Eleventh Session, Commencing at 9.30 am

ORDERS, DECORATIONS & MEDALS

BRITISH SINGLES



2045*

The Most Excellent Order of the British Empire (MBE) (Civil) breast badge, c1928. With case, outer lid damage showing removal of adhesive tape, inside case fabric soiled and torn near hinges, medal very fine.

\$200

Ex. W (Bill) Woolmore Collection.

2046

World military, assorted medals, including Punjab Medal 1848-49 - clasp - Goojerat, Coloi ??? William Cooke H.M.?? Regt, engraved; Queen's South Africa Medal, missing suspender, renamed, Pte J.McLuskie 6086E 1st Batt H.L.I., engraved; 1914 Stars (2) names erased; 1914-15 Star, name erased; British War Medal 1914-18, missing suspender, 1293 Pte J.W.Wyllie 3-Sco.H, impressed; Victory Medal 1914-19, missing brass ring, 316203 Pte 2 J.F.Calepepe R.A.F. renamed; Africa Star, unnamed; Australia Service Medal 1939-45, unnamed, missing suspender; South Vietnam Campaign Medal, unnamed; African Service Medal, 1939-45. Very good - very fine. (11)

\$200



2047*

Crimea Medal 1854-56, - clasp - Alma, with leather suspension strap and spare length of ribbon. A. Millard. 47th Regt. Impressed. *Heavy contact marks and edge bumps, otherwise very good.*

\$200

2048

Turkish Crimea Medal 1855-56, British issue. Pte J.Loxie (?). Engraved. Contact marks and digs on reverse, naming worn, otherwise very good.

\$80



2049*

New Zealand Medal 1869, with 1860 to 1866 reverse. 3422. Denis Manning, 1st Bn. 12th Regt. Impressed. *Some light contact marks and a small edge nick, otherwise nearly very fine.*

\$500

3422 Pte Denis Manning 1st Battalion, 12th (East Suffolk) Regiment; returned to England in 1867.



2050*

Afghanistan Medal 1878-80. 3739, Gunr F.Sharpe, 10/11th Bde R.A. Engraved. *Hairlines, otherwise nicely toned very fine*.

\$150

Together with Kingdom of Afghanistan, unidentified medal in bronze with bar across back for ribbon and a miniature medal in silver and gilt with ring top suspension.

Ex Mark E.Freehill Collection.



2051*

Afghanistan Medal 1878-80, clasp - Ahmed Khel. 2128 Pte T.Freeman. 59/Foot. Engraved with a few letters nearly worn away. *Well worn, good - very good*.

\$150



2052*

British South Africa Company's Medal 1890-97, Rhodesia 1896 reverse. 4072 Pte C.Rodwell. 2/Y & Lancr Regt. Engraved. Edge bumps and nicks, otherwise toned fine. \$200





Queen's South Africa Medal 1899, (type 3 reverse), - three clasps - Cape Colony, Orange Free State, South Africa 1901. 24234 Tpr: M.Samuels. S.A. Lt Horse. Impressed. *Hairlines, otherwise good very fine.*

\$250

Recorded on nominal roll of South African Light Horse as 23234 Trooper M.Samuels. Discharged 28 June 1901 as time expired.



2054*

China War Medal 1900. Pte J.H.Simmonds. Shanghai Vols. Impressed. *Toned*, good very fine.

\$500

Together with Masonic Penny for Keystone Royal Arch Chapter, Shanghai, China.

2055

Pair: British War Medal 1914-18; Victory Medal 1914-19. 57102 Pte. R.H.Cuddeford. L'Pool. R. Both medals impressed. *Extremely fine*.

\$100

2056

Singles: Victory Medal 1914-19. 24406 Pte. M.Pollitt. L. N. Lan. R. Impressed.; 1st Batt South Wales Borderers, prize medal (KC), in bronze (45mm), unnamed, in case of issue.; also Nigeria Independence Medal 1960, unnamed as issued. *The first without ribbon, good very fine, the second with small edge nick, otherwise toned uncirculated, and the last extremely fine.* (3)

\$100

Pte Miles Pollitt, only entitlement is Victory Medal, with copy of official issuing card.

2057

Singles: 1939-45 Star (3); Africa Star; Burma Star (3); Italy Star; Defence Medal 1939-45 (2); War Medal 1939-45 (2); also Australia, Front Line Service Medal (2). All unnamed. *Fourteen single medals, very fine - extremely fine.*

2058

Singles: Italy Star; France and Germany Star. Both unnamed. Two single medals, both toned, the second with small oxidation spot on reverse, ribbons aged, otherwise good very fine.

\$50

2059

Imperial Service Medal, (GVR coinage head). William James Edwards.; another (GVIR Fid:Dei). William Bryan Skelton.; another (EIIR with Tudor crown and without Br.Omn). Sydney Warden. All medals impressed. *All in cases of issue, the last two with heavy foxing on lid lining and the last two with pin-back suspenders, extremely fine.* (3) \$150

Together with copy of Second Supplement to London Gazette for second medal awarded to a member of the Home Civil Service, William Bryan Skelton, Postman, Bracknell Sub Office, Wokingham.

Ex Barry McGown Scott Collection.

2060

Singles: Imperial Service Medal, (GVR type 2). Alexander Gardner Shaw. Impressed.; Jubilee Medal 1935. Unnamed as issued.; The King's Medal, George V issue in bronze, school attendance medal issued by London County Council for Attendance Conduct & Industry, edge impressed, 'K.Barnes'. *Three single medals, the first medal with a few small edge nicks, otherwise very fine, the second medal toned good very fine, and the last medal with scratches on obverse, otherwise fine.* \$80



Colonial Auxiliary Forces Long Service Medal, (QVC old head). J.W. (erased) Late Lieut. Reserve of Officers. Impressed. Edge bumps, otherwise good fine. \$80





Visit to Ireland Medal 1911, in silver. Unnamed. Dark toned, otherwise good very fine.

\$100





Silver Jubilee Medal 1977, on a pin-back ribbon bow, in case of issue. Unnamed as issued. *Toned*, otherwise uncirculated.

\$250

Medal attributed to Miss Olive Lamb.

Together with a letter from Lancashire County Council to Miss Lamb congratulating her on the award of the Silver Jubilee Medal and her significant contribution over the years to the quality of the Education Service in Lancashire. Also an invitation made out to Miss Lamb to attend the 'Presentation of Gold Standard Awards by HRH The Duke of Edinburgh', at Buckingham Palace on Tuesday 5th June 1979.

BRITISH GROUPS

2064

Pair: Queen's South Africa Medal, 1899 (type 3) - three clasps - Cape Colony, Orange Free State, Transvaal; King's South Africa Medal 1902 - two clasps - South Africa 1901, South Africa 1902. 5273 Pte J.Cockburn 2nd Batt.N.F. on both medals. Renamed, engraved. *Medals are without ribbons, with edge knocks, marks in fields, fine.*

\$350

With photocopy pages of medals roll.



2065*

Pair: Queen's South Africa Medal 1899, (type 2 reverse with evidence of removal of dates), - two clasps - Cape Colony, Orange Free State; King's South Africa Medal 1902, two clasps - South Africa 1901, South Africa 1902, both medals with pin-back suspender. 3669. Pte. R.W.Atkins. Gren. Gds on first medal, 3669 Pte R.W.Atkins, Grenadier Guards. on second medal. First medal engraved and second medal impressed, both British Army style. Second ribbon dirty, first medal with a few small edge nicks, second medal with a few small edge bumps, otherwise toned very fine.

\$300



2066*

Group of Four: China War Medal 1900; 1914-15 Star; British War Medal 1914-18; Victory Medal 1914-19. 178401. H.Parsons. A.B. H.M.S. Undaunted. on first medal, 178401, H.Parsons. A.B. R.N. on last three medals. All medals impressed. *Display mounted, very fine.*

\$400

Together with R.N.O.C.A. (Royal Navy Old Comrades' Association) badge in gilt and enamel, button back, reverse numbered M1735.

Harry Parsons, brick maker, born 24Mar1878 at Stratford on Avon, Warwickshire, England; Enl.27Feb1892 at age of 14; served on various ships including Impregnable, Boscawen, Thunderet, Vivid I, Hermione, Undaunted (23Mar1897-25Apr1901), Excellent, Defiance, Triumph, Tenedos, and Sapphire II; joined Royal Navy Reserve 24Mar1908; Enl.06Oct1914 for WWI service; served on HMS Benbow, Defiance (twice), Wallington, Vernon, Aragon and Attentive; Died in 1940.

With copy of Service File and other research.



2067*

Group of Four: 1914 Star; British War Medal 1914-18; Victory Medal 1914-19; Defence Medal 1939-45. M1-1901 Pte G.W.Pearson. A.S.C. on first medal, M1-09101 Cpl. G.W.Pearson. A.S.C. on second and third medals, last medal unnamed as issued. *Swing mounted with provision for missing medal, good very fine.*

\$200

Entitled to British Empire Medal. Ex Warwick G.Cary Collection.



Group of Seven: 1914-15 Star; British War Medal 1914-18; Victory Medal 1914-19; Jubilee Medal 1935; Coronation Medal 1937; Territorial Decoration (GVR); Territorial Force Efficiency Medal (GVR), with oak bar. 1865 T/ Q.M.Sjt F.S.Ferguson. D. of Lanc. O.Y. on first medal, 2.Lieut. F.S.Ferguson. On second and third medals, Lieut. Col.F.S.Ferguson, T.D. on fourth medal, Brevet Colonel F.S.Ferguson, T.D. on fifth medal, sixth medal unnamed, 1865 Cpl F.S.Ferguson. D. of Lanc: O. Yeo: on last medal. The fourth and fifth medals engraved, all other named medals impressed. *Court mounted, very fine.*

Together with a case.



2069*

Group of Five: 1914-15 Star; British War Medal 1914-18; Victory Medal 1914-19; Jubilee Medal 1935; Royal Naval Long Service and Good Conduct Medal (GVR type 2 with non-swivelling suspender). J.23742, J.W.Murrant, A.B., R.N. on first medal, J.23742 J.W.Murrant. L.S. R.N. on second and third medals, fourth medal unnamed as issued, J.23742 J.W.Murrant. P.O. H.M.S.Vivid on last medal. All named medals impressed. *Display mounted, contact marks, otherwise fine - very fine.*

\$400

John William Murrant, errand boy, born 28Feb1897 at Camberwell, London, England; served in Royal Navy from 01Mar1913 as Boy 2; served on various ships including as an AB in the armoured cruiser HMS Duke of Edinburgh in the Battle of Jutland in May1916; awarded Long Service Medal as Petty Officer on HMS Vivid in 1927; he is recorded on the Jubilee Medal roll as D/J.23742 Chief Petty Officer John William Murrant; Died Apr1976 at Portsmouth, Hampshire, England.

With copy of Service File up to 1929, and other research.

2070

Pair: British War Medal 1914-18; Victory Medal 1914-19. G-49108 Pte. H.B.Hathaway. Midd'x R. Both medals impressed. *Display mounted, hairlines, otherwise good very fine.*

\$70

Herbert B.Hathaway, born 1890 at Middlesex, England; Enl.1916 in Middlesex Regt; fought on Western Front; Trf to Royal Engineers with regimental number 603606 and the rank of Pioneer; Died in 1950 at Middlesex, England.

With research.

2071

\$750

Pair: British War Medal 1914-18; Victory Medal 1914-19. 6979 Pte. F.Jenkins. 13-Hrs. Both medals impressed. *Display mounted*, *second medal ribbon damaged*, *otherwise good very fine*.

\$130

Frederick Jenkins and his twin sister Beatrice were born in 1886 at Aston, Warwickshire, England; joined 13th Hussars in 1910; posted to Meerut, India in 1911; to France with 13th Hussars and his unit formed part of 7th Meerut Cavalry Brigade, 2nd Indian Cavalry Division that fought on the Western Front; Frederick was wounded and subsequently discharged 21May1916; DOW (either 11Jun or 02Aug1916, conflicting information) at Coventry, Warwickshire, England at the age of 30.

With research.

2072

Pair: British War Medal 1914-18; Victory Medal 1914-19. Lieut. J.R.Jenkins. Both medals impressed. *Display mounted, some marks on ribbons, otherwise good very fine.*

\$100

John R.Jenkins, born 05Feb1897 at Stretford, Lancashire, England; joined the Army and was commissioned as 2Lieut 01Jul1917 in 3Bn Cheshire Regt; recorded as Lieut on Army List 1918; fought on Western Front and Hindenburg Line and then posted to 3rd (Reserve) Battalion, Chester, England; Died 1960 at Styal, Cheshire, England.

With research.



Pair: Distinguished Service Medal (GVR) uncrowned head, 1914-30; Royal Naval Long Service and Good Conduct Medal (GVR) (2nd type reverse) narrow suspender. 213297 R.Fletcher L.G. Sean.H.M.S. Queen on first medal, 213297 Robert Fletcher P.O. H.M.S. Queen on second medal. Both medals impressed. *Extremely fine*.

\$2,000



2074*

OBE Group of Four: Officer of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire (type 2) (OBE-Civil); Jubilee Medal 1935; Coronation Medal 1937; Coronation Medal 1953. All medals unnamed as issued. *Display mounted, all toned, the first heavily, otherwise very fine.*



2075*

Group of Six: 1939-45 Star; Africa Star; Italy Star; Defence Medal 1939-45; War Medal 1939-45; Territorial Efficiency Decoration (GVIR). The first five medals unnamed and the last medal is inscribed on the reverse, '1950', all as issued. The first five medals have no ribbons, otherwise uncirculated.

\$400

Together with case of issue for Territorial Efficiency Decoration and a spare ribbon as well as a small conferral letter addressed to Captain E.D.Couper, T.D.; packets of issue and medal leaflet for WWII medals all in delivery box issued in June 1951 addressed to Capt. E.D.Couper, Kaimend, North Berwick, East Lothian. (Kaimed at North Berwick was the family residence of Sir John C. Couper, Writer to the Signet and also secretary of the Honourable Company of Edinburgh Golfers at Muirfield and his wife, formerly Elsie Blyth. She inherited the property after the death of her father, Benjamin Hall Blyth, who built it in 1885 and it overlooked the famous 'Redan' par 3-hole with a sloping green on the North Berwick's West Links and the Children's course, formerly the Ladies' 9-hole links.)

The lot also includes the following family items.

1. Aysgarth School uniface prize medal in silver (26mm), with ring top suspension, hallmarked for Birmingham 1929 by maker, 'E & Co', reverse inscribed, 'P.T. Winning Set/1930'; another hallmarked for 1930 and reverse inscribed, 'Sack Race/(Over 11 1/ 2)/1st/1931'. (Aysgarth School is an independent day and boarding preparatory school in North Yorkshire, England.)

2. Yachting prize medal in bronze (31.5mm), ring top suspension, obverse, small racing yacht in ocean, reverse, plaque in centre with fish at each side, the plaque inscribed, 'G.Y.C./1945'.

3. Yacht Club Adriaco 30th Anniversary medal 1903-43 in bronze (30mm), ring top suspension, obverse, ancient sailing ship, reverse, castle and 'Trieste/29-30 VI 46'.

4. Royal Artillery (KC) lapel badge (or sweetheart brooch), in gold and enamel (9ct; 3.36g).

5. Queen's Body Guard stud buttons (3) in enamel and appears to be gold (probably 9ct; tot wt 6.18g).



Pair: General Service Medal (EIIR) 1955-62 - clasp - Malaya; Campaign Service Medal (EIIR) 1962 - clasp - Borneo. 21148251 RFN Haribahadur Thapa 2.G.R. on first medal, 21148251 RFN Haribahadur Thapa 2/2 GR on second medal. Both medals impressed. *First medal with edge bruise on rim, very fine*.

\$250

AUSTRALIAN SINGLES



lot 2077



2077*

Military Cross (GRI) with Bar, with pin-back suspender. 45th Bn/Captain Harold Howden/Pozieres, Aug. 6th 1916./A.I.F. Engraved. *Ribbon damaged, medal nicely toned good very fine*.

\$5,000

Together with original medal case, this with some damage; ribbon strip with rosette attached; pin-back riband with rosette attached.

Entitled to 1914-15 Star; British War Medal 1914-18; Victory Medal 1914-19, also a Memorial Plaque, these all sent to his mother.

MC: LG 14/11/1916, p11074; CAG 19/4/1917, p921, to Captain Harold Charles Howden, 45Bn.

Recommendation: Captain Harold Charles Howden took over on the night of the 5th August 1916 an isolated position of the front line during a heavy hostile artillery bombardment; being warned by the officer whom he relieved that he could expect a counter-attack at daylight he immediately set to work to strengthen his position and when the counter-attack took place on the morning of the 6th, was successful in repulsing it. Owing to his thorough consolidation that portion of the line, notwithstanding an incessant bombardment, was successfully held.

Bar to MC: LG 26/4/1917, p3934; CAG 21/8/1917, p1784, to Captain Harold Charles Howden, 45Bn.

Recommendation: For gallantry and devotion to duty in organising and carrying out two attacks on an enemy's Strong Point and trenches at Guedecourt on the morning of 21/2/17 and night of 22/23 February. Owing to the abnormal wet state of the trenches, these attacks were carried out under great difficulty and the success of both attacks was largely due to Captain Howden's organizing ability and attention to details. On both occasions immediately the trenches were captured Captain Howden took charge and organized their defence. As the result of both operations nearly 500 yards of enemy's trenches were captured and held and 60 prisoners taken.

Harold Charles Howden, dental demonstrator, age 24, born at Preston, Vic; Enl.22Dec1914, at Liverpool, NSW, in 3rd Reinf 18Bn, with previous service of one year in Victorian Scottish Regt; Emb.11Feb1915; Proceeded to join M.E.F. Gallipoli 13Apr1915; To Cpl 03May1915; WIA 10Jun1915 at Gallipoli; to 2/Lt 21Aug1915; to Lt 20Jan1916; to Captain 12Mar1916; TOS 45Bn 03Mar1916; completed Senior Officers Course at Aldershot 23Dec1916 and rated to be an officer of exceptional ability; to Major 13Feb1917; to hospital with 'trench feet' 19Mar1917; TOS 63Bn 27Apr1917; TOS 48Bn as Senior Major 04May1917; WIA and Died of Wounds 05Jul1917 at Belgium and buried at Trois Arbres Cemetery, Steenwerck near Armentieres.



Military Cross (GRI), with pin-back suspender. L.J.Hunter. Engraved. *Ribbon dirty, medal nicely toned, nearly extremely fine.*

\$1,500

Together with original medal case.

Entitled to British War Medal 1914-18; Victory Medal 1914-19 and MID.

MC: LG 2/12/1918, p14286; CAG 23/5/1919, p882, to Captain Lancelot John Hunter, AAMC (Attached 15 Aust Infy Bn).

Recommendation: Captain Lancelot John Hunter is recommended for his most conspicuous bravery and devotion to duty near Vaire Sur Corbie on 6th August 1918. Whilst in our position of readiness, the Battalion bivouac was heavily shelled for about two hours, during which time he attended to the wounded in the open and saw to their evacuation, with an utter disregard for personal safety.

Again in the attack on the village of Cerisy on 8th August 1918 he followed closely behind the attacking troops and established his R.A.P., close behind the Support Company whilst the fight was in progress. He was under heavy artillery and machine gun fire for several hours with scant protection and attended to the wounded with great coolness. His work throughout was of the highest order. He has previously been mentioned in despatches.

Also entitled to MID: LG 28/12/1917, p13568; CAG 18/4/1918, p845, to Captain Lancelot John Hunter, AAMC.

Lancelot John Hunter, Medical Practitioner, age 24, born at Sydney, NSW; Enl.10Nov1915; applied for commission in AAMC and appointed Captain 01Mar1916; Emb.19Sep1916 on transport 'Seang Choon'; various medical postings; to France 03May1917 and TOS 2nd AGH; to 10th FAB 29Sep1917; WIA 27Oct1917 but remained on duty; to 15Bn 24Jul1918; awarded Mil Cross 27Sep1918; Mentioned in Sir Douglas Haig's Despatch 07Nov1918; RTA 30Oct1919; Appt terminated 31Jan1920; Lancelot John Hunter, Esq., M.B., Mast. Surg., Univ. Sydney, was appointed Government Medical Officer at Belligen, NSW on 14Jul1922; Died 26Jun1953 at Levin, New Zealand.

2079

Military Cross, WWI official case together with original pin-back ribbon suspension bar; Australian Government Department of Defence, official printed insert cards for medal cases, includes issues for 'Australian Defence Medal' (12), 'Afghanistan Campaign Medal', 'Caring for your Campaign Medal', and 'Caring for your Medal' (2). The case fine, one card is marked on the top right corner, otherwise they are uncirculated. (18 items)

\$50

2080

Distinguished Flying Cross, copy, together with a range of RAAF badges and official record books as well as other items as listed below, all attributed to 423187 R.S.Troy RAAF. *Very good - very fine.*

\$200

Lot includes the following items; hexagonal fibre compound dog tag named to 'AUS 423187/Airman/R S Troy/CE RAAF'; RAAF Enlisted Man's hat badge; embroidered badges for Pilot, Navigator (2), pair of shoulder boards for Flying Officer; arm eagle badges (2, different); b&cw photo of R.S.Troy as LAC; 'Royal Canadian Air Force, Sight Log Book' named to R.S.Troy. AUS423187, from 19.01.43 to 25.8.1944; Royal Canadian Air Force, 'Flying Log Book for Aircrew other than Pilot' named to Troy, R.S. RAAF, from 15-11-42 to 13-2-45; a small leather folder with metal RAAF badge affixed and inside is included a personal note book, several letters including one from RAAF congratulating Flt Lt Troy on being awarded the DFC, a few Canadian, Great Britain and USA postage stamps in a small stamp holder and an Australian 1926 halfpenny; a pair of wool lined black leather gloves with the buttons marked, 'Morton/Pick/Winnipeg'.

DFC: LG 19/1/1945, p472' CAG 25/1/1945, p164, to Pilot Officer Ronald Sydney Troy (423187), No.635 Squadron (RAF).

Citation: Pilot Officer Troy has completed numerous operations against the enemy in the course of which he has invariably displayed the utmost fortitude, courage and devotion to duty.

Ronald Sydney Troy, school teacher, born 22May1914, at Mittagong, NSW; Enl.20Jun1942 at No.2 Recruiting Centre, Sydney as AC2; to LAC 12Sep1942; Sgt 05Mar1942; F/Sgt Emb.03Oct1942; to Canada 21Oct1942 and attachment to RCAF for training; awarded Flying badge 05Mar1943; to England 04Apr1943 for attachment to RAF; Flying Officer 19Feb1944; served as Navigator with various units including 25Sqn 16Mar1944 and 635 Sqn 30Apr1944; Pilot Officer 19Aug1944; Flight Lieutenant 01Nov1944; Awarded Pathfinder Force badge 22Feb1945; Disch.09Sep1945 and transfer to Reserve.

