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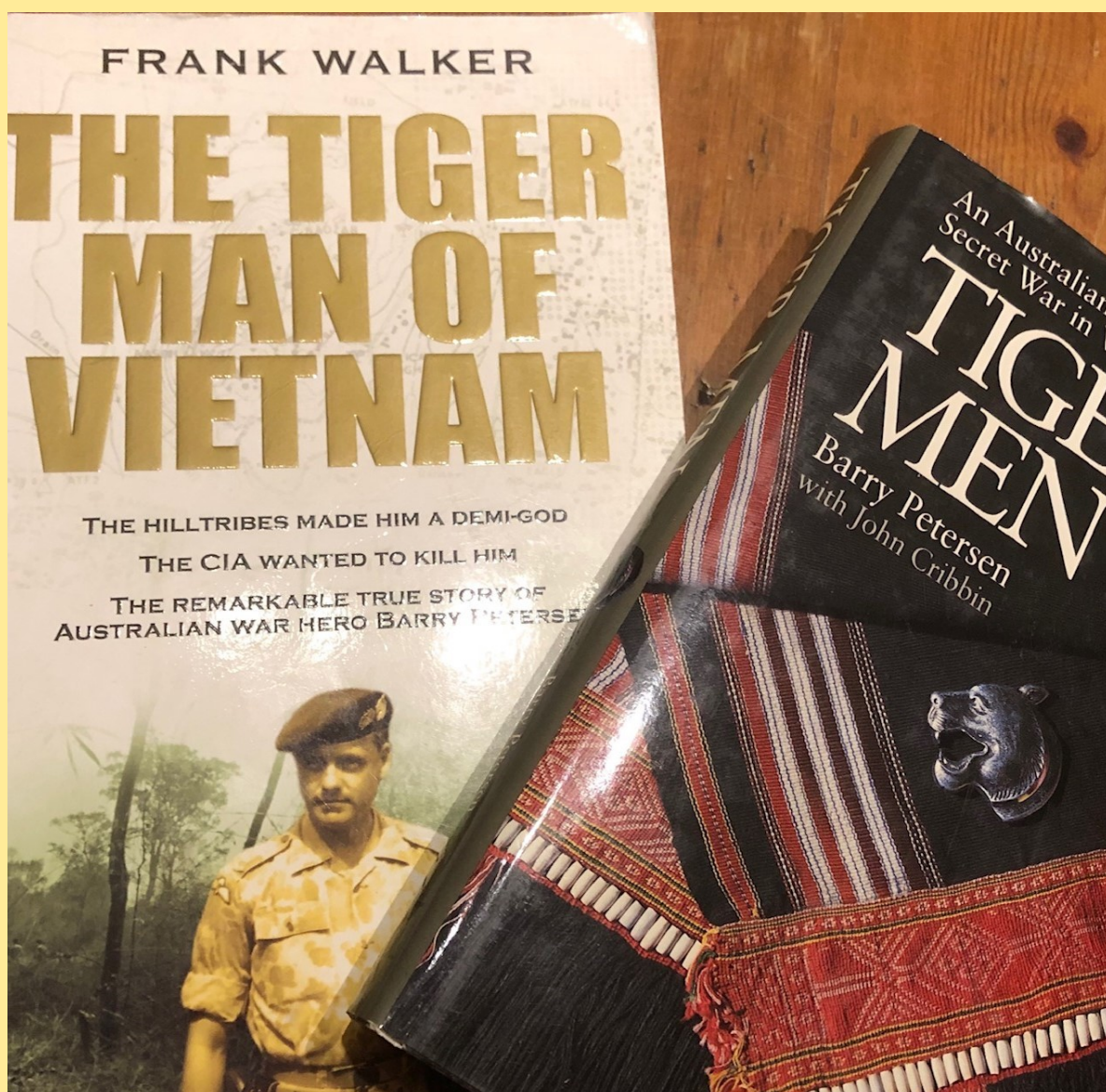
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Ah April! Doncha just love it! The autumn breezes have blown the WA heat away and we can at last rest easily at night. It's a long haul here in WA, from September to April, as hot as hades in February and just hot the rest of the time. But...I'm not whinging knowing what thousands of people have gone through with bush fires and flooding rains. There's always someone worse off than us here in the West. April this year is a momentous month for me and my mates who will be celebrating our 50th anniversary from the Vietnam scuffle. 3 SAS Sqn, under Reg Beesley, was up to our necks in shell and shot in 1969. My mother's parting comment when we left to go was 'YOU STUPID BOY!!' nearly came to pass. I however, made it home in one piece as did we all except for Dave Fisher (RIP). Quite remarkable that our casualties were so low. Who can explain it? Maybe we were extremely lucky? Or well trained? Who can tell. In March we saw the sad demise of Barry Petersen, MC, the 'Tiger Man' of Vietnam. Barry, a young Captain in the AATTV, was assigned to train and lead the Montagnard (the Yards) hill tribesmen in the battle against the communists. He was overseen by the CIA in certain tasks and Barry was always convinced they (the CIA) were out to get him. He died peacefully in Thailand last month aged 80 something. Truck Sams, Pete Lutley and Slam Duncan among others, attended his funeral on behalf of all of us who knew him. RIP Barry. So...to books. Quite a few in this list which I've never listed and many old standards of course. The images on the front cover are books by and about Barry Petersen and I've only got one copy of each. We've had some remarkable men appear in all our wars of the 20th century and beyond. Needless to say VC recipients figure prominently in all of these actions. Some of the more memorable include: Jacka, Mad Harry, et al in WW1; Kingsbury, the Diver (DCM); Starceвич in WW2; Horrie Madden in Korea (GC); Simmo, Badcoe, Dasher, Payne and Barry Peterson (MC) in Vietnam. This century we've seen four supermen receive the VC; Donaldson, Roberts-Smith, MG; Keighan and Baird, MG. (Post). This coming ANZAC Day we will remember them all for their unbridled gallantry. So stay well my friends and be kind to all. Via con Dios Mick & Jo

