

WARWICK G. CARY COLLECTION

BRITISH SINGLES



4674*
Distinguished Conduct Medal, (GVR type 1). Naming mostly removed. *No ribbon, some contact marks, otherwise good fine.*

\$300

4675
Singles: India General Service Medal 1908-35, (GVR Kaisar-i-Hind), - clasp - Waziristan 1921-24. 16622 Dvr. Feroze Khan, 109 P. bty. Impressed.; Delhi Durbar Medal 1903 in silver. Unnamed. *Two single medals, both medals with contact marks, the second with heavy marks, otherwise fine - very fine.*

\$150



lot 4676

4676*

General Service Medal 1918-62, (GVIR Fid:Def), - two clasps - Malaya, Cyprus. 553578 Cpl. E.Parry. R.A.F. Engraved. *Nicely toned, very fine.*

\$150

4677

Singles: General Service Medal 1918-62, (EIIR Br:Omn), - clasp - Malaya. S/Sgt. N.Hussin B N. Yussof. Malaya H.G.; General Service Medal 1918-62, (EIIR Dei Gratia), - clasp - Malaya. PK351524 HG. Tazan B.Arulandu Malaya HG. Both medals impressed. *Two single medals, no ribbons, the first heavily toned and with surface marks, otherwise very fine - good very fine.*

\$100

4678

General Service Medal 1918-62, (EIIR), - clasp - Malaya. 4156062 S.A.C J.F.L.Benson. R.A.F. Engraved. *Hairlines, otherwise very fine.*

\$100



4679*

Air Crew Europe Star. Unnamed. *Extremely fine.*

\$250

4680

Singles: Army Long Service and Good Conduct Medal (VRI small reverse lettering). 1851. Pte D.Hunt, A.S.Corps. Engraved.; another (GVR type 1). 7463 B.Q.M. Sjt: F.W.Ward. R.F.A. Impressed.; Indian Army Long Service and Good Conduct Medal (EVIIR). 221 Sowar Raj Singh 42d Deoh ???. Engraved in script. *Three single medals, the first with brooch bar removed from reverse of medal, the last with a rim cut and scratches at end of naming, otherwise all toned very fine.*

\$170

4681

Singles: Coronation Medal 1902, in silver. Unnamed as issued.; Coronation Medal 1911. Unnamed as issued. *Two single medals, fine - very fine.*

\$90

4682

Singles: Coronation Medal 1902, in silver. Unnamed as issued.; Coronation Medal 1911. Unnamed as issued. *Two single medals, no ribbons, toned very fine - good very fine.* \$90

4683

Singles: Coronation Medal 1902, in bronze. Unnamed as issued.; Coronation Medal 1911. Unnamed as issued. *Two single medals, Very fine.* \$70



4684*

Silver Jubilee Medal 1977. Unnamed as issued.; also miniature of The Queen's Golden Jubilee Medal 1952-2002, in Royal Mint box for full-size medal and this box printed on the base, 532270 Maj A M Smith. *The first also in Royal Mint box of issue, both toned extremely fine - uncirculated.* (2)

\$200

On 31 August 2010 The London Gazette Supplement No.1, page 16756 recorded under The Parachute Regiment, Regular Army, Regular Commissions that Lieutenant Colonel A.M.Smith 532270 retires on retired pay 30 August 2010 and is appointed to Reserve of Officers. His service with the Paras goes back to at least 1993 when he was promoted from Lieutenant to Captain.

AUSTRALIAN SINGLES

4685

British War Medal 1914-18. Maj. G.H.L.Harris A.I.F. Impressed. *No ribbon, toned good fine.*

\$150

Awarded Military Cross (LG 11/1/1916); and MID three times (LG 5/11/1915, LG 20/1/1916, LG 5/3/1919). Also entitled to 1914-15 Star and Victory Medal 1914-19.

Geoffrey Hamlyn Lavicount Harris, grazier, age 32, born at Tumut Plains, NSW and educated at Kings College, Goulburn; Enl.27Aug1914, with previous service in 1 Aust Horse in South Africa as a private and 6 months in 1 Commonwealth Horse as an officer and now serving with 21 Light Horse as 2nd Lieutenant; Emb.20Oct1914; To Lieut 01Feb1915; WIA 07Aug1915 GSW shoulder, Gallipoli; to T/Capt 14Nov1915; to Capt 13Apr1916; WIA 04Aug1916 GSW hand, Romani; to Major 11Jul1917; RTA 13Mar1919; Appt terminated 23Jun1919; Died 24May1964 at Manly Vale, Sydney, NSW.