Recommended for VC Awarded DCM



2081*

Distinguished Conduct Medal (GVR type 1), with pinback suspender. 3026 L.Cpl N.R.Bloxsome. 5/Aust: Inf. Impressed. Irregular toning, otherwise good very fine. \$2,000

Entitled to 1914-15 Star; British War Medal 1914-18; Victory Medal 1914-19.

DCM: LG 10/1/1920, p470; CAG 15/4/1920, p580, to L/Cpl Norman Rupert Bloxsome, 5Aust Infy Bn.

Recommendation for V.C. awarded D.C.M.: This N.C.O. displayed great bravery during the advance on the 16th August, 1918, near Lihons. When the company was temporarily held up on the right flank he moved forward alone with a Lewis gun under exceptionally heavy machine gun fire, and although hit on the head used his gun with great skill and bravery, thereby enabling the centre of the company to get forward into the wood.

When L/Cpl. Bloxsome reached the wood he captured three machine gun posts practically alone, and his work on the flank helped his company in the advance.

His braveness was witnessed by the bulk of the company who realised what exceptional danger he went through, and his example inspired all ranks.

Norman Rupert Bloxsome, printer, age 18, born at North Carlton, Vic; Enl.10Jul1915 at Melbourne, Vic. with father's consent, mother's whereabouts unknown, and with previous service in School Cadets; Emb.29Sep1915 with 10th Reinf 5Bn; WIA 17Aug1916, shell shock, France; to L/Cpl 29Mar1917; WIA 20Jan1918, GSW to head, France; reverts to Pte 25Feb1918 after being AWL for 2 days; to L/Cpl 25Jun1918; WIA 11Aug1918 but remained on duty; TOS AIF Hqs London 15Apr1919; RTA 22Sep1919; Disch.11Jan1920.

With research.



2082*

Military Medal (GVR type 1). 626 Cpl J.Currie. 44/Aust: Inf: Impressed. *Toned very fine*.

\$950

MM: LG 21/10/1918, p12421; CAG 12/2/1919, p272, to 626 Corporal John Currie, 44 Aust Infy Bn.

Recommendation: On the 4th July, 1918, during the attack on the ridge East of Hamel, Corporal Currie led his Section with great determination and dash. Working his way along an enemy trench he successfully mopped up several dugouts, killing several Boche. He was afterwards successful in capturing an enemy Machine Gun and killing the crew. His coolness and co-operation were very valuable and a great help to his Platoon Commander.

John Currie, labourer, age 28, born at Kilmarnock, Ayrshire, Scotland; Enl.05Jan1916 at Perth, WA; Emb.06Jun1916 with 44Bn; to France 25Nov1916; AWL 21-22Jul1917 in France - awarded forfeiture 4 days pay; to T/Cpl 17Aug1917; to Cpl 11Sep1917; to L/Sgt 21Jul1918; awarded MM 31Jul1918; to Overseas Trg Bn in England 01Aug1918; to course of instruction in Defensive Measures Against Gas 12-21Aug1918; to T/CQMS 11Dec1918; to L/Sgt 25Jan1919; RTA 21Jun1919; Disch.17Sep1919.

On 8 March 1920 L/Sgt J.Currie MM was sent a Congratulatory Card issued by the General Officer Commanding 4th Army, British Expeditionary Force, referring in laudatory terms to the conspicuous manner in which he conducted himself on the battlefield in the face of the enemy.

With research.





Military Medal (GVR type 1). 2022 Pte. T.J.Dwyer. 42nd Bn. A.I.F. Impressed with very fine and small letters and numbers, an official replacement issue - see note below. *Very fine*. \$1,000

Note: On 23 December 1925 T.J.Dwyer requested a replacement for his Military Medal which he claimed to have lost. A replacement was issued on 11 September 1926.

Entitled to British War Medal 1914-18; Victory Medal 1914-19.

MM: LG 28/1/1918, p1403; CAG 27/6/1918, p1390, to Pte Timothy Joseph Dwyer, 42nd Aust Infy Bn.

Timothy Joseph Dwyer, labourer, age 31, born at Ipswich, Qld; Enl.24Nov1915 at Toowoomba, Qld in 3rd Rfts for 52Bn; Emb.01May1916; TOS 42Bn 23Sep1916; to France 25Nov1916; WIA 10Jun1917, GSW to back, France; WIA 05Oct1917 GSW chest, France; awarded MM 01Feb1918; RTA 12Mar1918; Disch.05Aug1918.

Between 21Jun1916 and 26Sep1917 Pte Dwyer was a persistent offender being AWL, disobeying orders or being drunk and was found guilty on every occasion resulting in loss of pay.





Queen's South Africa Medal 1899, (type 3 reverse), - five clasps - Cape Colony, Orange Free State, Transvaal, South Africa 1901, South Africa 1902, with pin-back suspender. 518 Pte A.W.Walker. Queensland I.B. Impressed. *Toned*, *small edge bump, some contact marks, otherwise very fine*. \$750

518 Pte Alfred William Walker 5th Queensland Imperial Bushmen confirmed on nominal roll.

Together with a typed 2 1/2 page extract from a letter 'From the Front' dated 6 October 1901 from a Toowoomba boy, A.W.Walker, to his brother, J.M.Walker, detailing some of his combat experiences.



Queen's South Africa Medal 1899, (type 2 reverse with evidence of removal of dates), - four clasps - Cape Colony, Orange Free State, Transvaal, Belmont, with pin-back suspender. 196 Pte J.J.Hanley, Queensland M.R. Impressed. *Toned, hairlines and some contact marks, otherwise very fine.*

\$500

196 Pte James John Hanley, Queensland Mounted Rifles confirmed on nominal roll. The Belmont clasp appears to be a late addition and the eligibility entitlement date was 23 Nov 1899 whereas Pte J.J.Hanley's unit did not depart Australia until 18 May 1900.



2086*

Queen's South Africa Medal 1899, (type 3 reverse), - three clasps - Cape Colony, Orange Free State, Transvaal. 825 Pte H.J.McAuliffe. N.S.Wales M.R. Impressed. Contact marks and small edge bump, otherwise good fine.

\$500

825 Trooper Henry James McAuliffe, 2nd Contingent NSW Mounted Rifles confirmed on nominal roll.

876 Henry James McAuliffe, surveyor, age 37, born at Bathurst, NSW also served in WWI; Enl.30Dec1914 in 6th Aust Light Horse at Liverpool, NSW; served at Gallipoli; in 1917 he committed serious offences and was charged, found guilty and sentenced to 6 months hard labour; RTA 01Jan1919; Disch.09Jun1919. Entitled to 1914-15 Star, British War Medal 1914-18 and Victory Medal 1914-19.



Queen's South Africa Medal 1899, (type 2 reverse with faint trace of ghost dates), - five clasps - Rhodesia, Relief of Mafeking, Orange Free State, Transvaal, South Africa 1901. 290 Trpr: H.A.Fisher, Qnslnd:M.R. Impressed. *A few small surface nicks, otherwise good fine*.

\$3,000

290 Pte Hugh Addison Fisher, Queensland, Third Mounted Infantry Contingent confirmed on nominal roll.



lot 2088

2088*

Queen's South Africa Medal 1899, (type 3 reverse), - four clasps - Orange Free State, Transvaal, South Africa 1901, South Africa 1902. 411 Pte A.Shaw. Queensland I.B. Impressed. *Hairlines and contact marks, otherwise good very fine*.

\$600

411 Pte Albert Shaw, 6th Queensland Imperial Bushmen Contingent confirmed on nominal roll.



2089*

Queen's South Africa Medal 1899, (type 3 reverse), - two clasps - Transvaal, South Africa 1902. 627 Pte E.L.Were. Aust:Com:H. Impressed. Some contact marks and light scratches, otherwise good very fine.

\$400

627 Pte Eric Laurenny Were, 2nd Battalion, Australian Commonwealth Horse confirmed on nominal roll. Eric Were, was a boundary rider, age 23, born at Windsor, Victoria who had previous service in the Senior Cadets.





Queen's South Africa Medal 1899, (type 2 with ghost dates), no clasps. 67 Tpr: A.E.Churches. S.Aust:Bushmen. Impressed. *Reverse toned, uncirculated*.

\$950

Entitled to clasps for Cape Colony, Rhodesia, Orange Free State and Transvaal.

Trooper Albert Edward Churches, South Australian (Citizen) Bushmen, served overseas 27Feb1900 to 25Jun1901; Slightly wounded at Ottoshoop 12Sep1900.

With research.



lot 2091

2091*

China War Medal 1900. G.L.Jones, A.B. N.S.Wales Nav. Contgt. Impressed. Court mounted, good very fine.

\$2,500

Able Seaman George Longworth Jones; Emb.08Aug1900 on S.S.Salamis.

WWI: George Longworth Jones, electrician lineman, age 38, born at Coventry, Warwickshire, England; Enl. 04Sep1914 at Melbourne, Vic in 2 Field Coy, Aust Engineers, with previous service of 10 years in Royal Navy and 9 months 15 days in N.S.W. Naval Brigade in China Expedition; to Gallipoli 31May1915; to hospital sick 23Aug1915; Died 27Sep1915 at Royal Victoria Hospital, Netley, England of enteric fever.

Entitled to 1914-15 Star; British War Medal 1914-18; Victory Medal 1914-19 all issued to widow, later remarried.



2092*

King's South Africa Medal 1902, two clasps - South Africa 1901, South Africa 1902. 671 Pte M.A.Kelly. Qnslnd:I.B. Impressed. *Hairlines, otherwise good very fine and scarce*. \$750

671 Pte Michael Augustine Kelly, 6th Queensland Imperial Bushmen Contingent confirmed on nominal roll.

2093

1914-15 Star. 2628 Stoker C.Denholm H.M.A.S.Sydney. Name erased and renamed in early type pantograph. *Without ribbon, good very fine.*

\$100

Ex. W (Bill) Woolmore Collection.

2094

Singles: 1914-15 Star. 249 Pte T.Lane 31.Bn. A.I.F.; 1914-15 Star. 122 S/Sgt. R.E.A.Hill 2 Fd Amb. A.I.E.F. Both medals impressed, the first with heavily impressed corrections and the second with multiple strikes. *Two single medals, extremely fine.*

\$100

It appears that corrections to the naming have been attempted during the issuing process and due to the poor execution these medals were not issued to recipients.

Timothy Lane, State school teacher, age 23, born in England; Enl.01Jul1915 at Brisbane, Qld in 31Bn; Emb.09Nov1915; WIA 17Jul1916 GSW to head severe, France; RTA 16Oct1916; Disch.10Jan1917. (Also entitled to British War Medal 1914-18 and Victory Medal 1914-19)

Roland Edward Alex Hill, hospital dispenser, age 24, born at Redfern, Sydney, NSW; Enl.18Aug1914 at Melbourne, Vic in 2 Fd Amb, Aust Army Medical Corps; Emb.20Oct1914; Trf to Dental Corps 29Jan1916; Promoted Dental S/Sgt 20Feb1916; various medical postings; RTA 23Dec1918; Disch.02Apr1919. (Also entitled to British War Medal 1914-18 and Victory Medal 1914-19)

Both with research.

2095

Singles to Brothers both KIA: 1914-15 Star. 3246 Pte E.C.Nation. 10/Bn. A.I.F.; British War Medal 1914-18. 4541 Pte C.S.Nation. 10 Bn. A.I.F.; also an unrelated issue, French Medaille Militaire, in a box. Unnamed as issued. The named medals impressed. *Three single medals, the ribbons on first and last medal damaged or dirty, otherwise very fine.*

\$200

Eric Cyril Nation, labourer, age 18, born at Magill, Sth Aust; Enl.26Jul1915 at Keswick, Sth Aust, with previous service in School Cadets and currently serving in 79th Infy Bn; Emb.27Oct1915 with 10Bn Rfts; TOS 50Bn 29Feb1916; KIA 10Jun1917 at Belgium; Buried near Messines, Belgium. (Also entitled to British War Medal 1914-18 and Victory Medal 1914-19)

Clifford Story Nation, baker, age 26, born at Magill, Sth Aust; Enl.06Sep1915 at Adelaide, Sth Aust in 10Bn Rfts, with 2 years service in Kadina Vol Force; Emb.07Feb1916; TOS 10Bn in France 30Jul1916; WIA & Missing and after Court of Inquiry amended to KIA 06May1917 France; Buried at Queant Road British Cemetery, France. (Also entitled to Victory Medal 1914-19)

Another brother, 149 Pte Ralph Nation, age 21, died 06Mar1917 as the result of wounds received in action on 28Feb1917 in France. He was buried at Etaples Military Cemetery, France.

With research.

2096

1914-15 Star. 5611 Pte J.(name erased). A.M.C. A.I.F. Impressed. Apart from erasure, *toned good very fine*.

\$50

5611 James Atherton, coal miner, age 27, born at Mowcop, Staffordshire, England; Enl.27Jul1915 at Claremont, Tas, in 1st Aust Clearing Hospital; Emb.09Sep1915; to Gallipoli 21Oct1915; TOS Anzac Adv Hosp 06Nov1915; Trf 3AGH, Mudros 03Jan1916 seriously ill with meningitis; RTA 03Mar1916 for change suffering neurasthenia; Disch.28Aug1916; Died 09Jul1938. (Also entitled to British War Medal and Victory Medal 1914-19)

With research.

2097

British War Medal 1914-18. L.A.Darcey Australia 2221. Impressed.; also Australian Senior Cadet Competitions, Battalion Champion Team embroidered badge, type 3 issue, with backing intact. *The first item with suspension removed and pin-back fitted for wear as brooch, fine; the second extremely fine.* (2)

\$50

Leo Augustus Darcey, born at Launceston, Tas in 1875; the above medal and Mercantile Marine Medal issued to recipient at Flagstaff Hotel, Princes H'way, Sydney in 1922; Leo Augustus Darcey of Crows Nest, Sydney, NSW died in October 1946 and his funeral service was held at the Catholic Cemetery at Rookwood on 08Oct1946.

With research.

2098

British War Medal 1914-18. 1714 Pte T.A.Gregory. 13 L.H.R. A.I.F. Impressed. Original ribbon faded, medal toned very fine.

\$80

Entitled to Victory Medal 1914-19.

Theophilus Augustus Gregory, station manager at Culcairn, NSW, age 44, born at Tower Hill, Koroit, Vic; Enl.11Aug1915 at Melbourne, Vic in 8Rfts 13LHR; TOS 13LHR 12Jun1916; Emb.10Jul1916; TOS 2 Anzac LHR 20Aug1916; detached for duty with APM (Aust Provost Marshall) 2 Anzac HQs 27Aug1916; rejoined 2 Anzac LHR 12Jan1917; Detached for duty with APM 2 Anzac HQs 26May1917; rejoined 2 Anzac LHR 21Jul1917; Detached for duty with APM 2 Anzac HQs 10Aug1917; rejoined 2 Anzac LHR 01Sep1917; RTA 31Oct1917; Disch.01Feb1918 Medically Unfit (rheumatism and over age); Died 27Dec1941 at Mount Royal, Royal Park, Melbourne, Vic.

2099

British War Medal 1914-18. 2185 Pte A.Hurn 6 Bn A.I.F. Impressed. Very fine.

\$300

Alfred Hurn, farmhand, age 21yrs, born Norwich, UK; Enl.12Feb1915 at Heyfield, Vic; Emb.17Jun1915; joined unit in Gallipoli; WIA 31Oct1917 France; RTA 07SEP1919.

With copy of Service Record and Anzac commemorative medallion (cased) named to A.Hurn.

2100

Single to WIA: British War Medal 1914-18. 7297 A-Sgt. J.A.Polson. 3-Bn. A.I.F. Impressed. With incorrect ribbon and a 1904 pin-back suspender bar, small edge nick, otherwise fine.

\$60

Entitled to Victory Medal 1914-19.

John Albert Polson, farmer, age 36, born at Grafton, NSW; Enl.28Aug1916 at RAS Showground, Sydney, in Dubbo Depot Battalion; Emb.10May1917; to A/Cpl 23Feb1917; to A/Sgt 09Mar1917; reverts to Pte 28Jul1917; to France 18Dec1917; WIA 14Apr1918 GSW to left hand, severe resulting in amputated ring finger and extensive damage to palm, France; RTA 21Jul1918; Disch.08Oct1918 Medically Unfit.

John Albert Polson died in the Lower Clarence Hospital in July 1954 at the age of 74. After his war service he did clerical work in Grafton for several years before moving to Maclean. He was secretary of the Chamber of Commerce and also had a similar position in the local Scottish Association. He was a bachelor and lived at Cameron House in Maclean which provided accommodation for ex-serving members. Members of the local RSL Subbranch acted as pall bearers at his funeral service conducted at the local Presbyterian Church. British War Medal 1914-18. 20999 T-Sgt. H.Prosser. 6-F.A.B., A.I.F. Impressed. No ribbon, a few contact marks, otherwise toned very fine.

\$100

Harold Prosser, warder, age 34 born at Herefordshire, England; Enl.24Aug1915 at Toowoomba, Qld in 6FAB; Emb.11May1916; to Gunner 24Aug1915; to Bombardier 01Apr1916; to France 08Aug1917; to T/Cpl 25Jan1918; to Cpl 03May1918; to T/Sgt 28Jan1919; RTA 08Sep1919; Disch.23Dec1919.

2102

British War Medal 1914-18. 6889 Pte W.Robertson 22 Bn A.I.F. Impressed. *Very fine*.

\$200

\$50

\$50

William Robertson, cook, age 22yrs born Brunswick, Vic; Enl.24Feb1917 at Melbourne, Vic; Emb.11May1917 Melbourne; RTA 16Jan1919.

Together with Services Rendered badge A79932, Returned from Active Service badge C1430 and copy of Service Record.

2103

Victory Medal 1914-19. 6023 Pte. W.S.Grass. 3 Bn. A.I.F. Impressed. A few small dark spots otherwise very fine.

William Samuel Grass, labourer, age 29, born at Rochester, Vic; Enl.15Feb1916 at Cootamundra, NSW, in 3Bn (previously rejected for service because of small chest measurement); Emb.22Aug1916 with 19th Rfts for 3Bn; to France 13Dec1916; TOS 3Bn 19Jan1917; RTA 31May1919; Disch.28Aug1919. (Also entitled to British War Medal 1914-18) With research.

2104

Victory Medal 1914-19. 5701 Pte. J.I.Jackson 15 Bn. A.I.F. Impressed. No ribbon, very fine.

John Ina Jackson, clerk, age 23, born at Windsor, England; Enl.31Jan1916 at Rockhampton, Qld in 18Rfts for 15Bn; Emb.04May1916; suffered from trench feet 29Jan-19Mar1917; TOS 15Bn in France 03Jul1917; RTA 12May1919; Disemb.04Jul1919; Disch.20Aug1919; Died 21Oct1953 at General Hospital, Brisbane, Qld and buried the next day at Lutwyche Cemetery, Brisbane.

2105

Victory Medal 1914-19. 474 Pte. A.W.Maidment. 12 L.H.R. A.I.F. Impressed. *Missing suspension, otherwise some light oxidation stains, good fine.*

Arthur William Maidment, horse dealer, age 21, born at Worchester, Worchestershire, England; Enl.15Feb1915 at Liverpool, NSW in 12LHR; Emb.11Jun1915; Trf to 6LHR 29Aug1915; TOS Anzac Mtd Div HQs 22Mar1916; to 12LHR 09Feb1917; RTA 28Nov1919; Disch.28Dec1919. (Also entitled to 1914-15 Star and British War Medal 1914-18) With research.

2106

WWI Memorial Plaque, named to Arthur Percival Smith, together with Memorial Scroll. *Very fine*.

\$500

Arthur Percival Smith, mechanical mining engineer, age 37yrs, born St Arnaud, Vic; Enl.07Jan1916 1 Australian Tunnelling Coy; Emb.20Feb1916 Sydney; promoted Lieut 15Jun1916; KIA 29Jun1916 France; buried Cite Bon Jean Military Cemetery, Armentieres, France.

Believed to be the first Mining Corps Officer to be killed on the Western Front.

With copy of Service Record, Cemetery details and photos.





ANZAC Commemorative Medallion, in bronze (50x75mm) (C.1915/3), issued in 1967, engraved 'C.R.Sherwin', in case of issue. *Uncirculated*.

\$150

Together with issuing slip, this with age toning.

Reg No.1112 Pte Charles Rowland Sherwin, station hand, age 19, born at Bobundara, about 15kms from Dalgety, in the NSW Snowy Mountains; Enl.13Feb1915 at Liverpool, NSW in Camel Corps, while a member of Dalgety Rifle Club; TOS 7 Regt at Gallipoli 25Oct1915; trf to 7LHR 24Apr1916; Trf to Imperial Camel Corps 08Sep1916; WIA 23Dec1916 GSW to legs and arteric veins, severe, at the Battle of Magdhaba in the Sinai; placed on dangerously ill list 30Dec1916; removed from dangerously ill list 08Jan1917; RTA 22Jan1917; Disch.03May1917 Medically Unfit; Charles Sherwin was deceased when the above medal was released so it was issued to his nearest next-of-kin, his son Mr L.Sherwin.

2108

Singles as Awarded to Australians: 1939-45 Star; Atlantic Star; Defence Medal 1939-45; War Medal 1939-45; Australia Service Medal 1939-45. All medals unnamed. *Five single medals, all in cases, the fourth medal with some pit marks on the obverse and the last three with some sticky tape residue at the bottom of the obverse, otherwise uncirculated.*

2109

Singles: War Medal 1939-45. NFX77190 F.C.Greene.; Defence Medal 1939-45. NX25509 F.R.Powell. Both medals impressed. Two single medals, the first medal in poor condition with no suspender and large suspension hole at top, the other medal very fine.

\$50

Together with a selection of Australian medalets including Peace medal 1919; Prince of Wales Welcome to Australia 1920; Centenary of South Australia 1936; Victory Medal 1945 (3); and 50 Years Commonwealth of Australia 1951.

Frances Charlotte Greene, born 25Mar1916 at Sydney, NSW; Enl.01Aug1941 at Sydney (N274479); Disch.04Dec1941 as Private ex 113 AGHVAD; Enl.04Dec1941 at Sydney, NSW (NFX77190); Disch.07Dec1944 as Private ex 2/9 Australian General Hospital.

Frank Powell, born 22May1917 at Taber, Canada; Enl.07Jun1940 at Paddington, Sydney, NSW; Disch.19Nov1945 as Corporal ex 2/101 Aust General Transport.



2110*

Member of the Order of Australia (AM), General issue. Naming erased. *Nearly uncirculated*.

\$300



2111*

General Service Medal 1962-2007, - clasp - Borneo. 215565 S.L.Morris. Impressed. Display mounted, some glue residue at base of obverse and some hairlines, otherwise very fine. \$200

2112

Singles: General Service Medal 1962-2007 (EIIR Dei Gratia); Vietnam Medal 1964-73; South Vietnam Campaign Medal 1964-72; Pingat Jasa Malaysia Medal, with miniature medal. All unnamed. *Four single medals and one miniature*, *extremely fine - uncirculated*.

