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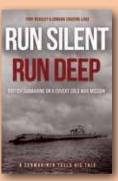
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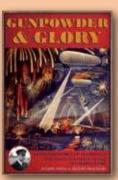
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We are pleased to present to you our published and distributed books for the 2020 spring season. Beginning with our subject speciality of military history, we have also included a great selection of books in related disciplines and wider topics from our distributed publishers. We are delighted to welcome new distributed publishers Arden (p.24), Dufour Editions (p. 30), The Liffey Press (p. 62), Neem Tree Press (p. 68), and Veritas Books (p. 90).

Highlights include: a beautiful collection of Van Gogh's illustrated letters; the story of a Russian woman soldier in World War I; a look at GPS from smart bombs to smartphones; and some excellent biographies ranging from top fighter ace to the mastermind of Dunkirk. From page 101 you'll also find an excellent selection of art books. With so much packed into this catalogue, we are sure that there will be something in here to interest you.

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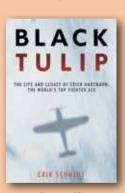




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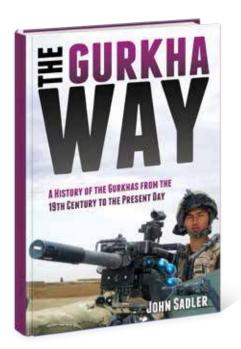
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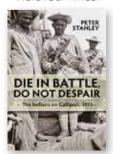
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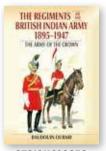
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John Sadler has been writing and teaching military history for over thirty years with some 35 titles in print. For over two decades he has lectured on war studies at Newcastle and Sunderland Universities Centre for Lifelong Learning (now the 'Explore' Programme). He is also a highly experienced battlefield tour guide for both world wars, classical, medieval and Napoleonic conflicts.

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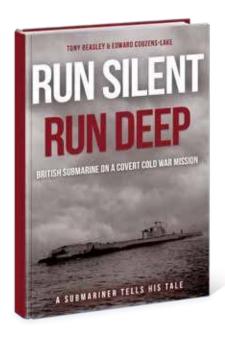
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Gurkhas became enthusiastic recruits and, very soon, trusted allies. The partnership survived the Indian Mutiny of 1857. They became indispensable, fighting continually on both the North West and North East frontiers and in the jungles of Burma. The Khyber Pass, a narrow umbilical pass through harsh tribal territories, historically ungovernable, made famous by Rudyard Kipling, would keep the Gurkhas in constant action for ninety years.

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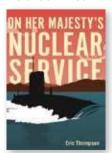
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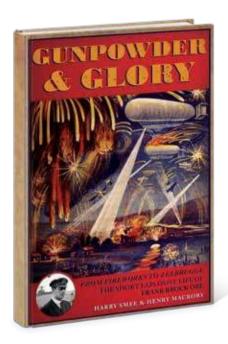








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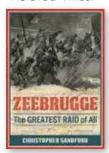
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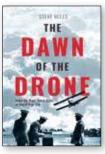
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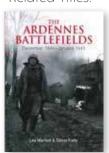
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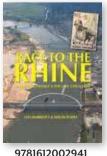
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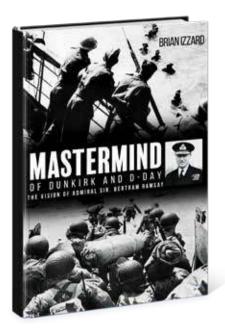
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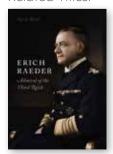
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Ramsay continued to play a crucial role in the conduct of the Second World War. The invasions of Sicily in 1943 and France less than a year later on D-Day were successful in large part because of his vision. After the war ended his achievements surely ranked alongside those of Sir Winston Churchill, Field Marshal Viscount Alanbrooke, Marshal of the Royal Air Force Viscount Portal, Field Marshal Viscount Montgomery and General Dwight Eisenhower, yet he never received the public recognition he deserved. Before the war he had fallen out with his superiors and was forced to retire. Bizarrely, Ramsay was still on the Royal Navy's retired list in March 1944 as D-Day loomed. He died in a mysterious air crash in 1945.

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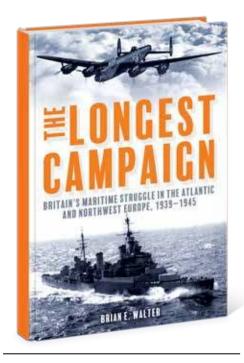


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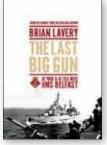
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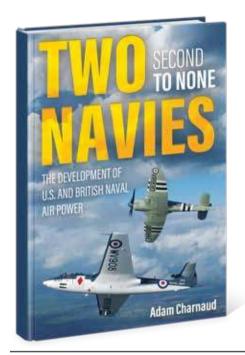
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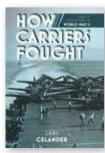
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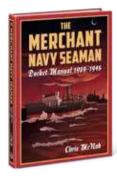
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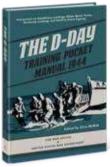
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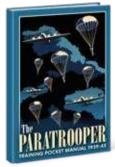
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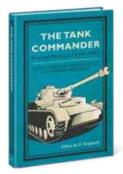
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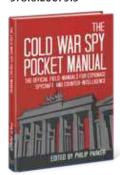
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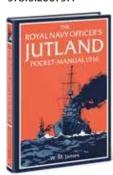
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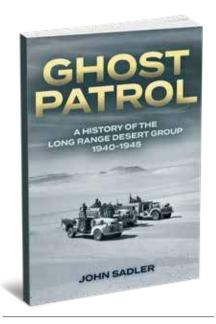


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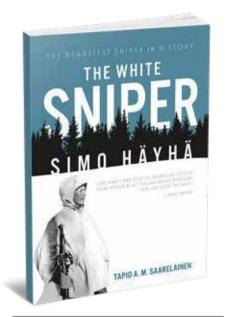
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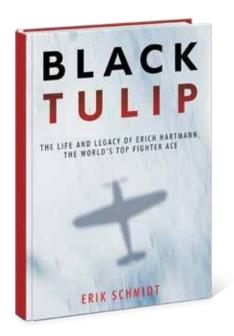
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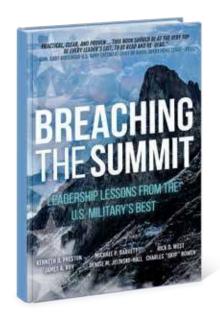
Alongside the narrative of an aviator and a war, this book is about how heroes are made, and marketed. Just when Hartmann's second career was faltering, he was adopted by an insular network of writers and commentators personally invested in his welfare and reputation. These men, mostly Americans, published lavish, celebratory stories about Hartmann and his elite fraternity of Luftwaffe pilots. With each dogfight tale put into print, Hartmann's legacy became loftier and more secure. Sometimes this amounted to historical generosity. Sometimes it was just fraudulent. Black Tulip locates the ambiguous truth about Hartmann and so much of the Wehrmacht in general.





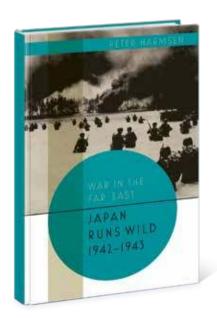


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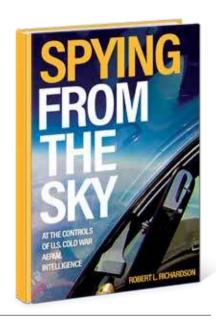
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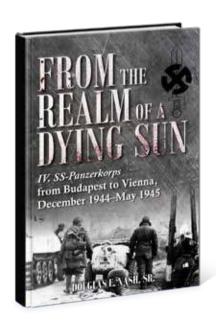
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Following the war, Greg served with a B-29 unit, then transitioned to the B-47 strategic bomber. While a B-47 pilot, he was selected to join America's first high-altitude program — the Black Knights. When that program neared its design end, Greg was assigned to command of the CIA's U-2 unit at Edwards AFB. Following his U-2 command, Greg attended the National War College, was assigned to the reconnaissance office at the Pentagon, and then was named Vice-Commandant of the Air Force Institute of Technology (AFIT). Greg retired in 1972.

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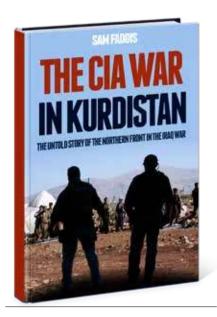
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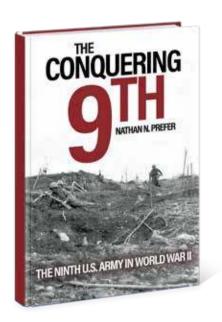
Doug Nash is a West Point Class of 1980 graduate and a retired U.S. Army Colonel with 32 years of active duty service in Kosovo, Iraq, Afghanistan, Germany, Cuba, and Uzbekistan. In 2008 he was nominated for the Pulitzer Prize for Non-Fiction.

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Charles S. "Sam" Faddis is a retired CIA officer and former US Army combat arms officer. He spent decades undercover in the Middle East and South Asia. He retired in 2008.

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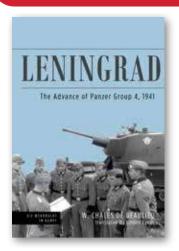
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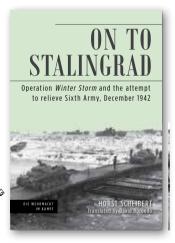
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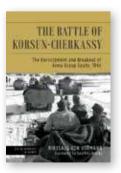
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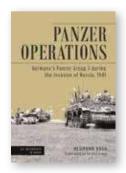
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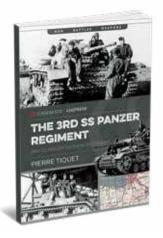
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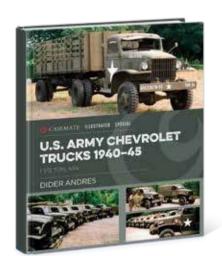
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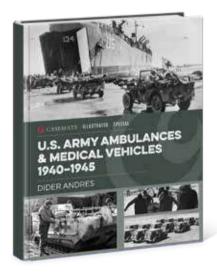
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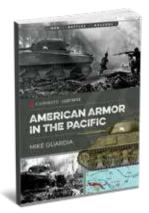
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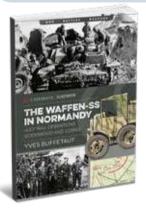
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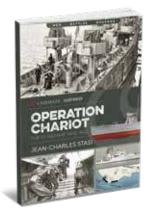
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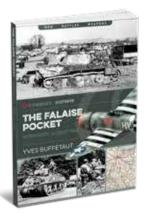
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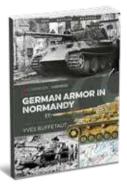
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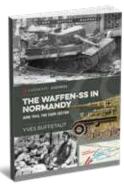




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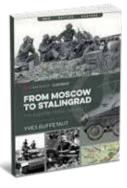
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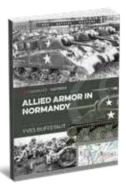
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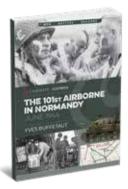
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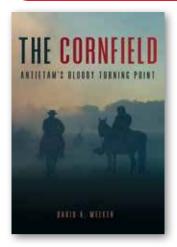
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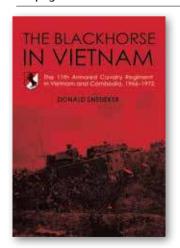
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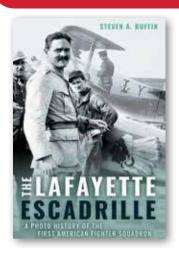
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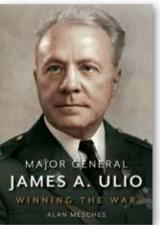
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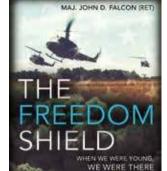
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Air Force veteran Alan Mesches researches World War II human-interest stories. He holds a BA in political science from Grove City (PA) College and a MS in journalism from Ohio University.

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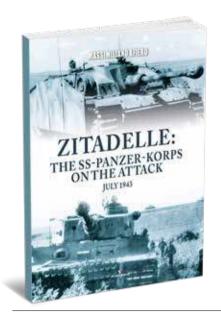
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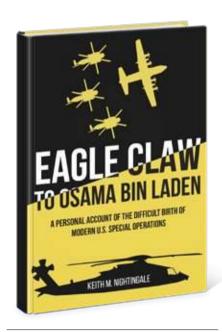


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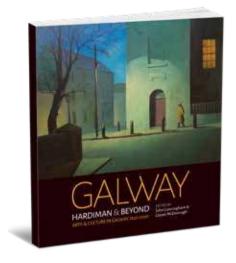
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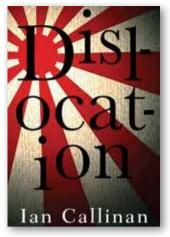
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HISTORICAL FICTION



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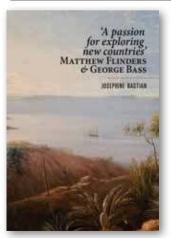
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WORLD WAR II



'A Passion for Exploring New Countries'

Matthew Flinders and George Bass By Josephine Bastian

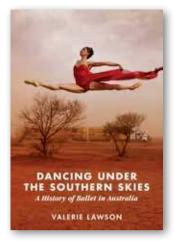
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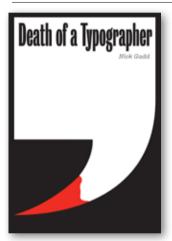
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18TH CENTURY HISTORY



Pacific Adversaries - Volume 1

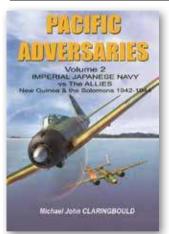
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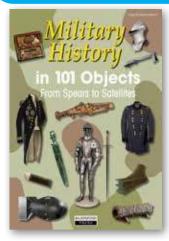
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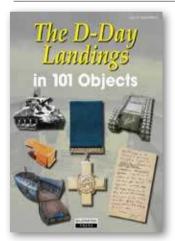
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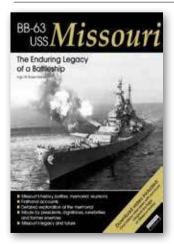
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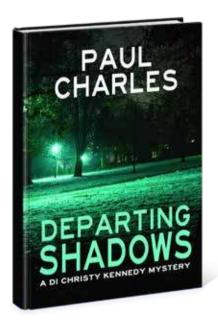
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CRIME FICTION

Departing Shadows

A DI Christy Kennedy Mystery

Bv Paul Charles

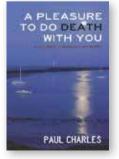
DI Christy Kennedy returns in Departing Shadows, a deceit-laden tale of intrique, which takes him from London to Brighton and back, and into the arms of the West End's most celebrated up-and-coming actress, Nealey Dean.

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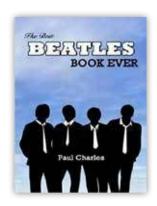
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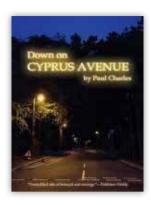


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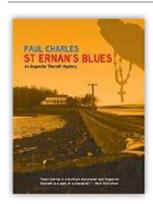


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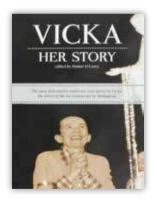


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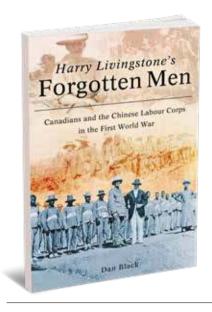


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An untold story about the clandestine operation to transport 80,000 Chinese labourers from remote Chinese villages, across Canada and all the way to the European battlefront to aid in the war effort and the mistreatment and racism they faced along the way.