Aviation

- 217/1.** (10490) Barnes, C.H. **Bristol Aircraft Since 1910 (till 1970).** Putnam, London, 1970 (fp1964). 2nd ed, large 8vo in price-clipped d/w, profusely illustrated in b/w, appendices, biblio, index, pp415, ***a complete reference to all Bristol military, civil and experimental aircraft from the Anglo-French Bristol-Zodiac biplane of 1910 thru to the Anglo-French Concorde*, vg cond, **A\$48.**
- 217/2.** (6986) Bennett, John. **Highest Traditions: The History of No 2 Squadron, RAAF.** AGPS, Canberra, 1997. 1st ed, small 4to in vg d/w, profusely illustrated, appendices list all aircraft types flown by 2 Sqn from AFC days in WW1 to modern times incl Vietnam, honour rolls, biblio, index, pp431, ***formed in Egypt in 1916, 2 Sqn, RAAF saw distinguished service in WW1, WW2, Malaya and Vietnam (flying Canberra bombers out of Phan Rang) - disbanded in 1982*, vg cond and now hard to find, **A\$75.**
- 217/3.** (10484) Bowyer, Chaz. **Men of the Desert Airforce.** William Kimber, London, 1984. 1st ed, large 8vo in price-clipped d/w, plates, biblio, index, pp256, ***from a weak, ill-equipped force in 1940, the DAF grew to dominate the Med skies by 1943 and in the process laid the foundations of victory. 3 Sqn RAAF figure prominently*, vg cond, **A\$36.**
- 217/4.** (10388) Croft, Ian. **We Prepared the Way: Airfield Construction Squadrons RAAF.** DB Publishing, Mandurah WA, 2007. 1st ed, small 8vo in card covers, plates and maps, glossary, pp184, ***the RAAF constructed airfields all over the South-west Pacific Theatre of operations*, vg cond, **A\$34.**
- 217/5.** (8018) Glancey, Jonathan. **Spitfire: The Biography.** Atlantic Books, London, 2006. 1st ed, 8vo in d/w, plates, biblio, technical specifications, index, pp260, ***celebrating the 60th anniversary of arguably WW2's best fighter plane, an excellent book*, vg cond, **A\$48.**
- 217/6.** (6580) Howe, Stuart. **The de Havilland Mosquito: An Illustrated History.** Aston Publications, UK, 1992. 1st ed, 4to in d/w fully illustrated in colour and b/w, pp159, ***a private venture aircraft, the wood-construction Mosquito was one of the most versatile of all British aircraft in WW2. It operated as a fighter, an unarmed bomber, pathfinder and photo recce*, vg cond, **A\$38.**
- 217/7.** (10440) Johnson, Frank (ed). **R.A.A.F Over Europe.** Eyre & Spottiswoode, London, 1946. 1st ed, 8vo in blue cloth, plates, stats list, pp189 (54 pages of plates at rear), ***the RAAF squadrons despatched to England for the war in Europe in 1939 lost 5,488 killed or missing. They fought well above their weight winning 2 x VCs, 56 x DSOs (and 5 x Bars), 1,739 DFCs (and 11 x Bars) etc*, vg cond, **A\$36.**
- 217/8.** (8528) Lacey-Johnson, Lionel. **Point Blank and Beyond.** Airline Classic, UK, 2002 (fp1991). Reprint, trade 8vo in card covers, plates, maps & illustrations, appendices, glossary, index, pp276, ***the part played by bombers of the RAF and 8th USAF in the success of the invasion of Europe*, vg cond, **A\$36.**
- 217/9.** (5944) Leebold, Arthur. **Silent Victory: Breaking the Japanese Air-blockade between Australia and Europe.** Banner Books, ACT, 1995. 1st ed, large 8vo in d/w, plates, maps, rolls of QANTAS aircrews, biblio, index, pp111, ***the Catalina was used as the only alternative for the long air route to Ceylon (Sri Lanka) and India. QANTAS and the RAAF, undertook this secret passenger service from Perth*, new, **A\$38.**
- 217/10.** (2114) McAulay, Lex. **Four Aces: Four RAAF Aircrew Aces of World War Two.** Banner Books, QLD, 1998. 1st ed, large 8vo in d/w, plates, maps, appendices, index, honours and awards, pp143, ***the war histories of four Australian aces; Nicky Barr (P40 Tomahawk and Kittyhawk), Hugo Armstrong (Spitfires), Peter Panitz and Dickie Williams (Mosquito intruder). Barr was the only one to survive the war*, vg cond, **A\$45.**
- 217/11.** (9015) Munro, Richard. **Holidaying on the Continent: The Journey of an RAAF Volunteer, 1940-45, 460 RAAF Squadron.** AMHP, Sydney, 2009. 1st ed, large 8vo in laminated boards, profusely illustrated, appendices, personnel index, pp251, ***the author's father Jim Munro was a bomb aimer in Lancasters in 460 Sqn RAAF in night raids over German-occupied Europe. On a raid to Berlin they were shot down by the great German night fighter ace Wilhelm Herget. Three survived and were captured and sent to Stalag Luft IVB where they endured till released by Russian Cossacks*, new, **A\$36.**
- 217/12.** (9498) Page, Charles. **Wings of Destiny: Wing Commander Charles Learmonth, DFC & Bar and the Air War in New Guinea.** Rosenberg Publishing P/L, Sydney, 2008. 1st ed, trade 8vo in card covers, signed and dedicated by the author, plates and maps, chapter notes, biblio, index, pp416, ***the life and times of a great Australian airman, Charles Learmonth. He was killed when his Beaufort bomber crashed into the Indian Ocean near Perth on 6 Jan 1944. He was CO of #14 Sqn out of Pearce at the time. Learmonth Airbase at Exmouth is named for him*, vg cond, **A\$42.**
- 217/13.** (10491) Rees, Peter. **Lancaster Men: The Aussie Heroes of Bomber Command.** A&U, Sydney, 2013. 1st ed, trade 8vo in card covers, signed by the author, chapter notes, biblio, index, pp424, ***more than 10,000 Australians served with Bomber Command in WW2. Nearly 3,500 died in action. Unbelievably, they were referred to as 'Jap dodgers' and 'hiding' in England (who could have said such a thing)*, vg cond, **A\$30.**
- 217/14.** (10061) Thorpe, Donald W. **Japanese Army Air Force Camouflage and Markings World War 2.** Aero Publishers Inc, USA, 1968. 1st ed, small 4to in card covers, fully illustrated in colour and b/w, pp203, ***a complete history of the evolution of camouflage, kill markings, individual markings and many more. Ideal for the modeller, collector, historians*, vg cond and unusual, **A\$38.**
- 217/15.** (10489) Weyl, A.R. **Fokker: The Creative Years.** Putnam, London, 1965. 1st ed, 8vo in d/w, profusely illustrated in b/w, appendices, index, pp420, ***a record in intimate detail of the formative years of the Fokker company and tells the story of the men who flew Fokkers and made them some of the most formidable in the world especially in the 1914-18 war*, d/w bit rough else vg cond, **A\$55.**

217/16. (2332) Wood, Alan. **The Glider Soldiers: A History of British Military Glider Forces.** Spellmount, UK, 1992. 1st ed, 8vo in d/w, plates, index, biblio, rolls, maps, tables, ***the Germans showed how to use gliders in action at Eben Emael in Belgium in 1940. They were used in Norway, Sicily and Burma and finally in Arnhem and the crossing of the Rhine. Also an important element of the D-Day invasion, vg cond and hard to find, A\$30.*