\$150

2113

Singles: Australian Active Service Medal 1945-1975, with miniature medal with clasp Vietnam; Australian Active Service Medal 1975, with miniature medal with clasp ICAT; Afghanistan Medal, with miniature medal and riband; Australian Service Medal 1945-1975, clasp - SW Pacific; Australian Service Medal 1975, with miniature medal with clasp Timor-Leste; Civilian Service Medal 1939-45, with miniature medal and riband; Defence Force Service Medal, with miniature medal. All medals unnamed. *Seven single medals, six miniature medals and two ribands, all medals in cases of issue, uncirculated*.

\$750

2114

Defence Force Service Medal, 1982, in case of issue with miniature medal. Unnamed. Uncirculated.

\$150

2115

Anniversary of National Service Medal 1951-1972, with pinback ribbon suspender bar. 2742603 S Welch. Pantographed. *Uncirculated*.

\$70

Together with a matching miniature medal and in case of issue.

2116

Single unofficial medals, includes CMF - Reserve and Territorial Forces Medal; National Defence Medal; Australian Anniversary of National Service Medal 1951-1972, one piece construction type; all medals unnamed, with matching set of ribands and the first medal with a case. *Three single medals and riband, uncirculated*.

\$150

\$50

Ex Barry McGown Scott Collection.

2117

Australian Chief of Defence Force Commendation badge, in bronze (31x24mm); also USA, Purple Heart, in case; silver buckle suspension bar (missing pin), by Hunt & Roskell. *Uncirculated*. (3)

Ex Warwick G.Cary Collection, the first previously ex Bob Towns 20 October 1994.



2119*

Australia Senior Cadets Commonwealth Military Competitions, Brigade Competitions 1911-12, Champion Team, with pin-back suspender bar. Cadet. V.P. Cooper. 38th Battn. Engraved. *Ribbon dirty, very small edge bump, heavily toned, otherwise extremely fine.*

\$350

With loose pin-back buckle suspender (missing loop) and spare ribbon. Ex Warwick G.Cary Collection.



2118*

Australia Senior Cadets Commonwealth Military Competitions, Brigade Competitions 1911-12, Champion Team, with pin-back buckle suspender. Cadet. F. Aston. 38th Battn. Engraved. *Nearly extremely fine*.

\$450

Ex Warwick G.Cary Collection.

WWI: Fred Aston, clerk, age 18, born at Penshurst, Sydney, NSW; Enl.07Jan1916 at Liverpool, NSW in 33Bn, with previous service in Senior Cadets 38Bn; Emb.13May1916; to France 22Nov1916; WIA 12Oct1917 GSW right thigh, France; rejoined unit 24Jan1918; RTA 11May1919; Disch.12Aug1919. Entitled to British War Medal 1914-18 and Victory Medal 1914-19.



Australia Senior Cadets Commonwealth Military Competitions, Brigade Competitions 1911-12, Champion Team. Cadet. V. Johnsen. 38th Battn. Engraved. A few small edge nicks, otherwise toned very fine.

\$300

With loose pin-back buckle suspender. Ex Warwick G.Cary Collection.



2121*

Australia Senior Cadets Commonwealth Military Competitions, Brigade Competitions 1912-13, Champion Team. Cadet. G.A. Brown. 24th Battn. Engraved. *Nearly uncirculated*.

\$400

Ex Warwick G.Cary Collection.



2122*

Pair: Australia Senior Cadets Commonwealth Military Competitions, Brigade Competitions 1912-13, Champion Team; Australian Senior Cadet Competitions, District Series Competition 1913-14, silver and blue enamel badge. Cadet. W.K. Wallis 71st Battn on medal, Cadet. W.K. Wallis. F. Coy. 71st Battn on badge. Both engraved. *The medal ribbon dirty, both nearly uncirculated*. (2)

\$750

With loose pin-back buckle suspender and spare ribbon.

Ex Warwick G.Cary Collection.



Australian Senior Cadet Competitions, District Series Competition 1913-14, silver and blue enamel badge. Cadet. P.A.Kaad. K. Coy. 36th Battn. Engraved. Very fine. \$300

Ex Warwick G.Cary Collection.



2124*

Australian Senior Cadet Competitions, Brigade Series Competition 1913-14, silver badge. Cadet. B.Howe. M. Coy. 41st Battn. Engraved. *Good very fine*. \$250

Ex Warwick G.Cary Collection.



2125*

Australian Senior Cadet Competitions, embroidered badges for Brigade Champion Team in silver bullion, and Battalion Champion Team in cotton, both type 3 issues with backing intact. *Good very fine*. (2)

part

Ex Warwick G.Cary Collection.



2126*

Queensland Police Force, Queen Victoria Diamond Jubilee Medal in silver, 1897, by R.Capner, with silvered and bronze ribbon brooch bar, 'Police Force'. Constable W.J.Bevans. Engraved. Some very minor edge nicks, otherwise toned very fine.

\$700

Constable W.J.Bevans retired in 1912.



2127*

Queensland Police Force, Queen Victoria Diamond Jubilee Medal in silver, 1897, by R.Capner. Constable B.Conway. Engraved. Small edge bump, otherwise good very fine. \$600

Some of Constable B.Conway's appointments included the following.

\$60

³¹Dec1887 Inspector of slaughterhouses and of cattle intended for slaughter at Rishton (Charters Towers); 15Jun1896 Inspector of slaughterhouses and of cattle intended for slaughter and also Acting Clerk of Petty Sessions at Torrens Creek.





Queensland Police Force, Queen Victoria Diamond Jubilee Medal in bronze, 1897, by R.Capner. Constable T.J.Reilly. Engraved. *Edge bump and nick, otherwise toned very fine.*

\$300

Some of Constable T.J.Reilly's appointments included the following.

17Oct1898 Inspector of slaughterhouses and cattle intended for slaughter; Assistant District Registrar of births and deaths; and Acting Mining Registrar at Paradise; 30Jun1902 Assistant District Registrar of births and deaths at Stephens until transferred 17Nov1902; 12Jan1903 to be First-Class Constable from Fortitude Valley to Miles; 21Feb1903 to be Acting Clerk of Petty Sessions and Inspector of slaughterhouses at Miles; 21Dec1905 appointed licensing Inspector at Condamine.





Police Long Service and Good Conduct Medal (EIIR Tudor crown), with pin-back ribbon bar. Det.Sgt 2/c Sydney L. Taylor. Engraved. In case of issue, this with some foxing, uncirculated.

\$120

Queensland Police Service - Sydney L.Taylor inducted 28 May 1955; retired 27 October 1983.



2129*

Queensland Police, Diamond Jubilee (VR) 1897, in white metal (35mm) (C.1897/101), by R.Capner, not recorded in this metal, no suspender. *Edge knocks and nicks, and some tin pest otherwise fine*.

\$100

AUSTRALIAN GROUPS

Light Horse NCO KIA at Hill 60 Gallipoli



2131*

Group of Six to KIA at Gallipoli: Cape of Good Hope General Service Medal 1880-97, - clasp - Bechuanaland; Queen's South Africa Medal 1899, (type 3 reverse), four clasps - Cape Colony, Wepener, Transvaal, Wittebergen; King's South Africa Medal 1902, - two clasps - South Africa 1901, South Africa 1902; 1914-15 Star; British War Medal 1914-18; Victory Medal 1914-19. 2744. Pte. C.Humphreys. C.M.Rif. on first medal, 2744 Serjt: C.Humphreys. C.M.Rifles. on second medal, 2744 Serjt: C.Humphreys. 9/L.H.Rgt. A.I.F. on fourth medal, 551 Sjt C.Humphreys. 9 L.H.R. A.I.F. on fifth medal, 551 Sjt. C.Humphreys (sic). 9-L.H. A.I.F. on last medal. First medal engraved, other medals impressed. Display mounted, original ribbons with some damage, medals toned very fine - good very fine.

\$2,500

Together with 9th Australian Light Horse Regiment collar badge 1900-1912 (Cossum 59).

Cyril Humphreys, clerk, age 39, born at Denbigh, Denbigshire, North Wales, UK, the son of Reverend Humphrey and Emily Humphreys and home was the Rectory at Henllan in Denbigshire; After schooling he worked for about 8 years with the London & South Western Bank which later became Barclays Bank; emigrated to South Africa where he served in the Cape Mounted Rifles for 7 years; he then moved to Australia; Enl.29Oct1914 at Morphetville, Sth Aust; to Prov Cpl 16Dec1914; Emb.11Feb1915; to Gallipoli 16May1915; to Prov Sgt 01Aug1915; to Temp 2nd Lt 07Aug1915; Temp commission cancelled 20Aug1915; MIA 29Aug1915 at Gallipoli, then reported KIA in the attack on Hill 60 after Court of Inquiry.



2132*

Pair: Queen's South Africa Medal 1899, (type 2 reverse), - four clasps - Cape Colony, Rhodesia, Orange Free State, Transvaal; King's South Africa Medal 1902, - two clasps - South Africa 1901, South Africa 1902. 444. Cpl. MC William C.B.C. on first medal, 440 Serjt. T.M.McWilliam N.S.W.I.B. Both medals engraved with the lettering black filled on second medal and this medal renamed. *Court mounted*, *hairlines*, *otherwise good very fine*.

\$500

444 Trooper Thomas Morris McWilliams, NSW Citizen's Bushmen confirmed on nominal roll.

440 Sgt Thomas Morris McWilliams, 3rd Contingent NSW Imperial Bushmen confirmed on nominal roll.

Note: Both surnames have an S erroneously added at the end.

Thomas Morris McWilliam died at Melbourne, Victoria on 15 April 1933 at the age of 79. An obituary published in the Dungong Chronicle on Tuesday 15 August 1933, page 1, reads as follows.

'An old identity of Dungog passed away recently in the person of Thomas Morris McWilliam, who died on 15th April, and was interred privately at Fawkner cemetery, Melbourne. Deceased spent his boyhood and early youth, and intermittent years afterwards, at Dungog, where his father Thomas McWilliam (a Glasgow University man) and his uncle Peter McWilliam were engaged in business. Born at Balmain in 1854, the gold fever seems to have entered his blood, and never left it, so that we find him working in the mines and prospecting for gold in all the States of the Commonwealth, including West Australia from which territory he returned sure of its mineral richness years before the discovery of Coolgardie. True to his colours he spent his latest years in an almost inaccessible part of Gippsland, in the neighbourhood of old Victorian mining districts.

In his early years Mr. McWilliam had a taste for military life; he served in the New South Wales Permanent Artillery, and in a semi-military body of Mounted Police in New Zealand at a time of Maori unrest. He was also a trooper in the New South Wales Mounted Police, and during the Boer War of 1899-1902 he had to his credit a long period of active service in South Africa, attaining the rank of sergeant. When the Commonwealth Government adopted compulsory military training in 1910, McWilliam brought before the authorities certain recommendations based on his own experiences.

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In 1914 he visited Great Britain, and whilst there submitted to the War Office original ideas concerned with long range gunnery. He had the exciting experience when war was declared of being at sea en route for Australia in the German liner Roon, which ran for Batavia and was interned there by the Dutch. Eventually reaching Australia, McWilliam being rejected for active service on account of age, was active in offering to the Defence Department suggestions for combating the submarine menace, and other matters, which received the acknowledgment of the authorities.

The deceased gentleman was very proud of his descent on his mother's side from the Lockyers of Devonshire; his grandfather being Major Edmund Lockyer who was sent by Governor Darling from Sydney with a detachment of soldiers and some convicts to form a settlement at King George's Sound, West Australia, where he landed 21st January 1827, on the site of the present town of Albany, thereby becoming the instrument by which Great Britain made her first official claim to the possession of the whole of Australia.'



2133*

Group of Seven: Queen's South Africa Medal (type 3 reverse), - five clasps - Cape Colony, Orange Free State, Transvaal, South Africa 1901, South Africa 1902; 1914-15 Star; British War Medal 1914-18; Victory Medal 1914-19; Defence Medal 1939-45; Coronation Medal 1953; Special Constabulary Long Service Medal (GVR crowned bust in Coronation robes). 3137 3rd Cl:Tpr: W.A.Mulliner. S.A.C. on first medal, 2-Lieut. W.A.Mulliner. 6 L.H.R. A.I.F. on second medal, Captain W.A.Mulliner A.I.F. on third medal, Capt. W.A.Mulliner. A.I.F. on fourth medal, fifth and sixth medals unnamed as issued, Inspr. William A. Mulliner on last medal. All named medals impressed. *Most ribbons dirty, contact marks on first and third medals, otherwise very fine*.

\$850

Entitled to MID.

MID: LG 5/6/1919, p7189; CAG 6/10/1919, p1466 - to Captain William Alexander Mulliner, 8th Australian Light Horse Regiment, AIF.

Recommendation by G.O.C. Aust Mtd Div: 15 months A.P.M. of the Division - he has worked unremittently and has earned recognition.

W.A.Mulliner confirmed on QSA medal roll for South African Constabulary.

William Alexander Mulliner, commercial traveller in Melbourne, born 11Feb1883 at Wolverhampton, Staffordshire; Enl.30Mar1915 at Melbourne, Vic, with 2 years in Imperial Yeomanry, 2 years in South African Constabulary and 4 years in Territorial Yeomanry; to 2/Lieut 16Jul1915; Emb.16Nov1915; to Lieut 17Mar1916; Trf to 8LHR 20Mar1917; to Officers School of Instruction, Zietoun 02Jun1917; to T/Capt 08Sep1917; Asst Provost Marshall Aust Mtd Div 08Oct1917; to Captain 13Nov1917; detached for Police duty at Damascus 18Oct1918; detached to Aust Div 05Apr1919; Emb.01May1919 from Port Said for England; Resigned appointment and Disch.11Oct1919 in England.

With a copy of WWI Service File and other research stored in plastic pages in an album.



2134*

Group of Five: Queen's South Africa Medal 1899, (type 3 reverse), - three clasps - Cape Colony, Orange Free State, Transvaal; Natal Rebellion Medal 1906, - clasp - 1906; 1914-15 Star; British War Medal 1914-18; Victory Medal 1914-19. 315 3rd Cl: Tpr: P.F.Jones. S.A.C. on first medal, S:Q:M: S: P.F.Jones, Transvaal Mtd. Rifles. on second medal, 539 Pte P F.Jones. 3 LHR, A.I.F. on third medal, 539 ER/WO/1. P.F.Jones. 3.L.H.Rgt. A.I.F. on fourth medal, 539 ER-W).1 P.F.Jones. 3.L.H.R. A.I.F. on last medal. All medals impressed. *Swing mounted, some ribbons with damage, the last medal with black spotting, otherwise toned very fine.*

\$1,500

Boer War: Served as a Trooper with South African Constabulary; Natal Rebellion: Served as Squadron Quarter Master Sergeant with Transvaal Mounted Rifles; WWI: Percy Ford Jones, orchardist, age 41, born at Brockley, England; Enl.18Oct1914 at Pontville, Tas, in 3 Light Horse Regiment; Emb.20Oct1914 from Hobart, Tas; to Gallipoli 09May1915; to L/Cpl 10Sep1915; to Cpl 29Dec1915; to Sgt 10Jul1916; to POW Guard at Ghezireh 18Oct1917; to ER/RSM (WO Class 1) 18Oct1917; RTA 18Oct1918; Disch.24Jan1919.



Family Group to Four Brothers - One KIA, Two WIA, One Killed in Australia: Single (Killed by Brother): Queen's South Africa Medal 1899 (type 3 reverse), - two clasps - Orange Free State, Transvaal. 184 Pte A.M.Nicoll. Queensland I.B. Impressed.; Trio to WIA: Queen's South Africa Medal 1899 (type 3 reverse), - three clasps - Cape Colony, Transvaal, South Africa 1902; British War Medal 1914-18; Victory Medal 1914-19. 823 Tpr: (R. faded) R.M.Nicoll. Aus: Com: H. on first medal, 100 L/Cpl R.McQ.H.Nicoll. 41 Bn. A.I.F. on last two medals. The first medal impressed and engraved and the last two medals impressed.; Trio to KIA: 1914-15 Star; British War Medal 1914-18; Victory Medal 1914-18; Victory Medal 1914-19. 1028 Pte R.M.Nicoll. 25/Bn A.I.F. on second medal, 1028 T-Sgt. R.M.Nicoll. 25-Bn. A.I.F. on last two medals. All medals impressed.; Pair to WIA (Killed his Brother): British War Medal 1914-18; Victory Medal 1914-19. 7835 Pte A.D.Nicoll. 15 Bn. A.I.F. Both medals impressed. ; Very fine - extremely fine. (4 groups and a single)

\$2,000

Together with a circular fibre compound dog tag for 7835 Nicoll. A D.; circular fibre compound dog tag and a hexagonal fibre compound dog tag, both for 100 R M H Nicoll.

184 Pte Alaric McDonald Nicoll, 6 Queensland Imperial Bushmen. Killed by his brother, Andrew, in 1905.

823 Pte Reginald Macquarrie (note that on the attestation form this is how the name is spelt with 2 r's) Nicoll, 1 Bn, Australian Commonwealth Horse, drover and horsebreaker, age 21, born at Ipswich. Qld; attested for service in South Africa 02Jan1902 at Brisbane, Qld. WWI: originally allocated number 96 but this altered to 100. Medals were issued with number 96 but Nicoll sent them back and requested that they have the correct number 100. This was done and the medals returned to him. Reginald McQuarrie Haygarth Nicoll (note now with third name), now working as a stockman, age 33; Enl.25Jan1916 at Brisbane, Qld, with 6 months previous service in South Africa; to A Sqn 14LHR 24Mar1916; Emb.12May1916; TOS 41Bn 23Sep1916; to France 24Nov1916; to L/Cpl 12Mar1917; WIA 28Mar1918 GSW right buttock severe, France; Disch.18Dec1918 in England and granted furlough; RTA 25Mar1919.

1028 Robert Macquarie Nicoll, porter with Qld Govt Railway, age 27, born at Beaudesert, Qld; Enl.23Mar1915 at Brisbane, Qld, with 6 1/ 2 years in R.A.G.A.; Emb.29Jun1915; to Gallipoli 04Sep1915; to be Sgt 03Dec1915; reverts to ranks 10Jan1916; to France 19Mar1916; to Cpl 07May1916; KIA 29Jul1916, France; Buried on Pozieres battlefield.

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7835 Andrew David Nicoll, stockman, age 38, born at Casino, NSW; Enl.10Sep1917 at Brisbane, Qld in 26Rfts 9Bn; Emb.31Oct1917; to France 01Apr1918; TOS 15Bn 17Apr1918; WIA 25Jun1918, shrapnel wound right thigh, France; Rejoined unit 18Sep1918; RTA 01Jul1919; Disch.14Sep1919. Killed his brother, Alaric, in 1905.

Two brothers argue and one is killed. In January 1906 Andrew David Nicoll was accused of murdering his brother, Alaric McDonald Nicoll, on Boxing Day, 26 December 1905 and was committed for trial. The accused pleaded not guilty. The case for the Crown was to the effect that the accused, the deceased and another brother were camped in a hut at Yore's selection at Allen's Creek near Beaudesert previous to the taking of a ringbarking contract. During the absence of the younger brother, Reginald, who left to set some snares, the other two quarrelled and Alaric was shot. Reginald heard the gun shot and just afterwards heard Andrew coo-ee. He ran back and when he got within sight he saw Andrew standing 50 yards from the hut and on getting closer he saw Alaric lying on the ground. When asked what happened Andrew replied, 'We were fooling with the gun, and it went off'. During the court case there were more detailed disclosures of the argument between Alaric and Andrew and that this simple explanation was not true. The Crown Prosecutor said the jury would have to decide whether the charge was wilful murder, manslaughter, or accidental homicide.

After a short retirement, the jury returned with a verdict of manslaughter, with a strong recommendation to mercy on the ground of prisoner's previous good character. The jury were of the opinion that the discharge of the gun was accidental, but the prisoner was engaged in an unlawful quarrel. Andrew Nicoll was sentenced to three years' imprisonment, with hard labour; but the sentence was suspended under the provisions of section 656 of the Criminal Code, accused to enter into a bond of one hundred pounds and to be of good behaviour for that period.



2136*

MBE Group of Eight: The Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Member (MBE - Military) (type 2); 1914-15 Star; British War Medal 1914-18; Victory Medal 1914-19; 1939-45 Star; Pacific Star; War Medal 1939-45; Australia Service Medal 1939-45. First medal unnamed as issued, M.2711, N.H.Simmonds, E.A.3., R.N. on second medal, M.2711 N.H.Simmonds. E.A.2 R.N. on third and fourth medals, the fifth and sixth medals unnamed as issued, M. (sic) H.Simmonds. R.A.N. on last two medals. All named medals impressed. *Display mounted, very fine.*

\$750

Note: Last two medals with incorrect first initial of M, should be N.

MBE: LG 11/7/1940, p4246 in King's Birthday Honours List, to Lieutenant Norman Henry Simmonds, HMAS Cerberus, RAN. The MBE presented to Mrs Simmonds by the Governor-General at Admiralty House, Sydney on 13Jun1942, as her husband was on active service.

Norman Henry Simmonds, born 24May1888 at Devonport, Devon, England; WWI service with Royal Navy; Enlisted 01Jul1921 in RAN; Appointments: Warrant Electrician 01Jul1921; Commissioned Electrician 01Jul1931; Electrical Lieutenant 01Oct1939; Electrical Lieutenant Commander 01Oct1947; Various postings including Platypus, Cerberus, Vernon, Victory, Australia, with WWII service with Penguin, Warspite, and Leeuwin; Certificate of Disch.21Feb1946; Trf to Retired List 24May1948.

With one page confirming MBE award.



Group of Six to Australian Nurse: Royal Red Cross First Class (GRI) with ribbon bow; 1914-15 Star; British War Medal 1914-18; Victory Medal 1914-19 with MID; Greek Medal for Military Merit 4th Class; Queen Alexandra's Imperial Military Nursing Service Reserve Cape Medal. First and fifth medals unnamed as issued, Sister L.E.Barrow. Q.A.I.M.N.S.R on second medal, Matron L.E.Barrow on third and fourth medals, L.E.Barrow 20th May. 1915 on last medal. The second to fourth medals impressed, the last medal engraved. *The first and last medals loose, the last with pin-back ribbon suspender, the remaining four medals swing mounted, very fine - extremely fine.*

\$5,000

Together with Gerrard & Co Ltd case for Royal Red Cross 1st Class.

RRC 1st Class: LG 12/12/1919, p15446 to Miss Lucy Emma Barrow, A.R.R.C., A/Matron, Q.A.I.M.N.S.R.

RRC 2nd Class: LG 1/1/1917, p46 to Sister, Miss L.E.Barrow.

Greece MM 4th Class: LG 26/11/1919, p14640 to Sister (acting Matron) Lucy Emma Barrow, Queen Alexandra's Imperial Military Nursing Service (Reserve).

