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A history of the Royal Sappers and Miners by the Quartermaster of the Royal Engineers.

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A History of the Late Siege of Gibraltar. With a Description and Account of that Garrison. From the Earliest Periods.

London: T. Spilsbury, 1786

A history of the Siege of Gibraltar in the early 18th Century, with ten fold-out maps, plans and illustrations.

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The Battle of Bosworth between Richard the Third and Henry Earl of Richmond, August 22, 1845

London: Nichols, Son, and Bentley, 1813

The Battle of Bosworth, Leicestershire, England, with illustrations and observations on Richard III's character.

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MACKINNON, Colonel

Origin and Services of the Coldstream Guards

London: Richard Bentley, 1833, 2 Vols.

A history of the British Coldstream Guards, their origins and first commissions.

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MARTINEAU, Harriet

England and her Soldiers

London: Smith, Elder and Co., 1859

An account of the causes of deaths in the military in the 19th century, covering social conditions, hygiene and sanitation.

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O'CONNOR, Matthew

Military History of the Irish Nation, comprising a memoir of the Irish Brigade in the service of France
Dublin: Hogden and Smith, 1845

16th-18th Century military history of Ireland, with an appendix of 'official papers relative to the Brigade, from the archives at Paris'.

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WARREN, Samuel

A Letter to the Queen on A Late Court Martial
Edinburgh and London: William Blackwood & Sons,
1850

A letter to the Queen advocating the cause of Captain Douglas and co., concerning his court martial at Guernsey in 1849.

(Sa1)

WHITE, Robert

History of the Battle of Otterburn, fought in 1388, with memoirs of who engaged in that memorable conflict
London, John Russell Smith, 1857

A history of the Battle of Otterburn in Northumberland, a border dispute of the 14th century. With descriptions of English and Scottish

nobility, warriors and social conditions of the time.
Also contains descriptions of armour and weapons.
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BEATSON, Robert
*Naval and Military Memoirs of Great Britain, from
1727-1783*
London: Longman, Hurst, Rees and Orme, 1804, 6
Vols.

18th Century naval and military history, mainly
concerning events in Spain and France.
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BRASSEY, Thomas
*The British Navy: its Strength, Resources, and
Administration*
London: Longman's, Green and Co., 1882, 6 Vols.

Analysis of the British Navy, covering subjects such
as armoury and weapons.
(Sc4)

BRENTON, Edward Pelham
*The Naval History of Great Britain, from the year
MDCCLXXXIII to MDCCCXXII*
London: C. Rice, 1823-1825, 5 Vols.

A history of the British Navy, 1783-1822, covering
military battles in this period.

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CAMPBELL, John
*Naval History of Great Britain, including the history
and lives of the British Admirals*
London: John Stockdale, 1813, 8 Vols.

A history of the Navy in Britain, from Roman times
to 1812.

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GILLY, William O.S.
*Narratives of the Shipwrecks of the Royal Navy:
between 1793 and 1857*
London: John W. Parker and Son, 1857

An account of the shipwrecks of the Royal Navy in
the late 18th and early 19th centuries, such as the
Ajax in 1807 and the Firefly in 1835.

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JAMES, William

The Naval History of Great Britain, from the Declaration of War by France in 1793, to the Accession of George IV

London: Richard Bentley, 1847, 6 Vols.

A history of the Navy, focusing mainly on events concerning France. With an account of the Burmese War and the Battle of Navarino, by Captain Chamier, R.N.

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LAUGHTON, John Knox

Studies in Naval History. Biographies

London: Longman's, Green and Co., 1887

Biographies of naval figures from the 14th to the 19th centuries.

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WOOD, Walter

With the Flag at Sea

London: Archibald Constable and Co. Ltd., 1901

16th-19th Century naval history, including the Armada and the Battle of Trafalgar.

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ANONYMOUS

Military Events of the Late French Revolution or, an account of the conduct of the Royal Guard on that occasion, 5th edition

London: John Murray, 1831

A history of the French Revolution by and anonymous author.

(Sd11)

BATTY, Captain

Campaign of the left wing of the allied army, in the Western Pyrenees and South of France, in the years 1813-14; under Field-Marshal the Marquess of Wellington

London: John Murray, 1823

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DAILY NEWS, The
Diary of the Besieged Resident in Paris
London: Hurst and Blackett, 1871

Reprints from the Daily News, of a foreign correspondent based in Paris.