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WORLD WAR I

Lucy Maud Montgomery

Canada's Literary Treasure

By Stan Saurwein

The story of Lucy Maud Montgomery – author of the classic Anne of Green Gables: a woman whose life did not go according to plan but yet created a world that still resonates deeply with readers.

Born into a dark, unhappy childhood and battling severe mental and physical health issues all through her adulthood, Lucy Maud Montgomery had a challenging private life. But she gave the world Anne Shirley - the freckle-faced, fiercely independent redhead as representative of Canada as the maple leaf. Anne of Green Gables is considered one of the greatest works in Canadian literature. Available in thirty-two editions, it continues to be immortalised on television, film and stage. Determined to succeed against all odds, Lucy Maud Montgomery published twenty-three books over a thirty-year period – her writing still resonates with readers today. Updated with the latest research encompassing the last few years of Lucy's life and death - and beautifully illustrated with photographs.

BIOGRAPHY



Frederik VI

Ruler in an Age of Revolution

By Jens Gunni Busck and Edited by Axel Harms and By Peter Sean Woltemade

Ruling as King of Denmark from 1806 until 1839, Frederik began his long regency by implementing far-sighted measures, including the great agricultural reforms. In contrast the Napoleonic Wars did not go well for him. He reigned in an age in which absolute monarchy became controversial and had to take action to confront demands for social reforms.

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19TH CENTURY HISTORY



Frederik V

A Reign Without a Ruler

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Frederik V reigned over Denmark-Norway from 1746 until his death in 1766. For the most part he was a ruler in name only, with Adam Gottlob Moltke functioning as the real head of state throughout his reign. The kingdom experienced a general economic upswing during this period, and the court came to be characterised by elegant splendour.

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18TH CENTURY HISTORY



Christian VII

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Christian VII was King of Denmark-Norway from 1766 until 1808, but because of his mental health problems he was unable to rule. He acceded to the throne when he was just approaching seventeen, and his accession was followed by a few years of major scandals and dramas at the court.

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Christian VI

The Pious Builder

By Jens Gunni Busck and Edited by Axel Harms and By Peter Sean Woltemade

Christian VI ruled Denmark-Norway from 1730 until his death in 1746. As King he was enthusiastic about construction projects; he built the first Christiansborg Palace, Hirschholm Palace, and the Hermitage Palace. As an adherent of the Pietist religious movement, he believed it was sinful to enjoy oneself, and life at his court was reminiscent of life in a monastery.

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HISTRIA BOOK 4



Prelude to the Past

The Autobiography of a Woman

By Rosie Gräefenberg

The story of Rosie Gräefenberg, a German-Jewish journalist of the interwar period, whose marriage to media mogul Franz Ullstein resulted in a scandal that brought down the most powerful press empire in Europe and exposed the weakness of the democratic press in Germany.

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BIOGRAPHY - WWI



The Death Drive

Why Societies Self-Destruct

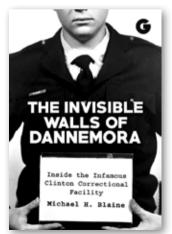
By Niklas Hageback

Offers an explanatory framework and methodology to predict periods of destruction that often have grim effects on societies, taking as its starting point Freud's controversial death drive concept.

As political upheavals and turmoil lead to societal breakdowns that, according to reigning academic theory, should not exist, there has been a revived interest in one of the most controversial concepts in psychoanalysis. Why would individuals or collectives elect a self-destructive path, which on a superficial level seems to conflict with the survival instinct and the assumption of perpetual human progress? In this book the question is posed: are these manifestations of the death drive?

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POLITICS - PSYCHOANALYSIS



The Invisible Walls of Dannemora

Inside the Infamous Clinton Correctional Facility

By Michael H. Blaine

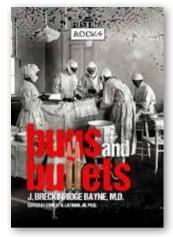
Reveals the inner workings of this massive prison where the famous prison break occurred in 2015; this is the first look at what it was like to work at the Clinton Correctional Facility.

In 2015, the infamous facility in Dannemora, New York became the site of one of the most famous prison breaks in modern American history. However, the conditions that made the notorious escape possible, and the massive manhunt that ensued, had been developing for many years prior. This is the first look at what it was like on both sides of the bars. The author spent a career at the facility; his story reveals the changes he observed and what he experienced at each rank he earned.

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BIOGRAPHY - CRIME

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The True Story of an American Doctor on the Eastern Front during World War I

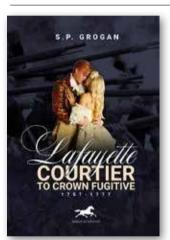
By Joseph Breckinridge-Bayne and Edited by Ernest Latham

Provides a unique account of life in Romania during the First World War; the author vividly describes medical conditions faced on the Eastern Front, revealing first-hand the savagery of war.

A fascinating autobiographical account by an American doctor who bravely chose to remain behind enemy lines in Romania during World War I to care for the wounded and to aid the civilian population. Edited with an introduction by American scholar Ernest H. Latham Jr., this book provides valuable insight into life on the Eastern Front during the war.

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WORLD WAR I



Lafayette

Courtier to Crown Fugitive, 1757-1777

By S.P. Grogan

A fascinating fictional narrative about Gilbert Lafayette and his coming-of-age in the mid 1770s amidst the decadence of Queen Marie Antoinette's French court.

The story begins with young Gilbert sworn to avenge his military father's death at the hands of the British. The reader will track how a country boy of Auvergne became the richest orphan in France, and how forces behind the throne, trying to gain control over his fortune, seek to marry him off to a twelve-year old girl to support one of the most powerful military castes in France.

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HISTORICAL FICTION



Vegas Die

A Quest Murder Mystery

By S.P. Grogan

Someone is killing off the old mobsters of Las Vegas and the mayor is the number one suspect.

When Casino Executive Owen McCombs discovers a dead gangster in the trunk of the Mayor's car, he needs to find answers quick – not only to save the Mayor's political career, but to keep his own freedom. The best of Sin City characters and events show up: the imploding casino, the buxom stripper, the nerdy card counter, super star twins, the Elvis impersonator, the Graffiti Vigilante, and associated corpses, immolated, shot, sliced, and diced.

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CRIME FICTION



Super Legends: F-117A Nighthawk

A Stealth Fighter Chronicle

By Rich Cooper

Through extraordinary photographs and recollections, readers are presented with material that forms a visual showcase of the last operational chapter of this stillclassified platform.

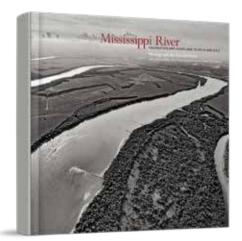
This publication brings together a collection of world-class. unseen images from the final operations of the legendary F-117A Nighthawk — the original secret 'stealth fighter'. Photographer Rich Cooper was afforded operational

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This rare, unparalleled collection is now available in one publication for the first time – along with the stories behind the images. The F-117A Nighthawk was like nothing ever flown before and we may never see such a revolutionary design again – the 'Black Jet' genuinely broke the mould of air combat. This unique collection of images celebrates the final milestones of its distinguished service.

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AVIATION



Mississippi River

Headwaters and Heartland to Delta and Gulf

Photography by David Freese, essay Simon Winchester and foreword by Sarah Kennel

A visual journey that shows why the Mississippi remains America's most important and iconic river.

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PHOTOGRAPHY

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The Italian Wars, Volume 2

Agnadello 1509, Ravenna 1512, Marignano 1515

By Massimo Predonzani, Vincenzo Alberici and Rachele Tiso

An account of the actions that followed the formation of the League of Cambrai in 1508.

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16TH CENTURY HISTORY



The Commotion Time

Tudor Rebellions of 1549

By E.T. Fox

A military history of the armies and campaigns of the Norfolk and Western rebellions of 1549.

The mid-Tudor period rests on the cusp between a medieval form of warfare and the new emerging ideas that defined warfare in the early-modern period, making the battles of 1549 of crucial importance in understanding the transition between the two. In this book Dr E.T. Fox explores how the 'medieval' rebels of the Devon and Cornwall militias fared against the German pikemen and Italian arquebusiers the government sent against them.

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16TH CENTURY HISTORY



The Imjin War 1592-1598

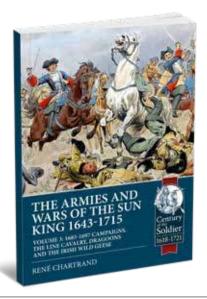
The Japanese Invasion of Korea

By Jeffrey M. Shaw

The failed Japanese invasion of Korea in 1592, known as the Imjin War, devastated the Korean peninsula and led to the eventual collapse of Ming China.

This book brings together scholarship from English, Chinese, Japanese, and Korean sources. Examining the historical factors which led to the war, some of the technological developments which facilitated the conflict, and the armies and leaders that met in this seminal conflict, this book offers readers a view of the Imjin War's place in history and its impact on relations between Korea, China, and Japan in the twenty first century.

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By Rene Chartrand

Louis XIV's army in the War of the League of Augsburg, with a focus on the campaigns, the Irish contingent, and the cavalry.

The volume starts in an age of intolerance: the Protestant tragedy in France and the Irish tragedy. Tens of thousands of Protestants fled France. Various military and political events of the later 1680s led to hostilities in 1689-1691 with Ireland being secured by William. Both had considerable impact on the armies of western Europe. Part 1 outlines the campaigns of the War of the League of Augsburg. Part 2 describes what was by very far Europe's largest cavalry force which included the Gendarmerie de France, which was a privileged division between the guards and the line cavalry. Also covered are the Wild Geese, an expatriate force of Irish officers.

17TH CENTURY HISTORY

The Lion from the North

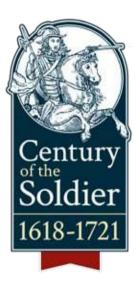
The Swedish Army during the Thirty Years War Volume 2, 1632-48

By Michael Fredholm von Essen

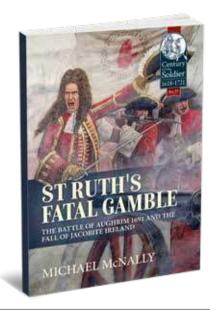
Describes and analyses the early modern Swedish army during the Thirty Years War after the death in 1632 of King Gustavus Adolphus.

At this time, military operations were handled by field marshals under the overall command of the Swedish Chancellor, Axel Oxenstierna. The book expands our understanding of the Swedish army during the Thirty Years War by focusing on its later operations, including those against Polish and Danish opponents, and not only on the better-known operations in Germany against the Catholic League and the Holy Roman Empire. The book includes current research that has not yet appeared in the English language. It describes the 1643-1645 Swedish invasion of Denmark ('Torstensson's War') and the battles and sieges, including those of Vienna and Prague, that led up to the Peace of Westphalia, which concluded the Thirty Years War.

17TH CENTURY HISTORY



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Wars and Soldiers in the Early Reign of Louis XIV, Volume 3

The Armies of the Ottoman Empire 1645-1719

By Bruno Mugnai

Organisation, composition and history of the army of the Sublime Porte in the age of the maximum expansion of the Empire.

This book deals with the organisation, the composition and the history of the army of the Sublime Porte, starting from the information contained in Western sources. This approach, despite the partial origin of the information, allows a critical examination of the sources and the formulation of a vision that is not conditioned by the clichés that often occur about such topics, returning us to a neutral vision of the complex Ottoman 'Military' represented with all its refined and sumptuous costumes and weapons apparatus. A larger part of the work is dedicated to the different types of clothing and insignia of the different corps, their evolution and the meaning of the different symbols.

17TH CENTURY HISTORY

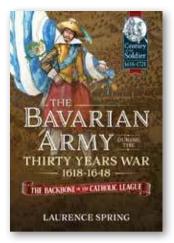
St. Ruth's Fatal Gamble

The Battle of Aughrim 1691 and the Fall of Jacobite Ireland By Michael McNally

A vivid and detailed account of the bloodiest battle in Early Modern Irish history.

In 1685, James, Duke of York, ascended to the thrones of England, Ireland and Scotland. As the first catholic monarch in 150 years many believed that his reign would be short and that he would be succeeded by his eldest daughter Mary, a protestant, who was married to her cousin William, Prince of Orange and Stadtholder of the United Dutch Provinces. James' close ties to King Louis XIV of France served to fuel the fires of discontent, and when a male heir was born in June 1688 a number of nobles and clergymen invited William of Orange to take the throne. William duly invaded, and after a desultory campaign, James fled the country for refuge in France, whilst the Earl of Tyrconnell – James' viceroy in Ireland – began to prepare for his master's restoration.





The Bavarian Army during the Thirty Years War, 1618-1648

The Backbone of the Catholic League

By Laurence Spring

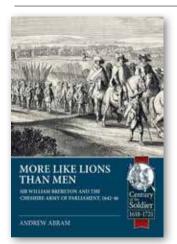
The Bavarian Army was one of only a few armies to have fought throughout the Thirty Years War, this book covers organisation, recruitment, officers, clothing, weaponry, pay and rations.

As well as using archival and archaeological evidence to throw new light on the subject the author has used several memoirs by those who served in the army, including Peter Hagendorf who served in Pappenheim's Regiment of Foot. Hagendorf's vivid account is unique because not only is it a full account of the life of a common soldier during the war, but also records the human side of campaign, including the death of his two wives and all but two of his children.

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17TH CENTURY HISTORY



More Like Lions than Men

Sir William Brereton and the Cheshire Army of Parliament, 1642-46

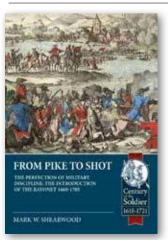
By Andrew Abram

Focuses on the composition, leadership, equipping, financing and war service of the Cheshire army of parliament commanded by Sir William Brereton between 1642 and 1646.

Based on primary archival research (much of which remains unpublished), supported by fieldtrips to battlefields and castles, the book represents the first focused and sustained study of the recruitment, organisation, payment, equipping, leadership and war service of the forces raised and maintained in service of parliament in Cheshire between 1642 and 1646. It enhances our knowledge of the Parliamentary war effort and civil-war forces in the northwest and beyond, whilst locating the Cheshire army in its wider military and strategic context.

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17TH CENTURY HISTORY



From Pike to Shot

The Perfection of Military Discipline: The Introduction of the Bayonet 1660-1705

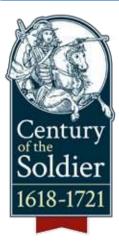
By Mark W. Shearwood

Re-evaluates the introduction of the plug bayonet within the English army and consequential impact on infantry tactics and equipment in the last seventeenth century.

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Fighting for Liberty

Argyll & Monmouth's Military Campaigns against the Government of King James, 1685

By Stephen M. Carter

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17TH CENTURY HISTORY



The Royalist War Effort in the North Midlands

1642-1646

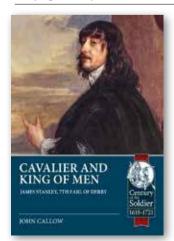
By Martyn Bennett

Creates a new and complete narrative of the war in the region, and analyses the administrative structures of the rivals.

This book is the first study to reassess the nature of the royalist cause in the North midland counties of Derbyshire, Leicestershire, Nottinghamshire Rutland and Staffordshire during the first civil war (1642-1646). It also analyses the command structure and regiments under the command of Henry Hastings, Lord Loughborough.

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17TH CENTURY HISTORY



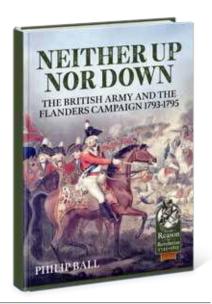
Cavalier and King of Men

James Stanley, 7th Earl of Derby 1607-51 By John Callow

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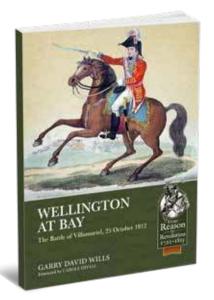
Neither Up Nor Down

The British Army and the Campaign in Flanders 1793-95 By Philip Ball

A military history of the 1793-95 campaign in Flanders and the Netherlands.

