

# SPINK

e-Catalogue

## 25111 - Orders, Decorations and Medals - e-Auction

Lot 1



(x) A most attractive framed display of The Honourable East India Company's campaign medal series Ceylon Medal 1795-6; Seringapatam Medal 1799; Egypt Medal 1801; Capture of Rodrigues, Isle of Bourbon and Isle of France Medal 1809-10; Java Medal 1811; Nepaul Medal 1814-16; Coorg Rebellion Medal 1837, all silver, each fitted with loop suspension, lightly toned, good very fine and better, housed and labelled in a bespoke wooden display frame, rather later striking (7) Formerly in the Silverston Collection, please see April 25001 print catalogue for a collector biography. Sold together with typed invoice circa 1980 for the manufacture of these awards, presumably from the Calcutta Mint, as well as a typed short history of each award. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£300 to £500

Lot 2



Honourable East India Company Medal for Seringapatam 1799, silver, 45mm, fitted with a crude silver loop for suspension, complete with yellow silk cord, this perhaps contemporary to the medal, polished, contact marks, evidence of wear throughout, good fine. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£300 to £400

Lot 3



Honourable East India Company Medal for Seringapatam 1799, white metal, 48mm, pierced and fitted with pin and brass claw and loop suspension, minor contact marks, very fine. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£120 to £160



#### Lot 4



(x) Honourable East India Company Medal for Seringapatam 1799, bronze, 48mm, contact marks, very fine Sold together with a wooden display plaque. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£180 to £220

#### Lot 5



Naval General Service 1793-1840, 1 copy clasp, Sylph 28 Sept 1801 (Admiral Sir Charles Dashwood KCB, GCTS), neatly re-engraved naming in a style to match the official impressed style, good very fine Captain K. J. Douglas-Morris lists Dashwood as receiving a three clasp Naval General Service Medal, with clasps for 1 June 1794, 12 Oct 1798 (Verified aboard, not on roll), and Sylph 28 Sept 1801. Colin Message lists Dashwood as receiving a single clasp Naval General Service, with the clasp 1 June 1794. The only other recipient of the Sylph 28 Sept 1801 clasp is Lieutenant Samuel Burgess, who received a five-clasp medal (also with clasps for 1 June 1794, Trafalgar, Boat Service 27 July 1809, and Algiers), and whose medal formed part of the Hamilton-Smith Collection. Sir Charles Dashwood was born on 1 September 1765 and entered the Royal Navy as a Midshipman in January 1779. Serving in H.M.S. Impregnable at the Glorious First of June, he 'so distinguishing himself on that occasion that he was promoted to a Lieutenancy in the same ship on the 20th of that month.' He was promoted to the command of H.M.S. Sylph, 18 guns, on 2 August 1799, and on the night of 28 September 1801: 'particularly distinguished himself by his gallantry in beating off the French frigate L'Artémise, of 44 guns and 351 men, after a vigorous action of two hours and five minutes off the north coast of Spain; the Sylph, though her loss in men was trifling, suffered considerably in hull, masts, and rigging.' Promoted to Post-rank on 2 November 1801, Dashwood was presented with the honour of a Knight Grand Cross of the Order of the Tower and the Sword on 28 March 1825, and was nominated a Knight Commander of the Order of the Bath on 4 July 1840. He was promoted Vice-Admiral of the White on 23 November 1841, and died in service on 21 September 1847, being posthumously promoted to the rank of Admiral the following day. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£250 to £350

### Lot 6



(x) Naval General Service 1793-1840, 1 clasp, Martinique (Wm. Stockley.), pitting, sometime cleaned, very fine Provenance: Baldwins February 1954. One of 12 Martinique clasps to the Intrepid. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£800 to £1,000

### Lot 7



(x) Naval General Service 1793-1840, 1 copy clasp, Nassau 22nd March 1808 (James Hazlewood.), claw sometime re-affixed and re-suspended with a contemporary tailor's copy clasp, otherwise with light edge wear and bruising, very fine James Hazlewood is entitled to a clasp for Syria, serving as an Ordinary Seaman aboard H.M.S. Castor. Castor was a 36-gun fifth rate frigate launched in May 1832. She participated in the Syrian Campaign against the Pasha of Egypt Muhammad Ali as part of the Mediterranean Fleet under Admiral Robert Stopford. Castor was involved in the Bombardment of Acre during the conflict on 3 November 1840, which successfully ended with the capture of the city and the forced surrender of Muhammad Ali, bringing the conflict to a close. However, Castor faced unusually several losses in what was nearly a bloodless engagement for the British, with the ship sustaining four of the eighteen overall British casualties. James Hazlewood potentially went on to participate in the Crimean War, as his name appears on the roll for the Baltic Medal serving as a Private aboard H.M.S. Nile. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£300 to £500

### Lot 8



Naval General Service 1793-1840, 1 clasp, Syria (William Savage.), toned, nearly extremely fine Provenance: Christie's, November 1985. Confirmed upon roll as a Boy upon the Revenge. Possibly also served aboard the Drake as an Able Seaman during the Second China War. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£400 to £600

**Lot 9**

Naval General Service 1793-1840, 1 clasp, Syria (Thos. Powis), light contact marks, edge bruise, very fine Provenance: Glendining's, March 1998. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£600 to £800

**Lot 10**

(x) Military General Service Medal 1793-1814, 1 clasp, Corunna (A. Simm, R. Arty Drivers), sometime cleaned, light edge bruise, very fine During the retreat to and Battle of Corunna the Royal Artillery Drivers undertook the crucial role of transporting the British Artillery through the difficult mountain passes. They succeeded in bringing the guns through and after a successful action at Corunna the British escaped annihilation, their victory marred only by the death of their commander Sir John Moore. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£500 to £700

**Lot 11**

(x) Military General Service Medal 1793-1814, 3 clasps, Vittoria, Pyrenees, Orthes (J. Seymour, 6th Foot.), edge bruising, light contact marks, very fine Note the recipient is entitled to the Nivelle clasp however the medal shows no sign of tampering suggesting he only claimed the three clasps issued. The 6th Foot (later the Royal Warwickshire Regiment) saw heavy action in Spain, first at Vittoria and later during the action at Roncesvalles. A month later the regiment fought a creditable action assaulting the Heights of Echalar which drew direct comment from Wellington himself: 'The most gallant and the finest thing, it is impossible that I can extol too highly the conduct of these brave troops.' Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£800 to £1,000

**Lot 12**

(x) Waterloo 1815 (Thomas Broadbent, 2nd Batt. Grenad. Guards), with original steel clip and silver replacement ring suspension, light pitting, very fine Provenance: Whitaker Collection 1908. Thomas Broadbent is confirmed upon the roll serving with Lieutenant West's Company. Notably a Richard Broadbent was killed in action at Waterloo, serving with a different Battalion of the same Regiment. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£1,000 to £1,400

### Lot 13



Waterloo 1815 (Thomas Ash, 1st Batt. 52nd Reg. Foot.), sometime brooched, the reverse removed and enamelled at some stage after 1850, good fine Thomas Ash served in Captain Patrick Cambell's No. 1 Company at the Battle of Waterloo, he is listed as dying of wounds after the Battle. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£400 to £500

### Lot 14



Waterloo 1815 (Captain Gore Brown, Royal Foot Artillery.), fitted with replacement steel clip and ring suspension, light contact marks, very fine Provenance: Sotheby's, April 1910. Thomas Gore Browne was appointed 2nd Lieutenant in the Royal Foot Artillery on 23 February 1801; 1st Lieutenant, 19 November 1802; 2nd Captain, 1 February 1808; Captain, 4 September 1823; Lieutenant-Colonel, 1 July 1836; Colonel, 9 November 1846. He served in the Walcheren expedition and was present at the siege of Flushing. At the battle of Waterloo he served in Major George W. Unett's Brigade, which was at Hal with Sir Charles Colville's Division, and afterwards at the siege of Cambrai and with the Army of Occupation until November 1818. He served at Jamaica 1829-31, and commanded the Royal Artillery at Gibraltar 1839-44. Colonel Gore Browne died at Southampton on 23 January 1854, aged 69, and is buried in the Old Common Cemetery, Southampton. There is also a memorial to him at the Sandpits Cemetery, Gibraltar. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£2,000 to £3,000

### Lot 15



(x) Army of India 1799-1826, 1 clasp, Seetabuldee & Nagpore (W. Deeds, Eurn. Regt.), short hyphen reverse, fitted with top riband buckle, suspension re-affixed, with contact marks and some edge wear, otherwise very fine William Deeds of the 102nd Madras European Regiment appears on the medal roll with entitlement to this medal but not with a clasp for Seetabuldee & Nagpore. Deeds was solely entitled to a clasp for Ava; sold together with copied medal roll. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£400 to £600



### Lot 16



Army of India 1799-1826, 1 clasp, Bhurtpoor (Sepoy Begerull Joice Nusseeree Battn.), long-hyphen reverse, suspension and claw sometime replaced, heavily polished, contact wear, fine British Battles and Medals notes that 'detachments 6/1 Nusseri Bn (later 1 Gurkha Rifles)' were awarded the Bhurtpoor clasp. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£180 to £220

### Lot 17

**IMAGE  
PENDING**

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WHERE HISTORY IS VALUED

South Africa 1834-53 (T. Shore. Stoker), contact marks with nick to obverse centre on bust, otherwise very fine. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£200 to £240

### Lot 18



South Africa 1834-53 (Pte. H. Devlin. 1st Bn. Rifle Bde.), minor contact marks, otherwise nearly very fine. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£200 to £240

### Lot 19



South Africa 1834-53 (Gunr & Dr. E. Smith. Rl. Arty), minor edge nicks, otherwise good very fine. Provenance: Spink, July 2007. Edward Smith was born at Bletchingley/Bleckinby, Surrey and was baptised in May 1825. He joined the Royal Artillery in 1848 and served during the Second and Third Kaffir Wars with the 5th Company, 4th Battalion and the 4th Company, 5th Battalion Royal Artillery. Smith was discharged in 1853, after 6 years and 246 days service. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£240 to £280



**Lot 20**



**Candahar 1842, unnamed as issued, good very fine**  
**Provenance:** Purchased Liverpool Medals, October 1982.  
**Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.**

**Estimate**  
**£300 to £500**

**Lot 21**



**Punniar Star 1843, unnamed, fitted with a silver riband bar for wear, very fine**  
**Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.**

**Estimate**  
**£120 to £140**

**Lot 22**



**(x) Gwalior Star 1843, with Maharajpore centre, hook fitting to reverse, an unnamed example, the hook partially complete, otherwise very fine**  
**Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.**

**Estimate**  
**£150 to £200**

**Lot 23**



**Maharajpore Star 1848 (Private Jahnes Jarvis H.M. 39th Regt), suspension replaced, some contact wear to the rays of the star, very fine**  
**During the Battle the 39th Regiment of Foot stormed the village of Maharajpore and took it in fierce hand-to-hand fighting.**  
**Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.**

**Estimate**  
**£300 to £500**

### Lot 24



Maharajpoo Star 1843 (Rough Riders R. Morror 3d. Troop 2nd Brigade Horsel Artillery), note spellings, replacement silver bar suspension, good very fine, together with section of old fitted case Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£240 to £280

### Lot 25



Suttlej 1845-46, for Moodkee 1845, 1 clasp, Ferozeshuhur (Michael Rabbitt 9th Reg.), suspension sometime neatly re-pinned, heavy wear to naming, contact marks, fine During the battle of Moodkee, on 18 December 1845, the first battle of the campaign, the 9th Foot suffered 52 Officers and men killed and wounded. With the battle raging, during the early evening of the 21 December, the Brigade of which the 9th Foot formed a part, commanded by Lieutenant Colonel Taylor of the 9th led an attack against the Sikh guns. With light failing and advancing into the thick smoke and dust of battle, Taylor's Brigade saw nothing ahead of them until they were at the very muzzles of the Sikh guns. In the Chaos that reigned when the guns opened up on them, the 9th suffered a very large percentage of the casualties they would during the battle. During this bloodbath of a battle, fought over two days, the battle was very nearly lost by the British, the 9th Foot suffering no less than 273 Officers and men killed and wounded. It should be noted that the Regiment saw action during the First Afghan War, they are entitled to a Cabul 1942 medal although it is not known if Rabbitt was present. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£140 to £180

### Lot 26



New Zealand 1845-66, reverse dated '1863 to 1864' (Chas. Stevens. O.S., H.M.S. Curacoa), solder residue on and under claw, very fine 189 New Zealand Medals with reverse dates '1863-1864' awarded to H.M.S. Curacoa. H.M.S. Curacoa was the flagship of the Australia Station from 20 April 1863 until May 1866, having had her armament reduced to 23 guns in 1863. During the invasion of Waikato, her company provided reinforcements for the Naval Brigade at Auckland, New Zealand on 2 October 1863. She was sent back to Britain in 1866 and was broken up in 1869. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£250 to £300

### Lot 27



New Zealand 1845-66, reverse undated (2556 Serjt. D. Daley. 40th Foot.), slightly later issue with engraved naming, light edge bruising, otherwise very fine Denis Daley was born at Abbeyleix, Ireland in 1825. Enlisting in the 40th Regiment of Foot on 20 May 1847, he was discharged at Aldershot on 3 June 1868 after just over 21 years' service of which he spent seven years and nine months in Australia and six years and three months in New Zealand. In 1852, whilst a Corporal, Daley was tried by court martial and reduced to the ranks but by 1865 he had redeemed himself and was promoted to Sergeant. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£240 to £280

### Lot 28



New Zealand 1845-66, reverse undated (70. Pte. J. Saville. 65th Foot.), suspender slightly slack, contact marks, good very fine The York and Lancaster Regiment ("Royal Tigers") or better known in New Zealand as the "Hickety Pips" by Maori, was in New Zealand for just over 18 years, between 1846-1865, as the 65th (2nd Yorkshire North Riding) Regiment. The regiment arrived in several detachments. The first with about 550 all ranks, landed on 19 November 1846 at Russell; the second, on 1 August 1846, at Wellington; the third, mainly wives and children, on 14 January 1847, at Auckland, and the last, with 84 men, 14 women and 13 children, landed at Wellington 18 December 1852. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£140 to £180

### Lot 29



New Zealand 1845-66, undated reverse (852. Pte. R. Fitzgerald. 70th Foot), officially engraved naming, contact marks, very fine Purchased at Format, Birmingham, June 1969. Richard/Robert Fitzgerald was born circa 1834 at Charleville, County Cork and joined the 70th Foot at Canterbury on 4 January 1861. He was present with his unit in New Zealand from April 1864-April 1866 (Medal), sharing in the actions in the Waikato, Taranaki and Orakau. Returned home, he served attached to various units before going out to India in early 1875. Fitzgerald served with the Service Company in Afghanistan (Medal) and then in Egypt & Sudan (Medal & clasp, Bronze Star). He was discharged in June 1889 with nearly 30 years of service to his name and intending to live in Guernsey. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£300 to £500

### Lot 30



New Zealand 1854-66, undated reverse (R. Evans. Commist. Dept.), suspension a little slack, minor contact marks overall very fine One of 239 undated medals claimed by the Imperia Commissariat Corps. R. Evans appears on the roll as a Clerk. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£180 to £220

### Lot 31



Punjab 1848-49, no clasp (Edwd. Mallard, 29th Foot.), good very fine Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£140 to £180

### Lot 32



(x) Punjab 1848-49, no clasp (Private Pandoo Malif 3rd N.I.), test mark to disc at 8 o'clock, heavy contact wear and edge bruising overall, nearly very fine Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£120 to £160

### Lot 33



(x) Punjab 1848-49, 1 clasp, Mooltan (Private Bristniah. 4th Reg N.I.), renamed and corrected in places in varying styles, otherwise contact marks, very fine Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£120 to £180



### Lot 34



Punjab 1848-49, 2 clasps, Mooltan, Goojerat (James Sawyers, 10th Foot), edge bruising and contact marks, otherwise good fineSubject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£240 to £280

### Lot 35



Baltic 1854-55 (Lieut. W. H. Annesley H.M.S. Harrier), contemporarily engraved naming, suspension slack, contact marks, very fineWilliam Henry Annesley was born in Ireland on 4 October 1830, the son of Francis and Mary Annesley and grandson of the Second Earl of Annesley, he was also a direct descendant of Edward III. Attending the Royal Naval School Annesley joined the crew of Harrier in the Baltic with the rank of Lieutenant. His service papers note:'17 July 1855, gazetted with strong praise for his exertions at the destruction of shipping at Nystad'.This being that attack on the Russian ships at Nystad by the boats of Harrier and Cuckoo. Annesley remained in service, being promoted Commander in 1863. He died at Monkstown, Dublin on 27 March 1875.Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£160 to £200

### Lot 36



(x) Baltic 1854-55, unnamed as issued, minor contact wear, very fineSubject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£80 to £100



### Lot 37



Baltic 1854-55, unnamed as issued, very fine  
Khedive's Star 1882, unnamed as issued, very fine  
Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£80 to £120

### Lot 38



Crimea 1854-56, 1 clasp, Sebastopol (3597. Charles. Muirhead. 42. Royal. Highlanders), regimentally impressed naming, light contact marks, very fine  
Charles Muirhead was a native of Leith and enlisted with the 42nd Highlanders on 6 January 1855  
His career is perhaps best summarised by his obituary in The Scotsman: 'Crimea Veteran's Funeral at Leith. - The funeral took place yesterday from his residence at 2 Crown Place, Leith of Charles Muirhead, late of the 42nd Highlanders, who died in Leith Hospital on Saturday. He held the Turkish medal, the Indian Mutiny medal (with clasp for Lucknow), and the Crimean medal (with clasp from Sebastopol.) Muirhead, who joined the 42nd when he was nineteen, in 1855, was about sixty-seven years of age, and it was his boast that during the whole of his service - ten years in the regulars and twenty-two years in the reserves- he was never before an officer for bad conduct. He was one of the first draft to proceed to the Crimea. He is survived by a widow, a son and two daughters. Muirhead was a native of the burgh.'  
Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£140 to £180

### Lot 39



(x) Crimea 1854-56, 1 clasp, Sebastopol, an unnamed example, contact marks, otherwise good fine  
Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£140 to £180

#### Lot 40



Crimea 1854-56, 1 clasp, Sebastopol, unnamed as issued, the clasp sewn to the strap as pictured, contact marks, very fineSubject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£80 to £100

#### Lot 41



Crimea 1854-56, 2 clasps, Sebastopol, Azoff (Edward Thomas. H.M.S. St. Jean d'Acre.) contemporary engraved naming, contact marks, fineSubject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£160 to £200

#### Lot 42



Crimea 1854-56, 2 clasps, Inkermann, Sebastopol, unnamed as issued, edge bruise, contact marks, very fineBaltic 1854-55, unnamed as issued, suspension slack, contact marks, very fineSubject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£180 to £220

#### Lot 43



The Crimea Medal awarded to Private J. Crone, 42nd Foot, who was seriously wounded by grapeshot before SebastopolCrimea 1854-56, 3 clasps, Alma, Balaklava, Sebastopol (Pte. Jas Crone. 42nd Ft.), depot impressed naming, contact marks, edge bruise, nearly very fineJames Crone, born in 1838 at Glasgow, was a tailor prior to enlisting in the 42nd Royal Highlanders on 7 August 1848. He embarked for Varna on 20 May 1854 returning to England on 17 September 1855. He was wounded in the trenches before Sebastopol by a grape shot on 18 June 1855 and had difficulty walking, which led to his eventual medical discharge on 28 September 1855; sold together with copied service papers.Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£200 to £300

#### Lot 44



A Turkish Crimea Medal attributed to Colonel H. D. Crofton, 20th Regiment, who was awarded the Turkish Order of the Mejidie and Legion of Honour, who was severely wounded at the Battle of Inkermann and later murdered by a soldier in Devon Turkish Crimea, Sardinian Issue, unnamed as issued, sold together with an envelope of attribution, good very fine. Hugh Denis Crofton was born at Dublin on 7 January 1814, the son of Emily and Sir Morgan George Crofton, 3rd Baron Crofton. He was serving as Colonel of the 20th Regiment of Foot during the Crimean war, seeing action at Alma and Inkermann, being seriously wounded at the latter engagement. Crofton was killed on 15 September 1861 at Fulwood Barracks Preston, Devon where he was shot by a soldier of the 32nd Regiment. The murderer, Private McCaffery was subsequently shot for the crime, his case was immortalized in the song The Ballad of Private McCaffery. Sold together with a contemporary envelope on which is written: 'Crimea War Ribbons from Turkish Order of Mejidie & Turkish Medal. Belonging to Col H. D. Crofton. XX Regt.' Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£40 to £60

#### Lot 45



Turkish Crimea 1855, Sardinian issue (W. Harrold. 4th. R.I. Dragoon. Guards.), contemporarily impressed naming, pierced with dual ring suspension, minor contact marks, otherwise good very fine. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£30 to £50

#### Lot 46



Turkish Crimea 1855, British issue (No. 1129 Trp. Sjt. Mp. S. Donohoe. 1st Drgn. Gds.), engraved naming, very fine. Stephen Donohoe attested with the 1st Dragoon Guards on 13 November 1844. He was promoted Corporal on 26 March 1851, Sergeant on 16 May 1855, Troop Sergeant Major on 6 August 1859, and finally to Regimental Sergeant Major on 27 November 1867. In his long service, Donohoe served abroad for ten years. He was in the Crimea and Turkey for a year and a half, and was then stationed in the East Indies for nearly nine years. He was discharged with a pension at Sheffield on 4 February 1869, after having served for 24 years with the Colours. Donohoe is further entitled to a Crimea medal with a clasp for Sebastopol, as well as a Long Service and Good Conduct medal; sold together with copied discharge papers. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£40 to £60

**Lot 47**



(x) Turkish Crimea 1855, British issue, (No 3208 James Evans 68 L.I.), privately engraved, unit corrected, suspension replaced with scratch-built ring suspension, contact wear overall, nearly very fine James Evans is listed upon the roll of the 68th Regiment as entitled to a Crimea Medal with clasps for Alma, Inkermann and Sebastopol. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£30 to £50

**Lot 48**



Turkish Crimea 1855, French issue, unnamed as issued, lightly polished, about very fine Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£40 to £60

**Lot 49**



Turkish Crimea 1855, British issue, unnamed as issued, very fine Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£40 to £60



### Lot 50



(x) India General Service 1854-95, 1 clasp, Pegu (Saml Madden. Asst Surgn "Rattler"), light contact marks, heavy edge bruise to 8 o'clock, very fine There were 163 Pegu clasps issued to Rattler. Samuel Madden was appointed Assistant Engineer Class II at Fisgard on 25 November 1847. Advanced Assistant Engineer Class I on 30 August 1851 he joined Rattler on 23 September 1851 with that rank. She was on the East Indies Station during the Second Anglo-Burmese war and took part in the storming of Rangoon on 14 April 1852. Madden was still with the vessel when she took part in the Battle of Ty-ho Bay alongside H.M.S. Eaglet and the U.S.S. Powhatan. The three warships took on a fleet of Chinese pirates comprising 36 War Junks, they launched small boats to board the pirate vessels and captured 20, killed 500 pirates and capturing 1,000 more. Leaving Rattler on 17 May 1856 Madden was appointed Inspector of Machinery with the Naval Dockyard tug Charlotte on 16 January 1870. He was advanced Chief Engineer with her on 8 November 1870 and posted to Agincourt on 22 July 1872. Finally joining Minotaur on 15 September 1871 he retired 19 August 1872. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£140 to £180

### Lot 51



(x) India General Service 1854-95, 1 clasp, Persia (John Manoel G. Cook Ferooz) impressed in capitals, drill hole to backstrap, and possible erasure after 'noel', otherwise very fine Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£120 to £180

### Lot 52



(x) India General Service 1854-95, 1 clasp, Persia (2390 Corpl. M. Jones. 35 Bge. R.A.), neatly re-engraved in upright capitals, very light contact marks, otherwise good very fine M. Jones appears on the medal roll with entitlement to an India General Service Medal with a clasp for Perak. He is not entitled to a clasp for Persia. Jones is reported to have received his medal on 28 October 1880; sold with copied medal roll. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£70 to £90



### Lot 53



The India General Service Medal awarded to Private J. Brain, 7th Regiment, who was seriously injured when a trench was collapsed upon him due to the 'pace of a round shot' India General Service 1854-95, 1 clasp, Umbeyla (2110 J Brian 1st. Battn. 7th. Regt.), lightly impressed naming, suspension claw tightened, very fine John Brian was born circa 1829 at St Anns, Cork, Ireland and attested for service in the 7th Regiment at Dublin on 28 August 1846 at the age of 17 and a half years old, having previously worked as a shoemaker. After a period of several years home service, he was sent with his regiment to serve in the Crimean War. His service in the Crimea was typically very hard, where he states his eyesight began to deteriorate in the harsh winter of 1854, but additionally in his discharge papers state that he broke two ribs at the Battle of Inkerman where 'several sandbags...and stones fell upon him from the effects of pace of a round shot...the seat of the fractures can be felt on pressure.' Brian was discharged from further service on 26 October 1866, at Saugor, India, having served at total of 19 years and 241 days, as a consequence of being generally worn out, having a defect of the eyes, and for pain in his ribs as a result of the injuries received at Inkerman. His discharge papers show that he was additionally entitled to the British and Turkish Crimea Medals; sold together with copied research. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£120 to £160

### Lot 54



India General Service 1854-95, 1 clasp, Umbeyla (3323 G Reeves H. Ms. 1st Bn. 7th Regt.), contact wear and edge wear, otherwise very fine George Reeves attested with the Royal Fusiliers on 17 April 1854 and soon after was posted to the Crimea for a year, where he saw action at the Battle of Sebastopol. Reeves was then stationed in the East Indies where he remained for over seven years. He was discharged at his own request on 31 October 1864 upon the termination of his limited period of engagement; sold together with copied discharge papers, which confirm his entitlement to this medal and clasp. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£140 to £180

### Lot 55



India General Service 1854-95, 1 clasp, Umbeyla (466 Drumr. W. Gregory HMs. 101st. Regt.), suspension claw loose, good very fine. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£100 to £140

### Lot 56



(x) India General Service 1854-95, 1 clasp, Bhootan (497 Pte. J. Hodges, 55th Foot), suspension sometime re-affixed, good very fine. Joseph Hodges is listed at Aldershot in 1861. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£60 to £80

### Lot 57



India General Service 1854-95, 1 clasp, Perak (1726 Pte. J. Pendlebury. 80th Foot.), light contact wear, very fine. One of 300 Perak clasps to the Regiment. Three companies of the 80th Regiment of Foot (Staffordshire Volunteers). Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£140 to £180

### Lot 58



India General Service 1854-95, 1 clasp, Perak (3. Pte J. Jefferson. 80th. Foot.), chemically cleaned at some stage, very fine. John Jefferson is confirmed on the roll and confirmed with this regimental number. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£150 to £200

### Lot 59



India General Service 1854-95, 1 clasp, Jowaki 1877-8 (2607 Pte. James Lowen. 4 Bn. Rifle Bde.), minor contact and edge wear, very fine James Lowen was born at Edmonton, London around 1838 and was pensioned on 10 June 1879. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£80 to £120

### Lot 60



(x) India General Service 1854-95, 1 clasp, Jowaki 1877-8 (1478 Gunner J. Fallon. 13/9th R.A.), good very fine J. Fallon is listed as dead upon the roll. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£100 to £140

### Lot 61



India General Service 1854-95, 1 clasp, Burma 1885-7 (1681 Pte A Bain. 2nd. Bn. R. Fus.), contact marks, good very fine Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£100 to £140

### Lot 62



India General Service 1854-95, 1 clasp, Burma 1885-7 (1279 Pte. J. McCabe 2nd Btn. Som. L.I.), suspension slack, light contact marks, otherwise very fine. James McCabe was born at Killalia, Armagh in Ireland circa 1856 and made his living as a labourer. McCabe enlisted for service with the 36th Brigade at Newcastle on Tyne on 4 April 1877, two months shy of his 22nd birthday. Posted to the 2nd Battalion, The Somerset Light Infantry (Prince Albert's), he found himself quickly stationed overseas and was sent to Malta with his Regiment in July 1877. They were not to remain in Malta for even a full year and were embarked directly for India aboard the troopship H.M.S. Jumna in February 1878, arriving at Bellary, India the following month. McCabe was to remain in India for the next decade, spending most of that time at Bellary but also in Kamptee, Port Blair, Rangoon, Myotha and Belgaum. A few years into his service in India, he was tried for drunkenness and sentenced to imprisonment for about a month from January- February 1883. A few years later, McCabe again landed himself in trouble for being caught sleeping on his post. Again subject to a trial, he was imprisoned for a longer period from October 1886 through 1 January 1887. The duration of his decade in India was marked by near constant sickness. Ill-suited to the climate, McCabe's medical report shows he suffered from numerous illnesses, including dyspepsia, ague, gonorrhoea, bronchitis, and primary and secondary syphilis on a near constant basis. It is small wonder that McCabe was discharged at his own request immediately upon returning home in May 1889 after his suffering abroad. Regardless, the reason for his discharge was cited as the termination of his limited period of engagement. McCabe intended to live in Glasgow after leaving the service; sold together with copied research. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£80 to £120

### Lot 63



India General Service 1854-95, 1 clasp, Burma 1885-7, bronze issue (312 Water carrier Hoosein Bux Bo. A.H.N. Corps.), very fine. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£60 to £80



**Lot 64**

India General Service 1854-95, 1 clasp, Burma 1889-92 (1382 Naik Rumasuamy 28th Madras Infy), lacquered, suspension slack, very fineSubject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£80 to £100

**Lot 65**

(x) India General Service 1854-95, 1 clasp, Burma 1889-92 (850 Sepoy Mohan Katha Bn Mil. Police.), suspension slack, very fineIndia General Service 1854-95, 1 clasp, Burma 1887-89 (448 Lce. Daffr. [...] Singh 4th Cavy Haybd. Contgt.), heavy test mark obscuring first name, suspension slack, heavily toned, light wear, edge bruising, nearly very fine (2)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£120 to £160

**Lot 66**

India General Service 1854-95, 1 clasp, Sikkim 1888 (868 Pte. H. Allsopp \*nd Bn. Derby.R.), small unfilled hole from brooching at 6 o'clock, polished, light contact marks, otherwise very fineHenry Allsopp was born in 1865 and attested with the 2nd Derbyshire Regiment on 13 August 1884 at age 20. The next year, Allsopp was stationed in India and embarked there aboard the Malabar on 15 December 1885; sold with copied research.Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£140 to £180

**Lot 67**

(x) India General Service 1854-95, 1 clasp, Hazara 1888 (\*\*\*) Sepoy Moliram 4th Punjab Infy), light contact marks, good fineSubject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£80 to £120



## Lot 68



'We have all heard the romantic story of the soldier whose life was saved at Waterloo by a packet of his lady-love's letters, which, carried next to his heart, deflected the otherwise fatal bullet from a French rifle. Some confirmation of the story is afforded by the case of Lieutenant Athol Lindsay Forbes, who was wounded recently during an engagement with the natives in Burmah. A bullet shattered his arm, and, glancing off, would have penetrated his heart but for the presence beneath his tunic a packet of letters from home. It had long been his custom to deposit his letters there, and when his tunic was removed by the surgeons, there, embedded in the mass of papers, was the flattened bullet, whose deadly course had thus providentially been stayed.' So states a report in the Preston Herald on 8 July 1891, in fact referring to Lieutenant Lindsay Anstruther - not Athol Lindsay - Forbes. The India General Service Medal awarded to Major L. A. Forbes, Indian Army, who was severely wounded as a subaltern in the 39th Garhwalis in the Chin Hills of Upper Burma in March 1891. Afterwards seconded for political employment, he was appointed H.M. Consul at Basra, whilst back home he replaced Ernest Shackleton as Secretary of the Scottish Geographical Society in 1905, the latter having resigned his post to contest Dundee at the pending general election. India General Service 1854-95, 1 clasp, Burma 1889-92 (Lieut. L. A. Forbes, 39th Bl. Infy.), good very fine. Lindsay Anstruther Forbes was born in Dalhousie in the Punjab on 21 October 1865, the son of Major Frederick Murray Hay Forbes, an Indian Army officer and the scion of a well-known Aberdeenshire family. Young Lindsay was originally commissioned in the Highland Light Infantry in November 1886 but transferred to the Indian Staff Corps in May 1888. Subsequently appointed a Wing Officer in the newly raised 39th Garhwalis - who had been formed from the old 2nd Battalion of the 3rd Goorkas - he quickly witnessed active service in the ongoing Burma operations. In late March 1891, as part of an expedition bound for Tao and Tlantalang, Forbes was given command of 100 soldiers of the 39th Garhwalis, a force supported by two guns. The object of the expedition was to meet the Tlantalang chiefs to discuss recent incursions into Lushai, in addition to meeting messengers with letters from the Superintendent of the Southern Lushai Hills. The column reached Tao without opposition, although on the road it had run into several armed Chins. However, they stated that they were merely on their way to attend a conference at Tlantalang. But the column's political officer later obtained intelligence of a different nature, namely that said Chins had intended to attack the column but backed off owing to lack of volunteers. Evidence of that ill-intent quickly unfolded near Haka on the morning of 2 April, when the advance guard of homeward bound column came under a heavy fire from Chins on both sides of the road. Forbes dashed to the assistance of the advance guard, as one of the column's guns also got into action, but he was severely wounded in the process. His wound, as cited above, amounted to a shattered arm, but would have been fatal but for the saving grace of his pocket full of letters. A full narrative account of the action is included, but by way of summary, the Under Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs - Sir J. Fergusson, M.P. - made the following response to a question raised in the House of Commons by Forbes family's Aberdeenshire M.P.: 'The following telegram has been received from the Viceroy: reported from Chin country that a detachment - under Lieutenant Mocatta - detailed from Haka, was attacked April 4, while retreating towards Haka, by a large gathering of Chins of the Klanglang tribe. Lieutenant Forbes was wounded severely in the arm, five men killed and 12 wounded. This disturbance is believed to be local and unconnected with events on the Manipur side. Steps will be taken to punish the offending tribes.' Forbes - who lost the use of his injured arm for the rest of his life - nonetheless remained on duty and obtained a secondment to political department. Fluent in Persian and Hindustani, he was appointed Her Majesty's Consul in Basra in August 1897 and later served as a Political Officer back in India, in charge of famine relief in the Malwa district. In a letter to one of his brothers, he wrote 'doing a splendid work amongst the Bhil children, keeping hundreds of them alive.' Having then transferred to the supernumerary list as a Major in November 1904, Forbes applied for the post of secretary to the Scottish Geographical Society, in place of Ernest Shackleton, who had resigned to contest a Dundee seat in the general election of 1905. The scale of Forbes suitability and popularity may be gleaned from the fact there were over 300 applications for the post. He died in April 1953. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£500 to £600

### Lot 69



(x) India General Service 1854-95, 1 clasp, Burma 1889-92, erased, light contact marks, very fine  
Sold not subject to return  
Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£60 to £80

### Lot 70



India General Service 1854-95, 1 clasp, N.E. Frontier 1891 (50342 Gunr. S. Magill No 2 Mn. By. R.A.), suspension slack, contact wear, contact marks, nearly very fine  
Note only 54 men of No. 2 Mountain Battery listed as serving with the Temu Column on the N.E. Frontier, while 62 are listed serving with the Cachar Column. Samuel Magill saw service with the Temu Column on the North West Frontier and is further entitled to the Queen's South Africa Medal with a note on the role stating that he joined No. 1 New Zealand Battery, 1 pounder maxims; sold together with a copied medal roll.  
Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£120 to £160

### Lot 71



India General Service 1854-95, 1 clasp, Hunza 1891 (201 Sepoy Labir 2d. Kash: Infy. I.S.T.), suspension claw re-pinned and slack, edge bruising, polished and worn with pride, fairThe campaign of 1891 in the Nagar Valley, Hunza-Nagar district in Gilgit-Baltistan (today Pakistan) must surely rank amongst the finest of the Victorian era in the annals of history. A force of some 1,000 rifles, including those of the Kashmir Imperial Service Infantry, took part in the remarkable campaign in the similarly remarkable landscape. Roads were built across sheer mountains in order that the force might make their advance. Following the Siege of Nilt Fort, the Sieges of fortress at Thol and Maiun and the Capture of Thol and Baltit fort, the Mirs of Hunza and Nagar fled to China. Such was the efforts of the force that three Victoria Crosses were awarded, to Captain (later Lieutenant-General & K.C.B.) Fenton John Aylmer, 13th Baronet, Royal Engineers and Lieutenants (later Brigadier-General) Guy Hudleston Boisragon & John Manners Smith (later Lieutenant-Colonel, C.I.E., C.V.O.) of the 5th Gorkha Rifles (Frontier Force). Numerous awards of the Indian Order of Merit were also granted. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£400 to £600

### Lot 72



(x) India General Service 1854-95, 1 clasp, N. E. Frontier (4477 Sepoy Judar Jurdari 18th Bl. Infy.), good very fineNote one of 364 N. E. Frontier clasps awarded to the 18th Bengal Native Infantry. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£100 to £140

### Lot 73



(x) India General Service 1854-95, 1 clasp, Waziristan 1894-5 (\*\*\*) Ulam Singh 1st Sikh Infy), slack suspension, and with contact marks, otherwise good fine possibly betterSubject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£80 to £100

### Lot 74



India General Service 1854-95, 2 clasps, Burma 1887-89, Burma 1885-7 (48605 Gunner J Cornwell No.7 By. 1st Bde. C.P.Dn. R.A.), pitting, otherwise very fine. John Cornwell was born in 1864 and enlisted with the Royal Artillery on 16 April 1885. Soon after his attestation, Cornwell embarked for India on 10 October 1885 aboard the Jumna; sold together with copied research transcript. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£80 to £120

### Lot 75



(x) India General Service 1854-95, 2 clasps, Naga 1879-80, Looshai (Sepoy Shaick Moostuga Bux 44th Regt. N.I.), suspension slack, light contact marks, very fine. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£140 to £180

### Lot 76



(x) India General Service 1854-95, silver issue, 2 clasps, Burma 1885-7, Burma 1887-89 (2134 Private Luxumon Saloonkay 25th Bo: Infy), replacement unofficial ribband roller, soldered suspension, good fine to very fine. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£100 to £150

### Lot 77



(x) India General Service 1854-95, 3 clasps, Perak, Burma 1885-7, Burma 1887-89 (Naicquel Channasamy. Madras Sappers & Miners), good very fine. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£200 to £240



**Lot 78**

China 1856-60, no clasp (J. A. D. Lloyd, 2nd Officer, R.I.M. St. Bentinck. 1860-61), contemporarily engraved naming, solder under claw, very fine Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£160 to £200

**Lot 79**

China 1856-60, 2 clasps, Canton 1857, Taku Forts 1860, unnamed as issued to Royal Navy Recipients, light contact marks, very fine Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£200 to £240

**Lot 80**

(x) Indian Mutiny 1857-58 (Revd R. B. Watson. Chaplain.), renamed, very fine Sold not subject to return. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£70 to £100

**Lot 81**

Indian Mutiny 1857-58, no clasp (Robt. Fell. 73rd Regt.), fitted with copy suspension, contact marks and some edge bruising, otherwise very fine Robert Fell, service number 3790, is confirmed upon the roll with entitlement to this medal without a clasp. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£120 to £140

### Lot 82



(x) Indian Mutiny 1857-58, no clasp (Staff Havr Sye Errapa. Sappers & Miners.), contact marks, edge bruising, nearly very fine Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£120 to £160

### Lot 83



Indian Mutiny 1857-58, fitted with loose copy Lucknow clasp (539. Sergt. J. Shearingham, 17th Lancers), the number and name renamed, the regiment impressed correctly, good fine Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£80 to £120

### Lot 84



Indian Mutiny 1857-58, 1 clasp, Central India (Artr. Price, 3rd Bombay Eurpn. Regt.), contact marks, edge wear, very fine One of 689 Central India Clasps awarded to the Regiment. The 3rd Bombay European Regiment was extremely heavily engaged with Sir Hugh Rose's Central India Field Force. They saw action at Rahatgarh, Garhakota and Jhansi where they were central to the British success at Betwa with two of the fifteen British deaths being men of the 3rd. After Jhansi fell some men of the Regiment were left there as garrison while the rest joined the army at Lohari where Private Frederick Whirlpool won the Victoria Cross. Their final action was the capture of Kalpi where the Regiment Garrisoned the town, allowing General Rose to march on and retake Gwalior. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£200 to £240

**Lot 85**

Indian Mutiny 1857-58, 1 clasp, Central India (Gunr. Wm. Webb, A Tp. H. Bde. Madras Arty.), contact marks, very fine  
 Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
 £160 to £200

**Lot 86**

Indian Mutiny 1857-58, 1 clasp, Central India (Gunr. Michl. Gaffney. Bom H. Arty.), official correction to surname, light contact marks, very fine  
 Michael Gaffney was a 30-year-old farmer from Ballymore, County Westmeath when he enlisted at Dublin on 17 March 1853. His only active service was in India, and he was discharged in July 1859.  
 Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
 £180 to £220

**Lot 87**

The Indian Mutiny Medal award to Private G. Green, 90th Light Infantry, who was severely wounded and awarded the D.C.M. for his services in the Crimea  
 Indian Mutiny 1857-58, 2 clasps, Defence of Lucknow, Lucknow (G. Green, 90th. Lt. Infy.), sold together with an unnamed Crimea medal with Sebastopol Clasp and Turkish Crimea medal to complete the recipient's entitlement, suspension claw tightened, scratch to obverse field and minor edge bruising, very fine  
 George Green served with the 90th (Perthshire Volunteers) Light Infantry in the Crimea, where he was severely wounded during the bombardment of Sebastopol on 16 July 1855 along with four other men of the 90th. He was further awarded the Distinguished Conduct Medal (medal ordered 23 June 1856), along with a £5 gratuity for the award, 17 men of the 90th Foot were awarded the D.C.M. before the Great War.  
 Embarking for service in China in April 1857, en-route, however, the regiment was diverted to India and took part in the operations against Lucknow as part of Havelock's First Relief Force, and at the capture of Lucknow on 21 March 1858. Notably during the relief two Surgeons of the Regiment, Home and Bradshaw were awarded the Victoria Cross for their bravery; sold together with copied research and a modern copy of the recipient's Victorian D.C.M.  
 Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
 £600 to £800



**Lot 88**

(x) Indian Mutiny 1857-58, 3 clasps, Lucknow, Relief of Lucknow, Delhi (Gunner. P Merry, 2nd Tp 3rd Bde Bl H. Art.), good very fine Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£240 to £280

**Lot 89**

Canada General Service 1866-70, 1 clasp, Fenian Raid 1866 (1036. Private W. Hool 2/7th Foot.), very fine William Hool, born at Manchester, was 19 years old when he attested in the 2/7th Foot on 22 January 1858. He was discharged 3 June 1878 with general disability after twenty years' service in the Mediterranean, Canada and India; sold together with copied research and a copy of his discharge certificate. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£200 to £300

**Lot 90**

(x) Sold by Order of a Direct Descendant The Canada General Service Medal and Imperial Service clasp awarded to Private T. Nixon, Ontario Rifles Canada General Service 1866-70, 1 clasp, Red River 1870 (Pte. T. Nixon, Ont. R.), mounted as worn, sometime cleaned with some scratches over naming, nearly very fine, together with his Imperial Service clasp (2) Thomas Nixon is confirmed as having been on service for the '...entire expedition' during the 1870 Red River campaign. His Medal was sent to 213 Clinton Street, Toronto. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£1,800 to £2,200

**Lot 91**

Canada General Service 1866-70, 1 clasp, Fenian Raid 1866 (Pte. J. D. Fraser, Chicago Vol. Co.), the suspension slack and somewhat bent, heavily polished, nearly very fine 'The Chicago Volunteers--A Noble Band of Patriots Return Home to Defend Their Native Land--A Striking Example of Canadian Patriotism.' J. Fraser is confirmed on the roll as one of the volunteers who remained on guard duty at Toronto until all danger had passed, when they were relieved from service and permitted to return to their homes. Further information on the unit can be found at <https://www.canadiangenealogy.net/fenian/chicago-volunteers.htm> Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£120 to £160



**Lot 92**

Canada General Service 1866-70, 1 clasp, Fenian Raid 1866 (Pte. J. B. Forrest Sandwich. I. Co.), good very fine One of 25 Fenian Raid 1866 clasps issued to the unit of which all but one were single clasps. James Bond Forrest was a member of a well-known Lake Eyre family, the son of the Captain of lake going vessels. Forrest was himself a captain of lake-going vessels, both his father and brother lost their lives on the lake. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£200 to £300

**Lot 93**

Abyssinia 1867-68 (W. J. Pembery Stoker H.M.S Vigilant), lightly polished, otherwise very fine William James Pembery was born on 12 March 1842 at Woolwich, Kent. He enlisted into the Royal Navy on 5 February 1863 for a period of ten years service and is confirmed on the roll for the Abyssinia medal, but this has his name as Pembery. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£200 to £240

**Lot 94**

Abyssinia 1867-68 (1479. W. Cox. 26th Regt.), edge bruising, nearly very fine Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£240 to £300

**Lot 95**

Abyssinia 1867-68 (J. Doherty 33rd. Regt.), contact marks, very fine Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£160 to £200

### Lot 96



Abyssinia 1867-68 (1291 Gunr. J. Lumsden G.14. R.A.), very fine. John Lumsden was born at Kennaway, Scotland in 1834 and enlisted in the Royal Artillery on 4 August 1855. His name appeared in the regimental defaulter's book on 15 occasions, however, he was never tried by court martial. He served five years each in India and China and seven years in Abyssinia and was discharged 21 September 1872; sold together with copied research. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£200 to £240

### Lot 97



(x) Abyssinia 1867-68, disc only (No.. 405 Naique Nanna Sellar) impressed in capitals, contact marks, very fine. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£40 to £60

### Lot 98



Ashantee 1873-74, no clasp (T. Porter, Boy, 1Cl., H.M.S, Rattlesnake, 73-74), good very fine. One of 295 Ashantee Medals issued to the crew of H.M.S. Rattlesnake. Sold together with a copied medal roll. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£120 to £160

### Lot 99

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Ashantee 1873-74, 1 clasp, Coomassie (J.P. Westmuckett. A.B., H.M.S, Active, 73-74.), contact marks and edge bruise, very fine. One of 116 Coomassie clasps awarded to Active. John Pace Westmuckett was born at Alverstoke, Hampshire on 8 July 1853 and enlisted with the Royal Navy on 8 July 1871. He was serving as Able Seaman with Excellent on 1 January 1873, being posted to Active on 3 October. Just five days later while the ship was still docked at Portsmouth two marines murdered the Master-at-Arms over a £3 debt. Active was posted to Africa later in the month and by November she was blockading the Volta river. She contributed the largest portion of men to the Naval Brigade, including Westmuckett who was present for the fall of Coomassie. Promoted to Leading Seaman following the campaign in May 1874 he was further advanced Petty Officer, leaving Active on 12 September 1876. Westmuckett was promoted Chief Petty Officer and Gunner's Mate while ashore in 1886. He remained in that role, largely ashore, until 31 March 1897 when he was finally shore pensioned; sold together with copied research. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£200 to £240

### Lot 100



(x) Ashantee 1873-74, 1 clasp, Coomassie (885, Pte. J. Marlow, 2 Bn. Rifle Bde. 1873-4), note incorrect initial, suspension somewhat slack, good very fine. Isaac Marlow was born at Maidstone, Kent in 1831 and attested on 27 July 1858. He served for 9 and a half years in India as well as over four years on the Gold Coast and almost a year at Gibraltar. Marlow was discharged on 6 March 1876; sold together with copied service papers. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£200 to £240

### Lot 101



South Africa 1877-79, no clasp, (1555 Pte. J. McMillan 2-3rd Foot.), contact marks, very fine. During the summer of 1878, the Headquarters and five companies of the 3rd Regiment "The Buffs", which had previously been stationed at Pietermaritzburg, were scattered over a wide area at various strategically important positions in Natal. Reinforced by further companies of the regiment from Mauritius, their first orders resulted in the construction of the earthwork which was subsequently known as Fort Pearson. By January 1879 the regiment numbered over 800 men, and from the 4th to the 12th they assisted the Naval Brigade in completing the arrangements made for the crossing of the Tugela by Pearson's Column, of which the regiment now formed part. Under the command of Colonel Parnell, two companies of the Buffs destroyed the military kraal at Ginghamlovo and then engaged the enemy in the neighbourhood of the Inyezane River. Two men of the regiment were killed and five wounded. Following the disaster at Isandhlwana, the regiment found itself on defensive duties forming part of the garrisons at Fort Tenedos and Etshowe; six companies at the latter held strong against an enemy siege, but not without loss; two popular officers and seven N.C.O.s and men died during the blockade and no fewer than one officer and 35 N.C.O.s and men were returned on the sick-list issued on 1 April 1879. Eventually relieved, the regiment took part in the Battle of Ginghamlovo and then, as part of Crealock's Division, embarked on a series of varied 'harassing duties'. Throughout the succeeding months, the men further suffered heavily from sickness. In late July, orders were received to return to Natal and in November the Battalion was embarked at Durban for the Straits Settlement. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£200 to £300

### Lot 102



(x) South Africa 1877-79, disc only (4588. Corpl. J. Campbell. 6th Bde. R.A.), disc brooched at 12 and 6 o'clock for suspension in silver loop, this fixed with pin for wear, medal swivels within loop to reveal naming details with one letter of surname obscured by fitting, very fine, housed in a later Asprey & Co. Ltd. case. J. Campbell is confirmed on the roll with entitlement to this medal; sold together with copied medal roll. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£100 to £140

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### Lot 103



(x) The South Africa Medal awarded to Private M. Mahoney, 13th Foot, who appeared in the regimental defaulter's book an impressive sixteen times South Africa 1877-79, 1 clasp, 1878 (400. Pte. M. Mahoney. 1/13th Foot.), previously with swivel-brooch mount, suspension sometime reaffixed, evidence of mount at 6 o'clock along edge between letters, otherwise very fine. Matthew Mahoney was born circa 1838 at Bruff, in Ireland's County Limerick, and first attested for the 86th Regiment of Foot at Portsmouth on 8 February 1860. He would go on to have a long but volatile career in the service, appearing in regimental defaulter's book a grand total of 16 times, for 4 of which he was convicted by court martial. 13 of over 21 years of service were spent at overseas postings, including Gibraltar for one year, the Cape of Good Hope for 7 years, Mauritius for 2 and a half years, Transvaal for nearly 2 years and Zululand for nine months. Mahoney was discharged in December 1861 to join the School of Musketry as a 3rd Class Serjeant Instructor. He was later tried and arrested for drunkenness in October 1865, after which he was reduced to Private and transferred back to the 86th Foot. He was promoted Corporal, in which capacity he reengaged at Mauritius to complete 21 years of service in April 1869. In October 1871 he found himself again reduced to Private after being arrested and tried for unknown reasons, with the same cycle repeating itself again in November 1872 resulting in a brief period of imprisonment. Mahoney volunteered to transfer to the 13th Foot in early January 1875, and was appointed Lance Corporal in May 1876 and to Corporal the following October. However, he was unable to hold on to the rank and was once more reduced to Private in late March 1879 following confinement and trial for quitting his post. Later that year, Mahoney was discharged at Devonport on 22 October at his own request after completing just shy of 22 years of service with the Colours; sold together with copied research. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£300 to £500

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### Lot 104



(x) South Africa 1877-79, 1 clasp, 1879 (1406. \*ce. Sergt. W. Herbert. 1st D\*n. Gds.), naming partially obscured due to wear, contact marks, otherwise very fineW. Herbert was born in 1853 and enlisted with the 1st Dragoon Guards on 3 July 1875. He served in South Africa and is confirmed on the roll for this medal and clasp, listed as a Corporal. On 29 December 1881, as a Lance Sergeant, Herbert embarked with his Regiment on troopship H.M.S. Serapis bound for India; sold with copied medal roll and copied embarkation record.Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£400 to £500

### Lot 105



South Africa 1877-79, 1 clasp, 1879 (50/869 Pte S. Miler. 57th Foot.), good very fineSamuel Miller was born at St. Luke's, London and he enlisted in London on 9 August 1896. Miller saw service in Ceylon, India from 16 October 1877 until 19 February 1879, after which he was stationed in South Africa. Miller returned home from South Africa on 15 December 1879, remaining in England before being posted to the West Indies from 14 August 1880 until 23 May 1883. Miller again returned home on 24 May 1883 and remained there until his discharge at Hounslow on 9 August 1888 as a result of the termination of his first period of limited engagement. Miller later died of tuberculosis on 29 April 1892.Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£400 to £500

### Lot 106



South Africa 1877-79, 1 clasp, 1879 (50 Pte. J. Cox 57th. Regt.), unofficially re-impressed naming; Medallion for the Death of the Prince Imperial; South Africa, John Chard Decoration (2), silver issue, numbered '2884', bronze issue, very fine (4)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£60 to £80

### Lot 107



South Africa 1877-79, 1 clasp, 1879 (896. Pte. T. Harris. 3/60th Foot.), suspension somewhat slack, contact marks, light edge bruising, very fine 999 Medals issued to the unit, 964 with the clasp '1879'. The unit arrived to join Lord Chelmsford's Relief Column just in time to fight in the Battle of Gingindlovu on 1 April 1879 and the following relief of the Siege of Eshowe. Following the conclusion of hostilities, the unit was left behind on garrison duty in South Africa, being there when the First Boer War broke out. They would share in the Battle of Ingogo River and also the disastrous Battle of Majuba Hill in early 1881. Sold together with a copied medal roll. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£600 to £800

### Lot 108



Afghanistan 1878-80, no clasp (1427. Pte J. Knott. 2/15th Foot.), good very fine James Knott enlisted on 5 January 1878 and embarked for India on 12 March 1880 on board the Jumna. This is confirmed as his only entitlement. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£100 to £140

### Lot 109



(x) Afghanistan 1878-80, no clasp (6B/1338 Pte. T. Bartle. 1/25th Regt.), very fine The 25th Regiment of Foot, later the King's Own Scottish Borderers, were deployed on the lines of communication between Kabul and Peshawar; sold together with a copied medal roll. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£80 to £100

### Lot 110



Afghanistan 1878-80, no clasp (Sepoy Ram Sia 28th Regt N.I.), contact marks, contact wear, edge wear, nearly very fine Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£80 to £100

**Lot 111**

Afghanistan 1878-80, 1 clasp, Ali Musjid (12.Bde./674. Pte. J. Ward. 81st Foot.), toning, very fine James Ward is recorded upon the roll as 'deceased' and his entitlement to this medal and clasp are confirmed; sold together with copied medal roll. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£120 to £160

**Lot 112**

(x) Afghanistan 1878-80, 1 clasp, Ali Musjid (Bugler Comutr Mahomed 6th Regt.. N.I.), engraved, light contact marks, very fine Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£150 to £200

**Lot 113**

(x) Afghanistan 1878-80, 1 clasp, Peiwar Kotal (Sepoy Aukhun 29th Regt N.I.), contact marks, good fine Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£100 to £150

**Lot 114**

(x) Afghanistan 1878-80, 1 clasp, Peiwar Kotal, naming erased, suspension slightly loose, light contact marks, very fine Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£30 to £50

### Lot 115



(x) Afghanistan 1878-80, 1 clasp, Ahmed Khel (Captain. Geo: Hewitt. Trotman, 2/60th Foot), slight edge bruise, very fine George Hewitt Trotman was born in Barbados in 1838, the son of Irish parents, Joseph and Susannah Trotman. Commissioned on 12 May 1857 he was advanced Lieutenant on 13 August 1859 and Captain on 11 January 1869. The Battalion Records of Service note that he was commanding 'E' Company in November 1878. Trotman was part of the initial occupation of Kandahar and Kalat-i-Ghilzai, seeing action at Ahmed Khel, the surrender of Ghazni and the Action at Arzu. He was advanced Major on 5 June 1880 and Lieutenant-Colonel on 5 October 1887, the same day he retired. Despite this he appeared in the 1912 Army List as an Honorary Colonel. The rest of Trotman's family appear to have remained in Barbados while he was soldering however he did not settle there, instead returning to Ireland. He died there at Bantry, Cork on 11 April 1916; sold together with copied research. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£200 to £240

### Lot 116



Afghanistan 1878-80, 1 clasp, Ahmed Khel (108, Pte. J. Moore, 59th Foot), edge bruising, some edge knocks, otherwise very fine Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£140 to £180

### Lot 117



(x) Afghanistan 1878-80, 1 clasp, Ahmed Khel (3608, Gunr. C. Edwards, A/B. R.H.A.), good very fine 160 Ahmed Khel clasps awarded to A Battery, B Brigade R.H.A. Charles Edwards is confirmed on the roll with entitlement to this medal and clasp; sold together with copied medal roll. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£120 to £180



**Lot 118**

Afghanistan 1878-80, 1 clasp, Ahmed Khel (3667. Driv: W. Cullen. A/B. R.H.A.), very fine 160 Ahmed Khel clasps were awarded to A Battery, B Brigade of the Royal Horse Artillery. William Cullen is confirmed on the roll with entitlement to this medal and clasp; sold together with copied medal roll. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£120 to £160

**Lot 119**

Afghanistan 1878-80, 1 clasp, Kandahar (5935. Gunr. J. Warrell. C. Batt: 2nd Bde. R.A.), contact marks, otherwise very fine. John Warrell is confirmed on the roll with entitlement to this medal and clasp; sold together with copied medal roll. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£140 to £180

**Lot 120**

(x) Afghanistan 1878-80, 2 clasps, Ahmed Khel, Kandahar (1643. Pte. J. Clarke. 2/60th Foot.), light pitting, very fine. James Clarke was born at Ross-On-Wye, Herefordshire. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£200 to £240

**Lot 121**

Afghanistan 1878-80, 2 clasps, Charasia, Kabul (40B/1240 Pte. J. Murphy, 67th. Foot), naming slightly polished, otherwise very fine. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£120 to £160

**Lot 122**



**Kabul to Kandahar Star 1880 (Sawar Kirpa Singh 3rd. Bengal Cavy), nearly very fine**Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

**Estimate**  
**£80 to £100**

**Lot 123**



**Kabul to Kandahar Star 1881, specimen, the reverse engraved '1406 H.J.L.', extremely fine**Provenance:Spink 1984.'H.J.L.' is believed to stand for Henry Jenkins & Sons, the manufacturer of the Kabul to Kandahar Star.Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

**Estimate**  
**£70 to £90**

**Lot 124**



**Cape of Good Hope General Service 1880-97, 1 clasp, Bechuanaland (476 Nat. Pte Paul Peppetta. C.P.CE.), very fine**Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

**Estimate**  
**£200 to £240**

**Lot 125**

**Cape of Good Hope General Service 1880-97, 1 clasp, Bechuanaland (Pte. A. Dennis. Kimberley Rif.), contact marks, very fine**Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

**Estimate**  
**£180 to £220**

**IMAGE  
PENDING**

**SPINK**  
WHERE HISTORY IS VALUED

**Lot 126**

(x) Cape of Good Hope General Service 1880-97, disc (Pte M. J. De Beer Stella. Hse), official corrections to surname and unit, otherwise very fine Stellaland Light Horse. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£80 to £100

**Lot 127**

Egypt and Sudan 1882-89, dated reverse, no clasp (241 Pte. W. Stickley. 1/R. Suss:R.), official correction to final digit of regimental number, polished, pitting, light edge bruising, about very fine W. Stickley attested with the Royal Sussex Regiment on 10 December 1874 and was later discharged upon the termination of his limited period of engagement on 9 December 1886; sold together with copied discharge document and medal roll. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£60 to £80

**Lot 128**

Egypt and Sudan 1882-89, undated reverse, 1 clasp, The Nile 1884-85 (1158. LcCpl. T. Ludlam. Rl. Sussex. Rgt), renamed, pitting from Star, contact wear, otherwise very fine Thomas Ludlam was born in Nottingham and attested for the Royal Sussex Regiment at Brighton on 7 December 1882 as a 19-year-old porter. He served at home with his Regiment until his posting to Egypt on 25 April 1883. Ludlam was stationed in Egypt for over two years, and during that time participated in The Nile expedition of 1884-5. He returned to England on 12 September 1885 and was later transferred to the Army Reserve on 7 December 1889. Ludlam was discharged on 6 December 1894 after having served with the Colours for twelve years; sold together with copied service record and medal roll. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£50 to £70

**Lot 129**

Egypt and Sudan 1882-89, undated reverse, 1 clasp, The Nile 1884-85 (634 Pte. R. Shemmings. 1/Essex R.), contact marks and pitting, fine Robert Shemmings, a 19-year-old groom from Harleston, Suffolk enlisted in the Essex Regiment on 28 March 1882. He saw active service in Egypt from February 1884 until July 1884 and is additionally entitled to a Khedives Star 1884-86. Shemmings was discharged on 27 March 1894. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£100 to £140



### Lot 130



Egypt and Sudan 1882-89, dated reverse, 2 clasps, Alexandria 11th July, Suakin 1884 (W. Bushell. A.B. H.M.S. "Hecla".), naming of ship worn, contact wear and pitting from Star, one edge knock, otherwise very fine H.M.S. Hecla was a torpedo vessel that took part in the bombardment of Alexandria in July 1882 and the subsequent land operations against Arabi Pasha's forces. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£80 to £120

### Lot 131



Egypt and Sudan 1882-89, undated reverse, 2 clasps, The Nile 1884-85, Kirbekan (5632, Pte. J. W. Reeday, 11th Co. C&T.C.), pawn broker's mark to reverse, light pitting, very fine Provenance: Noonan's, September 2009. John William Reeday was born in Shipley, Yorkshire and attested for general service at York on 27 July 1881 as a 19-year-old farm labourer. He served in Egypt from 25 August 1884 until returning home on 3 November 1885. Reeday participated in the Nile Expedition 1884-5 while serving in Egypt, for which he earned a clasp for his Egypt and Sudan medal. However, his service records do not mention an entitlement to a second clasp. Reeday is further entitled to a Khedive's Star; sold together with copied service record. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£70 to £90

### Lot 132



(x) Egypt and Sudan 1882-89, undated reverse, 2 clasps, Suakin 1885, Tofrek (Pte Luximon Bhudaney 28th Bombay Infy), engraved in flowing script, lightly toned, light polishing and contact marks, otherwise very fine Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£150 to £200

### Lot 133



Khedive's Star, dated 1882, missing loop to attach top suspension, this also missing riband roller, very fine Jubilee 1935 very fine Volunteer Force L.S. & G.C., V.R., unnamed polished, very fine Service Medal for the Order of St. John, with Second Award Bar, unnamed example very fine Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£70 to £100



**Lot 134**



**Khedive's Star, undated, very fine**Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

**Estimate**  
**£30 to £50**

**Lot 135**

**Khedive's Star, dated 1882, both very fine (2)**Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

**Estimate**  
**£60 to £80**

**IMAGE  
PENDING**

**SPINK**  
WHERE HISTORY IS VALUED

**Lot 136**



**(x) Khedive's Star, dated 1882, a couple of small pawnbroker marks to the reverse, otherwise very fine**Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

**Estimate**  
**£60 to £80**

**Lot 137**



**(x) Khedive's Star, dated 1882, the crescent slightly bent, otherwise very fine**Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

**Estimate**  
**£40 to £60**

Lot 138

Khedive's Star, dated 1884, very fine  
Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£30 to £50

**IMAGE  
PENDING**

**SPINK**  
WHERE HISTORY IS VALUED

Lot 139

Khedive's Star, dated 1884-6, very fine  
Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£30 to £50



Lot 140

Khedive's Star, undated, with Tokar clasp, good very fine  
Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£80 to £120



Lot 141

North West Canada 1885, no clasp (Shim Bonboulour 9e. Bat. V.Q.) engraved naming in style for unit, very fine  
Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£400 to £600



**Lot 142**



**(x) North West Canada 1885, no clasp, unnamed, good very fine** Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

**Estimate**  
**£200 to £240**

**Lot 143**



**(x) Royal Niger Company's Medal 1886-97, bronze issue, 1 copy clasp, Nigeria, officially numbered '1966', solder on claw, nearly very fine** Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

**Estimate**  
**£140 to £180**

**Lot 144**



**East and West Africa 1887-1900, 1 clasp, 1900 (262 Pte Oloyede. 2nd N. Nigeria Regt), very fine** Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

**Estimate**  
**£120 to £160**

**Lot 145**

East and West Africa 1887-1900, 1 clasp, Benin 1897 (P. Coleman, Lg. Sto. 1 Cl., H.M.S. St. George.), good very fine Patrick Coleman was born at Passage Road, Cork on 15 March 1857, entering the Royal Navy on 21 January 1878 as Stoker Class II. He saw considerable service, being advanced Stoker Class I with H.M.S. Encounter on 1 May 1881. Further advanced Leading Stoker on 1 April 1890 he joined St. George on 25 October 1894 and was still with her in 1896 when she was involved in the Anglo-Zanzibar War. She was targeted by the Zanzibari yacht Glasgow but swiftly returned fire, sinking the unarmoured and lightly armed vessel. Not long after this St. George joined the Benin Expedition with her entire crew receiving the medal and clasp for their service, this makes it hard to tell whether Coleman saw service ashore or not. He continued to serve until 3 May 1898 when he was finally pensioned. Seeing brief service with the Royal Fleet Reserve Coleman was discharged due to age on 15 March 1907. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£140 to £180

**Lot 146**

(x) East and West Africa 1887-1900, 2 clasps, 1893-94, Sierra Leone 1898-99 (424. Pte. S. Henderson. 1/W.I.Rgt.), minor edge bruising, somewhat polished, overall very fine Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£140 to £180

**Lot 147**

(x) British South Africa Company 1890-97, reverse Matabeleland 1893, (Trooper J. Drummond. Salisbury Horse.), good very fine Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£200 to £300



**Lot 148**

**British South Africa Company 1890-97, reverse Rhodesia 1896, no clasp (Sergt. G. Gott. "C" Troop. Belingwe. Column.), retaining rod sometime repaired but broken, thus nearly very fine**One of 22 Medals to "C" troop of which 21 are without clasps.**Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.**

**Estimate  
£140 to £180**

**Lot 149**

**Hunza Nagar Badge 1891, two lugs to reverse, unmarked but an old piece of fine quality, good very fine**Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

**Estimate  
£180 to £220**

**Lot 150**

**Jummoo and Kashmir 1895, 1 clasp, Chitral 1895, unnamed as issued, very fine**Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

**Estimate  
£180 to £220**

**Lot 151**

**Ashanti Star 1896, unnamed as issued, good very fine**Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

**Estimate  
£120 to £160**

**Lot 152**

**(x) Queen's Sudan 1896-98 (81211. Sergt. A. Tugwood, R. Arty.), renamed, very fine**Not confirmed on roll, sold not subject to return.**Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.**

**Estimate  
£70 to £100**

**Lot 153**



(x) Queen's Sudan 1896-98, bronze issue (Bhistee Shaikh Ghayie 1st Bo: Lancers.), light contact marks, very fine Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£200 to £250

**Lot 154**



(x) Khedive's Sudan 1896-1908, silver issue, no clasp (182 Havlr Bhag Singh 5th Bo: Mn By) engraved, rubbing after 'By', light contact marks, otherwise nearly very fine Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£80 to £120

**Lot 155**



Khedive's Sudan 1896-1908, 1 clasp, Nyam-Nyam, named in Arabic script, very fine Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£100 to £140

**Lot 156**



(x) Khedive's Sudan 1896-1908, silver, no clasp (1433 Sepoy Isa Singh. 35th Bl Infy) engraved, loose suspension, otherwise generally very fine Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£100 to £150

**Lot 157**



**(x) Khedive's Sudan 1896-1908, bronze issue, no clasp (15 Dooly Bearer Dewa Kangara C. I. Deptt..) engraved, very fine**Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

**Estimate**  
**£80 to £120**

**Lot 158**



**Khedive's Sudan 1896-1908, no clasp, edge rubbed, possibly an erased example**Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

**Estimate**  
**£50 to £80**

Lot 159



The India General Service medal awarded to Private T. McCandlish, 2nd Battalion, Seaforth Highlanders, who was later Killed in Action at Magersfontein on 11 December 1899. India General Service 1895-1902, 1 clasp, Relief of Chitral 1895 (3314 Pte. T. McCandlish 2d. Bn. Seaforth Highrs.), very fine. Thomas McCandlish was killed in action on 11 December 1899 at Magersfontein. The diary of Private John Winning, 2nd Seaforth Highlanders held in the Highlanders Museum records the events of 11 December 1899, stating: 'When we laid down that night it was impossible to sleep, for the cold, so we welcomed 12 o' clock. When we got orders to stand to arms we were told to light our pipes, as no lights had to be shown after we moved off; we were also told to look at our rifles and see that they were in working order, while doing this someone let off a round. This was rather unlucky as it must have let them know that we were coming. It turned so dark that a rope had to be passed from the front to the rear regiment so that we would not lose [sic] one another. We must have been very close to the hill when the Kimberly search light played on us, showing us up to the enemy in grand style. At about 4am daylight was just breaking. The regiments got the order to extend when a red light flashed on the hill, and the next minute a fearful storm of bullets were poured into us. We got the order to fire bayonets and lie down, but some of the front companies charged with a wild cheer but didn't get far before many of them were mowed down. At this stage, we received many conflicting orders, some being to charge others being to retire, till we did not know what to do. About this time General Wauchope was killed, although we did not know till we had to retire, which we had to do eventually but not for long as we advanced again in long extended lines, 5 paces between each man, to within 80 yards of the position where we laid down as it was impossible to get any closer owing to the heavy fire that was directed on us. Here we lay all day ... but it was useless, as the courage of the troops had been fiercely broken at being led into such a death-trap at the commencement. At 5pm we got orders to retire, which we did for about 2 minutes, strong picquets were put out and we were told we were staying here for the night. We were issued with a dram of rum and a couple of biscuits.' McCandlish is commemorated on the Dingwall Seaforth Highlanders Boer War Memorial; sold together with copied research. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£200 to £240

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### Lot 160



(x) India General Service 1895-1908, 1 clasp, Relief of Chitral 1895 (199 Dooly bearer Karuly Doorgadoo Comst. Transpt. Deptt Madras), minor official corrections to first and last names, suspension slack, very fine. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£50 to £70

### Lot 161



India General Service 1895-1908, 1 clasp, Punjab Frontier 1897-98 (4675 Pte W. Vearnals 2d Bn Derby: Regt.), very fine. William James Vearnals was born at Matlock, Derbyshire, and attested for the Sherwood Foresters on 28 May 1894. He served at Home until 24 December 1896 when he served in the East Indies until 4 October 1899. Vearnals then served in Malta from 5 October 1899-13 December 1901. He then served in South Africa from 14 December 1901-15 September 1902, and then spent the remainder of his service at Home until he was discharged on 27 May 1906. He re-enlisted on 5 September 1914 with the outbreak of the Great War and was sent to the 5th Reserve Cavalry, 1st Royal Dragoons, at York. Promoted to Sergeant a few days later. He was subsequently posted to Nottingham and was a founder member of the 17th (Welbeck Rangers) Bn in which he became the Transport Sergeant, a position which he held for three years, during this time he entered the war in France on 19 June 1915 and was slightly wounded as a result of shrapnel but was not eligible for a Silver War Badge. He was finally discharged on 5 January 1919 at the Dispersal Station, Press Heath. Vearnals is additionally entitled to the Queen's South Africa 1899-1902 medal with clasps, Cape Colony, Orange Free State, Transvaal and South Africa 1902. His Great War Medal Index Card although stating that he served in France from 19 June 1915 the entry for the 1914-15 Star is crossed out stating it was claimed in error. He is however entitled to a British War and Victory Medal Pair. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£80 to £120

### Lot 162



(x) India General Service 1895-1908, bronze issue, 1 clasp, Punjab Frontier 1897-98 (Porter Bhola Ram Comt Trpt. Deptt.), heavily cleaned, the reverse almost obliterated, fine India General Service 1895-1908, bronze issue, 1 clasp, Relief of Chitral 1895 (201 Dooly Bearer Gunpat Comst. Transpt. Dept. Bo: Col:), suspension slack, good very fine (2) Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£140 to £180

### Lot 163



India General Service 1895-1908, 1 clasp, Waziristan 1901-2 (36 Gunr. Pir Baktish Gujrat Mtn By), light contact marks, very fine Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£60 to £80

### Lot 164



India General Service 1895-1902, 1 clasp, Waziristan 1901-2 (1317 Naik Divavka Singh 11th Rajputs), very fine Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£60 to £80

### Lot 165



(x) India General Service 1895-1902, 1 clasp, Relief of Chitral 1895 (973 Sepoy Merou Khan 12th Bl Infy), slack suspension, toned very fine India General Service 1895-1902, 1 clasp, Waziristan 1901-2 (1199 Sepoy Suchet Singh 4th Sikh), suspension slack otherwise very fine India General Service 1895-1902, 2 clasps, Punjab Frontier 1897-98, Malakand 1897 (\*arrier Satou No.8 Bl Mn By), suspension slack and with contact marks otherwise very fine India General Service 1895-1902, 2 clasps, Punjab Frontier 1897-98, Tirah 1897-98 (575 Drivr Kanhaia Singh No 5 Mtn By. R.A.), suspension slack, otherwise very fine, together with an overseas service badge, very fine (5) Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£150 to £200

### Lot 166



India General Service 1895-1908, 2 clasps, Punjab Frontier 1897-98, Tirah 1897-98 (4554 Pte. B. Flood. 2nd Bn. K.O. York: Lt. Infy.), suspension sometime tightened, contact wear, very fine. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£120 to £160

### Lot 167



India General Service 1895-1908, 2 clasps, Punjab Frontier 1897-98, Tirah 1897-98 (619 Pte A. Dear 1st Bn. Dorset Regt.), clasps and suspension are casts, disc has been heavily cleaned, polished, otherwise about very fine. Alfred Dear was born in London and worked as a servant before attesting for general infantry service at Weymouth on 14 July 1877 at age 20. He was posted to the 1st Battalion, Dorsetshire Regiment and stationed in the East Indies, where he disembarked on 5 October 1878. Dear returned to the United Kingdom three years later on 3 March 1882. He again embarked for overseas service, arriving in the Mediterranean a few months later on 11 September. Dear was not to stay there long, however, and returned to the United Kingdom just 33 days later. On 1 March 1883, Dear extended his service with the Colours to 12 years' service. Once again posted to the Mediterranean, he began what was to be just under a year of service there on 4 May 1885. From the Mediterranean, Dear was sent to Egypt on 12 February 1886, where he remained until returning home for the last time later that same year on 10 August. He was discharged at Gosport upon the termination of the second period of engagement; sold together with copied service record, which details his entitlement to this medal and clasp combination. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£30 to £50

### Lot 168



India General Service 1895-1908, 3 clasps, Punjab Frontier 1897-98, Tirah 1897-98, Relief of Chitral 1895 (716 Gun\*\* \* Newman No.8 Mtn. By \*\*.), heavy edge wear partially obscures naming, pitting, contact marks, otherwise very fine Frederick Newman was born in Maldon and worked as a labourer until attesting with the Royal Artillery at age 19 on 15 November 1893 at Great Yarmouth. He was posted to India on 9 October 1894 and served there for eleven years. One year after his arrival in India, Newman was tried and imprisoned in October 1895 for unknown reasons. He finally returned home on 16 December 1905 and was discharged just two days after his return to England with 'indifferent' character upon the termination of his limited period of engagement; sold together with copied service record, which confirms his entitlement to this medal and clasp combination. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£80 to £120

### Lot 169



(x) Queen's South Africa 1899-1902, no clasp (C. H. F. Robinson, S.S.A., H.M.S. Gibraltar.), good very fine Charles Herbert Felstone Robinson was born at Portsea, Hampshire on 23 March 1882 and attested with the Royal Navy on 22 March 1922 with the service number 341536. He was serving with Gibraltar as Ship's Steward's Assistant during the Anglo-Boer War between March 1901 until the end of the war. He was posted to Monarch and from thence to the Cape in 1903 but returned to Gibraltar in January 1904 as an Assistant Ship's Steward. Further advanced Ship's Steward to with Hermione in 1905 Robinson was to serve ashore for the early years of the Great War. Joining H.M.S. Renown on 12 September 1916 he was appointed Chief Petty Officer with her on 28 February 1918 and finished the war with her. He was shore pensioned on 22 March 1922. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£80 to £100

### Lot 170



Queen's South Africa 1899-1902, no clasp (Nursing Sister I. Overbeck.), very fine Irene Overbeck served in the Army Nursing Service Reserve as a nursing sister during the Boer War and is additionally entitled to a no clasp Q.S.A. She married Guy Stephen in 1907 and lived in Lambeth before retiring to Italy. Their only son James died in 1918 while serving with the Canadian Expeditionary Force and Overbeck herself died in Italy on 19 July 1925; sold together with copied census data. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£150 to £200



**Lot 171**

Queen's South Africa 1899-1902, no clasp (890 Pte. A.C. Toop. Uitenhage T.G.), good very fine Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£100 to £140

**Lot 172**

Queen's South Africa 1899-1902, no clasp, bronze issue (98 Dooly Bearer Nait Ram B. Cd. [...] Dist.), naming somewhat obscured, otherwise very fine Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£200 to £300

**Lot 173**

(x) Queen's South Africa 1899-1902, 1 clasp, Defence of Kimberley (Pte. J. Hill. Kimberley Town Gd:), good very fine Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£200 to £300

**Lot 175**

Queen's South Africa 1899-1902, 2 clasps, Cape Colony, S.A. 1902 (17194. Pte. J. R. Irons. R.A.M.C.), suspension slightly slack, very fine Queen's South Africa 1899-1902, 1 clasp, Cape Colony (2736, Pte.A. Hobson, A.O.C.), very fine John Edward Rick Irons was born at Melton Mowbray in 1882. A twenty-year-old engine cleaner he enlisted in the Royal Army Medical Corps on 6 February 1902 and served in South Africa from 6 March 1902 until 8 November 1902, being discharged on 14 November 1902. Abraham Hobson was born at Saint Peters, Drogheda, Louth, Ireland. An 18-year-old clerk he enlisted in the Royal Irish Fusiliers on 18 January 1888, subsequently transferring to the Ordnance Store Corps on 3 September 1890. He served in South Africa and was discharged on 15 January 1901. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£140 to £180

**Lot 176**



(x) Queen's South Africa 1899-1902, 3 clasps, Cape Colony, Orange Free State, Transvaal (147 3rd Cl: Tpr: H. W. Beale. S.A.C.), suspension somewhat slack, good very fine H.W. Beale served with B Division South African Constabulary. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£100 to £140

**Lot 177**



(x) Queen's South Africa 1899-1902, 3 clasps, Cape Colony, Orange Free State, Transvaal (1187 L. Corpl. J. Sinnett. Rly: Pnr: Regt), good very fine James Sinnett served with 2 Battalion Railway, Pioneer Regiment. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£80 to £100

**Lot 178**



Queen's South Africa 1899-1902, 3 clasps, Cape Colony, Orange Free State, Johannesburg (1572 Pte. G. Nye, 1st Rl. Sussex Regt.), suspension slightly loose, contact marks, otherwise very fine George Nye served in India with the 2nd Battalion, the Royal Sussex Regiment ahead of later serving with his Regiment in South Africa. Nye appears on the roll with entitlement to this South Africa medal and clasp combination, and is additionally entitled to the clasp 'South Africa 1901'. He is also further entitled to an India General Service 1854-95 Medal; sold together with copied medal rolls. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£70 to £90

**Lot 179**



Queen's South Africa 1899-1902, 3 clasps, Cape Colony, Transvaal, Wittebergen (8034 Dr: J. T. O'Brien, A.S.C.), toning, good very fine J. T. O'Brien is confirmed upon the roll with entitlement to this medal and clasp combination, though his regimental number is recorded as '8043'; sold together with copied medal roll. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£70 to £90

### Lot 180



The Q.S.A. awarded to Private W. Price, 9th Lancers, who was wounded in action the day after the Charge at Klip Drift on 16 February 1900. Queen's South Africa 1899-1902, 3 clasps, Belmont, Modder River, Relief of Kimberley, (3868. Corpl. W. Price, 9/Lcrs.), very fine. W. Price when French departed in haste to relieve Kimberley on 11 February 1900, the 9th Lancers formed a part of the 3rd Cavalry Brigade taking part in the charge against the Boers at Klip Drift on 15 February 1900. Price was doubtless present, he is noted as being wounded the next day and invalided from service as a result. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£200 to £240

### Lot 181



Sold by Order of a Direct Descendant. The Queen's South Africa Medal awarded to Major the Honourable L. F. G. Byng, Thorneycroft's Mounted Infantry, late Royal Horse Guards, a brother to the famous Field Marshal Byng who served honourably in the Guards only to return to service in South Africa on the outbreak of the Anglo-Boer War. Queen's South Africa 1899-1902, 3 clasps, Tugela Heights, Relief of Ladysmith, Cape Colony (Major. Hon. L. F. G. Byng. Thorneycroft's. L.I.), note the incorrect letter on the unit, nearly extremely fine. Lionel Francis George Byng was born at Wrotham Park, South Mimms, Hertfordshire on 26 September 1858, the son of Lady Harriett and Lord George Byng, the 3rd Earl of Strafford. Commissioned 2nd Lieutenant on 29 June 1878 with the Royal Horse Guards he was advanced Lieutenant on 4 September 1880. Joining the Regiment in Ireland he was appointed Adjutant, listed in that role as early as 1884. Byng was advanced Captain on 18 January 1885 and remained in service, being finally promoted Major on 18 January 1891. He retired on 6 February 1895, it is not clear what the circumstances were which took him to South Africa on the outbreak of the Anglo-Boer War however he was appointed Major with Thorneycroft's Mounted Infantry, joining them in the fighting on the Tugela Heights. They saw heavy fighting at Colenso and were one of the central units involved in the Battle of Spion Kop. After the British finally managed to cross the Tugela River and relieved Ladysmith Thorneycroft commanded a column hunting Boer Guerillas. It seems likely that Byng was involved in similar work although it is perhaps notable that he did not serve in the Orange Free State and the medal roll makes clear that his Cape Colony bar was claimed after the others. Returning to Britain he married Lady Eleanor Mary Howard, the sister of the Earl of Suffolk and Berkshire. His best man was his elder brother Colonel Charles Byng, formerly commanding officer of the 1st Life Guards. Byng retired to Avening House, Avening, Stroud with his wife and joined the Reserve of Officers, however he was not to see service again, dying on 27 May 1915; sold together with copied research. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£300 to £500



### Lot 182



(x) Queen's South Africa 1899-1902, 3 clasps, Natal, Transvaal, South Africa 1901 (24611 Gnr: A. Sutcliffe, 10th Coy W. D., R.G.A.), the suspension slightly bent, otherwise very fine. A. Sutcliffe is noted upon the roll as invalided in 1901. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£80 to £100

### Lot 183



(x) Queen's South Africa 1899-1902, 3 clasps, Orange Free State, Transvaal, Laing's Nek (5729 Pte. W. Hesketh. Rl:Lanc:Regt), very fine. William Hesketh was born in 1879, a native of Ancoats, Manchester and served through the Anglo-Boer War with the Royal Lancaster Regiment. Discharged at some stage after this he re-enlisted on the outbreak of the Great War on 11 August 1914. Entering the war in Egypt with the 8th Battalion, Manchester Regiment he served until 28 November 1919 when he was discharged due to sickness; sold together with copied service papers. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£100 to £140

### Lot 184



Queen's South Africa 1899-1902, 3 clasps, Natal, Orange Free State, Transvaal (3659. Pte. F. G. Wilkins. 5/Lcrs.), naming engraved in sloping serifs, light contact marks, one minor edge knock, very fine. Frederick George Wilkins was born in Maidstone, Kent circa 1871 and attested with the 5th Royal Irish Lancers at Canterbury on 29 March 1889 at age 19 after working as a carpenter. In July 1894, Wilkins was tried by court martial and awarded 84 days imprisonment. Wilkins was stationed in South Africa from 5 March 1898 until returning to England on 18 March 1902. He was later discharged at Canterbury on 12 July 1902 upon the termination of his limited period of engagement. Wilkins is confirmed upon the roll with entitlement to this medal and clasp combination. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£70 to £90



Lot 185



The Queen's South Africa Medal awarded to Private T. Cain, 1st Battalion, Border Regiment, who was wounded in the thigh on the Second Day of the Battle of Middlefontein Queen's South Africa 1899-1902, 4 clasps, Cape Colony, Orange Free State, Transvaal, South Africa 1902 (5928 Pte T. Cain. 1: Bord: Regt.), contact marks, very fine Note, the recipient is further entitled to clasps for the Relief of Ladysmith and Tugela Heights as well as a K.S.A. however neither the clasps nor suspension have signs of tampering, it appears as issued. Thomas Cain was born at Preston, Lancashire in 1879 and served at Home from 9 May 1898 with the Border Regiment. Posted to South Africa on 27 September 1899 he saw service with them during the crossing of the Tugela River. They were stationed at Rustenburg, North West Province in 1901 under the command of General Cunningham in 1901 when General French ordered them to march on Vlakfontein, part of a sweep to capture Koos de la Rey. They encountered some resistance but by the night of 23 January they had made good progress and set up camp near the farm of Middlefontein. The first they knew of a Boer attack was when the advanced pickets came under attack, the British responding with artillery and an increased infantry presence. The 2nd Worcestershire Regiment attacked a Boer held hill and managed to drive the enemy from it, strengthening the British position. In the night de la Rey arrived and by the morning the British position was in much more dire straits. Fortunately for the Cunningham's command they still had heliograph contact with the rest of their forces and a column was directed to relieve them. This would not arrive until the next day however which left them under the sights of the Boer's for the entire day, under constant attack. The men of the Border Regiment took the brunt of the casualties however later in the day they managed to secure an unoccupied Kraal, turning it into a defensive position. During the action Cain was wounded in the thigh, becoming one of 23 men of the Regiment wounded in action at Middlefontein. The Boers became aware of the approaching relief column during the night and began to withdraw, though they kept up a desultory fire throughout the day. They withdrew completely at midday, Cain survived his wounds and continued to serve, being posted to India on 22 September 1902. He returned to South Africa on 31 December 1904, but left again on 8 February 1906 and returned to Britain, joining the Army Reserve on 8 May. Cain remained with the reserves throughout the Great War but was recalled to the colours in 1919. He was once again demobilised in 1920. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£140 to £180

### Lot 186



Queen's South Africa 1899-1902, 4 clasps, Belmont, Modder River, Orange Free State, Transvaal (4145 Pte. B. Wilson, North'd: Fus:), good very fine. Burton Alexander Wilson was born at Tottenham, London. An 18-year-old fishmonger he enlisted in the Northumberland Fusiliers on 23 January 1894. He served with the Regiment in the Sudan expedition and was awarded the Queen's and Kings Sudan medals. He later served with the Regiment during the Boer War and was the recipient of a Humane Society's certificate for saving a life in the Orange River on 27 February 1900 and was discharged at Newcastle on Tyne on 22 January 1906. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£140 to £180

### Lot 187



(x) Queen's South Africa 1899-1902, 5 clasps, Cape Colony, Tugela Heights, Orange Free State, Relief of Ladysmith, Transvaal (3336 Pte. M. Hegarty. 1st Connaught Rang:), repair to left hand rivet between second and third clasps, good very fine. M. Hegarty is further entitled to the South Africa 1901 clasp, listed on a separate roll, likely sent separately and never affixed to the medal. He is noted as discharged at the end of the campaign; sold together with copied medal rolls. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£140 to £180

## Lot 188



The poignant Queen's South Africa Medal awarded to Major J. R. Landale, Royal Scots Fusiliers who was mortally wounded at the Battle of Dujaila Redoubt on 8 March 1916 while commanding the 2nd Queen's Own Rajput Light Infantry. Queen's South Africa 1899-1902, 5 clasps, Cape Colony, Orange Free State, Transvaal, South Africa 1901, South Africa 1902 (Lieut: J.R. Landale. RI: Scots Fus:), very fine and better. James Russell Landale was born on 6 December 1881 at Secunderabad, India the son of Surgeon General James Landale, R.A.M.C. Educated at Cheltenham College he was accepted as a Gentleman Cadet at the Royal Military College, Sandhurst. Commissioned into the Indian Army (unattached list) as a 2nd Lieutenant on 8 January 1901, he joined the Royal Scots Fusiliers in India on 9 March 1901. Advanced to Lieutenant on 12 December 1904, he transferred to the Indian Army joining the 2nd Rajput Light Infantry on 30 September 1905. The Regiment was stationed in Bombay, India when the Great War started. They were initially sent to Egypt to defend the Suez Canal. They took part in the defence of the Canal when Turkish forces attacked on 3-4 February 1915. They next deployed to Mesopotamia in December 1915 with Landale being advanced to Major. On 8 January 1916, Landale was tragically killed in action at the Battle of Dujaila Redoubt on 8 March 1916 in a failed attempt to break through to the besieged British garrison at Kut. The Regiment suffered grievous losses that day with ten of its eleven British officers and fifty percent of the Regiment becoming casualties. His Brigade Commander wrote at the time 'Major Landale has been in command of the Regiment since they arrived in Mesopotamia and that the magnificent way in which the Regiment went in to attack and fought was largely due to his leadership and fine example. He was wounded in the thigh but took no notice and went on until mortally wounded.' 'Today in World War One' describes the muddled battle, stating: 'Aylmer planned a ten-mile night march towards the main Turkish obstacle on his line of approach-the redoubt at the Dujaila depression. He hoped his troops, arriving and attacking at dawn, would have total surprise and could quickly overwhelm the Turkish defenders. However, the night march did not proceed as quickly as planned; they did not start until 10:20 PM on March 7, and there were further delays in separating support from infantry columns. By dawn around 5:40 AM, the British Indian forces were still over two miles from the Turkish lines at Dujaila. Aylmer believed the element of surprise had been lost, and did not want to risk a two-mile attack over open ground. This was despite reports from scouts indicating that the Turkish trenches were essentially empty. Many of the Turkish defenders around Kut had been transferred north to fight the Russians in Persia or the Caucasus after the loss of Erzurum, leaving the lines at Dujaila essentially denuded. Aylmer instead brought up his guns and began an artillery barrage at 7 AM, which proceeded for the next three hours. This was the first the Turkish commander in the area, Ali Ihsan Bey, had heard of the British advance, and he quickly told his artillery and machine guns to rush to the area and "answer the enemy artillery and to fire on any enemy troops as they marched." He recalled that "The enemy did not send their infantry forward while their artillery was firing on us. We benefited from this mistake and all of our troops managed to arrive" in time. When the infantry attacked at 10 am, they now took heavy casualties from the newly arrived Turkish forces. One Turkish veteran, Abidin Ege, recalled, "The distance between us and the enemy was only 800 meters. Both sides started firing and the battle began. The enemy made every effort to reach us, but their forces were melting under the heat of our fire." A renewed attack in the afternoon briefly reached the redoubt itself but was repulsed; the British suffered nearly 3500 casualties out of his 18,000-man force. On the other side, Abidin Ege wrote that "we had an absolute victory against the enemy, yet we lost half of our battalion." The British withdrew that night in disarray. There are photographs of Landale in 'The Looker-on' of 18 March 1916 and in the 'Graphic' of the same date. Extraordinarily his father, Surgeon General James Landale died on the same day as his son. Landale has no known grave and is commemorated on the Basra Memorial. He is also commemorated on his parent's grave in Cheltenham Cemetery and Crematorium, Cheltenham, Gloucestershire; sold together with an archive of copied research. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£200 to £300

## Lot 189



Queen's South Africa 1899-1902, 5 clasps, Cape Colony, Orange Free State, Transvaal, South Africa 1901, South Africa 1902, unofficial rivets between the third and four clasps, (7419 Corpl: T. Rushton. Vol: Coy E. Lanc: R.), edge bruise, very fine. Thomas Rushton was born at Whalley, Accrington, Lancashire in 1866 and attested at Brunley on 24 February 1900. Posted to South Africa on 21 March 1901 he served there until 22 June 1902 when he returned to Britain, being discharged on the same day. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£120 to £160

### Lot 190



(x) Queen's South Africa 1899-1902, 5 clasps, Cape Colony, Orange Free State, Transvaal, South Africa 1901, South Africa 1902 (2293 3rd Cl. Tpr. H. Woolnough. S.A.C.), sometime cleaned, light contact marks, very fine Harry Woolnough served with C Division South African Constabulary. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£120 to £160

### Lot 191



(x) Queen's South Africa 1899-1902, 5 clasps, Cape Colony, Orange Free State, Transvaal, South Africa 1901, South Africa 1902 (2082 3rd Cl. Tpr: W.J. Smith. S.A.C.), suspension slightly loose, edge wear, otherwise very fine W. J. Smith served in the 'C' (Eastern) Division of the South African Constabulary at Heidelberg during the Boer War; sold together with copied medal rolls. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£70 to £90

### Lot 192



Queen's South Africa 1899-1902, 5 clasps, Tugela Heights, Orange Free State, Relief of Ladysmith, Transvaal, Laing's Nek (5326 Pte B. Parker. S. Lanc: Regt:), edge bruise, pitting, very fine Benjamin Parker was born at Liverpool in 1879 and attested on 9 June 1897, listing previous service with the 3rd (Militia) Battalion. Posted to South Africa on 30 November 1899 the South Lancashire Regiment saw heavy fighting there, particularly at Venter's Spruit from 20-22 January and Spion Kop the next day. Parker left South Africa on 23 January 1903 for India where he served until returning to Britain on 7 January 1905. He joined the reserve on 10 January and was finally discharged on 8 June 1909. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£120 to £160



### Lot 193



(x) Queen's South Africa 1899-1902, 5 clasps, Cape Colony, Tugela Heights, Relief of Ladysmith, Transvaal, Laing's Nek (1642 Pte. A. Dickinson, Rifle Brigade), light contact marks and pitting, very fine. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£140 to £180

### Lot 194



The tragic Queen's South Africa Medal awarded to Battery Quarter Master Sergeant W. Lednor, who having been accused of a crime he denied, committed suicide in South Africa, leaving a letter to his fiancé alongside his body. The announcement of his mention in despatches was published after his death. Queen's South Africa 1899-1902, 5 clasps, Relief of Kimberley, Paardeberg, Johannesburg, Diamond Hill, Wittebergen (39944 Bty: Qr: Serjt: W. Lednor. R. Bty: R.H.A.), very fine. M.I.D. London Gazette 29 July 1902. William Edward Lednor who was born at Ramsgate, Kent was a 19-year-old labourer when he enlisted in the Royal Artillery on 19 November 1883. He served in South Africa from October 1899 until 24 June 1902 where he committed suicide whilst temporarily insane. Notice of his death was reported in the East Kent Times & District Advertiser of 11 February 1903, which states: 'Lednor a Sergeant Major in the Royal Horse Artillery went to the war and was found dead when on the way to Pretoria. By his dead body was a revolver and a letter to a Miss Kate Ball, an Irish lady, to whom he was engaged and in which he left her his belongings'. The contents of his letter were reported in the Irish Times on 10 February 1903: 'Dear Katie, I have been accused of a crime I never committed. It is too much for me. In a moment more I shall be gone. I wish you to have all my money, and also anything that my belongings will fetch. Good bye - Yours, Willie'. He is additionally entitled to the King's South Africa medal and Long Service and Good Conduct medal. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£140 to £180

### Lot 195



The Queen's South Africa Medal to Driver E. Shawl, Royal Field Artillery, who later served in the First World War whilst in his forties Queen's South Africa 1899-1902, 6 clasps, Cape Colony, Tugela Heights, Orange Free State, Relief of Ladysmith, Laing's Nek, Belfast (84047 Dvr. E. Shawl, 61st Bty., R.F.A.), suspension slightly loose, contact marks, otherwise very fine Edward Shawl was born in Cobholm Island, Great Yarmouth, Norfolk on 13 April 1872 and first attested with the Royal Artillery there on 10 March 1891 at age 18. He was posted to India, disembarking on 22 September 1893 and was stationed there for four years until returning to England on 18 December 1897. Shawl transferred to Army Reserve on 19 March 1898, but was soon recalled to service on 9 October 1898. He was later sent to South Africa, where he remained from 11 November 1899 until 3 September 1902. After returning to England, on 10 March 1903 Shawl reengaged to complete another four years. He was finally discharged upon the termination of his limited engagement on 9 March 1907 after having served for 16 years. After his discharge, Shawl worked as a quay labourer and married Martha Coates in Great Yarmouth on 13 November 1904. Over the next fourteen years they would have two sons and two daughters, born both before and during the Great War. Upon the outbreak of the First World War, Shawl re-attested with the Royal Field Artillery on 5 October 1914, serving as a Driver under service number 15754. Having been born in 1872, Shawl would have been in his forties while serving in World War I. He entered the war in France on 12 March 1915 and was stationed there for nearly four years, not being posted home until 30 February 1919. Shawl was transferred to the Army Reserve on 1 April 1919, and finally discharged on 31 March 1920. Shawl is further entitled to a King's South Africa Medal with clasps 'South Africa 1901' and 'South Africa 1902', as well as 1914-15 Star and British War and Victory Medals; sold together with copied research. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£120 to £180

### Lot 196



Transport 1899-1902, 1 clasp, S. Africa 1899-1902 (F.L. Miller.), obverse rivet through claw slightly off centre, otherwise good very fine F.L. Miller is confirmed on the roll as Supp. 2nd Officer, in the P&O troopship Assaye. The Assaye was one of three troopships built by P&O between 1899 and 1900, she had wide decks to enable troops to parade and exercise. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£180 to £220

**Lot 197**

**Queen's Mediterranean 1899-1902 (5095 Dmr: O. Campbell. North'd Fus:), a few minor edge knocks, very fine.** O. Campbell is confirmed on the roll as serving in the 5th Battalion, Northumberland Fusiliers. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

**Estimate  
£220 to £240**

**Lot 198**

**Queen's Mediterranean 1899-1902 (2723 Pte. P. Dillon. Rl: Mun: Fus:), minor edge knock, very fine.** One of 498 issued to the 5th Battalion, Royal Munster Fusiliers. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

**Estimate  
£200 to £240**

**Lot 199**

**Anglo-Boer War Medal 1899-1902 (Korporaal W.T. Auth), good very fine.** Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

**Estimate  
£140 to £180**

**Lot 200**

**Anglo-Boer War Medal 1899-1902 (Burger D. J. Retief), very fine.** Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

**Estimate  
£120 to £160**

**Lot 201**

Anglo-Boer War Medal 1899-1902 (Burger C. A. Pretorius), very fine Christian Antonie Pretorius came from London in Bloemfontein and served in the Lichtenburg Commando during the Boer War; sold together with copied research in Afrikaans. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£140 to £180

**Lot 202**

China 1900, no clasp (M. J. Pyne, P.O.1 Cl. H.M.S. Barfleur.), light contact marks, very fine Michael John Pyne was born at Cloyne, Middleton, Cork on 10 April 1869 and joined the Royal Navy on 1 October 1884. During the Great War, he was shore based apart from a short spell aboard H.M.S. Eagle from 1 to 28 December 1916, before being shore pensioned on 18 February 1919; sold together with copied research. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£180 to £220

**Lot 203**

China 1900, no clasp (C. Revell, Sto, H.M.S. Bonaventure.), good very fine Charles Berdet Revell was born at Hull, Yorkshire on 2 December 1878 and was a trimmer by trade upon his joining the Royal Navy (No. 292122) in May 1897. He was charged having been drunk on 3 December 1899 and then served aboard the Bonaventure off the coast of China from 28 February 1900-6 June 1901, the Medal issued to him aboard Endymion in August 1902. Revell was discharged in January 1903, his character rated 'Bad' and with 15 months hard labour as a result of using insulting language and in contempt of a Superior Officer. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£140 to £180

**Lot 204**

China 1900, no clasp (326 Pte. Chhaju. Ram. 31st Burma Lt. Infy), attempted erasure over first digit of unit, contact marks, very fine The 31st Madras Light Infantry (6th Burma Battalion) served in China during the Boxer Rebellion before being renamed the 31st Burma Light Infantry in 1901 and the 91st Punjab Light Infantry in 1903. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£120 to £160



**Lot 205**



**(x) China 1900 (3553 Sepoy Khan Makamad 20th Pjb Infy), very fine** Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

**Estimate**  
**£120 to £160**

**Lot 206**



**Ashanti 1900, bronze issue, no clasp (95 Pte Opaleye. W.A.F.F.), light marks and scratching between 10 and 12 o'clock on rim, otherwise extremely fine** Opaleye is confirmed on the roll as serving with "A" Company 1st Bn West African Frontier Force, for service on the Lapai expedition. He is spelt as Opalayi on the roll. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

**Estimate**  
**£250 to £300**

**Lot 207**



**Ashanti 1900, no clasp, low relief bust (751 Pte. Kaso-Kota. 2nd C. Africa Regt), minor contact wear and polishing, very fine** Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

**Estimate**  
**£240 to £280**

**Lot 208**



**Natal 1906, 1 clasp, 1906 (Tpr. T. Neilson. Transvaal Mtd. Rifles.), very fine** One of 489 Natal 1906-clasp medals issued to the Transvaal Mounted Rifles. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

**Estimate**  
**£140 to £180**

**Lot 209**

Natal 1906, 1 clasp, 1906 (Pte F. W. Atkins, Natal Rangers.), with edge bruising and contact marks, otherwise good fine or better Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£140 to £180

**Lot 210**

(x) Natal 1906, 1 clasp, 1906 (Lt. P. Taylor. 2nd Royston's Horse.) renamed, very fine Sold not subject to return Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£60 to £80

**Lot 211**

Africa General Service 1902-56, 1 clasp, Somaliland 1902-04 (J. Sharp, A.B., H.M.S. Porpoise.), slightly loose suspension, good very fine One of 237 Somaliland 1902-04 clasps issued to the crew of Porpoise. James Sharp was born at Leighton Buzzard, Bedford on 6 November 1881, he enlisted on 23 July 1898 as Boy Class II. Advanced Ordinary Seaman with H.M.S. Minotaur on 6 November 1899 and Able Seaman while with the Stone Frigate Duke of Wellington on 1 January 1901. Sharp joined Porpoise on 23 April 1903 and served with her off Somaliland where she was engaged in hunting gun runners trying to supply the Mullah's forces. Later being advanced Leading Seaman in 1908 he served for several further years, finally being discharged on 5 November 1911 and joined the Royal Fleet Reserve the next day. On the outbreak of the Great War Sharp was mobilised for service and posted initially to the ageing armoured cruiser Leviathan. He was aboard her when she was attacked by U-12 in 1915 however the U-Boat was unsuccessful. Going ashore on 1 January 1916 he was to serve ashore for the rest of the conflict. Sharp was demobilised on 16 February 1919 but was remobilised on 9 April 1921 in response to the intended strike action that year. He was demobilised again on 6 June; sold together with copied research. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£100 to £140

### Lot 212



(x) Africa General Service 1902-56, bronze issue, 1 clasp, Somaliland 1902-04 (50 Dly:Br. Sawla Kondi. 65th N.F.H.C.), some contact marks and contact wear, nearly very fineThe 65th Native Field Hospital Corps served during the 3rd Somaliland Expedition have seen service in the Anglo-Boer War, many members of the unit are further entitled to the Queen's South Africa Medal.Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£120 to £160

### Lot 213



Africa General Service 1902-56, 1 clasp, Somaliland 1908-10 (186581 E. H. Vallor, Sto. 1Cl., H.M.S. Prosperpine:), minor official corrections to surname, neat pawn broker's mark to obverse field, contact marks, two light edge knocks, otherwise very fineSubject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£80 to £120

### Lot 214



Africa General Service 1902-56, 1 clasp, Nyasaland 1915 (J. D. MacKenzie. Nyasaland Vol: Res:), light contact wear, very fine and scarceOne of 225 Nyasaland 1915 clasps awarded to the Nyasaland Volunteer Reserve.J. D. MacKenzie is listed as serving on Garrison duty at Balantre during the Chilembwe Uprising. Blantyre was being used by the African Lakes Corporation to store weapons when the uprising began. As such it was attacked on 24 January 1915 at the same time as the Bruce Plantation by a force of 100 rebels. The settlers were alerted when a local watchman was shot dead and managed to repulse the attackers.Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£200 to £240

**Lot 215**



Africa General Service 1902-56, 1 clasp, Kenya (22561999 Pte. J.A. Harris. Buffs.), official correction to service number, good very fineSubject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£70 to £90

**Lot 216**



Africa General Service 1902-56, 1 clasp, Kenya (23041276 Pte. J. B. Light. K.O.Y.L.I.), contact marks, otherwise very fineSubject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£70 to £90

**Lot 217**



(x) Africa General Service 1902-56, 1 clasp, Kenya (5904 P.C. Samuel Nzau.), very fineSubject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£50 to £70

**Lot 218**



(x) Africa General Service 1902-56, 1 clasp, Kenya (F.6822 Const. (R) J. Mutei Thenge.), deeply toned, very fineSubject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£50 to £70



**Lot 219**



(x) Africa General Service 1902-56, 2 clasps, Somaliland 1902-04, Jidballi (2331 Sepoy Chanda Singh, 52nd Sikhs.), suspension somewhat slack, contact wear, nearly very fine Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£100 to £140

**Lot 220**



Tibet 1903-04, no clasp (1189 Driver Nasil Khan 6th Mule Corps), contact marks, nearly very fine Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£200 to £240

**Lot 221**



(x) Tibet 1903-04, bronze issue, no clasp (1831 Cooley Paharle S.&T. Corps.), suspension somewhat slack, good very fine Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£100 to £140

**Lot 222**



India General Service 1908-35, 1 clasp, North West Frontier 1908 (2223 Dmfd. Bawor Singh 19th Lancers), tape residue on reverse of medal, light contact marks and lightly polished, otherwise very fine Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£40 to £60

**Lot 223**

(x) India General Service 1908-35, 1 clasp, North West Frontier 1908 (444 Naik Yarz Forda Khyber Rifles), suspension slack, light contact marks, very fine India General Service 1908-35, 1 clasp, Waziristan 1919-21 (273 Lineman Said Umar, Signals.), suspension slack, light contact marks and edge bruising, very fine India General Service 1908-35, 1 clasp, Malabar 1921-22 (Bhisti Gorkhu Ghirt, 2-3 G.R.), suspension slack, good very fine India General Service 1908-35, 1 clasp, North West Frontier 1935 (6544 Naik Narbahadur Rana, 2-1 G.R.), suspension slack, very fine India General Service 1908-35, 1 clasp, Abor 1911-12 (1346 Sepoy Gurdit Singh. 32nd Sikh Pioneers), suspension slack, very fine India General Service 1908-35, 1 clasp, Afghanistan N.W.F. 1919, naming erased, very fine Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£300 to £400

**Lot 224**

India General Service 1908-35, 1 clasp, Afghanistan N.W.F. 1919 (6838 Pte. W. Bailey, L'Pool. R.), suspension slack, contact marks, edge bruise, nearly very fine William Bailey served with the Liverpool Regiment during the Great War, entering the war at Hafiz in 1915 (1915 Star trio). He remained in service after the Great War and saw further service in Afghanistan with the new service number 3757325. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£50 to £70

**Lot 225**

India General Service 1908-35, 1 clasp, Afghanistan N.W.F. 1919 (28686 B.Q.M.S. W. Furr. R.G.A.), pawn broker's mark to obverse claw, light contact marks, otherwise very fine William Furr is further entitled to a British War Medal 1914-20. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£40 to £60

**Lot 226**

India General Service 1908-35, 1 clasp, Afghanistan N.W.F. 1919 (4) (942 Carpt. Imam Din, 4 Bullock Cps., 333639 Bearer Lachhhi. 3 Coy. A.B. B.C., 4308 Wd-Svt. Shah Sowar, A.H.C., 195. Dvr. Ali Shan 38-Pack Baty.), overall contact wear, very fine (4) Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£160 to £200

**Lot 227**

(x) India General Service 1908-35, 1 clasp, Mahsud 1919-20 (Lieut. M. A. D'Sauza. R. Garh. R.), perhaps a late issue with locally engraved naming, suspension slack, edge bruise, very fine Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£60 to £80

**Lot 228**

India General Service 1908-35, 1 clasp, Waziristan 1919-21 (623740 Spr. D. Thompson. R.Signals); 2 clasps, North West Frontier 1930-31 (8280 Sep. Jita Singh, 1-8 Punjab R.); 2 clasps, North West Frontier 1930-31, North West Frontier 1935 (22890 Dvr. Lal Din, 6 A.T.Coy.), very fine (3) Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£80 to £120

**Lot 229**

(x) The India General Service Medal awarded to Private M. Early, Leinster Regiment, who was discharged after the Malabar Campaign as the result of a gunshot wound India General Service 1908-35, 1 clasp, Malabar 1921-22 (7177900 Pte. M. Early. Leins. R.), suspension somewhat slack, good very fine Michael Early was born in 1895 at Granard, Longford and worked as a fowl dealer prior to enlisting with the Leinster Regiment, with the service number 35072. Entering the war in France on 9 December 1915 he served for the duration of the war but is noted as forfeiting his medals on 20 December 1918 due to desertion. He is noted as re-applying so it is unclear whether this was accepted, and he is further entitled to a 1914-15 trio. Early did re-attest at Portsmouth on 18 February 1919, listing his address as New Street, Granard, County Longford, being posted to the 2nd Battalion. He was discharged on 29 June 1922 with his pension papers listing a gunshot wound, a later pension documents notes that he had died; sold together with copied research including pension documents. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£120 to £160



**Lot 230**

India General Service 1908-35, 1 clasp, Malabar 1921-22 (5820669 Pte. W. Matthews. Suff.R.), light contact marks, very fine William Matthews also served in the Lancashire Fusiliers and the Suffolk Regiment during the Great War and is additionally entitled to the British War and Victory Medals. His address was recorded as 3 Young Street, Cambridge; sold together with copied M.I.C. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£70 to £90

**Lot 231**

India General Service 1908-35, 1 clasp, Malabar 1921-22 (5719662 Pte. W. H. Tucker. Dorset. R.), light contact marks, very fine William H. Tucker served in the Dorset Regiment during the Great War and is additionally entitled to a British War and Victory Medal Pair. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£70 to £90

**Lot 232**

India General Service 1908-35, 1 clasp, Waziristan 1921-24 (4180363 Fsr. E. Billington. R.W.Fus.), minor contact marks, very fine Ernest Billington served in the Royal Welsh Fusiliers during the Great War and is additionally entitled to the 1914-15 Star Trio. Whilst serving with the 2nd Battalion, Royal Welsh Fusiliers in Dublin he was convicted of desertion on 13 July 1923; sold together with copied research. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£40 to £60

**Lot 233**

(x) India General Service 1908-35, 1 clasp, Waziristan 1921-24 (5329400 Cpl. A. Warwick. R. Berks. R.), light contact wear overall, very fine Arthur Warwick joined the Royal Berkshire Regiment not long after the end of the Great War, earning no decorations for that conflict but seeing service with NorPerForce. This entitled him to a General Service Medal with clasp, N.W.Persia, this being issued on 6 December 1923; sold together with copied research. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£70 to £90



**Lot 234**



(x) India General Service 1908-35, 1 clasp, Waziristan 1921-24 (2801 Sep. Harnam Singh, 3 - 1 Punjab R.), light contact marks, very fine India General Service 1936-39, 1 clasp, North West Frontier 1936-37 (1339 Hav. Kehar Singh, 2-11 Sikh R.), light contact marks, very fine (2) Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£60 to £80

**Lot 235**



(x) India General Service 1908-35, 1 clasp, North West Frontier 1930-31 (6151 Hav. Sarban Singh. 6-13. F.F.R.), light contact marks, very fine Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£70 to £90

**Lot 236**



(x) India General Service 1908-35, 1 clasp, North West Frontier 1930-31 (2) (6002 Swr. Ratti Ram. Poona Horse.; 33005 Cook Ram Nath. 1 I.H.C.), both very fine (2) Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£100 to £140

**Lot 237**



(x) India General Service 1908-35, 1 clasp, North West Frontier 1930-31 (2) (288 Spr. Sardara Singh. Bengal S&M.; 9088 Sep. Bachan Singh 3-11 Sikh R.), contact marks, very fine (2) Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£100 to £140

**Lot 238**

India General Service 1908-35, 1 clasp, Burma 1930-32 (5379483 Pte. A. Lee. Ox. & Bucks L.I.), official correction to number, mounted ordinary style as worn, good very fine Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£60 to £80

**Lot 239**

India General Service 1908-35, 1 clasp, Mohmand 1933 (G-12149 2-W. Carr. Amar Nath, 1 I.H.C.), official correction to end of surname, minor contact marks, otherwise very fine Amar Nath served in the 1st Imperial Hospital Corps as a 2nd Class Water Carrier. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£30 to £50

**Lot 240**

(x) India General Service 1908-35, 1 clasp, Mohmand 1933 (12518 Sep. Jaswant Singh, 3-2 Punjab R.), very fine India General Service 1936-39, 1 clasp, North West Frontier 1936-37 (13148 Rfm. Jevraj Singh, 4-6 Raj. Rif.), edge bruise, very fine India General Service 1936-39, 1 clasp, North West Frontier 1937-39 (16275 Rfn. Achal Singh, 3-6 Raj. Rif.), very fine (3) Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£80 to £120

**Lot 241**

(x) India General Service 1908-35, 1 clasp, Mohmand 1933 (6883 Sigm. Pritam. Singh. I.S.C.), official corrections, very fine India General Service 1908-35, 1 clasp, Afghanistan N.W.F. 1919 (F-Man. Chagatta, Rlys.), very fine India General Service 1908-35, 1 clasp, Waziristan 1921-24 (1024 Sep. Zar. Baz. 2-13 F.F.Rif.), suspension sometime replaced, contact marks, good very fine (3) Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£100 to £140

### Lot 242



(x) India General Service 1908-35, 4 clasps, Afghanistan N.W.F. 1919, Mahsud 1919-20, Waziristan 1919-21, Waziristan 1921-24 (549 Nk. Milkhi, 2-152 Pjbs), unofficial rivets to all, suspension slack, very fine Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£140 to £180

### Lot 243



(x) India General Service 1908-62, 4 clasps, Afghanistan N.W.F. 1919, Waziristan 1919-21, Waziristan 1921-24, North West Frontier 1930-31 (561 Havr. Daftar Khan, 1/129/Baluchis.), private rivets throughout, suspension somewhat slack, somewhat polished, very fine Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£200 to £300

### Lot 244



(x) India General Service 1908-35, 4 clasps, Afghanistan N.W.F. 1919, Waziristan 1919-21, Waziristan 1921-24, North West Frontier 1930-31 (3079 Sepoy Karam Khan, 1/76/Pjbs.), suspension slightly loose, edge wear, otherwise very fine India General Service 1908-35, 1 clasp, Waziristan 1921-24 (727 Rfmm. Tekbahadur Adhikari, 1-9 G. R.), edge wear, otherwise very fine (2) Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£50 to £70

### Lot 245



(x) Union of South Africa 1910, small edge nick, toned, otherwise very fine A total of 551 medals were struck by the Royal Mint, all were issued unnamed. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£200 to £300

**Lot 246**



(x) Khedive's Sudan 1910-22, silver issue, 2nd Type, no clasp, an unnamed example, lightly toned, good very fine Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£80 to £120

**Lot 247**



Medal for Sudanese Chiefs for the 1912 Durbar, large silver Medal, 51mm, rim stamped 'Specimen', good very fine and rare Allan Woodliffe for The Melik Society gives more detail: 'At 0730hrs on 17 January 1912 HMS Medina, which was conveying their newly crowned Majesties King George V and Queen Mary home from the great coronation Durbar at Delhi, docked at Port Sudan. The royal visit was for their majesties to meet the people of the Sudan, which was governed by the British as an Anglo-Egyptian Condominium - an unique political situation where Britain governed the Sudan in the name of the Khedive who actually had no say in the matter! A polite fiction which seemed to work. The British Agent and Consul General in Egypt, Lord Kitchener, the Governor-General, Sir Reginald Wingate, and the principal Aid-de-Camp to the Khedive, Ramzi Tahir Pasha, boarded the ship to welcome the royal couple, who were then escorted to a pavilion in nearby Suakin to meet the principal Sudanese chiefs. The Guard of honour consisted of detachments of both the Yorkshire Regiment and 8th Egyptian Battalion. At the pavilion the Governor-General read out address conveying the loyal welcome of the Sudanese people. In his reply the King said that he was pleased to pay a brief visit and regretted that he was unable to spare the time to penetrate further into the country, and went on to say that he was glad to meet representatives of the tribes, many whom have travelled hundreds of miles to welcome them. A number of principal chiefs were then presented, each receiving a specially struck medal to commemorate the occasion. Later the royal party travelled by train the 10 miles to Sinkat for a grand review of native troops. They returned to HMS Medina at 1900hrs, and the ship set sail for Suez. The medal is 51mm (2") diameter medal, was designed to be worn around the neck suspended from an 85 cm (33") silver chain, and was commissioned from the Royal Mint especially for presentation to the Sudanese chiefs at the Suakin gathering. The medal is extremely rare as only 50 were struck. Incidentally the total cost of production was forty-eight pounds, nine shillings and three pence, a not inconsiderable sum in 1911.' Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£400 to £600



**Lot 248**



Naval General Service 1915-62, 1 clasp, Palestine 1936-1939 (P.J.X. 141596. G. Aldridge. O. Smn. R.N.), official correction to rank, light contact marks, minor edge bruising, very fine. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£60 to £80

**Lot 249**



Naval General Service 1915-62, 1 clasp, Persian Gulf 1909-1914 (295325. J.P. Foster. Lg.Sto. H.M.S. Perseus.), contact marks, pitting, otherwise very fine. James Percy Foster was born at Bradford on 10 August 1879 and was a labourer when he enlisted in the Royal Navy as a Stoker 2nd Class on 1 September 1901. He served on a variety of shore bases and vessels before being posted to Perseus for service in the Persian Gulf from November 1909 to November 1910. Foster later saw service in the Great War aboard Clio from March to August 1916, and Platypus from March 1917 until the end of the war. Shore discharged on 30 May 1922, Foster is not entitled to a Long Service and Good Conduct Medal as he deserted whilst aboard Pembroke in 1900. Whilst being recovered he assaulted a police officer and was additionally sentenced to 1 month in prison for this offence; sold together with copied research. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£80 to £120

**Lot 250**

The N.G.S.M. awarded to Stoker C. E. Uprichard, Royal Navy, who was Killed in Action in 1914 when H.M.S. Hawke was sunk in the North Sea Naval General Service 1915-62, 1 clasp, Persian Gulf 1909-1914 (SS.108911. C. E. Uprichard, Sto. 1 Cl., H.M.S. Alert.), good very fine Charles Edward Uprichard was born at Lurgan, Antrim and enlisted as Stoker Class II on 16 July 1909. Advanced Stoker Class I with Black Prince the next year he was posted to Alert on 27 February 1912 when she was patrol the Red Sea for slavers and gun runners. Remaining with her until 1914 Uprichard was discharged in July and joined the Royal Fleet Reserve in August. With the outbreak of the Great War, he was mobilised for service and posted to the aging cruiser Hawke. She was patrolling the North Sea on 15 October 1914 when she slowed her pace to pick up mail from a steamship. Unfortunately at the moment she slowed she opened herself up to U-9, the U-boat responsible for the Action of 22 September, which had been stalking her. A torpedo struck Hawke on her starboard causing a major explosion, the crew leapt to collision stations but in moments she was listing. The torpedo had caused major damage and she rolled over and sank extremely quickly with just 70 officers and men surviving, thanks to the aid of a Norwegian vessel. Uprichard was not amongst them having been killed during the sinking, he is commemorated upon the Chatham Naval Memorial; sold together with copied research. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£120 to £160