Espionage

217/17. (9142) (edited by publisher) **The Secret History of World War 2: The Ultra-Secret Wartime Cables and Letters of Roosevelt, Churchill and Stalin.** Konecky & Konecky, USA, 2008. 1st ed, large 8vo in double d/w, pp277, ***uneathed from the Russian archives, this book contains every communique to and from Joseph Stalin and the American Presidents (Roosevelt and Truman) and the British Prime Minister Churchill from 1941 to 1945, as new cond, A\$35.*

217/18. (10492) Bamford, James. **Body of Secrets: Anatomy of the Ultra-Secret National Security Agency: From the Cold War Through the Dawn of a New Century.** Doubleday, NY, 2001. 1st ed, large 8vo in d/w, appendices, biblio, chapter notes, index, pp721, ***a no-hold-barred examination of the NSA. It is the largest most powerful and most secretive spy agency in the world dwarfing the CIA by some margin, vg cond, A\$36.*

217/19. (10472) Deacon, Richard. **A History of the Chinese Secret Service.** Frederick Muller, London, 1972. 1st ed, large 8vo in protected d/w, plates, chapter notes, biblio, index, pp521, ***the Chinese have always been the masters of intelligence gathering. Their current day efforts have moved them into espionage of the big time with fingers in every pot so to speak, vg cond, A\$38.*

217/20. (10112) Downing, Taylor. **Secret Warriors: Key Scientists, Code-Breakers and Propagandists of the Great War.** Little Brown, London, 2014. 1st card cover ed, trade 8vo, plates, chapter notes, biblio, index, pp438, ***chemists, engineers, doctors, code-breakers and scientists all played vital roles in the winning of the Great War, vg cond, A\$30.*

217/21. (8125) Fisher, John. **Gentleman Spies: Intelligence Agents in the British Empire and Beyond.** Sutton Publishing, UK, 2002. 1st ed, large 8vo in d/w, plates, maps, extensive biblio, index, pp209, ***prior to WW1 Britain was the foremost global power and was locked in a struggle to retain her colonial possessions. As WW1 commenced and bogged down on the Western Front a need for secret intelligence was accepted and the Secret Intelligence Service was born (later became M16), new, A\$25.*

217/22. (9771) Jeffery, Keith. **MI6: The History of the Secret Intelligence Service 1909-1949.** Bloomsbury Press, London, 2010. 1st ed, very large 8vo in protected d/w, inscribed in fep, plates, chapter notes, biblio, index, pp810, ***M16, otherwise known as Britain's Secret Intelligence Service, was born in 1909 amid fears of rising power in other countries especially Germany. It was an effective espionage tool in the Great War, between the wars and during WW2. This is a warts & all account, vg cond, A\$40.*

217/23. (4773) Jones, R.V. **Most Secret War: British Scientific Intelligence 1939-1945.** Hamish Hamilton, London, 1978. 1st ed, thick 8vo in loose d/w, inscr on fep, plates, maps, source notes, index, marks in text, pp556, ***the author was directly involved with British Scientific Intelligence, much of his work being in radion navigation and radar, gen good cond, A\$28.*

217/24. (9992) Macintyre, Ben. **Double Cross: The True Story of the D-Day Spies.** Crown Publishers, NY, 2012, 1st ed, large 8vo in d/w, b/w plates, chapter notes, biblio, index, pp400, ***Operation Fortitude, which protected and enabled the invasion on D-Day and the Double-Cross system, which specialised in turning German spies into double agents, tricked the Nazis into believing the Allies would attack at calais and Norway rather than Normandy, new cond, A\$36.*

217/25. (393) Masterman, J.C. **The Double-Cross System in the War of 1939 to 1945.** ANU Press, Canberra, 1972. 1st ed, 8vo in d/w and mylar, inscr in fep, appendices, index, pp203, ***by means of the 'double-cross' system the British effectively ran and controlled the German espionage system in England. This is the Masterman Report, vg cond, A\$36.*

217/26. (3055) Pujol, Juan. **Garbo: The Personal Story of the Most Successful Double Agent Ever.** Weidenfeld and Nicolson, London, 1985. 1st ed, 8vo in protected d/w, plates, index, pp178, ***GARBO to the Allies; ARABEL to the German Intelligence Service. Pujol was most active prior to and during the D-Day landings supplying the Germans with a variety of false reports. His reports convinced Hitler the landings would be in the Calais region, vg cond, A\$28.*

217/27. (10225) Sebag-Montefiore, Hugh. **ENIGMA: The Battle for the Code.** The Folio Society, London, 2005. 6th printing, large 8vo in boards, plates, notes, biblio, index, pp455, ***a complete history in the battle against Enigma which started long before WW2. Hans Thilo Schmidt first handed Enigma manuals to the French Secret Service in 1931, an outstanding history, vg cond, A\$42.*

Military Biography

217/28. (4248) Arneil, Stan. **Black Jack: The Life and Times of Brigadier Sir Frederick Galleghan.** Macmillan, Melbourne, 1983. 1st ed, 8vo in d/w, plates, index, biblio, biographical roll, pp178, ***the legendary Black Jack Galleghan, who served in WW1 and who commanded the 2/30th Australian Infantry Battalion, AIF in Singapore and Malaya in WW2. His unit inflicted very heavy casualties on the Japs in an ambush at Gemas, vg cond and becoming hard to find, A\$38.*

217/29. (5483) Butler, D, Argent, A. & Shelton, J. **The Fight Leaders: A Study in Australian Battlefield Leadership - Green, Hassett and Ferguson, 3RAR, Korea.** AMH Publications, Sydney, 2002. 1st ed, 8vo in d/w, plates and maps, biblio, glossary, appen-

dices, index, pp178, ***the story of leadership within the Australian Army and in particular during WW2 and Korea. During a 12 month period in Korea 3RAR had three battalion commanders; Green was KIA; Ferguson sacked (still debated) and Hassett went on to great things, new, A\$32.*

217/30. (10477) Coulthart, Ross. **Charles Bean.** Harper Collins, Sydney, 2015 (fp2014). Reprint, small 8vo in card covers, plates, biblio, chapter notes, index, pp483, ***C.E.W Bean's witnessing and recording the 1st AIF's efforts on Gallipoli and the Western Front helped forge the nation-defining legend of the ANZAC diggers at war, vg cond, A\$24.*

217/31. (9210) Dean, Peter J. **The Architect of Victory: The Military Career of Lieutenant-General Sir Frank Horton Berryman.** Cambridge Uni Press, Melbourne, 2011. 1st ed, large 8vo in d/w, plates & maps, chapter notes, extensive biblio, index, pp395, ***LtGen Sir Frank Berryman is one of the most important, yet relatively unknown officers in the history of the Australian Army. He was bold, calculating and talented and known as 'Berryman the Bastard'. But he was one of the best - his planning led to the defeat of the Japanese in New Guinea as it did in the Middle East at Bardia and Tobruk, as new cond, A\$36.*