Britain's war against Revolutionary France is today a largely forgotten prelude to the Napoleonic Wars. The campaign in Flanders was Britain's attempt to stem the power of the new republic as it threatened to engulf its neighbours, but it was to end in disaster. This is the first account of this intensive campaign written in modern times; chronicling the many battles as the varying fortunes of the combatants saw their armies march to and from across the fields of Flanders. A weak and ill-equipped army led by the Duke of York struggled daily with the terrain and climate of the Low Countries as well as the competing aims of its allies and the unrealistic expectations of its government. This book details the numerous major battles of the campaign and the unravelling of the First Coalition using British, French and German sources.

18TH CENTURY HISTORY



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Wellington at Bay

The Battle of Villamuriel, 25 October 1812

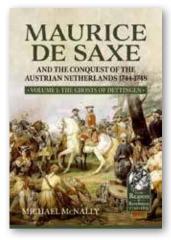
By Garry David Wills

A detailed account of the Battle of Villamuriel, the largest action during Wellington's retreat from Burgos in 1812, based on extensive use of international archives.

The Battle of Villamuriel was the largest engagement of Wellington's retreat from Burgos in 1812. This is the first full length account of the action and improves significantly on previous accounts in the campaign histories by Napier, Fortescue, Oman, and Divall. Archival sources from Great Britain, France, Spain, and Portugal have been used to build a coherent and balanced account. The orders of battle are detailed and the military experience of both the commanders and their units is provided. Detailed maps of the deployment of both forces throughout the action are provided. A detailed breakdown of the casualties on both sides is also given. The wargamer is provided with detailed scenarios to enable them to recreate the action on the table top.

NAPOLEONIC HISTORY





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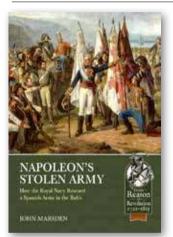
By Michael McNally

The conquest of the Austrian Netherlands by the French forces of Maurice de Saxe, a campaign which singlehandedly changed the course of the War of the Austrian Succession (1740-48).

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18TH CENTURY HISTORY



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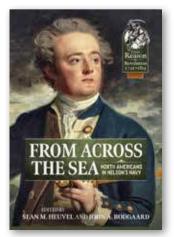
How the Royal Navy Rescued a Spanish Army in the Baltic By John Marsden

Looks at how, in 1808, the Royal Navy used its dominance in the Baltic to rescue the Spanish Army of the Marqués de La Romana.

This is the story of a Spanish Army, commanded by the Marqués de La Romana, which was sent to Denmark by Napoleon in 1807, whilst France and Spain were allies bound by the Treaty of San Ildefonso, signed in 1796. When relations between the two countries broke down in May 1808 they were soon at war with each other, and La Romana's host became, in effect, a captive army in the hands of the French.

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NAPOLEONIC HISTORY



From Across the Sea

North Americans in Nelson's Navy

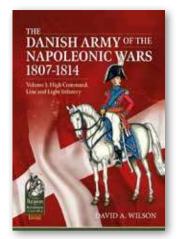
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Explores the life and service of North American-born sailors and officers who served in the Royal Navy during the Wars with France.

As an edited compilation, top specialists in the field have contributed thematic as well as biographical essays on a range of North Americans from both the officer ranks and the lower deck. For the biographical portraits, special attention has been paid to individuals who have not already been the subject of extensive research and writing. Accompanying are several never-before-published illustrations depicting some of the key North Americans as well as the ships and naval battles in which they were a part.

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The Danish Army of the Napoleonic Wars 1807-1814

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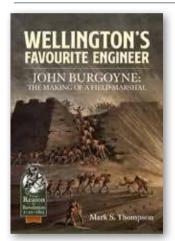
By David A. Wilson

A fully illustrated unique record of the uniforms of the Napoleonic Danish and Norwegian armies and their flags in full colour.

This book provides an in-depth study of the Danish and Norwegian armies of the Napoleonic Wars and covers the uniforms of these armies, their weapons and their evolution as well as their colours and a look at their basic tactics. Although this is principally a uniform book, historical background is also provided to place the details in their context. It covers the uniforms of the High Command, Guard, and Line and Light Infantry, their arms, equipment, and colours.

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NAPOLEONIC HISTORY



Wellington's Favourite Engineer

John Burgoyne: The Making of a Field Marshal

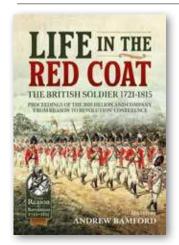
By Mark S. Thompson

The Napoleonic Services of John Burgoyne RE who was present at many battles and sieges in the Peninsular War.

This book is about the Napoleonic services of the first field marshal in the Corps of Royal Engineers, John Burgoyne. The main theme of the book is to show the development of a young officer during the Napoleonic Wars from in inexperienced subaltern through to someone who advised Wellington and his generals directly on military matters. There is a wealth of unpublished information in his journals and letters.

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NAPOLEONIC HISTORY



Life in the Red Coat: The British Soldier 1721-1815

Proceedings of the 2019 Helion & Company 'From Reason to Revolution' Conference

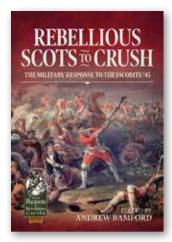
Edited by Andrew Bamford

The proceedings of the 2019 From Reason to Revolution conference, addressing the British soldier 1721-1815.

The 2019 From Reason to Revolution conference took as its theme the experiences of the ordinary British soldier in the era 1721-1815, from enlistment, through service at home, to life on campaign and the experience of battle. This book presents the proceedings of that conference in full, along with an introduction by series editor Andrew Bamford.

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Rebellious Scots to Crush

The Military Response to the Jacobite '45

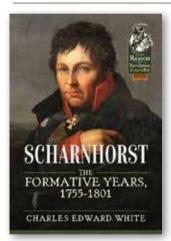
Edited by Andrew Bamford

A series of case studies exploring the experiences of various units deployed to oppose the Jacobite Rising of 1745.

This collection of essays examines in detail some of the units that marched and fought for George II during this tumultuous period. Consideration is given to regular regiments of foot and dragoons as well as to the additional units raised for the emergency.

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18TH CENTURY HISTORY



Scharnhorst

The Formative Years, 1755-1801

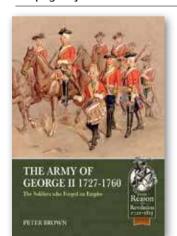
By Charles Edward White

The first comprehensive study of Gerhard Scharnhorst, focussing on his service in Hanover; it corrects the inaccuracies of previous German editions, and presents many unpublished discoveries.

So little is known about Scharnhorst and especially his formative years in Hanover. It was during this time that he carefully crafted and sought to implement the modernisation program he later realised in part in Prussia. When Scharnhorst arrived in Berlin in 1801, he already had his master plan in mind. This study details his long service in Hanover and provides the key to interpreting his efforts to create a modern military force.

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NAPOLEONIC HISTORY



The Army of George II 1727-1760

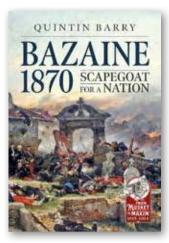
The Soldiers Who Forged an Empire

By Peter Brown

Provides details of the recruitment, organisation, equipment, logistics, and command of the Army of King George II from 1727 to 1760.

In this book you will find details of how the army was recruited, funded, and functioned day-to-day. Details are also provided of the uniforms worn by infantry, artillery, and cavalry; how they were organised, paid, and punished. There are also new insights into the logistics of 18th century warfare, how the soldiers performed in battle, both in Europe and in the colonies, and what medical treatment they could expect when the battles were over. This book provides a unique look into what it was like to serve in the Army of King George II.

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Bazaine 1870

Scapegoat for a Nation

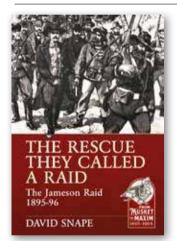
By Quintin Barry

This is the first book in the English language devoted to the story of Bazaine

This book describes Marshal Francois-Achille Bazaine's lengthy and illustrious career before the start of the Franco-Prussian war, and the circumstances in which he came to take command of the Army of the Rhine. It assesses his conduct of the series of pitched battles which he fought around Metz, before he withdrew with his army under the protection of the fortress. The book goes on to describe the subsequent fate of the army, and the negotiations by which Bazaine endeavoured to extricate it, as well as his subsequent trial; and concludes that, beyond doubt, he was unjustly accused and wrongly convicted.

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19TH CENTURY HISTORY



The Rescue They Called a Raid

The Jameson Raid 1895-96

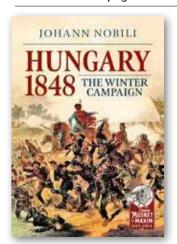
By David Snape

The Jameson Raid and its effects on Governments and individuals in their attempts to expand the British Empire.

Almost one hundred and twenty five years ago, a Scottish adventurer attempted to expand the British Empire in South Africa with the backing of a mere 500 men. He was part of a conspiracy of entrepreneurs, gold magnates and politicians, each of whom had different motives for supporting and encouraging his actions. This book, using a number of contemporary sources, examines the motives for lameson's actions, the reasons for the Raid's failure and its consequences for those involved.

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19TH CENTURY HISTORY



Hungary 1848

The Winter Campaign

By Johann Nobili and Edited by Christopher Pringle

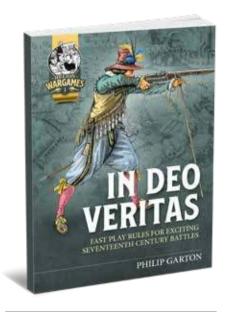
Extensively annotated translation of the Austrian semi-official history of the first half of the Hungarian War of Independence 1848-1849.

This book provides a detailed and authoritative account of this neglected war, replete with fascinating episodes and invaluable factual data, in English for the first time ever. It includes extensive information about orders of battle, precious nuggets about uniforms and weaponry, actual despatches reproduced verbatim, and accounts of myriad actions from tiny skirmishes up to the major battles of Kápolna and Isaszeg. It is complemented by extensive scholarly annotation providing critical analysis and additional data or contextual information.

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A slightly abridged edition of this classic wargame text with artwork for the Red and Blue armies as individual Paperboys. Plus a working cannon which provides the firepower in the game. It seems that another element wants to join the action from a different Wells book, and that may provide some apocalyptic chaos.

Peter Dennis is a historical and military illustrator of long standing. He has illustrated books for all the major publishers, notably in recent years Osprey publishing for whom he has illustrated over 150 titles. Wargames brought him into the military world as a boy and he has retained his fascination with models and the games you can play with them ever since.

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WARGAMING - MODELLING

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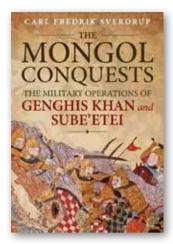
Fast Play Rules for Exciting Seventeenth Century Battles By Philip Garton

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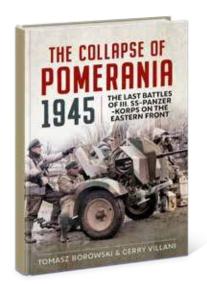
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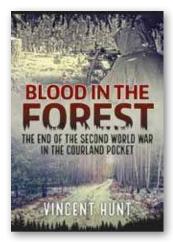
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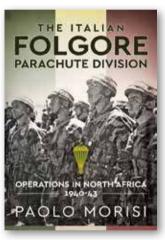
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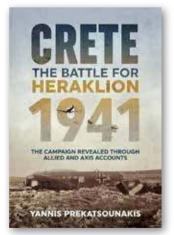
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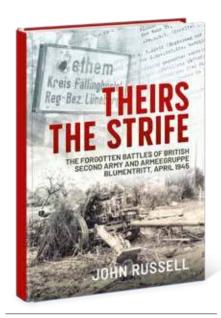
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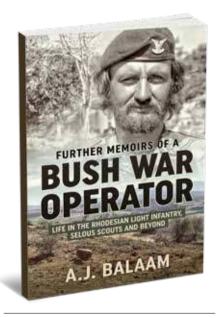
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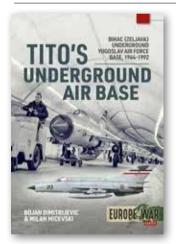
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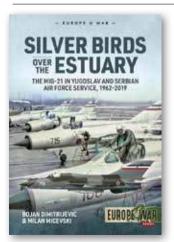
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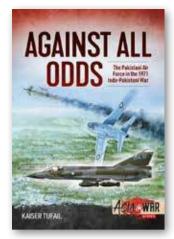
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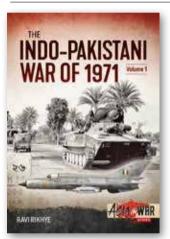
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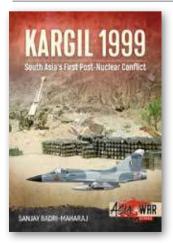
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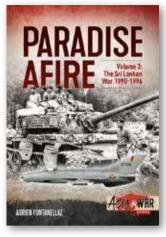
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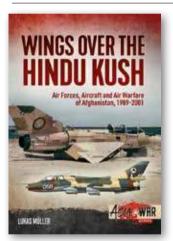
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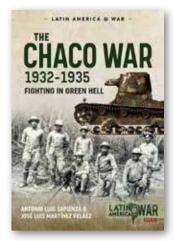
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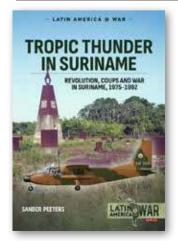
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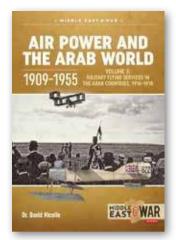
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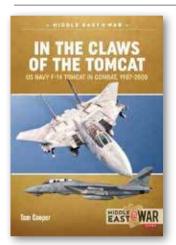
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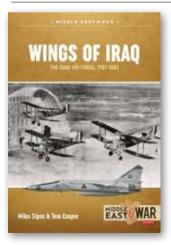
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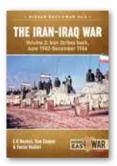
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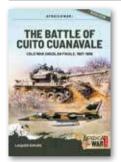
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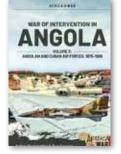
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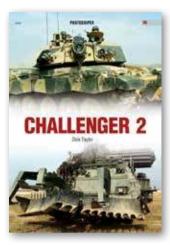
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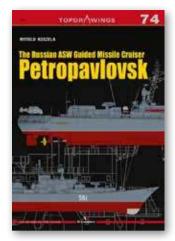
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The Russian ASW Guided Missile Cruiser Top Drawings Petropavlovsk

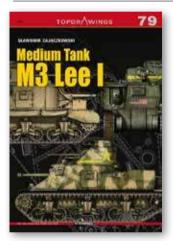
By Witold Koszela

"Another good addition to the TopDrawings series by Kagero, and one I am sure warship modellers will enjoy." – **Military Model Scene**

Petropavlovsk was part of the seven-ship unit of the Nikolaev type (project 1134B Berkut), which was a gas-turbine alternative design to the units of the project 1134A. They were classified as large ASW (anti-submarine warfare), although they matched cruisers in size. The primary task of these ships was to search and destroy nuclear submarines in the oceanic zone, in particular, strategic missile submarines.

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MODELLING - NAVAL



Medium Tank M3 Lee I

Top Drawings

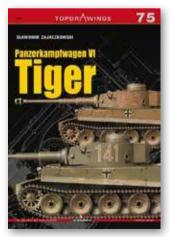
By Slawomir Zajaczkowski

A detailed look at the M3 General Lee – an American medium tank from World War II, also used by the British army and known as Grant.

The M3 tank was created as a result of the need to replace the obsolete M2 tank, which did not match the WWII battlefield. It had many components from the M2 light tank, including chassis, Wright R975 EC2 star engine and the shape of the combat compartment. The serial production of the M3 tank began in August 1941. The British M3 Grant first saw action with the Royal Armoured Corps in North Africa.