MID: 1918 (no Gazette details).

Lucy Emma Barrow, born 30Jun1878 at Crystal Brook, Sth Aust; after school was trained in nursing at Adelaide Hospital (and Rua Rua Hospital) for 3 years and was appointed Probationary Nurse in Feb1906; completed a course in Invalid Cookery at the School of Mines and Industries, Adelaide in 1908; served as a Charge Nurse for 5 years and 4 months, Assistant Matron for 2 months and also completed 4 years and 5 months of Hospital Theatre work; member of Australian Trained Nurses' Association and the Royal British Nursing Association.

WWI: Volunteered 21Apr1915 and joined AANS and appointed 15May1915; Trf to QAIMNS 20May1915; Emb.20May1915 from Adelaide on the Mooltan for Egypt and began duty 15Jun1915 serving at No.17 General Hospital, Alexandria; then served 4 1/2 months on a hospital ship in the Aegean and then as a Theatre Sister at No.15 General Hospital in Egypt; awarded RRC 2nd Class in January 1917; Trf from Egypt to Salonika on 09May1918 serving at 25th Casualty Clearing Station, B.S.F. and was awarded the Greek Medal for Military Merit 4th Class; final posting was to 48th General Indian Hospital in Constantinople, Turkey as Acting Matron; RTA 18Sep1920; Arrived at Sydney, NSW 20Oct1920.

Post WWI: appointed Matron of the Hutchinson Hospital, Gawler, Sth Aust from 15Aug1923; then served at the Repatriation General Hospital, Keswick, Sth Aust from c1924 to 1938 (Sister Barrow was in a public relations group photo with Bert Hinkler during his visit to the Keswick Military Hospital - News, Adelaide Tuesday 17 April 1928, page 11); Died 10May1946 at a private hospital in Adelaide, Sth Aust; Buried at AIF War Cemetery, West Terrace, Adelaide.

Note: Lucy Barrow's brother, 229 Sgt Percival Gilbert Barrow, 6LHR, was killed in action on 8Nov1917 and buried in an orchard at Jemwawa, later exhumed and reburied at Gaza Military Cemetery.

An article published in the Bunyip, Gawler, Sth Aust on Friday 20 February 1920, page 2 reads as follows.

'Sister L.E.Barrow, daughter of Mr R.Barrow, N.S.W., and grand-daughter of the late John Barrow, of Ashwell, Templers has been honoured with the much coveted decoration of the Greek Order, and is now Matron of the 48th Indian General Hospital at Constantinople. This hospital contains 1,000 beds, and is maintained for the services of the Army of Occupation of the Black Sea. Nurse Lucy Barrow left South Australia on May 20, 1915, first going to Alexandria, thence to Lemnos Isle, where she assisted in the work entailed by our men in the attempt to open the Dardanelles. She then returned to Alexandria, to the 17th General Hospital, remaining there the greater part of the Egyptian and Palestine campaign. During this period she received the decoration of the Royal Red Cross Order. Sister Barrow then took up transport duties on hospital ships, and afterwards spent 15 months at the 25th Casualty Clearing Station, B.S.F., at Salonica, where she gained her Greek Order. In the Spring of 1919 she was ordered to Constantinople to take charge of the Hospital there. Sgt P.Barrow, a brother, was killed in Palestine in November 1917.'

With copies of Gazette pages and other research.

Distinguished Conduct Medal Awarded for the First Day of the Gallipoli Landing 25 April 1915



2138*

DCM and Bar Group of Five: Distinguished Conduct Medal (GVR) with Bar; 1914-15 Star; British War Medal 1914-18; Victory Medal 1914-19 with MID; French Croix de Guerre with Palme. 122 Pte C.P.Green. 10/AUS:I.F., on first medal, 122 Pte C.P.Green 10/Bn. A.I.F. on second medal, Lieut C.P.Green. A.I.F., on third and fourth medals. First to fourth medals impressed, last medal unnamed. *Mounted as worn, a very important group with a bravery award for the Gallipoli landing, very fine.*

\$48,000

DCM: LG 6/9/1915, p8852; CAG 30/12/1915, p3223.

DCM Citation: 'For conspicuous gallantry on the 25th April, 1915, during the landing at Gaba Tepe (Dardanelles). He had reached shelter on the beach, when he saw a wounded man struggling in the surf, which was under heavy fire. Without hesitation he turned back, reached the man in the water, and brought him successfully to shore and subsequently to a place of shelter.'

MID: LG 5/8/1915, p7668; CAG 28/10/p2737

MID Recommendation: 10th Battalion, 122 Private Greene (see note), C.P. - On 25th April, when landing under a heavy fire he noticed one of his comrades wounded and struggling in the water. He returned and brought the wounded man to shore. (Reported by Lieut.-Colonel S.Price Weir)

(Note: The name Green and Greene have been used on various documents in the soldier's Service File but on his Attestation Paper to Enlist his name is recorded as Green.)

The bar to the DCM and the French Croix de Guerre with Palme have not been confirmed.

Cyril Patrick Green, age 25, born Adelaide, Sth Aust; Previously served 7 yrs in Imperial Navy; Enl.17Aug1914 at Morphettville, Sth Aust; Emb.20Oct1914 Adelaide; WIA GSW 25/29Apr1915 Gallipoli; Mentioned in Army Corps Orders 29Jun1915 for acts of conspicuous gallantry or valuable service during the period from 25th April to 5th May 1915; Appointed 2nd Lieut 26Aug1916; Lieut 09Dec1916; to France 04Jul1917; TOS 50Bn 05Jul1917; Trf to 51Bn 07Nov1918; RTA.07Nov1919; Appointment terminated 13Jan1920.

With copy of Service Record.

Ex Tom Hanley Collection, Noble Numismatics Sale 87 (lot 5071).

2139

Group of Four to KIA: Military Cross (GVR) with bar; 1914-15 Star; British War Medal 1914-18; Victory Medal 1914-19 with MID. 17 L/Cpl F.W.Goodwin 8/BN A.I.F. on second medal, Lieut F.W.Goodwin A.I.F. on remaining two medals. First medal unnamed, second and fourth medals renamed and engraved, third medal impressed. *The first medal appears to be a contemporary copy, very fine*.

\$1,500

Together with identity disc named to '17/Goodwin F.W./8.A.I.' on chain.

MID: LG 28/1/1916, p1208; CAG 06/4/1916, p862, to 17 Sergeant F.W.Goodwin 8Bn.

MC: LG 22/9/1916, p9286; CAG 14/12/1916, p3382, to 17 Regimental Sergeant-Major Frank Willie Goodwin.

Citation: 'For conspicuous gallantry during protracted operations. He led a patrol forward, gaining valuable information, supervised supplies for the front line, and worked without ceasing for three days and nights in the removal of the wounded under heavy fire.'

(Recommended for VC but awarded Bar to MC)

Bar to MC: LG 14/11/1916, p11084; CAG 19/4/1917, p922, to 2nd Lieutenant Francis William (sic) Goodwin MC.

Recommendation: At Pozieres, France on night of 18th August 1916 after the third attack on enemy trench between Munster Alley and Tramline, our line had fallen back on its original trench, 2/Lieut. Goodwin brought in a badly wounded man and then returned to assist others. Whilst dressing a wounded man a shell burst killing this man and knocking Goodwin out for half an hour; in spite of this when he came to his senses he brought in two others. All this time the enemy kept up a constant fire from Machine Guns and Artillery.

On the next day, 19th, he observed one of our men, No.3495, Pte. G.H.Groves, lying wounded close to enemy parapet, and at night accompanied by Lieut. Mummery went to the spot which was within 5 yards of the enemy trench.

Lieut. Mummery placed the man on Goodwin's back and they started off but were observed by the enemy who poured in a rain of bullets.

However both officers brought this man safely across the 150 yards space between trenches which was swept by machine gun and artillery fire. In addition this officer did invaluable work in supervising the rationing of the men in the front line and getting the wounded down to the Dressing Station.

He was also recommended for a DCM, 31Jul1916; Russian Cross of St George 27Aug1916; VC 27Aug1916; MM (undated).

Francis Willie Goodwin, farmer, age 26yrs, born Colwall, UK; Enl.28Aug1914 at Broadmeadows, Vic; Emb. 19Oct1914 Melbourne; WIA 25Apr1915 Anzac landing day at Gallipoli, GSW leg; promoted Cpl 04Aug1915; Sgt 13Aug1915; Comp Sgt Mjr 20Nov1915; Regt Sgt Mjr 10Feb1916; appointed 2nd Lieut 05 Aug1916; promoted Lieut 21Feb1917; KIA 04Oct1917 by a burst of M.G. bullets near Zonnebeke, Belgium; Commemorated Hooge Crater Cemetery Belgium.

With extensive research including copy of Service Record, photographs, photocopy extract from 'Cobbers in Khaki - History of the 8th Battalion 1914-18'.



2140*

DCM Trio and a Single: Distinguished Conduct Medal (GVR type 1); 1914-15 Star; British War Medal 1914-18; Victory Medal 1914-19. 2347 Pte J.C.McFarlane. 22/Aust:Inf: on first medal, 2347 Pte J.C.McFarlane. 22 Bn. A.I.F. on second medal, 4549 Pte. D.McFarlane. 7-Bn. A.I.F. on third medal (single unrelated medal mounted in group), 2347 L-Cpl. J.C.Mc'Farlane 22-Bn. A.I.F. All medals impressed. *Swing mounted*, *heavy contact marks*, *otherwise very good - fine*. \$1,000

DCM: LG 6/2/1918, p1776; CAG 27/6/1918, p1399, to Pte John Charles McFarlane 22 Aust Infy Bn.

Recommendation: For conspicuous gallantry and daring. On the 4th Oct. and again during the attack on 9.10.17 he acted as runner and did magnificent work carrying despatches through the heaviest barrages. When the position of one of our new forward posts on 9.10.17 was obscure he volunteered to look for it. After traversing No Man's Land under Machine Gun and rifle fire he was successful in locating the post which would otherwise have been cut off. His devotion to duty, courage and endurance were splendid throughout.

John Charles McFarlane, slaughterman, age 18, born at Port Melbourne, Vic; Enl.12Jul1915 at Melbourne, Vic in 5th Reinf 22Bn, with previous service in 52 Bn Port Melbourne Senior Cadets; Emb.29Sep1915; Disemb.23Oct1915 at Sue2; to 1st Aux Hosp at Abbassia with dysentery 15Dec1915; to France 19Apr1917; TOS 22Bn 09May1917; Appt L/Cpl 14Oct1917; awarded DCM 20Nov1917; Reverts to rank of Private at own request 06Feb1918; several instances of disobeying orders or being AWL until found guilty in a Field General Court Martial held at Havre on 24Jun1918, charged with (1) neglecting to obey Base Standing Orders (2) striking his superior officer (3) resisting an escort - found guilty on all charges and sentenced to 3 years P.S.D. and forfeiture of DCM - subsequently sentence commuted to 1 year hard labour and forfeiture of DCM remitted; Accidentally injured on 31Jul1918 while trying to escape form Military Prison Havre (fell from top of fence); due to RTA but did not embark and recorded as 'Illegal Absentee' 28Jul1919;

Disch.28Jul1919 in consequence of Illegal Absence; RTA 04Dec1920; Disemb.12Feb1921 at Melbourne, Vic.

4549 Pte D.McFarlane named on the British War Medal is probably related to 2347 Pte J.C.McFarlane.

Duncan McFarlane, labourer, age 42, born at Williamstown, Vic; Enl.10Aug1915 at Melbourne, Vic in 14th Reinf 7Bn; Emb.28Jan1916; Disemb.28Feb1916 at Suez; to France 27Aug1916; 29Sep1916 Charged with using obscene language to a Warrant Officer and also breaking out of camp while under arrest - found guilty; RTA 11Jan1918 and Disemb.04Mar1918; Disch.13Apr1918 as Overage.





MM Group of Four to KIA: Military Medal (GVR); 1914-15 Star; British War Medal 1914-18; Victory Medal 1914-19. 3145 Cpl A.Clayton. 49/Aust:Inf: on first medal, 3145 Pte A.Clayton. 9/Bn.A.I.F on second medal, 3145 Sjt A.Clayton. 9 Bn. A.I.F. on third medal, 3145 Sjt. A.Clayton. M.M. 49-A.I.F. on last medal. All medals impressed. *Very fine - extremely fine*.

\$5,000

Together with a Memorial Plaque named to Archibald Clayton, in fold over cardboard packet of issue; Memorial Scroll named to Serjt. Archibald Clayton M.M 49Bn.A.I.F. with accompanying note from King George V.

MM: LG 9/12/1916, p12055; CAG 19/4/1917, p927, to 3145 Corporal Archibald Clayton, 49Bn.

Recommendation: This N.C.O. was buried twice by shells exploding in his vicinity, and though considerably shaken each time refused to go to the rear and stayed in command of his section. He did excellent work during the whole time and his example tended to inspire his men.

Archibald Clayton, butcher, age 25, born at Reading, Berkshire, England; Enl.06Sep1915 at Brisbane, Qld in 10Rfts 9Bn, with 2 years service with Berkshire Imperial Yeomanry; Emb.05Oct1915; TOS 9Bn 21Jan1916 at Tel-el-Kebir; Trf to 49Bn 25Feb1916; to L/Cpl 01Mar1916; to France 05Jun1916; to Cpl 24Aug1916; to Sgt 06Sep1916; to hospital with influenza 30Nov1916 and further hospitalisation and convalescence until 16Jan1917; KIA 07Jun1917 at Belgium and is commemorated at the Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial in Belgium.

With full Service File as well as comprehensive other research.



2142*

MSM and MID Group of Five: Meritorious Service Medal (GVR type 1); 1914-15 Star; British War Medal 1914-18; Victory Medal 1914-19 with MID; Australia Service Medal 1939-45. 2 W.O. J.M.Davis. H.Q. C.S.2/Aust:Div: on first medal, 2 Pte J.M.Davis. 4/Aust:Bde:H.Q. on second medal, 2 W.O/1. J.M.Davis. 4/Inf.Bde.H.Q. A.I.F. on third medal, 2 WO. 1. J.M.Davis 4.I.B.H.Qrs. A.I.F. on fourth medal and V357123 J.M.Davis on last medal. All medals impressed. Swing mounted, contact marks, otherwise very fine.

\$1,000

MSM: LG 1/1/1918, p76; CAG 18/4/1918, p848 - to 2 Warrant Officer Cl I John Morris Davis, 2nd Div HQ (Clerical) (Promoted WO Cl I 22Nov1916).

Recommendation: This Warrant Officer has been with this Division as senior Clerk in the G.Office since November 1916. Has shown great energy and ability in his work. Possesses initiative and organises work in the office well. Keeps discipline and at the same time keeps all the clerks contented and cheerful. His work has been quick, thorough and reliable.

MID: LG 4/1/1917, p254; CAG 29/6/1917, p1391 - to 2 Staff Sergeant John Morris Davis, 1 Anzac Corps - for distinguished and gallant services and devotion to duty.

John Morris Davis, military staff clerk, age 19, born at Korumburra, Vic; Enl.20Aug1914 at Sth Melbourne, Vic, with previous service of 2 1/2 years in Corps of Military Staff Clerks - previously joined on 03Jan1912 at Victoria Barracks, Melbourne, Vic with previous employment as a Clerk 5th Class in Commonwealth of Australia Customs and Excise Office, Melbourne; Trf to 4 Bde Infy 2nd Expeditionary Force; to L/Sgt 16Sep1914; Emb.20Oct1914; to MEF at Gallipoli 12Apr1915; to Sgt 01Jan1916; to 4 Infy Bde 27Feb1916; to France 22Mar1916; to Staff Sgt 27May1916; to WOI 22Nov1916; Trf to 2nd Aust Div HQs 23Nov1916; MID 04Jan1917; awarded MSM 01Jan1918; RTA 23Oct1918 for Special 1914 Leave; Disch.23Feb1919 from AIF; WWII: Enl.01Apr1942 at Ripponlea, Vic, V357123; Disch.31Oct1945 as Lieutenant ex 5 Battalion.

MSM for Conspicuous Bravery to Mobile Vet. Section



2143*

MSM Group of Four with MID: Army Meritorious Service Medal (GVR); 1914-15 Star; British War Medal 1914-18; Victory Medal 1914-19 with MID. 290 R.S.Mjr: W.Baker. 7/ Aust:Inf: on first medal, 290 C/Sjt W.Baker.7/Bn. A.I.F. (note 7 adjusted over 8) on second medal, 290 WO. (1) W.Baker. 7 Bn. A.I.F. on third medal, 290 WO. 1 W.Baker. 7 Bn. A,I,F, on last medal. All medals impressed. *Display mounted, the first medal out of order, toned good very fine.*

\$3,000

MSM: LG 17/6/1918, p7178; CAG 7/11/1918, p2113, to 290 Regimental Sergeant Major William Baker 7Bn.

Recommended for Military Cross (As WO Baker was not an officer, presumably this was the recommendation that resulted in the award of the MSM): For consistent good work and devotion to duty as R.S.M. during the period 22 Sept. 1917 to 24th February 1918. East of Ypres during the attack on 4th Oct. 1917 this Warrant Officer did remarkably good work. Whilst the Bn. was assembled for attack, heavy enemy barrage, causing many casualties amongst the carrying party. W.O. Baker reorganized the carrying parties and succeeded in getting all the material, ammunition and bombs forward. His behavior (sic) under these circumstances not only set a splendid example to the men, but did much towards keeping them steady. For period from 22nd September 1917 to the night of 24/25th February 1918.

MID: LG 1/6/1917, p5421; CAG 4/10/1917, p2623, to 290 Warrant Officer Class 1 William Baker 7Bn.

Recommendation: At Ypres, Gueudecourt, and Flers Sectors, from September, 1916, to February, 1917, Warrant Officer Baker has shown the greatest attention and devotion to duty by organising and controlling ration and S.A.A. parties under many difficulties, such as heavy shell fire and very severe winter conditions. He never once failed to get his hot food rations and S.A.A. parties up to the front line. This Warrant Officer has at all times set a fine example to the N.C.O's and men of his Battalion, both in the trenches and in billets.

(Note: S.A.A. is abbreviation for Small Arms Ammunition.)

William baker, collar maker, age 32, born at New Zealand; Enl.17Aug1914 at Essendon, Vic, with previous service of 9 years 5 Aust Infy, 3 years Ballarat Infy, and currently serving 58 Infy; to Colour Sgt 17Aug1914; to CSM 19Aug1914; Emb.21Oct1914; to Gallipoli 05Apr1915; WIA 25Apr1915, GSW spine, on landing day at Gallipoli; rejoined unit 27Jul1915; WIA 01Sep1915 at Lone Pine, Gallipoli; rejoined unit 17Sep1915; to RSM 17Jan1916; to WO1 15Feb1916; to France 31Mar1916; RTA 24Sep1918 for Special Leave (1914 Personnel); Disch.14Jan1919 Medically Unfit, GSW knee and gassed.

With copy of Service File and comprehensive other research.

See also Lots 2165 and 2182 to family members. William Baker was brother to James Baker and uncle to Donald James Baker.



2144*

Group of Four: 1914-15 Star; British War Medal 1914-18; Victory Medal 1914-19; Army Meritorious Service Medal (GVR). 1619 Pte V.J.L.Martin 3/LH RGT A.I.F. on first medal, 1619 Sjt V.J.L.Martin 3L.H.R. A.I.F. on second and third, 1619 Dvr V.J.L.Martin Aust.A.V.C. on last medal. All medals impressed. *Very fine*.

\$3,500

MSM: LG 18/1/1919; CAG 03/6/1919.

'For conspicuous bravery and devotion to duty whilst driving a horse float during August and September 1918. Driver Martin was continually passing through villages and areas which were being shelled collecting animals from units for evacuations to Mobile Veterinary Sections. This man has always carried out his duties with great devotion and courage, especially during the last six months fighting on the Somme.' One of four awarded to Mobile Vet.Section.

Victor James Leopold Martin, Inspector (S.P.C.A.), age 26yrs, born Adelaide, Sth Aust; Enl.17Aug1915 at Adelaide, Sth Aust; Emb.18Nov1915 for the Middle East; attached to 2nd Mobile Veterinary Section, France 26Aug1917; promoted Sgt 29Dec1918; RTA 10Jul1919.

With copy of Service File.



French C-de-G Group of Four: 1914-15 Star; British War Medal 1914-18; Victory Medal 1914-19; French Croix de Guerre with Bronze Star emblem. 3529 Pte W.H.Woodward. 8/Bn. A.I.F. on first medal, 3529 Sgt. W.H.Woodward. 8 Bn. A.I.F. on second and third medals, last medal unnamed as issued. All named medals impressed. *Court mounted, contact marks, otherwise very fine.*

\$3,500

Together with Certificate with Divisional Commander's congratulations in being mentioned in Australian Corps Routine Order No. A.222 of 17-8-1918 for gallantry in the field near Morlancourt on the nights of 29th/30th July. 18 (this actual certificate is illustrated in Medals to Australia 4th edition by R.D.Williams, page 174); b&w photo.

C-de-G: LG 7/1/1919, p317; CAG 23/5/1919, p893, to 3529 Sergeant Walter Henry Woodward, 5th Aust Pioneer Bn for conspicuous service rendered.

Walter Henry Woodward, printer, age 23, born at Fitzroy, Vic; Enl.07Jul1915 at Melbourne, Vic in 11Rfts 8Bn; TOS 5 Pioneer Bn 17Sep1915; Emb.11Oct1915; TOS 59Bn 26Feb1916 at Tel-el-Kebir; Trf to 5 Pioneer Bn 03Mar1916; to A/Cpl 05Sep1916; to Cpl 06Nov1916; Trf to Pioneer Trg Bn 03Mar1917; to Cpl on command at School of Instruction 07May1917; to France 25Jun1917 and rejoined 5 Pioneer Bn 19Jul1917; to L/Sgt 03Aug1917; to Sgt 01Sep1917; RTA 02Jun1919; Disch.10Sep1919.

With copy of Service File and other research.



2146*

Trio to 9LHR with MID: 1914-15 Star; British War Medal 1914-18; Victory Medal 1914-19 with MID. 480 Pte A.Rowe. 9/L.H.Rgt. A.I.F. on first medal, 480 T/Sjt A.Rowe. 9 L.H.Rgt. A.I.F. on second medal, 480 T-Sjt A.Rowe. 9 L.H.R. A.I.F. on last medal. All medals impressed. *Display mounted on a cardboard sheet with photo and badges, very fine.*

\$1,500

Together with King's Silver War badge, reverse numbered A79692; Ninth Light Horse (Flinders Light Horse) Regiment lapel badge (1930-42) in voided silvered and enamel (23x30mm), lug back, by Stokes & Sons, Melb, incorporates Ninth Light Horse enamel colour patch (maybe an association badge) (Rare); a series of small b&w photos, all with description written on reverse and most appear to be scenes of the AIF in Palestine.