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Dell' Istoria Delle Guerre Civili Di Francia
Milano: Dalla Societa' Tipografica de' Classici Italiani, 1807, 6 Vols.

A history of the French Civil War, with illustrations and portraits.

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FARNEWORTH, Ellis
The History of the Civil Wars in France
London: D. Browne and Co., 1758

The Civil Wars of France in the 17th and 18th Centuries.

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GOURGAUD, General

The Campaign of MDCCCXV; or, A Narrative of the Military Operations which took place in France and Belgium during the Hundred Days

London: James Ridgway, 1818

Military campaigns in France and Belgium, including the Battle of Ligny and the Battle of Waterloo.

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GREY, Walter

Walcheren, By Authority. Proceedings on a Motion for Inquiry into the Conduct and Policy of the late Expedition to the Scheldt.

London: J. Stratford, 1810

Proceedings on an inquiry relating to Walcheren in the Netherlands, and the River Schelde, Belgium, with 'biographical' notes.

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HOOPER, George

The Campaign of Sedan: The Downfall of the Second Empire

London: George Bell and Sons, 1887

An account of war in Sedan, France, with maps and plans.

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MAHAN, A. T.

The Influence of Sea Power upon the French Revolution and Empire, 1793-1812

London: Sampson, Low, Marston and Company,
1892

An analysis of the French and British Navies, and their influence on the French Revolution and Empire, with sketches and illustrations.

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NICOLAS, Nicholas Harris

The History of the Battle of Agincourt; and of the expedition of Henry the Fifth into France: to which is added, the Roll of the Men at Arms, in the English Army

London: Johnson, 1827

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ROBINSON, G. T.

The Fall of Metz. An account of the seventy day's siege and of the battles which preceded it

London: Bradbury, Evans and Co., 1871

An account of war in Metz, France, with a map.

(SI28)

RÜSTOW, W.

The War for the Rhine Frontier 1870. Its Political and Military History.

London: William Blackwood and Sons, 1872, 3 Vols.

An account of war in France, 1870, translated from the German by John Layland Needham.

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SHEPPARD, Nathan

Shut up in Paris

London: Richard Bentley and Son, 1871

An account of imprisonment in Paris, during occupation by the Germans.

(SI32)

SIBORNE, W.

*History of the War in France and Belgium, in 1815,
2nd Edition*

London: T. and W. Boone, 1854, 2 Vols.

Details of the battles of the Quatre-Bras, Ligny, Wavre and Waterloo, with illustrations, for example of the Duke of Wellington, and one volume of maps.

(Sg2)

The War Correspondence of the Daily News 1870

London: Macmillan and Co., 1871

Correspondence relating to war between Germany and France, with a chronology and maps.

(SI29)

WRIGHT, Peter E.

At the Supreme War Council

London: Eveleigh Nash Co. Ltd., 1921

A history of the Supreme War Council, and account of the Battle of St. Quentin, France.

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ANONYMOUS

The Battle of Waterloo, 2nd Edition
Manchester: J. Gleave, 1816

Contains a geographical history of the Island and accounts of the executions of Marshal Ney and Colonel Lebedoyere.

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BEAUCHAMP

An Authentic Narrative of the Invasions of France, in 1814 and 1815, comprising a Circumstantial Detail of the Battle of Waterloo, 2nd Edition
London: Henry Colburn, 1816, 2 Vols.

An account of military campaigns in France, including an analysis of contemporary social conditions.

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GLEIG, G. R.
Story of the Battle of Waterloo
London: John Murray, 1847

An account of the Battle of Waterloo, from the peace treaty of Paris, 1814, to the occupation of Paris, 1815.

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The Franco-Prussian War, 1870-71

BUSCH, Dr. Moritz
Bismarck in the Franco-German War, 1870-71
London: Macmillan and Co., 1879, 2 Vols.

A history of the influence of Otto von Bismarck in the Franco-German War.

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CHESNEY and REEVE, Henry
The Military Resources of Prussia and France and Recent Changes in the War
London: Longman's, Green and Co., 1870

Observations on the armies of France and Prussia, during the Franco-Prussian war.