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MODELLING - ARMOURED VEHICLES



Panzerkampfwagen VI Tiger

Top Drawings

By Slawomir Zajaczkowksi

Highly illustrated look at the famous Panzerkampfwagen VI Tiger tank, perfect for modellers.

The German heavy tank Panzerkampfwagen VI Tiger was heavily armored and armed with a deadly 88 mm gun. Despite their legend, the Tigers were plagued by several technical problems and as a result, many subsequent construction changes were introduced in the course of production. especially with propulsion, which often did not allow them to fully use their combat potential.

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MODELLING - ARMOURED VEHICLES



Mirage III IAI Nesher/Dagger

Monographs

By Salvador Mafe Huertas

Israel Aircraft Industries manufactured 51 single and ten two-seater Mirage 5s, the IDFAF named them Nesher; after an outstanding performance in the Yom Kippur War, most were sold to Argentina late 70s. This highly illustrated study includes 220 archival photos and 10 colour profiles, and will be perfect material for modellers.

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MODELLING - AVIATION



Messerschmitt Bf 109 F

Top Drawings

By Mariusz Lukasik

Messerschmitt Bf 109 F (Friedrich) is one of the most important versions of this famous fighter. It was powered by the same engine (DB 601E) as the preceding Bf 109 E (Emil), but the airframe design differed significantly compared to its predecessor. Lavishly illustrated with colour profiles, and including A4 drawing sheets, this will be perfect material for modellers.

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MODELLING - AVIATION



Junkers Ju 87 D, G

Top Drawings

By Maciej Noszczak

Junkers Ju 87 or 'Stuka' was a popular German dive bomber and ground-attack aircraft. Despite the weak armor and less sufficient performance, the Ju 87 D were still produced due to a lack of a successor. With the G variant, the ageing airframe of the |u 87 found new life as an anti-tank aircraft. This was the final operational version of the Stuka and was deployed on the Eastern Front.

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MODELLING - AVIATION



Junkers Ju 88 C

Top Drawings

By Maciej Noszczak

lunkers lu 88 was one of the most universal aircrafts taking part in the Second World War. It was designed as a fast bomber and it worked perfectly well in this role, especially during low-level airstrikes and shallow diving attacks. It could also be the night fighter, torpedo bomber and reconnaissance aircraft.

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MODELLING - AVIATION



Hispano Aviación HA-1112

Monographs

By Eduardo Manuel Gil Martínez

The Messerschmitt Bf 109 was without doubts one of the most important airplanes in the history of aviation and since the beginning of its history has been linked to Spain. These aircraft manufactured in Spain prolonged the Bf 109 life by about 20 years and continued in active service until 1965 coexisting with the 2nd and the 3rd generation jet.

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MODELLING - AVIATION



The Brandenburg-class Battleships 1890-1918

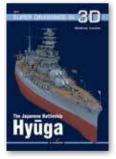
Super Drawings in 3D

By Tassos Katsikas

The Brandenburg class battleships were the first blue water warships of the Kaiserliche Marine (Imperial German Navy), in the end of 19th century, and can be categorised as the first German pre-dreadnought ships. With 134 colour profiles and B2 drawings, this book will be the perfect resource for naval modellers.

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MODELLING - NAVAL



The Japanese Battleship Hyūga

Super Drawings in 3D

By Waldemar Góralski

The Hyūga battleship project was based on the design of the Fuso battleship. Changes included extending the hull by 3 meters, and changes with the armour, the central command post, and the layout of guns I and 2 which allowed placing the boiler room closer to the bow and fitting the funnels closer to each other.

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MODELLING - NAVAL



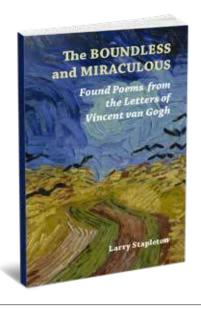
Italian Vittorio Veneto-class Battleships

By Andrzej Perepeczko

This book comprehensively presents both the hull construction, propulsion, and weaponry as well as the course of action and fate during the Second World War of Italian warships of the Vittorio Veneto type. These ships were the most modern and, in many ways, the best representatives of their class on the day of the outbreak of the Second World War.

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MODELLING - NAVAL



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The Boundless and Miraculous

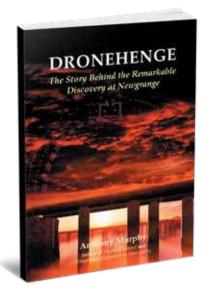
Found Poems in the Letters of Vincent van Gogh By Larry Stapleton

Extracts from Van Gogh's letters presented as `found poems', illustrated with 87 colour plates.

These extracts record many of the pivotal moments in Van Gogh's life and his struggles and emotional state at these times are evident in the content and tone of the writing. Included are his views on the work of other artists, both his contemporaries and those who went before him. In particular, the poems encapsulate much of the thinking behind the way van Gogh's art developed, and notably the thought processes behind some of his most iconic paintings.

With 87 colour plates, the book celebrates Van Gogh's spectacular art as well as his wonderful writing in what could be considered a series of brief autobiographical sketches.

ART - POETRY



9780995792791 · Paperback · 75 colour photographs • 240 x 170mm 250 pages · October 2019 · £18.95

Dronehenge

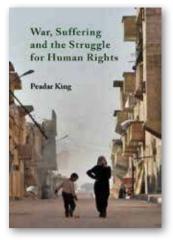
The Story Behind the Remarkable Neolithic Discovery at Newgrange

By Anthony Murphy

Tells the story of the remarkable discovery of the neolithic monument near Newgrange in Ireland, and attempts to unravel some of its mysteries.

The author describes the events that followed the first social media post about the discovery and how he spent three weeks doing little else but taking phone calls, answering emails and engaging in Skype calls with media all around the world. Lavishly illustrated, Dronehenge includes discussion of how this monument might have been constructed and what it might have been used for, and includes 3D models of its likely appearance. Murphy explains how the henge, along with the other features discovered, completely changes our view of the Brú na Bóinne landscape, and why it will have archaeologists and historians studying them for many years to come.

> ANCIENT HISTORY ARCHAEOLOGY



War, Suffering and the Struggle for Human Rights

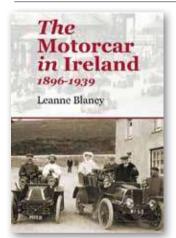
By Peadar King

This book tells moving stories of how conflict has plunged people into the depths of despair in Africa, Asia and the Americas.

With a focus on war and its consequences, this book tells profoundly moving stories of how conflict has convulsed the lives of people caught up its insidious arip, plunged people into the depths of despair and crushed the hopes and dreams of whole generations. None of this is accidental. Wars don't just happen. They are the inevitable result of the military industrial complex, the colonial legacy, the economic dividends of war. The reader will be left with an understanding of how wars live on in the lives and bodies of the injured and the traumatized long after they are deemed officially over.

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POLITICS - CONFLICT



The Motorcar in Ireland

1896-1939

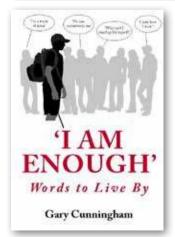
By Leanne Blaney

Offers a historical assessment of the development of the motorcar within Ireland between the years 1896-1939.

Demonstrating the impact that the motorcar had in Ireland, the author examines the role it played during the First World War, the Civil War and the Emergency. She also shows how the popularisation of the car influenced legislation around road construction and the development of industries subsidiary to the motor industry, including oil. The Motorcar in Ireland includes photographs and stories researched from a variety of private and public archives from across Ireland and the UK, including the Royal Irish Automobile Club (RIAC), which brings the fascinating story of the early years of the motorcar to life with great colour and humour.

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MOTOR VEHICLES - IRELAND



'I Am Enough!'

Words to Live By

By Gary Cunningham

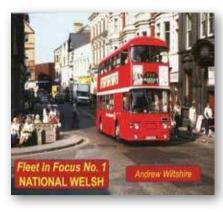
Stories based on situations described by students: bullying, peer pressure, dealing with grief, social media and, shockingly, suicide.

In this book the author concludes that the young people today are not 'moody and rude' as often portrayed - they are simply trying to navigate a fastchanging, high-pressured world while feeling very unsure of themselves. These stories will give the reader some food for thought and a different way of looking at, and dealing with, certain situations. Hopefully, this book will also spark much-needed conversations between young people and their families, friends, teachers and others.

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LIFESTYLE - MENTAL HEALTH

MAINLINE & MARITIME



National Welsh

Fleet Focus

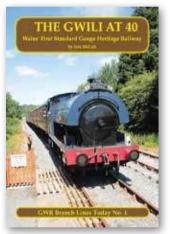
By Andrew Wiltshire

A pictorial album featuring this much-loved South Wales operator.

This book takes a chronological look at the National Welsh fleet to illustrate both the variety of vehicles operated, particularly in the early days, and the fascinating mix of urban and rural landscapes through which they worked between 1978 and 1992. It will hopefully serve as a reminder of a company which packed a great deal into its 14 years in existence, and which was always of interest to the bus enthusiast. With over 80 colour images.

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TRANSPORT



The Gwili At 40

GWR Branch Lines Today

Wales' First Standard Gauge Heritage Railway

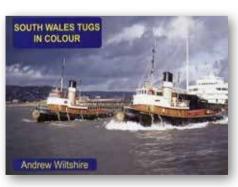
By Iain McCall

A history in pictures of 40 years of preservation at Wales' first standard gauge heritage railway.

This full colour illustrated history of Wales' First Standard Gauge Preserved Railway launches the new "GWR Branch Lines Today" series. Written by Iain McCall, a railway historian who was intimately involved in the Gwili Railway as a volunteer for 30 of its 40 years of history, this book covers all the key moments in the preservation era history of the line, as well as many of the lesser known and lighter hearted events to have occurred during that time.

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TRANSPORT



South Wales Tugs in Colour

By Andrew Wiltshire

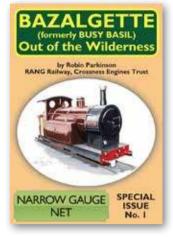
Takes a close look at tugs in the South Wales ports of Newport, Cardiff, Barry, Port Talbot and Swansea.

In this book, the author follows the changes as tug ownership has moved from local companies to national and multinational companies. The changes in the fleets of the various companies are well illustrated by over 100 superb colour photographs, each with an informative extended caption, all written by well known tug historian Andrew Wiltshire.

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Bazalgette – Out of the Wilderness

By Robin Parkinson

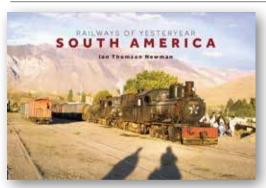
Narrow Gauge Net Special Edition

An illustrated biography of this iconic narrow gauge locomotive.

The first in a new series of Special Editions from the popular digital magazine Narrow Gauge Net documents the life and times of both the locomotive Bazalgette (formerly known as Busy Basil), and the Garden Festival Railways of the late 1980s / early 1990s (the loco was originally built for service at the Stokeon-Trent Festival). This locomotive was returned to service in spring 2019 to work the railway at the Crossness Engines Trust site – the only heritage railway inside

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TRANSPORT



Railways of Yesteryear – South America

By Ian Thomson Newman

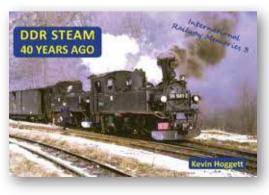
Blends both entertaining travelogue and historical reference data to make a fascinating read on the heyday of rail travel in South America.

A detailed account of the railways of South America in their fading "glory years" where it was still possible to travel from one side of the continent to the other. The book includes well researched historical information on the railways of every country in South America, as well as personal recollections of the trials and tribulations of what travelling by train in some

of the most inaccessible parts of the continent could be like. By well-known expert on Latin American railways, lan Thomson-Newman.

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DDR Steam 40 Years Ago International Railway Memories

By Kevin Hoggett

A colour album of steam in the former DDR in 1978-79.

This book is the third in the series of International Railway Memories titles from the publishers of the well respected magazine, Locomotives International. Using archive colour photographs from the collection of well known railway photographer, enthusiast and preservationist Kevin Hoggett, the reader is taken on a photographic journey of the best of steam in the DDR in the late 1970s. Standard gauge, narrow gauge, passenger and freight trains, all are featured.

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Coasters on Canals

Bv Bernard McCall

Presents to the reader vessels with detailed information about each canal.

Anyone visiting mainland Europe cannot fail to be impressed by the size of the canals and the quantity of commercial traffic, offering a viable and realistic alternative to the ever increasing use of lorries to transport freight. In this book the author presents to the reader vessels that have passed through with detailed information about each canal that is mentioned, accompanied by stunning photographs in an all colour album. Countries featured include France, Germany and the Netherlands in addition to the UK.

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London's Buses

By Andrew Wiltshire

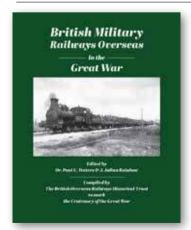
A pictorial album charting the developments and innovations on London's Buses.

This book treats us to views of the famous London buses in chronological order, from the traditional types to the modern batteryelectric bus. During the 1970s, the bus scene became increasingly interesting as London Transport struggled with unreliable and unsuitable vehicles. Most of these were far from life-expired, and their premature departure made the sourcing of suitable replacements a matter of urgency. During the 1980s, the London bus scene became one of constant change and was increasingly driven by politics. The

increasing variety of vehicle types was accompanied by a proliferation of liveries but, throughout all this change, the Routemaster continued to live on in healthy numbers, and would do so for many more years to come.

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British Military Railways Overseas in the Great War

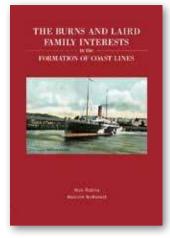
Edited by Paul Waters and Julian Rainbow

A detailed history of British Military Railways overseas during WWI with all theatres covered, from the Western Front to the Falkland Islands.

A detailed history, the product of many years research, into this absorbing subject. Think that British Military Railways in WWI were limited to the Western Front? This absorbing hardback will cause you to think again! Within its 400 pages, the reader is taken on a journey from France to the Falkland Islands, from Siberia to Syria, and most places in betwee All aspects of the operations are covered, from life on the front line to repairs in the workshops and the cross channel train ferries.

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WORLD WAR 1 - TRANSPORT



The Burns and Laird Family Interests in the Formation of Coast Lines

By Nick Robins and Malcolm McRonald

The third book in the Coast Lines Key Ancestors series, the authors take us through the history and development of the alliance of Burns and Laird.

Coast Lines was for a time one of the great success stories of British shipping. Focussing on the coastal liner trades, the group dominated its chosen sector of business more successfully than almost any other shipping company in the United Kingdom. But it is also one of the great untold stories of the shipping industry. In this, the third book in the Coast Lines Key Ancestors series, renowned maritime historians Nick Robins and Malcom McRonald take us through the history and development of the alliance of Burns and Laird, and their involvement in the 1913 formation of Coast Lines.

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MARITIME HISTORY



Coastal Shipping International 2019

Edited by Bernard McCall

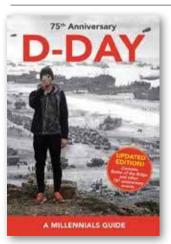
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In its 13 articles and photo features, this limited edition book looks at various aspects of coastal shipping throughout the world, specifically: an Oslo shipowner; Coasters in Canada; the port of Porthleven, Cornwall; Bunkering tankers; New Zealand cement carriers; Coasters as seen from Cruise Ships; the port of Lochaline, Scotland; the Zuid-Beveland Canal in the Netherlands; standard Russian coasters; Container ships built in Hamburg; the port of Leith; and sailing into central France.

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NEW EDITION



D-Day, 75th Anniversary

A Millennials' Guide

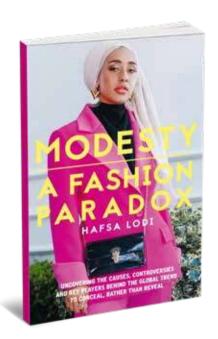
By Jay Wertz

This updated edition includes Battle of the Bulge and other 75th anniversary events as well as photographs and other updates from the 75th anniversary of D-Day.