MID: LG 14/6/1918, p7058; CAG 7/11/1918, p2113, to 480 Lance Corporal Arthur Rowe, Light Horse. (Mentioned in General Allenby's despatches for distinguished and gallant services and devotion to duty.)

Arthur Rowe, labourer, age 29, born at Daylesford, Vic; Enl.07Oct1914 at Melbourne, Vic in 9LHR; Emb.11Feb1915; TOS 9LHR 20Nov1915 at Heliopolis; to be L/Cpl 02Jan1917; relinquishes rank 05Aug1917; to railway construction works Kantara for course of instruction 21Aug1917; to T/Cpl 27Feb1918, T/Sgt 10Apr1918, and revert to L/Cpl 29Jun1918; MID 03Apr1918; promoted Cpl 18Nov1918; specially brought before G.O.C. for work in connection with Railway Construction 06Dec1918; RTA 29Apr1919; Disch.20Sep1919.

With copy of Service File.



2147*

MSM Group of Seven: 1914-15 Star; British War Medal 1914-18; Victory Medal 1914-19; War Medal 1939-45; Australia Service Medal 1939-45; Permanent Forces of the Empire Beyond the Seas Long Service and Good Conduct Medal (GVR); Commonwealth of Australia Meritorious Service Medal (GVIR). 3329 2-Cpl E.Greenlees. 6 F.C.E. A.I.F. on first medal, 3329 Cpl E.Greenlees. 6 F.C.E. A.I.F. on second and third medals, NP1000 E.Greenlees. on fourth and fifth medals, No 1000 Sgt. (T/S/Sgt.) E.Greenlees. R.A.E. on sixth medal, 1000-WO2 E.Greenlees Aust. Inst. Corp. on last medal. The last two medals engraved, the other medals impressed. *Display mounted, good very fine*.

\$2,500

PFEBSLS&GCM: CAG No.88 29/10/1931, p1783 to 1000 Sgt (Temp. Staff Sgt.) E.Greenlees, R Aust Engrs.

CAMSM: CAG No.24 20/4/1939, p646 to 1000 WO2 E.Greenlees, Aust Inst. Corps.

WWI: Ernest Greenlees, fitter and turner and was apprenticed at Woolwich Arsenal in England, age 24, born at Kent, England; Enl.6Oct1915 at Melbourne, Vic in 6Fld Coy Engrs, with current service of over 2 years in RAE; Emb.23Nov1915; Disemb.19Dec1915 at Alexandria; to Sapper 16Oct1915; to 2nd Cpl 20Oct1915; to Cpl 11Jan1916; to France 27Mar1916; revert to rank of Sapper at own request 14Aug1916; WIA 27Aug1916, GSW right forearm (severe), France; RTA 13Feb1917; Disch.31Jul1917 Medically Unfit; resumed duty with RAE 01Aug1917; to L/Cpl 01Sep1917; to 2/Cpl 01Dec1917; Re-Enl.29Aug1918 for 3 years; to T/Cpl 03Apr1919; to Temp 2/Cpl 04Mar1920; to Cpl 06Jan1921; Re-Engaged for 3 yrs 29Aug1921; trf to WDSL 1921; to L/Sgt 01Jul1924; to Sgt 06Nov1924; Re-Engaged for 4 years 01Nov1925; Re-Engaged for 4 years 01Nov1929; to Temp S/Sgt 19Jan1931; Trf to Royal Military College 05Oct1931; to WO2 31Jan1934; to Temp WO1 01Aug1939. WWII: Served in Australian Instructional Corps as A/Lieut 28Apr1942; to T/Capt 04May1943; to Capt 28Oct1943; classified as Medically Unfit 04Sep1944 and placed on Retired List; Died 04Apr1953 at Canberra Community Hospital; Buried at Returned Soldiers' Section of Canberra General Cemetery 06Apr1953.

With copy of WWI and later, large full Service File.



Trio to Light Horse: 1914-15 Star; British War Medal 1914-18; Victory Medal 1914-19. Lieut. R. St. C.Cheesman. 2/ L.H.Rgt. A.I.F. on first medal, Captain. R. StC. Cheesman. A.I.F. on last two medals. All medals impressed. *Good very fine - extremely fine*.

\$500

The trio of medals was reported lost in 1928 and officially replaced from original medals held in stock at the time. It is unsure as to which issue are the above medals.

Robert St Clair Cheesman, banker, age 44, born at Kingstown in the Island of St Vincent, West Indies; Enl.20Oct1914 at Brisbane, Qld in 5LHR, while seconded from 27LHR to Assistant Provost Marshall at Lytton (3 1/2 years as 2Lieut and 12 months as Adjutant of 27LHR); to Lieut 16Feb1915; Emb.17May1915; to Gallipoli 28Aug1915; to Capt 30Jun1916; to 1LHR B Sqdn as O.C. 22Feb1917; C-in-C directs that he return to Australia with orders to report to Minister of Defence on arrival; RTA 11Jul1917 (file marked 'Returned to Australia for disposal. Reason Inefficiency. General Headquarters state complete file sent.'); Appt terminated 08Sep1917; Died 11Sep1940.

With a copy of WWI Service File stored in plastic pages in an album.

2149

Trio: 1914-15 Star; British War Medal 1914-18; Victory Medal 1914-19. 80 Pte A.Gibbs 7/L.H.Rgt. A.I.F. on first medal, 80 T/Cpl A Gibbs, 7/L.H.Rgt. A.I.F. on second medal, 80 T-Cpl A.Gibbs. 7 L.H.R. A.I.F. on last medal. All medals impressed. *Contact marks and oxidation marks on last medal, otherwise fine.*

\$350

Arthur Gibbs, age 25, personal details unknown as Attestation missing from file; Enl.28Oct1914 at West Maitland, NSW in 7LHR MG Sqn; Appt'd Driver 18Dec1914; to Gallipoli 15May1915; reverted to Tpr 28Dec1915; TOS 2nd Reserve Rgt 01Mar1915; TOS 7LHR 24Apr1916; TOS 2LHR MG Sqn 24Jul1916; To L/Cpl 18Aug1916; passed Hotchkiss Course as Instructor 20Feb1917 at School of Instruction, Zeitoun; to Temp Cpl 28Aug1918; RTA 15Nov1918; Disch.24Feb1919.

With copy of Service File.



2150*

Trio: 1914-15 Star; British War Medal 1914-18; Victory Medal 1914-19. 8895 Gnr. H.C.Hubble. 2/D.A.C. A.I.F. on first medal, 8895 Dvr. H.C.Hubble 2 D.A.C. A.I.F. on last two medals. All medals impressed. *Display mounted on cardboard, good very fine.*

\$350

Herbert Claude Hubble, farmer, age 30, born at Wateringbury, Kent, England; Enl.26Sep1915 at Bendigo, Vic in 2DAC; Emb.16Nov1915; to Gunner 16Oct1915 at Gallipoli; to hospital with rheumatism 03Feb1916; trf to 22 Howitzer Bde 10Mar1916; trf to 2DAC 13May1916, France; TOS 5FAB 16Aug1916; TOS 2DAC 04Jun1917; mustered as Dvr 12Jun1917; TOS 5FAB 11Aug1917; TOS 2DAC 19May1918; fought in Battle of Hamel 04Jul1918; to hospital with fractured clavicle 27Aug1918; RTA 08Sep1919; Disch.29Jan1920.

In the Victorian Government Gazette No 34 dated 22 February 1939, Herbert Claude Hubble was recorded as a Water Bailiff in the Water Supply Department. Herbert Hubble died on 18 May 1960 at Bendigo, Victoria.

With copy of Service File and other research.

2151

Trio to KIA at Hill 60: 1914-15 Star; British War Medal 1914-18; Victory Medal 1914-19. 1008 Pte J.Keenan 14/Bn A.I.F. All medals impressed. *Very fine*.

\$300

John Keenan, labourer, age 25yrs, born Violet Town, Vic; Enl.14Sep1914 at Rochester, Vic; Emb.22Dec1914 Melbourne; joined MEF Dardanelles 04May1915; KIA 08Aug1915 Hill 60; Commemorated at Lone Pine Memorial.

With copy of Service File and Cemetery details.





Trio to WIA at Gallipoli: 1914-15 Star; British War Medal 1914-18; Victory Medal 1914-19. 945 pte J.McKever. 12/Bn. A.I.F. on first medal, 945 ER/W.O. (1) J.McKever. 12/Bn. A.I.F. on second medal, 945 ER-WO.1. J.McKever. 12 Bn. A.I.F. on last medal. All medals impressed. *Good very fine*.

\$700

Joseph McKever, ironworker, age 29, born at New Monkland, Airdrie, North Lanarkshire, Scotland ; Enl.10Sep1914 at Black Boy Hill, WA, in 12Bn, with previous service of 12 years in Royal Scotch Regiment; to Cpl 16Sep1914; reduced to ranks 25Oct1914; Emb.02Nov1914 to join MEF; to Cpl 29Apr1915; to Sgt 01Jul1915; WIA 03Nov1915 shrapnel wound left side, at Gallipoli and to No.3 Aux Hosp at Heliopolis; Appt'd CSM 06Aug1916, France; to T/RSM 09Nov1916; revert to CSM 15Jan1917; placed on Syphilis Register 28Jun1918 and struck off 22Jul1918; married May Thurza Powell 14Oct1918 at The Parish Church, Islington, London; Granted Special 1914 Leave in England, 45 days and report 09Jan1919; granted leave for non-military employment 11Mar1919 to 11Sep1919; RTA 06Oct1919; Disch.04Dec1919; Died 17Oct1945 at Wagin Hospital, Wagin, WA.

With copy of Service File.

2153

Pair to KIA: 1914-15 Star; Victory Medal 1914-19. 3337 Pte P.V.Masson 5 Bn A.I.F. Both medals impressed. *The Star has been silvered, fine.*

\$500

Percy Valentine Masson, bookseller, age 35, born Manly, Sydney, NSW; Enl.08Jul1915 at Broadmeadows, Vic; Emb.11Oct1915 Melbourne; WIA 22Sep1916 S.W. back; KIA 09Aug1918 France; Commemorated at Villers-Bretonneux Memorial.

With copy of Service File and Cemetery details with photos.

2154

Trio: 1914-15 Star; British War Medal 1914-18; Victory Medal 1914-19. 2282 Pte A.E.Smith. 26 Bn. A.I.F. All medals impressed. *The first and last medals with some oxidation marks*, otherwise fine.

\$500

Alfred Ernest Smith, labourer, age 31, born at Woolwich, England; Enl.26Jul1915 at Claremont, Tas in 4Rfts 26Bn, with previous service of 4 years in 3rd Kent Artillery; Emb.24Sep1915; to hospital at Abbassia with venereal disease 16Dec1915-29Feb1916; TOS 26Bn 02Jun1916; charged with neglect to obey order and AWL, France 18Sep1916; charged AWL 29Nov1916, France; multiple stays in hospital sick including for frost bite to feet and rheumatism and other ailments; RTA 08Apr1919; Disch.04Aug1919.

With copy of Service File.



2155*

Trio to KIA at Gallipoli: 1914-15 Star; British War Medal 1914-18; Victory Medal 1914-19. 1493 Pte R.Swinscoe 13/Bn A.I.F. All medals impressed. *Mounted for display, good very fine.*

\$1,250

Arthur Ralph Swinscoe, collier, age 21, born Burslem, UK; Enl.02Oct1914 Melbourne, Vic; Emb.11Feb1915 Sydney; arrived Gallipoli 25Apr1915; KIA 03May1915 Gallipoli; Commemorated at Lone Pine Memorial.

With copy of Service File and Cemetery details.



Trio to WIA: 1914-15 Star; British War Medal 1914-18; Victory Medal 1914-19. 898 Pte F.W.Taylor 1/A.N.&M.E.F. on first medal, Lieut. F.W.Taylor. 1/A.N.&M.E.F. on last two medals. Impressed. *Display mounted on cardboard sheet with photo and other badges, good very fine.*

\$1,500

Together with Nearest Female Relative's badge (AIF), no bar; Returned Sailors & Soldiers Imperial League (large 2 figure type), with 1919 slide on crown; another (small 2 figure type), with (19)31 slide on crown (no lugs); Returned Sailors Soldiers & Airmens Imperial League (3 figures) (KC) (no lugs); locket of blonde hair in frame (tested as 15ct; tot wt 3.91g); small 2nd Battalion enamelled colour patch; Souvenir of Welcome Home fold-out card with printed name of Lieut. Fred. W. Taylor, 2nd Battalion, After 3 1/2 Years Active Service, and written at the bottom, 'June 2nd 1919', on the front of the card is the unit colour patch and around the centre fold are two strands of string in the unit's colours; a page from a Legacy magazine c1962 with one side devoted to 'Vale, Legatee Fred Taylor'.

Frederick William Taylor, timekeeper (clerical) and coachbuilder, age 23, born at Balmain, Sydney, NSW; Enl.16Aug1914 at Sydney in A.N.&M.E.F., with previous service of 2 years in Australian Rifle Regiment (Sergeant's certificate); Emb.19Aug1914; Disch.18Jan1915 as Private, time expired; Enl.19Jul1915 in 14Rfts, 2Bn, AIF; Appt 2 Lieut 01Dec1915; Emb.15Jan1916; TOS 2 Bn from Rfts 07Jun1916; WIA 15Jun1916 multiple shrapnel bomb wounds to body in particular both legs and left foot, whilst on patrol, France; Admit to 3 London Gen Hosp, Wandsworth 21Jun1916;Disch from Hospital 25Sep1916; rejoined unit 09Oct1916; Appt Lieut 16Oct1916; to School of Instruction 11Nov1916; Admit to 3 London Gen Hosp 30Nov1916 with influenza; rejoined unit 23Jan1917; to Div. School of Instruction 01Apr1917; rejoined unit 06May1917; to L.M.G. School of Instruction 20Sep1917; rejoined unit 09Oct1917; Admit to 3 London Gen Hosp 04Mar1918, foreign body in left knee (GSW); Disch from hospital and to Overseas Trg Bn 28May1918; rejoined unit 20Jun1918; on command to 1 Trg Bn 29Oct1918 and posted and seconded to O/Seas Trg Bn 30Oct1918; Attch'd to Permanent Cadre O/Seas Trg Bn 01Nov1918; attended a course of instruction in defensive measures against gas at Southern Com. Gas School, Sandown 18-28Nov1918; Commanding No.2 Area Gas School; RTA 10Apr1919; Appt terminated 24Jul1919.

Fred Taylor died in 1962 and his funeral service was held at the Northern Suburbs Crematorium with many ex-servicemen and women in attendance. Part of the tribute to him published in the Legacy magazine was as follows.

'Fred joined Legacy in 1940, when he was already hard at work on the Art Unions which provided the sinews of war for the War Veterans' Home in the early years. The R.S.L. profited substantially from his work in raising funds, and he was made a Life Member of the League for his services. He carried on as Director of the Art Unions and Lotteries, until last year when illness caused his withdrawal. He had been an active member of the 2nd Bn. A.I.F. Association for the best part of 40 years, and helped greatly in the accumulation of the records of that famous Battalion. He was also an active and enthusiastic member of the A.I.F. Ball, later to be renamed The Victory Ball, and up till last year was responsible for the decoration and arrangements of the official table.

In Legacy he was always an enthusiastic worker, and in spite of his preoccupation with the intense duties of the Lottery, he continued until last year to be an active member of Enrolment and Reception Committee. Fred also played a small part as an Advisor when opportunity came. He is best remembered by the old lads of the 2nd Battalion for his surprising efforts on behalf of the fighting man in France, when he introduced amenity services right into the front line to a degree which was rarely equalled in the more enlightened days of the 2nd A.I.F. He was indefatigable in the interests of Battalion veterans, and treasured the company of surviving early members, visiting them in hospital, arranging outings, and so forth.'

With full Service File.





2157*

Trio to KIA: 1914-15 Star; British War Medal 1914-18; Victory Medal 1914-19. 3527 Pte P.Wilkinson. 11/Bn.A.I.F. on first medal, 3527 Pte P.Wilkinson. 11 Bn. A.I.F. on last two medals. All medals impressed. *A few oxidation spots on first medal, otherwise extremely fine.*

\$1,500

Together with Memorial Plaque named to Philip Wilkinson, in fold over cardboard packet; Memorial Scroll named to Pte. Philip Wilkinson 11Bn. A.I.F.; b&w studio photo.

Philip Wilkinson, farm hand, age 28, born at Jalandhar, India; mother, Mrs Alice Wilkinson, was Head Mistress of The Mayo School, Shimla, India; Enl.08Sep1915 at Blackboy Hill, WA, in 11Rfts 11Bn, with 3 years service in Punjab & Calcutta Vol Rifles; Emb.02Nov1915; TOS 11Bn 02Mar1916 at Habieta; to France 29Mar1916; KIA 30May1916, France; Buried at Rue Petillon Military Cemetery, near Armentierres, France.

With copy of Service File and comprehensive other research.

Recommended for Distinguished Conduct Medal by Brigadier General H.E. 'Pompey' Elliott



2158*

DCM Trio to WIA: Distinguished Conduct Medal (GVR type 1); British War Medal 1914-18; Victory Medal 1914-19. 5141 Pte G.Mitchell. 59/Aust:Inf:Bn: on first medal, 5141 Pte. G.Mitchell. 57-Bn. A.I.F. on last two medals. All medals impressed. *Court mounted, hairlines otherwise very fine.* \$2,500

DCM: LG 3/3/1917, p2202; CAG 25/7/1917, p1545, to Pte George Mitchell, 59 Aust Infy Bn.

Recommendation (by Brig Gen H.E. 'Pompey' Elliott, commanding 15th Infy Bde): Between Millers Son Post and Zenith Trench on the night of 13th/14th December 1916 Private Mitchell displayed great bravery and devotion to duty. He was acting as runner between Millers Son Post and front line, and left Millers Son Post in company with Pte. Rowley, both of them carrying despatches for various points in the front line. On the way they were caught in a heavy enemy barrage and a shell bursting just in front of them, they jumped into a small trench near by, when a second shell fell, killing Private Rowley and burying Private Mitchell. Private Mitchell succeeded in releasing himself and although the bombardment was still going on searched Private Rowley, took the despatches from his pocket and delivered them as well as his own to the officers concerned. He then continued on and acted as a guide to "B" Company which was being relieved from the line. After seeing the Company safely to their position he returned with his receipts and the private effects of Private Rowley to Millers Son Post, and immediately collapsed. Private Mitchell's act prevented greatest confusion in the relief and was most probably instrumental in saving lines as his despatches contained orders relative to the relief and the enemy barrage was particularly heavy.

Pte G.Mitchell, 59Bn, was one of several officers and men of the 5th Australian Division presented with decoration ribbons by Lieut-General Sir W.R.Birdwood, K.C.S.I., K.C.M.G., C.B., C.I.E., D.S.O., Commanding 1st A.N.Z.A.C. on 13th April 1917.

George Mitchell, baker, age 24, born at Clunes, Vic; Enl.26Jan1916 at A.I.F. Recruiting Depot, Town Hall, Melbourne, Vic; Emb.01Apr1916 with 16th Reinf 5Bn; TOS 57Bn 19May1916; to France 21Jun1916; TOS 59Bn 23Jul1916; to 15 LTMB 17Apr1917; WIA 03May1917 by GSW to back causing fractured spine, dangerously ill, France; admitted to 3rd A.C.C.S. 03May1917; to 9th General Hospital, Rouen 05May1917; to 4th Southern General Hospital, Plymouth 18May1917; RTA 25Nov1917; Disch.11Jul1918 Medically Unfit; Died 12Apr1973 at the Anzac Hostel, Clunes, Vic.



2159*

MM Group of Five to WIA: Military Medal (GVR type 1); British War Medal 1914-18; Victory Medal 1914-19; War Medal 1939-45; Australia Service Medal 1939-45. 3810 Pte L.Kennedy. 4/Aust:Inf: on first medal, 3810 Pte L.Kennedy. 4 Bn. A.I.F. on second and third medals, V143265 L.Kennedy on last two medals. All medals impressed. *Swing mounted, contact marks, otherwise fine - very fine.*

\$1,500

MM: LG 26/4/1917, p3948; CAG 21/8/1917, p1786, to Pte Leo Kennedy, 4 Aust Infy Bn.

Citation: For bravery in the field.

WWI: Leo Kennedy, station hand, age 20, born at Melbourne, Vic; Enl.07Aug1915 at Cootamundra, NSW in 12 Reinf. 4Bn, with 12 months compulsory military training; Emb.07Jan1916; TOS 4 Bn in France 25May1916; Awarded MM 24Mar1917; WIA 05May1917; RTA 26Sep1917; Disch.25Jan1918 Medically Unfit (Defective Vision). WW2: Enl.18Oct1941 at Royal Park, Vic (V143265); Disch.24Oct1945 as Private ex Army Inspection Staff.

2160

WWI Medals to Brothers: Trio: Military Medal (GVR type 1); British War Medal 1914-18; Victory Medal 1914-19. 16403 Spr A.L.Hager Aust:E on first medal, 16403 Spr A.L.Hager 3-Sig Coy A.I.F. on second and third medals.; Pair: 1914-15 Star; Victory Medal 1914-19. 2663 Pte H.W.Hager 16/Bn A.I.F. on both medals. All medals impressed. *Last medal of trio with staining on obverse, fine.*

\$2,500

MM: LG 17/6/1919, p7696; CAG 10/10/1919, p1498.

'For bravery and devotion to duty during the period 24.8.18 to 31.8.18. Throughout the advance Spr Hager carried out his duties as Bde Section lineman with exemplary courage repairing forward lines under heavy shell fire and greatly assisting in the successful maintenance of forward communications'.

Arthur Lancelot Hager, bar steward, age 26, born at Ballarat, Vic; Enl.18Jul1916 at Perth, WA; Emb.29Dec1916 Fremantle; RTA 01Jun1919; Disch.16Aug1919.

Henry William Hager, sailor, age 30, born Ballarat, Vic; Enl.17Jun1915 at Perth, WA; Emb.02Sep1915 Fremantle; WIA 26Nov1915 GSW head and neck, Gallipoli Peninsula; RTA 21Jun1916.

With copies of Service Files for these two brothers and two other brothers, all of whom enlisted in Perth.

2852 Pte Bernard Hager, miner, age 20, born Ballarat, Vic; Enl.03Jul1915 at Perth, WA; Emb.01Oct1915 Fremantle; WIA 24Jul1916 France and again on 10Apr1917; RTA 01Feb1918.

7022 Pte James Hager, tram conductor, age 25, born Ballarat, Vic; Enl.05Oct1916 Perth, WA; Emb.23Dec1916 Fremantle; KIA 08Jul1918 France; Buried Crucifix Corner Cemetery, Villers-Bretonneux.