**Lot 251**

Naval General Service 1915-62, 1 clasp, Minesweeping 1945-51 (Ty Sub Lt D K Osbourne RNVR), light contact marks, very fine Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£120 to £160

**Lot 252**

Naval General Service 1915-62, 1 clasp, Minesweeping 1945-51 (P/JX. 371848. R.F. Titley Tel. R.N.), light contact marks, good very fine Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£70 to £90

### Lot 253



Naval General Service 1915-62, 1 clasp, Minesweeping 1945-51 (R. S. Stuart 57877), engraved, very fine Royal Naval Auxiliary Sick Berth Reserve L.S. & G.C., G.V.R. (2437 J. Grundy. L.S.B.A. R.N.A.S.B.R.), edge bruising and contact marks, otherwise very fine Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve L.S. & G.C., G.VI.R., unnamed, good very fine (3) Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£120 to £150

### Lot 254



Naval General Service 1915-62, 1 clasp, Palestine 1945-48 (P/JX. 760091. B. P. Emblen. A.B. R.N.), contact wear, edge bruising with one minor edge knock, nearly very fine Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£60 to £80

### Lot 255



Naval General Service 1915-62, 1 clasp, Malaya (C/SSX.849303 R. G. Pope. A.B. R.N.), official correction to initial 'G', light contact marks, good very fine Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£40 to £60

### Lot 256

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(x) Naval General Service 1915-62, 1 clasp Malaya (R.M.6261 L. W. Thorne. Mne. R.M.), officially re-impressed naming, good very fine Note, sold with a dealer's label stating that the recipient served ashore with the S.A.S., this is unconfirmed. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£100 to £140

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**Lot 257**



(x) Naval General Service 1915-62, 1 clasp, Malaya (RM.75616 T. Sanders Mne. R.M.), very fineSubject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

**Estimate**  
**£120 to £160**

**Lot 258**



Naval General Service 1915-62, 1 clasp, Yangtze 1949 (C/JX 661278 J. E. Bushell. Ord. Sig. R.N.), official correction to the number '7', in Garrard & Co. box, about extremely fineSubject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

**Estimate**  
**£400 to £500**

**Lot 259**



Naval General Service 1915-62, 1 clasp, Bomb & Mine Clearance 1945-53, unnamed, about extremely fineSubject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

**Estimate**  
**£120 to £160**

**Lot 260**



Naval General Service 1915-62, 1 clasp, Brunei (K.934861 G.W. Dainty. M.(E)1. R.N.), about extremely fineSubject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

**Estimate**  
**£80 to £120**



**Lot 261**

Naval General Service 1915-62, 1 clasp, Near East (P./K.954190 R. G. Palmer. M.(E).1. R.N.), very fine Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£60 to £80

**Lot 262**

1914 Star (Cly. 2/1968. H. Smith, A.B. R.N.V.R. Nelson Bttn. R.N.D.), with his identity tag, named lid for box of issue and cap badge, very fine Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£40 to £60

**Lot 263**

1914 Star (4784 L.Cpl J. W. Knight. 2/D Gds.); 1914-15 Star, unnamed; British War Medal 1914-20 (38666. A. Chandler. Sto. R.N.R.); Victory Medal 1914-19, erased, very fine (4) John W. Knight first entered the war in France on 16 August 1914 and is entitled to a 1914 Star trio. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£100 to £130

**Lot 264**

The 1914 Star awarded to Private J. Jamieson, King's Own Scottish Borderers, who was Killed in Action and awarded a posthumous M.M. in 1918. 1914 Star, with clasp (7635 Pte. J. Jamieson. K.O. Sco.Bord.), very fine [M.M.] London Gazette 15 March 1918. James Jamieson born at Forres, Scotland on 3 June 1885 served in the 1st Battalion, King's Own Scottish Borderers and was killed in action on 3 December 1917. He is commemorated on the Cambrai Memorial. Jamieson was posthumously awarded the Military Medal. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£40 to £60

### Lot 265



1914 Star with silver rosette (MS-1661 Pte. J.H. Henning. A.S.C.), very fine John Henry Henning was a 44-year-old motor lorry driver from Norwood, Surrey when he enlisted in the Army Service Corps on 12 August 1914. He embarked with the B.E.F. for France on 23 August 1914, spending the duration of the war in France before being demobilised in 1919 with the rank of Sergeant. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£30 to £50

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### Lot 266



1914-15 Star (195642. E. E. Scanlan. P.O. R.N.) Mercantile Marine War Medal 1914-19 (Charles F. Tranmer) British War Medal 1914-20 (S-8958 Pte W. F. Aitken. A. & S.H.; Robert Whitty) (2) Victory Medal 1914-19 (68650 Pte. J. O'Donohue. North'd Fus.; M2-193231 Pte. A. E. Paul. A.S.C.) (2), slight discolouration to Victory Medals, otherwise generally good very fine (6) Charles Frederick Tranmer, a native of Hull, was born in 1895 and further entitled to the British War Medal for his Great War service. John O'Donohue served with both the Northumberland Fusiliers and Royal Dublin Fusiliers and is entitled to a Great War pair only. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£50 to £70

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### Lot 267



1914-15 Star (Capt: G. E. O. F. Lambart. 19/Hrs:), good very fine Gerald Edgar Oliver Fortescue Lambart was born at Dublin in November 1885, the son of Colonel Edgar Lambart and a relative of the Earl of Cavan. Educated at Laleham and Eton College, he was commissioned into the 19th Hussars in January 1905 and was employed with the West African Frontier Force from May 1910. Lambart served in the campaign in West Africa in the Cameroons with the 2nd Battalion, Nigeria Regiment, being invalided home in December 1914. Transferred to the Royal Scots Fusiliers, he served in France, being advanced Major in March 1916. He served in the actions of the St Eloi Craters and was mortally wounded on 25 March 1916. He died in hospital near Poperinghe the following day and is buried in the Lilienhoek Military Cemetery. His Victory Medal was sold in these rooms in April 1999. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£60 to £80

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### Lot 268



A 1914-15 Star awarded to Sergeant T. Paterson, Gordon Highlanders, who was awarded a Military Medal on 14 May 1919. 1914-15 Star (3-7294. Pte. T. L. Paterson. Gord. Highrs.), very fine. M.M. London Gazette 14 May 1919. Thomas Lunn Paterson was born at Wilton, Roxburgh, Scotland on 23 June 1891. He first entered the war in France on 3 December 1914 and was awarded his Military Medal in May 1919 whilst serving with the 1st Battalion. He was transferred to Class 'Z' on 14 February 1919 and is entitled to a 1914-15 Star Trio. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£50 to £80

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### Lot 269



(x) 1914-15 Star (Lascar 1/CL. Sk. Esoof Balla, R.I.M.), very fine. British War Medal 1914-20 (2) (30676 Pte. T. Murray. High. L. I.; 36830 \*\*\*\*. Kaloo, I.W.T.), very fine and good. Mercantile Marine 1914-18 (Santan Rodrigues), very fine. Victory Medal 1914-19 (2) (3315 Gnr. Mohd. Khan. R.A.; 33\*0 Rfm \* Inglal \*\*\*\*\*ks), very fine, the second with replacement ring. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£60 to £80

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### Lot 270



1914-15 Star (1640 Sjt. E. A. Letts. R.F.C.), some evidence of acidic reaction, otherwise very fine. Edgar Ashley Letts was born at Guildford, Surrey on 7 February 1881 and joined the Royal Flying Corps on 28 August 1914 and was a Driver (M.T.). He entered the war in France on 10 October 1915 serving with No. 12 Squadron until 10 May 1916 before returning home. He was promoted to Flight Sergeant on 1 September 1916 and served in France between 5 March and 23 July 1917, this time seeing service with No. 55 Squadron before returning home for the second time. He was given the rank of Chief Mechanic with the formation of the Royal Air Force and served in France for the final time from 18 April 1918 until 3 March 1919. He was discharged on 19 December 1922 and is entitled to a 1914-15 Star trio. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£40 to £60

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**Lot 271**



The British War Medal awarded to Leading Stoker W. Will, Royal Navy, who was Killed in Action at the Battle of Jutland aboard the Black Prince British War Medal 1914-20 (SS.111544 W. Will. L. Sto. R.N.), very fine William Thomas Matthews was a native of Islington, London, and the son of Mr and Mrs W. T. S. Matthews, of 19, Whitehall Park Road, Chiswick, London. He served during the Great War as Carpenter's Crew with H.M.S. Black Prince, and was killed in action at the Battle of Jutland. During the late afternoon and night of 31 May the Black Prince had lost touch with the main fleet, and at about 00.15 on 1 June she found herself 1,600 yards from ships of the German 1st Battle Squadron. Illuminated by searchlights, several German battleships then swept her with fire at point blank range. Unable to respond, she burst into flames and four minutes later after a terrific explosion she sank with all hands - 37 officers, 815 ratings, and 5 civilians. Matthews is commemorated on the Portsmouth Naval Memorial. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£20 to £30

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**Lot 272**



British War Medal 1914-20 (Ply.338-S- Act. Sgt. L. Snellgrove. R.M.L.I.), officially re-impressed naming, good very fine [M.S.M.] London Gazette 17 October 1919 (Russia). M.I.D. London Gazette 22 April 1919. Louis Snellgrove served with the Royal Marine Light Infantry during the Great War, and was wounded in action at Gallipoli. Snellgrove latterly served with H.M.S. Fox. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£20 to £30

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Lot 273



The British War Medal 1914-20 awarded to Captain J. F. Gadd, South Staffordshire Regiment, who was awarded an M.C. for gallantry in France and was additionally 'Mentioned' for his service in Italy, he was additionally twice wounded in the 'field' both times in France British War Medal 1914-20 (Capt. J. F. Gadd.), very fine [M.C.] London Gazette 4 June 1917. [M.I.D.] London Gazette 6 January 1919. James Francis Gadd was born on 22 February 1895, and was educated at the Royal Wolverhampton School where he served in the O.T.C.. He was commissioned into the South Staffordshire Regiment on 1 November 1914 and entered the war in France on 24 August 1915 serving with the 9th Battalion and was made Temporary Lieutenant on 16 January 1916. Gadd was wounded for the first time on 3 October 1916. He was made Temporary Captain on 20 July 1917 and was wounded a second time on 4 October 1917. He embarked for Italy from France, arriving on 17 November 1917. Gadd was given leave to the U.K. between 5-19 July 1918 and returned back to Italy on completion. He had further leave between 1-7 October 1918 but remained in Italy. He received further leave this time to the U.K. between 11-25 December 1918, this continued to be extended. He was 'mentioned' for distinguished service at Rorai Grande, Italy (London Gazette 6 January 1919) and was finally demobilized on 28 February 1919. Sold together with a photograph of him in uniform together with copied research. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£70 to £100

Lot 274



British War Medal 1914-20 (Lieut. H. F. Fox.), good very fine Harold Francis Box born at 28 February 1895 at Gray, his father being the local vicar. Educated at Keble College, Oxford, he joined in Michaelmas Term 1914 and having passed through the O.T.C., was commissioned 2nd Lieutenant into the 5th Battalion, Essex Regiment on 28 March 1915. Attached to the Royal Engineers in 1918 he was in command of a signalling company on the Western Front. Box was killed by a shell on 29 October 1918, whilst sheltering in a bivouac from shell fire near Valenciennes. It was just two weeks before War's end. Box is buried in the Crucifix Cemetery, Vendegies-Sur-Ecaillon and further commemorated upon the St Alban The Martyr Memorial, Westcliff-on-Sea, Keble College Memorial and Brighton War Memorial. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£30 to £50

**Lot 275**

(x) British War Medal 1914-20 (2.Lieut. C. W. Bishop.; 10297 Pte. E. J. Ames. Suff. R.), good very fine (2)Charles William Bishop served as 2876 with the 1st Battalion Cambridgeshire Regiment and first saw service overseas in France on 14 February 1915, he was commissioned on 18 December 1917 and served as a Lieutenant with the Somerset Light Infantry, he later served as Second Lieutenant with the Labour Corps and is entitled to a 1914-15 Star Trio. His medals were sent to 20 New Square, Cambridge. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£50 to £70

**Lot 276**

British War Medal 1914-20 (3875 Pte. E. E. Brider. Hamps. R.), good very fine Edward E. Brider served at home with the Hampshire Regiment and the 3rd Battalion, Bedfordshire Regiment. He died at home on 5 November 1918, less than a week before the end of hostilities. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£20 to £30

**Lot 277**

British War Medal 1914-20 (R-6820 Pte. E. Reason. K.R.Rif.C.), very fine Victory Medal 1914-19 (38458 Pte. W. P. Brindley. N.Staff.R.), very fine (2)Ernest Reason enlisted on 10 November 1914 and entered the war in France on 21 May 1915. He was discharged due to wounds on 7 May 1918. William Percy Brindley was born at Tutbury, Staffordshire and enlisted at Burton-on-Trent. He was killed in action on 26 September 1917, serving with 2/5th Battalion, Staffordshire Regiment and is commemorated upon the Tyne Cot Memorial. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£30 to £50

**Lot 278**

(x) British War Medal 1914-20 (203537 Pte. E. D. Jones. R.W.Fus.; 40483 Pte. J. Jones. R.W.Fus.; 8552 Pte. J. V. Jones. R.W.Fus.), light contact marks, very fine to good very fine (3)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£30 to £50

### Lot 279



**British War Medal 1914-20 (20543 P-Man Nanak Chand, Meso. Rys.; 77714 L-Dvr Sobba Singh, Meso. Rys.; 74436 R.R. Cook. Ismail, Meso. Rys.), very fine (3)**All served on the Mesopotamia Railways. Ranks probably 'Points Man', 'Lead Driver' and 'Rail Road Cook'. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

**Estimate  
£50 to £70**

### Lot 280



The superb British War Medal awarded to Reverend A. Evan-Jones, Army Chaplain's Department later Sir A. Evans-Jones, K.B.E., who went by the bardic name Cynan, one of the most influential figures of the 20th Century in Welsh literary circles. British War Medal 1914-20 (Rev. A. Evans-Jones.), good very fine. Albert Evans-Jones later also known as Cynan, was born at Pwllheli, Caernarvonshire on 14 April 1895 the son of Richard and Hannah Jones, his father ran the Central Restaurant at Penlan Street, Pwllheli. Educated at Pwllheli Grammar School and later the University College of North Wales, Bangor he graduated in 1916, immediately joining the 86th (Welsh Student Company) of the Royal Army Medical Corps. However he was Appointed Chaplain to the Forces, 4th Class on 5 September 1917 whilst serving in Salonica. After the war he was ordained and began to work as a priest but also as a dramatist and poet in the Welsh bardic tradition. Evans-Jones won the Eisteddfod crown in 1923 and the chair the next year in 1924. Appointed Regional Tutor for Anglesey, a role which fell under the purview of the University College of North Wales, Bangor, where he remained a fixture until his retirement. The Dictionary of Welsh Biography perhaps summarises his post-war career and impact of modern Welsh culture best, stating: 'Cynan, as he was generally known, was a prominent figure in the life of Wales through his links with the National Eisteddfod. (He adopted the pseudonym Cynan on becoming a member of the Gorsedd of Bards, and retained it in his title on being knighted). He was appointed Recorder of the Gorsedd in 1935, and joint-secretary of the National Eisteddfod Council in 1937. From 1950 till 1954 and from 1963 till 1966 he held the post of Archdruid, the only instance of a person being elected to a second term in this office. Soon after his appointment as Recorder of the Gorsedd he initiated changes and reforms. Endowed with a keen sense of drama and pageant, he realised that the Gorsedd ceremonies were capable of being made attractive to the crowds. He brought order and dignity to the proceedings, and introduced new ceremonies, such as the flower dance. He renounced all the Gorsedd's former claims to antiquity and links with the Druids, and openly acknowledged that it was the invention of Iolo Morganwg (Edward Williams). He succeeded in gaining many new members, including some academics. In 1935 a start was made on the reorganisation of the Eisteddfod which resulted in the establishment of the Court and the Council, and in this Cynan played a prominent part. He was appointed President of the Court in 1967. He was also prominent as a National Eisteddfod competitor. In 1921 he won the crown at Caernarfon with his poem 'Mab y Bwthyn', the story of a young Welshman's experiences in the 1914-18 war. So topical was the subject and so simple and straightforward the style and the versification that the poem attained immediate popularity. The subject of Cynan's second prize poem, 'Yr Ynys Unig' (Mold 1923), the story of Father Damien's mission to the lepers, made this an equally popular composition. His third crown poem, 'Y Dyrfa' (Bangor 1931), described a rugby match, the first time such a topic was attempted. The influence of contemporary English poets, especially John Masfield and J.C. Squire, is evident in these eisteddfodic poems, but it has been so thoroughly assimilated as to make the poems completely and distinctively Welsh. In the Pontypool eisteddfod in 1924 Cynan was awarded the chair for a poem 'I'r Duw nid adwaenir', which is a unique achievement in that the poem is in the metre known as 'tri thrawiad', which is not one of the recognised strict metres. He also adjudicated many times at the National Eisteddfod. Publishing a number of volumes of poetry and also a number of plays one of his best known is the poem written upon his retirement from the University College of North Wales: 'When I am old and reverend With money to my name, With all my judgments over Yet basking in my fame: I'll buy a lonely cottage With nothing 'fore its door, But the rocks of Aberdaron And the ocean's maddened roar.' (Translated from the original Welsh by Robin ap Cynan) Evans-Jones died in Anglesey on 26 January 1970; sold together with copied research and two biographies Cynan Y Llanc o Dref Pwllheli and Bro a Bywyd. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

**Estimate  
£100 to £140**



### Lot 281



(x) British War Medal 1914-20 (M2-117339 Pte. F. Jones. A.S.C.; 025505 Sjt. P. R. Jones. A.O.C.; M2-139243 Sjt. S.E. Jones. A.S.C.; M2-174844 W.O. Cl. 1. W. C. Jones. A.S.C.), light contact marks and some with edge wear, otherwise overall very fine (4)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£40 to £60

### Lot 282



(x) British War Medal 1914-20 (M2-227773 Pte. F. B. Fear. A.S.C.; R4-107011 Pte. C. Jones. A.S.C.; M-303033 Pte. C. J. Jones. A.S.C.; M-303532 Pte. G. Jones. A.S.C.; M2-077229 Pte. J. Laurie. A.S.C.), one with pitting and edge bruising, some with light contact marks, generally very fine overall (5)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£60 to £80

### Lot 283



Miscellaneous MedalsBritish War Medal (926443 Bmbr. H. E. Cosby. R.A.); General Service Medal 1918-62, 1 clasp, Malaya (2809289 L.A.C.W. S. B. Anstey. W.R.A.F.); 1939-1945 Star (2); League of Mercy Medal; Lord Mayor Treloar Cripples' Home and College Medal; with Japan, Taisho Enthronement Medal, ladies version, some with light contact marks, otherwise overall very fine (7)Horace E. Cosby is entitled to a British War and Victory Medal only.Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£100 to £150

### Lot 284



British War Medal 1914-20, bronze issue (9766 Pte. B. Letshekelete. S.A.N.L.C.), official correction to number, very fineBen Letshekelete attested with the South African Native Labour Corps (Basutoland) at Johannesburg on 8 December 1916. He was discharged on 23 January 1918; sold together with copied research.Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£80 to £100



**Lot 285**



**(x) British War Medal 1914-20, bronze issue (666 Labr. Jaswant Singh, 145 Lab Cps.), lightly polished, very fine** Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

**Estimate  
£80 to £100**

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Lot 286



The British War Medal awarded to Captain J. J. Hammond, Royal Air Force, a New Zealander and probably the first aviator from that country, a holder of many 'firsts' including a cross country flight in Australia and the first person to fly at what is now Sydney Kingsford Smith airport, but who sadly died in a flying accident in Indianapolis on 22 September 1918British War Medal (Capt. J. J. Hammond, R.A.F.), extremely fineJoseph Hammond was born at Fielding, Rangitikei, New Zealand, on 19 July 1889. He was the son of Joseph and Mary Hammond and the grandson of Matthew and Sarah Hammond who had arrived at Port Nicholson, Wellington, on 9 November 1842. He was also the husband of Elsie Hammond. Hammond attended St.Patrick's College, Wellington New Zealand, after his education he farmed in Australia before heading to the Klondike, Canada where he tried gold digging and later toured North America with William "Buffalo Bill" Cody. He arrived in Europe in 1909 and began to learn to fly under the famous aviators Henri Farman and Leon De Lagrange and obtained his Pilot's Aviators Certificate (Aero Club of France) at Rhelms on 4 October 1910 (F258). Later the same year he moved to England and joined the Larkhill Flying School and gained his certificate (No.32 R.A.C.) on 22 November 1910. Now a qualified aviator, Hammond headed a trade mission to Australia as a pilot with two Bristol Box Kites. On 9 January 1911, at Perth, Western Australia, he made the first significant demonstration in Australia flying for some 45 minutes at heights exceeding 2,500 feet in front of the Governor General Sir Gerald Strickland K.C.M.G.. This was followed up with flights carrying a passenger and also cross country flights in other parts of Australia. On 23 February 1911 he achieved the first cross-country passenger flight in Australia between Altona (Melbourne) and Geelong. On 18 April 1911 he flew the Box Kite over Ascot Racecourse, Sydney, in front of thousands of spectators. The racecourse now long gone is now part of the eastern end of Sydney's Kingsford Smith airport east-west runway and current long term car park. He returned to New Zealand in May 1913 and during this time he was commissioned Second Lieutenant with the Royal Flying Corps Special Reserve on 26 May 1913. Hammond was appointed New Zealand's first official government pilot later that year. He was to fly a Blériot XI-2 (two seater) that had been presented to the New Zealand government. Dubbed 'Britannia' it was to become the first military aircraft. After several proving flights he was ready to take a passenger, and as officials vied for the opportunity Hammond elected to take a woman member of the Royal Pantomime Company instead, a Miss Esme McLalland. As the great and the good were not amused and consequently Hammond was sacked and the aeroplane placed in storage before being returned to England in January 1915 where it was delivered to Brooklands, Weybridge, Surrey. In 1914 Hammond flew over Auckland in a Blériot monoplane in front of many spectators at the Auckland Exhibition. Hammond returned to England in late 1914 and was a flying instructor at the Eastbourne Aviation Company before he was made a Flying Officer on 29 January 1915. However a letter dated 13 February 1915 continued to add to his limited respect for authority: Dear Sweetenham, I think the General ought to know that Lieutenant Hammond, R.F.C. is most unsatisfactory at Lydd; we cannot get him to fly when he is wanted. Last week although we had two or three very fine days and practice was ordered, he absented himself without leave and when I succeeded in getting him back, said he was ill. I wrote twice about him last week to Lieut. Colonel Ashmore who came down to see the R.F.C. here but had no reply. I have no official information or evidence, but the general opinion here is that Hammond spends his time away from Lydd in undesirable ways. Perhaps you have heard a second machine arrived at Lydd on the Friday, but was absolutely broken up on Sunday in a practice flight. We were left consequently with Hammond's machine only. I regret to say that unless a more reliable officer than Hammond is sent here, any attempts to train B. Cs to work in co-operation with aeroplanes will not be successful. Yours sincerely, (sd) John Wynne. The matter is urgent, as I can get no work done with the aeroplane at present, not due to the weather, but the present pilot. Yours sincerely, (sd) John Wynne. The letter in response resulted in the withdrawal of Hammond from Lydd and he was posted to No.1 Reserve Aeroplane Squadron from 16 February 1915 - 17 May 1915. He then transferred to No.4 Reserve Aeroplane Squadron on 18 May 1915 - 18 November 1915. During this period he suffered a confusion to the leg and was admitted to hospital on 3 September 1915 but had recovered by the 8 October 1915. He joined the Aeronautical Inspection Department (A.I.D.) on 19 November 1915 - 9 February 1916, firstly as a Testing Pilot and then as a Flight Commander from 10 February 1916. Hammond was promoted to Temporary Captain on 13 June 1916. His exploits continued and his obituary included this anecdote from C. G. Gray of the Aeroplane which appeared in the October 1918 edition: "When flying a huge experimental machine (the first Robey Peters Fighting Machine in late 1916) near Lincoln something went seriously wrong, and he was unable to turn, so he endeavoured to glide straight for a field. Finding he was unable to reach his objective, he planted the machine skilfully on the capacious roof of a lunatic asylum, where it promptly caught fire. Having no means of putting it out, he calmly strolled to the other end of the roof, and sat smoking cigarettes while he watched it burn. The local fire brigade arrived and tried to put it out, and one heard at the time that gallant efforts were made to rescue the supposedly roasting aviator. It was not until he had seen quite a good fire-fighting performance that the said aviator thought it worthwhile to disclose to the sympathetic crowd that he was very much still alive." Hammond was seconded to the Bristol Aeroplane Company from 17 January 1917 as their full-time test pilot. Once the U.S.A. entered the war in 1917 Hammond was posted over to the States on exchange duties as an instructor and demonstrator. Hammond was killed on 22 September 1918, at the time he was with the British Air Mission to the United States and was returning to Indianapolis from the Fourth Liberty Loan War Bond Drive air display at Greenfield. At about 5.30 p.m. his Bristol Fighter F2B entered a right hand spin from 600 feet, it's left wing striking a tree before crashing in a cornfield of the Marion County Poor Farm near its boundar with the Indianapolis Speedway. One of the passengers, civilian J. L. Kinder, was killed on impact, while the other Lieutenant R. W. Pickett of the United States Army Air Service was seriously injured but recovered. At the funeral Hammond's coffin was draped with an American and British flag and was attended by U.S. and British soldiers, including a firing squad of American and British aviation officers. Thousands of citizens attended the ceremony, at which the Bishop of Indianapolis officiated. Hammond was cremated and his remains were then stored in the family mausoleum of Carl Fisher who was the founder of the Indianapolis speedway. Fisher had graciously temporarily donated his own plot in the mausoleum until Hammond's family could come and claim the remains after the war, however Hammond's remains were never claimed. Hammond's remains still reside in Carl Fisher's mausoleum, Crown Hill cemetery, Indianapolis, Indiana, U.S.A. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view

Estimate  
£250 to £350

Lot 287



Victory Medal 1914-19, (Lieut. H. Stevens.), with M.I.D. oak leaves; (1365 Bdr. W. Gray, V. A. Btty.), second lightly polished, generally good very fine (2) H. Stevens served in East Africa with the King's African Rifles and was awarded a Mention-in-Despatches in the London Gazette of 31 January 1919. His M.I.C. confirms the entitlement to an 'Emblem', and further notes he applied for his campaign awards (British War and Victory Medals) in 1926 whilst living in Albaston, Gunnislake, Cornwall. Despite the seemingly common details, only one man is noted with this combination of rank, initial, and surname. William Gray is confirmed as serving in East Africa with the Calcutta Volunteer Battery from 3 October 1914 and is additionally entitled to the 1914-15 Star and British War Medal 1914-20. Sold together with copied Medal Index Card and small name plaque for each individual. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£40 to £60

### Lot 288



The Victory Medal 1914-19 to Second Lieutenant H. B. Clark, Army Service Corps, late British Red Cross Society, who was awarded both the O.B.E. and M.C. and who was additionally 'mentioned' for his Great War service, he was also one of the Clarks of the shoe manufacturing dynasty Victory Medal 1914-19 (Lieut. H. B. Clark.), lightly toned, otherwise good very fine [O.B.E.] London Gazette 3 June 1919. [M.C.] London Gazette 22 June 1918. The original citation reads: 'For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He remained at his post during a withdrawal, superintending the transport services, and assisting in the evacuation of a town. He carried out his duties under most difficult conditions, being continually subjected to bombing and machine-gun fire from enemy aircraft. It was largely due to his coolness and initiative that the town was so satisfactorily evacuated.' [M.I.D.] London Gazette 15 June 1916. Hugh Bryan Clark was born in Street, Somerset, and was educated at the Friends' Schools in York and Reading before he joined C. & J. Clark Ltd in 1905. With the outbreak of the Great War he served originally as a chauffeur with the Friends' Relief Work and Friends' Ambulance Unit with the British Red Cross Society and first entered the war in France on 27 April 1915. He was commissioned into the Army Service Corps and was awarded both the O.B.E., M.C. and also 'mentioned' for his Great War service. After the war he returned to the family firm and took charge of Home Sales and set up their first shop in Regent Street, London, and was additionally one of the original directors of Peter Lord Ltd which he formed in 1937 and remained with them until 1961. Clark remained with C. & J. Clark until he retired from the board in 1957. He was additionally an active member of the Shoe Manufacturers Federation and was Honorary Treasurer of the Federation between 1938-1957. Clark died at Castle Cary, Somerset, on 16 February 1977. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£100 to £150

### Lot 289



Victory Medal 1914-19 (4682 Pte. G. E. Dalby. C. Gds.), very fine George Edward Dalby was born at Hull on 9 July 1885. During the Great War he served in France with 'C' Company, Coldstream Guards from 7 October 1914. Dalby was taken a Prisoner of War on 1 November 1914 at Ypres. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£20 to £30

**Lot 290**

Victory Medal 1914-19, South African issue (Pte W. E. Lyon. 9th S.A.H.), small edge bruise, otherwise good very fine Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£20 to £30

**Lot 291**

(x) Victory Medal 1914-19 (L-16904 Gnr. J. Booth. R.A.; 184479 Gnr. C. Doyle. R.A.; L-9966 Bmbr. A. W. Jones. R.A.; 124249 Gnr. T. Jones. R.A.), light contact marks and one with a couple of edge knocks, overall very fine (4) Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£40 to £60

**Lot 292**

(x) Victory Medal 1914-19 (1172 Dvr. A. Jones. R.E.; 124931 Pnr. J. H. Jones. R.E.; 181908 Dvr. O. E. Jones. R.E.; 303998 Pnr. R. H. Jones. R.E.; WR-323573 Spr. T. W. Jones. R.E.), some with light contact marks and one with edge bruising, a couple polished, one about very fine the rest very fine (5) Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£60 to £80

**Lot 293**

(x) Victory Medal 1914-19 (SS-2735 Pte. D. Jones. A.S.C.; DM2-162514 Pte. J. W. Jones. A.S.C.; T-384340 Dvr. R. Jones. A.S.C.; M-316905 Pte. R. J. Jones. A.S.C.; M2-098418 Pte. W. O. Jones. A.S.C.), light contact wear, one with a minor edge knock, one polished, overall very fine (5) Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£60 to £80

**Lot 294**

(x) Victory Medal 1914-19 (171432 Spr. F. Jones. R.E.; 139923 Spr. H. Jones. R.E.; 238454 Spr. H. T. Jones. R.E.; 57979 Pnr. J. Jones. R.E.; 75630 Spr. T. H. Jones. R.E.; 104822 Sjt. W. Jones. R.E.), some with contact wear and edge bruising, one polished, nearly very fine to very fine (6) Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£70 to £90



Lot 295

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WHERE HISTORY IS VALUED

Victory Medal 1914-19 (Lieut. O. H. Weekes. R.F.C.), good very fineOwen Harry Weekes was born on 16 May 1880, and lived at 3 Brighton Terrace, Monkstown, Dublin, Ireland. He was originally commissioned into the Army Service Corps before being commissioned into the Royal Flying Corps serving with No.1 Balloon Squadron of the Kite Balloon section. He was made a Lieutenant Balloon Officer (London Gazette 10 April 1916) then to Lieutenant Balloon Commander (London Gazette 5 March 1917) and made Temporary Captain Balloon Company Commander (London Gazette19 April 1918). He was transferred to the Unemployed List on 1 May 1919 and given the Honorary rank of Captain. He applied for his British War and Victory Medal pair in 1924 and these were sent to his address in Ireland.Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£40 to £60

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Lot 296



Victory Medal 1914-19 (2.Lieut. J. Boughey. R.A.F.), good very fineJeffrey Boughey was born at Brand Common, Norton in Hales, Market Drayton, Salop, on 4 October 1899. He joined the Royal Flying Corps on 7 November 1917. He was promoted to Temporary Second Lieutenant as an Observer Officer (London Gazette 6 August 1918) and was admitted to hospital on 26 August 1918 and was then transferred to 39 General Hospital at Havre on 30 August 1918. Boughey was transferred to the Unemployed List on 17 April 1919.Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£30 to £50

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Lot 297



The Victory Medal to Second Lieutenant A. O. Bigg-Wither, Royal Flying Corps, who survived a practice flight crash in a Nieuport Scout on 9 May 1917 but who later was killed during an exhibition flight at King's Lynn on 2 May 1926. Victory Medal 1914-19 (2.Lieut. A. O. Bigg-Wither. R.F.C.), extremely fine. Arthur Orde Bigg-Wither was born at Sandoway, near Akyab, Burma, on 5 September 1898. He became a Temporary Second Lieutenant on Probation for duty with the Royal Flying Corps (London Gazette 3 February 1917) and became Temporary Second Lieutenant confirmed in rank (London Gazette 7 May 1917). He joined No. 40 Squadron and served at the same time as Edward (Mick) Mannock (V.C., D.S.O. and two bars, M.C. and bar). On 9 May 1917 he was flying a Nieuport Scout B/1634 on a practice flight, the aeroplane suffered an engine failure and stalled and spun, it crashed to the ground and Bigg-Wither suffered a concussion and was admitted to hospital. He was transferred to the unemployed list on 22 February 1919. Despite his flying accident he continued flying in a civilian capacity, however his luck ran out on 2 May 1926 when flying the Sopwith Gnu (G-EAGP). The aircraft had taken off from Brooklands, Weybridge, Surrey for King's Lynn, various people were taken up for pleasure flights however Bigg-Wither was unable to pull up from a spiral nose dive and crashed into Hardwick Road cemetery in King's Lynn, he died as a result of his injuries. The incident was reported in the Nottingham Journal of 3 May 1926: 'A terrible flying accident occurred at King's Lynn (Norfolk) shortly before five o'clock yesterday afternoon and resulted in the death of Captain A. O. Bigg-Wither, of Waterloo-road, London, and considerable injury to George Mark Lloyd (22), of Baker-street, London. The accident occurred during an exhibition flight. The machine belonged to Messrs. Lloyds Aviation Company, who were at King's Lynn for a week giving performances of flying and passenger pleasure trips. The weather had been unsuitable until yesterday when a high wind was blowing. About 2.30 flying commenced and there were several thousand present to watch the flights. Several local people were taken up in pairs for short trips, and at 4.30 Lloyd went up with the pilot, Captain Bigg-Wither, and a local man named Arthur Barrett, a motor demonstrator. When about 2,000 feet up Lloyd walked along the right wing of the machine and performed other daring feats. He returned to his seat, and the pilot commenced a series of banking feats and then started a spiral nose dive. He seemed unable to recover from it and the machine crashed to earth in a cemetery, knocking over several tombstones and completely wrecking itself. Just before it reached the ground - Barrett, the passenger, jumped from the machine and escaped practically unhurt. Captain Bigg-Wither and Lloyd were observed to have sustained serious injuries, and the former died on his arrival at hospital. Lloyd is suffering from a broken jaw and other injuries. Barrett walked to the hospital and was treated for a slight cut on the head.' The accident was later debated in Parliament on 5 May 1926; sold with assorted copied research. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£60 to £80

**Lot 298**



The Victory Medal to Leading Aircraftsman W. C. Blackwood, Royal Air Force, who was awarded an M.S.M. for South Russia and who was additionally awarded a Medal of Zeal Victory Medal 1914-19 (207121. 1.A.M. W. C. Blackwood. R.A.F.), very fine[M.S.M.] London Gazette 12 July 1920. Further awarded the Silver Medal for Zeal with the riband for St. Stanislaus (not gazetted). William Charles Blackwood was born at Kennington, London on 4 March 1897 and was draughtsman before he joined the Royal Naval Air Service (F.7121) on 31 July 1915. He served on President II before transferring to Daedalus on 1 July 1917. He transferred to the Royal Air Force on 1 April 1918. Blackwood saw service in South Russia with No.47 Squadron which arrived in South Russia in April 1919 the Squadron was ordered to carry out operational sorties and was equipped with a mixture of aircraft, with flights equipped with Airco DH.9 and DH.9A bombers and Sopwith Camel fighters. The squadron's flights operated independently, carrying out bombing and strafing missions against Bolshevik forces. Blackwood returned to South London and as a civilian became a heating and domestic fitter. Blackwood is entitled to a British War and Victory Medal pair, issued by the Air Ministry. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£40 to £60

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**Lot 299**



**The Victory Medal awarded to Private V. N. Barrie, Royal Flying Corps, late Royal Engineers, who was reported as Missing in Action on 6 April 1917.**

**Victory Medal 1914-19 (40213 Pte. V. N. Barrie. R.F.C.), good very fine.**

Vincent Norman Barrie was born at Brentford, Middlesex in 1893. He worked at Harrods as a clerk and originally enlisted as a Cyclist with the 25th County of London Territorial Force on 22 November 1910 (763) but with the outbreak of the Great War was to join the Royal Engineers (28083) and entered the war in France on 16 August 1914 with the rank of Corporal. He transferred into the Royal Flying Corps (40213) as Airman 2nd Class on 21 August 1916 and was quickly promoted to Acting Corporal on 16 September 1916 but reverted to Airman 2nd Class on 6 November 1916. Barrie became an Aerial Gunner with No. 59 Squadron and was involved on numerous patrols in early 1917. On 6 April 1917 he was one of three aircraft acting as escort to a photographic machine of the same squadron flying in a RE8 (A3260) piloted by Lieutenant Bailey, a further two RE8s flew as part of the group piloted by Lieutenant Pepper and Second Lieutenant R. W. Davies. The aeroplane never returned and he was reported as being killed in action that day, his body and that of Lieutenant Bailey (alias Alban) were never found and consequently both names are remembered on the Arras Flying Services Memorial. His family applied for his medals and received a 1914 Star Trio issued in 1921 (Star) and 1923 (BWM & Victory) respectively; sold with copied research. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

**Estimate  
£40 to £60**

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### Lot 300



Mercantile Marine 1914-1918 (Jane Yule), light contact marks, very fine Jane Yule was born at Peterhead, Aberdeenshire in 1862 and is entitled to a British War and Mercantile Marine Medal pair. These were sent to her at 275 East India Road, Poplar, London on 30 September 1921. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£180 to £220

### Lot 301



(x) Territorial Force War Medal 1914-19 (131 Pte. C. G. Billett. Dorset. R.), good very fine Clement G. Billett was born at Blandford Forum, Dorset and was a grocer's assistant prior to his Great War service. He is further entitled to a British War Medal as well as a Territorial Efficiency Medal as per Army Order 380 of 1919. Billet additionally served with the regimental numbers 200231 and 200235. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£140 to £180

### Lot 302



Territorial Force War Medal 1914-19 (396 Gnr. J. Harrison. R.A.), very fine John Harrison served in the 1/1st Lowland (Highland) Heavy Battery, Royal Garrison Artillery during the Great War and is additionally entitled to the British War and Victory Medals. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£100 to £120

### Lot 303



Territorial Force War Medal 1914-19 (T4-210309 Dvr. J. H. Atkinson. A.S.C.), light contact marks, very fine Sold together with a copied medal roll. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£70 to £90

**Lot 304**



**(x) Territorial Force War Medal 1914-19, unnamed, an unusual striking depicting George V in Field Marshall's uniform on obverse rather than an uncrowned coinage bust, good very finePossibly a trial striking.Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.**

**Estimate  
£60 to £80**

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Lot 305



The Great War Bronze Memorial Plaque to Lieutenant & Quartermaster W. E. Upton, 19th Battalion, Sherwood Foresters (Nottinghamshire and Derbyshire Regiment), who died at home on 5 March 1916 Great War Bronze Memorial Plaque (William Edwin Upton), in card case of issue, extremely fine William Edwin Upton was born in 1865 and had pre-war service in the ranks and saw service in Malta between 29 September 1904-13 September 1905 returning to the United Kingdom on completion. In 1905 he extended his service whilst still a Sergeant and was promoted to Colour Sergeant and posted to the Permanent Staff of the Royal Alderney Artillery & Engineers. He was discharged at Alderney on 25 February 1907, having served 22 years and 90 days, as a result of the reduction of the Establishment of the Royal Engineers. With the outbreak of the Great War he was made temporary Quartermaster with the honorary rank of Lieutenant on 29 August 1914, serving with the 19th (Reserve) Battalion Sherwood Foresters. Upton did not see any service overseas and was found dead at his billet on 5 March 1916 as a result of natural causes. Upton was the son of the late Edwin and Emma Upton, of Halesworth, Suffolk and husband of Jane Ann Upton. He was buried in Norwich Cemetery, Norfolk. Harrogate's Tribute to Dead Officer The remains of Lieutenant-Quartermaster W. E. Upton, 19th Sherwood Foresters, who died suddenly on Sunday, from syncope, from his billet, the Somerset Hotel, for internment at Norwich, this afternoon. The coffin covered with the Union Jack, upon which was placed the deceased's accoutrements, was placed in a hearse, and accompanied to the station by a large detachment of the 19th Sherwood Foresters, headed by the band of the 28th Northumberland Fusiliers. The procession of the carriage to the station was witnessed by a large concourse of people. Yorkshire Evening Post, 7 March 1916. AN OFFICER WHO WAS UNFIT FOR STRAIN OF SERVICE At an inquest held at Harrogate on Lieutenant Quartermaster W. E. Upton (51), Sherwood Foresters, who was found dead in his billet, the Somerset Hotel, on Sunday morning, it was stated that five weeks ago he was granted a month's sick leave owing to nervous debility. Upon his return he was again examined by the medical board and passed for home service only. Mr Wallter Upton, of Ripon, said his brother belonged to Norwich, and while there on leave was advised by his civil doctor not to return to duty. Major Rowan, the officer temporarily commanding the regiment, said that an officer might not wish to leave the service, and probably the deceased did not communicate the advice of his civil doctor to the board. The jury found that death was due to natural causes, as a result of syncope. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£100 to £150

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### Lot 306



A Great War Memorial Plaque to Corporal F. S. Bellingham, 15th (Prince of Wales' Own Civil Service Rifles) who was Killed in Action on 22 March 1918 and who was awarded a Military Medal on 21 August 1917 Memorial Plaque (Frank Sydney Bellingham), very fine[M.M.] London Gazette 21 August 1917. Frank Sydney Bellingham was a resident of Finsbury Park, London and enlisted in London, he was the husband of Catherine Bellingham and son of Mr F. M. Bellingham. He entered the war in France on 17 March 1915 where the 1/15th landed at Havre. Bellingham was awarded the Military Medal London Gazette 21 August 1917 probably for bravery at Messines between 7-13 June 1917 but was killed in action on 22 March 1918 during the Battle of St. Quentin. He is entitled to a 1914-15 Star Trio as well as the Military Medal. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£80 to £100

### Lot 307



(x) Great War Bronze Memorial Plaque (Walter Perry), very fine There are a number of individuals with the name Walter Perry who were Great War casualties. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£30 to £50

### Lot 308



Canadian Memorial Cross, G.V.R. (195594 Pte. S. F. L. Egon.), very fine Sidney Frederick Legon was the son of Mr and Mrs F. Legon of 182 Sophia Street, Peterboro', Ontario. He served with the 2nd Battalion, Canadian Infantry and was killed in action on 3 May 1917 and is commemorated on the Vimy Memorial. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£80 to £100

### Lot 309

General Service 1918-62, 1 clasp, S. Persia (3773 Sepoy Mir Ali. 1-55-Coke's R.), polished, contact wear with some light edge bruising, about very fine Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£40 to £60

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**Lot 310**

General Service 1918-62, 1 clasp, Kurdistan (4523856 Sjt. F. Fountain. W.York.R.), contact marks, polished, about very fine. The reverse of the medal is confirmed upon the roll with entitlement to this medal and clasp, and is additionally entitled to a 1914 Star and British War and Victory medals. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£60 to £80

**Lot 311**

General Service 1918-62, 1 clasp, Kurdistan (479A Sepoy Wali Mohd. 1-13-F.F.Rif.), light contact marks, very fine. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£60 to £80

**Lot 312**

General Service 1918-62, 1 clasp, Kurdistan (4449 Sepoy Baghitar Singh. 2-11-Sikh R.), light contact marks, very fine. Efficiency Medal, G.V.R., India suspension (Pte. S. Grant, 2 B.B. & C.I.Ry.R., A.F.I.), very fine (2). Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£80 to £120

**Lot 313**

General Service 1918-62, 1 clasp, Iraq (Lieut. C. Waldron.), contact marks, very fine. Confirmed on the roll as serving with General & Special List as part of the Inland Water Transport. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£40 to £60

### Lot 314



(x) General Service 1918-62, 1 clasp, Iraq (3526 Sepoy Vishnu Palekar, 108-Infantry), edge bruising and contact marks, otherwise very fine General Service 1918-62, 1 clasp, S.E. Asia 1945-46 (86044 Hav. Chintamani Thapa, 4/8 G.R.), bruising over regiment, otherwise very fine General Service 1918-62, 2 clasps, Kurdistan, Iraq (2331 Hvldr. Chanda Singh, 52-Sikhs.), very fine Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£100 to £150

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### Lot 315



(x) General Service 1918-62, 1 clasp, N.W. Persia (52531 Sepoy. Raja. Ram. S&T Corps.), light contact marks, very fine General Service 1918-62, 1 clasp, (979 Hvldr. Karam Khan 117-Mahrattas), contact marks, very fine (2) Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£100 to £140

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Lot 316



The G.S.M. awarded to Private J. H. Watts, 1st Battalion, Nottinghamshire and Derbyshire Regiment, who was taken Prisoner of War at Tobruk only to escape from captivity in Italy in 1943 General Service 1918-62, 1 clasp, Palestine (4974044 Pte. J. H. Watts. Foresters.), very fine James Henry Watts was born on 29 July 1914 enlisted on 18 July 1934 and was stationed with 'A' Company in Jamacia on 24 September 1935. The next year- whilst still on Jamacia- he appears on the Regimental Annual 1936 with the Headquarters Wing Signals. Stationed with the 1st Battalion he served in Palestine and was still with them on the outbreak of the Second World War. They were stationed in Tobruk when the German and Italian armies arrived following the Battle of Gazala, after a slow advance, tightening the perimeter they attacked on the morning of 20 June. After two days of bloody fighting the Garrison surrendered although Watts appears on the casualty list for 20 June suggesting that he was either captured early in the Battle or cut off and attempted to evade the enemy. He was transported to Italy after capture and held at Campo 65 in Gravina, remaining there until the Armistice in 1943 when he took the opportunity to escape. A newspaper article in the Daily Mail make note of what happened next stating: 'Escaped from Prison Camp Hull Man Reaches British Lines After being a prisoner of war since the fall of Tobruk, 20 months ago, Pte. James Watts has written to his wife at 5, Northolmy-st, Howden, near Goole, saying that he contacted a Hampshire Regiment holding the northern slopes of Mount Roccamonfia, Italy. Just before the invasion of Sicily, Pte. Watts wrote to his mother, Mrs L. Conkerton, who resides at 14, Myrtle- grove, Williamson- St., Hull, telling her that he had been transferred from a barbed wire camp to work on a farm, and that he quite enjoyed the change. It appears that he was then transferred to another camp, from which he escaped a few days later. Since that time, three months ago, by various ruses he has worked his way back to the British lines.' 'I was not surprised to hear that he had escaped.' Said his mother. 'He is the kind that will not be beaten.' Pte. Watts, who is 33, has four children, one of whom he has not seen, and this was his fourth Christmas away from home. A fine swimmer he went though Dunkirk and has four brothers in the Middle East. He attended Blenkin-st. School. At the outset of the war he was a member of the Territorials and carried put props on the docks' Having returned to Britain Watts was transferred to the Army Catering Corps on 9 November 1944 and finished the war with that unit; sold together with copied research. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£140 to £180

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**£140 to £180**

**Estimate**  
**£40 to £60**



**Lot 319**



**(x) General Service 1918-62, 1 clasp, Palestine 1945-48 (14848040 Dvr. K. Pollitt. R. Sigs.), very fine** Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

**Estimate  
£40 to £60**

**Lot 320**



**General Service 1918-62, 1 clasp, Palestine 1945-48 (6343862 Tpr. A. J. Hiseman. 12/L.), good very fine** General Service 1918-62, 1 clasp, Malaya (22522814 Tpr. J. Macey. 12 L. (Replacement)), very fine (2) Horace John Hiseman saw service with the Royal Armoured Corps during the Second World War and is further entitled to the 1939-45 and Italy Stars and the Defence and War Medals. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

**Estimate  
£100 to £140**

**Lot 321**



**(x) General Service 1918-62, 1 clasp, Palestine 1945-48 (AS.7120 Sjt. L. Ralethele. A.P.C.), court mounted for display, lacquered, light contact marks, otherwise very fine** Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

**Estimate  
£30 to £50**

**Lot 322**

General Service 1918-62, 1 clasp, Malaya (19048244 Tpr. R. Jeffrey. 4H.), very fineThe 4th Queen's Own Hussars sailed for Singapore in August 1948. The Regiment's primary role was to keep open the roads and major tracks for the free passage of both civilian and military traffic, and to that end squadrons stationed at Raub, Taiping, Kuala Lumpur and Kuantan commanded more widely dispersed troops. In late 1949 the 4th Hussars were ordered to send a squadron to Hong Kong to bolster the military strength in the colony as its regular garrison became depleted by the need to send infantry battalions to the war in Korea. New tactics for dealing with jungle bandits were worked out with considerable success and a special establishment of four squadrons, adding one from within the Regiment, was adopted. During the tour of Malaya, the 4th Hussars lost one officer and twenty-one other ranks killed in action or died, and four officers and twenty-eight other ranks were wounded. They were famously ambushed on 31 December 1948 at Sungei Siput, Ipoh. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£50 to £70

**Lot 323**

General Service 1918-62, 1 clasp, Malaya (22673665 Tpr. T. Mundon. 12 L.), light contact marks, very fineSubject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£40 to £60

**Lot 324**

General Service 1918-62, 1 clasp, Malaya (23160528 RFN. K. Meredew. R.E.), official corrections to surname, light contact wear, very fineSubject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£60 to £80

**Lot 325**



**General Service 1918-62, 1 clasp, Malaya (22328056 Cpl. E. Dearlove. R.Sigs.), in its box of issue, mounted as worn, light contact marks, very fine**  
Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

**Estimate  
£60 to £80**

**Lot 326**



**(x) General Service 1918-62, 1 clasp, Malaya (3119132 L.A.C. J. A. Head. R.A.F.), good very fine**  
Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

**Estimate  
£30 to £50**

**Lot 327**



**General Service 1918-62, 1 clasp, Cyprus (23338388 Sig. T. Buckley. R. Sigs.), good very fine**  
Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

**Estimate  
£30 to £50**

**Lot 328**



**General Service 1918-62, 1 clasp, Near East (22840282 Fus. D. A. Richardson. R.F.), slight contact marks, good very fine**  
Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

**Estimate  
£40 to £60**

**Lot 329**

General Service 1918-62, 1 clasp, Canal Zone (22576378 Pte M Laikin RAOC), very light contact marks, good very fine Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£80 to £120

**Lot 330**

General Service 1918-62, 2 clasps, N.W. Persia, Iraq (M-17195 Pte. A.W. Preedy. R.A.S.C.), contact marks, otherwise very fine Arthur Walter Preedy is confirmed with entitlement to this medal and clasp combination, and was at some later stage advanced Lance Corporal. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£70 to £90

**Lot 331**

(x) General Service 1918-62, 2 clasps, Palestine, Palestine 1945-48 (5247678 Pte. J. E. Box. N: Staff. R.), pitting, very fine J. E. G. Box is listed as earning his L.S. & G.C. as a Staff Sergeant with the Royal Army Pioneer Corps in 20 July 1949. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£80 to £100

**Lot 332**

(x) General Service 1918-62, 2 clasps, Palestine, Malaya (6975582 Sgt. J. Mulhern. Leic. R.), minor polishing, contact wear, very fine J. Mulhern is listed as serving with the Royal Inniskilling and Royal Irish Fusiliers on 31 May 1932 when he was accused of breaking the law under Section 41 of the 1881 Army Act. He pleaded not guilty and was further found not guilty but appears to have left the unit, serving with the Royal Welsh Fusiliers in July 1945 when he joined the Leicestershire Regiment. Seeing extensive service with them Mulhern finally earned and L.S. & G.C. with the Royal Electrical and Mechanical Engineers on 25 August 1948 as a Warrant Officer Class II; sold together with copied research. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£80 to £100



**Lot 333**



**(x) General Service 1918-62, 2 clasps, Malaya, Brunei (21141161 Rfn. Manbahadur Thapa. 2 G.R.), very fine** Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

**Estimate  
£80 to £100**

**Lot 334**



**General Service 1918-62, 2 clasps, Cyprus, Arabian Peninsula (23531931 Fus. D. Wilson. R.S.F.), light contact marks and a light edge knock, otherwise very fine** Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

**Estimate  
£60 to £80**

**Lot 335**



**(x) General Service 1918-62, 3 clasps, Malaya, Near East, Cyprus (22523853 Cpl. A.Harrison. 15/19 H), light contact marks, very fine** Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

**Estimate  
£120 to £160**

**Lot 336**

**India General Service 1936-39, 1 clasp, North West Frontier 1936-37 (812505 Gnr. W. Crang. R.A.), good very fine** Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

**Estimate**  
**£40 to £60**

**Lot 337**

**An India General Service Medal 1936-39 to Aircraftsman Second Class W. A. G. Bass, Royal Air Force, who died on 9 September 1937 as a result of an accident in service** India General Service 1936-39, 1 clasp, North West Frontier 1936-37 (528780. A.C.2 W. A. G. Bass. R.A.F.), extremely fine William Arthur George Bass served with No. 2 (India) Wing Station, Royal Air Force, based on the North West Frontier at Risalpur. He died on 9 September 1937 due to a rupture of his heart as a result of an accident. Bass was buried the following day and the Chaplain of Peshawar G. H. Lester-Garland officiated the ceremony. He is buried in the Garrison Church, Risalpur; sold with a copy of the entry of his death. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

**Estimate**  
**£130 to £180**

**Lot 338**

**(x) India General Service 1936-39, 1 clasp, North West Frontier 1936-37 (2052 Sepoy Nur Shah. F.C.), very fine** Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

**Estimate**  
**£60 to £80**

### Lot 339



(x) India General Service 1936-39, 1 clasp, North West Frontier 1936-37 (11015 Sepoy Jagir Singh. 5-12 F.F.R.), very fineSubject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£80 to £100

### Lot 340



India General Service 1936-39, 1 clasp, North West Frontier 1936-37 (6793 Sepoy Mogd. Khan, 3-16 Punjab R.), suspension slack, contact marks, very fineSubject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£50 to £70

### Lot 341



(x) India General Service 1936-39, 1 clasp, North West Frontier 1936-37 (14510 Naik Sher Mohd., Bengal S.&M.), very fineSubject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£50 to £70

### Lot 342



India General Service 1936-39, 1 clasp, North West Frontier 1937-39 (7010960 L/Cpl. W.F. Jelley. R.War.R.), minor contact marks, very fineSubject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£40 to £60

### Lot 343



India General Service 1936-39, 1 clasp, North West Frontier 1937-39 (2) (1428 Sepoy Amin, 2 Rd. Constn. Bn.; 5109983 Pte. M. T. Howe. R. War. R.), pitting and contact marks, very fine India General Service 1936-39, 1 clasp, North West Frontier 1937-39 (828397 Gnr. W. Stephens. R.A.), officially re-impressed naming, suspension fixed, a late issued replacement, very fine (3) M. T. Howe saw service in France & Germany and Burma during the Second World War. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£120 to £160

### Lot 344



India General Service 1936-39, 1 clasp, North West Frontier 1937-39 (344 Ck. Mohd. Sher, 5-1 Punjab R.), very fine (3) Muhammad Sher died on 9 February 1943 and is commemorated upon the Delhi/Karachi War Memorials; sold together with copied research. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£80 to £100

### Lot 345



Air Crew Europe Star, good very fine Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£180 to £220

### Lot 346



(x) Air Crew Europe Star, good very fine Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£180 to £220



**Lot 347**



**(x) Air Crew Europe Star, good very fine** Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

**Estimate**  
**£180 to £220**

**Lot 348**



**Second World War Stars and Medals** 1939-45 Star; Atlantic Star; Africa Star, clasp North Africa 1942-43; Burma Star, clasp Pacific; Italy Star; War Medal 1939-45, court mounted as worn; together with 1939-45 Star; Atlantic Star; Italy Star; Defence Medal 1939-45 (2); Canadian Defence Medal 1939-45; War Medal 1939-45 (2) one with M.I.D. oak leaf attached to ribbon; Canadian Voluntary Service Medal 1939-45. Jubilee 1887, Metropolitan Police issue (PC. C. Fiddis. X. Div.); with a group of five miniature medals comprising 1939-45 Star; Atlantic Star; Italy Star; Defence and War Medals 1939-45 with M.I.D. oak leaf, mounted as worn, very fine overall (21) Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

**Estimate**  
**£70 to £100**

**Lot 349**



**(x) Second World War Stars and Medals** 1939-45 Star; Africa Star, 8th Army clasp; Italy Star; France and Germany Star; Defence Medal; War Medal 1939-45 with M.I.D. oak leaf, court mounted as worn, very fine overall (6) Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

**Estimate**  
**£40 to £60**

**Lot 350**



**(x) Assorted Second World War Stars and Medals** 1939-45 Star (18804 Rfn. Tiku Ram, Raj. Rif.); Atlantic Star; Pacific Star (P-690 Sep. J. S. Fernandez, I. A. P. S.); Burma Star (18804 Rfn. Tiku Ram, Raj. Rif.); Africa Star; Italy Star (2); France and Germany Star; Defence Medal 1939-45 (3); War Medal 1939-45; War Medal 1939-45 (9989 J.X. D'Silva, Mer. Seamen.); India Service Medal 1939-45, generally very fine (14) Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

**Estimate**  
**£50 to £70**

### Lot 351



(x) Second World War Stars and Medals 1939-45 Star (105198 L. J. M. Kleynhans; 91128V A. A. Rooney), the second with copy Battle of Britain clasp; Africa Star, copy 1st Army clasp (N65025 M. C. Mkwana); Africa Star, 8th Army clasp; Burma Star; Italy Star (1213 A. C. Jenkins); Defence Medal (591453 H. P. Steyn; 192061 J. A. P. Kennedy); War Medal 1939-45 with later M.I.D. oak leaf (4537 T. H. Shrives); Africa Service Medal (C272483 A. Marks); Africa Service Medal, unnamed, with Protea emblem and with corresponding miniature example; South Africa War Service Badge '14', generally very fine overall (13)T. H. Shrives is not entitled to the M.I.D. oak leaf. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£80 to £100

### Lot 352



Second World War Stars and Medals Atlantic Star; Air Crew Europe Star copy; Arctic Star copy; Pacific Star; Italy Star; Burma Star; France and Germany Star; Defence Medal 1939-45; together with a King's Badge, very fine overall (9) Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£60 to £80

### Lot 353



Defence Medal 1939-45 (A2030 L/Hav. Shangara Singh, I.S.C.; N.28257E. Kgaladi), with a further unnamed example; War Medal 1939-45 (329839 H. J. Gildenhuys; 39296. D. C. Holiham.; Mtn/813437 Sep. Ram Kishan Singh, R.I.A.S.C.(M.T.)), with a further unnamed example; Africa Service Medal 1939-45 (SR.598033 A. O. Warren); Indian Independence Medal (A/2030 Nk. Shingarasingh, I.S.C.); Pakistan Independence Medal (Baqir Ali Shah H.C. 454), generally very fine overall (10) Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£50 to £80

### Lot 354



Second World War Stars to Australian Recipients Defence Medal 1939-45 (NX41018. W. G. Wells; VX149286 H. E. Simmonds); War Medal 1939-45 (VX7421 J. C. Tope); Australia Service Medal (W30473 F. Lockington), very fine (4) Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£50 to £80

### Lot 355



Second World War Service Medals India; Canada, overseas clasp; New Zealand; South Africa; Southern Rhodesia, very fine (5) Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£200 to £300

### Lot 356



(x) Second World War Service Medals Australia Service Medal (31374 K H Potter); India Service Medal; New Zealand Service Medal; Canada Service Medal with Maple Leaf clasp; South Africa Service Medal; South Africa Service Medal (H. A. W. Collins.), engraved, overall very fine (6) Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£80 to £120

### Lot 357



The Africa Service Medal awarded to Private W. P. Quinn, Royal Durban Light Infantry, who was taken Prisoner of War at Tobruk but later escaped and made his way to Allied lines in 1943 Africa Service Medal 1939-45 (2698 W. P. Quinn.), good very fine William Patric Quinn was born at Durban, South Africa on 20 March 1918 and was noted in his attestation as already serving with the Royal Durban Light Infantry, presumably as a volunteer on 11 April 1940. Embarking in July 1941 for service in North Africa he joined 2nd Battalion there and took part in the war in the desert. The 2nd South Africa Division, to which the Battalion belonged, was part of the Garrison left in Tobruk after the Battle of Gazala when German forces moved to invest it. After a series of steady probing attacks the Germans struck on 20 June, smashing a hole in the defences held by British and Indian troops and advancing towards the port. The next day the garrison, including Klopper's South African troops surrendered to the Germans and the bulk of them, Quinn included went 'in the bag'. He was held in Italy until the signing of the Armistice in September 1943 when he escaped along with a number of other prisoners. Unlike most, Quinn was able to evade recapture and returned to Allied lines on 12 November 1943. He was taken back to South Africa by air on 1 January 1944 and served at home for the rest of the war, listing his address as 9 Grimsby Road, Montclair, Durban; sold together with copied research. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£80 to £100

Lot 358



The Africa Service Medal awarded to Private G. H. Oliver, Royal Durban Light Infantry, who was taken Prisoner of War at Tobruk and succeeded in escaping to Switzerland. Africa Service Medal 1939-45 (6963 G. H. Oliver), good very fine. Gerland Harold Oliver was born at Durban on 1 June 1916, the son of Mary Oliver of Sea View, Durban. Attesting at Durban on 12 June 1940 he was posted to the 2nd Battalion, Royal Durban Light Infantry and joined them in the Middle East. The Battalion was present at Tobruk in 1942 the city was encircled and stormed by Rommel's Afrika Corps. The initial attack on 20 June broke through the British and Indian troops holding the South Eastern corner of the defences and drove to the edge of the port. In an impossible position the Allied forces surrendered although fighting continued until 22 June. After the City Fell Oliver's Regiment was ordered to attempt a breakout, he relates the circumstances of his capture, stating: 'On the 21st. June my Batt. Was holding a defensive position on the inner perimeter at Tobruk. About 17:00 hrs. word came that the garrison had capitulated. We were ordered to destroy all equipment and attempt to break through. About 19.00 hrs. I was taken prisoner by a German patrol.' Oliver was taken first to Benghazi and the next month was transported to Italy when he passed through Campo 65 at Gravina, before his final journey to his permanent home at Camp 146/2 at Robbio, arriving on 8 August 1942. There he worked on a farm for over a year until the Italian-Allied Armistice in September 1943, when he and several others decided to escape, again Oliver relates: 'One the 9th of September the Italian Guards left the camp. With 5 others I hid in the fields near the camp. A week later the others were all recaptured and I moved to a farm about 7 kms from Robbio. I stayed with a family there until October 21st when I left for Switzerland.' He names one member of the family on his prisoner of war report, Mario Greppi of Confienza, who is noted as sheltering him from 15 September-21 October 1943. The narrative of his escape continues, stating: 'On October 21st I left Robbio with a guide. We went by train from Nocera to a small station near Como. We crossed the frontier about 15.00hrs.' Having made it to Switzerland he was able to emplane for South Africa on 30 October 1944. Oliver was discharged on 5 April 1946, listing his address as 11 Whitney Road, Sea View, Durban; sold together with copied research. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£80 to £100

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### Lot 359



(x) Southern Rhodesia War Service Medal 1939-45, good very fine Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£240 to £280

### Lot 360



(x) South African Medal for War Services 1939-45, very fine Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£20 to £30

### Lot 361



(x) Birks Memorial Bar (Lt. H. A. Lamb Calg. R. 24 May 1944; AC2 V. L. Colling R.C.A.F. 17 July 1941), good very fine (2) Harry Alvin Lamb was born at London, Ontario in 1920 and served as a Lieutenant in the 14th Armoured Regiment, Calgary Regiment during the Second World War. He was killed in action on 24 May 1944 and is buried in the Cassino War Cemetery. Lamb was the husband of Nursing Sister Jean Mary (née Redpath) Lamb, whom he married at St. Mary Abbott's Parish at Kensington, Middlesex, England on 9 October 1943, while both were stationed overseas. Vincent Lee Colling was born in 1921, a native of Port Robinson, Thorold, Ontario. He served with the Royal Canadian Air Force (R/84438) and died of a strangulated hernia on 17 July 1941. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£160 to £200

Lot 362



The Canadian Memorial Cross to Flight Lieutenant R. F. Halliwell, Royal Air Force, a Blenheim Pilot who died from his injuries in a flying accident at Sungei Patani Aerodrome, Malaya, on 24 February 1941 Canadian Memorial Cross, G.VI.R. ( Flt. Lt. R. F. Halliwell R.A.F. 33341) engraved, fitted with pin to reverse, loop for riband now absent, otherwise very fine Robert Frederick Halliwell was born in British Columbia, Canada in 1918 and was the son of Adrian and Ivy Halliwell originally of Newmarket, Suffolk. His parents were married at Newmarket in 1910 and they both emigrated to Canada where his father served as an Officer in the Canadian Army in the Great War, he was noted at living in Vancouver in June 1921. Halliwell passed through his training at R.A.F. Cranwell in the General Duties Branch and was granted a permanent commission with the rank of Pilot Officer on 30 July 1938. Promoted to Flying Officer on 30 January 1940 Halliwell is noted as serving at R.A.F. Tengah in April 1940, attached to the Operations Room. He was returned to Unit on 3 June 1940 after detachment to S.H.Q.. He presumably carried out flying training in the interim period, becoming a Blenheim pilot. On the 24 February 1941 he was the pilot of Blenheim MkI L1104 which suffered an engine failure and the aeroplane hit trees whilst attempting to force-land. The Operations Record Book for No. 62 Squadron confirmed the following: 'One of the Unit's aircraft crashed and caught fire in attempting to force land with one engine at SUNGEI PATANI Aerodrome. Two of crew 561258 Sergeant WALKER, P.Y. and 546805 Temporary Sergeant COUZENS, G. were killed and the pilot Flying Officer R. F. HALLIWELL (33341) died a few hours later of his injuries. A fourth member of the crew 5333281 LAC. HAYNES, J. sustained serious injury while dragging the pilot clear of the burning wreckage and was taken to PENANG Hospital.' Halliwell was originally buried in the Alor Star European Cemetery but was moved to the Taiping War Cemetery, Perak, Malaya, in 1948. He is further commemorated on the plaque in St. Agnes Church, Bury Road, Newmarket as well as the headstone of his mother's grave in Newmarket cemetery; sold with various copied research. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£100 to £150

Lot 363



Canadian Memorial Cross, G.VI.R. with bar suspension (Major J. C. Miller. ED), lightly toned, good very fine Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£100 to £150

**Lot 364**

**New Zealand Memorial Cross, G.V.I.R., an unnamed example very fine** Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

**Estimate**  
**£60 to £80**

**Lot 365**

**(x) India, Republic, General Service, 1 clasp, Jammu and Kashmir 1947-48 (2) (4529329 Sep. Balkrishna More, Mahar Mg. R.; Mtn; 6576769 Sep. Kesar Singh, A.S.C. I.M.T.I.), minor official corrections to both Meritorious Service Medal (6568432 Hav. N. Vamadevan Natr A.S.C. (M.T.)) L.S. & G.C. Medal (15946 PO Std. Peter Gomez, I.N.) Indian Independence Medal (49612 LAC. J. Kurian, R.I.A.F.) Police Independence Medal, unnamed Raksha Medal 1965 (2739686 Nk Sitaram Salvi Maratha L.I.), generally very fine overall (7)** Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

**Estimate**  
**£100 to £150**

**Lot 366**

**Korea 1950-53 (22391117 Pte. A. Smith. Glosters.), official correction to Regiment, light contact marks, very fine** Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

**Estimate**  
**£220 to £280**

**Lot 367**

**United Nations Korea 1950-54, unnamed as issued, with a spare piece of riband, very fine** Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

**Estimate**  
**£20 to £30**

**Lot 368**



**General Service 1962-2007, 1 clasp, Borneo (K.973184 J.M. Gould. M.(E).1. R.N.), light contact marks, very fine** Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

**Estimate  
£40 to £60**

**Lot 369**



**The General Service Medal awarded to Lieutenant-Commander J. P. Drabble, Royal Navy, a Submariner who served in the Anchorite General Service 1962-2007, 1 clasp, Malay Peninsula (Lieutenant J. P. Drabble. R.N.), very fine** John Peter Drabble joined the Royal Navy as a Cadet in 1959 and first joined Chichester. Having passed into the 'Silent Service', he served aboard the Anchorite in the waters off the Malay Peninsula (Medal & clasp). Having further served in Porpoise, he passed the famous Submarine Command Course (Commanding Officers Qualifying Course) No. 70 - famously known as 'The Perisher' - and was appointed as CO of Cachalot in 1970. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

**Estimate  
£160 to £200**

**Lot 370**



**General Service 1962-2007, 1 clasp, Malay Peninsula (073636 D. Swan. E.M.I. R.N.), in its box of issue, light contact marks, very fine** Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

**Estimate  
£30 to £50**



### Lot 371



General Service 1962-2007, 1 clasp, Malay Peninsula (22136354 W.O.Cl.2. D. J. Frost. RAMC.), number officially corrected, contact wear and edge bruising, otherwise very fine. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£30 to £50

### Lot 372



General Service 1962-2007, 1 clasp, Northern Ireland (Major S. A. T. Baxter REME.), good very fine. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£180 to £220

### Lot 373

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(x) General Service 1962-2007, 1 clasp, Northern Ireland (Capt. J. M. Messer-Bennetts R. Signals), heavy contact marks, very fine. John Mallabone Messer-Bennetts was born at Teignmouth on 26 June 1941, the eldest son of Catherine and Captain Michael Bennetts, Royal Marines. Educated at Cherthouse (1954-1958) he was awarded a Royal Naval Scholarship in April 1957 and married Rosina Wilson, daughter of Geoffrey Wilson (M.P. for Truro) on 14 February 1963. Commissioned 2nd Lieutenant with the Royal Signals Cadets at Mons Cadet School on 27 April 1963. Messer-Bennetts was advanced Major with the Cadets before being transferred to the Army on a short-service commission on 27 April 1966. Joining the Royal Corps of Signals he was advanced Captain with them on 27 April 1969. It was around this time that Messer-Bennetts saw service in Northern Ireland. Further advanced Major he retired with that rank on 1 December 1977. Messer-Bennetts was a qualified helicopter pilot in his private life and died at Bodmin, Cornwall in June 1993; sold together with a cloth patch and copied research. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£140 to £180

**Lot 374**

General Service 1962-2007, 1 clasp, Northern Ireland (23495783 L/Cpl. M.R. Comelio. IG.), light contact marks, very fine and scarce to the market Michael Comelio was a native of Birmingham. A newspaper article in The Birmingham Mail notes an interaction between Comelio and The Princess of Wales, stating: 'Would you consider supporting Blues Duchess?' 'I daren't!' Kate replies in front of Wills Irish Guard Michael Comelio asks Kate Middleton if she would consider becoming a Blues fan in front of Villa supporting husband Prince William A cheeky Bluenose chanced the luck of the Irish to ask the Duchess of Cambridge if she would become a fan in front of her Villa-supporting husband. When Irish Guard Michael Comelio put Kate on the spot during a St Patrick's Day visit to his barracks, the loyal Royal replied "I daren't!" Birmingham City fan Michael, said: "William is a huge Villa fan and I asked her would she consider supporting Birmingham City, that's my team, and she said 'I daren't!'" William and Kate were visiting the 1st Battalion Irish Guards today for their annual St Patrick's Day Parade at Mons Barracks, Aldershot. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£80 to £100

**Lot 375**

General Service 1962-2007, 1 clasp, Northern Ireland (24306593 Tpr G Bucktrout LG), mounted court-style for wear, good very fine Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£80 to £120

**Lot 376**

General Service 1962-2007, 1 clasp, Northern Ireland (24253655 Pte. A. Oyewole 1 Kings), edge bruise, very fine Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£40 to £60

**Lot 377**

General Service 1962-2007, 1 clasp, Gulf (MEM(M)1 G P Paskin D204150S RN), good very fineSubject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£80 to £120

**Lot 378**

The G.S.M. awarded to Fusilier N. O. Cocker, Royal Regiment of Fusiliers, who served in No. 8 Platoon with Fusilier Bakkor during Operation Granby when he won the Q.G.M. in a tragic friendly fire incidentGeneral Service 1962-2007, 1 clasp, Kuwait (24836833 Fus N P Cocker RRF), sold together with its named box of issue and a letter from the War Pensions Agency, nearly extremely fineN. P. Cocker was serving with 'C' Company, 8 Platoon, Headquarters Section during Operation Granby alongside Fusilier S Bakkor. They were travelling in Warrior armoured vehicles on 26 February 1991 when an American Thunderbolt, mistaking them for Iraqi tanks attacked. One of the vehicles took a hit and a total of nine British personnel were killed in the incident.Bakkor acting as turret gunner for his vehicle saw the other go up and immediately leapt out of the warrior, sprinting over the gap to try and rescue the gunner in the damaged vehicle. Secondary explosions were going up all the while and one of these blew Bakkor from the Warrior, wounding him in the leg. As a member of his section Cocker was doubtless also present and under fire from the American Aircraft; sold together with copied research as well as a copy of the Special September 1991 edition of The Fusilier.Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£300 to £400

**Lot 379**

(x) General Service 1962-2007, 2 clasps, Borneo, Malay Peninsula (52350 S. W. Davies), private rod between clasps, sometime lacquered, good very fineS. W. Davies served with the 7th Royal Australian Regiment as a Lance Corporal. Many of the 7th RAR were transferred from 3rd RAR and this appears to be the case for Davies as his Index Card initially lists 3rd RAR only to be crossed out and replaced with 7th RAR. The same card confirms his entitlement to both clasps and adds the note 'Sarawak 2 Jun 65'. Davies lived at 14 Green Avenue, Tuart Hill, Perth, Western Australia; sold together with a copied Medal Register Book extract.Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£60 to £80

### Lot 380



**(x) General Service 1918-62, 2 clasps, Radfan, Borneo (23716649 Pte. E. Anderson. KOSB), good very fine** Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

**Estimate  
£80 to £100**

### Lot 381



**General Service 1962-2007, 2 clasps, Radfan, South Arabia (23687060 Spr. H. J. Thompson. RE.), light contact marks, very fine** Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

**Estimate  
£80 to £120**



Lot 382



The scarce G.S.M. awarded to Lance Corporal A. M. Hamilton, 2nd Battalion Scots Guards, one of the 'Aden Platoon' a unit of just 36 men attached to the Irish Guards in South Arabia. Completing his service there Hamilton was later commended by the General Officer Commanding in Northern Ireland for his 'toughness and determination'. General Service 1962-2007, 2 clasps, South Arabia, Northern Ireland, unofficial rivets between clasps (24000515 L/Cpl. A. M. Hamilton. 2 SG.) minor edge bruising, good very fine, first clasp scarce to unit. Alexander McKay Hamilton attested for the Scots Guards on 22 January 1965 and served with No. 11 (Aden) Platoon, attached to the 1st Battalion, Irish Guards, in South Arabia from October 1966 to April 1967, one of only 36 men of the Scots Guards entitled to the South Arabia Clasp. A large part of their time there was spent in providing internal security in 'Little Aden' however they did also spend time in Radfan, an article in the Scots Guards Magazine entitled 'A Rose Amongst Thorns' refers stating: 'A complete switch then took place when the Battalion moved up-country to Habilayn- the British base in the Radfan. The country changed from the flat desert of the South into a mass of razor-fanged peaks and steep sided wadis. The enemy changed too, so did our tactics, to meet the threat of mines, ambushes and night attacks. Christmas and Hogmanay were celebrated as much as we could, and the dissidents obliged by leaving us alone in those nights. The Battalion carried out a large number of operations and was extremely successful in its results. Companies went out into the mountains for three or four days at a time, visiting the villages by day and retiring to the high ground by night. Most of these operations had their little battle (more often with the locals who would take long range pot-shots by day and come close in by night). The highly trained and well equipped dissident bands attack the more permanent camps.' Hamilton subsequently served with the Scots Guards in Northern Ireland from August 1971, where he commanded a Special Reconnaissance Patrol, and received a General Officer Commanding-in-Chief's Commendation on 7 May 1972: 'Lance Corporal Hamilton arrived in Ulster with his Battalion on 25 August 1971, as a Guardsman. He quickly proved himself ideally suited to the stresses of patrolling in Belfast. He has displayed tremendous toughness and determination and this led to his promotion to Local Lance Corporal on 1 November 1971. He was appointed to command a four-man permanent reconnaissance patrol operating in one of the worst areas and was entirely responsible for the operation of his patrol which he has led with extraordinary enthusiasm and tenacity. His performance has been outstanding. The General Officer Commanding commends Lance Corporal Hamilton for his devotion to duty and directs that an entry be made in the relevant documents in accordance with Queen's Regulations for the Army paragraph 1633 (p).' (Special Routine Order refers). Hamilton was discharged on 24 May 1978. Sold with several images of the recipient including a group photographic image of No. 11 Platoon in Aden, featuring the recipient and copied research. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£300 to £400

Lot 383

General Service 1962-2007, 2 clasps, South Arabia, Northern Ireland (23976958 Dvr C Grainger RCT), mounted court style as worn, light contact marks, very fine. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£70 to £90

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Lot 384



(x) The G.S.M. awarded to Lieutenant-Colonel B. W. Kennedy, Royal Australian Artillery, attached 3rd Battalion, Royal Australian Regiment General Service 1962-2007, 2 clasps, Malay Peninsula, Borneo (213488 B. W. Kennedy) unofficial rivet between bars, extremely fine Provenance: D.N.W., May 2011, ex Bill and Angela Strong Medal Collection. Brian William Kennedy was born in Camden, New South Wales, Australia on 10 October 1942, the son of William and Barbara Kennedy of 40 Stanley Street, Leabrook, South Australia. Enlisting with the 1st Recruit Training Battalion on 22 February 1960, he joined the 3rd Royal Australian Regiment on 8 September 1960. Commissioned 2nd Lieutenant on 15 December 1962 at the Officer Cadet School, Portsea he joined the Royal Australian Artillery. Attached to the 3rd Royal Australian Regiment on 14 November 1964 he served with them on the Malay Peninsula. Not long after this the Regiment was involved in Operation Claret, cross border raids between Malaya and Borneo. Kennedy visited South Vietnam in March 1965 and in December that same year was advanced Lieutenant. Returning to Sydney on 16 June 1966 he was further promoted Captain on 1 July and, doubtless in light of his experience, undertook training roles for the next two years. Returning to active service he was appointed Officer Commanding a detachment of 131 Divisional Locating Battery on 27 August 1969 with whom he saw service in South Vietnam from that same day. Returning to Australia on 27 August 1970 he was appointed Battery Captain of 121 Light Anti-Aircraft Battery, Darwin on 4 July 1972. Undertaking a training programme at the Royal Military College of Science Kennedy was advanced Major there in 1974. Appointed commander of the Proof and Experimental Establishment at Graytown on 24 September 1976. Promoted Lieutenant-Colonel on 22 October 1979, he was injured the next year in an accident and resigned the next year on 24 November 1981. Kennedy remained a member of the Army Reserve until 20 March 1987 when he joined the Inactive List; sold together with copied research and an associated photograph of the recipient wearing miniatures of the General Service Medal with one clasp, Vietnam Medal 1964-73 and South Vietnam Medal 1964. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£200 to £250

**Lot 385**

General Service 1962-2007, 2 clasps, Dhofar, Northern Ireland (24030733 Cpl. P. Purvis R. Signals), in its box of issue, light contact marks, very fine Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£80 to £120

**Lot 386**

Gulf 1990-91, 1 clasp, 16 Jan to 28 Feb 1991 (24818954 Fus A W Clark RRF), nearly extremely fine Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£140 to £180

**Lot 387**

Accumulated Campaign Service Medal 1994 (24821687 Spr M F Crawshaw RE), in named card box of issue, about extremely fine Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£100 to £140

**Lot 388**

Operational Service Medal 2000, for Afghanistan, 1 clasp, Afghanistan (25160297 Pte S M M Thomas RGBW), pawnbrokers mark to 9 o'clock of disc, otherwise good very fine The Royal Gloucestershire, Berkshire and Wiltshire Regiment existed from 1994-2007. They were deployed to Afghanistan with the first troops arriving in September 2005. Prior to their leaving the unit was earmarked for merging into the Rifles. They returned to Britain in April 2006. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£120 to £160

**Lot 389**



**Operational Service Medal 2000, for Afghanistan, 1 clasp, Afghanistan (Rfn J R Pither Rifles 30046774), in its named box of issue, nearly extremely fineSubject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.**

**Estimate  
£140 to £180**

**Lot 390**



**(x) Operational Service Medal 2000, for Afghanistan, 1 clasp, Afghanistan (Pte J W Biggs RLC 30031182), mounted court style as worn, slight contact wear, very fineSubject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.**

**Estimate  
£140 to £180**

**Lot 391**



**Iraq 2003-11, 1 clasp, 19 Mar to 28 Apr 2003 (25149551 Tpr P J Carty QRL), mounted court style as worn, good very fineQueen's Royal Lancers.Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.**

**Estimate  
£200 to £240**



### Lot 392



Iraq 2003-11, 1 clasp, 19 Mar to 28 Apr 2003 (24866366 Bdr D D Wileman RA), nearly extremely fine Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£120 to £160

### Lot 393



Pair: Private R. Blyth, 7th Foot India General Service 1854-95, 1 clasp, Umbeyla (727 R Blythe H.Ms., 1st Bn. 7th, Regt.); Army L.S. & G.C., V.R., 3rd issue, small letter reverse (49th Bde. 736. Pte. R. Blyth, 2-7th Foot), light contact marks, otherwise very fine (2) Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£140 to £180

Lot 394



The campaign pair awarded to Bombardier A.G. Leigh, No 3 Mountain Battery, Royal Artillery, who tragically took his own life in 1949 India General Service 1854-95, 1 clasp, Samana 1891 (71202 Trumpeter A.G. Leigh. No. 3 Mn. By. R.A); India General Service 1895-1902, 1 clasp, Relief of Chitral 1895 (71202 Bombr. A.G. Leigh. No. 3 Mtn. By. R.A.), contact marks, very fine (2) Arthur Graham Leigh was born at Chorley, Lancashire in 1874 the son of Arthur George Leigh, a music teacher and music seller, and a former Mayor of Chorley. He attested in the Royal Artillery at Preston on 25 February 1889 aged just 14 years old. He joined B Battery, Royal Horse Artillery as a Boy before being posted to the 10th Mountain Battery on 2 November 1890, subsequently transferring to the 3rd Mountain Battery as a trumpeter on 30 November 1890. He was advanced to Gunner on 4 March 1893 and appointed Bombardier on 29 June 1893. Leigh served in India from 2 December 1890 until 11 February 1896. Invalided home he was admitted to Netley hospital for 51 days suffering from infection and anaemia. He purchased his discharge on 12 October 1896 for the regal sum of £18. The Chorley Guardian of 12 October 1895 published his experiences in the Chitral campaign, a copy of which accompanies the group. The Chorley Guardian on 29 July 1949 published details of his death: 'The death under tragic circumstances was recorded yesterday of my Graham Leigh of 19 Kensington Road, Chorley. He was a well-known personality, a bachelor and a gentleman whom courtesy was a notable characteristic. Mr Leigh was 75 years old and second son of the late Alderman Arthur George Leigh who was mayor of Chorley from November 1887 to 1889. In his early manhood Mr Leigh trained for military service at Sandhurst (sic) and for a short time was stationed in India. Subsequently he held an appointment as Inspector for the Ribble and Mersey water board from which he retired 15 years ago. He served for a short period on the Borough Road Safety committee...' The coroner recorded a verdict of suicide whilst the balance of his mind was disturbed by ill health. He was found hanging in the wash house of his home on 28 July. He suffered depression, the result of his sister's poor health; sold together with a quantity of copied research. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£140 to £180

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### Lot 395



Pair: Ordinary Seaman J. Broadbent, Royal Navy, who later served with H.M.S. Pearl during the Indian Mutiny/Crimea 1854-56, 1 clasp, Sebastopol (John Broadbent. Ord.), officially impressed naming; Turkish Crimea, Sardinian issue, unnamed as issued, very fine (2) Provenance: Glendining, November 1992. Spink, 1983. John Broadbent appears on the role of H.M.S. Pearl and is noted as having taken part in the Siege of Delhi; sold together with copied medal rolls. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£140 to £180

### Lot 396



(x) Pair: Private W. Rice, 12th Dragoons (Lancers)/Crimea 1854-56, 1 clasp, Sebastopol (Pte. W. Rice 12th Dragoons.), the rank, surname and first digit of unit re-engraved, the rest officially impressed; Turkish Crimea 1855, British issue (W. Rice. 12th Dragoons), engraved naming, good very fine (2) Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£140 to £180

### Lot 397



Three: Gunner T. R. Sly, Royal Artillery/Crimea 1854-56, 1 clasp, Sebastopol (Thomas Sly. 4. Co. 3. Batt. Royal Arty.) regimentally impressed; Army L.S. & G.C., V.R. (Gunner T. Sly, 1st Bde. R.A.); Turkish Crimea 1855, Sardinian issue, light contact marks to the first, otherwise very fine or better (3) Thomas Richard Sly was the son of Thomas and Pleasant Sly of Witham, Essex. He was baptised on 8 November 1833 at St. Nicholas', Witham. At the age of 19 whilst working as a labourer, he attested at Witham on 26 July 1853 into the Royal Artillery and was given the service number 3963. Posted to the 10th Battalion as Gunner and Driver, he spent 1 year serving in the Crimea followed by 3 years serving in Malta. On his return to the U.K. Sly was living at the Royal Artillery Barracks, Woolwich in 1861 and married Miss Emily Goodale at the Parish Church, Aldershot on 23 February 1867. Moving to the barracks at Dorchester by 1871 with his wife, he was recommended for his L.S. & G.C. medal on 1 April 1872. Discharged at Devonport on 12 June 1876, he listed his intention to live at Barrack Hill, Newport, Monmouthshire. By 1891 he was classified as an army pensioner living in Isington, near Binsted, Hampshire. Sly died at the boarding house he ran in Osborne Road, Farnborough, Hampshire on 28 November 1903 from senile decay; sold with copied service papers and death certificate etc. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£250 to £300

Lot 398



(x) Family Collection to Four GenerationsThe campaign pair attributed to Captain of the Main Top J. Fortune, Royal NavyCrimea 1854-56, 1 clasp, Sebastopol, unnamed; Turkish Crimea 1855, Sardinian issue, unnamed as issued, nearly very fine (2)Three: Yeoman Signaller H. J. Fortune, Royal NavySouth Africa 1877-79, no clasp (H.J. Fortune Sigl Boy; H.M.S. "Orontes"); Egypt and Sudan 1882-89, dated reverse, 1 clasp, Alexandria 11th July (H.J. Fortune, Sig. 2.Cl. "H.M.S. Monarch"); Khedive's Star, dated 1882, unnamed as issued (3)Pair: Stoker 1st Class R. E. Fortune, Royal NavyBritish War and Victory Medals (K: 31707 R.E. Fortune, Sto.1. R.N.), very fine (2)Five: Private E. G. Fortune, Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry1939-45 Star; Africa Star, 1st Army Clasp; France and Germany Star; War and Defence Medals 1939-45, unnamed as issued, in box of issue addressed to Mr E. G. Fortune 14 Whitwell St, Frome, Somerset, with enclosed entitlement slip, sold together with a Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry cap badge, very fine (5)John Fortune was born at Chippenham, Wiltshire on 10 November 1830. He married Mary Langdon on 9 April 1855, and they had two children, a daughter Mary and a son, Henry who served in the Royal Navy. Fortune died at Frome, Somerset on 20 April 1908. The Somerset Standard of 3 July 1908 recorded John's death stating that he was in receipt of a police constable's pension which he was granted on 8 April 1884, confirming that John became a police constable at Mells, near Frome after his military service.The Somerset Heritage Centre hold records of two arrests made by John; Reference: Q/SR/653/105 and Q/SR/672/11-18.Henry James Fortune was born at Frome, Somerset on 5 July 1861, the son of John Fortune. Enlisted in the Royal Navy as a Boy second class on 6 March 1877 and was posted to Orontes on 6 February 1878. He was to earn his South Africa Medal for his service with her at this time before joining Temeraire on 1 January 1881.He continued to serve being present with Monarch when she took part in the Bombardment of Alexandria on 11 July 1882. Shore discharged on 22 April 1886 as Yeoman Signaller he married Ellen on 16 July 1887 with Robert Edward Fortune being one of their 13 children. Henry later served in the Great War as a Private in the Labour Corps receiving a 1914-15 Star trio. In the 1939 census Henry is recorded as a retired railway clerk, most likely employed by Great Western Railway in Swindon, where he died in December 1943.Further entitled to a 1914-15 Star and British War and Victory Medals.Robert Edward Fortune was born at Swindon, Wiltshire on 27 September 1895, son of Henry James Fortune, and was a printer machine minder when he enlisted in the Royal Navy on 20 March 1916 as a Stoker second class.Shore base initially he was posted to Q1, a Q ship from 16 May 1916 until 3 December 1916, Sprightly, a B-class torpedo boat destroyer, on 24 June 1917 until 4 December 1917, then shore based before receiving his final appointment to Talbot on 18 June 1918. From January 1917 Talbot was based at Kisumu Tanzania, when the second period of German commerce raids began and in 1918, she was off the Cape of Good Hope.Fortune was shore demobilised on 26 June 1919 and returned to his previous occupation as a printer machine minder employed by Butler and Tanner Printers & Bookbinders. Robert died at Frome, Somerset on 17 August 1973.Ernest George Fortune was born at Frome on 18 February 1915 the son of Robert Edward Fortune. In the 1939 census Ernest is recorded as a printer's reader, most likely employed at the same firm as his father, Butler and Tanner of Frome, who were the town's major employer at the time. In June 1940 Ernest married Muriel Dunford. It's not known when Ernest enlisted for service in the Second World War.Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£600 to £800

## Lot 399



**Pair: Private G. Cullen, 41st Regiment of FootCrimea 1854-56, 1 clasp, Sebastopol (P\*\* G. Cullen. 41st Foot.), unofficially engraved naming; Turkish Crimea 1855, British issue, unnamed as issued, pierced with dual ring suspension, parts of naming on Crimea Medal partially obscured by contact wear, heavy contact marks, otherwise very fine (2)George Cullen was born at St. Luke's Parish in Chelsea, London and worked as a labourer prior to his enlistment with the 41st (Welch) Regiment of Foot on 7 March 1844 at London's Queens Square when he was nineteen years old. He served under regimental number 1930 and was advanced Corporal a few years later in December 1847. However, Cullen only retained this rank for a few years before being reduced to Private for being drunk on duty, for which he was subject to a Court Martial at Cork. He was tried and sentenced to serve 56 days imprisonment, from which he was released on 21 May 1849.Cullen was tried again at Cork in another Court Martial on 13 June 1850 for being absent without leave, this time being sentenced to 26 days imprisonment. His discharge papers also note that throughout his length of service his name appeared 14 times in the Regimental Defaulters book. The 41st Foot were posted for service in the Crimean War, disembarking at Kalamita Bay in summer 1854, and they saw action at the Battles of the Alma and Inkerman as well as the Siege of Sebastopol. Cullen's name appears on the roll with entitlement to clasps for Alma and Inkerman, as well as for Sebastopol. There is also a note on the Sebastopol medal roll that he was sent to England from Balaclava on 10 November 1855. The 41st Foot distinguished themselves in the war, during which they earned two Victoria Crosses, captured the Russian drums at Inkerman, and famously brought back to England a goat mascot.At some stage after returning home from the Crimea, Cullen was posted once more overseas and served on the Ionian Islands for two years. His behaviour later during his length of service was much improved from his earlier days, and he received four good conduct badges from 1857 through 1863.After a 21-year career with the Colours, Cullen was discharged with pension at Camp Colchester on 21 July 1865 at his own request, intending to return home to Chelsea and live at 8 Gregory St. He later died on 3 December 1875, aged just 51. Cullen is confirmed on the roll with further entitlement to clasps for Alma and Inkerman; sold together with copied research including medal rolls.Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.**

Estimate  
£180 to £220



#### Lot 400



Four: Private C. Showell, Rifle Brigade, who fought at the Battle of Sebastopol, the capture of Lucknow and in the expedition against the Mohmands in India Crimea 1854-55, 1 clasp, Sebastopol (Chas. Showell. 1. B. R.B.), unofficially engraved naming; Indian Mutiny 1857-58, 1 clasp, Lucknow (Chas. Showell. 3rd Bn. Rifle Bde.); India General Service 1854-95, 1 clasp, North West Frontier (1434 Pte. C. Showell. 3 Bn. Rif. Bde.); Turkish Crimea 1855, British issue (C. Showell. 1. B. R.B.), privately engraved naming, contact wear, some with minor edge brusies, overall very fine (4) Charles Showell was twenty years of age when he enlisted as a Private with the 1st Battalion Rifle Brigade on 31 October 1854, being given regimental number 4206. He was posted to the Crimea that spring to assist in the Siege of Sebastopol, having missed the actions at Alma in September and Inkerman in November for which his Regiment had been present. The siege ended in September 1855 and peace was made with the signing of the Treaty of Paris in March 1856. The unit returned home after the end of the war and proceeded to Aldershot where they remained for the next couple of years. There, Showell was transferred to the 3rd Battalion on 1 October 1856 and given the new regimental number 1434. The unit's home service came to an end on 25 July 1857 when they were embarked for India to respond to the rebellion. Showell was to remain on the Indian continent for approximately the next eight years. At Lucknow, the 3rd Battalion joined Commander-in-Chief Sir Colin Campbell's force and took part in the final operations to capture the city. Remaining in India, they were next part of the Mohmand Expedition that took place from 5 December 1863 until 2 January 1864, for which Showell earned his Northwest Frontier clasp. The expedition was under the command of Brevet Colonel A.F. Macdonell, C.B., who led his force against Sultan Muhammed Khan. The unit spent the rest of the year in Peshawar and then in Nowshera. Showell was discharged on 3 July 1865 and ostensibly returned home to England; sold together with copied research. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£500 to £700

#### Lot 401



Pair: J. Henshall, Royal Marines Crimea 1854-56, 2 clasps, Balaklava, Sebastopol (John Henshall R.M.), officially impressed; China Medal 1857-60, 1 clasp Canton 1857, unnamed as issued, light contact marks, very fine (2) John Henshall was born at Macclesfield, Cheshire in 1827, he attested for the Royal Marines in 1848 joining the Woolwich Division. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£300 to £400

**Lot 402**



(x) Pair: Private T. Whyte, 2nd Dragoons (Scots Greys), a Heavy Brigade Charger Crimea 1854-56, 3 clasps, Balaklava, Inkermann, Sebastopol (Pvt Thos White 2nd D), engraved in upright capitals; Turkish Crimea 1855, British issue, fitted with ring suspension, mounted as worn with decorative rectangular plaque with single vertical pin to reverse, note spelling of Whyte, contact marks to both, otherwise toned very fine (2) Provenance: Acquired from the family in New Zealand, who at one stage had apparently sold them separately to different collectors. Thomas Whyte was born circa 1833 and appears on the Balaklava clasp roll as Whyte (No. 144) and White (No. 144) on the Sebastopol roll, with further original documentation listing him as Whyte. He was admitted to Out-Pension on 30 December 1856 and granted a Temporary Pension from 10 January 1857 and at that time was living in Edinburgh. He later appeared in the Roll of Honour Defenders of the Empire 1840-1903, resident in New Zealand compiled by the Earl of Ranfurly. Strangely there were two identical entries: one for someone living in Napier and the other living in Wellington, however this was the same person appearing twice. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£600 to £800

**Lot 403**



(x) Three: Private R. Boyce, 49th Regiment of Foot Crimea 1854-56, 3 clasps, Alma, Inkermann, Sebastopol (Pvt. Robt. Boyce. 49th Foot) contemporary engraved naming; Army L.S. & G.C., V.R. (760 Robt. Boyce. 2nd Batt 19th Foot); Turkish Crimea 1855, British issue (Private. Robt. Boyce, 49th Regt.), contact wear, edge bruise and contact marks, nearly very fine (3) Robert Boyce enlisted in Ireland with the 49th Foot on 19 June 1848. The Regiment was stationed in the Ionian Islands from 1851 and joined the Malta Garrison in 1853 where they were still stationed upon the outbreak of the Crimean War. The Battalion saw heavy action during the Battle of Inkermann, where they were part of the 2nd Division facing General Soimonov's thrust. During the fighting two members of the Regiment were awarded the Victoria Cross. Discharged on 19 September 1858 he re-enlisted with the 19th Foot in October 1858 and was again discharged after ten years service in October 1869. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£260 to £300

**Lot 404**



**Pair: Leading Stoker G. Sly, Royal Navy Ashantee 1873-74, no clasp (G. Sly, Stoker, H.M.S, Himalaya, 73-74); Royal Navy L.S. & G.C., V.R. (George Sly. Lg Stoker H.M.S. Asia.), some contact marks and edge bruising, otherwise very fine (2) One of 278 Ashantee Medals to the crew of Himalaya. George James Sly was born at Portsea, Hampshire on 1 April 1838, the son of George and Mary Sly. He married Miss Ellen Elizabeth Horn on 7 June 1859 at the Catholic Chapel, Portsea Island and was listed at that time as a Steward in the Royal Navy, living at 39 Somers Street, Southsea, Hampshire. Joining Himalaya on 1 January 1873 with the service number 76720 he was present with her during the Ashantee Campaign. Serving until 30 September 1889 he appeared upon the 1891 census living in West Street, Havant with his wife and two daughters. By 1911 he was a widower and living as a boarder with the family of Thomas Cleife at 13 Frederick Street, Portsmouth. Sly died on 19 September 1917 at 50 Princes Stret, Landport of senile decay and bedsores syncope; sold with copied research to include copies of birth, marriage and death certificates. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.**

**Estimate  
£240 to £280**

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Lot 405

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WHERE HISTORY IS VALUED

Pair: Quartermaster-Sergeant H. Nicholls, Hampshire Regiment Afghanistan 1878-80, no clasp (40 B/538, Corpl. H. Nicholls, 67th Foot); Army L.S. & G.C., V.R., 2nd issue (2658. Q.M.Sgt. H. Nicholls. Hamps: R.), both with light contact marks and light edge bruising, the first lightly polished, overall very fine (2) Handal Nicholls was born in Westerleigh, Gloucester and at age 18 attested for the 40th Brigade on 29 May 1877 at Portsmouth after working as a miner. Nicholls joined the 4th Brigade, 67th (South Hampshire) Regiment of Foot as a Private on 1 June and was promoted Lance Corporal just a few months later on 9 October. He was advanced Corporal the next year on 5 February. Later that year, Nicholls embarked for the East Indies with his Regiment on 12 December 1878 and was stationed there until 25 February 1884; spending six years abroad. While abroad, Nicholls served in the Afghanistan campaign in 1878-79 and was promoted Sergeant on 14 March 1882. Shortly after his return to England, he transferred to the Army Reserve on 9 March 1884 and married Emma Jane Morgan at Gosport on 27 May 1884. The next year on 20 April, Nicholls was voluntarily re-mobilised for duty and soon after advanced Quartermaster Sargeant on 27 May. A few years later on 30 April 1888, he re-engaged with the Hampshire Regiment at Winchester to complete a total service of 21 years. Nicholls received his L.S. & G.C. medal in October 1895. Nicholls was finally discharged on 2 September 1898 at Fort Brockhurst, Gosport, having served an impressive 21 years with the colours. His conduct was described as 'regular, exemplary, temperate'; sold together with copied service record. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£120 to £140

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Lot 406



The campaign pair awarded to Captain F. A. Barton, 7th (The Princess Royal's) Dragoon Guards, who shared in the famed 'Moonlight Charge' by the Household Cavalry at Kassasin Egypt and Sudan 1882-89, dated reverse, no clasp (Lieut: F. A. Barton, 7/Dn. Gds.); Khedive's Star 1882, a little pitting, very fine (2) Francis Alexander Barton was born at San Miguel Arcangel, Mexico on 26 June 1860, the son of James Barton, a shipping agent. Young Barton was commissioned into the West Kent Militia in January 1879 and thence as Cornet into the 7th Dragoon Guards in July 1880. He was advanced Lieutenant on 22 December 1880. On 10 September 1882 an Egyptian army led by Ahmed Urabi attacked the British troops at Kassassin in order to recapture the Suez Canal, which had been seized by the British. The outcome of the battle was in the balance until the arrival of British reinforcements just as darkness began to fall. The Household Cavalry composite regiment charged the Egyptian infantry, headlong into the rifle fire, who soon abandoned their guns. The composite Regiment consisted of a Squadron from each of the 1st Life Guards, 2nd Life Guards, Royal Horse Guards and 7th Dragoon Guards with four guns of the Royal Horse Artillery. The event was immortalised by G. W. Bacon. Barton himself was advanced Captain in March 1887 and resigned his commission in January 1888. His time with the Militia was not complete however, as he rose to become a Captain in the Royal North Devon Hussars by November 1892. Living at Little Silver, High Bickington, the good Captain died in June 1936. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£300 to £500

Lot 407



Four: Quartermaster and Major J. J. Gahagan, Royal Engineers Egypt & Sudan 1882-89, dated reverse, no clasp (14618. Sapr. J. J. Gahagan. C. Tp: R.E.); British War Medal 1914-20 (Q.M. & Major J. J. Gahagan.); Coronation 1911; Khedive's Star, dated 1882, mounted incorrectly for display, light contact marks to the first and last, otherwise very fine (4) John James Gahagan was born on 16 August 1859 and served in the Egyptian Campaign with C Troop, Royal Engineers, earning him a medal but no clasps. He served in the ranks for a total of 17 years and 166 days and served as a Warrant Officer for 6 years and 40 days. Gahagan was promoted to honorary Lieutenant on 23 April 1902 and to honorary Captain on 23 April 1912. He retired as Quartermaster with honorary rank of Major on 16 August 1914 and was given the honorary rank on 24 April 1917. Despite his age Gahagan entered the Great War and served in France from 18 August 1918, his Medal Index Card confirms just the award of the British War Medal which he applied for on 7 June 1920 and this was sent to him at 276 Canterbury Road, Gillingham, Kent. Gahagan died in 1924. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£300 to £400

**Lot 408**



**Pair: Private J. Grindrod, Coldstream Guards Egypt and Sudan 1882-89, dated reverse, 1 clasp, Tel-el-Kebir (4265 Pte. J. Grindrod. 2/Cd., Gds.); Khedive's Star 1882, unnamed as issued, heavy pitting and contact wear, nearly very fine (2) One of 705 Tel-el-Kebir clasps to the 2nd Battalion, Coldstream Guards. Joseph Grindrod was born at Castleton, Rochester, Lancashire in 1859 and attested on 14 January 1878. Two years later he was posted to Egypt for service in the Anglo-Egyptian War, arriving on 1 August 1882. There the Guards Brigade joined the Battle of Tel-el-Kebir on the right side of the British line, behind Major-General Graham's Division. The British infantry stormed the Egyptian defences in the early hours of 13 September 1882, totally defeating Urabi Pasha's army. The Guards did not remain for long in the country with Grindrod returning to Britain on 17 November the same year. He continued to serve until 1884 when he was transferred to the Army Reserve, being discharged on 15 January 1890; sold together with copied research. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.**

**Estimate  
£200 to £240**

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**Lot 409**

Pair: Bandsman M. Cullen, Royal Irish Regiment Egypt and Sudan 1882-89, 1 clasp, Tel-El-Kebir (1872. \*\*\* M. Cullen. 2/R. \*\*: R.); Khedive's Star 1882, reverse centre impressed 'RIR' to left of monogram and '69B, 1872' to right, rank on Egypt and Sudan Medal scratched out, regiment partially obscured due to contact wear, edge knock, heavy contact marks from Star, good fine; Khedive's Star very fine (2) Michael Cullen was born circa 1860 at Emo, Queens in Ireland and made his living as a farm labourer until his enlistment. He enlisted with the 69th Brigade, Royal Irish Regiment at the Curragh in Kildare on 18 June 1878 when he was 18 years of age. From the Curragh he was forwarded to Dublin two months later and then across the Irish Sea to Aldershot in 1879. That same year, Cullen was appointed Lance Corporal in February but reduced back to Private in June. Cullen was appointed Bandsman on 29 July 1882, just a few weeks prior to his being stationed in Egypt where he arrived with his unit on 11 August 1882. During their brief period of service in the Egyptian Campaign, they quickly saw action at the Battle of Tel-El-Kebir on 13 September. Despite his enlistment papers reflecting his rank as Bandsman at this time, he is listed on the medal roll as a Private. One wonders if the scratched-out rank on his Egypt and Sudan Medal was done by Cullen himself, reflective of his displeasure his medal not being issued in the proper rank. He seems to have continued to serve as a Bandsman, being posted to Malta direct from Egypt on 19 February 1883. They stayed in Malta for but a few months ahead of their return to Aldershot on 28 May 1883, being stationed once again in Malta in early 1884. Cullen next returned home on 9 October 1884, at which time he transferred to the Army Reserve for several months before rejoining for army service on 4 May 1885. No more overseas postings followed, and he spent the remainder of his service at home before his discharge in June 1890; sold together with copied research. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£100 to £140

**Lot 410**

Pair: Boatsman A. McDonald, Manitoba Contingent, who was a Métis, the mixed-race Indigenous peoples of the Prairie Provinces Egypt and Sudan 1882-89, undated reverse, 1 clasp, The Nile 1884-85 (104. Boatn. A. McDonald. Manitoba Contgt.); Khedive's Star, dated 1884-6, light contact marks to the first, generally very fine (2) Alexander McDonald was born in 1853 at St Andrews, Manitoba, just west of the Red River, the eldest son of Donald McDonald. He was from a family of Métis heritage and served alongside his brothers John (born 1856) and Donald (born 1860) in the Manitoba Contingent. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£1,800 to £2,200

**Lot 411**

**Pair: Private J. Clay, Grenadier Guards** Egypt and Sudan 1882-89, undated reverse, 1 clasp, Suakin 1885 (8788. Pte J. Clay. 3/Grenr. Gds.); Khedive's Star, dated 1884-6, a couple of light contact marks to the first, otherwise very fine (2) Joseph Clay was born at St. Mary's, Nottingham and had served with the 4th Battalion, Derbyshire Regiment before he joined the Grenadier Guards on 29 August 1883. He arrived in the Sudan on 20 February 1885 and completed his service on 28 August 1886, joining the Army Reserve on 29 August 1886. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

**Estimate**  
**£150 to £200**

**Lot 412**

**Private: Private H. Adams, Coldstream Guards** Egypt and Sudan 1882-89, undated reverse, 1 clasp, Suakin 1885 (5060 Pte. H. Adams. 1/Coldm. Gds.); Khedive's Star 1884-6, unnamed as issued, light pitting and contact wear, overall very fine (2) Harry Adams was born at Hardingstone, Northampton in 1859 and attested there on 5 November 1880. Posted to the 1st Battalion he was with them when they arrived at Suakin on 19 February 1885. Here the British under General Grenfell prevented the investment of Suakin by Osman Digna. Returning to Britain in September he was sent to the Army Reserve the next year, finally being discharged on 3 November 1892; sold together with copied research. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

**Estimate**  
**£180 to £220**

**Lot 413**

**The rare campaign pair awarded to Private W. Harrison, 1st Battalion, Middlesex Regiment** Egypt and Sudan 1882-1889, undated reverse, 1 clasp, Suakin 1885 (1476. Pte. W. Harrison. 1/Midd. R.); Khedive's Star, dated 1884-6, heavily polished, very fine and extremely rare One of only two Suakin 1885 clasps issued to the Regiment. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

**Estimate**  
**£200 to £300**



**Lot 414**

(x) Pair: Private B. Anderson, 2nd Battalion, King's Own Scottish Borderers Egypt and Sudan 1882-89, undated reverse, 1 clasp, Gemaizah 1888 (2204 Pte. B. Anderson. 2/K.O.Sco:Bord:), Khedive's Star, undated, light pitting, very fine (2) Benjamin Anderson was born at Shieldfield, Newcastle in 1868, attesting with the King's Own Scottish Borderers on 2 February 1887. He was posted with this unit to Egypt, arriving on 19 July 1888 and saw action at the Battle of Suakin, also called Gemaizah, on 20 December. The Battle was a total victory for the British, with losses of just 12 for around 1,000 Dervishes killed. Leaving Egypt on 1 January 1890 Anderson joined the Regiment in India where they remained until December 1894. Returning to Britain he joined the Army Reserve on 1 January 1895 and was finally discharged on 1 February 1899; sold together with copied research. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£120 to £160

**Lot 415**

(x) Three: Sick Berth Steward W.C. De Cent, Royal Navy East and West Africa 1887-1900, 2 clasps, Gambia 1894, Benin River 1894 (W. De Cent, 2 Sk.B.Stewd, H.M.S. Alecto.); British War and Victory Medals (132464 W. C. Decent. S.B.S. R.N.), toned, very fine and scarce (3) Walter Chambers De Cent was born at Enfield, Middlesex on 17 March 1869. He enlisted in the Royal Navy on 31 July 1888 as an Assistant Sick Berth Steward. His early career saw him serve on a number of vessels, shore bases and naval hospitals. Posted to the paddle steamer Alecto from 1 October 1893 until 9 October 1894 for the expeditions up the Gambia and Benin Rivers, he qualified for his two clasp East & West Africa medal, of which there were 57 'Gambia 1894' clasps and 44 'Benin River 1894' clasps to Alecto. At the commencement of the Great War he was serving on H.M.S. Surly, an early Torpedo Boat Destroyer, from 7 July 1915 until 6 July 1915 and was then shore based for the remainder of the war until he was shore pensioned on 18 December 1919. Leaving the Navy, Walter became a grocer establishing a shop in the High Street at Bridge, near Canterbury, Kent which he owned for over 30 years. He died at Bridge on 30 September 1940 and is buried at St. Peter's Churchyard, Bridge; sold together with copied research. Further entitled to the 1914-15 Star. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£200 to £240

## Lot 416



An interesting Victorian campaign group of three awarded to Colonel C. H. Selwyn, C.B., Indian Army, a distinguished Bengal Lancer who won a 'mention' for his command of a police force in Pekin during the Boxer Rebellion. Rallying to the common cause come the Great War, he served as a driver for the French Red Cross and on the staff in Russia in 1919-20, where his linguistic skills no doubt found favour. India General Service 1895-1902, 1 clasp, Relief of Chitral 1895 (Capt. C. H. Selwyn, 11th Bl. Lancers); China 1900, 1 clasp, Relief of Pekin (Capt. C. H. Selwyn, 12th Bl. Cavy.); Delhi Durbar 1911, silver, unnamed, minor contact marks, very fine and better (3). Provenance: D.N.W., 4 December 2008, when sold with a U.S.A. Military Order of the Dragon and without the Delhi Durbar. [C.B.] London Gazette 6 February 1917. Charles Henry Selwyn was born in Bradford, Yorkshire on 1 March 1863, the son of Julius and Sophie Schlesinger; Charles changed his surname to Selwyn in 1893. Commissioned in the Connaught Rangers on 25 August 1883, he transferred to the Indian Army in December 1886, soon after which he was employed in the Burma operations with the 18th Bengal Infantry (Medal & 2 clasps). Subsequently appointed a Squadron Officer in the 12th Bengal Cavalry - and having then been advanced to Captain in August 1894 - he was attached to the 11th Bengal Lancers (Probyn's Horse) during the relief of Chitral operations in 1895, in which the regiment participated in a number of actions. Later that year, Selwyn was appointed a Staff Captain in the Intelligence Department of the Indian Army, followed by service as an Assistant Secretary in the Government of India Military Department. And it was in the latter role that he was employed as a Special Service Officer in China in the period July-December 1900, an appointment no doubt prompted by his linguistic skills, which included Chinese, German and Russian. Indeed, he was specifically employed as a member of an International Commission to promote harmonious relations between the assorted Allied contingents. But Selwyn also played his part in active operations and established a police force in Pekin, a feat to which Sir Claude McDonald - the hero of the defence of the Legations - referred to in a letter home: 'In the south-west corner of the 'Tartar' city, inhabited by Mandarins and high officials, an efficient police service has been organised under Captain Selwyn of the Bengal Lancers.' In that respect - and working alongside a fellow Indian Army officer - Selwyn had command of 20 soldiers, 60 natives and six Chinese officials. Both men were duly mentioned in despatches: 'Captains C. H. Selwyn and G. de S. Barrow, Indian Staff Corps, Special Service Officers, have been employed since the occupation of Pekin as police officers in charge of portions of the city under British control. They have performed their duties with tact and discretion and fully maintained the British reputation for justice and good government.' (London Gazette 14 May 1901, refers). Selwyn was advanced to Major in August 1901 and was afterwards employed as a Field Intelligence Officer on the staff at Shanghai. Back in India, one of his first appointments was as Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General in the Peshawar Division, but he returned to regimental duty in November 1906, when he was appointed Squadron Commander and 2nd-in-Command of the 12th Bengal Cavalry. Having then been advanced to Lieutenant-Colonel in August 1909, he was appointed Commandant of the 28th Light Cavalry in January 1911. Come the outbreak of hostilities in August 1914, Selwyn appears to have been on extended furlough back in the U.K. And he appears to have been employed at the India Office in London and as a member of the committee that approved of the issuance of official memorial plaques to the next of kin of the fallen. He also - rather gamely - served as a driver in the French Red Cross in the period February to August 1918, and out in Russia as a Colonel on the staff in 1919-20, where his linguistic skill no doubt found favour and was entitled to a British War and Victory Medal Pair. Selwyn died in Germany in 1927, but not before instilling in his daughter Robina his skills as an ex-Bengal Lancer: 'It seems that the modern girl is not yet content with her successful invasion of most of the professions but must always be finding new outlets for her enthusiasm. The latest example may be seen at the International Horse Show at Olympia where one of the most popular features is the spectacle introducing the historical coaches and a hold-up by highwaymen. This has been written and produced by the daughter of the well-known Colonel Selwyn, who commanded the Bengal Lancers. This young lady, who is well-known on films by the name of Robina Maughan, has made a reputation as a fearless and accomplished horsewoman. It is only by the merest chance that she was given the opportunity of her merit as director.' So stated a report in the Lincolnshire Echo on 27 June 1931. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£500 to £700

### Lot 417



(x) Four: Company Sergeant Major D. McGrath, 28th Canadian Infantry, late Gordon Highlanders India General Service 1895-1902, 2 clasps, Relief of Chitral 1895, Punjab Frontier 1897-98 (4590 Pte. D. McGrath. 1st. Bn Gord: Highrs); 1914-15 Star (73032 C.S.Mjr. D. McGrath 28/Can: Inf:); British War and Victory Medals (73032 C.S. Mjr. D. McGrath. 28-Can.Inf.), very fine (4) Daniel McGrath was an eighteen-year-old labourer when he listed in the Gordon Highlanders on 14 September 1892 having previously served in the 4th Liverpool Regiment. He served in the Chitral Relief Expedition of 1895, and the subsequent operations on the Punjab Frontier. He also saw service in the Boer War being entitled to a two clasp Q.S.A. and a two clasp K.S.A. and was discharged on 13 September 1904. Emigrating to Canada, he is recorded as a merchant living at Moose Jaw when he re-enlisted at Saskatoon, Canada on 27 October 1914. He embarked at Montreal for overseas service on 29 May 1915, initially with the 32nd Battalion, posted to the 28th Battalion on 17 September 1915. McGrath was discharged on 15 January 1919. According to his service papers he died on 8 January 1946. Curiously he gives his place of birth on his 1892 enlistment papers as Accrington, Lancashire and on his 1914 enlistment papers as Tipperary, Ireland on 18 November 1875; sold together with a 28th Canadian Infantry cap badge and an adapted Gordon Highlanders cap badge. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£140 to £180

### Lot 418



Pair: Private J. O'Regan, Grenadier Guards Queen's Sudan 1896-98 (6486 Pte. J. O'Regan. 1/Gren:Gds:); Khedive's Sudan 1896-1908, 1 clasp, Khartoum (Pte. J. O'Regan. Gren. Gds.), the 'D' of which only partially struck, contact marks and contact wear overall, nearly very fine (2) Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£200 to £300

## Lot 419



(x) Seven: Corporal G. W. Hambrook, Royal Engineers, late Royal Marine Engineers and Royal Artillery who served at Omdurman with the 32nd Field Battery, the first unit to open fire against the Dervishes on 2 September 1898. He was wounded twice at Gallipoli in 1915 serving in the Royal Marine Engineers. Queen's Sudan 1896-98 (89698: Dr: G.W. Hambrook. R.A.); Queen's South Africa 1899-1902, 3 clasps, Cape Colony, Paardeberg, Driefontein (89698 Dvr. G.W. Hambrook. 65th Bty: R.F.A.); King's South Africa 1901-02, 2 clasps, South Africa 1901, South Africa 1902 (89698 Dvr. G.W. Hambrook. R.F.A.); 1914-15 Star (Deal 902-S. Spr. G.W. Hambrook. R.M.); British War and Victory Medals (207470 Cpl. G.W. Hambrook. R.E.); Khedive's Sudan 1896-1908, 1 clasp, Khartoum (89698. Dr. G.W. Hambrook 32.F.B.R.A.), contemporarily impressed naming, official correction to number on Khedive's Sudan, contact marks, good very fine (7) George William Hambrook was born at Sutton, Kent on 6 October 1873 and was a farm labourer when he enlisted in the Royal Artillery on 6 April 1892. He served in the 32 Field Battery at Omdurman which used lyddite for the first time when they opened fire at 6.45 am on 2 September during the opening phase. The Opening Phase & 32nd Field Battery About 50 yards from the zareba, two shells exploded, the bursts gouging holes in the gravel and red sand. The shells were from Mahdist artillery, but the guns were so poorly served that they fell short. The Anglo-Egyptian artillery replied, but with a far more deadly accuracy. On the right, Ibrahim al-Khalil and his men pressed forward, spilling over the ridge that marked Jebel Sergham's eastern boundary. Guns from the 32nd Field Battery opened up at 2,800 yards, a rain of shells that produced terrible carnage. As many as 20 shells hit the advancing black mass in the first minute, throwing up dirty blossoms of flame and red dust with each detonation. Men were decapitated, eviscerated, torn limb from limb; yet others came forward with incredible courage and resolution. Al-Khalil was blown from the saddle, tumbling in the dirt when his horse's head was nearly severed by a shell fragment. Mounting a fresh horse, he led his men forward-but by this time they were within range of the Maxim machine guns and the Lee-Medford rifles. The machine guns opened up, chattering a steady hail of death, and the Grenadier Guards stood up and poured a steady fire on the enemy's shredded ranks. Ibrahim al-Khalil was shot in the head and chest, and the bloodied survivors reluctantly fell back. Sheikh Osman al-Din's attack in the centre was equally disastrous. British shells tore bloody gaps in the ranks and tossed men like rag dolls into the air, yet the Dervishes refused to give up the fight. A carpet of spent cartridge shells gathered around each British soldier, and rifles grew so hot that they had to be replaced by weapons from the reserve. The Dervishes fared no better on the left. The Sudanese regiments had little love for their Mahdist countrymen, and some probably wanted revenge for the khalifa's depredations. The Sudanese opened up at 800 yards, great gouts of smoke, flame, and lead spouting from their Martini-Henrys. Dervish leaders pressed forward, but human flesh and blood could not stand against this hurricane of lead and metal. The ground was now clear for the 21st Lancers. Hambrook served in the 65th Battery, a howitzer Battery, during the Boer War which took part in the battle of Magersfontein on 11 December 1899. They pursued Cronje, and did great work at Paardeberg, being specially mentioned in General Colville's report. Hambrook was discharged on serving his first period of engagement on 5 April 1904. He re-enlisted in the Royal Marine Engineers on 12 January 1915 and was posted to the 63rd Royal Naval Division which served at Gallipoli where he was wounded on 19 June 1915 and again on 24 July 1915. He subsequently transferred to the Royal Engineers after recovering from his wounds and served at home for the remainder of the war. George died at Thanet, Kent in March 1947; sold together with copied research. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£300 to £400



