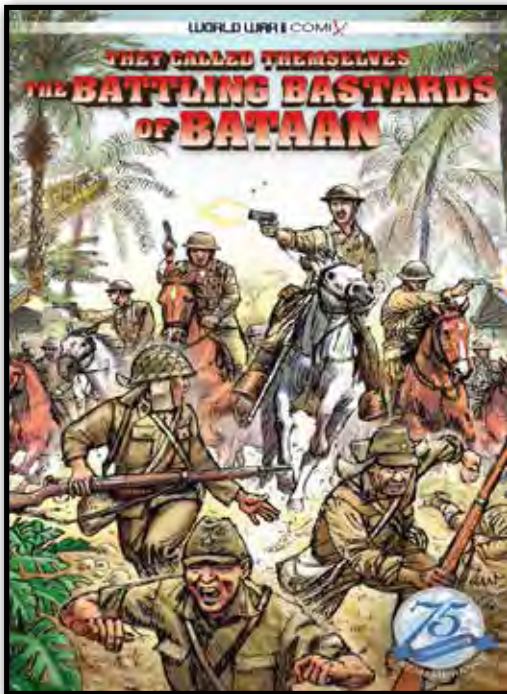
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Visually portrays the story of the pivotal battle of Midway and how it turned the tide in the Pacific War.

After the attack on Pearl Harbor the U. S. Pacific Fleet was bent but not broken. The fact that the fleet's aircraft carriers were away from base at the time of the attack helped the navy under new commander Admiral Chester Nimitz react to further Japanese expansion in the Pacific. Soon after in June 1942, the success of American codebreakers allowed the United States fleet to be ready for the Japanese at Midway. All the preparations, actions, personalities and results of the Battle of Midway are chronicled in graphic story form in *Midway - The Battle That Changed the Pacific War*.

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THEY CALLED THEMSELVES THE BATTLING BASTARDS OF BATAAN

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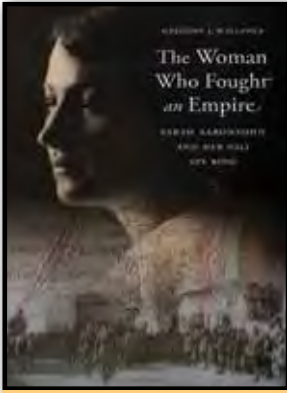
PEARL HARBOR AND THE DAY OF INFAMY

By Jay Wertz

Illustrates the attacks on U.S. ships, planes and military bases in Hawaii, the Philippines and Pacific islands – and America's response to them.

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THE WOMAN WHO FOUGHT AN EMPIRE

Sarah Aaronsohn and Her Nili Spy Ring

By Gregory J. Wallance

The incredible story of a remarkable woman who would become known as the Jewish Joan of Arc and the “hero of Nili.”

Drawing on archival records as well as memoirs, diaries, and letters, this book tells the improbable odyssey of Sarah Aaronsohn – the daughter of Romanian-born Jewish settlers in Palestine – and her journey from unhappy housewife to daring leader of a notorious Middle East spy ring. Believing that only liberation from the Ottoman Empire could advance Jewish settlement in Palestine, she and her spies furnished vital information to British Intelligence in Cairo about Turkish military forces and fortifications. In the fall of 1917 she was arrested by the Turks and to protect her secrets shot herself.

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CASHING IN ON CYBERPOWER

How Interdependent Actors Seek Economic Outcomes in a Digital World

By Mark Peters

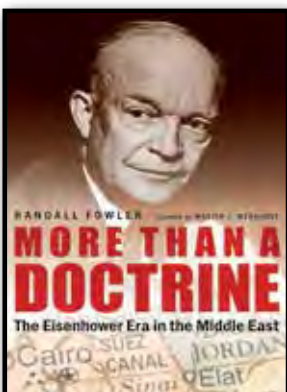
Peters analyses 198 cyber events and 3 case studies, discussing their area of effect, targeting intent, method, and attribution to uncover cyber strategy.

Over recent centuries, nations struggling for increased power over their neighbours sought mainly symmetric advantages, using military force, coercion, and domination. However, as the world becomes increasingly digitally interconnected, military leaders are ditching such symmetric power plays in favour of cyber strategies. Mark Peters explains the complex narrative of asymmetric cyberpower as it is used in national politics around the world.



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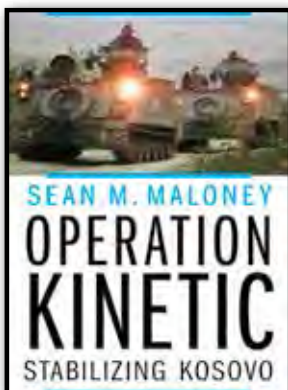
The Eisenhower Era in the Middle East

By Randall Fowler

By analysing the presidential foreign policy rhetoric of Dwight D. Eisenhower surrounding the Middle East, author Randall Fowler makes a timely argument about the dramatic consequences for future presidential rhetoric on the region.