4686

Victory Medal 1914-19. 50849 Pte. W.H.Connell 35 Bn. A.I.F.; also WWI Memorial Plaque named to William Henry Connell, in fold-over holder of issue. *Single and a plaque, good very fine.*

\$200

William Henry Connell, labourer, age 30, born at Forbes, NSW; Enl.18Feb1918 at Sydney, NSW; Emb.08May1918; admitted to ship's isolation hospital with VD 12May-10Jun1918; TOS 35Bn 26Jul1918; to France 24Oct1918; returned to UK 25Apr1919; Died of pneumonia 06Jun1919; buried with full military honours at Tidworth Military Cemetery 10Jun1919.



4687*

Anzac Commemorative Medallion 1915, issued in 1967, in bronze (50x75mm) (C.1915/3), named to J.Stoker. *Uncirculated.*

\$200

580 John Stoker, painter, age 28, born at Llangollen, Wales; Enl.27Aug1914 at Kensington, Sydney, NSW; Emb.20Oct1914 with 3 Aust Infy Bn; WIA at Gallipoli; RTA 08Oct1915; Disch.17Jul1916 as Medically Unfit due to rheumatism.

Re-Enl.18Jan1917 at Show Ground Camp, Sydney, NSW; charged with desertion from Hawksbury River Bridge Guard 02May1917; Disch.21Jun1917 Services no longer required.

John Stoker's widow applied for the above medallion.



4688*

Air Crew Europe Star. 414844 J.L.Sayers. Impressed. *No ribbon, good very fine.*

\$300

Awarded DFC: LG 14/11/1944, p5208; CAG 23/11/1944, p2609, with 467 Sqn, for skill and fortitude in operations against the enemy.

Awarded Bar to DFC: LG 4/12/1945, p5898; CAG 20/12/1945, p2715, with 467 Sqn, for attacks on battleships 'Tirpitz' and 'Lutzow'.

John Lyall Sayers, born 21Feb1921 at Brisbane, Qld; Enl.09Nov1941 at Brisbane, Qld; Disch.24May1946 as Flt Lieutenant ex RAF Gamston.

Flt Lt Sayers took part in two attacks against the German battleship 'Tirpitz' including the successful one in November 1944 when she was sunk. He also attacked the battleship 'Lutzow' in April 1945 when that ship was severely damaged. During this attack his aircraft was hit repeatedly by enemy anti-aircraft fire but undeterred he continued his bombing run, which typified his courage and fine fighting spirit.

4689

Singles: War Medal 1939-45. N226042 J.A.C. Williams. Impressed; another. VX20130 W.R.Gale. Impressed. *Two single medals, the first with spotty toning and the second without ribbon, otherwise very fine - extremely fine.*

\$80

John Airland Clark Williams, born 15Nov1908 at Sydney, NSW; Enl.04Feb1942 at Randwick, Sydney, NSW; Disch.08Feb1946 as Private ex 12 Oceanic Bty RA.

Walter Raymond Gale, born 21Jun1919 at Camperdown, Vic; Enl.28Mar1940 at Albury, NSW; Disch.15Dec1944 as Lance Corporal ex FAA Postal Unit.

4690

War Medal 1939-45. S.W.S.Robertson. Impressed. *No suspender, marks on rim and contact marks on obverse, otherwise good very fine.*

\$50

Awarded DSC LG 24/7/1945, CAG 9/8/1945 to Lt-Cdr S.W.S. Robertson HMA HDML (Harbour Defence Motor Launch) 1704 for courage, determination and great devotion to duty.

Stanley William Scott Robertson, born 08Feb1902 at Sale, Vic; appt'd Cadet in PNF 31Dec1915 with Home Port at Melbourne, Vic; to Midshipman in PNF 01Jan1920; to A/Sub-Lt 01May1922; to Sub-Lt 15Jan1923 and on loan to RN; to Lieut 15Jan1925; on loan to RN 11Apr1929; to Lt-Cdr 15Jan1933; served on various ships during WWII; to Retired List 08Feb1962.