217/32. (6992) Essex-Clark, John, DSM. **Hassett, Australian Leader: A Biography of General Sir Francis Hassett, AC, KBE, CB, DSO, LVO.** AMHP, Sydney, 2005. 1st ed, large 8vo in d/w, plates, biblio, index, pp293, ***Frank Hassett served as a young Duntroon-trained officer with an AIF infantry battalion in Palestine, Syria, New Guinea & Bougainville in WW2. He led 3RAR at the Battle of Maryang San in Korea and rose through 40 years of soldiering to command the ADF, new, A\$36.*

217/33. (6261) Fraser, David. **Knight's Cross: A Life of Field-Marshal Erwin Rommel.** Harper Collins, London, 1994 (fp1993). 1st ed, thick 8vo in protected d/w, plates, notes, biblio, index, pp601, ***a definitive study of the great German field commander, vg cond, A\$55.*

217/34. (10127) Korda, Michael. **Hero: The Life and Legend of Lawrence of Arabia.** JR Books, London, 2010. 1st ed, very thick large 8vo in protected d/w, plates, and maps, end notes, biblio, index, pp762, ***Henry Kissinger said of Hero: 'it is a work of brilliance, discernment and meticulous scholarship that will surely be hailed as the gold standard', vg cond, A\$65.*

217/35. (10119) Malone, M.J & Lutley, P.D. **SIMMO: A Biography of Ray Simpson, VC, DCM. One of Australia's Greatest Soldiers.** Imprimatur Books, Perth, 2015. 1st ed, large 8vo in d/w, signed by the authors, colour plates and maps, footnotes, glossary, appendices, biblio, index, pp266, ***the remarkable Ray Simpson, VC, DCM who was brought up in straightened circumstances, found the Army to be his home serving in WW2, the Korean War, Malaya and 5 years in Vietnam being severely wounded in action on his second tour in 1964, The proceeds of this work will be directed towards veterans based charities, new, A\$45.*

217/36. (9590) McLynn, Frank. **Fitzroy Maclean.** John Murray, London, 1992. 1st ed, large 8vo in protected d/w, plates, maps, chapter notes, biblio, index, pp418, ***the life of Sir Fitzroy Maclean who saw service with Stirling's SAS in the desert before becoming an MP and deploying to Yugoslavia as head of a mission to Tito's partisans in the fight against the Germans. An outstanding man, vg cond, A\$48.*

217/37. (10304) Probert, Air Commodore Henry, MBE, MA. **Bomber Harris: His Life and Times: The Biography of Marshall of the RAF, Sir Arthur Harris, Wartime Chief of Bomber Command.** Greenhill Books, London, 2001. 1st ed, large 8vo in protected d/w, plates, appendix, biblio, index, pp432, ***Harris is considered one of the most controversial figures of WW2. He is vilified to this day by many for his decision to bomb Dresden, considered the cultural heart of Germany and not a military target, vg cond, A\$40.*

217/38. (5818) Rowell, S.F. **Full Circle.** MUP, Melbourne, 1974. 1st ed, 8vo in protected d/w, portrait in frontis, plates, nominal index, pp206, ***the story of the first Australian soldier to complete the full circle from Staff Cadet (Duntroon) to Chief of the General Staff. General Rowell, a regular soldier, fell foul of Blamey, CMF in New Guinea but survived to reach the top, vg cond, A\$36.*

217/39. (6350) Weate, Mark. **Bill Newton, VC: The Short Life of a RAAF Hero.** AMHP, Sydney, 1999. 1st ed, large 8vo in laminated boards, plates, illus, three indexes, biblio, pp95, ***Newton flew a Boston over New Guinea in many daring low level targets against murderous anti-aircraft fire. He was shot down near Salamaua, captured by the Japanese and executed, new, A\$32.*

Military General

217/40. (6488) Bartlett, Thomas & Jeffery, Keith (eds). **A Military History of Ireland.** Cambridge University Press, UK, 1996. 1st ed, large 8vo in d/w, plates & maps, notes, extensive biblio, pp565, ***a major collaborative study of organised military activity and its broad impact on Ireland over the last 1,000 years, vg cond and not often seen, A\$65.*

217/41. (9965) Cottrell, Peter. (ed).(with Brendan O'Shea & Gerry White) **The War for Ireland 1913-1923.** Osprey Publishing, UK, 2009. 1st ed, small 4to in d/w, narrative pictorial (some colour illustrations), biblio, index, pp248, ***from the failed Easter Monday 1916 Dublin insurrection to the Irish Free State's battle against republican forces in the early 1920s, the war for Ireland encompassed iconic revolts, guerrilla struggles and hard urban warfare, vg cond, A\$45.*

217/42. (7736) Ferndale, Maj. Steven (ed). **Operation LOROSAE: 1st Battalion Group Operation in East Timor October 2000 - April 2001.** 1RAR Regimental Institute, Townsville, 2001. 1st ed, large 4to in laminated boards, profusely illustrated in colour, glossary, appendices, Bn Group nominal roll, pp206, ***1RAR Group's tour of duty in East Timor during which they acquitted themselves in the true traditions of the 'First of Foot', new cond, A\$60.*

217/43. (10486) Gould, Tony. **Imperial Warriors: Britain and the Gurkhas.** Granta Books, London, 1999. 1st ed, thick 8vo in protected d/w, plates and maps, references, index, pp480, ***the hill-warriors from Nepal have served the British and Indian governments for nearly 200 years, seeing action in all major conflicts in that time. vg cond, A\$45.*

217/44. (10259) Lloyd, Clem & Rees, Jacqui. **The Last Shilling: A History of Repatriation in Australia.** MUP, Melbourne, 1994. 1st ed, small 4to in d/w, plates, chapter notes, biblio, index, pp476, ***the catch cry was 'helping the man with the medal'. The Repat Bill was introduced into Parliament in July 1917 and has been the mainstay for repatriation of Australian soldier to the present DVA, vg cond and now*

scarce, A\$45.

217/45. (10081) McKenzie-Smith, Graham. **Sappers in the West: Army Engineers in Western Australia.** RAE Association WA, Perth, 2015. 1st ed, large 8vo in laminated boards, profusely illustrated in colour and b/w, appendices, index, pp355, ***a new history of the Royal Australian Engineers in Western Australia since 1910 and before with the colonial 20 Coy Royal Sappers and Miners in 1851, a very credible history, as new cond.,* A\$65.