Lot 420



(x) The campaign group of three awarded to Bugler H. Stone, Rifle Brigade, who was wounded in action during the Attack on Surprise Hill and again severely at the Battle of Belfast/Bergendal where Rifleman Durant of the same Battalion was awarded the Victoria Cross for carrying in a wounded man under heavy fire Queen's Sudan 1896-98 (2378 Bglr: H. Stone.2/R.Bde:); Queen's South Africa 1899-1902, 6 clasps, Defence of Ladysmith, Laing's Nek, Belfast, Cape Colony, Orange Free State, South Africa 1901 (2378 Bugr H. Stone, Rifle Brigade); Khedive's Sudan 1896-1908, 1 clasp, Khartoum, unnamed as issued, contact marks, very fine (3) Herbert Stone was serving with the Rifle Brigade during the Battle of Omdurman before later being deployed to South Africa for service in the Anglo-Boer War. They were rushed up to the front just in time to be trapped in Ladysmith with the rest of the British Army there. The Battalion garrisoned King's Post and Leicester Post to start with before also taking over Observation Post. After the attack on Lombard's Kop on 8 December Colonel Metcalfe of the Rifle Brigade determined to attack Surprise Hill and destroy the Howitzer there. Five companies of the Battalion moved to attack the position on the night of 10-11 December, Stone amongst them. They achieved surprise but unfortunately there were several delays, the gun was not in its emplacement and had to be located, and after that the first explosive inserted failed to detonate. A second managed to disable the gun but by this time the Boers had massed in sufficient numbers to take on the British raiders. Encircled the force seemed to be in trouble for a moment however a bayonet charge managed to clear their way. The British saw losses of 12 killed and 36 wounded with 10 taken prisoner, Stone was amongst the wounded although his injury was described as light. The Battalion was involved in the repulse of the Boer attack on 6 January, sending reinforcements to Caesar's Camp and seeing heavy fighting. With Ladysmith relieved the Battalion joined the advance North into Boer territory, with Stone now well recovered from his wounds. At Belfast/Bergendal they were part of the initial assault, attacking to the west of the British line towards the Bergendal Kopje. Their attack came in the teeth of heavy rifle and artillery fire but managed to push forward until the Boers withdrew. During the fighting Rifleman Durrant spotted Corporal Weller- who had been knocked down by enemy fire- disorientated and on the ground. He rushed through the fire to his comrade, lifted him and carried him safely back to British lines covering a distance of 200 yards twice under the heaviest fire. The capture of the Kopje by the Rifle Brigade and Inniskilling Fusiliers forced the Boers to abandon their entire position and quit the field. The Battalion lost 24 dead and 70 wounded including Stone whose injuries at this juncture were described as severe. It is unclear if he was able to continue serving after this point as the medal roll describes him as invalided; sold together with copied research. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£300 to £400

### Lot 421



Two: Private W. Rogers, Kimberley Town Guard Queen's South Africa 1899-1902, 1 clasp, Defence of Kimberley (Pte. W. Douglas. Kimberley Town Gd:); Mayor of Kimberley's Star 1899-1900, hallmarks for Birmingham 1900, unnamed as issued, minor pitting, very fine (2) Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£300 to £400

### Lot 422



(x) Six: Quarter Master and Captain W.J. Harris, Army Service Corps, who was 'mentioned' in 1901 Queen's South Africa 1899-1902, 1 clasp, Natal (8704 S.S. Major. W. J. Harris. A.S.C.); King's South Africa 1901-02, 2 clasps, South Africa 1901, South Africa 1902 (8704 S.S. Major. W.J. Harris. A.S.C.); 1914 Star and slider bar (Hon: Lieut: & Q.M. W.J. Harris. A.S.C.); British War and Victory Medals (Q.M. & Capt. W.J. Harris.); Army L.S. & G.C., E.VII.R. (8704 S.S. Mjr. W.J. Harris. A.S.C.), contact marks, nearly very fine (6) M.I.D. London Gazette 8 February 1901. W. J. Harris served in the 22nd Depot Company, Army Service Corps during the Boer War, later earning his L.S. & G.C. as a Staff Sergeant-Major on 1 July 1907. He was commissioned Honorary Lieutenant & Quartermaster on 5 February 1913 and entered the war in that role on 12 August 1914; sold together with copied research and London Gazette entry. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£220 to £260

Lot 423



(x) Four: Colonel F. T. T. Moore, Royal Irish Fusiliers, late Supply and Transport Corps Queen's South Africa 1899-1902, 2 clasps, Cape Colony, South Africa 1902 (Capt: F. T. T. Moore, Imp:Yeo:); Tibet 1903-04, 1 clasp, Gyantse (Capt F. T. T. Moore. S&T Corps.); British War and Victory Medals (Lt. Col. F. T. T. Moore.), with M.I.D. oak leaves, light contact marks, very fine (4) Frederick Thornton Trevor Moore was born at Chiculdah, India on 20 May 1870, the son of Richard and Mary Moore. He was commissioned 2nd Lieutenant on 11 June 1887 with the Indian Army and promoted Lieutenant on 2 June 1888. A letter written by the recipient in 1915 covers some of his career during this time stating: 'I was Adjutant of my own Regiment the 4th Cavalry, Indian Army, Adjutant of the 28th Imperial Yeomanry, which Corp I helped to raise and took it to South Africa. I raised and commanded the 56th Camel Corps, commended the 10th Mule Corps on the Tibet Expedition. I was Station Staff Officer at Jubblepore.' Moore was a Captain with the 4th (Bengal) Lancers when the Anglo-Boer War broke out, he helped to raise and command the 28th Imperial Yeomanry in that conflict. Seeing service in Tibet with the same rank but serving with the Mule Corps he was one of 11 Captains on the mission fulfilling a vital role. Retiring on 11 August 1911 Moore clearly wished to return to service and was recommended for a vacant Majority with the 3rd Battalion King's Own Yorkshire Light Infantry. Promoted Lieutenant-Colonel of 3rd Battalion on 4 August 1914 he was later given responsibility for raising and commanding 7th Service Battalion, Royal Irish Fusiliers. Moore entered the war in France from 18 February 1916 and remained there for 8 months, until the battalion was amalgamated. He was Mentioned in Sir Douglas Haig's despatch of 7 November 1917 (London Gazette 1 January 1918). He died at Richmond, Yorkshire, on 15 November 1925; sold together with copied research. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£600 to £800

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Lot 424



(x) Family collection Pair: Bombardier G. F. McL. R. Brown, Royal Artillery Queen's South Africa 1899-1902, 3 clasps, Cape Colony, Orange Free State, Transvaal (63780 Bomb: G. F. Brown 39th Bty. R.F.A.); King's South Africa 1901-02, 2 clasps, South Africa 1901, South Africa 1902 (63780 Bomb Cr:-Mr: G. Brown. R.F.A.), very fine (2) Four: Squadron Leader G. F. C. M. Brown, Royal Air Force, late Royal Navy British War and Victory Medals (59409 G. F. C. McC. Brown. O.Tel. R.N.); Defence Medal 1939-45; Cadet Forces Medal, G.V.I.R. (Act.Sqn.Ldr. G.F. McLelland - Brown. R.A.F.V.R. (T)), very fine (4) Cadet Forces Medal, E.II.R., with 2 additional award bars (Fg. Off. A. J. McLelland - Brown. RAF. VR (T)), very fine George Francis McLelland Redpath Brown was born at Glasgow on 5 June 1866 and enlisted in the Cameron Highlanders on 24 November 1886 serving with them until 23 November 1898. He re-enlisted in the Royal Artillery on 19 December 1898 and was discharged 18 December 1902. George Francis Charles McLelland Brown was born at Woolwich on 22 January 1900, the son of George Francis McLelland Redpath Brown who served in the Royal Artillery. Enlisting in the Royal Navy he served in the Great War being shore pensioned in January 1930. Subsequently joining the Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve he commanded 1934 A.T.C. Squadron. He died at Plymouth in December 1969; sold together with a family photograph including Brown in his naval uniform. Alan John McLelland Brown was born at Woolwich in April 1932. Educated at Kent College Canterbury, he graduated from RAF Cranwell and joined 1934 A.T.C. Squadron of which his father was the Commanding Officer. He died on 12 April 2018; sold together with the box of issue for his Cadet Forces medal, his national registration card and photographs of the recipient. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£300 to £400

Lot 425



Pair: Private C. Burns, Royal West Surrey Regiment, who served with the 22nd Battalion Mounted Infantry during the Boer War Queen's South Africa 1899-1902, 3 clasps, Cape Colony, Orange Free State, Transvaal (5949 Pte. C. Burns. The Queen's.), top two clasps period tailor's copies; King's South Africa 1901-02, 2 clasps, South Africa 1901, South Africa 1902 (5949 Pte. C. Burns. The Queen's.), private rivets between clasps on the first, contact marks, nearly very fine (3) Charles Edward Burns was born at Bermondsey in 1880 and was a labourer upon his joining The Queen's Regiment in April 1899. He served in South Africa with the 2nd Battalion from 15 April 1901-7 June 1904, noted as having been with the 22nd Battalion Mounted Infantry, one of the Composite Regiments of Mounted Infantry. Burns was discharged on 16 April 1904. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£100 to £140



Lot 426



(x) Pair: Captain L. G. M. Harcourt, Indian Army Supply & Transport Corps, late Army Service Corps who died in service at Quetta, India in 1909 Queen's South Africa 1899-1902, 3 clasps, Cape Colony, Orange Free State, Transvaal (Capt. L. G. M. Harcourt A.S.C); King's South Africa 1901-02, 2 clasps, South Africa 1901, South Africa 1902 (Capt. L. G. M. Harcourt A.S.C), the pair in a fitted case, very fine (2) Lionel George Montagu Harcourt was born on 18 September 1877 at Gibraltar, the second son of Colonel G.J. Harcourt late Royal Dublin Fusiliers. He was commissioned Second Lieutenant in the West India Regiment on 16 February 1898, promoted to Lieutenant on 16 November 1898. He later transferred to the Army Service Corps with whom he served during the Boer War. Elevated to Captain he joined the Indian Army Supply & Transport Corps at Quetta in 1903 where he died on 4 February 1909 at Quetta India, cause unknown. He is buried at Christ Church, Rawalpindi. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£220 to £260

Lot 427



(x) Pair: Corporal A. Bibbings, Royal Field Artillery Queen's South Africa 1899-1902, 3 clasps, Modder River, Paardeberg, Johannesburg (4553 Cpl. A. Bibbings. 62nd. Bty: R.F.A.); King's South Africa 1901-02, 2 clasps, South Africa 1901, South Africa 1902 (4553 Cpl. A. Bibbings. R.F.A.) number officially corrected on QSA, good very fine (2) Arthur Bibbings was born at St Marys, Cardiff, Glamorganshire, Wales in 1894 and attested at Newport on 26 June 1894. Posted to 2nd Depot Division which was later to the Royal Field Artillery, while serving with this unit he suffered a sprained ankle and 'wound' to his forehead in 1894, likely the result of an accident. Bibbings was posted to No 62 Battery, Royal Field Artillery on 1 July 1899 as Sergeant, with them he was posted to South Africa in 1899. This unit was part of General Methuen's column which advanced to release Kimberly early in the Anglo-Boer War. Seeing action at the Battle of Modder River they withdrew with the column after the reverse at Magersfontien but were stationed at Koodosberg Drift in February 1900 to prevent the Boers threatening the British supply lines. There they fought an action under General MacDonald duelling with and suppressing a Boer Long Tom until Boer reinforcements arrived at which point a withdrawal was ordered. Returning to Kimberly they saw action at the Battle of Paardeburg after which the unit was divided between two columns. The Regiment sailed for India in 1901 however Bibbings remained in South Africa, earning a King's South Africa medal and was transferred to the reserve on 15 August 1902. He was discharged from the Army Reserve at his own request on 18 January 1904; sold together with copied research. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£120 to £160

**Lot 428**

(x) Pair: Bugler J. Newton, Scottish Rifles (Cameronians) Queen's South Africa 1899-1902, 4 clasps, Tugela Heights, Relief of Ladysmith, Transvaal, Laing's Nek (3656 Pte. J. Newton, Scot: Rifles); King's South Africa 1901-02, 2 clasps, South Africa 1901, South Africa 1902 (3656 Bglr: J. Newton. Scot: Rifles.), light contact marks, very fine (2) John Newton was born at Uxbridge, Middlesex in 1870 and attested on 1 December 1890. He saw seven years of service in India prior to the Anglo-Boer War, arriving in South Africa on 23 October 1899 and serving until August 1902. Returning to Britain Newton saw three more months of service and was discharged in November 1902. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£220 to £260

**Lot 429**

(x) Five: Warrant Officer Class 2 J. E. Webber, Queen's Own West Kent Yeomanry, late Natal Rangers & South African Constabulary Queen's South Africa 1899-1902, 5 clasps, Cape Colony, Transvaal, Orange Free State, South Africa 1901, South Africa 1902 (B. 1443 Tpr. J. E. Webber. S.A.C.), unofficially re-engraved naming; Natal 1906, 1 clasp, 1906 (Pte. J. E. Webber. Natal Rangers), unofficially re-engraved naming; 1914-15 Star (788 Sjt. J. E. Webber. W. Kent Yeo.); British War and Victory Medals (788 W. O. Cl. 2. J. E. Webber. W. Kent. Yeo.), very fine (5) J. E. Webber is confirmed as having served in 'B' Division of the South African Constabulary during the Boer War, his Medal noted as having officially been lost in February 1911. He took a T.F.E.M. as per Army Order 101 of April 1914 and landed on Gallipoli with the 1/1st West Kent Yeomanry on 24 September 1915. Attached to the 42nd (East Lancashire) Division, they were withdrawn to Mudros on 30 December. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£160 to £200

**Lot 430**

Pair: Private W. Shepherd, 11th (Yorkshire) Company, Imperial Yeomanry Queen's South Africa 1899-1902, 5 clasps, Cape Colony, Orange Free State, Transvaal, South Africa 1901, South Africa 1902 (32451 Pte. W. Shepherd. 11th Coy. Imp: Yeo.); Yorkshire Imperial Yeomanry Medal 1900-1902 (32451 Pte. W Shepherd.), tarnished, very fine (2) Wilfred Shepherd born at Sheffield was a 20-year-old butcher when he joined the Yorkshire Imperial Yeomanry on 25 February 1901 at Doncaster. He served in South Africa from March 1901 until August 1902 being discharged at Aldershot on 30 August 1902. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£300 to £400

Lot 431

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(x) Four: Petty Officer W. Carpenter, Royal Navy, who served ashore with H.M.S. Forte during the Anglo-Boer War Queen's South Africa 1899-1902, 5 clasps, Tugela Heights, Orange Free State, Relief of Ladysmith, Transvaal, Laing's Nek (176202 A-B: W. Carpenter, H:M:S: Forte), the naming officially impressed in a later style; 1914-15 Star (176202 W. Carpenter. P.O., R.N.); British War and Victory Medals (176202 W. Carpenter. P.O. R.N.), light contact marks, very fine and scarce (4) One of 23 five-clasp Q.S.A.s to H.M.S. Forte. Walter Carpenter was born at Hempstead, Hertfordshire on 28 December 1877 and enlisted with the Royal Navy as Boy Class II on 4 October 1893. Reaching his majority with the cruiser H.M.S. Aeolus, he was further promoted Able Seaman with Undaunted on 1 September 1896. Joining the crew of Forte on 20 April 1899 and serving with the Naval Brigade she landed during the Anglo-Boer War, being one of the party which manned guns during the battles around the Tugela Heights. Carpenter was advanced Petty Officer Class II on 1 November 1901, after his service in South Africa. Serving with Niobe on the outbreak of the Great War, left her on 23 September 1915 and joined H.M.S. Mona's Isle on 16 November 1915. This was used by the Royal Navy largely to lay anti-submarine nets however she had several other roles, largely performed around the Irish coastline. One memorable duty occurred when a Dutch Merchant ship carrying gold bullion was sunk by a U-Boat, Mona's Isle was used as a base for the salvage teams who recovered the precious gold. This mission was made far more perilous as the U-Boats remained in the area and could easily have attacked the stationary ship. Carpenter joined the Royal Fleet Reserve on 23 December 1917 but remained with Mona's Isle, he was later demobilised on 29 August 1919. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£240 to £280

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**Lot 432**



(x) Pair: Drummer A. Barker, Middlesex Regiment Queen's South Africa 1899-1902, 6 clasps, Cape Colony, Tugela Heights, Orange Free State, Relief of Ladysmith, Transvaal, Laing's Nek (5445 Drmr: A. Barker. Middlesex Regt); King's South Africa 1901-1902, 2 clasps, South Africa 1901, South Africa 1902 (5445 Dmr: F. Barker Middlesex Regiment), note incorrect initial, suspension of first somewhat slack, contact marks, very fine (2) Alfred Barker was born at Edmonton, London in 1883 and attested on 22 July 1898 and appointed Drummer with 2nd Battalion not long later on 4 January 1899. Posted to South Africa on 2 December 1899 they went into action on the Tugela Heights, being part of the disastrous Battle of Laing's Nek on 23-24 January. They saw further action on the Tugela and the advance to Ladysmith and Pretoria before being divided between Columns for the rest of the war. Barker left South Africa on 16 February 1903 and advanced Lance Corporal on 1 January 1906. Further advanced Corporal the next year he was discharged on 20 June 1910. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

**Estimate  
£200 to £240**

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Lot 433



(x) Pair: Sergeant Farrier W. Funnell, 2nd (Queen's Bays) Dragoon Guards Queen's South Africa 1899-1902, 6 clasps, Relief of Kimberley, Paardeberg, Driefontein, Johannesburg, Diamond Hill, Belfast (3361 Far.-Serjt: W. Funnell 2nd Dragoons); King's South Africa 1901-02, 2 clasps, South Africa 1901, South Africa 1902 (3361 Serjt-Far: W. Funnell 2nd Dragoons), very fine (2) William Funnell born at Hailsham, Sussex was a shoeing smith when he enlisted in the 2nd Dragoon Guards on 23 May 1889. The regiment sailed on the Orotava on 18 November 1901 and arrived in December. In Lord Kitchener's despatch of 8 February 1902, it was stated that a brigade was being formed under Colonel the Honourable R. T. Lawley, consisting of this regiment and the 7th Hussars, to operate in the Winburg district. The brigade was for some time in the north of the Orange River Colony. They took part in General Elliot's great drive in the last half of February, which was the most productive of the very numerous operations of that nature. It was during this drive that Steyn and De Wet with some followers broke the line near Vrede, but the bulk of the enemy were driven back by the New Zealanders under Garratt, who held their ground with magnificent determination and inflicted very heavy loss. The drive resulted in over 800 prisoners, 25,000 cattle, 2000 horses, 200 waggons, and 50,000 rounds of ammunition. In March 1902 Lawley's brigade was moved to Springs in the Transvaal, and on 1st April had severe fighting. In his despatch of 8 April Lord Kitchener says that Colonel Lawley sent out Colonel Fanshawe with three squadrons Queen's Bays and 30 National Scouts to make a detour preparatory to co-operating with his own advance. At 3.15 am Fanshawe surrounded a farm, where several Boers were captured; he then went on and tried to surround a laager, but the enemy were on the alert and he 'was received by a very heavy fire and realising that he was in presence of superior numbers, ordered a gradual retirement upon Leeuwkop. Close fighting then went on for several hours. The Bays, who were skilfully handled, retired steadily by alternate squadrons, whilst the Boers followed, pressing the withdrawal with the greatest determination and persistence'. Leeuwkop was found to be in the enemy's hands, and Fanshawe had to make for another ridge, 'where he received the timely support of the 7th Hussars and Lieutenant Colonel Lawley's guns'. The Boers then fell quickly back. 'In this affair, although the Bays were capably handled and displayed steadiness and gallantry in face of superior numbers, their losses were, I regret to say, heavy. Two squadron-leaders and 10 non-commissioned officers and men were killed, and 5 officers and 59 men were wounded'. Funnell was discharged unfit for further service on 16 February 1905. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£260 to £300

**Lot 434**



**Four:** Leading Stoker W. E. Deeves, Royal Navy Africa General Service 1902-56, 1 clasp, Somaliland 1902-04 (212278. W. E. Deeves. Sto. H.M.S. "Perseus".); 1914-15 Star (212278, W. E. Deeves, L. Sto., R.N.); British and Victory Medals (212278 W. E. Deeves. L. Sto. R.N.), the first heavily polished, light contact wear overall, generally very fine (4) William Ernest Deeves was born at St. Pancras, London on 18 February 1883 and enlisted with the Royal Navy on 1 November 1900 as Boy Class II. Reaching his majority with Perseus, this cruiser served a good deal in the Persian Gulf and saw service during the Somaliland Campaign hunting down the gun runners supplying the Mullah's forces. He continued to serve, reaching the rank of Leading Stoker in January 1913 while ashore with Pembroke II. Deeves remained there for the first year of the Great War before joining the compliment of Blanche on 25 January 1915, while she was undergoing repairs for storm damage. Returning ashore in November he was posted to the sloop Valerian on 25 April 1916. This recently completed vessel undertook a role patrolling the coastline and maintaining the North Sea mine barriers. Deeves left her on 31 March 1919 and remained with the Royal Navy until 19 February 1923. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£140 to £180

**Lot 435**



**(x) Six:** Warrant Officer R. H. Norden, Royal Air Force who was twice Mentioned in Despatches during his long career, first in India and then later in Malaya India General Service 1908-35, 1 clasp, North West Frontier 1935 (514049. L.A.C. R.H. Norden. R.A.F.); India General Service 1936-39, 1 clasp, North West Frontier 1936-37 (514049. L.A.C. R.H. Norden. R.A.F.); Defence and War Medals 1939-45; General Service 1918-62, 1 clasp, Malaya (W/O. R.H. Norden. (514019) R.A.F.); Royal Air Force L.S. & G.C., G.V.I.R. (514049 F.Sgt. R.H. Norden. R.A.F.), contact marks, very fine (6) M.I.D. London Gazette 1 January 1946; 11 September 1956. Ralph Harry Norden was born on 10 December 1912 at London, the son of Harry William Norden who died of wounds in the Great War serving in the Lincolnshire Regiment. Enlisting in the Royal Air Force he served initially in India and later in the Malayan Emergency being twice 'mentioned' during his service in 1946 and 1956. Ralph died at Hastings in January 1980. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£200 to £300

**Lot 436**



**Pair: Leading Aircraftsman R. Grieve, Royal Air Force India General Service 1908-35, 1 clasp, North West Frontier 1935 (512036 A.C.1 (A/Cpl) R. Grieve. R.A.F.); India General Service 1936-39, 1 clasp, North West Frontier 1936-37 (512036 L.A.C. R. Grieve. R.A.F.), light contact marks and polishing throughout, lightly toned very fine (2) Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.**

**Estimate  
£150 to £200**

**Lot 437**



**(x) The unusual campaign pair awarded to Leading Steward S. B. Pereira, Royal Navy, a Goan who saw further service during the Great War Naval General Service 1915-62, 1 clasp, Persian Gulf 1909-1914 (L.3135 S. B. Pereira, Off. Std. 2 Cl. H.M.S. Philomel.); Royal Navy L.S. & G.C., G.V.R. (L.3135 S. B. Pereira. L. Std. H.M.S. Colombo.), edge bruise, very fine (2) Simian Baptista Pereira was born at Goa, India on 11 November 1885 and enlisted at Colombo, Sri Lanka on 18 September 1911. His attestation notes him as a 'man of colour', suggesting he was of Indian descent rather than Portuguese. Joining Philomel he served with her while she was patrolling the Persian Gulf hunting slavers and gun runners supporting the Mullah's forces in Somaliland. Going ashore to Dartmouth in 1913 he was posted to India in July 1914, seeing most of the war out at the Royal Naval Depot in Bombay. Posted to the gunboat Moth on 19 March 1918 he served with her while she was serving in Mesopotamia but he left before her posting to the White Sea in 1920. Returning to Bombay he served there and at Colombo, Sri Lanka for the rest of his service. Pereira re-enlisted on 27 July 1935 with the service number G./L.X.21866, his papers note 'N. Service 1939-45' although whether this means no service or Naval service is unclear; sold together with copied service papers. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.**

**Estimate  
£140 to £180**

Lot 438



(x) Nine: Able Seaman W. J. L. Gay, Royal Navy, Later Temporary Lieutenant (SP), Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve Naval General Service 1915-62, 1 clasp, Palestine 1936-39 (J.114537 W. J. L. Gay. A. B. R. N.); 1939-45 Star; Atlantic Star; Africa Star, clasp, North Africa 1942-43; Italy Star; Defence and War Medals 1939-45; Royal Navy L.S. & G.C., G.VI.R. (J.114537 W. J. L. Gay. L. S. H.M.S. Shrapnel); Cadet Forces Medal, E.II.R. (Ty. Liet. (SP). W. J. L. Gay. R.N.V.R.), mounted as worn, light contact marks, very fine overall  
(9) William John Leonard Gay was born at Bath, Somerset on 10 May 1910 and enlisted on 23 July 1925 as Boy Class II. He reached his majority with the Battlecruiser Renown on 3 January 1928 and was further advanced Able Seaman with Champion in 1929. On the outbreak of the Second World War he was serving with the destroyer Faulknor. This vessel was the command ship for the Senior Destroyer Officer after the Second Battle of Narvik, she also rescued survivors from the Polish destroyer Grom which had been sunk by German bombers. She later joined Force H in the mediterranean, being present for the attack on the French fleet at Mers-el-Kebir. They saw further action there at the Battle of Cape Spartivento and a number of attempts to resupply Malta. Gay left Faulknor on 1 November 1941 and was posted ashore, joining Calshot an R.A.F. seaplane base on 22 November 1942 he served there for some time, likely working with the seaplane tenders. After this he joined St Barbara, the anti-Aircraft training station at Bognor Regis and ended the war ashore. He was discharged on 8 October 1945. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£220 to £260

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**Lot 439**



**Four:** Private F. J. King, Royal Marine Light Infantry, who landed at Ostend in 1914 and later saw action at Jutland 1914 Star, with clasp and rosette (PO.8187. Pte. F. J. King, R. M. Brigade); British War and Victory Medals (PO. 8187 Pte. F. J. King, R.M.L.I.); Royal Fleet Reserve L.S. & G.C., G.V.R. (PO. 8187 A.1296 F. J. King. Mne. R.F.R.), mounted as worn, the Victory medal detached from the mounting bar, good very fine (4) Frederick John King was born at Stonehouse, Devon on 17 November 1881 and enlisted with the Royal Marines on 14 May 1896. He was initially underage and served as a Bugler from 12 June 1896-14 March 1901. He continued to serve seeing a number of postings including Hong Kong, Gibraltar and Malta, before joining the Portsmouth Division where he was serving on the outbreak of the Great War. King was part of the Ostend landing intended to deny the Germans the use of submarine basis on the Belgian Coast. He remained there until 1 September when he was withdrawn, slightly prior to the main withdrawal of the force which occurred at the end of the month. Posted to the light cruiser Inconstant he was present with her at the Battle of Jutland in 1916. There she formed part of the 1st Light Cruise Squadron, twice engaging enemy cruisers during the Battle and witnessing the doomed run of Black Prince and Defence. Remaining with her after the Battle King was posted ashore in 1918 and received his 1914 Star at Gosport in 1919, he was pensioned the following year, sold together with copied paperwork. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£120 to £160

**Lot 440**



**Three:** Private C. E. Perkins, 1st Dragoons, later Army Veterinary Corps and Royal Field Artillery, who was wounded with the latter unit in 1918 1914 Star, clasp (5215 Pte C. E. Perkins. 1.Dns.); British War and Victory Medals (5215 A.Sjt. C. E. Perkins. 1-Dns.), light contact marks, very fine (3) Cyril Edward Perkins entered the war with the 1st Dragoons on 15 August 1914 and served with the Regiment until 16 April 1915 when he transferred to the Army Veterinary Corps. At some stage after this he was posted to the Royal Field Artillery however it is not clear when. He does however appear upon a casualty role in 1918 serving with 'D' Battery, 180th Brigade, suffering with gunshot wounds to the right thigh and side. Despite this Perkins survived the war. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£80 to £100

**Lot 441**



Three: Driver J. Taylor, Royal Field Artillery, late Army Service Corps and Royal Engineers 1914 Star (29290 Dvr: J. Taylor. R.F.A.); British War and Victory Medals (29290 Dvr. J. Taylor. R.A.), very fine (3) James Taylor was born at Inverness and attested for the Royal Field Artillery in February 1903. He served with them during the Great War on the Western Front from 16 August 1914 and saw further service with the Army Service Corps and the Royal Engineers. Taylor was discharged in February 1916. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£60 to £80

**Lot 442**



Three: Private T. H. March, 2nd Battalion, The Queen's (Royal West Surrey) Regiment, who was Killed in Action on 11 May 1917 1914 Star (S-6485 Pte. T. H. March. 2/The Queen's R.); British War and Victory Medals (S-6485 Pte. T. H. March. The Queen's R.), good very fine (3) Thomas Harvey March was born in 1895 and was the son of Mrs Emma March of 1 Magdala Road, South Croydon. He served in France with the 2nd Battalion from 2 November 1914 (1914 Star without clasp) and was killed in action around Bullecourt on 11 May 1917, being commemorated upon the Arras Memorial. It seems likely he was serving with the Lewis Gun Section of No. 8 Platoon, 'B' Company, who took a direct hit from an enemy shell which killed two men, wounded one more and destroyed their gun (Report by Lt. R. L. Atkinson refers). Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£100 to £140

**Lot 443**



(x) The 1914 Star and British War Medal to Private W. M. Smith, Highland Light Infantry, who was Killed in Action on the Western Front on 18 March 1915 1914 Star (12157 Pte. W. M. Smith. 2/High: L.I.); British War Medal (12157 Pte. W. M. Smith. High. L.I.), minor edge nick, very fine (2) William Marshall Smith was born in Glasgow to John Smith and his wife Annie. Smith enlisted with the 2nd Battalion Highland Light Infantry at Hamilton, Lanarkshire and was disembarked at the Western Front with his Regiment on 14 August 1914. Smith was serving with the 1st Battalion in France when he was killed in action on 18 March 1915. Smith was interred back in Scotland at the Old Monklands Cemetery in Lanarkshire with other members of his family. He is also commemorated on the Le Touret Memorial in France. His pension was intended to be claimed by his mother Annie, though she unfortunately died before she was able to do so, and it instead went to his father John. Smith is further entitled to a Victory Medal; sold together with copied research. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£70 to £90

#### Lot 444



Three: Acting Corporal C. Pollard, East Surrey Regiment 1914 Star with later slide clasp (S-10698 Pte C. Pollard. 1/E.Surr:R.); British War and Victory Medals with copy M.I.D. oak leaves (L-10698 A.Cpl. C. Pollard. E.Surr.R.), mounted for display light contact marks, otherwise very fine (3) Christopher Pollard first entered the War in France on 16 August 1914 and is entitled to the clasp. His Medal Index Card notes re-issue of clasp and roses. Not entitled to the M.I.D. oak leaves. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£100 to £150

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#### Lot 445



(x) Four: Private R. K. Childs, Lincolnshire Regiment 1914 Star (8045 Pte. R. K. Childs. 1/Linc: R.); British War Medal 1914-20, erased; Victory Medal 1914-19 (8045 Pte. R. K. Childs. Linc. R.); Belgium, Kingdom, Croix de Guerre, A.I.R., bronze, good very fine (4) Belgian Croix de Guerre London Gazette 15 April 1918. Robert Key Childs, a native of Mansfield, attested for the Lincolnshire Regiment and served with the 1st Battalion during the Great War on the Western Front from 13 August 1914. They saw heavy action at the First and Second Battles of Ypres and further fighting at Aubers Ridge and the Somme. An article in the Mansfield Reporter on 19 April 1918 states that he was awarded the Croix de Guerre for '... the distinguished service which they have rendered the King of the Belgians...' Returning to Britain he settled back in Mansfield and worked as a platelayer with the Midland Railway Company. Childs later appeared on the 1939-45 census however his fortunes appeared to have gone downhill at that stage, as he was living with his brother's family; sold together with copied research. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£260 to £300

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**Lot 446**



**Pair: Private W. G. Ames, Royal Army Medical Corps 1914 Star, clasp (20156 Pte W. G. Ames. R.A.M.C.); British War Medal 1914-20 (851 Pte. W. G. Ames R.A.M.C.), very fine (2)** William G. Ames was born at Willesborough, Ashford, Kent. He enlisted into the Royal Army Medical Corps on 12 September 1908 at Ashford, Kent. He entered the war on 23 August 1914 and served with the 10th Field Ambulance. He firstly suffered a shrapnel wound to the head on 27 April 1915 and was admitted to hospital at Boulogne and was transferred to the convalescent camp at Boulogne on 1 May 1915. He suffered a gun shot wound to the head on 2 July 1915 and was transferred straight back to the U.K. and was admitted to the St. John V.A.D. Hospital at Cheltenham on 3 July 1915 and remained there until 22 July 1915. He was discharged on 11 September 1915. He appears to re-enlist again this time having the service number 851 and has two separate Medal Index Cards showing entitlement for the Star and clasp on one and a British War and Victory Medal pair on the other. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

**Estimate  
£80 to £120**

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Lot 447



A Great War and Second World War campaign group of six awarded to Commander J. H. C. Minter, Royal Navy, who was present at the Battle of Jutland in the battleship H.M.S. Royal Oak 1914-15 Star (Lieut. J. H. C. Minter, R.N.); British War and Victory Medals (Lieut. J. H. C. Minter, R.N.); Defence and War Medals 1939-45, privately inscribed 'Comdr. J. H. C. Minter, R.N.'; Jubilee 1935, privately inscribed, 'Lieut. Comdr. J. H. C. Minter, R.N.', generally very fine or better (6) John Henry Christian Minter was born in Plymouth, Devon on Christmas Day 1891 and entered the Royal Navy as a Midshipman in January 1909. By the outbreak of hostilities in August 1914, he was serving as a Lieutenant aboard the cruiser H.M.S. Duke of Edinburgh, in which capacity he would quickly see action in the Red Sea. In April 1916, Minter removed to the recently launched battleship Royal Oak, and he remained likewise employed until the war's end, seeing further action at the battle of Jutland. On that occasion, Royal Oak was the flagship of the 4th Battle Squadron and brought her 15-inch guns to bear against the Wiesbaden, Derfflinger and Seydlitz, and gained a telling hit on one of the latter's gun turrets. Shortly afterwards, when the enemy unleashed its destroyers in a torpedo attack, Royal Oak's 6-inch guns contributed to the impressive wall of retaliatory fire; in all, she expended 38 of her 15-inch shells and 80 of her 6-inch shells. Having next attended an advanced W./T. course at the Royal Naval College, Greenwich, Minter was promoted to Lieutenant-Commander in February 1922, and, in August 1926, joined the Warspite as Fleet W./T. Officer to Admiral Sir Roger Keyes, C.-in-C. Mediterranean. His Assistant Fleet W./T. Officer was Lieutenant Lord Louis Mountbatten. Minter was placed on the Retired List as a Commander in May 1936, but returned to duty on the renewal of hostilities. In April 1942, he joined the Harwich base Badger for W./T. duties to the Fleet Officer in Charge, and he remained similarly employed until reverting to the Retired List in September 1945. The Commander died at Chichester, Sussex in January 1973. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£180 to £220

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**Lot 448**



(x) Four: Petty Officer 1st Class J. Doughty, Royal Navy, who served with Ark Royal during the Somaliland Campaign in support of 'Z Force' and later in the evacuation of White Russian forces from the Black Sea 1914-15 Star (J 5178 J Doughty. A.B. R.N.); British War and Victory Medals (5178. J. Doughty. P.O. 1. R.N); Africa General Service 1902-56, 1 clasp, Somaliland 1920 (J.5178. J. Doughty. P.O.1 Cl. H.M.S. Ark Royal), contact marks, good very fine (4) John Doughty, born on 13 August 1893 at Potton, Bedfordshire, was a machine driller when he enlisted in the Royal Navy on 25 August 1909 as a Boy 2nd Class. Prior to the Great War he served at a variety of shore bases and vessels. At the beginning of the war, he was shore based at Dido from 3 September 1915 until 3 March 1916, and with Gibraltar from 4 April 1916 until 14 November 1917. Posted to Sandhurst on 15 November 1917, the dummy battleship Indomitable until 21 December 1917, before getting an active posting to Ark Royal on 5 November 1918 with whom he served until 22 November 1920. Ark Royal was withdrawn from the Black Sea in late 1919 and disembarked her seaplanes at Malta to load a dozen Airco DH.9 bombers and 181 personnel of the supporting Z Force for transport to British Somaliland. The ship arrived in Berbera on 30 December and the squadron was unloaded to support the air and land campaign against Diiriye Guure. Ark Royal served during this campaign solely as a depot and repair ship for the RAF. She was withdrawn before its conclusion and transferred to the Black Sea to support the White Russian forces there as they began to collapse. The ship twice ferried refugees from the Caucasian coast to the Crimea and, after the second voyage, had to be fumigated at Constantinople after an outbreak of typhus among her passengers. During the summer of 1920, Ark Royal ferried RAF aircraft and personnel to Basra. She then returned to Britain for a refit and was put into reserve at Rosyth in November. Doughty was shore pensioned on 29 June 1922, subsequently joining the R.F.R. on 16 October 1922; sold together with copied service papers. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

**Estimate**  
**£140 to £180**

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## Lot 449



An outstanding Great War campaign and long service group of five awarded to Leading Stoker W. T. Brown, Royal Navy, who was present in H.M.S. Broke's epic encounters at Jutland in May 1916 and in the Dover Straits in April 1917. On the former occasion, Broke was caught close-range in the searchlights of the enemy battleship Westfalen and pulverised by heavy calibre fire which resulted in the loss of more than 40% of her ship's company. On the latter occasion Broke rammed the enemy destroyer G-42 at 27 knots, almost turning her adversary over on her beam-ends: a brutal boarding party hand-to-hand encounter ensued, so much so that Broke's decks were 'literally running in blood' 1914-15 Star (SS. 100068 W. T. Brown, A.L. Sto., R.N.); British War and Victory Medals (SS. 100068 W. T. Broen, L. Sto., R.N.); Imperial Service Medal, G.V.I.R., 1st issue (William Thomas Brown), officially corrected naming; Royal Fleet Reserve L.S. & G.C., G.V.R., 1st issue (SS. 100068 Po. B. 2809 W. T. Brown, L. Sto., R.F.R.), generally good very fine (5).

William Thomas Brown was born in Ilford, Essex on 12 August 1882 and entered the Royal Navy as a Stoker 2nd Class in October 1903. Having then joined the Royal Fleet Reserve in October 1908, he was recalled on the outbreak of hostilities and joined the destroyer H.M.S. Broke in December 1914. And he would remain likewise employed until August 1918, thereby sharing in her honours at Jutland and in the Dover Straits. Jutland As neatly summarised in The Jutland Honours by Chris Bilham, Broke suffered shocking casualties and damage: 'At around 23:15 hours ships were seen approaching from the starboard beam, i.e. the west, on a converging course. When they were only 600 yards away Tipperary, the flotilla leader, challenged them. The reply was a storm of gunfire, leaving Tipperary a sinking, burning wreck. Broke and some of the other destroyers then attacked the ships - enemy light cruisers, closely followed by battleships - and a torpedo from one of them hit the light cruiser Elbing. The destroyers resumed their course south but, only a few minutes later, encountered the battleship Westfalen. The Broke had just begun her torpedo attack when she was illuminated with searchlights and then subjected to heavy gunfire at close range. As one of her lieutenants put it, 'It was perfectly damnable having their light right in our faces (about four or five cables off) and being properly biffed.' Nearly all the gun crews were killed; among the casualties was the helmsman and as he fell, he pulled the wheel to one side and Broke rammed the Sparrowhawk at speed. One of Broke's officers went forward to inspect the damage and found a stranger, who turned out to be Sparrowhawk's Sub-Lieutenant who had been pitched on board by the force of the collision. Commander Allen sent the man back with a message to his C.O. that in view of the serious damage to Broke, the Sparrowhawk should prepare to take his crew on board; Lieutenant Commander Hopkins of the Sparrowhawk replied that it was a pity because he had just sent a message to Allen requesting him to take Sparrowhawk's crew! While the two ships were locked together in clouds of hissing steam from ruptured pipes, the Sparrowhawk was then rammed by the Contest as well. Fortunately, the Germans had moved on and the three destroyers were separated. Broke then began an arduous passage back to the U.K. At 01:30 she was approached by enemy destroyers which fired a few shells at her, killing a few more men, then inexplicably made off. The weather became so bad that she had to turn towards the south-east, as to continue on her homewards course to the west would have risked the collapse of her bulkheads. She eventually made port on the evening of 3 June. Broke's casualties were forty-seven killed, thirty-six wounded. This was more than 40% of her company and by far the heaviest of any of the destroyers, excepting those which were sunk. Action in the Dover Straits A superb account of Broke's famous encounter with six enemy destroyers in the Dover Straits on the night of 20-21 April 1917 is to be found in Taffrail's Endless Story, from which the following extracts have been taken: 'It is impossible to describe the sensations of those on board both these ships as the collision occurred - the Broke's grimly triumphant; the Germans filled with terror-stricken amazement and horror. It was a dreadful moment; but worse was yet to come. Men were screaming and shouting for help as the Broke's guns, at their maximum depression, pumped shell after shell at a few yards' range into the mass of men huddled on the deck of her stricken enemy. One of the German's torpedo-tubes had stuck into the Broke's side and was torn off its mounting. The anti-aircraft 2-pounders added to the din with their stuttering uproar, while the British seamen that remained alive in the forepart of the ship, with rifles and fixed bayonets, and revolvers and naked cutlasses, headed by Mr. Midshipman Donald Gyles, R.N.R., already wounded by a shell splinter in the eye, swarmed forward on to the Broke's forecandle to repel boarders. They were taking no chances. No quarter was given. Every German who clambered over the bows was shot or bayoneted. A deadly small-arm fire was poured from the forecandle into the terrified men on G. 42's deck. Even the officers on the Broke's bridge used their automatic pistols. Few of their enemies survived the storm of lead and nickel ... 'Taffrail continues: 'Many casualties had occurred among the guns' crews of the forecandle through two enemy shells, one of which had detonated projectiles in a ready rack. All the electric cables and voice-pipes from the bridge had been shot away, while the after compass, after wireless-room, and searchlight were demolished. The foremost funnel was pierced through and through by splinters until it resembled a huge nutmeg-grater. A shell passing in through the side above the waterline had penetrated a coal-bunker, to explode in the boiler-room beyond, killing or wounding every man in the compartment and severing the main steam-pipe, from which the steam escaped with a deafening roar. And, besides the damage from enemy shell, the British flotilla-leader had a badly bent and crumpled bow, and two huge gashes forward above the waterline. Dead and wounded lay everywhere ... In the space of a few moments the Broke was converted into a smoking-shambles. In places, her decks were literally running in blood. She sustained 57 casualties, of whom 21 were killed outright, and no part of the ship was immune ... 'Broke eventually limped home and news of her spectacular action soon hit the headlines. Her captain - 'Teddy' Evans of Antarctic fame - and crew also received the warm approbation of Their Lordships of the Admiralty. William Brown saw out the rest of the war with shore appointments and was finally demobilised as a Leading Stoker in the summer of 1921. He opted however to rejoin the Royal Fleet Reserve on the same occasion and received the L.S. & G.C. Medal in February 1923; his subsequent award of the I.S.M. was in respect of his services as a messenger in the Civil Service. Sold with his original Certificate of Service, together with a Great War period picture postcard of H.M.S. Broke. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£300 to £500

Lot 450



(x) Four: Chief Shipwright 1st Class H. Chesterfield, Royal Navy 1914-15 Star (M.6739. H. Chesterfield, Shpt. 2., R.N.); British War and Victory Medals (M.6739 H. Chesterfield . Shpt. 2 R.N.); Royal Navy L.S. & G.C., G.V.R. (M.6739 H. Chesterfield. Ch, Shpt, 2, H.M.S. Victory), mounted as worn, lightly polished, otherwise very fine (4) Henry Chesterfield was born at St. Austell on 21 September 1890 and was a shipwright before he joined the Royal Navy on 20 October 1913. He spent his entire Great War service on Africa, a pre-dreadnought battleship, until he joined Pembroke II on 8 November 1918, before completing his service in August 1928. However, Chesterfield re-engaged on 20 October 1935 as a Chief Shipwright I (Pens) and may have seen further Second World War service. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£80 to £120

Lot 451



(x) Four: Able Seaman F. Perrett, Royal Navy, who won the Naval Good Shooting Medal with Formidable in 1907 1914-15 Star (208674, F. Perrett, A.B., R.N.); British War and Victory Medals (208674. F. Perrett. A.B., R.N.); Naval Good Shooting Medal, G.V.R. (208674, F. Perrett. A.B., H.M.S. Formidable. 1907 12 Pr. Q.F.), the 'M' of 'H.M.S.' officially restructured, 'Formidable' misspelled, overall very fine (4) Frederick Perrett was born at Poole, Dorset on 16 October 1884 and enlisted as Boy Class II on 12 January 1900. Reaching his majority with Majestic he was appointed Ordinary Seaman in 1902 and advanced Able Seaman with the same vessel the next year. In this rank he joined the crew of the Battleship Formidable in 1906 and was still with her the next year when she won the Naval Good Shooting Medal for her 12 Pound Quick Firing guns. Perrett was serving with Irresistible on the outbreak of the Great War but removed to the Battlecruiser Queen Elizabeth on 19 March 1915. At this stage she was stationed in the Dardanelles, after he joined the crew she made a number of unsuccessful attempts to force the passage. After it was decided to end these efforts they returned to Britain where she was to remain for the rest of the war. Perrett was discharged on 22 February 1919 but rejoined the Royal Fleet Reserve on 9 April 1921 he was discharged in June; sold together with copied research. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£300 to £400



## Lot 452



The campaign group of eight awarded to Chief Petty Officer I. S. Millard, Royal Navy, who saw action at Jutland, aged just 16, with Warrior and later joined Murray for service in the Dover Patrol. Earning the Marine Society Medal of Merit between the wars, he was one of few veterans serving with the inexperienced crew of the Paddle Steamer Sandown during Operation Dynamo - the Dunkirk evacuation - where she rescued over 1,800 men. 1914-15 Star (J.41361, I. S. Millard. Boy. 1., R.N.); British War and Victory Medals (J.41361 I. S. Millard. A.B. R.N.); 1939-45 Star; Defence and War Medals 1939-45; Royal Navy L.S. & G.C., G.V.R. (J.41361 I. S. Millard. L.S. H.M.S. Warspite); Marine Society silver Merit Medal, the reverse engraved 'I. S. Millard 3.6.25.', the Great War awards worn with pride and heavily polished, minor pitting, overall nearly very fine (8).

Ivan Stanley Millard was born at Camberley, Surrey on 9 March 1900 and attested as Boy Class II on 8 June 1915. He was posted to the armoured cruiser Warrior on 9 September 1915 and was present at the Battle of Jutland with Admiral Beatty's Battlecruiser fleet. Warrior managed to avoid the fate of his squadron mate Defence but still came under the guns of several German vessels, including the Battlecruiser Derfflinger, during the Run to the North. They suffered an astonishing beating with hits from at least fifteen 28-inch shells and six 18-inch shells. Warrior was only saved when the steering aboard Warspite suffered damage, forcing her to run in circles, and the appearance of the much larger Battlecruiser was too tempting a target for the enemy who switched their fire to her. The punishment had proven too severe for Warrior however and she foundered during the night with her crew, including Millard, taken aboard Engadine. A local newspaper reported that he was awarded a silver watch by the people of Camberley in recognition of his bravery in the battle. He was posted away to the armed cruiser Moldavia but was transferred ashore on 8 January 1918, just two weeks before she was sunk by a U-Boat. Joining Murray serving on the Dover Patrol on 29 January he was with her when she sailed the next month to oppose a lightning fast German raid over the channel. Sadly they failed to make contact and the raiders escaped having destroyed a trawler and several drifters. A newspaper article references Millard serving with Miranda during the Zeebrugge Operation on St. George's Day 1918 however there is no reference to this posting in his service papers. Millard was sent ashore in September and was still there when the war ended in November 1918, he went on to serve with a number of postings between the wars. Notably he joined the crew of H.M.S. PC TH, a river patrol boat, on 21 March 1925 and he was still with her on 3 June 1925 when he earned the Marine Society Medal. Continuing to serve he was advanced Petty Officer with Warspite on 24 June 1933, not long after the award of his L.S. & G.C. Further promoted Chief Petty Officer on 1 February 1939 Millard was pensioned in March 1940 but remained in service, joining the crew of Sandown on 14 May 1940. This paddle steamer had a remarkable career, being pressed into service as a minesweeper early in the war she was the lead ship of the 10th Flotilla as the Dunkirk evacuations got underway. An article in the Portsmouth Evening News reports on her exploits there stating: 'Her first war job was as leader of the 10th Minesweeping Flotilla operating from Dover. Day and night she swept the convoy routes clear of enemy mines. She took part in the evacuation of British troops from Holland, and towed back to England a Dutch tug and lifeboat packed with Dutchmen determined to fight on with the Allies. Dunkirk, Calais, Boulogne. She made six trips to the beaches at Dunkirk and brought off 3,000 men [sic]. She had an almost miraculous survival from incessant bombing and shelling. "After Dunkirk," said her Chief Engineer, Lieut. C. Callope, R.N.V.R., of Milford-on-Sea, Hampshire, "came Calais, when she arrived on the scene just in time to rescue 150 British troops cut off in their retreat to Boulogne. "And then Boulogne itself. When she became the last hope for hundreds of the B.E.F. as the Panzers were entering the port." Attacked by Dive Bombers. By then H.M.S. Sandown had become an expert in looking for trouble and escorting hmn [sic] for trouble and escaping unscathed, but her most remarkable feat of survival was when 22 dive-bombers swooped down upon her during mine-sweeping operations, dropped over 100 bombs and failed to register a single hit. Shrapnel marks from near misses were the only damage inflicted. "Our most exciting moment." Continued Lieut. Callope "was when a 'near miss' from an exploding mine threw up her stern sent her bows below the water until her forward gun platform was completely submerged, see-sawed back until her stern went under and water flooded the engine-room to a depth of two feet." The Sandown, now a heavily armed ack-ack ship and part of Britain's first line of defence against enemy air attack, has continued her search for trouble with the same immunity under the command of Lieut-Comdr. A. H. Dunkerley, R.N.R. Twice mentioned in dispatches, Lieut-Comdr. Dunkerley, who is an old Manchester Grammar School boy, and whose home is at Hyde, Cheshire, has served throughout the war in "paddlers" including the famous Royal Eagle. She has been credited with two enemy aircraft. She took the pilot of one [of] them prisoner. A further newspaper article refers to the 'Veteran of the Ship', stating: 'Veteran of the Sandown is Chief Petty Officer Ivan Millard (43), who was one of the youngest sailors to take part in the Battle of Jutland in the last war. Fifteen years of age at the time, he was a survivor from H.M.S. Warrior, and received a mention in dispatches [sic]. Chief Petty Officer Millard was again in the thick of the battle when the destroyer in which he served H.M.S. Miranda, took part in the famous Zeebrugge operation on St. George's Day, 1918 [sic]. He passed into the serving ranks in 1915, and has been in continuous naval service ever since. Chief Petty Officer Millard who has been in the Royal Navy for 30 years, is a native of Camberley, Surrey. It further makes reference to him volunteering to join the Medway Queen in picking up the last batch of men from the beach. Millard continued with Sandown, throughout the war, during which she supported the Normandy Landings and the Allied advance. During the Battle of the Scheldt. Going ashore to Jackdaw after the war he was released in September 1945 and retired to Gosport where he died on 4 May 1961; sold together with copied research. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£160 to £200

**Lot 453**



**Five: Petty Officer W. E. Hingston, Royal Navy 1914-15 Star (209986, W. E. Hingston, P.O., R.N.); British War and Victory Medals (209986 W. G. Hingston. P.O. R.N.); Defence Medal 1939-45; Royal Navy L.S. & G.C., G.V.R. (209986. W. E. Hingston, P.O. 1CL. H.M.S. Drake.), mounted for display, very fine or better (5) William Edgar Hingston was born at Torquay, Devon on 18 March 1884, he was an errand boy before he enlisted into the Royal Navy on 18 March 1902. He was serving aboard Temeraire at the start of the Great War and remained on her until 27 August 1915. Hingston then served aboard Vernon from 28 August 1915 until joining Defiance on 24 January 1916. He then briefly served on Vivid between 6 February 1916 and 21 February 1916 when he joined Drake, before returning to Vivid on 14 October 1917. Hingston then returned to Defiance briefly on 3 January 1918 and then to Hecla II on 29 January 1918, from whence he went aboard Vivid on 3 April 1918 before his final posting to Gibraltar on 1 July 1918. He left her on 30 November 1918, completing his Great War service. He remained with the Royal Navy and was awarded his L.S. & G.C. medal in February 1924 before being Shore Pensioned on 17 March 1924, joining the Royal Fleet Reserve the following day. Hingston was finally demobilised on 4 October 1938 and died in 1973. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.**

**Estimate  
£100 to £140**

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**Lot 454**



**Four: Able Seaman F. R. Tuffs, Royal Navy, who survived the sinking of the Lightning in 1915 and later served with the monitor Lord Clive 1914-15 Star (178682, F. R. Tuffs, A.B., R.N.); British War and Victory Medals (178682 F. R. Tuffs. A.B. R.N.); Royal Navy L.S. & G.C., G.V.R. (178682 F. R. Tuffs, A.B., H.M.S. Pembroke.), pitting, very fine (4) Frederick Robert Tuffs was born at Wells, Norfolk on 7 September 1876, and enlisted on 23 June 1894 as Boy Class II. Reaching his majority on 23 December 1894 with Northampton he was further advanced Able Seaman on 14 November 1897. He joined the crew of the destroyer Lightning on 21 November 1911 and was still with her upon the outbreak of the Great War. This vessel was serving with the Nore Local Defence Flotilla in 1915 and on 30 June was ordered to investigate reports of sea mines near the Kentish Knick Light vessel. They successfully identified and destroyed three however Lightning struck another and broke in half, her bow sank killing 15 men however the stern remained afloat and was towed to Sheerness. Remaining on her books until July, Tuffs was posted to the monitor Lord Clive in December 1915. With her he undertook missions to bombard the Belgian coast, targeting troop concentrations and Naval assets as well as supporting Allied operations where possible. Tuffs was still present with her when she took part in the First Ostend Raid on 23 April 1918, he left her in November 1918 and was demobilised on 5 April 1919; sold together with a copied service record. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.**

**Estimate  
£100 to £140**

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Lot 455



Three: Able Seaman F. Alcock, Royal Navy, who saw service at Tsingtao with Triumph and was later sunk with her off Gallipoli 1914-15 Star (J.434, F. Alcock. A.B., R.N.); British War and Victory Medals (J.434 F. Alcock. A.B., R.N.), good very fine (3) Frank Alcock was born at Wolverhampton, Staffordshire on 28 July 1890 and enlisted on 29 January 1908 as Boy Class II. Reaching his majority in 1908 he was advanced Able Seaman the next year in December 1909. Joining the Battleship Triumph on 6 August 1914 he was present with her for the bombardment of Tsingtao during the Anglo-Japanese siege of the enclave. After the fall of the city Triumph was posted to the Mediterranean where she was involved in probing the Dardanelles straits. During this period her boats participated in the sinking of the stranded British submarine E-15, before she could be stripped by the Ottomans. The next month she was patrolling off the straits when she was torpedoed by U-21 and started to sink, fortunately the bulk of her crew, including Alcock were evacuated before she capsized. Posted back ashore he spent small period aboard various vessels including Barham and Rival before joining Achilles in 1918. He was to finish the war with this vessel and saw further service with Grafton before being invalided on 8 April 1920; sold together with a Triumph Christmas card and service record. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£100 to £140

Lot 456



A Battle of Jutland Russian Medal of St George group of four awarded to Blacksmith F. W. Gibbs, Royal Navy, who also earned a 'mention' 1914-15 Star (346805. F. W. Gibbs, Blk., R.N.); British War and Victory Medals (346805 F. W. Gibbs. Blk. 1. R.N.); Russia, Imperial, Medal of the Order of St George, 4th Class, reverse officially numbered '1272803', very fine (4) Russian Medal of St George (Jutland). M.I.D. London Gazette 17 May 1918. Frederick William Gibbs was born at Brighton on 13 March 1883 and was a blacksmith by trade upon his joining the Royal Navy as a Blacksmiths Mate on 13 June 1904. Advanced Blacksmith in September 1911, he served aboard Blanche from 23 June 1913-31 March 1919. She shared in the Battle of Jutland, with Gibbs taking one of four Russian Medals for the action. By early 1918, she laid mines at the entrance to the Kattegat on the nights of 18/19 and 24/25 February 1918, part of her total of 1,238 mines laid during 16 sorties during the Great War. Gibbs was pensioned ashore in June 1926. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£300 to £500



**Lot 457**



The First and Second World Wars campaign group of seven awarded to Sub-Lieutenant B. N. Evans, Royal Naval Reserve and South African Naval Forces, who served aboard H.M.S. Hyacinth and R.M.S. Laconia in the East Africa campaign during the Great War 1914-15 Star (Mid. B.N. Evans, R.N.R.); British War Medal 1914-20 (S. Lt. B.N. Evans. R.N.R.); Mercantile Marine War Medal 1914-18 (Basil N. Evans); Victory Medal 1914-19, with M.I.D. oak leaves (S. Lt. B.N. Evans. R.N.R.); Defence and War Medals 1939-45 (584115 B.N. Evans); Africa Service Medal 1939-45 (584115 B.N. Evans.), mounted for wear, lightly polished, very fine (7) Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£200 to £300

**Lot 458**



Three: Lieutenant C. E. Homan, Royal Naval Reserve 1914-15 Star (1st. Offcr. C. E. Homan, R.N.R.); British War and Victory Medals (Lieut. C. E. Homan. R.N.R.), mounted as worn, sold together with a corresponding set of dress miniatures, good very fine (3) Charles Edward Homan was born at London on 24 January 1882 and was mobilised upon the outbreak of the Great War, serving initially as a 1st Officer. Commissioned Sub Lieutenant on 22 November 1915 he served initially with the R.F.A. Polshannon, a water tank carrier. Early the next year Homan applied for a transfer to more general services however this was refused, instead he was commissioned Lieutenant on 15 May 1917. Successfully applying for general services in 1918 he was posted to the shore base Excellent but remained with her until the end of the war. Homan was posted to the Hunt-class minesweeper Havant in April 1919, remaining with her until his demobilisation on 31 January 1920. His service papers note his address at the time as Burly, Kingswood, Hampshire. Homan's son Sub Lieutenant John Richard Seymour Homan was heavily decorated for his services with Arctic Convoys during the Second World War (the medals sold in these rooms in April 2025); sold together with copied research. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£100 to £150

**Lot 459**



**Three: Second Lieutenant C. P. King, Royal Air Force, formerly Armoured Cars Division, Royal Naval Air Service 1914-15 Star (F. 2128. C. P. King. A.M.1. R.N.A.S.); British War and Victory Medals (2. Lieut. C. P. King. R.A.F.), good very fine (3) Claude Percival King was born on 21 February 1891 at Windsor and first took work on the Great Western Railway in the Paddington Station Registration Office from June 1905. King also worked as a tester & demonstrator for the Premier Cycle Co., Coventry in 1911 and as a motor engineer in Windsor from August 1911-June 1913, before being assistant editor at John Warwillow Ltd in Birmingham, from February-November 1914. Having enlisted into the Royal Naval Air Service in November 1914, he was a mechanic for the Armoured Car Division from December 1915-October 1916. Given the trenches across the Western Front, this unit was sent up to North Russia and fought alongside the Russian Empire on the Eastern Front. King was Leading Mechanic in charge of the Magnet Department for R.N.A.S. Machines from December 1916. He joined the Royal Air Force as a 2nd Lieutenant in April 1918, his wife at that time living at 19 The Cloisters, Windsor, and flew as a Pilot with No. 228 Squadron. By 1939, he was a Chief Inspector for an Insurance Company living at 86 Tankerton Road, Whitstable. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.**

**Estimate  
£80 to £120**

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Lot 460



The campaign group of three awarded to Leading Mechanic C. J. Dix, Royal Naval Air Service, who latterly took a rare D.F.M. as Squadron Armourer-Sergeant with No. 6 Squadron, Royal Air Force in Kurdistan 1914-15 Star (C. J. Dix. 22623 L.M. R.N.A.S.); British War and Victory Medals (C. J. Dix. 22623 L.M. R.N.A.S.), these last two with re-impressed naming, very fine (3) 14 D.F.M.s in total were awarded for operations in Kurdistan between 1920-33, 6 of which were awarded in 1924. [D.F.M.] London Gazette 11 June 1924: 'For distinguished service rendered during operations in Kurdistan between 15th February and 19th June, 1923.' 6 Squadron Operations Record Book additionally adds: 'On February 14th [1925], Colonel Commandant H. Dobin, D.S.O., Commanding Mosul Garrison, paid a ceremonial visit to the Squadron and invested Sergt. Dix, Squadron Armourer Sergeant, with the Distinguished Flying Medal earned for gallant and distinguished service in the air whilst employed as an aerial gunner and observer during operations in Kurdistan between October, 1922, and August, 1923.' Charles John Dix was born at Kenninghall, Norfolk, in May 1897. He joined the Royal Navy as Boy Second Class, in August 1913. By the age of 18, he had advanced to Ordinary Seaman Air Mechanic 2nd Class in the Royal Naval Air Service. He advanced to Leading Mechanic in November 1917, before transferring to the Royal Air Force in April of the following year. Dix was posted as a Corporal to the Armourer School, Uxbridge, in February 1919. In mid-June he was posted to Halton Barracks, before on 4 July joining the North Russia Expeditionary Force and remaining on their strength until October. He remustered as a Fitter Armourer, and served in the UK before being tried by District Court Martial in April 1920. Dix was sentenced to 84 days detention and reduced to the rank of AC2. He was promoted to Corporal in May 1921, and posted to Iraq Group in October of the same year. Dix served with 6 Squadron (Bristol F.2bs) in Iraq from November 1921. The Squadron, initially operating from Baghdad West, undertook patrol duties against Turkish-backed rebels in Northern Iraq and later policed large areas of desert to protect towns against marauding bands of raiders. Dix advanced to Acting Sergeant in April 1923, and was classed as an Aerial Gunner in June of the same year. During 6 Squadron's operations in Kurdistan Dix was employed as the Squadron's Armourer Sergeant and also called on to fly as an aerial gunner and observer. Having returned to the UK in 1926, Dix was posted to the Armament and Gunnery School at Eastchurch and then on to the School of Army Co-operation at Old Sarum. He was discharged in May 1927. In later life he was employed as a Research and Design Engineer by the Ministry of Supply. Dix died at the Royal National Hospital, Bournemouth, in July 1972. His D.F.M. and G.S.M. pair were sold by Christie's in March 1985 and by DNW in December 2017. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£70 to £90

**Lot 461**



A Great War 1914-15 Star Trio to Corporal H. Jackson, Royal Air Force, late Royal Naval Air Service, who was 'mentioned' for a Coast Patrol on 3 June 1919 (F.2611. H. Jackson. A.M. 1. R.N.A.S.); British War and Victory Medals (202611. Cpl. H. Jackson. R.A.F.), lightly polished otherwise very fine (3)M.I.D. London Gazette 3 June 1919. Harry Jackson was born at Rillington, Yorkshire, on 4 November 1894. He had been a motor mechanic and driver prior to his enlistment into the Royal Naval Air Service as an Air Mechanic on 9 December 1914 and joined Pembroke III. He transferred to President II on 1 April 1915 and was promoted to Petty Officer Mechanical on 25 June. He was further promoted to Air Mechanic I on 11 October 1915 and completed his service with President II on 13 August 1917 when he transferred to Pegasus (aircraft carrier/seaplane carrier) on 14 August 1917 and served on that ship until 31 March 1918. Jackson transferred to the Royal Air Force as a Fitter (Aero Engine) with the rank of Corporal (Mechanic). His 'mention' appeared in the London Gazette of 3 June 1919 and was noted as 'Coast Patrol'; sold with copied research. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

**Estimate**  
**£100 to £150**

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Lot 462



(x) Eight: Sergeant E. C. Warwick, Royal Marine Artillery later Royal Marine Police 1914-15 Star (R.M.A. 13520 Bugr. E. C. Warwick.); British War and Victory Medals (R.M.A. Gr. E. C. Warwick.); Coronation 1937; Defence and War Medals 1939-45; Royal Navy L.S. & G.C., G.V.R. (PLY 21293 E. C. Warwick Cpl. R.M.); Police Exemplary Service, E.I.L.R. (Sergt. Ernest . C. Warwick), mounted as worn, very fine (8) Ernest Charles Warwick was born at Portsmouth on 2 December 1898 and enlisted in the Royal Marine Artillery as a Bugler on 5 July 1913. He was serving aboard Shannon at the beginning of the Great War, transferring to London in February 1916 and served aboard her for the remainder of the war. London was transferred to the 2nd Detached Squadron, organised to reinforce the Italian Navy in the Adriatic Sea when Italy declared war on Austria-Hungary. She was based at Taranto, Italy, and underwent a refit at Gibraltar in October 1915 during her Adriatic service. In October 1916, London returned to the United Kingdom, paid off at Devonport Dockyard to provide crews for antisubmarine vessels, and was laid up. While inactive, she underwent a refit in 1916-1917. The work included removing her main deck 6-inch guns and the upper deck 12-pounder guns and moving four of the 6-inch weapons to the upper deck battery where the 12-pounder guns had been located. In February 1918, London moved to Rosyth and began conversion to a minelayer. The conversion included removal of all four of her 12-inch guns and her anti-torpedo nets, replacement of her after main-battery turret with a 6-inch gun, and installation of minelaying equipment on her quarterdeck, including rails for 240 mines, and of a canvas screen to conceal the entire quarterdeck from external view. She also received an experimental dazzle camouflage paint scheme. The conversion was completed in April 1918, and on 18 May 1918 London recommissioned at Rosyth for service in the Grand Fleet's 1st Minelaying Squadron. Before the war ended on 11 November 1918, London had laid 2,640 mines in the Northern Mine Barrage. Warwick left London in July 1921 and was shore based at Plymouth for the remainder of his service being discharged on 1 December 1937. His Royal Navy Long Service & Good Conduct Medal was issued to him in January 1932. A short spell as a civilian was probably enough to convince Warwick that it wasn't for him and he enlisted in the Royal Marine Police on 4 February 1938. In the 1939 Register he is recorded as a Constable in the Royal Marine Police living at Gillingham, Kent with his wife and 3 daughters. He died at Gillingham on 17 February 1963; sold together with copied service papers and research. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£160 to £200

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**Lot 463**



**Five: Private E. J. Welch, 9th Lancers, who was awarded the Croix de Guerre in 19181914-15 Star (L-7039 Pte. E. L Welch, 9th. Lrs.); British War and Victory Medals (L-7039 Pte. E. L Welch. 9th. Lrs.); Defence Medal 1939-45; France, Republic, Croix de Guerre, with Palme, good very fine (5)Croix de Guerre London Gazette 17 August 1918.Edmund John Welch was a native of Watford and entered the war in France with the 9th Lancers on 18 October 1915. He survived the fighting and was transferred to the Army Reserve on 11 March 1919.Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.**

**Estimate  
£120 to £160**

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Lot 464



The well-documented campaign group of five awarded Temporary Captain A. F. Sly, Royal Army Service Corps, late Cheshire Regiment, King Edward's Horse and West Africa Frontier Force, who suffered a gun shot wound to the left shoulder and was to die in 1956 as a result of his injury he suffered in the Great War 1914-15 Star (873 Pte. A. F. Sly. K. Edw. H.); British War and Victory Medals (Lieut. A. F. Sly.); Defence and War Medals 1939-45, good very fine or better (5) Alec Foreshe Sly was born at Weston-super-Mare on 7 May 1888 and was the son of Charles and Agnes Sly. Having completed his education, he worked in the banking industry firstly in Britain and in Canada over 3 years but with the outbreak of the Great War he returned to the Britain and attested into the King Edward's Horse on 28 August 1914. Entering the war in France on 5 May 1916 he was commissioned into the 1st Battalion, Cheshire Regiment on 5 March 1916 and joined the 1st Battalion at Arras on 7 April 1916. Sly suffered a Gun Shot Wound to the left shoulder and was admitted to hospital on 13 April where he remained until he was discharged on 29 April. Returning to the 18th (Home Service) Battalion, Hampshire Regiment on 8 February 1917 and was promoted Temporary Lieutenant on 5 September 1917 and joined the 253rd Infantry Battalion (Training Reserve) on 8 October 1917. Sly was further transferred to the General List for service with the 2nd Battalion, Nigeria Regiment as part of the West Africa Frontier Force on 1 October 1918. He contracted Pneumonia and was discharged from hospital on 3 May 1920 and relinquished his commission on completion of service on 8 November 1920. Recovering he was to marry a Miss Ida Gertrude Haslock on 6 January 1921 at the Register Office, Paddington. By 1939 he was living in Ruislip, West London and worked as a secretary for a public company but was also entitled to a disabled officer's pension. With the outbreak of the Second World War Sly was gazetted Lieutenant into the Cheshire Regiment on 27 June 1940 and was employed at the Royal Army Service Corps Record Office based at Hastings from 3 October 1941 as a Wing Lieutenant. Promoted to Temporary Captain on 18 September 1946, he transferred to the Reserve in December 1947. Sly died on 6 January 1956 at 29 Shaftesbury Avenue, Weston-super-Mare, due to 'Misadventure' as a result of old gun-shot wounds to the chest received on active service in the 1914-18 War. Sold together with a quantity of copied research and an original archive comprising: i) Active Service Testament 1914. ii) Soldier's Pay Book. iii) Slip for Second World War Medals confirming 2 medals. iv) Newspaper cutting mentioning him returning from Canada to join the King Edward's Horse. v) Field Service Post Card to Miss I. G. Haslock from a Mr J. C. S. Haslock. vi) Ministry of Pensions letter addressed to him dated 22 November 1947 confirming award of the King's Badge. vii) Fifteen assorted photographs of him during military service in both the Great War and Second World War. viii) Passport issued on 19 August 1918. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£150 to £200

Lot 465

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(x) Three: Driver S. King, Royal Artillery 1914-15 Star (19975 Dvr: S. King. R.F.A.); British War and Victory Medals (19975 Dvr. S. King. R.A.), very fine (3) Stanley King entered the war in France on 29 July 1915. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£40 to £60

Lot 466



A First Battle of Ypres group of four awarded to Lance Corporal G. Trigg, 26th Field Company, Royal Engineers, who was Killed in Action on 1 November 1914, when the unit were thrown into the line as infantry to hold the line the aftermath of the Worcesters famous charge at Gheluvelt 1914 Star (12280 L.Cpl. G. Trigg. R.E.); British War and Victory Medals (12280 Spr. G. Trigg. R.E.); Memorial Plaque (Gideon Trigg), sold together with a named card box of issue, good very fine (4) Gideon Trigg was born at Shoeburyness, Essex in 1881, the son of Samuel and Mary Trigg. He enlisted with the Imperial Yeomanry in 1902 and was posted to South Africa from May-November 1902, just missing out on entitlement to any medals. Re-enlisting with the Royal Engineers at Chatham in January 1903, Trigg entered the war in France on 17 August 1914. The Royal Engineers saw very heavy service after the Battle of Mons, blowing up bridges and other valuable assets ahead of the German advance. Trigg, serving with the 26th Field Company, was attached to the 1st Division. They were part of the Battle of Ypres in November 1914 and on 1 November 1914 when the German army was on the Brink of breaking through the British line the 26th Field Company was outfitted as infantry and sent into the line. The History of the Great War Military Operations - France and Belgium, 1914 (Antwerp, La Basse, Armentieres, Messines, and Ypres October - November 1914 refers, stating: 'There was little to stop the German advance if it were persisted in; for the line of the I. Corps had been thinned to the utmost to support the most threatened spots. There was now a decrease in the noise of battle, which might be attributable to a successful counter-attack or ominous of the approaching end. The 1st Division sent up towards Gheluvelt its last reserve of fighting men, technical troops, the 23rd and 26th Field Companies Royal Engineers, under Colonel A. L. Schreiber. The latter company was shortly afterwards despatched as infantry, without technical equipment, to Major-General Bulfin's command.' Trigg is listed as killed in action on 1 November, doubtless during the units heroic efforts in holding back the German Offensive. He is commemorated upon the Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial; sold together with copied research. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£120 to £160



#### Lot 467



A collection of medals to brothersFour: Private A. Lockett, Royal Fusiliers1914-15 Star (L-16702 Pte. A. Lockett. R.Fus.); British War and Victory Medals (L-16702 Pte.A. Lockett. R.Fus.); Army L.S. & G.C., G.V.R., Regular Army (6446079 Sjt. A. Lockett. R.Fus), mounted as worn, official correction to number on LS&GC, light contact marks, very fine (4)Two: Private H. Lockett, 1/6th Battalion North Staffordshire Regiment, who died of wounds in 1918British War and Victory Medals (1745 Pte. H. Lockett. N.Staffs. R.), very fine (2)Albert Lockett arrived in France on 29 December 1915 serving with the 11th Battalion, Royal Fusiliers; sold together with copied research.Harold Lockett was born at Newcastle, Staffordshire in 1894. He was mortally wounded in France on 24 October 1918 and is buried at St. Sever cemetery extension, Rouen; sold together with copied research.Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£80 to £100

#### Lot 468



Three: Private F. Procter, Royal Fusiliers1914-15 Star (8842 Pte. F. Procter. R.Fus); British War and Victory Medals (GS-8842 Pte. F. Proctor R. Fus), note difference in spelling of surname, good very fine (3)Frederick Procter served with the 4th Battalion Royal Fusiliers and entered France on 16 March 1915. He was discharged on 13 February 1917.Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£50 to £70

#### Lot 469



Three: Private A. Cassinello, Royal Fusiliers1914-15 Star (14845 L.Cpl A. Cassinello. R.Fus); British War and Victory Medals (GS 14845 Pte. A. Casinello. R. Fus), note difference in spelling of surname, very fine (3)Albert Cassinello was born in 1891 and initially served with the 25th Battalion, Royal Fusiliers in East Africa before being posted to depot at home. He was sent to the 18th General hospital suffering from trench foot on 16 April 1917 whilst serving in the 23rd Battalion. He was later transferred to 30 Casualty Clearing Station; sold together with copied research.Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£80 to £100

**Lot 470**



Three: Lieutenant A. N. Stratton, Royal Air Force, late Queen's Regiment 1914-15 Star (T-2995 Pte. A. Stratton. The Queen's R.); British War and Victory Medals (2. Lieut. A. N. Stratton. R.A.F.), very fine (3) Alexander Nelson Stratton was born at Churt, near Farnham, Surrey on 16 February 1896 and was living at Beacon Hill, Hindhead at the start of the Great War. He enlisted into the Royal West Surrey Regiment and entered the war in the Balkans from 17 July 1915. Stratton joined the Royal Flying Corps (21446) and was originally serving with No. 28 Squadron before he began training as a Pilot flying out of Sedgford with No. 64 Squadron. He Graduated on 25 April 1917 and gained his Royal Aero Club Aviators' Certificate No. 5247 on 25 April 1917, and was then posted to Mason's Yard on 1 May 1917. Stratton was made Temporary Second Lieutenant on 9 October 1917. He was found unfit on several occasions between November 1917 and January 1918 but upon recovery was posted to 44 Training Squadron becoming an Assistant Instructor. He was placed on the Unemployed List on 11 October 1919. Stratton continued to fly regaining his certificate on 26 March 1933 No. 11061 at the R.A.E. Club Farnborough flying an Avro Avian. Cirrus. 111 (80 H.P.). Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£140 to £180

**Lot 471**



(x) Three: Private E. Henderson, Lancashire Fusiliers, who was Killed in Action at Gallipoli on 21 July 1915 1914-15 Star (1373 Pte. E. Henderson. Lan: Fus.); British War and Victory Medals (1373 Pte. E. Henderson. Lan. Fus.), good very fine (3) Ebenezer Henderson was born at Kirkcudby, Fifeshire in 1896, the son of George and Ann Henderson. Attesting for the Lancashire Fusiliers at Salford, Lancashire he was posted to the 1/7th Battalion and entered the war at Gallipoli on 5 May 1915. They landed at Cape Helles some two weeks after the initial landings and went into action the next day at the Second Battle of Krithia. They made two attacks on Gurkha Bluff in support of the 1/6th Battalion but were driven back both times. Seeing little action after this point they were in the Reserve on the opening of the Third Battle of Krithia and were brought forward after the opening clashes. As a result the Battalion bore the brunt of the Turkish counter-attacks and in holding their ground suffered 179 casualties. The end of the Battle saw the Battalion in and out of the line but not engaged in any major attacks, it was there that Henderson was killed in action on 21 July 1915. He is buried in the Redoubt Cemetery, Helles, Turkey; sold together with copied research. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£80 to £100

Lot 472



The campaign group of four awarded to Captain E. H. Davies, 9th Battalion, Lancashire Fusiliers who was 'Mentioned' for his service at Gallipoli later becoming a Prisoner of War at Mouquet Farm, France in September 1916. Joining the Ceylon Civil Service after the war he became Under Secretary for Defence and survived the sinking of his ship when it was torpedoed and sunk off South West Africa 1914-15 Star (Lieut. E.H. Davies. Lan. Fus.); British War and Victory Medals with M.I.D. oak leaves (Capt. E.H. Davies); Coronation 1937, unnamed as issued, very fine (4) M.I.D. London Gazette 6 March 1916. Edward Harold Davies was born on 27 July 1895 at Tondur, Bridgend. He was commissioned in the 9th Battalion, Lancashire Fusiliers on 30 August 1914 and took part in the landing and evacuation at Gallipoli for which he was Mentioned in Despatches. In July 1916, the Battalion moved to France, landing at Marseilles and the Division engaged in various actions on the Western Front including the capture of the Wundt-Werk (Wonder Work) in 1916, plus the Battle of Flers-Courcelette. Davies was captured at Mouquet Farm on 26 September 1916 and spent the next two years in a German prisoner of war camp. The war over Davies graduated from the University of Wales and sat for the I.C.S. exams in 1920. Appointed to the Ceylon Civil Service he served in various judicial and administrative roles; his final appointment was Under Secretary for Defence based at Colombo. Torpedoed off South West Africa. Returning from extended leave in England on 28 November 1942 Davies was on a transport vessel heading for Ceylon when the convoy was dispersed in the north Atlantic by a gale of unprecedented violence and duration. The ship managed to reach Halifax for repairs and refitting. Continuing with his journey his ship had the misfortune of being torpedoed off South West Africa and the ship abandoned on 2 April 1943. He was picked up by a naval vessel and taken to Cape Town, South Africa where he continued on his journey eventually arriving at Colombo on 5 May 1943. Davies died in September 1962; sold together with a comprehensive archive of copied research including a two-page newspaper article about his 1942 journey from England to Ceylon in which his ship was torpedoed and sunk and a quantity of original photographs, some of which are annotated on the reverse. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£260 to £300

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Lot 473



Three to Lieutenant J. Hollyoak, 53rd Welsh Divisional Cyclist Company, Army Cyclist Corps, late Royal Warwickshire Regiment and who suffered a gun shot wound to the right arm in June 1915 1914-15 Star (1566 Pte. (A-Cpl.) J. Hollyoak. R. War. R.); British War and Victory Medals (Lieut. J. Hollyoak.), a couple of edge bruises and light contact marks overall, otherwise very fine (3) John Hollyoak was born on 26 March 1896 and originally enlisted on 1 April 1912 into the 7th Battalion of the Warwickshire Regiment, having previously been a warehouseman. He entered the war in France on 22 March 1915 and received a gun shot wound to the right arm in June 1915 while holding trenches in the Ploegsteert Wood area, as a result of this he was evacuated back to England on 27 June 1915 after spending some time at No. 10 General Hospital at Rouen. On his recovery he returned to duty with the 3/7th Battalion which was later named the 7th Reserve Battalion in April 1916. Hollyoak was promoted Lance Corporal on 27 January 1916 and to Corporal on 7 June 1916. He was sent to the Officer selection and training course at No. 2 Machine Gun Corps Officer Cadet Battalion based at Pirbright on 8 January 1917. Hollyoak passed the course and was commissioned on 27 April 1917 into the Army Cyclist Corps. He departed Southampton on 19 September 1917 going via France and Taranto to Alexandria arriving on 16 October 1917. Hollyoak was then posted to join the 53rd (Welsh) Divisional Cyclist Company and joined it in the field on 4 November 1917. He served with them throughout the latter stages of the campaign in Palestine, during this time he suffered minor bouts of illness as well as attending a technical machine gun course. He sailed for home from Port Said on 20 June 1919 and relinquished his commission on 6 July 1919. He applied for his medals in 1924 which were sent to him at 32 Arbury Road, Stockingford, Nuneaton. In later life he lived with his wife and daughter at 344 Braunstone Lane, Blaby, Leicestershire and died in Staffordshire in 1970; sold together with some copied research. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£200 to £300

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**Lot 474**



**(x) Four: Rifleman W. Brown, Rifle Brigade, late Yorkshire Light Infantry who was Killed in Action on 28 May 1918 1914-15 Star Trio (18089 Pte. W. Brown. Yorks. L. I.); Memorial Plaque (William Brown), extremely fine (4) William Brown was born at Barnsley and enlisted at Manningham, Bradford. Entering the war in France on 21 May 1915 with the Yorkshire Light Infantry, he served as 48221 with the 2nd Battalion Rifle Brigade. Brown was killed in action on 28 May 1918, the second day of the Third Battle of the Aisne, he is commemorated on the Soissons Memorial. Sold together with a small archive of original documents comprising: i) Memorial Scroll with postage tube addressed to Mrs A. Brown, 65 Bearsley Street, Manningham, Bradford. ii) Slip for the Memorial Scroll from Rifle Brigade records. iii) Document relating to inclusion on the Soissons Memorial. iv) Photograph of a Second Lieutenant in Army Service Corps uniform. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.**

**Estimate  
£120 to £160**

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Lot 475



**Family Collection** The campaign group of three awarded to Lieutenant A. Cruden, M.C., 5th (Buchan and Formartin) Battalion, Gordon Highlanders, who was wounded and taken Prisoner of War when his Battalion was decimated on the First Day of the Spring Offensive, later being awarded the M.C. for his bravery 1914-15 Star (3341 L.Cpl. A. Cruden. Gord. Highrs.); British War and Victory Medals (Lieut. A. Cruden.), good very fine (3) Pair: Lieutenant H. Cruden, Gordon Highlanders, seconded 6th Battalion, King's Royal Rifle Corps British War and Victory Medals (Lieut. H. Cruden.), good very fine (2) Albert Cruden was born at Fraserburgh, Aberdeenshire in 1898, the son of Lewis and Maggie Cruden of 53 Saltoun Place, Fraserburgh. Educated at Fraserburgh Infant School he left in 1911 and enlisted with the Gordon Highlanders, being posted to the 5th Battalion and entering the war in France on 12 October 1915. Cruden served there until he was commissioned on 24 January 1917, going on to serve in the same Battalion as 2nd Lieutenant in 'C' Company. He was serving in that same rank when the German Spring Offensive broke on 21 March 1918 and Cruden found himself swept up in the chaos. They were in the Gricourt-Fresnoy Sector at the time and found it 'unusually quiet' only to come under an exceptionally heavy barrage on the morning of 21 March. German troops managed to infiltrate the frontlines and the first the Battalion knew they were advancing towards the Headquarters. The battle from this point became so confused that the war diary gives scant details. What is clear is that the Battalion, especially the officers were decimated, a total of 25 officers were casualties with Cruden listed as 'wounded and prisoner'. The unit suffered an overall total of 560 men, killed, wounded and prisoners during the disastrous day of fighting. It is likely that his capture accounts for the late Gazette of Cruden's M.C. and that it was awarded for his actions during the 21 March. Notably after the outbreak of the Second World War he was again commissioned Lieutenant although what his service in this conflict entailed has not been uncovered; sold together with copied research. Harry Cruden was born at Fraserburgh, Aberdeenshire on 16 August 1895, the son of Lewis and Maggie Cruden of 53 Saltoun Place, Fraserburgh. Educated at Fraserburgh Infant School he left in 1903 and enlisted with the Gordon Highlanders, entering the war in France on 3 May 1915. Cruden served until he was commissioned into the 5th Battalion on 23 June 1916. Seconded to the 6th King's Royal Rifles Corps on 8 October 1917 he was advanced Lieutenant with them on 23 December. This unit had two Battalions, one of which served in German East Africa and the other of which was part of the British East Africa Garrison. Cruden was restored to the establishment on 1 February 1919; sold together with copied research and a small original archive comprising one cloth badge, two cap badges and a 1914 Christmas Tin. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£220 to £260

**Lot 476**

**Four: Private A. J. Banner, Royal Scots Fusiliers 1914-15 Star (1409 Pte. A. J. Banner R.Scots.); British War Medal (409 Pte. A. J. Banner R.Scots); Victory Medal (1409 Pte. A. J. Banner. R.Scots); Territorial Force Efficiency Medal, G.V.R. (1409 Pte. A. J. Banner. R.Scots.), the last renamed, polished, good very fine (4) Austin John Banner was born in 1895 at Edinburgh, the son of John Auld Banner. Enlisting in the 4th Battalion, Royal Scots Fusiliers he served with them at Gallipoli and later transferred to the Royal Army Service corps on 13 December 1916. He was discharged on 15 March 1919 and died at Edinburgh in 1970; sold together with copied research. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.**

**Estimate  
£100 to £140**

**Lot 477**

**Three: Private H. Goodall, Nottinghamshire and Derbyshire Regiment 1914-15 Star (15298 Pte H. Goodall. Notts: & Derby :R.); British War and Victory Medals (15298 Pte. D. Goodall. Notts. & Derby.R.), light contact marks, otherwise very fine (3) Harry Goodall entered the war in France on 29 June 1915 and was admitted to Chocques Hospital, Bethune on 1 February 1917 suffering from Myalgia and was subsequently transported to Boulogne. He was discharged on 10 June 1918 and is entitled to a Silver War Badge (47106). Sold together with a photograph of him in uniform with other soldiers and a further group photograph showing him wearing hospital uniform. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.**

**Estimate  
£60 to £80**

**Lot 478**

**(x) Five: Warrant Officer Class 1 J. Muir, Highland Light Infantry, late 7th Royal Scots 1914-15 Star (5367 Sjt. J. Muir. High.L.I.); British War and Victory Medals (5367 W.O. Cl.1. J. Muir. H.L.I.); Army Meritorious Service Medal, G.V.R. (302822 R.Q.,M. Sjt. J. Muir. 7/R Scots.); Territorial Efficiency Medal, G.V.R. (302822 R.Q.M. Sjt J. Muir. 7 R Scots.), very fine (5) M. S. M. London Gazette 3 June 1919. For France T.F.E.M. Army Order 250 1 August 1917. John Muir first served in the Balkan theatre of war on 3 September 1915 and was to later serve in France where he was awarded his Meritorious Service Medal. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.**

**Estimate  
£180 to £220**

**Lot 479**



**(x) The Great War trio to Private J. Smith, Royal Scots Fusiliers 1914-15 Star (A-7880 Pte. J. Smith. R. Sc: Fus:); British War and Victory Medals (7880 Pte. J. Smith. R. S. Fus.), very fine (3) John Smith was disembarked at France on 3 December 1914 with his unit to serve in the First World War. Smith survived the war and was later demobilised on 28 April 1919; sold together with copied medal rolls and M.I.C.. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.**

**Estimate  
£60 to £80**

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Lot 480



The campaign group of five awarded to Sergeant G. E. Walker, Royal Army Medical Corps who went on to become Chief Inspector of Lancaster City Police. He was involved in the prosecution of the infamous Doctor Buck Ruxton in 1936 in what became known as the "Jigsaw Murders" because of the painstaking efforts to re-assemble, identify the victims, and determine the place of their murder. This pioneering forensic work became an integral part of modern policing. 1914-15 Star (56186 Sjt. G.E. Walker. R.A.M.C.); British War and Victory Medals (56186 Sjt. G.E. Walker. R.A.M.C.); Defence Medal 1939-45; Coronation 1937, unnamed as issued, sold together with an RAMC cap badge, very fine (5) George Ernest Walker was born at Lancaster on 5 June 1895, the son of Brown Walker. He was a police constable with Kendal Borough police force when war was declared and enlisted in the Royal Army Medical Corps on 17 February 1915. He served from 7 September 1915 until 18 August 1919 when he was discharged. After the war he joined Lancaster City Police; promoted Sergeant in 1928, Inspector in 1933 and Chief Inspector in 1940, he was for a while Deputy Chief Constable in 1940. During his long association with the force he frequently appeared as prosecutor at the magistrate's court and undertook a significant amount of work in the prosecution of 'Buck Ruxton' in 1936. He retired from Lancaster City police after a long and successful police career in 1946. The heinous crimes of Doctor Buck Ruxton and ground breaking forensics. Buck Ruxton was a Lancashire GP who murdered his wife and their maid before dismembering the women's bodies in a bath tub and dumping their remains in a ravine more than 100 miles away. Following a huge search, more than 80 body parts, including two severed heads, were found each neatly bundled up in newspapers, wrapping paper and sheets, and scattered. Teeth and fingertips had been removed to prevent identification. Pivotal to the prosecution's case were ground-breaking advances in forensic science which linked him to his victims' remains, which were found dumped beneath a bridge over a stream in Moffatt, Dumfriesshire, in September 1935. This pioneering forensic work became an integral part of modern policing. Jurors only needed an hour to see through the doctor's lies finding him guilty of murdering Isabella Ruxton and Mary Rogerson in Lancaster. Ruxton was sentenced to death on Friday 13 March 1936 and sent to the gallows. Unsurprisingly there is a wealth of material available online as well as several published books about the grisly murders and the extent to which forensics science, then in its infancy, helped to convict Ruxton. Walker died in 1979; sold together with copied research and a St. John's Ambulance Association lapel badge, National Association of retired police officers lapel badge, St. John's Ambulance silver badge, engraved on the reverse 242533 George Walker. A framed and glazed photograph of an RAF officer. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£200 to £300

#### Lot 481



(x) The Great War trio to Acting Sergeant A. Paterson, Royal Army Medical Corps 1914-15 Star (746 Pte. A. Paterson, R.A.M.C.); British War and Victory Medals (746 A. Sjt. A. Paterson, R.A.M.C.), mounted as worn on bar, very fine (3) Andrew Paterson served in the First World War with the Royal Army Medical Corps. He was disembarked in France with his unit on 6 September 1915 and was later disembodied on 7 March 1919; sold together with copied medal rolls and M.I.C.. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£60 to £80

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#### Lot 482



Three: Private G. J. Barrett, Army Service Corps 1914-15 Star Trio (T4-071105 Pte. G. J. Barrett, A.S.C.), very fine Together with Mercantile Marine Medal 1914-18 (James F. Grice); Victory Medals 1914-19 (926443 Bmbr. H. E. Cosby, R.A.; M2-121663 Pte. R. Jones, A.S.C.) (2); Jubilee 1935, on bow for wear by a lady, very fine or better (7) Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£80 to £120

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#### Lot 483



Three: Sister M. C. Kirk, Queen Alexandra's Imperial Military Nursing Service Reserve 1914-15 Star (S.Nurse M. C. Kirk, Q.A.I.M.N.S.R.); British War and Victory Medals (Sister M. C. Kirk.), good very fine (3) Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£100 to £150

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**Lot 484**



**Five: Flight Sergeant L. H. Robertson, Royal Air Force, late Royal Flying Corps 1914-15 Star (1351 1-A.M. L. H. Robertson. R.F.C.); British War and Victory Medals (1351 F.Sgt. L. H. Robertson. R.A.F.); General Service 1918-62, 1 clasp, Kurdistan (1351. F/Sgt. L. H. Robertson. R.A.F.); Royal Air Force L.S. & G.C., G.V.R. (1351. F/Sgt. L. H. Robertson. R.A.F.), mounted for display, some light contact marks, very fine (5) Leslie Harcourt Robertson was born at Woolwich on 9 April 1894 and enlisted into the Royal Flying Corps on 2 June 1909. He entered the war in France on 23 July 1915 as an Air Mechanic 1st Class. Robertson was promoted to Flight Sergeant on 13 March 1918 with the trade Aero Rigger and eventually left the service on 18 May 1933 at the Home Aircraft Depot, Henlow Camp, Bedfordshire, to become an insurance agent based in Manchester. He died in April 1977 at Eastbourne, East Sussex. Note: Robertson has two entries for "Stars", firstly a 1914 Star which lists him as an Air Mechanic 2nd Class disembarking on 13 August 1914 on a roll created at Ruislip on 31 March 1924, this entry is crossed out but additionally notes 'Star retd as Eligible for 1914-15 Star iss'd from R.F.C. /7A 360'. His 1914-15 Star entry noted a Date of Disembarkation on 23 July 1915, this roll was created at Ruislip on 2 July 1919 (typed) and further dated 31 July 1924 (handwritten). Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.**

**Estimate  
£300 to £400**

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Lot 485



The 1914-15 Star trio to Regimental Sergeant Major W. Edgar, Australian Machine Gun Corps, late Royal Marines Light Infantry, who was posthumously awarded the D.C.M. in October 1918, who was wounded in action in the Gallipoli campaign and later died of wounds in France on 28 May 1918. 1914-15 Star (10 Cpl H. Edgar. 10/Bn. A.I.F.); British War and Victory Medals (10 A.W.O.C.L.I. W. Edgar. 1 M.G.Bn. A.I.F.), extremely fine (3)[D.C.M.] London Gazette 21 October 1918. The original citation states: 'For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. Whilst in charge of pack transport and supply parties he has personally superintended the delivery of rations and large quantities of S.A.A. to gun positions, day after day, under exceptionally heavy enemy shell fire. By the example of his courage and his disregard of personal safety he has enabled the gun crew to respond successfully to the many calls for barrages of machine-gun fire against enemy counter-attacks, and at all times he has distinguished himself by his thoroughness and his devotion to duty.' William Edgar was born in Londonderry, Ireland, on 17 March 1876, and was the son of John and Letitia Edgar. He originally joined the Royal Marines Light Infantry and enlisted at Glasgow on 3 January 1894 and completed his service with the rank of Private on 22 March 1906 and then emigrated to South Australia. With the outbreak of the Great War he enlisted as a Private into the Australian Imperial Force at Morphettville, South Australia, on 19 August 1914, he was quickly promoted to Corporal on 16 September 1914. Edgar embarked on the Ionian to join the Mediterranean Expeditionary Force at Alexandria on 2 March 1915 and arrived in Gallipoli on 28 April 1915 and was promoted to Sergeant on the same day. Edgar suffered a Gun Shot Wound to the thigh (service papers note 25/29 April 1915) and he was evacuated to Malta on the Clan McGilvray disembarking on 4 May 1915. Having recovered he embarked at Alexandria on 14 June 1915 and returned to Gallipoli arriving on 20 June 1915. He was admitted to hospital on 12 September 1915 with Febrile (fever) and put on the hospital ship Nevasa the following day. Edgar was to further suffer from Malaria and eventually rejoined his unit at Mudros on 24 November 1915. He transferred to the 3rd M.G. Company on 13 March 1916 at Serapeum, Egypt and was promoted to Company Quartermaster Sergeant on 18 March 1916. Edgar then proceeded to join the British Expeditionary Force at Alexandria on 29 March 1916 and arrived at Marseilles on 5 April 1916. He was further promoted to W.O.II on 5 August 1916 in the field. He had leave to England on 26 November 1916 and returned to the field on 14 December 1916. Edgar had further leave this time in Paris between 5 August 1917- 8 August 1917 and rejoined his unit on the 9 August 1917. He again returned to England for further leave on 15 September returning to the field on 26 September 1917. Edgar was promoted to Acting Regimental Sergeant Major on 2 March 1918. On the 1 April 1918 his unit had a Designation Change to become the 1st Machine Gun Battalion. Edgar suffered from Shrapnel Wounds received to the right ankle and hand on the 28th May 1918 and firstly went to the 3rd Australian Field Ambulance but was transferred to the 2nd Casualty Clearing Station and died later the same day and was buried in the Ebblinghem Military Cemetery, Nord, France. His effects including the D.C.M. were left to his sister who lived in South Australia, his papers note the Memorial Plaque and Memorial Scroll were issued to his father John Edgar who lived in Scotland. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£300 to £400



**Lot 486**



(x) Pair: Private A. G. Thayne, 19th Battalion, Australian Imperial Force late Fiji Militia, who died of wounds sustained at Pope's Hill, Gallipoli on 13 December 1915 (1914-15 Star (2018 Pte. A. G. Thayne. 19/Bn. A.I.F.); British War Medal 1914-20 (2018 Pte. A. G. Thayne. 19 Bn. A.I.F.)), very fine (2) Alfred Gregory Thayne was born at Queensland, Australia in 1881 and enlisted on 3 June 1915, listing previous service in the Fiji Militia and 4th Militia Regiment (Victoria). Embarking for Gallipoli with the 3rd Reinforcement he arrived on the Peninsula in late October 1915. Thayne was wounded in action near Pope's Hill on 13 December 1915, an eyewitness to his injury, Private Bradley, described the events, stating: 'Thayne was hit in the stomach by a broomstick bomb about dusk one evening, as he was one his way to the trenches. Witness was almost at 100 yards in the rear when this happened. Thayne was operated upon very shortly after he had been wounded, but apparently the operation was a forlorn hope, and he died on the following day.' Buried at Shrapnel Valley Cemetery, notably Thayne was also a member of the Masonic Lodge, Fiji and a Justice of the Peace of New South Wales; sold together with copied research. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£100 to £140

**Lot 487**



(x) The campaign group of three awarded to Private H. C. Wailes, 'B' Company, 19th Battalion, Australian Imperial Force, who was wounded at Gallipoli and later Killed in Action in France 1914-15 Star (691 Pte H.C. Wailes. 19/Bn. I.A.F.); British War and Victory Medals (691 Pte H.C. Wailes. 19-Bn. A.I.F.), minor official correction to initials of second, sold together with an Australian Commonwealth Military Forces cap badge, good very fine (3) Herbert Charles Wailes was born at Staffordshire, England in 1884 and was educated at Wellingborough, Northampton. Enlisting with the 19th Battalion, Australian Imperial Force on 8 February 1915 he embarked for Gallipoli on 25 June 1915. There they saw action at Hill 60 and Pope's Hill before being transferred to France upon the evacuation of the Peninsula. They went into action at the Battle of Pozières during the Somme Offensive at it was there that Wailes was wounded in action on 31 July 1916 in the side and abdomen by Shrapnel. He died of wounds on 3 August 1916 and is buried at Puchevillers British Cemetery. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£160 to £200

**Lot 488**



(x) Three: Private H. Sanderson, 4th Battalion, late 19th Battalion, Australian Imperial Force, who was Killed in Action on 31 October 1916 1914-15 Star (2840 Pte. N. Sanderson. 19/Bn A.I.F.); Victory Medal 1914-19 (2840 Pte. H. Sanderson. 19 Bn. A.I.F.); Great War Bronze Memorial Plaque (Norman Sanderson), sold together with an original Mothers' and Widows' Ribbon, numbered '8256', good very fine

(3) Norman Sanderson was born at Marrickville, Sydney, New South Wales in 1890 and attested at Sydney on 26 July 1915, being posted to the 19th Battalion on 12 July 1915. His record of service with this Battalion appears to have been lost however it seems likely that he entered the war at Gallipoli with them as his entitlement to the 1914-15 Star is confirmed. Transferring to the 4th Battalion, A.I.F. at Tel-el-Kebir on 14 February 1916 Sanderson joined them in France on 30 March. There he was found to be suffering from Shell Shock on 25 July 1916 spending three months in hospitals and depot companies. Rejoining the Battalion on 29 September, shortly after the end of the Somme Offensive was there that Sanderson was killed in action on 31 October 1916. He is buried at Dantzig Alley British Cemetery; sold together with copied research. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

**Estimate**  
**£160 to £200**

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Lot 489



(x) Six: Warrant Officer 1st Class, L. M. Jennings, Australian Military Forces Late Australian Army Medical Corps, who returned to service in time to witness the Japanese Raid on Darwin in 1942 1914-15 Star (2088 Pte. L. M. Jennings. 1/G.Hosp. A.I.F.); British War Medal 1914-20 (2088 Pte L. M. Jennings. A.M.C. A.I.F.); Victory Medal 1914-19 (2088 Pte. L. M. Jennings 1 A.G.H. A.I.F.); Defence and War Medals 1939-45 (V1 6602 L. M. Jennings), officially engraved naming; Australia Service Medal 1939-45 (V1 6602 L. M. Jennings), very fine (6) Louis Michael Jennings was born at Toorak, Victoria on 29 September 1893. A farmer he enlisted in the 1st A.I.F. on 26 January 1915 and posted to the 6th Field Ambulance on 26 January 1915 later transferring to the 1st Australian General Hospital on 31 March 1915 which left Australia for Egypt on 10 April 1915. After service in Egypt, he joined the BEF which arrived at Marseilles, France on 6 April 1916. He returned to the 6th Field Ambulance on 21 April 1917. Returning to Australia on 9 February 1919 he was discharged on 2 June 1919. He was employed as an assistant cashier when he enlisted again on 24 June 1941. Posted to Darwin on 20 September 1941 he remained there until 20 June 1942 and would have been present when the Japanese mounted two air raids on Darwin on 19 February 1942. The two attacks, which were planned and led by the commander responsible for the attack on Pearl Harbor ten weeks earlier, involved 188 attack aircraft which were launched from four Japanese aircraft-carriers in the Timor Sea, and a second raid of 54 land-based bombers. The carrier battle group consisted additionally of two heavy cruisers, one light cruiser, seven destroyers, three submarines, and two other heavy cruisers on distant cover. In the first attack, which began just before 10.00 am, Kate bombers hit shipping, infrastructure and the town; and Val dive bombers escorted by Zero fighters then attacked shipping in the harbour, and the military and civil aerodromes. The attack ceased after about 25 minutes. The second raid, which began around 11.45 am, involved high altitude bombing of the Royal Australian Air Force base by twin-engine machines. The two raids killed 235 people with a further 300 to 400 wounded. Thirty aircraft were destroyed, including nine out of the ten flying in defence, nine ships in the harbour and two outside were sunk, and some of the civil and military facilities in Darwin were destroyed. After service in Darwin, he was posted to Royal Park at Melbourne and was discharged on 12 November 1945. Jennings died at Moe, Victoria on 8 August 1974; sold together with copied service records and research. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£120 to £160

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### Lot 490



The First and Second World Wars campaign group of four awarded to Gunner A. J. Lawrence, who served with the Calcutta Volunteer Battery in East Africa during the Great War 1914-15 Star (No. 1542 Gnr. A.J. Lawrence, 1 (C.P.D.) Group Garr. Arty. I.D.F.); British War Medal 1914-20 (1542 Gr. A.J. Lawrence. C.P.D.G.A. (A.F.)); Victory Medal 1914-19 (1542 Gnr. A.J. Lawrence, Cal. Vol. Bty.); Defence Medal 1939-45, unnamed as issued, mounted for wear, very fine (4) Arthur John Lawrence served in East Africa with the Calcutta Volunteer Battery from 3 October 1914; the unit (comprising six 12-pounder, 6-cwt field guns) sailed from India with Indian Expeditionary Force 'B' and perhaps the best account of their services and experiences can be found in a contemporary report from 'The Straits Times' of 5 December 1916: 'Calcutta Contingent. Splendid Services in East Africa. Nearly twenty-seven months ago a Volunteer Battery was formed in Calcutta for service in British East Africa. The Battery, which was designated the Calcutta Volunteer Battery, was composed of members of the Calcutta Port Defence Volunteers and the Cossipore Artillery Volunteers. About a month after its formation - in September, 1914 - the Battery numbering one hundred and ten strong, including officers, left for Bombay en route to East Africa. The men enlisted for a period of two years and saw a good deal of active service. The Battery distinguished itself and one of its members won the Distinguished Conduct Medal while no less than five others, among them two officers, were mentioned in despatches. At the expiration of the period for which they enlisted the men were detained for a couple of months longer as it was feared that their services would still be required. Fortunately, however, they were not needed any longer and the majority of them left East Africa for India, arriving in Calcutta on November 11. The returning party comprised seven non-commissioned officers and fifty-six men, or a total of sixty-three in all. It was generally anticipated that the men would have been dismissed at the station but the military authorities decided that they would have to go to Fort William for that purpose. After all the kit of the party had been collected and packed on carts, the men fell in on the roadway opposite No. 1 platform when the roll call was taken. Fours were then formed, and followed by a procession of motor cars, private conveyances and hackney carriages, the men marched across the Howrah Bridge and along Strand Road, entering the Fort by the Calcutta Gate. After once more answering to the roll call at the Fort, the men were dismissed. Services in East Africa. Interviewed by a representative of the Englishman, some of the members stated that the Battery left Calcutta on September 14, 1914, and landed in British East Africa on October 3, 1914, and were immediately sent to the front. The Battery was divided into three sections, one section being sent to Tavoi and the other two sections to Nairobi. The Battery saw a good deal of active service and took part in various engagements. The main engagements were at Salita Hill and Latema Nek. The Battery bombarded Salita Hill no less than three times. The Battery also marched on Mikocheni, Luki Gora and Dahawa but did not come into action at these three places. That the Battery distinguished itself is evidenced by the fact that Corporal Sievwright of the Cossipore Artillery Volunteers was awarded the Distinguished Conduct Medal. In addition Major Kinloch of the Cossipore Artillery Volunteers, Second Lieutenant Browning, Corporal Binning and Bombardier Emeny - all of the Calcutta Port Defence Volunteers - and Gunner Tocher of the Cossipore Artillery Volunteers, were mentioned in despatches. The Battery was singularly fortunate in that its casualties were exceptionally light. One man was killed and four men were wounded. During the period they were in the field the men did a large amount of trekking. It is estimated that in all they trekked over one thousand miles. The difficulties that they had to encounter were well nigh insurmountable. As the enemy held the main roads, the Battery had to execute flanking movements. The result was that they had to cut their way through dense jungle and make their own roads as they advanced. There was plenty of hard marching and eventually the Battery went as far south as Marogoro. As the lines of communication were very long, the rations at times fell short. On the whole, however, considering the lengthy communications and the difficult country to be traversed, there was nothing to complain of as regards the food supply. Disabled Enemy Gun. After the action at Latema Nek, a disabled six-inch gun was found in the zone of fire of the Battery. Naturally the Battery claimed the gun but although the authorities admitted that the gun in question was most probably put out of action by the Calcutta Volunteer Battery it was not made over to the Battery. At the expiration of the period for which they enlisted, only some men of the original Battery rejoined. Several others being what is known as "draft" men had no option but to re-enlist. Nineteen members of the original Battery obtained commissions and are now stationed somewhere in East Africa. The two diseases prevalent in East Africa are malaria and dysentery, and every man, without exception, suffered from these distressing complaints. As a matter of fact some men contracted these diseases no less than fifteen or twenty times. Plenty of game of all kinds was come across by the men and several shikar parties were organised. At one period when the Battery was passing across the Kapiti plain the men occupied the only water holes in the district. Towards evening the animals came for their last drink and it was estimated that at one time there must have been thousands of different kinds of deer, gnu and zebras within rifle range. Shikaris were well to the fore and a large amount of eatable game was knocked over. On another occasion the Battery came across no less than seven lions. The animals were so close that one of the noncommissioned officers fired at them with his revolver but, needless to say, without result. However, these lions were hunted the next day by some planters who shot the whole lot. While in garrison at Kim it was quite a common occurrence to come across rhinoceros during patrols every day. One day the men came across two ostrich nests. One contained fifty-five eggs and the other eighteen eggs. Omelettes and scrambled eggs varied the menu of the Battery for some days. The eggs were strong in flavour but the men got accustomed to the taste. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£150 to £180

### Lot 491



(x) Three: Lance Corporal W. B. Doyle, 11th South African Infantry, late South African Mounted Rifles, who was wounded in action in 1917 1914-15 Star (4114 Rfm W. B. Doyle S.A.M.R.), the 'M' of the unit officially corrected'; British War and bi-lingual Victory Medals (L/Cpl. W. B. Doyle. 11th S.A.I.), light pitting, very fine (3) Three: Private H. McKnight, 10th South African Infantry, late 4th South African Infantry 1914-15 Star (Pte. H. McKnight 4th Infantry); British War and bi-lingual Victory Medals (Pte. H. C. McKnight. 10th S. A. I.), good very fine (3) William Bertie Doyle enlisted on 4 September 1915 with the 5th Regiment of the South African Mounted Rifles. Transferring to 'B' Company of the South African Infantry he was wounded in 1917 and returned to South Africa, being discharged as a result of his wounds not long later; sold together with typed research. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£100 to £140



**Lot 492**

(x) The campaign group of three awarded to Deckhand A. Luxford, Mercantile Marine and Royal Naval Reserve Trawler Section, who received his M.I.D. for 'services in action with enemy submarines' British War Medal 1914-20 (175220. A. A. Luxford. D.H. R.N.R.); Mercantile Marine War Medal 1914-18 (Albert Luxford); Victory Medal 1914-19 with M.I.D. oak leaves (175220. A. A. Luxford. D.H. R.N.R.), very fine (3) M.I.D. London Gazette 14 March 1919. Albert Luxford was born at Maidstone, Kent on 4 May 1887, the son of Albert and Elizabeth Luxford. A merchant seaman prior to the Great War, Luxford enlisted in the Royal Naval Reserve Trawler Section on 19 June 1917 and was posted to H.M.S. Cormorant at Gibraltar on 20 June 1917. He was mentioned in despatches for services in action against enemy submarines in 1919. Invalided out from the Royal Naval Reserve with a disability gratuity on 28 February 1919, Luxford returned to the merchant navy; sold together with copied service papers and research. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£100 to £140

**Lot 493**

Five: Leading Telegrapher W. H. Wills, Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve, late Mercantile Marine British War and Mercantile Marine Medals (William H. Wills); Defence and War Medals 1939-45; Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve L.S. & G.C., G.V.I.R. (817 W H. Wills. L/Tel. R.N.V.(W) R.), very fine (5) William Hartshorne Wills was born at Leicester in 1892 and was issued with his Great War medal ribands on 25 August 1919. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£70 to £100

**Lot 494**

(x) Pair: J. E. Bowra, Australian Mercantile Marine British War and Mercantile Marine Medals (J. E. Bowra. Australia. 2632.), light contact marks, very fine (2) J. E. Bowra was issued his medals on 11 December 1922; sold together with a letter from the Australian Maritime Safety Authority. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£100 to £140

Lot 495



(x) The campaign group of six awarded to Petty Officer E. D. Maxfield, Royal Navy, who survived the sinking of the armed merchant cruiser Scotstoun in June 1940 British War and Victory Medals (J.57020 E. D. Maxfield. Ord.); 1939-45 Star; Atlantic Star; War Medal 1939-45; Royal Navy L.S. & G.C., G.V.R. (J.57020 E. D. Maxfield. L.S. H.M.S. Courageous.), mounted as worn, heavy contact marks and edge bruising, overall nearly very fine (6) Ernest Douglas Maxfield was born at Brighton, Sussex on 4 October 1900 and enlisted with the Royal Navy as Boy Class II on 15 August 1916. He served ashore until 1917 when he was posted to Ajax, reaching his majority with her on 7 October 1918. Advanced Able Seaman in 1919 he was further promoted Leading Seaman with Iron Duke in 1925. Maxfield remained in service being promoted Petty Officer on 1 September 1937. On the outbreak of the Second World War he was posted to the armed merchant cruiser Scotstoun which was serving with the 10th Cruiser Squadron. She was serving in the Northern Patrol out of Clyde when she was torpedoed and sunk by U-25. One local newspaper the John o' Groat Journal reported on the heroism of the gun crews stating: 'By this time the men had taken to the boats. Eight lifeboats were launched, and a motor launch overturned as she was being released from the davits. The men on her were thrown into the water and had to be picked up by the other boats. The Scotstoun began to sink by the stern, but the gun crew continued at their posts in an endeavour to sink the attacker. Only the periscope was visible, about 250 yards away.' Unfortunately they were unable to make contact with their attacker who escaped retribution, however Maxfield also escaped along with most of the crew. He returned to service briefly but was invalided on 26 March 1941. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£120 to £160

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**Lot 496**



**Three: Ordinary Seaman R. P. Lempriere, Royal Navy, who was killed in action when H.M.S. Wren was sunk on 27 July 1940 British and Victory Medals (J.44845. R. P. Lempriere. Ord. R.N.); Royal Navy L.S. & G.C., G.V.R. (J.44845 R. P. Lempriere. A.B. H.M.S. Resource.), heavy contact wear, nearly very fine (3) Raymond Percival Lempriere was born at Pimlico on 2 November 1899 and enlisted with the Royal Navy as Boy Class II on 5 October 1915. Largely serving ashore for the early years of the war his first service afloat was with the monitor Marshall Ney from 16 June 1916 before transferring to the Cruiser Centaur in August. Removing to her sister ship from the C-class, H.M.S. Curacoa Lempriere saw service with her in the Baltic during Operation Red Trek. He saw many postings between the Great War and the Second World War including Leander, Vimy and Westminster. Pensioned in November 1939 he remained in service with H.M.S. Wren on the Western Approaches Command. After the invasion of Norway Wren was ordered to support British convoys travelling to the new front and whilst there, she undertook fire support for the landings at Bjerkvik. She later returned to convoy duties and was serving with the 16th Destroyer Flotilla in July 1940. Alongside the Destroyer Montrose she was undertaking an anti-aircraft role for minesweepers off Sussex on 27 July. There Wren came under attack by a massed formation of 15 Junkers JU87, the speed and scale of the attack giving them no chance to escape. While she took no direct hits, they were damaged by several near misses which saw them hole below the waterline. The result was heavy flooding which collapsed the bulkheads and caused the destroyer to sink quickly with some 37 casualties. One of those was Lempriere who is commemorated upon the Portsmouth Naval Memorial; sold together with copied service papers. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.**

**Estimate  
£120 to £160**

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**Estimate**  
**£200 to £300**

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### Lot 498



(x) Three: Private H. Pierce, Royal Sussex Regiment & Sussex Yeomanry, who was Killed in Action on 31 August 1916 British War & Victory Medals (3038 Pte. H. Pierce. Suss. Yeo.); Great War Bronze Memorial Plaque (Henry Pierce), extremely fine (3) Henry Pierce was born at Brighton, Sussex, in 1887, he enlisted into the Sussex Yeomanry at Brighton and was the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Pierce, of 10, Hartington Rd., Brighton. Pierce was killed in action on 31 August 1916 during a German Attack whilst serving as part of the 9th Battalion, Royal Sussex Regiment and is commemorated on the Thiepval Memorial. Sold together with the following archive: (i) Memorial Scroll, this mounted on card and having previously framed. (ii) Buckingham Palace slip, mounted on card. (iii) Photograph of him in civilian clothing. (iv) A cloth badge for a Lewis Gunner. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£200 to £300

### Lot 499



Pair: Driver A. Richards, Royal Artillery British War and Victory Medals (806396 Dvr. A. Richards. R.A.), light contact marks, very fine (2) Alfred Richards is entitled to a British War and Victory Medal Pair. His MIC notes that duplicate medals were issued in May 1924 and that he was further entitled to a General Service 1918-62, clasp 'N. W. Persia'. Richards lived at 10 Tishbite Street, Bulwell, Nottinghamshire. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£20 to £30

### Lot 500



Pair: Company Quartermaster-Sergeant R. Warren, Royal Engineers, who was taken a civilian Prisoner of War of the Japanese at Tsingtao during the Second World War British War and Victory Medals (205589 C. Q. M. Sjt. R. Warren. R.E.), good very fine, with his brass Prisoner of War identity bracelet, this with Japanese characters and impressed 'TSINGTAO 66727' (Lot) Robert Warren served in the Inland Water Transport section, Royal Engineers during the Great War (Pair only) and then had the misfortune to be taken as a Civilian Internee by the Japanese at Tsingtao during the Second World War. An individual with the name 'R. L. Warren' is listed with the Chinese Maritime Customs as having worked at Tsingtao during the 1930s but it is unclear if they are one and the same. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£60 to £80

### Lot 501



**Pair: Second Lieutenant C. Whitby, Royal Engineers** British War and Victory Medals (2. Lieut C. Whitby.), extremely fine (2) Charles Whitby entered the war in France on 14 April 1918, he applied for his Pair in March 1922 and they were sent to 69A King's Road, Chelsea, London S.W.3..Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

**Estimate**  
**£50 to £70**

### Lot 502



**Pair: Private P. A. Corbyn, Royal Fusiliers**, who served with the 45th Battalion as part of Archangel Command with the British Forces in North Russia and suffered malaria British War and Victory Medals (GS-130984 Pte. P. A. Corbyn. R. Fus.), good very fine (2) Percival Arnold Corbyn attested for the Royal Fusiliers and served with the 45th Battalion as part of Archangel Command with the British Forces in North Russia. The 45th and 46th Battalions, Royal Fusiliers were formed in April 1919 specifically for service with Sadleir-Jackson's Brigade of the North Russia Relief Force and were disbanded on their return - earning many decorations, including two Victoria Crosses. Corbyn's campaign medals are named with his North Russia Relief Force service number which indicates that his only Great War qualifying service was in North Russia 1919. He contracted malaria in November 1919 and went to the Medical Board in March 1920. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