4691*

BCOF Medal 1946-1952. B.B.Bonfield. Impressed. *Swing mounted, hairlines, otherwise good very fine.*

\$200

Awarded AM (Member of General Division of Order of Australia): to Miss Beryl Beatrice Bonfield, The Sutherland Hospital, Caringbah, NSW, for services to the nursing profession and to the community.

Beryl Beatrice Bonfield, born 25May1913 at Sydney, NSW; Enl.24Nov1941 at Sydney, NSW; Disch.18Jul1947 as Lieutenant ex Aust Army Nursing Service (2/7 Aust General Hospital).

4692

BCOF Medal 1946-1952. J.N.Stevens. Impressed. *Some spotty toning and hairlines, otherwise good very fine.*

\$100

Entitled to 1939-45 Star; Africa Star; Pacific Star; Defence Medal 1939-45; War Medal 1939-45; Australia Service Medal 1939-45.

NX70068 Joseph Neil Stevens, labourer, born 27Jul1917 at Henty, NSW; Enl.13Mar1941 at Recruiting Depot Eastern Command, NSW, with previous service of one year with 56Bn and two years with 21LHR; Disch.12Mar1947 as Lance Sergeant ex 6 Div Amm Sub Pk; served in Middle East 09Apr1941 to 22Apr1942, New Guinea 15Sep1942 to 22Apr1944, and Morotai and Japan 10Apr1945 to 08Feb1947; Disch.12Mar1947; after his war service Joseph Stevens joined the NSW Police Force and when the Queen Visited NSW during the Royal Visit Tour in 1954 he was one of those chosen for escort duties on her arrival.

4693

Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, - clasp - 1960-. 3796197 R.H.Carroll. another but without the clasp. 67079 F.G.Baker. Both medals engraved. *Two single medals, the first display mounted alongside a Vietnam Medal ribbon, the other with short ribbon, otherwise very fine. (2)*

\$120

Ronald Howard Carroll, born 22Jul1948 at Regent, Vic; National Service as L/Cpl in RAAMC; served in Vietnam with 1st Aust Field Hospital 25Mar1970 to 25Mar1971.

Frederick George Baker, born 25Jan1949 at Launceston, Tas; served as a Pte in R Aust Infy Corps; served in Vietnam with 1 Aust Reinforcement Unit 09Jul to 06Aug1970; 8 RAR 07Aug to 03Oct1970; 2RAR 04Oct1970 to 01Jun1971.

4694

Commonwealth of Australia Meritorious Service Medal, (EIIR Dei.Gratia). 423 B.A.Moylan. Impressed.; War Medal 1939-45. 501194. E.C.S.Haling. Impressed. *Two single medals, the first medal without a ribbon and with heavy cuts on obverse and reverse, otherwise very fine, the second medal with toning spots, otherwise extremely fine.*

\$100

MSM: CAG No.3 15/1/1970, p372 to 423 Maj. Bertie Alexander Moylan, R.Aust Infy Corps.

Bertie Alexander Moylan, asst blacksmith, age 19, born at Normanby, Vic served in WWI (No. 524) and was wounded twice; he also served in WWII (No. 423 [SX2649]) as Captian with 2/27 Infy Bn and was captured in Greece 28Apr1941 and made a POW; he discharged as a Major.

Elsie Caroline Sivyer Haling, born 26Jun1912; trained as a nurse at Prince Henry Hospital, Sydney, NSW; Enl.23Feb1942; Emb.06Oct1942 as Escort Sister on Draft travelling to USA and Canada; RTA 15Nov1942 from Canada; Disch.23Oct1945 as Nursing Sister ex 1 RAAF Hospital. Also entitled to Australia Service Medal 1939-45.