This book provides a solid base for future scholarship concerning presidential discourse on the Middle East and offers the first comprehensive rhetorical analysis of Eisenhower’s presidential rhetoric regarding the Middle East. It is relevant to understanding present presidential rhetoric about the Middle East and the subject matter and writing style will pique the interest of both general and scholarly readers.

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OPERATION KINETIC

Stabilizing Kosovo

By Sean M. Maloney

In the 1990s, Russia's involvement in Kosovo escalated an already heated political situation which led to NATO's Kosovo Force (KFOR), to help establish a stable environment that would keep foreign threats at bay.

Foreword by Sir Mike Jackson, KFOR commander and later Chief of the General Staff in the UK. A detailed history of an overlooked and largely forgotten, yet highly successful, operation in the Balkans during the 1990s Yugoslav conflict. Includes interviews from key players of Operation KINETIC as well as a firsthand account from the author's own observations through his deployment.

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THE WAR AGAINST THE VETS

The World War I Bonus Army during the Great Depression

By Jerome Tuccille

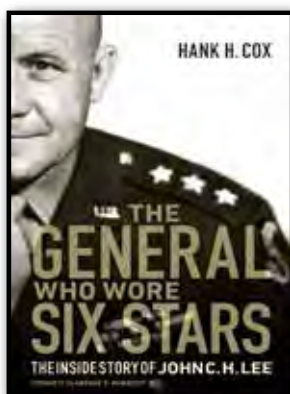
Tells the true story of the Bonus Army and the political battles waged against them.

War Against the Vets will be the first book on the topic of the Bonus Army to describe in detail the political battles that threatened to tear the US apart during the Great Depression. The time of publication in 2018 coincides with the 100th anniversary of the signing of the Armistice, officially ending World War I. The book is particularly relevant today with the United States in a permanent state of war and veterans returning from Iraq, Afghanistan, and other parts of the Middle East following their service to their country.



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THE GENERAL WHO WORE SIX STARS

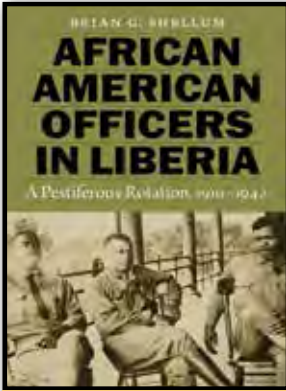
The Inside Story of John C. H. Lee

By Hank H. Cox

A long-overdue biography of a brilliant, if eccentric, senior World War II commander who was unfairly criticised by fellow officers and who has been ill-treated by military historians.

Using Lee's unpublished memoir, Cox provides a unique and lost perspective on the WWII commander that sheds light on his oft criticised decisions and lifestyle. A vivid portrait of one of WWII's most criticized, yet legendary, military leaders, Cox offers a fascinating retelling of the critical logistics behind the ETO's supply service during WWII. Blending firsthand accounts of Lee and historical documentation on the SOS during WWII, Cox presents a Lt. Gen. John C. H. Lee few have seen—a tactical genius, an eccentric disciplinarian, and a man grounded in tradition and love for country.

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AFRICAN AMERICAN OFFICERS IN LIBERIA

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By *Brian G. Shellum*

The story of seventeen African American officers who trained, reorganized, and commanded the Liberian Frontier Force to defend Liberia between 1910 and 1942.

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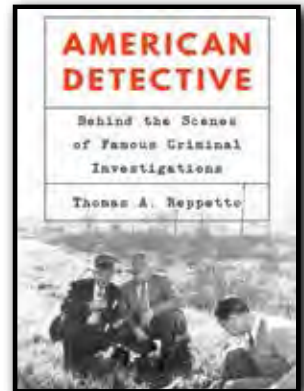
AMERICAN DETECTIVE

Behind the Scenes of Famous Criminal Investigations

By *Thomas A. Reppetto*

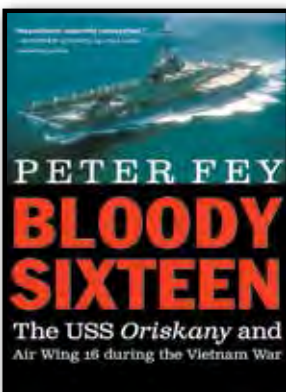
Reppetto proposes a return of the detective as the primary force of the police department and a change in police policy, calling for “community policing.”

This book offers a behind-the-scenes look at famous crimes of the 20th Century, including the Lindbergh kidnapping in New Jersey, the Brinks robbery in Boston, the murder of the Black Dahlia in L.A., and the Kennedy assassination. Reppetto profiles famous sleuths such as private detective chiefs Allan Pinkerton and William Burns, top commanders like Thad Brown of L.A., public safety director Elliott Ness of Cleveland, and America’s “top cop” J. Edgar Hoover of the FBI, and concludes with how policing could be improved today.