MM Trio: Military Medal (GVR type 1); British War Medal 1914-18; Victory Medal 1914-19. 2930 Tpr F.J.Barker 4/Aust L.H.R. on first medal, 2930 Pte F.J.Barker 4 L.H.R. A.I.F. on second and third medals, impressed. *Good very fine*.

\$7,500

MM: LG 10/8/1919, p7891; CAG 17/10/1919, p1530.

'Trooper Fred Barker was another soldier at Angreau, who displayed resourcefulness not expected of a trooper when he went forward under fire and determined enemy dispositions.'

Frederick John Barker, labourer, age 21, born Woodend, Vic; Enl.03Jul1916 at Melbourne, Vic; Emb.29Sep1916 Melbourne; RTA 17Aug1919.

With copy of Service File.



2162*

MM Trio: Military Medal (GVR type 1); British War Medal 1914-18; Victory Medal 1914-19. 20740 Gnr: T.H.Burrett. Aust:F.A. on first medal, 20740 Gnr T.H.Burrett. 3 D.A.C. A.I.F. on last two medals. All medals impressed. Very fine. \$2,000 MM: LG 14/5/1919, p6056; CAG 15/9/1919, p1364 to Gunner T.H.Burrett, 7 Aust Field Artillery Brigade.

Recommendation: From 30th August to 1st Sept. 1918, at Clery, Gunner Burrett did invaluable work under heavy shell fire in maintaining communications between the battery and O.P. His work has called for exceptional qualities, and at no time did he fail to maintain communication, and so keep the battery advised of the situation and enable fire to be directed on to the enemy.

Thomas Hugh Burrett, engineer, age 23, born at Footscray, Melbourne, Vic; Enl.08Nov1915 at Brisbane, Qld, with 2 years previous naval service; to Gunner 11Jan1916; Emb.11May1916 with 9FA Bde; TOS 3 Div Arty Detach 04Jan1917; TOS 3 Divisional Ammunition Column 10Mar1917; TOS 7FAB 05Aug1917; awarded MM in the Field 26Oct1918; RTA 12May1919; Disemb.28Jun1919; Disch.14Aug1919.

Research including note of congratulations (this damaged) dated 21st February 1919 on award of MM from General Rawlinson, Commanding Fourth Army; and some pages from 'With The 27th Battery In France' in which Gunner Burrett is mentioned.



2163*

MM Trio: Military Medal (GVR type 1); British War Medal 1914-18; Victory Medal 1914-19. 1857 Cpl C.L.Whitby. 46/Aust:Inf: on first medal, 1857 T-Sgt. C.L.Whitby. 46-Bn. A.I.F. on last two medals. All medals impressed. *Good very fine*.

\$2,000

MM: LG 17/12/1917, p13200; CAG 02/5/1918, p1038.

'On the morning 29/9/1917 near Zonnebeke during a heavy bombardment by the enemy and when the enemy machine guns were sweeping the trench Corporal Whitby displayed remarkable coolness and deliberation, using his Lewis Gun to such advantage that enemy parties advancing against our position were repulsed and totally dispersed. His conduct and example in the line was excellent.'

Cecil Lewis Whitby, labourer, age 24, born Brighton, Vic; Enl.19Jul1915 at Melbourne, Vic, with 2 yrs training in Cadets; Emb.04Apr1916 with 2Rfts 46Bn; TOS 46Bn 17Feb1917; Appointed L/Cpl 21May1917; Cpl 25Aug1917; awarded MM 14Oct1917; T-Sgt 22Oct1917; Cpl 29Dec1917; WIA 17Aug1918 GSW left leg, France; RTA 15Jan1919; Disch.16Apr1919.

With copy of Service File, together with original letter to Cpl Whitby's father advising of the award of the MM; an original letter from Australian Red Cross Society, Victorian Division to his father advising that Cpl Whitby had been wounded; an original newspaper clipping of Cpl Whitby's MM award; other research giving details of the MM award to Whitby.


Family Group: (Father): Pair: British War Medal 1914-18; Victory Medal 1914-19. 279329. Pte. 2. B.H.V.Meade. R.A.F. Impressed.; (Son): MM Group of Ten: Military Medal (GVIR Indiae Imp); 1939-45 Star; Africa Star; Pacific Star; Defence Medal 1939-45; War Medal 1939-45; Australia Service Medal 1939-45; Efficiency Medal (GVR) with Australia suspender; Jubilee Medal 1935; Greek War Medal 1940-41 with 1947 pattern ribbon. NX22709. Sgt. T.E.Meade. AIF. on first medal, NX22709 T.E.Meade on second to seventh medals, No.103289. Sgt. T.E.Meade A.C. of Sigs on eighth medal, Sergeant T.E.Meade. A.C.S. on ninth medal, last medal unnamed. First seven medals impressed, the eighth and ninth engraved. *Two groups display mounted on two cardboard sheets with other medals and badges, very fine - extremely fine.*

\$9,000

Together with matching set of miniatures for the second group (excludes Greek War Medal); Rising Sun hat badge (GVR); Australian Corps of Signals collar badge pair; Signallers metal qualification badge; WWII Returned from Active Service badge (AIF); 3 different RSL badges; Australian Corps of Signals Association of Australia lapel badge, crown with slide on (19)47 year; six different bowling club badges; Newcastle 1934 Fire Brigade badge; Fire Brigade button; Justice of the Peace badge; one cufflink inscribed 'TEM', appears to be gold; FBI (Freemasons' Benevolent Institution) No 492, Life Governor jewel in gold and enamel (9ct, approx wt 12.0g), reverse inscribed, 'Bro. T.E.Meade/Lodge Wollstonecraft/No.367/U.G.L.N.S.W./1965'; another FBI Life Governor jewel with three stars on ribbon, reverse with impressed number 1030.

MM: LG 4/11/1941, p6358, to NX22709 Sergeant Trevor Evelyn Meade, 1 Corps Sigs.

Citation: Courage, calmness & devotion at Elassona on 14 Apr 41.

Recommendation: On 14 Apr. 41 at Elassoea, Greece, Sgt. Meade was on duty in the Corps Signal Office. A direct and heavy bombing and machine gun attack was concentrated thereon and personnel who were experiencing their first intensive air attack showed signs of leaving the office to seek more adequate cover. Sgt. Meade immediately the attack commenced took over the telephone exchange and continued operating it throughout the raid despite the fact that there were several 'near misses' by heavy bombs. His calmness and devotion to duty under trying circumstances were an inspiring example to his men and as a result of his unhesitating action, all personnel remained at their posts to maintain vital communications throughout the raid.

(With a handwritten letter from Lt-Colonel R.Kendall, his commanding officer, congratulating him on the immediate award of the Military Medal as well as explaining why he made the recommendation for the award.)

The Military Medal was presented to Mrs M.Meade (mother) by the Governor-General at Government House, Sydney on 13/4/46 at the request of the recipient.

Jubilee Medal: confirmed award to Sgt Trevor E. Meade, ACS, with named certificate included.

Father: Basil Harry V. Meade.

Son: Trevor Evelyn Meade, electrician, age 33, born at London, England; Enl.11Apr1940 at North Sydney, NSW for 2AIF, while serving in AMF (14 years), No.103289 at rank of WOII with 1st Div Sigs; Emb.26Dec1940; to Greece 18Mar1941; awarded MM 27Sep1941; to Lieutenant 20Oct1941; Embarked from Middle East to Sydney 26Jan1943 and then service in New Guinea; to Captain 13May1944; Disch.11Jun1946; promoted to Chief Engineer Electrical, NSW Fire Brigade in 1950, responsible for radio, telephone communications and electrical systems throughout NSW and the ACT; retired 1966 (with letter from Board of Fire Commissioners of New South Wales commending his 42-years of service) to Ballina, NSW where he was active in the local RSL, Bowling and Masonic Clubs; Died 17Jun1994 at Ballina District Hospital, Ballina, NSW with stated previous occupation as Fire Brigade Chief Electrician; The funeral service was held at Chapel of the City of Lismore Crematorium, Goonellabah, NSW.

With Service File and a large quantity of official documents including certificate for Greek War Medal and other research as well as several photographs.



Pair to WIA: British War Medal 1914-18; Victory Medal 1914-19. 4435 A/Sjt J.Baker 5 Bn. A.I.F. on first medal, 4435 A-Sgt. J.Baker. 5 Bn. A.I.F. on second medal. Both medals impressed. *Good very fine*.

\$200

James Baker, coal clipper, age 18, born at Ballarat, Vic; Enl.09Nov1915 at Melbourne, Vic in 10Rfts 46Bn; trf to 14Rfts 5Bn 09Dec1915; Emb.28Jan1916; WIA 04Aug1916 hit by piece of shell hitting outer side of knee and later pain in hip; to hospital in England 13Sep1916, tubercule of hip; RTA 14Jan1917; Disch.01May1917; Re-Enl.24Sep1917 at Melbourne, Vic in 46Bn under service no.3608; Emb.28Feb1918; to A/Sgt 30Apr1918; reverts to Pte on admission to hospital 02May1918; to France 08Jul1918; TOS 46Bn 17Jul1918; to L/Cpl 12Aug1918; to hospital with infected knee joint 24Sep1918 and again 22Nov1918; RTA 16Mar1919; Disch.15Dec1919.

With copy of very large Service File.

See also Lots 2143 and 2182 to family members. James Baker was brother to William Baker and father to Donald James Baker.

2166

Pair: British War Medal 1914-18; Victory Medal 1914-19. 1841 ER/W.O.1 S J Bindley. 1 L.H.R. A.I.F. on first medal, 1841 ER-WO.1. S.J.Bindley 1 L.H.R. A.I.F. on second medal. Both medals impressed. *Contact marks, otherwise nearly very fine*.

\$250

Stanley James Bindley, labourer, age 28, born at Thalgarrah, Armidale, NSW; Enl.27Sep1915 at Armidale, NSW in 13Rfts 1LHR, with 10 years service in 6LHR & 5LHR, still serving; Emb.20Dec1915; TOS 1LHR 01Mar1916; TOS 5Div Ammunition Column and mustered as Gunner 21Apr1916; to Farrier Sgt 16May1916; to France 18Jun1916; to Btn Sgt Major (WO II) 15Nov1916 in France; sick with trench fever 20Oct1917 and trf to England; attch'd to Perm cadre of R.B.A.A. in England 13Mar1918; trf to 5DAC 08Oct1918; Temp WOI 13Mar1919; brought to the notice of the Secretary of State for War for valuable service rendered 13Jun1919; RTA 16Apr1920; Disch.24May1921 Medically Unfit (Chronic Dyspepsia).

With copy of Service File.

2167

Pair: British War Medal 1914-18; Victory Medal 1914-19. 6303 A-L-Cpl H.G.L.Brackpool. 4 Bn. A.I.F. Both medals impressed. *Contact marks and a tone spot on second medal, otherwise good very fine.*

\$150

Harold George Lisney Brackpool, mercer, age 20, born at Sydney, NSW; Enl.04Mar1916 at R A Showgrounds, Sydney, NSW, in 2Bn, with previous service of 18 months in militia; to A/Cpl 23Mar1916; to A/L.Sgt 19Jul1916; Emb.09Sep1916; Appt A/L/Cpl 22Dec1916; to France 04Feb1917; TOS 4Bn 12Feb1917; WIA 15Apr1917, France; Married his cousin, Annie Brackpool, at Hollington 21Nov1918; 18Feb-18May1919 granted leave to study shorthand at Clarks College, and journalism at Fleet St, London; RTA 26Jul1919 with wife; Disch.03Nov1919.

With research.

2168

Pair to KIA at Villers-Bretonneux: British War Medal 1914-18; Victory Medal 1914-19. 1635 Pte F.Cobb 49 Bn A.I.F. Both medals impressed. *Very fine*.

\$500

Francis Cobb, blacksmith, age 28, born at Montrose, Scotland; Enl.06Dec1915 at Townsville, Qld; Emb.20Apr1916 Sydney; WIA 27Nov1916 France and again 07Jun1917; KIA 08May1918 at Villers-Bretonneux; buried Adelaide Cemetery, Villers-Bretonneux.

With copy of Service File and Cemetery details.

2169

Pair: British War Medal 1914-18; Victory Medal 1914-19. 652 Pte L.Sames 14 Bn A.I.F. Both medals impressed. *Very fine*.

\$500

Leonard Henry Hatton Sames, labourer, age 20, born London, UK; Enl.17Sep1914 at Rupanyup, Vic; Emb.22Dec1914 from Melbourne; WIA 27Aug1915 GSW; DOW 07Sep1915; buried in New Protestant Cemetery Old Cairo.

With copy of Service File and Cemetery details.

2170

Pair: British War Medal 1914-18; Victory Medal 1914-19. 27137 Dvr A.G.Wardrop 7 F.A.B. A.I.F. Both medals impressed. *Mounted for wear, very fine*.

\$250

Adam Gladstone Wardrop, horse driver, age 27, born at Watsonville, Qld; Enl.13Mar1916 at Rockhampton, Qld; Emb.30Sep1916 Sydney; WIA 21Sep1917 France; Died of sickness and buried at sea; Commemorated at Villers-Bretonneux Memorial, France.

With some research including Cemetery details.



Group of Five: British War Medal 1914-18; Victory Medal 1914-19; War Medal 1939-45; Corps of Commissionaires Medal in bronze with Award of Merit suspender and 'Army/Navy/Air Force' emblem; another identical but in silver and with 25 Years clasp instead of combined services emblem. 24542 Pte H.Williams. 3 D.A.C. A.I.F. on first medal, 24542 Gnr. H.Williams 3 D.A.C. A.I.F. on second medal, V81415 H.Williams on third medal, No 96 H.Williams 24-5-58 on fourth medal, No 96 H.Williams 24.5.63 on last medal. The first three medals impressed, the last two engraved. *Swing mounted, contact marks on first three medals, otherwise very fine.*

\$800

Note: Initially not entitled to Australia Service Medal 1939-45 but after the conditions of service were revised in 1995, H. Williams would be entitled to this medal. It appears not to have been applied for.

Together with Farrier/Shoeing Smith brass arm badge; steel bracelet fitted with oval brass disc impressed, 'SS.H.Williams/24542/3rd.D.A.C/AFA. C of Eng'; Returned from Active Service badge (AIF); Returned Sailors & Soldiers Imperial League, Australia badge (2 figure type); riband trio as per medal group; 96 voided badge being H.Williams' Corps of Commissionaires' number; riband for two Corps of Commissionaires' medals with two silver coloured rosettes on last riband.

Note: The Corps of Commissionaires in Australia was formed in 1946 as an independent organisation to employ or place ex servicemen or women. It was based along the same guidelines as the Corps established in UK in 1859.

Harry Williams, blacksmith, age 28, born at Brunswick, Vic; Enl.12May1916 in 3 Div Ammunition Column; Appt Shoeing Smith 31May1916; Emb.27Jun1916; to France 24Nov1916; Trf to 3 Div Arty 11Feb1917; Rtn to 3 DAC 10Mar1917; several stays in hospital; TOS Aust Vet Hosp, Calais 10Aug1917; several more stays in hospital and leave on medical grounds; RTA 19Apr1919; Disch.16Aug1919 Medically Unfit - rheumatism; WWII: now using the name Henry (not Harry) Williams, blacksmith, age 52; Enl.11Oct1919 in District Labor Company; several transfers and also appointed Artificer Group II 10Jan1940; Disch.02Aug1940 Medically Unfit.

With copy of Corps of Commissionaires warrant and a commissionaires 1946-1996 roll call listing '96 H Williams (A [rmy])'; copy of WWI and WWII Service File stored in plastic pages in an album.



2172*

Pair: British War Medal 1914-18; Mercantile Marine War Medal 1914-18. W.J.Winter. Australia. 1051. Both medals impressed. *Display mounted, toned good very fine.*

\$200



2173*

Group of Six: British War Medal 1914-18; 1939-45 Star; Africa Star with 8th Army clasp; Defence Medal 1939-45; War Medal 1939-45; Australia Service Medal 1939-45. 67606 Pte S.McI.Clark G.S.R. A.I.F. on first medal, NX 46372 D.Clark on all remaining medals. Impressed. *Court mounted*, *extremely fine*.

\$800

Swales McIan Clark, farmer, born 1901 at Singleton, NSW; WWI: Enl.30Jul1918 at Singleton, NSW; Emb.02Nov1918 Sydney; Disemb. Sydney 12Dec1918; Disch.11Jan1919.

WWII: Enl.08Jul1940 at Newcastle, NSW; Emb.27Dec1940 Sydney for the Middle East; Operations Egypt, Syria, North Africa including El Alamein; Appointed L/Sgt 28Jul1942; A/Sgt 16Oct1942; Sgt 13Apr1943; Discharged medically unfit 22Dec1943.

With extensive research including copies of WWI and WWII Service File, photographs, gold signet ring with initials 'SMC', small handwritten book on military instructions, various other handwritten documents, Singleton Returned from Active Service record, WWI Home Coming Certificate from the residents of Singleton (with tears and pieces missing from top left corner and left side margin), Brownie box camera in leather case.



Group of Five: British War Medal 1914-18; 1939-45 Star; Pacific Star; War Medal 1939-45; Australia Service Medal 1939-45. 2/Lieut. L.McIver. R.A.F. on first medal, 250505 L Mciver on last four medals. All medals impressed. *Display mounted*, *very fine - extremely fine*.

\$450

Together with RFC pilot's wings in bullion, backing intact and unused modern issue; RAAF Other Ranks hat badge; WWII Female Relative's badge with one star, by G & E Rodd, 1943, reverse numbered AF29170; Demobilised Sailors Soldiers & Airmens Assn lapel badge in gilt and enamel, by Schlank, Adelaide, (19)43 slide over on crown; 'AAF Technical/US/Representative', (US Army Air Force Technical Representative), woven shoulder patch; Legacy 2/- fundraising badge.

Lewis McIver, grazier, born 25Aug1899 at London, England although on his application to enrol in the Air Force Reserve he stated that he was born in Melbourne; WWI: served in military in 1914 when he was 15 and in 1916 when he was 17 he joined Inns of Court Regiment Officer Training Corps, serial number 11890 as a Private and then promoted to 2Lt in RFC and RAF and by 1918 at the age of 18 he was serving as a pilot and instructor in RFC and RAF stationed at Doncaster and Gatwick air base, Yorkshire and did a special course of flying at Redcar Aerodrome, North Yorkshire, attaining rank of Acting/Flight Commander; WWII: (In Australia) Enl.07Nov1939 in General Duties Branch of Citizen Air Force; Trf to Administrative & Special Duties Branch, CAF; promotions F/O 02Jul1940, T/Lt 01Jan1942, T/Sqn Ldr 01Apr1943; various postings and attachments including to flying schools and also to Station HQs Port Moresby, NG 01Apr1942, and No.28 O.B.U. (Operational Base Unit), Horn Island 30Oct1942; Appt terminated 08Feb1949 as Sqn Ldr at Laverton Air Base; Died 28Aug1973 at Camberwell, Vic and buried at Springvale, Greater Dandenong City, Vic.

With copy of Service File and other research.



2175*

Pair: Commonwealth of Australia Meritorious Service Medal (type A); Permanent Forces of the Empire Beyond the Seas Long Service and Good Conduct Medal (GVR). Sjt. J McWilliams A.A.O.C. (P) on first medal, No 23 Bdr J.J.McWilliams. Armt Artificer on second medal. Both medals engraved. *Court mounted, the first medal with spotty toning, both with hairlines, otherwise very fine.*

\$1,000

COAMSM: CAG No.4 16/1/1930, p39, to 1222 Sgt. J.J.McWilliams, A.A.O.C. (Perm.)

Permanent Forces of the Empire Beyond the Seas LS&GCM: CAG No.195 19/12/1918, p2372, to 23 Bomb. J.J.McWilliams, Armament Artificer, R.A.G.A., 6th Military District.

Recommended for VC Awarded MM for Bravery in Middle East



2176*

Group of Eight: 1939-45 Star; Atlantic Star; Africa Star, clasp - North Africa 1942-43; Pacific Star; Italy Star; Defence Medal 1939-45; War Medal 1939-45 with MID; Australia Service Medal 1939-45. D.J.Browne. R.A.N.V.R. All medals engraved. *Swing mounted and displayed on a cardboard sheet with miniatures and buttons, extremely fine.*

\$1,500

Together with matching set of swing mounted miniature medals with rosette on Africa Star and MID emblem on War Medal; Australia navy buttons (2 large in gilt, 1 small in bronze)

MID: LG 21/12/1943, p5542; CAG 30/12/1943, p2837, to Lieutenant Douglas John Browne, RAN, HM ML1128.

Citation: Gallant service leading to capture of Sicily.

Recommendation: For gallantry and distinguished service and untiring devotion to duty in command of HM ML1128 during operations which led to the capture of Sicily by Allied Forces. He is deserving of the highest praise for his outstanding skill and devotion to duty. He seemed to need no rest and always responded to any demand made on him with a cheerfulness and ability which was most heartening. His ship is always efficient and, in spite of the difficult weather conditions during the three days on passage, he overcame all difficulties and arrived to time and led his landing craft to their correct beaches.

MID (2nd Occasion): LG 25/1/1944, p209; CAG 3/2/1944, p209, to Lieutenant Douglas John Browne, RAN, HM ML1128.

Citation: Gallant leadership under heavy & continual fire.

Recommendation: For gallantry, leadership and devotion to duty under heavy and continued fire from the enemy during landings on the Italian mainland whilst commanding HM ML1128.

Note: HM ML1128 is His Majesty's Motor Launch 1128.

Douglas John Browne, born 29Apr1916 at Watford, England; Enl.14Sep1940 in RANVR, Home Port Sydney as Ordinary Seaman; promoted to Sub-Lieut 28Aug1941; to St Christopher for M.B. Course 03Sep1941; to Sea Robin in command 13Oct1941; to ML1164 in command 02Jun1942; to ML1128 in command 18Jun1942; to Lieut (Provl) 21Jan1943; service included various postings on Rushcutter, Collingwood, Argus, King Alfred, St Christopher, Minos, Cormorant, Hannibal, Penguin and later with Allied Intelligence Bureau in Madang, New Guinea; Appt terminated 26Nov1945.

With copy of Service File and other research.



2177*

MM Group of Seven: Military Medal (GVIR Indiae Imp); 1939-45 Star; Africa Star; Pacific Star; Defence Medal 1939-45; War Medal 1939-45 with MID; Australia Service Medal 1939-45. WX2855. L-Cpl. P.R.Browne. Cooper. AIF. on first medal, WX2855 P.R.Browne-Cooper on second to sixth medals. All medals impressed. *The first with original ribbon and pin-back suspension bar, the ribbon dirty but with a new length of ribbon included, medal with a few contact marks, otherwise very fine, the remaining medals good very fine - extremely fine.*

\$5,000



Together with a swing mounted matching set of miniature medals.

MM: LG 30/12/1941, p7338, to L/Cpl Peter Rothsay Browne-Cooper, 2/16 Aust Infy Bn.