4695

Army Commendation, in bronze together with miniature, in box of issue; also replica Army Commendation, in bronze. *Uncirculated.* (3)

\$50

4697*

Permanent Forces of the Empire Beyond the Seas Long Service and Good Conduct Medal, (GVR). No.172. W.O. Class II T.J.Whitford. 2nd M.D. Engraved. *Display mounted, ribbon marked, otherwise good very fine.*

\$500



4696*

Efficiency Medal with Australia scroll, (EIIR Fid.Def.). 137156 H.W.Evans. Engraved. *Uncirculated.*

\$200

137156 Staff Sgt Harold (Harry) William Evans, Relief Manager for Tourist and Hospitality Industry, born 05Feb1943, educated at New Farm State School, Brisbane, Qld; Enl.14May1962 in CMF in Queensland joining 1 CSD TAASC; trf to 1 Sup Dep RAASC 30Sep1965; to Cpl 1967; to Sgt 1969; to SSgt 1970; to WOII 1972; trf to 35 Fd Sqn RAE Apr1973; trf to 1 BVD RAAOC 23Nov1973; Disch.Sep1974 from CMF; Re-Enl. Aug1982 in 1 Ord Svc Unit as Pte; to Cpl Oct1982; to Sgt Apr1983; trf to 1 Ord Pl Apr1984; to SSgt Sep1987; trf to 101 Fd Sup Coy (Div Tps) 1988; trf to 101 Fd Sup Coy 30Jun1989; trf to Inactive List Apr1990. Awarded Reserve Force Medal and Efficiency Medal.

AUSTRALIAN GROUPS

4698

Pair: British War Medal 1914-18; Victory Medal 1914-19. Lieut. E.W.Cornish A.I.F. Both medals impressed although there appears to be some adjustments to both medals at the rank area, possibly to fix an error by the medal naming section. *No ribbons, very fine.*

\$100

The only officer with the initials E.W. was Edward Warhurst Cornish but he was promoted to the rank of Captain, and decorated with a Military Cross and Bar. He was also entitled to a 1914-15 Star.

4699

Pair: British War Medal 1914-18; Victory Medal 1914-19. 3372 Pte. G.Ford. 5-Pnr. Bn. A.I.F. Both medals impressed. *Spotty toning on first medal, otherwise very fine.*

\$100

George Ford, farmer, age 27, born at Bermondsey, London, England; Enl.06Nov1916 at Bunbury, WA; Emb.23Dec1916; to France 14Jun1917; TOS 5 Pnr Bn 01Jul1917; RTA 21Jun1919; Disch.10Sep1919.

Taken POW in Greece - Escaped Twice and Awarded DCM - KIA with M Special Unit in New Guinea



4700*

DCM Group of Seven to POW Escapee later KIA: Distinguished Conduct Medal (GVIR Indiae Imp); 1939-45 Star; Africa Star; Pacific Star; Defence Medal 1939-45; War Medal 1939-45; Australia Service Medal 1939-45. NX18434 Sgt. F.A.Barrett A.I.F. on first medal, second and fourth medals unnamed, NX34972 A.S.Crane (substitute medal) on third medal, NX18434 F.A.Barrett on last three medals. All named medals impressed. *The first medal with surface marks and tape residue on reverse, the second, third and last three medals without ribbons, otherwise very fine - good very fine.*

\$10,000

DCM: LG 9/9/1942, p3949 to WOII Francis Alfred Barrett, 2/1 Aust Infy Bn. The DCM presented to his next-of-kin, his father, by the Governor-General at Admiralty House, Sydney on 23 July 1945.

Recommendation: (Note: This recommendation was marked 'Most Secret' - No details of this citation may be communicated to the press or given any publicity whatever. Do not furnish to the next of kin as is usually done.)

W.O.II Barrett was taken prisoner at Navplion on 28.4.41, and marched to a PW camp nearby, where they stayed eight days. Conditions were appalling. PW were practically without food, and any sort of shelter or blankets. On 6.5.41 he was moved to Corinth PW Camp where he remained roughly six weeks. Conditions were little better and German discipline was very severe. They were hit with belts or rifle butts at the slightest provocation. On 26 Jun, W.O.II Barrett was moved to Salonika by train, though they had to walk 25 miles between Levadia and Lamia, where there was a break in the line. They remained at Salonika PW Camp till 9 Jul. Here conditions were the worst they had struck. On 9 July he was taken by train to Germany with two thousand other Australians. After three days they arrived at a town in Austria. There was no station and it was dark when they arrived, so W.O.II Barrett did not know the name of the town.