**Estimate**  
**£60 to £80**

### Lot 503



A Great War casualty trio to Private C. Hunter, 26th Tyneside Irish Battalion, Northumberland Fusiliers, who was Killed in Action on 1 July 1916, the First Day of the Battle of the Somme British War and Victory Medals (26-1473 Pte. C. Hunter. North'd Fus.); Memorial Plaque (Charles Hunter), extremely fine (3) Charles Hunter was born at Prudhoe, Northumberland and enlisted at Newcastle upon Tyne, Northumberland. He was killed in action on 1 July 1916 and is commemorated on the Thiepval Memorial. The 26th (Service) Battalion (3rd Tyneside Irish) formed part of 103rd Brigade, 34th Division and attacked La Boisselle on 1 July 1916 and had moved forward from the assembly trenches near Tara Redoubt. The war diary for the day noted 'A' and 'B' companies in front, 'C' and 'D' in reserve - 'men advanced as if on parade under heavy machine gun and shell fire'. Owing to the high casualties, the attack held up with small parties holding out in shell holes in No Man's land. The following day those still alive were relieved and went to Belle Vue Farm. A total of 489 casualties were recorded. Sold together with the following archive: (i) Memorial Scroll (previously folded). (ii) Tyneside Irish Memorial Scroll presented to Mrs Hunter and issued on 3 November 1919. (iii) A copy of the new Testament given by the Y.M.C.A. and given to Hunter on 31 October 1915 at Sutton Veny, Wiltshire, this housed in a postage box with Irish stamp and sent to a Mr Cahill in Morpeth. (iv) Various poppies for wear on remembrance Sunday and a lock of hair. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£350 to £450

### Lot 504



Pair: Private J. Widdowson, Northumberland Fusiliers, who was discharged as a result of sickness on 31 May 1917 British War and Victory Medals (4-3486 Pte. J. Widdowson. North'd Fus.), good very fine (2) Jack Widdowson enlisted on 13 March 1916 and served with the 4th Battalion, Northumberland Fusiliers. He was discharged on 31 May 1917 as being no longer physically fit for further service and is further entitled to a Silver War Badge (214471). Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£30 to £50

**Lot 505**



**Three: Private W. E. Lockwood, 7th Battalion, The Queen's (Royal West Surrey) Regiment, late King's Own Yorkshire Light Infantry, who was Killed in Action on 21 March 1918, the first day of the German Spring Offensive British War and Victory Medals (G-22897 Pte. W. E. Lockwood. The Queen's R.); Great War Bronze Memorial Plaque (William Edward Lockwood), good very fine (3) William Edward Lockwood was born in at Huddersfield in 1897, the son of Albert and Mary Eliza Lockwood, 2 Upper Brow Road, Paddock. He initially served with the King's Own Yorkshire Light Infantry (No. 43320) and then the 7th Battalion, The Queen's (Royal West Surrey) Regiment in France after the start of 1916 (Pair only). At 0445hrs on 21 March 1918, his unit came under an intense enemy barrage on what would be the first day of the German Spring Offensive. They lost two Officers, 10 other ranks killed, 28 wounded, plus 14 missing. Lockwood was killed in action and is commemorated upon the Pozieres Memorial. Two days later, Christopher Bushell earned a Victoria Cross for the Regiment. Lockwood is further commemorated upon the Huddersfield Roll of Honour and his parish church memorial. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.**

**Estimate  
£100 to £140**

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Lot 506



Pair: Major T. C. Manders, 16th (Public Schools) Battalion, Middlesex Regiment, later British Honduras Defence Force, who was captured and taken Prisoner of War on 27 May 1918 British War and Victory Medals (Capt. T. C. Manders.), good very fine (2) Thomas Cyril Manders was born in Farnham, Surrey, and was educated at Marlborough College, being a Corporal in the Cadet Corps, before embarking on a career as a merchant in India. He was commissioned 2nd Lieutenant in the 16th (Public Schools) Battalion, Middlesex Regiment on 17 May 1915, and was promoted Captain in July 1916. He was captured - and wounded in the right arm - and was taken a Prisoner of War on 27 May 1918, whilst attached to 'C' Company, 2nd Battalion at Chemin des Dames. His debrief, after repatriation on 6 December 1918, gives a remarkable account of the action. It seems Manders was cut off with some 10 other ranks, getting their Lewis Gun into action, enabling the rest of their Platoon to withdraw. Now just three men, together with his Sergeant-Major and Company runner, set up and '...old T head and opened fire on the enemy. We killed the majority [of the 20 who approached] and my revolver was twice emptied, most of the bullets finding an excellent billet, including one German Officer.' Further withdrawing through a wood, the gallant trio were surrounded but Manders was knocked down, further dislocating his shoulder, being left for dead. He began to attempt to crawl back to friendly lines but was jumped by three enemy and had to 'surrender quietly'. Relinquishing his commission in February 1920, he was appointed a District Commissioner at El Cayo in British Honduras (Belize). Thus Manders also held an appointment in the territory's Defence Force. From April 1928, he was Major in Command of the British Honduras Defence Force, perhaps taking them over to England for the 1937 Coronation. The Times of 1 June 1938 reported his death as a result of a gun shot wound. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£80 to £120

Lot 507



Pair: Lieutenant F. D. Byrne, Sherwood Foresters, attached Rifle Brigade British War and Victory Medals (Lieut. F. D. Byrne.), extremely fine (2) Frederick Dawson Byrne was commissioned into the 3/8th Battalion on 23 December 1915 and entered the war in France in July 1916, he is noted in the regimental history as joining at Bellacourt with several other junior officers. Byrne was promoted to Lieutenant on 1 July 1917 and was attached to the 12th Battalion Rifle Brigade. He applied for his medals in 1921 and they were sent to him C/O Grace Brothers, Genoa, Italy. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£50 to £70

Lot 508



Pair: Private J. Packard, Sherwood Foresters, who was Killed in Action on 26 September 1917 British War and Victory Medals (202376 Pte J. Packard. Notts. & Derby. R.), very fine (3) John Packard was born at Settle and attested into the 2/5th Battalion, Sherwood Foresters on 11 January 1916 at Settle. He served in France from 26 February 1917 and was killed in action on 26 September 1917. He is commemorated on the Tyne Cot Memorial. The War Diary for the 2/5th for the 26th September 1917 noted: 'ZERO DAY. 2.10 a.m. Company's reported in position ready for attack. 3.50 a.m. Commencement of bombardment of 2 hours duration previous to ZERO HOUR. (Enemy Barrage retaliation on his Barrage Lines). 5.50 a.m. ZERO HOUR. For report on operations see description see description attached 10.15 a.m. Battalion Head Quarters move from CAPRICORN KEEP to GALLIPOLI. 6 p.m. Commencement of Retrograde Movement. It is likely that Packard was killed in the retaliatory barrage in the early hours of the morning. West Yorkshire Pioneer. 19 October 1917. Packard - Killed in action, Sept. 26th, Pte. John Packard, of the Sherwood Foresters, son of Mrs. Packard, of Albert Hill, Settle. 19 October 1917 Another Settle Hero It is with regret that we have to record the loss of another Settle hero, Pte. John Packard (Albert Hill), of the Sherwood Foresters, being killed in action on the Western front on Sept. 26th. Only 20 years of age, he joined up at the age of 18, and after undergoing his training crossed over to France in February last. In civil life he was employed by Messrs. Thos. Clark and Sons, provision merchants, and was highly esteemed for his integrity and his cheerful and obliging nature. He received his first knowledge of military training as a member of the local Cadet Company, in which he held the rank of Colour-Sergeant. Much sympathy is felt for his mother and brothers and sister in the great loss by the death of this gallant young soldier. The bad news was conveyed to his mother in a letter from his commanding officer, Capt. J. W. N. Stebbing, which read as follows: - "I am deeply sorry to have to inform you that your son, Pte. J. Packard, of my company, was killed in action on Sept. 26th. Please accept from me my deepest sympathy with you and your family in your loss, and let me express my regret at not being able to write at once. Your son was one of my best men, and a soldier in whom I could always rely to do his duty when called upon. Quiet and unassuming, he was in his own way one of the most thorough men under my command and I shall feel his loss to my company deeply. He was killed instantly by the bursting of a heavy shell close to him during an attack in which the company was taking part, and I am glad he suffered no pain. He was buried close to where he fell. The place, I am afraid, I cannot disclose yet, but I can assure you that his grave is marked. I only wish I could comfort you with more information, but I imagine you know the limits of one's correspondence. offering you once more my most sincere sympathy with you in your great trouble." Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£50 to £70

**Lot 509**

**Pair: Private J. Masters, Sherwood Foresters, who suffered gun shot wounds to both thighs and his left arm in September 1916 British War and Victory Medals (26839 Pte. J. Masters. Notts. & Derby. R.), extremely fine (2) Jack Masters attested into the 16th Battalion, Sherwood Foresters at Buxton on 3 June 1915. He entered the war in France on 6 March 1916 and suffered gun shot wounds to both thighs and his left arm in September 1916. Masters was placed on the Hospital Ship Asturias on 13 September 1916, consequently he returned Home on 15 September 1916. He was transferred to Army Reserve on 10 June 1917 and was eventually discharged as no longer physically fit for active service on 4 October 1917 and is further entitled to a Silver War Badge (260662). Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.**

**Estimate  
£40 to £60**

**Lot 510**

**Pair: Lieutenant J. G. F. Winter, Sherwood Foresters British War and Victory Medals (Lieut. J. G. F. Winter.), the first deeply toned, the second with verdigris and staining, otherwise very fine (2) John George Frederick Winter was commissioned 2nd Lieutenant on 8 July 1915 into the South Staffordshire Regiment. He served on the Western Front from 24 May 1916 and was promoted Lieutenant on 24 October 1916, Winter also served with the 1/8th Battalion Sherwood Foresters which is confirmed on his MIC. His Great War pair was issued by the South Staffordshire Regiment and he applied for his medals on 3 December 1921 and they were sent to him at 29 Aston Road, Southsea, Hampshire. After the war he became a Solicitor and worked in Portsmouth, whilst living in Cosham, however he collapsed at work and died at the Queen Alexandra Hospital on 11 May 1961 at the age of 70. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.**

**Estimate  
£60 to £80**

**Lot 511**

**Pair: 2nd Lieutenant (Acting Captain) P. Wharton, Sherwood Foresters British War and Victory Medals (2. Lieut. P. Wharton.), good very fine (2) Philip Wharton originally enlisted into the 9th Royal Fusiliers as an enlisted man (GS/36813) and was commissioned into the 1st (Garrison) Battalion Sherwood Foresters on 27 June 1917 and was promoted to Lieutenant after the end of hostilities on 27 December 1918 (Pair only). Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.**

**Estimate  
£50 to £70**

**Lot 512**



**Pair: Lieutenant L. D. Woodhouse, Sherwood Foresters, who was Killed in Action at Beaumont Hamel on 3 September 1916 British War and Victory Medals (Lieut. L. D. Woodhouse), good very fine (2) Leslie Douglas Woodhouse was the son of Thomas Vernon Woodhouse and Lucy Hole Woodhouse, of 16, Hound Road., West Bridgford, Nottingham. He was made 2nd Lieutenant with the 15th (Bantam) Battalion, Sherwood Foresters on 23 March 1915, being promoted Lieutenant on 2 August 1915 and became a Lieutenant with the 17th (Welbeck Rangers) Battalion on 20 May 1916. He was attached to the Trench Mortar Battery on 3 September 1916 when he was killed in action and is commemorated on the Thiepval Memorial. His estate amounted to £90 4s. 2d., his details also appear on the family headstone at Nottingham Church (Rock) Cemetery. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.**

**Estimate  
£100 to £140**

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**Lot 513**



**Pair: 2nd Lieutenant E. J. Taylor, Sherwood Foresters, who was wounded in the leg on 5 September 1918 as a result of a 4.2" shell making a direct hit on the Battalion HQ British War and Victory Medals (2. Lieut. E. J. Taylor.), good very fine (2) Ernest Joseph Taylor was commissioned Second Lieutenant on 26 September 1917 and entered the war in France on 4 June 1918 and was attached to the 1/8th Battalion based at the Essars Area in July 1918. He was wounded in the leg on 5 September 1918 when a 4.2 inch shell made a direct hit on Battalion Headquarters and consequently he was eligible for a Silver War Badge. The 1/8th Battalion History states: "Battalion H.Q. got a direct hit with a 4.2 shell and the whole of the Headquarters Staff were hit. The result was disastrous; every officer in it was wounded 2nd/Lieutenant E. J. Taylor (Works Officer) was wounded in the leg". Taylor applied for his medals in 1922 and became an architect and lived at The Birklands, Matlock Bath, Derbyshire, and died on 5 November 1947. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.**

**Estimate  
£80 to £100**

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#### Lot 514



**Pair: 2nd Lieutenant F. W. D. Willson, Sherwood Foresters, late Northamptonshire Regiment British War and Victory Medals (2. Lieut. F. W. D. Willson.), extremely fine (2)** Frederick William Dalton Willson originally served in the ranks as as Private (No. 31283) with the Northamptonshire Regiment. He was commissioned into the Nottinghamshire & Derbyshire Regiment as a 2nd Lieutenant with the 1/6th (Derbyshire) Battalion on 1 August 1917. Willson served in France from 1916 and was promoted Lieutenant on 1 February 1919. His Pair were issued in 1924. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

**Estimate  
£60 to £80**

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#### Lot 515



**Pair: Private E. Johnson, Sherwood Foresters, who was Killed in Action on 7 July 1917 British War and Victory Medals (23943 Pte. E. J. Johnson. Notts. & Derby. R.), extremely fine** Enoch Johnson was born at Sutton-in-Ashfield, Nottinghamshire in 1887. He enlisted in the same village attesting into the 15th Battalion Sherwood Foresters. This unit was attached to the 254th Tunnelling Company of the Royal Engineers. Johnson was killed in action on the 6 July 1917 and is buried in the Poperinghe New Cemetery, Belgium and left a wife and four children. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

**Estimate  
£50 to £70**

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Lot 516



The Great War group awarded to Captain. R.M. Middleton O.B.E., 19th Battalion Durham Light Infantry, late Notts & Derby Regiment who was the prosecuting officer in the trial of seven soldiers of the D.L.I.; three were later executed in what became known as the 'King Crater incident' He devoted his working life to public service holding the post of Town Clerk of Lancaster for 30 years and was richly rewarded with the O.B.E. in 1939 British War and Victory Medals (Capt. R.M. Middleton); Coronation 1953, unnamed as issued, very fine (3) Robert Mitchelhill Middleton was born at Carlisle in 1890, the son of George Hunton Middleton. Educated at Carlisle Grammar school he served his articles with the Town Council at Carlisle. He was commissioned in the Notts and Derby Regiment as a Second Lieutenant before transferring to the 19th Battalion, Durham Light Infantry, a Bantams Battalion, where he was appointed adjutant. He was appointed as prosecuting officer in the trial of seven soldiers of the D.L.I. in what became known as the 'King Crater incident.' The King Crater Incident In the early hours of the morning of 26 November 1916, the Battalion was holding part of the British line near Arras. Sergeant Stones was with Lieutenant James Mundy when they were attacked by German raiders; Lieutenant Mundy was grievously wounded and ordered Sergeant Stones to go for help. His rifle was in such condition that he could not fire it so he jammed it across the trench to slow down an advancing German soldier. Still under attack, he took cover in a reserve trench. Meanwhile, Lance Corporal Goggins and Lance Corporal McDonald had been leading their men from the front-line trench. All three had retreated approximately twenty yards to a reserve trench while under attack from the enemy. They were approached by military police amidst the dark and much confusion, arrested - the sergeant was charged with "shamefully casting away his arms in the presence of the enemy", and the two lance corporals for leaving their posts without orders, although their sergeant testified that they had in fact been following orders. Following the incident, a series of courts-martial were held leading to an extraordinary 26 death sentences, though 23 were later commuted. Three NCOs however were shot for desertion; Sergeant Joseph Stones and Corporals Peter Goggins and John MacDonald. The Book Durham Pals notes that Middleton was at the time the Prosecuting Officer for the Battalion, it states: 'Other officer's involved at the trial included. Second Lieutenant, Robert Mitchell Hill Middleton, and Adjutant and Prosecuting Officer of 19/Durham L.I. He had originally been commissioned into the Nottinghamshire and Derbyshire Regiment, before being posted to the Durham Light Infantry.' In 2006 the three men were pardoned and are remembered at the Shot at Dawn memorial at the National Memorial Arboretum in Staffordshire. Middleton was evacuated in late 1917 suffering from the severe effects of gassing at Ypres. Post war he qualified as a solicitor in 1921 and devoted his working life to public service serving as Town Clerk of Aylesbury from 1922 to 1923 before taking up the appointment as Town Clerk of Lancaster, a post he held for 30 years. Recognised for his public service he was richly rewarded with the O.B.E. in the New Years honours list of 1939. He died at Lancaster in January 1965; sold together with his silver wound badge B 80533, copied research and the book 'Durham Pals' by John Sheen in which Middleton is mentioned. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£160 to £200

Lot 517



(x) Three: Major R. B. Whitehead, King's Royal Rifle Corps, who was 'mentioned' in 1917 British War and Victory Medals (Lieut. R. B. Whitehead.), with copy M.I.D. oak leaves; Coronation 1937, very fine (3) Reginald Binyon Whitehead was born in Camberwell, London in July 1889, the son of Binyon and Constance Whitehead. Commissioned Second Lieutenant on 1 June 1915 with the 6th Battalion, King's Royal Rifle Corps. Entering the war in France in August 1915, his M.I.C. notes that he was not eligible for the 1915 Star. At some stage Whitehead was transferred to Mesopotamia and served attached to the Signal Service, being 'mentioned' in this role in 1917 (London Gazette 14 August 1917 refers). He remained with the Army of India after the war, being promoted Captain on 27 November 1926 and Major on 3 July 1934. Relinquishing his commission on 1 January 1935, he appears to have retired to Australia, being noted as residing in Newport New South Wales in 1972; sold together with copied research. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£80 to £100

Lot 518



(x) Pair: Captain T. H. Smith, 2/16th (County of London) Battalion (Queen's Westminster Rifles) British War and Victory Medals, with M.I.D. oak leaves (Capt. T. H. Smith), very fine (2) M.I.D. London Gazette 21 July 1917. Thomas Henry Smith was born at The Roundings, Hertford Heath, Hertfordshire on 14 July 1886. He enlisted in the 2/16th London Regiment on 9 November 1914 and during the war served in France from 22 June to November 1916 and later in Salonika and Egypt until the end of the war. Smith was Mentioned in Despatches on 21 July 1917 and was wounded on 6 November 1917 at Gaza, receiving a gunshot wound to the right shoulder. He was commissioned 2nd Lieutenant on 1 February 1918 and was subsequently advanced to Acting Captain; sold together with copied service papers and photos of Smith in Egypt. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£30 to £50

Lot 519



Pair: Lieutenant H. H. Annand, 1/1st, 2/23rd (County of London) & 17th (County of London) Battalion (Poplar and Stepney Rifles), London Regiment British War and Victory Medals (Lieut. H. H. Annand), mounted as worn, good very fine (2) Herbert Harry Annand was born on 25 March 1889 at Willesden Green and served in France as a 2nd Lieutenant from 16 September 1917. With the outbreak of the Second World War, he was commissioned 2nd Lieutenant from the Territorials in May 1940 into the Royal Tank Regiment. He saw active service and was discharged from the Royal Army Pay Corps in August 1945. He was issued with the Africa Star & War Medal 1939-45 in June 1948. Annand died at Hillingdon in December 1974. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£60 to £80

Lot 520



Pair: Captain J. F. H. Stallman, Royal Army Medical Corps British War and Victory Medals (Capt. J. F. H. Stallman.), with riband bar, good very fine (2) John Frank Herbert Stallman served in with the Royal Army Medical Corps from 28 November 1916 and noted addresses of Kinfauns Road, Tulse Hill Park SW2 and Thurlow Park Road, Dulwich SE4 when applying for his Medals. He practised from 125 Harley Street by 1925. The Royal College of Surgeons of England offer the following information: 'Stallman was born in Maida Vale, London, on 14 November 1889. He was the first child of John Henry Zacharia Stallman who was an importer and exporter of crude drugs and spices. He attended Dulwich College and then Guy's Hospital Medical School where he won the Michael Harris Prize for anatomy in 1912. He held a resident appointment at Guy's from 1914-15. During the Great War he served as a Captain in the R.A.M.C. in Mesopotamia from 1916-18 when he was invalided out. He then became surgical registrar to the Great Ormond Street Children's Hospital, and the Temperance Hospital, 1922-25. From there he took up a post as assistant surgeon to the Gloucester Royal Infirmary and, in 1932, was made full surgeon to the department of orthopaedics. He retired, due to age limits, in 1957 but stayed on for two more years to build up additional orthopaedic clinics in Cheltenham. He was orthopaedic surgeon to Gloucestershire County Council School Clinics and Standish House Hospital under the TB authority. Gardening was his main hobby. He was President of the Gloucester branch of the BMA and of his local branch of the Catenian Association of Catholic Professional and Business men. He married Mary Galavan SRN in 1916 and they had a daughter, followed by a daughter and son twins, the latter died aged four. He died on 4 February 1978 aged 89 years.' Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£60 to £80

**Lot 521**

**Pair: Driver B. V. Judd, Army Service Corps British War and Victory Medals (T4-186499 Dvr. B. V. Judd. A.S.C.), extremely fine, with named boxes of issue (2) Bernard Victor Judd was born at Holbeach, Lincolnshire, and appears in the 1911 Census as a Corn Merchant's labourer living at 11 Bank Terrace, Carrington, Nottingham. Pair only for his Great War service. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.**

**Estimate  
£20 to £30**

**Lot 522**

**Pair: Second Lieutenant E. G. Mucklow, who originally enlisted into the Royal Fusiliers but after deserting went under the name of C. L. Milburn and re-joined into the Royal Flying Corps, and who was killed in a flying accident on 22 April 1918 British War and Victory Medals (Capt C. L. Milburn. R.A.F.); Memorial Plaque (Cyril Lawson Milburn), extremely fine (3) Edward Gerald Mucklow was born at Elton, Bury, Lancashire. He was educated at Rossall School in Blackpool and served as a member of the O.T.C.. Mucklow joined the Army in September 1914 but was eventually hospitalised at the Military Hospital, Lichfield, Staffordshire, where he deserted after allegations of bullying on 19 September 1915. Mucklow in a civilian capacity passed his Aeronautical Certificate in May 1916 at Hendon flying a Hall biplane and consequently re-joined the war effort, this time joining the Royal Flying Corps as Cyril Lawson Milburn giving himself the date of birth of 19 September 1888 with an address of Elnora, Red Deer, Alberta, Canada, he even supplied a reference from A. F. M. Wilson who claimed to be an Assistant-Master from Rossall School, Fleetwood. He was appointed a Second Lieutenant on probation with the Royal Flying Corps with effect from 3 June 1916. He spent time in France with the No.2 Aircraft Depot as well as No.4 and No.15 Squadrons. He was then transferred to the Home Establishment and subsequently joined No.37 Squadron at Stow Maries in December 1917. He flew 11 operational sorties from Goldhanger, Essex, against Gotha and Giant bombers as well as Zeppelins, flying BE2d, BE2e and BE12 and BE12b aeroplanes. He was also known for messaging the Tiptree jam factory in Essex requesting more jam! Milburn was killed in a flying accident at the southern end of Stow Maries airfield on 22 April 1918, flying a BE12b (C3240). The aircraft stalled as a result of an engine failure on take off on a bank during a night practice raid and he suffered a broken neck. He is buried at Stow Maries (SS. Mary and Margaret) Churchyard. Sold with detailed copied research. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.**

**Estimate  
£250 to £350**



Lot 523



Three: Lieutenant P. J. E. Pierce, Royal Air Force, who had three 'kills' to his name but was killed in a flying collision with Lieutenant W. G. Lance over Allonville aerodrome on 13 August 1918 British War and Victory Medals (Lieut. P. J. E. Pierce. R.A.F.); Memorial Plaque (Percy John Emerson Pierce), extremely fine (3) Percy John Emerson Pierce was born on 16 February 1899 and was the son of Mr and Mrs P. Pierce of 42 Maryland Road, Maida Hill, London. Pierce worked for Messrs. H. Williams, a wholesale drapery business that was based at 72 St. Paul's Churchyard, London E.C. between September 1914 - February 1917 before he joined the Royal Flying Corps at Denham on 23 August 1917. He transferred to 55 M.A. on 5 October 1917, and from there he transferred to No.49 Training Squadron based at Doncaster on 28 November 1917. Pierce joined No.90 Squadron based at Shotwick on 9 January 1918 and from there transferred to the Training Division on 30 March 1918. He entered the war in early 1918 (date not confirmed) and served with No.90 Squadron. On 20 May 1918 Pierce shot at an Albatros D.III east of La Bassee, however two days later was noted as being in hospital (no details confirming the complaint). He then joined No.19 Squadron on 3 June 1918. Pierce was part of two formations from the Squadron "A" Flight and "C" Flight who were over the Bois de Biez in the early evening of 13 July 1918. In the fading sunlight they could see six other aircraft, which turned out to be a Pfalz and five new Fokker D.VIIs. "C" Flight went down first and broke up the German formation. "A" Flight followed and began picking targets. Taking full advantage of the element of surprise the pilots managed to shoot down just about all of the Fokkers. Pierce shot down one which was seen to crash. His next encounter was on 11 August 1918 when he shot down a single-seater aeroplane east of Albert. His final flight however was on 13 August 1918 when he took off at 05:36 flying a Sopwith Dolphin from Savy Aerodrome for Allonville aerodrome however a thick mist covered the aerodrome. Pierce collided with Lieutenant W. G. Lance and both were killed in the air collision. He is buried in the Vignacourt British Cemetery, Somme, France; sold with assorted research and photographs of his gravestone. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£300 to £500

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**Lot 524**



**Seven: Sergeant A. R. French, Royal Air Force, later Royal Signals**British War and Victory Medals (165540. 3A.M. A. R. French. R.A.F.); 1939-45 Star; Defence and War Medals 1939-45; Coronation 1937; Efficiency Medal, G.V.R., Militia with Second award bar (2559831 Sgln. A. R. French. R.Signals.), light contact marks, polishing, very fine overall (7)Note the recipient does not appear to be entitled to the Defence Medal 1939-45.One of 94 Efficiency Medal and Bars awarded to the Royal Signals.Arthur Richard French was born on 12 December 1894 and enlisted with the Royal Air Force on 9 May 1918, being posted to 141 Squadron just a few days later. The next month he joined 151 fighter Squadron and remained with them for the rest of hostilities during which the unit made a total of 26 confirmed kills. French was demobilised on 22 May 1919.At some stage he joined the Royal Signals as a reservist and remained with them for some time. Notably French did serve during the Second World War with his medal card noting entitlement to the 1939-45 Star and War Medal 1939-45, sent to 107 Alderson Road, Birmingham.Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

**Estimate**  
**£140 to £180**

**Lot 525**



**Pair: Blacksmith Barkata Li, Mesopotamia Railways**British War and Victory Medals (77794 B-Smith Barkata Li, Meso. Rys.), very fineVictory Medal 1914-19 (2) (6758 Carp. Surain Singh, Meso. Rys.; B. Abdul Razaq, Mily. Rys.), nearly very fine (4)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

**Estimate**  
**£40 to £60**

**Lot 526**



The campaign pair awarded to Sergeant J. Thorpe, 11th Light Horse Regiment (Australia), who was wounded at the Battle of Samakh on 25 September 1918 British War and Victory Medals (2355 Sjt. J. Thorpe. 11-L.H.R. A.I.F.), very fine (2) John Thorpe was born at Brisbane, Queensland in 1884 and enlisted into the Light Horse in July 1916. He served with his unit in the Sinai and Palestine campaign and was wounded in action by gunshot to the head and neck on 25 September 1918. The 11th Light Horse Regiment, commanded by Lieutenant-Colonel J. W. Parsons, had planned to attack the garrison's flank, but as no flank attack was possible, he swung the regiment around to attack straight on. In the action they lost 2 Captains, a Lieutenant and 11 other ranks killed, while 4 Officers and 25 other ranks - Thorpe included - were wounded. He returned to his unit after a stay in hospital on 23 November 1918. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

**Estimate**  
**£180 to £220**

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Lot 527



(x) "Jack" Greaves was a chum of mine. We were together at Warlencourt on the date of his death. He was in charge of taking up rations from H.Q. about 3 miles behind our firing line., "Molte Trench" I [SIC] Warlencourt , when he got hit by a shell and badly wounded. He was taken back to the Dressing Station at Albert where he died. He was acting Trench Quarter Master at the time of death.(The testimony of Stephen Donovan of the 19th Battalion, Australian Imperial Force on the death of his comrade Private John Greaves)The campaign pair awarded to Private J. Greaves, 19th Battalion, Australian Imperial Force, who died of wounds on 3 March 1917 at Dernancourt British War and Victory Medals (5138 Pte. J. Greaves 19 Bn. A.I.F.), good very fine (2)John "Jack" Greaves was born at Sydney in 1894 and enlisted on 28 August 1915 with the 20th Battalion, A.I.F, listing his address as 29 East Street, Surry Hills, New South Wales. Posted to England he joined the 19th Battalion in January 1916 and joined them in France on 2 November 1916. That same month the Battalion took part in an attack against The Maze feature, a series of interconnected trench systems near Fluier. Around the time of this attack the German forces opposite them were preparing their withdrawal to the Hindenburg Line. This they began to carry out in 1917, the carefully pre-prepared defences included booby-trapped positions and lines of communication bracketed by guns. The latter proved to be disastrous from Greaves who had been appointed 'Trench Quarter Master' and was organising the supply of rations on 1 March 1917. As he brought the supply party up the road the German guns zeroed in on their positions opened fire. A direct hit landed right at the centre of the party, killing 9 men outright and wounding another 14, including Greaves. He was taken to 1/1 South Midlands Casualty Clearing Station but his wounds proved to be mortal and he was buried at Dernancourt Communal Cemetery; sold together with copied research. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£100 to £140



**Lot 528**

**Pair: Worker E. D. Watson, Queen Mary's Army Auxiliary Corps** British War and Victory Medals (16056 Wkr. E. D. Watson. Q.M.A.A.C.), very fine (2) Sold together with an identity bracelet (16056 Edith Drury Watson. W.A.A.C. B.E.F.) engraved and a W.A.A.C. cap badge (lugs removed). Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

**Estimate**  
**£60 to £80**

**Lot 529**

**Pair: Private S. W. Bannister, Canadian Army Service Corps** British War and Victory Medals (3501 Pte. S. W. Banister. C.A.S.C.), extremely fine (2) Sam Winfield Bannister was born at Nottingham on 9 April 1890 and had previously been a salesman before he enlisted into the Canadian Army Service Corps at London, Ontario on 27 December 1915. He attested at Shorncliffe, Kent in February 1916 and served on the Western Front from 11 August 1916 with the 4th Divisional Motor Transport Company. Bannister was admitted to No.11 Canadian Field Ambulance on 25 September, being discharged on 30 September 1916 and was admitted again this time to No.1 Canadian Field Ambulance on 14 August 1917 and was discharged on 17 August. Awarded a Good Conduct badge on 18 February 1918 and returned to England on 19 May 1919, he was discharged from the service on 16 June 1919. Sold together with the following archive: (i) Box for the Great War medals. (ii) Rotary International Beeston Past President medal, engraved on reverse (S. W. Bannister. 1942-3), with Rotary lapel badge. (iii) Royal Masonic Institution For Boys medal in box. (iv) National Savings 10 Year Service medal. (v) Inner Wheel brooch with clasp (Mrs S. W. Bannister). Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

**Estimate**  
**£40 to £60**

**Lot 530**



**Three: Sister H. Butt, Territorial Force Nursing Service British War and Victory Medals (Sister H. Butt.); Territorial Force War Medal (Sister H. Butt. T.F.N.S.), toned, good very fine (3)M.I.D. London Gazette 24 May 1918.Hilda Butt entered the war in France on 16 December 1916 and served at 6 General Hospital at Rouen. She was transferred to the Nurses Hospital at Abbeville on 25 March 1917 before transferring to 8 Casualty Clearing Station on 1 April 1917.She had a brief spell of leave between 12-25 May 1917 and transferred back to the hospital at Abbeville on 29 January 1918. She then served on a number of different Hospitals and Casualty Clearing Stations to include 43 C.C.S. and 3 Canadian Stationary Hospital. She remained in France for further leave between 13-26 March 1919 and on returning to England was finally demobilized on 7 April 1919.Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.**

**Estimate  
£400 to £600**

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Lot 531



The group of five awarded to Lieutenant H. R. M. Ronaldson, Royal Artillery, late Honourable Artillery Company, who was gassed during the First World War and later served in the Berkshire Special Constabulary British War and Victory Medals (2. Lieut. H. R. M. Ronaldson.); British Defence Medal 1939-45; Territorial Force Efficiency Medal, G.V.R. (61 Gnr: H. R. M. Ronaldson. H.A.C.); Special Constabulary Long Service Medal, G.V.R., 1 clasp, Long Service, 1944, court mounted for display, some polished with contact marks, edge wear and edge nicks, otherwise very fine and better (5)

Hugh Robertson Meyer Ronaldson was born in Sydenham, Kent on 15 June 1881, the youngest of thirteen children born to Thomas Ronaldson, a prominent shipowner and broker, and his wife Marion. The young Ronaldson was admitted to the Honourable Artillery Company on 25 May 1901 when he was nineteen years old and served in 'A' Battery. Census records reveal Ronaldson to be working as a clerk in the stock exchange in 1911 and living with two of his elder brothers, who were working as a tea merchant and a commission agent. Ronaldson earned his Territorial Force Efficiency Medal in July 1913 as a Gunner with the H.A.C., becoming one of only 99 such awards to the H.A.C. from 1909 through to the end of 1914. The following year in January 1914, he was transferred to the Reserve Company. Almost immediately after the start of the First World War, on 3 August Ronaldson was transferred from the Reserve Company back to 'A' Battery with whom he spent the first few years of the conflict. This was a busy time for him, on 14 August he was married by special license - due to the war - to Miss Daisy Blanche Newton at St. Mark's Church in Surbiton, Surrey and they thereafter lived at Sunnycroft in Sunninghill, Ascot, Berkshire; this was to be couple's primary address for the rest of his life. On 29 September 1916 Ronaldson was transferred to the Reserve Officers' School at St. John's Wood, and sometime later was discharged to commission with the 32nd Division of the Royal Field Artillery. Advanced Lieutenant in 1917, he was disembarked at France with his unit on 7 May 1917. Ronaldson was reportedly gassed once during his service overseas. He was not listed as a member of the H.A.C. after the close of the war. Ronaldson applied for his WWI medals on 23 February 1921 and returned home to Sunnycroft where he lived with Daisy and their children. The couple had at least three daughters and two sons, one of whom, Frank Ian Ronaldson, worked for the Colonial Service in Nigeria. After the war he continued his career as a member of the stock exchange, and according to the 1939 Register Ronaldson also worked in the Berkshire Special Constabulary. He continued this Constabulary work during the Second World War, earning a Long Service 1944 clasp to his Special Constabulary medal. Ronaldson lived until the ripe old age of 89 and died on 4 May 1971. He was interred at St. Michael and All Angels Churchyard in Sunninghill; sold together with copied research. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£300 to £500

**Lot 532**

Pair: Air Raid Warden G. W. Joblin, Air Raid Precautions, late Indian Army Reserve of Officers British War Medal 1914-20 (Lieut. G. W. Joblin); Defence Medal 1939-45, good very fine (2) George William Joblin was born in July 1892 and with the outbreak of the Great War served in the Hampshire Regiment (No. 2857 & 241221), before being commissioned Lieutenant into the Indian Army Reserve of Officers (single BWM only). Having had his Medal issued to Gore, New Milton, Hampshire, by 1939 he was an Advertising Manager at an Engineers Works and lived at 11 Godalming Avenue, Sutton, Surrey. Joblin served as an Air Raid Warden during the Second World War and the Blitz. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£40 to £60

**Lot 533**

The British War Medal awarded to Airman 2nd Class F. Kendall, 55 Kite Balloon Section, Royal Flying Corps, who was Killed in Action on 31 December 1917 when on board H.T. Osmanieh which was mined off the coast of Alexandria British War Medal (94023 Pte. F. Kendall. R.F.C.); Memorial Plaque (Fred Kendall), edge brusing and contact marks overall, otherwise very fine (2) Fred Kendall was born at Halifax, Yorkshire, on 30 August 1898 and was the son of Thomas and Mary Kendall. He had been a Cinema Operator before he firstly joined the Labour Corps (P/260248) and joined the Royal Flying Corps and was made Airman 3rd Class on 6 August 1917 and to Airman 2nd Class on 16 November 1917. He travelled to Egypt on the H.T. Osmanieh sailing from Southampton and is noted as entering the war in the Middle East on 10 December 1917. His service papers note him on 31 December 1917 as 'Missing believed drowned' which was later confirmed the same day, this was due to the ship having struck a mine off the coast of Alexandria, the ship sank in less than seven minutes and 209 lives were lost. He is buried in the Alexandria (Hadra) War Cemetery, Egypt. It is likely he served with Jack Cohen the founder of Tesco stores, who served in the same section of the Royal Flying Corps but who survived the sinking of the Osmanieh. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£100 to £150



### Lot 534



Three: Corporal W. G. Petrie, Royal Air Force General Service 1918-62, 1 clasp, Kurdistan (119699. A.C.1. W. G. Petrie. R.A.F.); India General Service 1908-35, 1 clasp, North West Frontier 1930-31 (119699. Cpl. W. G. Petrie. R.A.F.); Royal Air Force L.S. & G.C., G.V.R. (119699. Cpl. W. G. Petrie. R.A.F.), mounted as worn, lightly toned, good very fine (3) W. G. Petrie joined the Royal Flying Corps on 22 January 1918 and had the rank of Private 2nd Class and served as a Batman. Confirmed as one of 4 groups of medals with this combination. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£400 to £600

### Lot 535



Six: Trooper W. V. Parker, 56th (London) Reconnaissance Regiment, Royal Armoured Corps, late West Yorkshire Regiment and The Queen's (Royal West Surrey) Regiment General Service 1918-62, 1 clasp, Palestine (6083440 Pte. W. V. Parker. W. York. R.); 1939-45 Star; Africa Star, clasp, 1st Army; Italy Star; Defence and War Medals 1939-45, good very fine, together with The Queen's Regiment silver Inter Company Rifle Cup 1934, named to the recipient, besides 'Battleaxe' cloth badge and Recce Corps pin badge (Lot) William Valentine Parker enlisted into The Queen's Regiment in September 1928 and transferred to the West Yorkshire Regiment in September 1936. Having served in Palestine with his unit, he was posted to the 56th Recce Corps in March 1941. From 1 January 1944 onwards it was part of the Royal Armoured Corps and was known as the 56th (London) Reconnaissance Regiment. The unit was attached to 78th (Battleaxe) Division between 1 September 1942-31 August 1945. A scout car of the unit was photographed diverting a minefield at Randazzo, Sicily, in August 1943 (NAM. 1999-03-88-43); sold together with his copied RAC Tracer Card. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£80 to £120

**Lot 536**



(x) A 'Fall of Tobruk 1942' P.O.W. group of four awarded to Private F. Herbert, 1st Battalion, Sherwood Foresters General Service 1918-62, 1 clasp, Palestine (4970210 Pte. F. Herbert. Foresters); 1939-45 Star; Africa Star; War Medal 1939-45, good very fine (4) Frank Herbert was stationed with the 1st Battalion in Palestine when the Second World War began, during that time he was acting as a Bandsman. They moved to Cyprus and from thence to Egypt in early 1942, becoming a motorised Battalion at that stage. Arriving on the Tobruk Perimeter at the start of June 1942 they were there when the British lost the Battle of Gazala. The victorious German and Italian forces surrounded the town, steadily probing the perimeter over the course of several days. They struck hard on 20 June hammering through the British and Indian sector of the line with a massed tank assault. The bulk of the British troops were taken prisoner of war that day although the official surrender did not occur until 21 June. Herbert was taken prisoner of war and likely held in Italy, he was repatriated in 1945. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

**Estimate**  
**£120 to £160**

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Lot 537



A 'St. Valery 1940' P.O.W. group of four awarded to Private W. F. Sutton, Seaforth Highlanders, who went 'in the bag' with the Highland Division in 1940 and successfully escaped only to be re-captured after five weeks on the run. General Service 1918-62, 1 clasp, Palestine (2819006 Pte. W. Sutton. Seaforth.); 1939-45; War Medal 1939-45; General Service 1918-62, 1 clasp, Cyprus (S/2819006 W. O. Cl. 2. W. F. Sutton. R.A.S.C.), the first three mounted as worn, pitting and slight edge wear to first, overall very fine (4).

William Frederick Sutton was born in Old Kilpatrick, Dunbarton on 5 October 1914, the son of William and Sarah Sutton of Burns Street, Dalmuir. Attesting with the Seaforth Highlanders on 5 April 1932 he was still serving with that unit when they were posted to Palestine, later being transferred to the 2nd Battalion with whom he was serving on the outbreak of the Second World War. They joined the British Expeditionary Force in January 1940 they were deployed to cover the Maginot Line when the Germans burst through the Ardennes and avoided the encirclement at Dunkirk. Instead, they were forced back to new positions at St. Valery-en-Caux, there the Germans managed to penetrate their perimeter and with evacuation impossible and the high ground above the court held by the enemy they were forced to surrender. Sutton one of large numbers of British troops who were marched from France to Germany, whilst on his line of march he attempted to escape, his Prisoner of War questionnaire states: 'I escape[d] from the line of march in France at Roubaix by falling out and hiding in a wheatfield. My companions were L/C/ Myers and Pte. Mulholland, both of my regiment. I was recaptured by a German Coastal Battery five weeks later at Merlimont. I was fit. My companions were captured at the same time.' After his recapture Sutton was taken to Hueburg in Bavaria where he remained for three months as the Germans attempted to prepare for the huge influx of prisoners. Moved initially to Stalag 21-CZ he left there in June 1941 being finally taken to Stalag XX-B at Marienburg where he remained until 1945. He was evacuated before the advance of the Red army and taken West with the rest of the prisoners, 'The March' as it was known through freezing weather and with terrible conditions. Fortunately Sutton survived the ordeal and was liberated on the German surrender. Despite his suffering during the war he remained in the army, being advanced Warrant Officer Class II and transferring to the Royal Army Service Corps with whom he served in Cyprus. He died at Birkenhead, Cheshire in October 1897; sold together with copied research. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£200 to £240

## Lot 538



The campaign group of five to Flight Lieutenant R. A. Bain, Royal Air Force, who was 'Mentioned' for his service in Palestine and who later was shot down over North Africa on 4 September 1940 and taken Prisoner of War. General Service 1918-62, 1 clasp, Palestine with M.I.D. oak leaf ((561042) Sgt. R. A. Bain. R.A.F.); 1939-1945 Star; Africa Star; Defence and War Medals 1939-45; Royal Air Force L.S. & G.C., G.V.I.R. (W/O. R. A. Bain. (561042) R.A.F.), mounted as worn although pin now missing, some light contact marks, otherwise very fine (6) M.I.D. London Gazette 23 December 1938. 'For distinguished conduct displayed in action against armed bands in Palestine'. R. A. Bain was born on 27 June 1910. He was to serve with No. 6 Squadron in Palestine operating as an Air Gunner on Hawker Harts and later Hardys, he flew through 1937-38 on various patrols covering a combination of aircraft recognition, ground recognition and culminating in bombing raids on 14 July 1938 at Wadi Quarn, followed up with an identical Op on the 4 August 1938. With the outbreak of the Second World War Bain was posted to No. 211 Squadron which flew Blenheims based at Qotafiya, Egypt. Flying as an Observer on 9 July 1940 Bain was part of nine crews who were ordered to intercept an Italian cruiser, alas this was not spotted so Tobruch Harbour was bombed as an alternative target. Bain was part of two crews on 12 July 1940 who were tasked with carrying out a bombing raid on Bardia, heavy anti-aircraft fire was encountered, the other aircraft L.8471 became aware the Italians had worked out the height from code that they were flying at, so he altered his height to miss both fighter aircraft and anti-aircraft fire. On 23 July 1940 he was part of a raid on the landing ground south of Derna, all aircraft landed at Sidi Barrani for refuelling before returning to base. He had a second raid on Tobruch Harbour on 3 August 1940 and his aircraft was noted as having direct hits to the jetty. The following day he was part of a raid on M.T. vehicles at Bir-El-Gobi, the bomb burst was not seen however a column of smoke was seen to rise from the target, the aircraft landed at Sidi Barrani. Bain returned to Tobruch Harbour on 10 August 1940 where the bombs fell to the north of the target. On 12 August 1940 he was due to take part in a raid on M.T. vehicles at Derna, however owing to a poor run up it was decided to attack shipping in Tobruch Harbour, his aircraft force landed at Sidi Barrani on the homeward run owing to a petrol shortage. On 27 August 1940 he was part of a raid on Derna and his bombs straddled the breakwater approximately 1/3 from the shore end. 31 August 1940 saw him as one of two crews who raided Ain-El-Ghazala, however no results were observed, aircraft L.4526 however had better luck and bombs were seen to burst among buildings. On the morning of 4 September 1940 he was part of seven crews to bomb El Gazala landing ground, his aircraft bombed in the region of one aircraft in the North East corner of the landing ground. Taking off again at 12:55 later the same day 4 September Bain was on board Bristol Blenheim L8376 which was to carry out a raid on Derna. The aircraft was attacked by a Cr.42 fighter and had one engine taken out of action, it had to force land near Derna after being struck by ground fire. The aircraft crashed wheels up at 15:20 and was later strafed and burned. The crew additionally comprised of Squadron Leader A. R. G. Bax (Pilot) and Aircraftsman 1st Class L. E. C. Wise (WOp/AG). All the crew survived, however Bax suffered a broken leg, and all were taken Prisoner of War. Bain was sent to Stalag 4B at Mulberg (Elbe) and given the number (224676). On his return to the U.K. after the end of the war in Europe he was commissioned to Pilot Officer on 30 January 1947 and made Flight Lieutenant 30 July 1951. Bain retired from the Royal Air Force on 25 June 1958. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£250 to £350

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**Lot 539**



**Four:** Warrant Officer D. J. Galsworthy, Royal Air Force, late Royal Garrison Artillery, who joined the Royal Air Force in May 1924 and who was to be a Musician with the Royal Air Force Central Band General Service 1918-62, 1 clasp, Palestine (358103. Sgt. D. J. Galsworthy. R.A.F.); Defence and War Medals 1939-1945; Royal Air Force L.S. & G.C., G.V.I.R. (358103 Sgt. D. J. Galsworthy. R.A.F.), the last mounted as worn, the remainder loose, very fine or better (4) Diamond Jubilee Medal. Galsworthy was born at New Swindon, Swindon, Wiltshire on 22 June 1897. He attested at Devonport on 16 February 1912 as a Boy, serving with the Royal Garrison Artillery between 16 February 1912 - 21 June 1915, he reached his majority on 22 June 1915. Galsworthy was appointed Musician on 18 February 1916 and served at home for the whole of the Great War. He only saw service with the B.E.F. after the end of hostilities, from 15 November 1918 until 23 May 1919, before returning home and completing his service on 1 October 1920. He was discharged by Purchase, and left with the same rank of Musician. The entry for the 1921 Census notes him as 'out of work' having previously served on the Union Castle Shipping Line. He then served as a Musician with Swansea Borough Police between November 1923-May 1924. Galsworthy enlisted with the Royal Air Force on 15 May 1924 to serve as a Musician Group 3 and was serving with the R.A.F. Central Band based at R.A.F. Uxbridge from 20 May 1924, he was reclassified as A.C.2. on 18 August 1924 and to L.A.C. on 19 August 1924. He reached the rank of Warrant Officer on 8 January 1945 and at that time was serving with the Aden Protectorate Levies whose role was to protect the R.A.F. Stations on the Aden Protectorate. Galsworthy died at Hampshire in October 1949. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£120 to £180

**Lot 540**



**Four:** British Constable T. J. Ryan, Palestine Police, who captured a Syrian bomb in Haifa General Service 1918-62, 1 clasp, Palestine (1796 B. Const. T. J. Ryan. Pal. Police); 1939-45 Star; Defence and War Medals 1939-45, mounted as worn, good very fine (4) Thomas Joseph Ryan served in the Palestine Police and served in Natal with the Ninth Army during the Second World War. A rather tatty note written in ink is worthy of note: 'Received from 1796 B/Const Ryan T. one bomb - Syrian type, found in the corner of a timber yard near the Istiqla Mosque, Haifa.' Sold together with Government of Palestine Road Licence, O.C.B.A. Handbook, Pass for May 1944 and Memorable Order of Tin Hats certificate. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£140 to £180

Lot 541



(x) Two: Sergeant J. T. G. Cormack, Royal Marines Naval General Service 1915-62, 1 clasp, Palestine 1945-48 (PO./X. 3595. J.T.G. Cormack. Cpl. R.M.); Royal Navy L.S. & G.C., E.II.R. (PO/X. 3595 J.T.G. Cormack. Sgt. R.M.), mounted as worn, light contact marks, good very fine (2) John Thornton Gordon Cormack served in the Royal Marines and was awarded his Long Service & Good Conduct Medal in December 1954. It's not known if he had any Second World War service; sold together with copied research. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£120 to £160

Lot 542



(x) The campaign group of three awarded to Corporal C. Wilson, Black Watch, late Argyll & Sutherland Highlanders, who was wounded in action on 4 August 1952 in Korea General Service 1918-52, 1 clasp, Palestine 1945-58 (19036241 C. Wilson. A. & S. H.) contact wear to last surname and unit; Korea 1950-53 (19036241 Cpl. C. Wilson. B.W.), the last three digits of the number officially corrected; U.N. Korea 1950-54, contact wear, very fine (3) C. Wilson was wounded while serving with 'C' Company on 4 August 1952; sold together with copied research. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£240 to £280

Lot 543

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PENDING

**SPINK**  
WHERE HISTORY IS VALUED

(x) Pair: Captain M. M. Gibson, 10th (Princess Mary's Own) Gurka Rifles General Service 1918-62, 1 clasp, Malaya (Lt. M. M. Gibson.. 10 G.R.); General Service 1962-2007, 1 clasp, Borneo (Capt. M. M. Gibson. 10 GR.), light contact marks, very fine (2) Michael Morton Gibson was commissioned 2nd Lieutenant on 24 March 1955 with the service number 443448. The Regiment was involved in the Malayan Intervention from its beginning with Gibson promoted Lieutenant during the fighting on 24 March 1957. Advanced Captain on 24 March 1961 he was still with the unit when they were deployed in the Borneo Confrontation in 1962 and was with them during Operation Claret. During the war Rambahadur Limbu was awarded the Victoria Cross for his bravery at the Battle of Bau in November 1965, Gibson retired from service the following month on 12 December 1965; sold together with copied research. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£160 to £200

## Lot 544



(x) Seven: Staff Sergeant G. S. Gilmore, a member of Detachment A-502 United States Army Special Forces, late Royal Army Service Corps General Service 1918-62, 1 clasp, Malaya (T/22523477 Cpl. G. S. Gilmore. R.A.S.C.); United States of America, Army Commendation Medal with three oak leaf clusters; Good Conduct Medal; National Defense Medal; Vietnam Service Medal; Antarctic Service Medal; South Vietnam Medal, clasp 1960, mounted as worn, good very fine (7) Army Commendation Medal awarded for Meritorious Service in the Republic of Vietnam during the Period 15 December 1967 - 15 December 1968. Staff Sergeant G. S. Gilmore, RA19760251 United States Army who distinguished himself by exceptionally meritorious service in support of allied counterinsurgency operations in the Republic of Vietnam. During the period 15 December 1967 to 15 December 1968 he astutely surmounted extremely adverse conditions to obtain consistently superior results. Through diligence and determination, he invariably accomplished every task with dispatch and efficiency. His unrelenting loyalty, initiative and perseverance brought him wide acclaim and inspired others to strive for maximum achievement. Selflessly working long and arduous hours, he has contributed significantly to the success of the allied effort. His commendable performance was in keeping with the finest traditions of the military service and reflects distinct credit upon himself and the United States Army. Army Commendation Medal (First Oak leaf Cluster) for Meritorious Service United States Army, Ryukyu Islands and Fort Buckner 10 January 1969 - 16 January 1970. By direction of the Secretary of the Army, the Army Commendation Medal is awarded for exceptionally meritorious service to the United States Army. The leadership, professional competence, and devotion to duty exhibited in the performance of all assigned and assumed duties contributed immeasurably to the successful accomplishment of the unit's mission. Through his initiative and perseverance he has shown himself to be a key individual to the organization, which has been proved time and time again by his ability to perform extremely difficult and important tasks in an original, unprecedented and clearly exceptional manner. His outstanding performance and meritorious service throughout this entire period are in keeping with the highest traditions of the military service and reflect the utmost credit upon himself, this command, and the United States Army. Army Commendation Medal (Second Oak Leaf Cluster) United States Army Headquarters, 2d Logistical Command APO San Francisco 96248 for Meritorious Service January 1970 - September 1970. By Direction of the Secretary of the Army, The Army Commendation Medal, Second Oak Leaf Cluster, is awarded to Staff Sergeant Gordon S. Gilmore, 552-68-7676, for exceptionally meritorious service as Boatswain, Third Mate, Chief Mate, Transportation Company, Transportation Battalion Provisional, 2d Logistical Command, United States Army, From 26 January 1970 to 4 September 1970. The leadership, professional competence, and devotion to duty exhibited in the performance of all assigned and assumed duties contributed immeasurably to the successful accomplishment of the unit's mission. Through his initiative and perseverance, he demonstrated outstanding performance of extremely difficult and important tasks. His exceptional achievement and meritorious service throughout this period are in keeping with the highest traditions of the military service, and reflect great credit upon himself, the 2d Logistical Command, and the United States Army. Gordon Stewart Gilmore was born at Clerkenwell, London on 28 June 1932 and enlisted into the Royal Army Service Corps on 6 June 1950 and completed 12 years service seeing service as part of FARELF between 10 January 1951 and 23 November 1953, again between 3 December 1956 and 26 February 1958, and with further service in Hong Kong from 26 February 1958 until 14 December 1959 and finally again between 27 June 1961 and 5 June 1962. On his discharge he settled in New Zealand and resided at the Mission to Seamen in Auckland. His testimonials note him as being a Coxswain of a Motor Fishing Vessel as well as commanding other Vessels during his time of service. Gilmore enlisted into the United States Army in the early 1960's and served in Vietnam with the United States 5th Special Force Group (Airborne), Detachment A-502 in 1967. A-502 in Vietnam In 1965, 5th Group Headquarters determined the need for two -Teams in the Nha Trang area, but with each having different responsibilities. This determination resulted in the authorisation and establishment of Detachment A-503, which would assume the responsibilities of A-502. Because of their familiarity with the mission, key members of A-502 were assigned to the new team. the XO (Executive Officer) of A-502 became the CO (Commanding Officer) and Team Leader of the new A-503 team. Released from its original assignment, A-502 was given an even greater mission. It would become responsible for the security of the entire Nha Trang area. Overnight, the team's AO (Area of Operation) and responsibilities became significantly larger. With the acceptance of its new mission, A-502 would also begin to create its history as the largest Special Forces A-Team ever to exist. Relocating in Khanh Hoa Province to the village of Dien Khanh, A-502 established its new base in what appeared to be part of a Hollywood set. The team's new home was the southern portion of an old Vietnamese fort. French forces occupied South Vietnam prior to the involvement of the United States of America. The fort was originally constructed by the Vietnamese under the Nguyen Ahn Dynasty in 1793. It was home to units of the French Foreign Legion's 2nd Colonial Infantry beginning in the early 1940's and could have easily served as a set for an old Humphrey Bogart movie. However, in 1945, the Viet Minh attacked and overran the fort, claiming the strategic location for themselves. After being held by these enemy forces for several months, it was retaken by the French in a coordinated counter-attack. Reinforcing units of the 6th Colonial Infantry were landed in Nha Trang. Linking up with General Leclerc's 2nd Armoured Division Task Force, the two units mounted their counter-attack and reclaimed the fort they had dubbed the "Dien Khanh Citadel". The words of his officer Bob Sweeney wrote of the patrol's experiences and in particular their drawing on the tactics of the SAS and their service in Malaya. It would seem likely that he would have drawn on the experiences of Gordon Gilmore in doing so: To accomplish the mission of providing for the defense of Dien Khanh district and for the western defense of the city of Nha Trang, Detachment A-502 (Det A-502) conducted various combat and intelligence gathering operations. The reconnaissance patrolling tactics and techniques employed by U.S. Special Forces in Vietnam came from the British Special Air Service (SAS) experiences gained during counter-insurgency operations that were successfully employed by the SAS when they fought against the communist insurgents in Malaysia 1956-1960. Patrolling, raids, and ambushes, as a guerilla, became a key component of the Unconventional Warfare training taught to U.S. Special Forces at FT Bragg, N.C.. Those jungle fighting and patrolling skills were reinforced by the combat lessons learned from U.S. Special Forces soldiers fighting the Viet Cong/North Vietnamese Army (VC/NVA) in the jungles, mountains, and swamps of Vietnam. With the major buildup of conventional U.S. forces in Vietnam in 1966, General Westmoreland tasked the 5th Special Forces Group to establish an in country "RECONDO" school to train U.S. Army soldiers how to conduct Long Range Reconnaissance Patrols (LRRPs) deep into enemy occupied territory. The fearless all volunteer U.S. students underwent a physically and mentally gruelling 18 - hour pe day, 3 weeks of combat recon

Estimate  
£500 to £700

**Lot 545**

**Pair: Corporal Chitrabahadur Gurung, 2/2nd King Edward VII's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Sirmoor Rifles) General Service 1918-62, 1 clasp, Malaya (21137421 Rfn. Chitrabahadur. Gurung 2 G.R.); General Service 1962-2007, 1 clasp, Borneo (21137421 Cpl. Chitrabahadur. Gurung. 2/2 GR.), good very fine (2) Chitrabahadur Gurung was born in 1935 and enlisted into the Brigade of Gurkhas in October 1952. The majority of his time was spent with the Signals Platoon and the Battalion Pay Team, posted to Malaya on no less than nine tours. He was discharged after fifteen years of exemplary service at Singapore in September 1967; sold together with copied Service Record. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.**

**Estimate  
£140 to £180**

**Lot 546**

**(x) Three: Flight Sergeant C. L. Spriggs, Royal Australian Air Force General Service 1918-62, E.II.R., 1 clasp, Malaya (A32712 C.L. Spriggs); Australian Defence Medal, unnamed; Royal Air Force L.S. & G.C., E.II.R. (M. Eng. A. J. White (A32712 Spriggs C L.), very fine (3) Charles Leslie Spriggs was born on 15 April 1929 at Kew, Victoria, Australia. A ledger keeper and general clerk he enlisted in the Royal Australian Air Force on 9 May 1949 and after initial training at Laverton was posted to the ground radar school in Melbourne. He left for Singapore on 25 April 1958 and was posted to the duty base squadron at Butterworth returning to Australia on 10 May 1960. Awarded the Long Service and Good Conduct Medal on 12 December 1967, he was discharged at Melbourne on 9 May 1969. Spriggs died on 23 December 1991 at Magnetic Island, Queensland; sold together with extensive copied service records and research. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.**

**Estimate  
£80 to £100**

**Lot 547**

**Pair: Sergeant C. B. McGowan, Royal Air Force General Service 1918-62, 1 clasp, Malaya (2453221 Cpl. C. B. McGowan. R.A.F.); Royal Air Force L.S. & G.C., E.II.R. (Y2453221 Sgt. C. B. McGowan. R.A.F.), mounted as worn, toned, good very fine (2) Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.**

**Estimate  
£80 to £120**



**Lot 548**



(x) Pair: Sapper J. F. Power, Royal Engineers General Service 1918-62, 1 clasp, Near East (22818373 Spr. J. F. Power. R.E.); Army Emergency Reserve Efficiency Medal, E.II.R. (22818373 L/Cpl J. F. Power. R.E.), good very fine (2) Sold together with a copied Army Emergency Reserve Efficiency Medal roll. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

**Estimate**  
**£140 to £180**

**Lot 549**



(x) Pair: Fusilier J. O. McLachlan, Royal Highland Fusiliers General Service 1918-62, 1 clasp, Arabian Peninsula (23701967 Fus. J. O. McLachlan. R.H.F.); U.N. Korea 1950-54, contact marks, edge bruising, very fine (2) Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

**Estimate**  
**£60 to £80**

**Lot 550**



Pair: Rifleman M. Clayton, 1st Battalion, Green Jackets General Service 1918-62, 1 clasp, Brunei (23632912 Rfn. M. Clayton. 1 Green Jackets); General Service 1962-2007, 1 clasp, Borneo (23632912 Rfn. M. Clayton. 1 Green Jackets), minor contact mark to first, overall good very fine (2) Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

**Estimate**  
**£160 to £200**

Lot 551



Three: Private L. Dugdale, Prince of Wales's Own Regiment of Yorkshire, late West Yorkshire Regiment General Service 1918-62, 2 clasps, Malaya, Arabian Peninsula (22805323 Pte. L. Dugdale. W. Yorks.); General Service 1962-2007, 2 clasps, South Arabia, Northern Ireland (22805323 Pte. L. Dugdale. PWO.); U.N. Medal, UNFICYP riband, unofficial retaining rod between clasps, edge bruise to first, good very fine (3) The 1st Battalion, West Yorkshires were deployed in Perak and Pahang during the Malayan Emergency in 1953-55 and carried out numerous jungle patrols, sometimes lasting for weeks on end. Back in action in Operation 'Musketeer' in 1956, the battalion was deployed to clear up and police Port Said. Assigned to the waterfront area, it raised a private 'West Yorkshire Navy' to patrol the harbour area, where one of its officers was abducted and murdered. On returning home from the Canal Zone in 1958, the regiment was amalgamated with the East Yorkshires to form the Prince of Wales's Own Regiment of Yorkshire. And the new regiment's first overseas deployment was to Aden in the Arabian Peninsula from September 1958 to June 1959, in which - with the help of the S.A.S. - rebels were expelled from their mountain stronghold. The regiment also served in Aden in the period September 1965 to September 1966, when two of its ranks were decorated and two killed in action. Thereafter, in respect of Dugdale's service - and aside from a tour in Cyprus in 1970-72 - it was in Northern Ireland that he rounded off his active service career, the P.W.O. carrying out several operational tours in the troubled region in the period 1969-75 alone. During its first deployment in 1969, the regiment carried out vital patrol work and helped stabilise the situation in Co. Down area, in addition to taking overall responsibility for the security of Londonderry, where three days of rioting in August had all but exhausted the ranks of the R.U.C. During a subsequent emergency tour in Londonderry in 1975, a soldier of the P.W.O. was shot and killed by a sniper while on foot patrol in the Creggan housing estate. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£400 to £500

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**Lot 552**



**Four: Corporal E. Scanlan, 2nd Battalion, Argyll & Sutherland Highlanders, who died of dysentery as a Prisoner of War of the Japanese in March 1942 India General Service 1936-39, 1 clasp, North West Frontier 1936-37 (2979681 Pte. E. Scanlan. A. & S. H.), attempted erasure over naming; 1939-45 Star; Pacific Star; War Medal 1939-45, very fine (4)**Edward Scanlan was born in 1912, the son of Edward and Mary and husband of Mrs L. Scanlan of Acregate Lane South, Preston, Lancashire. Having been educated at St Ignatius' School and worked at the Horrockses Crewdson & Co. Mill as a weaver, he joined the British Army in 1934. Having served on the North-West Frontier, he served with the 2nd Battalion, Argyll & Sutherland Highlanders in the Battle of Malaya. The book *Moon over Malaya - A Tale of Argylls and Marines* gives excellent details of their struggles and the epic last stand at Singapore. Scanlan himself would have been one of the gallant band of just 94 - mainly from 'A' Company - to come out of the Battle of Slim River in January 1942, with the majority of their comrades going 'in the bag' at this point. Joined together in late January with the scant few Marines to also live to fight another day, they managed to also take on a few survivors from the Repulse and Prince of Wales to form the 'Plymouth Argylls'. It was a futile act, for they were to themselves go into captivity at the Fall of Singapore, Scanlan recorded as having been captured on 15 February 1942. He was clearly suffering from the effects of a bruising campaign and fell ill. The good soldier died of dysentery on 1 March 1942 and is buried in the Kuala Lumpur (Cheras Road) Civil Cemetery. His grave is further inscribed: 'THE GREATEST BATTLE EVER FOUGHT, IT WAS FOUGHT BY THE MOTHERS OF MEN'. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

**Estimate  
£160 to £200**

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**Lot 553**

(x) Eight: Gunner H. Orman, Royal Artillery India General Service 1936-39, 1 clasp, North West Frontier 1937-39 (86899 Gnr. H.B. Orman R.A.); General Service 1918-62, 1 clasp, Palestine (868899 Gnr. H. Orman. R.A.); 1939-45 Star; Africa Star, clasp, 8th Army; Italy Star; France and Germany Star; Defence and War Medals 1939-45, sold together with an archive of original material, contact marks, good very fine (8) Harold Bertram Orman was born at Christchurch, Hampshire on 30 August 1920 and enlisted in the Royal Artillery on 30 August 1937. Serving on the North West Frontier of India, Palestine in the 7th Field Regiment he entered the Second World War with 132 (Welsh) Field Regiment. Oram was reported wounded in the Middle East, this was subsequently deleted in error. The Battery served as part of the 78 Infantry Division, being posted to Centuripe and Foggia in Sicily from 19 July 1943-4 August 1943. Returning to North Africa for the rest of 1943 he returned home until 1 June 1944 before being deployed to North West Europe until 7 March 1945. From there he again returned home until 17 April 1945 followed by North West Europe until 5 March 1946. Discharged to the Reserve on 13 July 1946 his conduct was described as exemplary. Orman died at Newbridge on 3 July 1979; sold together with his original certificate of service, original soldiers release book, copied certificate of education and research. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£140 to £180

**Lot 554**

(x) Seven: Electrician C. Milburn, Royal Navy 1939-45 Star; Atlantic Star; Africa Star; War Medal 1939-45; Korea 1950-53 (P/MX.844104 C. Milburn El. R.N.); U.N. Korea 1950-54; Royal Navy L.S. & G.C., G.V.I.R. (MX.844104. C. Milburn. E1. H.M.S. Adamant.), pitting and contact marks, very fine (7) Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£180 to £220

**Lot 555**

(x) Six: Chief Engine Room Artificer A. W. G. Mason, Royal Navy 1939-45 Star; Atlantic Star; Africa Star, clasp, North Africa 1942-43; War Medal 1939-45; Naval General Service 1915-62, 2 clasps, S.E. Asia 1945-46, Near East (P/MX.55185. A W.G. Mason. E.R.A.3 R.N.); Royal Navy L.S. & G.C., E.II.R. (MX. 55185. A.W.G. Mason. C.E.R.A. H.M.S. Glasgow), mounted as worn, official correction to number on NGS, contact marks, overall, very fine (6) Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£100 to £140



Lot 556

**IMAGE  
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(x) The campaign group of five awarded to Leading Seaman F. N. Cassidy, Royal Navy, who was awarded the D.S.M. in 1945 1939-45 Star; Atlantic Star; Africa Star; War Medal 1939-45; Royal Navy L.S. & G.C., G.V.I.R. (J.96449 F. N. Cassidy. Ldg. Smn. H.M.S. Rodney.), some pitting, very fine (5)[D.S.M.] London Gazette 3 July 1945. Francis Noel Cassidy was born at Kingstown, Dublin on 11 August 1904 and enlisted with the Royal Navy as Boy Class II on 27 January 1920. He reached his majority on 11 February 1922 with H.M.S. Valient being appointed Ordinary Seaman and later advanced Able Seaman on 11 August 1922. Further promoted Leading Seaman on 27 September 1933 with the Battleship H.M.S. Rodney, Cassidy was serving with the destroyer Decoy on the outbreak of the Second World War. This vessel began the war in the Mediterranean and remained there for Cassidy's service with her barring a brief posting to West Africa. Returning to the Mediterranean she participated in the Bombardment of Bardia and the sinking of the Italian submarines Console Generale Liuzzi and Argonauta. Later seeing action at the Battle of Calabria Decoy went on the see heavy action with several Malta Convoys, eventually being damaged on a run with Convoy ME3. While she was repaired Cassidy removed to the fighter catapult ship Maplin on 8 May 1941 while she was service as a training ship. Goes ashore in August 1943 he appears to have joined the destroyer H.M.S. Keats at some stage afterwards. Seedie's Roll notes he was awarded the D.S.M. for his good work during the destruction of a U-Boat. Cassidy was discharged from H.M.S. Drake on 29 October 1945. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£220 to £260

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**Lot 557**



(x) Nine: Petty Officer, W. M. Coleman, Royal Australian Navy later Police Inspector, New South Wales Police 1939-45 Star; Atlantic Star; Africa Star, clasp North Africa 1942-43, detached; Pacific Star; Defence and War Medal 1939-45, all officially engraved '13265 W M Coleman'; Australia Service Medal (13265 W M Coleman) officially impressed naming; Coronation 1953 (W.M. Coleman), engraved naming; Police Exemplary Service Medal, E.II.R. (William Marton Coleman), good very fine (9) William Marton Coleman was born on 10 November 1906 at Auckland, New Zealand. He enlisted in the Royal Australian Navy on 25 August 1921 and was posted to H.M.A.S. Tingira followed by postings at Cerberus, Sydney, Brisbane, Adelaide and lastly Canberra on 14 July 1928, serving aboard her until he was discharged on 10 April 1930. He joined the New South Wales police force on 2 July 1930 as a police constable and when war was declared he enlisted in the Royal Australian Navy on 28 November 1940 and posted to H.M.A.S. Penguin. He served mostly on destroyers including Norman, Quickmatch, Napier, Quiberon, Warramunga and was shore discharged on 4 January 1946. The war over he returned to the New South Wales Police force being promoted Senior Constable on 2 July 1947, Sergeant 1st class on 13 July 1962 and Inspector 3rd class on 30 April 1965. He retired from the police force on 9 November 1966. Coleman died on 20 December 1970; sold together with copied research, his record of service from the NSW police. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£100 to £140

**Lot 558**



(x) Five: Chief Stoker J. P. N. Richards, Royal Navy 1939-45 Star; Atlantic Star; Africa Star, clasp, North Africa 1942-42; War Medal 1939-45; Royal Navy L.S. & G.C., G.V.I.R. (K.66231 J. P. N. Richards. S.P.O. H.M.S. Hermes.), good very fine (5) Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£120 to £160

### Lot 559



The 'Coastal Command' group of five attributed to Flight Sergeant B.R.C. Conway, 210 Squadron, Royal Air Force, who was lost without trace during an escort for shipping off the coast of Morocco on 11 November 1942. 1939-45 Star; Atlantic Star; Africa Star; Defence and War Medals 1939-45, unnamed as issued, in their box of issue addressed to O.H. Conway Esq, 109 Windham Road, Bournemouth, Hampshire, very fine and better (5) Basil Robert Coffin Conway was born at Bournemouth in October 1923, the son of Owen Humphrey Conway, a furniture dealer in Bournemouth. Educated initially at Malmsbury Park school he gained a scholarship to enter Bournemouth school in 1934. A keen member of the school's O.T.C. he was a member of the team which fired for the school at Bisley in 1938. Matriculating in July 1938 he entered the Royal Air Force at Cranwell as an aircraft apprentice in January 1939 aged just 15 years old. After completing his training he joined 210 squadron at Oban, Scotland in November 1941. Up until the time he was reported missing he had completed over 1000 hours operational flying which included three trips to Russia. When World War II began, detachments from No. 210 Squadron were sent to Invergordon and Sullom Voe. On 9 April 1940 the first RAF aircraft, a Sunderland was shot down over Sylling, Norway. In July 1940 the squadron moved to RAF Oban and began to re-equip with the Consolidated Catalina. The squadron returned to Pembroke Dock in October 1942, with a detachment based at Gibraltar. Conway was 19 years old when the Consolidated Catalina he was a crew member of (W 8416) failed to return from a coastal protection mission over Casablanca on 11 November 1942. He is commemorated on the Malta Memorial. Sold together with a photograph album compiled by Conway, newspaper cuttings and some letters sent by the recipient home, a CD containing ORB's, copied research and a studio photo of Conway. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£300 to £400

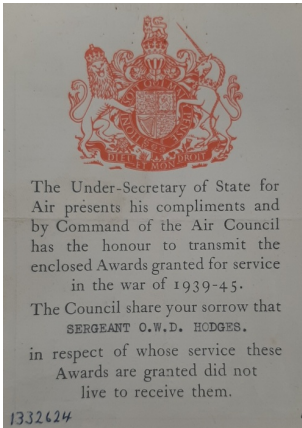
### Lot 560



Five: Leading Aircraftsman T. A. Hoxley, Royal Auxiliary Air Force 1939-45 Star; Atlantic Star; Defence and War Medals 1939-45; Air Efficiency Award. G.V.I.R. (840349. L.A.C. T. A. Hoxley. A.A.F.), court mounted for display, light contact marks and polishing, otherwise very fine (5) Air Efficiency Award London Gazette 1 July 1948. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£100 to £150

### Lot 561



**Four: Sergeant O. W. D. Hodges, No. 9 Squadron, Royal Air Force, who was Killed in Action on 18 October 1943 1939-45 Star; Air Crew Europe Star; Defence and War Medals 1939-45 (1332624 Sgt. O. W. D. Hodges. R.A.F.), engraved naming, sold together with a named box of issue and medal slip of issue named 'Sergeant O.W.D. Hodges', good very fine (4)Oswald William Douglas Hodges was born at Nottingham, Nottinghamshire in July 1921, the son of William and Constance Hodges. Attesting with the Royal Air Force Hodges began flying with No. 9 Squadron. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.**

**Estimate  
£300 to £400**

### Lot 562



**Three: Sergeant H. A. Tune, No. 110 Squadron, Royal Air Force, who was Killed in Action when his aircraft crashed returning from a raid over Emden Harbour 1939-45 Star; Air Crew Europe Star; War Medal 1939-45 (581552 Sgt. H. A. Tune. R.A.F.), contemporarily engraved naming, sold together with a medal slip of issue named to 'Sergeant H. A. Tune' and a named box of issue, good very fine (3)Harold Arthur Tune was born at Bath, Somerset in June 1919, the son of Arthur and Edith Elizabeth Tune. Attesting with No. 110 Squadron he joined them flying Blenheims out of Wattisham, Suffolk as an Observer. His first mission with them was over the River Lek on 3 July 1940 seeing seven missions throughout the month. They next month proved even more intense with a total of eight missions carried out, the Squadron Summary of Events notes what followed on 30 August 1940, stating: 'Crews of two sections were briefed at 1600 hours and were standing-by at 2130 hours to operate against shipping in Emden harbour. Six aircraft took off between 2135 hours and 2230 hours 30/8/40. (For details of crews see appending 432). Four aircraft bombed primary target, Two aircraft could not locate target but one aircraft bombed unidentified aerodrome, one aircraft abandoned task. R. 3773, assumed to have bombed target, on return crash at Offton near Wattisham. The pilot, P/O Price and the Observer, Sgt. Tune were killed, and Sgt. McDonald W/Op. Air gunner was seriously injured.' Tune is buried at Dunkerton (All Saints) Churchyard; sold together with copied research and original material comprising, the recipient's Death Certificate, a box of issue addressed to 'Mrs E. E. Moore Ellsmore, Writhlington, Nr. Bath Somerset.' and a medal slip of issue. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.**

**Estimate  
£300 to £400**



### Lot 563



The 'Singapore P.O.W.' campaign group of three attributed to Private L. H. Fisk, 5th Suffolk Regiment who was captured following the fall of Singapore and incarcerated at P.O.W. camps in Thailand for the remainder of the war; he undoubtedly worked on the infamous Thai-Burma railway 1939-45 Star; Pacific Star; War Medal 1939-45, sold together with an archive of original paperwork including named documents, very fine (3) Leslie Harold Fisk was born at London on 3 April 1920. At the time of his enlistment in the 5th Battalion Suffolk Regiment he was living at Beddingfield, Suffolk. In October 1941 prior to embarking for overseas service he married Grace Clark at Cambridge. The 5th Battalion (T.A.) were part of the ill-fated 18th Division which comprised mostly of Territorials from the eastern counties, left for the Middle East in October 1941, was diverted to Singapore when Japan entered the war, arriving there on 29 January 1942. Immediately thrown into action they were involved in some early intensive actions in Malaya before retreating with the rest of the Allied forces to Singapore. Just over two weeks later Fisk and the 5th Battalion were 'put in the bag.' On 15 February 1942. Initially imprisoned at Changi, Singapore the Battalion left in cattle trucks as part of Letter Party 'R' on 31 October 1942, destination Thailand and what was to become the gruelling and hazardous work constructing the infamous Burma Thai Railway. It's testament to his resilience that he survived the privations as a prisoner of war of the Japanese. Sold together with copied research and an original archive comprising a letter from the Infantry Record office addressed to Fisk, his certificate of transfer to the Army Reserve, and his repatriated military pass with several notes issued during Japanese occupation. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£160 to £200

### Lot 564



(x) Four: Able Seaman W. K. Ninnis, Royal Australian Navy 1939-45 Star; Pacific Star, 1 clasp, Burma; Defence Medal 1939-45; Australia Service Medal 1939-45, all officially impressed 'P.A. 1743 W.K. Ninnis', sold together with a corresponding ribbon bar, very fine (4) Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£70 to £90

Lot 565



(x) Four: Sergeant P. A. C. Wilson, Royal Engineers, late Merchant Navy who as a member of 969 Port Floating Equipment Company would most likely have been involved in the building of the Mulberry Harbours at Normandy 1939-45 Star; Pacific Star; France and Germany Star; War Medal 1939-45, unnamed as issued, in box of issue addressed to 'Mr P.A.C. Wilson, 106 Berwick Road, Custom House, London E16', together with medal issue slip, very fine (4) Patrick Alfred Charles Wilson was born on 4 August 1907 at Plaistow, London. A Merchant Navy seaman he enlisted as a Sapper in the Royal Engineers on 27 October 1942 serving in the 982 Dredging Company and 969 Port Floating Equipment Company. Both were actively involved in the D Day landings. 969 Port Floating Equipment Company - Mulberry harbour, Normandy Two Mulberry harbours were built for D-Day. Mulberry A was constructed off Omaha Beach to supply US forces. Mulberry B was built off Gold Beach at Arromanches to supply British and Canadian troops. Mulberry A was destroyed in a storm a few days after it was built, whilst Mulberry B was operational for 10 months after the landings. The harbours were used to protect supply ships anchored off the coast of Normandy, north west France, after the D-Day landings of June 6, 1944. Supply ships needed to sit in deep water and so couldn't come in close to the shore. The harbours were intended to protect the ships from storms and enemy attack. The idea for floating harbours came from several people. Winston Churchill had suggested them as early as 1917. Captain G. Tarling writing in the 969 Port Floating Equipment Company war diary records that they landed on D+1 Day (7th June) at King's Beach (La Riviere) in a very understated fashion, the terrible weather. Detail is given of the extremely violent seas and the utmost danger faced by the incredibly committed teams of Officers and Men. Wilson as a member of 969 would most likely have been involved in the successful construction of the mulberry harbours. Wilson was discharged on 17 August 1944 and died at Bury St Edmunds on 11 July 1975; sold together with copied research and service records, letter from the General Register and Shipping office confirming the medals and Atlantic clasp, not with the group. Further reading about the construction of the mulberry harbour and 969 Port Floating Equipment Company can be found in the book, 'A Harbour Goes to War' by J. Evans, E. Palmer and R. Walter. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£100 to £140

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### Lot 566



(x) Family CollectionFour: Private B. R. Schonbeck, Australian Military Forces, who saw action in New GuineaPair: Private H. C. Schonbeck, Middlesex RegimentBritish War and Victory Medals (G-74051 Pte. H.C. Schonbeck. Midd'x R), very fine (2)1939-45 Star; Pacific Star; War Medal 1939-45; Australia Service Medal, all officially impressed 'NX 97569 B.R. Schonbeck', with box of issue, very fine (4)Henry Charles Schonbeck was born at Whitechapel, London in 1878, son of Johann Friedrich Christian Schönbeck of Atendorf, Germany. He served in the Middlesex Regiment during the Great War and in 1920 emigrated with his family to Sydney, Australia on the Beltana. Henry died at Katoomba on 11 September 1962.Bernard Roland Schonbeck was born in London on 7 October 1909. A truck driver he enlisted in the Australian Military Forces on 30 July 1942. Initially deployed at home in the Intelligence section he was posted to New Guinea on 28 October 1944 and served variously with the 2/11th, 2/1st and 2/3rd Battalions, clearing the Japanese from the Aitape - Wewar regions of New Guinea. He returned to Australia on 27 December 1945 and was discharged on 17 January 1946. Bernard died on 25 July 1999; sold together with copied research and service records.Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£80 to £100

### Lot 567



(x) Four: Squadron Leader J. B. Wilson, 34 and 35 Squadrons Royal Australian Air Force1939-45 Star; Pacific Star, these unnamed; War Medal; 1939-45; Australia Service Medal, both officially impressed '251568 J.B. Wilson', mounted as worn, very fine (4)James Ballantyne Wilson was born on 29 June 1902. A car salesman he was commissioned as a Flying Officer in the RAAF on 17 June 1940, advanced to Squadron Leader on 1 December 1943. His service record from the National Archives of Australia state that he participated in operational flights outside Australia with no. 34 & 35 squadrons. He was discharged on 27 November 1945 and died at Toorak, Victoria on 23 August 1976; sold together with copied research.Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£100 to £140

### Lot 568



(x) Five: Corporal G. R. Oram, Australian Military Forces Pacific Star; War Medal 1939-45; Australia Service Medal, all officially impressed 'NX 99698 G.R. Oram'; U.N. Korea 1950-54 (2/45119 G.R. Oram); Army L.S. & G.C., E.II.R., Australia (245119 Cpl G R Oram RASR), very fine (5) George Richard Oram was born on 22 February 1906 at Goulburn, New South Wales and enlisted in the Australian Military Forces at Sydney on 28 January 1943. Initially posted to the Australian Army Medical Corps Depot, he left Sydney on 23 August 1945 for the South West Pacific area with the 8th Mechanical Equipment Workshops, later serving with the Commonwealth Occupation Force in Japan. He returned to Sydney for a few months before returning to Japan with the 130th Australian General Hospital. Discharged on 15 July 1948 he re-enlisted the next day in the regular army and given a new service number. He was discharged on 22 February 1961 and lived at Mosman, New South Wales. Oram died on 31 January 1988; sold together with copy service records and research. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£60 to £80

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### Lot 569



(x) Six: Staff Sergeant L. T. Udall, Glider Pilot Regiment, late Hampshire Regiment 1939-45 Star; Burma Star; France and Germany Star; Defence and War Medals 1939-45; General Service 1918-62, 1 clasp, Palestine 1945-48 (5501795 S. Sjt. L. T. Udall. A.A.C.), mounted as worn as a group of four and a separate pair, good very fine (6) Leslie Thomas Udall was born on 4 October 1922, he originally enlisted into the Hampshire Regiment and transferred to the Royal Engineers on 4 January 1940. He then served with the Glider Pilot Regiment as a Sergeant and appears in the War Diary of No.1 Wing on 1 April 1944 as part of the News of the World Relay Race team. He is later confirmed on the roll for the Palestine 1945-48 clasp, serving with No.1 Wing, Glider Pilot Regiment. Udall died in 1979. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£300 to £400

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**Lot 570**

A fine Burma and later South East Asia campaign group awarded to Captain K. F. C. Warburton 24th Mountain Regiment, Indian Artillery who was wounded on 15 February 1944 going through the Ngakyedauk Pass to help relieve the 7th Division in the Admin Box at Sinzweya. The 24th Indian Mountain Regiment provided much needed artillery support during the battle of Kohima; post war Warburton was an Assam tea planter. Six: 1939-45 Star; Burma Star; Defence and War Medals 1939-45; General Service 1918-62, 1 clasp, S.E. Asia 1945-46 (Major K F C Warburton RA); Efficiency Medal, clasp Territorial (Capt. K. F. C. Warburton RA), court mounted for display, very fine (6). Efficiency Medal London Gazette 15 October 1996. Kenneth Frederick Charles Warburton was born on 19 January 1917 at Godstone, Surrey. He enlisted in the 63rd Field Brigade Royal Artillery on 7 April 1938, posted a year later to the 96th City of London Field Regiment, TA before being commissioned Second Lieutenant on 30 May 1941 being posted to the 24th Mountain Regiment, Indian Artillery, 20th Battery, on 13 September 1942 for service in Burma. He was wounded on 15 February 1944 going through the Ngakyedauk Pass to help relieve 7th Division in the Admin Box at Sinzweya, receiving a gunshot wound to the right shoulder and a grenade wound in the right leg. The 24th Indian Mountain Regiment, part of 161 Brigade 5th Indian Division, delivered accurate fire when & where needed during the first battle of Kohima, 3 to 16 April 1944, from their position at Jotsoma. He was posted to the Mountain Artillery Training centre from 21 April 1944 until 20 April 1945. His final posting was Adjutant to the 24th Mountain Regiment for service in the Dutch East Indies; the 24th Mountain Regiment again provided artillery support during the bloody battle of Surabaya, 10th to 24th November 1945. Warburton was discharged in April 1946. Post war Warburton was a tea planter at the Katonibari Tea Estate in Assam, he died at Bournemouth on 21 June 2014. Sold together with copied research, his officers record of service, Army book 439, Efficiency medal box of issue, badges, buttons, Indian Artillery shoulder titles. For his uniform see lot: 976. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£500 to £600

**Lot 571**

(x) Five: Private D. P. Green, Royal Army Service Corps 1939-45 Star; Burma Star; Defence and War Medals 1939-45; General Service Medal 1918-62, 2 clasps, S.E. Asia 1945-56, Malaya (T.14445871. Pte. D. P. Green. R.A.S.C.), minor pitting and contact marks, very fine (5). Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£140 to £180

**Lot 572**



**(x) Six: Acting Sergeant G. F. Barlow, Royal Air Force 1939-45 Star; Burma Star; Defence and War Medals 1939-45; General Service 1918-62, 1 clasp, Arabian Peninsula (935587 Act. Sgt. G. F. Barlow. R.A.F.); Royal Air Force L.S. & G.C., E.II.R. (935587 Act. Sgt. G. F. Barlow. R.A.F.), light pitting and contact marks, very fine (6) Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.**

**Estimate  
£120 to £160**

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**Lot 573**



**Five: Corporal W. C. Naylar, Royal Air Force 1939-45 Star; Burma Star; Defence and War Medals 1939-45; General Service 1918-62, 1 clasp, Cyprus (1324616 Cpl. W. C. Naylar R.A.F.), mounted as worn, together with uniform riband bar, very fine (5) Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.**

**Estimate  
£60 to £80**

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Lot 574



(x) Seven: Staff Sergeant W. H. Davis, 19th Infantry Brigade, 6th Division, Australian Force, who saw service with his unit in Greece 1939-45 Star; Africa Star; Pacific Star; Defence and War Medals 1939-45; Australian Service Medal 1939-45, all officially named 'WX371 W. H. Davis'; Greece, Kingdom, War Medal 1940-41, good very fine (7) William Henderson Davis was born on 21 June 1916 and worked as a miner prior to enlisting on 7 November 1939 with the Australian Imperial Force. Initially joining the 2/11th Battalion he was embarked in spring 1940 and arrived in the Middle East on 18 May. Transferred to the Australian Army Service Corps, Davis was detached to serve with the 19th Australian Infantry Brigade on 17 June 1940. Transferred to the Brigade Headquarters he was promoted Corporal while there on 28 October, the unit was in action just three months later at the Battle of Bardia. Davis embarked for Greece just two months after the action in March 1941. There the 19th Brigade was rushed into action to stem the German advance, seeing their first engagement at the Battle of Vevi just a week after their arrival. They were driven back over the course of the month, finding themselves on the 'Thermopylae Line' by 24 April. Holding their ground there for two days the Brigade was finally evacuated on 26 April. He was present with the Brigade in Crete and later Davis joined them in Palestine in June 1941. Here they saw heavy action, with two men of the Brigade earning the V.C. in June and July. Davis was advanced Sergeant on 8 October 1941 and Warrant Officer Class II on 1 January 1942. Returning to the Middle East in February 1942 he was to serve there for over a year before returning to Australia on 31 October 1943. Posted to 2/2 Australian Pioneer Battalion on 19 November 1943, he joined the action at New Guinea being stationed in the Buna Base Area from 27 January 1944. There Davis was advanced Staff Sergeant on 2 September 1944, moving to Bougainville in September and finally being demobilised on 19 January 1945; sold together with copied research and a copied photograph. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£140 to £180

Lot 575



(x) Six: Gunner A. Wright, Royal Artillery 1939-45 Star; Africa Star; Burma Star; Defence and War 1939-45; Army L.S. & G.C., E.II.R. (22554919 Gnr. A. Wright. R.A.), mounted as worn, light contact wear, very fine (6) Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£50 to £70

Lot 576



(x) The campaign group of five awarded to Senior Commissioned Electrical Officer F. J. Dudley, Royal Australian Navy who served aboard H.M.A.S. Australia from July 1942 until August 1944, where she saw heavy action in the Pacific alongside American forces 1939-45 Star; Africa Star; Burma Star, clasp Pacific; War Medal 1939-45; Australia Service Medal, all officially impressed 'F.J. Dudley. R.A.N.', sold together with his corresponding dress miniatures, very fine (5) Francis John Dudley was born at Laneroo, South Australia, son of Ivon Dudley on 29 October 1913. He enlisted in the Royal Australian Navy on 5 June 1934 and appointed to HMAS Kangaroo until 10 April 1936 before being posted to Australia. On 22 June 1942 he was posted to the naval depot Cerberus until 6 July 1942. On 7 July 1942 having been recently appointed Warrant Electrician, he was posted back to the cruiser Australia. On 7 August 1942 she escorted American marines to the landing at Guadalcanal. Later that year she operated with American carriers in the Battle of the Solomons and in 1943 she operated continuously in the Coral Sea area in company with HMAS Hobart which was later sunk by a Japanese submarine. From December 1943 until September 1944, she was flag ship to Task 74 in several operational landings, Dudley however left Australia on 4 August 1944 and spent the remainder of the war shore based at Cerberus. Promoted to Senior Commissioned Electrical Officer on 1 October 1949, Dudley resigned his commission on 30 September 1952. He died at the young age of 47 on 21 October 1960; sold together copy service records. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£100 to £140

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### Lot 577



The group of seven to Flight Lieutenant L. P. Stuart-Smith, Royal Air Force, who flew as a test pilot but was tragically killed on 23 April 1959 when the Avro Super Trader IV aeroplane, which was carrying top secret equipment en route to Woomera, Australia, crashed into Mount Suphan, Turkey 1939-45 Star; Africa Star, clasp, North Africa 1942-43; Italy Star; France and Germany Star; Defence and War Medals 1939-45; Air Efficiency Award, E.II.R. (Flt. Lt. L. P. Stuart-Smith. R.A.F.V.R.), court mounted as worn, light toning to the last, otherwise very fine (7) Air Efficiency Award London Gazette 6 January 1955. Laurence Patrick Stuart-Smith was born at Epping, Essex on 2 August 1922. He enlisted into the Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve on 27 January 1941, and served in the Middle East and Italy. He was granted an Emergency Commission as a Pilot Officer in the General Duties Branch of the R.A.F.V.R. on 22 April 1943, promoted to Flying Officer (War Substantive) on 22 October 1943 and to Flight Lieutenant (War Substantive) on 22 April 1945. He finished his Second World War service serving with the Pathfinder Force flying Mosquitoes. He relinquished his Emergency Commission and was granted a Commission as a Flying Officer in the General Duties Branch of the R.A.F.V.R. on 11 June 1947. Stuart-Smith was promoted to Flight Lieutenant on 1 March 1951 and was awarded a Short Service Commission as a Flight Lieutenant in the Royal Air Force on 12 June 1952 and was then awarded a Permanent Commission as a Flight Lieutenant in the General Duties Branch on 1 April 1953. Stuart-Smith attended the Empire Test Pilot's School in 1954 and flew as a test pilot out of Boscombe Down, Wiltshire in 1955. He was placed on the Retired List on 15 August 1956 and joined Aviation Traders Ltd who were based at Southend Airport and made the maiden flight of the ATL-90 Accountant on 9 July 1957. He died in the air crash of 23 April 1959 when Avro Super Trader IV G-AGRH flew into Mount Suphan, Turkey, where all 12 passengers and crew were killed. G-AGRH was owned by Air Charter Limited, departed Ankara, Turkey, for a flight to Bahrain, which was a leg of a long cargo flight from the United Kingdom to Woomera Airfield in Australia. The aircraft was carrying twelve men and top-secret equipment for Woomera rocket range. Between Ankara and Teheran it used an air corridor which would take it over the middle of Lake Van, Turkey's largest lake, almost surrounded by mountains and situated close to the Soviet-Armenian border. At 08:14, the aircraft passed over Gemerek at FL115 and at 08:59 it passed over Elazig at FL135. The last position report was received at 09:26 over Mus. The aircraft had crashed and was found six days later on Mount Süphan, a little north of Lake Van. A special Royal Air Force mountain rescue team of six men from Nicosia, Cyprus reached the crash site at the top of the mountain some days later and demolished the plane wreckage with explosives after retrieving several important documents. There was unproven speculation that there were nuclear warheads in the cargo. An anonymous source alleged that, some years later, some local villagers who went to the wreck were diagnosed with cancer and died due to high exposure to the radioactive substances. The official investigation into the accident concluded that the aircraft, which had been flying on instruments, drifted north of its normal track because of strong winds and crashed into the mountain. Stronger-than-forecast winds may have been a contributing factor - an accurate bearing could not be obtained at Mus, and the wind forecast at Van had not been checked. In addition to this, sub-normal temperatures would have resulted in a high indicated altimeter reading and calculations on the flight and contacts with beacons were not coordinated and controlled; sold with copied research. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£200 to £300

### Lot 578



Seven: Inspector A. E. Gouge, Police Force, late British Army 1939-45 Star; Africa Star; Italy Star; France and Germany Star; Defence and War Medals 1939-45; Police L.S. & G.C., E.II.R. (Insp. Albert E. Gouge), court mounted as worn, very fine (7) William Alfred Gouge who had served with the Royal Marines from 13 April 1908 - 26 October 1928 when he is declared as "Dead". He had reached the rank of Drum Major from 11 November 1920, serving with the Royal Marine Depot and is entitled to a 1914-15 Star trio for his Great War service and was further awarded his L.S. & G.C. on 29 May 1927; sold together with the service parchment to his father. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£70 to £100

### Lot 579



A campaign group of seven awarded to Lieutenant E. T. Jones, Royal Artillery, late Welsh Guards, who was commissioned in 1940 and 'Mentioned' for his services in Italy in 1944 1939-45 Star; Africa Star; Italy Star; Defence and War Medal 1939-45, with M.I.D. oak leaf; Army L.S. & G.C., G.V.I.R. (2731211 W. O. Cl. II. E. T. Jones. R.A.); Army Rifle Shooting Association, the naming engraved '1211 Gdsm Jones. E.T. Y.S.C. Cup 1922, Welsh Guards', hallmarked for Birmingham 1922, light contact marks, very fine (7) M.I.D. London Gazette 24 August 1944: '...in recognition of gallant and distinguished services in Italy.' Edward Thomas Jones served with the Welsh Guards prior to the outbreak of the Second World War. He was serving as a Battery Sergeant-Major with the Royal Artillery on the outbreak of war and was commissioned Lieutenant on 20 June 1940. Further advanced Captain in September 1942 he was finally promoted Major on 8 September 1944; sold together with copied and handwritten research. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£180 to £220

### Lot 580



The poignant campaign group of four awarded to Private W. B. Lawton, 1/5th Battalion, The Queen's (Royal West Surrey) Regiment, who took his own life whilst on leave home on 24 January 1944 1939-45 Star; Africa Star, clasp, 8th Army; Italy Star; War Medal 1939-45, with Army Council condolence slip in the name of 'Pte. W. B. Lawton' and postage box, this addressed to his mother 'Mrs. S. Lawton. 25. Ridley. Ave, Chester-le-Street, Co. Durham', good very fine, together with his cap badge (4) William Brabant Lawton was born in October 1915, the son of Sarah & William Brabant Gray Lawton of Chester-le-Street, Durham. He enlisted into The Queen's Regiment on 18 April 1940 and served overseas with the 1/5th Battalion in North Africa & Italy. Whilst on leave home - probably for Christmas - he sadly committed suicide on 24 January 1944, his body being found decapitated on the railway lines near Black Path, some 300 yards south of Chester-le-Street railway station. He is buried in the Ropery Lane Cemetery under a C.W.G.C. headstone, which reads 'His life a beautiful memory. Worth of everlasting remembrance.' Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£60 to £80

**Estimate**  
**£80 to £100**

**£80 to £100**

Lot 582



Four: Trooper F. Fairclough, 44th Battalion, Royal Tank Regiment, who was taken Prisoner of War in Sicily and whilst imprisoned committed sabotage 'on every occasion possible' 1939-45 Star; Africa Star, 8th Army clasp, detached; Italy Star; War Medal 1939-45, sold together with named and addressed box of issue, Soldier's Release Book and an archive of original material, good very fine (4) Frank Fairclough was born on 14 November 1910 and was living at 127 Eccleshall Street, Manchester in 1939, prior to enlistment on 26 June 1941 with the Royal Tank Regiment. He saw service in North Africa and was later part of the British forces during Operation Husky, the Allied invasion of Sicily. There the 44th Battalion was serving with the 1st Army Tank Brigade. After the initial landings, Catania was one of the early objects for the invasion force, part of General Alexander's Operation Instruction No 1. They pushed up the coast road and managed to take the city but only after heavy fighting which saw Fairclough taken prisoner of war on 16 July 1943. Taken to Capua first he was moved from Italy to Austria in October and put to work at Stalag 18 as a labourer in a paper mill. Whilst there his Prisoner of War Questionnaire notes: 'On every occasion possible, I committed sabotage, such as, sand in electric motors, loosening bolts likely to cause stoppage and organising go-slow campaigns.' Despite this he remained employed at the mill until April 1945 when he was moved to Stalag 18C and liberated the next month. He noted additional in his questionnaire: 'I should like to state that I was man of con. At A.91.GW. Pils, Nr. Judenbirg [sic], Stalag 18A. & received very friendly treatment and important B.B.C. news from two persons. One Herr. Franz Gurgli and one Frau Maria Siedl, these two persons often gave our boys food, which was very acceptable under the conditions.' Upon his return Fairclough was married in the Summer of 1955; sold together with copied research and an extensive original archive comprising: i) A large collection of photographs, many annotated, including images of the recipient and his service especially in the Desert. ii) A large quantity of Correspondence and documentation addressed to the recipient. iii) A newspaper clipping related to his return from captivity. iv) A copy of Action News Service dated 21 May 1940. v) Correspondence specifically relating to the recipient's time as a Prisoner of War. vi) Pension information. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£160 to £200

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Lot 583



Six: Lieutenant V. Blyth, 1st Battalion, Transvaal Scottish attached 2nd Battalion Sherwood Foresters, who was seriously wounded in action in Italy on 5 October 1944 by a gun shot wound to the chest 1939-45 Star; Africa Star; Italy Star; Defence and War Medals 1939-45; South African Service Medal 1939-45, all officially impressed '26848 V. Blyth', good very fine (6) Victor Blyth was born at Johannesburg, South Africa on 2 November 1918 and worked as a Stores Assistant whilst also joining the Union Defence Force with the 1st Battalion, Transvaal Scottish in 1939. Mobilised on 20 May 1940 as a Sergeant he served in Mombasa with that formation. Posted to Suez in June 1941 he returned to South Africa in October and was transferred to the 1st City Regiment on 25 June 1942 for service in the Madagascar campaign. He served there until December 1942, the month after the Vichy Regime capitulated and again returned to the Union when he joined a cadet training programme. Commissioned 2 Lieutenant in February 1944 Blyth was seconded to the British Armed Forces and joined the 2nd Battalion, Sherwood Foresters in Italy. Advanced Lieutenant on 8 September 1944 he was still there a month later: 'At 0600 hrs. The reinforcement, a platoon of "A" Company under Lieut. Blyth, having set out without news from "C" Company, were held up by fire half way up the razor-back approach and were forced to dig in in that very exposed position. Then, at 1500 hrs., "A" Company was warned to take part in a night attack on the feature in conjunction with the K.S.L.I. Accordingly, at dusk, the platoon was withdrawn from their uncomfortable position, and a little later "A" Company advanced up the hill. On arrival at the top the force, under Capt. P. A. Hewitt, found a platoon of K.S.L.I. already there to his left. He immediately organised the defence of the hill on a four-platoon basis. Once again digging in commenced, and once again a ferocious counter-attack was launched from the reverse slopes, organised from the twin hill, which scattered the unfortunate "A" Company in disorder. Capt. Hewitt withdrew his battered force down the hill again. Amongst his casualties were Lieut. Blyth and one of the Company's staunchest men, Pte. Jolley, who was missing with six others. The wounded had to be left behind.' Blyth was taken to the British Casualty Clearing Station at Borgo San Lorenzo, near Florence, he was reported to have suffered from a gunshot wound to the chest which had fractured his right rib. Discharged on 13 July 1945 he returned to South Africa the next month; sold together with copied service papers. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£140 to £180

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## Lot 584



'Anyhow that was one of the few bits of luck we did manage to have, because after a short stay in the Hellfire Box- long enough to cover the blowing of the famous Pass- we began our journeyings once more, at Mersa Matruh were nearly cut off by elements of three enemy divisions. These gentlemen lost no time in sorting us out, having already cut the road behind us in copy-book fashion. When it seemed a dead cert that we should go neatly into the bag, orders were received to try and make a break for it. None who were present at that conference will ever forget the atmosphere; it was evident that many would not make the rendezvous, and it seemed hard to think that years of training only led to this'from Mediterranean Journey: The Story of the 1/4th Essex, quoted in The Eagle magazine The well-documented campaign group of five awarded to Private A. P. McCarthy, 1/4th Battalion, Essex Regiment, whose unit saw some of the heaviest fighting of the Second World War at Hellfire Pass and Mersa Matruh, where McCarthy was fortunate to evade capture only to rally at El Alamein and drive the Germans back, seeing action in Italy at Monte Cassino 1939-45 Star; Africa Star, clasp, 8th Army; Italy Star; Defence and War Medals 1939-45, sold together with a large archive of original material included the named box of issue, good very fine (5) Albert Percy McCarthy was born at Shoreditch, London on 5 November 1917, the son of Edward McCarthy, by 1939 he was working as a Clerk in a Cotton Wool Manufacturer. Enlisting with the Essex Regiment he was assigned the service number 6021592 and joined the 1/4th Battalion. The Battalion was initially posted to Serria Leone and then, by way of Egypt, to Palestine. They were there when Rommel began his operations in Libya and swift German victories saw the Battalion rushed back to the front. They arrived in time to cover the retreat from the Hellfire Box and pulled back with the rest of the British forces to Egypt where they were posted to the fortress town of Mersa Matruh. There another serious defeat awaited the British as X Corps found itself surrounded lost almost half its number with the men of the 1/4th Essex forced to attempt a breakout. In the event of the 400 men to make the run for freedom some 260 managed to evade capture, including McCarthy. Unlike most of the mauled Corps the Essex were back in the line for action during the First Battle of El Alamein which halted the German advance. Later taking part in the Second Battle which began the final German withdrawal from the Middle East, a list of posting written by the recipient includes an annotation after the Fall of Tunis noting 'Battle over in Egypt'. The Regiment returned to Alexandria and spent some time in Syria before being post to Italy in November 1943. They joined the 8th Army front in January 1944 and were present at Cassino from 10 February-28 March which would put them there during the Second and Third attempts on Monte Cassino. Surviving the brutal fighting McCarthy went on to serve in Italy for some time before being transferred to Greece in November 1944 until February 1945 whereupon he was posted to Britain; sold together with copied research and an archive of original material comprising: i) Large photo album and a number of loose photographs, the album including both photographs and a list of postings both typed and handwritten, annotated by the recipient. ii) A copy of The Eagle magazine, detailing some of the actions the 1/4th Essex Battalion fought. iii) Several newspaper articles relating to the War in the Desert and 4th Indian Division in particular. iv) An Essex Regiment cloth shoulder title. v) The Personal Christmas Message from the Army Commander in 1943. vi) Soldier's Release Book. vii) Old Comrades association Service of Remembrance order of service and roll of honour. viii) National Registration I.D. card named to the recipient. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£120 to £160

**Lot 585**



**Six: Colour Sergeant H. Lancaster, Duke of Wellington's Regiment, late York and Lancaster Regiment, who was wounded at Salerno and taken Prisoner of War 1939-45 Star; Africa Star; Italy Star; War Medal 1939-45; Korea 1950-53 (21013003 C.Sjt. H. Lancaster. D.W.R.); U.N. Korea 1950-54, overall very fine (6) Harold Lancaster was born on 9 December 1938 and enlisted on 1 October 1942. He served with the 6th Battalion York and Lancaster Regiment with the number 14355009 during the Second World War. Seeing service with his battalion during the Salerno Landings, Lancaster was wounded there on 12 October 1943. He was later posted as missing in action on 22 January 1944 and soon confirmed to be in German hands, a newspaper article relates: 'News has been received that Pte. Harold Lancaster, whose home address is 152, Westfield-rd., Hull, and who was previously reported missing, is now a prisoner of war in German hands Before joining the Army he was an employee of the Hull Coronation.' Lancaster spent the rest of the war at in Stalag 4f Harmansdorf, Chemnitz. He was liberated by the Americans in March 1945 and recalled for the Korean War with the Duke of Wellington's Regiment. He was later to serve as Company Quartermaster Sergeant at Gibraltar in 1955 with the same unit; sold together with copied casualty lists and a photograph of the '1st Battalion Duke of Wellington's WOs & Sgts Mess - Gibraltar 1955'. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.**

**Estimate  
£220 to £260**

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Lot 586



Six: Sergeant H. Taylor, Royal Artillery, who was captured at Tobruk and successfully escaped from Italy, returning to service 1939-45 Star; Africa Star; Italy Star; War Medal 1939-45; Efficiency Medal, G.V.I.R., Territorial (1432848. Sjt. H. Taylor. R.A.); Italy, Republic, unofficial, Associazione Nazionale Reduci Dalla Prigionia Al Merito Medal, bronze, good very fine (6) Harry Talor was born on 5 September 1914, a native of Woodthorpe, Nottingham and worked as a Warehouse Manager prior to enlistment. He joined the 68th Heavy Anti-Aircraft Battery on 24 May 1938 being posted to the Middle East and posted to the Garrison of Tobruk. Taylor was there when the German and Italian armies encircled the town after the Battle of Gazala in June 1942. After several probing attacks from 15-20 June the Germans were in position to attack. They broke through the British lines on 20 June and by 21 June the British forces were forced to surrender, some units continued to fight until 22 June including Taylor's as he was captured on that day. Taken to Italy via Brindisi Taylor was initially held at Camp 87 until November when he was moved to Camp 78 at Sulmona. He was still there in September 1943 when the Armistice was signed between Italy and the Allies. It was then that Taylor and a group of others escaped, getting through the wire and escaping to the hills, his attempt was described in his escape questionnaire notes that it is the same as Sergeant Prout's (Staff Sergeant Alan George Prout, R.E.M.E.) which states: 'Tpr. Hill and Gnr. Delury were last seen at Piennadimonte on 3 Nove 1942 and are believed to have been recaptured as they tried to get through German positions in daytime. From Sulmona they [Prout and his escapers including Taylor] went to Caramanico, Piennadimonte, Civitello Del Raimondo, Torricella, Castiglione, Sargito, and Torella where they met 48 Canadian Highland Regt. on 10 November 1943. They were helped en route by farmers and the whole journey was made on foot. When crossing the R. Sangro 2 Italian soldiers assisted them.' Prout's own questionnaire notes Domenico Di Monti, of Caramanica as a man who gave food and shelter to the escapers as well as looking after a badly wounded soldier. Taylor's medals were sent to 'Flat 3, 200 Mansfield Rd, Nottingham'; sold together with copied research. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£200 to £240

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Lot 587



Five: Corporal W. G. Floyd, No. 3 Commando, late Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry, who was wounded during the famed Dieppe Raid and Killed in Action during Operation Devon - the Termoli Raid - an action recently featured in SAS Rogue Heroes 1939-45 Star; Africa Star; Italy Star; Defence and War Medals 1939-45, with Condolence slip in the name of 'Cpl. W. G. Floyd' and in named card box of issue to 'Mr J. R. Floyd, 41 West End, Redruth, Cornwall', good very fine, the medals mounted on an frame with No. 3 Commando shoulder title (Lot) William Gerald Floyd was the son of James and Winifred Floyd of Redruth, Cornwall. Having served with the D.C.L.I., he joined No. 3 Commando and was wounded in action at Operation Jubilee - the Dieppe Raid - on 19 August 1942. Floyd was killed in action during the Termoli Raid. He is buried in the Sangro River War Cemetery and commemorated upon the Redruth Memorial. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£300 to £500

Lot 588



Five: Private S. V. J. Gore, Royal Army Service Corps, who was taken Prisoner of War during the Liberation of Greece in December 1944 1939-45 Star; Africa Star, clasp, 8th Army; Italy Star; Defence and War Medals 1939-45, mounted recently for wear, sold together with an archive of original material, good very fine (5) Stanley Victore John Gore served with the Royal Army Service Corps and was taken prisoner of war in Greece on 13 December 1944. Not long after the outbreak of the Dekemvriana in mainland Greece, it is unclear whether Gore went 'in the bag' in Greece itself or on the Dodecanese although there were no major actions in the latter theatre at the time. After his release Gore went to work as a window cleaner, a newspaper obituary states: 'Window Cleaner Dies Known to many Bradstonians for several years as one of the town's few window cleaners, Mr. Stanley Victor John Gore died on Friday, aged 53. Mr Gore, who had recently moved to St. Peter's Park-road, Broadstairs, from Beacon-road, St. Peter's, died in Margate Hospital after an illness of about two months. His elder brother, Harry, died about 3 ½ years ago, prior to which for many years they worked together in the town as Gore Brothers. Their late mother lived in Prospect-road. The general service for Mr. Gore, who leaves a widow, step-daughter and sister, will take place at St. Peter's Church today, followed by the cremation at Thanet Crematorium, Margate.' Sold together with copied research and an archive of original material including: i) Soldier's Release Book, named and numbered. ii) Medal slip of issue and entitlement letter. iii) Named particulars of reservist slip. iv) Three photographs including 2 of the recipient. v) Four postcard photographs of soldiers in uniform, some believed to be the recipient and others his father, all either annotated or used as correspondence. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£120 to £160

Lot 589



The campaign group of seven awarded to Private E. Jackson, HQ Company, 1st Parachute Brigade, 1st Airborne Division, one of the 'best of the best' who was taken a Prisoner of War at the Battle of Arnhem on 21 September 1944. 1939-45 Star; Africa Star; Italy Star; France & Germany Star; Defence and War Medals 1939-45; Efficiency Medal, G.V.I.R. Territorial (2042593 Pte. E. Jackson. Para Regt.), mounted as worn, very fine (7)

Empsall Jackson was born at Battysford, Yorkshire on 4 February 1918 and joined the Royal Engineers in May 1937. He may have served that unit during the 1940 campaign but latterly joined the Parachute Regiment. It was with the HQ Company, 1st Parachute Brigade, arguably the 'best of the best' of this elite force which he served at the Battle of Arnhem - he had also been photographed with them in June 1944 at Belton House, Lincs. They formed the Defence Platoon for Brigadier Lathbury in the houses immediately next to Arnhem Bridge until their CO was wounded on 18 September. When Frost took over, Jackson and his comrades held true till the bitter end. It was understood that just three of their number which had totalled 82 escaped being killed or captured. Jackson went 'in the bag' on 21 September 1944. Whilst in a working camp at Dresden, he was put to work repairing bomb damage but was admitted to hospital for some three weeks whilst there with a severe skin complaint. He had previously been interrogated and put in solitary confinement at Frankfurt in order to try and extract information from him. Jackson returned home in May 1945 and took up work as in the chemical process industry at Huddersfield and died on 11 November 1962, aged just 44; sold together with original forwarding slip for the campaign awards, besides copied research and extracts. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£1,800 to £2,200

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**Lot 590**



**Six: Guardsman H. Harrison, 1st (Guards) Parachute Company & 16th (Guards) Independent Pathfinder Company, Irish Guards, late 1st (Airborne) Battalion, The Border Regiment, who was taken a Prisoner of War at the Battle of Arnhem 1939-45 Star; Africa Star; Italy Star; France & Germany Star; War Medal 1939-45; General Service 1918-62, 2 clasps, Palestine 1945-48, Cyprus (3607402 Gdsm. H. Harrison. I.G.), very fine (6) Henry Harrison was born on 5 November 1923 at Hulme, Manchester and was a fruiterers assistant upon the outbreak of the Second World War. Given his age, he first served in the Home Guard before enlisting in December 1941. Harrison shared in the famed actions of the 1st (Airborne) Battalion, The Border Regiment, including the Battle of Arnhem. Serving with 'B' Company, he was confirmed as a Prisoner of War on 25 September 1944. Whilst behind the wire, he suffered an accident to his left hand which was treated by a German Medical Officer. Having been released to the Reserve in January 1947, Harrison returned to the fold and enlisted in the Irish Guards at Manchester on 22 May 1947. He served with the 1st (Guards) Independent Parachute Company (Pathfinders) of the Parachute Regiment in Palestine (Medal & clasp) and then the 16th (Guards) Independent Pathfinder Company in Cyprus (clasp); sold together with copied service records and details from RHQ Irish Guards in June 1994. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.**

**Estimate  
£2,000 to £3,000**

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Lot 591



An escaper's group of six awarded to Gunner J. H. Davison, Royal Artillery, who was taken Prisoner of War at Tobruk and escaped from Baletta Hospital the next year, walking all the way to Allied lines 1939-45 Star; Africa Star; France & Germany Star; Defence and War Medals 1939-1945; Efficiency Medal, G.V.I.R., Territorial (907403. Gnr. J. H. Davison. R.A.), contact marks, overall very fine (6) John Herbert Davison was born on 26 September 1919 at Newcastle, prior to enlistment he worked as a Weighing Machine Apprentice whilst living at 94 Hamilton Street, Newcastle. Enlisting on 2 May 1939 with the Royal Artillery he was posted to No. 124 Field Regiment. He was serving with that unit at Tobruk on 20 June 1942 when the city was the subject of a major attack by the combined German and Italian armies. The initial assault on 20 June was successful but didn't actually fall until the next day with some fighting continuing until 22 June. Davison was taken prisoner of war during the initial assault on 20 June and taken to Tarhuna, Libya and his escapee questionnaire notes of his dislike of the camp commandant while there: 'Commandant of P/W Camp at Tarhuna, Libya between June and Oct 1942. His behaviour, while falling short of actual brutality, was particularly anti-British.' Transported to Italy on 27 October he was taken first to Campo 65 before being transferred to Campo 132/8 on 1 May 1943. While at a work camp in August Davison injured himself and was taken to Hospital at the nearby city of Barletta. He was there in September 1943 when the Armistice was signed between the Allies and the Italians and the Germans scrambled to react. Barletta was on the forefront of that reaction and soon came under attack what followed is best outlined in the citation for the Al Valore (Military) presented to the city's garrison after the battle which states: 'On 8 September 1943, the garrison of Barletta, modestly armed, but supported by the spontaneous and effective support of the citizens, wanted to continue on the path of honour and loyalty to the homeland, strenuously opposing the fierce German units and inflicting considerable losses on them. Only on 12 September, after the arrival of overwhelming German reinforcements, the garrison, tried by the losses suffered and under the threat of the destruction of the city, was forced to surrender. The enemy troops occupied Barletta, barbarously slaughtered 13 defenceless citizens in retaliation, who thus united their sacrifice to the valor of the military in a common yearning for freedom. The city of Barletta, a shining example of the virtues of the people of southern Italy, hands over the future generations the witness of the values resulting from the rebirth of the homeland and the conquest of democracy and peace. Barletta 8-13 September 1943.' Despite the German forces defeating the Italian garrison they did not assume full control of the area until 24 September. The day before this several of the inmates of the Barletta Hospital escaped, the escapee questionnaire again refers: 'From Barletta Hospital. Walked south with some companions (names and units of these not known but they were last seen in U.K.). He travelled on foot the whole way, receiving no assistance, and joined the Allied lines south of Barletta.' Returning to Britain Davison was discharged on 6 March 1946, having his medals issued on 24 February 1949; sold together with copied research and a medal mounting bar. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£200 to £240



**Lot 592**



Five: Flight Sergeant N. K. M. Clark, Royal Air Force 1939-45 Star; Africa Star; Defence and War Medals 1939-45; Royal Air Force L.S. & G.C., G.V.R. (58729. F/Sgt. N. K. M. Clark. R.A.F.), mounted as worn, very fine (5) Nelson Kitchener Morley Clark was born at Oxted, Surrey, on 4 October 1899 and enlisted into the Royal Flying Corps on 7 February 1917 but does not appear to have any service overseas during the Great War. Clark served with No.100 Squadron between 28 June 1922 - 10 July 1923 when he transfers to No.7 Squadron serving with them until 21 May 1924, before returning to No.100 Squadron on 15 October 1925. He reached the rank of Flight Sergeant on 15 August 1927 and by 1936 was serving as a Warrant Officer with No.10 Flying Training School based at Tern Hill, Market Drayton, Shropshire. Clark transferred to No.24 Maintenance Unit based at the same location in February 1938. He died at Windsor in July 1982. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£80 to £120

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**Lot 593**



Five: Corporal A. Walker, Yorkshire Regiment, who was taken Prisoner of War during the Fall of Tobruk 1939-45 Star; Africa Star; Defence and War Medals 1939-45; Efficiency Medal, G.V.I.R., Territorial, (4390853 Cpl. A. Walker. Green Howards.), very fine (5) Alfred Walker joined the Green Howards in 1938 and was posted to 'A' Company, 5th Battalion, joining them in France in June 1940. The Regiment was scattered following the Battle of Arras however Walker managed to escape at Dunkirk, being posted with the reformed Regiment to the Desert. He was ill during the Battle of the Knightsbridge Box and as such missed the engagement which saw most of the Battalion taken prisoner. Instead Walker found himself posted to the 7th Battalion and sent to the line to take part in the Defence of Tobruk. The Garrison fell on 21 June and Walker went 'in the bag' one week later at Derna. He was taken to Campo 82 in Italy and remained there until the Allied invasion, leaving the camp- which was unguarded at the time- he travelled to Rome where he remained until repatriated. His P.O.W. card was sent to his nearest family a 'Mr & Mrs Theaker' at Saltburn by the Sea. Upon his return to Britain Walker remained with the Territorial Army, being awarded the Efficiency Medal in 1946. He was known to have been living at Hinderwell in 1987; sold together with copied research. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£120 to £160