Recommendation for DCM awarded MM (copied verbatim): During the action at the Litani river on 9/10 Jun 41 L/Cpl. Browne-Cooper, DR, carried messages fwd to the br. Head on numerous occasions whilst under heavy fire. At Saida on 13 Jun 41 he again was responsible for delivery of orders and messages to the fwd. Coys, showing complete disregard for the heavy enemy fire.

When Comn became more difficult because of an enemy Tk attack he was ordered to carry fwd. a pack wireless set to D. Coy 2/16 Aust. Inf. Bn. Whilst proceeding, he had his MC shot from underneath him, totally destroying it. Although severely shaken and unnerved he carried the wireless set fwd. a considerable distance under fire to the Coy H.Q. and afterwards returned to Bn. HQ to make his report on D. Coy's. Posn.

L/Cpl. Browne-Cooper's courage and devotion to duty throughout the ops. Has been of a high standard and by his personal efforts contributed considerably to the success of the action. He is recommended for the immediate award of the Distinguished Conduct Medal.

MID: LG 30/12/1941, p7361, to L/Cpl Peter Rothsay Browne-Cooper, 2/16 Aust Infy Bn.

Peter Rothsay Browne-Cooper, miner, born 05Feb1918 at Perth, WA; Enl.20May1940 at Perth, WA; Emb.25Oct1940 for Middle East with 2/16Bn; to L/Cpl 06Dec1940; WIA 14Jun1941; TOS 21 Infy Trg Bn 14Jul1941; MID during period Feb-Jul1941; revert to Pte at own request 18Sep1941; to A/Cpl 01Feb1942; rank of Cpl confirmed 02Apr1942; awarded MM 20Apr1942; detached for duty to N.G.F. Composite Carriers Gp 18Aug1942 in New Guinea; to HQ 7 Aust Div 16Sep1942; to 21/25 Bde Carriers Gp 12Jan-14May1943; RTA 11May1943; to New Guinea 05Aug1943; to Qld 03Dec1943; Medical Board Finding which assessed him as Medically Unfit; receiving hospital treatment and moved to WA suffering 'Anxiety State' 07Feb1944; Disch.05May1944.



Group of Seven: 1939-45 Star; Africa Star; Pacific Star; Defence Medal 1939-45; War Medal 1939-45; Australia Service Medal 1939-45; Coronation Medal 1953. VX38159 T.S.Gregory on first six medals, last medal unnamed as issued. All named medals impressed. *Swing mounted, some contact marks, otherwise extremely fine.*

\$1,250

Coronation Medal: Confirmed award to Thomas Screen Gregory, CSIRO, Canberra.

Thomas Screen Gregory (D.V.Sc., Dip.BACT.), bacteriologist, age 37, born at Ballarat, Vic; Enl.17Jul1940 at Paddington, Sydney, NSW; TOS RRD 24Jul1940; to Sgt 25Jul1940; Emb.29Dec1940 to Middle East; to Lieut 28Oct1941; survived the sinking of the SS Chakdina which was being used as a medical evacuation ship from Tobruk when it was torpedoed in the Mediterranean; Appt Asst Pathologist 3 Aust Mob Bact Lab 01Jan1942; to AAMC and Appt'd OC of 2/3 Aust Mob Bact Lab 07May1943; Capt 21May1943; trf from AAMC (Miscell) to AAMC (Scientific) 30Jan1944; allotted for duty as Pathologist 31Mar1944; to Major 01May1944 whilst holding appointment of Pathologist LHQ Med Research Unit 01May1944; emplaned Cairns for Moresby 08Sep1945; LHQ Med Research Unit redesignated 12Oct1945; Disch.21Jan1946 as Major ex L.H.Q. Medical Research Unit; Died 03Apr1972 suddenly while on Easter holidays in Gippsland, Vic and was cremated at Springvale Botanical Cemetery.

After completing his secondary education at the Ballarat Agricultural High School, Thomas Screen 'Greg' Gregory completed a Veterinary Science degree at the University of Melbourne graduating with honours in 1923. After working as a vet, mainly with cattle, in Canterbury, New Zealand for a few years he returned to Australia and in 1926 commenced work in Melbourne as a research officer in the Council for Scientific and Industrial Research (CSIR) working mainly on contagious bovine diseases. In 1928 he was offered and accepted a position as senior lecturer in bacteriology at the University of Melbourne. After nine years he rejoined the CSIR doing research and also some lecturing. In July 1940 he joined the 2AIF working as a bacteriologist and also serving in Tobruk as well as Syria and research into Malaria in the Pacific.

After the war he continued his scientific work including writing a thesis titled, 'The Studies of Some Infectious Diseases of Sheep and Cattle in Australia'. Thomas Screen Gregory was a distinguished, critical veterinary scientist and member of the Australian Veterinary Association and in 1966 the Council of this Association awarded him the Gilruth Prize. His contribution to veterinary science is massive and he was in the forefront of the campaign on Foot and Mouth disease at all levels and no doubt his contribution has kept Australia free from this disease.

A portrait painting by Louis Kahan was entered in the 1966 Archibald Prize competition reaching a finalist position and this painting is now in possession of the Commonwealth Scientific and Industrial Research Organisation (CSIRO) at Parkville, Victoria (formerly CSIR that changed it's name in 1949 after ceasing all defence work for the military). Another sketch of him by Australia's first female official war artist, Nora Heysen, is held by the Australian War Memorial. Images of both of these artworks are included with the lot.

With copy of Service File and other comprehensive research.



2179*

Group of Six: Africa Star; Pacific Star; War Medal 1939-45; Australia Service Medal 1939-45; Korea Medal 1950-53; United Nations Korea Medal 1950-53. WX 14999 M.J.Rowe on first to fourth medals, 5/1819 M.J.Rowe on fifth and sixth. All medals impressed. *Very fine - extremely fine*.

\$1,000

Matthew John Rowe, miner, born 13Sep1920 at Boulder City, West Aust. WWII: Enl.09Jul1941 at Claremont, West Aust, served with 8 Aust M C GP; Disch.21Nov1945. Served in Korea 07Apr1952 to 24Mar1953 with 1st Battalion, RAR.

With copy of Service File.



Group of Nine to POW: 1939-45 Star; Africa Star; France and Germany Star; Defence Medal 1939-45; War Medal 1939-45; Australia Service Medal 1939-45; Army Long Service and Good Conduct Medal (EIIR) with Australia suspender; Commonwealth of Australia Meritorious Service Medal (EIIR); Greek War Medal 1940-41. The third medal unnamed, NX8726 H.Gray on first, second, fourth, fifth and sixth medals, 2/523 WO1 H Gray RAACC (sic, should be RAAOC). on seventh medal, 2523 WO1 H. Gray ARA on eighth medal and last medal unnamed as issued. The seventh and eighth medals engraved, all other named medals impressed. *Swing mounted, some cleaning compound on a few medals and contact marks, otherwise very fine.*

\$3,500

Note: Not entitled to France and Germany Star but added by Gray as he was a POW in Germany for four years.

Together with The "First" Post, Journal of the Association of First Infantry Battalions, Vol 16, No.2, March 1981 and Vol 16, No.4, October 1981; religious card issued for the repose of the soul of Eileen Teresa Gray who died 18th July 1980.

LS&GC: CAG No.10 20/2/1958, p562 to 2/523 WO1 Harry Gray RAAOC.

CAMSM: CAG No.84 26/10/1961, p3841 to 2523 WO1 Harry Gray RAAOC.

Served in RAN Reserve under name of Henry Gray official number S/2428 for a term of 3 years from 24Jan1935 and then rejoined 24Jan1938 until 11 Jun 1939 when he left to join military: Harry Gray, soldier in AMF, age 25. born Gladesville, Sydney, NSW; Enl.24Nov1939 at Ingleburn, Sydney, NSW in 2AIF; Emb.10Jan1940 as Sergeant with 2/2Bn for Middle East; to 2/1Bn in Middle East; to Greece 18Mar1941; to A/WO2 10May1941; reported MIA 09Jun1941 on Crete; later reported POW on Crete 01Jun1941; reported POW at Stalag VIIA 07Nov1941 and again 20Nov1941; reported POW at Oflag IIIC 16Nov1942; reported POW at Stalag 383 10Apr1943; arrived at UK as recovered POW ex West Europe 02May1945; RTA 30May1945; Disemb.07Jul1945 at Sydney, NSW; remained with Interim Army and then transferred to Aust Regular Army, RAAOC; with 1st Base Ordnance Depot at Gaythorne, Qld c1950s; to Lieut (Quartermaster) 13Jul1962; with 2 Base Ord Depot c1962 & again in 1965; 1st Composite Ind Coy c1963, HQ Northern NSW Area c1965, the HQ Singleton; to Temp Capt 21Jul1965; to Capt 13Feb1968; retired and granted rank of Major in Eastern Command 03Oct1969.

In The "First" Post Journal of the Association of First Infantry Battalions, Vol 16, No.4, October 1981 there was published a fitting tribute to Harry Gray. It reads, 'The Last Post, Vale Harry "Sailor" Gray, 'They shall grow not old, as we that are left grow old.'

On the night of Monday 19th October 1981, a man died at the Concord Repatriation Hospital, Sydney. This was no ordinary man - he was "Sailor" Gray, a life member, and, one of the most popular and respected men of the Association of First Battalions. At all times throughout his life "Sailor" was honourable, trustworthy, honest, noble, brave and a friend to all. Truly a man's man. 'Age shall not weary them, nor the years condemn.' "Sailor" was born at Gladesville, Sydney on the 3rd October 1914. He was educated at the Marist Brothers College, Hunters Hill. On completion of his schooling he joined the Naval Reserve, later joining the Army. He was with the North Head Battery when war was declared in 1939. He immediately offered his services to his Country and was posted to the original 2/1 Bn at Ingleburn with the rank of Sergeant. 'At the going down of the sun and in the morning.'

"Sailor" sailed with the first contingent of the 2nd A.I.F. aboard S.S.Orford on 10th January 1940. In Palestine and Egypt during that same year he was tireless in moulding and shaping the character and initiative of the Platoons of "B" Company, who later he would so gallantly lead in action. "Sailor" was in the forefront of the action in the battles of Bardia and Tobruk. When the Battalion was ordered to Greece and the long withdrawal took place, he helped his men to overcome all difficulties through his leadership and example. From Servia Pass, over Mt. Olympus and down to the evacuation beaches, "Sailor" showed his great understanding of men and human nature. During the battle of Crete he proved once again the bravery shown in all actions in which he participated, and was a bitterly disappointed man when the remnants of the 2/1 Bn were taken prisoner. He was a P.O.W. in Germany for 4 years.

On his return to Australia, "Sailor" opted to stay in the Army, for many years. He retired as a Major from 2 B.A.D. Singleton NSW after 30 odd years faithful service for his country. (The tribute then extends to his service to the association in the ensuing years up until his death. It can be read in the journal which is included with the lot.)

With copy of Service File and other research.

POW Captured at El Alamein



2181*

Group of Five to POW: 1939-45 Star; Africa Star; Defence Medal 1939-45; War Medal 1939-45; Australia Service Medal 1939-45. SX 2130 S.S.Martin on all medals. Impressed. *Mounted for display, very fine.*

\$700

Stanley Stephen Martin, labourer, age 21, born at Balaklava, Sth Aust; Enl.26Mar1940 at Adelaide, Sth Aust; Emb.24Jun1940 from Adelaide for the UK; WIA 04Aug1941 Tobruk during an attack on Germans holding Post S7; Operations North Africa from 30Jun1942; POW 17Jul1942 El Alamein during a battalion attack on the enemy at Trig 22 near Makh Khad Ridge; confirmed POW 29Oct1942; Interned Camp 51 PM3450 07Mar1943; transferred from Italy to Germany and interned Stalag 18A 07Mar1944; Disemb. Liverpool UK 06Feb1945; Disch in England 28Aug1945.

With copy of Service File and research.

2182

Group of Four: 1939-45 Star; Africa Star; War Medal 1939-45; Australia Service Medal 1939-45. First two medals unnamed as issued, VX17874 D.J.Baker on last two medals. Named medals impressed. *First two medals cleaned at some time, contact marks, otherwise fine.*

\$150

Donald James Baker, clerk, age 20, born at Preston, Vic; Enl.30May1940 at Caulfield, Vic in 2/4th Fld Regt of Arty, with previous service in 2Fld Arty Bde Militia; to L/Bombardier 07Jun1940; to Bombardier 06Sep1940; Emb.20Oct1940; Disemb.26Nov1940 and to ops in North Africa; to L/Sgt 09Dec1941; RTA 30Jan1942; Disemb.25Mar1942 at Adelaide, Sth Aust; sick with knee injury 08-30Sep1942; to Land HQs Melbourne 25Dec1942 with 'A' Branch Military Secretary's Office; Disch.29Oct1945.

With copy of Service File and other research.

See also Lots 2143 and 2165 to family members. Donald James Baker was the son of James Baker and the nephew of William Baker.



2183*

Group of Eight: 1939-45 Star; Pacific Star; War Medal 1939-45; Australia Service Medal 1939-45; General Service Medal 1918-62 (EIIR Tudor crown without Br.Omn), - clasp -Malaya; United Nations Korea Medal 1950-53; Long Service and Good Conduct Medal with Australia suspender (EIIR Tudor crown without Br.Omn); Commonwealth of Australia Meritorious Service Medal (EIIR Dei.Gratia). QX15994 H.A.Jackson on first four medals, 1217 H.A.Jackson on fifth and sixth medals, 1217 SSgt H.A.Jackson ARA on last two medals. The first six medals impressed, the last two engraved. *Swing mounted, some contact marks, otherwise very fine.* \$750

LS&GCM and CAMSM: both promulgated in CAG No.60 4/7/1968, p3687, to 1217 Staff Sgt Herbert Arthur Jackson, R. Aust. Infy. Corps.

(WWII): Herbert Arthur Jackson, born 16Dec1919 at Coolgarra, Qld; Enl.31Dec1941 at Cairns, Qld 1217 (QX15994); Disch.27Jun1946 as Private ex 2/119 Australian Brigade Workshop. (Korea): 1217 Staff Sergeant Herbert Arthur Jackson served with Australian Ancillary Unit Korea 07Sep-10Sep1951 and 1Bn, RAR 31Mar-09Nov1954. (Malaya): No details.



2184*

Group of Seven: 1939-45 Star; Pacific Star; War Medal 1939-45; Australia Service Medal 1939-45; UN Korea Medal 1950-53; BCOF (British Commonwealth Occupational Forces) Medal 1946-1952; Efficiency Medal (GVIR) with Australia suspender. QX44498 W.B.Lambert on first five medals, Specimen on sixth medal and QX44498 Sgt. Lambert. W.B. AIF. on last medal. The first five medals impressed, the last two engraved. A few ribbons with some damage, the last medal dark toned, otherwise very fine - extremely fine.

\$250

Australian Efficiency Medal: CAG Issue No.57 p2585, to Sergeant QX44498 William Burlington Lambert, 31 Infy Bn.

William Burlington Lambert, born 08Dec1908; (WWII) Enl.17Oct1941 QX44498 (Q32891) at Sellheim, Qld; Disch.28Aug1953 as Sergeant, ex 71 A/AS/L Ord W/S (Anti-Aircraft Searchlight Ordnance Work Shop).

2185

Group of Four: 1939-45 Star; Pacific Star; War Medal 1939-45; Australia Service Medal 1939-45. Q113038 G.H.Bell. All medals impressed. *Very fine - extremely fine*.

\$150

George Henry Bell, gardener, age 26, born at Rockhampton, Qld; Enl.16May1941 at Rockhampton, Qld in 11th Field Ambulance, CMF; served in New Guinea 30Jul1942-24Dec1943 and 14Aug1944-01Aug1945; Disch.26Mar1946.

2186

Group of Four: 1939-45 Star; Pacific Star; War Medal 1939-45; Australia Service Medal 1939-45. NX168813 D.J.Cox. All medals impressed. *Nearly uncirculated - uncirculated.* \$100

Together with Rising Sun oxidised bronze collar badges (2); Australia oxidised bronze metal shoulder titles (5, three curved, two straight); WWII Returned from Active Service badge, reverse numbered A302517; WWII felt colour patches (3), two for Aust Army Ordnance Corps, and the other for AEME; Australia cloth shoulder tabs (2); Australia cloth shoulder slides (2); riband for first two medals; riband for group of four medals; small lacquered silky oak timber hinged-lid storage box (approx L14mm x W11mm x D6.5mm); Certificate of Discharge No.452242.

Darrell John Cox NX168813 (N234081, served 22Apr1942 to 25Mar1943), born 29Mar1924 at Manly, Sydney, NSW; Enl.26Mar1943 at Leichhardt, Sydney, NSW; Disch.11Jul1946 as Craftsman ex 19AOD (AEME) [19 Advanced Ordnance Depot (Aust Electrical & Mechanical Engineers)].

POW Captured When Shot Down After a Bombing Raid at Dortmund



2187

Group of Five to POW: 1939-45 Star; France & Germany Star; Defence Medal 1939-45; War Medal 1939-45; Australia Service Medal 1939-45. 436224 N.H.Teede. All medals impressed. *Mounted for display, extremely fine.*

\$1,500

Together with a set of his father's WWI dog tags (3478 Teede D.V.) and a dog tag for his own service in the AMF with 29th Garrison Bn (W41625 Teede N.H.) and another for his RAAF service (436224 Teede N.H.).

W/O RAAF Neville Hamlin Teede, student teacher, age 18, born at Bunbury, WA; Enl.18Nov1942 at Perth, WA; Shot down over Germany when the Halifax he was a crew member in, after bombing Dortmund, took a direct hit and crew were forced to bale out, 08Mar1945. He was captured immediately and sent to a P.O.W. camp; rescued later by American forces; Promoted temp W/O 14Apr1945; RTA Jul1945 Disch.20Dec1945.

With extensive research including photocopy pages of Observer's, Air Gunner's and W/T Operator's Flying Log Book, photocopy extracts taken from 'Phoenix Book 2 The Reincarnation' by A.G.Batten, booklet of drawings, newspaper article, photographs, identity card, souvenir booklet of the visit of the American Naval Squadron to Australia (page torn); Official Programme of HMAS Australia Visit to Bunbury, August 26th to August 31st 1934.



2188*

Group of Four: Pacific Star; Defence Medal 1939-45; War Medal 1939-45; Australia Service Medal 1939-45. NX36702 E.H.Boucher. All medals impressed. *Display mounted, hairlines on last three medals, otherwise very fine - good very fine.*

\$350

Note: Did not qualify for 1939-45 Star.

Together with WWII Female Relative's badge with one star, by Angus & Coote, 1942, reverse numbered A102978; Lest We Forget badge in gilt, featuring Rising Sun badge on a boomerang, by K.G.Luke, Melb(ourne), stick-pin back; Certificate of Discharge No.389697.

Eric Harold Boucher, farm labourer, age 30, born at Wyalong, NSW (His attestation form states he was born at Wyalong but ancestry records state he was born at Hackney, London, UK); Enl.03Jul1940 at Wagga, NSW in 8RR Bn; TOS 2/14 Army Fld Coy 03Feb1941; Trf to 2/4 Pioneer Bn 10Feb1941; TOS 13 Infy Trg Bn 21Nov1941; Emb.14Feb1942 with Sparrow Force but convoy attacked by Japanese and returned to Darwin; Disemb.18Feb1942 at Darwin and then Darwin was bombed by the enemy; various postings until Emb.11Apr1945 for New Guinea; Emb.31May1945 from Morotai for Brit Nth Borneo; RTA 06Dec1945 from Labuan; Disch.07Jan1946 ex 2/4 Aust Pioneer Bn after serving 1,164 days in Aust and 255 days overseas.

With copy of Service File and other research.



DFC Group of Eight: Distinguished Flying Cross (GRI 1918) (GVIR); 1939-45 Star; France and Germany Star; Defence Medal 1939-45; War Medal 1939-45; Australia Service Medal 1939-45; Normandy Campaign Medal, - clasp - Normandy; Bomber Command Medal. 1945 on the lower arm of first medal, second, third and eighth medals unnamed, 423296 P.W.Tatham. on fourth, fifth and sixth medals, 6130 on seventh medal. The first medal engraved, all other named medals impressed. *Display mounted on a cardboard sheet with badges, extremely fine.*

\$9,000

Together with Path Finder Force badge in gilt, pin-back; Bombardier half wing badge in gold and silver thread for dress uniform; sweetheart badge being a red plastic heart fitted with a gilt King's crown and eagle, attached to a short chain with a pin-back bar attached; Flying Log Book of Royal Canadian Air Force, named to AUS423296 LAC Tatham P.W., qualified Air Bomber effective 20.8.43; RAAF Certificate of Service and Discharge (4 pages); RAAF Officer's Certificate of Service; Appointment document as an officer in the Citizen Air Force of the Commonwealth of Australia 20 August 1943; Citation document for DFC; Letter of congratulations from Air Vice Marshall H.N.Wrigley, Air Officer Commanding, RAAF HQs London on award of DFC; Path Finder Force award certificate; various other photos and documents relating to war service.

DFC: LG 20/2/1945, p1001; CAG 1/3/1945, p1001, to Flying Officer Peter William Tatham, No.90 Squadron (RAF).

Citation: Flying Officer Tatham has completed numerous operations against the enemy in the course of which he has invariably displayed the utmost fortitude, courage and devotion to duty.

Peter William Tatham, analytical chemist, age 18, born at Sydney, NSW; Enl.20Jun1942 in Citizen Air Force RAAF; Emb.06Mar1943 for Empire Training Scheme in Canada; awarded Air Bomber's badge 20Aug1943 and appointed Pilot Officer; Emb.13Sep1943 from Canada to UK; Appt'd Flying Officer 20Feb1944 and Flight Lieutenant 20Aug1945; served with RAF 90 and 156 Sqns; flew in Tiger Moth, Anson, Oxford, Blenheim IV, Wellington, Stirling and Lancaster aircraft; flew in a Sterling bomber in support of the D-Day landings with 3 Group of 90th Sqn dropping dummy paratroopers near Saint-Lo; 30Jun1944 daylight raid on Villers-Bocarge (Lancaster), 12Aug1944 night raid on Falaise (Lancaster), and later joined 8 Group of 156 Sqn (Pathfinder Sqn); Appt terminated 20Dec1945 with 637.40 hours flown in 55 missions.

Flight Lieutenant Tatham's twin brother Midshipman Lyster James Tatham RAN was killed in action at the age of 18 when H.M.S. Kandahar was damaged by a mine on 19 December 1941 north of Tripoli and subsequently scuttled. A total of 73 men were lost in the action.

Ex The J.J.Atkinson Collection, Noble Numismatics Sale 78 (lot 4026).

2190

Pair: War Medal 1939-45; Australia Service Medal 1939-45. 146210 V S Garland. Both medals impressed.; also British Commonwealth singles, includes 1939-45 Star; Burma Star; Italy Star. All unnamed. *A pair and three singles, the pair without ribbons and with contact marks, the last medal with remnants of sticky tape on reverse, otherwise very fine - extremely fine.*

\$150

Vincent Stanley Garland, born 03Nov1925 at Birregurra, Vic; Enl.29Dec1943 at Melbourne, Vic; Disch.14Mar1946 as Leading Aircraftman ex 9 Transport & Movements Office.