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D'HERISSON, M. le Comte
*Journal of a Staff-Officer in Paris during the Events
of 1870 and 1871*
London: Remington and Co., 1885

The journal of an officer during the Franco-Prussian
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The Franco-German War of 1870-71
London: James R. Osgood, 1891

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*The Year of Liberation: A journal of the Defence of
Hamburg against the French Army under Marshal
Davoust, in 1813*
London: James Duncan, 1832, 2 vols.

An account of military campaigns in Hamburg,
Germany against the French.

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DUNCAN, James Marriott
The History of the Thirty Years War in Germany
London: W. Simpkin and R. Marshall, 1828, 2 Vols.

A detailed history of the Thirty Year's War, covering subjects such as reform.

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HOZIER, H. M.
The Seven Weeks' War. Its antecedents and its incidents
London: Macmillan and Co., 1867, 2 Vols.

An account of the war of the German confederation, with maps of Germany, Prussia and Bohemia.

(SI27)

KEMPE, Alfred John
A Circumstantial Narrative of the Campaign in Saxony in the year 1813
London: John Murray, 1820

A narrative of military campaigns against Saxony, 1813, by the Lieut.Col. of the Royal Saxon Cavalry.

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KLEIN, Pastor

*The Pastor's Narrative or Before and After the
Battle of Wörth 1870*

London: Longman's, Green and Co., 1879

A history of the Battle of Wörth, Germany.

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MOLET, Sir Alexander

*The Overthrow of the Germanic Confederation by
Prussia in 1866*

London: Longmans, Green and Co., 1870

An account of Prussia's victory over Germany, with
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VANE, Charles William

*Narrative of the War in Germany and France, in
1813 and 1814*

London: Henry Colburn and Richard Bentley, 1830

An account of military campaigns in Germany and
France.

(Sb5)

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Memoir of the Early Campaigns of the Duke of Wellington in Portugal and Spain

London: John Murray, 1820

A memoir of military campaigns of the Duke of Wellington in Portugal and Spain, by 'An Officer employed in his Army'.

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HALLIDAY, Andrew

Observation on the present state of the Portuguese Army, as organised by Lieutenant-General Sir William Carr Beresford, K.B.

London: John Murray, 1811

A study of the Portuguese Army, including its history and origins.

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IRVING, Washington

A Chronicle of the Conquest of Granada

London: John Murray, 1829, 2 Vols.

From the manuscript of Fray Antonio Agapida.

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MAHON, Lord

History of the War of the Succession in Spain

London: John Murray, 1832

A history of the Spanish Succession, 1700-1714, with a map illustrating 'The War of the Succession in Spain', by J. C. Walker.

(Sg4)

MOORE, James

A Narrative of the Campaign of the British Army in Spain, commanded by his excellency Lieut.-General Sir John Moore, K.B.

London: Joseph Johnson, 1809

An account of a military campaign in Spain, with illustrations.

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NAPIER, Charles

An Account of the War in Portugal between Don Pedro and Don Miguel

London: T. and W. Boone, 1836, 2 vols.

An account of conflicts in Portugal, with illustrations.

(Sd14)

NEALE, Adam

Letters from Portugal and Spain; comprising an account of the operations of the armies under their excellencies Sir Arthur Wellesley and Sir John Moore, from the Landing of the troops in Mondego Bay to the Battle at Corunna

London: Richard Phillips, 1809

Letters on campaigns in Portugal and Spain, with an appendix, maps and illustrations.

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ROCCA, M. de

Memoirs of the War of the French in Spain

London: John Murray, 1815

Details of French military campaigns in Spain, by an officer of Hussars and Knight of the order of the legion of honour.

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The Peninsular War, 1808-1814

ANONYMOUS

Annals of the Peninsular Campaigns: from MDCCCVIII to MDCCCXIV

Edinburgh: William Blackwood, 1829, 3 Vols.

Military campaigns in Spain and Portugal involving Napoleon, 'by the author of Cyril Thornton'.

(Sh1)

ELIOT, William Granville

A Treatise on the Defence of Portugal, with a military map of the country; to which is added, a sketch of the manners and customs of the inhabitants, and principal events of the campaigns under Lord Wellington

London: T. Egerton, 1811

A history of the Peninsular War, focusing on campaigns in Portugal under Lord Wellington, with seven maps.