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### Lot 594



(x) An 'El-Alemain 1942' casualty campaign group of six awarded to Private W. G. Henderson, 2/4th Battalion, Australian Infantry, who died of wounds suffered during the Battle on 28 October 1939-45 Star; Africa Star, clasp, 8th Army; Defence and War Medals 1939-45; Australia Service Medal 1939-45 (NX11557 W. G. Henderson.); Greece, Kingdom, Commemorative War Medal 1940-1941, minor contact wear, very fine (6) William George Henderson was born at Melbourne, Victoria on 20 March 1912 and enlisted at Paddington, New South Wales on 20 March 1940. Arriving at Palestine on 11 October 1940 he was posted to 2/4th Battalion on 25 October 1940 and embarked for Greece on 31 March 1941. They were engaged at the Battle of Vevi near the border in freezing temperatures however soon the Allied resistance in Greece collapsed. Evacuated to Egypt on 30 June 1941 Henderson was posted to 2/17th Battalion on 31 July 1942. Engaged in a blocking position at Tel El Eisa they entered the fighting at El-Alamein on 23 October as part of 9 Australian Division. After four days at the tip of the advance they were halted on 27 October and ordered to secure vital ground against multiple counter-attacks, Henderson was wounded the next day on 28 October 1942. He was taken to 15 (Scottish) General Hospital however the wounds proved mortal and he died of wounds on 15 November 1942. Henderson is buried at El Ballah Military Cemetery on 16 November 1942; sold together with copied research. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£300 to £400

### Lot 595



Five: Captain H. Cartwright, Staffordshire Yeomanry 1939-45 Star; Africa Star, clasp, 8th Army, Defence and War Medals 1939-45; Efficiency Decoration, G.V.I.R., Territorial, dated 1945, mounted as worn, good very fine (5) Efficiency Decoration London Gazette 13 December 1945. Himley Cartwright was discharged from the Staffordshire Yeomanry on 2 October 1945 and received his campaign medals in 1949; sold together with the following archive: i) A set of corresponding miniature awards. ii) Slip for the Second World War Medals. iii) Letter dated 29 December 1945 to him at Park Spring, Knebworth, Hertfordshire confirming the approval of the award of the Efficiency Decoration. iv) Dog Tags. v) A quantity of miscellaneous badges. vi) Case for the Efficiency Decoration. See Lot 649 for the medals to his father. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£100 to £150

**Lot 596**



**Six: Sergeant G. Heseltine, Royal Air Force 1939-45 Star; Africa Star, clasp North Africa 1942-43; Defence and War Medals 1939-45; General Service 1962-2007, 1 clasp, Borneo (PO942793 Sgt. G. Heseltine. R.A.F.); Royal Air Force L.S. & G.C., E.I.I.R. (PO942793 Sgt. G. Heseltine. R.A.F.), mounted as worn, very fine (6) Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.**

**Estimate  
£100 to £150**

**Lot 597**



**(x) Five: Corporal F. J. Adams, 1 Australian Corps, Provost Company 1939-45 Star; Africa Star; Defence and War Medals 1939-45; Australia Service Medal, all officially impressed 'VX 36086 F.J. Adams', good very fine (5) Five: Sergeant A. T. Blakesley, Australian Military Forces 1939-45 Star; Pacific Star; Defence and War Medals 1939-45; Australia Service Medal, all officially impressed 'VX39306 A. Blakesley', contact marks, very fine (5) Francis Joseph Adams was born at Colac, Victoria on 9 September 1920. A labourer, he attested in the A.M.F. on 30 June 1940 and embodied in the 1st Australian Corps, Provost Company. He embarked for Palestine on 14 September 1940 and after several spells with illness in hospital he left the Middle East on 2 February 1942 and returned to Australia. Promoted to Lance Corporal he spent the remainder of the war in the Sub.H.Q. Kit stores in Queensland. Promoted to Corporal he was discharged on 26 October 1945. Adams died on 12 August 2000 and is buried at Colac cemetery; sold together with a copy of his service record. Albert Thomas Blakesley was born at Old, Northampton, England on 12 June 1901 and served in the Great War initially in the Queen's Regiment and later 24th London Regiment. At some point he emigrated to Australia. A chef and baker he enlisted at Royal Park, Victoria on 15 January 1941. He embarked for Singapore on 10 April 1941 and spent most of his time in hospital with various illnesses and was sent to Colombo to recover on 15 January 1942. He left Colombo on the 'Stirling Castle' on 13 March 1942 and was discharged at Melbourne on 6 June 1942, medically unfit for further service. Blakesley died on 24 February 1963 at Pasadena, Mitcham City, South Australia; sold together with copied research. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.**

**Estimate  
£80 to £100**

**Lot 598**



The Second World War campaign group of three awarded to Private H. Strachey-Hawdon, Kenya Regiment 1939-45 Star; Africa Star; War Medal 1939-45, unnamed as issued, mounted for wear, about extremely fine (3) Hugh Strachey-Hawdon was born on 22 January 1919 at Ecclesall in Yorkshire, and journeyed out to Kenya in March 1939 with his profession being noted as 'Farmer' on the Passenger List of the S.S. Madura. Joining the Kenya Regiment (Territorial Force) at Nairobi on 18 September 1939 with regimental number 744, he appears to have served in East Africa for the duration of the war. Sold together with his original and complete 'Soldier's Service and Pay Book' (this confirming the award of his Campaign medals) and medal award slip; also copied Passenger List extract and entry from 'Europeans in East Africa'. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£40 to £60

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Lot 599



A 'Battle of Kos 1943' P.O.W. group of four awarded to Private J. E. Sayer, 1st Battalion, Durham Light Infantry, who was wounded during Operation Brevity in May 1941 and later wounded and taken prisoner at Kos when the British garrison was forced to surrender in October 1942, a defeat which resulted in the infamous Kos Massacre 1939-45 Star; Africa Star; War Medal 1939-45, Efficiency Medal, G.V.I.R., Territorial (4456722. Pte. J. E. Sayer. D.L.I.), overall good very fine (4) John Edwin Sayer was born on 11 April 1914 and lived at 2 Short Street, New Shildon, Durham. Working as a coal miner prior to the war he joined the 1st Battalion, Durham Light Infantry on 1 June 1939. This unit was stationed in Tientsin, China when the war began and remained there until January 1940 when they were posted to the Middle East, seeing heavy action there from the off with their inclusion in Operation Compass. They also played a major role in Operation Brevity, a small counter-offensive against Rommel's advancing troops: the plan was to use a mobile column of tanks and jeep-mounted infantry to recapture the Halfaya Pass in preparation for Operation Battleaxe. However the attack failed and Sayer is listed as wounded along with a number of men from his unit on 15 May 1942. The Battalion joined the Malta Garrison in January 1942 but returned to the desert; in June 1943 they were briefly posted to Syria. With the surrender of the Italians in September 1943 British troops needed to quickly garrison as many Italian possessions which they could before German forces arrived to retake them; the 1st Durhams were one of the units selected to do this, scrambling to take the island of Kos. They succeeded in doing so - however the Germans were not far behind... The counter-attack began early on 3 October 1943 with landings at a number of points on the island: outnumbered and facing a well-equipped enemy including 'Brandenburger' special forces units, the defenders - composed mostly of the D.L.I. - were on the back foot. By evening German forces on the island numbered 4,000, heavily outnumbering the British who had run out of anti-aircraft ammunition. The Battle ended at 04:00 the next morning with the British capitulating; the last to surrender were the men of 2909 Squadron RAF Regiment who did so on 8 October. It was in the wake of the battle that the German General, Friedrich-Wilhelm Müller, ordered the execution of over 100 Italian officers who would not side with their former allies. He was later to earn the nickname the 'Butcher of Crete' and was executed by the Greek Government for his crimes on 20 May 1947. Sayer was again wounded during the savage fighting of 3 October and was taken prisoner with the rest of his battalion. Taken first to Mulberg IVB prisoner of war camp, he was transferred in December 1943 to Bitterfield work camp. His prisoner of war questionnaire notes an interesting occurrence, stating: 'I was working in a Brick factory for three or four months at Bitterfield with four more of our boys, although two of them were threatened with a revolver by the man in charge who is a nazi the remainder of us got on very well with him. I got a dose of flu there and was looked after by him.' Sayer was released in April 1945; sold together with copied research comprising P.O.W. questionnaire, casualty lists and P.O.W. lists. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£140 to £180

Lot 600



An unusual 'escapers' campaign group of five awarded to Private W. F. Johnson, East Yorkshire Regiment later Leading Observer, Observer Corps, who was taken Prisoner of War in 1942 and successfully escaped from imprisonment in Italy 1939-45 Star; Africa Star; War Medal 1939-45; Efficiency Medal, G.V.I.R., Territorial, (4344295. Pte. W. F. Johnson. E. Yorks.); Observer Corps Medal, E.II.R. (Leading Observer W. F. Johnson), overall good very fine (5) William Franks Johnson was born on 28 February 1921 and enlisted with the East Yorkshire Regiment, being posted to the 5th Battalion. They were serving with the 50th Division in the Desert during the Battle of Gazala after which the British were forced back through Libya and into Egypt. They later managed to reorganise on the El Alamein line. There the East Yorks went into action near Ruweisat Ridge towards the end of the Battle, when the two sides had been fighting for almost a week. Johnson was taken prisoner of war there on 25 July 1942, he was taken to Italy where he was held at Camp 53 at Macerata, Italy. Escaping on 11 August 1944 he managed to make it back to Allied lines and got away. At the end of the War, he was still a member of the Territorial Army being awarded his Territorial Efficiency Medal in the Army Orders for April 1946. Joining the Observer Corps as Observer on 8 November 1952 while working as a Bus Driver, he was advanced Leading Observer on 1 January 1960. Johnson died in Northumberland during the winter of 1990; sold together with copied research. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£300 to £400

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Lot 601



Five: Fusilier J. Johnson, Royal Northumberland Fusiliers, late Private in the Sherwood Foresters, taken prisoner at Tobruk and who escaped from a P.O.W. camp in Italy 1939-45 Star; Africa Star; War Medal 1939-45, these unnamed; Korea 1950-53, 1st issue (4976269 Fus., R.N.F.) correction to service number; U.N. Korea 1950-54, modern issue, very fine (5) Jasper Johnson was born on 19 February 1920 in Bakewell, Derbyshire, the son of Samuel and Margaret Johnson. While working as a lorry driver's mate, he enlisted at Derby into the Sherwood Foresters on 14 January 1939. He joined the 1 Battalion in Palestine on 3 August 1939. The 1st Battalion moved to reinforce the Garrison of Cyprus in June 1940, where they suffered their first war casualties in an air raid before moving to Egypt early in 1942. Converted to a motorized role while there they joined the 201 Guards Brigade. Unfortunately, after a sharp engagement in the Knightsbridge Box, the Battalion was ordered to surrender when the Garrison in Tobruk capitulated. Johnson attempted to escape but was captured by a German patrol as he tried to break through the perimeter. He was sent to three different P.O.W. camps in Italy but on 9 September 1943 the Sergeant in charge of Campo 63 allowed everyone to escape. Johnson had been working on a farm and had made friends with the local farm workers and as such they guided him to Taranto Railway Station. There he took a train to Tirana and began to walk over the mountains to Switzerland. He met an Italian woman who was also trying to escape and she guided him across the border. After a night on the mountain they arrived safely in Switzerland. Johnson was eventually repatriated and allowed to return home on 22 October 1944. Marrying Muriel Beverley in Sheffield on 12 June 1945 and was 'demobbed' on 27 July 1946 as a Class Z Reservist. In 1950 he was recalled to the Army and posted to the Royal Northumberland Fusiliers. Landing in Korea on 10 October 1950 the regiment fought at Sibyon-ni, Kan-don, the Imjin River and finally at the Battle for Point 217. During their tour in Korea they lost 93 killed, 279 wounded and 45 prisoners. Johnson survived and left Korea on Sunday 29 October with the regiment on H.M.T. Empire Pride, and was released for the second time as a Class Z Reservist on 23 November 1951. He died in Sheffield in December 1984 aged 64; sold together with copied P.O.W. report papers. Further entitled to a General Service Medal with clasp for Palestine. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£300 to £350

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Lot 602



The campaign group of four awarded to Gunner C. O'Toole, 56th Heavy Regiment, Royal Artillery, who was taken Prisoner of War in Tunisia in 1943, while serving in the same unit as Spike Milligan 1939-45 Star; Italy Star; War Medal 1939-45; Efficiency Medal, G.V.I.R., Territorial (770257 Gnr. C. O'Toole. R.A.), light contact marks, very fine (4) Charles O'Toole was born at Edinburgh on 23 February 1908, enlisting on 21 May 1936 he was mobilised on the outbreak of the Second World War with the 57th Medium (Home Counties) Regiment, Royal Artillery. Posted to the 56th Heavy Regiment, Royal Artillery, he was with this unit at the same time as the comedian Spike Milligan, who wrote of his experiences in a two-part biography called *Adolf Hitler: My Part in His Downfall*. Later arriving in North Africa in December 1942 they saw heavy fighting and, as the war in the desert shifted in favour of the allies, advanced into Tunisia. There O'Toole was one of four members of the Regiment taken prisoner of war on 21 April 1943, not long before the unit advanced into Sicily. He was taken to Campo 98 in Sicily and from there to Campo 53 at Masaratra, Italy in July. Moved from Italy to Germany in August 1943 he missed the truce with Italy in September which saw mass breakouts throughout the Italian camps. Instead he was moved several times before being settled finally at Stalag VIII B where he worked as a labourer at Blechhammer. He was liberated from Moosburg on 8 May 1945; sold together with copied research. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£120 to £160

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Lot 603



(x) Five: Serjeant R. W. A. Noakes, 2nd Fife & Forfar Yeomanry, who was wounded in action on 21 September 1944; 1939-45 Star; France and Germany Star; Defence and War Medals 1939-45; Efficiency Medal, G.V.R., Territorial (7892643. Cpl. R. W. A. Noakes. F. F. Yeo.), minor contact wear overall, very fine

(5) Robert William A. Noakes served during the Second World War with the 2nd Fife & Forfar Yeomanry. After the German invasion of Europe, fears arose that Ireland could be next on their list of targets. The 2nd Fife and Forfar Yeomanry arrived in Northern Ireland on 23 June 1940 as a response to this threat and became the only Divisional Cavalry Regiment in the country. They soon became part 53rd Division, attached to 159 Brigade. Their main duty was to patrol the border and they prepared to take the fight to Dublin if required. After training in Northern Ireland and other parts of the United Kingdom, the 2nd Fife and Forfar Yeomanry took part in the Normandy landings with the 29th Armoured Brigade in the 11th Armoured Division in June 1944, operating tanks including the Comet. It subsequently saw action in Operation Epsom in June 1944, Operation Goodwood in July 1944, Operation Bluecoat in August 1944. They were approaching Essen on 21 September 1944 when Noakes was wounded in action, the Battalion War Diary for the day notes: 'C' Sqn actively patrolled the Canal by SOMMEREN and 'A' Sqn patrolled North to another possible bridge at 5715, but on arrival found it blown, so they worked down the Canal shooting up opposition on the far side. At 1930 hrs the Herefords established a bridgehead across the Canal, supported by fire from 'C' Sqn. 'A' Corporal at that stage he appears to have remained with the unit as they saw further action in the Battle of the Bulge. Noakes was issued his medals on 17 January 1962; sold together with copied research. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£160 to £200

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### Lot 604



The campaign group of six awarded to Sergeant H. Ingham, Army Air Corps, who was taken a Prisoner of War with 156 Parachute Battalion at the Battle of Arnhem; he undertook sabotage whilst 'behind the wire' 1939-45 Star; Italy Star; France and Germany Star; Defence and War Medals 1939-45; General Service 1918-62, 1 clasp, Palestine 1945-48 (14382007 Sjt. H. Ingham. A.A.C.), very fine (6) Herbert Ingham was born on 4 August 1924 at Bury, Lancashire and by the time of the Second World War had volunteered for the Parachute Regiment. He was thrown into the cauldron at the Battle of Arnhem with 156th Battalion and was taken a Prisoner of War on 26 September 1944 (POW Debrief), suggesting that he was 'on the run' before going 'in the bag'. Four men of his unit were captured in perhaps the iconic photograph of the Battle. Held at Fallingbostal and Luckenwald, he was also sent to the Dinklar Sugar Factory from October-December 1944. Whilst there on approximately 12 November 1944, he managed to immobilise the plant for some 8 hours by breaking his mixing machine with bottles. Furthermore, Ingham commented that while on work parties, '...many men were struck by hand and bayonet while being struck an armed guard was always near in case of our retaliation.' Ingham died in 1993. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£1,800 to £2,200

### Lot 605



Four: Lance-Corporal T. E. McCrossen, 1/6th Battalion, The Queen's (Royal West Surrey) Regiment, who was wounded in action in France in 1940, late 22nd (County of London) Battalion, London Regiment (The Queen's) and latterly 16th (Bermondsey) Battalion, Home Guard 1939-45 Star; Defence and War Medals 1939-45; Efficiency Medal, G.V.R., robed bust issue, Territorial (6756708 Pte. T. McCrossen. 22-Lond. R.), good very fine (4) Thomas Edward McCrossen was born at Southward on 15 November 1903 and was a van boy upon his joining the Territorial Army in March 1921, having served in the Reserve of the Guards Machine Gun Corps previously. With the outbreak of the Second World War, McCrossen served in France with the 1/6th Battalion, The Queen's Regiment and was wounded in action. The wounds were so severe that he was classed 'permanently unfit' in August 1940 and then joined the 16th (Bermondsey) Battalion, Home Guard. His campaign awards (1939-45 Star & War Medal 1939-45) were issued to him at 27 Rockley Road, Bermondsey in January 1950, with his Defence Medal 1939-45 having followed sometime after. McCrossen died in February 1984. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£140 to £180

## Lot 606



(x) A 'Bombing of Darwin 1942' casualty campaign group of three awarded to Lieutenant G. P. Rayner, Australian Army Medical Corps, who was lightly wounded during the Bombing of Darwin Harbour. Surviving the bombing of his ship the Manunda he was so seriously affected that he took to drink and was Court Martialled for stealing five bottles of brandy from a hospital in 1943. 1939-45 Star; War Medal 1939-45; Australia Service Medal 1939-45, all officially impressed (NX70163 G. P. Rayner), very fine (3). George Philip Rayner was born at Newton, New South Wales on 5 August 1900 and joined up at Paddington, New South Wales on 31 July 1940. The specialist knowledge acquired during his previous job as a Pharmacist saw him posted to 2/1 Hospital Ship, the Manunda. Oddly Rayner is listed as being commissioned Lieutenant on 1 July 1940, possibly an appointment backdated for seniority. He worked as the ship's pharmacist, responsible for the medical stores aboard. Between November 1940 and September 1941 the ship made four trips to the Middle East, it is not clear whether Rayner was aboard for these journeys. However, his service papers make it clear that the medals present with the lot are his full entitlement. Present at Darwin on 19 March 1942 when Manunda was resupplying he was caught up in the Darwin raid. Flyovers by Japanese aircraft the month previously had identified Darwin as an area with poor air defences and a high concentration of Allied shipping. This impression was not aided by the erroneous identification of the seaplane tender USS Langley as an aircraft carrier. Seeking to prevent Allied interference in the landings at Timor and Java it was decided to launch a raid on Darwin. The attack arrived at 09:58 at which time the orderlies aboard Manunda were undergoing examinations in the wards. As the Air Raid sirens went off they scattered and before long the ship was under fire, a near miss killing four people on the deck. Not long afterwards a bomb fell through the skylight of the 'music room' detonating through B deck and into C deck. The ship was also machine gunned at least once, despite a number of fires aboard the ship the crew manned lifeboats and managed to rescue a number of injured men from the water. Rayner's service papers state he was 'Wounded in action remaining on duty' on 19 March 1942, the report for this injury was apparently made on 6 March 1942. It is highly likely that this date is incorrect and he was actually wounded on 19 February since he was not present in any war zones during this period. Manunda herself sailed to Fremantle the day after the attack and underwent refits at Adelaide before continuing her service. Unfortunately the attack seriously effected Rayner, it was felt that he was no longer fit for service afloat and instead went ashore to serve in a Hospital. He was stationed with 114th Australian General Hospital the next year when he was found to be drunk on duty and arrested. Rayner was charged with theft of Government property and conduct to the prejudice of good order and military discipline. The pre-trial notes states: 'The accused is 43 years of age, married and in civil life was a pharmacist by occupation, having a shop of his own at Bondi Beach. He was appointed to the AIF in Jul 40, when he joined "Manunda" and was on that ship when it was bombed at Darwin on the 19 Feb 42. As a result his nerves were badly affected and up to Jun 42 he received treatment. It was then thought it would perhaps be better if he took up some occupational duty, and as a result he was sent, in Jun 42, as a pharmacist to the 114 AGH Goulburn. At that date the hospital had not long been functioning and there is no doubt that throughout the period Jul 42- Jan 43 he was working under very difficult conditions and without proper assistance.' Though Rayner was only accused of stealing 5 bottles worth of brandy it was noted that an amount equivalent to 86 bottles was missing from the stores (although the court notes state clearly that Rayner could not be held accountable for all of that). He was invalided for unspecified reasons in November 1943; sold together with copied research. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£160 to £200

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**Lot 607**



Three: Private G. N. Smith, Pioneer Corps, who was taken Prisoner of War at Dunkirk on 25 May 1940 and suffered poor medical treatment whilst working in the mines as a P.O.W. 1939-45 Star; War Medal 1939-45; Special Constabulary L.S. & G.C., E.II.R. (George N. Smith), sold together with a Dunkirk Medal, the official group mounted recently for wear, together with both named boxes of issue, very fine (3) George Nesbitt Smith was born on 19 October 1908 at Glasgow, Lanarkshire, the son of Adam and Mary Smith. Working as a Valet in 1939 while living at 47 Marsh Lane, Barton-on-Humber, Lincolnshire he enlisted with the Auxiliary Military Pioneer Corps on 28 March 1940. Entering the War in France not long after his enlistment Smith was taken prisoner of war at Boulogne on 25 April 1940. Taken initially to Stalag VIIIB Smith was soon selected for work, being made a kitchen worker in Sabano, Silesia from 21 June 1940. Working in this role in several camps he was transferred to mining on 2 June 1944 at Cleiwtz. The conditions there were appalling and Smith soon began to suffer with 'boils + ulcers' as a result of the mine conditions. His prisoner of war questionnaire notes the lack of medical treatment, giving the answer to the question 'did you receive adequate medical treatment' by stating: 'No, Medical Supplies very scarce, British M.O.s Did best they could, but hampered by Germans.' Repatriated after the war Smith settled back in Lincolnshire and died in North Lincolnshire on 30 May 1990; sold together with copied research, an enamelled Lincoln Country Special Constable badge and a Barton-On-Humber A.F.S. bracelet named 'G. Smith'. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£120 to £160

**Lot 608**



(x) Five: Marine W. F. Goddard, 42 Commando, Royal Marines France and Germany Star; Defence and War Medals 1939-45; Naval General Service 1915-62, 1 clasp, Near East (R.M. 9529 W.F. Goddard. Mne. R.M.); Royal Navy L.S. & G.C., E.II.R. (R.M. 9529 W.F. Goddard. Mne. R.M.), mounted as worn, contact marks, good very fine (5) William Frank Goddard saw service in the Second World War and later took part in the amphibious invasion of Egypt with 42 Commando during the 1956 Suez Crisis. There they landed at Port Said with the mission of sealing off the Southern edge of the town. The unit faced heavy resistance and suffered some casualties in brutal street fighting, being forced to clear their way with air strikes on several occasions. Nevertheless they succeeded in securing the town alongside 40 Commando. Goddard was awarded the Long Service and Good Conduct Medal on 9 June 1958. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£140 to £180



**Lot 609**



Pair: Piper P. M. Coulter, 8th Battalion, The King's Regiment (Liverpool), who died of wounds on 25 August 1940 Defence and War Medals 1939-45, in their named box of issue, good very fine (2) Peter Michael Coulter was born at Liverpool in 1920, the son of Peter and Mary Coulter. He is listed variously as died of wounds, died 'Due to War Operations' and 'died of wounds received through enemy action'. He is buried at the Liverpool (Ford) Roman Catholic Cemetery, it should be noted that the day that Coulter died was 25 August 1940, the day after of the famous Murder Raid on Ramsgate. A Personal History of the 8th Irish Battalion, The Kings Liverpool Regiment states: 'The battalion was having active experience along the Kent coastline mainly using its Bren guns at any low flying German aircraft trying to strafe our defence posts and unhappily had its first casualties at Ramsgate when a Bren-gun post, stationed on the roof of the Saint Lawrence College, was dive bombed with two men killed and others wounded. It is a sad and somber [SIC] time when friends die suddenly, perhaps more so when defending ones own country. Britain had a long history of fighting wars in foreign countries, but our country and its people were totally unprepared for the murderous air attacks which followed later.' Sold together with copied research. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£100 to £140

**Lot 610**



Three: Sergeant D. N. Lyne, Canadian Army Defence and War Medals 1939-45, Canadian issues in silver; Canadian Forces Decoration, G.V.I.R. (Sgt D. N. Lyne), very fine (3) Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£70 to £100

**Lot 611**



Three: Sergeant G. Hoad, The Queen's Regiment Defence and War Medals 1939-45; Efficiency Medal, G.V.I.R., Territorial (6400728 Sgt. G. Hoad. Queens.), first two rather corroded, fine, last good very fine (3) George Hoad was transferred from the Sussex Regiment to The Queen's (Royal West Surrey) Regiment in April 1931. He went overseas with the 2/6th Battalion and was lucky to come away from Dunkirk, as he was erroneously listed as having been taken a Prisoner of War. His campaign medals were issued to him at The Bury Farm, Thurleigh, Bedfordshire in January 1949. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£60 to £80

**Lot 612**



Three: Sergeant J. Fox, Royal Air Force Defence and War Medals 1939-45; Royal Air Force L.S. & G.C., E.I.R. (543921 Sgt. J. Fox. R.A.F.), mounted as worn, very fine (3) Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£40 to £60

**Lot 613**

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**SPINK**  
WHERE HISTORY IS VALUED

Three: Warrant Officer C. J. I. Bell, Royal Air Force Defence and War Medals 1939-45, with M.I.D. oak leaf; Royal Air Force L.S. & G.C., G.V.I.R. (W/O C. J. I. Bell. (359971) R.A.F.), mounted as worn, very fine (3) M.I.D. London Gazette 1 January 1946. Sold together with a Royal Life Saving Society bronze medal (C. J. I. Bell June 1929) and a Royal Air Force bronze prize medal (Manston C.C. Championship A/C. Bell. 1927). Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£60 to £80

**Lot 614**



Three: Leading Aircraftman A. S. W. Neale, Auxiliary Air Force Defence and War Medals 1939-45; Air Efficiency Award, G.V.I.R. (845542 L.A.C.A. S. W. Neale. A.A.F.), mounted as worn, the last toned, otherwise very fine (3) Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£80 to £120

**Lot 615**



Three: Edith M. Grant-Burls Defence Medal 1939-45; Coronation 1937; Voluntary Medical Service Medal, silver issue, with two extra award bars (Edith M. Grant-Burls), mounted as worn, good very fine (3) Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£50 to £80

Lot 616



(x) Five: Private L. K. Crow, New Zealand Regiment, late Royal Australian Air Force War Medal 1939-45; Australian Service Medal 1939-45; New Zealand Service Medal 1939-45, the first two named '438736 L R Crow', note incorrect initial; General Service 1918-62, 1 clasp, Malaya (37852 Pte. L. K. Crow. Nz Regt); Malaysia, Pingat Jasa Medal, very fine (5) Leith Kenneth Crow was born at Hawthorn, Victoria on 30 August 1923, the son of Leith and Eveleen Crow, and educated at Scotch College in Melbourne. Enlisting in December 1941 while working as a pottery manufacturer, he was first posted to an Infantry Battalion before transferring to the Australian Electrical and Mechanical Engineers. Joining the Royal Australian Air Force in November 1943 Crow was to spend the rest of the war with them serving at home as a L.A.C. He was discharged on 23 April 1945 and moved to New Zealand for work with the Tauranga Electrical Company. Leaving that work Crow attested with the New Zealand Regiment on 1 August 1957, listing his trade as 'Traveller'. He embarked aboard the transport Captain Cook on 28 November 1957 for service in Malaya. Here they formed part of 28th Commonwealth Infantry Brigade Group, Ipoh Taiping Area, North Malaya undertaking anti-terrorist operations in Perak State. The Battalion served in theatre for two years before being relieved by 2nd Battalion, New Zealand Regiment in November 1959. Crow embarked back aboard the Captain Cook on 25 November 1959 and was discharged in Australia on 29 February 1960; sold together with copied research. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£120 to £160

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Lot 617



(x) Four: Sergeant T. Moores, Australian Military Forces, sometime Alderman at Brisbane City Council later Minister for Transport in the Queensland Labor Party War Medal 1939-45; Australia Service Medal 1939-45, both officially impressed 'Q 129459 T. Moores'; Coronation 1953; Jubilee 1977, very fine (4) Thomas 'Tom' Moores was born at Gympie, Queensland on 1 July 1903. He was educated at One Mile State School in Gympie and then attended Brisbane Industrial High School. He worked as a manual training teacher at West End, South Brisbane and Dutton Park Opportunity state schools. In 1935 he went to England where he worked as a plumber until 1936 later serving in the Australian Army from 1942 to 1945. Moores was the alderman for the Kurilpa ward in the Brisbane City Council from 1939 until 1949. When the member for the state seat of Kurilpa in the Queensland Legislative Assembly, Kerry Copley, died in 1949, Moores won the by-election and went on to represent the seat until 1957. He was one of the members of the Labor Party to defect to the newly formed Queensland Labor Party in 1957. As a member of the QLP he was appointed to the role of Minister for Transport in May of that year but lost his seat three months later. The Queensland Parliamentary Debates of 2 August 1983 records a eulogy delivered by Hon. J. Bjeleke-Petersen. 'I am sure that all of us were saddened by the deaths of the two former members to whom I have referred. Of course, I knew both of them very well. In the case of Tom Moores, I was associated with him for the whole period of his parliamentary service of eight years. Our association as parliamentarians was to last 13 years. Tom Moores was born in Gympie. He received his early education there and then went on to the Brisbane Industrial High School. He worked in the plumbing industry in England for two years in 1935 and 1936 and later became a manual training teacher at Brisbane's West End, South Brisbane and Dutton Park Opportunity State Schools. He was the youngest trade union leader of the Plumbers Union when he was its president in the early 1930s. Mr Moores served with the Australian Military Forces in World War II, and also on the Queensland Rugby League Committee. He entered the political arena when he was elected alderman for the Brisbane City Council ward of Kurilpa in 1939. He served as an alderman until 1949, when he was elected to State Parliament as the Labor member for the electorate of Kurilpa at the by-election that was held following the death of the Labor member, Mr P. K. Copley. One of the ablest of the Labor backbenchers, Mr Moores had a rapid but brief rise to ministerial rank in 1957, following the resignation of Mr J. E. Duggan from the Transport portfolio in the Gair Ministry. He was appointed a member of the Executive Council and Minister for Transport on 7 May 1957. Following the general election held on 3 August 1957, with other members of Mr Gair's Ministry, Mr Moores resigned as a member of the Executive Council and as Minister for Transport on 12 August 1957. His total period of administration was 43 days, which was the shortest on record in Queensland since the six-day Dawson Labor Ministry in 1899. The 1957 election also ended Mr Moores' career as a parliamentarian, as he was defeated for the Kurilpa seat by the Liberal candidate. On behalf of the Queensland Government and, I am sure, all honourable members of this House, I express sincere condolences to his family.' He died in Brisbane on 15 July 1983; sold together with copied research. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£100 to £140



Lot 618

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**SPINK**  
WHERE HISTORY IS VALUED

(x) Four: Gachugu Gathitu, Tribal Police Reserve War Medal 1939-45; Africa General Service 1902-56, 1 clasp, Kenya (T.P.R. Gachugu Gathitu); Kenya, Republic, Medal for the Tenth Anniversary of The Presidency Of Mzee Jomo Kenyatta 1963-1973 with clasp, unnamed as issued; Kenya, Republic, Medal for the Installation of the Second President of the Republic of Kenya, 14 October 1978, unnamed as issued, official correction to naming, contact marks, good very fine (4) Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£80 to £100

Lot 619



Four: Sergeant F. Kent, Royal Air Force War Medal 1939-45; General Service 1918-62, 1 clasp, Malaya (1771212 S.A.C. F. Kent. R.A.F.); General Service Medal 1962-2007, 1 clasp, South Arabia (G1771212 Chf Tech. F. Kent. R.A.F.); Royal Air Force L.S. & G.C., E.II.R. (1771212 Sgt. F. Kent. R.A.F.), mounted as worn, light contact marks to the first two, otherwise very fine (4) Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£100 to £150

Lot 620



Four: Sub-Inspector J. B. Gooden, Jamaica Police War Medal 1939-45; Colonial Police Medal for Meritorious Service, G.VI.R. (Sub-Insp. Joseph B. Gooden. Jamaica Constab.); Colonial Police Long Service, with Second Award Bar (401 Sgt. Joseph B. Gooden, Jamaica Police.); Jamaica Independence 1962, mounted as worn, very fine and an unusual combination (4) Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£240 to £280

Lot 620A

**IMAGE  
PENDING**

**SPINK**  
WHERE HISTORY IS VALUED

Three: Air Mechanic First Class D. J. Palin, Fleet Air Arm Korea 1950-53 (L/SFX.772145. D. J. Palin L.A.P.M.); U.N. Korea 1950-54; Royal Navy L.S. & G.C., E.II.R. (FX 772145 D. J. Palin. Air Mech. 1. H.M.S. Fulmar.), light contact marks, very fine (3) Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£140 to £180

**Lot 621**



(x) Pair: Cook N. F. D'Silva, Royal Navy Korea 1950-53 (G/LX. 646672 N. F. D'Silva Ck. R.N.); United Nations Medal for Korea, small official correction to the number on the first, otherwise very fine (2) Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

**Estimate**  
**£70 to £100**

**Lot 622**



Pair: Private A. Boston, Royal Army Medical Corps Korea 1950-53 (22410380 Pte. A. Boston. R.A.M.C.); United Nations Medal for Korea 1950-54, good very fine (2) Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

**Estimate**  
**£120 to £160**

**Lot 623**



(x) Pair: Marine A. S. Charles, Royal Marines General Service 1962-2007, 1 clasp, Northern Ireland (PO291338 A. S. Charles Mne RM); United Nations Medal UNFICYP, minor contact marks, very fine (2) Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

**Estimate**  
**£60 to £80**

**Lot 624**



(x) Pair: Lance Bombardier S. P. Jacklin, Royal Artillery General Service 1962-2007, 1 clasp, Northern Ireland (24344455 Gnr S P Jacklin RA); South Atlantic 1982, with rosette (24344455 LBDR S P Jacklin RA), light contact marks, very fine Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

**Estimate**  
**£300 to £400**

**Lot 625**

**Pair: Corporal D. Chapman, Coldstream GuardsGeneral Service 1962-2007, 1 clasp, Northern Ireland (24422491 Gdsm D Chapman Coldm Gds); Gulf 1990-91, 1 clasp, 16 Jan to 28 Feb 1991 (24422491 Cpl D Chapman Coldm Gds), court mounted as worn, the first with light edge bruise and polishing, otherwise very fine or better (2)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.**

**Estimate  
£160 to £200**

**Lot 626**

**(x) Four: Warrant Officer Class II G. Wilson, Royal ArtilleryGeneral Service 1962-2007, 1 clasp, Northern Ireland (24322851 Gnr. G. Wilson. RA.); Gulf War 1990-91, 1 clasp, 6 Jan to 28 Feb 1991 (24322851 WO2 G Wilson RA); Kuwait, Liberation of Kuwait 1991, 4th Grade; Saudi Arabia, Liberation of Kuwait 1991, very fine (4)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.**

**Estimate  
£140 to £180**

**Lot 627**

**Five: Lance Corporal J. E. McFadyen, Royal Regiment of FusiliersGeneral Service 1962-2007, 1 clasp, Northern Ireland (24704897 Fus J B McFadyen RRF); U.N. Medal UNFICYP; Gulf 1990-91, 1 clasp, 16 Jan to 28 Feb 1991 (24704897 LCpl J B McFadyen RRF); Saudi Arabian Medal for the Liberation of Kuwait and Kuwait Liberation Medal, 4th Grade, the first three mounted court-style as worn, the last two separate in their cases of issue, light contact marks, very fine (5)John Edward McFadyen was born on 31 March 1966 and enlisted at Newcastle on 15 May 1984 with the Royal Regiment of Fusiliers. His first service abroad was in Berlin from January 1984-March however his first combat deployment was in Northern Ireland from 6 August- 18 December that same year. Further service followed in Canada, Cyprus and Germany as well as a brief period on the Falkland Islands in 1988.McFadyen was posted to the Gulf on 29 December 1990 for service on Operation Granby, remaining in the country until 11 April 1991. Another tour of Northern Ireland followed between 13 June 1993-20 February 1994, after which he was transferred to the Adjutant General's Corps on 6 June 1997. McFadyen was discharged on 8 August 1998 with his service described as exemplary; sold together with a detached rosette and a copied statement of service.Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.**

**Estimate  
£300 to £400**



**Lot 628**

**Pair: Fusilier A. Shepherd, Royal Regiment of Fusiliers General Service 1962-2007, 1 clasp, Northern Ireland (24822760 Fus A Shepherd RRF); Gulf 1990-91, 1 clasp, 16 Jan to 28 Feb 1991 (24822760 Fus A Shepherd RRF), sold together with a named Operation Granby Certificate, good very fine (2) Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.**

**Estimate  
£200 to £250**

**Lot 629**

**(x) Three: Private C. A. Molone, King's Own Scottish Borderers General Service 1962-2007, 1 clasp, Northern Ireland (258688 Pte C A Molone KOSB); Iraq 2003-11, no clasp; (258688 Pte C A Molone KOSB); Accumulated Campaign Service Medal 1994 (258688 LCpl C A Molone KOSB), very fine (3) Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.**

**Estimate  
£160 to £200**

**Lot 630**

**(x) Four: Sergeant J. H. L. Harvey, Royal Irish (Home Service), late King's Own Scottish Borderers General Service 1962-2007, 1 clasp, Northern Ireland (24506601 Pte JHL Harvey KOSB); Gulf 1990-91, 1 clasp, 16 Jan to 28 Feb 1991 (24506601 L/Cpl JHL Harvey KOSB); Jubilee 2002; Accumulated Campaign Service Medal, E.I.R. (24506601 Sgt JHL Harvey R Irish (HS)), hallmarked edge, court mounted for wear, very fine (4) The Royal Irish Regiment was amalgamated with the Ulster Defence Regiment in 1992. The 1st and 2nd Battalions were general service battalions; the 3rd-9th Battalions (Home Service battalions), permanently based in Northern Ireland and filled the roll formerly occupied by the U.D.R. in combatting terrorism; sold together with copied research. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.**

**Estimate  
£300 to £400**



### Lot 631



(x) Pair: Private J. C. Noble, Royal Military Police, who was awarded the Provost Marshal's gold Whistle and Chain as best recruit for squad 8208 General Service Medal 1962-2007, 1 clasp, Northern Ireland (24616179 Cpl J C Noble RMP), mounted court style for wear; NATO Service Medal, 1 clasp, Former Yugoslavia, in its box of issue, sold together with the Provost Marshal's Gold Whistle and Chain engraved '24616179 LCpl J. C. Noble' and a signed card of issue dated 28 June 1983, good very fine (2) Note the Provost Marshal's Whistle and Chain is not manufactured from gold. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate

£100 to £140

### Lot 632



(x) Five: Sergeant A. M. Till, Royal Logistics Corps, late Army Catering Corps General Service 1962-2007, 1 clasp, Northern Ireland (24651927 L. Cpl., ACC); U.N. Medal, UNFICYP ribbon; U.N. Medal, UNPROFOR ribbon; Iraq 2003-11, 1 clasp, 19 Mar to 28 Apr 2003 (24651927 Sgt., RLC); Jubilee 2002, the last two with their named card boxes of issue, good very fine (5) Andrew M. Till was born at Haverfordwest Wales, in 1965, he was awarded his L.S. & G.C. in 1999 but forfeited it in 2004; sold together with copied research. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate

£200 to £300

### Lot 633



(x) Three: Sergeant M. C. Walters, Army Catering Corps General Service 1962-2007, 1 clasp, Northern Ireland (23990513 Cpl M C Walter ACC); Gulf Medal 1990-91, 1 clasp, 6 Jan to 28 Feb 1991 (23990513 Sgt M C Walter ACC); Army L.S. & G.C., E.I.I.R. (23990513 Cpl M C Walter ACC), minor contact marks to first and third, overall good very fine (3) Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate

£140 to £180

**Lot 634**

(x) Pair: Petty Officer Steward W. F. Williams, Royal Navy General Service 1962-2007, 1 clasp, Northern Ireland (P O Std W F Williams D 104097L RN); Royal Navy L.S. & G.C., E.II.R. (P O Std W F Williams D 104097L RN), very fine (2) Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£80 to £100

**Lot 635**

Pair: Fusilier M. P. M. Rogen, Royal Regiment of Fusiliers General Service 1962-2007, 1 clasp, Kuwait (24796256 Fus M P M Rogen RRF); Gulf 1990-91, 1 clasp, 16 Jan to 28 Feb 1991 (24796256 Fus M P M Rogen RRF), the first sold together with its named box of issue, nearly extremely fine (2) Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£350 to £450

**Lot 636**

Pair: Warrant Officer S. E. Giffen, Royal Air Force, General Service Medal 1962-2007, 2 clasps, Radfan, South Arabia (W/O. S. E. Giffen. (513904) R.A.F.); Royal Air Force L.S. & G.C., G.VI.R. (513904 F.Sgt. S. E. Giffen. R.A.F.), the second clasp loose on the first this medal otherwise good very fine, the second with contact marks otherwise toned very fine (2) Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£120 to £150

**Lot 637**

(x) Pair: Guardsman D. Carlile, Scots Guards General Service 1962-2007, 3 clasps, Malay Peninsula, Borneo, Northern Ireland (23908119 Gdsm. D. Carlile. SG.); Malaysia, Federation, Pingat Jasa Malaysia Medal, unnamed as issued, slight edge bruise, very fine (2) Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£160 to £200

Lot 638



(x) Pair: Private B. Thirkell, 2nd Royal Australian Regiment Vietnam 1964-73 (1411163 B. Thirkell); South Vietnam Medal 1964, 1 clasp, 1960- (1411163 B. Thirkell), light pitting, very fine (2) Brian Thirkell was born at South Hylton, Sunderland on 25 April 1946, the son of Lucy Burrell of 24 Hudson Steet, Durham. Enlisting with the Australian Regular Army at Brisbane on 20 November 1965 he was posted to the Recruit Training Battalion at Kapooka. Suffering multiple disciplinary infractions over the next year he had been threatened with discharge already when he embarked at Brisbane for South Vietnam on 10 May 1967 with the 2nd RAR. During his time there the unit was stationed at Nui Dat alongside New Zealand troops, they ran an aggressive program of patrols and ambushes to keep the Viet Cong off balance. The heaviest fighting they saw there was during Operation Coburg launched on 24 January which was aimed at hitting the Viet Cong outside the usual range of operations for the Australians. Just eight days after the operation however the Tet Offensive started which brought the Commonwealth troops in contact with North Vietnamese regulars for the first time. It seems the major scale of the fighting did not dent Thirkell's sense of humour however as he was fined ten dollars for firing a flare as a joke on 24 February 1968, half way through the Tet Offensive. The Battalion returned to Australia on 14 May 1968, he joined 1st RAR on 12 March 1969 and was posted to Malaysia on 27 March. Advanced Lance Corporal on 1 April 1970 while deployed he returned to Australia on 19 June 1971. Unfortunately the lack of action brought back the disciplinary issues which had plagued his earlier service and he saw further offenses including a civil assault charge in August 1973. Thirkell was discharged on 16 November 1973, described as a good field soldier but his retention not in the interest of the Military Forces; sold together with copied research. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£140 to £180

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### Lot 639



(x) The campaign group of five awarded to Warrant Officer Class II K. A. Tocock, Royal Australian Electrical and Mechanical Engineers, attached 1st Armoured Regiment, who was 'mentioned' for his coolness and bravery during an ambush at Nui-Dat, Vietnam/Vietnam Medal 1964-73 (310717 K. A. Tocock D), with M.I.D. oak leaves; Defence Force Service Medal, E.I.I.R. (310717 K. A. Tocock D); Australian Meritorious Service Medal, E.I.I.R. (310717 K. A. Tocock D); Army L.S. & G.C., Australia, E.I.I.R. (310717 K. A. Tocock D); South Vietnam Campaign Medal, 1 clasp, 1960 (310717 K. A. Tocock D), note all medals are duplicates, the recipient is believed to have lost his original medals, good very fine (5)Note, all medals above are officially impressed duplicates.Provenance:Purchased CJ Medals, New South Wales 2007.M.I.D. London Gazette 19 September 1969, the original recommendation states:'Sergeant Kenneth Tocock enlisted in the Australian Regular Army on the 1st of August 1951 and was allotted to the Royal Australian Infantry Corps, and posted to 2 Bn Royal Australian Regiment, Puckapunyal. In 1955 he transferred to the Royal Australian Electrical and Mechanical Engineers. He joined C Squadron Section, 1st Armoured Regiment Light Aid Detachment on the 22nd November 1968, in South Vietnam, and B Squadron Section on 11th February, 1969.On the 16th February, 1969, Sergeant Tocock was commanding his Armoured Recovery Vehicle which was attached to 1st Troop, B Squadron 1st Armoured Regiment, and B Company, 4th Battalion, The Royal Australian Regiment. At approximately 1330 hours, the company group came under heavy enemy fire and several friendly casualties occurred. One tank was gIt by Rocket Propelled Grande fire and extensively damaged, a brush fire started in the area of the contact at that time.Without regard to his personal safety, Sergeant Tocock manoeuvred his vehicle into the contact area, dismounted under observation of the enemy and assisted the movement of the wounded to a safer area. He administered first aid and was directed efforts to extinguish [SIC] the brush fire that was threatening the wounded. He then organized progressive ammunition resupply from the enemy. Later while the contact continued, he recovered the damaged tank out of the contact area to a safe area.At all times during the action Sergeant Tock displayed coolness and foresight. He showed admirable leadership which was evidenced by the manner in which his crew and others about him reacted to his directions. His conduct under fire was of a high order and reinforced the bond between the combat arms and the supporting services.'Kenneth Alfred Tocock 'Sandy' was born in Britain on 5 March 1929, the son of Lilian Tocock of 38 Bramshaw Road, Reading. Enlisting with the Royal Berkshire Regiment on 24 April 1947 he served with the British Army of the Rhine and was discharged on 4 June 1949. The Army life seemed to have agreed with him however as Tocock enlisted with the Australian Regular Army in London on 1 August 1951.Posted to 1 Battalion on 3 March 1952 he spent time with the 15th National Service Training Battalion in 1954 before joining the 3rd N.S.T. Battalion as a Mess Steward. Qualifying as Recovery Mechanic on 24 May 1957 he re-enlisted that same year and joined R.A.E.M.E. in 1959.Posted first to the 3rd Base Workshops, Broadmeadows on 7 December 1959 he served attached with the 1st Armoured Regiment, Light Aid Detachment on 13 June 1960. Advanced Sergeant with them on 19 July 1962, it was with that rank that he emplaned at Sydney for Vung Tau Operations in South Vietnam attached to 'C' Squadron.An R.A.E.M.E. article , written by C.S.M. Milton Pearson, covers the ambush in which Tocock was 'mentioned', stating:'The tanks were in a Jungle Leaguer with 1000yards of open ground and half way across drove into soft ground. The tanks backed off to move around the Eastern edge. The infantry without their tank cover moved into the jungle but were immediately assailed with "Claymore Mines" (M18A1) and small arms.The leading tank commanded by Sgt Swarbrick moved forward into the jungle very slowly, so as not to run over infantry, some of whom were wounded. After advancing approximately 150 yards, the tank stopped and the Gunner, Trooper John Howard, was ordered to fire a number of clearing canister rounds, whilst traversing from left to right.After these rounds were fired, the crew could see that the tank was in the centre of a horse shoe bunker system, and was receiving small arms fire from the bunker slits. At that time, the crew ran out of ready canister rounds and it was thought that firing high explosive rounds was too dangerous, having regard to the thick jungle and the close proximity of the infantry on the ground. Wounded infantry on the ground imposed on any tank in movement.Sergeant Swarbrick then ordered Trooper John Howard to fire both .30 cal and 50. cal machine guns rounds into the bunkers. After some time, both machine guns over heated, then jammed. In the short period whilst the Loader, Trooper Mark Jackson, tried to change barrels, the tank was hit three times by R.P.G. fire, from approximately 30 meters, two through the side of the turret and one through the mantlet cover.All the turret electric were shorted out; none of the gunnery, except the commanders .30 cal could be fired. The Tank filled with smoke.All the crew were wounded but managed to bail out and take cover under the back of the tank except for the Driver, Trooper Michael Ingram, who was unconscious in his compartment. Whilst huddled under the tank, the wounded crew saw 2Lt Sullivan's Centurion come in and stop on the right hand side of theirs and start firing.2Lt Sullivan then dismounted from his tank and, under fire, ran forward engaging the enemy with his pistol, mounted the burning tank, extricated the wounded driver, and then backed it out from under the enemy rocket fire. He then returned to his own tank and continued to engage the enemy until the contact was broken at 1500hours. His action enabled the dead and wounded to be evacuated, prevented the company from sustaining greater casualties and enabled the infantry to redeploy. 2Lt Sullivan was awarded a MID for his action.Sgt Kenneth A. "Sandy" Tocock (RAEME), crewing the ARV, was awarded a MID during this action as well. The battle created a brush fire in the contact area and without regard to his personal safety, Sergeant Tocock manoeuvred the ARV into the contact area, dismounted under observation of the enemy and assisted the movement of the wounded to a safer area. He administered first aid and directed efforts to extinguish the brush fire which was threatening the wounded. He then organised progressive ammunition resupply from the damaged tank to the other tanks engaging the enemy. Later, while the contact continued, he recovered the damaged tank out of the contact area to safety.'Tocock remained in Vietnam until 19 November 1969 and was posted to Puckapunyal. He continued to serve until 31 July 1978 when he was discharged at Melbourne, he had married in Australia and was living with his wife at Warragul, Victoria at the time; sold together with copied research.Further entitled to the Australian Active Service Medal 1945-75, National Medal, with bar and Australian Defence Medal.Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£300 to £400

### Lot 640



(x) Five: Lance Corporal C. Cookson, Royal Logistics CorpsU.N. Medal for Yugoslavia; U.N. Medal for Kosovo; General Service 1962-2007, 1 clasp, Northern Ireland (25061464 Pte C Cookson RLC); Iraq 2003-11, 1 clasp, 19 Mar to 28 Apr 2003 (25061464 LCpl C Cookson RLC), mounted court style as worn, together with ribband bar, good very fine (4)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£200 to £300

### Lot 641



(x) Pair: Private G. B. Wilson, Royal ScotsGulf 1990-91, 1 clasp, 16 Jan to 28 Feb 1991 (24849161 Pte G B Wilson RS); General Service 1962-2007, 1 clasp, Northern Ireland (24849161 Pte G B Wilson RS), light contact wear, very fine (2)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£180 to £220



**Lot 642**



**(x) Pair: Senior Aircraftman D. F. Morton, Royal Auxiliary Air Force Gulf 1990-91, with clasp (SAC D F Morton (D2633884)); Saudi Arabia, Kingdom, Medal for the Liberation of Kuwait 1991, nearly extremely fine (2) Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.**

**Estimate  
£140 to £180**

**Lot 643**



**(x) Three: Corporal C. Tate, Royal Logistics Corps Iraq 2003-11, 1 clasp, 19 Mar to 28 Apr 2003 (24814618 Cpl C Tate RLC); Jubilee 2002; Volunteer Reserve Service Medal, E.I.R. (24814618 Cpl C Tate RLC), the Second Award Bar, the reverse dated '2003, each with their box of issue, the first and third named, good very fine (3) V.R.S.M. London Gazette 6 November 2001. Second Award Bar London Gazette 19 September 2006. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.**

**Estimate  
£200 to £300**

**Lot 644**



**(x) Four: Captain J. A. Tyler, Canadian Armed Forces Canadian Peacekeeping Service Medal, unnamed as issued; U.N. Medal with riband for UNGOMAP; U.N. Medal with Riband for UNPROFOR; Canadian Forces Decoration, G.V.I.R. (Capt. J. A. Taler), good very fine (4) Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.**

**Estimate  
£100 to £140**

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**Lot 646**



(x) Pair: Private J. A. Beck, 3rd Battalion, Royal Australian Regiment (Airborne) Australian Service Medal 1945-75, 1 clasp, East Timor (2811439 J A Beck); Interfet Medal 1999-2000 (2811439 J. A. Beck), sold together with an infantry combat badge and cloth para 'wings', nearly extremely fine and scarce (2) Joel Alderson Beck was born on 27 February 1979 and enlisted at Sydney on 25 March 1997. Posted to the 3rd Battalion, Royal Australian Regiment (Airborne) he saw service with the International Force East Timor. Following the vote on self-determination of 30 August 1999, there were a series of attacks throughout Timor by militias created, trained and directed by the Indonesian military. The International Force East Timor (INTERFET) was the United Nations-mandated multinational force formed to address the deteriorating humanitarian and security situation. INTERFET troops entered Timor in September 1999 under the command of Australian Defence Force officer Major-General Peter Cosgrove, before the handover to the United Nations Transitional Administration in East Timor (UNTAET) in March 2000. The ADF component of INTERFET was named Operation Stabilise - an operation that was a major turning in transforming Australian policy on intervention in neighbouring states, and a precursor to other ADF operations in Solomon Islands and Tonga. Beck was discharged on 8 April 2001, sold together with copied research and a handwritten note stating that the medals were purchased from the recipient on 1 February 2006. Further entitled to the Australian Defence Medal. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£200 to £300

**Lot 647**



(x) Three: Sapper A. P. Green, Royal New Zealand Engineers Operational Service Medal 2002, unnamed; East Timor Medal 2000-06 (V1004544. Spr. A. P. Green. RNZE); U.N. Medal, UNAMET ribbon, unnamed; good very fine (3) Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£140 to £180

**Lot 648**

(x) Pair: Major H. A. Johansons, Royal Australian Engineers Reserve Force Decoration (172354 Johansons H. A.), with Second Award Bar; Efficiency Decoration, E.II.R., Australia, the reverse named '172354 Capt H. A. Johansons', good very fine (2) Harijs Augusts Johansons was born in Latvia on 22 May 1934, the son of Harijs and Ruta Johansons of 2/25 First Street, Black Rock, Victoria. He was educated at South Brisbane High School and later Queensland University, becoming a Civil Engineer upon his graduation. Enlisting on 5 January 1955 he joined the Queensland University Regiment, Citizen Military Forces on 22 March 1955/ Advanced Sergeant by 1957 he was posted to the 4th Corps Engineer Regiment on 10 December 1958. While there Johansons was commissioned Lieutenant with the Royal Australian Engineers, Northern Command on 16 March 1959 he was posted to 28th Field Park Squadron. Transferring to Southern Command in 1963 he was advanced Captain on 19 November 1964, becoming a Staff Officer the next year. Finally promoted Major on 15 November 1972 he served in the Melbourne University Regiment and the 7th Field Engineer Regiment. Johansons joined the retired list on 10 August 1983; sold together with copied research. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£160 to £200

**Lot 649**

Pair: Major Z. Cartwright, Staffordshire Yeomanry Coronation 1911; Territorial Decoration, G.V.R., hallmarked 1911, extremely fine (2) Zachariah Cartwright Quartermaster and Honorary Captain was granted the Honorary Rank of Major, 8 March 1911; sold together with case of issue for the Territorial Decoration and corresponding miniature awards. Please see lot 595 for the group of medals to his son. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£150 to £200

**Lot 650**

(x) Two: Honorary Colonel F.T. King, Canadian Forces Jubilee 1977; Canadian Forces Decoration, E.II.R. (H Col F T King), mounted as worn, very fine and better (2) Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£100 to £120



**Lot 651**



**Pair: Lance-Corporal D. A. Patel, Sind Rifles, Karachi Corps Volunteer Force Long Service Medal (India & the Colonies), G.V.R. (Pte. D. A. Patel, Karachi Corps. A.F.), officially impressed naming; Efficiency Medal, G.V.I.R., India (Pte. D. A. Patel, Karachi Corps., A.F.I.), good very fine (2) Danjishaw Ardeshir Patel served in the defence of the Port of Karachi with the 23rd Sind Battalion, Karachi Corps during the Great War (Private No. 757 - BWM only), being awarded his Long Service Medal as per Indian Army Order 556 of August 1929 and the E.M. (India) as per Indian Army Order 792 of April 1942, being also in receipt of the 1937 Coronation Medal. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.**

**Estimate  
£160 to £200**

**Lot 652**



**The Most Honourable Order of the Bath awarded to Mr. H. Scholes, Under-Secretary of the Department of Industry The Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Civil Division, Companion's (C.B.) neck Badge, silver-gilt, extremely fine, in its Collingwood of Conduit St. fitted case of issue C.B. London Gazette 11 June 1977. Sold together with a quantity of original documentation relating to this award, including Warrant of Appointment made out to Hubert Scholes Esq. (signed 'Elizabeth R' and 'Charles P'); the Statutes of The Most Honourable Order of the Bath; and three typed letters on notepaper bearing the details of the Central Chancery of the Orders of Knighthood, all contained within the original forwarding envelope. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.**

**Estimate  
£200 to £300**

Lot 653



(x) The Great War C.M.G. and Boer War group of three awarded to Lieutenant Colonel E. C. Sandars, Royal Artillery The Most Distinguished Order of St. Michael and St. George, Companion's (C.M.G.) neck Badge, silver-gilt and enamel, with neck riband; Queen's South Africa 1899-1902, 3 clasps, Cape Colony, Orange Free State, Transvaal (Capt. E.C. Sandars. R.F.A.); King's South Africa 1901-02, 2 clasps, South Africa 1901, South Africa 1902 (Capt. E.C. Sandars. R.F.A.), very fine (3) C.M.G. London Gazette 3 June 1918. M.I.D. London Gazette 6 July 1918. Edward Carew Sandars born in July 1869 the son of Samuel Sandars. Educated at Harrow he was commissioned into the Royal Artillery at Woolwich in 1889. He served in South Africa from January 1900 until September 1902 as Adjutant 15th Brigade, Royal Field Artillery, later Station Staff Officer from 11 September 1900. Promoted to Major on 14 February 1905 he retired as Major in 1911 and was appointed Assistant Deputy Remounts and given the job of surveying for the three counties: Buckinghamshire, Berkshire and Oxfordshire. He had to live in one of the counties and bought The Manor House, Little Tew in 1913 and carried out the surveys from there. He was recalled to service in 1914 and kept an office in Little Tew, keeping in touch with the War Office by motor cycle during the night. In 1915 he was appointed as Assistant Director to Remounts and in 1916 he was elevated to Brevet Lieutenant Colonel. Competent at dealing with disciplinary problems he was moved to Romsey, one of the demobilisation camps in 1918. Mentioned in despatches and awarded the C.M.G. for his services during the Great War, he is not entitled to any Great War medals. Sandars resumed his appointment as Remount officer in the Southern command from 1919 until 1924. He died on 21 March 1944. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£400 to £600

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Lot 654



The 'Aden 1918' C.M.G. group of five awarded to Lieutenant-Colonel M. F. Harding, 69th Punjabis, Indian Army late Royal Marines, who served much of his career with the Royal Marines only to join the Indian Army for service in the Great War, being further 'mentioned' on three separate occasions. The Most Distinguished Order of St. Michael and St. George, Companion's (C.M.G.) neck Badge, silver-gilt and enamel; 1914-15 Star (Lt. Col. M. F. Harding, 1/69/Punjabis); British War and Victory Medals (Lt. Col. M. F. Harding); Defence Medal 1939-45, mounted as worn, light pitting, overall good very fine (5).

C.M.G. London Gazette 4 September 1918: '...for services rendered in connection with Military Operations at Aden'.

Maynard Ffolliott Harding was born at Tullamaine, Tipperary, Ireland on 10 January 1869, the son of Henry and Lucy Harding of Tullamaine Castle, Tipperary. Commissioned 2nd Lieutenant with the Royal Marine Light Infantry on 3 May 1889 he served mainly with the Plymouth Division, spending time with Inflexible and Hibernia. Seconded to the Indian Staff Corps on 6 November 1893 he was advanced Captain on 1 February 1899 whilst still with them. Promoted Major on 1 February 1906 he had by that stage transferred to the 79th Carnatic Infantry. Harding was finally advanced Lieutenant-Colonel on 10 March 1913 whilst Commandant of the 69th Punjabis, a role he was to hold for the duration of the war. This unit was part of the 29th Indian Brigade which was posted to Egypt in 1914, they were diverted in November 1914 for the raid on Cheikh Said. Landing in the late morning the Regiment was at the forefront of the attack on Fort Turba where Naik Labh Singh won the I.D.S.M. They formed up in Egypt and saw action during the Defence of the Suez Canal before being transferred to Gallipoli. Whilst there Harding was wounded in the left foot, appearing on a hospital list in September 1915. After the evacuation there the Brigade was once again reformed in Egypt and joined the Canal Defences, it was here that Harding was 'mentioned' for the first time (London Gazette 21 June 1916). The Regiment left the 29th Indian Brigade from Egypt and was posted to France with the 7th (Meerut) Division. Harding earned another 'mention' the following year (London Gazette 31 October 1917) and was back in Aden in 1918 where he earned the C.M.G. He gained his final 'mention' in 1919 for services in Mesopotamia (London Gazette 7 April 1919), although whether that was due to his services with the 69th Punjabis or on secondment is unclear. His medals were posted to his home on Guernsey in the Channel Islands although by 1939 he had moved to Chelmsford and is noted on the census there as being involved with Chelmsford Rural District Food Control. He died some time later in the Channel Islands, likely back at Guernsey, tragically he was pre-deceased by his eldest son, 2nd Lieutenant Jack Maynard Harding, was killed in action on 26 October 1914; sold together with copied research. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£500 to £700

**Lot 655**



(x) The Order of St. John of Jerusalem group awarded to H. Burton, St. John's Ambulance BrigadeThe Order of St. John of Jerusalem, Serving Brother's breast Badge, silver and enamel; Defence Medal 1939-45; Service Medal of the Order of St John, with two Additional Award Bars (46387 N/MEM H. Burton. Lancs S. J. A. B. 1951), mounted as worn, very fine (3)Two: Officer E. Archer, St. John's Ambulance BrigadeThe Order of St. John of Jerusalem, Serving Sister's shoulder Badge, silver and enamel, on lady's bow riband; Service Medal of the Order of St John (10637 L/ A / Offr E. Archer Blackpool NSG. DIV N 4 DIS SJAB 1932), mounted as worn, very fine (2)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£140 to £180

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## Lot 656



A fine Second World War Knight Bachelor's group of five awarded to Captain Sir Ernest H. Thornton, R.D., Royal Naval Reserve, who was Commodore of the Union-Castle Line 1941-47. He was also a veteran of the battles of Heligoland Bight, Dogger Bank and Jutland, having served in Sir David Beatty's flagship H.M.S. Lion from the outbreak of hostilities until early 1918: Lion was hit 14 times at Jutland, suffering casualties of 90 killed and 51 wounded, and she was saved from outright destruction by Major Francis Harvey of the Royal Marines, who received a posthumous V.C. Knight Bachelor's breast Badge, 2nd Type, silver-gilt and enamel, hallmarks for London 1947, in its Royal Mint case of issue; 1914-15 Star (Lieut. E. H. Thornton, R.N.R.); British War and Victory Medals (Lieut. E. H. Thornton, R.N.R.); Royal Naval Reserve Decoration, G.V.R., hallmarks for London 1928, gilt somewhat worn on the first, thus very fine, the remainder good very fine or better (5). Ernest Hugh Thornton was born in Oxford on 21 January 1884 and first went to sea as an apprentice in 1900 in the four-masted barque, Matterhorn. Later he served in the S.S. Vinebranch, and upon attaining his certificate as First Mate, he joined the Union-Castle Line as Fifth Officer in the S.S. Norman in 1906. Here, then, the commencement of his long and distinguished career with the Union-Castle Line, an association only interrupted by active service in the Great War, when he was called up from the Royal Naval Reserve, having been commissioned as a Sub. Lieutenant in April 1912. Opening shots. And that service commenced at the end of 1914, when, having attended a gunnery and torpedo course at Vernon, he joined the battle cruiser H.M.S. Lion. And he remained likewise employed until removing to the monitor M. 22 as a Lieutenant in early 1918, thereby sharing in Lion's part at the battles of Heligoland Bight, Dogger Bank, and Jutland. At Heligoland Bight on 28 August 1914, the Lion and her consorts engaged the German light cruisers Coln and Ariadne, the latter being reduced to a blazing wreck after three close-range salvos, and the former being finished off as Beatty ordered his squadron to retire. Events at the battle of Dogger Bank in January 1915 proved more challenging, Lion duelling with the Blucher, Derfflinger and Seydlitz and being hit 16 times with resultant casualties and serious damage. Of equal interest in terms of forthcoming events at Jutland was her gunnery: she had loosed off 243 rounds but only four of them found their mark. "There seems to be something wrong with our ships today." And so, to Jutland itself, when the battle-cruiser fleets of Beatty and Hipper manoeuvred for position on sighting each other at 1428 hours on 31 May 1916. The enemy were the quickest to find the range and Lion took her first hit at 1551 hours. Less than 10 minutes later, a shell from the Lutzow penetrated Lion's midships' Q-turret, killing or seriously wounding all inside. More significant was the risk of Q-turret's magazine igniting, a matter of great concern. As it happened, that risk had been swiftly dealt with by Major Francis Harvey of the Royal Marines, who ordered the turret to be flooded, even though he was still inside it. He was awarded a posthumous V.C. Nonetheless, some cordite did ignite, and flames flashed down to the switchboard and other rooms, killing dozens. To add salt to his wounds, Beatty next witnessed the almighty magazine explosion that marked the end of the Queen Mary, the second of his battle cruisers lost that day. Famously, he is said to have commented to Captain Chatfield on Lion's bridge, "There seems to be something wrong with our ships today." He did however succeed in leading the German battle cruisers towards Jellicoe and the Grand Fleet. In all, Lion suffered 14 heavy calibre hits and extensive damage was caused to her main deck, funnel and port side, in addition to that inflicted on Q-turret. And apart from the British ships which were sunk, no other suffered more casualties than Lion, that final, grim count amounting to six officers and 84 ratings killed, and another 51 wounded. Subsequent career - knighthood. Demobilised in 1919, possibly after seeing action in the Baltic in the monitor M. 22, Thornton rejoined the Union-Castle Line and was appointed to the Balmoral Castle. After then serving in various ships of the company as Chief Officer he was appointed to the command of the cargo steamer Hansa in 1929. Five years later found him in command of one of the intermediate passenger ships and, late in 1937, he was appointed to the mail service. He had meanwhile - in January 1934 - been placed on the R.N.R.'s Retired List as a Captain. His last ship was the Capetown Castle, of 27,000 tons, in which he served from January 1939 to July 1946. During that period, in February 1941, he was promoted to Commodore of the Union-Castle Line fleet, and in 1944 he received the honour of a knighthood for his meritorious services to the Merchant Navy and, more particularly, for his troopship work. In the period of his wartime command of the Capetown Castle - she had been requisitioned by the Admiralty for use as a troopship - she participated in Operation 'Bolero', the build-up of troops in readiness for the Normandy landings: by the time she was returned to the Union-Castle Line, she had steamed 484,000 miles and carried 164,000 troops. Sir Ernest retired in January 1947, at the age of 63, and settled near Nairobi, Kenya on account of his health. And he died there on 24 November 1951, aged 67; sold with copied research, including confirmation of his additional entitlement to the Atlantic, Pacific and Italy Stars. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£600 to £800

Lot 657



The very fine '1915' D.S.O. group of six awarded to Lieutenant-Colonel A. G. Master, Army Service Corps, who was taken Prisoner of War in 1900, later being twice 'mentioned' during the Great War Distinguished Service Order, G.V.R., silver-gilt and enamel; Queen's South Africa 1899-1902, 4 clasps, Belmont, Modder River, Transvaal, Wittebergen (Capt: A. G. Master. A.S.C.); King's South Africa 1901-1902, 2 clasps, South Africa 1901, South Africa 1902 (Capt. A. G. Master. A.S.C.); 1914 Star, with clasp (Lt: Col: A. G. Master. A.S.C.); British War and Victory Medals (Lt Col. A. G. Master.), with M.I.D. oak leaves, sometime cleaned, light pitting and heavily cleaned, overall very fine (6) D.S.O. London Gazette 18 February 1915. Arthur Gilbert Master was born at Kensington, London on 6 July 1867, the son of Charles and Emma Master of 27 Russell Road, Kensington. Educated at Clifton College he Matriculated to Exeter College, Oxford and from there to the Royal Military College Sandhurst. Commissioned 2nd Lieutenant on 4 March 1891 with The West India Regiment he appears on the 1891 census at Aldershot Headquarters. Advanced Lieutenant on 5 April 1893 Master was further seconded to the Army Service Corps on 1 January 1894, with that unit he served during the Anglo-Boer War. Serving on Lord Methuen's Staff during the first attempt to relieve Kimberly he was present for the Battles of Belmont, Enslin, Modder River and Magersfontien. Whilst serving as a Captain Master was taken prisoner of war at Spitzkop near Heilbron on 31 July 1900 alongside Major M W Bayley. The Court Marshal report relating to the incident notes that he went out along with the Major to a farmhouse which, unbeknownst to them, contained a number of Boers. They were fired upon and attempted to withdraw however one of their horses was shot and they were taken prisoner. Both men were released with Master returning to the British on 31 July 1900. Seeing further action at Frederickstad from 17-25 October and Wittebergen from 1-29 July he was present for operations in the Transvaal and Orange River Colony, serving until May 1902. After the war Master was advanced Major on 21 September 1904. Still with the Army Service Corps on the outbreak of the Great War he entered the war in France on 16 August 1914. He earned his first 'mention' in 1914, likely for the retreat to the Marne and following advance to the Aisne (London Gazette 20 October 1914). Awarded the D.S.O. the following year Master followed this up with one final 'mention' in 1917 (London Gazette 24 December 1917). Retiring after the war on 6 May 1919 he settled at Fulford, York serving as an Air Raid Warden during the Second World War. Master died at Fulford Park, York on 11 March 1942, his obituary noted a number of connections to the local area including his efforts as an Archaeologist; sold together with copied research. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£1,000 to £1,400

## Lot 658



The Great War D.S.O. group of seven awarded to Lieutenant Colonel J. Waring, Royal Artillery, who was further 'mentioned' in January 1917 Distinguished Service Order, G.V.R., silver-gilt and enamel; 1914-15 Star (Capt. J. Waring. R.G.A.); British War and Victory Medals (Lt. Col. J. Waring.), with M.I.D. oak leaves; India General Service 1908-35, 1 clasp, North West Frontier 1930-31 (Lt. Col. J. Waring. D.S.O. R.A.); Delhi Durbar 1911; Jubilee 1935, pitting to third, overall good very fine (7) D.S.O. London Gazette 1 January 1917. M.I.D. London Gazette 4 January 1917. John Waring was born on 12 October 1881 and commissioned Lieutenant in October 1902. Serving in the rank of Captain on the outbreak of the Great War he entered the war in France on 9 December 1914. Advanced Major in France on 30 December 1915 he was awarded the D.S.O. while serving in France, a newspaper article makes reference to him, stating: 'His uncle is General Sir John Woon, K.C.B.; another uncle is Major in the South African Irish Regiment; a third is Captain Harry Woon, author of "twenty-five years' Soldiering in South Africa." Yet another soldier uncle is Colonel John Waring, D.S.O., of the Gunners serving in France.' Appointed Brigade Major, attached to the Royal Artillery Headquarters on 8 April 1916, Waring received a 'mention' to go with his decoration whilst there. He was promoted Lieutenant Colonel on 13 April 1917 and returned to his original establishment on 1 May. Waring's medals were sent care of Cox & Co., 16 Charing Cross, London; sold together with copied research. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£1,000 to £1,400

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Lot 659



(x) The mounted D.S.O., O.B.E., M.C. group of eighteen medals worn by Major P. W. Beale, Australian Forces, who took the D.S.O. for his work in Vietnam Distinguished Service Order, G.V.I.R., [sic], the dating re-engraved '1970'; The Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Military Division, Officer's (O.B.E.) breast Badge; Military Cross, E.I.I.R., the reverse dated '1965', copy; Australian Active Service Medal, 2 clasps, Malaysia, Vietnam (P. W. Beale. 42042), copy with private naming; General Service 1962-2007, 2 clasps, Borneo, Malay Peninsula, with M.I.D. oak leaf (42042 P. W. Beale), unofficially re-engraved naming; Vietnam (42042 P. W. Beale), unofficially re-engraved naming; Australian Service Medal, clasp (42042 P. W. Beale), unofficially re-engraved naming; 1977 Jubilee, Canadian issue; 2002 Jubilee; Permanent Forces Efficient Service Medal, with 3 clasps (42042 P. W. Beale), unofficially re-engraved naming; National Service Medal (42042 P. W. Beale); Australian Defence Medal (42042 P. W. Beale), unofficially re-engraved naming; United States of America, Silver Star; Vietnam Star 1960 (42042 P. W. Beale), unofficially engraved naming; Papua New Guinea 50 Year Medal, named '42042 P. W. Beale' to rim; Pingat Jasa Malaysia, named '42042 P. W. Beale' to rim; Malaysia, Sarawak, Distinguished Service Medal; Malaysia, Brunei, Service Medal; South Vietnamese Technical Service Medal, Second Class, mounted court-style as worn, very fine (18) Sold together with copied service record which confirms all the above awards. Beale clearly had this set made up to wear on day-to-day duties. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£500 to £700

Lot 660



(x) The Boer War and Great War C.B.E. group awarded to Lieutenant Colonel R. Tremaine, Royal Artillery late Remount Service The Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Military Division, Commander's (C.B.E.) neck Badge, 1st Type, silver-gilt and enamel; Queen's South Africa 1899-1902, 4 clasps, Cape Colony, Transvaal, Orange Free State, South Africa 1901 (Major R. Tremaine R of O.); British War Medal (Lt Col R. Tremaine.), very fine (3C.B.E. London Gazette 12 December 1919. Richard Tremaine was born at Ladock, Cornwall in May 1860. Commissioned in the Royal Artillery on 27 July 1880 Tremaine was employed in the Remounts service during the Boer War having initially served as Staff Captain appointed to command the 3rd Provisional Regiment of Dragoons. He was elevated to Major in 1902 for his Boer War service. During the Great War he served as officer in charge of records at Dover and promoted to Brevet Lieutenant Colonel in 1917. Resigning from the army in 1921, he died at Folkestone, Kent on 10 July 1929. The British War Medal is his only entitlement for his Great War service. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£300 to £500



Lot 661



The 1918 O.B.E., Boer War D.S.O. group of six awarded to Lieutenant-Colonel A. F. Owen-Lewis, Yorkshire Regiment, late Lancashire Fusiliers, who as further 'mentioned' during both the Anglo-Boer War and the Great War. The Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Officer's (O.B.E.) breast Badge, 1st Type, silver-gilt, hallmarked for 1918; Distinguished Service Order, V.R., silver-gilt and enamel; Queen's South Africa 1899-1902, 3 clasps, Cape Colony, Orange Free State, Transvaal (Capt: A. F. Owen-Lewis, D.S.O., York. R.); King's South Africa 1901-02, 2 clasps, South Africa 1901, South Africa 1902 (Capt. A. F. Owen-Lewis. D.S.O. York Rgt.); British War and Victory Medals (Lt. Col. A. F. Owen-Lewis.), with M.I.D. oak leaves, light contact wear to the campaign awards, overall good very fine (6) O.B.E. London Gazette 14 June 1918. D.S.O. London Gazette 27 September 1901. Arthur Francis Owen-Lewis was born at Trimleston House, Old Merrion on 6 August 1868, the son of Henry and Margret Owen-Lewis of 52 Cranley Gardens and Inniskeen, County Monaghan. His father was Deputy Lieutenant of Monaghan and M.P. for County Carlow, his mother's father was William Henry, Chief Inspector of the Royal Irish Constabulary. He was commissioned with the 4th (Militia) Battalion, Middlesex Regiment on 22 January 1887. Transferring to a Line Regiment in 1889 he joined the Royal Scots and was advanced Lieutenant with them on 28 July 1892. Appointed Adjutant of the 6th Battalion, Lancashire Fusiliers on 1 July 1898 Owen-Lewis sailed with them to Malta in 1900 before proceeding to South Africa. Entering the war on 10 February 1900 he was involved with operations in Cape Colony, South of the Orange River, Orange Free State and Transvaal from March-29 November 1900. This likely includes a stiff action at Luckhoff 28 November October 1900 which the 6th Battalion was involved with against Commandant Hertzog. The Boer's followed their usual tactic of occupying a line of ridges before the British positions and took five hours of rifle and artillery fire. It was clear that the only option was going to be a direct assault into heavy rifle fire, the Battalion performed very well and earned the praise of their commander for the action. Before joining operations in the Transvaal, Orange River Colony and Cape Colony from 30 November. During this time he was appointed a District Commandant, being 'mentioned' for his services (London Gazette 10 September 1901). The Battalion lost a total of 18 other ranks to enemy action and disease over the course of the war. Appointed the Governor of Mountjoy Prison at some stage after the war Owen-Lewis retired in 1904 and was awarded the Honorary rank of Major on 7 January 1907. He was later appointed a Prisoner Inspector by the General Prisons Board for Ireland. On the outbreak of the Great War he returned to the colours with the rank of Captain in the Reserve of Officers, being appointed Staff Officer Grade 3. Owen-Lewis was further advanced G.S.O. Grade 2 on 28 April 1916, while serving as Major. He is noted as serving with Irish Command and Assistant Quartermaster General in France being twice 'mentioned' during this time (London Gazette 25 January 1917, 20 May 1918). His M.I.C. notes the rank of Lieutenant Colonel. Retiring again after the war Owen-Lewis died at 4 Barkstone Gardens, Kensington on 22 December 1926. Upon his death the Sheffield Daily Telegraph noted that he was the founder of the Army Officer's Art Society. Tragically some fifteen years after his death his wife, Kathleen, burned to death in a fire at her flat in Seaford. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£1,400 to £1,800

Lot 662

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WHERE HISTORY IS VALUED

The unusual 'Baltic 1919' O.B.E. awarded to Paymaster Captain J. A. B. Robertson, Royal Navy, who was further awarded the Persian Order of the Lion and Sun in 1919 The Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Officer's (O.B.E.) breast Badge, 1st Type, silver-gilt, hallmarked for London 1919; Naval General Service 1915-62, 1 clasp, Persian Gulf 1909-1914 (Asst. Payr. J. A. B. Robertson. R.N. H.M.S: Odin.); 1914-15 Star (Payr. J. A. B. Robertson, R.N.); British War and Victory Medals (Payr. Lt. Cr. J. A. B. Robertson. R.N.), good very fine (5) O.B.E. London Gazette 27 June 1919. [Persia Order of the Lion and Sun] Permission to wear from 23 October 1919. James Anderson Brown Robertson was born at Galashiels, Roxburghshire, Scotland on 30 September 1884, the son of William and Janet Robertson. Joining the Royal Navy on 15 July 1902 he passed for Clerk the next year and was posted to Centurion on 3 November 1903 as Clerk Sub Lieutenant. Appointed Assistant Paymaster on Lieutenant 12 June 1905 with H.M.S. Hogue Robertson was further advanced Lieutenant on 30 September 1905. He saw service between the wars with a number of vessels including Hecla in 1906, Bedford in 1909 and Odin in 1912. Joining the company of the scout cruiser Sentinal on 14 August 1914 he saw the first three years of the war with her as part of the 8th Destroyer Flotilla and later the 6th Light Cruiser Squadron. Joining the crew of Ceres on 27 May 1919 Robertson was advanced Paymaster Lieutenant Commander with her on 30 September 1917. This vessel was part of the 6th Light Cruiser Squadron and later travelled to the Baltic in December 1918 as part of Operation Red Trek. Not long later he was appointed an Officer of the Order of the British Empire, the Edinburgh Gazette provides the following citation, stating: 'For valuable services in H.M.S. "Ceres," 6th Light Cruiser Squadron.' Given the timing of the award and the fact that Ceres joined the 3rd Light Cruiser Squadron upon her return to Britain, it can be assumed that the award was for his service in the Baltic. While there he was also granted permission to wear the Persian Order of the Lion and Sun although it is not clear how he came by the award. Robertson was later posted to the Battleship Revenge on 4 October 1920 before joining HMS Julies, the shore base of Constantinople. There he was appointed Secretary to the Temporary Naval Transport Officer, being advanced Paymaster Commander on 30 September 1923 while undertaking the role. Appointed Squadron Account Officer on 1 January 1923 with Warspite he was afterwards posted to Canterbury on 15 May 1924. Robertson's next appointment was as Fleet Accountant Officer with Effingham on 10 February 1925. He remained in the same role with Calcutta from 1 August 1928 and finally retired on 30 September 1934 with the rank of Paymaster Captain. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£200 to £240

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Lot 663



(x) The 1919 O.B.E. group of eight awarded to Paymaster Captain A. C. M. Edmonds, O.B.E., Royal Navy The Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Military Division, Officer's (O.B.E.) breast Badge, 1st Type, silver; 1914-15 Star (Asst. Payr. A. C. M. Edmonds. R.N.); British War and Victory Medals (Pay. Lt. A. C. M. Edmonds. R.N.); Defence and War Medals 1939-45; Jubilee 1935; Coronation 1937, mounted as worn, very fine (8) O.B.E. London Gazette 31 July 1919, the original citation states: 'For valuable services as Secretary to Commodore Aubrey C. H. Smith, M.V.O., East Coast of South America Station.' Archibald Charles Mackay Edmonds was born at Osaka, Japan on 13 January 1887 and entered the Royal Navy on 15 July 1904 as an assistant clerk. He received glowing reports about his ability throughout his naval career although it was noted that he was very short sighted. He was primarily shore based during his career being awarded the O.B.E. in 1919 which he was invested with at Buckingham Palace on 17 March 1920. In 1927 he served as Paymaster Commander to Admiral Sir F.C. Dreyer when he commanded the Battle Cruiser Squadron from Hood. Promoted to Captain in 1937 he served at Portsmouth and the Admiralty during the Second World War. Edmonds was placed on the retired list on 13 January 1942. Edmonds died at Bognor Regis, Sussex on 13 September 1961; sold together with copied research and his mounted ribbon bar with 6 medal ribbons. For his miniature awards, please see Lot: 1008 Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£140 to £180

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## Lot 664



The well-documented '1944' O.B.E. group of six awarded to Lieutenant Colonel H. L. W. Sixsmith, Royal Army Medical Corps The Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Military Division, Officer's (O.B.E.) breast Badge, silver-gilt; 1939-45 Star; Africa Star, clasp, 8th Army; Italy Star; War Medal 1939-45; Service Medal of the Order of St John (Dr. H. L. W. Sixsmith), light pitting, very fine (6) O.B.E. London Gazette 23 March 1944, the original recommendation states: 'This officer has been DADMS Eighth Army throughout the period under review. In addition to performing his normal duties in an outstanding manner, he has particularly been responsible for the distribution of Medical Stores and Blood for transfusion purposes, and has carried out the detailed organisation of Air evacuation of casualties in conjunction with the RAD and "Q". His work in these particular connections has been outstanding in that on no occasion has he over or under estimated the possibilities, and has never failed to carry out the services that had been arranged with lower formations. On 28 June, 1942, Major Sixsmith went forward to supervise the evacuation of the Medical Stores of 11 Indian General Hospital from Bagush. He found that the enemy had advanced further than had been anticipated, and that transport and labour arrangements had broken down, as they had been diverted to urgent work in connection with ammunition and supplies for the troops engaged in action fighting. Major Sixsmith, assisted by his driver and a few remaining IHC personnel, succeeded in loading all the valuable equipment in small quantities at a time on to passing vehicles, and remained carrying out this work until after the enemy had begun to shell the position, only leaving when all the stores that would be difficult to replaced had been loaded. Not only was a very considerable amount of valuable medical equipment saved, but Major Sixsmith's action while a Headquarters' Officer also set a magnificent example to others and had a most beneficial effect on morale.' M.B.E. London Gazette 18 February 1943, the original recommendation states: 'As my deputy and operational Staff Officer the brunt of the preparation for this campaign has fallen upon him. His skilful and untiring detailed planning has resulted in the success of the difficult medical operations concerned with the landings, and the subsequent operations which resulted in driving the enemy out of Sicily. His foresight and quick action in rapidly changing situations has relieved me of much work at a very harassing time. I have confidentially left much in his hands, knowing full well that it would be efficiently performed. His coolness in adversity and his cordial relations with all the staff have enabled everything to work smoothly. He has never hesitated to undertake journeys by air, land and sea, at a moments notice to "tie up" all arrangements; while as a Staff Officer he has been a tower of strength, and when things have looked their blackest he has always cheerfully shouldered the heaviest responsibility. The success of the Medical administration of the Eighth Army in Sicily is undoubtedly due to his skill and energetic handling of many difficult situation. I could not have wished for a better Staff Officer and cannot praise his work too highly.' Hugh Leonard William Sixsmith was born at Cardiff, Glamorgan in July 1911 and educated at the Welsh National School of Medicine, qualifying on 7 October 1930. He was commissioned Lieutenant on 19 January 1940, passing a course at the Army Gas School two months later. He served in the Desert with the 8th Army, being advanced Captain and later Major with which rank he entered the war in Sicily as Deputy Assistant Director of Medical Services. Moving on into Italy he continued in that role as Major, Temporary Lieutenant-Colonel as Assistant Director of Medical Services. Returning to Britain on leave in March 1945 he was given command of 177 Field Ambulance at Slindon, Sussex; sold together with copied research and a large archive comprising: i) Two framed M.B.E. and O.B.E. Warrants, named to the recipient. ii) Four newspaper articles related to the exploits of 8th Army. iii) A copy of Middle East General Orders 144, marked 'Personal for ADMS from DMS, relating to the recipients award of the M.B.E. iv) A certificate for the completion of a training course at the Army Gas School. v) Several items of Correspondence relating to the recipient's career including letters of posting, memos on the exchange of stage officers and confidential reports. vi) Two I.D. cards. vii) A large quantity of photographs relating to the recipient's career including a number of him, some dated or annotated to the reverse. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£200 to £300



**Lot 665**



A 1945 O.B.E. and Italy operations M.I.D. group of four awarded to Lieutenant L. H. Way, Royal Engineers, later Land Commissioner, Ministry of Agriculture & Fisheries The Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, 2nd Type, Civil Division, Officer's (O.B.E.) breast Badge, silver-gilt; British War and Victory Medals, with M.I.D. oak leaves (Lieut. L. H. Way.); Italy, Altipiani Medal 1918, silver issue, with original bow riband, good very fine (4) O.B.E. London Gazette 3 January 1945. M.I.D. London Gazette 5 June 1919 (Italy). Lionel Hugh Way was born at Newport, Isle of Wight on 4 January 1885 and was educated at Newport Grammar. An Auction Surveyor and Estate Agent by trade, with the outbreak of the Great War he initially served in the ranks of the 3/2nd South Midland Field Company, Royal Engineers. Way was commissioned 2nd Lieutenant on 31 March 1917 and served overseas shortly after with the 475th Field Company. He was promoted Lieutenant in October 1918, having shared in the Battle of the Piave - Asiago Plateau in June 1918 (Silver Medal). Discharged in February 1919, by the time of the Second World War he was an A.R.P. Warden living at Downshire Square, Reading; sold together with portrait photograph, forwarding letter for the O.B.E. and newspaper cutting. Please see Lot 1010 for his miniature dress medals. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

**Estimate**  
**£240 to £280**

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Lot 666



(x) A post-war Civil O.B.E. group of five awarded to Lieutenant-Commander G. Evatt, Royal Navy, who afterwards served as a volunteer member of the Board of Visitors at H.M.P. Dartmoor. The Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Civil Division, Officer's (O.B.E.) breast Badge, 2nd Type; War Medal 1939-45; General Service 1962-2007, 2 clasps, Borneo, Malay Peninsula (Sub. Lieut. G. Evatt, R.N.); Royal Navy L.S. & G.C., E.II.R. (JX. 881465 G. Evatt, C.R.S., H.M.S. Mercury); Pingat Jasa Malaysia Medal, very fine or better (4) O.B.E. London Gazette 31 December 1997: 'For services to prisoner welfare.' George Evatt entered the Royal Navy as a boy rating in 1944 and, on specialising in signals, attained the unusual rate of Chief Radio Supervisor. He was likewise employed at the time of being awarded his L.S. & G.C. Medal in January 1960, when serving at the signals' establishment Mercury. Commissioned as a Sub. Lieutenant for special duties in May 1960, he joined H.M.S. Meon in the Gulf, and he was employed as a communications specialist for the remainder of his career. An extended tour of duty on the books of Terror, the Singapore base, ensued in 1964-68, in which period he was clearly actively deployed in the Borneo and Malay Peninsula operations. He afterwards enjoyed further seagoing appointments in the aircraft carriers Bulwark in 1969-70 and Ark Royal in 1973-74. Advanced to Lieutenant-Commander in the latter year, Evatt's final appointment was as Staff Communications Officer to the Flag Officer at Plymouth, and he was placed on the Retired List in February 1977. Thereafter, he turned to good deeds as a member of the Board of Visitors at Dartmoor Prison, in which role he served for 20 years and was awarded the O.B.E. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£200 to £240

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Lot 667



(x) The Post-War 'Edinburgh Territorial Camp' M.B.E. awarded to Major H. Hall, Black Watch, who received a wartime commission in Palestine and was later 'mentioned' whilst serving there. The Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Military Division, silver; General Service 1918-62, 2 clasps Palestine, Palestine 1945-48 (2744995 Pte. H. Hall. Black Watch.); 1939-45 Star; Africa Star; Defence and War Medals 1939-45, with M.I.D. oak leaves; Coronation 1953; Army L.S. & G.C., Regular Army, G.V.I.R. (2744995 Pte. H. Hall. Black Watch.), mounted court-style for wear, minor contact wear, very fine (8)M.B.E. London Gazette 5 June 1952, the original recommendation states: 'Major Hall has now completed 3 years as Camp Commandant in Edinburgh Castle He has proved himself quite outstanding as a Camp Commandant, possessing administrative capacity to a degree not normally found in officers of his standing. In addition to his ordinary duties, which he has always performed with exemplary efficiency, he has shown particular keenness in organising dances and outings both for civilian and military personnel which has done much to weld the Headquarters into a happy and contented team. He is continually faced with tasks peculiar to a Capital City where ceremonial functions are paramount. The large number of foreign and other visitors to Edinburgh Castle has increased considerably. Once more this autumn Major Hall has been heavily involved in the less glamorous side of the Military Tattoo at the Castle during the height of the Festival of Britain. As a man he possesses high ideals and the standard of discipline and conduct that he has set is most noticeable reflected in the exemplary conduct of the troops under his command.' M.I.D. London Gazette 7 January 1949. Harold Hall was serving in Palestine when he was commissioned on 2nd Lieutenant on 25 February 1943 with Palestine Section. That same year he is listed as serving as Camp Commandant for the Sub Area, Sinai. Moved on to the 21 Area Gaza in 1945 still as Commandant and later the South Palestine District in 1946. He was promoted Lieutenant on 1 January 1947 and further advanced Captain on 24 May, being appointed Camp Commandant at Headquarters Palestine and Transjordan that same year. Joining the S.S. Commission as Captain on 25 February 1949 it was around this time that he was 'mentioned', while still serving in Palestine. Returning to Scotland Hall was appointed a Camp Commandant with Scottish Command on 1 October 1948 serving in the rank of Major at the time. Sold together with an original Air Raid Precautions card named to a Mrs Doris Hall, appointing her an Air Raid Warden at Salford, further sold with copied research. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£260 to £300

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## Lot 668



(x) The fine M.B.E. group of five awarded to Captain G. F. G. Lee, 2/163 General Transport Company, Australian Military Forces who received both the M.B.E. and O.A.M. for services to the community as well as a post-war 'mention' Lee, a leading businessman in Muttaborra, Queensland owned and managed Somerset Garage and Somerset Airways. At the age of 86, Lee had the distinction of being selected as a torch relay bearer at the 2000 Sydney Olympics The Most Excellent Order of The British Empire, Civil Division, Member's (M.B.E.) breast Badge, 2nd Type; 1939-45 Star; Pacific Star; War Medal 1939-45, with M.I.D. oak leaf, Australian Service Medal 1939-45, very fine (6)[OAM] Commonwealth of Australia Gazette 26 January 1995: 'for service to veterans and the community'. M.B.E. London Gazette 28 December 1973: 'for services to the community of Muttaborra'. M.I.D. London Gazette 6 March 1947: 'for exceptional service in the field in S.W.P. area'. Gordon Falconer Gearing Lee was born at Toowoomba, Queensland on 9 November 1913, son of Leonard George Lee and Doris Falconer Sellars and received his senior school education at the Anglican Church Grammar School, Brisbane, he subsequently qualified as a Chartered Accountant. Lee enlisted in the Australian Army at Woolloowin on 5 February 1942. He served with the 2/163 General Transport Company initially at home before being posted to New Guinea on 25 July 1945 serving there until 5 November 1945, he was discharged from the army on 28 November 1945. The war over an enterprising Lee went to Muttaborra where he formed the Somerset Garage and Somerset Agencies to take over as Managing partner of the transport business and mail contracts in the local area. The mail runs proved interesting. There were no graded roads in the area after the war and virtually no machinery. After the wet season the carriers chose the driest track and that became the 'road' for the year. As well as having the Longreach Mail Run (twice weekly £10 a year), Gordon had a weekly run to Prairie. This trip, which went through North Crusoe and back to the main road at Thornton, had 47 gates, which took over 2 hours per trip to open and close. Among the agencies carried by the Somerset Enterprises were that of the Land Rover, which was growing in popularity with the pastoralists, Armstrong Siddeley Motors, a franchise that covered the whole of Northern Queensland from Maryborough to Cairns and West to the Territory border, excluding Blackall, and Volkswagen. During the Volkswagen Dealership, Gordon Lee employed 11 mechanics, 3 electricians, 3 salesmen, a storeman, a bookkeeper and a secretary, as well as operating a branch in Longreach. Somerset Airways was born out of the record wet season of 1950. With the town marooned for 12 weeks, during which vehicles were able to get through on only 2 or 3 days, Gordon's wife had to get to Brisbane urgently and managed at length to get a grazier from near Julia Creek to land on the common and take her out. After that experience, she insisted that to stay in Muttaborra they had to have their own plane. There were problems, as the only way was to make it a charter service, and all charter planes had to be signed out by qualified personnel and checked every 30 flying hours. With the problems solved, the venture took off. The first pilot was Keith Galoway, who later became a senior captain with T.A.A., after two years it became obvious that another plane was needed. Captain Jesse Luxton flew a Praetor 5 from England but damaged it on Sunba Island, thereby missing a certain record for a light plane. He took it to Jakarta by barge, repaired it and then flew on to Longreach where the main office of Somerset Airways was opened. After becoming a Public Company, with eight aircraft, this Muttaborra enterprise sold out to B.P.A. (Bush Pilots Airways) following a disagreement with Captain Luxton and the death of the Manager in the disastrous 'King Air' crash west of Longreach while on a demonstration flight. Lee writing in 'Muttaborra Saw Us' published in 1984 recalls, 'One of the great moments I remember in Muttaborra was when I had the honour, in the middle of the 17 years drought and after the awful 1960 credit squeeze, to chair a meeting with the Shire Chairman (Clr. Neill), U.G.A. President (Frank Keenan) and the Minister for Repatriation, representing the Primary Industries Minister. The Memorial Hall was packed and we had prepared and presented a case, which the Minister agreed, having that day-inspected drought-stricken properties, was irrefutable and totally convincing. We got some relief very quickly in the shape of cash grants which helped graziers to pay storekeepers (and garages), and all went in the end. I could ramble on and on with reminiscences, but enough is enough. May I congratulate you on the positive and progressive attitude you have applied to your job there. It must be a tremendous help to the pupils at a time when there is so much variance over subjects, styles and methods - to have as instructor, someone with plenty of ideas and the ability to implement them.' In 1972, Lee was hospitalised with a nervous breakdown with stress caused by the business difficulties afflicting the grazing industry. He remained in Muttaborra until 1974 when he moved to Bribie Island with his wife and reverted to being a tax agent. In the 2000 Sydney Olympics Lee was selected as a torch bearer at the age of 86. Further reading about the history of Somerset Airways and Gordon's involvement can be found at <https://bushpilotsairways.com.au/wp-content/publications/History-of-Somerset-Airways-Ron-Entsch.pdf> Lee died on 19 September 2014 in his centenary year; sold together with copied research and an unnamed Australian Service Medal 1945-75. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£300 to £500



Lot 669



A most unusual Second World War Honorary M.B.E. and Bronze Star pair awarded to Lieutenant-Colonel R. C. MacDuff, United States Army, who was decorated for his fine work at Supreme Headquarters Allied Expeditionary Force (SHAEF) in the Prisoner of War Executive Branch (PWX) - he certainly '...saved the lives of many POW's'. The Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Military Division, Member's (M.B.E.) Badge, 2nd Type, silver; United States of America, Bronze Star, the reverse engraved 'Robert C. MacDuff', in its fitted case of issue (2) Honorary M.B.E. confirmed in WO 373/151. The original recommendation from his CO - none other than General Sir Richard Nelson 'Windy' Gale, G.C.B., K.B.E., D.S.O., M.C. - and dated 21 June 1945 states: 'Lieutenant-Colonel MacDuff during the period covered by this citation was carrying out the duties of a Major in the PWX Branch of G1 Division. He was the principal liaison between the HQ and the International Red Cross and American Red Cross. He was directly associated with the arrangements for the introduction of Red Cross supplies into Germany to feed Prisoners of War on the march from the East. He exhibited great energy and enthusiasm in the performance of his work and his pleasant personality enabled him to surmount many difficulties. The provision of Red Cross supplies at so critical a time saved the lives of many Prisoners of War and the success of the project was largely due to the untiring efforts exerted by the Lt-Colonel MacDuff.' Sold together with his metal identity tag, confirming details as 'Robert C MacDuff O-901417 T42 A, Grace E MacDuff, Seymour Lane, Peekskill, NY P' and three riband bars from his tunic. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£240 to £280

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Lot 670



A Great War Medal of the Order of the British Empire awarded to Sergeant J. W. Edwards, E (Holborn) Division, Metropolitan Special Constabulary, for his gallantry in saving life after the disastrous bombing of Odhams on Long Acre, Covent Garden, 28 January 1918 Medal of the Order of the British Empire, Civil Division (J. W. Edwards. 1921.), engraved naming, suspension replaced with dual rings, very fine Medal of the Order of the British Empire London Gazette 12 October 1920. The original recommendation (TNA HO 45/11071/380323 refers) states: 'Joined as Constable in August 1914. Is now a Sub-Inspector, has performed 608 duties, still reports daily. He was present at most Air Raids as a member of my Ambulance Section, in which he had done excellent work at all times. But it is in connection with the Raid which took place on 28 January 1918 at Odham's that I wish to specially bring his name forward. He was on the scene within a minute or so of the bomb dropping. He at once grasped the situation and with himself, Heffer, Macaulay and others [they] broke open a yard where hand-barrows are kept for hire, and with these were able to remove some seven or eight cases to hospital before the regular ambulance arrived. He was of the greatest assistance to Mr Wallis in extracting dead and dying from the building at very great personal risk, and I am glad to be able to put his services on record.' In the early hours of 28/29 January 1918, a bomb dropped from the giant R-12 exploded in the basement of the Odhams Print Works on Long Acre, Covent Garden, London. The basement was being used as an air raid shelter. Some 38 were killed and at least 85 injured, the largest loss of life from a single bomb during the Great War. The date engraved upon this Medal likely reflects that the investiture for this award took place in 1921. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£300 to £500

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## Lot 671



A Second World War B.E.M. to J. McKenna, a member of the A.R.P. Rescue party in Glasgow, who on 14 March 1941 worked for many hours moving and lifting heavy timbers to enable trapped people to be released. British Empire Medal, G.V.R. (James McKenna), extremely fine B.E.M. London Gazette 30 May 1941. 'A bomb partly demolished a two storey tenement and persons were trapped. The remaining walls and an overhanging portion of roof were in a highly dangerous condition. Despite this McKenna entered the ruins and worked untiringly and unceasingly moving and lifting heavy timbers and other debris while those trapped were released. The award was recommended by the Chief Engineer of Glasgow. Shortly after 1 a.m. on 14th March, 1941, McKenna's party was called to a tenement at 101, Logan Street, Glasgow, which had been partly demolished by a parachute mine. With Police Constable Archibald Walker, who has been awarded the George Medal for his gallantry on this occasion, he entered the building, the walls and roof of which were in a highly dangerous condition, and until 3 a.m. worked untiringly to release 5 trapped persons. He materially assisted Constable Walker, in conditions of equal danger, in releasing 2 of the 5 persons alive. Copy of Police Reports: 'With reference to the Chief Constable's General Order No. 210/3/41 of 14th instant, I beg to report for the information of the Chief Constable, particulars of the actions of Archibald Campbell Walker, Reg. No. H.3., number 293 Constable of the Central Division, following the explosion of a parachute mine in Logan Street at Kilbride Street, about 12.30 a.m. on 14th March, 1941. Constable Walker proceeded on duty at 2 p.m. on 13th March, and reported off duty in accordance with instructions, during the progress of an aerial attack on the City, at 12.20 a.m. on 14th March. Thereafter, while the Constable was proceeding homewards, a parachute mine dropped at the junction of Logan Street and Kilbride Street, demolishing, among other damage, a portion of a two storey tenement dwelling. The Constable, who had been passing along Polmadie Road, about one hundred yards from the scene of the explosion, immediately proceeded to the incident. An express message was sent out to the Report Centre and the required Civil Defence services were soon on the spot. These included a Rescue Party from number 5 Depot, Titwood Road. A bomb partly demolished a two storey tenement and five persons were trapped in debris at what remained of the property at 101 Logan Street. Roof timbers, beams, doors and other heavy materials were bearing down on the trapped persons. The remaining walls and an overhanging portion of roof were in a highly dangerous condition. Despite this, Constable Walker entered the ruins along with James McKenna Rescue Party worker, residing at 70 Greenview Street, Glasgow, and together they worked untiringly and unceasingly till about 3 a.m., moving and lifting and holding heavy timbers and other debris for long periods while those trapped were released. Of the five persons so released, three were found dead and the remaining two seriously injured. I saw Constable Walker and McKenna at work on the incident and in addition to being personally much impressed, I overheard several spontaneous remarks of genuine admiration of the Constable's conduct uttered by various Civil Defence workers. David Gilmour, leader of Rescue Party from No. 5 Depot, Titwood Road, and Sergeant Duncan Campbell, the Incident Officer, from each of whom statements are submitted, both speak in the highest terms of the gallant conduct of Constable Walker and Mr. Gilmour also gives praise to James McKenna of his Rescue party for the outstanding work performed by him. I feel that in acting as he did, Constable Walker set a magnificent example to all other Civil Defence workers present. His conduct, in my opinion, is well worthy of recommendation for the award of the George Medal. With regard to the actions of the Rescue party worker, James McKenna, I feel that while he was only performing his allotted task, his work, at this incident was also praiseworthy and I respectfully suggest that he be considered for a commendation (Sgd.) George McLean Lieutenant. Constable Walker was appointed to this Force on 5th July, 1937. He is a married man, 27 years of age, and has served in the Central Division from the date of his transfer from the Training School. He has a clear record and is regarded by his supervising Officers as a promising young Constable. I agree with Lieutenant McLean that this is a case well worthy of recommendation for the award of the George Medal. As regards the actions of James McKenna, Rescue Party worker, the part which he played was certainly only what should be expected of a Rescue Party worker, but he appears to have performed his task exceedingly well and displayed exceptional devotion to duty. I also agree with Lieutenant McLean that he seems worthy of being recommended for a commendation. (Sgd.) James Storrier Superintendent. The medal housed in envelope and card box of issue, sold with copied recommendations and London Gazette entry. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£300 to £500

Lot 672



A Second World War B.E.M. group of six to Master at Arms F. D. Ballard, Royal Navy, late Royal Marine Engineers, awarded for service on the King George V but who forfeited his L.S. & G.C. medal for issuing a free railway ticket British Empire Medal, G.V.I.R. (M.A.A. Frederick D. Ballard. P/M.39657); British War Medal 1914-20 (CH.1135-S- Pte. F. Ballard. R.M.E.); 1939-45 Star; Atlantic Star; Pacific Star; War Medal 1939-45, court mounted for display, a couple of light contact marks to the second, otherwise very fine or better (6) B.E.M. London Gazette 11 June 1942. Recommended by the First Lord of the Admiralty: 'For outstanding leadership and zeal as Master-at-Arms in H.M.S. "King George V". He has a very firm hold on the ship's company, and his tact and patience are such that he wields a very good influence, and plays an important part in maintaining the morale and discipline of his ship.' Frederick Ballard was born at Twyford, Wantage, Berkshire on 20 March 1900. He was a carter before he enlisted into the Royal Marines at London on 5 April 1918, transferring to the Royal Marine Engineers at Chatham the next day and later completing his service on 24 February 1919. He was eligible for a British War Medal 1914-19 for his Great War service. Ballard then joined the Royal Navy on 3 November 1920 and served on Victory II from 3 November 1920, then on Malaya from 15 March 1922 before joining Columbine on 17 March 1925, then returning to Victory II on 3 April 1925. He was next posted to Fisgard on 7 June 1925, then to Victory I on 19 September 1925, and on to Columbine from 6 January 1926 ahead of rejoining Victory II on 3 January 1928. Ballard then joined Constance on 26 January 1928 before once again returning to Victory II on 7 February 1928. He transferred to Acting Regulating Petty Officer on 19 July 1928, from which time he served on Excellent until joining London on 17 June 1931. Ballard again served on Victory II from 17 April 1934 until 21 August 1937, and during this time he was awarded his L.S. & G.C. on 27 March 1935. However this was deprived, his service papers note him issuing a free railway ticket which is probably the reason he lost the medal. He served on Barham from 22 August 1935 and was then once again to Victory II from 24 February 1937 before joining on Greenwich on 10 April 1937. Returning to Victory II on 16 June 1937, he next served on Coventry from 16 August 1938 before rejoining Victory II on 24 August 1939. Ballard then served on King George V from 1 October 1940 until he was Pensioned on 13 December 1941. He was surveyed at the Military Hospital in Gibraltar on 5 October 1944 and was released from the service on 14 September 1945; sold with various photocopied service papers etc. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£240 to £280

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### Lot 673



A Second World War B.E.M. group of three to Miss M. M. Jensen, a member of the Civil Defence Casualty Service of Worthing British Empire Medal, G.V.I.R., (Miss Mary M. Jensen), mounted on ladies bow for wear; Defence Medal 1939-45; Voluntary Medical Service Medal, with two extra bars (M. Jensen), mounted as worn, note spelling on the last, very fine or better (3) B.E.M. London Gazette 15 June 1945 Mary Margerethe Jensen was born on 10 February 1881 and was baptised at St. Peter's Church in Fulham, London on 1 February 1885. She served as a member of the Civil Defence Casualty Service, Worthing, West Sussex; sold together with a British Red Cross Society Medal for War Service and a British Red Cross Society medal for merit with 1938 bar and '2096 M. Jensen.' engraved on reverse. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£200 to £250

### Lot 674



(x) The B.E.M. group of seven Flight Sergeant P. A. Searle, Royal Air Force British Empire Medal, E.II.R., Military Division (531303 F.Sgt. Paul A. Searle, R.A.F.); 1939-45 Star; Africa Star; Defence and War Medals 1939-45; General Service Medal 1918-62, 1 clasp, Arabian Peninsula (531303 F.Sgt. P. A. Searle, R.A.F.); Royal Air Force L.S. & G.C., E.II.R., with Second Award Bar (531303 Sgt. P. A. Searle, R.A.F.), mounted as worn, edge bruise to first, light contact marks, overall very fine (7) B.E.M. London Gazette 31 December 1960. Paul Alexander Searle was born at Gateshead in 1915 and attested in April 1936. He was awarded his L.S. & G.C. on 15 April 1954 and the Bar in April 1972. Searle died at Cornwall in 1990, at his funeral a special collection was made to aid the R.A.F. Association Welfare Fund; sold together with copied research. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£300 to £400

## Lot 675



Sold by Order of a Direct DescendantThe outstanding Second World War 1940 G.C. (E.G.M. 'translation') group of four awarded to Major E. W. Reynolds, Royal EngineersIn his work with 101 & 102 Bomb Disposal Sections, his mastery in tackling novel enemy bombs came to the fore, including on two occasions in August & September 1940, when twice successfully defusing two 250kg devices in and around Bristol - a false move on either occasion would have been fatal - his award being promulgated just a week before the institution of the G.C. itself, he would eventually take his decoration from the hands of the Duke of Gloucester whilst out in India in July 1942; that was to be the first occasion that the ultimate award for civilian gallantry would be conferred in IndiaGeorge Cross (Lieut. Edward Womersley Reynolds, R.E. 17th. September, 1940.), on its investiture pin and in Royal Mint case of issue; Burma Star; Defence and War Medals 1939-45, these last three all in their cases of recent issue, with labels stating 'Maj E Reynolds P/67382', good very fine (4)Exhibited:Lord Ashcroft Gallery, Imperial War Museum, London.E.G.M., latterly 'translated' to the G.C. (V.C. & G.C. Association, refers) London Gazette 17 September 1940:'The King has been graciously pleased to approve the following Awards:- The Medal of the Military Division of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, for Gallantry:Lieutenant Edward Womersley Reynolds, 101 and 102 Bomb Disposal Sections, R.E. On 17th August, 1940 [Congresbury, Somerset], a 250 kilo bomb fell in a garden amongst some council houses; it did not explode and Lieut. Reynolds was sent to investigate. On digging down 17 ft., he found that it had a new type of fuse about which no instructions had at that time been received. Finding that traffic was suspended on the road and that inhabitants had had to be cleared out of their houses, he removed the fuse and found that it had a clockwork delayed action. The risk he took was great, and merit of his action was the greater for lack of exact knowledge of the type of fuse he was dealing with.On 3rd September, 1940 [Temple St, Bristol]. - A large bomb fell in a street just before midnight on September 1st, 1940; it wrecked the front of some business premises and was supposed to have exploded. About 16.30 hours on the 3rd September, a 250 kilo unexploded bomb was found in the debris. Lieut. Reynolds was at once summoned, found that it had a clockwork fuse which was still ticking and according to orders applied to Regional H.Q. for instructions suggesting that the sooner it was dealt with the better, and stating that he was willing to do so forthwith. In view of the damage to property that would have been caused by the explosion of such a large bomb in such a congested area and especially of the possible effect on the public morale permission was given and Lieut. Reynolds immediately extracted the fuse and rendered the bomb inoperative. The risk in doing this was very considerable.'Edward Womersley Reynolds was born on 27 June 1917, the second son of John and Brenda Reynolds. The family lived in Harborne, his father was the managing director of the family business and also President of the Royal Astronomical Society 1935-37. The grandfather had been Lord Mayor of Birmingham and also Governor of the University, so the young man had much to live up to. Young Reynolds went to West House School, Edgbaston and then to Repton before joining the family firm, which manufactured nails.Joining the Territorial Army, he was commissioned 2nd Lieutenant into the 48th Division and was promoted Lieutenant in April 1939. Reynolds is understood to have served in France with the B.E.F. and was evacuated with pneumonia in February 1940. Having recovered, he joined 102nd Bomb Disposal Section at Barton Stacey.It was to be with that unit and 101st Section that he won his George Cross, had the award been promulgated just a week later it would have been a 'pure' award. Nonetheless, his actions are worthy of the praise which was eventually showered down. Reynolds performed numerous acts of selfless bravery in the face of novel enemy bombs which had been dropped during wartime upon Bristol and its environs. His G.C. was to be presented from the hands of the Duke of Gloucester at Government House, Ganeshkind in July 1942. It was the first occasion that the G.C. had been presented in India.Reynolds was posted out to the Bomb Disposal Training Centre as Commandant at Kirkee in January 1941. Eventually advanced Major, he was released from the Army in June 1946, having been struck down with cerebral malaria in 1945.A lover of hill-climb sports cars, model railways and classical music, Reynolds returned to the fold of the family firm and married Margaret (Meg) in October 1949. The good Major died on 14 December 1955, with issue of one son, who continues to proudly represent the family at the various V.C. & G.C. Association gatherings. He is commemorated via a painting at Repton and upon the board at the Royal Engineers Museum, Chatham.Sold together with his T.A. Badge, reverse numbered '92653', King's Badge, besides his Royal Engineers cap Badge and 'RE' titles, besides copies of his Royal Society of St George Certificate & a 'BD (Bomb Disposal) Any Minute Now' framed painting.Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£22,000 to £25,000

Lot 676



The Great War D.S.C. group of four awarded to Skipper J. Mair, Royal Naval Reserve, whose vessel was one of seven sunk by the enemy whilst patrolling the Dover Strait on 15 February 1918 Distinguished Service Cross, G.V.R., silver with hallmarks for London 1917; 1914-15 Star (1323 W.S.A, J. Mair, Skr., R.N.R.); British War and Victory Medals (W.S.A. 1323 J. Mair Skr. R.N.R.), light contact marks and some pitting, Victory medal polished, otherwise very fine (4) D.S.C. London Gazette 15 March 1918, the original citation states: 'Displayed great coolness and presence of mind when his ship was sunk with the loss of seven hands and he himself was injured.' John Mair was born on 16 October 1883 at Portknockie in Banff, Scotland. He joined the Royal Naval Reserve on 30 March 1915 and commenced his service aboard H.M.S. Helena, with whom he was later rated Skipper. She was a drifter built in 1906 that was requisitioned by the Royal Navy in 1915 after the outbreak of the Great War and served near Banff for the duration of the conflict. Mair served with her for a few years before joining H.M. Trawler W. Elliot, likely in early 1918, as Skipper. She was engaged in the Dover Patrol in the Strait of Dover, and was later sunk during an action with the enemy on the night of 14-15 February 1918. A number of U-boats had been sunk in the Channel due to the combined efforts of mines and a squadron of Royal Navy trawlers and drifters on patrol. The German Imperial Navy in response sent a flotilla of destroyers to the Channel to attack the Royal Navy ships. The large, well-equipped enemy destroyers launched an attack on the Dover Patrol, with the help of U-boats, early in the morning on 15 February. After a period of intense fire the Germans had sunk a total of nine Royal Navy vessels, amounting to seven drifters, a trawler, and a minesweeper. The enemy escaped to the North before they were able to be engaged by British forces. One of the Navy vessels that was lost that night was W. Elliot under the command of Mair. Seven members of the crew were killed during the action, and Mair himself was wounded before escaping the sinking vessel. After the conflict in which his ship was lost, Mair appears to have joined Adventure-Class scout cruiser H.M.S. Attentive III, who during the war was also involved in the Dover Patrol. After just a couple months of service he was invalided in to H.M.S. Pembroke, the shore base at Chatham, for hospital. It is unclear if this was a new injury or due to complications with the wound sustained in the action of February 1918. He was subsequently discharged five days later on 30 May 1918 as a result of his being invalided. His address given upon discharge was 12 Victoria Street, Portknockie. Mair survived his wound and later received an award of over £56 in naval prize money in December 1922, with a further supplementary award of over £7 in September 1923. He is further entitled to a silver war badge; sold together with copied research. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£1,000 to £1,400

## Lot 677



The 'Dardanelles 1915' D.S.M. awarded to Engine Room Artificer R. R. Patterson, Royal Naval Reserve, late Imperial Yeomanry, who served in the Boer War and later joined the Navy, serving on H.M.S. Majestic's picket boat in her mission to destroy submarine E15, and survived Majestic being torpedoed and sunk by the enemy Distinguished Service Medal, G.V.R. (1614.E.A. R. R. Patterson. E.R.A. R.N.R. H.M.S. Majestic.), one minor edge knock, very fine D.S.M. London Gazette 16 August 1915. Randal Rothwell Patterson was born on 31 July 1881 in Greenisland, Carrickfergus, in County Antrim. He went on to be educated at the Royal Belfast Academical Institution, King William's College on the Isle of Man, and at Queen's College Belfast. Patterson was a 21-year-old student when he attested at Belfast for the Imperial Yeomanry on 9 February 1901. He was quickly posted to South Africa, where he served as a Private in the 60th Company, 17th Battalion under number 26210. Patterson returned home on 19 November 1902 and was discharged at Gosport soon after upon the termination of his limited period of engagement on 25 November. After his Boer War service Patterson shifted his focus to the seas, completing apprenticeships with shipping companies and earning his chief engineer's certificate. He joined the Irish Lights in 1912 and served as Second Engineer aboard their steamer Alexandra. With the outbreak of the Great War, Patterson enrolled with the Royal Naval Reserve on 31 December 1914. His first posting was to H.M.S. Majestic, the lead ship of the Majestic-class, as an Engine Artificer on 25 January 1915. Soon afterwards, she was despatched to the Mediterranean to serve in the Dardanelles. Patterson received his D.S.M. for his participation in the mission to blow up H.M. Submarine E15, which had run aground by the Turkish Fort Dardanos and needed to be destroyed to keep from being salvaged by the enemy. Fire from the fort prevented larger ships from getting in a hit, and as such Majestic and Triumph sent picket boats on what was likely a suicide mission to strike E15 at a closer range. These two boats were manned by volunteers, despite there being 'very little expectation that those who ventured out on this exploit would ever return' (Deeds that Thrill the Empire, refers). The two picket boats sent off late on the night of 18 April and navigated several miles of narrow channel before being spotted and fired upon by the enemy. Majestic's picket boat, commanded by Lieutenant Claud Herbert Godwin, suffered damage from a Turkish gunner but was able to fire a torpedo and score a hit on the British submarine, albeit under the waterline. Triumph's picket boat rescued the men on board her sister ship, which was later sunk by the enemy. All crew members of the boats, including Patterson, received the D.S.M. for their gallant voluntary service. Majestic continued to serve in the Dardanelles and Patterson was reportedly on board when, on 27 May 1915 off the coast of Cape Helles, she was struck with a torpedo fired from U-21. It took her only nine minutes to capsize, sinking with the loss of 49 men. Patterson, gratefully, was not amongst them and survived this harrowing ordeal. After the sinking of Majestic Patterson was removed to the mine-sweeper H.M.S. Marigold on 25 July 1915. He then served on Dolphin from 10 October, being rated Chief Engine Room Artificer with her on 1 April 1916, later joining Titania in June. He was advanced Temporary Warrant Officer on 1 August 1917 while serving with Vivid, and his final posting was aboard Ajax from 14 January 1919. Patterson served in the R.N.R. through the remainder of the war until his demobilisation on 20 June 1919. Following his First World War naval service Patterson returned to the Irish Lights. He rejoined the Alexandra as Chief Engineer and worked in that capacity until his retirement in 1945. He later died at his home on Malahide Road in Dublin on 14 September 1952 and he was interred at Mount Jerome Cemetery in Dublin. Patterson is further entitled to a Queen's South Africa 1899-1902 Medal with clasps for Cape Colony, Orange Free State, Transvaal, South Africa 1901 and South Africa 1902, as well as a 1914-12 Star trio; sold together with copied research. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£600 to £800