They changed trains here, and in the process, W.O.II Barrett jumped into the brake van of a slow-moving train going in the opposite direction. After being in this train for 25 hours he arrived at Belgrade. At 2100 hrs the train pulled up in the Southern suburbs of Belgrade. He got out, made for a small cluster of houses, knocked at a door and was received with open arms. He spent four days with these people, was given food and civilian clothes, then they took him to another family where they could speak English. He spent fifteen days with these people and was able to wander freely over Belgrade with them, noting conditions and the results of German occupation. He was also preparing his escape, and was eventually taken to the railway marshalling yards, where he got into a truck under a tarpaulin and so returned to Greece.

He left the train at Polycastra, there contacted Greeks who took him to Microvasas, where he spent fourteen days. Here he met Pte J.Reid (who has also been recommended for recognition) and an Australian. They wandered about the Macrovasas district together, dressed as Greek civilians, till about 26 Aug, when they made their way to Salonika, escorted by a Greek who had the address of a Cypriot woman who was going to put them on a British submarine. The day previous to their arrival in Salonika this woman was captured by the Germans and the plan fell through.

They then started to walk to the Turkish border and managed to cross Greece to Alexandroupolis. They met Bulgarian troops on the way. They were young - 19 or 20. At Alexandroupolis they tried to cross into Turkey, but found too many Bulgarians garrisoned in the town, so took a train to Kavalia. They then tried to get a boat across to Turkey, but were unsuccessful, and returned to Athos Peninsula. On the way, they passed through the town of Stavros, where, civilians told them there were 800 Germans. There was another battalion at Langadas. They walked down the Athos Peninsula as far as Lavra. The Greeks were very good to them and they had no difficulty in obtaining food. They met four other Australians, and after obtaining a small boat, sailed for Turkey. The wind veered, however, and they arrived back three miles South of Lavra. Here they met a Greek policeman who offered them a passage to Turkey for £5 sterling.

They reached Imbros on 12 Sep, from whence the Turkish Authorities took them to Canakkale, where the British Consul took charge of them. This N.C.O., not only escaped twice, but the second time did an extraordinary fine performance. He endured great hardships - first in PW Camps, subsequently on his wanderings - but remained undaunted, even when plans fell through and he was faced with another long journey to find a way to British territory. He collected stray escapers on his way and showed great courage in guiding them through districts known to be full of Germans. He brought back interesting information about enemy activities.

Francis Alfred Barrett, clerk, born 03Sep1911 at Erskineville, Sydney, NSW; Enl.05Dec1929 in Aust Militia; Disch.30Dec1933 from Militia; Enl.29May1940 at Paddington, Sydney, NSW; served with 2/1 Aust Pioneer Bn; Emb.30Sep1940; served in Middle East 02Nov1940 to 07Aug1942 and in New Guinea from 26Nov1942 with following units - 2/1 Aust Pioneer Bn, 2/1 Aust Infy Bn (appt'd Lieut 03Feb1943), Allied Intelligence Bureau - Special Duties (appt'd to 'M' Special Unit 25Sep1943); KIA 24Oct1943 at New Guinea. Recorded on the Australian Commando Memorial; Australian War Memorial Roll of Honour; Ballarat Australian Ex-Prisoners of War Memorial; Rabaul Memorial.

4701

Group of Six: 1939-45 Star; Africa Star; Pacific Star; Defence Medal 1939-45; War Medal 1939-45; Australia Service Medal 1939-45. A.B.Doyle R.A.N. All medals impressed. *Court mounted, the first three medals loose, otherwise good very fine.*

\$200

Appt'd CBE 11May1937; also awarded Jubilee Medal 1935.

In Doyle's service record there is no indication that he served in the Middle East or in the Pacific during WWII so the inclusion of the Africa Star and the Pacific Star medals in the above group appear to be incorrect.

Alec Broughton Doyle, born 05Oct1888 at Scone, NSW; Enl.23Mar1912 at Home Port of Sydney, NSW and appt'd Engineer Sub-Lieut; to Engineer Lieut 23Mar1913; to Engineer Lieut-Cdr 23Mar1921; to Engineer Cdr 31Dec1923; loaned to Royal Navy 31Jan-03Oct1933; to Engineer Capt 31Dec1934; to Engineer Rear Admiral 25Sep1943; Appt'd Third Naval Member and Chief of Construction 25Sep1943; Appt as 3rd NM and Chief of Construction surrendered 21Sep1948; Disch.05Oct1948 as Engineer Rear Admiral ex HMAS Penguin; Trf'd to Retired List.