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JONES, John T.

Journals of the Sieges undertaken by the Allies in Spain, in the years 1811 and 1812, with notes

London: T. Egerton, 1814

Details of military campaigns in Spain by a Lieut. of the Corps of Royal Engineers.

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NAPIER, W.F.P.

History of the War in the Peninsula and in the South of France, from the year 1807 to the year 1814

London: Thomas and William Boone, 1836, 6 Vols.

Contains answers to attacks in Robinson's *Life of Fiction* and the *Quarterly Review*, and counter-remarks to 'Mr Dudley Montagu Perceval's remarks on passages in Vol. 4'.

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ORMSBY, James Wilmot

An Account of the Operations of the British Army, and of the state and the sentiments of the people of Portugal and Spain, during the campaigns of the years 1808 and 1809

London: James Carpenter, 1809

A series of letters on campaigns in Portugal and Spain, detailing the lives and habits of the native people and the operations of the British Army.

(Sa7)

PAGET, Julian

Wellington's Peninsular War. Battles and Battlefields

London: Leo Cooper, 1990

An illustrated history of the Peninsular War, focusing on the strategies of Lord Wellington.

(S Supp.)

SOUTHEY, Robert

History of the Peninsular War

London: John Murray, 1823, 3 Vols.

An account of the Peninsular War, by the Poet Laureate of the time Robert Southey, dedicated to the King.

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STOTHERT, William

A Narrative of the Principal Events of the Campaigns of 1809, 1810 and 1811, in Spain and Portugal; interspersed with remarks on local scenery and manners

London: P. Martin, 1812

Letters by Stothert on military events, with a map of the 'seat of war'.

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VANE, Charles William
Narrative of the Peninsular War, from 1808 to 1813
London: Henry Colburn, 1828

An account of military campaigns in Spain and Portugal, with a map and illustrations engraved by Sidney Hall.

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MUGGERIDGE, Malcolm, ed.
Ciano's Diary, 1939-1943
London: William Heinemann Ltd., 1947

Count Galeazzo Ciano's diary. An aid to Mussolini, he helped to expose him. With photographs and a foreword by Sumner Welles.

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Russia

BRAYBROOKE, W. L.

The Diary of the Late Lieut. and Adjutant W. L. Braybrooke, Ceylon Rifle Regiment, whilst serving in Bulgaria, to the Battle of the Alma

London: Edward Stanford, 1855

The diary of the deceased W. L. Braybrooke, who died at the Battle of the Alma, Bulgaria, in the Crimean War.

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CHESNEY, Colonel

The Russo-Turkish Campaigns of 1828 and 1829: with a view of the present state of affairs in the East

London: Smith, Elder and Co., 1854

An account of military campaigns, with maps, in Russia and Turkey, 1828-29.

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LAKE, Colonel Atwell

Kars and our captivity in Russia: with letters from Gen. Sir W. F. Williams, Bart., of Kars, K. C. B; Major Teesdale, C. B., and the late Captain Thomson, C. B.

London: Richard Bentley, 1856

An account of the captivity of the British military in Russia.

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MONTEITH, W.

Kars and Erzeroum: with the Campaigns of Prince Paskiewitch in 1828 and 1829; and an account of the conquests of Russia beyond the Caucasus

London: Longman, Brown, Green and Longmans, 1856

A history of the military campaigns and wars involving Russia, up to the 1850s.

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MÜFFLING, Baron

Narrative of my Missions to Constantinople and St. Petersburg, in the years 1829 and 1830

London: Longman, Brown, Green and Longmans, 1855

A Translation of the memoirs of Baron Müffling during the period of the Treaty of Adrianople.

(Sa8)

PORTER, Robert Ker.

A Narrative of the Campaign in Russia, during the year 1812

London: Longman, Hurst and Brown [.]

An account of the Napoleonic Wars, covering France, Russia and Turkey, with a map and a portrait of Prince Kartousoff of Russia.

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SEGUR, Philip de

History of the Expedition to Russia, undertaken by the Emperor Napoleon, in the year 1812

London: Treuttel and Wurtz, Treuttel, Jun. and Richter, 1825, 2 Vols.

An account of the prelude to the Napoleonic Wars, in the year 1812, with maps of Paris, Moscow and the surrounding areas.