217/46. (10482) McNab, Chris. **Military Vehicles: 300 of the World's Most Effective Military Vehicles.** Grange Books, UK, 2003. 1st ed?, small 8vo in protected d/w, full colour throughout, glossary, index, pp320, ***a comprehensive guide to 20th Century vehicles and beyond, vg cond, A\$25.*

217/47. (1147) McNicoll, MajGen R.R. CBE. **UBIQUE: The Royal Australian Engineers, in 4 volumes, 1835-1972.** RAE Corps Committee, Canberra, 1977, 1979, 1982 & 2002. 1st ed, 8vo in d/w plates, biblio, source notes, index, pp203, 232, 432 & 978, ***vol 1 - 'The Colonial Engineers'; Vol 2 - 'Making and Breaking'; Vol 3 - 'Teeth and Tail' - Vol 4, 'Paving the Way', excellent reference set, vg cond and hard to find all together (sold as a set only), A\$150.*

217/48. (8617) Molan, Major-General Jim. **Running the War in Iraq: An Australian General, 300,000 troops, the Bloodiest Conflict of Our Time.** Harper Collins Books, Sydney, 2008. 1st ed, trade 8vo in card covers, colour plates, alpha cast of characters, pp358, ***a gripping insider's account of what modern warfare entails, vg cond, A\$24.*

217/49. (6353) Moore, Darren. **Duntroon: A History of the Royal Military College of Australia, 1911-2001.** AHU/AMHP, Canberra/Sydney, 2001. 1st ed, thick 8vo in d/w, plates and illus, colour photos on inside covers, full nominal rolls, source notes, biblio, index, pp608, ***the most up-to-date history of Duntroon, vg cond, A\$85.*

217/50. (2699) O'Neill, Robert. **Australia in the Korean War 1950-53: (in two volumes): Vol 1- Strategy and Diplomacy; Vol 2 - Combat Operations.** AWM, Canberra, 1981. 1st ed, thick 8vo in d/ws, plates and maps, index, biblio, chronology, pp548 (vol 1), 782 (vol 2), ***the official history of Australia's involvement in the Korean War, vg cond and very hard to find together, (sorry, can't separate them), A\$250.*

217/51. (5512) Palazzo, Albert. **The Royal Australian Corps of Transport: A History of Australian Army Transport, 1973-2000.** AMHP, Sydney, 2001. 1st ed, 8vo in d/w, colour and b/w plates, appendices list commanders, RSMs, Order of battle, rolls of members who served with ANARE (Antarctica), index, pp181, ***RACT has been committed to operations in Antarctica, Somalia, Cambodia, Rwanda, Bougainville and East Timor and of course, many large exercises in Australia. The 'Movers' are an important part of the ADF, new, A\$48.*

217/52. (7933) Smith, LtCol Neil, AM. **Operation CRIMP: With the Australian Army on the Malay Peninsular 1964-65** Mostly Un-sung, Melbourne, 2004. 1st ed, 4to monograph in card covers, tape binding, map, narrative full Australian nominal roll of participants, pp49, ***Op CRIMP was part of the Commonwealth 28th Brigade efforts against the incursions by Indonesian troops in what is known as 'Confrontation'. A very useful reference, vg cond, A\$25.*

217/53. (10408) Stubbs, Richard. **Hearts and Minds in Guerrilla Warfare: The Malayan Emergency, 1948-1960.** OUP, Singapore, 1993 (fp1989) 3rd impr, large 8vo in card covers, map, end notes, biblio, index, pp286, ***an account of the origins, course and outcomes of the Malayan Emergency which pitted the Malayan Government (and Commonwealth allies) against the Malayan Communist Party led by Chin Peng. A comprehensive and penetrating study, good cond, A\$28.*

217/54. (5906) Vann, RSM Kevin J. OAM. **Bridging the Gap: The 3rd Combat Engineer Regiment in Timor, 1999-2000.** AMHP, Sydney, 2001. 1st ed, large 8vo in illus boards, profusely illus, appendices, nominal rolls, index, pp217, ***3CER were part of the INTERFET effort in East Timor. They were instrumental in restoring much of the infrastructure of Timor; an excellent modern-day operational history, new, A\$38.*

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- 217/118. (10485) Smith, Harry. **Long Tan: The Start of a Lifelong Battle.** Blue Sky, Sydney, 2015. 1st ed, trade 8vo in card covers, plates and maps, acronymns and abbreviations, pp323, ****Harry Smith commanded D Company 6RAR at the Battle of Long Tan on 18 Aug 1966. This is the story of his fight to get proper recognition for his gallant soldiers, vg cond, A\$35.**
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217/120. (10307) Walker, Frank. **The Tiger Man of Vietnam: The True Story of Barry Petersen, MC.** Hachette, Sydney, 2009. 1st ed, trade 8vo in card covers, plates, maps, timeline, biblio, index, pp356, ****Barry Petersen was a young Australian Army captain in the AATTV when he arrived in South Vietnam in 1963. He worked for the CIA and was assigned to the Montagnard hill tribes in the fight against the Vietcong. Nefarious doings followed, a great read, vg cond, A\$28.**

217/121. (6658) Webster, Dave & Ellis, Ross (eds). **7 RAR: The Two Tours 1967-68 and 1970-71: Through a Soldier's Lens.** 7RAR Association, Sydney, 2004, 1st ed, large folio size in d/w, signed by both COs Colonels Smith and Grey and both authors, fully illus in colour and b/w, full nominal rolls, roll of honour, pp365, ****a sensational amalgamation volume of the tours of Sth Vietnam by 7RAR (the 'Pig' Battalion). A collection of some of the best photos taken up there by ordinary diggers. An important addition to our unit history collection, vg cond and now hard to find, A\$180.**

217/122. (7284) Windrow, Martin. **The Last Valley: Dien Bien Phu and the French Defeat in Vietnam.** Weidenfeld & Nicholson, London, 2004. 1st ed, thick 8vo in d/w, plates and maps, appendices, source notes, biblio, index, pp734, ****an epic book about an epic battle. The French planned to 'smash' Giap's 'amateur' army at Dien Bien Phu, deep in North Vietnam. However, the Viet Minh had other ideas... an excellent account, vg cond, A\$48.**

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217/123. (8253) (Michelin) **Ypres and The Battle of Ypres: Illustrated Michelin Guide to the Battlefield (1914-1918).** Michelin, Paris, 1919. 1st ed, 8vo in protected d/w, profusely illustrated, plates & maps, British Forces engaged in the battles, index, pp143, ****one of the Michelin Illustrated Guides to the Battlefield 1914-1918. Many before-and-after plates, vg cond (best I've seen) and scarce, A\$62.**

217/124. (5606) Berrie, Lieut Geo. L. **Under Furred Hats: 6th Australian Light Horse Regiment.** Burrigge, Perth, nd? (fp1919) Reprint, small 8vo in brown cloth covers, titles gilt, plates, casualty lists, honours and awards, pp179, ****the 6th ALH served on Gallipoli and then in the Sinai-Palestine Campaign at Romani, Amman, Es Salt and the Jordan Valley, new cond and now scarce, A\$165.**