This book serves as an introduction to D-Day, the tanks, ships and planes that were used during the campaign and provides a wealth of information regarding some of the best loved pieces from popular culture, including *Saving Private Ryan* and *Band of Brothers*. The book also educates the reader on the best ways to track down links to D-Day in their family tree and boasts an impressive collection of images.

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D-DAY - GUIDES



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About the author:

Hafsa Lodi is an American journalist who has been covering fashion in the Middle East for the past decade. She moved to the UAE at 14. She has a BA in Journalism from the Ryerson School of Journalism in Toronto and an MA in Islamic Law from SOAS in London. The relationships between religion, culture and modernity have always fascinated Hafsa, who covered topics like honour killings in Canada's South Asian communities, the use of DNA evidence in rape cases in Pakistan and the industrialisation of the Holy City of Makkah, before turning to the fashion journalism beat. She writes for *The National* newspaper and fashion magazines, Mojeh and Voque India.

Modesty

A Fashion Paradox

Bv Hafsa Lodi

Features interviews with high profile models. business women and academics, including Mariah Idrissi, Halima Aden, Melanie Elturk, Dian Pelangi and Faiza Bouquessa.

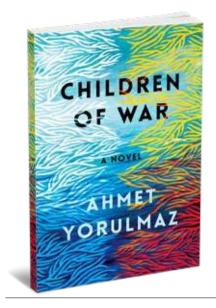
Modest fashion is a young, fast-growing, multibillion-dollar retail sector. What do we mean by Modest Fashion? Who are the personalities and companies driving this industry?

Modest fashion has been gaining momentum in the mainstream global fashion industry over the past half-decade and is now a multi-billion-dollar retail sector. Its growing and now consistent appearance on high-profile fashion runways, on celebrities and in the headlines of fashion publications and news outlets, has shown that the modest fashion movement is hugely relevant to consumers. This is particularly true for millennials who are attracted to the feminist influences behind concealing your body, follow faith-based dress codes, or are attuned to social media, where more and more modest fashion bloggers are using imagery to inspire their followers.

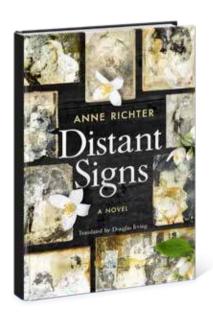
While the movement can credit European high fashion houses, like Gucci, for making conservative dresses and layering "in style" and "on trend," and subsequent Western labels like DKNY, H&M and Mango for dabbling in the realm of modest wear, it is the newly emerging group of faith-influenced fashion brands who are driving the revolution, along with a new crop of Muslim fashion bloggers. These have helped catapult demure dressing trends globally.

This book speaks to the various personalities and companies who have helped shape the modest fashion industry into such a significant retail sector, while also exploring the controversies that lie at the heart of the movement, such as one pressing question: even if it covers the skin but is flamboyant, modeled with the purpose of attracting attention, and publicly promoted on social media, can fashion truly be modest?"

LIFESTYLE - FASHION



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Children of War: A Novel

By Ahmet Yorulmaz and translated by Paula Darwish

This powerful novel, drawn from the diary of a refugee family, evokes the beauty, complexity and trauma of Crete's past and weaves it into a moving tale of an ordinary man living through extraordinary times.

Hassanakis is a young Muslim boy of Turkish descent growing up on Crete during WWI. Fifteen generations of his family have lived on the island and until now he has never had any reason not to think he is a Cretan. But with the Great Powers tussling over the collapsing Ottoman Empire and the island's Christians in rebellion, an outbreak of ethnic violence forces his family to flee to the Cretan City of Chania. He begins to lay down roots and his snappy dress earns him the nickname of Hassan 'the mirror'. As WWI draws to a close and the Turkish War of Independence rages, he begins a heady romance with the elegant Hüsniye. There are rumours that the Cretan Muslims will be sent to Turkey but Hassanakis can't believe he will be sent to a country whose language he barely knows and where he knows no-one.

FICTION - WWI

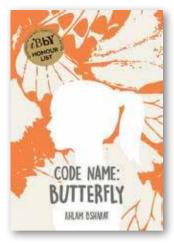
Distant Signs

By Anne Richter and translated by Douglas Irving

Historic fiction from East Germany post WWII to after the fall of the Berlin Wall, written by an author who was born and lived in the GDR and was 16 at the fall of the Berlin Wall.

Distant Signs is an intimate portrait of two families spanning three generations amidst turbulent political change, behind and beyond the Berlin Wall. In 1960s East Germany, Margret, a professor's daughter from the city, meets and marries Hans, from a small village in the Thuringian forest. The couple struggle to contend with their different backgrounds, and the emotional scars they bear from childhood in the aftermath of war. As East German history gradually unravels, with collision of the personal and political, their two families' hidden truths are quietly revealed. An exquisitely written novel with strongly etched characters that stay with you long after the book is finished and an authentic portrayal of family life behind the iron curtain based on personal experience of the author who is East German.

FICTION



Code Name: Butterfly

By Ahlam Bsharat and Translated by Nancy Roberts

Shortlisted for the Palestine Book Awards 2017.

With irony and poignant teenage idealism, Butterfly draws us into her world of adult hypocrisy, sibling rivalries, girlfriends' power plays, unrequited love...not to mention the political tension of life under occupation. As she observes her fragile environment with all its conflicts, Butterfly is compelled to question everything around her. Is her father a collaborator for the occupiers? Will Nizar ever give her the sign she's waiting for? How will her friendship with the activist Mays and the airhead Haya survive the unpredictable storms ahead? And why is 'honour' such a dangerous word, anyway?

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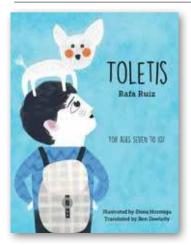
By Ahlam Bsharat

Arabic edition of Code Name: Butterfly. Shortlisted for the Etisalat Award for Arabic Children's Literature 2013.

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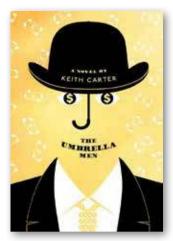
By Rafa Ruiz, Illustrated by Elena Hormiga and Translated by Ben Dawlatly

The trees are disappearing and the adults seem unconcerned. Toletis, his dog Amenophis, friends Claudia and Tutan are on a mission to find ingenious ways of replacing them and turning their little town, set deep in the mountains, lusciously green again.

The trees and grass are disappearing to make way for a new section of road. Toletis, his dog Amenophis, friends Claudia and Tutan are on a mission to find ingenious ways of replacing them and turning their little valley town, set deep in the mountains, lusciously green again. The odds are stacked against them. Can they succeed... with some very unusual help?

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CHILDREN'S FICTION



The Umbrella Men

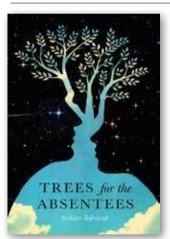
By Keith Carter

A witty, fast-paced and acerbic novel set in pristine Oregon and the corporate corridors of New York, London and China. A story for our times where finance, environmentalism, rare-earth mining and human frailties collide in a complex of flawed motives.

Covers corporate greed, the hubris of bankers, contradictions of the clean energy economy and their unintended consequences on everyday people. Finance, environmentalism, rare-earth mining and human frailties collide in a complex of flawed motives. We follow Peter Mount, the self-made Chief Executive of a London-based rare-earth mining company as he and his business are buffeted by crisis-torn Royal Bank of Scotland and by his own actions, real and imagined.

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FICTION



Trees For The Absentees

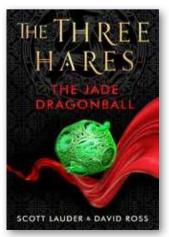
By Ahlam Bsharat, Ruth Ahmedzai Kemp and Sue Copeland

Young love, meddling aunts, heart-to-hearts with friends real and imagined, Philistia's world is that of an ordinary student. Except in Palestine, and with your father in jail, nothing is ordinary.

Philistia is closest to her childhood, and to her late grandmother and her imprisoned father, when she's at her part-time job washing women's bodies at the ancient Ottoman hammam in Nablus, the West Bank. A midwife and corpse washer in her time, Grandma Zahia taught Philistia the ritual ablutions and the secrets of the body: the secrets of life and death.

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FICTION



The Three Hares

THREE HARES SERIES

The Jade Dragonball

By Scott Lauder and David Ross

Sara Livingstone's school trip to the Beijing Palace Museum takes a terrifying turn when an encounter with the ancient Qingming Scroll thrusts her a thousand years into China's past.

Sara Livingstone's school trip to the Beijing Palace Museum takes a terrifying turn when an encounter with the ancient Qingming Scroll thrusts her a thousand years into China's past. With secrets in the shadows and danger around every corner, Sara relies on her wits and her Granny Tang's stories to survive. As dark forces gather, she must take her place in a cosmic battle and find the courage to face an unworldly ancient magic.

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FICTION



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In the Trenches

A Russian Woman Soldier's Story of World War I

By Tatiana Dubinskaya and Edited by Lawrence Kaplan

Based on the true story of the author's life during WWI - fifteen-year-old Zina runs away from home to serve on the Eastern Front as a soldier in the Russian army.

This revised edition of In the Trenches has been edited using select portions from Machine Gunner to provide greater clarity and context to Dubinskaya's original story. In the Trenches received critical acclaim when first published, being favourably compared with Erich Maria Remarque's 1929 classic World War I novel, All Quiet on the Western Front.

Tatiana L. Dubinskava was a schoolairl who ran away from home and served on the Eastern Front from 1916-17 as a soldier in the Russian army during World War I. She later became a writer and in 1930 recounted her personal experiences as a soldier in an autobiographical novel, In the Trenches. In 1936 she revised and republished a shorter version of her story under a new title, Machine Gunner.

WORLD WAR I

Glenn Miller Declassified

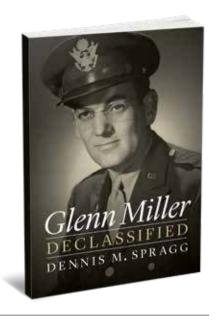
NEW IN PAPERBACK

By Dennis M. Spraga

Weaving together cultural and military history, it tells the story of the musical legend Miller and his military career as commanding officer of the Army Air Force Band during World War II.

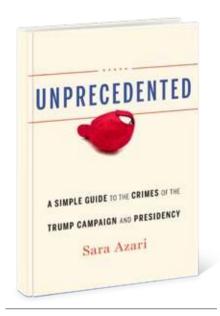
On December 15, 1944, Maj. Alton Glenn Miller, commanding officer of the Army Air Force Band (Special), boarded a plane in England bound for France with Lt. Col. Norman Francis Baessell. Somewhere over the English Channel the plane vanished. No trace of the aircraft or its occupants has ever been found. To this day Miller, Baessell, and the pilot, John Robert Stuart Morgan, are classified as missing in action. Miller's disappearance resulted in numerous conspiracy theories, especially since much of the information surrounding his military service had been classified, restricted, or, in some cases, lost. Dennis M. Spragg has gained unprecedented access to the Miller family archives as well as military and government documents to lay such theories to rest and to demonstrate the lasting legacy and importance of Miller's life, career, and service to his country.

> **WORLD WAR II MUSIC HISTORY**

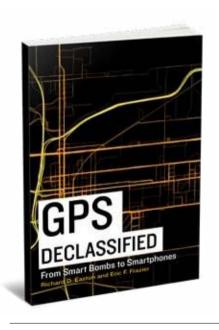


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Unprecedented

A Simple Guide to the Crimes of the Trump Campaign and Presidency

By Sara Azari

A simple, go-to guide to the many legal issues engulfing the Donald Trump presidency.

The book is a case study of crimes, constitutional violations, and defences seen through the lens of the Trump White House, from Donald Trump's candidacy in 2016 through the present. In a colourful, engaging, and easy-to-read style, attorney Sara Azari covers the Trump campaign and administration characters who, one by one, are being charged with crimes. Azari applies the law objectively to the actual facts as we know them and analyses each case impartially, regardless of the personality involved. Readers will take away a depth of understanding that leads to informed opinions and more meaningful discussion about what we see in the news.

Sara Azari is a practicing lawyer who specialises in whitecollar crime, defending clients in state courts and federal district courts in the US. She also provides legal commentary and analysis for national media outlets including CNN and ABC.

POLITICS - AMERICA

GPS Declassified

NEW IN PAPERBACK

From Smart Bombs to Smartphones

By Richard D. Easton and Eric F. Frazier

Examines the development of GPS from its secret, Cold War military roots to its emergence as a worldwide consumer industry.

Drawing on previously unexplored documents, the authors examine how military rivalries influenced the creation of GPS and shaped public perceptions about its origin. Told by a son of a US navy insider – whose work helped lay the foundations for the system – and a science and technology journalist, the story chronicles the research and technological advances required for the development of GPS. The authors peek behind the scenes at pivotal events in GPS history. They note how the technology moved from the laboratory to the battlefield to the dashboard and the smartphone.

HISTORY OF TECHNOLOGY



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Deconstructing Dr. Strangelove

The Secret History of Nuclear War Films

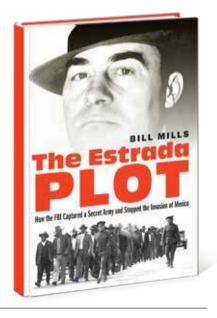
By Sean M. Maloney

Examines how well the Cold War crisis films stack up against historical reality, or at least as much of that reality as we can reconstruct with confidence.

The 1964 comedy film Dr. Strangelove, or: How I Learned to Stop Worrying and Love the Bomb has achieved cult and now iconic status in popular culture. It is also the flagship of an entire genre of Cold War nuclear crisis films, which is employed in numerous academic disciplines to depict what many view as the prime absurdity of the Cold War: nuclear deterrence and its possible failure. However, the further we get away from those dangerous years, the more art takes over from life/history/reality.

Sean M. Malony is a professor of history at Royal Military College and served as the Canadian Army's Historian for the war in Afghanistan from 2013 to 2014.

FILM - COLD WAR



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The Estrada Plot

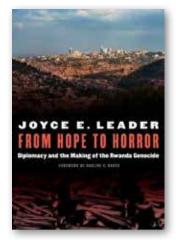
How the FBI Captured a Secret Army and Stopped the Invasion of Mexico

By Bill Mills

The newly formed FBI tracks down exiled Mexican general Enrique Estrada and his secret army to stop him from overthrowing the Mexican government.

The Estrada Plot is the first book ever written about the Estrada Conspiracy, the last great "untold story" of the early FBI. During the summer of 1926, exiled general Enrique Estrada organised an underground army in southern California for an all-out invasion of Mexico. At the eleventh hour, after an intense investigation, Estrada's army was captured at the border by a team of federal agents and local lawmen. This book is unlike any previous work about the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

SECRET SERVICES - AMERICA



From Hope to Horror

Diplomacy and the Making of the Rwanda Genocide

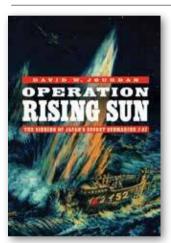
By Joyce E. Leader

Examines Joyce E. Leader's time in the struggling state of Rwanda during the early 1990s, documenting the challenges and troubling disruptions that the transitioning society faced.

Former ambassador Joyce E. Leader was DCM in Kigali from 1991 until the genocide erupted in 1994 and is a recognised authority on the failed diplomatic efforts to avert the tragedy. Here Leader depicts her first-hand account of Rwanda's descent from the prospect of democracy and peace into horrific genocide. From a field perspective, *From Hope to Horror* follows the political quest to maintain or gain power that ultimately unleashed a three-way struggle leading to deep geographic and ethnic divisions in Rwandan society.