## Lot 678



'I have the honour to draw your attention to the behaviour of my ship's company, or rather what was left of them. It was simply splendid. I can find no other word for it. When the ship had gone down, and we were all in the water, the men were singing, "Tipperary" and a hail of "Are we downhearted?" drew the usual reply from all hands. When they were not singing, they were cheering ...'Commander Maurice Blackwood, D.S.O., R.N., late captain of the Q-ship Stonecrop, pays tribute to his gallant crew, among them C.P.O. Olding. A rare Great War 'Q Ship 1917' D.S.M. group of three awarded to Chief Petty Officer C. W. Olding, Royal Navy who was serving on H.M.S. Stonecrop when she engaged U-151 on 17 September 1917. The next day in what became a famous chapter of Q-ship history, some of her crew subsequently survived their ordeal with U-43, after a week adrift in a hastily made raft, a story movingly recalled in the pages of Q Boat Encounters, by Harold Auten, V.C. Distinguished Service Medal, G.V.R. (179704. C.W. Olding, P.O.1cl. Atlantic Ocean. 17 Sept. 1917.); 1914-15 Star (179704. C. Olding. P.O.1., R.N.); Victory Medal (179704 C. Olding. C.P.O. R.N.), light contract marks, very fine (3) D.S.M. London Gazette 17 November 1917, the original recommendation states: 'HMS Stonecrop (Q Ship) action with enemy submarine 17 September 1917. Went away as mate of ship in 'abandon ship' party and assisted Lieutenant Booth in a most able manner'. Charles William Olding was born at Titchfield, Hampshire on 5 September 1877, the son of Charles and Martha Olding. A gardener he joined the Royal Navy as a Boy 2nd Class on 30 April 1894. He had a succession of shore and sea-based appointments prior to the Great War, with promotions to Able Seaman in 1897, Leading Seaman in 1905 and P.O. 2nd class in 1907. Olding was stationed ashore until 5 August 1917. In Peril on the Sea His next appointment as Chief Petty Officer was aboard the Q-ship Stonecrop, which commenced on 6 August 1917 and ended in heavy loss of life off Ireland on 18 September 1917 when Stonecrop was torpedoed by U-43. Originally the collier Glenfoyle, she was converted for service as a 'Q-Ship' in April 1917 and fitted with one visible 6-pounder gun capable of firing only in the aft direction (as was legitimate defence for a merchant ship) but also with a concealed 4-inch gun, 12-pounder howitzers for projecting bombs, and torpedo tubes. Commanded by the 'sometimes fiery' Maurice Blackwood, D.S.O., R.N., Stonecrop had fought a classic Q-ship action against U-151 the previous day, when she obtained numerous hits on her adversary, an action described at length by Harold Auten in his Q Boat Adventures. On 17 September 1917, when some 300 miles south-west of Co. Kerry, she sighted a submarine (U-151) on the surface at 14000 yards distance. The submarine opened fire and Stonecrop turned away at her top speed of 7 knots, sending out S.O.S. signals. The submarine followed, overtaking and firing, but without making any direct hits. After half an hour of this, Stonecrop lighted her Smoke Apparatus, simulating a very realistic fire, and sent off her 'panic party'. The submarine then submerged but reappeared later and circled the ship at 600 yards. Stonecrop opened fire with her 4-inch gun, scoring several hits. The submarine then moved away, to sink stern-first. She surfaced again briefly before finally sinking. Her conning-tower hatch had not been opened and no wreckage appeared, just oil and scum, but Stonecrop's Captain was convinced that she had been sunk. The Admiralty awarded £1000 to be distributed amongst the crew. Auten likewise describes Stonecrop's final action just 24 hours later, in which she was torpedoed by the U-43. The resultant explosion demolished the bridge, wheelhouse and wireless office and instantly killed five ratings and, within a short space of time, Stonecrop slipped beneath the waves. The surviving crew took to two boats and a raft but because of the destruction of the wireless office it had not been possible to send out an S.O.S. message. Blackwood sent off one of the boats to summon help from land and his own boat, having become separated from the raft in heavy seas, was rescued by a passing steamer on 20 September. The fate of those who took to the raft - three officers and 20 ratings - was less fortunate. As each day passed, with no sign of any help, their numbers dwindled on account of the cold, exposure and lack of water, madness, too. Finally, nearly a week after the loss of the Stonecrop, just two surviving officers and eight ratings were rescued from the raft by a patrol boat. As Auten concludes: 'Out of a total complement of ninety-nine (11 officers and 88 men) that had manned the Stonecrop, four officers and forty men had lost their lives.' Olding, one of the lucky ones, was shore based for the remainder of the war being shore pensioned on 10 March 1920 after an eventful period of active service. He died at Portsmouth in September 1933. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£800 to £1,000

Lot 679



A Great War D.S.M. awarded to Greaser W. Anderson, Mercantile Marine Reserve Distinguished Service Medal, G.V.R. (W. Anderson, Greaser. M.M.R. H.M.S. Marmora. 1917), minor edge knock, very fine D.S.M. London Gazette 6 April 1918. William Anderson was awarded the D.S.M. for exceptional merit in performance of his Patrol and Escort Duties aboard the H.M.S. Marmora. Marmora was a 'M'-class passenger ship launched in 1903 but was requisitioned by the Admiralty on the very first day of the First World War for use as an Armed Merchant Cruiser and was refitted with eight 4.7" guns. It is not known whether Anderson was with her on 23 July 1918 when she was struck by a torpedo from German U-boat UB 64, commanded by Otto von Schrader, and sunk off the southern coast of Ireland. There were ten casualties and the survivors were picked up by P67 and put ashore at Milford Haven. Anderson survived the Great War but died soon after of cardiovascular disease on 24 April 1924, at which time he was serving with H.M.S. Rowan. Upon his death his pension was claimed by his 'guardian' Miss Bella Anderson, who resided at 100 Lamb Street, Liverpool, and his medals were claimed by his son. Anderson is further entitled to a Great War trio; sold together with copied medal roll and London Gazette entry. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£500 to £700

Lot 680



A Great War D.S.M. group of four awarded to Able Seaman G. S. Chisman, Marine Fleet Auxiliary & Mercantile Marine Distinguished Service Medal, G.V.R. (Able Seaman S. Chisman, "Verdun II" Minesweeping. 1917.); 1914-15 Star (S. Chesman, A.B., M.F.A.); British War and Victory Medals (S. Chesman, A.B., M.F.A.), note naming spellings, very fine (4) D.S.M. London Gazette 17 April 1918. [Italian Al Valore Militare Bronze] London Gazette 16 March 1918. M.I.D. London Gazette 2 July 1917. George Sidney Chisman/Chesman was born at Poole, Dorset on 3 September 1891 and served with the Mercantile Marine (No. 476085) and Marine Fleet Auxiliary during the Great War. His awards were all won on the Verdun II. She was launched by Fairfield Govan, in June 1888 as Paris, a cross channel Paddle Steamer for the London Brighton & South Coast Railway. During wartime, she had been requisitioned by the Admiralty for conversion to a Minesweeper in March 1916. She became Verdun II after the name was given to a destroyer. She was armed with a single 6-pounder anti-aircraft gun. The vessel was scrapped in 1924 at Upnor in the River Medway. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£600 to £800

Lot 681



The 'Action off Imbros 1918' D.S.M. awarded to 2nd Hand W. Thomas, Royal Naval Reserve, who was commended in 1917 and earned further laurels serving aboard the drifter *Supernal* which attempted to protect the monitors *Raglan* and *M28* by laying a smokescreen during the sortie of the German warships *Goeben* and *Breslau* in January 1918. Distinguished Service Medal, G.V.R. (DA.4484. W. Thomas. 2nd Hd. R.N.R. H.M.S. *Supernal*. Dardanelles. 20 Jan 1918.), name, number and rank officially corrected, light contact marks, very fine D.S.M. London Gazette 13 September 1918, the original citation states: 'For services in action with "*Goeben*" and "*Breslau*" in January 1918. William Thomas was born at Cullen, Scotland on 7 June 1887, the son of Edwin and Anne Thomas. Enrolling with the Royal Naval Reserve on 1 March 1915, he was first posted to Mary Reed before going ashore at H.M.S. *Dreel Castle*, the auxiliary patrol base at Falmouth, in late 1916. Commended for his services aboard the armed trawler *King Arthur* in 1917, Thomas transferred to *Osiris II* the depot ships based at Mudros. He was serving with the Drifter *Supernal* on 20 January 1918, the day German and Ottoman authorities had decided that the *Goeben* and *Breslau* would sortie from Istanbul. They had been transferred to the Turkish navy by this point having been blockaded in the port since 1914. Their intention was to raid elements of the British Aegean Squadron sheltering in Imbros harbour and with the only British Battleship in the area the aging *Agamemnon* which was far too slow to overhaul the raiders there was little to stop them. The British destroyers present were unable to line up properly on the enemy battleship and the raiders soon zeroed in on the vulnerable monitors *Raglan* and *M28* sheltering in a cove. The Skipper of H.M.D. *Supernal* was awarded the D.S.C. in the same Gazette edition as Thomas, his citation provides greater detail on the actions of the Drifters stating: 'Skpr. Benjamin George Reynolds, R.N.R., 2114 S.A., H.M. Drifter "*Supernal*." Remained on patrol in their drifters during the action and made smoke screen in a gallant endeavour to screen H.M. Monitors "*Raglan*" and "*M28*," showing great presence of mind and initiative. Both vessels were invaluable in rescuing survivors.' Unfortunately, the valiant efforts of *Supernal* and the other drifter *Anchor of Hope II* were to no avail and the warships pounded both monitors until they were sinking. Seeing that they had caused enough damage the raiders began to withdraw but the *Breslau*, renamed *Midilli* for Ottoman service, hit a mine and began to sink. *Goeben* (Yavûz Sultân Selîm) went to her rescue but also hit a mine and was forced to withdraw and ran aground whilst under attack by Allied aircraft. In spite of their initial success the raiders had ended up losing one cruiser and severely damaging a battleship, greatly reducing the threat to the Allied shipping in the Mediterranean for some time. Thomas was transferred to the books of *Valhalla II*, a tender to *Osiris II*, on 1 August 1918, he remained in the area until the end of the war. Finally transferred to *Europa II* in February 1919 Thomas was demobilised on 12 June 1919; sold together with copied service papers. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£600 to £800

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Lot 682

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PENDING**

**SPINK**  
WHERE HISTORY IS VALUED

The 'Harwich Force 1918' D.S.M. to Petty Officer A. E. Kennett, Royal Navy Distinguished Service Medal, G.V.R. (183716. A. E. Kennett, P.O. "Skilful." 1918.), lightly polished, very fine D.S.M. London Gazette 20 September 1918. Arthur Edward Kennett was born on 24 December 1879 at Boughton in Kent. The former-scholar Kennett attested with the Royal Navy on his eighteenth birthday to complete a twelve-year engagement. His first posting was as a Boy Second Class with H.M.S. Impregnable, being advanced to Boy First Class with Ganges the next year. Kennett was later promoted Ordinary Seaman whilst aboard Repulse with whom he was also made Able Seaman. He was with Diadem when he was advanced Leading Seamen in July 1906 and then Petty Officer Second Class the following October. His promotion to Petty Officer First Class came in September 1907 with Wildfire. Kennett joined the newly launched "R"-class destroyer H.M.S. Skilful on 1 April 1917, and with her was advanced Acting Chief Petty Officer and a short time afterwards Chief Petty Officer. Skilful was a member of the Harwich Field Force, and it was for Kennett's services in that capacity for which he was awarded his D.S.M. on 27 March 1919. Kennett joined the Reserve at Chatham in December 1919 and his final posting was with H.M.S. Actaeon from 11 June 1919 until he left her on 20 January 1920. He was further entitled to a Great War trio; sold together with copied research. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£600 to £800

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**Lot 683**



(x) A Dunkirk D.S.M. group of five to Seaman W. Bond, Royal Navy, who was awarded his D.S.M. for service on H.M.S. Sheldrake which was involved in the attack of E-Boat S30 on 29 May 1940 Distinguished Service Medal, G.V.I.R. (JX.167146 W. Bond. Smn. R.N.); 1939-45 Star; Atlantic Star; Defence and War Medals 1939-45, mounted as worn as a single and a group of four, the first with officially re-impressed naming, otherwise very fine

(5) D.S.M. London Gazette 1 January 1941. William Bond was born at Fleetwood, Lancashire and was employed in seafaring prior to him joining the Royal Navy with the outbreak of the Second World War. Sheldrake was built in 1937 and was classed as a Patrol Vessel or Corvette. She was involved in an attack on E-Boat S30 close to the Kwinte Whistle Buoy, near the Dover Strait on 29 May 1940. This particular E-Boat had sunk Wakeful in the early hours of the morning of 29 May with the loss of over 600 troops. The publication The Navy Day by Day stated that this E-Boat was sunk however this is not the case. Sheldrake saw further action in the North Sea in March 1943 and May 1944. She was sold out of the Royal Navy in 1946. In addition to the D.S.M. awarded to Bond, a further two M.I.D.s were gazetted on 1 January 1941 to a Petty Officer A. E. Jackson and a Lieutenant H. W. M. Rose; sold with a newspaper cutting announcing the award of the D.S.M. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

**Estimate**

**£500 to £700**

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Lot 684

IMAGE  
PENDING

**SPINK**  
Where History is Valued

A good Second World War submariner's 'Fighting Tenth' D.S.M. group of seven awarded to Petty Officer Stoker Mechanic F. Malone, Royal Navy, who was decorated for his services as United's periscope reader in 17 war patrols in the Mediterranean in 1942-43 Distinguished Service Medal, G.V.I.R. (KX. 85452 F. Malone, A./S.P.O.); 1939-45 Star; Atlantic Star; Africa Star; Italy Star; War Medal 1939-45; Royal Navy L.S. & G.C., E.I.I.R. (KX. 909541 F. Malone, P.O.S.M., H.M.S. Dolphin), mounted as worn, somewhat polished, generally very fine (7) D.S.M. London Gazette 12 October 1943, the original citation states: 'For courage, resolution and skill successful patrols in H.M. Submarines.' The original recommendation - for an immediate award - states: 'For good services as a Leading Stoker and latterly as Stoker Petty Officer of United, throughout 17 patrols in the Mediterranean. For unflinching cheerfulness and devotion to duty on all occasions. He has acted as periscope reader during attacks with alertness and accuracy. During the period covered by this recommendation, United has carried out 17 war patrols in the central Mediterranean while operating from the Tenth Submarine Flotilla. During this period she inflicted the following losses on the enemy: Sunk: 1 Italian U-boat, 4 merchant vessels, 3 schooners. Probably sunk: 1 merchant vessel. Damaged: 4 merchant vessels. In addition, one destroyer may have been sunk or damaged. As a consequence of these attacks, depth charge attacks of varying severity have been experienced. Francis Malone, a native of Newcastle, must have joined the P. 44 (a.k.a. United) in early 1942, shortly before she was commissioned and ordered to the Mediterranean, where she would join the famous 'Fighting Tenth' Flotilla in Malta. To begin with, however, and under the command of Lieutenant T. E. Barlow (afterwards Commodore Sir Thomas Barlow, Bt., D.S.C.) she operated out of Gibraltar. Having lent support to Operations 'Pedestal' in August 1942, United claimed her first victim in the same month, when she torpedoed the Italian destroyer Rosolino Pilo on the 18th. And she followed up that success with a brace of 'kills' west of Zliten, Libya on 17 September, when she torpedoed the salvage vessel Rostro and the auxiliary anti-submarine schooner Giovanni. Later still, on 21 November, she sortied into Buerat harbour. Her log takes up the story: '1745 hours - Surfaced and closed the harbour entrance. Three or four small ships were sighted in the harbour in the forenoon. Directed for gun action in the hope of sinking some of these and if possible the pier before the reply would come too hot. 1803 hours - Opened fire on a 150-ton schooner, the largest vessel visible from a range of 1000 yards. Scored 10 to 12 hits out of 16 rounds fired. Then shifted target to the pier and a small steamer alongside it. After firing 12 rounds for six hits some small arms fire opened up from the beach, followed by light and erratic field gun fire. At the same time the gun malfunctioned. 1807 hours - Broke off the action and retired to the seaward. The schooner was seen to be smoking and to be lower in the water. She may have settled on the bottom.' In December 1942, after nine war patrols, Barlow was rested, and Lieutenant John Roxburgh - afterwards Vice-Admiral Sir John Roxburgh, K.B.E., C.B., D.S.O., D.S.C. - assumed command. And of subsequent events during his command, the following summary appeared in his Daily Telegraph obituary notice: 'His youthful appearance dismayed United's crew when he took command in December 1942, aged 23; but they quickly discovered that he was "a cool customer". Over 10 days on his first patrol off Italy, Roxburgh saw 11 enemy merchant ships being escorted by air patrols, as well as by numerous destroyers and anti-submarine craft. He was forced into sudden dives and alterations of course; and, since the only torpedoes available from Malta were of First World War vintage, Roxburgh's attacks were unsuccessful. But as "Shrimp" Simpson, commanding the "Fighting Tenth" flotilla, noted: "For continual activity and strain on personnel, Roxburgh's patrol can have few equals. Determination and good submarine sense have brought him safely through." On his second patrol, Roxburgh closed to 3,000 yards to attack a heavily defended convoy; he missed his target but hit a zigzagging Italian destroyer. United was then depth-charged for 13 hours, and on surfacing at night was forced to crash-dive after finding several destroyers waiting to attack. The hatch was open for only a minute, but the fresh air taken into the boat was vital for United's survival. By the time it surfaced next evening, the air inside was so foul that the crew were suffering from headaches and loss of concentration. Roxburgh recalled spending the first few minutes on the bridge "feeling far from aggressive and being extremely sick". Leading Seaman Cyril Balls wrote in his diary: "It was some time before there was sufficient oxygen for the first all-important cigarette." Returning late from this patrol, Roxburgh was offended to discover from the wardroom steward that his brother officers had drunk his precious ration of beer, to wish him "health in eternity". While United was secretly surveying the beaches of Sicily, a U-boat crossed its bows at 500 yards range, but Roxburgh, determined not to betray his position, withheld fire and submerged. As a result he lost one of his landing parties, which had to paddle back to Malta in a voyage lasting 37 hours. Later a Spitfire undertaking photo-reconnaissance filmed Roxburgh torpedoing the 5,000-ton, German-operated Ringulo in the Messina Straits, then being bombed by an enemy aircraft and depth-charged by a destroyer before Ringulo broke in two. Six days later Roxburgh sank the small armed merchant cruiser Olbia. He thought the Italians foolish to send an unescorted ship through his area, but it enabled him to leave the periscope up so that United's crew could see the results of their handiwork. On July 15 1943 Roxburgh was one of an outer ring of submarines defending Operation Husky, the Allied landings on Sicily, when he intercepted the Italian submarine Remo on the surface and fired a full salvo of torpedoes at 500 yards. United shuddered as Remo exploded; Roxburgh watched through his periscope as the Italian boat's stern reared high, its propellers spinning, before it sank. He recalled that he felt "no elation after such a rapid end to one's own kind, but a momentary awe". Capitano di Corvetta Salvatore Vassallo, the rescued captain of Remo, proved an enthusiastic cook and a quiet but interested spectator during his nine days' imprisonment in United, during which Roxburgh carried out an unsuccessful attack on a fast-moving cruiser. Since Vassallo's wife was pregnant, he joined in celebrating the news of the birth of Roxburgh's daughter, announced by the codeword "Grommet"; if the baby had been a boy, the codeword was to have been "Toggle". The two captains became friends, though Roxburgh was careful to take his farewell of Vassallo in private. In addition to the usual Jolly Roger, Roxburgh entered Malta flying a white flag showing a stork carrying a baby. His logbook recorded "A happy day, taken all in all", and Admiral of the Fleet Sir Andrew Cunningham signalled congratulation at the "double event". On Roxburgh's final patrol on August 15, when he was ordered to intercept Italian mine-laying cruisers and destroyers, he was tempted to creep inside a minefield to sink a grounded warship; but a "still small voice" whispered in his ear that it was his last patrol - and he turned south for Malta. Roxburgh had survived torpedoes, bombs and depth charges, while one third of his fellow submariners had not returned from patrol. After 11 months and 10 patrols he had sunk some 12,000 tons of shipping. He was awarded the D.S.O. Homeward bound on September 10, he was speechless with emotion as he watched the Italian fleet being escorted into internment at Malta, and he quietly

Estimate  
£1,000 to £1,400

Lot 685



(x) A Second World War 'Silent Service' D.S.M. group of six awarded to Chief Stoker Petty Officer R. G. Shorrocks, Royal Navy, later Royal Fleet Reserve, for his service aboard H.M. Submarine Taku in the Mediterranean and off the coast of Norway 1941-44, during which time this she sunk numerous enemy vessels Distinguished Service Medal, G.V.I.R. (Sto. P.O. R. G. Shorrocks. D/KX. 82482); 1939-45 Star; Atlantic Star; Africa Star; War Medal 1939-45; Royal Fleet Reserve L.S. & G.C., G.V.I.R. (KX.82482 R. G. Shorrocks. D.S.M. PO.B.26162 C.P.O.S.M. R.F.R.), mounted as worn, good very fine (6) D.S.M. London Gazette 2 May 1944. 'For outstanding courage, skill and devotion to duty in successful patrols in H.M. Submarines.' The original recommendation states: 'He has displayed good qualities of leadership and efficiency. He is unsparing to himself and has ability and knowledge superior to his position, as Chief Stoker in H.M.S. Taku, which he is always ready to use for the good of the ship and the Navy. He has carried out patrols in Taku both in the Mediterranean and Norwegian waters during which period five merchant vessels were sunk, one possibly sunk and several large caiques sunk or damaged by gunfire. During these actions, Stoker Petty Officer Shorrocks always displayed courage and devotion to duty of the highest order.' Ronald Goulden Shorrocks was born at Oldham, Lancashire, on 24 February 1913 and entered the Royal Navy as a Stoker Second Class on 29 November 1932. Promoted Stoker First Class on 29 October 1933, on 7 September 1935 he was posted to H.M.S. Dolphin; the Submarine training base at Gosport. On 14 December 1938, he was posted to Submarine H.M.S. H43 as Leading Stoker. Back at H.M.S. Dolphin on 8 May 1939, his next service afloat was with H.M.S. Umpire from March 1941. By now a Stoker Petty Officer, on 19 July 1941 H.M.S. Umpire was sunk when it collided with an armed escort trawler. Of a crew of 31, 22 were killed and since Shorrocks' service record shows his next posting as 20 July 1941, there is no reason to believe he was not one of the 9 survivors. Between 22 October 1941 and 7 May 1944, Shorrocks served aboard Taku (N38), a T-Class submarine with a complement of 59. Arriving in Gibraltar in March 1942, Taku commenced her 14th War patrol (Shorrocks' first with this submarine) on 2 April. During the next two years, in both the Mediterranean and off the coast of Norway, Taku would have a fair amount of success in sinking enemy shipping. This would include the Italian tanker Delfin, the Greek sailing vessels Niki, Lora and a small vessel which was unidentified. She also attacked, but failed to hit the German merchant ship Menes and the Italian tanker Cerere. Reassigned to operate off the Scandinavian coast in 1944, Taku sank the German merchantmen Rheinhausen and Hans Bornhofen, and badly damaged the German freighter Harm Fritzen. In March 1944, she attacked a convoy, but missed her target, the ex-Norwegian Kriegsmarine transport Moshill. On 13 April 1944, during her 25 War patrol, a mine exploded close to Taku, resulting in her to abort her patrol and return to base. This would be the last patrol Shorrocks took part with in this submarine. However for his service aboard her, he would be awarded the D.S.M. On 8 May 1944, Shorrocks joined Trident, serving with this submarine for four months. He served aboard Aurochs from 4 April 1945 and was appointed Chief Stoker Petty Officer two weeks later. Shorrocks was discharged to the reserve on 17 May 1945 and died in Weymouth in 1976; sold together with a H.M. S/M. cap tally and a Blazer badge. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£800 to £1,200

Lot 686



A Second World War 'Landing Craft Infantry (Large) Operations' D.S.M. awarded to Leading Seaman C.H. Cobb, Royal Navy, Coxswain of Landing Craft Infantry Large 102A veteran of the Salerno, Anzio & Elba landings; he shared in the costly landings on Elba - an action 'fought in total darkness, relieved only by the light of gunfire and the flash of explosions' and a 'night that saw a thousand and one acts of bravery' Distinguished Service Medal, G.V.I.R. (Temp. A/L.S. C.H. Cobb. P/JX.261096); 1939-45 Star; Atlantic Star; Africa Star; Italy Star; War Medal 1939-45, very fine (6) D.S.M. London Gazette 14 June 1945. The original recommendation states: 'During the 21 months from December 1942 to September 1944 whilst acting as Coxswain, he set an excellent example of efficiency and devotion to duty. He maintained this high standard throughout the operations at Salerno, Anzio and Elba and his cheerful disposition always encouraged the spirits of the crew in the face of enemy fire.' Charles Henry Cobb was born at Portsmouth on 28 August 1915, the son of Henry George and Alice Elizabeth Cobb. He married Ella Miller in January 1938 and had 8 children. In the 1939 census he is recorded as a shipyard labourer at Portsmouth Dockyard before enlisting in the Royal Navy as an Ordinary Seaman on 3 February 1941. Sent to Collingwood and Victory for his initial training he was posted to Quebec on 1 August 1941. The navy base, H.M.S. Quebec, was part of the No. 1 Combined Training Centre. Following additional training he was posted to Dinosaur from 1 April 1942-30 April 1943 and then Hamilcar which was a shore base for Combined Operations and Landing in Algeria on 1 May 1943 until 30 September 1943, serving on Landing Craft Tanks, 35, 131 and later 394. He was next posted to Landing Craft Infantry (Large) 102 as its Coxswain on 17 February 1943-20 September 1944 subsequently taking part in Operation Avalanche - Salerno, Operation Shingle - Anzio & Operation Brassard - Elba. The main assault on Elba in June 1944 was carried out by French troops, with the support of R.N. Commandos, and assorted ships and landing craft manned by the R.N. and U.S.N. - among the latter a P.T. Boat commanded by the film star, Douglas Fairbanks, Jnr., who was awarded the French Croix de Guerre. In terms of the D-Day landings in Normandy, which had taken place 10 days earlier, the operation may well have been classed as a 'little sideshow', but in terms of enemy opposition and resultant gallantry it was anything but little - in fact "Operation Brassard" proved to be an extremely costly enterprise, the R.N. Commandos alone suffering losses of 38 killed. As confirmed by Rear-Admiral Troubridge's post-operational report, Allied intelligence had grossly underestimated Elba's defences - rather than 'under 800 Germans, preponderantly Poles and Czechs of low morale and all set for evacuation', the Allied assault was met by a force of '2,600 Germans who fought extremely well', while the local defences were formidable in the extreme, for 'they had excavated caves in the granite cliffs flanking the beaches and installed 155mm., 88mm. and machine-guns in them'. Added to which, 'behind the beaches, exactly ranged on the likely places of disembarkation, were heavy mortars.' Because of the shallow waters large naval and transport ships could not be used. The only naval gunfire support would be provided by landing craft, Aphis and Cockchafer. Shore discharged on 24 January 1946. Cobb died at Portsmouth on 17 February 1980; sold together with copied research and a copy of his service record. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£800 to £1,200



## Lot 687



A Great War M.C. group of three to Lieutenant D. P. Hadow, Royal Australian Air Force, late Royal Air Force and Northumberland Fusiliers Military Cross, G.V.R. (Lieut. D. P. Hadow. Northumberland Fus. 1916.); British War and Victory Medals (Lieut. D. P. Hadow. R.A.F.), very fine (3) M.C. London Gazette 25 November 1916. 'For conspicuous gallantry in action. He led a raid against the enemy with great courage and determination. He set a splendid example to his men.' Douglas Patrick Hadow was born at St. Chad, Lichfield, Staffordshire on 28 Feb 1898. He was educated at St. Paul's School, London between 1911-13 and served in their O.T.C. for two years. He then studied at Northampton Polytechnic Engineering School between 1913-14 and then served with the University of London O.T.C. for a period of six months during 1915. He was commissioned on 27 April 1916 and made Second Lieutenant with the Northumberland Fusiliers (London Gazette 8 March 1916). He entered the war in France on 16 April 1916 and was awarded his Military Cross for an action at Serre on 14 October 1916. Serre was a strategic point during the Battle of the Somme, positioned North of Beaumont Hamel it was just a small village and had already defied three murderous assaults by the French in June 1915 and it was known that the Germans had made good use of the landscape and the buildings to turn the area into what they hoped was an impregnable fortress. The German soldiers within the village were from the 169th Regiment (8th Baden) and had been familiarising themselves with the area for well over a year. The French assaults in June 1915 had knocked them off the ridge opposite and given the French (and now the British) their current front line, but the French had paid dearly for their meagre gain. Hadow transferred to the Royal Flying Corps on 12 March 1917 and entered the war for the second time again in France on 16 July 1917, joining No. 42 Squadron on the 18 July 1917 where he flew as an Observer on RE8 aircraft. Hadow was permitted to wear the Observer's badge from 8 September 1917 and amassed over 108 hours by the end of March 1918. Hadow then went to No. 1 School of Aviation and was permitted to wear his wings on 23 November 1918. He was transferred to No. 61 Squadron and served in Cologne with the R.A.F. Search Unit. Hadow gained an A1 Instructor's Ticket at the Central Flying School, Upavon and was to be an Instructor at No. 2 F.T.S. at both Digby and Duxford. However on 31 July 1925 he was arraigned for trial by General Court Martial at Digby, Lincolnshire on the following charges: 'Four charges under Section 16 of the Air Force Act of "behaving in a scandalous manner unbecoming the character of an officer and a gentlemen (sic)", viz. issuing cheques in payment of debts well knowing that he had not sufficient funds at the Bank to meet the cheques. Four charges (alternative) under Section 40 of the Air Force Act of "conduct to the prejudice of good order and Air Force discipline", viz. issuing cheques in payment of debts having no reasonable grounds for believing that the cheques would be honoured when presented at the Bank. He pleaded not guilty to all charges but was found guilty of one of the charges of "behaving in a scandalous manner"; two of the charges of "conduct to the prejudice of good order and Air Force discipline; but not guilty of the remaining five charges; and was sentenced to be cashiered. The finding and sentence was confirmed by His Majesty The King on the 11 September 1925 who was pleased to commute the sentence of cashiering to one of dismissal. The sentence was promulgated at Digby, Lincolnshire, on 21 September 1925, and announced in the London Gazette dated 6 October 1925. He was deprived of his rank but was allowed to keep his medals. Hadow then emigrated to Australia and continued flying becoming an Instructor with the Mount Gambier Aero Club, South Australia, and a Pilot with the Commercial Aviation Company, Eyres Peninsula Airways of South Australia and Goldfields' Air Navigation Company of Kalgoorlie, South Australia. With the outbreak of the Second World War he enlisted into the Royal Australian Air Force (290355) on 16 October 1939 as a Pilot Officer, becoming a Temporary Flying Officer on 17 December 1939 and acting as a Graded Flying Instructor and was promoted to Temporary Flight Lieutenant on 1 April 1943. He spent his wartime service wholly based in Australia predominantly in Melbourne, however his behaviour with other serving airmen and women was questioned and brought to the attention of the authorities. He was discharged on 4 December 1944 as a result of being permanently medically unfit. Hadow died on 17 August 1948 at Muchea, Chittering Shire, Western Australia and was buried in the Karrakatta Cemetery and Crematorium, Karrakatta, Nedlands City, Western Australia. His service record makes note of being eligible for a 1939-43 ribbon but nothing further is mentioned about claiming medals by him or his next of kin. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

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£700 to £900

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## Lot 687A



A Great War East Africa M.C. group of four to Lieutenant Colonel G. N. Bignell, Indian Army, who was additionally 'mentioned' and who was a County Cricketer playing for Hampshire and other famous teams and at one stage played in the same team as the famous W. G. Grace Military Cross, G.V.R.; 1914-15 Star (Capt. G. N. Bignell, 29/Punjabis.); British War and Victory Medals (Capt. G. N. Bignell.), very fine (4)M.C. London Gazette 13 February 1917.'For conspicuous gallantry in action. On several occasions he carried important messages under very heavy fire. He has previously done fine work.'M.I.D. London Gazette 8 February 1917.Guy Newcombe Bignell was born at Mozufferpore, India on 3 December 1886 and was the fifth son of Mr R. Bignell. He was educated in England at Haileybury School, where he played for the school cricket team. In the summer following his final year at Haileybury, Bignell made two appearances in first-class cricket for Hampshire in the 1904 County Championship against Warwickshire and Somerset during the Bournemouth Cricket Week.After leaving school he proceeded to the Royal Military College in December 1904. The following summer, he made five appearances for Hampshire in the County Championship, scoring what would be his only first-class century against Kent at Portsmouth. In 1905, he also played for the Gentlemen of the South, captained by W. G. Grace, against the Players of the South. Bignell graduated from the RMC in January 1906, as a Second Lieutenant onto the unattached list of the British Indian Army. He became attached to the British Indian Army with the 29th Punjabis in March 1907, with promotion to Lieutenant following in April 1908. Bignell returned to England in 1908, where he made eleven first-class appearances for Hampshire, he also played for a Hambledon XII in 1908, in a commemorative first-class match against an England XI at Broadhalfpenny Down. His next appearances in first-class cricket for Hampshire followed in 1912, with him making 21 appearances, in which he scored 428 runs at an average of 17.12.Bignell served during the First World War with his regiment in East Africa from 1 September 1914 to 31 October 1916, during the course of which he was promoted to Captain in January 1915. He was mentioned in dispatches London Gazette 8 February 1917 and was awarded the Military Cross London Gazette 13 February 1917 for conspicuous gallantry whilst carrying messages under heavy enemy fire, and spent the latter part of the war serving in the Sinai and Palestine campaign from 5 April to 31 October 1918, shortly before the war ended.Following the war, Bignell returned to play first-class cricket for Hampshire, making eleven appearances in the 1919 County Championship; he played during this season under the pseudonym "G. Newcombe". Returning to Palestine, he was appointed Brigade Major of the 30th Infantry Brigade from 25 June 1920 to 29 April 1921 and the 29th Infantry Brigade from 6 May 1921 to 4 September 1922. He was promoted Major in January 1921. He continued to serve with the 29th Punjabis until 30 April 1922, and by April 1923 he was serving with the 3rd Battalion, 2nd Punjab Regiment. His next appearance in first-class cricket came whilst serving in India, with Bignell making a single appearance for the Europeans cricket team against the Hindus at Lahore in the 1923-24 Lahore Tournament.He returned to play four matches for Hampshire in the 1925 County Championship, bringing his total number of first-class appearances for the county to 55. In these, he scored 1,582 runs at an average of 20.54; alongside his lone century, he also made eight half centuries. With his right-arm medium pace bowling, he took 17 wickets at a bowling average of 42.47, with best figures of 3 for 67. Outside of the first-class game, he was a notable club cricketer for the Hampshire Hogs, Free Foresters, and the Marylebone Cricket Club. Bignell continued to serve with the British Indian Army, being appointed second-in-command of the 10th Battalion, 15th Punjab Regiment in October 1930. In December 1931, Bignell was promoted to Lieutenant Colonel and commandant of the 10th Battalion, 15th Punjab Regiment. He held this post until he retired from active service in December 1935.During the Second World War, he was first involved with the Civil Defence Corps from 1940 to 1942 and then was employed with the Ministry of Fuel and Power in 1942. Bignell died at the age of 76 at Lausanne in Switzerland on 10 June 1965. His brother, Hugh, was also a first-class cricketer.Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£800 to £1,200

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Lot 688



A Great War Military Cross group of eight awarded to Sergeant Major M. Sweeney, Royal Engineers who also received a Royal Humane Society Bronze medal for an unsuccessful attempt to save a child's life in January 1918 Military Cross, G.V.R. the reverse contemporarily engraved, 'Presented by King George V to Sgt Major Sweeney R E 12 April 1916'; Queen's South Africa 1899-1902, 6 clasps, Cape Colony, Paardeberg, Driefontein, Johannesburg, Diamond Hill, Wittebergen (2702 Sapr M. Sweeney. R...); King's South Africa 1901-02, 2 clasps, South Africa 1901, South Africa 1902 (2702 Sapr: M. Sweeney. R.E.); 1914 Star with clasp and rosette (2702 Tp: S. Mjr M. Sweeney. R.E.); British War and Victory Medals, with M.I.D. oak leaves (2702 W.O.Cl.2. M. Sweeney. R.E.); Army L.S. & G.C., G.V.R. (2702 Trp: S. Mjr: M.Sweeney. R.E.); Royal Humane Society, small bronze medal (unsuccessful) (S.S. Major. M.J. Sweeney. R.E. 20 Jan 1918) fitted with integral bronze ribband buckle, contact marks, partial erasure to R E on QSA, QSA & KSA good very fine, the remainder very fine (8) M.C. London Gazette 14 January 1916. M.I.D. London Gazette 7 May 1901, 1 January 1916. R.H.S. Case no 43,964: '16.00 hours, 20 January 1918, Irrigation stream, Netheravon, [Wiltshire], 'child fell into stream and was drawn into culvert, 18 feet long, 6 feet wide, 6 feet deep. Sweeney across Avon (70 feet wide, 7-10 feet deep) dived into culvert for 45 minutes but failed to find boy.' Michael Sweeney an 18-year-old carpenter from Dublin enlisted in the Royal Engineers as a Sapper on 21 January 1899. Promoted to Corporal in July 1900 he served in the 9th Field Company Royal Engineers during the Boer War being 'mentioned' for his service. He remained in South Africa until December 1905. In 1906 he extended his service to twelve years and in 1908 was re engaged to complete twenty-one years' service with the Colours. Promoted Troop Sergeant Major in 1912 Sweeney was posted to the 1st Field Squadron, Royal Engineers and served with them in the Great War embarking for France on 15 August 1914 as part of the British Expeditionary Force where it served for the whole war in support of formations of the Calvary Corps. The Squadron took part in many of the major actions of the war including, the retreat from Mons, the advance to Aisne, the outflanking advance into Flanders, the first battle of Ypres in 1914, digging and blowing up of the first mine laid by the BEF in France in 1915. In August 1916 he was posted to the Cadet Squadron based at Netheravon, Wiltshire and was serving there when he made an unsuccessful attempt to save a child's life in January 1918 for which he was awarded the bronze medal from the Royal Humane Society. His long service & good conduct medal was awarded under Army Order 312 / 1917. Sweeney was discharged after a long and eventful period of service on 22 February 1920; sold together with copied research, his damaged M.I.D. certificate for the Great War, and citation from the Royal Humane Society for his bronze award. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£1,000 to £1,400

Lot 689



**Military Cross, G.V.R., in case of issue, slight damage to the case, otherwise good very fine Sold with newspaper cutting of the citation to Lieutenant Forrest Hall, Gordon Highlanders. During the operations on August 27th, 1918, near Roeux, when his platoon was in an isolated position owing to troops on his left being pushed back, he went forward alone under heavy fire, and carried out a daring reconnaissance, securing the information he wanted and bringing back a wounded man he found on his way back. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.**

Estimate  
£400 to £500

Lot 690



(x) A Great War 'Western Front' D.C.M., M.M. group of seven awarded to Battery Sergeant Major H. R. Fautley, Royal Field Artillery, who was wounded in action on 16 October 1916 Distinguished Conduct Medal, G.V.R. (9280 B.S. Mjr. H. R. Fautley. M.M. 17/By: 41/Bde: R.F.A.); Military Medal, G.V.R. (9280 B.Q.M. Sjt: H. R. Fautley. D.189/Bde: R.F.A.); Queen's South Africa 1899-1902, 4 clasps, Defence of Ladysmith, Orange Free State, Transvaal, Laing's Nek (9280 Gnr: H. R. Fautley, 69:B, R.F.A.) rank officially corrected; King's South Africa 1899-1902, 2 clasps, South Africa 1901, South Africa 1902 (9280 Gnr: H. Fautley. R.F.A.); British War and Victory Medals (9280 W.O. Cl.2. H. R. Fautley. R.A.); Army L.S. & G.C., G.V.R., 1st issue (9280 Bmbr: H. R. Fautley. R.H.A.), light contact marks to the Boer War pair, otherwise good very fine or better (7) Provenance: Buckland, Dix & Wood, May 1992. David Lloyd Collection, 13 January 2021. D.C.M. London Gazette 15 November 1918. 'For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. When his Battery coming into action was heavily shelled he showed great resource in getting the detachment to a flank. Later when the S.O.S. message was received, he brought the men back to the guns and set a magnificent example of coolness and complete disregard for his own safety.' M.M. London Gazette 6 June 1917. Herbert Richard Fautley was born in Bermondsey, London, in 1877 and attested for the Royal Artillery at London on 19 April 1895. He had previously served in the 4th (Militia) Battalion, East Surrey Regiment. Fautley served in South Africa from 15 May 1897 to 3 April 1903, and, after a spell with the Royal Horse Artillery, with whom he was awarded his L.S. and G.C. Medal, reverted back to the Royal Field Artillery, serving with them during the Great War on the Western Front from 3 May 1916 to 16 January 1919. Wounded in action on 16 October 1916, he was advanced Battery Sergeant Major on 12 September 1917, and for his services during the Great War was awarded both the Military Medal and the Distinguished Conduct Medal. He was discharged on 14 February 1919, after 23 years and 302 days of service. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£1,500 to £2,000

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## Lot 690A



'No words can adequately describe the appalling misery of that scene. Here were men who had suffered and fought the long months of the siege, although they were gradually starved and were not fit to do a day's march, yet they were being driven across the pitiless waste under a scorching sun, herded along by a brutal and callous escort of Arab conscripts. Limping and staggering along they all finally arrived, some of them being assisted along by comrades, who themselves were in dire need of assistance'. A fellow P.O.W. describing the terrible conditions on the march from Kut, taken from The British Army In Mesopotamia, 1914-1918 by Paul Knight The Battle of Ctesiphon 1915 D.C.M. group of three awarded to Gunner A. Sylvester, Royal Field Artillery, who earned his award and was further 'mentioned' for gallantry, was wounded in action at the Siege of Kut and taken Prisoner of War, he died likely during the horrific march from Kut, the deplorable conditions of which are noted in the excerpt above Distinguished Conduct Medal, G.V.R. (60922 Gnr: A. Sylvester. 6/A.C. R.F.A.); 1914-15 Star (60922 Gnr: A. Sylvester. R.F.A.); Victory Medal 1914-19 (60922 Gnr. A. Sylvester. R.A.), very fine (3) D.C.M. London Gazette 12 December 1917. M.I.D. London Gazette 13 July 1916. Abner Sylvester was born on 1 August 1892 in Brownhills, Staffordshire, one of six children of Abner Sylvester and his wife Helen. The elder Sylvester was a Lance Corporal in the 21st Royal Scots Fusiliers and had seen service in South Africa. The younger Sylvester lived with his family at Rotherham, Yorkshire where he worked as a miner prior to enlisting with the Royal Field Artillery on 12 January 1910, at the age of eighteen. First serving at home, a few months after the start of the First World War Sylvester was disembarked at the Asiatic Front on 17 November 1914 as part of the Expeditionary Force in Mesopotamia. The British advance to capture Baghdad came to a standstill with the four-day battle of Ctesiphon in November 1915. Here the British, under Major-General Sir Charles Townshend, were vastly outnumbered by Ottoman forces, suffering a major setback and sustaining heavy losses. Lieutenant Henry Gallup of the Royal Field Artillery provides an account of the unit's experience during the battle: 'After several hours' fighting the enemy's chief position was carried and occupied by our troops, and we then turned our attention to their left flank, where our people were not getting on well at all, and were in fact retiring. It was about 3 o'clock in the afternoon that the Turks counter-attacked so strongly. We found afterwards that they had been re-inforced with about 5,000 fresh troops. The 82nd Battery and ourselves were sent forward to try and stop it. I think we managed to do so, for a time anyhow, but it was a very warm time. They then attacked from another quarter and drove our infantry in and we had to limber up and get out as quickly as we could under a most beastly hot fire'. It was in this action that Sylvester earned his D.C.M. 'for gallant conduct and devotion to duty' on 22 November 1915, though the citation did not appear in the London Gazette until two years later in December 1917. The specific citations were unfortunately all lost the following month at the Siege of Kut, but Sylvester's family reportedly believed that the award was earned for swimming across the Tigris River with a life line. His men exhausted and resources depleted following Ctesiphon, Townshend decided to fall back to the base at Kut-al-Amara and await relief. However, leader of the Ottoman forces Lieutenant-General Nureddin Pasha pursued the British to Kut upon learning of their retreat. Pasha's Army besieged the garrison for months, with the British supplies dwindling from February. No. 30 Squadron of the Royal Flying Corps launched the first air supply in history to drop much needed food and ammunition but, even so, disease was rampant and the starving Allied forces ate horse meat to survive. During the Siege, Sylvester reportedly suffered a serious gunshot wound whilst in action on 24 December 1915. Whilst there are no details of his wound, and Sylvester was nonetheless soon back in the field of action as he was Mentioned in Despatches on 17 January for gallant conduct. Records also note that he was dangerously wounded on 24 February, though this may be in reference to his gunshot wound from December and rather reflects the date on which the War Office was notified. Townshend was finally forced to surrender to the Ottomans on 29 April 1916, with the disastrous Siege of Kut being recognised as one of the worst defeats suffered by the Allied forces in the First World War. Sylvester, along with the remainder of the garrison - some 13,000 Allied soldiers - were taken prisoner of war. What followed was a gruelling forced 'death march' to Turkish prison camps, with the prisoners being badly mistreated and whipped by Ottoman troops along the route. The Birmingham Daily Mail described the arduous journey: 'A correspondent of the "Times" gives particulars of the suffering of private soldiers, British and Indian, who surrendered at Kut last spring. He says they have been driven from Lower Mesopotamia to Anatolia (Western Asia Minor), a distance of nearly 1,000 miles, in straggling detachments. A large batch of them arrived at Konia late in 1916 in a terrible plight. Hunger and destitution have taught the men to what a low level life may sink in Turkey. Their guards have been cruel, and they have suffered countless humiliations.' This, coupled with the eyewitness description from another P.O.W. provided in the title, give some indication of the appalling conditions British and Indian soldiers were forced to endure. Sylvester was ultimately reported as having died between 29 April 1916 and 31 December 1916, and the family believed his death to have occurred during the march. This is entirely likely, especially given that Sylvester had already been wounded during at Kut. A third of the 13,000 Allied forces taken prisoner ahead of the march did not live to see liberation. The young Sylvester must have been much missed; upon hearing that his son was taken prisoner of war, his father had sent numerous letters to the authorities to ascertain his whereabouts. The younger Abner Sylvester's medals and effects were sent to his father at 65 Kelvin Street, Dalton Brook, Rotherham, Yorkshire after his death. Sylvester is commemorated on the Basra Memorial in Iraq, and his name engraved on the memorial to the fallen in St Peter's Church in Thrybergh, Rotherham. He is further entitled to M.I.D. oak leaves; sold together with a wealth of copied research. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£700 to £900

**Lot 691**



A Great War D.C.M. group of three to Sergeant A. W. Godfrey, Royal Artillery, who helped to rescue three men who had been buried as a result of enemy shelling Distinguished Conduct Medal, G.V.R. (15755 Sjt: A. W. Godfrey. 287/Sge: By: R.G.A.); British War and Victory Medals (15755 Sjt. A. W. Godfrey. R.A.), very fine (3) D.C.M. London Gazette 28 March 1918, the original citation states: 'For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. The battery position was shelled by heavy guns, and before one of the dug-outs could be cleared, two enemy shells fell close by it, causing several casualties. He, having seen his own detachment clear, returned alone, found the dug-out blown in, and men imprisoned within. Despite the increased violence of the hostile fire, he, single-handed, freed two of the buried men, rallied a party to rescue the third man, and then carried all three into safety. Throughout his service with the battery he has repeatedly shown great initiative, and his personal courage has been of the highest order.' 287th Siege Battery was equipped with 6 inch Howitzers and served as part of 22nd Heavy Artillery Group alongside 182, 253 & 265 Siege Batteries. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£400 to £600

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Lot 692



A superb Great War D.C.M. to Sapper J. Easton, 41st Divisional Signal Company, Royal Engineers, who manned a Lewis Gun in an effective and destructive manner, pausing only to replenish the ammunition Distinguished Conduct Medal, G.V.R. (93882 Sapr J. Easton. 41/D.S. Coy R.E.), polished and with contact marks, nearly very fine D.C.M. London Gazette 3 September 1918, the original citation states: 'For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. When the enemy attacked in force he volunteered to man the only Lewis gun still in action, and maintained an effective and destructive fire on the enemy masses until they almost overwhelmed him. He withdrew only when his ammunition was expended and the enemy were in the trench he was defending. He retired to a new position and having replenished his ammunition, came into action again with great advantage, until his gun was put out of action the next morning. His fearless courage throughout was remarkable and a fine example to all ranks.' James Park Easton was born at Govan, Lanark, in 1895 and was a wheelwright when he enlisted into the Army Service Corps (T4/043865) at Glasgow on 14 January 1915 and saw service with the 41st Divisional Train. He is noted as deserting at Frensham, Surrey, on 30 June 1915 and returned immediately to Glasgow and this time he enlisted into the Royal Engineers on 1 July 1915. His misdemeanour not yet uncovered he entered the war as part of the British Expeditionary Force on 1 May 1916, however whilst walking along the Nieppe-Steenwerch road, the Captain of the 41st Divisional Train A.S.C. J. B. Wheeler spotted and recognised him and when questioned Easton confirmed his name and admitted that he was a deserter, his service papers note the following: 'Fraudlently enlisted into the R.E. whilst in a state of desertion from the A.S.C. held to serve in the R.E. trial dispensed with to suffer same forfeitures & deductions as if he had been convicted by D.C.M. Authy G.O.C. 41st Divn B.E.F. All prior services forfeited on trial by D.C.M. dispensed with' Easton however remained in France and eventually returned to the U.K. for leave between 20-30 July 1917. He went to the 138 Field Ambulance between 21-28 May 1918. Easton had a further spell of leave between 24 August-7 September 1918 but on returning to France was admitted to the 3rd Canada General Hospital on 24 September 1918 with the effects of heart strain. However he remained in France returning home on 19 November 1918. He transferred to Army Reserve on demobilization on 20 February 1919 at Chatham, Kent. His Medal Index Card has both regiments with relevant service numbers listed, it additionally states 'Deserted service counts from 28.7.16' this is however crossed out but further note states the medals are restored. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£400 to £600

## Lot 693



A 'Liverpool Pals' Battle of Scherpenberg Great War D.C.M. awarded to Corporal/Lance Sergeant A. R. Russell, Liverpool Regiment, who won his award for taking out a machine gun position and who later died of wounds on 8 May 1918. Distinguished Conduct Medal, G.V.R. (57984 Cpl - Sgt. - A. R. Russell. 17/L:Pool. R.), small correction to rank, otherwise good very fine D.C.M. London Gazette 3 September 1918, the original citation states: 'For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty during long operations. On one occasion, when the battalion counter-attacked he went forward alone, put out of action an enemy machine gun, which was holding up the advance, and then led his men forward. His determined courage and coolness set a splendid example to all near him.' Albert Roland Russell enlisted at London, having previously been part of 324 London Divisional Cyclist Company. He died of wounds on 8 May 1918 and is commemorated on the Tyne Cot Memorial. Russell is entitled to a British War and Victory Medal pair, and his Medal Index Card erroneously has him as 'Arthur' R. Russell. The Battle of the Scherpenberg, 29th April. We left the 17th, 18th and 19th Battalions of the King's Regiment back in their camps on the night of the 26th of April. On the morning of the 27th the G.O.C., 21st Division, visited Headquarters, 89th Brigade, and gave verbal instructions for the relief of the 39th Composite Brigade, then in the line about Voormezele. During the afternoon the C.O.s and O.C.s, Companies, reconnoitred the line and at night battalions moved up to relieve the 39th Composite Brigade. The relief was completed early on the morning of the 28th. The 18th King's went into the line on the right and the 19th on the left. The 18th took over a line running roughly from Elzenwalle to Ridge Wood: this line was between Voormezele and Dickebusch Lake. The 19th King's, on the left of the 18th, were apparently between Voormezele and Kruisstraat-hoek. The 17th Battalion, as far as can be gathered from the diary of Brigade Headquarters, went into the line Convent Lane to Voormezele defences, i.e. on the left of the 19th Battalion. On the left of the 17th other troops held the line from Convent Lane to Lock 8, Ypres-Comines Canal. During the 28th local fighting took place in the neighbourhood of Voormezele. At about 1 p.m. the troops on the left of the 89th Brigade front, i.e. from Convent Lane to Lock 8, were violently attacked and the enemy penetrated the line. For five hours there was a desperate struggle between the enemy and the left of the 17th King's, and the C.O. of the latter ordered his reserve company to make a counter-attack at 7.45 p.m. to restore the situation. But ten minutes before the attack was due, the enemy put down a very heavy barrage and the counter-attack was unable to proceed. This bombardment lasted until 10.30 p.m. and, all hope of making the counter-attack having been abandoned, the 17th King's formed a defensive flank on their left. Neither the 18th nor 19th King's were attacked during the 28th, and both battalions were able to turn their attention to the improvement of the defences. Just after 3 a.m. on the 29th a bombardment of exceptional intensity and violence was opened by the enemy, and two hours later a series of strong attacks were launched against the French and British positions from west of Dranoutre to Voormezele. The narrative of the 17th King's of this attack is brief: their line was forced back to G.H.Q. where "I reorganised and held on to the position". The gallant Third and Fifth Armies had fought a greatly superior enemy to a standstill, so on the Lys in April the First and Second Armies had entirely broken the power of the German advance. In the Lys battles it is well to remember that, of the total twenty-five British divisions employed against forty-two German divisions, seventeen had already taken a prominent part in the Somme operations and were battle-worn and weak in numbers, whereas the enemy's divisions were composed of fresh troops. Never, indeed, had the British soldier fought more grandly than on the Somme in March and on the Lys in April, 1918. The History of The King's Regiment (Liverpool) 1914-1919 by Everard Wyrall, refers. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£500 to £700



Lot 694



The Great War D.C.M. to Serjeant J. T. Curley, Lancashire Fusiliers, who was taken Prisoner of War by the Germans at the Battle of Arras in May 1917 Distinguished Conduct Medal, G.V.R. (2872 Sjt: J. T. Curley. 2/Lanc: Fus:), light contact marks, good very fine D.C.M. London Gazette 6 July 1917, the original citation states: 'For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He has performed consistent good work throughout and has at all times set a magnificent example to his men.' John Thomas Curley was born on 1 March 1895 in Bolton, Lancashire as the oldest of seven children to Thomas Curley, a tobacco pipe maker, and his wife Margaret. By 1901 the growing family had relocated to Gateshead in Durham, but returned to Bolton by 1911 at which time the sixteen-year-old Curley was working as a cotton piercer. Prior to the outbreak of the Great War, Curley enlisted with the Lancashire Fusiliers on 24 November 1913. He later disembarked at the Western Theatre with his Regiment on 22 August 1914, qualifying for the 1914 Star. Curley appears on the admission books for the 18th General Hospital at Etaples, France for the period 1915-16, but it is unknown for what reason he was admitted there or for how long he stayed. Just months before being gazetted for his award of the D.C.M., Curley was with 'C' Company when he was taken prisoner of war by the Germans at Arras, France on 3 May 1917, reportedly unwounded. He seems to have been first imprisoned at the Denain P.O.W. camp before being moved to the Friedrichsfeld camp. While the date of Curley's release is not known, it is likely that he was held there for the remainder of the War, after which time he was repatriated to England. He was certainly back in England by July 1919, when Curley was married to Mary Ann Carter in Bolton. The couple was to welcome a son Thomas in July 1921 and another son Robert in June 1926, both born at Bolton. Curley was discharged on 11 November 1919 being no longer physically fit for duty, possibly owing to his time as a prisoner of war, and was issued with Silver War Badge no. 341895. The 1939 Register reveals the Curley family to be living at 55 Langshaw Road in Bolton, with the 44-year-old head of the family working as a heavy explosive munition's worker. Curley later died at Salford, Lancashire on 2 December 1869, with his widow Mary Ann claiming his pension. Curley is further entitled to a 1914 Star trio and a Silver War Badge; sold together with copied research. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£500 to £700

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## Lot 695



An outstanding 'Breaking of the Gustav Line' Immediate D.C.M. group of six awarded to Rifleman F. G. Norman, Royal Ulster Rifles, who, while a Company Signaller, was seriously wounded during an enemy counter-attack but refused treatment and repaired his damaged wireless set maintained communications, being wounded again in the process Distinguished Conduct Medal, G.V.I.R. (7018331 Rfmn. F,G. Norman. R.U.Rif.); 1939-45 Star; Africa Star; Italy Star; Defence and War Medals 1939-45, recently mounted court style for wear, very fine and scarce to the Regiment (6) Provenance: J.B. Hayward, March 1971. Spink, April 2009. D.C.M. London Gazette 20 June 1944, the original recommendation states: 'Rifleman Norman was Signal Operator with "D" Coy who occupied positions North of Lorenzo during 18-26 Jan 44. On 24 Jan 44, the Coy was subjected to very heavy mortar and arty fire followed by a strong enemy attack. During the early part of the enemy bombardment the Coy Comd, CSM and one signaller were wounded and another man of Coy HQ killed in close proximity to Rifleman Norman. He himself was severely wounded in the arm and leg and his wireless set put out of action by shell splinters. At once he realised the vital need of maintaining the only means of communication with Bn HQ and crawled from one slit trench to another to get another set. He found this set also out of action from shell fire but crawled back with it, still under heavy fire and calmly stripped both sets until he had made the necessary repairs to get one set in working order again and re-establish communications. During the greater part of this time he was working alone, his arm severely damaged and giving him great pain, the other members of Coy HQ dead or wounded around him but he refused to allow his own wounds to be attended to until he had re-established communication. By his coolness, magnificent courage and complete disregard of personal safety he regained touch with Bn HQ and then calmly passed information of the situation thereby enabling the Bn Comd to take the necessary measures to deal with it. Finally, he was relieved at Coy HQ but on return to Bn HQ seeing there was a shortage of signallers he insisted on remaining at duty there and was again wounded when Bn HQ came under heavy shell and mortar fire. I consider his devotion to duty and gallantry under fire of the very highest order.' The original recommendation for Norman's D.C.M. gives his name as '7018331 Rifleman Frederick Norman, 1st London Irish Rifles'. The typed 'Frederick' has had a line put through it and 'Eric John' been added in ink. The medal has been named as to Frederick George, as the award itself appears in the London Gazette. Eric John Norman was born in 1910 in Willesden, Middlesex, the son of Harry Wilkins and Alice Louise Norman of Normanhurst, Harlesden Road, London and saw service with the 1st Battalion, London Irish Rifles. With the outbreak of the Second World War, Norman who became a member of the Territorial Army, may well have been present at the Battle of Graveney Marsh in September 1940 which was the last ground combat between a foreign invading force and British troops that happened on British mainland soil when a Company of the 1st Battalion engaged some Luftwaffe men who put up a fight around their crash landed bomber. They went on to serve in Iraq and Italy in 1942, with the 1st Battalion forming part of the 168th Infantry Brigade, primarily within the 56th London Infantry Division, taking part in major actions in Italy at Fosso Bottacetto south of Catania, Monte Camino, Monte Damiano, the Garagliano Crossing, and Aprilia (Anzio). During the Garagliano Crossing the plan for the operation, in the middle of January 1944, was for the 46th Division to attack on the right and capture high ground beyond the river; the 5th Division, which had been transferred from the Adriatic front, was to move on the left; and in the centre, 167 and 169 Brigades were to cross through 168 Brigade, which was to follow them over. On the 46th Division sector the hills rose straight from the river; on the other two sections there was a plain between one thousand and three thousand yards deep before the ground rose sharply. This plain extended for about ten thousand yards from the sea on the west. The German plan, as was learned later, was to hold the low ground comparatively lightly, sow it extensively with deeply buried box mines which consisted of little except wood and explosive, thus giving hardly any response to mine detectors and to hold positions on the high ground behind. From there they could observe the projected crossing places along the river below. Dominated as it was by enemy held mountains and foothills in the background, the plain was barely wide enough to concentrate a large force. In fact no such force was available for the operation. It had been devised by High Command to coincide with the landings on the beaches at Anzio, which were intended to draw troops away from other fronts in Italy. The assault began at 2100 hours on January 18 under the terrible firepower of five hundred guns of all calibres. Under cover of a smoke screen and with covering fire by men of the London Irish and other supporting troops, the Queen's Brigade and 167 Brigade swept across, some of the latter in assault boats manned by men of the battalion. As the British troops neared the opposite bank, German eighty eight's spat viciously overhead or in the river. On the south bank mortars kept up a bombardment in close support; the three inch mortar platoon of the London Irish, under Lieutenant DA Hardy, alone fired over six hundred rounds in less than sixty minutes. The river was fifty to one hundred yards wide, and was running strongly and fast, owing to the winter rains. It was far too swift on the right, where the banks were precipitous, so that the 46th Division was unable to land. The crossings by the 56th (London) Division and the 5th Division, farther down the river, went according to plan. By dawn on the 19th, a bridgehead had been forced, including the small town of San Lorenzo which guarded the approaches to Castelforte and the valley beyond. On the evening of that day, German reaction developed and the London Irish were suddenly sent across to help make 167 Brigade's landing secure, to occupy San Lorenzo, and to prepare to attack Castelforte at once. Rising above the river in front of the 56th Division was Monte Damiano, with lower spurs running south and east. In the heart of the hills north east of Damiano, was the small town of Castelforte, which was connected to the valley below by two nearly parallel roads. In the valley was a third road along the lower edge of the mountain. Where the roads from Castelforte met this road stood San Lorenzo. The Commanding Officer and his "O" Group, crossing ahead of the battalion established themselves in a farmhouse about a thousand yards from the banks and roughly midway between the river and Monte Damiano. The house was well observed by the Germans, and consequently it was heavily shelled. Several direct hits were made, but it had thick stone walls and suffered surprisingly little damage. Battalion headquarters of the Oxford and Bucks was housed there also, and there was a certain amount of confusion with two staffs in conference at the same time, and with dispatch riders and runners coming and going. There was an animated scene which added to the chaos when an officer discovered he had lost his only pair of blue silk pyjamas and suspected he had been robbed. A search of the building was made, and even the kit of other ranks was examined, but the garment was never found and the officer had to sleep in his pants until such time as he managed to acquire another pair. The main body of the battalion crossed the river and harboured in various farms near the river, waiting for orders to attack Castelforte. They came under shell and mortar fire, and Major H Lofting, commanding 'B' Company, was wounded. Captain

Estimate  
£2,800 to £3,200

**Lot 696**



(x) The M.M. and Bar, Croix De Guerre group of four awarded to Private P. O'Reilly, King's Own Scottish Borderers Military Medal, G.V.R. (17488 Pte. P. O'Reilly 1/K.O.S.B.), with Second Award Bar, the suspension sometime replaced; British War and Victory Medals (17488 Pte. P. O'Reilly. K.O.S.B.); with copy M.I.D. oak leaves; France, Republic, Croix de Guerre, heavy pitting and contact wear overall, fine (4)M.M. London Gazette 3 June 1916.Second Award Bar London Gazette 6 August 1918.M.I.D. London Gazette 5 May 1916.Croix de Guerre London Gazette 22 February 1916.Note the recipient's 1914-15 Star is listed as returned.Patrick O'Reilly entered the war at Gallipoli on 9 May 1915 with the 1st Battalion, King's Own Scottish Borders. He appears to have earned his Croix de Guerre and M.I.D. in that theatre. They later moved to France where he earned his M.M., The K.O.S.B. in the Great War by Captain Stair Gillons notes that he was awarded the bar for his service during the Battle of Lys; sold together with copied research.Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

**Estimate**  
**£260 to £300**

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Lot 697



A Great War M.M. group of four awarded to Sergeant S. Parnham, Sherwood Foresters Military Medal, G.V.R. (11557 Sjt. S. Parnham. 1/5 Notts. & Derby: R.); 1914 Star (11557 Pte S. Parnham. 1/Notts: & Derby: R.); British War and Victory Medals (11557 Sjt. S. Parnham. Notts. & Derby. R.), light contact marks, very fine (4) M.M. London Gazette 21 October 1918. Samuel Parnham was born in 1894 and enlisted into the Sherwood Foresters on 13 February 1911. He entered the war in France on 4 November 1914 serving with the 1st Battalion and soon after appeared on the list of No. 2 Stationary Hospital, Boulogne, dated 30 November 1914, as having 'Frost bite feet'. Despite this he continued to serve and was later awarded the Military Medal for service in France (London Gazette 20 October 1918) with 'C' Company, 5th Battalion, for the raid on an enemy Machine Gun situated at a farm house on the Rue de Bois on the 18-19 June 1918 in the Le Touret-Essars sector. The Report gives more detail: '2/Lieut Moore and 25 other ranks advanced along Light Railway, and found 6 enemy in the trench running alongside of railway. Three of these were shot and killed in the trench, one bayoneted and two attempted to run towards the orchard. These were both killed. An Officer with knapsack also attempted to run from the post, he was shot and dropped his pack and greatcoat. He ran for some distance and then fell apparently killed. The pack and greatcoat are sent herewith, and also papers taken from some of the killed enemy. Several others were seen running into our barrage near the orchard. This party now came under heavy machine gun and rifle fire from the orchard, east of the railway. This was replied to with rapid fire and Officer Commanding "E" party having completed his task, reinforced "C" party, and both parties then withdrew by degrees, each in turn provided covering fire from the other.' Parnham was discharged on 12 March 1919. He is further entitled to the Silver War Badge (B339529). His Medal Index Card is noted as a 'Shadow Card' dating from 10 September 1985 noting replacement medals, and this is further confirmed on his 1914 Star entry and his British War and Victory Medal pair entry as well where replacement issues were issued on 19 December 1931. The medals offered here are his original issues. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£300 to £500

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### Lot 698



The Great War M.M. group of five awarded to Private R. W. Peck, 11th (Hull Tradesmen) Battalion, East Yorkshire Regiment Military Medal, G.V.R. (11-1292 L.Cpl. R. W. Peck. 11/E.York:R.); 1914-15 Star (11-1292 Pte. R. W. Peck. E. York:R.); British War and Victory Medals (11-1292 Pte. R. W. Peck. E.York.R.); Defence Medal 1939-45, polished, very fine (5)M.M. London Gazette 23 February 1918. Richard Wilson Peck was born in 1898, a native of Hull, Yorkshire and entered the war in Egypt on 23 December 1915. After a period manning the Suez defences they were posted to France in March 1916 seeing heavy action on the Somme in 1916, at the Battle of the Scarpe and the Capture of Oppy Wood in 1917. Finally they saw extremely heavy fighting during the Spring Offensive and the Hundred Days. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£200 to £240

### Lot 699



A good Italy M.M. group of five awarded to Sergeant J. A. Duncan, 4th Battalion, Royal Berkshire Regiment, who saw intense service after the war in Mesopotamia Military Medal, G.V.R. (200256 Cpl (A. Sjt) J. A. Duncan. 4/R. Berks:R.); 1914-15 Star (2068 Pte. J. A. Duncan. R.Berks: R.); British War and Victory Medals (2068 Sjt. J. A. Duncan. R. Berks. R.); General Service 1918-62, 2 clasps, Iraq, N.W. Persia (5329493 Sjt. J. A. Duncan. R. Berks. R.), overall good very fine and scarce (5)M.M. London Gazette 24 January 1919.73 General Service Medals were issued to this unit with the combination N.W. Persia and Iraq. John Andrew Duncan entered the war in France on 30 March 1915 with the 1/4th Battalion, Royal Berkshire Regiment. This unit saw heavy action at Ploegsteert and later during the Somme before being transferred to the Italian Front. There they operated mainly in the area of the Asiago Plateau for the bulk of the conflict and finished the war near Vigalzano. After the war Duncan remained with the Battalion, being posted to the Middle East. A number of them were present in Iraq during the 1920 risings there and 73 of those soldiers also served with 4th Battalion as part of Norperforce; sold together with copied service papers. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£300 to £500

### Lot 700



A very fine Great War M.M. group of four to Sergeant R. H. Turner, Sherwood Foresters Military Medal, G.V.R. (305440 L. Sjt: R. H. Turner. 1/8 N. & D.R. - T.F.); 1914-15 Star (2213 Pte R. H. Turner. Notts: & Derby: R.); British War and Victory Medals (2213 Sjt. R. H. Turner. Notts. & Derby. R.), light contact marks, otherwise toned good very fine (4)M.M. London Gazette 19 March 1918. The original citation states: 'At Cite St Elie on 2 January 1918 L/Sgt Turner was in charge of an isolated post when the enemy attempted a raid under a Heavy Artillery and Trench Mortar barrage. This N.C.O. kept his Lewis Gun in action during the whole raid and when a hostile party of about 12 men approached his post, from the rear, he at once brought his Lewis Gun to bear from a fresh position and drove the enemy off with loss. Subsequently he organised a patrol and brought in a dead German. His conduct throughout under heavy fire was a splendid example to his men. Recommended for Immediate Reward 7th January 1918.' Robert Henry Turner entered the war in France on 2 March 1915 and was awarded the Military Medal whilst attached to the 1/8th Battalion Sherwood Foresters. The 8th Battalion was a Territorial unit originally based in Newark, the unit was in action on 1 July 1916 and took part in the diversionary attack at Gommecourt. In 1917 they were in action during the operations on the Ancre, Occupation of the Comsecourt defences and later the attack on Rettemoy Graben, as well as the German retreat to the Hindenburg Line, the attack on Lievin the Battle of Hill 70. Turner suffered from VDG (venereal disease gonorrhea) and spent time in the 20th General Hospital Calais before being discharged to base on 19 January 1919; sold together with his pressed card identity tag. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£300 to £500

### Lot 701



A Great War M.M. group of three awarded to Gunner W. Wilberforce, Royal Field Artillery Military Medal, G.V.R. (89409 Gnr: W. Wilberforce. A.51/Bde:R.F.A.); British War and Victory Medals (89409 Gnr. W. Wilberforce. R.A.), minor pitting, very fine (3)M.M. London Gazette 4 February 1918. William Wilberforce was born in 1898, a native of Withernsea, although it should be noted his Medal Index Card appears to have been named to W Wetherill, although with the same unit and service number. Enlisting on 24 August 1914, he entered the war on 8 May 1915 (Star) and was discharged on 28 May 1919. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£180 to £220

### Lot 702



A Great War M.M. awarded to Lieutenant (Quartermaster) late Corporal R. G. Keane, 69th Anti-Aircraft Section, Royal Engineers, who was commissioned in 1930 Military Medal, G.V.R. (562650 Cpl-A. Sjt. R. G. Keane. R.E.); British War and Victory Medals (562650 Cpl. R. G. Keane. R.E.); Territorial Efficiency Medal, G.V.R. (2208135 W.O. Cl. II. R. G. Keane. R.E.), mounted as worn, light contact marks, very fine overall (4)M.M. London Gazette 20 August 1919. Robert George Keane earned his decoration for service with the 69th Anti-Aircraft Section, Royal Engineers, in Salonica. He was awarded the Territorial Efficiency Medal in February 1930 and commissioned Lieutenant (Quartermaster) with the 27th London Anti-Aircraft Battalion (London Electrical Engineers), Royal Engineers on 27 May 1930; sold together with copied research and the recipient's original commissioning document. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£180 to £220

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### Lot 703



A Great War 'Western Front' M.M. group of three awarded to Sergeant E. S. Straw, 10th (Service) Battalion, Royal Fusiliers Military Medal, G.V.R. (62099 Sjt. E. S. Straw. 10/R. Fus.); British War and Victory Medals (GS-62099 A. Sjt. E. S. Straw. R. Fus.), the British War Medal officially renamed, contact marks, very fine (3)M.M. London Gazette 24 January 1919. Eric Sorby Straw was born at Streatham, London in 1896, the son of Charles Straw, a successful horse dealer who owned Manor Stables at 27 Mitcham Lane. Charles traded horses with King Edward VII, the Emperor of Austria and the Prince of Siam. Educated locally, he enlisted in the 10th Battalion, Royal Fusiliers and landed in France on 3 December 1916 winning the Military Medal at the end of the war. Returning from the war Straw became a farmer and lived with his wife, Madge, at Babington Road, Streatham. During the 1930's Straw was active in the London dog showing circuit, both as a competitor and as a judge. During the Second World War Straw worked at Perry farm, New Chapel, East Grinstead. He also served as an air raid warden and likely entitled to a Defence Medal. Straw died at Newton Abbott, Devon in 1972; sold together with copied research. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£240 to £280

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Lot 704



(x) The 1918 M.M. pair awarded to Acting Sergeant B. J. S. Harding, 19th Battalion, Australian Imperial Force, who single handedly captured two enemy machine-gun posts only to be Killed in Action at Mont St. Quentin, 'the most brilliant achievement of the AIF' before the award could be announced Military Medal, G.V.R. (6079 Cpl. B. J. D. Harding. 19/Aust: Inf:), note incorrect initial; British War Medal 1914-20 (6079 A/Sgt. B. J. S. Harding. 19 Bn. A.I.F.), light contact marks, very fine (2)M.M. London Gazette 19 May 1919, the original citation states:'During operations on 11th August 1918 against Raine-court, east of Amiens, this N.C.O. displayed marked courage and initiative. On reaching the objective, the left company was unable to get in touch with the battalion on its flank owing to heavy machine gun fire, holding this battalion up. With absolute fearlessness Cpl. Harding working round behind the enemy and heavily bombed them. The suddenness of this attack scattering the enemy who were shot down by a Lewis Gun in their efforts to escape.Cpl. Harding captured 2 prisoners and 2 machine guns. The fine dash and energy of this N.C.O. removed a difficult obstacle and enabled communication to be established between the two battalions without further trouble.'Bertie Joseph Samuel Harding was born at Ulan, New South Wales in 1898, the son of Joseph Harding of Riverstone, New South Wales. Educated at Ulan Public School he enlisted as soon as he was able on 8 February 1916, listing previous service with the Cadets. Posted to the 19th Battalion he embarked on 25 October 1916 as part of the 17th Reinforcement.Entering the war in France he saw heavy fighting with his unit however it was off the field that he received his first wound, suffering an injury to his thumb from an accident with a grenade on 9 July 1917. Returning to the Battalion after recovering he was caught up in the fighting during the Spring Offensive where he was gassed on 18 April.Once again returning to his unit he was with his unit at the opening of the Battle of Amiens, the start of the Hundred Days Offensive where they were in the line near Raine-court. There Harding performed his gallant deed however at that stage he had less than a month to live. The Battalion was at the head of the Australian line during the Battle of Mont Saint-Quentin on 31 August 1918 when Harding was killed in action, his service papers give first hand testimonies including one from his commander stating:'We were in action at Mont St. Quentin. Harding was killed outright by Machine Gun fire. The body was found the next day, when the burial took place on the spot. The Battalion cross was placed over the grave. I was at the burial.Harding was in my Platoon, "A" Company.'Harding was later reburied at Peronne Communal Cemetery Extension, his father gave further details in the roll of honour stating:'Was a well known boy athlete in Mudgee and Forbes districts. Won several Schools Athletic Championships. Took a prominent part in Sunday School work at Forbes, also acted as lay reader in the English Church at Forbes for some months prior to enlistment.'Sold together with copied research and a photograph of the recipient's grave.Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£260 to £300



**Lot 705**

(x) The M.M. pair awarded to Private H. Smith, 19th Battalion, Australian Imperial Force Military Medal, G.V.R. (6144 Private H. Smith. 19/Aust:Infy:); Victory Medal 1914-19 (6144 Pte. H. Smith. M.M. 19Bn. A.I.F.), good very fine (2)M.M. London Gazette 13 March 1919, the original recommendation states: 'When his Lewis gun section has [SIC] almost run out of ammunition during the attack on Mt. St. Quentin, on 31st August, 1918, Pte. Smith showed exceptional bravery by continually going out into the open, although under direct observation and heavy enemy machine gun fire, in order to collection ammunition from dead and wounded men. By this method he kept his gun amply supplied for several hours and was eventually dangerously wounded while continuing the work. His remarkable daring and fearlessness in overcoming a serious difficulty was a noble example.' Horace Smith was born on 30 May 1880 at Bristol with the name William Lloyd Gudridge. He enlisted with the British Navy when a child and served until 1913 deserted at Sydney, going under the name of Horace Smith. Enlisting at Sydney on 25 July 1916 he was posted to the Australian Imperial Force and arrived Devonport on 28 December 1916. He was posted to the 19th Battalion in France on 1 April 1917, just prior to the action at Hangard Wood which saw Lieutenant Percy Storkey win the Victoria Cross. They were present for the Spring Offensive and then formed part of the spearhead of the Allied advance during the Hundred Days. Smith was present for the attack on Hill St. Quentin, earning plaudits for his bravery on 31 August. He suffered a gunshot wound to the head the next day and taken to the 53rd Casualty Clearing Station. Dying of wounds on 2 September he was buried at Dourlers Communal Cemetery Extension. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£200 to £300

**Lot 706**

A Great War M.M. awarded to Gunner M. Samuels, Royal Garrison Artillery, who suffered from both shrapnel wounds and the effects of gas and was thus discharged on 24 June 1916 Military Medal, G.V.R. (3279 Gnr: M. Samuels. R.G.A.), very fine M.M. London Gazette 2 June 1916. Maurice Samuels was born at Chatham, Kent and was a motorman prior to joining the Royal Artillery at Chiswick on 5 September 1914. He first entered the war in France on 13 February 1915. Samuels was admitted to the Australian Hospital at Wimereux on 31 December 1915 as a result of shrapnel wounds to the shoulder and face as well as suffering the effects of gas, he returned home on the 3 January 1916. He was discharged as a result of no longer being physically fit for service on 24 June 1916, and is entitled to a 1914-15 Star trio as well as a Silver War Badge (1299). Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£160 to £200

**Lot 707**

(x) A Great War M.M. awarded to Corporal L. Thomas, 37th (Labour) Battalion, Royal Fusiliers Military Medal, G.V.R. (38088 Cpl. L. Thomas. 37/R. Fus:), toned, very fine M.M. London Gazette 11 May 1917. Leonard Thomas served in the First World War with the Labour Corps (under service number 64617) as well as the 37th Battalion, Royal Fusiliers. He earned his M.M. whilst serving as a Corporal with the Royal Fusiliers for which he appeared in the London Gazette on 11 May 1917. Thomas attained the rank of Sergeant and was further entitled to a British War and Victory Medal pair for his time serving in the Labour Corps; sold together with copied research. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£140 to £180

**Lot 708**

The posthumous Great War M.M. awarded to Private R. H. Critchley, 2/4th Battalion, Loyal North Lancashire Regiment, Territorial Force who was mortally wounded in July 1917 Military Medal, G.V.R. (201049 Pte. R. H. Critchley 2/4 L N Lanc. R.-T.F.), edge bruise, very fine M.M. London Gazette 28 September 1917. Robert Henry Critchley was born in 1897 and enlisted at Preston, being posted to the 2/4th Battalion, Loyal North Lancashire Regiment. He entered the war in France on 8 February 1917 and the unit entered the front line on 25 February. Critchley was wounded in action on 28 July 1917, presumably as part of a tour of the frontline although the Battalion was not involved in a big action until the Battle of Passchendaele. Mortally wounded in action he died of his wounds on 17 November 1917 and was buried at Etaples Military Cemetery, France. His Military Medal was sent to his mother in Chorley, Lancashire. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£160 to £200

**Lot 709**

The Great War M.M. awarded to Private J. Hackett, 1st Battalion, Royal Warwickshire Regiment Military Medal, G.V.R. (17340 Pte. J. Hackett. 1/R. War:R.), very fine M.M. London Gazette 23 July 1919. Jabez Hackett is entitled to a British War and Victory Medal. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£160 to £200

**Lot 710**

(x) The Great War M.M. awarded to Lance Sergeant W.M. Mitchelson, 10th Battalion King's Own Scottish Borderers Military Medal, G.V.R. (46760 Cpl-L.Sjt-W.M. Mitchelson. 10/K.O.S.B.), nearly very fine M.M. London Gazette 24 January 1919. William McKenzie Mitchelson from Parkshaw enlisted in the Gordon Highlanders as a Private, entering France on 6 July 1915. He later transferred to the Scottish Rifles as a Lance Sergeant before being transferred to the newly formed 10th Battalion King's Own Scottish Borderers; sold together with copied research. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£140 to £180

**Lot 711**

The 'Battle of Ginchy 1916' M.M. awarded to Private J. Shefford, 2nd Battalion, London Regiment, who was 'mentioned' in 1915 and went on to be so seriously wounded in winning his award that he was invalided from service Military Medal, G.V.R. (1523 Pte. J. Shefford. 2/Lond:R.), pitting overall, very fine M.M. London Gazette 11 November 1916 M.I.D. London Gazette 30 November 1915. James Edward Frank Shefford was born at Lambeth, London in 1896 and attested on 11 April 1913. Embodied on 5 August 1914 and posted to Malta on 13 September, the Battalion, including Shefford, entered the war in France on 6 January 1915. The Battalion was in the line at Gommecourt on the opening of the Somme Offensive and Shefford was diagnosed with shell shock on 4 July 1916, the day after they left the front. Spending some time in the reserve they returned to the front in September for service in the Battle of Ginchy. While there Shefford suffered a gunshot wound in left knee and humerus on 11 September 1916. He returned to Britain but the wound proved too much to recover from and he was discharged on 21 December 1917. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£160 to £200

**Lot 712**

The Great War M.M. awarded to Private F. J. Brooks, 45th Field Ambulance, Royal Army Medical Corps Military Medal, G.V.R. (33732 Pte. F. J. Brooks. 45/F.A. R.A.M.C.), nearly extremely fine M.M. London Gazette 12 June 1918. Frederick J. Brooks entered the war in France on 8 July 1915 with the 45th Field Ambulance, Royal Army Service Corps. This unit served attached to the 15th (Scottish) Division, with their first major action being at Loos in 1915. Later they were also in action on the Somme, Arras and Passchendaele; sold together with copied service papers. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£180 to £220

### Lot 713



The Great War M.M. awarded to Private W. Clugston, Royal Army Service Corps Military Medal, G.V.R. (M2-187217 Pte W. Clugston, R.A.S.C.), good very fine M.M. London Gazette 23 July 1919. William Clugston was born at Tarbolton, Ayrshire on 17 May 1897, attesting at Grove Park on 12 June 1916. He entered the war in France on 1 January 1917 and served as a driver with a variety of units there, surviving the war. Unfortunately he caught broncho pneumonia and died at the 3rd Canadian General Hospital on 24 February 1919; sold together with copied research. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£140 to £180

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### Lot 714



The Great War M.M. awarded to Corporal W. S. Dixon, Canadian Engineers Military Medal, G.V.R. (502909 Cpl W. S. Dixon. Can: E.), a couple of light scratches, otherwise very fine M.M. London Gazette 11 February 1919. William Stanley Dixon was born at Sutton, Surrey, 15 April 1890. He attested into the Canadian Engineers on 12 November 1915 at North Vancouver and entered the War in France on 29 May 1916. He was promoted to Second Corporal on 24 May 1918 and to Corporal on 1 October 1918. Dixon embarked aboard the S.S. Cassandra on 2 May 1919 to return to Canada and was discharged at Vancouver on 15 May 1919. He intended to live at Hope Bay, Pendle Island in British Columbia. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£200 to £300

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**Lot 715**



The 'Battle of Mersa Matruh 1942' M.M. group of six awarded to Acting Sergeant R. W. Kirby, Royal Artillery, who saved his gun from the German encirclement of X Corps during the retreat to El-Alamein Military Medal, G.VI.R. (902875 A/Sgt. R. K. Kirby R.A.), officially re-impressed naming; 1939-45 Star; Africa Star, clasp, North Africa 1942-43; Italy Star; France and Germany Star; War Medal 1939-45, pitting, very fine (6)M.M. London Gazette 31 December 1942, the original recommendation states: 'On the night of 28/29 June, 1942, this Regiment was ordered to leave Garawla Box, which was surrounded by the enemy. The Regiment was ordered to make its way out after all Other Arms had left the Box as best they could. No. 902875 L/Sgt. Kirby was the No.1 of a 4.5" Gun and was travelling in his A.E.C. tractor which was towing his Gun and detachment. Early on in the dash through, he became separated from the remainder of the Gun Group owing to confused being caused by the Group running into an ambush of German Tanks, in which many vehicles were disabled and set on fire. During the march, he and a flat tyre of his Gun. This was changed in the vicinity of the enemy and having done so, he succeeded in making his way through further small arms and machine gun fire from which his Gun and Tractor, were hit in several places. By his initiative and calmness under very hazardous conditions, he brought his vehicle, Gun and detachment through the enemy lines to the New Zealand Div Aea, from which position it was again used against the enemy.' Robert Kenneth Kirby enlisted on 27 April 1939 and served with the 64th Medium Regiment, Royal Artillery, seeing action in North Africa. After the award of his M.M. he continued to serve through Tunisia and Italy before being transferred to North-West Europe and was wounded there on 19 February 1945. Kirby was demobilised in March 1946 and re-joined the Reserve in July 1946. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

**Estimate  
£400 to £600**

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## Lot 716



(x) An immediate 1943 Middle East M.M. group of six awarded to Gunner H. Moore, Royal Artillery, who operated a No. 11 radio set in a forward position and was subject to heavy enemy attack in the hills west of Medinine, his communication kept the enemy under artillery attack during trying conditions allowing an attacking force to safely retreat, he was additionally 'mentioned' for his service in Italy in 1945 Military Medal, G.V.I.R. (986201 Gnr. H. Moore.); 1939-45 Star; Africa Star, copy clasp, 8th Army; Italy Star; Defence and War Medals 1939-45 with M.I.D. oak leaf, mounted for display, minor official correction to number on first, otherwise very fine (6)M.M. London Gazette 22 July 1943. The original recommendation states: 'On 26/27th March 1943, Gnr MOORE was the operator of an 11 set of an F.O.O. party of 52nd Field Bty RA that went forward in support of a platoon of 4/6 Rajputana Rifles to Capture PT 680 (DELHI) in the hills WEST OF MEDININE. This involved an all night approach march finishing with a very steep and difficult climb of 1200 feet, during which Gunner Moore was carrying a No. 11 set. Just before first light the party approached the summit, which it found held in force by the enemy. They were forced to withdraw half way down the feature, where they were pinned to the ground by very heavy Mortar and MG fire with the enemy in front and on both flanks, and in addition enemy patrols in rear. In spite of the difficult situation, however, Gnr Moore immediately established communication with the battery, which enabled repeated enemy attacks to be engaged and driven off. The enemy mortar and MG fire became so heavy that it was considered necessary to change the position of the OP three times. Gunner Moore only changed his position on definite orders to do so, as by this time the wireless set was the only means of communication for the whole party, the infantry set having been knocked out, and Gnr Moore was afraid that, if the position was changed, communication might be lost. Gnr Moore however, regained communication each time, enabling fire to be brought down on the enemy again and again. Owing to Gnr Moore keeping communication the party was eventually able to withdraw under cover of darkness. Even then Gunner Moore kept his set open to the last possible moment. His devotion to duty, his bearing, and his complete disregard of personal safety under these most difficult conditions, were a continual source of inspiration to all who saw him.' M.I.D. London Gazette 11 January 1945 (Italy). The Battle of Medenine, Tunisia, began on 6 March 1943 and forced the Axis forces out of and on to higher ground north and west of Medinine. Rommel left North Africa on 10 March and left General Arnim in command. On 19 March 1943, XXX Corps commenced Operation Pugilist. The 50th (Northumbrian) Infantry Division managed to penetrate the line held by the 136th Armoured Division "Giovani Fascisti" near Zarat. Rain and the nature of the terrain prevented the deployment of tanks, aircraft or anti-tank guns, which left the infantry isolated. A counter-attack by 15th Panzer Division and the "Giovani Fascisti" on 22 March recaptured much of the bridgehead, 35 British tanks and 200 prisoners. British forces held their positions until darkness. On 24 March all the British attacking forces were recalled. XXX Corps prepared a new attack towards Tallouf, in which the 4th Indian Infantry Division would make a night attack on 23/24 March around the inland end of the line, coinciding with a wide left hook manoeuvre by Montgomery. The 4th Indian Infantry fought with distinction in the Tunisia Campaign, right through to the fall of Tunis in May 1943, gaining a particular reputation for its prowess in mountainous country. The division had the honour of capturing General Arnim in Tunisia, bringing an end to the war in North Africa. His Military Medal was sent on his instruction to a Mrs C. Lea, Rawtenstall, Ross, Lancashire; sold with a letter from The War Office dated 24 May 1946 and a photograph of him in uniform in Desert uniform. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£600 to £800

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Lot 717



The 'Escaper' M.M. group of five awarded to Private J. Smith, Princess of Wales' Own Yorkshire Regiment Military Medal G.V.R. (3658454 Pte. J. Smith. Green Howards.); 1939-45 Star; Africa Star; Italy Star; War Medal 1939-45, light contact marks, very fine overall (5)M.M. London Gazette 1 March 1945, the original recommendation states: 'Captured in N. Africa on 28 Jun 42, Smith was, at the time of the Italian Armistice, at Marsciano (Camp 115). Released on 13 Sep 43, Smith went towards Isernia but was recaptured by Germans and sent to Sulmona. Escaping through the wire, he was again apprehended and taken to Aquila Camp. Once more he regained his freedom when a member of a wood carrying party. For the third time he was arrested by the Germans near Terni, and made to accompany them on their retreat. Realising that British forces could not be far away, Smith broke away from the column as it was passing through a village. For a few more days he lived on the Mountain side, returning to Terni to report to Allied forces on their arrival. John Smith listed his address as 7 Mayfield Avenue, Moss Estate, Macclesfield, Cheshire. Joining 7th Battalion, Green Howards on the outbreak of the Second World War Smith joined them in the North African campaign. Surviving the Battle of Gazala Smith was one of the British force which attempted to halt the inexorable Axis advance at the Battle of Mersa Matruh. The action was a disaster for the British who had a real change to deal the Germans a heavy blow however instead some 6,000 British troops were taken prisoner, including Smith. While in Italy he made regular attempts to escape, finally succeeding and making it back to Britain, a newspaper article provides further detail stating: 'Escaped From Germans Home on leave after escaping from a German prison camp in Italy is Private John Smith, aged 29, son of Mrs. and the late Mr. Smith, 7, Mayfield Avenue, Moss Estate, Macclesfield. This was Private Smith's fourth attempt at escape, and on each of the previous occasions he had been recaptured. Private Smith has been in the Services for four years, and was captured at El Alamein [SIC] in 1942. He was formerly employed by Messrs. Wimpey, contractors.' Sold together with copied research. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£1,400 to £1,800

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Lot 718



The 'Coastal Command 1942' D.F.M. awarded to Flight Sergeant G. Butterfield, No. 203 Squadron, Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, for his daring attack upon an enemy convoy which saw an enemy aircraft silenced and a merchant ship attacked. Distinguished Flying Medal, G.V.I.R. (938357 F. Sgt. G. Butterfield. R.A.F.), nearly extremely fine D.F.M. London Gazette 7 June 1942, the original citation states: 'In March 1942, Flight Sergeant Butterfield attacked an enemy merchant ship which was escorted by a destroyer and an enemy aircraft. Flight Sergeant Butterfield's aircraft was engaged by the enemy aircraft and in the ensuing combat which lasted for 15 minutes, the enemy's front gunner was silenced. Although Flight Sergeant Butterfield's aircraft was hit, he pressed home his bombing attack. This airman has previously bombed an enemy destroyer and attacked a float plane. For shadowing enemy warships under difficult circumstances, he was commended by the Commanding Officer of his Wing.' Guy Butterfield was born at Grimsby on 25 July 1916, the son of John and Helena Butterfield. He was living at 36 Augusta Street, Grimsby on 11 July 1939 when he was awarded his aero club certificate (No. 19030). Joining the Royal Air Force he was flying sorties with No 203 Squadron in 1942 when they were launching missions over the Eastern Mediterranean from Egypt, equipped with Blenheim IVs. The Blenheim flown by Butterfield was responsible for an reconnaissance flight on 9 March 1942 as part of the effort to locate the Italian Fleet. The Squadron Operations Record Book provides further information, stating: 'Blenheim "O" (F/S. Butterfield, Sgt. Lee, Sgt McLelland) was airborne on special search and locate the Italian Fleet, leaving Bir Amud at 16,50. At 19,40, the Italian Fleet was sighted in position 33° 49'N. 19° 29'E. Co. 050, speed 12 knots. No individual ships were distinguishable in the darkness, but eight wakes were observed. W/T. failed so the aircraft at once set' course for Bir Amud landing there at 22,05.' Commissioned Pilot Officer on 6 June 1942 with No. 203 Squadron he was further promoted Flying Officer on 6 December 1942. Finally advanced Flight Lieutenant on 6 June 1944 Butterfield was flying Beaufighters with 143 Squadron out of Manston, Kent. Still there on 2 September 1944 his aircraft was lost engaging e-boats of the French coastline. Butterfield is commemorated upon the Runnymede Memorial; sold together with copied research. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£1,400 to £1,800

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Lot 719



The Second World War immediate D.F.M. awarded to Sergeant A. Kenyon, Royal Air Force, who was decorated for his gallant deeds as a Flight Engineer in No. 419 (R.C.A.F.) Squadron, when he nursed home his heavily damaged Lancaster on two engines following a strike on Bottrop, Germany, in September 1944 Distinguished Flying Medal, G.V.I.R. (1515049 Sgt. A. Kenyon, R.A.F.), good very fine D.F.M. London Gazette 9 January 1945, the original recommendation states: 'Sergeant Kenyon has taken part in 21 day and night operations against the enemy, in which his efficiency, coolness and resource have been amply demonstrated. During a daylight attack on Bottrop on 27 September [1944], the aircraft, in which he was Flight Engineer, was very badly damaged while orbiting the target. The port inner engine was put out of action and the port outer caught fire and had to be feathered. The hydraulic system was rendered unserviceable and some of the controls were damaged to such an extent that two crew members had to assist the pilot to control the aircraft. The bombing run was completed but, when leaving the target, the starboard inner engine started to lose power and it was found that this engine also had been badly damaged. Sergeant Kenyon successfully nursed this engine to give 50% power during the return trip to this country, showing great ingenuity and resource in doing so. I consider the outstanding ability and coolness in danger shown by Sergeant Kenyon fully merits the immediate award of the Distinguished Flying Medal.' Alva Kenyon was born on 2 February 1922 and was a student at Balshaw Grammar School, Leyland, Lancashire, on the eve of hostilities. He would have been flying in a Lancaster at the time of the above incident, his unit - also known as 419 (Moose) Squadron - having converted from Halifax aircraft at R.A.F. Middleton St. George in April 1944. It is worth speculating whether one of Kenyon's earlier sorties was that flown against Cambrai on the night of 12 June 1944. If so, it was the same sortie in which Pilot Officer Andrew Mynarski, also of 419 (Moose) Squadron, won a posthumous V.C. Kenton returned to his Lancashire roots after the war and died at Leyland in March 2002; sold together with copied research and a large original archive comprising, 3 newspaper clippings, A Telegram of congratulations from the Commander-in-Chief of Bomber Command along with 3 other letters and telegrams of congratulations and the Medal slip of issue named to 'Sergeant Alva Kenyon, D.F.M.'. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£1,400 to £1,800

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Lot 720

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The 1944 D.F.M. group of five awarded to Flight Sergeant J. Cosgrove, Royal Air Force Distinguished Flying Medal, G.V.I.R. (1572208. F/Sgt. J. Cosgrove. R.A.F.); 1939-45 Star; Air Crew Europe Star; Defence and War Medals 1939-45, mounted for wear, minor pitting and polishing, very fine (5) D.F.M. London Gazette 13 October 1944, the original recommendation states: 'As rear gunner this airman has participated in a large number of sorties and has displayed great keenness and devotion to duty throughout. His constant vigilance has enabled his pilot to avoid combat on many occasions, and successfully complete many missions. He has proven to be a cheerful and willing worker with his fellow men in the gunnery section. For his airmanship an intense loyalty, this N.C.O. is strongly recommended for the Distinguished Flying Medal.' John Cosgrove was born at Glasgow in 1924 and enlisted with the Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve in 1942. Posted to No 432 (Royal Canadian Air Force) Squadron, a unit based at Skipton-on-Swale, Yorkshire they transferred to East Moor in February 1944. Re-equipped with Halifax MkIII bombers Cosgrove flew his first sortie with them on 4 March 1944 as rear-gunner. Seeing five operations in eighteen days through March however he had a near miss while on a training flight over Yorkshire on the night of 14-15 March. Their aircraft was misidentified and targeted by flak guns over Hull, suffering what they- at the time- believed to be a near miss. It was not until they made it back to base that the ground crew discovered a large hole in the leading edge of the port fin, the miss had been far nearer than they imagined. Cosgrove received a short break after their raid over Frankfurt on 18 March before starting to fly again in April with a raid over Paris which hit the Villeneuve-Saint-George Station. He was part of the major 300 aircraft raid the Squadron launched over Dusseldorf on 22 April which set fire to five square miles of the city. After 32 successful operations Cosgrove was recommended for his D.F.M. with the Station Commander adding: 'As Air Gunner this N.C.O. has taken part in many attacks on well defended enemy targets. He is a cool and reliable member of Aircraft crew, whose vigilance and skill have contributed materially to the successes obtained. He is strongly recommended for the award of Distinguished Flying Medal.' His base commander confirmed his recommendation stating: 'Flight Sergeant Cosgrove's determination and resourcefulness on all of his many sorties over well defended enemy targets has set a splendid example too members of his crew and Squadron. His devotion to duty. Fearlessness and coolness are worthy of recognition. I recommend that he be awarded the D.F.M.' Sold together with copied research. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£1,200 to £1,600

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## Lot 721



The Second World War D.F.M. group of five awarded to Flight Sergeant F. F. Fish, No. 153 Squadron, Royal Air Force Distinguished Flying Medal, G.V.I.R. (1602177 F/Sgt. F. F. Fish. R.A.F.); 1939-45 Star; France and Germany Star; Defence and War Medals 1939-45, the first mounted as worn, light pitting, overall very fine (5) D.F.M. London Gazette 17 July 1945, the original citation states: 'This young N.C.O. Navigator has completed 28 successful sorties against such enemy targets as the Synthetic Oil Plant near Merseburg, Ulm, Nuremberg and Munich. His work has been characterised by an unfailing sense of devotion to duty and determination to play his part, enabling his aircraft to reach its target and bomb it through any opposition. Calm and confident in his manner, he is cheerful and a magnificent example to his crew and the whole squadron. His high standard of courage, great determination and outstanding devotion to duty well merit the award of the Distinguished Flying Medal.' Frederick Frank Fish was born at Sydenham, London on 25 October 1922, attesting with the Royal Air Force on 20 November 1941 he was mobilised on 27 April 1942. After training he was posted to the newly reformed 153 Squadron based in Lincolnshire. The unit was equipped with Avro Lancasters and Fish flew his first mission as a navigator with them on 14 October 1944 to Duisberg, the first 1,000 bombers Daylight Raid codenamed Operation Hurricane. He flew four more missions that month, one to Essen and three to Cologne with the last proving extremely eventful. Fish had a near miss on 31 October 1944 on approach to Cologne when their aircraft suddenly heeled over starboard. It was assumed that they had been clipped by a flak burst but Flying Officer 'Whizz' Wheeler got them back under control and the managed to get through and drop their bombs. In fact a stick of bombs dropped by the a Lancaster above them had struck the wing: 'It was shortly after leaving the target that the Flight Engineer noticed a large hole in the starboard wing! After a brief exchange of four letter words, the W/Op (who usually, when over the target stood in the astrodome, looking upwards, to act as look out against over-flying aircraft) was asked why the 888 he had not shouted a warning? His reply was memorable and accurate "I was too paralysed to speak". Clearly the sigh of a stick of bombs hurtling towards one would be enough to petrify anyone. He went on to say that the had hoped the bombs would miss them- but one did not. Although the starboard aileron was ineffective, and other problems had to be mastered, Whizz nursed the crippled aircraft back to make a good landing at Scampton. Later examination revealed a jagged hole. About three feet square, virtually through the roundel. About two inches away was the pink outline of the outboard petrol tank and the main spar. Fortunately the bomb had not reached its "explode on impact" point, so that damage was limited to that caused by a solid, inert 1,000lb mass weight going through the one part of the wing it could do, without fatal consequences. A close shave indeed. 18 days later, "A" was back on operations. This was not to be his last close shave with Fish's diary for the next mission over Dusseldorf on 2 November noting 'Bags of Fighters & S.L.' and just two days later 'attacked by FW190- Hit in S. Wing'. That month saw further aerial combats with Fish's entry for 18 November over Wanne-Eickel stating: fired on me 410 - Did a corkscrew- all engines cut temporarily'. The Squadron was not just undertaking bombing raids against German cities, they also undertook air support missions with one occurring in support of French trips over Freiburg on 27 November. As the year wound down they undertook several minelaying missions, including one abortive mission over Kattegat on 26 January which saw one Lanc shot down by a fighter and 3 others downed by flak. Fish's final mission saw him downed on 30 January 1945, several direct hits saw them forced to land at Eindhoven, Holland. He returned to Britain by Dakota, it was his final combat mission. He remained in service after the war and married Aircraftwoman Class I Alice Harden of Boston, Lincolnshire on 1 January 1949. Fish joined the Squadron association in 1986 having worked as a Chartered Accountant at Newquay, Cornwall after leaving the R.A.F. He died on 19 May 2003 in Bexhill. Sold together with copied research and an original archive comprising: i) An annotated portrait photograph of the recipient. ii) Named Buckingham Palace slip of issue and letter of congratulations from the recipient's C.O. iii) Boxes of issue for both the D.F.M. and campaign awards with the original envelope. iv) A.C.A. cloth Shoulder Patch. v) Officer's Medical Record Card and Vaccination card. vi) Airman's Service and Pay Book along with his Service and Release Book. vii) A private diary containing, addresses, pay details and details of all the missions the recipient undertook, with notes on the action that took place. viii) A handwritten letter from the recipient's next of kin to the original purchaser of the group giving details of his later life and retirement. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£1,400 to £1,800

### Lot 722



An M.S.M. pair awarded to Sergeant Instructor of Musketry J. Broom, 74th (Highland) Regiment of FootArmy L.S. & G.C., V.R. (109. Serjt. of M: J. Broom. 74th Foot); Army Meritorious Service Medal, G.V.R. (Sjt: I. of M. J. Broom. 74/Foot.), mounted as worn by Ninnes, Hythe, good very fine (2) John Broom was born at Girvan, Ayrshire on 13 December 1834 and joined the 74th Foot at Glasgow in August 1857. He served variously in the East Indies (1yr 1 month), Malta (5yrs), Straights Settlements (1yr 2 months), Hong Kong (1yr 2 months) and was discharged there in March 1879, proceeding home. Sergeant Instructor of Musketry from November 1873 until his discharge, the veteran retired to be a Corporation Officer in Westwood, Ayrshire. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£160 to £200

### Lot 723



The Royal Navy M.S.M. awarded to Chief Stoker F. Rumbold, Royal Navy, who was present at the Battle of Jutland and who was additionally awarded a Russian Medal of St. Stanislaus Royal Navy Meritorious Service Medal, G.V.R. (278125 F. Rumbold, Ch. Sto. "Birmingham" Services During War.), light contact marks, otherwise very fine M.S.M. London Gazette 21 June 1919. Frank Rumbold was born at Great Bedwyn, Wiltshire on 17 December 1874. He had previously been a shepherd before he joined the Royal Navy on 19 October 1894. He was to see service on Birmingham, a Town-Class light cruiser, from 3 February 1914-20 November 1916. Rumbold was present at the Battle of Jutland before serving on Pembroke II from 21 November 1916-18 February 1917 before returning to Birmingham on 19 February 1917 until he was demobilized on 7 March 1919. Rumbold is additionally entitled to a 1914-15 Star trio and a L.S. & G.C. medal (which he was awarded in 1909). He was also further awarded a Russian Silver Medal of St Stanislaus. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£240 to £280



### Lot 724



An annuity M.S.M. group of four awarded to Farrier Quartermaster-Sergeant A. Hempenstall, Royal Field Artillery British War Medal 1914-20 (9652 W.O.Cl. 2. A. Hempenstall. R.A.); India General Service 1908-35, 1 clasp, Afghanistan N.W.F. 1919 (9652 W.O.Cl. 11 A. Hempenstall. R.A.) the number, rank and unit officially corrected; Army L.S. & G.C., G.V.R. (9652 F.Q.M. Sjt. A. Hempenstall. R.F.A.); Meritorious Service Medal, G.V.R. (9652 W.O.Cl. 2. A. Hempenstall. R.A.), overall good very fine (4) Alexander Hempenstall was born at Wexford, Ireland in 1875 and attested with the Royal Field Artillery at Dublin on 15 May 1895. Posted to India in 1896 with the 70th Battery qualifying as a Shoeing Smith there he was in 1898 he was advanced to the rank in 1900, around the same time he passed a veterinary class. Returning to Britain in 1902 with 145th Battery he was advanced Farrier Staff Sergeant in 1905 and Farrier Quartermaster-Sergeant in 1906. Posted to India in November 1913 Hempenstall was serving with the 90th Battery during the Great War, entering the war at Hafiz on 29 August 1915. He was discharged on 15 December 1919. He is further entitled to the 1914-15 Star and Victory Medal. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£120 to £160

### Lot 725



Army Meritorious Service Medal, G.V.R. (40535 Sgt. F. Eyles. R.F.A.), good very fine M.S.M. London Gazette 3 June 1919. Frank Eyles enlisted at Birmingham in 1906 and entered the war in France on 16 August 1914 where he was to serve until January 1916. Posted to Macedonia he was to see the rest of the war out there, finishing it as Battery Quartermaster Sergeant with the 96th Battery, Royal Field Artillery. After the conflict Eyles was posted to Russia where he served from January-May 1919, being further entitled to a 1914 Star Trio; sold together with copied research. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£100 to £140

### Lot 726



An unusual 'East Africa' M.S.M. awarded to Pioneer F. Rutter, East African Pioneer Company, who was additionally 'mentioned' for good service in that theatre of war Meritorious Service Medal, G.V.R. (3154 Pr F. Rutter. E.A. Pr Coy), good very fine Frederick Rutter, born in 1892, travelled out to British East Africa in April 1914 and gave his occupation as 'Golf Instructor'. Upon the outbreak of the Great War four months later he attested for service as Private (regimental number 75) in the East Africa Regiment, before transferring to the East African Pioneer Company/Corps. In addition to his 1914-15 Star 'trio' he was Mentioned in Despatches (London Gazette 7 March 1918, refers) and awarded the Meritorious Service Medal for 'Devotion' (London Gazette 29 August 1918, refers). Returning home at some point after the cessation of hostilities, he clearly remained a very keen golfer and is noted as 'The professional' at the Neasden Golf Club from 1921; sold with a small quantity of copied research. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£150 to £250

### Lot 727



The M.S.M. group of five awarded to Company Quartermaster-Sergeant C. D. Walker, Royal Engineer 1914-15 Star (35790 Pnr: C. D. Walker. R.E.); British War and Victory Medals (35790 Spr. C. D. Walker. R.E.); Army Meritorious Service Medal, G.V.R. (1853652. C.Q.M.S. C. D. Walker. R.E.); Army L.S. & G.C., G.V.R. (1853652 Sjt. C. D. Walker. R.E.), heavy contact marks to second, otherwise light contact marks, very fine overall (5) Charles D. Walker enlisted on 3 April 1915 while he was working as a clerk and entered the war in France with the Royal Engineers on 27 September 1915. He was serving with No 142 Company in May 1918 and continued to serve after the war, being promoted Corporal in 1921. Further promoted Sergeant in 1928, it was in this rank that he became entitled to his M.S.M., although it would not be awarded for some time. Advanced Company Quartermaster-Sergeant on 15 May 1934 whilst serving with 'B' Company of the Training Battalion Walker was discharged on 2 April 1936; sold together with copied research. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£200 to £240

**Lot 728**



**Indian Army Meritorious Service Medal 1888, G.V.R. (12 Hav. Lachmi Parshad, 3-15 Punjab R.), light contact marks, otherwise very fine**Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

**Estimate  
£100 to £150**

**Lot 729**



**(x) Indian Army Meritorious Service Medal 1888, G.V.R. Kaisar-I-Hind (3859 Coy. Hav. Maj. Sher Khan, R. Bombay. S & M.), very fine**Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

**Estimate  
£100 to £150**

**Lot 730**



**Royal Air Force Meritorious Service Medal, G.V.R. (25111 Corpl. H. F. Humfrey. R.A.F.), good very fine**M.S.M. London Gazette 3 June 1919. Harry Francis Humfrey enlisted with the Royal Flying Corps on 14 March 1916, entering the war in France the next month. Humfrey served initially with the 4th Brigade before joining the Headquarters on 28 July 1917 where he served for the rest of the war. Upon the establishment of the Royal Air Force his trade was listed as clerk and he transferred to the home establishment on 10 February 1919; sold together with copied research. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

**Estimate  
£100 to £140**

**Lot 731**



**Army Meritorious Service Medal, G.VI.R. (S.Sjt. J. Coleman. M.P.S.C.), good very fine**Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

**Estimate  
£100 to £140**

**Lot 732**

Army Meritorious Service Medal, G.V.I.R. (1855014. W.O. Cl. 2. T. B. Johnson. R.E.), good very fine Thomas Bernard Johnson enlisted on 7 May 1918 and served as a surveyor for most of his career. Advanced Company Sergeant-Major in 1937 he finished his career in that rank on 6 May 1939. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

**Estimate**  
**£120 to £160**

**Lot 733**

Indian Army Meritorious Service Medal, G.V.I.R. (7540 Hav. Gurdit Singh, 8 Punjab R), some light contact marks, otherwise very fine Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

**Estimate**  
**£100 to £150**

**Lot 734**

Indian Army Meritorious Service Medal, G.V.I.R. (GSS-7540471 Hav. Sant Ram, I.G.S.C.), good very fine Purchased Delhi, 1977. Indian General Service Corps - a unit of those with specialist trades not attributed/yet assigned to any Regiment. During the Second World War a good number of male Special Operations Executive and female First Aid Nursing Yeomanry members were put on 'the books' of the General Service Corps for cover. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

**Estimate**  
**£60 to £80**



Lot 735



A Great War Salonika A.R.R.C. Pair to Sister M. Coupar, Territorial Force Nursing Service, who was additionally 'mentioned' for her services in Salonika A.R.R.C. breast Badge, silver and enamel; Territorial Force War Medal 1914-19 (Sister M. Coupar. T.F.N.S.), very fine (2) A.R.R.C. London Gazette 4 June 1917. M.I.D. London Gazette 21 July 1917. Mary Coupar enrolled into the Territorial Force Nursing Service on 12 March 1909 and was mobilised for Great War service on 12 August 1914. She entered the war in Salonika on 1 July 1916 and served at 38 General Hospital in Salonika - she was awarded both her A.R.R.C. and M.I.D. for her service there. She remained in that theatre of war until returning home on 12 December 1918. Coupar was then sent to the Yorkhill War Hospital in Glasgow serving from 16 January 1919 until she was demobilised on 31 May 1919. She was presented her A.R.R.C. at Buckingham Palace on 4 December 1919 and resigned from the Territorial Army Nursing Service on 24 December 1931. She is additionally entitled to a British War and Victory Medal pair with M.I.D. oak leaves. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£300 to £500

Lot 736



An unusual 1905 R.V.M. group of four awarded to Corporal G. G. Tegg, Durham Light Infantry, who was a long-served Valet who was called upon to assist the Khedive of Egypt as Servant during the marriage of Their Royal Highnesses Princess Margaret of Connaught & Prince Gustavus of Sweden & Norway 1914-15 Star (20768 Pte. G. G. Tegg. Durh: L.I.); British War and Victory Medals (20768 Cpl. G. G. Tegg. Durh. L.I.); The Royal Victorian Medal, silver issue, E.VII.R., good very fine (4) R.V.M. awarded 15 June 1905. George Gerald Tegg was born circa 1882 and was a valet by trade. At the 1905 Royal Marriage, he was selected to be Servant to the Khedive of Egypt. Abbas II, presented Princess Margaret of Connaught with a diamond tiara, known as the Khedive of Egypt Tiara, as a wedding gift when she married Prince Gustaf Adolf of Sweden in 1905. This tiara, made by Cartier, became a cherished heirloom and has been worn by several members of the Swedish and Danish royal families. By the outbreak of the Great War, Tegg was employed as Valet to Sir George Macpherson-Grant, 5th Baronet of Ballindalloch. The castle remains in the family to this day and is open to the public to visit. Tegg served in France with the 15th Battalion, Durham Light Infantry from 31 July 1915 and was discharged in December 1918 having been admitted to hospital with bronchitis during his service. At that time he was living at 19 South Clunes, Kirkhill, Inverness. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£240 to £280

**Lot 737**



(x) The postwar Q.P.M. group of three awarded to Chief Superintendent A. M. K. Power, New South Wales Police Queen's Police Medal, for Distinguished Service, E.I.I.R. (Allan Mitchell King Power); National Medal (Allan Mitchell King Power); Police Exemplary Service Medal (Allan M. K. Power), mounted as worn, the retaining bar removed, sold together with a corresponding set of dress miniatures, good very fine (3)Q.P.M. London Gazette 14 June 1977. Allan Mitchell King Power was born at Sydney on 3 April 1919 and entered the New South Wales Police Force on 15 September 1936 as a Cadet. He was first appointed a Probationary Constable with 20 Division (Special Squad) on 3 October 1939 and confirmed as Constable on 5 November 1940. Joining the Vice Squadron on 18 May 1945 Power was appointed Detective Constable on 10 October 1949 and Detective Sergeant on 25 March 1957. Commissioned Inspector on 1 October 1967 with 13 Division he was appointed to command 19 Division on 10 June 1974. Further promoted Superintendent on 3 February 1976 he became Superintendent in Charge of 'G' District on 15 March. Advanced Chief Superintendent on 13 July 1977 he was finally appointed Chief Superintendent Metropolitan Area on 1 August 1977, just after the award of the King's Police Medal. Power retired on 2 April 1979; sold together with copied research. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£300 to £400

**Lot 738**



A Royal Household Faithful Service Medal group of three awarded to Mr G. Linnett, who worked as a Gardener at the Windsor & Buckingham Palace Royal Gardens and in the Master of the Household's Department Royal Household Faithful Service Medal, G.V.R., the suspension dated '1913-1933', with Thirty Years Bar, reverse of this engraved 'G.R.VI.' (Linnett, George), in its case of issue; Jubilee 1935; Coronation 1937, good very fine (3) George Linnett was born on 29 April 1889 and worked as a gardener at the Royal Gardens from 1913, living at the Chevron Club by 1921, along with the other Staff of Buckingham Palace. Having taken his Faithful Service Medal in 1933, he was living at Alexandra Road, Windsor by 1939 and worked in the Windsor Royal Gardens. Linnett added the Bar to his Medal in 1943 and died at Windsor in 1958. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£280 to £320

Lot 739



Royal Household Faithful Service Medal, G.V.R., dated 1910-1930, mounted on bow for wear by a lady (Frances Wills), very fine, in fitted case of issue, this damaged with crude tape repairs Frances Wills served as a housemaid at Windsor Castle. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£250 to £350

Lot 740

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PENDING

**SPINK**  
WHERE HISTORY IS VALUED

A Royal Household group of five awarded to Groom C. French, Royal Mews, a long-served Postillion Rider Royal Household Faithful Service, G.V.R., the suspension dated '1910-1930' (C. French); 1902 Coronation, bronze issue; 1911 Coronation; 1935 Jubilee; Special Constabulary Long Service, G.V.R. (Charles French.), the first four mounted court-style as worn, good very fine (5) Charles French was born in June 1880 and was first recorded on the Staff in the Royal Mews in June 1900. Noted as living in by 1923 and a Postillion, he was awarded his Faithful Service Medal in May 1930. Given his posting, he would likely have ridden on State Events for decades. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£300 to £500

Lot 741



The Royal Household group of three awarded to J. Abercrombie Junior, a Stalker at Balmoral, whose father was the long-served Head Stalker on the Royal Estate Royal Household Faithful Service Medal, G.V.R., suspension dated '1921-1941' (Abercrombie, James (Junr.)), in its Royal Mint case of issue; Jubilee 1935; Coronation 1937, good very fine (3) James Abercrombie was born in 1905 at Crathie, the son of James Abercrombie, Head Stalker on the Balmoral Estate. His father is affectionately recalled by Queen Elizabeth, The Queen Mother in various letters and there can be no doubt of the happy hours that young Abercrombie will have spent with his father and senior members of the Royal Family out on the Estate. It is highly likely they will have imparted some of their skills and would perhaps have shared in the 'blooding' ceremonies which are traditional. Given that the late Queen Elizabeth II was extremely fond of deer stalking and shot her first stag aged 19, whilst still a Princess, it was perhaps Abercrombie who may have been up on the hill. Having taken his Medal in 1941 and continued as a Stalker at Lochnagar - The Royal Munro - Abercrombie died on 23 July 1995. He is buried in Crathie Kirkyard, close to many legends of the Royal Household, namely John Brown and Annie MacDonald. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£280 to £320

### Lot 742



Lloyd's Medal for Services to Lloyd's, silver (Mr. John Putt, Signalmaster, Tynmouth, June 1933.), suspension claw re-soldered with non-swivel suspension ring, minor edge bruise, very fine, rare Provenance: Captain J. Hartford Collection, Glendining's, September 1992. John Putt served as the Lloyd's Signalmaster at Tynmouth, and was awarded his Lloyd's Medal for Services to Lloyd's by Committee decision on 21 June 1933. He retired to Paignton, Devon and had been in the service of Lloyds for some 46 years'. Prior to being at North Shields, he served at the Lizard for 20 years and also at Port Said Wireless Station, being commended for service there. Only 8 Lloyd's Medals for Services to Lloyd's in silver were awarded between the institution of the award in 1917, and the closure of the final Lloyd's Signalling Station in September 1969, all but one of which were awarded to Signalmasters. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£600 to £800

### Lot 743



Medal of the Society for the Protection of Life from Fire, Type V, silver issue (George Millwood, Lambeth. 26.5.1918), with silver top riband buckle, good very fine Case No. 15,750 submitted 17 October 1918 and published in the 1919 Annual Report states: 'On 26 May 1918, W. H. Ward (44) and four children were saved from a fire in Lambeth, caused by a candle.' George Millwood was born in July 1890 and was a grocer of Juxson Street, Lambeth Walk by 1918. Together with Police Constables Charles Grubbins & Worthy Gay of the Metropolitan Police, he was decorated by the Society with their Silver Medal and a bounty of £3-3-0. Millwood died in December 1972. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£180 to £220