217/125. (10479) Bradley, Phillip, (ed). **Charles Bean's Gallipoli Illustrated.** A&U, Sydney, 2014. 1st ed large 4to in d/w, fully illustrated in b/w, biblio, selected bios, index, pp198, ****C.E.W. Bean was the Official War Correspondent on Gallipoli from the landing to the evacuation. This book extracts the essence of Gallipoli from his diaries, new cond, A\$60.**

217/126. (5652) Burke, Keast (ed). **With Horse and Morse in Mesopotamia: The Story of ANZACS in Asia.** Burrigge, Perth, nd? (fp1927). Facsimile reprint, 4to in gilt titles on blue boards, profusely illus with plates and maps, full rolls incl NZ and Allies, pp200, ****the histories of 1st Aust. Pack Wireless Signal Troop, the NZ Wireless Signal Troop, 1st Aust & NZ Wireless Signal Squadron, 1st Cavalry Div Signal Sqn, Light Motor Wireless Sections, the Australians of 'Dunsterforce' and Australian Nurses in India, new cond and scarce, A\$185.**

217/127. (10471) Cameron, David W. **The Battle for Lone Pine: Four Days of Hell at the Heart of Gallipoli.** Penguin Viking, Melbourne, 2012. 1st ed, trade 8vo in cardcovers, plates, chapter notes, biblio, a useful 'what happened to' list, index pp386, ****over 4 days in August 1915 Australians and Turks engaged in bloody battle leaving thousands dead. Seven of the 9 Gallipoli VCs were awarded at Lone Pine, vg cond, A\$28.**

217/128. (10478) Coombes, David. **A Greater Sum of Sorrow: The Battles of Bullecourt.** Blue Sky, Sydney, 2016. 1st ed' large 8vo in d/w, plates and maps, end notes, index, pp427, ****the meat grinder that was Bullecourt in April-May 1917. Two battles punched a hole in the Hindenburg Line taking over 7,000 casualties. Many diggers thought Bullecourt was far worse than Pozieres. Haig said 'it 'was among the great achievements of the war', vg cond, A\$45.**

217/129. (9259) Corfield, Robin S. **Don't Forget Me Cobber: The Battle of Fromelles.** Miegunyah Press, Melbourne, 2009 (fp2000). Revised & updated ed, large 8vo in d/w, many illustrations, Australia, British and German Rolls of Honour, chapter notes, index, pp505, ****the disastrous Fromelles attack on the night of 19 July 1916 where the British and Australian AIF units took over 6,500 casualties to the German losses of just 500, vg cond, A\$75.**

217/130. (10475) Cullen, Kit. **Jack's Journey: An ANZAC's Descent into Death, Disaster and Controversy at Gallipoli.** A&U, Sydney, 2013. 1st ed, trade 8vo in card covers, plates (one colour plate), appendix lists casualties of 4th Bn, AIF, chapter notes, biblio, index, pp366, ****the story of Jack Collyer and the men of 15 Platoon in the Death Trap. It exposes the historiographical skulduggery and corruption of the historical record by C.E.W Bean, vg cond, A\$28.**

217/131. (8495) Darley, Major T.H., OBE. **With the Ninth Light Horse in the Great War.** Allen Green, Brisbane, 2009. (fp1924). Facsimile ed, 8vo in beige cloth with colour patch design, plates, appendices, honours and awards, honour roll, pp206, ****the 9th was raised in South Australia and was part of the 3rd LH Brigade AIF along with the 8th (Vic) and 10th (WA). It served on Gallipoli where its first two COs were KIA. It served with the Brigade in the Sinai-Palestine Campaign, new, A\$195.**

217/132. (5573) Devine, W. **The Story of a Battalion: Being a Record of the 48th Battalion, AIF.** Burrigge, Perth, nd? (fp 1919). Facsimile reprint, 8vo in red cloth with titles gilt, plates and maps (drawings and maps by Darryl Lindsay, Official Artist with the AIF), full casualty lists, honours and awards (VC to Pte James Woods), pp179, ****the 48th was formed at Tel-el-Kabir in March 1916 from elements (4 officers and 350 ORs) of the 16th Bn recently evacuated from Gallipoli. It fought with great distinction on the Western Front (Somme, Pozieres, Mouquet Farm, Flanders, Bullecourt etc, very scarce unit history in mint cond, A\$180.**

217/133. (9701) Ekins, Ashley (ed) **Gallipoli: A Ridge Too Far.** AWM/Exisle Publishing, Canberra, 2013. 1st ed, small 4to in d/w,

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- 217/134.** (8429) Emery, Max. **They Rode Into History: The Story of the 8th Light Horse Regiment, AIF 1914-1919.** Slouch Hat Publications, Victoria, 2009. 1st ed, large 8vo in d/w, nominal roll, casualty lists, honours and awards, biblio, index, pp224, ***the 8th Light Horse saw action as infantry on Gallipoli then through the Sinai/Palestine Campaign at Rumani, Gaza-Beersheba, Jordan, Damascus (Es Salt) etc. A very good unit history, new, A\$85.*
- 217/135.** (8882) Finlayson, Damien. **Crumps and Camouflets: Australian Tunnelling Companies on the Western Front.** Blue Sky Publishing, Sydney, 2010. 1st ed, large 8vo in d/w, plates & maps, endnotes, appendices biblio, index, pp480, ***the story of the tunnelers who fought a daily duel with the enemy underground on the Western Front. Both sides tunnelled under each others lines with a view to planting huge sector-destroying mines to be command detonated, new, A\$45.*
- 217/136.** (10487) Fowler, John Ernest (Chook). **Looking Backward: Being the Reminiscences of an Australian Light-Horseman on Gallipoli, in Egypt, Sinai, Palestine and Syria.** Roebuck Society Publications, Canberra, 1979. 1st ed, small 4to in quarter leather and buckram bindings, plates, index, pp100, ***a remarkable first-hand account of soldiering with the 12th LH Regiment on Gallipoli and afterwards in the Sinai-Palestine Campaign, vg cond, A\$65.*
- 217/137.** (6393) Gill, Ian. **Fremantle to France: 11th Battalion AIF, 1914-1919.** Author/Advance Press, Perth, 2003. 1st ed, thick 8vo in protected d/w, signed by the author, plates, maps, nominal rolls, honour roll, biblio, nominal index, pp638, ***a well researched history of the 11th Bn, AIF, mint cond and now RARE, A\$550.*
- 217/138.** (9751) Holt, Tonie & Valmai (compilers & eds). **The Best of Fragments From France: Captain Bruce Bairnsfather.** Phin Publishing, UK, 1978. 1st ed thus, large folio in card covers, fully illustrated in b/w & sepia, pp160, ***a wonderful collection of 'Old Bill' cartoons from the trenches of WW1, shelf worn else good cond, A\$45.*
- 217/139.** (10474) Jordan, Lucas. **Stealth Raiders: A Few Daring Men in 1918.** Vintage/Penguin, Sydney, 2017. 1st ed, trade 8vo in card covers, colour and b/w plates, maps, chapter notes, biographical notes, biblio, index, pp303, ***another story of Australian AIF trench raiders hot on the heels of 'The Black ANZACs' (Doug Walsh, Perth 2016). In this instance they were groups of soldiers who took it upon themselves to slip into the German trench lines and create havoc, vg cond, A\$28.*
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- 217/141.** (10476) Kirkcaldie, Sister R.A. **In Gray and Scarlet.....** Alexander McCubbin, Melbourne, 1922. 1st ed, small 8vo in hand-worn buckram, ex lib (Tasmania), plates, pp187, ***Sister Kirkcaldie enlisted in Sydney in 1914 and served in GRANTALA and then PANAMA before joining the QAIMNSR and heading towards Lemnos and Gallipoli, She later served on the Western Front at Rouen, great story, tight but slightly worn else good cond, A\$45.*
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217/150. (10182) Walsh, Doug. **The Black ANZACS: The AIF's First Trench Raid on the Western Front.** Author, Perth 2016. 1st ed, trade 8vo in card covers, signed by the author, many plate (one gate-fold), maps, nominal roll, bio sketches of each man, biblio, index, pp270, ****on the night of 6/7 June 1916, 73 men drawn from the 26th and 28th Bns, AIF slipped across no-mans land and into the German trench lines and created havoc. They had blackened faces and clothing thus the title. A great ANZAC story,** new, **A\$38.**