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DIPLOMACY & POLITICS
AFRICA



Operation Rising Sun

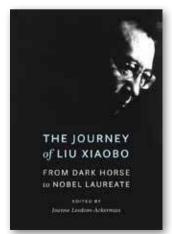
The Sinking of Japan's Secret Submarine I-52

By David W. Jourdan

Recovers the sunken history of the Japanese cargo-carrying submarine I-52, exploring air-sea-undersea warfare and Japanese technology during World War II.

World War II gave rise to tales of epic battles, sagas of heroism, bravery, and cowardice. The sinking of Japanese submarine I-52 is one such tale. Author David W. Jourdan recovers this sunken history and explores how Allied codebreaking, the victory over the Axis's desperate mission for much-needed resources, and a modern-day treasure hunt contributed to the contemporary understanding of resource manipulation, air-sea-undersea warfare, and Japanese technology during World War II.

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HISTORY OF TECHNOLOGY



The Journey of Liu Xiaobo

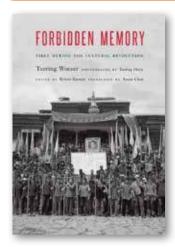
From Dark Horse to Nobel Laureate

Edited by Joanne Leedom-Ackerman, Yu Zhang, Jie Li and Tienchi Martin-Liao

Presents a unique portrait of Liu Xiaobo from many who knew him during his life, from childhood to his final days.

This collection of over eighty short essays and reflections are likely the largest gathering of writers from the Chinese Democracy Movement in one volume, and contribute basic texts to understanding the man who has been compared to Nelson Mandela in his importance to the development and progress of China toward a free society. These rich offerings from leading Chinese writers and intellectuals as well as from noted China scholars and journalists and political leaders around the globe present a personal as well as an intellectual portrait.

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Forbidden Memory

Tibet During the Cultural Revolution

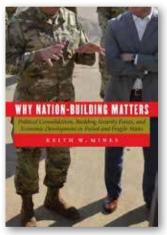
By Tsering Woeser and translated by Susan Chen

Provides a glimpse of the history of the Chinese Cultural Revolution in the Tibetan Region through the power of never-before-seen photographs, detailed interviews, and cultural analysis.

Denouncing the Chinese government's invasion of Tibet, writer and activist Tsering Woeser reflects deeply on the ethnic character and cultural traditions of Tibet. The collection of photographs were taken by Woeser's father, and reveal how the Chinese government transformed the once-secluded Buddhist state into a hell on earth — sacred temples demolished, cultural artefacts destroyed, monks and nuns humiliated and beaten, and formidable processions of troops, bedecked with flags and banners and they march through the mountains.

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ASIAN HISTORY



Why Nation-Building Matters

NEW IN PAPERBACK

Political Consolidation, Building Security Forces, and Economic Development in Failed and Fragile States

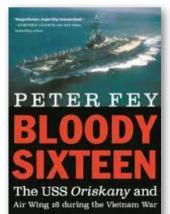
By Keith W. Mines

A proposed doctrine and architecture in the core areas of building security forces, economic development, and political consolidation.

This book covers a series of recent illustrative cases - Colombia, Grenada, El Salvador, Somalia, Haiti, Darfur, Afghanistan, and Iraq - in which Keith Mines participated as a Special Forces officer, diplomat, occupation administrator, and United Nations official. The book proposes a doctrine and architecture in the core areas of building security forces, economic development, and political consolidation that blends soft and hard power into a deployable and effective package.

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DIPLOMACY & DEVELOPMENT



Bloody Sixteen

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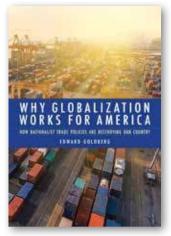
The USS Oriskany and Air Wing 16 during the Vietnam War By Peter Fey

The Vietnam War aircraft carrier USS Oriskany and its aviators come to life in this memorial to the fall of Carrier Air Wing 16 (CVW-16).

Strategy and reality collide in Peter Fey's gripping history of aircraft carrier USS Oriskany's three deployments to Vietnam with Carrier Air Wing 16 (CVW-16). Its tours coincided with the most dangerous phases of Operation Rolling Thunder, and accounted for a quarter of all the naval aircraft lost in the operation – the highest loss rate of any carrier air wing during Vietnam. Fey portrays the Oriskany and its heroes in an indelible memorial to the fallen of CVW-16 in hopes that the lessons learned from such strategic disasters are not forgotten in today's sphere of war-bent politics.

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VIETNAM - AIRCRAFT **CARRIERS**



Why Globalization Works for America

How Nationalist Trade Policies Are Destroying Our Country

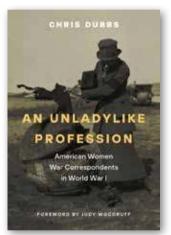
By Edward Goldberg (New York University)

Economist Edward Goldberg argues why globalisation is here to stay and why America is the winner in the game of globalisation.

No other book so clearly demonstrates why globalisation works for America, why what the president is saying is "fake news," and why his trade policies are a disaster. The United States is a child of globalisation and it is a part of its history: the Revolutionary War was financed in Amsterdam and Paris and the great American Industrial Revolution was made possible because of mostly immigrant labour. This trend has only progressed: globalisation has become so ubiquitous that most Americans are nonchalant about its presence.

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POLITICS - GLOBALISM AMERICA



An Unladylike Profession

American Women War Correspondents in World War I

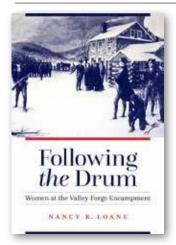
By Chris Dubbs

Tells the dramatic stories of over thirty women who travelled to Europe to write about World War I for America's newspapers and magazines.

When war broke out in Europe in August 1914, female journalists travelled to the warring countries, even reporting from the dangerous vantage of the front lines, to cover the conflict from beginning to end. In addition, they produced articles on political unrest, labour conditions, and social change, such as food shortages, progress in women's rights, and the rise of socialism. At a time when women were still novelties in the newsroom, these journalists defied gender norms and official restrictions to establish a new role for themselves in reporting the greatest war in history.

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WORLD WAR I
WOMEN AT WAR



Following the Drum

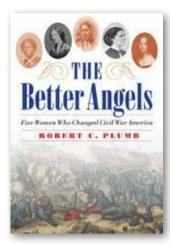
Women at the Valley Forge Encampment

By Nancy K. Loane

The story of the forgotten women who spent the winter of 1777–78 with the Continental Army at Valley Forge.

Drawing from diary entries and letters, *Following the Drum* illuminates the experiences of these ladies, including Martha Washington, Lucy Knox, and Lady Stirling, during the encampment and then traces their lives after the Revolutionary War. Contrary to past arguments, no evidence suggests that Martha Washington visited informally among the troops at any camp, including Valley Forge. Readers will learn of the 1777-78 encampment from the women who lived it and undoubtedly discover a Valley Forge that many never knew existed.

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The Better Angels

Five Women Who Changed Civil War America

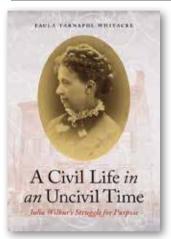
Bv Robert C. Plumb

This biography examines five remarkable women who made important contributions to the Union cause at various stages before. during, and following the defining years of the American Civil War.

The Better Angels explores the awakenings of these five women and how their lives were affected by the war. Each of the five women's stories is filled with times of joy, frustration, success, confrontation, disappointment, and satisfaction that shaped them as they found purpose and fulfilment during a devastating war. The Better Angels chronicles these watershed times as the doors of opportunity open for Clara Barton, Julia Ward Howe, Sarah Josepha Hale, Harriet Beecher Stowe, and Harriet Tubman.

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AMERICAN CIVIL WAR **WOMEN AT WAR**



A Civil Life in an Uncivil Time

Julia Wilbur's Struggle for Purpose

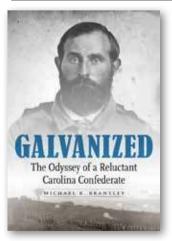
By Paula Tarnapol Whitacre

The biography of Julia Wilbur, who left her conventional life to aid newly freed slaves, injured Union soldiers, and, later, the women's suffrage movement in the late nineteenth century.

A Civil Life in an Uncivil Time shapes Wilbur's diaries and other primary sources into a historical narrative sending the reader back 150 years to understand a woman who was alternately brave, self-pitying, foresighted, petty – and all too human. It is the captivating story of a woman who remade herself at midlife during a period of massive social upheaval and change.

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AMERICAN CIVIL WAR WOMEN AT WAR



Galvanized

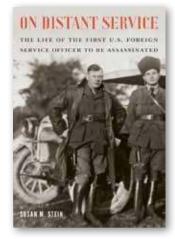
The Odyssey of a Reluctant Carolina Confederate

By Michael K. Brantley

The story of an ordinary North Carolina farmer reluctantly drawn into the Civil War and thrown into a fight for survival.

Wright Stephen Batchelor was a farmer from eastern North Carolina who had never left Nash County. However, much like his state, Batchelor's life was upended by the Civil War. He served in both armies, survived Gettysburg, was captured twice, escaped, went to prison, deserted, walked halfway across the country, and, after everything, was the victim of a bizarre murder. Author Michael K. Brantley delves into this common man's Civil War story, detailing his harrowing experiences and, along the way, describing a South in the aftermath of war.

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On Distant Service

The Life of the First U.S. Foreign Service Officer to Be Assassinated By Susan M. Stein

The story of Imbrie holds the elements of any good story adventure, danger, suspense, conflict, romance, tragedy, a strong protagonist, and enduring significance.

The first American foreign service officer to die a violent death for political reasons was Robert Whitney Imbrie, murdered in Teheran on July 18, 1924. Commercial and political interests collide in a vicious attack on Imbrie, who succumbs to shock, having been stabbed 130 times on the Cossack parade grounds and in a police hospital. In Tehran, the American delegation faces the aftermath of Imbrie's death and what they do determines the future of U.S.-Iranian relations to the present day.

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BIOGRAPHY - DIPLOMACY



Before Chappaquiddick

The Untold Story of Mary Jo Kopechne

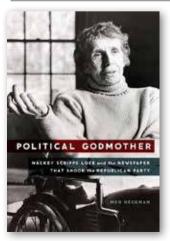
By William C. Kashatus (Northern University)

This biography explores the life and death of a devoted Kennedy staffer during a transformative period in modern American history.

Before Chappaquiddick is a biography of Mary Jo Kopechne, a twenty-eight-year-old secretary who worked on the senatorial staff of Robert F. Kennedy and his 1968 presidential campaign. Whilst later working for Ted Kennedy, she was killed in July 1989 when a car he was driving plunged off a bridge in Chappaguiddick Isla. Based on interviews with family, friends, and colleagues who worked with her on RFK's senatorial staff from 1965 to 1968 and recently released FBI documents.

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BIOGRAPHY - POLITICS



Political Godmother

Nackey Scripps Loeb and the Newspaper That Shook the Republican Party

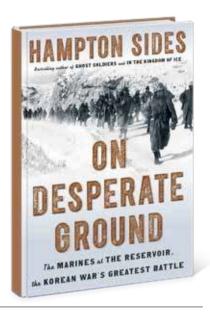
By Meg Heckman

A biography of Nackey Scripps Loeb, the longtime publisher of the Manchester (NH) Union Leader, that traces connections between her influence and our current political moment.

Political Godmother presents an opportunity to examine the right-wing media landscape during the final two decades of the twentieth century and ponder how it helped shape the modern conservative movement. The narrative addresses the geographic reach of Loeb's audience and the implications of their engagement, which eventually paved the way for modern conservative blogs.

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BIOGRAPHY - POLITICS



235 x 156mm 416 pages · December 2019 9781101971215 · Paperback · £13.99 9780385541152 · Hardback · £22.99 **Presidio Press**

On Desperate Ground

The Marines at The Reservoir, the Korean War's Greatest Battle

By Hampton Sides

Uses years of archival research, unpublished letters, declassified documents, and interviews with scores of Marines and Koreans who survived the siege.

"Superb... A masterpiece of thorough research, deft pacing and arresting detail...This war story—the fight to break out of a frozen hell near the Chosin Reservoir—has been told many times before. But Sides tells it exceedingly well, with fresh research, gritty scenes and cinematic sweep." - Washington Post

From the New York Times bestselling author, a chronicle of the extraordinary feats of heroism by Marines called on to do the impossible during the greatest battle of the Korean War.

KOREAN WAR - AMERICAN



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By Riccardo Niccoli

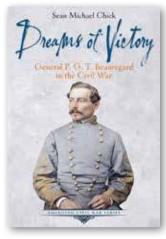
A complete publication on all the Italian Defence and Security forces, and its industry.

Includes an exclusive interview with the Italian Army Chief of Staff, reports on new Italian Joint Cyber Command as well as the Italian Air Force Tornado fleet update, including an in-flight report; reports on the Italian Army Academy, the 4th Rgt. Rangers, the Italian Navy 1st Division, the new LHD ship, and the Italian Police anti-terrorism unit, and much more.

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MODERN WARFARE

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Dreams of Victory

General P. G. T. Beauregard in the Civil War

By Sean Michael Chick

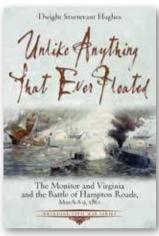
Explores a life of contradictions and dreams unrealised — the first real hero of the Confederacy who sometimes proved to be his own worst enemy.

Few Civil War generals attracted as much debate and controversy as Pierre Gustav Toutant Beauregard. He combined brilliance and charisma with arrogance and histrionics. He was a Catholic Creole in a society dominated by white Protestants. He was reviled by Jefferson Davis and often mocked by Mary Chesnut in her diary. Yet, he was popular with his soldiers and subordinates. Outside of Lee, he was the South's most consistently successful commander, yet he lived his life in the shadow of his one major defeat: Shiloh.

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AMERICAN CIVIL WAR



Unlike Anything That Ever Floated

The Monitor and Virginia and the Battle of Hampton Roads, March 8-9, 1862

By Dwight Sturtevant Hughes

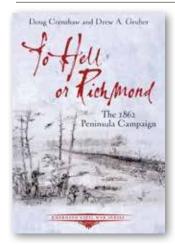
This dramatic story of the two warships unfolds through the accounts of men who lived it.

The USS *Monitor* became an icon of American industrial ingenuity and strength. She redefined the relationship between men and machines in war. But beforehand, many feared she would not float. The CSS *Virginia* was a paradigm of Confederate strategy and execution – the brainchild of innovative, dedicated, and courageous men, but the victim of hurried design, untested technology, poor planning and coordination, and a dearth of critical resources.

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AMERICAN CIVIL WAR



To Hell or Richmond

The 1862 Peninsula Campaign

By Doug Crenshaw and Drew A. Gruber

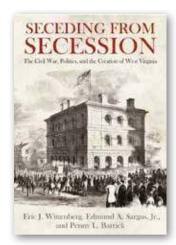
The authors follow the armies on their trek up the peninsula as stakes grew enormous, surprises awaited, and the soldiers themselves had only two possible destinations in mind.

In the spring of 1862, George McClellan and his massive army were slowly making their way up the Virginia Peninsula. Their goal: capture the Confederate capital and end the rebellion. "To Hell or Richmond" one Federal artillery unit vowed, sewing the words onto their flag. As McClellan approached the very gates of Richmond, a great battle was brewing. Could the Confederates save their capital and, with it, their young nation? Could the Federals win the war with a single fatal blow?