**Lot 744**

Royal Humane Society, small bronze medal (successful) (S. B. O. Curtiss 20th. May 1924) with integral bronze ribband buckle, good very fine, in its Elkington & Co. case of issue R.H.S. Case No. 47,506 (his name first on the list for this Case): 'For rescuing men from the gas and smoke filled Abbontiakoon Mine in West Africa. Owing to a fire, dense, smokey and poisonous gasses filled the mine and the mine manager with seven white men and four natives were rendered insensible either by smoke or by the after damp following the fire. [Curtiss and 13 others] went down the mine in two parties and succeeded in saving all the men with the exception of one native who lost his life.' Sidney Bertram Oscar Curtiss was born on 2 August 1893 at St Day, Cornwall and was a miner by trade. Having served with the Royal Artillery (Pair only), he transferred to the Royal Flying Corps & Royal Air Force as a Cadet. Having worked as a Guard on the Uganda railways circa 1922, he then mined in West Africa and India. He latterly returned to East Africa, taking work as a Pauling & Co. Railway guard. Having been registered at Kilindini, he retired to England and died at Worthing in 1963. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£160 to £200

**Lot 745**

(x) Royal Humane Society, small bronze medal (P.C. William Hall Metropolitan Police 10th July 1954), good very fine Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£80 to £120

**Lot 746**

Royal Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, Victoria Medal, silver issue, by Spink (Dr. Eric H. Hansen 1954), good very fine Eric H. Hansen was born in 1903 in Denmark and was a Licencee Clerk for the American S.P.C.A. in New York from 1924. Latterly President of the Missouri Branch, he would ultimately be President of the American Association. Hansen went on to be co-founder of the International Society for the Protection of Animals. He died in 1956, having been duly rewarded by numerous related societies. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£40 to £60

**Lot 747**

Corporation of Glasgow medal for Bravery, silver, hallmarks for Glasgow (Edward McGrory), mounted as worn, good very fine Edward McGory is referenced in the minutes of the Glasgow Magistrates Court in 1929, which refers to: 'Constables Peter McGregor and Robert Rathney, both of the Southern Division, and Edward Rogers, 87 Naburn Street, and Edward McGrory, 121 Naburn Street, who rescued eight persons from burning houses in a four-storey tenement at 106 Kidston Street, on 16th February last.' The two police constables referenced above were both awarded gallantry medals and the Glasgow Police Museum goes into further detail stating: 'On the night of 16 February 1929, both constables attended a house fire where the fire had started in a first floor flat of a tenement property. The fire quickly spread to the upper floors and even to the ground floor. The fire spread so rapidly that the eight occupants of the upper floors were afraid to make their way down the narrow winding stair which was their only means of escape. Constables Rathney and McGregor rushed up through the smoke and flames and succeeded in carrying and guiding the eight occupants to safety, despite the intense heat. Both constables suffered from severe burns to their hands and face. For their bravery in rescuing the eight persons, both constables were awarded the King's Police Medal for Gallantry and the Glasgow Corporation Medal for Bravery.' Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£100 to £140

**Lot 748**

(x) The Order of Australia awarded to Jane Durbin for service to improving cancer treatment facilities in 1987 Australia, Order of Australia, Member's (O.A.M.) breast Badge, silver-gilt, reverse inscribed 'Jane Durbin'; together with the related miniature award, lapel badge and riband bar, extremely fine, in fitted case of issue Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£140 to £180

**Lot 749**

An I.P.M. awarded to Inspector of Police J. M. Mackenzie, Bengal Police Indian Police Medal, for Meritorious Service, G.V.I.R. (J. M. Mackenzie, I.P., D.J.G., Bengal.), good very fine Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£200 to £300

**Lot 750**

The I.P.M. awarded to Constable A. G. Khan, Rangoon Police, for his gallantry in breaking up a knife fight in the streets in July 1934 Indian Police Medal, for Meritorious Service, G.V.R. (Abdul Gaffoor Khan. Const. Rangoon Police.), very fine I.P.M. Gazette of India 3 November 1934 (Burma): 'On the night of the 20th July 1934 Haw Khwet, a Chinaman, and one Mohamed Hussein came to blows in a street in Rangoon and Mohamed Hussein stabbed Haw Khwet eight times with a clasp knife. A crowd collected but no one dared to intervene as Mohamed Hussein was under the influence of liquor and kept brandishing his knife. On hearing a police whistle, Constable Abdul Gaffoor Khan who was on beat duty in the vicinity went to the spot and without hesitation closed with Mohamed Hussein and, after a struggle, succeeded in disarming him. The constable's action, which saved Haw Khwet's life, was an act of commendable gallantry.' Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£200 to £300

**Lot 751**

A 1947 I.P.M. awarded to Inspector of Police F. Crossly, United Provinces, for his gallantry during an attack on a Government official, which apparently left him scarred Indian Police Medal, for Meritorious Service, G.VI.R. (Frederick Crossly Insp. of Police, U.P.), official corrections to naming, good very fine, in case of issue I.P.M. Gazette of India 1 January 1947: 'Frederick Crossly Reserve Inspector (Retired) Aligarh United Provinces.' Apparently awarded to recognise his intervention in an attack on a Government official. In protecting the official, he suffered an injury to his cheek resulting in a permanent scar. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£200 to £300

**Lot 752**

(x) New Zealand Meritorious Service Medal, E.II.R., an unnamed specimen, good very fine Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£140 to £180

**Lot 753**



(x) New Zealand Meritorious Service Medal, G.V.I.R., an unnamed specimen, good very fine Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£120 to £160

**Lot 754**



(x) A very fine 'Palestine 1945' Colonial Police Forces M.S.M. group of five awarded to Acting Superintendent J. W. Covell, Palestine Police General Service 1918-62, 2 clasps, Palestine, Palestine 1945-48 (883 B. Conat. W. J. Covell. Pal. Police.), rivet missing between the clasps; Defence and War Medals 1939-45; General Service 1918-62, 1 clasp, Cyprus (A.S.P. W. J. Covell.); Colonial Police Forces Meritorious Service Medal, G.V.I.R. (William J. Covell. 1st Br. Sgt. Palestine Police), contact marks and edge bruise, very fine overall (5) C.P.M. for Meritorious Service London Gazette 14 June 1945. William John Covell joined the Palestine Police on 27 August 1938 and served initially as Constable with the number 883. Notably he largely served with the Prisons Section of the Force, he died at Bournemouth on 9 November 1973; sold together with copied research. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£300 to £400

**Lot 755**



The Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Military Division, Companion's (C.B.) neck Badge, silver-gilt and enamel, good very fine, in case of issue Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£400 to £600

**Lot 756**



The Royal Guelphic Order, Military Division, Knight Commander's (K.C.H.) breast Star, 77mm, silver, appliqué centre with gold and enamel, continental-style double-pronged retaining pin to the reverse, light wear, good very fine Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£1,200 to £1,600



**Lot 757**



**(x) The Royal Victorian Order, neck Badge, silver-gilt and enamel, the reverse officially numbered '1676', on neck riband as worn, nearly extremely fineSubject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.**

**Estimate  
£240 to £280**

**Lot 758**



**(x) Royal Victorian Medal, G.V.R., good very fine, in fitted case of issueSubject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.**

**Estimate  
£80 to £120**

**Lot 759**



**Royal Victorian Medal, G.V.R., silver, unnamed as issued, toning, otherwise about extremely fine, in slightly damaged case of issueSubject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.**

**Estimate  
£80 to £120**

**Lot 760**



**The Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, 1st Type, Dame Grand Cross, G.B.E. set of Ladies Insignia, comprising sash Badge, 98mm including crown suspension x 72mm, silver-gilt and enamel; breast Star, 82mm x 66mm, silver-gilt and enamel, very fine (2)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.**

**Estimate  
£1,000 to £1,400**

**Lot 761**



**The Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Military Division, Officer's (O.B.E.) breast Badge, 1st Type, silver-gilt, hallmarks for London 1919, very fineSubject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.**

**Estimate  
£100 to £140**

**Lot 762**



**(x) The Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, G.V.R., Civil Division, Officer's (O.B.E.) breast Badge, 2nd Type, silver-gilt, good very fine** Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

**Estimate**  
**£100 to £140**

**Lot 763**



**The Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Military Division, Member's (M.B.E.) breast Badge, hallmarked for London 1917, good very fine, in Garrard & Co case of issue** Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

**Estimate**  
**£100 to £140**

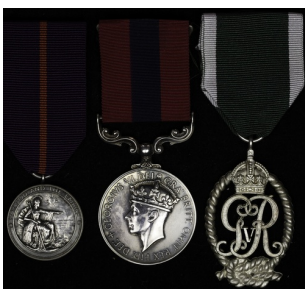
**Lot 764**



**The Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Military Division, Member's (M.B.E.) breast Badge, 1st Type, silver, hallmarked 1919, very fine** Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

**Estimate**  
**£100 to £140**

**Lot 765**



**(x) Medal of the Order of the British Empire, Military Division, unnamed as issued, very fine** Distinguished Conduct Medal, G.V.I.R., swivel suspension; Royal Reserve Decoration, both good tailor's copies, very fine (3) Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

**Estimate**  
**£160 to £200**

**Lot 766**



**The Order of the Companions of Honour, G.V.R., Member's (C.H.) neck Badge, silver-gilt and enamel, loop sometime repaired, enamel in crown touched up, nearly very fine, housed in a sometime refitted case** Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

**Estimate**  
**£1,400 to £1,800**

**Lot 767**



The Order of St. John of Jerusalem, Serving Brother's Badge, 40mm, silvered, mounted on pin for wear; together with Australia Silver Wound Badge, officially numbered 'A94791', very fine (2) Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£50 to £70

**Lot 768**

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**SPINK**  
WHERE HISTORY IS VALUED

(x) The Order of St. John of Jerusalem, Serving Sister's shoulder Badge, 3rd Type skeletal issue, silver, light contact marks, otherwise very fine Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£40 to £60

**Lot 769**



Royal Red Cross, 1st Class (R.R.C.), silver-gilt and enamel, extremely fine, in fitted case of issue Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£150 to £200

**Lot 770**



(x) Distinguished Service Cross, G.V.R., hallmarked for London 1918, good very fine, in Garrard & Co box of issue, this somewhat distressed Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£700 to £900

**Lot 771**



(x) Distinguished Flying Cross, G.VI.R., the reverse dated '1941', sometime lacquered, contact marks to reverse from previous mounting, overall very fine Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£600 to £800

**Lot 772**



The Kaiser-i-Hind and Second Award Bar attributed to Miss A. E. Parker Kaiser-I-Hind, G.V.R., 2nd class, 2nd Type, silver, with Second Award clasp, '1923', complete with brooch bar, good very fine, in H.M. Mint, Calcutta case of issue Attributed to Miss A. E. Parker, awarded the K- i- H, 1 June 1918, and clasp, 1 June 1923. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£240 to £280

**Lot 773**



The well-documented 1944 Kaiser-i-Hind in Bronze awarded to Matron E. Butchart, Ramsay Hospital, Naini Tal Kaiser-I-Hind, G.VI.R., 3rd class, bronze, with integral top riband bar, good very fine, in its case of issue Ethel Butchart was the long-served Matron of the Ramsay Hospital, Naini Tal, a Himalayan resort town in the Kumaon region. Sold together with various letters related to her investiture and award, besides 1935 Jubilee, letters and photographs of her services. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£180 to £220

**Lot 774**



Kaiser-I-Hind, G.V.R., 2nd Type, silver, with top bar brooch, toning, about extremely fine, cased Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£70 to £90



### Lot 775



(x) Imperial Service Medal, E.I.I.R. (Alfred George Lewis Crisp), mounted for wear, very fine and better. I.S.M. London Gazette 19 March 1971. Alfred George Lewis Crisp was born at Lewisham on 20 December 1905. In the 1939 Register he is recorded as a Range Warden living in Woking, Surrey; sold together with award letter from the Central Chancery. Crisp died in October 1989. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£30 to £50

### Lot 776



(x) Empress of India 1877, edge knock, very fine, with full original neck riband as worn. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£300 to £500

### Lot 777



Empress of India 1877, silver, traces of lacquer, good very fine. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£400 to £600

### Lot 778



Jubilee 1887, silver issue, clasp, 1897, very fine. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£100 to £140

**Lot 779**



(x) Jubilee 1887, silver issue, clasp, 1897, very fineSubject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£100 to £140

**Lot 780**



Jubilee 1897, silver issue, contact marks, about very fineSubject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£70 to £90

**Lot 781**



Jubilee 1897, bronze issue, very fineSubject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£60 to £80

**Lot 782**



(x) Jubilee 1897, St. John Ambulance Brigade (Private. A. Ford.), very fineSubject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£60 to £80

**Lot 783**



Coronation 1902, bronze issue, a couple of light contact marks, otherwise very fineA total of 6054 bronze medals were issued.Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£80 to £120

**Lot 784**



(x) Coronation 1902, bronze issue, light contact marks, otherwise very fineSubject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£70 to £100

**Lot 785**



Coronation 1902, Hong Kong issue, bronze, loop slightly bent, otherwise extremely fine, in card case of issue Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£140 to £180

**Lot 786**



(x) Coronation 1902, St John Ambulance Brigade (A. Corke. N. S.), court mounted for display, polished, otherwise very fineCoronation 1902, Metropolitan Police issue (P.C. C. Andrews. K. Div.), very fine (2)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£30 to £50

**Lot 787**



(x) Delhi Durbar 1903, silver suspension re-affixed; Delhi Durbar 1911 (2), silver, one numbered '1762' to the rim, very fine (3) Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£140 to £180

**Lot 788**



(x) Coronation 1911, Metropolitan Police (P.C., W. Rook.; P.C., A. Knibbs.), very fine (2) Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£50 to £70

**Lot 789**

(x) Coronation 1911, St. John Ambulance Brigade (Pte. C. H. Freeman.; Pte. W. Sabey.), very fine (2) Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£80 to £120

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**Lot 790**



(x) Delhi Durbar 1911, silver, light contact marks, otherwise good very fine Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£40 to £60



**Lot 791**



**(x) Delhi Durbar 1911, silver, very fine** Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

**Estimate**  
**£40 to £60**

**Lot 792**



**(x) Delhi Durbar 1911, silver, contact marks, very fine** Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

**Estimate**  
**£40 to £60**

**Lot 793**



**(x) Jubilee 1935; Coronation 1937; Coronation 1953, very fine or better (3)** Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

**Estimate**  
**£70 to £100**

**Lot 794**



**(x) Jubilee 1977, Canadian issue, extremely fine, in its box of issue** Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

**Estimate**  
**£50 to £70**

**Lot 795**



(x) Jubilee 2012, Canadian issue, extremely fine, in its box of issue, this slightly worn with writing inside lid Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£30 to £50

**Lot 796**



(x) Army L.S. & G.C., V.R. (1428. By. Sgt. Maj: J.J. Woolley, A. Bde. Rl. H. A.), light contact wear and some edge nicks, otherwise very fine Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£60 to £80

**Lot 797**



(x) Army L.S. & G.C., V.R. (2265 Sqdn. Sgt. Maj A. Austin 19th. P.W.O. Hsrs.), contact marks, very fine Alfred Austin served in Egypt with the 19th Hussars and is entitled to a Egypt and Sudan Medal with 3 clasps, besides a Khedive's Star; sold together with copied service papers. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£80 to £120

### Lot 798



The interesting L.S. & G.C. Medal awarded to Private J. Hallas, 6th Regiment of Foot (Royal Warwickshire Regiment), who qualified for the award despite being marked with a 'D' for desertion, his name appearing 13 times in the Regimental Defaulter's book, and being tried twice by Court Martial Army L.S. & G.C., V.R. (1890 Jas. Hallas. 1st Batt. 6th Foot), small letter reverse, very fine James Hallas was born in Leeds, Yorkshire in about 1821 and initially made his living there as a cloth dresser. When he was seventeen, Hallas attested with the 6th Regiment of Foot on 27 March 1841. He was to embark on a twenty-three-year career in the Army, nearly half of which was spent overseas: eleven years at the Cape of Good Hope and ten months in the East Indies. However, just one year into his service the young Hallas must have regretted his decision to join up as he deserted on 6 April 1842. He later rejoined on 10 December, whereupon he was tried by Court Martial and sentenced to three months' imprisonment and was marked with a 'D' for his desertion. Released on 10 March 1843, Hallas behaved himself for the next few years until again finding himself being tried by Court Martial early in 1846. This must have been a lesser offence than desertion, as he was sentenced only to serve ten days' imprisonment, which began on 2 February. Perhaps learning the error of his ways, Hallas's behaviour reformed itself and he was granted Good Conduct pay on no less than five occasions in October 1850, March 1853, April 1857, April 1860 and April 1863. His period of service which had been forfeited as a result of his desertion was also restored in 1857. Hallas received his L.S. & G.C. medal and a £5 gratuity on 28 May 1864. A year after receiving his medal, Hallas was discharged at his own request and with pension at Devonport on 22 May 1865. His discharge document notes his good conduct, but also makes mention of his desertion, two Court Martials, as well as the fact that Hallas appeared on thirteen occasions in the Regimental Defaulter's book. One imagines it was no easy feat to earn a medal for good conduct with such a record; sold together with copied research. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£70 to £90

### Lot 799



(x) Army L.S. & G.C., V.R. (2068 . Pte. L. Wright. 2-60th Foot), generally very fine Lionel Wright is entitled to the Afghanistan 1878-80 Medal without clasp, a note on the medal roll states he was invalided on 6 July 1880; sold together with copied research. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£40 to £60

### Lot 800



(x) Army L.S. & G.C., V.R. (915. C.Sergt. J. Ibbotson. 75th Foot), contact marks, good very fine John Ibbotson a gentleman's servant enlisted as a Private in the 75th Foot on 19 December 1857 serving in the East Indies, Gibraltar, China, Singapore and the Cape of Good Hope. He was promoted to Colour Sergeant on 1 December 1868 and discharged after 21 years' service on 24 December 1878; sold together with copied service papers. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£40 to £60

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### Lot 801



(x) Army L.S. & G.C., V.R. (1077 Pte P. O'Donnell, 88th Foot), impressed very fine Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£60 to £80

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### Lot 802



(x) Army L.S. & G.C., V.R. (524. Havildar Maj: Shaik Cassim. Ceylon Mauritius Bn R.A.), scarce, generally very fine Sahik Cassim was born in Ceylon and was 18 years old when he enlisted in the Asiatic Artillery Ceylon. He served in Ceylon from 25 November 1880 to 1 May 1904, Mauritius from 2 May 1904 to 10 April 1908. His L.S. & G.C. was awarded in 1899; sold together with copied service papers. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£180 to £220

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### Lot 803



(x) Army L.S. & G.C., E.VII.R. (27107 S.Sjt: C. Barnes. R.E.), contact marks, very fine Charles Barnes was born at Devonport in 1878 and enlisted into the Royal Engineers in November 1892. This medal is his only entitlement. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£50 to £70

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### Lot 804



Army L.S. & G.C., E.VII.R. (2240 C.Sjt. J. Spencer. Notts: & Derby: Regt), light contact marks, very fine John Spencer was born at Carrington, Nottingham, he originally served with the 4th Lincolnshire Regiment before joining the Derbyshire Regiment on 16 January 1888. He saw service in South Africa between 10 January 1900 - 8 May 1901 and returned Home on 9 May 1901. He was awarded his L.S. & G.C. in Army Orders 67 of April 1907 and remained at Home completing his service on 9 January 1910. Spencer died on 30 April 1953. He is further entitled to a Queen's South Africa 1899- 1902 medal with clasps Transvaal, Orange Free State and Cape Colony. Sold together with a copy photograph of him in later life wearing three medals, the middle one appears to be a Defence Medal but not confirmed. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£60 to £80

### Lot 805



Army L.S. & G.C., G.V.R. (5662056 Sjt. R. Clark. Som L.I.); Cadet Forces L.S. & G.C., G.VI.R. (Ty. Lieut. (SP). A. S. Edwards. R.N.V.R.), very fine (2) R. Clark was born on 5 April 1888 and served with the South Wales Borderers (28953) and is entitled to a British War and Victory Medal pair. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£80 to £120

### Lot 806



Army L.S. & G.C., G.V.R. (1042995 W.O.CL.II. R. W. Sayer. R.A.); G.VI.R. (5825800 S.Q.M. D. Hall. R. Sigs), the last with small official correction to the first two numbers, otherwise very fine (2) Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£70 to £100

**Lot 807**

The Army Long Service and Good Conduct Medal to Warrant Officer J. Hayden, Royal Artillery who was 'mentioned' in 1945 Army L.S. & G.C., G.V.I.R. (1070831 W.O.CL.2 J. Hayden. R.A.), light contact marks, very fine M.I.D. London Gazette 8 November 1945. John Hayden was born at Headley, Alton, Hampshire on 2 November 1908 and attested into the Royal Artillery at Winchester. He was 'Mentioned' for his war service in North West Europe and was discharged on 31 October 1952. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£80 to £100

**Lot 808**

Army L.S. & G.C., G.V.I.R. India suspension (S.Condr. E. A. Lane, R.I.A.S.C.), very fine Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£60 to £80

**Lot 809**

(x) Army L.S. & G.C., India, G.V.R. (S-Cond. J. W. King, I.A.O.C.), officially corrected, otherwise good fine or better Service Medal of the Order of St. John (Pte J. F. Poonegar (Parsi Amb. Div. No3 Dist India S.J.A.B.O. 1923), very fine (2) Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£80 to £120

**Lot 810**

Army L.S. & G.C., G.V.I.R., India, unnamed; Efficiency Medal, India (Pte. D. C. O. Jansen, B. N. Ry. Bn., A.F.I.); Volunteer Force Long Service Medal (India & the Colonies), G.V.R. (C.Q.M.Sjt. James Jayawardena, Ceylon L.I.), very fine (3) Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£100 to £140

**Lot 811**

Royal Navy L.S. & G.C., V.R. (Jas Cundey. Comd.. Boatn.. H.M. Coast Guard), named on an erased and re-used medal James Cundey was born as St.Mawes, Cornwall, on 13 March 1837, and joined Brunswick on 11 September 1856 as a Stoker, he then served aboard Nile from 13 April 1860 - 23 April 1864 before serving on St. George from 24 April 1864 - 22 August 1864. Cundey then served aboard Cambridge from 23 August 1864 - 28 January 1866 then to Topaze 29 January 1866 - 1 September 1869 before returning to Cambridge 2 September 1869 - 21 June 1870. Cundey joined the Coast Guard on 22 June 1870 reaching the rank of Chief Boatman and completed his service on 7 March 1879. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£60 to £80

**Lot 812**

Royal Navy L.S. & G.C., V.R. (Hy. Taylor Chf.Qr.Mr. H.M.S. Crocodile), very fine H.M.S. Crocodile was built for the transport of troops between the United Kingdom and the Indian sub-continent and was operated by the Royal Navy. She carried up to 1,200 troops and family on a passage of approximately 70 days. On 27 November 1867, she collided with the Canadian merchant ship John Dwyer in the English Channel 40 nautical miles (74 km) off Start Point, Devon. John Dwyer sank with the loss of four of her crew. Crocodile rescued the survivors. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£70 to £90

**Lot 813**

Royal Navy L.S. & G.C., G.V.R. (J.15775 J. P. Farrant, A.B. H.M.S. Queen Elizabeth.), mounted court style for display, light contact marks, very fine Provenance: Noonans, August 2021. Joseph Palmer Farrant was born on 24 May 1895 at Bermondsey, London and later joined the Royal Navy on 28 January 1912. He had continuous service during the First World War in a variety of ships, and was serving on H.M.S. Mindful at the Battle of Jutland. Farrant was awarded his L.S. & G.C. Medal on 1 February 1934 and was discharged on 10 May 1927; sold together with a copy of his service record. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£30 to £50



**Lot 814**

Royal Navy L.S. & G.C., G.V.R. (2) (209785. Garrett Mansfield, A.B. H.M.S. Warspite., L.12832 J. E. Philbrow. L. Sto. H.M.S. Dolphin.), light contact marks, very fine Garrett Mansfield was born at Courceys, Cork, Ireland on 14 March 1884 and joined the Royal Navy on 14 March 1902. At the outbreak of the Great War he was serving on Gibraltar until he served on Vivid I from 28 November 1914 - 31 March 1915 and then served on Warspite between 1 April 1915 - 1 February 1921. Mansfield completed his service with the Royal Navy on 22 March 1924 and joined the Royal Fleet Reserve on 8 November 1924. John Edward Philbrow was born at Havant, Hampshire on 16 July 1902 and was a labourer before he enlisted into the Royal Navy. He received his L.S. & G.C. medal in August 1935. He served on Glasgow at the outbreak of the Second World War before serving on La Cordeliere (Victory 2) which was a Torpedo Boat captured by the British at Portsmouth on 3 July 1940. Philbrow was to then serve on Nimrod on 1 May 1941 and was by now a Petty Officer Steward and was to see further service on Victory 3, Nile and Pembroke 3. He was released from the service on 18 October 1945. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£80 to £120

**Lot 815**

Royal Navy L.S. & G.C., G.V.I.R. (2) (MX.52091 R. D. H. Manges. C.P.O. Wtr. H.M.S. Duke of York, K.64480 A. W. Sellick. S.P.O. H.M.S. Neptune), light contact marks, very fine Royal Fleet Reserve L.S. & G.C., G.V.I.R. (2) (SSX.16250. J. L. Armstrong, A.B. Ch. B.28614 R.F.R., J.110548 (Dev.B.16615) W. Clarke. A/R.P.O. R.F.R.), contact marks, very fine Royal Naval Reserve L.S. & G.C., G.V.R. (D.1750. P. McDougal., Sea. R.N.R.), good very fine Royal Naval Reserve L.S. & G.C., G.V.I.R. (2) (7740 D. G. H. Fricker. P.O. R.N.R., 19845 A. A. H. Rogers. P.O. R.N.R.), contact marks, very fine Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£140 to £180



**Lot 816**

(x) Royal Navy L.S. & G.C., E.II.R. (KX.95209 C.J. Kendrick P. O. S. M. H.M.S. Ranpura.), contact marks and some edge wear, otherwise very fine H.M.S. Ranpura was originally a passenger and cargo ocean liner that was reacquisitioned for Royal Naval service in the Second World War, being converted into an Armed Merchant Cruiser in November 1939 and fitted with eight six-inch guns. She was assigned to escort duty in the Mediterranean after her conversion until being reassigned to the South Atlantic in February 1940. After serving for a time with the Halifax Escort Force, in March 1941 Ranpura joined a force tasked with transferring gold from Britain to Canada for safekeeping. She was sold to the Admiralty in 1943, converted to a repair ship, and served as a fleet depot ship during which time she took part in the Suez Crisis of 1956. Ranpura was finally broken up in 1961. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£20 to £30

**Lot 817**

Royal Air Force L.S. & G.C., G.V.R. (2) (W/O.2. M. Delaney. R.A.F., 213308. F/Sgt. W. P. Brewer. R.A.F.), light contact marks, very fine W. P. Brewer is confirmed as joining the Royal Air Force on 1 January 1918 as a Driver with the rank of A.M.2. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£120 to £180

**Lot 818**

Royal Air Force L.S. & G.C., G.V.R. (2) (343237. Sgt. H. J. Hunt. R.A.F., 349220. Sgt. W. Crosland. R.A.F.), light contact marks, very fine William Crosland was born at Headingley, Leeds, on 22 December 1895. He attested into the Royal Field Artillery (96121) on 1 September 1914 and entered the war in France on 11 May 1915. Crosland served with the Royal Army Medical Corps (144218) from 29 August 1918 - 26 January 1919. He briefly served as a Butcher for a firm based in Harrogate between March 1920 - July 1921 before joining the Royal Air Force on 16 August 1921 at R.A.F. Uxbridge enlisting as an A.C.II. He saw service with 'M' Squadron based at R.A.F. Iraq from 19 September 1924 before going to India on 1 January 1927, and then on to serve between Lahore and Karachi until 18 May 1929 (no squadron mentioned). Crosland had the trade of Cook and Butcher throughout his R.A.F. service, and reached the rank of Temporary Sergeant on 1 January 1928. He is further entitled to a 1914-15 Star Trio. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£120 to £180

**Lot 819**

Royal Air Force L.S. & G.C., G.V.R. (333422 F/Sgt. T. Hatcher R.A.F.), good very fine Royal Air Force L.S. & G.C., G.VI.R. (2) (512477 F.Sgt. E. G. Trist. R.A.F., 343496 F/Sgt. A. V. Knight. R.A.F.), light contact marks, very fine (3) Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£100 to £140

**Lot 820**

Royal Air Force L.S. & G.C., G.VI.R. (507313 F/Sgt. T. Grieve. R.A.F.), light contact marks, toned very fine Thomas Grieve was born at Londonderry, Northern Ireland, on 6 September 1898. He served with the Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers (19532) from 22 January 1915 - 26 April 1919. Grieve later served on the Army Reserve between 1 June 1923 - 31 May 1927 and enlisted into the Royal Air Force on 30 September 1927 serving as an Aircraft hand. He served at R.A.F. Cranwell between 8 February 1928 - 25 August 1928 when he joined No.502 Squadron. This squadron was a Special Reserve squadron based at R.A.F. Aldegrove, Northern Ireland in the heavy night bomber role flying Handley Page Hyderabad. He is further entitled to a British War and Victory Medal Pair. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£50 to £70

Lot 821



The L.S. & G.C. awarded to Flight Sergeant A. Cubitt, Royal Air Force, a survivor of the sinking to the R.M.S. Lancastria in 1940, later being 'mentioned' in 1943 Royal Air Force L.S. & G.C., G.V.I.R. (359177 F/Sgt. A. Cubitt. R.A.F.), good very fine M.I.D. London Gazette 2 June 1943. A. Cubitt was serving with 98 Squadron, R.A.F. during the Battle of France in 1940 where they were based at Nates. Notably whilst there Cubitt was listed as of the men thanked in the Daily Routine Orders by the Squadron Commander on 17 April 1940, this with the rank of Orderly Sergeant. As the country fell the Squadron including Cubitt were pulled back to Saint-Nazaire where they were ordered aboard the passenger ship Lancastria. Loss of the Lancastria Much has been written about the disaster that occurred off St. Nazaire on 17 June 1940, but by way of summary, the following extract is taken from Charles Hocking's Dictionary of Disasters at Sea: 'On 17 June 1940, the Cunard White Star Line's S.S. Lancastria, Captain J. Sharp, was lying off St. Nazaire taken on board British troops who were being evacuated from France. The embarkation began at 8 a.m. and continued until 4 p.m., by which time the liner was ready to weigh anchor. In addition to the soldiers there was a small party of about civilians, and their wives and children. As far as can be ascertained there were 5,310 persons on board, of whom 300 were crew. The first attack by aircraft came about 2 p.m., followed after a short interval by a second raid. In these attacks the Orient liner Oronsay was hit and damaged but still remained seaworthy. At about 4.30 p.m., in a third attack, the ship was struck by a salvo of bombs, one of which passed right through the dining saloon and burst in the engine room. The damage to the Lancastria was vital and she took a heavy list, and although the boats were got out with all possible speed it was evident from the outset that there was no hope of rescue for thousands of those on board. Only two lifeboats managed to get away, the others capsizing owing to difficulties with the falls or through being overloaded. Tugs and other small craft were quickly on the scene and picked up hundreds of men in the water. The Lancastria remained afloat for barely 30 minutes, turning gradually over to port so that those still on board were able to walk upon her side as she lay. After floating in this position for some time she capsized completely and went down by the head. Meanwhile the German airmen occupied themselves by firing from their machine-guns at the men in the water, and by firing incendiary bullets which set fire to the oil floating on the surface. Of those on board 2,477 were saved, including Captain Sharp, who was picked up some hours later, and most of the civilian passengers. There was also a small number of people who came ashore singly or in very small parties, some of whom were captured and interned by the Germans.' Cubitt was one of the former group managing not only to make it back to Britain but was appointed Flight Sergeant and later earned a 'mention' for his actions; sold together with copied research. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£160 to £200

**Lot 822**

Royal Air Force L.S. & G.C. (2) G.V.I.R. (335787 F/Sgt. H. J. Pearson. R.A.F., 347094. F/Sgt. S. L. Stapleton. R.A.F.), lightly toned, good very fine Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£80 to £120

**Lot 823**

Royal Air Force L.S. & G.C., (2) G.V.I.R. (411139. Sgt. J. Farrell. R.A.F., W/O. E. G. Harbert. R.A.F.), the first with some contact marks, otherwise very fine Joseph Farrell was born on 16 March 1908 and was previously a bricklayer before he enlisted into the East Yorkshire Regiment on 30 September 1938 (4340692) and saw service in Palestine with the 2nd East Yorkshire Regiment. He returned Home on 28 September 1938 and with the outbreak of the Second World War in September 1939 remained at Home until 21 December 1942 when he saw service in the Middle East. During this time Farrell was compulsorily transferred to the Royal Air Force on 29 July 1943. He is further entitled to a General Service 1918-62 with clasp Palestine. Eric George Harbert was born at Croydon, Surrey, on 22 December 1904 and originally served with the Royal Navy between 3 March 1920 - 23 March 1927 when he was invalided out. He enlisted into the Royal Air Force on 31 May 1927 (506052). He was based at Cranwell in 1937 and was involved in a car accident and as a result suffered a compound fracture to his left arm. Harbert was promoted to Warrant Officer on 1 November 1940. He died in April 1976. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£80 to £120

**Lot 824**

Royal Air Force L.S. & G.C., (3) G.V.I.R. (1326718 Cpl. J. Lakeland. R.A.F., 563362 F/Sgt. R. J. Pearson. R.A.F., 365907 F/Sgt. A. G. Newman. R.A.F.), the first two very fine, the last officially renamed contact marks, nearly very fine M.I.D. London Gazette 14 March 1941. Alfred George Newman was born at North End, Portsmouth, on 29 May 1909. He joined the Royal Air Force at Halton as an Aircraft Apprentice (Boy) on 20 January 1925 and was 'mentioned' during the Second World War. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£100 to £150



**Lot 825**



Royal Air Force L.S. & G.C., E.II.R. (X0592300 Sgt. C. F. H. Moore. R.A.F.; T2380500 Sgt. B. Burton. R.A.F.), light contact marks, very fine (2) Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£60 to £80

**Lot 826**



Royal Air Force L.S. & G.C., (3) E.II.R. (Flt. Lt. M. P. Higgins. R.A.F., 914373. Cpl. D. W. Hampson. R.A.F., 1526316 Cpl. H. O. Taylor. R.A.F.), very fine overall Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£120 to £180

**Lot 827**



Royal Air Force L.S. & G.C., (3) E.II.R. (1445209 F.Sgt. W. A. Perry. R.A.F., 1907944 Ch. Tech. D. F. Chester. R.A.F., 951971 Sgt. P. Ramsay. R.A.F.), some light contact marks to the first two, otherwise very fine Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£120 to £150

**Lot 828**



Royal Air Force L.S. & G.C., (3), E.II.R. (R4025912 Cpl. R. A. G. Guy. R.A.F., 784178 S.A.C. W. Tobolski. R.A.F., 992635 Cpl. H. Williams. R.A.F.), some light contact marks, very fine Waclaw Tobolski was born at Lekowo, Poland on 21 May 1914 and served as part of the Polish Air Force in Great Britain 1940-47 and is noted as being a Mechanic. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£120 to £150

**Lot 829**

(x) Indian Army L.S. & G.C., V.R. Kaisar-I-Hind issue (289 Sowar Ancitron 6th Bombay Cavy), light contact marks, otherwise very fine Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£100 to £140

**Lot 830**

Indian Army L.S. & G.C., G.V.R. (1538 L-Nk. Gulab Khan, 2-13 F.F.Rif.); another unnamed; G.V.I.R. (A6882 Nk Abdul Rehman, I S C), very fine (3) Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£150 to £200

**Lot 831**

Volunteer Decoration, V.R., named to the reverse 'Major J. J. Barnett. 1st Orkney V.A.', silver and silver-gilt, nearly extremely fine James J. Barnett appears upon the 1878 Army List as a Captain in the 1st Kirkwall Battery, Orkney Volunteer Artillery. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£200 to £300

**Lot 832**

Volunteer Force Long Service Medal, V.R. (20. Pte. E. Daw. 4th V.E. Hants Regt.), one minor edge knock, light contact marks Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£50 to £70

**Lot 833**



**(x) Volunteer Force Long Service (India & the Colonies), V.R. (Sergt. T.A. Kingsley Madras Vol. Gds.), very fine**  
**Sold together with copied research.**  
**Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.**

**Estimate**  
**£50 to £70**

**Lot 834**



**(x) Volunteer Force Long Service Medal (2), V.R., unnamed, court mounted for display, very fine (2)**  
**Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.**

**Estimate**  
**£40 to £60**

**Lot 835**



**(x) Volunteer Force Long Service Medal, E.VII.R. (1779 C. Sjt: R. Chalmers. 5/V.B. Rl. Hdrs), very fine**  
**Sold together with copied research.**  
**Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.**

**Estimate**  
**£40 to £60**

**Lot 836**



**(x) Volunteer Force Long Service Medal, E.VII.R. (2950 Serjt: W. Wren. 3rd. V.B. A. & S. Hdrs) , good very fine**  
**Sold together with copied research.**  
**Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.**

**Estimate**  
**£40 to £60**

**Lot 837**



**(x) Volunteer Force Long Service Medal, G.V.R. (3032 Gnr: A. Ward. 5th Lanc: R.G.A. Vols), very fine**Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

**Estimate**  
**£50 to £70**

**Lot 838**



**Volunteer Force Long Service Medal (India & the Colonies), G.V.R. (Pte. C. E. Radcliffe, 1 Bn. E.I. Ry. R. (A.F.I.)), officially impressed naming, good very fine**Awarded as per Indian Army Order 809 of December 1929; sold together with scarce forwarding letter.**Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.**

**Estimate**  
**£70 to £90**

**Lot 839**



**Volunteer Long Service Medal (India & the Colonies), G.V.R. (Voltr J. Whitehead 1st Pjb Voltr Rfls), engraved in flowing script, very fine**Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

**Estimate**  
**£60 to £80**



**Lot 840**

**Volunteer Force Long Service Medal (India & the Colonies), G.V.R. (Pte. K. M. Balfour, 16/Cawnpore Rfls. A.F.I.), officially impressed naming, mounted as worn, double-struck in places, good very fine** Keith Melville Balfour was born on 2 March 1875 at Edinburgh and sailed for Calcutta in November 1895. Balfour served as an Agent for the Allahabad Bank at various stations and joined several Masonic Lodges during his time in India, including the Kumaon Lodge, Morning Star Lodge, Rock of Gwalior Lodge and Lodge of Harmony. His Medal was awarded as per Indian Army Order 747 of September 1920 and he retired home to Ashburn Gardens, SW7. Married in 1927 to Rosalind Gard, they moved to Newton Abbot, Devon. Balfour was a member of the East India & United Service Club and died in June 1945. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

**Estimate  
£100 to £140**

**Lot 841**

**Volunteer Force Long Service Medal (India & the Colonies), G.V.R. (Pte. C. H. Dransfield, 3 Bn. E. I. Ry. R., A.F.I.), officially impressed naming, good very fine** Charles Halford Dransfield was born in late 1893 at Lucknow and joined the East Indian Railways in June 1911 as a shed apprentice, Allahabad. Recorded as an engine driver by 1922, he was awarded his Medal as per Indian Army Order 516 of September 1931. Married at Christ Church, Lucknow in December 1934, his son was baptised by the Railway Chaplain at St Peter's (Railwayman's) Church in October 1937. He returned to England in March 1949 and died in Leicester in 1959. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

**Estimate  
£100 to £140**

**Lot 842**

**(x) Volunteer Long Service Medal (India & the Colonies), G.V.R. (Volunteer A. J. Lilley. E. I. Ry. Voltr.. Rfls.), toned good very fine** Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

**Estimate  
£60 to £80**

**Lot 843**

Colonial Auxiliary Forces Long Service Medal, G.V.R. (Pte. Geo. Byron. Magee. 56th Grenville Regt. (L.R.)), very fineThe Grenville Regiment (Lisgar Rifles) was an infantry regiment of the Non-Permanent Active Militia of the Canadian Militia (now the Canadian Army) based in Grenville County, Ontario.Possibly George Bryon Magee who was born at Merrickville, Ontario on 16 July 1856 and who died at Toronto, Ontario on 19 December 1944.Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£60 to £80

**Lot 844**

Permanent Forces of the Empire L.S. & G.C., G.V.R. (Sgt. Instr. W. Glear. Perm. Force (Staff)), pawnbrokers mark in permanent ink to 10 o'clock, good very fineSubject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£100 to £140

**Lot 845**

South Africa Permanent Force L.S. & G.C., G.V.R. (Sgt J. H. Louw SAAF) engraved, lightly toned, good very fineSubject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£80 to £120

**Lot 846**

Indian Volunteer Forces Officers' Decoration, E.VII.R., with top riband bar (Lt. Col. W. U. Nicholas. Sind. Volr. Rifles.), riband bar adapted for mounting, good very fine, in a fitted caseDecoration awarded 14 May 1904.Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£180 to £220

**Lot 847**



**Indian Volunteer Forces Officers' Decoration, G.V.R. (Lieut. H. L. Cross. Poona. Vol. Rfls.), good very fine**Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

**Estimate**  
**£240 to £280**

**Lot 848**



**Indian Volunteer Forces Officers' Decoration, G.V.R., with top riband bar (Lt. G. D. Lawrie, B & N. W. Ry. Bn., A.F.I.), riband bar adapted for mounting, good very fine**George Dickson Lawrie was awarded his Decoration with the Bengal & North West Railway Battalion in January 1929. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

**Estimate**  
**£180 to £220**

**Lot 849**



**Colonial Auxiliary Forces Officers' Decoration, G.V.R., silver and silver-gilt, unnamed as issued, with integral top riband bar, nearly extremely fine**Territorial Decoration, G.V.R., hallmarks for London 1919, good very fine (2) Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

**Estimate**  
**£120 to £160**

**Lot 850**



**(x) Territorial Decoration, E.VII.R., silver and silver-gilt, hallmarks for London 1906, maker's mark 'SG', with integral top riband bar, good very fine**Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

**Estimate**  
**£70 to £90**

**Lot 851**



Efficiency Decoration, G.VI.R., Territorial, reverse dated 1943, with integral top riband bar, the pin removed, otherwise very fine  
Efficiency Decoration, G.VI.R., Territorial, reverse dated 1951, with integral top riband bar, good very fine  
Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£120 to £160

**Lot 852**

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(x) Efficiency Decoration, G.VI.R., Territorial, reverse dated '1949', with Second Award bar, silver and silver-gilt, court mounted for display, toned, very fine  
Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£60 to £80

**Lot 853**



(x) Efficiency Decoration, E.II.R., Territorial, undated reverse, silver and silver-gilt, court mounted for display, toned, very fine  
Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£50 to £70



**Lot 854**



(x) Efficiency Decoration, E.I.R., Australia, the reverse inscribed '410118 Lt. Col. D. R. Heinrich', nearly extremely fine Denis Reginald Heinrich was born at Gawler, South Australia on 12 October 1925 and worked as a welder on the South Australia Railways prior to enlisting in the Citizen Military Forces on 11 August 1948. Transferring to the Royal Australian Armoured Corps on 12 February 1949 he was commissioned Lieutenant with the 3/9th South Australian Mounted Rifles on 25 May 1951. Further promoted Captain on 11 January 1956 and Major on 19 November 1957 Heinrich joined the Central Command Officers and Staff Group in 1958. Advanced Lieutenant-Colonel in November 1961 and was awarded to Efficiency Decoration on 9 January 1964. He notably undertook a training visit in South Vietnam from 19 August-3 September 1968. Finally he was placed on the retired list on 12 October 1972. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£80 to £100

**Lot 855**



Efficiency Decoration, G.V.I.R. with Union of South Africa top riband bar, both pieces marked 'silver', good very fine Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£70 to £100

**Lot 856**

(x) Efficiency Decoration, G.V.I.R., marked 'Silver' on reverse, no riband bar, very fine Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£50 to £80

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**Lot 857**



Territorial Force Efficiency Medal, G.V.R. (265102 Pte J. Jones. 6/R.W.Fus.), very fine John Jones entered the Great War in the Balkans on 8 August 1915 serving as 870 with the Royal Welsh Fusiliers, he was to also serve as 339313 with the Royal Engineers. Jones was admitted to Hospital on 4 October 1918 as a result of suffering from Influenza. He is entitled to a 1914-15 Star Trio. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£30 to £50

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**Lot 858**



(x) Territorial Efficiency Medal, G.V.R. (881093 B. S. M. G. E. Jones R.F.A.), renamed, light contact wear, very fine Territorial Efficiency Medal, G.V.R. (728561 Tptr. C. H. Jones. R.F.A.), light contact wear, minor edge knock, very fine (2) Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£30 to £50

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**Lot 859**



Territorial Force Efficiency Medal, G.V.R. (925293 Gnr: A. G. Bauer. R.F.A.), official correction to last digit of Regiment, minor scratches, good very fine Arthur Geoge Cyril Bauer was born at in 1895 at St. Pancras, London, and worked as a clerk before attesting with the 1st London Brigade Royal Field Artillery at age 17 on 4 September 1912. Bauer served in France during the First World War, first disembarking there on 3 October 1915. He returned to England on furlough for two weeks in early August 1918, returning to France on 13 August and not leaving again until 6 March 1919. His service also entitled him to a 1914-15 Star as well as a British War and Victory medal pair. Bauer was later disembodied upon demobilisation on 1 April 1919 and finally discharged on 31 March 1920. After the war, he is recorded to have lived at 36 Agincourt Road, Hampstead, London; sold together with copied service record. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£20 to £30

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**Lot 860**

Efficiency Medal, Territorial, G.V.R. (6825887 Sjt. E. F. Goodard. H.A.C. (Inf.)) on H.A.C. riband, the third and fourth digits of the service number officially corrected, good very fine. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£40 to £60

**Lot 861**

Efficiency Medal, Territorial, G.V.R. (1396262 W.O.Cl. II W. T. Whaley. H.A.C. (Art.)) on H.A.C. riband, good very fine. William Thomas Whaley was born at St. Luke's, Cork on 24 July 1900 and attested on 7 March 1921 while working as a piano maker and living in Finsbury. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£40 to £60

**Lot 862**

Efficiency Medal, G.V.R., Territorial (4182578 Sjt. J. Griffiths. 4 - R.W.Fus), mounted as worn, lightly toned, very fine. John Griffiths was born at Chirk, Denbighshire and was a Collier by trade, he attested into the 4th (Denbighshire) Royal Welsh Fusiliers at Acrefair on 6 July 1921. He was discharged on 21 May 1940 going into the 7th Battalion Dorset Regiment. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£90 to £120

**Lot 863**

Territorial Efficiency Medal, G.V.R. (2000044 Pte. W. C. Robertson. 5-Cameronians.), very fine. Efficiency Medal, G.V.R., Militia (2554957 Cpl. A. Brayshaw. R. Signals.), very fine (2). William C. Robertson is further entitled to a British War and Victory Medal Pair. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£50 to £70



**Lot 864**

Territorial Force Efficiency Medal, G.V.R. (436048 Spr: A. L. Andrews. R.E.), edge wear, otherwise very fine Arthur Andrews first served overseas on 26 October 1914 and is entitled to a 1914 Star Trio. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£40 to £60

**Lot 865**

Efficiency Medal, G.V.R., Territorial (2210771 W.O.CL.II. W. Stolber. R.E.), light contact marks, very fine W. Stolber was born on 26 August 1897 and enlisted into the Territorial Army on 6 March 1924. He reached the rank of W.O.II on 12 March 1931, he became a Second Lieutenant in the Royal Engineers London Gazette 15 August 1941 (195441). He finished his service with the rank of Captain and is further entitled to the 1939-1945 Star, Defence Medal and War Medal 1939-45. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£40 to £60

**Lot 866**

(x) Efficiency Medal, G.V.R., Territorial (6134248 Sjt. J.T. Delaney. 7-Lond. R.), court mounted for display, good very fine John Thomas Delaney was born at Bethnal Green, London and worked as a carman prior to his attestation with the 26th Battalion Royal Fusiliers in London on 24 July 1919 when he was eighteen years of age. He served in the First World War and was discharged upon the termination of his period of engagement on 19 October 1921. However, Delaney must have found himself well-suited to the military as the following year he re-enlisted into the 7th Battalion London Regiment on 2 March 1922. His address given upon his discharge from the Royal Fusiliers was 32 Aske Street in Hoxton, London; sold together with copied research. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£20 to £30

**Lot 867**

Efficiency Medal, G.V.R., Territorial (6653712 Pte. E. S. L. Harris. 13-Lond.R.), light contact marks and edge wear, otherwise very fine Efficiency Medal awarded in A.O. 39 in 1936, further entitled to a Silver Jubilee 1935. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£30 to £50



**Lot 868**

Efficiency Medal, G.V.R., India, (Tpr. G. S. Gall, Assam V. L. H., A.F.I.), good very fine Assam Valley Light Horse, Auxiliary Force India. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£60 to £80

**Lot 869**

(x) Efficiency Medal, G.V.R. India (2) (Pte. R. Benjamin, Sind., A.F.I.; Pte. B. M. C. Briggs, 1 E.I.Ry., A.F.I.), very fine G.V.I.R. India (Cpl. J. Mendes, Bombay Contgt., A.F.I.), very fine Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£120 to £180

**Lot 870**

Efficiency Medal, G.V.R., Canada (C.S.M. (W.O. CL.2) F. Walton A & S.H. of C. (P.L.), light contact marks, very fine Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders of Canada (Princess Louise's). Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£40 to £60

**Lot 871**

The Efficiency Medal awarded to Fusilier H. Smith, 4th Battalion, Royal Welsh Fusiliers, who was wounded in action in 1945 Efficiency Medal, G.V.I.R., Territorial with Second Award Bar (4190565 Fsr. H. Smith. R.W.Fus.), light contact wear, very fine Harold Smith was born on 20 May 1913 and attested with the Royal Welsh Fusiliers on 22 April 1931. He was wounded in action in early 1945, likely late January, just prior to Operation Veritable; sold together with copied research. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£50 to £70

**Lot 872**

Efficiency Medal, G.V.I.R., Territorial (7601832. S.Sjt. J. L. Tingey. R.E.M.E.), light contact marks, otherwise very fine. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£40 to £60

**Lot 873**

An unusual Efficiency Medal awarded to Lieutenant A. G. H. Robins, Indian Army, late Private, London Scottish. Efficiency Medal, G.V.I.R., Territorial (Lt. A. G. H. Robins. Indian Army.), official correction to unit, good very fine. Allen George Henry Robins was born on 8 February 1911 at Carshalton, Surrey and by 1939 was a jewellery clerk living at Derek Avenue, Wallington, also served as a Private (No. 2880417) in the 1st Battalion, London Scottish. Commissioned into the Indian Army in December 1942, he was awarded his E.M. in January 1949 and died in 2000. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£40 to £60

**Lot 874**

An unusual double issue Efficiency Medal pair awarded to Corporal R. E. Lowthorpe, Sherwood Foresters, a long-served member of The Green Howards, with whom he was wounded in Normandy on 19 July 1944. Efficiency Medal, G.V.I.R., Territorial (4391510. Cpl. R. E. Lowthorpe. Foresters.); Efficiency Medal, G.V.I.R., Territorial (4391510. Cpl. R. E. Lowthorpe. Foresters.), good very fine and a rare pair, with envelope of issue (2). Robert Edward Lowthorpe was born on 24 August 1921 at Beverley, East Riding of Yorkshire and was a farm labourer at Walkergate by 1939, being a member of the 5th Battalion, The Green Howards. He sometime transferred to the 7th Battalion and would have landed on D-Day at around 0800hrs at Ver-Sur-Mer, being assisted by the tanks of the 4/7th Dragoon Guards and 86th Field Artillery. Lowthorpe was wounded in action on 19 July 1944, whilst the unit were around Orbois and the cross-roads at Le Lion Vert. He died in 'God's Own County' in May 2004. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£160 to £200

Lot 875



An emotive 'P.O.W. Escaper's' Territorial Force Efficiency Medal to Private G. W. Garside, Army Catering Corps, late Royal Artillery, who reached Switzerland from the Italian camp at Bergamo Efficiency Medal, G.VI.R., Territorial, 1st type (915194 Pte. G. W. Garside. A.C.C.), very fine George Walter Garside was born in Leeds in 1920. He joined the 121st (West Riding) Field Regiment, Royal Artillery in 1939. This unit fought in Iraq in 1941 before joining the Eighth Army for the North African campaign. In his secret debriefing report, Garside describes how he was captured at Mersa Matruh on 29 June 1942: 'Our Regt. was covering the withdrawal to El Alamein. After being in action for 3 days we were ordered to withdraw but found our way cut by the Germans. We destroyed our guns and attempted to join our forces with our small arms. We lagered for the night in Wadi but at dawn found ourselves surrounded by Germans in Tanks and Armoured cars against which the rifle is useless, and had to surrender.' Detained at Benghazi from 1 July to 5 November, Garside was then moved to Suani for transportation to Italy. He arrived at Camp 66 (Capua, Bay of Naples) on 30 November 1942, undertaking forced labour as a farm worker. He was transferred to Camp 70 (San Giorgio) on 11 February 1943 and Camp 62 (Bergamo) on 6 May 1943. Bergamo lies close to the Swiss border, and this was to be Garside's salvation. He escaped from Camp 62 on 10 September 1943. With the help of an Italian civilian named Ricardo Famiglia, who gave him clothes, food and a map, Garside crossed into Switzerland at Chiasso on 16 September. He transferred to the Army Catering Corps on 1 February 1945, and died in Leeds in 1986; sold with P.O.W. documentation. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£140 to £180

Lot 876



Efficiency Medal, Territorial, G.VI.R. (6337544. Pte. W. E. David. R.A.O.S.), good very fine Efficiency Medal, E.II.R., Territorial (22521479 L.Cpl. J. Crook. RE.), good very fine Efficiency Medal, Militia, G.VI.R. (2) (1982617 Spr. A. C. Fenn. R.E., 2326313 Sgt. A. H. Garbett. R.Sigs.), light pitting, very fine Efficiency Medal, New Zealand, G.VI.R. (236455 Cpl J F Johnson 2 NZEF), unusually named to the reverse, sold as viewed, good very fine Efficiency Medal, Southern Rhodesia (2970/7555 W/Lt.), partially erased naming, otherwise good very fine Efficiency Medal, G.VI.R. India (Sepoy Bikam Ram. 17-Dogra R., I.T.F.), very fine Efficiency Medal, G.VI.R., Falkland Islands, unnamed, good very fine Efficiency Medal, G.VI.R. Canada, erased naming, very fine Efficiency Medal, G.VI.R., Union of South Africa (Sgt P. A. Delaney I.L.R.), edge bruise and light contact marks, very fine Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£200 to £300



**Lot 877**

(x) Efficiency Medal, G.VI.R., Territorial (2089573. Cpl. C. Thompson. A.C.C.), court mounted for display, very fine Charles Thompson was born on 16 January 1910 and served with the A.C.C. during the Second World War, service which further entitled him to a 1939-45 Star, Africa Star, Italy Star, and Defence and War Medals. Thompson was discharged on 5 October 1945 and his Efficiency Medal was sent to him on 10 March 1949 at his home at 24 Glasstone Street, Beeston, Nottingham. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£20 to £30

**Lot 878**

(x) Efficiency Medal, E.II.R., Territorial (22627873 Gnr. T.W.F. Todd. RA.), court mounted for display, two minor edge bruises, otherwise very fine Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£20 to £30

**Lot 879**

Efficiency Medal, Territorial, E.II.R. (2), New Zealand, named to the reverse '977805 Sgt T W Smith RNZASC', an unusual but apparently official style; Canada, unnamed; Papua New Guinea Independence 1975, very fine, together with E.II.R. case of issue (4) Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£60 to £80

**Lot 880**

Army Emergency Reserve Efficiency Medal, E.II.R. (22192783 Sgt. R. I. J. Austin. RPC). Efficiency Medal, E.II.R., T. & A.V.R. suspension (23775811 L/Bdr. J. P. Herod RA.), good very fine (2) Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£50 to £70



**Lot 881**

(x) Special Reserve L.S. & G.C., G.V.R. (4304 Pte P. Hoban. 4/W.York: Regt) , very fine Patrick Hoban born at Leeds was a labourer when he enlisted in the 4th West Yorkshire Regiment as a Private on 1 May 1899. He embarked for South Africa with his Regiment seeing service in the Boer War and is entitled to a Q.S.A. with clasps Cape Colony & South Africa 1901. Discharged on 9 January 1902 he subsequently re-enlisted in the West Yorkshire Regiment on 27 June 1908. Although still serving in 1917 he doesn't appear to have been entitled to any Great War medals. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£300 to £500

**Lot 882**

Royal Naval Reserve L.S. & G.C., G.V.R. (2) (C.1531. E. Burgess. LG. Sea. R.N.R., 5303 D., P. Colvin. Smn R.N.R.), very fine Edward Burgess was born at Lowestoft, Suffolk on 24 January 1878 and enrolled into the Royal Naval Reserve on 23 January 1900, he was awarded his L.S. & G.C. on 25 January 1916. He was demobilized on 23 May 1916 to join the salvage ship Melita. Peter Colvin was born at Eyemouth, Berwickshire on 24 October 1896, he enlisted into the Royal Naval Reserve on 1 June 1915 and was presented his L.S. & G.C. on 29 December 1933. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£40 to £60

**Lot 883**

Royal Naval Reserve L.S. & G.C., G.V.R. (V.732 J. A. Cox. Sto. R.N.R.), mounted court style as worn, good very fine Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£30 to £50

**Lot 884**

Royal Naval Reserve L.S. & G.C., E.II.R., 3rd Type (RMV. 200680 G.F. Lynn. Sgt. R.M.F.V.R.), contact marks and one minor edge knock, very fine Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£20 to £30

**Lot 885**

Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve L.S. & G.C., G.V.R. (U. 1999. R. Curtin. Ldg. Sto. R.N.R.), on plain green riband, polished, contact marks, edge wear, about very fineSubject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£30 to £50

**Lot 886**

Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve L.S. & G.C., G.V.R. (9/2881. B. G. Palmer. Ldg. Sea. R.N.V.R. London Div.), light contact wear, very fineBernard Griffith Palmer attested with the Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve on 20 February 1913 whilst working as a clerk. Palmer first saw service aboard Centurion in August 1913, then taking a short break and returning to her in May 1914. On 2 August 1914, he was posted to Pembroke II where he stayed until 16 September.Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£30 to £50

**Lot 887**

Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve L.S. & G.C., G.VI.R. (TY. Lieut. L. H. Nixon. R.N.V.R.), about extremely fineSubject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£30 to £50

**Lot 888**

Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve L.S. & G.C., G.VI.R. (S/Lt. R. P. MacDonald SANF (V)), heavy contact mark to obverse, very fineSubject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£160 to £200

**Lot 889**

Royal Fleet Reserve L.S. & G.C., G.V.R., (2) (SS.21 (Dev. B.2294 P. Bennett. A.B. R.F.R., J18288 (Po. B, 15842) S. J. Daughtrey. L.S. R.F.R.), Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve L.S. & G.C., G.V.R. (2) (T.D./X. 25 J, Boyle. P.O. R.N.V.R., 214/916. R. G. Girhard. A.B. R.N.V.R. Bristol Div.), contact marks and light edge bruise, overall very fine (4) Stephen James Daughtrey was born at Southampton on 25 July 1895 and enlisted on 11 June 1912. He was serving with Neptune on the outbreak of the Great War and was aboard her when she rammed and sank SM U-29. Joining the Q-ship Begonia in November 1915 he remained with her until April 1916 before transferring to King George V. He spent the rest of the war with her and joined the Royal Fleet Reserve 25 July 1925. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£100 to £140

**Lot 890**

Royal Naval Reserve Decoration, silver and silver-gilt, hallmarks for London 1922, good very fine Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£80 to £120

**Lot 891**

(x) Royal Naval Reserve Decoration, G.V.I.R., reverse dated '1939', silver and silver-gilt, court mounted for display, very fine Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£80 to £120

**Lot 892**



Royal Naval Reserve Decoration, G.VI.R., silver and silver-gilt, reverse officially dated '1941, good very fineRoyal Naval Volunteer Reserve Decoration, G.VI.R., reverse officially dated '1944', good very fineSubject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£120 to £160

**Lot 893**



Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve Decoration, G.V.R., silver and silver-gilt, hallmarked for London 1922, good very fineSubject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£80 to £100

**Lot 894**



(x) Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve Decoration, G.V.R., silver and silver-gilt, court mounted for display, very fineSubject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£40 to £60



**Lot 895**

Air Efficiency Award, G.V.I.R. (Sqn Ldr. T. A. Carlile. A.A.F.), lightly toned, good very fine. M.I.D. London Gazette 27 December 1918. A.E.A. London Gazette 21 September 1944. Thomas Alexander Carlile was born on 17 January 1898 and entered the Great War in France in March 1917 and served with the Machine Gun Corps, 2/7th Rajputs and the 5th Battalion Northumberland Fusiliers and was entitled to a British War and Victory Medal pair with M.I.D. oak leaves. His medals were sent to Moorside, Ryton-On-Tyne. He was additionally entitled to a Territorial Decoration. He became a Flying Officer with the General Duties branch of the Royal Air Force on 26 August 1939. He died on 19 June 1981. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£100 to £150

**Lot 896**

Air Efficiency Award, G.V.I.R. (2689502 Cpl R. A. Wess. R.Aux.A.F.), nearly extremely fine. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£80 to £100

**Lot 897**

(x) Air Efficiency Award, G.V.I.R. (865668 L. A. C. T. T. Jones. A.A.F.), court mounted for display, very fine. A.E.A. London Gazette not confirmed. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£100 to £140

**Lot 898**

(x) Royal Observer Corps Medal, E.II.R. (Observer Officer A. J. Rawlings), light contact marks, very fine. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£180 to £220

**Lot 899**



Royal Observer Corps Medal, E.II.R. (Observer Officer. W. R. Newlove.), suspension re-soldered, light contact marks, very fineSubject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£80 to £120

**Lot 900**



(x) H.M. Coastguard L.S. & G.C., G.V.R. (James Blair), in its case of issue, good very fineSubject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£100 to £140

**Lot 901**



H.M. Coastguard L.S. & G.C., G.V.R. (George Thomson), very fineSubject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£100 to £140

**Lot 902**



(x) H.M. Coastguard L.S. & G.C., E.II.R., (Albert Longman), engraved to reverse, mounted for wear, good very fineSubject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£80 to £120

**Lot 903**



Special Constabulary Long Service, G.V.R. (2) (Wilfred Warren., Frank H. Halis), very fineImperial Service Medal, G.V.R. (2) (Henry Thomas Chubb., Herbert Michael Fleming.), very fineCoronation 1911, good very fineJubilee 1935 good very fine (6)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£80 to £100

### Lot 904



Jamaica Police Long Service Medal (Ex-Sgt A. T. Golding, J.C.F. 11.9.1973), mounted as worn, very fineSouth Africa, Police Faithful Service Medal (No 2546 (F) 1/C Const. F. Dare), very fineQueen's Sudan 1896-98, unnamed, light contact marks, very fineChina 1900, no clasp, naming erased, fineEast and Central Africa 1897-99, 1 clasp, Lubwa's, unnamed, very fineRoyal Niger Company Medal 1886-97, 1 clasp, Nigeria, bronze issue, later specimen, the word copy removed from the rim, very fineSold together with an unknown medal based upon the Military Cross, likely of private manufacture.Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£100 to £140

### Lot 905



National Fire Brigade's Union Long Service, silver, with clasps for Five Years (5) and Twenty Years (1) (O. Burnell.) engraved (408) impressed, toned, good very fineContained in original case of issue with covering slip named to Omer Burnell of the Southam Fire Brigade and dated 21 June 1909, it confirms both the number 408 and 1 Bar.Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£40 to £60

### Lot 906



(x) Royal Canadian Mounted Police Long Service Medal, E.II.R. (J. Fraser), good very fineSubject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£180 to £220

**Lot 907**

**Liverpool City Police Good Service Medal (Con: 120 "E" Bertram George Harry Hadaway. Presented by Watch Committee 4th June 1940), very fine** Bertram George Harry Hadaway joined the Liverpool City Police in 1920 and served during the General Strike of 1926 and the Liverpool Blitz. He is further understood to have served with 'F' Division - Birkenhead Docks. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

**Estimate  
£70 to £90**

**Lot 908**

**London Private Fire Brigades Association Long Service Medal, officially numbered '213', good very fine** Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

**Estimate  
£40 to £60**

**Lot 909**

**South Eastern & Chatham Railway Centre of the St. John Ambulance Association, Bronze Medal (Walter Sinden 1923), by Vaughton's, Birmingham, good very fine** Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

**Estimate  
£30 to £50**

**Lot 910**

**Victoria Cross (3) all copies. The Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Member's breast Badge (M.B.E.), First type (copy). Mercantile Marine Medal 1914-18 (Albert E. Dingain). Silver War Badge (B39177). War Medal 1939-45, in box of issue to Miss B. M. Milton-Dinnis. Coronation 1937. Special Constabulary L.S. & G.C., G.V.I.R. (Samuel Piper). Imperial Service Medal, G.V.I.R. (Charles Robert Chubb); E.I.I.R. (William Clarke). Jutland Medal. King's Badge. Arnhem 50th Anniversary Medal. South Africa, John Chard Medal, bronze, coat of arms reverse (13648), very fine overall (15) Frederick Percy Allston was awarded the Silver War Badge (B39177), he served with the Essex Regiment (30375) and enlisted on 20 November 1915 and was discharged on 29 October 1918. He is entitled to a British War and Victory Medal Pair. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.**

**Estimate  
£80 to £100**



Lot 911



(x) A Canadian Shooting Prize Medal bronze, shield shape, 40mm x 32mm, prone rifleman above a laurel wreath, with maple leaf branches in the three corners, the reverse plain (Presented by Major General Sir Eugene Fiset 1919) engraved, maker marked 'R' with lions either side, with loop at 12 o'clock extremely fine Major-General Sir Marie-Joseph-Eugène Fiset, KCMG, DSO, ED was born on 15 March 1874 at Rimouski, Quebec and was the son of Jean-Baptiste Romuald Fiset and Aimee Plamondon. He was educated at Rimouski College and received a Bachelor of Arts degree and M.D. from Laval University. He joined the 89th Temiscouata and Rimouski Battalion of Infantry at the age of 16. His military career continued during his studies, he was promoted to the rank of Lieutenant while a student. In 1899, he succeeded his father as surgeon to the 89th Battalion but, a few months later, joined the Second (Special Service) Battalion of The Royal Canadian Regiment with the rank of major and saw service in the South African War. For his service in the war, he was appointed a Companion of the Distinguished Service Order (DSO) in the October 1902 South African Honours list. With the end of his tour of duty in South Africa in 1900, Fiset interned at the Nose and Throat Hospital in London and L'Hôpital Saint-Antoine in Paris. After a year he returned to Rimouski before becoming an adjutant in the Royal Canadian Army Medical Corps. In 1902, he was part of the Canadian Coronation Contingent for King Edward VII's coronation and travelled to the United Kingdom as the Surgeon-Lieutenant of The Royal Canadian Regiment. In 1903, he was promoted to the rank of Colonel and became Director-General of the service. Fiset was promoted to the rank of Surgeon General (Major General) at the beginning of the Great War. He was knighted for his service in the war while the French government named him a Commander of the Legion of Honour. He retired in 1923 and began a political career sitting in the House of Commons of Canada as the Liberal MP for Rimouski from 1924 until 1939. He served as Deputy Minister of Militia and Defence. On December 30, 1939, Fiset became Lieutenant-Governor of Quebec. On two occasions during the war he opened the legislative assembly wearing his Major General's uniform in order to express support for the war effort. He remained in office until 1 October 1950 and died on 8 June 1951. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£30 to £50

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### Lot 912



(x) A Canadian Shooting Prize Medal for the Dominion Prize awarded to F. G. Marchand, who was later to be the 11th Premier of Quebec. Maltese Cross with 'D R A Canada' in respective limbs, the centre with a Queen's crown set within a wreath, the suspension with crossed percussion cap rifles and straight bar for a ribbon above, the reverse (Dominion Prize Lt Colonel F. G. Marchand 21st Battalion V.M 1868) engraved, small repair to suspension, otherwise very fine. Felix-Gabriel Marchand was born in Quebec, Canada in 1832. Following his education, he became a journalist and writer as well as a notary. In 1867 he entered politics and was elected to the Legislative Assembly of Quebec for the district of Saint-Jean and retained his seat until his death. From 1892 until 1897 he became Leader of the Opposition and replaced Edmund James Flynn as Quebec's Premier when the Conservative Party lost the May 1897 election, becoming the 11th Premier. During his tenure, he tried to establish a Ministry of Education post in his government but the proposal was defeated in the Quebec Legislative Council. He died in office at Quebec City, Quebec, Canada at the age of 68 and was succeeded by Simon-Napoleon. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£100 to £150

### Lot 913



(x) Best Shot of the Volunteers Medal, silver medal, 47mm diam., a rifleman facing outwards with palm trees and mountains behind, with legend 'Presented by the Government of India', the reverse with laurel wreath engraved 'Bombay 1890-91 L. Cl F. Fernandez 1st Batn B.B. & C.I. Ry Vol Score 69', with legend 'Best Shot of the Volunteers', fitted with an Indian Mutiny style suspension for wear, good very fine. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£80 to £120

### Lot 914



(x) 1st Volunteer Battalion Highland Light Infantry 19th Century silver prize medal 46mm x 42mm, hallmarked Chester 1890, of ornate Victorian style with crown, the centre engraved 'C. Coy Competition 1890 1st Prize won by Pte J. Davidson 1st V.B. H.L.I.'; reverse engraved 'Best Shot', lightly toned, good very fine. PROVENANCE: C. Tye, April 2011. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£70 to £100

**Lot 915**

(x) Pigeon Shooting Thurcaston leather prize medal, 54mm, black leather with gold embossed rim, the centre embossed in gold 'T. Littler. Pigeon Shooting Prize, Thurcaston Jan. 20. 1891.', with drill hole at 12 o'clock possibly for attaching a riband, very fine. Thurcaston is a small village north of Leicester. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£40 to £60

**Lot 916**

(x) The Public Schools Veterans Challenge Trophy silver, 57mm, by Elkington, London, hallmarked 1921, classical winged head over two crossed rifles and 'Pro Patria', with different schools in segments around the edge, The Public Schools Veterans Challenge Trophy below the head and Founders of the Trophy 16 IVLY 1878 within the inner circle; reverse with further outer segments with other schools and dates, the centre plain, good very fine. The lists of the schools on the medal are as follows: Clifton, Glenalmond, Dulwich, Whitgift, Charterhouse, Cheltenham, Derby, Eton, Winchester, Harrow, Marlborough, Rossall, Rugby. The reverse schools with dates as follows: Repton 1904, Eastbourne 1902, Highgate 1899, Wellington 1896, Malvern 1895, Haileybury 1895, Bradfield 1896, Felsted 1898, Berkhamsted 1901, Uppingham 1903. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£80 to £100

**Lot 917**

(x) 19th Century Shooting Medal silver, 38mm, obverse, kneeling rifleman holding aimed rifle facing left, with 'In Defence' below; reverse with laurel wreath with the centre engraved 'Won by A Perry August 5th 1878', fitted with military medal scroll suspension, light contact marks, very fine. PROVENANCE: C. Tye, April 2011. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£100 to £150

**Lot 918**

(x) A 19th Century Shooting Medal bronze, 30mm, engraved 'EIR VR' within wreath and surmounted by a Queen's crown; reverse engraved 'Best Shot of No. 2 Company 1872-73, the edge engraved 'T. Carter', fitted with loop and ring suspension, good very fine. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£70 to £90

### Lot 919



(x) Fifth Lincolnshire Volunteer Rifles white metal prize in the form of an ornate shield, 70mm x 68mm, engraved 'Fifth Lincolnshire Volunteer Rifles Stamford, presented by his Worshipful The Mayor Richard Bromhead Esq. to Private Edward Monck. Who in Five Rounds at 300 Yards and Five Rounds at 500 Yards obtained 14 Points at the Rifle Contest at Stamford on the 14th & 15th of October 1862. Number of Competitors 29.'; reverse plain, small loop fitted to the reverse, evidence of three fixings since removed on the reverse otherwise very fine PROVENANCE: C. Tye. February 2011. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£80 to £120

### Lot 920



(x) Ramsgate Rifle Club 1858 silver medal with stepped edges, 54mm, hallmarked London 1841 CRWS (Charles Rawlings & William Summers), obverse engraved 'PRIZE MEDAL. competed for BY 10 MEMBERS of the Ramsgate Rifle Club. 1858'; reverse engraved 'Presented to J. Wotton, by S. N. Rudge. Esq, very fine Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£140 to £180

### Lot 921



(x) Ramsgate Rifle Club 1857 silver medal, 37mm, hallmarked London 1857, engraved 'Ramsgate Rifle Club 1857. The Prize 200 Yards Range'; reverse engraved 'R. H. Wotton June 18, 1857.' within wreath, fitted with loop and ring suspension lightly toned, very fine Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£100 to £150

### Lot 922



(x) British Regimental Shooting Medal early to mid 19th Century manufacture, silver medal, 42mm, obverse with crossed pike and musket engraved 'Liberty Fraternity'; reverse engraved 'The best Shot wears this', fitted with scroll suspension of military medal pattern, very fine PROVENANCE: Stansfield Collection, Spink 1984. C. Tye, February 2011. Pictured in A-Z of Medals 9th Edition. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£100 to £150



**Lot 923**

(x) Loyal Britons 1809 silver medal, 38mm, hallmarked Chester 1807, obverse engraved within inner ring 'Loyal Britons Presented by Lieut. Rt. Simpson.', reverse engraved 'George Phelps Best Shot 4th Compy 21st May 1809', fitted with suspension loop and ring suspension, light contact marks, otherwise very fine Provenance: C. Manwaring, October 2012. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£140 to £180

**Lot 924**

(x) Duckinfield Independent Riflemen 1807 struck silver medal, 43mm, obverse features a soldier kneeling left and firing, 'Duckinfield Independent Riflemen' engraved, 'Embodied July XVII MDCCCIV' in exergue, reverse engraved within an oak wreath, 'To Troopr Hurst for firing the best at the Target March 2d 1807', with circumscription 'Presented by Captain Francis Duckinfield Astley', pierced for ring suspension, attempted erasure of 'Troopr Hurst', edge bruising, nearly very fine Provenance: D.N.W., 18 May 2016, Lot 992. Dukinfield is a town to the East of Manchester, close to Ashton-under Lyne. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£150 to £200

**Lot 925**

(x) First Volunteer Movement 1805 silver medal, 39mm, obverse engraved '2nd Regiment LV 5th Company'; reverse inscribed 'Lt. Cl. Hollinshead to RG Best Shot 17th Sept 1805', pierced at 12 o'clock and fitted with a small ring suspension, lightly toned, very fine PROVENANCE: Christie's, 10 November 1992, Lot 349 (part lot). Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£150 to £200

**Lot 926**

(x) B.C.J.S. Shooting Medal 1912 silver medal, hallmarked Birmingham 1912, by W J & D, 38mm, to the left three crossed service rifles, to the right a shield engraved 'B.C.J.S.' and '1912' below, a shooting target above, a branch of laurel leaves from 5 o'clock round to 10 o'clock anti-clockwise, with wreath of thistles, shamrocks and roses at the base; reverse a wreath of laurel leaves, with centre engraved 'BEST 10 TARGETS P. G. C. Lane.' light contact marks, very fine Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£40 to £60

**Lot 927**

(x) Society for the Defence of the Country Medal (1804), silver, 53mm, obverse, Volunteer rifleman standing firing right, undulating ground behind, six tents in the right middle distance, a thistle and rose in the foreground, legend above 'Best shot at ball practice'; reverse, crowned garter with usual motto, engraved around 'Prize Medal - Third Best Shot', and within the garter 'Shot for by the HC & SV Rifle Company', rim pierced at top for suspension but this lacking, very fine  
PROVENANCE:DNW, 5 April 2006, Lot 1261.Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£70 to £100

**Lot 928**

(x) Kinross Prize Medal 1886silver, 43mm, hallmarked Edinburgh 1885, Hamilton & Inches, obverse engraved '1st Prize, Victoria Competition Kinross July 1886'; reverse engraved 'Won By J. Beavan Huntsman to West Fife Hounds', with raised scroll edge, fitted with scroll and ring suspension very fine  
PROVENANCE:Timothy Millett, March 2010.Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£70 to £100

**Lot 929**

(x) The West of Scotland Challenge Trophysilver, 56mm x 43mm, classic shield shape with classical figures throughout, central horse and fighting scene, below lion in shield and scroll 'The West of Scotland Challenge Trophy'; reverse plain very fine  
PROVENANCE:Simmons Gallery, October 2005.Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£80 to £100

**Lot 930**

(x) South Fingal Cavalry Medal 1801, silver, 73mm x 53mm, obverse featuring a cavalryman in full uniform standing holding a rifle pointed towards target left, behind ten mounted cavalymen with swords drawn, reverse is engraved 'This Medal was the Reward presented to Lieut Hill for being the best Marksman of the South Fingal Cavalry March 17.th 1801', very fine  
Provenance:Del Parker, 25 April 2008.Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£200 to £300

### Lot 931



(x) Hollywood Rifle Club 1861 silver, 38mm, the obverse, engraved 'Hollywood Rifle Club. Prize Medal.' within two swags of flowers above and below, the reverse, engraved 'Awarded to J. T. Little, 6th June. 1861.' within wreath of laurel leaves, fitted with curved and straight bar suspension, very fine  
PROVENANCE: Paul Kelly, October 2003  
Hollywood is a small village in the west of County Wicklow, Ireland. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£100 to £140

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### Lot 932



(x) Ulster Volunteer Force Shooting Prize silver, 30mm x 28mm, hallmarked Birmingham 1914, shield shaped medal, obverse plain, engraved 'U.V.F. Ballytyrone H. Walker. 3rd Prize Shooting'; reverse plain, fitted with loop suspension, good very fine  
PROVENANCE: Acquired Milwaukee Show, June 1991.  
Ballytyrone is situated in County Armagh, Northern Ireland. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£40 to £60

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### Lot 933



(x) Loyal Flint Light Infantry 1805 Shooting Prize Medal, silver, 52mm, unmarked, obverse, an engraved castle and man of war with regimental title below 'Loyal Flint Light Infantry'; reverse, engraved 'Shooting Prize Medal Won by Thos. Williams at the Nov. Firings 1805', fitted with integral loop for suspension, good very fine  
PROVENANCE: DNW, 27 September 2016, Lot 192.  
Part of the collection of medals to Welsh Regiments formed by the Late Llewellyn Lord. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£120 to £180

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Lot 934



(x) Royal Sussex Regiment sports medal, engraved 'Middle Weight Competition 1931 Runner Up Pte. P. Crean', housed in a fitted frame, very fine. Patrick Crean was born in June 1910 at Mayfair, London, the son of Surgeon-Major T. J. Crean, V.C., D.S.O.. Having served in the Royal Sussex Regiment, he became a competitive fencer, before finding his true calling. That was to the stage, as recalled by The Playbill: 'The onetime competitive fencer began his career choreographing fights in 1932, when he was working in his native England as an actor in a stage production of The Legends of Don Juan. He made several suggestions on how a fight scene should be set out, and those suggestions were adopted. From that point on, he continued to work as an actor but more frequently was hired to stage fight scenes both on stage and in movies such as "The Master of Ballantree" and "The Sword of Sherwood Forest." He worked with actors such as Paul Scofield, Laurence Olivier, Trevor Howard, Alec Guinness, Douglas Fairbanks, Jr., and Errol Flynn, often acting as Flynn's stunt double in movies. Mr. Crean first came to the Ontario Stratford Festival in 1962 to be fight arranger for Macbeth, directed by Peter Coe. While Mr. Crean initially told friends he wasn't fond of Canada, after his second season at the Festival in 1963, he fell in love with Stratford and decided to make the Ontario city his home base, according to the festival obituary information. He worked as the Festival's fight director until 1983, when he arranged the fights for another Macbeth, directed by Des McAnuff. Among the dozens of Festival productions for which he arranged the fights and swordplay, his 1968 production of The Three Musketeers, directed by John Hirsch, received great acclaim for its stage action. Mr. Crean returned from retirement in 1988 to assist fight director Jean-Pierre Fournier for The Three Musketeers directed at the Festival Theatre by Richard Ouzounian. "Paddy changed the way fights were done in the theatre," said John Brogan, a fight director who worked extensively with Mr. Crean in his later career. "Paddy's rule was that the fight action had to come from the context of the play, and he also personalized it to suit the actor: he had a very safe approach, and his guidelines on how to handle swords ended up being adopted as the guidelines used around the world." Those guidelines were codified through the Society of British Fight Directors, for which Mr. Crean was a Fight Master. He was also Fight Master with Fight Directors Canada as well as an Honorary Member of The Society of American Fight Directors. Mr. Crean continued to work as an actor, sometimes taking on smaller roles within the shows for which he had done fight arranging and also performing his one-man show about Rudyard Kipling, The Sun Never Sets, at the Avon Theatre in Stratford in 1970. Crean had published his autobiography More Champagne, Darling in 1981. He died in Toronto, Canada in December 2003. For the dress miniatures worn by his father see lot: 1011 Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£30 to £50



**Lot 935**



Victoria Cross, an official Hancocks & Co., London replica, the reverse engraved 'Hancocks 486', in fitted leather case of issue, extremely fine. The Victoria Cross was instituted on 29 January 1856, with the first awards backdated to 1854, and in the first 150 years of its existence was awarded on 1,355 occasions (1,352 Crosses and 3 Second Award Bars). To mark the 150th anniversary of the award, the London jewellers Hancocks, who have manufactured every Victoria Cross ever awarded, issued a limited edition replica, the replicas all individually numbered on the reverse, with the edition limited to 1,352 replica crosses. Sold together with its correctly numbered certificate of authenticity. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£400 to £500

**Lot 936**



Cadet Forces Medal, G.VI.R., with Second Award Bar, an unnamed specimen, good very fine. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£30 to £50

Lot 937



(x) Francis Fowkes Memorial Medal, School of Military Engineering, silver (152g), by J. W. Benson, rim engraved (2nd Lieut. C. M. Browne, R.E. 1899.), obverse with high relief bust of Francis Fowkes in uniform, reverse with text 'Memorial medal established by the Officers of Royal Engineers as an architectural prize in the corps.', surrounded by stylised laurel wreath, 58mm diameter, 7mm thick, in its red leather J. W. Benson, Ltd. watchmaker to H. M. the late Queen, 82 & 64. Ludgate Hill London E.G. case of issue, some edge bruising, otherwise good very fine Provenance: Noonan's, December 2006. [C.M.G.] London Gazette 2 January 1918. [D.S.O.] London Gazette 3 July 1903. M.I.D. London Gazette 22 June 1915, 1 January 1916, 15 May 1917, 11 December 1917, 3 February 1920. [Legion of Honour] London Gazette 24 February 1916. Charles Michael Browne was born on 26 November 1878 and attended the Royal Military Academy, from which he joined the Royal Engineers as a 2nd Lieutenant on 23 December 1897. He then studied at the School of Military Engineering, being awarded the Fowkes' Medal in 1899. Browne was advanced Lieutenant the next year and posted to India where he served in Waziristan campaign 1901-02 in the 5th Field Company, 2nd Division. November 1902 saw Browne take an important role in the capture of the Gumatti Fort during the operations against the Darwash Khels, for which he was awarded a D.S.O. in July 1903. He was later promoted Captain and then Major. Browne entered the Great War as an Adjutant, disembarking at France on 20 January 1915. During the war he was mentioned in despatches no less than four times, and for his distinguished service during the campaign was made a Chevalier of the French Legion of Honour in 1916 and a Companion of the Order of St. Michael and St. George in 1918. After the end of the Great War, then Lieutenant-Colonel Browne served in the Russian Relief Force in southern Russia. For his work in Russia he was again mentioned in despatches. Browne at some stage returned to India, where he worked as Director Survey of India and his medals were sent to the Surveyor General of India at Wood Street in Calcutta. He later died at Madras on 30 August 1929. Browne is further entitled to a 3rd Class Order of St. Michael and St. George; Companion's Distinguished Service Order; India General Service Medal 1895-1908, clasp Waziristan 1901-02; 1914-15 Star trio with M.I.D. oak leaves; France, 5th Class Legion of Honour, and possibly Russia, 2nd Class Order of St. Anne. Sold together with copied research. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£160 to £200

**Lot 938**

(x) The Monarchist League (2), by Toye, Kenning & Spencer, breast Badge and ladies shoulder Badge, both silver and enamel, hallmarks for London 1977, good very fine, cased (2) Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£40 to £60

**Lot 939**

(x) International Order of Allied Mothers in Sacrifice, bronze medal, named on the reverse to 'Winnifred C. Creighton', additionally inscribed on the obverse 'Stanley J. Creighton', by Wellings, Toronto, mounted as worn, good very fine Stanley John Creighton was born in London, Ontario on 7 May 1892. Upon his enlistment at Montreal on 12 April 1915, Creighton was a well-regarded engineering student at Queen's University in Kingston. He had also been a Cadet Musketry instructor. Before enrolling as a student at Kingston, Creighton had a career as a teacher at St. Jean Baptiste School in Ottawa and was the principal of Prince Edward School, St. Catharine's, Ontario. After enlistment, Creighton joined the 38th Battalion C.E.F. and Princess Patricia's Canadian Light Infantry with regimental number 411129. He was quickly embarked to France in July, where he served reportedly served on the front-line trenches for most of his time overseas. Creighton's medial records also show that he suffered from myopia (near-sightedness) for which he was admitted to the field ambulance on multiple occasions. Creighton was just 23 years old when he was killed in action during the Battle of Ypres at some point between 2-4 June 1916. His mother Winnifred, with whom he had been living before his enlistment at 435 Oxford Street in Ontario, was notified of his death. Creighton is commemorated on the Menin Gate Memorial and Winnifred received this International Order of Allied Mothers in Sacrifice medal for his death. Her son would have been entitled to a 1914-15 Star trio; sold together with copied research. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£80 to £120

**Lot 940**

(x) Royal Antediluvian Order of Buffaloes Medal, by J. Davis, Woodbridge St., London, reverse engraved 'Presented by The Shakespeare Lodge No 35. To Primn. T.D. McArthur.', 'July. 15. 1906.', silver and enamel, hallmarks for London 1906, some enamel loss and chipping to crown, otherwise very fine, in case of issue Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£30 to £50

**Lot 941**

A trio of commemorative medals: Royal Visit of Queen Elizabeth II and Prince Philip to Nigeria 1956, by Royal Mint, bronze, in its Royal Mint case of issue; Governor General of Canada Academic Medal 1893, bronze; Sind Independent Brigade Area Rifle Meeting Medal, obverse impressed '1876', reverse engraved '9 Platoon Runners Up In The Superiority of Fire Match', the last with contact marks, otherwise very fine overall (3) Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£20 to £30

**Lot 942**

(x) Order of the League of Mercy, breast Badge, silver-gilt and enamel, slight enamel damage, otherwise very fine Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£40 to £60

**Lot 943**

Northern China Masonic Miniature Medal, by Spencer, London, silver gilt and enamel, maker stamped to reverse with hallmarks for Birmingham 1923, on buckle pin for wear, of very good quality, some toning, otherwise good very fine Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£20 to £30

**Lot 944**

(x) New Zealand Commemorative Medal 1990, silver-gilt, in fitted case of issue with spare riband for wear by a lady, extremely fine Awarded during the sesquicentennial year (1990) to recognise achievements of New Zealanders in community service and the public services or their contribution to the country. 3632 were issued unnamed. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£140 to £180



**Lot 945**

(x) Miscellaneous Medals: Corps of Commissionaire's Medal, blackened metal variety; South Africa Prisons Department Faithful Service Medal (No. 2230 Wdr. D. G. Leeuiv); copy South African Scout Medal; On Service lapel badge (15537); a post-1902 Black Watch cap Badge, the second with loose suspension and official correction, otherwise very fine (5)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£40 to £60

**Lot 946**

(x) Assorted Unofficial Coronation Medals Coronation 1911. Guildhall Coronation Reception June 1911, silver-gilt and enamel (MYB 309A). Isle of Man Silver Jubilee 1935. Isle of Man Coronation 1937. Isle of Man Coronation 1953. Edward VIII Coronation medals (3) different varieties, one named (H. J. S. Richards R.N.), generally very fine (8)The reception held at the Guildhall in London was attended by the Royal Family and a number of the Heads of State. The medal could be worn as a lapel badge or as a conventional medal.Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£200 to £240

**Lot 947**

(x) Renamed and Defective MedalsGhuznee 1839, copy. India General Service 1854-95, bronze issue (143 Syce Shaik Latiff Transpt Dep. Mad.), complete with suspension but missing clasp and riband roller, East and Central Africa 1897-99, disc, an unnamed example, King's South Africa 1901-02, 2 clasps, South Africa 1901, South Africa 1902 (4284. Pte. P. Howard 1st Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers.) renamed, General Service 1918-62, 1 clasp, Malaya, erased, sold together with minor copies, miniature medals, Temperance medal etc, varied state overall (Lot)Sold not subject to return.Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£100 to £150

**Lot 948**

Case of issue for a C.B. (Military), by R. & S. Garrard & Co., London; case of issue for a K.C.M.G. breast Star, by R. & S. Garrard & Co., London, very fine (2)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£30 to £50

**Lot 949**

(x) A collection of assorted badges to include a Wiltshire Regiment blue cloth helmet plate, 74th (Highland) Regiment cap badge in white metal, Glengarry badges, Queen's Royal Irish Hussars pouch badge, virtually all copies, generally good fine or better (67) Sold not subject to return. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£200 to £300

**Lot 950**

A trio of WWI Service badges, together with New Zealand and South Africa badges: United Kingdom, On War Service 1915 badge, marked D. G. Collins, Newcastle St., London, numbered '43640', further marked 'warranted fire gilt'; On War Service 1916 badge, marked J. R. Gaunt & Son Ltd., London, reverse numbered '48327'; War Muniton Volunteer badge, marked 'J. R. Gaunt & Son Ltd., London', numbered '29693', further marked 'warranted fire gilt', overall very fine (3) New Zealand, 'New Zealand Onward' badge, tortoiseshell and silver, hallmarks for London 1916, also marked 'Ten' and 'Brs'; South Africa, ZAR (South African Republic Police) helmet badge, brass, both very fine (5) Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£30 to £60

**Lot 951**

Cap badges: a collection of mostly Victorian, all pre-1952, cap badges of the 4th Madras Pioneers, The Queen's Own Corps of Guides Cavalry Regiment, 7th Duke of Connaught's Own Rajputs Regiment of Bengal Infantry, and a Light Infantry Regiment, brass and gilded metal, Madras badge has broken reverse fitting, otherwise overall very fine and better, Victorian badges are very scarce (4) Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£50 to £70

**Lot 952**

Royal Air Force Squadron Badges a collection of 25 uniface badges of Squadrons of the Royal Air Force, in silver-gilt and enamel, each one 5.2cm x 3.6cm, with detailed design of the relevant Squadron, surmounted by a King's Crown, hallmarked for London 1982 extremely fine (25) Squadrons include 1, 19, 23, 601, 602 and 603. Sold together with copied booklet produced by Dr John Tanner, Royal Air Force Museum, 1981. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£200 to £300

**Lot 953**



Royal Air Force cloth 'Wings'; Parachute cloth 'Wings'; 'COMMANDO' shoulder title; Combined Operations cloth badge, all good period examples, with two other cloth badges (5)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£60 to £80

**Lot 954**



A fine pair of Northumberland Fusilier shoulder titles, by J. R. Gaunt, London, good very fine (2)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£20 to £30

**Lot 955**



A T Y Pembroke (Castlemartin) Yeomanry, one piece brass shoulder title, fitted with three lugs to reverse, very fineSubject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£75 to £95

**Lot 956**



A large assortment of British and Continental Cap Badges and Insignia include British Cavalry, Infantry and Corps Badges, some housed in frames for display, a large quantity loose. Together with some French insignia to include French Foreign legion insignia and some Australian badges, combination of genuine and reproduction issues, very fine overall (Lot)Sold not subject to return.Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£300 to £400

**Lot 957**



Badges and Miscellaneous an assortment of minor badges, insignia etc, together with minor Soviet medals etc, some copies varied state (Lot)Sold as viewed not subject to return.Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£100 to £150

**Lot 958**

An assortment of European badges, to include Bulgaria Police cap badge, enamel; a French plate badge stamped '5? Escadron', excavated in Russia and likely Napoleonic; Imperial Germany lapel badge, reverse engraved 'Fort Napier 1914-17 P.M.'; Norway cap badge; Imperial Russia belt buckle, excavated badge is extremely delicate but otherwise overall very fine (5)Fort Napier was a military fort in Pietermaritzburg, South Africa which had been abandoned by the First World War, during which time it was used to house German prisoners of war. The engraved German badge therefore likely holds a unique story. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£30 to £50

**Lot 959**

Australia: A collection of buttons, mostly belonging to N. S. Wales Railway, Queensland Railway, South Australian Railways and Western Australian Government Railways, reverse of each button stamped with maker, a variety of manufacturers, with a single lug each to the reverse each, overall very fine (Lot) Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£20 to £30

**Lot 960**

Canada: an assortment of map badges, Victorian and pre-1952, brass and gilded metal, one marked Kemsley, Montreal to the reverse, each fitted with two lugs, overall very fine and better, some very scarce (5) Comprising badges of the 25th (Canada) Colchester & Hants Regiment, Canada Governor General's Body Guard, 16th/22nd Saskatchewan Horse, 2nd Queen's Own Rifles of Canada, and the 48th Highlanders of Canada Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£50 to £70

**Lot 961**

Canada, a plate badge of the 43rd Duke of Cornwall's Own Rifles, circa 1907, brass, reverse marked J. R. Gaunt & Son Ltd., London and fitted with two lugs, very fine Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£20 to £30



**Lot 962**

Canada: a trio of cap badges, pre-1952, white metal, gilded metal, one marked J. R. Gaunt, Montreal, each fitted with two lugs to the reverse, very fine, scarce (3) Comprising two badges of the 102nd (Canadian Militia) Rocky Mountain Rangers, and one badge of the 48th Highlanders of Canada. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£40 to £60

**Lot 963**

Canada: a collection of cap badges, all pre-1952, two marked J. R. Gaunt & Sons Ltd., London to the reverse, one marked Tiptaft B'Ham, each with two lugs to the reverse, one with a broken lug, otherwise very fine (5) Comprising badges of the 11th British Columbia Canadian Garrison Regiment, 18th Western Ontario Regiment, 19th Lincoln Regiment, 29th Waterloo Regiment, and the 138th Edmonton Overseas Battalion. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£30 to £50

**Lot 964**

Canada: a collection of cap badges, all pre-1952, brass, one marked Birks to the reverse, one marked G & S Co., 112 Regent St. W., one with pin to reverse and the rest with two lugs each, overall very fine, some scarce (4) Comprising badges of the Prince Edward Island Light Horse, 104th Canada Overseas Battalion, 107th Winnipeg Overseas Battalion, and the 150th Carabiniers Mont-Royal Overseas Battalion. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£40 to £60

**Lot 965**

Canada: a trio of badges, comprising Officers cap badge of the 6th Canadian Light Horse, by Hicks & Sons, London, with two lugs to the reverse, scarce; a pair of Canada Post Office cap badges, one numbered '13' and the other '34', each with two lugs to the reverse, overall very fine (3) Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£30 to £50

**Lot 966**



(x) Montreal Police a gilt metal cap badge, 7.8cm x 7.7cm, rose, shamrock, beaver & thistle in between cross, all within belt with legend 'Concordia Salus' and 'Montreal Police' below, all set within a wreath of maple leaves with seated beaver above, good very fine. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£30 to £50

**Lot 967**



Hong Kong Police belt buckle, some light scratches, very fine. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£20 to £30

**Lot 968**



Badges: a trio from India and Pakistan, including a 1843 Scinde Camel Corps waist belt plate, brass; Rangoon Volunteer Rifle Corps head dress badge, silvered; and a Pakistan Regiment cap badge, white metal, each with two lugs to the reverse, overall very fine (3). Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£30 to £50

**Lot 969**



United States of America: a collection of Badges comprising War Service Ship Building cap badge, reverse numbered '128376'; Army Nurse Corps lapel badge; Provost Guard 3 Fort Wm. McKinley badge; Chief Master of Arms U.S.S. Mount Olympus badge, by F. G. Clover Co., New York, New York; and a pair of Public Health Service lapel badges, very fine overall (6). Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£30 to £50

**Lot 970**



Pakistan: A collection of unidentified Pakistan military or police buttons in a large and small size, reverse of each stamped Firmin, London and fitted with a single lug, of very good quality very fine overall (Lot). Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£20 to £30

**Lot 971**



**Royal Army Chaplain's Stole Badge (2), both post-1952, white metal, gilt metal and enamel, 68mm x 44mm, by Firmin; 30mm x 21mm, good very fine (2)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.**

**Estimate  
£80 to £120**

**Lot 972**



**Queen Alexandra's Imperial Military Nursing Service Reserve 1916 Badge, silver, reverse marked Carrington & Co., London with hallmarks for Birmingham 1916, very fineSubject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.**

**Estimate  
£60 to £80**

**Lot 973**



**Queen Alexandra's Imperial Military Nursing Service bronze Badge, good very fine, housed in leather caseSubject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.**

**Estimate  
£40 to £60**

**Lot 974**



**Queen Alexandra's Imperial Military Nursing Service Reserve cape Badge, by Carrington & Co., London, silver, hallmarks for Birmingham 1915, mounted as worn, very fineSubject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.**

**Estimate  
£20 to £30**

Lot 975



(x) An Honourable East India Company Officer's Gorget, central engraving of the Company's coat of arms and Latin motto 'Auspicio Regis et Senatus Angliae' (By command of the King and Parliament of England), gilt, lacking original leather backing, otherwise good very fineSubject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£120 to £180

Lot 976



The service tunic, trousers and belt worn by Captain K.F.C. Warburton, 24th Mountain Regiment, Indian Artillery, very fineFor his medals and a biography please see Lot: 570Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£80 to £120

Lot 977

**IMAGE  
PENDING**

**SPINK**  
WHERE HISTORY IS VALUED

A Second World War Royal Air Force Officer's uniform, comprising No.1 tunic, fitted with four pockets, rank on the sleeves for a Flying Officer and with Wings for a Parachute Jump Instructor, with tailor's label for Bailey & Weatherill of 89 Regent Street, London, named M. Todhunter. and dated for 11 August 1945, with trousers with similar labelSubject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£80 to £120

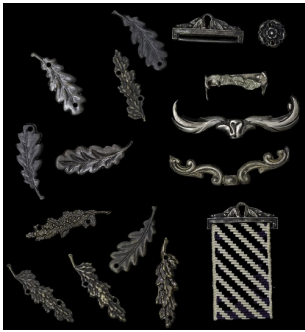
Lot 978



Imperial Germany a leather pickelhaube with field grey fittings. All of the fittings virtually match in colour and patination. The skull with some crazing and minor distortion to the rear peak. Both the front and back peaks securely attached to the main body. The helmet is with its original chinstrap, national and state cockades. The interior with 9 tongued liner in mid tan all intact. The inside of the crown retains much original light tan finish good overall conditionSubject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£200 to £300



**Lot 979**

**Medal Fittings and Sparesan assortment comprising: Crimea 1854-56 suspension; Rosette for 1914 Star as worn on uniform worn riband; Great War M.I.D. oak leaves for uniform worn riband (5); Second World War M.I.D. oak leaf ; Second World War M.I.D. oak leaf for uniform worn riband; A Sebastopol clasp for a miniature medal; Suspensions for miniature Distinguished Flying Cross (2), together with the remains of suspension, the last A/F otherwise very fine overall (17)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.**

**Estimate  
£50 to £80**

**Lot 980**

**Mentioned in Despatches Oak Leaves, a lot comprising of two Great War period genuine issues, together with modern copies (7), very fine or better (9)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.**

**Estimate  
£50 to £70**

**Lot 981**

**Commonwealth Naval Reward Medal electrotypes (2), copper, 41mm including loop x 31mm, electroypes of obverse and reverse faces of the Medal, very fine (2)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.**

**Estimate  
£160 to £200**

Lot 982



(x) Royal Life Saving, a uniface electrotpe, with lead filling (Mr Oliver Sarony, Voted 7 Novr. 1861) engraved, good fine, possibly better'In a very violent gale from the northward, the schooner Copeland of Shields, bore up for Scarborough for shelter, and failing to make the harbour, was driven on to the rocks immediately behind the Spa Saloon Wall, where she broke up. Her dangerous position having previously been seen, the Life Boat was manned and proceeded to her assistance, but in consequence of the heavy sea running, was unable to make headway, and becoming unmanageable, drifted to leeward, and was dashed against the Spa Wall and completely destroyed. 2 of her crew, John Burton and Thomas Brewster, were washed out of her and drowned; the remainder succeeded in leaping ashore when she beat a second time against the wall. Lord C. Beauclerk, Mr Tindall, and Mr Iles, in gallantly attempting to rescue the crew of the Life Boat perished. Messrs. Sarony, Rutter, Hick, Chiesa, and others, also made most gallant efforts to save life, and in doing so incurred very considerable risk' (Ref. Board of Trade records).In Lifeboat Gallantry, the South Shields schooner is named the Coupland, carrying granite from Aberdeen. The R.N.L.I. self-righting life boat is named the Amelia. Sarony and Rutter are recorded as having got a line around Lord Beauclerk in an effort to pull him out of the water.Oliver Sarony, a Photographic Artist, was awarded the Board of Trade Medal for Gallantry in Silver and the R.N.L.I. Medal in Silver.Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£30 to £50

Lot 983

IMAGE  
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**SPINK**  
WHERE HISTORY IS VALUED

A rare Victorian silver part table service of Admiralty pattern flatware, assembled and cased by Spink & Son and presented to Admiral Sir G. J. A. Miles, K.C.B., K.C.S.I., Royal Navy at his wedding in 1919Victorian silver part table service of Admiralty pattern flatware, cased by Spink & Son, Silversmiths, 2 Gracechurch St, EC., various makers, the majority by George Adams and in the early-mid Victorian era, including 12 (of each) table spoons, dessert spoons, tea spoons, dessert forks, table forks, besides fish knife, sugar tongs, soup ladle, gravy spoons (2), sauce ladles (2), salt ladles (4), mustard spoons (2), each item with the family crest attractively hand-engraved to the reverse, all housed in fitted wooden case, generally very fine, total of 73 pieces for approximately 178 ouncesProvenance:Presented to Admiral Sir G. J. A. Miles, K.C.B., K.C.S.I., Royal Navy at his wedding in 1919 by Sir Charles William Miles, O.B.E., 5th Baronet, thence by descent to the present owner.The Miles family Medals sold in these rooms in April 2021.In June 1883, Spink purchased from the Admiralty '...upward of 30,000 ounces of Old English Plain Pattern Spoons and Forks of Her Majesty's Government.' This set was probably purchased by the family in the late 1880s.Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£6,000 to £8,000

## Lot 984



**A 'Grenade' Lighter, silver, 8.5cm, in the form of an early pattern hand grenade, with applied Royal Artillery badge (Presented to Major J. H. Nicholson, and Officers T.R.G.A. by Captain S. M. Todd, June 1914.) engraved, hallmarked Sheffield 1913, a couple of light edge bruises otherwise very fine Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.**

**Estimate**  
**£70 to £100**

## Lot 985



**A relic of the Siege of Paris, a shard of shrapnel with a fine yellow metal mount featuring ornate oak leaves, engraved 'Paris November 1870', 34mm, with loops for suspension, very fine and a unique souvenir. Sold together with gold stick pin featuring oak leaf detail, set in which are two spoils of the tooth fairy. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.**

**Estimate**  
**£150 to £200**

## Lot 986



**A Great War period wooden photo frame made from the tip of a propellor (A/F) 31cm x 20.5cm with hinge fitted to reverse for a stand (now absent); together with a further wooden frame with crude RFC wings applied to the frame 16.3cm x 18.5cm, both made from mahogany whilst incomplete the wood remains in good condition (2) Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.**

**Estimate**  
**£50 to £70**

## Lot 987



**Assorted Militaria comprising an R.A.F. WW2 escape map of Cyrenaica (K1/K2), A Royal Navy Officer's sword belt with King's crown buckle, a white metal figure of a Blues and Royals officer on horseback (15cm high) together with a Trooper of the 21st Lancers (representative of 1905) lance missing, both figures on black painted wooden plinths, A Royal Armouries Museum reproduction of The Baker Rifle with a further example of the Volley Gun both 1/4 scale replicas, good condition overall (6) Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.**

**Estimate**  
**£100 to £140**

## Lot 988



Programme for Torchlight Tattoo by British Shanghai Defence Force, for the Birthday of HM King George V, Shanghai Racecourse, 3-4 June 1927, a little wear due to age, very fine Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£80 to £120

## Lot 989

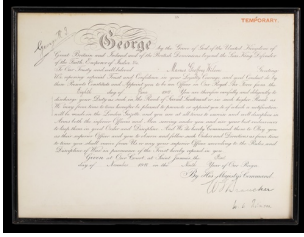


The framed Memorial Scroll and Condolence Script named to Pte. R. Norwood, 18th Hussars, who was Killed in Action in France on 27 March 1918, the condolence script is mounted on the reverse of the memorial scroll's frame, frame somewhat worn, very fine Richard Norwood was born circa 1883 in Newton-on-Trent, Lincolnshire, the youngest of six children to Joseph Norwood and his wife Mary. Whilst living at Wheeton, Yorkshire he enlisted at Middlesbrough to serve in the Great War with the 18th (Queen Mary's Own Royal) Hussars and was given regimental number 20055. Norwood and his regiment arrived in France on 18 October 1915 to serve on the Western Front. Norwood was killed in action at the age of 35 on 27 March 1918, likely during the Battle of Rosières in France on which day the Germans captured the town of Albert. He is commemorated on the Pozieres Memorial in France and is entitled to 1914-15 Star trio; sold together with copied research. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£20 to £30



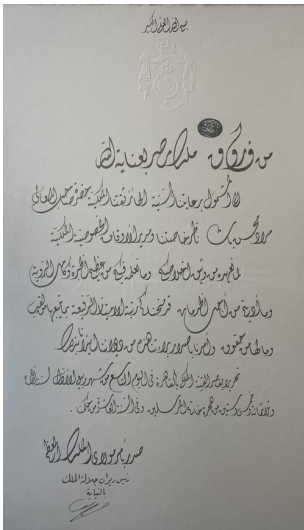
## Lot 990



The Commission Warrant to Temporary Second Lieutenant M. G. Wilson, Royal Air Force, mounted on card and in a frame the glass now absent good very fine Marcus Geoffrey Wilson was born on 4 August 1899 and lived at Wellingborough, Northamptonshire. He worked as a Clerk with Whitworth Brothers, Victoria Mills, Wellingborough, before he enlisted into the Royal Flying Corps on 1 October 1917 as an Airman 3rd Class. He was firstly based at Halton, transferring to the Royal Air Force on 1 April 1918 as a Private 2nd Class. Wilson was commissioned as an Observer on 8 June 1918. Wilson served with No.218 Squadron and took part in four separate raids on Ostende Harbour and Bruges Docks between 17 June - 6 August 1918. However his luck was to run out when flying with Lieutenant A. C. Lloyd (pilot) on board a D.H.9 (D1708) they were shot down by Oblt. Osterkamptaken on 16 August 1918. They force landed uninjured at Breskens, Holland and were subsequently interned in Holland. He was repatriated on 15 November 1918 and was admitted to the Grove Military Hospital, Tooting, London on 2 December 1918. He transferred to the Manchester Regiment 14 April 1919. Wilson died on 8 June 1972. Sold with copied research. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£40 to £60

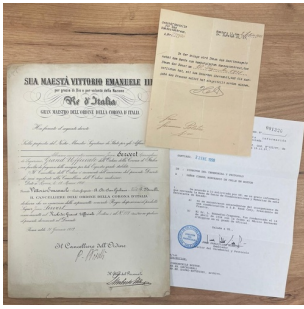
## Lot 991



Egyptian Warrants A pair of Warrants of Appointment bestowed upon Basha Murad Muhsin, Director of the Royal Endowments, each hand-finished with gold leaf, approximately 430mm x 300mm each, very fine and rare survivors (2) First document from King Fuad to Murad Muhsin Basha Royal Court Undersecretary on 6th Jamadi Al Thaniya 1349 Hijriya (27 October 1930), appoints him to the rank of Basha with all its benefits. The second is from King Farouk to Murad Muhsin Basha, Our Supervisor and Director of the Royal Endowments on the 9th of Rabe'e Al Aw'wal 1365 Hijriya (11 February 1946), appoints him to a higher privileged rank with all its benefits. With thanks to Owain Raw-Rees with his assistance in translation. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£50 to £70

### Lot 992



(x) A Lot of documents relating to the award of foreign medals and orders. Includes letters and documents relating to Chile, Order of Bernardo O'Higgins; France, Order of Public Encouragement; Medal of Honour for Work; Medal of the City of Paris; Silver Civic Star; Grand Humanitarian Prize Medal, all French documents addressed to Monsieur Bernard Blancotte; Germany, Hanseatic Cross of Hamburg; Italy, Order of the Crown of Italy, documents date from 1919 through 1998 (8) Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£30 to £50

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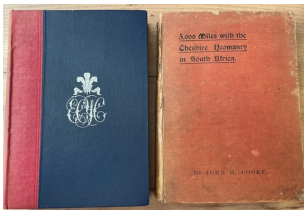


Military Manuals and Booklets Historical Records of the British Army, Sixth or the Inniskilling Regiment of Dragoons, 1837, 116pp; Infantry Drill 1892 By Authority, 261pp; The Gunnery Pocket Book 1932 (Reprinted 1938), 160pp; Soviet Army Uniforms 1961, 91pp; Infantry Training Volume III, Ranges and Courses 1969, 86pp; Military Engineering Volume II Part II 1974, 89pp; Notes on the Soviet Ground Forces; together with other minor pamphlets and booklets, generally very fine some with writing in places (13) Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£50 to £70

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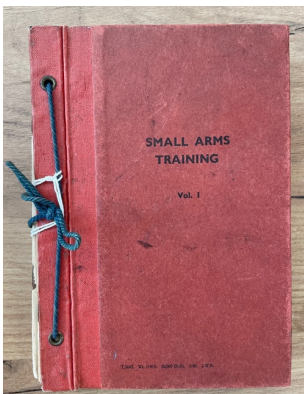


Reference Books The Earl of Chester's Regiment of Yeomanry Cavalry 1797 - 1897, printed 1898, 312pp. 5000 Miles with the Cheshire Yeomanry in South Africa, by John H. Cooke, 434pp, both with inscription to inside front cover, otherwise generally good condition (2) Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£50 to £80

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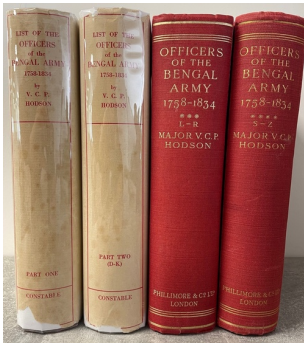


Small Arms Training Volume 1 comprising Pamphlets 1-9, 11-13, 18 & 21, loosely bound in official binder, very good condition overall Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£40 to £60

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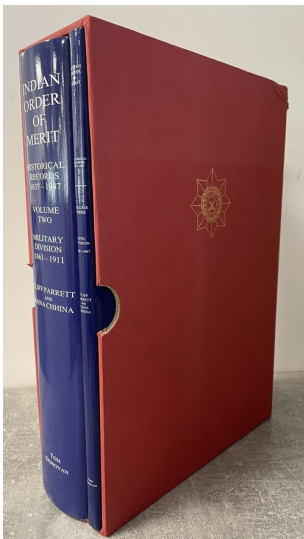
### Lot 996



(x) Books - List of the Officers of the Bengal Army, 1758-1834, by Vernon Charles Paget Hodson, 4 Volumes, octavo, original red cloth, spines lettered and ruled in gilt, blind rules to covers, with dust jackets for Volumes 1 & 2, some foxing and wear but a good clean set of this rare and valuable book (4) Harrington state: 'First edition of this extremely uncommon and indispensable reference work, containing over 7,000 records and much improved and expanded from its predecessor, Dodwell and Miles's Alphabetical List, which was published in 1838. There was an 18-year hiatus between the publication of the second and third volumes, and the dust jackets of the first two volumes state that the print-run was limited to 500 copies of each, of which 450 were for sale; the final two volumes were also issued in a limited edition, though the number of copies is not stated. We trace four complete sets in auction records in the last 50 years, with no recorded mention of the dust jackets.' Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£400 to £600

### Lot 997



Books of Indian Military History interest, 'The Indian Order of Merit: Historical Records 1837-1947', Volume Two (Military Division, 1861-1911); Volume Three (Civil Division, 1902-1947), First-Edition (2018), hardback and contained within original red card slipcase bearing the Badge of the Order on one side, minor contact marks to corners of lower spine, otherwise unmarked, extremely fine (2) Both volumes profusely illustrated in colour and black-and-white on high-quality paper, several sections of full-colour plates, fully referenced and sourced where relevant; Volume Two runs to 844 pages and Volume Three 110 pages. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£60 to £80

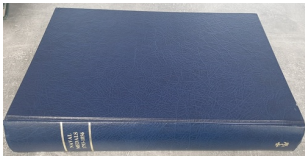
### Lot 998



The R.A.F. Centenary Anthology 1918-2018A hard bound large-format reference record covering 100 years of service in content and photographic record, 683pp, published by Extraordinary Editions Ltd with the R.A.F. Museum & The RAF 100 Appeal to Celebrate the 100th Anniversary of the R.A.F., housed in card slip and still with original postage packaging, a large and highly impressive volume, in unused condition Limited to 1250 Copies, this copy numbered 40. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£60 to £80

### Lot 999

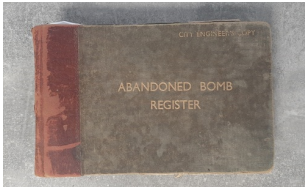


Naval Medals 1793-1856, by Kenneth Douglas-Morris, 1987, 594pp, a good clean example Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£50 to £70

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### Lot 1000

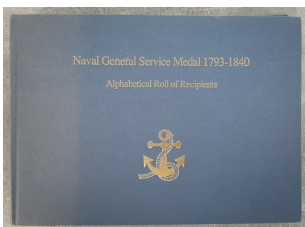


Abandoned Bomb Register an officially made register of Unexploded Bombs (U.X.B.) in the Bristol area. Each entry gives a specific reference number and date, followed by Location and type of Ordnance (assumed/guessed) with the following Descriptions given: Nature of Ground, Depth Excavated, Adjoining Property and Installations, Is Vibration Likely to Cause Detonation, Reasons for Proposal to Abandon, and in the early part of the register each entry is signed by a member of the Bomb Disposal Company Royal Engineers, the opposite side of each page entry shows a map with the exact location of where the relevant bomb is situated. Contains 49 entries beginning on 2 December 1940 with the last entry for 25 April 1942. The book with card outer cover bound in leather and fabric, embossed in gold to the front Abandoned Bomb Register, and City Engineer's Copy in top right hand corner, good condition overall with clear detail. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£200 to £300

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### Lot 1001



Naval General Service Medal 1793-1840, Alphabetical Roll of Recipients, compiled by Colin Message, 1996, slight fading to cover in parts, otherwise good overall condition Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

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£60 to £80

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### Lot 1002



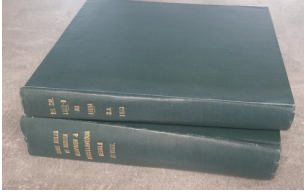
Naval Medals 1857-1880, by Kenneth Douglas-Morris, 1994, 436pp, a good clean example Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£40 to £60

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### Lot 1003



**Some Rolls of Indian Campaign & Miscellaneous Medals by Regt, a privately compiled roll covering the Royal Navy and Army covering various campaign medals from Seringapatam to China 1900. Together with a further roll covering Medals of the Royal Navy in the Egypt campaign 1882-89. Roll of the Royal Regiment of Artillery covering Sutlej to China 1900. Roll of South Africa 1834-53 covering Royal Navy to Army, both volumes bound in green bindings. good used condition (2)Both volumes formerly in the library of A H Baldwin & Sons Ltd. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.**

**Estimate  
£50 to £80**

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Lot 1004



The mounted K.C.B., K.C.V.O. group of four miniature dress medals worn by Sir G. P. Coldstream, once regarded as 'one of the ten men who run Britain', who acted as Permanent Secretary to the Lord Chancellor's Department from 1954-68, was Clerk of the Crown in Chancery, and a member of the British War Crimes Executive at which time he played a significant role in the Nuremberg Trials. The Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Civil Division, Knight Commander's (K.C.B.) Badge; Royal Victorian Order, Knight Commander's (K.C.V.O.) Badge; Defence Medal 1939-45; Coronation 1953, mounted together as worn, Coronation medal with contact wear, otherwise very fine overall (4).

Sir George Phillips Coldstream was born on 20 December 1907 in North Kensington, London, was educated at Rugby School and Oriel College, Oxford University, and was called to the Bar at Lincoln's Inn to embark on a career as a barrister. However, after four years of practising law in 1934 Coldstream left to join the Parliamentary Counsel to the Treasury as an assistant, and that same year was married to Miss Mary Carmichael. From 1939 he then served as a legal assistant in the Lord Chancellor's Department, becoming Deputy Clerk of the Crown in Chancery in 1944. That same year Coldstream joined the British War Crimes Executive as a member, for which he watched footage from Nazi concentration camps and prepared files for the Nuremberg Trials through 1946. A few years later, having divorced his first wife, in 1949 he married the widowed Sheila Whitty, whose husband Lieutenant-Colonel J. H. H. Whitty, D.S.O., M.C., The Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment, had been killed in action at Monte Cassino in 1944. Coldstream succeeded Sir Albert Napier on 4 June 1954 as Permanent Secretary to the Lord Chancellor's Department upon the latter's retirement; he was to hold this position through four Lord Chancellors until 1968. In this capacity, he had a hand in important legislation including the Life Peerages Act 1958, the Peerage Act 1963, the Royal Assent Act 1967, and the Law Commission Act 1965 - which established the Law Commission. During his tenure he also oversaw a number of influential Law Lords appointments, including those of Lords Denning, Devlin, Diplock and Wilberforce. Coldstream received his appointment as Knight Commander of the Bath in 1955. He was made Knight Commander of the Royal Victorian Order in 1968, the year of his retirement as Permanent Secretary. Afterwards, he retained his position serving on the Royal Commission on Assizes and Quarter Sessions until 1970, when he became chairman of the Council of Legal Education, a role in which he sat until 1973. Coldstream retired to Seaford in East Sussex, where he lived the rest of his life prior to his death there on 19 April 2004. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£80 to £120

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Lot 1004A



The Mesopotamia 1919 C.I.E. and 1918 M.C. mounted group of eleven miniature dress medals worn by Lieutenant-Colonel C. G. Lloyd, Supply and Transport Corps; a long-standing member of the East African community, he was a founder of the Karen Country Club in Nairobi. The Most Eminent Order of the Indian Empire, C.I.E. Badge, gold and enamel (marked 18ct); Military Cross, G.V.R.; 1914 Star, slide clasp; British War and Victory Medals, with M.I.D. oak leaves; General Service 1918-62, 1 clasp, Kurdistan; 1939-45 Star; Africa Star; War Medal 1939-45; Dehli Durbar 1911; Coronation 1953, mounted as worn, very fine (11). Full-size awards sold in these rooms in January 2024.