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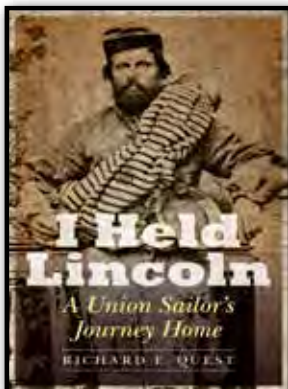
The USS *Oriskany* and Air Wing 16 during the Vietnam War

By *Peter Fey*

Explores how the disconnect between failed military strategy and the reality the crew of CVW-16 faced during Operation *Rolling Thunder*, resulting in the highest loss rate of any carrier air wing during Vietnam.

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CIVIL WAR

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A Union Sailor's Journey Home

By Richard E. Quest

The story of Lt. Benjamin Loring, who escaped from a Confederate prison camp to regain his freedom, and after returning home, witnessed the assassination of President Lincoln at Ford's Theater.

The untold story of Lt. Benjamin Loring's capture and escape from a Confederate prison camp. Using information from Lt. Loring's recently discovered private journal, it provides detail into a little known Confederate prison camp (Camp Groce) during the last days of the Civil War, as well as a few details about the events at Ford's Theater. Lt. Loring was one of the few men who carried a dying President Lincoln across the street to the Peterson House after the president's assassination.

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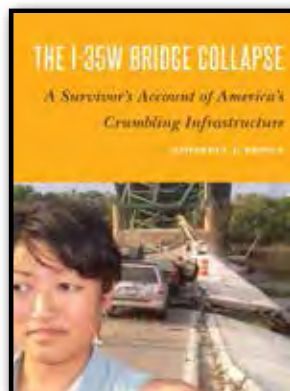
THE I-35W BRIDGE COLLAPSE

A Survivor's Account of America's Crumbling Infrastructure

By Kimberly J. Brown

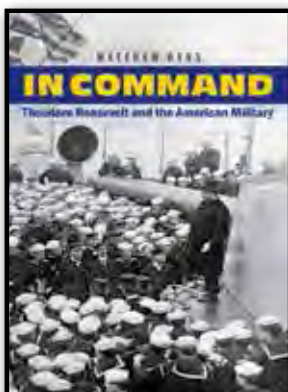
Kimberly J. Brown combines memoir and exposé to provide a full account of the collapse on August 1, 2007, and its aftermath.

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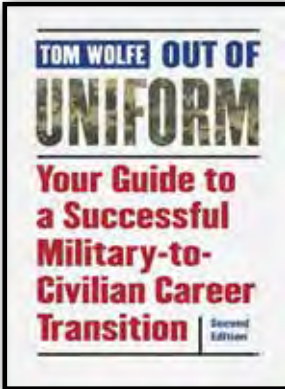
Theodore Roosevelt and the American Military

By Matthew M. Oyos

Explores Theodore Roosevelt's efforts to modernise the American Military before, during, and after his presidency.

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Your Guide to a Successful Military-to-Civilian Career Transition

By Thomas Wolfe

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An insightful, entertaining, and user-friendly guide to career transition, job hunting and interviewing for current and former military personnel. It covers the basics—search techniques, networking, social media, interview preparation, resumes, and negotiation and is designed to help all transitioning military personnel, regardless of service, branch or rank. Tom Wolfe has provided guidance to transitioning military personnel for almost 30 years and is a recognised expert in the field of career transition. This updated edition includes a chapter on social media.

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RAISING THE FLAG

America's First Envoys in Faraway Lands

By Peter Eicher

From China to Chile, Tripoli to Tahiti, Mexico to Muscat, Peter Eicher chronicles the experiences of the first American envoys responsible for officially establishing foreign relations and promoting America as a world power.

The book touches on themes that still resonate in American foreign policy, such as trade deficits with China, Americans at war in the Middle East, and U.S. intervention in Latin America. It draws on first-hand accounts, such as letters, diaries, and memoirs, many of which are previously unpublished or long out of print and focuses specifically on the formative years of American foreign diplomacy between the American Revolution and the Civil War.



AMERICAN HISTORY

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AMERICAN HISTORY

THE THIRD DEGREE

The Triple Murder That Shook Washington and Changed American Criminal Justice

By Scott D. Seligman

A mysterious and brutal January triple murder in the diplomatic quarter of Washington DC transfixes the capital city, and causes international intrigue among Chinese and Westerners alike.

The third degree interrogation tactics discussed at length by Seligman remain a controversial issue and hot button topic. This is a fast-paced thriller that not only functions as an entertaining—and chilling—whodunnit, but also an informative and useful description and analysis of a landmark legal case that changed the course of American legal history.

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THE FLEET AT FLOOD TIDE

America at Total War in the Pacific, 1944–1945

By James Hornfischer

One of the most consequential campaigns of the Pacific War was the U.S. Fifth Fleet's seizure of the Marianas.

The seizure of the Marianas was a relentless deployment of overwhelming force on air, land, and sea that opened the path to total victory over Japan and established a new state of the art in warfare with the first use of the forerunners of today's SEALs. From the epic seaborne invasion of Saipan, to the stunning aerial battles of the Marianas Turkey Shoot, to the grinding combat ashore and the devastating bombing campaign that culminated with Hiroshima and Nagasaki, the Marianas were the fulcrum of the Pacific, a kaleidoscope of valour, drama, and tragedy.