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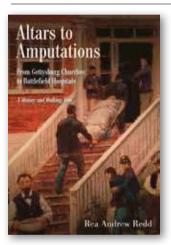
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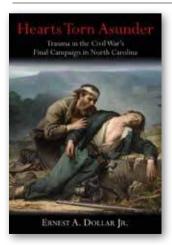
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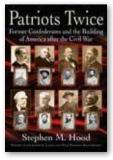
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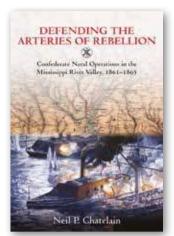
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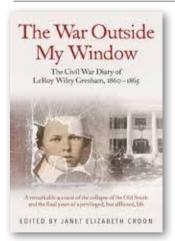
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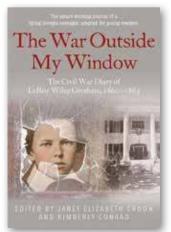
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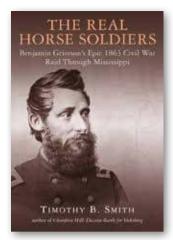
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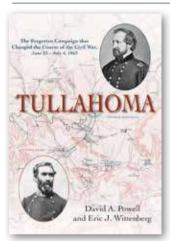
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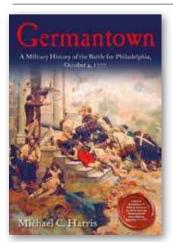
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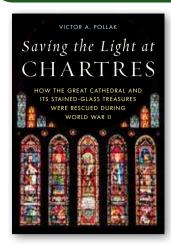
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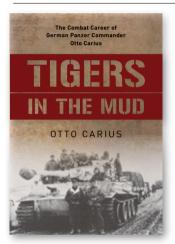
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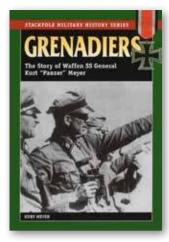
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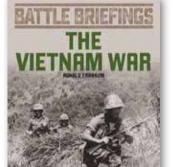
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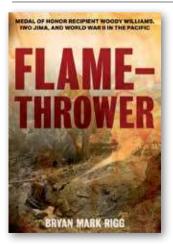
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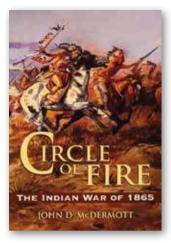
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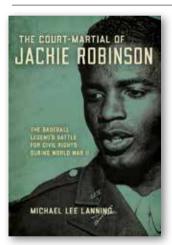
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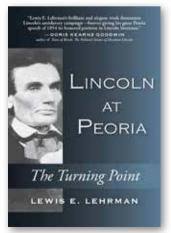
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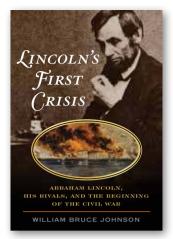
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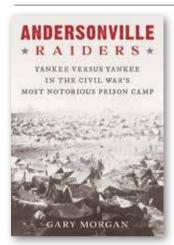
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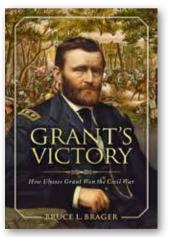
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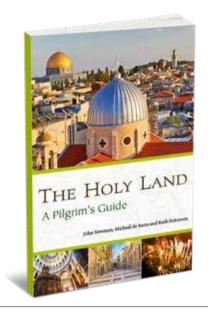
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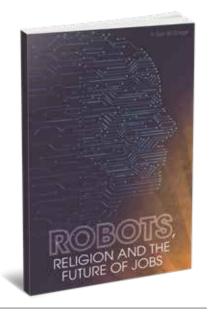
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By Fr Sean Mc Donagh

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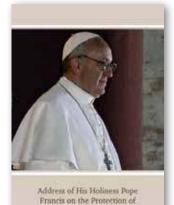
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Sean McDonagh is a Columban priest and eco-theologian. He has spent many years working in Mindanao in the Philippines. He has worked to raise awareness of the connections between justice and peace issues, environmental sustainability, and the Christian faith.

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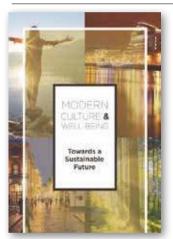
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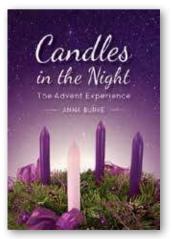
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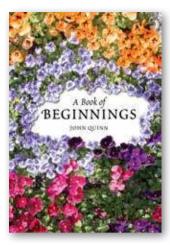
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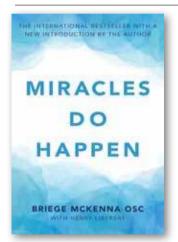
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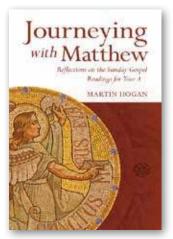
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RELIGION



Journeying with Matthew

Reflections on the Sunday Gospel Readings for Year A By Martin Hogan

The 3rd in the series of reflections on the Sunday readings from the Gospel of Matthew used during Year A.

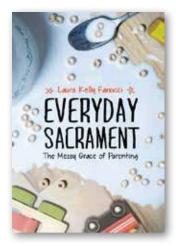
Perfect for sermon preparation, personal reflection or group study, this book offers an engaging and thought-provoking account of the Gospel of Matthew that will appeal to newcomers and seasoned scripture scholars alike. This enlightening guide explores salient themes that would have resonated with the Gospel's earliest readers, as well as with Christians today, and suggests imaginative new ways to encounter Matthew in terms of our faith journey. An inspiring resource, it will serve as an indispensable companion for both clergy and laity.

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Everyday Sacrament

The Messy Grace of Parenting

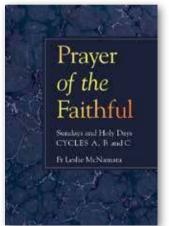
By Laura Kelly Fanucci

A spiritual memoir of parenting's early years and a sacramental theology rooted in family life, it offers an honest, humorous and hopeful look at ordinary moments as full of grace.

Laura Kelly Fanucci sees the Catholic sacraments through the smudged and sticky lens of life with little ones. From dinner-time chaos to bath-time giggles to never-ending loads of laundry, Laura stumbles into the surprising truth of what the seven sacraments really mean: that God is present always, even in the messes of parenthood. A spiritual memoir of parenting's early years and a sacramental theology rooted in family life, *Everyday Sacrament* offers an honest, humorous and hopeful look at ordinary moments as full of grace.

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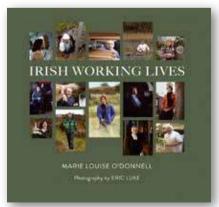
By Leslie Mcnamara

A fundamental part of the liturgy, prompting reflection in parishioners in a unique and special way throughout the Church year.

In this invaluable collection, Fr Leslie McNamara has been guided by the General Instruction of the Roman Missal and offers readers a wide-ranging selection of intentions for use throughout the three-year cycle (A, B, C). The wording of the prayers has been specially tailored to suit the particular celebration or Sunday in question, with intentions that respond in a thoughtful and nuanced fashion to the liturgical season, the lectionary readings and the challenges facing both the Church and society today. This important work is offered as a resource for priests, leaders of prayer and all who inspire and engage our congregations in worship on Sundays and holy days throughout the year.

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Irish Working Lives

By Mary Louise O'Donnell and photography by Eric Luke

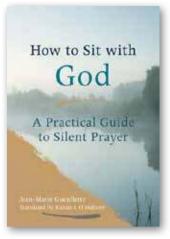
The story of the ways in which individuals perceive their chosen occupation, its day-to-day demands and the inextricable relationship between work life and spiritual life.

Work accounts for so much of our waking lives, yet we rarely reflect upon or celebrate the contribution of those whose vocations and careers are the bedrock of a thriving society. As a broadcaster, Marie Louise has had the privilege of spending 'work time' and 'thought time' with a broad array of individuals across Ireland, gaining a unique insight into the practicalities of their particular occupation and learning about what inspires or motivates them in their chosen field.

In these impassioned, remarkably diverse vignettes, Marie Louise relates her travels across the length and breadth of the country, engaging with a selection of committed Irish men and women.

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How To Sit With God

A Practical Guide to Silent Prayer

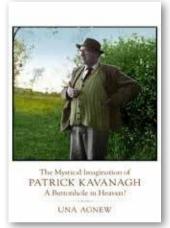
By Jean-Marie Gueullette

Explores various approaches to Christian meditation and invites readers to share in its long and storied history.

Silence and interiority are not merely the preserve of Eastern religions and philosophies; Christianity, as Jean-Marie Gueullette explains in this essential guide, offers a very simple way of praying in silence, by focusing on the presence of God through the inner repetition of his name. It also explains how readers can introduce 'monologist' prayer or 'the prayer of inner silence' into their own spiritual lives in a pragmatic way and explores its rich benefits, for both body and soul. Jean-Marie Gueullette OP teaches at the Catholic University of Lyon, where he directs the Interdisciplinary Centre of Ethics.

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The Mystical Imagination of Patrick Kavanagh

A Buttonhole In Heaven?

By Una Agnew SSL

Una Agnew situates Kavanagh's life and writings squarely in the tradition of Christian mysticism, exploring how his intensely earthy and accessible poems celebrate the presence of the divine 'in the bits and pieces of everyday'.

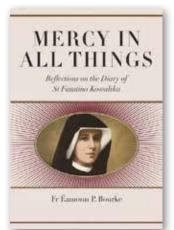
"In her study of the turbulent imagination of this turbulent man, Una Agnew has succeeded in unveiling the still centre. In doing this she has placed us all in her debt."

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Mercy In All Things

Reflections on The Diary of St Faustina Kowalski

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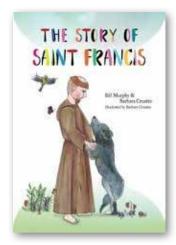
A series of prayerful reflections based on the Diary of St Faustina, the Saint of Divine Mercy.

"Act in such a way that all those who come in contact with you will go away joyful. Sow happiness about you because you have received much from God." – **St Faustina**.

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The Story of Saint Francis

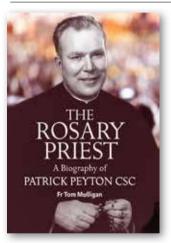
By Bill Murphy and Illustrated by Barbara Croatto

A charmingly illustrated account of the beloved Italian saint who founded the Franciscan Friars and was renowned for showing kindness to all God's creatures.

Saint Francis, like Pope Francis today, believed love is the most important quality in life, especially love of God, of others and of the world around us. In this book readers will learn how illness and his time spent in prison affected Saint Francis deeply and strengthened his relationship with God. Readers also discover how Francis devoted his life to helping the poor, his taming of the wolf of Gubbio and his great friendship with a noblewoman named Clare. *The Story of St Francis* teaches readers to follow Francis by carrying out small acts of kindness every day to help friends, family, neighbours and the natural world.

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The Rosary Priest

A Biography of Patrick Peyton

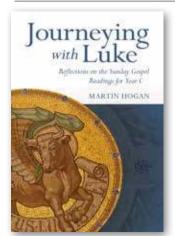
By Fr Tom Mulligan

Celebrates a remarkable figure in Irish Catholicism who, from humble beginnings in a poor west of Ireland family, travelled the globe converting millions to his simple message of family prayer.

Mayo-born Fr Patrick Peyton became famous in the mid-twentieth century for championing the power of prayer with his mantra 'the family that prays together stays together', and for travelling the world with Family Rosary Crusades that attracted thousands of devotees. This book brings to life this devout and charismatic figure who became a household name in America where he produced hit radio shows and films that captivated millions and starred Hollywood luminaries Bing Crosby, James Dean, Grace Kelly and Loretta Young.

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RELIGION



Journeying with Luke

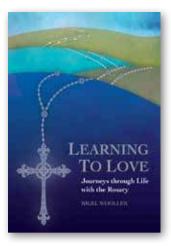
Reflections on the Sunday Gospel Readings for Year C

By Martin Hogan

Provides a series of engaging and thought-provoking reflections designed to help those who wish to study the Gospel reading during the liturgical year.

These reflections examine the relevance of Luke's Gospel for Christians today, and will appeal to both clergy and laity wishing to explore the Word of God in greater depth. The author is particularly interested in Luke's unique handling of subjects that form the bedrock of Christianity, including the representation of Christ as a 'compassionate saviour' who champions the rights of the marginalised and dispossessed; the special place of women; the importance of prayer; and the role of the Holy Spirit.

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Learning to Love

Journeys through Life with the Rosary

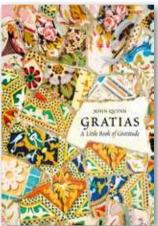
By Nigel Woollen

In this approachable book, written with a welcome lightness of touch, Scripture passages, personal reflections and surprising anecdotes combine as readers are encouraged to re-examine their lives in the light of God's loving care, to help grow in love.

If we consider our experience here on this earth as a journey on which we are learning to love, then the Rosary is one way of illuminating our spiritual path. Taking this timeless prayer as his starting point, Nigel Woollen sees each of the Mysteries of the Rosary as the embodiment of various stages of our earthly journeying and encourages the reader to share in its wisdom and consolation.

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Gratias

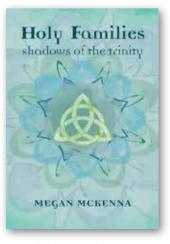
A Little Book Of Gratitude

By John Quinn

With contributions from over one hundred sources, ranging from Pope Francis to Richard Burton, and Seamus Heaney to Maureen Potter, it offers the reader a wide spectrum of inspirational insights into the rewards of being thankful for the blessings we receive in our daily lives.

Gratias is an anthology of personal experiences, poems, memories, reflections and prayers in which expressions of thankfulness are recalled by a wide range of contributors. Through wisdom – ancient and modern – the reader is invited to reflect on the gift of gratitude in their own lives and to express this gratitude for all things including: the natural world; the gift of love; health and healing; silence; contentment; parents; everyday things; teachers; blessings; the gift of faith; and a loving God.

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Holy Families

Shadows of the Trinity

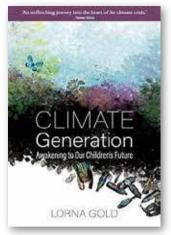
By Megan Mckenna

Explores how and why families are the living embodiment of Christian values and teachings.

In Holy Families: Shadows of the Trinity readers are invited to view the key scriptural accounts of the Holy Family as providing a model and template for families today. By focusing on the inevitable triumphs and travails that are part and parcel of marriage and child-rearing, the author teases out the very real links between the challenges experienced by Joseph, Jesus and Mary, and those facing families in the contemporary world. Reflecting on key Gospel events – the Annunciation and Visitation, the Presentation, and the Resurrection among them – this book explores how fathers, children and mothers are shadows of the image of God the Father, the Child and the Spirit in the Trinity.

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Climate Generation

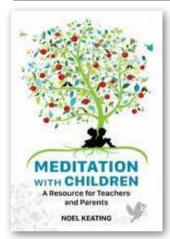
Awakening to Our Children's Future

By Lorna Gold

The author shares her personal journey in understanding what 'climate change' means for her as a mother seeking to protect her children and, by extension, the world of which we are all a part.

Climate change is the greatest challenge of our generation—we hear it all the time. But do we really believe it? What if we were to let those words settle a little, penetrate minds and hearts deeply, and accept their troubling, terrifying truth? What if we were to understand that climate change isn't something far away out there in space and time, but something that affects us here and now? Climate change is a real danger, which risks destroying our Children's future. This book tells the story of how one mother was awakened to this reality and how it changed her life.

> **RELIGION - CLIMATE** CHANGE



Meditation with Children

A Resource for Teachers and Parents

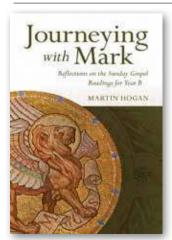
By Noel Keating

A helpful guide to Christian meditation for children.

The book encourages adults to experience meditation for themselves and equips them with the tools to introduce the practice to children, including simple lesson plans that can be implemented at home, in the classroom or on a whole-school basis. Children today are living in a fast-paced world where one solitary voice can easily get lost amid the din. Regular meditation helps children to relax, generate energy and confidence, become aware of their innate goodness, and engage more compassionately with their peers.