A full account of Alec Doyle's naval service and his distinguished civilian career can be read in the Australian Dictionary of Biography.

4702

Group of Five to KIA: 1939-45 Star; Africa Star; Defence Medal 1939-45; War Medal 1939-45; Australia Service Medal 1939-45. SX10317 C.F.Williams. All medals impressed. *The last medal without ribbon, otherwise extremely fine.*

\$500

Colin Frank Williams, clerk, born 20Jan1914 at Semaphore, Sth Aust; Enl.05Sep1940 at Wayville, Sth Aust at rank of Lieutenant (ex 48Bn Militia); Emb.17Nov1940; to Captain 16Apr1941; WIA and missing then reported KIA22Jul1942 at El Alamein; Buried at El Alamein War Cemetery.

Awarded MC LG 24/9/1942, p4155 for his actions on 10 July 1942 in capturing Tell El Eisa Ridge and the capture of several hundred prisoners as well as artillery weapons and other equipment. His company then captured the Tell El Eisa Railway Station. This award with its citation was made after his death.

4703

Group of Four: 1939-45 Star; Africa Star; Defence Medal 1939-45; War Medal 1939-45 with MID; Australia Service Medal 1939-45. First two medals unnamed, NX399 E.Jay on the other three medals (note the service number is incorrect, it should be NX339). All named medals impressed. *Display mounted with tape residue on back, medals appear to be modern issues, otherwise very fine - extremely fine.*

\$100

MID: LG 23/6/1942 for services in the Western Desert Campaign, Libya, Cyrenaica from the capture of Sidi Barrani to the surrender of Benghazi (see AIF Orders No.489 19.7.1941).

Edgar Jay (NX339), clerk, born 16Sep1905 at Sydney, NSW; Enl.07Jan1940 at Sydney, NSW; Died of heart failure as Lieutenant with 16 Anti Tank Company 02Jun1941; Buried at Gaza War Cemetery.

4704

Pair: 1939-45 Star; Pacific Star. VX56025 B.S.Jackson. Both medals impressed. *No ribbons, otherwise good very fine.*

\$100

Awarded Military Cross: LG 20/7/1944, p3378; CAG 29/6/1944, p1291 - for outstanding leadership Mindjim Valley and Bogdajim in New Guinea.

Robert Stuart Jackson, born 12May1920 at Corowa, NSW; Enl.17May1941 VX56025 (V146631) at Royal Park, Vic; Disch.02Jan1946 as Lieutenant ex 57/60 Aust Infy Bn.

4705

Group of Four: Pacific Star; Defence Medal 1939-45; War Medal 1939-45; Australia Service Medal 1939-45. 266322 C.V.Widdy. All medals impressed. *No ribbons, otherwise nearly extremely fine.*

\$300

Also entitled to a WWI trio as 598 Pte C.V.Widdy, 1 Div Train.

Charles Victor Widdy, born 25Oct1894 at Hillgrove, NSW; Disch.11Feb1946 as Honorary Wing Commander ex 2 Embarkation Depot.

The following article was published in The Armidale Express on Monday 8 November 1943, page 4.

Airman from Hillgrove Led Americans In Solomons

Squadron Leader Widdy's Adventurous Career

Squadron Leader Charles V. Widdy (R.A.A.F.), who was born at Hillgrove, is one man who found a war job in the Solomons that fitted him like a glove, and incidentally resulted in a magnificent job of work being done by a band of fuzzy wuzzies banded together as a labour corps under his command. Squadron Leader Widdy was managing director for Lever Bros at Gavutu, a site later of bloody fighting when the Americans sought to recapture the southern Solomons, and he piloted the first marines to land at Guadalcanal. A veteran of Gallipoli, he was 32 when he first arrived at the Solomons. Widdy's life has been one of adventure, which began with gold mining near his birthplace, the last war putting an end to his search for a bonanza near his front door. After the war he spent two years under Norman Buley with a returned soldiers' exploration expedition in the Northern Territory and later drifted to the Solomons, where he reached the top of the ladder with Lever Bros.