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THE FLYING TIGERS

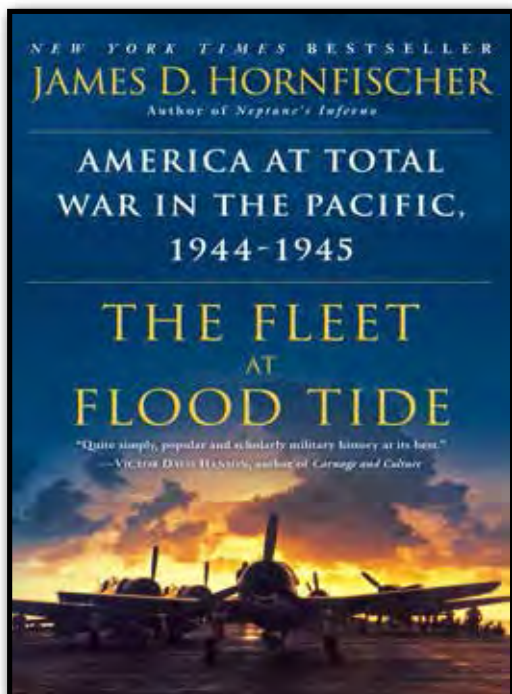
The Untold Story of the American Pilots Who Waged a Secret War Against Japan

By Samuel Kleiner

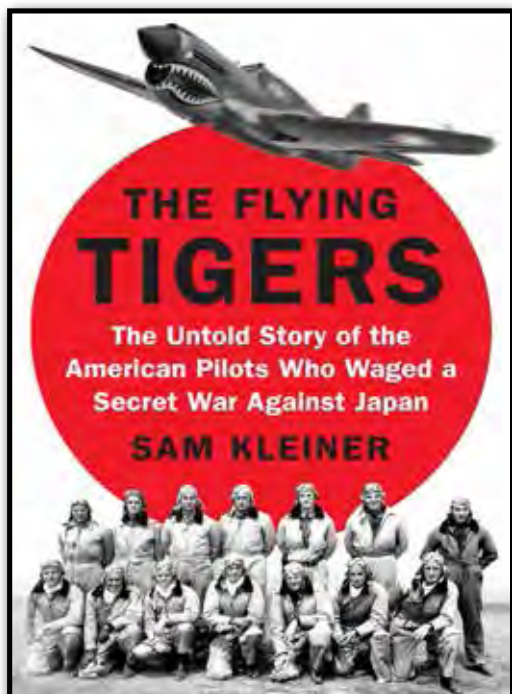
The thrilling story behind the American pilots who were secretly recruited to defend the nation's desperate Chinese allies before Pearl Harbor and ended up on the front lines of the war against the Japanese in the Pacific.

Tells the story of a group of young American men and women who crossed the Pacific before Pearl Harbor to risk their lives defending the embattled forces of Chiang Kai-Shek's China. These 300 individuals were effectively paid mercenaries, secretly recruited by a mysterious shell company that the federal government had created to circumvent its official stance of non-intervention in the war. This book takes readers into the cockpits of their iconic shark-nosed planes as the Tigers perform nail-biting missions against the Japanese, destroying some 297 enemy aircraft in Burma, Thailand, and China.

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DEFENCE STUDIES

COCCARDE TRICOLORI 2017*Edited by Niccoli Riccardo*

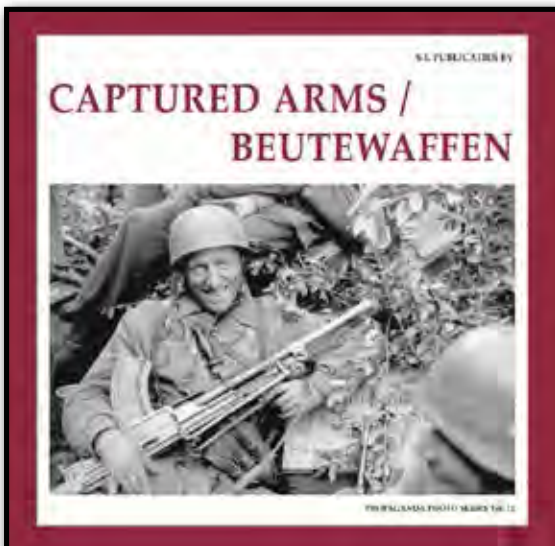
A complete guide to the activities, weaponry and detail of the Italian Armed Forces.

Coccarde Tricolori 2017 is formed of 320 pages, all in colour, which include a list of the most important facts, photos and news items of the year in the Italian Armed Forces. Also includes 23 in-depth illustrated articles on topical subjects, and current affairs surrounding the military. This edition also has a fact sheet on the Italian Ministry of Defence and a complete guide to all the Armed Forces and State Corps, with organizations, order of battle, data on personnel and balance, along with a separate fact sheet on all air, sea and land machines. This book is perfect for someone wanting an inside look into the state of the Italian Armed Forces, and has an English summary inside too.