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STEPNIAK

Russia under the Tsars

London: Ward and Downey, 1885, 2 Vols.

A military history of Russia from the seventeenth to the nineteenth century, translated by William Westall.

(Sm27)

WILSON, Robert

Narrative of Events during the Invasion of Russia by Napoleon Bonaparte, and the Retreat of the French Army, 1812

London: John Murray, 1860

Extracts from the journal of General Sir Robert Wilson during Napoleon's invasion of Russia.

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WHITTINGHAM, Bernard

Notes on the Late Expedition against the Russian Settlements in Eastern Siberia; and of a visit to Japan and to the shores of Tartary, and of the sea of Okhostk

London: Longman, Brown, Green and Longmans, 1856

A personal account by a captain of the Royal Engineers, of military campaigns in Russia.

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WILKINSON, Spenser
First Lessons in War, 2nd edition
London: Methuen and Co. Ltd., 1914

Observations on early twentieth century war strategies.

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The Crimean War (1853-6)

ANONYMOUS

Letters from Head-Quarters; or, the Realities of the War in the Crimea

London: John Murray, 1856, 2 vols.

An account of the Crimean War in the form of letters from the British headquarters in Russia.

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BAZANCOURT, Baron de

The Crimean Expedition, on the capture of Sebastopol. Chronicles of the War in the East, from its commencement to the signing of the treaty of peace

London: Sampson Low and Son and Co., 1856, 2 vols.

Accounts of the Crimean War, translated by the French by Robert Howe Gould.

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HAMLEY, E. Bruce

The Story of the Campaign of Sebastopol. Written in the Camp

Edinburgh and London: William Blackwood and Sons., 1855

An account of the campaign of Sebastopol told from the point of view of a soldier in the camp, and with illustrations drawn by the author.

(Sb12)

HODASEVICH, R.

A Voice from within the Walls of Sebastopol: A Narrative of the Campaign in the Crimea, and of the Events of the Siege

London: John Murray, 1856

An account of the Crimean War, from the point of view of a captain in the Russian service.

(Sa14)

KINGLAKE, Alexander William

The Invasion of the Crimea: its Origin, and an Account of its Progress down to the death of Lord Raglan

Edinburgh and London: William Blackwood and Sons, 1863, 6 Vols.

A history of the Crimean War, including observations on the causes of war.

(SI5)

KLAPKA, George

The War in the East from the year 1853 till July 1855

London: Chapman and Hall, 1855

Translation by A. Mednyánsky, from the original manuscript, of an account of the Crimean War.

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RUSSELL, William Howard

The Great War with Russia. The Invasion of the Crimea

London: George Routledge and Sons, 1895

An account of the Crimean War, including notes on the battles of the Alma, Balaclava and the Inkermann.

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RUSSELL, W. H.

The War: From the Landing at Gallipoli to the death of Lord Raglan

London: George Routledge and co., 1855

Extracts from letters by W. H. Russel, correspondent to The Times, from March 1854-July 1855, covering the Crimean War and travels to other countries.

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RUSSELL, W. H.

The War. From the death of Lord Raglan to the Evacuation of the Crimea

London: G. Routledge and Co., 1856

A history of the Crimea from Lord Raglan's death in 1855 up to the evacuation of the Crimea by military troops.

(Sa16)

SKENE, James Henry

With Lord Stratford in the Crimean War

London: Richard Bentley and Son, 1883

An account of Lord Stratford's influence on the Crimean War, covering Turkey and Russia, and the death of Lord Raglan.

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TULLOCH, Colonel

The Crimean Commission and the Chelsea Board: being a review of the proceedings and report of the board

London: Harrison, 1857

Proceedings and report of the Crimean Commission, 1855.

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Africa

CATHCART, George

Correspondence of Lieut.-Gen. the Hon. Sir George Cathcart

London: John Murray, 1856

Letters from Sir George Cathcart, with maps, detailing military operations in Africa.

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COLBORNE, J.

With Hicks Pasha in the Soudan being an account of the Senaar Campaign in 1883

London: Smith, Elder and Co., 1884

An account of military campaigns in the Sudan, with a photograph of Hicks Pasha.