With the arrival of the Japs, he sent his wife and baby son to Sydney and joined the R.A.A.F. He was an inevitable selection to guide an American attack, and was sent to New Zealand with U.S. Army leaders for the landing at Guadalcanal. Later activities won him an American decoration.

Sqn Ldr Widdy (RAAF) along with Lieut Gordon Howe (RANR) was awarded the American Legion of Merit degree of Legionnaire for leading a reconnaissance party into Russell Island (Solomons) on 12 February 1943 and obtaining information for later Allied landings.

4706

Group of Four: Naval General Service Medal 1915-62 (GVIR Fid:Def), - clasp - Bomb & Mine Clearance 1945-53; Defence Medal 1939-45; War Medal 1939-45; Australia Service Medal 1939-45. Lt/Cdr. H.F.Goodwin. R.A.N.R. on first medal, H.F.Goodwin. R.A.N.R. on other medals. All medals impressed. *The first and last two medals without ribbons, the first medal with metal blobs on obverse, it and the clasp are not original, otherwise fine - very fine.*

\$100

Howard Frank Goodwin, born 02Sep1915 at Adelaide, Sth Aust; Enl.03Sep1939 at Home Port of Port Adelaide; Disch.18Aug1953 as Lieut Cdr ex HMAS Sydney.

4707

Trio: Defence Medal 1939-45; War Medal 1939-45; Australia Service Medal 1939-45. 39983 R.L.Glyde. All medals impressed. *The first missing suspension and the second with some scratches on obverse, otherwise good very fine.*

\$100

Flying Officer Richard Lindsay Glyde, an Australian serving with RAF was KIA in combat with a German bomber on 13 August 1940 and fell with his aircraft into the sea off Portland Bill, English Channel. He had nine confirmed victories and was awarded a DFC.

4708

Trio: War Medal 1939-45; Australia Service Medal 1939-45; Netherlands, Commemorative War Cross. 402724 E.H.Brown on first two medals, last medal unnamed as issued. The named medals impressed. *The first two medals without ribbons and both have some contact marks, otherwise very fine - extremely fine.*

\$150

Edwin Hanlon Brown, bank clerk, born 09May1918 at Toowoomba, Qld; Enl.14Oct1940 at Sydney, NSW, with two years service in militia with 25Bn; served with No.18 (Netherlands East Indies) Squadron 16Feb-11Mar1943; Died 05May1943 as Flying Officer piloting a Spitfire in air ops 4 miles north of Algiers.

Awarded a DFC for completing 62 sorties displaying great skill and determination. This was amply demonstrated one day in April, 1943, when he successfully accomplished a reconnaissance flight over Naples and the adjacent area in the face of heavy and accurate fire from ground defences.

4709

Pair: Defence Medal 1939-45; War Medal 1939-45. 407922 J.A.Wells. Both medals impressed. *The first medal with contact marks, the second medal without a ribbon and dark toned, otherwise very fine.*

\$100

Awarded MID: LG 14/1/1944, p299; CAG 3/2/1944, p209.

Awarded Polish Cross of Valour (Krzysztof Walecznych): LG 9/5/1944, p2123; CAG 23/11/1944, p2608.

John Anthony Wells, born 06Aug1917 at Millicent, Sth Aust; Enl.03Feb1941 at Adelaide, Sth Aust; Emb.03Nov1941; Disch.01Aug1945 as Pilot Officer ex 267 Sqn.

4710

Pair: War Medal 1939-45; Australia Service Medal 1939-45. 70609 C H W Morgan. Both medals impressed. *Swing mounted on a three medal frame, some contact marks, otherwise good very fine.*

\$80

Charles Henry William Morgan, born 24Sep1942 at Tottenham, England; Enl.29Sep1942 at Sydney, NSW; Disch.27Feb1946 as Leading Aircraftman ex 2 Aircraft Depot. Post war Charles Morgan operated a plumbing business with his father, C.G.Morgan, at Annandale, Sydney, NSW trading as C.G.Morgan & Son.

4711

Pair: War Medal 1939-45; Australia Service Medal 1939-45. 402405 J.W.Sandilands. Both medals impressed. *Some contact marks, otherwise good very fine.*

\$200

Awarded DFC: LG 23/5/1944, p2350; CAG 1/6/1944, p1115 - Flt Lieut James Walter Sandilands with 82 Sqn (RAF), for excellent leadership and fearlessness in attacks.