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CAPTURED ARMS/ BEUTEWAFFEN*By Guus de Vries*

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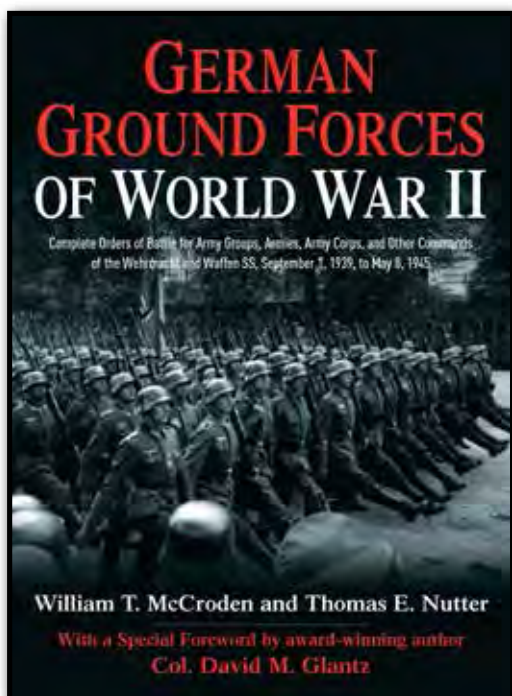
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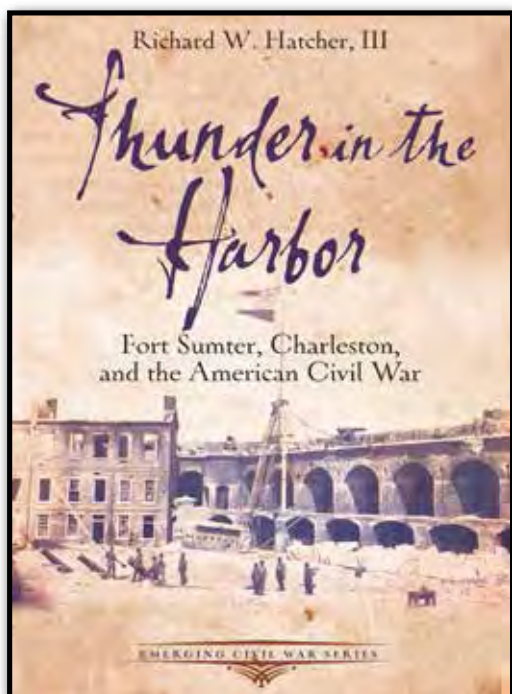
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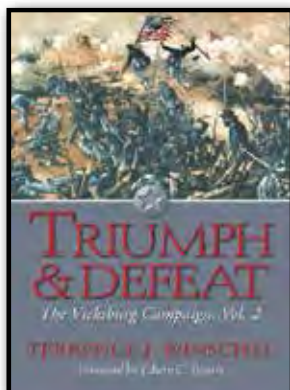