(Sm28)

HARDMAN, Frederick

The Spanish Campaign in Morocco

Edinburgh and London: William Blackwood and Sons, 1860

Extracts from the journal of Frederick Hardman, Special Correspondent to The Times, on the Spanish military campaign in Morocco.

(Sa31)

LAWRENCE, T. E.
Revolt in the Desert
London: Jonathan Cape, 1927

An account of a military revolt in the African desert, with a map of Sinai, Nefudh and Hejaz, and other portraits.

(S Supp.)

MARKHAM, Clements R.
A History of the Abyssinian Expedition
London: Macmillan and Co., 1869

Contains a history of Abyssinia, and maps. Also contains a chapter by Lieut. W. F. Prideaux.

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NAPIER, W.F.P.
The Conquest of Scinde, with some introductory passages in the life of Major-General Sir Charles James Napier, 2nd edition
London: T. and W. Boone, 1845

An account of the British Expedition to Sinde involving Sir Charles Napier.

(Se2)

RICKETTS, Major

Narrative of the Ashantee War; with a view of the present state of the colony of Sierra Leone

London: Simekin and Marshall, 1831

An account by an officer of the Royal African Colonial Corps of the Ashantee War in Africa.

(Sd13)

SALAMÉ, A.

A Narrative of the Expedition to Algiers in the year 1816, under the command of the Right Hon. Admiral Lord Viscount Exmouth

London: John Murray, 1819

An account of a military expedition to Algiers (Alger), by an interpreter for 'the Oriental languages'.

(Sd12)

SINCLAIR, Hugh M.

Camp and Society

London: Chapman and Hall, 1926

An autobiography of military experiences, mainly focusing on the Boer War, 1899-1902, and India.

(S Supp.)

VIJN, Cornelius

Cetshwayo's Dutchman being the Private Journal of a White Trader in Zululand during the British Invasion

London: Longman's, Green and Co., 1880

The journal of a white trader in Africa, with a photograph of Cetshwayo. Translated by the Right Rev. J. W. Colenso.

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VILJOEN, Ben

My Reminiscences of the Anglo-Boer War

London: Hood, Douglas and Howard, 1902

A personal account of the Boer War, 1899-1902.

(S Supp.)

WALSH, Thomas

Journal of the late Campaign in Egypt: including descriptions of that country, and of Gibraltar, Minorca, Malta, Marmorice, and Macri; with an Appendix; containing Official Papers and Documents.

London: T. Cadell, Jun., and W. Davies., 1803

An account of campaigns in Egypt, including a description of social conditions and origins of the country, with maps and illustrations.

(Sk11)

WET, Christiaan Rudolf de
Three Years War (October 1899-June 1902)
London: Archibald Constable and Co. Ltd., 1902

An account of the Boer War in South Africa, 1899-1902, with maps and sketches.

(S Supp.)

WILSON, Charles W.
From Korti to Khartum. A Journal of the Desert March from Korti to Guhat, and of the Ascent of the Nile in General Gordon's Steamers, 2nd Edition
London: William Blackwood and Sons, 1836

An account of a march by troops across Africa, with sketches and illustrations.

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WILSON, Robert Thomas
History of the British Expedition to Egypt; to which is subjoined, a sketch of the present state of that country and its means of defence
London: Egerton Lond, 1803, 2 vols.

An account of the British expedition to Egypt, with maps, including social conditions of the country and an analysis of its military.

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Asia: China

ANONYMOUS

The Last Year in China to the Peace of Nanking: As sketched in letters to his friends, by a field officer actively employed in that country. With a few concluding remarks on our past and future policy in China.

London: Longman, Brown, Green and Longmans, 1843

A series of letters by an anonymous field officer serving in China, from August 1841-September 1842. With one map of the East coast of China.

(Sa4)

CHAMBERS, B. M.

Salt Junk. Naval Reminiscences, 1881-1906

London: Constable and Co. Ltd, 1927

An autobiography, mainly focusing on China and South America, with sketches by the author.

(S. Supp.)

COOKE, George Wingrove
China: being The Times Special Correspondence from China in the years 1857-8
London: G. Routledge and Co., 1858

Details of military campaigns in China, in the form of letters from The Times correspondent.

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MCPHERSON, D.
Two Years in China. Narrative of the Chinese Expedition from its formation in April, 1840, till April 1842
London: Saunders and Otley, 1842

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