C.I.E. London Gazette 3 June 1919  
(Mesopotamia). M.C. London Gazette 26 August 1918  
(Mesopotamia). M.I.D. London Gazette 15 August 1917. M.I.D. London Gazette 6 June 1919.

Charles Geoffrey Lloyd was born Llanfihangel, Wales, on 12 March 1884, the son of the Bishop John Lloyd of Swansea. Educated at Repton and later Cambridge he joined the 4th (Militia) Battalion, South Wales Borderers on 7 May 1904. Transferring to the Essex Regiment with the rank of 2nd Lieutenant on 3 September that same year he was still with them on the outbreak of the Great War in August 1914 and entered the war in France in October 1914, remaining until September 1915. Transferring to the Indian Army on 26 October 1915 with the rank of Captain Lloyd was to serve with the Supply and Transport Corps at Gallipoli until January 1916 and thence in Mesopotamia. Remaining here he was awarded the Military Cross with them in 1918 and was advanced Major on 1 August 1918. An article in the Carmarthen Journal and South Wales Weekly Advertiser on 30 August 1918 also states that he served as 'O.C. Divisional Troops Transport in Mesopotamia. Last August he was mentioned as "deserving special mention". He also served as Temporary Lieutenant-Colonel for at least some time although returned to the rank of Major after the war. Remaining in the east after the end of the war Lloyd served as Senior Supply Officer 18th Division, being in Iraq in 1919. As a result he was present for the Kurdish revolt that presaged the Iraq Revolt the next year. Lloyd's role as Supply Officer would doubtless have been a vital one as British forces attempted to garrison the country in the wake of the Great War. Remaining a part of the British Army Lloyd appears to have served in India for much of his military career, being promoted Lieutenant-Colonel in 1930. Retiring with that rank in 1935 he settled in Kenya as a Farmer and occupied himself by being a Founder Member and Debenture Holder of the Karen Club upon its foundation in 1937. Returning to Service on the outbreak of the Second World War Lloyd served from 1940-41 in East Africa. He died at Nairobi, Kenya on 12 December 1953 and is buried in the Nairobi City Park Cemetery. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£180 to £220

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### Lot 1005



An unattributed Order of the Bath, Royal Victorian Order group of three mounted miniature dress medalsThe Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Civil Division, with riband buckle; Royal Victorian Order; Delhi Durbar 1911, mounted as worn, some toning otherwise very fine (3)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£60 to £80

### Lot 1006



An unattributed group of twelve mounted dress miniaturesThe Most Excellent Order of the Bath, Military Division, silver-gilt and enamel; Queen's South Africa 1899-1902, 3 clasps, Cape Colony, Orange Free State, Johannesburg; King's South Africa 1901-02, 2 clasps, South Africa 1901, South Africa 1902; 1914 Star, clasp; British War and Victory Medals, with M.I.D. oak leaves; Russia, Imperial, Order of St. Stanislaus, gilt and enamel; France, Republic, Legion of Honour, silver-gilt and enamel; Portugal, Kingdom, Order of St Avis, silver-gilt enamel; Military Order of Christ, silver-gilt and enamel; Japan, Imperial, Order of the Sacred Treasure, silver and enamel, sacred beads all present; France, Republic, Crix De Guerre, with Palm, mounted as worn by Hunt & Roskell, the seventh missing its centre, minor enamel damage to eighth, otherwise very fine (12)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£180 to £220

### Lot 1007



Miniature AwardThe Most Distinguished Order of St. Michael and St. George, breast Badge, in silver-gilt and enamel, the riband buckle now missing pin to reverse, otherwise good very fineSubject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£60 to £80



### Lot 1008



(x) The mounted dress miniatures worn by Paymaster Captain A. C. M. Edmonds, O.B.E., Royal Navy The Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, O.B.E. (Military) Officer's 1st type breast badge; 1914-15 Star; British War and Victory Medals; Defence and War Medals 1939-45; Jubilee 1935; Coronation 1937, mounted as worn, very fine (8) For his full-size awards and a biographical note, please see Lot 663. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£60 to £80

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### Lot 1009



An unattributed O.B.E. group of five miniature dress medals The Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, 2nd type, Military Division, Officer's (O.B.E.) breast Badge; 1939-1945 Star; Defence & War Medals 1939-45; Iraq, Order of El Rafidain, breast Badge, gilt metal and enamel, mounted as worn very fine (5) Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£70 to £100

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### Lot 1010



The 1945 O.B.E. group of four miniature dress medals worn by Lieutenant L. H. Way, Royal Engineers, later Land Commissioner, Ministry of Agriculture & Fisheries The Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, 2nd Type, Civil Division, Officer's (O.B.E.) breast Badge, silver-gilt; British War and Victory Medals; Italy, Altipiani Medal 1918, this last rare in miniature, good very fine (4) For his full-size awards and a biographical note, please see Lot 665. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£60 to £80

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## Lot 1011



(x) The framed V.C., D.S.O. group of eight miniature dress medals worn by Surgeon-Major T. J. Crean, Royal Army Medical Corps, who took his Victoria Cross with the Imperial Light Horse during the Boer War. Besides that, Crean was a talented rugby player and turned out for the Ireland and later British & Irish Lions; he was also the Medical Officer of the Royal Enclosure at Ascot, once saving the life of an injured jockey by performing a trepanning operation with a hammer and chisel. Victoria Cross; Distinguished Service Order, with Second Award Bar; Queen's South Africa 1899-1902, 5 clasps, Relief of Mafeking, Elands-laagte, Defence of Ladysmith, Orange Free State, Transvaal, all clasps on a single clasp block; King's South Africa 1901-02, 2 clasps, South Africa 1901, South Africa 1902; 1914 Star, clasp; British War and Victory Medals, with M.I.D. oak leaves; Coronation 1902, mounted in a frame with portrait photograph of the recipient, very fine (8) V.C. London Gazette 11 February 1902: 'Thomas Joseph Crean, Surgeon Captain, 1st Imperial Light Horse. During the action with De Wet at Tygerskloof on the 18th December 1901, this officer continued to attend to the wounded in the firing line under a heavy fire at only 150 yards range, after he himself had been wounded, and only desisted when he was hit a second time, and as it was first thought, mortally wounded.' D.S.O. London Gazette 23 June 1915. Dictionary of Irish Biography gives the following: 'Thomas Joseph Crean (1873-1923), rugby player, military doctor, and VC holder, was born 19 April 1873 in Morrison's Hotel, Dawson Street, Dublin, the second son and fifth of the eight children of Michael Theobald Crean, barrister of the Irish land commission, and his wife, Emma, née Dunn, whose parents owned Morrison's Hotel. The family lived at Esker House, Upper Rathmines Road, and then at 7 Pembroke Street. A fine student, Crean was educated at Clongowes Wood College, Co. Kildare, before studying medicine at UCD, and St Vincent's Hospital, Dublin. It was at Clongowes that his exceptional rugby ability was first noted and developed. A natural forward, he was big and fast, which, combined with good football skills, made him an outstanding prospect. When he moved to Dublin to study he joined Wanderers RFC, with whom he won a Leinster senior cup in 1894, and his displays for Wanderers led to selection for Ireland in 1894. In his debut year he was an ever-present and essential member of Ireland's first triple crown winning side. In 1895 Ireland were hotly tipped to repeat their success of the previous year, but they were defeated in every game, Crean again playing in all three games. Despite this setback the Irish team won the championship in 1896, beating England and Wales and drawing, surprisingly, against the weaker Scottish team. In all he won nine caps for Ireland and scored two tries, in a short but brilliant international career. In 1896 Ireland earned recognition from the Great Britain selectors when nine Irishmen were chosen for the squad to tour South Africa, including Crean; this was the first Great Britain touring team in which players from Ireland were selected. Crean made a considerable impact: he scored five tries, captained the side to victories in the first and third tests and several provincial matches, and played in all the tests. His height, bulk, speed and football skills made him very hard to stop and he became one of the 'personalities' of the tour, and a firm favourite with the local crowd. Indeed such was his popularity that he decided to remain in South Africa when the touring side returned home. Robert Johnson, a fellow tourist, friend and clubmate of Crean, also remained in South Africa. Crean set up a lucrative practice at the Johannesburg hospital. He was feted for his bravery throughout his life. In 1891 he was awarded a medal for saving a man from drowning in the sea at Blackrock. When the Boer war broke out in 1899 he enlisted as a trooper in the imperial light horse and took part in the relief of Mafeking and the relief of Ladysmith. In March 1900 he was made a captain, but resigned his squadron rank in June 1901 to become a surgeon-captain. In December 1901 he received the VC for bravery for tending to injured soldiers at Tygerskloof while under fire and wounded, and only ceasing when he was badly wounded a second time. His friend Robert Johnson had joined the imperial light horse and was also awarded the VC during the war. In 1902 Crean was made an honorary fellow of the Royal College of Surgeons. He was a captain in the royal army medical corps (RAMC) from 1902 (when he won the Arnott gold medal) until 1906, when he left to practise medicine in Harley Street, London. On the outbreak of the first world war he rejoined the RAMC as surgeon-captain (later promoted to captain), serving with the 1st cavalry brigade until 1915, and being awarded the DSO. He was wounded several times and mentioned twice in dispatches. In 1915 he was promoted major and became the officer in charge of the 44th field ambulance, British Expeditionary Force, in France. In 1917 he returned to England to take charge of the hospital established in the royal enclosure at Ascot. While at Ascot he saved the life of a jockey who had been thrown from his horse, by removing portions of the bones of his skull using a hammer and chisel. The strain of his military service left him in poor health, and after the war he struggled to continue his Harley Street practice. He ran into financial difficulties and in June 1922 was adjudged bankrupt. On 25 March 1923 he died from diabetes at his residence, 13 Queen Street, Mayfair, London, and was buried in St Mary's cemetery in Kensal Green, London. In 2001 the South African post office produced a stamp honouring Crean as part of a series commemorating the Boer war. His Victoria cross is on exhibition at the Army Medical Services Museum in Keogh Barracks, Aldershot. In 1905 he married Victoria, daughter of Thomas Heredia of Malaga, Spain; they had two children, Patrick and Carmen. It is interesting to note that both these awards, besides his full-size awards (which are held by the Army Medical Services Museum), display a Second Award Bar to his Distinguished Service Order. For a prize medal awarded to his son, please see Lot 934. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£2,000 to £3,000

## Lot 1012



An impressive M.C. and Two Bars mounted group of nine miniature dress medals attributed to Lieutenant Colonel J. A. C. Scott, Royal Army Medical Corps, attached 9th Battalion Durham Light Infantry, who was twice wounded while serving in the Great War. Military Cross, G.V.R., with Second and Third Award Bars; 1914-15 Star; British War and Victory Medals with M.I.D. oak leaves; 1939-45 Star; War Medal 1939-45; Territorial Decoration, G.V.R.; Service Medal of the Order of St. John, with Long Service clasp; France, Croix de Guerre 1914-18, with palme, mounted as worn, overall very fine (9). Military Cross London Gazette 1 January 1917. Military Cross Second Award Bar London Gazette 18 June 1917. The original recommendation states: "For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He behaved with great courage and coolness in attending the wounded under heavy shell fire. For two days he worked continuously, with an utter disregard for his own safety. By his efforts he was able to ensure the rapid evacuation of the wounded, and undoubtedly saved many lives." Military Cross Third Award Bar London Gazette 7 November 1917. The original recommendation states: "For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He attended to a very large number of wounded in the open, under heavy fire from machine-guns and artillery, and it was largely owing to his skilful arrangements that the casualties were rapidly evacuated. Later on, while performing these duties, he was severely wounded by shell fire. Throughout the whole of the operations his courage and his example of self-sacrifice were worthy of high praise." Territorial Decoration London Gazette 4 February 1930. France, Croix de Guerre London Gazette 14 July 1917. James Alwin Colville Scott was born in Gateshead, Durham on 24 December 1886, the second of three children born to James Scott and his wife Anna. Scott Junior attended Durham University from 1904 to earn a medical degree, for which he received a scholarship, and he later received his qualification and registered as a Doctor in 1912. In 1914 Dr. Scott was commissioned Lieutenant in the Royal Army Medical Corps and was attached to the 9th Battalion Durham Light Infantry, and went on to serve as their medical officer throughout the Great War. That same year he was married at Gateshead to Ada Margaret Winship with whom he later had a son in 1919, Robert Scott, who would later follow in his father's footsteps to become a 2nd Lieutenant in the 9th Battalion Durham Light Infantry. Scott first entered the war in France on 19 April 1915. While serving in France, Scott became one of only 168 soldiers of the war to earn the Military Cross with both a second and third award bar. In his act of gallantry which earned him this third bar, he was wounded to the face by shell fire. Scott was again wounded in right arm and leg in 1918, which was reportedly severe enough to warrant his being sent home. After the First World War, Scott was re-appointed as the battalion's medical officer in 1920 and continued to serve in this capacity until 1939. He returned to France with his Regiment upon the outbreak of the Second World War and served in No. 6 Ambulance Train. After a brief period of leave at home, he returned to France to discover that his train had been captured by the Germans, and he narrowly avoided capture himself. Having safely escaped back to England, Scott was finally retired in May 1924 having reached the age limit and left the Army with the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. On 24 July 1948 he was issued with a 1939-45 Star and a War Medal for his service during the Second World War, both of which were delivered to him at 20 The Crescent, Gateshead, Durham. Outside of his military career, Scott was a keen swimmer and water polo player and at one point was Master of the Shipcote Lodge of Freemasons, having had been initiated in 1917. He was also a member of the Gateshead Council, was made a Justice of the Peace in 1928, and was involved with the St. John Ambulance Brigade for which he later earned a medal for services rendered. After the war Scott continued his medical practice until his retirement in 1956, and he later died at the age of 73 in January 1960; sold together with copied M.I.C., short biography, and copied newspaper clippings. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£160 to £200

## Lot 1013



Two unattributed mounted groups of miniature awards. Group of five, Distinguished Service Order, G.V.R.; 1914 Star with clasp; British War and Victory Medals; France, Croix de Guerre with Star. Together with a group of six miniature awards, 1914-15 Star; British War Medal 1914-20; Mercantile Marine Medal 1914-18; Victory Medal 1914-19; Coronation 1911; Royal Naval Reserve Decoration, G.V.R., both groups mounted as worn, very fine or better (11). Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£100 to £150

**Lot 1014**



**An unattributed Second World War Coastal Command D.S.O., D.F.C. and Belgian Croix de Guerre mounted group of eight miniature dress medals Distinguished Service Order, G.V.I.R.; Distinguished Flying Cross, G.V.I.R.; 1939-45 Star; Atlantic Star, clasp, France and Germany; Africa Star, clasp, North Africa 1942-43; Defence and War Medals 1939-45; Belgium, Kingdom, Croix de Guerre, mounted as worn, good very fine (8) Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.**

**Estimate  
£100 to £140**

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## Lot 1015



The Great War D.C.M., M.M., mounted group of five miniature dress medals worn by Company Sergeant Major E. C. Martin, 126th Field Company Distinguished Conduct Medal, G.V.R.; Military Medal, G.V.R.; 1914-15 Star; British War and Victory Medals, with M.I.D. oak leaves, mounted as worn, very fine overall (5) M.M. London Gazette 19 February 1917 D.C.M. London Gazette 3 June 1919, the original citation reads: 'For continuous and conspicuous good work and distinguished and exemplary conduct under fire at all times. By his exceptional keenness and energy, no less than by the (high standard of loyalty and devotion to duty which he has ever displayed and inculcated in others, he rendered most valuable service.' Edmund Clarence Martin was born at Eastbourne, Sussex in 1878. At the relatively advanced age of 36, Martin enlisted as a Sapper with the Royal Engineers on 28 January 1915, having served as a member of the Sussex Royal Engineer Volunteers for eight years. At the time of his enlistment he was working as a carpenter and living at 90 Plymouth Place, Leamington Spa, Warwickshire with his father Alfred and his mother Jane. He was reportedly qualified as a skilled joiner when he enlisted. Martin's skillset must have been well-suited to the Royal Engineers indeed, and he quickly rose through the ranks. He was advanced Lance Corporal in February, Corporal in March, and Corporal in May. He landed in France with the 126th Field Company, 21st Division B.E.F. on 12 September 1915. A few months later Martin received news that his father died of cancer on 19 November, which must have been a serious blow. Nonetheless, Martin's aptitude for the Royal Engineers progressed and he was promoted Sergeant in December. The following year, he received a divisional commendation from the Major-General in command of the 21st Division, noting he 'distinguished [him]self in the Field on the 10th to 15th December 1916'. His commendations did not end there, and Martin's award of the Military Medal was gazetted on 10 February 1917. He was further promoted Warrant Officer Class II on 29 May 1918, at which time he was also appointed Company Sergeant Major. Martin added the D.C.M. to his laurels, appearing in the Gazette first on 3 June 1919 and again later on 11 March 1920. Returned home to the UK with his unit on 17 April 1919, he was transferred to Army Reserve Class 'Z' on 27 May. Martin received his D.C.M. and his M.M. shortly after his return home in August 1919, his 1914-15 Star in April 1920, his British War Medal the following year in March 1921, and his Victory Medal that May. There is no existing record of his being mentioned in despatches, though it is possible he believed his divisional commendation was equivalent; sold together with copied research and original divisional commendation card. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£70 to £90

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#### Lot 1016



The mounted A.R.R.C. group of four miniature dress medals worn by Sister E. Thompson, Queen Alexandra's Imperial Military Nursing Service Royal Red Cross, Associate (A.R.R.C.) G.V.R.; 1914 Star; British War and Victory Medals with M.I.D. oak leaves, mounted as worn. Together with a miniature example of a Q.A.I.M.N.S. cape badge. In Spink & Son case the medals good very fine, the case damaged (5) Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£60 to £80

#### Lot 1017



(x) The mounted R.R.C. group of four miniature dress medals Royal Red Cross, R.R.C., gilt metal and enamel; 1914-15 Star; British War and Victory Medals, mounted as worn, the centre absent from the first, otherwise very fine (4) Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£30 to £50

#### Lot 1018



Waterloo 1815, 18mm, silver, with steel clip and split ring suspension, of contemporary manufacture, good very fine Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£100 to £140

#### Lot 1019



Waterloo 1815, 17.5mm, very fine (2) Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£30 to £50

**Lot 1020**



**Baltic 1854-55, 21mm, very fine** Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

**Estimate  
£30 to £50**

**Lot 1021**



**Baltic 1854-55, 18mm, mounted on ribbon buckle, very fine** Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

**Estimate  
£30 to £50**

Lot 1021A

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'Cecil John Rhodes once said that he had only met two creators in South Africa: Himself and James Douglas Logan, the Scottish-born founder of Matjiesfontein. Representative in many ways of a grasping late nineteenth century cowboy capitalism that came to reshape and dominate the subcontinent, while holding aloft the flag of 'fair play', 'civilisation' and 'empire', Logan was in the vanguard of an accelerating expansionism at a time when the British bore few doubts about their historic mission.' Empire, War and Cricket in South Africa, Logan of Matjiesfontein, by D. Allen, refers. The named dress miniature Queen's South Africa Medal worn by Captain the Honourable J. D. Logan, Commanding Officer of the Matjiesfontein District Mounted Troop, who rose from humble beginnings as a porter with the Cape Province Railway Service to become the 'Laird of Matjiesfontein', a member of the Cape Parliament and what history remembers as the second of the three great benefactors and patrons of South African cricket. Queen's South Africa 1899-1902, 1 clasp, Belmont (Capt. Hon. J. D. Logan Matjiesfontein District Mounted Rifles), edge nicks and edge bruise, attractively toned, otherwise good very fine. Provenance: Terry Sole Collection, Spink, July 2019 (Lot 487), his full-size award sold as the preceeding Lot. James Douglas Logan was born at Reston, a small Berwickshire town close to the English border, on 27 November 1857. His father, James Logan, worked as a ticket clerk for the North British Railway at Reston Station and, following an education at Reston House School, Logan Jnr. was encouraged to follow in his father's footsteps and contribute in what were economically challenging times for the family. Robert Toms, writing in Logan's Way, describes a happy yet 'resourceful' childhood, recounting how the Logan family income was supplemented by poaching - something to which the young James proved more than adept: 'Mr. Logan's family in Reston were rabbit trappers,' recalled a local man many years later, 'and I remember that Mr. Logan apparently got into trouble with the police and was due to appear in court on charges of poaching. He disappeared before court proceedings and went to South Africa.' An apocryphal story, perhaps, but an early indication of the controversial nature of a man whose destiny lay elsewhere. A life no longer 'cabined, cribbed and confined' Feeling confined by the strict norms of the prevalent Victorian society of the times, and hearing stories that in the Colonies there was no aristocracy and no social class - indeed rather there was money for the making for the steadfast of heart - young Logan travelled to London to ponder his next move. As the gateway to Empire, the City introduced him to stories of the rapidly expanding settlements in the Antipodes and he took work as an apprentice aboard the 437-ton sailing vessel Rockhampton on 12 February 1877, bound for Queensland with a general cargo and a number of emigrants. Fate deals its cards The voyage was not a smooth one. Rounding the Cape of Good Hope the ship took a battering from powerful winds and high seas, the condition known locally as 'revolving storms' - with the direction of wind changing frequently, often in an extremely erratic manner. Forced to take refuge in Simon's Town for running repairs, the enforced delay proved frustrating for Logan, more so with no specific time and date for commencement of the voyage. Ashore and contemplating his next step, it is likely that he was quickly swayed by the prosperity on show in the region, not just from the traditional primary industries of copper mining and agricultural endeavours, including wine and brandy, but also that associated with newfound gemstones, especially diamonds. Ever since Erasmus Jacobs, a farmer's boy, found a small, brilliant stone on the banks of the Orange River in 1866, the area had been a focus for those seeking to make their fortune, but things had become even more interesting in 1871 when Esau Damoense, a cook for a prospecting group, chanced upon further deposits and took them to the de Beer brothers for evaluation. This sparked a 'New Rush' of eager prospectors, the area taking the name New Rush in consequence - later changed to Kimberley. With people and wealth came a need for infrastructure, in particular the requirements for an effective communication and transport system. Having negotiated an official discharge from duties aboard the Rockhampton, Logan found employment with the Cape Province Railway Service on 5 shillings a day and likely used his knowledge of the railways to achieve rapid advancement. Promoted to the clerical department at Salt River Station, he soon found himself serving as Station Master at Cape Town Railway Station, before being promoted to Railway Superintendent between Hex River and Prince Albert. There was just one caveat: his appointment in the remote hinterland of Karoo required him to be married within three months. Finding a wife in such a 'dry and desolate area' Undaunted by the challenge, Logan set about finding a wife, and within three months had met and married Emma Haylett, a descendant of one of the most respected Dutch families, the de Villiers of Villiersdorp. Aged just 21 and 19 respectively, the couple moved to Karoo on 5 August 1879 where land was cheap, and Logan purchased 2,888 hectares for £400. In 1883 he decided to resign from his role with the railways, and in 1887 he began to invest in the water industry knowing that every locomotive required 250,000 litres of water to cross the Karoo. As the population increased, so the demand for water rose, with consequential conflicts between domestic and industrial or agricultural precedence. Having invested in boring machines, Logan inaugurated 'Water World' in November 1889 to significant fanfare, not just delivering the security of supplying Matjiesfontein with a surplus 50,000 litres per day, but also offering a party to hundreds of guests, mostly important dignitaries. Inaugurated by Lady Sprigg, wife of the then Cape Prime Minister, Sir Gordon Sprigg, the local media reported, 'the luncheon served in a decorated railway shed would have done justice to a first-rate London hotel.' The Great and the Good come to visit By the mid-1890s, the man who had taken his first footstep on South African soil with only £5 in his pocket had come a long way and was now a wealthy man. Conjuring up a little segment of his native Scotland in the desert, people vied with each other to visit this arid place where Lord Randolph Churchill 'picked bluebells in the hills,' and Olive Schreiner - the first great South African author who wrote under the pseudonym Ralph Iron - served dinner to Cecil John Rhodes in a little cottage which still stands. Richard Horatio Edgar Wallace wrote a poignant piece on the death of Queen Victoria whilst staying there, whilst General Haig gave parties in a small mess which had once been a laundry. Other notable visitors included the Duke of Hamilton, His Highness the Sultan of Zanzibar, Lord Carrington, Admirals Nicholson and Rawson and the astronomer Sir David Gill. Made J.P. in 1888 and a member of the Legislative Assembly for the constituency of Worcester, Logan was now a prominent figurehead. The emergence of cricket in South Africa Cricket first came to the African continent with the military between 1795 and 1802, in the earliest days of the British regime. Members of the garrison that occupied the Cape in 1806 found time to play cricket and two years later the first reference to a cricket match being played in South Africa appeared in the Cape Town Gazette and African Advertiser. As elsewhere, cricket's imperialists viewed the spread of the game as an indicator of a colony's cultural and social development. Indeed English cricketers were seen as purveyors of the 'enlightening' process in far flung corners of the Empire, including South Africa. Sir Pelham Francis Warner, M.B.E., affectionately and better known as Plum Warner or

Estimate  
£140 to £180



### Lot 1022



An unattributed group of mounted dress miniatures 1914-15 Star; British War and Victory Medal with M.I.D. oak leaves; Jubilee 1935; Coronation 1937; Russia, Imperial, Order of St. Anne, with swords, silver-gilt, silver and enamel, mounted as worn, very light enamel damage to the last, otherwise very fine (6) Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£100 to £150

### Lot 1023



Miniature Medals: 1914 Star with clasp Trio; 1914-15 Star Trios (2); Four: 1939-1945 Star, Africa Star, Defence and War Medals 1939-45, all groups mounted as worn very fine (13) Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£30 to £50

### Lot 1024



Miniature Dress Awards a collection of contemporary and later British Orders and Decorations, to include the Victoria Cross, George Cross, Distinguished Service Order, Conspicuous Gallantry Cross etc, generally very fine throughout (24) Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£100 to £150

### Lot 1025



Miniature Dress Medals a small selection of contemporary issues from Crimea 1854-56 to King's South Africa 1901-02, very fine overall (13) Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£100 to £150

### Lot 1026



Miniature Dress Awards a collection of contemporary and later British and Commonwealth Long Service, Coronation and Jubilee awards, to include Coronation 1902, silver issue; Colonial Police Meritorious Service Medal, E.I.I.R., together with a Polar Medal, E.I.I.R. generally very fine throughout (17) Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£80 to £100

#### Lot 1027



Miniature Dress Awards a collection of contemporary and later British issues to include Orders and Decorations, Single Campaign Medals, Long Service etc generally very fine throughout (45) Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£150 to £250

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#### Lot 1028



Miniature Dress Awards a collection of contemporary and later mainly British issues to include Great War issues (7); Second World War (11) with an assortment of Pre and Post Second World War Campaign issues, generally very fine throughout (57) Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£100 to £150

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#### Lot 1029



Miniature Dress Awards a collection of modern British issues comprising Single Decorations and Single Campaign Medals, extremely fine throughout Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£70 to £100

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#### Lot 1030



Afghanistan, Kingdom, Officer's Star of Honour for the Bachha-i-Saqqa Campaign, 48mm, silvered, very fine India, Republic, Sainya Seva Medal, 1 clasp, Jammu and Kashmir (3144882 Sep. S Heo Karan, Jat R.), on incorrect riband, very fine Pakistan, Republic (4), Independence Medal 1947 (MT/6556583 NK Suleman R.P.A.S.C.); General Service Medal, 1 clasp, Kashmir 1948, mounted together for wear, also sold with Republic Medal 1956; Mijri Medal 1979, on incorrect riband, overall very fine (6) Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£60 to £80

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**Lot 1031**

Albania, Order of Skanderbeg, Knight's breast Badge, by Alberti & Co, Milan, bronze-gilt and enamel, together with a Royal Order of the Black Eagle 1914, bronze, very light enamel damage to the first, otherwise very fine (2)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£150 to £200

**Lot 1032**

(x) Argentina, Republic, Order of May (2), Grand Officer's breast Star, by Ghiso, Florida 782, Buenos Aires & Paris, 78mm, silver-gilt and enamel, in case of issue; Commander's neck Badge, by Joyeria Ricciardi, Bs. Aires Mar Del Plata & Paris, 93mm including wreath suspension x 63mm, silver-gilt and enamel, on neck riband as worn, in case of issue with four boutonnières, both totally missing white enamel on central rays, otherwise very fine (2)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£70 to £90

**Lot 1033**

(x) Australia, Civilian Service Medal 1939-1945 (Elizabeth Margaret Harrison), in its case of issue, with riband bar and corresponding miniature, sold together with an Australian Women's Land Army badge numbered '758' to the reverse, good very fineSubject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£100 to £140

#### Lot 1034



(x) The National Medal awarded to Lieutenant-Colonel G. R. Arnold, 152 Signal Squadron (SAS), Royal Australian Signals Australia, National Medal (47035 G. R. Arnold), in its Royal Australian Mint case of issue, with riband bar and corresponding dress miniature, good very fine. Graham Ronald Arnold was born at Adelaide, South Australia on 21 March 1941, enlisting on 7 February 1959 before moving to the Royal Military College at Duntroon. Commissioned Lieutenant on 12 December 1962 he was posted to the Royal Australian Electrical and Mechanical Engineers, later joining the 1st Signal Regiment on 18 February 1965. Joining at Singapore on 22 March 1966 he served attached to the 19th Signals Regiment, Far East Land Force (a British unit) for duty which included Sabah and Sarawak. He returned to Sydney in April and was promoted Captain on 12 December the same year. Joining the 104th Signals Squadron on 16 February 1968 Arnold saw service in South Vietnam with that unit, returning to Australia in May 1969. Upon his return he joined 152nd Signals Squadron (SAS), being noted several times in the unit history. Arnold continued to serve, visiting Britain for a course with the Royal Military College of Science, later being advanced Major on 12 December 1972. After a stint at the Senior Instructor Signals School, Watsonia he was discharged with the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel on 24 March 1980; sold together with copied research. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£80 to £100

#### Lot 1035



(x) Australia, Afghanistan Medal (8116562 W L Todd), in its case of issue, with its riband bar and corresponding dress miniature, nearly extremely fine. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£300 to £500



Lot 1036

(x) Australia, Defence Medal 2006 (8203534 M A Knoesen), good very fine Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£50 to £70

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Lot 1037



An unattributed mounted Australian campaign group of seven miniature medals Defence and War Medals 1939-45; Australia, Active Service Medal 1945-72, 1 clasp, Korea; Korea Medal 1950-53; U.N. Korea Medal 1950-54; Australian Service Medal 1945-75, 1 clasp, Korea; Australian Defence Medal, mounted as worn, very fine (7) An unattributed mounted American campaign group of five miniature medals United States of America, American Defense Medal; American Campaign Medal; Asiatic Pacific Campaign Medal; Korean Service Medal; U.N. Korea Medal 1950-54, mounted crudely as worn, very fine (12) Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£60 to £80

## Lot 1038



(x) The rare Military Order of Maria Theresa silver medal presented to Prince Karl Theodor of Bavaria, who fought against Napoleon at the Battle of Hanau and during the 1814 Campaign in the War of the Sixth Coalition, was Field Marshal of the Bavarian Army and commanded the Bavarian forces in the Austro-Prussian War of 1866. Austria, Empire, Military Order of Maria Theresa, Jubilee Medal 1843, 52mm, silver, rim officially impressed (Se. K. Hoheit Carl Prinz V. Baiern), nearly extremely fine and rare. The 1843 Jubilee silver medal was created to commemorate the 50th anniversary of Archduke Karl Ludwig's induction into the Military Order of Maria Theresa. This commemorative medal was presented to all living members of the Order in 1843. Approximately 140 silver medals were issued to Knights of the Order, which included Prince Karl Theodor. Prince Karl Theodor of Bayern was born in Munich on 7 July 1795, the second son of King Maximilian I of Bavaria and his wife Princess Augusta Wilhelmine of Hesse-Darmstadt. The Prince's long military career saw its beginning in the fight against Napoleon I, against whom he fought at the Battle of Hanau in October 1813 when he was just eighteen years old. The battle was a tactical victory for Napoleon, opening a line of retreat for the French army. The young Prince was made general of a division after the battle and with them took part in the Campaign of 1814 against the French Emperor in the final months of the War of Sixth Coalition. The Prince temporarily retired from service in 1822 owing to disagreements with Bavarian Field Marshal Karl Philipp von Wrede. He resided in Munich, where hemorganatically married Marie-Anne-Sophie Petin on 1 October 1823 and with whom he went on to have issue of three daughters. Upon von Wrede's death in 1838, Prince Karl was appointed Field Marshal of the Bavarian Army by his brother King Ludwig I. In 1866 Bavaria sided with Austria during the Austro-Prussian War and the Prince acted as commander-in-chief of the Bavarian corps which fought in the conflict. These troops comprised about 52,000 men and fought in the Main Campaign, suffering heavy losses particularly at the Battle of Kissingen on 10 July where they were soundly defeated by Prussian forces. Prince Karl left the service after the defeat of the allied Austrian forces. He died at Tegernsee on 16 August 1875 when he was killed instantly upon falling from his horse while riding at the age of eighty. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£500 to £700

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**Lot 1039**



Austria, Empire, Order of the Crown, Commander's neck Badge, 5.5cm including crown x 2.9cm, gilt and enamel, light enamel damage, otherwise very fine Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£500 to £700

**Lot 1040**



(x) Austria, Empire, Order of Elisabeth, 1st Class ladies shoulder Badge, 80mm including ribbon suspension x 46mm, silver-gilt and enamel, hallmarks to reverse of ribbon suspension and upper suspension clasp, suspension sometime replaced, some wear to enamel roses, otherwise very fine Sold as viewed and not subject to return. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£250 to £350

**Lot 1041**



Austria, Empire, Order Of the German Knights, Marian Knight's Cross, 4.0cm x 3.4cm, silver-gilt and enamel, some enamel damage, otherwise very fine Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£70 to £100

**Lot 1042**



(x) Austria, Republic, Order of Merit of the Austrian Republic, 12th Class breast Badge, 64mm including coat of arms suspension x 46mm, silver, good very fine, with boutonniere Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£30 to £60

### Lot 1043



Austria, Empire, Order of Franz Joseph, Knight's breast Badge, gilt and enamel; Cross of Merit, breast Badge, silver and enamel, enamel damage to two arms; Military Merit Cross, 3rd Class with swords, severe enamel damage and replacement centre to reverse; Military Merit Medal, bronze grade; Bravery Medal, large size (2); Bravery Medal, small size, replacement unofficial loop; Bravery Medal, small size, bronze issue; Bravery Medal, small size (Der Tapferkeit); Franz Joseph Jubilee 1848-1908; Karl Truppenkreuz Cross 1916; Diamond Jubilee 1848-1898; Commemorative Medal 1914-1918; Single Wound Medal 1918; Red Cross Medal 1864-1914, silver issue, with bow for wear by a lady (loose), enamel damage where stated, otherwise very fine overall (15) Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£200 to £300

### Lot 1044



(x) Austria, Army Cross 1814, white metal; Army Cross 1814, bronze; Germany, Prussia, Medal for 1813-1814; Medal for 1814; Medal for 1815; Medal for 1815 for Non-Combattants; Merit Medal 1821, bronze, resoldered suspension; France, Medal for St. Helena 1821, suspension loop absent; South Africa, Johannesburg 1914-1919 Tribute Medal, bronze, overall fine and better (9) Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£100 to £150

### Lot 1045



Austria, Empire, Merit Cross, silver and enamel; Bravery Medal, large size; Republic, Order of Merit, Type 2, 3rd Class neck Badge, gilt and enamel, in Anton Reitterer case of issue; Order of Merit, Type 2, Knight's breast Badge, gilt and enamel; Order of Merit, Type 2, Knight's breast Badge, gilt; Order of Merit, Type 2, Knight's breast Badge, silver, enamel damage to the first, otherwise very fine (6) Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£100 to £150

### Lot 1046



A mounted group of seven Austrian and German awards Bravery Medal, silver grade with swords on riband; Military Merit Medal with swords on riband; Prussia, Iron Cross 1914, Second Class; Karl Troop Cross 1916; War Medal 1873; Jubilee Medal 1898; Honour Decoration of the Red Cross, mounted continental-style as worn, the Iron Cross split but complete, otherwise very fine throughout (7) Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£150 to £200



**Lot 1047**



(x) Austria, Republic, Silver Medal of Merit of Vienna, breast Badge, 45mm, silvered and enamel, good very fine, in fitted case of issue with boutonniere. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£30 to £50

**Lot 1048**



(x) Belgium, Kingdom, Order of Leopold, Military Division, Knight's breast Badge, by Fisch, Brussels, with silver Palme on riband, 75mm including crown suspension x 40mm, silver, silver-gilt and enamel, some enamel chipping, otherwise very fine, in fitted case of issue, this worn 'Lt. Yanbozjel 1914-1940' handwritten in interior lid of case. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£30 to £50

**Lot 1049**



(x) Belgium, Kingdom, Order of Leopold, Civil Division, Commander's neck Badge, 89mm including crown suspension x 56mm, silver-gilt and enamel, with hallmark under suspension, on length of neck riband as worn, minor enamel loss on obverse and reverse, otherwise good very fine. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£100 to £140

### Lot 1050



Belgium, Order of Leopold, Knight's breast Badge, silver-gilt, silver and enamel; Order of Leopold, Knight's breast Badge with swords, silver-gilt, silver and enamel; Order of Leopold II, Officer's breast Badge, gilt and enamel; Order of the Crown, Knight's breast Badge, silver-gilt, silver and enamel; Commemorative Medal for the Royal Voyage to Brazil 1920; Military Decoration for Exceptional Service with Chevron, the first five in their boxes of issue, overall very fine or better (6) Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£100 to £150

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### Lot 1051



(x) Belgium, Kingdom (2), Order of Leopold, Knight's breast Badge, 65mm including crown suspension x 39mm, silvered and enamel; Order of the Crown, Knight's breast Badge, with Swords on riband, 62mm including wreath suspension x 41mm, silvered, gilt and enamel, Order of the Crown has a few slightly bent ray tips, toning, otherwise very fine, Order of Leopold has extensive poor enamel repairs, about very fine (2) Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£30 to £50

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### Lot 1052



Three unattributed groups of continentally-mounted Belgian and French dress miniature medals Belgium, Kingdom, Order of the Crown, gilt and enamel, with rosette upon riband; Order of Leopold II, gilt and enamel, with rosette upon riband; Yser Cross 1918, with enamel; Frontline Service Cross 1914-18; Combat Volunteers Medal 1914-18, mounted continental-style as worn upon double-braided chain with pins at ends, very fine (5) Belgium, Kingdom, Order of Leopold, Military Division, gilt and enamel; War Cross; Yser Medal; Victory Medal; Commemorative War Medal 1914-18, mounted continental-style as worn upon double-braided chain with curved pins at ends, very fine (10) France, Republic, Colonial Medal, red enamel star upon riband, 4 clasps, Somalie, Moyen-Orient, Tchad, Cambodge; National Defence Medal, 2nd Type, 2 clasps, Missions d'Assistance Exterieur, Legion Etrangere, mounted continental-style as worn upon chain with pins at either end, very fine (12) Belgium, Kingdom, Medal for the 25th Anniversary of Leopold I's Inauguration; Civil Decoration Cross, gilt and enamel; Leopold II Commemorative Medal, unmounted and not on ribands, very fine (15) Sold together with two lengths of miniature riband for the Belgian Military Cross, each with rosette, with everything contained in a Gustave Wolfers, Brussels card box, this worn Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£60 to £80

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### Lot 1053



(x) Belgium, Kingdom, Military Cross, 1st Class breast Badge, gilt metal and enamel, very fine Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£30 to £50

### Lot 1054



Belgium, Military Cross, 1st Class breast Badge, gilt metal and enamel, in Fisch & Co case of issue, slight enamel damage; Centenary of National Independence Commemorative Medal 1830-1930 (2); France, War Medal 1914-18, overall very fine (3) Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£80 to £120

### Lot 1055



(x) An assortment of foreign medals Belgium, Kingdom, Croix de Guerre (1), France, Republic, Croix des Theatres D'Operation Exterieurs, on incorrect riband; Croix de Guerre 1914-18, Croix du Combattant 1939-40; Wound Medal, these four mounted together; Croix de Guerre 1914-18; Medal of the French Family, with Rosette; Union Latine breast Badge, with Rosette, gilt and enamel, cased (7), United States of America, Vietnam Service Medal (1), generally very fine overall (9) Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£100 to £150

### Lot 1056



(x) A rare Belgian Second World War propaganda medal 'awarded to cowards' who fled Belgium for the safety of France Belgium, Cross of the Hare, 3rd Type, bronze, very fine The front of the medal features a hare running alongside a soldier headed in the direction marked 'Montpelier' by a road sign, enclosed in a ring of text translating to 'He runs faster than me'. The reverse sees a cartoonish Belgian soldier fleeing, having discarded his military effects, with text translating to 'Awarded to cowards 10-23 May' denoting the dates of the German blitzkrieg in Belgium. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£30 to £50

### Lot 1057



An assortment of European medals: Belgium, Kingdom, African War Medal 1940-45; France, a society medal featuring the Cross of Lorraine, two clasps, in card box; Germany (2), Prussia, Commemorative Cross for War 1866, 1st Type, bronze; Upper Silesia, Weimar Republic, Medal for Upper Silesia 1920-22; Norway, Kingdom, Medal for Haakons 70th Birthday 1930, bronze, in its box of issue; Russia, Kingdom, Nicholas II Coronation Medal 1896; United Kingdom, War Medal 1939-45, mounted on pin for wear, overall about very fine to good very fine (7) Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£70 to £90

### Lot 1058



(x) Belgium, Kingdom, Reconnaissance Medal, with 4 stars on riband, silvered metal and enamel, very fine Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£20 to £40

### Lot 1059



Belgian Congo, Chief's Medal 1955, 75mm, silvered with integral silvered neck chain; Native Chief's Medal (2); Katanga Badge (2), very fine (5) Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£160 to £200

### Lot 1060



(x) Brunei, Sultanate, Order of Gallantry of Brunei, 2nd Class Badge, by Spink & Son, 53mm, silver, silver-gilt and enamel, nearly extremely fine, in its original Spink & Son case of issue with miniature medal (2) Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£140 to £180



**Lot 1061**

(x) The important Bulgarian Order of St. Alexander awarded to Prince Victor Napoléon in June 1908Bulgaria, Kingdom, Order of St. Alexander, Grand Cross set of Insignia, comprising sash Badge, 105mm including crown suspension x 55mm, silver-gilt and enamel, silver marks to loop; breast Star, 86mm, by Rothe, Vienna, silver, silver-gilt and enamel, good very fine, with sash riband (2)It must be assumed that this remarkable Order was offered as part of the Collection of Prince Napoleon, which was sold in Zurich by Leu Auctions in October 1975.Sold together with Bestowal Document, in French, for June 1908.Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£1,400 to £1,800

**Lot 1062**

(x) Bulgaria, Kingdom, Order of St. Alexander, Military Division, Grand Cross set of Insignia, comprising sash Badge, 115mm including crown and crossed swords suspension x 55mm, silver-gilt and enamel; breast Star, 90mm, silver-gilt and enamel, very fine, with full sash riband (2)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£600 to £800

**Lot 1063**

Bulgaria, Kingdom, Order of St. Alexander, Officer's breast Badge, by Rothe & Neffe, silver-gilt and enamel, in its case of issue with four unrelated minor tailor's copy medals, the first good very fine, the rest fine or better (5)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£100 to £150

**Lot 1064**

Bulgaria, Kingdom, Order of St Alexander, 5th Class breast Badge, 40mm, silver-gilt and enamel, good very fine, in its case of issueSubject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£50 to £70

**Lot 1065**



**Bulgaria, Kingdom, Order of Military Bravery, Knight's breast Badge, bronze-gilt, silver and enamel, toned, good very fine**Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

**Estimate**  
**£60 to £80**

**Lot 1066**



**(x) Bulgaria, Kingdom, Order of Military Merit, 4th Class breast Badge with War Decoration wreath, 76mm x 47mm, glit and enamel, minor chipping to central white enamel, otherwise very fine**Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

**Estimate**  
**£70 to £90**

**Lot 1067**



**(x) Bulgaria, Kingdom, Order of Military Merit, breast Badge, 77mm including crown suspension x 51mm, gilt and enamel, with rosette upon riband, good very fine**Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

**Estimate**  
**£70 to £90**

**Lot 1068**



**(x) Bulgaria, Kingdom, Order of Civil Merit, Commander's neck Badge, 98mm including crown suspension x 62mm, gilt and enamel, minor cracking and slight chip upper arm tip, otherwise good very fine**Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

**Estimate**  
**£120 to £180**

**Lot 1069**



**(x) Bulgaria, Kingdom, Order of Civil Merit, breast Star, 84mm, silvered, gilt and enamel, centre slightly loose, very fine**Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

**Estimate**  
**£60 to £80**

**Lot 1070**



(x) Bulgaria, Kingdom, 85th Infantry unit Badge, 62mm x 40mm, silvered and enamel; Reserve & Retired Petty Officer's Badge, 56mm x 41mm, silver, silvered and enamel, very fine  
(2) Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£100 to £140

**Lot 1071**



Cambodia, Indochina, Royal Order of Moniseraphon, 5th Class breast Badge, 47mm x 36mm, gilt, very fine Sri Lanka, Republic, Rana Wickrama Padakkama Combat Gallantry Medal, on incorrect riband, some light edge bruising, otherwise very fine Thailand, Kindgom, Order of the White Elephant, neck badge, 47mm, gilt and enamel, part of crown suspension broken and missing, some minor scratches and light chips to enamel, otherwise very fine (3) Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£80 to £120

**Lot 1072**



(x) Canada, Order of Canada, neck Badge, silver-gilt and enamel, the reverse officially numbered '717', some enamel repairs, very fine Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£400 to £600

**Lot 1073**



(x) Canada, Confederation Centennial Medal 1967, good very fine, in damaged case of issue Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£20 to £30

Lot 1074

**IMAGE  
PENDING**

**SPINK**  
WHERE HISTORY IS VALUED

(x) Central African Republic, Order of Operation Bokassa, Grand Cross sash Badge, 90mm including wreath suspension x 61mm, silver-gilt and enamel, silver mark to loop, some chips and wear to enamel, centre loose, otherwise very fine, with full but incorrect sash for wear Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£200 to £300

Lot 1075



(x) Chile, Republic, Order of Merit, Grand Officer's set of Insignia by Hours, Santiago, comprising breast Star, 70mm, silver-gilt, gilt and enamel; neck Badge, 68mm including condor suspension x 47mm, silver-gilt, gilt and enamel, Star missing pinback and with slight chipping to enamel, otherwise very fine, in its fitted case of issue (2) Sold together with Spanish-language 'Historia de la Orden "Al Merito" de Chile' booklet, printed in 1934. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£80 to £120

Lot 1076



(x) China, Republic, Order of Merit, silver-gilt and enamel, reverse officially numbered '074', very fine, housed in an unrelated medal case Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£40 to £60

Lot 1077



China, China War Memorial Medal, the reverse officially numbered '13330', in its fitted case, this also numbered '13330' and with riband bar, good very fine Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£40 to £60



**Lot 1078**

Comoros, French Colonial, Royal Order of the Star of Anjouan, breast Badge, 58mm, gilt and enamel, one minor chip to enamel centre, otherwise very fine. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£70 to £90

**Lot 1079**

(x) Cuba, Republic, Order of Manuel Cespedes, Commander's neck badge, 60mm including suspension x 50mm, silver-gilt and enamel, on length of neck riband as worn, toning, some enamel damage to lower blue ribbon, otherwise good very fine. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£100 to £140

**Lot 1080**

A Collection of World Medals given to an unidentified member of the Royal Household Denmark, Royal Medal of Recompense, Margareta II issue, silver; Finland, Order of the White Rose, 1st Class, silver; France, Republique Francaise, silver; Iceland, President of Iceland's Medal of Honour, silver; Jordan, Order of Independence, Knight's breast Badge, silver, silver-gilt and enamel, with corresponding miniature; Nepal, Decoration of Nepal, silver; Portugal, Order of Prince Henry, gilt bronze, all medals housed in official cases or boxes of issue, some tape residue to reverse, otherwise very fine or better (7). Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£200 to £300

**Lot 1081**

(x) Denmark, Kingdom, Red Cross Medal 1939-45, breast Badge, by A. Michelsen, Copenhagen, 39mm, silver and enamel, light wear to enamel, good very fine, in fitted card box of issue. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£40 to £60

**Lot 1082**



(x) Egypt, Kingdom, Order of the Nile, 5th Class, Knight's breast Badge, signed by Lattes, 63mm including crown suspension x 45mm, silver, silver-gilt and enamel, with hallmarks, good very fine Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£80 to £120

**Lot 1083**



(x) Estonia, Republic, White Cross of the Home Guard, 3rd Class breast Badge, 45mm x 38mm, gilt and enamel, minor chipping to lower reverse rays, otherwise very fine Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£60 to £80

**Lot 1084**

**IMAGE  
PENDING**

**SPINK**  
WHERE HISTORY IS VALUED

Ethiopia, Empire, Order of King Solomon's Seal, 2nd Type with Ethiopian Crown, Grand Cross set of Insignia, by B.A. Sevadjian, comprising sash Badge, 80mm including crown suspension x 52mm, gilt, maker's details to reverse, on full sash as worn; breast Star, 85mm, gilt, good very fine (2) Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£250 to £350

**Lot 1085**



Ethiopia, Empire, Order of the Queen of Sheba, Star, by B.A. Sevadjian, 75mm, gilt, very fine Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£100 to £140

### Lot 1086



An assortment of African medals: Ethiopia, Empire (2), Military Merit Medal of the Order of St. George, bronze; Patriot's Medal 1943, with 5 additional torch bars; Malawi, Republic, Police Long Service & Good Conduct Medal, 1 clasp, Police (Const A. Wadi); Nigeria, Independence Medal 1960, overall very fine (4)Malawi Police L.S. & G.C. sold together with a copy of The Malawi Government Gazette of 14 May 1973 in which the award was notified. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£40 to £60

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### Lot 1087



(x) Finland, Republic, Order of the Lion, 5th Class Knight's breast Badge, by Tillander, 40mm, silver, silver-gilt and enamel, hallmarks to loop, lightly toned, about extremely fine, in case of issue. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£70 to £90

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### Lot 1088



(x) Finland, Republic, Chamber of Commerce and Industry Long Service pin Badge for 20 Years of Service, sterling silver, with hallmarks, on blue silk folded as a bow, also with hallmarked lapel Badge, both in their case of issue, case in poor condition, Badges are very fine. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£20 to £40

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**Lot 1089**



France, Second Restoration, Legion of Honour, breast Badge, 63mm including crown suspension x 45mm, silvered and enamel, slight enamel damage in a few points, otherwise very fine. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£80 to £120

**Lot 1090**



(x) France, Republic, Legion of Honour, breast Star, 86mm x 89mm, silver, with silver mark and maker's mark to reverse retaining loop, pins and loop to the reverse are bent, centre slightly loose, otherwise very fine. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£500 to £700

**Lot 1091**



France, Republic, Grand Cross breast Star, 96mm, silver-gilt, hallmarks to top of pinback; Commander's neck Badge, 86mm including wreath suspension x 62mm, silver and enamel, hallmark to reverse, on length of neck riband as worn; Officer's breast Badge, 60mm including wreath suspension x 42mm, silver-gilt and enamel, with rosette on riband, obverse and reverse centres of neck Badge are detached, evidence of failed glue repair, nearly very fine, breast Badge is toned with slightly loose centre otherwise very fine, Star nearly extremely fine (3). Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£250 to £350

**Lot 1092**



(x) France, Third Republic, Legion of Honour, neck Badge, by Arthus Bertrand Beranger & Magdelaine, Paris, 88mm including wreath suspension x 59mm, silver-gilt and enamel, hallmarks to neck loop, with length of neck riband, nearly extremely fine, in its fitted case of issue. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£240 to £280



Lot 1093

**IMAGE  
PENDING**

**SPINK**  
WHERE HISTORY IS VALUED

France, Third Republic, Legion of Honour, 4th Class Officer's breast Badge, 60mm including wreath suspension x 40mm, silver-gilt and enamel, rosette upon riband, very fineSubject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£50 to £70

Lot 1094



(x) France, Third Republic, Legion of Honour, Knight's breast Badge, 75mm including suspension loop x 43mm, silver, silver-gilt and enamel, with paste or glass stones at tips and in suspension loop, intricate design, some wear to enamel which is lacking in some leaves, otherwise very fineSubject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£70 to £90

Lot 1095



(x) France, Third Republic, Legion of Honour, Chevalier's breast Badge, by Louis Aucoc Fils et Georges Aucoc, E. Langerock, 9 Rue de 4 Septembre, Paris, 54mm including wreath suspension x 39mm, silver, gilt and enamel, significant enamel loss and chipping to ray tips on obverse and reverse, otherwise very fine, in case of issue, this damagedSubject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£60 to £80

Lot 1096



(x) France, Third Republic, Legion of Honour, breast Badge, 62mm including wreath suspension x 43mm, gilt and enamel, with rosette on riband, one arm of star significantly chipped to reverse, otherwise very fineSubject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£60 to £80

**Lot 1097**

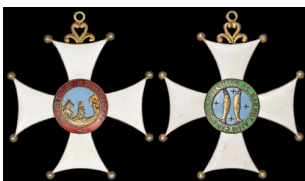
(x) A continentally-mounted group of four miniature dress medals France, Legion of Honour, gilt and enamel; Royal and Military Order of St. Louis, gilt and enamel; Austria, Order of Leopold, gilt and enamel; France, St. Helena Medal, bronze, mounted continental-style as worn upon seven braided chains with loop and catch at either end, some wear to Order of St. Louis enamel, otherwise overall good very fine, housed in a H. Slingsby Ltd., Nuneaton case (4) Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£70 to £90

**Lot 1098**

(x) An impressive unattributed mounted group of 8 international orders France, Republic, Legion of Honor; Croix de Guerre, reverse dated 1914-17; United Kingdom, Military Cross, hallmark to loop; United States of America, Distinguished Service Medal; Italy, Kingdom, Order of St. Maurice and St. Lazarus, hallmark to loop, with rosette on riband; Romania, Kingdom, Order of the Crown, with rosette on riband; Montenegro, Kingdom, Order of Danilo, with rosette on riband; Serbia, Kingdom, Order of St. Sava, with rosette on riband, mounted together as worn with two pins and a button by Kretly, 46 Palais Royal, Paris, in case of issue, Montenegro order missing central medallion to the reverse, otherwise good very fine overall (8) This group likely belonged to a French staff Officer. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£70 to £90

**Lot 1099**

France, Order of Saint Hubert, neck Badge, gilt and enamel, 62mm x 54mm, slight crack to enamel on one reverse panel, otherwise very fine The Order of Saint Hubert was established in 1416 by the Duchy of Bar lord's council. When the Duchy of Bar was later incorporated into the Kingdom of France, the Order continued to be recognised. While abandoned during the Revolution and First Empire, it returned briefly during the Second Empire only to meet its end with the Revolution of 1830. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£60 to £80

**Lot 1100**

(x) France, Colonial, Order of the Black Star of Benin, neck Badge, silver-gilt and enamel, good very fine, with neck riband Japan, Empire, Order of the Rising Sun, breast Badge, silver-gilt and enamel, very fine (20) Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£80 to £120

### Lot 1101



(x) An unnamed pair of medals awarded to a French serviceman Crimea 1854-56 no clasp; France, Commemorative Medal for 1859 Italian Campaign, sold together with the original certificates of issue for the medals in French, good very fine (2) The Commemorative medal of the 1859 Italian Campaign (French: Médaille commémorative de la campagne d'Italie de 1859) was a French commemorative medal established by Napoleon III, following the 1859 French campaign in Italy during the Second Italian War of Independence. It was awarded to all soldiers, sailors and other military and support personnel of the French forces who took part in the 1859 Italian Campaign. All recipients also received a certificate of award. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£60 to £80

### Lot 1102



France, Second Empire, St. Helena Medal, bronze, good very fine Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£30 to £50

### Lot 1103



(x) France, Third Republic, Medaille Militaire, silver-gilt and enamel, Type I and Type II, one fixed with loop fitting, Type II medals both with some enamel damage to obverse, otherwise very fine, Type I medal is good very fine (3) Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£60 to £80

### Lot 1104



Five to Soldier D. Germain, French Army, who was Killed in Action on 16 September 1914 France, Medaille Militaire; Croix de Guerre, with two stars; Victory Medal; Combattant's Cross; Commemorative Medal 1914-18, all housed in a modern frame for display, good very fine (5) Delet Germain was killed on 16 September 1914 in battle at the Moulin d'Amel. Sold together with the certificate for the Medaille Militaire, dated 27 April 1920. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£70 to £90

### Lot 1105



An unattributed mounted group of seven French campaign medals, and a further three French medals France, Republic, Cross for Military Valour, with bronze star; Combattants Cross; Colonial Medal, 1 clasp, Extreme-Orient; Indochina Campaign Medal; North Africa Security and Order Operations Medal, 2 clasps, Algerie, Maroc; Medal for United Nations Operations in Korea; United Nations Medal for Korea, French speaking issue, 1 clasp, Coree, all mounted on felt back for wear, some toned, otherwise very fine overall (7) France, Republic, Victory Medal 1914-18, 3rd Type; Indochina Campaign Medal; United Nations Medal for Korea, French speaking issue, 1 clasp, Coree, in its box of issue very fine (10) Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£80 to £120

### Lot 1106



(x) Germany, Imperial, Hansa, a Joint War Commemorative Medal Of The Hanseatic Legion c. 1815, 35mm, white metal, fitted with original ribband, toned, good very fine Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£140 to £180

### Lot 1107



Germany, Imperial, Medal of the Austro-Prussian War 1866; Franco-Prussian War Medal 1870-71; Army Long Service for 25 years; Prussia, Kaiser Wilhelm 1897 Centenary Medal; Prussia, Kaiser Wilhelm 1897 Centenary Medal, reduced size; South-West Africa Medal 1904-06; Red Cross Honour Medal; Army Long Service for 25 Years, very fine overall (7) Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£120 to £180

### Lot 1108



(x) Germany, Anhalt, Order of Albert the Bear, Commander's neck Badge, 53mm including suspension loop x 40mm, gold alloy, very fine Together with Anhalt, Friedrich Cross 1914; Reuss, Merit Medal with swords, silver, both very fine (3) Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£120 to £180



**Lot 1109**



(x) Germany (2), Baden, Order of the Zähringen Lion, breast Badge with Swords, 38mm, silver, silver-gilt and enamel with green crystal arms, base of lower arm impressed '935'; Württemberg, Military Merit Medal, silver, Merit Medal toned, good very fine, Zähringen Lion with polish residue, reverse centre slightly loose, otherwise good very fine (2) Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£200 to £400

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**Lot 1110**



(x) Germany, Bavaria, Order of St. Hubertus de Lorraine et du Barrois (Order of Fidelity), set of Insignia by Arturo Pozzi, Galleria Colonna 12, Roma, comprising breast Star, 67mm x 54mm, silver, silver-gilt and enamel, maker's cartouche to reverse; neck Badge, 102mm including ornate suspension x 47mm, silver, silver-gilt and enamel, on neck riband as worn, ball finial missing to one ray tip of Star, neck Badge centre slightly loose, otherwise very fine, in worn case with boutonniere (2) Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£80 to £120

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**Lot 1111**



(x) Germany, Bavaria, Military Merit Order of St. Michael, Knight's breast Badge, 39mm, silver, silver-gilt and enamel, lacking crossed swords suspension which is replaced with dual rings, some light scratches to enamel, otherwise good very fine Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£40 to £60

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**Lot 1112**



(x) Germany, Bavaria, Military Merit Order, 3rd Class breast Badge with Swords, by Gebrüder Hemmerle, 63mm including crown suspension x 41mm, bronze, Swords slightly loose and a couple ray tips slightly bent, otherwise very fine, in its worn fitted case of issue Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£30 to £50

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**Lot 1113**



**(x) Germany, Bavaria, Bayern, Military Merit Medal, 3rd Type (1806-48), silver, on length of riband, some contact marks and edge wear, otherwise very fine, scarce**Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

**Estimate  
£40 to £60**

**Lot 1114**



**(x) Germany, Brunswick, Medal for Waterloo 1817, steel clip and ring suspension (Friedr. Meyer. Av. Garde.), contact marks and light edge bruising, otherwise nearly very fine**Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

**Estimate  
£400 to £600**

**Lot 1115**



**(x) Germany, Nassau, Medal for Waterloo 1815, light contact marks, otherwise very fine**Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

**Estimate  
£250 to £350**

**Lot 1116**

**Sold by Order of the Family**The mounted group of eight miniature dress medals and riband button attributed to Dr J. S. Netter, German ArmyContinental-style mounted group of eight, including the Prussian Order of the Red Eagle, Order of the Crown, Red Cross & Red Crescent awards, mounted as wornBulgaria, Kingdom, Order of St Alexander, silvered; Hindenburg Cross 1914-18; Germany, Prussia, Iron Cross 1914, mounted as worn, very fine, together with various button-holes of the awards (Lot)Julius Seligsohn Netter was born in Berlin, from a prominent Jewish family. He served with the German Army during the Great War and was variously decorated by their Turkish allies. Having sold his business for just 5% of the previous offer due to the tumbling German currency in December 1937, he also had to pay a 25% emigration tax, which meant he escaped to England. Netter was Chairman of the Self-Aid of Refugees group and died in 1964; sold together with various copied notes, extracts and photographs.Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£200 to £300

**Lot 1117**

Germany, Prussia, Order of the Crown Gold Medal, gilt, the edge engraved 'J. Rossetter. 5.1. H.M.S. King. Edward. VII. April. 1905', nearly extremely fineH.M.S. King Edward VII was based at Gibraltar from 1st March to 20th April 1905. On Friday 31st March the S.S. Hamburg arrived at Gibraltar with H.M. Kaiser Wilhelm II on board, escorted by the cruiser Friedrich Carl. At 6:45 pm the Kaiser visited H.M.S. King Edward VII, which was flying the German ensign at the main, and he was saluted with 21 guns on leaving. The German ships sailed from Gibraltar on the following day when another royal salute was fired. Although there is no mention of any honours being distributed it is probable that this medal was awarded during the Kaiser's visit.John Rossetter was born on 5 May 1881, the son of John and Elizabeth Rossetter of 4 Salt Lane, Lower Lancing. He died on 5 November 1928 aboard H.M.S. Carysfort; sold together with copied research.Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£140 to £180

**Lot 1118**

(x) Germany, Prussia, Iron Cross 1813, silver with iron centre, good very fineSubject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£300 to £400

**Lot 1119**

Germany, Prussia, Iron Cross 1870, 1st Class, silver with iron centre, fitted with pin back and two further loops to attach to uniform, unmarked, cracked in three places, some scratching to the reverse, otherwise very fine Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£100 to £150

**Lot 1120**

(x) Germany, Prussia, Iron Cross 1870, breast Badge, with 25 years oak leaf cluster suspension, silver with iron centre, suspension ring with soldered repair, mounted continental style, one arm loose due to crack, otherwise very fine Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£180 to £220

**Lot 1121**

Germany, Prussia, Iron Cross 1870, 2nd Class; together with a Turkey, Gallipoli Star, both housed in a vintage fitted display box, very fine (2) Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£150 to £200

**Lot 1122**

(x) Germany, Prussia, Iron Cross 1914, breast Badge, silver with iron centre, mounted continental style as worn, very fine Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£40 to £60

**Lot 1123**

(x) Germany, Prussia, Iron Cross 1914, silver with iron centre, very fine Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£40 to £60

**Lot 1124**

Germany, Prussia, Iron Cross 1914, 1st Class, one stamped 'KO' on reverse most of the paint removed from the KO stamped example, otherwise very fine (2) Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£140 to £180



### Lot 1125



Germany, Prussia, Iron Cross 1914, 1st Class, convex issue, scratching to the reverse  
Iron Cross 1914, 2nd Class, very fine  
Prussia, Merit Cross for War Aid, good fine  
Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£100 to £150

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### Lot 1126



A mounted group of five Imperial German medals  
Germany, Prussia, Iron Cross 1914; Lippe-Detmold, War Merit Cross 1914; Reuss, Silver Merit Medal with swords; Hindenburg Cross 1914-18 with swords, reverse marked '87 R.V. Pforzheim'; Prussia, Military Long Service, 3rd Class Medal for nine years' service, mounted continental-style as worn, overall very fine (5)  
Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£120 to £160

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### Lot 1127



A miscellaneous assortment of German medals  
Prussia, Iron Cross 1914; Iron Cross 1914, hallmark to suspension ring, at some stage painted gold; Wurttemberg, Wilhelms Cross 1915, bronze; Reserve Long Service Decoration, 3rd Type, 2nd Class bronze medal, with riband; Prussia, 1/8 Thaler, silver, 24mm, coin with added suspension loops to appear as a medal, mounted on black riband, possibly for mourning, with reverse of top riband bar engraved '8. III. 1920', overall very fine (5)  
Sold together with riband bar for Prussian Iron Cross and Wurttemberg Friedrich Cross, two further short lengths of neck riband for the Friedrich Cross, and a length of riband for the Wurttemberg Campaign Medal.  
Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£60 to £80

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### Lot 1128



Germany, Prussia, First World War Memorial Cross with bar for Lorettohöhe, 39mm, silvered and enamel, some discolouration, scratches to enamel, otherwise very fine  
Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£30 to £50

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**Lot 1129**



(x) Germany, Saxe-Gotha-Alenburg Medal 1816, with gilt raised points, edge bruising and light contact marks, about very fine. N.C.O.s received this issue with gilt raised points. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£200 to £300

**Lot 1130**



(x) Germany, Saxe-Weimar, Honour Merit Medal for Women 1899, 41mm x 32mm, silver, on ladies bow, light contact marks, good very fine, scarce. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£80 to £120

**Lot 1131**



(x) Germany, Saxony, Order of Albert, 1st Type (1850-1876), Civil Division, Grand Cross sash Badge, 89mm including crown suspension x 52mm, silver-gilt and enamel, about extremely fine, with length of sash ribbon. A rare early Type of the Order, in which the central bust accidentally depicts Albert the Perennial instead of Albert the Bold. This was discovered in 1875 and subsequently changed. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£600 to £800

**Lot 1132**



Germany, Imperial, Observer's Badge, silver (800 fineness) and enamel, hollow plated version, silver mark on reverse, extremely fine. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£350 to £450

**Lot 1133**



Germany, Imperial, Pilot's Badge, silver, hollow plated version of single-piece construction, pin retaining hook repaired on reverse, otherwise extremely fine, scarce. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£250 to £300

**Lot 1134**

(x) Germany, Federal Republic, a selection of awards, including a mounted group of six including Order of Merit, Cross of Bravery and American Meritorious Service Medal; besides various awards, very fine (11) Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£100 to £140

**Lot 1135**

(x) Germany, Federal Republic, Cross of Merit, with 50 Year clasp, by Steinhauer & Lück, Lüdenscheid, 55mm, gilt and enamel, good very fine, in its case of issue Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£30 to £50

**Lot 1136**

India, Republic, Independence 1947 (4559 Sep. Bacham Singh, Pepsu Forces.); Police Independence 1950, unnamed; Campaign Medal, 1 clasp, Naga Hills (3) (1417744 Hav. Hari Datt, Bengal Engr. Gp.; 2641278 Gdr Jai Singh. Grs. [Grenadiers]; 4142290 Sep. Mehende Singh. Kumaon R.); Sainya-Seva Medal, 1 clasp (2), Himalaya (1562956 Spr. Mohan Singh. Bombay Engr Gp.), Bengal-Assam (2450163 Sep. Basu Dev. Punjab R.); Indo-Pakistan War 1965 (2) (380788 Dvr. Iswar Singh. Arty.; 684036 Sep. Inder Singh. D.S.C.); Samanya Seva, 1 clasp, Mizoram (4062716 Rfm. Bijai Singh. Garh. Rif.); Sangram Medal 1971 (2); 25th Anniversary Independence 1972 (2); Long Service 9 Years (3344277 Hav. Harbhajan Singh. Sikh R.); Pair to Sapper Krishnan, Madras Engineering Group, being Sangram Medal 1971 and 25th Anniversary Independence 1972 (1333447 Spr. Krishnan. M.E.G.), very fine (Lot) Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£60 to £80

**Lot 1137**

(x) Ireland, Free State, General Service Medal 1917-21, bronze, unnamed, with integral top riband bar and with separate riband bar, toned, light contact wear, otherwise very fine Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£70 to £90

**Lot 1138**

Ireland, Free State, Merchant Marine Service Medal 1939-46, with Seirbhís Náisiúnta clasp, contact marks, otherwise very fine Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£200 to £400

**Lot 1139**

(x) Ireland, Free State, Merchant Marine Service Medal 1939-46, 3 additional service clasps, with integral top 'Seirbhís Náisiúnta' riband bar, bronze, very fine The Irish Merchant Marine Service Medal was awarded for service on merchant ships during the Second World War for periods between six months and two years. Additional bars were awarded for further two year periods of service. Only 513 medals were awarded in total. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£200 to £400

**Lot 1140**

(x) Italy (2), Kingdom, Order of St. Maurice and St. Lazarus, Knight's breast Badge, 62mm including crown suspension x 42mm, gilt and enamel; Republic, Order of Merit, Knight's breast Badge, 61mm including tower suspension x 50mm, silver-gilt and enamel, hallmark to suspension loop, Merit is good very fine, Maurice and Lazarus with enamel cracking and chipping to obverse and reverse, one ray bent, about very fine (2) Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£40 to £60

**Lot 1141**

(x) Italy, Kingdom, Order of the Crown, neck Badge, 50mm, silver-gilt and enamel, with neck riband, in its Borani, Cravanzola, Via del Corso 338, Roma case of issue, two minor enamel insets of the crown missing, otherwise extremely fine Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£50 to £70



**Lot 1142**

An assortment of World Medals Italy, Kingdom, Order of the Crown, Knight's breast Badge, gold, silver-gilt and enamel; Poland, Cross of Merit, silver-gilt and enamel; Portugal, Life Saving and Humanity Medal; Medal for Exemplary Conduct 1910; Overseas Campaign Medal, bronze, light enamel damage to Order of the Crown, otherwise overall very fine (5) Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£140 to £180

**Lot 1143**

Italy, Kingdom, Colonial Order of the Star of Italy, 3rd Class Commander's neck Badge, gilt and enamel, 87mm including suspension x 50mm, enamel chipped in upper ray of star on obverse and reverse, otherwise very fine Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£80 to £120

**Lot 1144**

(x) Italy, Republic, Order of Merit, sash Badge, 99mm including crown suspension x 71mm, silver, silver-gilt and enamel, hallmarks to reverse, good very fine Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£70 to £90

**Lot 1145**

(x) Italy, Republic, Order of Merit, 3rd Class Commander's neck Badge, by Johnson, Milano & Roma, 76mm including tower suspension x 55mm, silver-gilt and enamel, on neck ribband as worn, very fine, in its fitted case of issue with miniature medal and boutonniere Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£70 to £90

**Lot 1146**

(x) Italy, Kingdom, Colonial Order of the Star of Italy, Commander's neck Badge, 77mm including crown suspension x 50mm, silver-gilt, gold and enamel, minor chipping to two star points on reverse, centre loose, otherwise very fine Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£180 to £220

**Lot 1147**

(x) Italy, Savoy, Military Order of Savoy, 1st Type, breast Badge, 37mm including crown suspension x 19mm, silver and enamel, good very fine The 1st Type badge of the Military Order of Savoy was produced between 1815 and 1855. The silver badge was awarded to privates while all other ranks received the award in gold. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£200 to £300

**Lot 1148**

(x) Italy, Kingdom, Al Valore Militare, bronze issue (Pascucci Silvio - Lucinico 8 Giugno 1915), good very fine Pascucci Silvio was from Gambettola (Forli) and was a 2nd Lieutenant of the Infantry Regiment and was awarded his Medal for the following action: 'In terrain heavily battered by enemy artillery and under fire from isolated snipers stationed in houses, he led his platoon with impetus and contempt for danger, falling mortally wounded after having achieved the task entrusted to him. Lucinico, 8 June 1915.' Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£300 to £500

**Lot 1149**

(x) Italy, Kingdom, Al Valore Militare, silver issue (Venuti Gaetano - Beccio - 11 Dic. 1937. XVI.), very fine Citation states: 'VENUTI Gaetano son of Domenico and Giuseppina Avellone, born in Montelepre (Palermo) on November 30, 1906, Lieutenant complement of the XII Colonial Battalion. Commander of an advanced Company, he led his men to attack positions strongly garrisoned by rebels, with enthusiasm and boldness, giving proof of uncommon value and expertise. Wounded, he continued to give orders, refusing any help, until, exhausted, he fell unconscious. A wonderful example of devotion to duty and of elite military action.' Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£400 to £600

**Lot 1150**

Italy, Kingdom, Messina Earthquake Medal 1908, silver, 18mm, a couple of light edge bruises, lightly toned, very fine Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£70 to £100

**Lot 1151**



(x) Italy, Kingdom, Messina Earthquake Medal 1908, silver, 18mm, court mounted for display, edge wear, otherwise very fine, with riband bar Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£40 to £60

**Lot 1152**



(x) Ivory Coast, Republic, National Order, Grand Officer's set of Insignia by A. Chobillon, Paris, comprising breast Star, 84mm, silver, silver-gilt and enamel, silver mark to reverse pinback; neck Badge, 56mm, silver-gilt and enamel, silver marks to reverse and to retaining loop, on full neck riband as worn, some enamel loss to central ring of Badge, significant enamel loss and cracks throughout Star with attempted repairs, otherwise very fine, in fitted case of issue (2) Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£80 to £120

**Lot 1153**



(x) Japan, Manchukuo, Order of the Auspicious Clouds, 6th Class breast Badge, 80mm including suspension x 49mm, silver and enamel, Japanese characters on reverse of suspension translate to 'Order of Merit Decorations', good very fine Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£100 to £140

#### Lot 1154



(x) Japan, Manchukuo, Order of the Auspicious Clouds, 6th Class breast Badge, 80mm including suspension x 49mm, silver-gilt and enamel, Japanese characters on reverse of suspension translate to 'Order of Merit Decorations', on riband as worn, minor chips to central red enamel ring, otherwise very fine Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£100 to £140

#### Lot 1155



(x) Japan, Empire, Order of the Golden Kite, copy 1st Class sash Badge, 77mm, gilt and enamel, with short length of sash riband, some wear to enamel, otherwise very fine, in fitted wooden case with outer card sleeve Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£70 to £90

#### Lot 1156



(x) Japan, Empire, Order of the Precious Crown, ladies shoulder Badge, 42mm x 38mm, silver, silver-gilt, good very fine Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£180 to £220

#### Lot 1157



(x) Japan, Empire, Red Cross Order of Merit, ladies shoulder Badge, 46mm, silver and enamel, good very fine, in fitted case of issue, this with broken hinge Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£40 to £60

#### Lot 1158



An assortment of World Medals Japan, 1904-05 War Medal, 1937 Japan-China Incident, very fine France, Legion of Honour, Knight's breast Badge, silver and enamel, Medaille Militaire, silver-gilt, silver and enamel, Croix de Guerre, 1914-1918 with Star, sold together with other minor issues from Italy, U.S.S.R., etc., damage to enamel of first, overall very fine Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£100 to £150



**Lot 1159**



Jordan, Hashemite Kingdom, 1st Class set of Insignia, comprising sash Badge, 88mm including suspension x 52mm, silver, silver-gilt and enamel, maker's mark and local hallmarks to reverse, on full sash ribband as worn; breast Star, 74mm, silver, silver-gilt and enamel, maker's mark and local hallmarks to reverse of Star, to pin back, and to retaining hoop, about extremely fine, in fitted case of issue, this significantly worn with damage. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£250 to £350

**Lot 1160**



(x) Korea, Empire, Order of the Eight Trigrams, 4th Class breast Badge, with flower rosette on detached ribband, 51mm, silver and enamel, silver hallmark to ring, local characters to reverse, light wear to enamel with scratch to upper ray, otherwise very fine. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£300 to £500

**Lot 1161**



(x) Korea, Republic, Order of Military Merit, 4th Class 'Hwarang' breast Badge, with Star on ribband, 38mm, gilt and enamel, reverse officially numbered '1320', very fine, in damaged fitted case of issue with ribband bar. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£30 to £60

**Lot 1162**



(x) Luxembourg, Kingdom, Order of the Oak Crown, 4th Class Officer's breast Badge, with Rosette on ribband, 40mm, silver-gilt and enamel, good very fine, in fitted case of issue. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£50 to £70

Lot 1163

**IMAGE  
PENDING**

**SPINK**  
WHERE HISTORY IS VALUED

(x) Mexico, Republic, Order of the Aztec Eagle, Grand Cross set of Insignia by La Esmeralda, Mexico. Hauser, Zivy y Cia, Sucs., comprising sash Badge, 62mm, silver-gilt and enamel, on full sash as worn; breast Star, 60mm, silver-gilt and enamel, Badge is very fine, Star with bent enamel snake, evidence of repair with traces of adhesive, about very fine, in fitted case of issue, this damaged with broken hinges and loose clasp (2) Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£180 to £220

Lot 1164



Monaco, Principality, Order of St. Charles, Knight's breast Badge, silver-gilt and enamel, light enamel damage, otherwise very fine, in Louis Aubert, Paris case of issue Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£100 to £150

Lot 1165



(x) Monaco, Principality, Medal of Honour for Work, breast Badge, by Louis Aubert, Paris, Louis II issue, bronze, good very fine, in its worn fitted case of issue Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£40 to £60

Lot 1166



(x) Mongolia, Soviet Peoples' Republic, Officer's State Security Badge, reverse numbered '104', 44mm x 26mm, silver and enamel, with hallmarks and silver marks to reverse, screw plate backing, good very fine Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£200 to £300

**Lot 1167**



(x) Montenegro, Kingdom, Order of Danilo, breast Star, 72mm, silver, gold centre and enamel, by Vinc Mayer's Sohne, Vienna, maker's cartouche to reverse, hallmarks to pinback, central device sometime replaced and lacking legend and crown, part of lowermost ray broken off, otherwise very fine. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£200 to £300

**Lot 1168**



Nepal, Kingdom, King Tribhuvan Silver Jubilee 1936, silver, a few minor edge knocks, about very fine; King Mahendra's Coronation Medal 1955, silver, suspension slightly slack, minor contact marks, good fine (2). Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£40 to £60

**Lot 1169**

**IMAGE  
PENDING**

(x) Netherlands, Kingdom, Order of Orange-Nassau, Civil Division, 1st Class Grand Cross sash Badge, by Roelof Citroen, Amsterdam, 83mm including crown suspension x 54mm, silver-gilt and enamel, with full sash as worn, about extremely fine, in damaged fitted case of issue. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£300 to £500

**SPINK**  
WHERE HISTORY IS VALUED

**Lot 1170**



(x) Netherlands, Kingdom, Order of Orange-Nassau, Civil Division, breast Badge, 62mm including crown suspension x 40mm, silver-gilt and enamel, with rosette on ribbon, nearly extremely fine, in its fitted M. J. Goudsmit, Bijoutjer, La Haye case of issue. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£70 to £90

Lot 1171



(x) Netherlands, Kingdom, Memorial Cross 1813-15, silver, hallmarks to reverse, fitted with straight bar suspension, contact marks, nearly very fine Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£100 to £150

Lot 1172

IMAGE  
PENDING

**SPINK**  
WHERE HISTORY IS VALUED

(x) Norway, Kingdom, Order of St Olav, Military Division, neck Badge, by Tostrup, 96mm including crown and crossed swords suspension x 62mm, gold (marked 750) and enamel, maker's initials and purity mark to loop, a little enamel chipping, very fine, with original silk neck riband with fittings as worn Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£500 to £700

Lot 1173



Papua New Guinea, Police Bravery Medal, the reverse officially numbered '68', 32mm, silver (marked 'Stg. Sil.'). two lugs to reverse, good very fine Awarded 1940-64. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£140 to £180

Lot 1174



(x) Paraguay, Republic, National Order of Merit, Star, 95mm, silver, purity mark to reverse, retaining pin slightly loose, otherwise good very fine Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£80 to £120

Lot 1175

IMAGE  
PENDING

**SPINK**  
WHERE HISTORY IS VALUED

(x) Peru, Republic, Order of the Sun of Peru, Grand Cross set of Insignia by Arthus Bertrand et Lemaitre, 46 Rue de Rennes, Paris, comprising sash Badge, 85mm including wreath suspension x 59mm, silver-gilt and enamel, on full sash riband as worn with fittings; breast Star, 78mm, silver-gilt and enamel, very fine, in its fitted case of issue (2) Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£120 to £180



Lot 1176



(x) Portugal, Kingdom, Order of Vila Viçosa, Grand Commander's breast Star, 84mm including crown x 72mm, silver-gilt and enamel, enamel loss to a few stars, a couple of these and crown slightly loose, otherwise very fine Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£300 to £500

Lot 1177

IMAGE  
PENDING

**SPINK**  
WHERE HISTORY IS VALUED

(x) Portugal, Kingdom, Military Order of the Tower and Sword, Collar Chain, by Frederico G. Da Costa, Fabricante de Condecorações Lisboa, R. de S. Julião Nº 110-3º, comprising alternating medallions of towers and wreath with sword, linked by floreate medallions, silver and enamel, hallmarks to suspension loop, maker's mark to rear-most connecting link, minor enamel chips and scuffing, otherwise good very fine, in fitted case of issue, this worn Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£800 to £1,200

Lot 1178



Portugal, Kingdom, Military Order of Christ, 2nd Class breast Star, silver and enamel, 8.5cm x 8.3cm, a couple of leaves missing enamel, otherwise good very fine Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£200 to £300

Lot 1179



(x) Portugal, Kingdom, Order of Aviz, Grand Cross sash Badge, gilt and enamel, 86mm x 55mm, on full sash for display, centre slightly loose, otherwise very fine Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£200 to £300

Lot 1180



(x) Portugal, Republic, Order of Prince Henry, Commander's breast Star, by Federico Costa Ltd. Condecorações, R. S. Julião, 110 3º, Lisboa, 75mm, silver and enamel, maker's details to retaining pin hinge and hallmarks to reverse of rays, very fine, in its fitted case of issue with miniature medal and boutonniere Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£60 to £80

**Lot 1181**

Portugal, Kingdom, Don Pedro's & Dona Maria's War of Liberation Medal for Military Service, with clasp for three years' service, bronze, 31mm; Military Medal for Exemplary Behaviour, silver grade for fifteen years, the two suspension hoops each hallmarked, in its plastic box of issue; Commemorative Medal for Special Service Commissions, very fine (3)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£40 to £60

**Lot 1182**

Rhodesia, Rhodesian Native Chief's Badge and Gorget, brass, each pierced and on neck chain for wear, some toning, very fine (2)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£40 to £60

**Lot 1183**

(x) Romania, Kingdom, Order of the Star, Military Division, neck Badge, 2nd Type, gilt and enamel, 80mm including crown suspension x 50mm, on neck riband as worn, scratches and cracks to enamel with chipped sections of obverse centre and arms, otherwise very fine, housed in a Monetaria Nationala caseSubject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£80 to £120

**Lot 1184**

(x) Romania, Kingdom, Order of the Star, Military Division (Peace Time), breast Badge, 68mm including crown suspension x 42mm, silver and enamel, silver mark to suspension loop, one minor chip to right obverse arm, otherwise about extremely fineSubject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£60 to £80

**Lot 1185**

(x) Russia, Imperial, Order of St Vladimir, breast Badge, 35mm, gold and black enamel, gold marks to loop, rather fine quality centres, good very fineSubject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£500 to £700

**Lot 1186**



(x) Russia, Imperial, case of issue for Order of St. Anne, 2nd Class, red leather with gold lettering, worn but functional Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£40 to £60

**Lot 1187**



Russia, Imperial, Medal of St. George, 4th Class, '213323' impressed, fitted with replacement loop, a couple of edge bruises and contact marks, very fine Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£70 to £100

**Lot 1187A**



(x) Russia, Empire, Cross of the Order of St. George, Fourth Class, silver-gilt, very fine Russia, Empire, Medal for the Defence of Sevastopol, silver, suspension re-soldered, nearly very fine Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£140 to £180

**Lot 1188**



(x) Russia, Imperial, Crimean War Commemorative Medal 1853-56, bronze, 28mm, very fine The obverse of the medal features the crowned monograms of Emperors Nicholas I and Alexander II with dates, and the cyrillic description on the reverse translates to: 'We have set our hopes in Thee O Lord, Let us never be ashamed'. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£40 to £60

**Lot 1189**

Russia, Imperial, Alexander III Coronation Medal 1883, evidence of verdigris and light contact marks; Reign of Alexander III Medal 1881-94, silver, contact marks, very fine; Medal for 300 years of the Romanov Dynasty 1913 (2), very fine; Order Of Saint Nicholas The Wonderworker 1914-1917, 1st Type, with swords and griffins, light scratching to the enamel (5) Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£240 to £280

**Lot 1190**

Russia, Imperial, a privately made medalet for the Coronation of Alexander III 15 March 1883, featuring monogram of Alexander III to the obverse, with date to reverse, gold and enamel, 2.2cm, light enamel damage, otherwise very fine Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£140 to £180

**Lot 1191**

Russia, Imperial, Medal for Zeal, silver, 30mm, lightly toned, good very fine Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£140 to £180

**Lot 1192**

Russia, Imperial, Medal for Zeal, Nicholas II, silver, 30mm, light contact marks, otherwise very fine Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£100 to £140



### Lot 1193



(x) Russia, Imperial, Medal for Zeal, silver, 30mm, mounted as worn by French or Belgian troops, toned, very fine Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£100 to £150

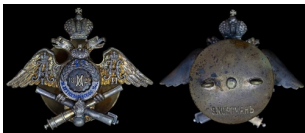
### Lot 1194



Russia, Imperial, Badge For The 50th Anniversary of The Reform of the Law 1864-1914, 5.2cm x 2.7cm, hallmarks to reverse, fitted with spring clip to attach to a lapel, very fine Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£100 to £150

### Lot 1195



Russia, Imperial, Graduate's Badge of the Mikhailovsky Artillery School, St. Petersburg, until 1917, bronze and silver, 4.8 x 6.8 cm, double-headed eagle crowned with a crown and holding the crossed barrels of guns; on the wings of the monogram of Alexander I and Nicholas II, in the center of the school sign with the monogram M and the date of foundation 1820, lightly toned, very fine The school was founded by Fr. Mikhail Pavlovich in 1820. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£200 to £300

### Lot 1196



Russia, Imperial, Graduation Badge for Michael's Artillery Academy - Mikhailovskaya Artillery Academy in St Petersburg, gilt metal, 5.7cm x 4.5cm, screw fitting to reverse, small solder repair at 12 o'clock, otherwise very fine; together with another Imperial Badge with eagle within wreath, bronze gilt, 4.6cm x 3.6cm, screw fitting to reverse, some staining and tarnishing, otherwise very fine (2) Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£150 to £200

**Lot 1197**

(x) Russia, Soviet Union, Order of Lenin, the reverse officially numbered '44895', gold, platinum and enamel, very fine Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£1,400 to £1,800

**Lot 1198**

Russia, Soviet Union, Order of Lenin, Type 6 Variation 1, the reverse officially numbered '278177', gold, platinum and enamel, with five sided riband suspension and pin back, good very fine The Order of Lenin, named after the leader of the Russian October Revolution, was established by the Central Executive Committee on April 6, 1930 and was the highest civilian decoration bestowed by the Soviet Union. The order was awarded to: civilians for outstanding services rendered to the State; members of the armed forces for exemplary service; those who promoted friendship and cooperation between peoples and in strengthening peace; and those with meritorious services to the Soviet state and society. From 1944 to 1957, before the institution of specific length of service medals, the Order of Lenin was also used to reward twenty-five years of conspicuous military service. Those who were awarded the titles "Hero of the Soviet Union" and "Hero of Socialist Labour" were also given the order as part of the award. It was also bestowed on cities, companies, factories, regions, military units and ships. Corporate entities, various educational institutions and military units who received the said Order applied the full name of the order into their official titles. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£700 to £900

**Lot 1199**

Russia, Soviet Union, Order of the Badge of Honour, Type 2 Variation 4, numbered '9872', screwback absent, otherwise very fine Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£50 to £80

**Lot 1200**

Russia, Soviet Union, Order of the Patriotic War, 2nd Class, Type 2, numbered '483570', screwback absent, otherwise very fine Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£50 to £80

Lot 1201

**IMAGE  
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**SPINK**  
WHERE HISTORY IS VALUED

(x) Russia, Soviet Union, Lot of military badges, including badges of the Soviet Artillery, Air Defense, Machine Gunners, Tankers, Sappers, Shooters, Snipers, Signal Corps, Medical Corps and Air Force, among others, each with screw-back reverse, most with Russian characters to screw-back fittings, some with enamel damage, contact wear, generally about very fine and better (15) Together with three unrelated letters in Russian. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£160 to £200

Lot 1202



(x) San Marino, Republic, Order of San Marino, breast Star, by E. Gardino Succ. Cravanzola, Rome, 76mm, silver and enamel; neck Badge, 90mm including crown suspension x 56mm, gilt and enamel, good very fine and better (2) Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£200 to £300

Lot 1203



(x) San Marino, Republic, Order of San Marino, Knight's breast Badge, 62mm including crown suspension x 44mm, gilt and enamel, very fine, in its damaged fitted case of issue with boutonniere Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£70 to £90

Lot 1204



(x) Senegal, Republic, Order of the Lion, set of Insignia by Arthus Bertrand, Paris, comprising breast Star, 80mm, silver, silver-gilt and enamel, hallmark to reverse retaining pin; breast Badge, with Rosette on riband, 57mm including leaves suspension x 42mm, silver-gilt and enamel, with hallmark to suspension hoop, toning, good very fine, in fitted case of issue (2) Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£70 to £90

**Lot 1205**



Serbia, Kingdom, Order of Karageorge, breast Badge, Military Division with Swords, 63mm including crown suspension x 42mm, silver-gilt and enamel, good very fineSubject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£200 to £300

**Lot 1206**



(x) Serbia, Kingdom, Order of the White Eagle, Civil Division breast Badge, 68mm including crown suspension x 35mm, silver and enamel, reverse centre depressed, some enamel chipping and evidence of crude repair, otherwise very fineSubject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£80 to £120

**Lot 1207**

**IMAGE  
PENDING**

**SPINK**  
WHERE HISTORY IS VALUED

(x) Serbia, Kingdom, Order of St Sava, Commander's neck Badge, by Huguenin Freres & Co., Le Locle, 85mm including crown suspension x 50mm, silver-gilt and enamel, Bishop in green robes, enamel chipping to lower portion of central ring, otherwise very fine, housed in a very damaged case for a 1st Class set of Insignia and includes a length of significantly frayed sash ribandSubject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£200 to £300

**Lot 1208**



(x) Serbia, Kingdom, Order of St Sava, Commander's neck Badge, 87mm including crown suspension x 48mm, silver-gilt and enamel, Bishop in red robes, enamel chipping and several ball tips bent, nearly very fineSubject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£160 to £200

**Lot 1209**



(x) Serbia, Kingdom, Order of St. Sava, breast Badge, 68mm including crown suspension x 42mm, silver-gilt and enamel, maker's marks to loop, Bishop in red robes, areas of enamel overpainting, very fineSubject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£100 to £140



**Lot 1210**



(x) Serbia, Kingdom, Red Cross Society Cross, 61mm including crown suspension x 40mm, silver and enamel, toning, very fine Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£70 to £90

**Lot 1211**



(x) South Africa, Republic, Pro Patria Medal, with fixed suspender, numbered '193191', very fine Sold with original forwarding certificate dated 13 December 1985 to 80838512SEN SKTR Andries Stephanus with a passport sized photograph stuck to the certificate. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£40 to £60

**Lot 1212**

**IMAGE  
PENDING**

**SPINK**  
WHERE HISTORY IS VALUED

(x) South Africa, Republic, Pro Patria Medal, Type 3 with coat of arms reverse (312209); General Service Medal 1989, Type 1 (077416); UNITAS Medal (029971); South African Cadet Shooting Medal, court mounted for display, very fine (4) Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£60 to £80

**Lot 1213**



**South Africa, War Services Medal 1939-45; Prison Services Medal of Merit, reverse marked 'silver', both very fine (2)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.**

**Estimate  
£30 to £50**

**Lot 1214**



**(x) Spain, Kingdom, Order of Carlos III, Grand Cross neck Badge, 62mm including wreath suspension x 41mm, gilt and enamel, with replacement loop, enamel chipping to the Madonna, otherwise good very fineSubject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.**

**Estimate  
£240 to £280**

**Lot 1215**



**(x) Spain, Kingdom, Order of Isabella the Catholic, breast Badge, 59mm including wreath suspension x 36mm, silver-gilt, gold and enamel, loop connecting medal and wreath suspension is slightly bent, otherwise good very fine Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.**

**Estimate  
£60 to £80**

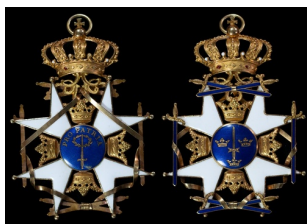
**Lot 1216**



**(x) Sudan, Republic, Order of Distinction for Women, 1st Class shoulder Badge, 1st Type Governor General issue, 83mm including rhino suspension x 59mm, silver and enamel, mounted on ladies bow for wear,very fineSubject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.**

**Estimate  
£180 to £220**

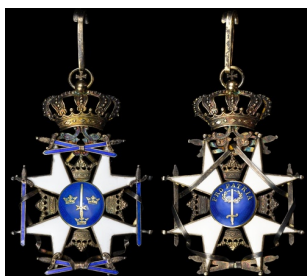
Lot 1217



(x) Sweden, Kingdom, Order of the Sword, Commander's neck Badge, by C.F. Carlman, 77mm including crown suspension x 55mm, gold and enamel, maker's mark and '18K' hallmark to arm, minor chip to reverse centre enamel, otherwise good very fineSubject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£500 to £600

Lot 1218



(x) Sweden, Kingdom, Order of the Sword, Commander's neck Badge, 80mm including crown suspension x 50mm, silver-gilt, gold and enamel, toning, very fineSubject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£300 to £400

Lot 1219



(x) Sweden, Kingdom, Order of the Sword, Military Division, breast Badge with Swords, 57mm including crown suspension x 35mm, silver-gilt and enamel, good very fineSubject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£140 to £180

Lot 1220

IMAGE  
PENDING

SPINK  
WHERE HISTORY IS VALUED

(x) Sweden, Kingdom, Order of the North Star, Knight Grand Cross set of Insignia by C. F. Carlman, Stockholm, comprising sash Badge, 80mm including crown suspension x 54mm, silver-gilt, gold and enamel, on full sash as worn; breast Star, 84mm, silver, maker's mark and hallmarks for 1958 to retaining pin hinge, good very fine, in fitted case of issue (2)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£400 to £500

Lot 1221



(x) Sweden, Kingdom, Order of the Vasa, breast Badge, by C. F. Carlman, 62mm including crown suspension x 39mm, gold and enamel, maker's mark and '18' hallmarks between lower arms, nearly extremely fineSubject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£140 to £180

**Lot 1222**

Sweden, Kingdom, Royal Medal for Zeal and Probity in the Service of the Kingdom, named 'Erik Axel Gustafsson', marked Gold 1949 on rim; together with a prize medal, named 'Gunnar Nilsson 1956', small mark on reverse to the first, otherwise very fine (2)The Medal was instituted by King Gustav IV Adolf in 1803 to be awarded to those who blamelessly managed a public position and demonstrated zeal and honesty as an employee of the state for at least 30 years. The Medal reorganised in 1830 by King Karl XIV Johan and amended again in 1947. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£300 to £400

**Lot 1223**

(x) Thailand, Kingdom, Order of the White Elephant, Grand Cross, 1st Class sash Badge, 3rd Type, 104mm including pagoda suspension x 59mm, silver, silver-gilt and enamel, on length of sash riband, missing original suspension loop, top of pagoda suspension slightly dented, otherwise good very fine Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£220 to £280

**Lot 1224**

(x) Thailand, Kingdom, Order of the White Elephant, 2nd Class Knight Commander's set of Insignia, 3rd Type, comprising breast Star, 82mm, silver, silver-gilt and enamel, hallmark to reverse and numbered '27' to reverse of retaining pin; neck Badge, 93mm including pagoda suspension x 54mm, silver, silver-gilt and enamel, hallmark to reverse, local characters and numbered '27' to reverse of suspension, on full neck riband as worn, centre of Star slightly loose and Badge centres very loose, otherwise very fine, in fitted case of issue (2) Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£70 to £90



**Lot 1225**



(x) Thailand, Kingdom, Order of the Crown of Thailand, Grand Cross breast Star, 90mm, silver, silver-gilt, enamel and paste stones, local maker's marks and hallmarks to reverse of pinback, some scratches to reverse, otherwise nearly extremely fineSubject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£100 to £140

**Lot 1226**



(x) Togo, Republic, Order of Mono, Knight's breast Badge, by Arthus Bertrand, Paris, 40mm, silver, silver-gilt and enamel, silver mark to loop, toning, good very fine, in case of issueSubject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£30 to £50

**Lot 1227**



(x) Tunisia, Kingdom, Order of Nichan Iftikhar, neck Badge, 87mm including suspension x 60mm, silver, silvered and enamel, hallmark to loop, wear to and slight loss of enamel, toning, some residue and evidence of repair to reverse, about very fineSubject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£70 to £90

**Lot 1228**



Turkey, Ottoman Empire, Order of the Medjidie, breast Badge, silver, gold and enamel, 48mm, good very fineSubject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£180 to £220

**Lot 1229**



(x) Turkey, Ottoman Empire, Order of the Medjidie, breast Badge, 75mm including crescent and star suspension x 58mm, silver and enamel with gold centre, local maker's mark to reverse, centre loose, minor enamel chipping, otherwise very fineSubject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£120 to £180

**Lot 1230**



Turkey, Ottoman Empire, Order of Medjidie, Knight's breast Badge, 7.1cm x 5.8cm, silver-gilt, silver and enamel, minor enamel damage, otherwise very fine. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£140 to £180

**Lot 1231**



(x) The U.S.A. Legion of Merit awarded to General M. Monchal, Chief of Staff of the French Army from 1991-96. United States of America, Legion of Merit, Commander's neck Badge, reverse officially named 'Marc Monchal', gilt and enamel, good very fine, on full neck riband and in case of issue. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£150 to £200

**Lot 1232**



(x) United States of America, Distinguished Service Cross, reverse engraved 'Kenneth G. Walker', on riband for wear, in its case of issue together with riband bar and lapel pin, very fine. Headquarters, Seventh U.S. Army, General Orders No. 135, 9 April 1945. The original citation reads as follows: 'The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Distinguished Service Cross to Private Kenneth G. Welker (ASN: 37406714), United States Army, for extraordinary heroism in connection with military operations against an armed enemy while serving with Company F, 2nd Battalion, 142nd Infantry Regiment, 36th Infantry Division, in action against enemy forces in the vicinity of Oberhoffen, France, on 11 February 1945. Private Welker's extraordinary heroism, personal bravery and zealous devotion to duty exemplify the highest traditions of the military forces of the United States and reflect great credit upon himself, the 36th Infantry Division, and the United States Army'. Kenneth Glen Welker was born in Cape Girardeau, Missouri on 24 July 1923. At some stage he joined the United States Army and served overseas in the Second World War as a Private in the 36th Infantry Division. When with F Company he completed an act of valour whilst engaged with German forces in France on 11 February 1945, resulting in Welker's award of the United States' second highest military honour. Welker also served with the U.S. Army in the Korean War and the Vietnam War, eventually retiring from the service with the rank of Sergeant First Class. He later married Anna Raab and they had issue of a son and a daughter. Welker died in Buchanan, Tennessee on 20 June 1989 following a short illness and was interred at the New Liberty Church Cemetery in Buchanan. Welker was further entitled to a Purple Heart, Army Good Conduct Medal, American Campaign Medal, European-African-Middle Eastern Campaign Medal, World War II Victory Medal, Army of Occupation Medal, National Defense Service Medal with Bronze Star, and a Combat Infantryman Badge; sold together with copied research. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£60 to £80

## Lot 1233



(x) The U.S.A. Vietnam, Silver Star, Bronze Star & Air Medal group of fourteen to Master Sergeant J. S. Smith, 5th U.S. Special Forces Group, who was wounded on five separate occasions and who later served as an Airborne Commander in 'Huey' helicopters United States of America, Silver Star; Bronze Star with V Emblem; Bronze Star; Air Medal with V Emblem; Purple Heart (2); Army Commendation Medal; Army Good Conduct Medal; National Defense Medal; Army of Occupation Medal, 1 clasp, Japan; Vietnam Medal; Armed Forces Expeditionary Service Medal; South Vietnam Gallantry Cross with Star; South Vietnam Campaign Medal, very fine or better (14) Citation for the Silver Star, 10 January 1970 For gallantry in action while engaged in military operations involving conflict with an armed hostile force in the Republic of Vietnam: Master Sergeant Smith distinguished himself while serving as an advisor to a Vietnamese strike force during a Camp Strike Force company size operation west of Camp Dak Pek, deep in enemy held territory. Sergeant Smith, in charge of a company, led his force in an assault line against enemy positions located at the top of a ridge line. Because of the intense small arms and B-40 rocket fire, the Vietnamese strike force faltered and withdrew in disorder. As Sergeant Smith attempted to rally his company, he noticed that one of the Vietnamese Special Forces Advisors had been critically wounded and left behind on the exposed hilltop. Braving the intense enemy automatic weapons fire, Sergeant Smith rushed back up the hill and drag the wounded man to the shelter of a nearby tree. He worked feverishly to save his comrade's life, completely disregarding his own safety. The enemy, seeing the Vietnamese Strike Force withdraw, redoubled its efforts with an intense volume of fire concentrated upon Sergeant Smith's hilltop position. In this volley, Sergeant Smith was critically wounded in the chest by small arms fire. Despite his wounds and the fact that the remaining defenders had left his position, Sergeant Smith continued to administer first aid. Twice he repulsed enemy soldiers who assaulted his position. Despite his efforts, he was unable to save the life of the wounded Vietnamese Advisor. Only after the Advisor's death did Sergeant Smith attempted to save himself. Sergeant Smith's gallantry in action was in keeping with the highest traditions of the military service and reflects great credit upon himself, his unit, and the United States Army. Citation for the Bronze star Master Sergeant John S. Smith, 722-05-3262 United States Army who distinguished himself by outstandingly meritorious service in connection with military operations against a hostile force in the Republic of Vietnam. During the period 18 SEPTEMBER 1969 TO 17 SEPTEMBER 1970 he consistently manifested exemplary professionalism and initiative in obtaining outstanding results. His rapid assessment and solution of numerous problems inherent in a combat environment greatly enhanced the allied effectiveness against a determined and aggressive enemy. Despite many adversities, he invariably performed his duties in a resolute and efficient manner. Energetically applying his sound judgement and extensive knowledge, he has contributed materially to the successful accomplishment of the United States mission in the Republic of Vietnam. His loyalty, diligence and devotion to duty were in keeping with the highest traditions of the military service and reflect great credit upon himself, and the United States Army. Citation for the Bronze Star (with Oakleaf Cluster) 28 May 1970. For heroism in connection with ground operations against a hostile force in the Republic of Vietnam. Master Sergeant Smith distinguished himself by heroism on 6 April 1970 while serving as company commander of 243 Company, 4th Battalion, 2d Mobile Strike Force and Special Forces Advisor in the remote Central Highlands of the Republic of Vietnam. The 4th Battalion had the mission of relieving the intense pressure an NVA regiment was placing on Dak Seang Special Forces camp. While deploying his men into its portion of the battalion perimeter, Sergeant Smith's company came under intense mortar fire from elements of that same NVA regiment. During twenty-five minutes of constant mortar fire Sergeant Smith dauntlessly crawled from one wounded man to another, rendering emergency treatment to nearly twenty-two men hit by mortar fragments. Sergeant Smith himself was seriously wounded but refused medical treatment until all his men were cared for and the attack had ended. During the course of the attack Sergeant Smith surmounted the pain of his own wounds and crawled through bursting mortar rounds to personally make seven trips to carry seven of the most seriously wounded men from exposed positions. Before the indirect fire attack had ended, Sergeant Smith, ever conscious of his duty to his men and the other units relying upon him, began reorganizing his troops to repel an expected ground assault. In utter disregard of his own wounds and personal safety, Sergeant Smith's unflagging gallantry, cool professionalism, and unmatched example directly resulted in saving the lives of numerous men who would have died without the medical treatment he so quickly and knowledgeably rendered. Master Sergeant Smith's valorous actions are in keeping with the highest traditions of the military service and reflects great credit upon himself, Special Forces and the United States Army. Citation for the Air Medal For heroism while participating in aerial flight in the Republic of Vietnam Master Sergeant Smith distinguished himself by heroism during the period 1-17 April 1970 while serving as Airborne Commander in an armed UH-1D helicopter for the II Corps Mobile Strike Force engaged in the defense of the Dak Seang and Dak Pek Special Forces outposts. During this time he participated in the medical evacuation of friendly personnel and resupply of Mobile Strike Force elements while being subjected to intense hostile ground fire. Despite the grave danger he always displayed the finest air discipline and the highest manner of professionalism. He performed his mission in an exemplary fashion. Master Sergeant Smith's heroic actions were in keeping with the finest traditions of the military service and reflect great credit upon himself, Special Forces and the United States Army. Citation for the Army Commendation Medal. Master Sergeant John S. Smith who distinguished himself by exceptionally meritorious service in support of allied counterinsurgency operations in the Republic of Vietnam. During the period 4 FEBRUARY 1968 TO 3 AUGUST 1968 he astutely surmounted extremely adverse conditions to obtain consistently superior results. Through diligence and determination, he invariably accomplished every task with dispatch and efficiency. His unrelenting loyalty, initiative and perseverance brought him wide acclaim and inspired others to strive for maximum achievement. Selflessly working long and arduous hours, he has contributed significantly to the success of the allied effort. His commendable performance was in keeping with the finest traditions of the military service and reflects distinct credit upon himself and the United States Army. Citation for Award of Commendation Ribbon with Metal Pendant Sergeant First Class John S. Smith, RA15265970, for outstanding performance to duty as Intelligence Sergeant of Giessen Subarea, APO 169, US Forces, from 11 June 1955 to 31 March 1958. During this period Sergeant First Class Smith displayed a high degree of professional competence in supervising an Intelligence Section that continually received a superior inspection rating. On numerous occasions he performed the additional duty as the Operations Sergeant of the Subarea without the aid of other experienced clerical personnel. Through his willingness to devote many extra hours to duty, his assigned tasks were performed with impressive results. His ability to organize and maintain a smooth

Estimate  
£500 to £700

## Lot 1234



(x) The U.S.A. 'Battle of Iwo Jima' Silver Star and 'Battle of Saipan' Bronze Star group of three awarded to Private 1st Class, later Captain T. Loney, United States Marine Corps United States of America, Silver Star; Bronze Star; Purple Heart, with star to riband, all housed in original cases of issue, extremely fine (3) Citation for the Silver Star: The President of the United States of America takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Private First Class Theodore H. Loney (MCSN: 529221), United States Marine Corps, for conspicuous gallantry and intrepidity while serving with Company A, Fourth Pioneer Battalion, FOURTH Marine Division, in action against enemy Japanese forces during the assault on Iwo Jima, Volcano Islands, 19 February 1945. When a Marine accidentally fell into deep water while disembarking from a landing craft with a broken ramp and, encumbered by his equipment, was being dragged seaward by the surf, Private First Class Loney unhesitatingly swam from the beach where he was serving with the shore party to the drowning man's aid. Although struck and stunned by a boat backing off the beach, he still managed to support the incapacitated Marine until further aid could be obtained. His outstanding courage and devotion to duty at a time when the beach was under enemy fire was in keeping with the highest traditions of the United States Naval Service. Citation for the Bronze Star: During the battle for the island of Saipan in the Mariannas, many small units of the enemy Japanese were by-passed in isolated caves and rocks. These groups while at large and of their hostile nature were a continued threat to the rear of the advancing Marines and to the security of the lines of supply. The task of hunting out and destroying these fanatic groups was assigned to the Second battalion, Twentieth Marines "Engineers" of which PRIVATE FIRST CLASS LONEY was a member. Despite the hardships and heavy casualties suffered by his unit PRIVATE FIRST CLASS LONEY was active on patrols for eleven days and nights from 1, July, 1944 to 12, July, 1944, and was repeatedly cited for his outstanding actions during that period. Carrying a light machine gun and acting in lieu of an automatic rifleman, PRIVATE FIRST CLASS LONEY, on numerous occasions voluntarily exposed himself to enemy fire to guarantee the successful completion of his mission, was credited with a large number of enemy dead and captured. Although originally assigned to the shore party for the operation, PRIVATE FIRST CLASS LONEY'S, training in this type of warfare enabled him to participate in the successful annihilation of many of these fanatical groups of the enemy, sworn to fight to the death. PRIVATE FIRST CLASS LONEY'S devotion and complete dis-regard for his own safety in the execution of the most difficult of duties against such a determined enemy was in keeping with the highest traditions of the United States Naval Service. Theodore Harper Loney, a native of Emporia, Kansas, entered the United States Marine Corps on 22 September 1943. He first served overseas on 5 March 1944. He saw engagements on Saipan and Tinian in the Marianas and Iwo Jima in the Volcano Islands. He was awarded the Silver Star and Bronze Star, Purple Heart with gold star, Presidential Unit Citation (Navy) with two Stars, Naval Unit Commendation, Victory Medal WW2, Expert Rifleman. He returned to the U.S.A. on 18 October 1945, with the rank of Private 1st Class and was discharged on 7 November 1945 and became a student. He was later commissioned for service during the Korean War and remained in service after the conclusion of the war. Sold together with the following archive: i) Two separate typed citations for the Bronze Star, one on United States Marine Corps paper for individuals personal record jacket. ii) Certificate for the Purple Heart, dated 20 March. iii) A United States Marine Corps medal. iv) Photograph of 17th Spl. Inf. Co. USMCR Wichita, Kansas, taken at Camp Pendleton California, 20 June 1956. Loney identified as the Captain commanding. v) Photocopy of him in uniform confirming his Second World War wartime service. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£200 to £300

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## Lot 1235



(x) The U.S.A. Bronze Star group of ten to Boatswain's Mate First Class G. F. Bernhardt, United States Navy, who served as a "River Rat" in Vietnam, winning both the Bronze Star and Navy Commendation Medal and was additionally wounded in action on 14 October 1969 on patrol United States of America, Bronze Star with V emblem; Navy Commendation Medal with V emblem; United States Navy Medal with bronze Star; National Defense Medal with Bronze Star; National Defense Medal; Armed Forces Expeditionary Service Medal; Vietnam Medal; Antarctica Service Medal; South Vietnam Campaign Medal, with boxes of issue for the first three, slight enamel damage to the last, otherwise very fine or better (Lot) Citation for the Bronze Star: For meritorious service while serving with friendly foreign forces engaged in armed conflict against the North Vietnamese and Viet Cong communist aggressors in the Republic of Vietnam from June 1969 to June 1970. While serving as a captain on a river patrol boat and later as a patrol officer attached to River Division Five Three Five, Petty Officer BERNHARDT participated in two hundred thirty combat patrols and engaged the enemy on eight separate occasions. During those patrols, he boarded and searched numerous junks and sampans, interdicted cross river traffic, enforced curfew, inserted and extracted friendly forces in hostile territory and provided fire support for besieged units and outposts. In addition, he conducted psychological warfare operations and civic action programs. His technical knowledge and long hours of hard work were directly responsible for the constant state of readiness of his river patrol boat. On 14 October 1969, while set in waterborne guardpost on the Vinh Te canal he spotted a group of enemy soldiers approaching his position. He courageously withheld his fire until he achieved the maximum tactical advantage. He then fired an accurate and devastating hail of fire which completely routed the enemy. Although wounded in the encounter, he elected to remain in his position for the rest of the night to thwart additional attacks. His professionalism, courage under fire and devotion to duty were in keeping with the highest traditions of the United States Naval Service." Citation for the Navy Commendation Medal: For heroic achievement while serving with friendly foreign forces engaged in armed conflict against the North Vietnamese and Viet Cong communist aggressors in the Republic of Vietnam. On the night of 24 December 1969, Petty Officer BERNHARDT was serving as boat captain of a river patrol boat set in waterborne guardpost on the Vinh Te canal when his boat came under attack. The first attack occurred after the arrival of United States Navy helicopter gunships which he had called to reconnoiter the area when he detected enemy troop movement near his position. The gunships were taken under fire and at the same time, the enemy attacked Petty Officer BERNHARDT's boat. At his command, his crew delivered an accurate, suppressing fire as he directed air strikes on a fast retreating enemy. After having successfully thwarted the attack, he elected to remain at his location to block the enemy's infiltration route. A few hours later, his boat once again came under intense automatic weapons and rocket fire. He again calmly and professionally directed the return of a devastating barrage of fire which suppressed the enemy attack. Petty Officer BERNHARDT's efforts were instrumental in preventing an infiltration attempt by a company size Viet Cong force. His professionalism, courage under fire and devotion to duty were in keeping with the highest traditions of the United States Naval Service. George Franklin Bernhardt was from Pennsylvania and enlisted in 1954, he saw service around the world including Antarctica and was to serve in Vietnam where he was wounded on 14 October 1969. He carried out 216 patrols and was under enemy fire in 8 of those patrols. Bernhardt was discharged in 1974 and settled in New Zealand and died in 2016. Sold with the following archive: i) Citation for the Bronze Star (with Combat "V") in folder of issue. ii) Citation for the Naval Commendation Medal in folder of issue. iii) Certificates for Royal Order of Deepfreeze (2) for 21 February 1957, U.S.S. Brough crew poster, and crossing the Arctic Circle, dated 5 February 1958. iv) Certificate for initiation into the Solemn Mysteries of the Ancient Order of the Deep, dated 31 August 1958. v) Certificate for initiation into the Silent Occult Mysteries of the Far East, dated 20 September 1958. vi) Certificate for circumnavigating the globe in U.S.S. Brough, between 23 August 1958 - 11 April 1959. vii) Honorable Discharge Certificate, dated 18 August 1960. viii) Certificate for completing the course of study at the U.S. Naval Schools Command, Treasure Island, San Francisco, California, dated 1 December 1961. ix) Honorable Discharge Certificate, dated 17 July 1964. x) Certificate for the Good Conduct Award, dated 15 November 1965, in folder of issue. xi) River Boat Flotilla Five certificate of River War Service in the Republic of Vietnam, confirming service from 27 June 1969 - 19 June 1970 and 216 patrols of which 8 were fired upon. xii) Certificate for the Purple Heart for wounds received in action on 14 October 1969, the certificate dated 4 January 1971. xiii) Certificate for crossing the Arctic Circle, dated 28 September 1971. xiv) Destroyer Squadron Two Citation covering the period 1 December 1971 - 29 June 1972. xv) Certificate for transfer from Active Duty to the Fleet Reserve, dated 1 April 1974. xvi) Release Orders, dated 1 April 1974, where he stated he intended to live at 175 Burt Street, Wikari, Dunedin, New Zealand. xvii) Certificate of Retirement, dated 1 February 1984, with covering letter. xviii) Certificate of Appreciation. (x2) Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£300 to £400

**Lot 1236**



**(x) United States of America, Bronze Star (Albert B. Pauline), officially engraved naming, about extremely fine, in its fitted case of issue with riband bar and lapel pin**Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

**Estimate  
£30 to £50**

**Lot 1237**



**(x) United States of America, Air Medal, very fine, in its case of issue with lapel badge and riband bar**Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

**Estimate  
£10 to £20**

**Lot 1238**



**(x) United States of America, Victory Medal, 4 clasps, Defensive Sector, Meuse-Argonne, St. Mihiel, Aisne - Marne, bronze, on wearing pin, very fine** Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

**Estimate  
£20 to £40**

#### Lot 1239



United States of America, an assortment of gallantry and campaign medals to include Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star, Air Medal, with various 19th and 20th Century campaign medals, with two badges and some riband bars, some reproductions, otherwise very fine or better (23) Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£70 to £100

#### Lot 1240



United States of America, a collection of Second World War and later cloth patches (18), with Post War British badges and patches (4), together with a collection of Stereoscopic slides (13), one broken in two but usable, a privately made album of medal ribands and cloth insignia; minor medal ribands (loose), Waterloo 1815, a commemorative copper restrike of the official campaign medal, extremely fine (Lot) Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£40 to £60

#### Lot 1241



(x) Vatican, Holy See, Order of St. Gregory, breast Star, by Tanfani, Bertarelli, 84mm, silver, silver-gilt and enamel, maker's cartouche to reverse, below which is a lightly impressed 'A', nearly extremely fine Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£80 to £120

#### Lot 1242



(x) Vatican, Holy See, Order of St. Gregory, Knight's breast Badge, 57mm including wreath suspension x 40mm, silvered, gilt and enamel, mounted as worn on continental-style bar, toned, enamel chipping to reverse centre, about very fine Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£40 to £60

Lot 1243



(x) Vatican, Holy See, Order of the Holy Sepulchre, breast Badge, 82mm including trophy of arms suspension x 37mm, gilt and enamel, very fine, in its case of issue with boutonniere Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£40 to £60

Lot 1244

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Venezuela, Republic, Order of the Liberator, 1st Class Grand Cross set of Insignia, by Joyerias Unidas, comprising sash Badge, 52mm x 47mm, silver, silver-gilt and enamel, silver purity mark to suspension loop, on full sash riband as worn; breast Star, 89mm x 82mm, silver, silver-gilt and enamel, silver purity mark to reverse pin back, toning, about extremely fine, with two boutonnieres in fitted case of issue, this significantly damaged with detached section (2) Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£200 to £300

Lot 1245



(x) Venezuela, Republic, Order of the Liberator, Star, 81mm x 76mm, silver, purity mark to reverse of retaining pin, toned, good very fine Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£120 to £180

Lot 1246



(x) Venezuela, Republic, Order of Andres Bello, 2nd Class set of Insignia, by Distintivos Venezolanos, comprising breast Star, 78mm, silver, silver-gilt and enamel, 925 silver purity mark to reverse; neck Badge, 42mm, silver-gilt and enamel, on full neck riband as worn, very fine, in fitted case of issue with miniature medal (2) Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£80 to £120

Lot 1247



(x) Yugoslavia, Kingdom, Order of the Crown, breast Star, 87mm, silver and enamel, centre just slightly loose, otherwise good very fine Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate  
£180 to £220



### Lot 1248



An assortment of unattributed mostly foreign miniature dress medals Italy, Kingdom, Order of the Crown of Italy, gilt and enamel; Japan, Empire, Order of the Sacred Treasure, enamel; Spain, Kingdom (3), Order of Isabella the Catholic, enamel; Order of Mehdi, enamel; Africa Campaign Medal; Nepal, Kingdom, Order of the Star of Nepal, gilt and enamel, scarce; United Kingdom, Queen's South Africa Medal 1899-1902, 3 clasps, Cape Colony, Transvaal, Wittebergen; South Atlantic Medal, overall very fine and better (8) Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£50 to £70

### Lot 1249



A collection of foreign contemporary and later issue Miniature Awards, includes awards of Australia, France, Russia, Serbia, etc., generally very fine overall (42) Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate  
£100 to £150