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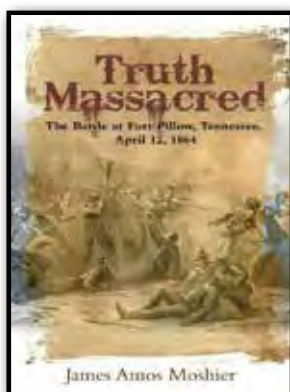
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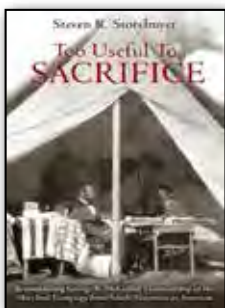
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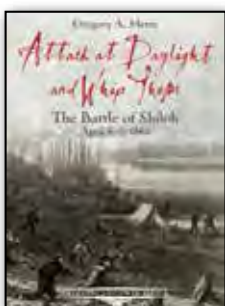
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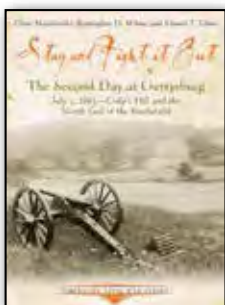
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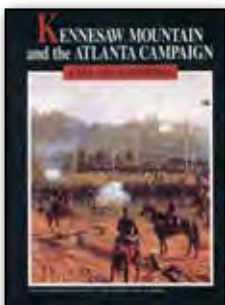
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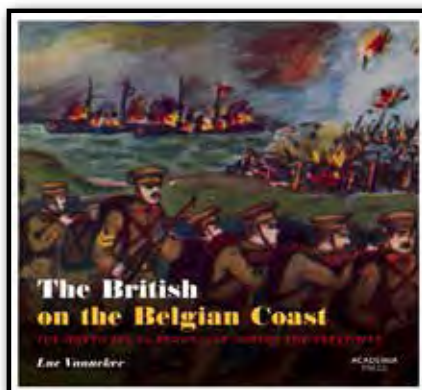
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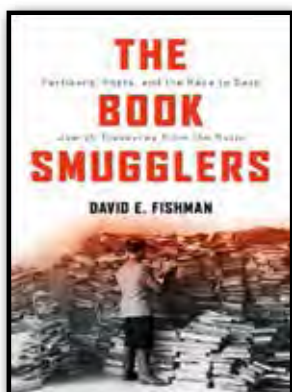
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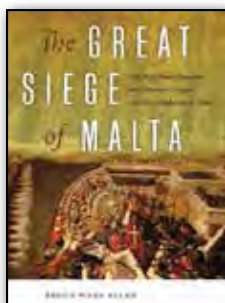
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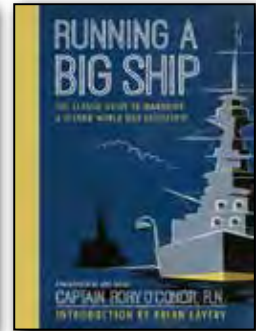
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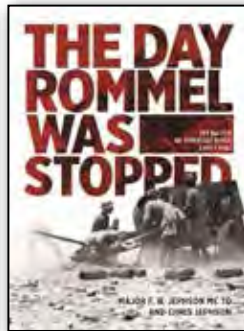
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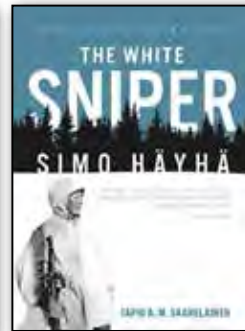
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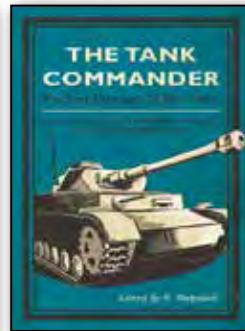
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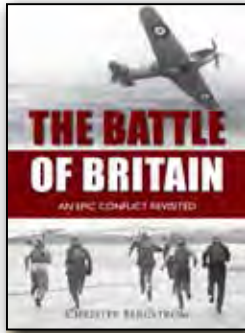
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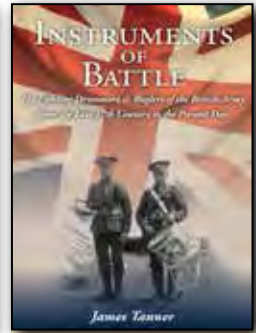
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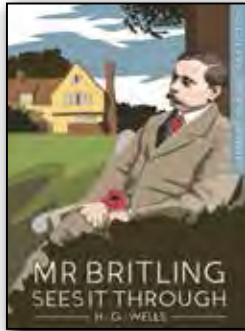
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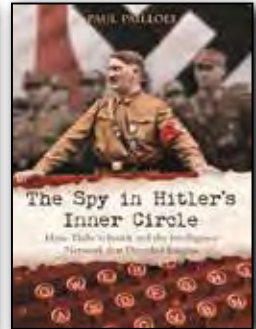
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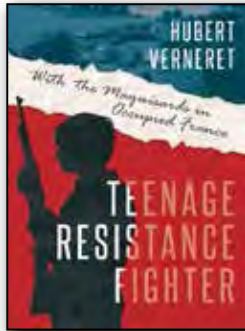
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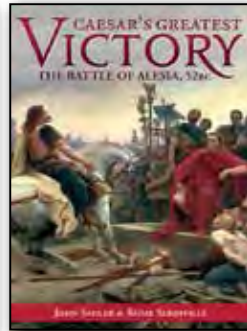
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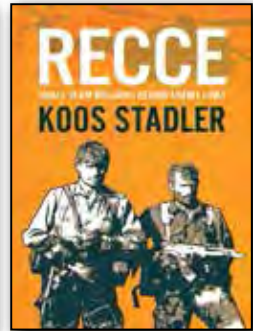
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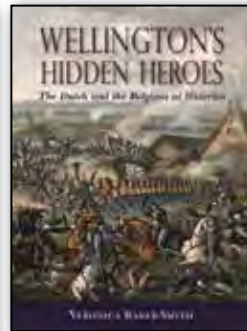