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RELIGION - CLIMATE CHANGE



Journeying with Mark

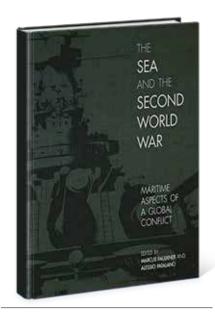
Reflections on the Sunday Gospel Readings for Year B

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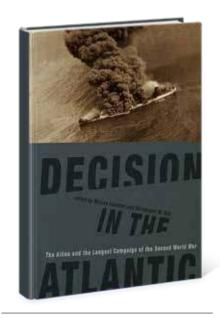
A thoughtful collection of commentaries on the Sunday readings for the Year of Mark (Year B) written for the benefit of homilists, laypeople and anyone who would like to prayerfully reflect on Mark's Gospel.

Martin Hogan takes a fresh and imaginative approach to these readings, highlighting their relevance to everyday life with particular emphasis on both the blessings and the trials experienced by those in the modern world. Although rooted in Scripture, these homilies are concerned with the challenges facing Christians in contemporary society and are written with a lightness of touch that will appeal to preacher and lay reader alike.

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The sea shaped the course and conduct of World War II, from the first moments of the German invasion of Poland on September 1, 1939, to the Japanese surrender on September 2, 1945. The impact could be felt far beyond the shoreline, as the arms and armies carried across the oceans were ultimately destined to wage war ashore. As the war grew in complexity and covered an increasingly larger geographical area, the organisation of the maritime effort and the impact it had on the formulation of national strategy also evolved. This volume provides new insights into political, strategic, administrative, and operational aspects of the maritime dimension of the war.

> **MARITIME & NAVAL HISTORY**

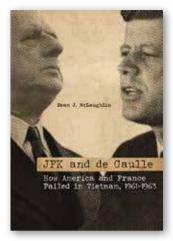
> > **HISTORY**

Decision in the Atlantic

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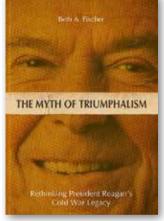
Studies in Conflict, Diplomacy, and Peace

Rethinking President Reagan's Cold War Legacy

By Beth A. Fischer (University of Toronto)

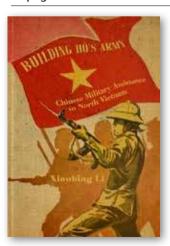
Exposes Reagan's dedication to diplomacy and his unorthodox views about global security, which frequently brought him into conflict with his own advisers and allies.

Drawing on US and Soviet sources, this study demonstrates that triumphalism is a series of falsehoods about President Reagan's intentions, his policies, and the impact his administration had on the Soviet Union. This volume also explains why Moscow chose to abandon the arms race, adopt democratic reforms, and withdraw from its war in Afghanistan.



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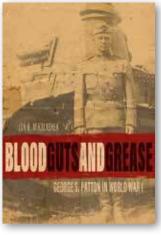
By Xiaobing Li (University of Central Oklahoma)

This study sheds new light on China's efforts in the Vietnam War; it utilises secondary works in Chinese, Vietnamese, and Western languages, and the author's own familiarity as a former member of the Chinese People's Liberation Army.

Western strategists and historians have long speculated about the extent of China's involvement in Vietnam, but it was not until recently that newly available archival materials revealed the true extent of China's influence - its level of military assistance training, strategic advising, and monetary means during the war. This illuminating study answers questions about China's intention, objective, strategy, and operations of its involvement in the Vietnam Wars.

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CHINA - VIETNAM WAR



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By Jon B. Mikolashek (US Army Command College) and Foreword by Paul T. Mikolashek

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WORLD WAR I

Camp Century

The Cold War Under the Ice Sheet of Greenland

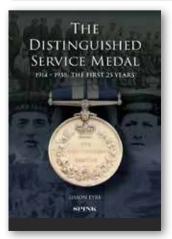
By Henry Nielsen and Kristian Hvidtfeldt Nielsen (Aarhus University)

At the height of the Cold War, the US Army secretly began work on a military base embedded deep in the Greenland ice cap. Officially named Camp Century and defined as a scientific research station, this facility held an undisclosed potential to bring about mass destruction.

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COLD WAR



The Distinguished Service Medal

The First 25 Years

By Simon Eyre

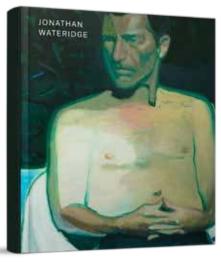
Documents all the surviving recommendations for these awards with analysis of the campaigns for which the awards were made.

The Distinguished Service Medal was the main gallantry medal given to naval ratings during the First World War. The citations for these awards are difficult to identify in surviving documents. For the first time this book documents all the surviving recommendations for these awards and provides analysis of the campaigns for which the awards were made. The posthumous recommendations for the medal and details of other awards made to DSM recipients are included.

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GALLANTRY - MEDALS





Jonathan Wateridge – Enclave/Expatria

By Jonathan Wateridge and Edited by Mark Sanders and By Gilda Williams

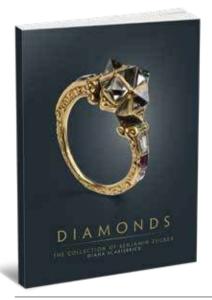
Through his beautiful and disconcerting works depicting carefree sunny days beside exclusive suburban pools, Lusaka-born, Britain-based painter Wateridge (b.1972) revisits his own childhood in post-independence Zambia in the 1970s and '80s, exploring issues of White privilege and Black disenfranchisement in post-colonial Africa.

Jonathan Wateridge was born in Lusaka, Zambia, in 1972. Today he lives and works in Norfolk, UK. This, the artist's first trade monograph, presents two significant bodies of work, 'Enclave' and 'Expatria'. In these series, Wateridge returns to his childhood memories of growing up within the privileged

white ex-pat communities of Zambia in the 1970s and 1980s, during the early years of the country's independence from British rule. Presenting over 130 paintings and details, this 200-page monograph is essential reading for anybody passionate about contemporary painting, and makes a valuable contribution to discussion of the post-colonial condition in the visual arts.

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MODERN & CONTEMPORARY ART



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Diamonds

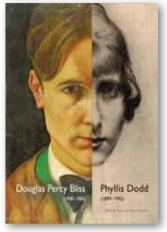
The Collection of Benjamin Zucker

By Diana Scarisbrick

This lavish catalogue presents an extraordinary collection of diamonds from the king of gems, Benjamin Zucker, one of New York's leading dealers in diamonds and precious stones.

Accompanying an exhibition at Les Enluminures, New York, this lavish catalogue presents an extraordinary collection of diamonds. Benjamin Zucker's remarkable story unfolds over three generations of diamond dealers. Put together over more than forty-five years, this truly rare and immensely valuable collection includes thirtyfive precious jewels mostly made for European patrons - rings, brooches, hairpins, earrings. It tells the story of the Indian diamond over a period of nearly 600 years, ending before the discovery of mines in Brazil, a source that displaced India and inaugurated a new age of diamonds. Diana Scarisbrick is a leading scholar celebrated jewellery historian and author of Diamond Jewelry: Seven Hundred Years of Glory and Glamour.

ART



Phyllis Dodd (1899-1995)/ Douglas Percy Bliss (1900-1984)

By Paul Liss and Edited by Sacha Llewellyn

The work of the artists Phyllis Dodd and her husband Douglas Percy Bliss.

After winning a Royal Exhibition scholarship Phyllis Dodd spent four years at the RCA in the company of her life-long friends Henry Moore, Raymond Coxon and Edna Ginesi. Dodd exhibited at the RA, NEAC, RP, RSA and at the Walker Art Gallery. Douglas Percy Bliss was a Scottish painter and art conservationist. Born in India, he was raised in Edinburgh and left school to join the Highland Light Infantry until the end of WWI. He studied painting at the Royal College of Art in London and in 1941 joined the RAF. After the war he was appointed Director of the Glasgow School of Art.

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Portrait of an Artist

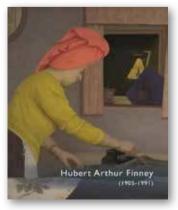
By Paul Liss

A large selection of works which reflect the life of British artists of the first half of the 20th century.

Examines how artists portray themselves in self-portraits and how they portray their fellow artists. The artist's studio, models and milieu are also considered. Most of Liss Llewellyn's projects in the last twenty-five years have involved working directly with artists' studios. Often modest in size and not obviously works of importance; a scrap of paper recording the intense introspective gaze of an artist, or a moment of intimacy suggesting the artist was in love with his subject – be it his or her spouse, model or children. This portrait of an artist is the result of twenty years of collecting and brings together a remarkable group of works which, large or small, minor or major all have in common one quality – the ability to transport the viewer momentarily into the artist's milieu.

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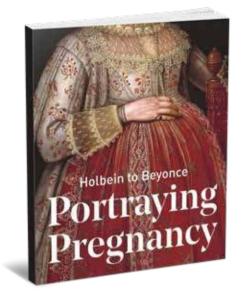
Hubert Arthur Finney (1905-1991)

By Paul Liss and Nicholas Finney

Hugh Finney was a painter, draughtsman and teacher. In 1927 he won a scholarship to the Royal College of Art, where he studied under William Rothenstein.

In 1929 after graduation he took up a travelling scholarship to Rome returning to teach part-time at Chelsea School of Art under Percy Jowett and later Harold Sandys Williamson. He taught part time under Anthony Betts at Reading University and was in charge of life drawing there when he retired in 1970. Although he was reclusive and reluctant to show his work he did exhibit at the RA Summer exhibition (in 1950 and 1954) and the Portrait Society and at The Paris Salon.

ART



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By Karen Hearn

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Thwaytes v. Sotheby's

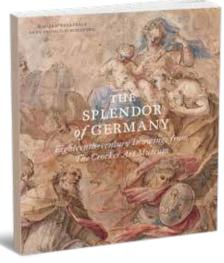
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Vividly written and handsomely illustrated, this account of Thwaytes v. Sotheby's – one of the major art trials of recent times – will be of interest to dealers, conservators and lawyers as well as all admirers of Caravaggio.

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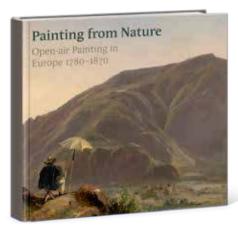
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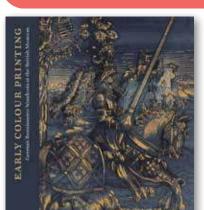
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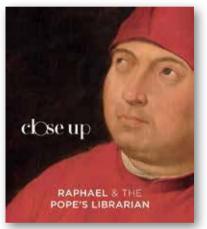
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Reproduces and describes effectively every early modern German colour print held at the British Museum.

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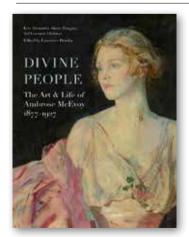
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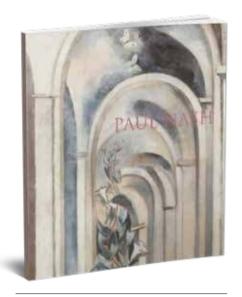
By Erik Akers-Douglas and Edited by Lawrence Hendra

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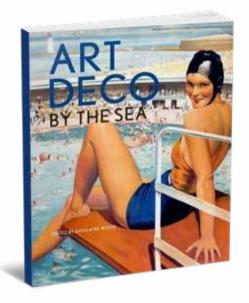
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By David Boyd Haycock

Following the sell-out 2014 publication Paul Nash: Watercolours 1910 – 1946, this is a revised and expanded edition.

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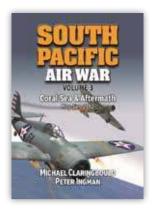
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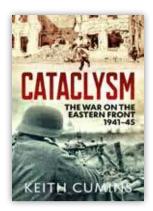
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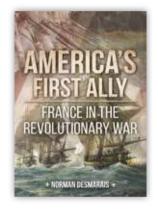
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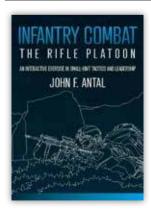
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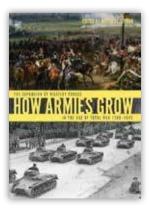
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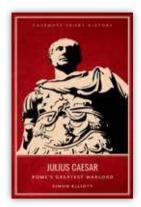
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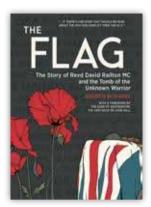
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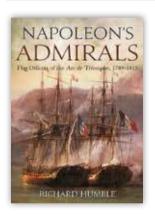
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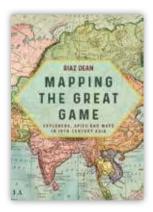
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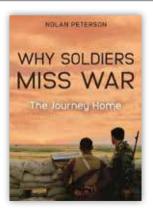
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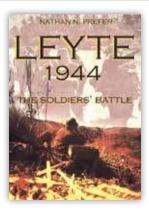
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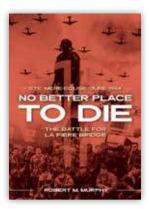
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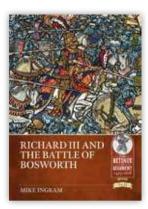
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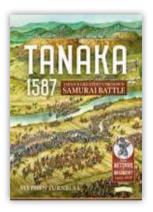
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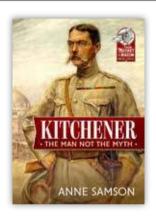
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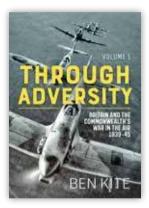
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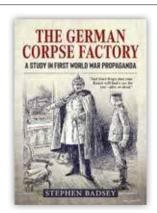
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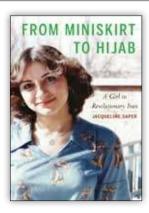
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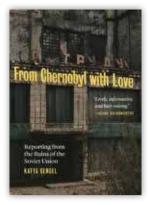
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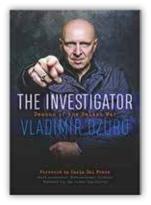
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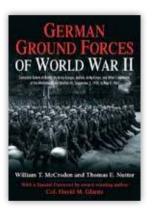
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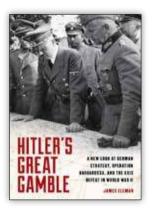
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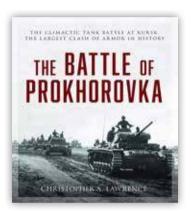
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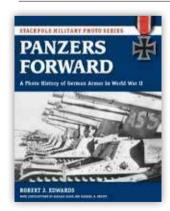
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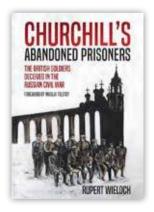
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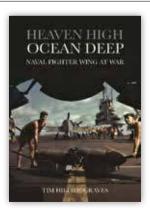
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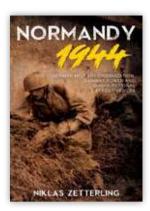
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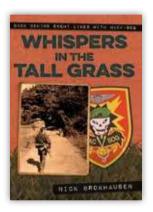
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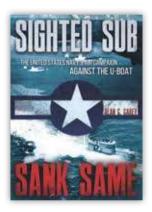
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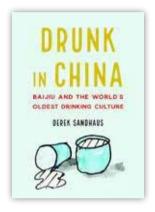
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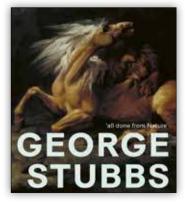
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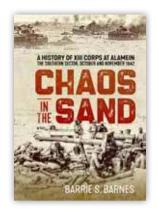
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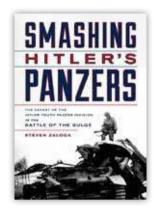
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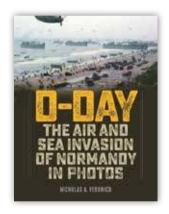
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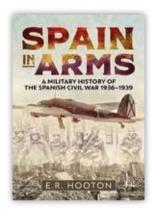
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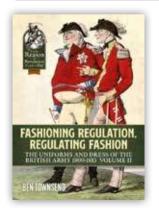
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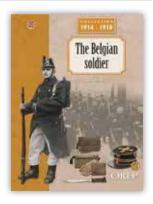
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