217/151. (1706) Wilson, Brigadier-General L.C. and Wetherell, Captain H. **History of the Fifth Light Horse Regiment, AIF, 1914-1919.** BurrIDGE, Perth, nd? (fp1926) Facsimile reprint, (limited ed, this is #30 of 200), 8vo in printed boards, nominal roll, casualty lists, fold-out maps at rear, pp232, ****the 5th LH served on Gallipoli as infantry and throughout the Sinai-Palestine Campaign in their premier role,** mint cond and very scarce, **A\$180.**

217/152. (10118) Wren, Eric. **Randwick to Hargicourt: History of the 3rd Battalion, AIF.** Ronald G. McDonald, Sydney, 1935. 1st ed, large 8vo in fully restored bindings, quarter moroccan and blue buckram in like slipcase, 5 raised bands to spine, all titles and decorations gilt, plates, maps, footnotes, nominal roll incl casualty list, complete with many photos, pp399, ****the 3rd Bn, AIF was raised in NSW and saw active service on Gallipoli, the Western Front. This book was deaccessioned from the library of the Official Historian at Victoria Barracks Paddington (could this have been C.E.W himself?),** an outstanding rescue of a very valuable unit history, RARE, **A\$750.**

217/153. (4304) Wrench, C.M. (MC). **Campaigning With the Fighting 9th: In and Out of the Line with the Ninth Battalion AIF.** Boolarong, Qld, 1985. 1st ed, large 8vo in d/w, plates, maps, general index, personal index, biblio, extensive endnotes, appendices, honour roll, honours and awards, pp598, ****the 9th was the first unit ashore at ANZAC. It served with distinction on Gallipoli and the Western Front losing 3,525 men KIA and WIA,** vg cond, **A\$120.**

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217/154. (4379) Ballard, Geoffrey. **On ULTRA Active Service: The Story of Australia's Signals Intelligence Operations during WW2.** Spectrum Pubs, Melbourne, 1991. 1st ed, large 4to in d/w and mylar, signed by the author, colour and b/w plates, diagrams, illus, maps, index, supplement details contents of many ULTRA signals, pp312 plus, ****Australian SIGINT in WW2, in Greece, Crete, Syria, northern Australia and the SW Pacific Campaign,** vg cond and hard to find, **A\$185.**

217/155. (10481) Beckman, Morris. **The Jewish Brigade: An Army With Two Masters 1944-45.** Spellmount, UK, 1998. 1st ed, large 8vo in d/w, plates, appendices, roll of honour, index, pp159, ****formed in 1944 as part of the British Army, the Jewish Infantry Brigade fought with distinction in Italy. However, their political masters were in Palestine not Whitehall. They assisted thousands of Jews to reach Israel and sent 'revenge squads' on a hunt through Europe tracking down prominent Nazis,** vg cond and uncommon, **A\$48.**

217/156. (5405) Bellair, John. **From Snow to Jungle: A History of the 2/3rd Australian Machine Gun Battalion.** Allen & Unwin, Sydney, 1987. 1st ed, 8vo in d/w and mylar, plates, maps, nominal rolls, honours and awards, chronology, pp298, ****the 2/3rd served with the 7th Div against the Vichy French in the Syrian Campaign. In 1942, on the way back to Australia, they were ordered into Batavia in Java to assist the Dutch. They were captured by the japs and spent the rest of the war as POWs,** vg cond and scarce, **A\$240.**

217/157. (4980) Brune, Peter. **We Band of Brothers: A Biography of Ralph Honner, Soldier and Statesman.** Allen & Unwin, Sydney, 2000. 1st ed, 8vo in card covers, plates, maps, biblio, index, source notes, pp307, ****Ralph Honner was the revered CO of the 39th Bn (Militia) on the Kokoda Track and, along with other more experience battalions (2/14th et al), stopped the Japs in their tracks. His fighting withdrawal was called a 'retreat' by generals who knew no better,** vg cond, **A\$45.**

217/158. (5452) Dornan, Peter. **The Silent Men: Syria to Kokoda and on to Gona.** Allen & Unwin, Sydney, 1999. 1st ed, 8vo in card covers, maps (no plates), pp201, ****the story of the incredible heroism of Bruce Kingsbury, VC and the rest of the eleven man section of the 2/14th Bn, AIF who got stuck into the Japs at Isurava on the Kokoda Track. They were awarded one VC, one DCM and four MMs (whew!),** vg cond, **A\$28.**

217/159. (7387) Finkemeyer, Gunner. **It Happened to Us: The 4th Anti-Tank Regiment in WW2.** C.E. & D.J. Finkemeyer, Melbourne, 1994. 1st ed, 8vo in protected d/w, signed by the author, plates and drawings, pp351, ****three batteries of the 4th Atk Regt. fought in Malaya and Singapore but were captured along with the remainder of the 8th Div. The fourth battery was used in the defence of Darwin,** vg cond and scarce, **A\$110.**

217/160. (10483) Haynes, Jim. **On All Fronts: Australia's World War 2; From North Africa to the Home Front, the Big Part Played by a Small Nation.** ABC Books, Sydney, 2010. 1st ed, large 8vo in card covers, profusely illustrated with b/w plate and maps, biblio, index, pp316, ****a presentation of insightful accounts of the battles in which Australians fought,** vg cond, **A\$25.**