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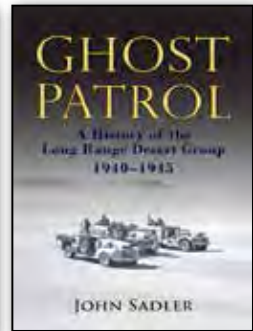
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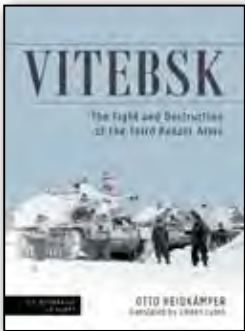
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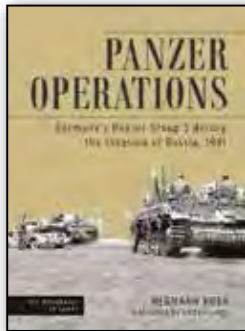
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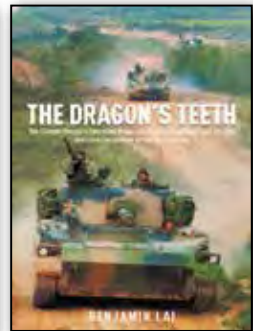
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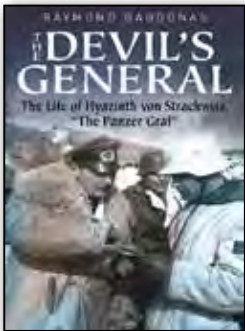
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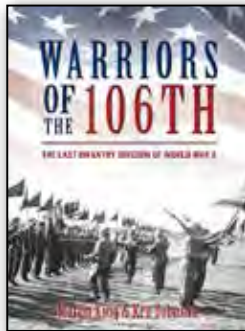
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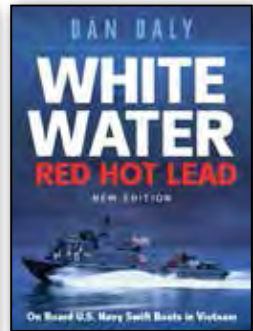
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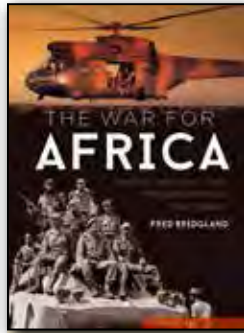
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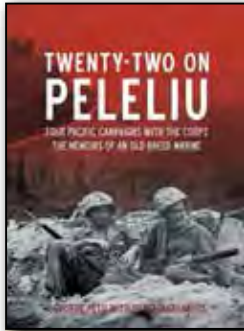
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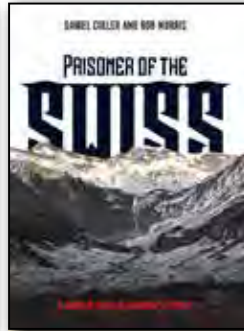
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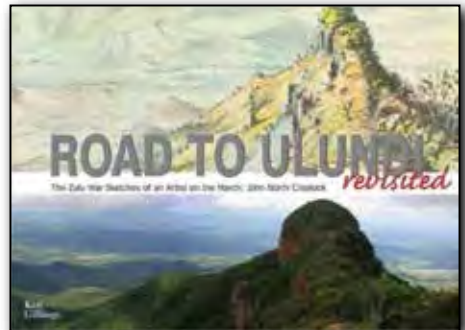
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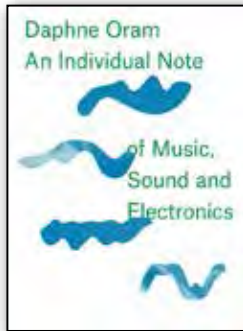
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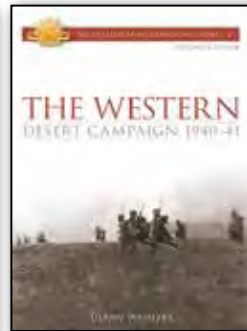
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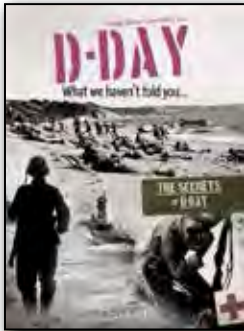
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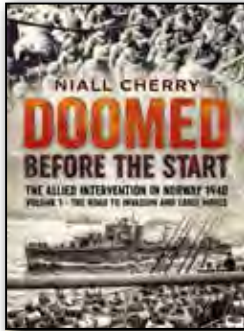
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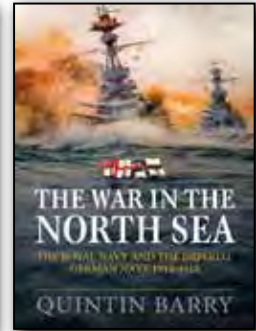
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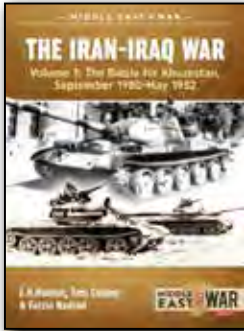
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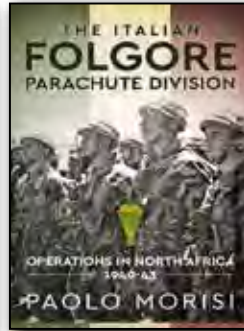
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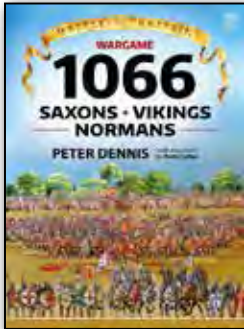