Ex Barry McGown Scott Collection.

2191

Family Group: Pair (Father): War Medal 1939-45; Australia Service Medal 1939-45. N444394 E.C.Neale. Both medals impressed.; Single (Son): Anniversary of National Service Medal 1951-1972, one piece construction type, with pinback suspender bar. 2778467 J.W.Neale. Pantographed. A pair and a single, extremely fine - uncirculated.

\$150

Together with medal box for the first two medals with official forms for issue of both medals; also miniature and ribbon for the last medal and an extra length of ribbon for the full size medal as well as case of issue and official government letter addressed to Mr J.W.Neale on the issue of the Anniversary Medal.

Ernest Charles Neale, born 22Apr1911 at Randwick, Sydney, NSW; Enl.02Feb1942 at Randwick, NSW; Disch.05Feb1946 as Craftsman ex 2/4 Base W/S (Workshop).

John Warwick Neale, born at the War Memorial Hospital in March 1939 to Mr & Mrs E.C.Neale.



2192*

BEM Group of Five: British Empire Medal (EIIR); United Nations Korea Medal 1950-53; Vietnam Medal 1964-73; Army Long Service and Good Conduct Medal (EIIR with Tudor crown), with Australia suspender; South Vietnam Campaign Medal, - clasp - 1960-. 1/921 T/Sgt R.Deed 3 Bn R.A.R on first medal, second medal unnamed, 1921 R.Deed on third and fifth medals, 1921 WOI R.Deed on fourth medal. The third medal is impressed, all other named medals engraved. *Court mounted with provision for two missing medals, edge nick on third medal, otherwise very fine.*

\$3,500

Ex Warwick G.Cary Collection.

Also entitled to Korea Medal 1950-53; Commonwealth of Australia Meritorious Service Medal; Mention in Despatches (Vietnam); and Republic of Vietnam Cross of Gallantry with Palm Unit Citation.

BEM: LG 5/6/1952, p3058; CAG 19/6/1952, p2832, to 1921 Sergeant Raymond Deed, 1RHU (1st Reinforcement Holding Unit).

Citation: Integrity & devotion in training reinforcements.

Recommendation: Sergeant Deed returned to Japan from Korea on 25 June 1951 after serving during the bitter winter campaigns. Quite frequently whilst in Korea this NCO commanded a platoon with distinction. On his return he elected to stay in Japan to train reinforcements for the battalion, although he was given the option of returning to his home in Australia. Sergeant Deed was aware of the urgent need for trained reinforcements.

This Unit has always been short of officers and Sergeant Deed has been entrusted with platoons on field firing exercises, bivouacs and such exercises. His integrity, devotion to duty and ability always of the highest, has on these occasions been proved by the fact that not one man of his platoon has ever suffered injury during training.

During the period of the October campaign, when Third Battalion, The Royal Australian Regiment was in desperate need of reinforcements, Sergeant Deed worked continuously without rest for five weeks and to his credit must be attributed much of the credit that it was possible to send enough well trained reinforcements forward to bring the battalion to full strength within a few weeks.

MID: LG 21/12/1971, p13968; CAG 16/12/1971, p7596, to 1921 Warrant Officer Class 1, AATTV.

LS&GCM: CAG No.94 2/11/1967, p5985, to 1921 WOII Raymond Deed BEM, RAInfy Corps.

MSM: CAG No.85 17/10/1968, p5898, to 1921 WOI Raymond Deed BEM, RAInfy Corps.

Raymond Deed, born 25Apr1927, at Kingaroy, Qld; Warrant Officer Class 1, RAInfy Corps; served in Korea as Sergeant with 3RAR 28Sep1950 to 16Jul1951; awarded British Empire Medal; served in Vietnam as Warrant Officer Class 1 with AATTV 25Jun1970 to 23Jun1971; awarded MID.



Group of Five: Vietnam Medal 1964-1973; Defence Force Service Medal; Rhodesia Medal 1979-80; Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, - clasp - 1960-; Zimbabwe Independence Medal 1980 in bronze. 44525 A.L.Johnson on first, third and fourth medals, 44525 Johnson A.L. on second medal and 07684 on last medal. The first medal impressed, the second medal pantographed, other medals engraved. *The first four medals swing mounted, all display mounted on a cardboard sheet, a few toned, otherwise extremely fine - uncirculated*.

\$5,000

Defence Force Service Medal: CAG No.S186, 23/5/1984 to 44525 WOII Alan Lawrence Johnson.

Alan Lawrence Johnson, Royal Australian Infantry Corps, born 04Nov1944 at Burnley, Vic; served in Vietnam as Lance Corporal with 5RAR 08Feb1969 to 05Mar1970; confirmed as a member of the Australian Contingent of 152 in the Rhodesia Commonwealth Ceasefire Monitoring Force Dec1979 - Mar1980.

The Commonwealth Ceasefire Monitoring Force was established to supervise the implementation of the Lancaster House Agreement between the government of Southern Rhodesia and the guerrilla forces of the Patriotic Front. The role of the multi-national force was to keep peace between 22,000 guerillas and the Rhodesian forces during the cease-fire run up to the elections and the independence achieved by the new Republic of Zimbabwe. The Australian contingent of 152 was spread throughout the force that consisted of a Headquarters and 3 Groups. Those involved were awarded the Rhodesia Medal and the Zimbabwe Independence Medal.

With research.



2194*

OBE Group of Five: Officer of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire (type 2) (OBE-Military); Reserve Force Decoration with clasp for additional five years service; Jubilee Medal (EIIR) 1977; Efficiency Decoration (EIIR) with Bar for second award, with Australia suspender; Cadet Forces Medal (EIIR Dei Gratia). First and third medals unnamed as issued, 410632 Stanley R.J. on second medal, 410632 Maj. R.J.Stanley on fourth medal, Capt (A/Maj.) R.J.Stanley on last medal. The second medal pantographed, the last two medals engraved. *Court mounted, most gilt worn off the obverse of the first medal, otherwise very fine - extremely fine.*

\$800

Entitled to a Member of the Order of Australia (AM), awarded 14 Jun 2004 in the Queen's Birthday Honours List, Citation: For service to the Reserve Forces, particularly through the Defence Reserve Support Council, and to science education as a teacher and author of chemistry textbooks for senior secondary students.

OBE: LG 1/1/1968, p36; CAG 18/1/1968, p353, to 410632 Lt-Col. Raymond John Stanley, RAAC, New Year Honours List.

Australian Efficiency Decoration: CAG No.14 11 February 1965, p646, to 410623 Maj. Raymond John Stanley, R.A. Armoured Corps.

Clasp to Australian Efficiency Decoration: CAG No.G24 15 June 1976, p22, to 410632 Col. Raymond John Stanley

Jubilee Medal 1977: Colonel Raymond John Stanley OBE, ED, St Peter's College, on Commonwealth List.

Cadet Forces Medal: CAG No.39 2 May 1963, p1546, to Capt. (Hon. Maj.) Raymond John Stanley, St Peter's College, Adelaide.

Colonel Raymond John Stanley AM, OBE, RFD, ED died on 25 April 2021 aged 92. He was the Commanding Officer of the South Australia Mounted Rifles 1965-1967 and Honorary Colonel of the regiment 1983-1988. Colonel Stanley was also the former Deputy Headmaster of St Peter's College, Adelaide, South Australia. He had been appointed Head of Chemistry in 1960 and over the ensuing years his roles included Officer Commanding Cadet Unit, Master-in-Charge of swimming, Head of Hawkes House and then Deputy Headmaster. He was given a tribute farewell by his family, friends and the St Peter's community at a special service at the college Memorial Hall on Saturday 8 May 1921.

With research.



Pair: Imperial Service Medal, (Tudor crown Dei Gratia), with pin-back ribbon bar; Silver Jubilee Medal 1977, on a pin-back ribbon bow. Annie Isabell Croll on first medal, second medal unnamed as issued. The named medal impressed. *Both in cases of issue, the first case with a few light foxing spots, medals toned and nearly uncirculated.*

\$350

ISM: LG 7/8/1978, p9500, to Annie Isabell Croll, stenographer, Public Curator Office, Queensland.

Also entitled to Silver Jubilee Medal 1977 - CAG No.P7, 1/8/1977, p41, to Miss Annie Isabell Croll, Enoggera, Queensland.

Annie Isabell Croll, born 1913; attended All Hallow's Convent School; in top ten typists (placed 8th) in State Public Service exams held 27 April 1929; won two essay prizes - Junior Second Prize - Peace Hath Her Victories No Less Than War - published in Brisbane Sunday Mail 3 February 1929, page 28, and Senior Second Prize - A Queensland Beauty Spot - published in Brisbane Sunday Mail 17 February 1929, page 28.

With copies of Gazette pages.

2196

Pair: Australian Active Service Medal 1945-1975, no clasp, with pin-back ribbon suspender bar; Australian Service Medal 1945-1975, no clasp, with pin-back ribbon suspender bar. 3400936 P.J.Walsh. Both medals pantographed. *Both in cases of issue, uncirculated.*

\$150

Pte Peter Joseph Walsh, born 20Jan1935 at Hawthorn, Vic; served with 3Bn RAR in Korea 29Jan1953 to 06Jan1954. (Also entitled to Korea Medal 1950-53, UN Korea Medal 1950-53 and US Presidential Unit Citation)

With basic research.



2197*

Pair: Australian Defence Medal, with pin-back ribbon suspender bar; Anniversary of National Service Medal 1951-1972, with pin-back ribbon suspender bar but pin section has come loose and needs gluing on to bar. A29743 D N Greenfield. Both medals pantographed. *Uncirculated*.

\$150

Together with matching miniature medals and the first with a riband bar, also cases of issue for both medals.





WWI Memorial Plaque, named to John Ferdinand Jolly, in original foldover cardboard pack of issue. *A few oxidation spots, otherwise toned uncirculated*.

\$200

6/2674 Pte John Ferdinand Jolly, shoemaker, born 29Jun1872; Emb.14Aug1915 from Wellington, NZ with 6Rfts Canterbury Regt, NZEF; Infected with serious disease of paratyphoid on active service at Gallipoli; RTNZ 11Feb1916; Disch.19Aug1916 Medically Unfit; Died of sickness 20Jun1918 at Westport, NZ as a result of war service and Memorial Plaque issued to his wife.



2199*

France, Legion of Honour 5th Class (Chevalier). Nearly uncirculated.

With unofficial padded case.

\$100



2200*

Nepal, Surendra Vikrama, Silver Campaign Medal, VS 1912 (1855), awarded to the soldiers of 'Sher Paltan' (Lion Battalion) of the Nepalese army during the 3rd Nepal-Tibet War of 1855-1857 AD, dated VS1912, during the reign of King Surendra Vir Vikram Sah Deo, obv. sword and sacrificial flower garland in centre; Nepalese legend Si 1912 Sal Ma Gorkha Sarkar Watbho Tanka, rev, shield in centre; Nepalese legend Shri 3 Maharaja Jang Bahadur Sher Paltam. (KM.-, CM1). With mount for wearing, very fine with plain edge.

\$100

Ex Mark E. Freehill Collection.

A scarce and unusual piece, mounted for wear.



Turkey, Ottoman Empire, Imtiyaz Medal (AKA Nishani-Imyiaz Medal) (Loyalty and Bravery Medal) in silver, instituted AH1300 (1882), reverse inscribed in Turkish to recipient and dated AH1316 (1898). *Heavily toned, a few very small edge nicks, otherwise extremely fine.*

\$350

Ex Dr W.J.D.Mira Collection.



2202*

USA, Group of Fourteen: Distinguished Service Medal (1960s issue); Legion of Merit, Legionnaire; Bronze Star with V device and Oak Leaf Cluster; American Defense Service Medal with one Bronze Star (pin-back brooch missing pin); American Campaign Medal (early issue); Asiatic-Pacific Campaign Medal with one Battle Star (early issue); European-African-Middle Eastern Campaign Medal with two Battle Stars (early issue); World War II Victory Medal (early issue); Army of Occupation Medal (later issue); National Defense Service Medal (later issue); Korean Service Medal (early issue); South Korea Order of Military Merit 2nd Class (Ulchi, 1951 Series breast badge, impressed 711); Thailand Order of the White Elephant 3rd Class (Commander's neck badge, early manufacture with enamel on both sides); United Nations Korea Medal (English, early issue). Unnamed as issued and unmounted. Extremely fine.

\$5,000

Together with the following items.

- 1. General Staff Badge in enamel and hallmarked by N.S.Meyer, Inc.
- 2. Combat Infantry Badge, marked Sterling Silver.
- 3. Parachutist Badge, marked Sterling 12C.
- 4. Major General insignia, marked Sterling.

5. Original Legion of Merit, Legionnaire award certificate, General Orders, and Citation.

- 6. Original Commission as Brigadier General.
- 7. Original Commission as Colonel.
- 8. Original Commission as Lieutenant Colonel.

9. Original Certificate of Appreciation from the Offices of the Commander in Chief and Chief of Staff, Far East and United Nations Commands (with 44 original signatures, including General Maxwell D.Taylor).

10. Original Armed Forces Staff College Certificate.

11. Original National War College Diploma.

12. Black lacquered inlaid mother-of-pearl shield withengraved plaque, 'Presented To/Brig. Gen. Henry K. Benson, Jr./G-4, Eighth United States Army/23 March 1963/By/(signature)/Kim Sung Eun/Minister Of NationalDefense/Korea', in a fitted case.

13. Black lacquered inlaid mother-of-pearl desk plaque including United States and South Korean flags in mother-of-pearl with engraved brass plaque, 'March 31, 1963/To: Henry K. Benson, Jr/From: Park Kyung Won/Lt. Gen/Minister'.

14. Black lacquered wall plaque with KMAG (Korean Military Advisory Group) distinctive insignia and engraved brass plaque, 'Brig Gen Benson Jr./Chief Of Staff'.

15. Three silver goblets with Army distinctive insignia, engraved to Benson (2, one for 8th Army, the other for 7th Infantry Division Logistic Command) and his wife as 'Den Mother' (1, for 7th Infantry Division Logistic Command).

16. Case for South Korea Order of Military Merit, 2nd Class (Ulchi, Breast Badge).

17. West Point Biography.

18. 45 original photos (most 8x10 b&w).

(total weight of all items including documentation, all stored in two boxes, approximately 6.5kg)

Bronze Star Citation: General Orders #13, HQ 89th Infantry Division, April 9, 1945. 'For gallantry in action as Battalion Commander, 354th Infantry, 89th Infantry Division, in military operations against an enemy of the United States. On 26th March, 1945, Lieutenant-Colonel Benson, in the vicinity of Weyer, Germany, led his battalion in a difficult and successful crossing of the Rhine River, in the face of severe enemy resistance, and a swift and treacherous current. At a critical time, when initial attempts to cross were repulsed with heavy losses, Lieutenant-Colonel Benson displayed such determination, resourcefulness, and coolness under fire, that the eventual crossing was assured.'

Henry Kreitzer Benson, Jr (Hank), was born in Seattle, Washington, USA on Christmas Day, 25 December 1912. His father was Dr Henry K.Benson, the dean of Chemical Engineering at the University of Washington and Benson Hall there is named in his honour. After trying a few different jobs, Hank went to George Washington University for a year and then received a congressional appointment to West Point where he graduated in 1936 and was assigned to the 1st Infantry Regiment at Fort Warren, Wyoming. While there he married Barbara Jacobson, also from Seattle, on 2 April 1938.

In 1939 he attended the regular course at the Infantry School at Fort Benning, Georgia and was assigned to 15th Infantry, 3rd Division at Camp Ord, California. Then in 1940 he was transferred for duty with the Military Police Company at Fort Shafter, Hawaii and was in Honolulu when the Japanese attacked Pearl Harbour. He was appointed Assistant Provost Marshall until 1942 when he returned to the mainland as G-3 of the Infantry Replacement Training Centre at Camp Roberts, California. He attended the Command and General Staff School at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas and was then assigned to the 89th Division as a battalion commander in the 354th Infantry. In 1945 he went with the division to Europe and took part in the campaigns in Rhineland and central Germany as battalion commander. He led his battalion in the Rhine River crossing under heavy fire and was awarded the Bronze Star, one of only 135 to the Division. The 89th Division also liberated Ohrdruf, a sub-camp of Buchenwald Concentration Camp. He served with the 83rd and 42nd Divisions and was then appointed provost marshal in Salzburg, Austria.

Hank returned to America for a three year term as assistant professor of military science and tactics at Michigan State University in East Lansing. He then took on various other roles including as G-1 of the 11th Airborne at Fort Campbell, Kentucky, attendance at the Armed Forces Staff College in Norfolk, Virginia, and after graduation served with the Department of Army General Staff as plans officer and the office of the Army Chief of Staff, until late in the Korean War when he was assigned to Headquarters, Far East Command in Tokyo, Japan where he served as aide to the commanderin-chief and secretary of the Joint Staff. After his return to America he had various appointments until 1961 when he was transferred to South Korea as Chief of Staff, U.S. Army Advisory Group, and then commanding general of the 7th Logistical Command at Taegu (now spelt Daegu), the third largest city in South Korea, before returning to America in 1963. His only Vietnam connected service was as commander of a Special Logistics Planning Group established by the Army to deal with plans related to Southeast Asia in 1964.

Hank retired from active duty in August 1967 to settle in Lakewood, Washington where he was close to the military community at Fort Lewis and where he also worked as a consultant for several years to the Boeing Company. 'Hank' Henry Kreitzer Benson, Jr, died on 7 January 1978 at Tacoma, Washington and was buried in the Benson Family plot in Acacia Memorial Cemetery, Seattle, Washington. His wife died many years later on 28 December 1991 and was buried at the same place.



2203*

USA, Group of Nine: Air Medal with two oak leaf clusters; Army Good Conduct Medal; American Campaign Medal; Asiatic-Pacific Campaign Medal; World War II Victory Medal; Korean Service Medal with three bronze battle stars; National Defense Medal; Armed Forces Reserve Medal (Naval); United Nations Korea Medal. *Extremely fine and a vastly documented and comprehensive collection.*

\$700

Ex Noble Numismatics Sale 107 (lot 4123).

Together with Presidential Unit Citation: USAAF Navigator silver wings badge; miniature of the same badge; a pair of dog tags on a chain; rank insignia for First Lieutenant full size and miniature, Captain full size (2), and Major full size (2), miniature AAF collar badge; patch for AAF Cadet; AAF patch; US Army Pacific (USARPAC) patch; ribands for seven of the above nine medals; Army Aviation Cadet EAB t-shirt; massive number of documents, many wartime restricted items; a large number of b&w photographs, personal and wartime issues; small coloured poster and certificate; book titled, 'Zero Zero, A.A.F.N.S. Selman Field, Monroe, L.A., 44-2' (Army Air Forces Navigation School, Class of Forty-Four-2), features photo of D.Ingraham; timber and colour desk nameplate stand for Lt. Duncan G. Ingraham, Military Air Transport Service U.S.Air Force; several wartime letters written by D.Ingraham; a variety of military and education certificates; University High School, The Spade, books for June 1940 and another for June 1941; woven letter U for sewing on jacket; also another smaller version but with M at bottom; Boy Scout badge and membership card for Duncan Ingraham, dated 1937.

Air Medal: Second Lieutenant Duncan G.Ingraham (0709385), Air Corps, United States Army.

Citation: For Meritorious achievement while participating in sustained operational flight missions in the South-west Pacific Area from 4 November 1944 to 3 January 1945, during which hostile contact was probable and expected. These operations consisted of bombing missions against enemy airdromes and installations and attacks on enemy naval vessels and shipping. The courage and devotion to duty displayed by Lieutenant Ingraham during these flights are worthy of commendation.

Oak Leaf Clusters: (1st) 31Jan1945; (2nd) 3Sep1945.

Presidential Unit Citation (Navy): 7Aug to 9Dec1942.

Major Duncan Greenleaf Ingraham, official number O-709385, born 30Apr1924, served as a navigator in the SW Pacific in the 5th Bombardment Group (Heavy) during WWII and also served in the Korean War. Periods of service 22Oct1942 to 05Mar1971 includes active service WWII: 22Oct1942 to 14Nov1945, and Korea: 27Jul1951 to 26Sep1953. Military education: AFNS Navigation Training (1944 & 1951); AFNS Navigation Refresher (1945); Advanced Navigation School, Selman Field, LA.

Together with various service records including details of postings from 22Oct1942 to 30Jun1969.

2204

World medals, Belgium, Croix de Guerre (2) one with bronze palm; France, Louis Napoleon, Valeur Discipline Medal; Croix de Guerre 1914-1915 with two bronze palms, another, 1914-18 with star; Germany, WWI, Iron Cross 2nd Class. Second medal missing some enamel, good - very fine. (6) \$250

Ex. W (Bill) Woolmore Collection.

2205

World medals, includes Germany, Hesse-Darmstadt, Grand Duke Ernst Ludwig General Honour Decoration 'For Bravery' 1894-1918; Prussia, Einigkeit Macht Stark (Unity is Strength) medal 2 August 1914; Prussia, gilt bronze medal of the House Order of Hohenzollern (ribbon damaged); Romania, WWII Eastern Front Medal for the Crusade Against Communism 1941; USA, Vietnam Service Medal; also non-military issues for Germany, Association of Former Twenty-Eighters, Siegburg 1910 medal (ribbon damaged); and Mother's Day badge 1935, crafted in timber (36mm), uniface and pin-back (poor condition). *Poor - very fine.* (7)

2206

World medals, includes Philippines Liberation Medal with riband in unofficial case; USA Bronze Star with riband and also enamel lapel bar, in case, this in poor condition. *Good very fine - extremely fine*. (2)

\$100

Ex Barry McGown Scott Collection.



2207*

Yugoslavia, Order of Military Merits with golden swords, second class; Order of Brotherhood and Unity with silver wreath, second class. *Two orders, extremely fine.*

\$300

MINIATURES

2208

Collection of miniature medals, , includes group of five: Queen's South Africa Medal, Africa General Service Medal, WWI trio with MID; WWI trio with 1914-15 Star stamped on reverse, 'Flavelles/Brisbane', and Victory Medal with Civilization spelt with Z; WWII group of four, a group of five, a group of six, and an Air Force group of six with eagle emblem; Defence Medal 1939-45; The Arctic Star; Australian Service Medal 1945-1975 (3), one with FESR clasp; Australian Defence Medal (2); Anniversary of National Service 1951-1972; also full-size medal clasps (5 different), a miniature clasp, the numeral 8 (3), silver rosette (2). All groups except one are swing mounted and one has the mounting pin missing, some ribbons on the first group are damaged and on the last group the ribbons have faded, overall nearly very fine - uncirculated. (6 groups+19 single ite (2)

\$130