217/161. (10452) Helm, Sarah. **A Life in Secrets: Vera Atkins and the Missing Agents of WW2.** Anchor Books, NY, 2007. 1st ed, trade 8vo in card covers, plates and map, source notes, biblio, index, pp493, ****the real-life cloak-and-dagger tale of Vera Atkins, one of Britain's premier secret agents during WW2,** vg cond, **A\$30.**

217/162. (8078) Henning, Peter. **Doomed Battalion: The Australian 2/40th Battalion, AIF, 1940-45: Mateship & Leadership in War & Captivity.** Allen & Unwin, Sydney, 1995. 1st ed, trade 8vo in card covers, plates, maps, nominal rolls, honours and awards, end-

notes, index, pp407, ***the 2/40th was made up mainly of Tasmanians. It was deployed to garrison and airfields in Dutch Timor immediately after the Japanese entered WW2. It was a misguided strategy as they were captured a week after the fall of Singapore in 1942, vg cond and VERY hard to find, A\$85.*

217/163. (10447) James, Richard. **Australia's War With France: The Campaign in Syria and Lebanon, 1941.** Blue Sky, Sydney, 2017. 1st ed, trade 8vo in card covers, plates and numerous maps, Roll of Honour, endnotes, biblio, index, pp385, ***in 1941 the Australian 7th Div, AIF was deployed to Syria and Lebanon to fight the Vichy France. Although successful they lost over 400 soldiers KIA, It was shuffled to the back of our war history. The 7th was known as 'The Silent Men', vg cond, A\$28.*

217/164. (4163) Johnson, K.T. **The History of the 2/11th (City of Perth) Australian Infantry Battalion.** Burrigge, Perth, 2000. 1st ed, 4to in green cloth, profusely illus, nominal rolls, maps, index, pp289, ***not an official battalion history per se but a collection of stories from members covering all theatres of war the 2/11th served in. Many were killed or captured at Retimo in Crete, vg cond and now hard to find,, A\$120.*

217/165. (10159) Lewis, Dr Tom and Ingram, Peter. **Carrier attack: Darwin 1942: The Complete Guide to Australia's Own Pearl Harbour.** Avonmore Books, Adelaide, 2013. 1st ed, large 8vo in protected d/w, colour and b/w plates, colour maps, appendices, biblio, end notes, index, pp368, ***on 19 Feb 1942, a massive Japanese strike force, blooded at Pearl Harbour just weeks before, hit Darwin in the biggest Japanese air attack ever in the South Pacific. This book covers all the facts (and myths), an excellent reference, vg cond, A\$42.*

217/166. (9995) MacDonald, Callum, **The Killing of Reinhard Heydrich: The SS 'Butcher of Prague'.** The Free Press, NY, 1989. 1st ed, large 8vo in protected d/w, plates, chapter notes, biblio, appendices, index, pp239, ***Heydrich was assassinated by two Czech exiles (Gabcic & Kubis) in Prague on 27 May 1942. They were ruthlessly hunted down and killed along with hundreds of others. Heydrich was close to the worst Nazi of them all, good riddance, vg cond, A\$35.*

217/167. (4698) Masel, Philip. **The Second 28th: The Story of a Famous Battalion of the Ninth Australian Division.** Assn, Perth, 1995 (fp1961). Reprint with addition of full nominal roll (1st ed lacked the roll), large 8vo in mint d/w, plates and maps, honours and awards, appendices, index, pp390, ***the 2/28th Bn, AIF was heavily involved in the campaigns of the Middle East and then in New Guinea (Scarlett Beach Finschafen, Busu) and, Borneo (Labuan, Beaufort), new cond and now out of print and scarce, A\$150.*

217/168. (10356) McKenzie-Smith, Graham R. **The Unit Guide: The Australian Army 1939-1945 (in 6 vols).** Big Sky Publishing, Sydney, 2018. 1st ed, large 8vo in green buckram, glossary, glossay in each volume, pp5,705, ***an enormous and important work by Mr. McKenzie-Smith, arguably one of Australia's better military historians. This set covers EVERY unit large and small on the Australian ORBAT, new, A\$240.*

217/169. (10149) Psychoundakis, George.(translated from the Greek by Patrick Leigh Fermoy). **The Cretan Runner: His Story of the German Occupation.** Folio Society, London, 2009 (fp1955). Reprint, 8vo hard-back in slip-case, maps on inside covers, portrait in frontispiece, plates and drawings, index, pp225, ***a story of the harrowing war waged against the German occupiers in the mountains of Crete in WW2 and their close relationship with Allied forces in particular SOE, as new cond, A\$45.*

217/170. (1602) Reece, Bob. **Masa Jepun (Time of the Japanese): Sarawak Under the Japanese 1941-1945.** Sarawak Literary Society, 1998. 1st ed, 4to in laminated boards, illus in colour and b/w, (large colour map of Sarawak), biblio, errata sheet loose at front, chronology, pp254, ***an excellent history of this period with Semut 3 content, vg cond,, A\$68.*

217/171. (10444) Rees, Peter. **Desert Boys: Australians at War From Beersheba to Tobruk and El Alamein.** A&U, Sydney, 2011. 1st ed, thick 8vo in d/w, plates, 6 large maps, chapter notes, extensive biblio, index, pp712, ***a book in generally two parts covering our commitment in the desert in both world wars, vg cond, A\$35.*

217/172. (4513) Smith, LtCol Neil, AM. **TID-APA: The History of the 4th Anti-Tank Regiment (AIF).** Mostly Unsung, Melbourne, 1992. 1st ed, 8vo in d/w, plates, maps, appendices, rolls, honours and awards, index, pp231, ***the 4th Anti-Tank Regt 8th Div, (less one battery) was captured by the Japs in Malaya, new, A\$45.*

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217/174. (5469) Uren, Malcolm. **A Thousand Men at War: The Story of the 2/16th Battalion, AIF.** Heinemann, London, 1959. 1st ed, 8vo in poor d/w (now protected) plates, maps, full nominal roll, pp289, ***the 2/16th saw active service in the Syrian Campaign (Litani, Sidon and Damour) and then New Guinea (Kokoda Track, Gona Beach, the Markham and Ramu Valleys, Shaggy Ridge and finally Balikpapan, a very good and scarce unit history, vg cond, A\$110.*

217/175. (4553) Vane, Dr Armoury. **North Australia Observer Unit: Unit History of an Army Surveillance Regiment.** AMHP, Sydney, 2000. 1st ed, large 8vo in illus boards, plates, maps, index, nominal roll, appendices, pp174, ***the 'Nackeroos' or 'Curtin's Cowboys' were an effective surveillance unit in Australia's north during WW2. They remain today as an Army Reserve unit, NORFORCE based out of Darwin, new, A\$68.*

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