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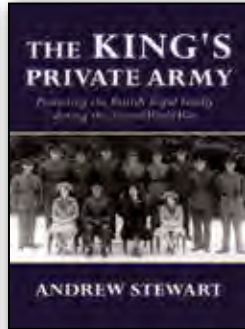
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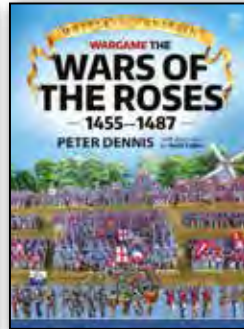
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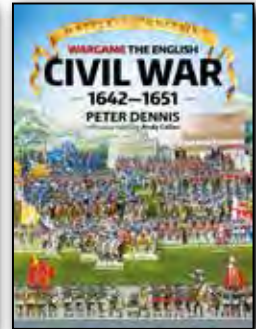
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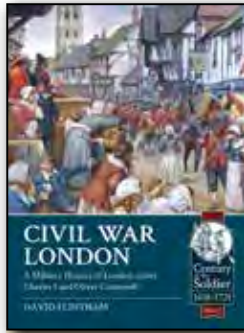
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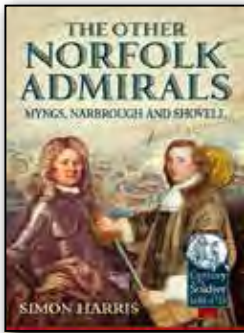
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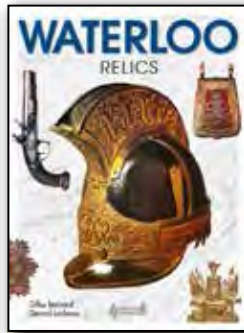
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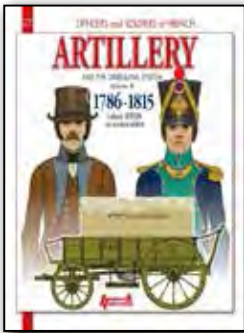
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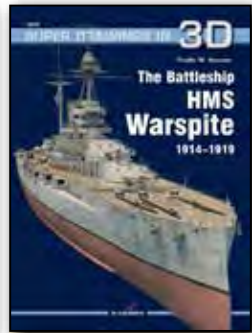
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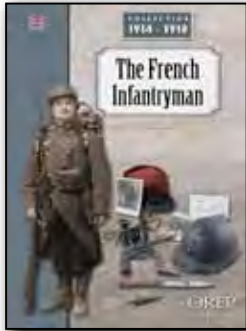
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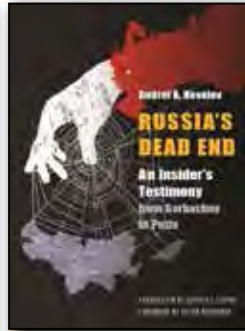
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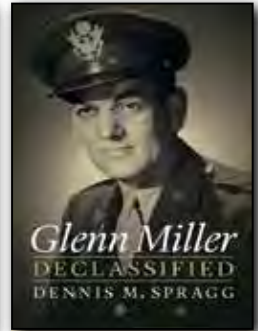
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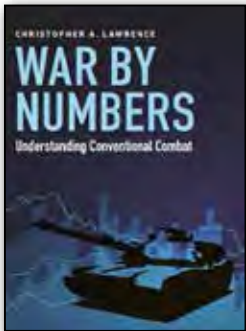
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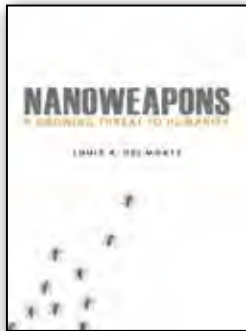
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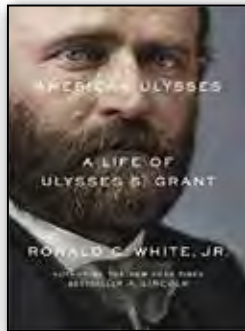
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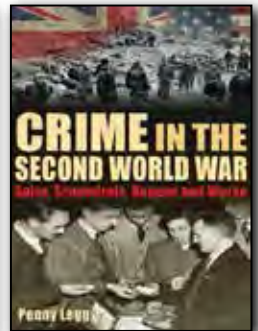
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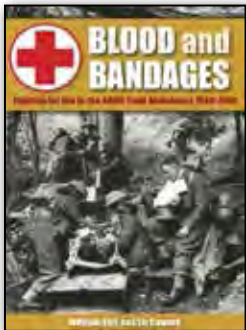
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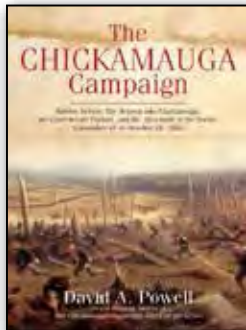
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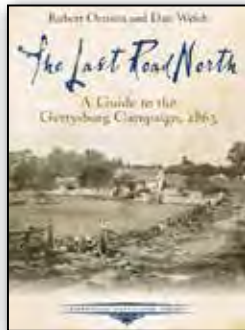
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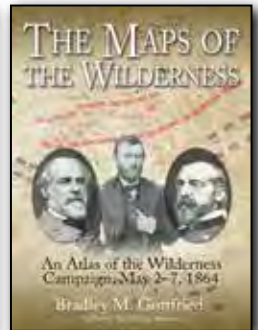
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