James Walter Sandilands, station overseer, born 12Jun1912 at Uralla, NSW; Enl.19Aug1940 at Sydney, NSW; Pilot Officer 15Feb1942, Flying Officer 15Aug1942, Flt Lieutenant 15Feb1944; died in air accident 13Apr1944 as Flt Lieutenant with 82 Sqn (RAF); Flt Lt J.W.Sandilands was killed while doing an experimental bombing flight with 82 Sqn RAF at Jumchar in India when his Vengeance aircraft failed to pull up out of a dive and it crashed at the runway and burst into flames. He was buried at Chittagong Cemetery, India. His name is on the Uralla NSW Roll of Honour.



4712*

BEM Group of Five: British Empire Medal (EIM); United Nations Korea Medal 1950-53; Vietnam Medal 1964-73; Army Long Service and Good Conduct Medal (EIM with Tudor crown), with Australia suspender; Republic of 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.*

\$2,800

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 WOI 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.

4713

Display DFC Group of Eleven to Heroic RAAF Pilot: Distinguished Flying Cross (EIIR); General Service Medal 1962-2007, - clasp - Borneo; Vietnam Medal 1964-73; USA, Silver Star; Distinguished Flying Cross; Bronze Star with Valour device; Air Medal; Army Commendation Medal; Republic of Vietnam, Cross of Gallantry with Silver Star; Armed Forces Honour Medal 1st Class; Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, - clasp - 1960-. The first three medals and the last medal are copies, Garry Cooper on the fourth to seventh medals all other medals unnamed. The named medals pantograph engraved. *A replica set of medals court mounted for display purposes on card background with photo of Flt Lt Cooper, the last eight ribbons with stain marks, otherwise very fine - good extremely fine.*

\$250

Garry Gordon Cooper, born 21Jan1938 at Adelaide, Sth Aust; Enl.11Mar1960 in RAAF; served in Vietnam 08Apr1968 to 06Jan1969; also served in Borneo, Thailand, and Thai/Malaysia Border; also did overseas duty in Antarctica 1961-62; Disch30Sep1969; became a commercial airline Captain with Ansett Airlines.

Flt Lieut Garry Cooper RAAF, who was operating as a Forward Air Controller serving with the 3rd Brigade, Ninth Infantry Division, was recommended for no less than 13 US awards including one recommendation for a Congressional Medal of Honour. This recommendation was for saving the life of Col Robert E. Archer, CO 2nd Bde, 9th Infy Div after he and the pilot of their Command helicopter were shot and Cooper who was also on board was able to get to the controls and reduce the landing impact of the helicopter. Once on the ground, Cooper was able to get the Colonel into a nearby rice paddy. They were in waist deep water and throughout the night came under attack at different times and Cooper killed at least ten enemy soldiers. In the morning a rescue helicopter arrived, called in the day before by overhead jets who observed the crash. While the Colonel was hoisted aboard the helicopter, Cooper who was now out of ammunition killed two more of the enemy using his empty pistol as a weapon by clubbing them to death. Overall he killed twelve enemy soldiers in these ground engagements.

The Medal of Honour recommendation was made by Commanding Major General Julian J. Ewell to Lt-Col James T. Patrick USAF. Unfortunately regulations did not permit foreign nationals to receive the Medal of Honour so Lt-Col Patrick recommended Cooper for the Bronze Star for Valour with a strong recommendation that the British consider Cooper for their highest recognition, the Victoria Cross. Unfortunately this did not happen and much of the paper work relating to this recommendation disappeared in Australian records. Cooper was awarded a DFC but Maj-Gen Ewell was furious with this outcome and his offer to fly to Australia to give evidence was ignored. Also none of the witnesses for Cooper were allowed to appear before the panel reviewing the award in 2000. Garry Cooper was so highly regarded by the Americans that when Maj-Gen Ewell passed away Cooper was afforded the honour of being the leading pall-bearer. This matter was investigated again between 2011 and 2016 by the Defence Honours and Awards Appeals Tribunal's inquiry into unresolved recognition for past acts of naval and military gallantry and valour but resulted in a negative outcome.

Garry's wartime experiences can be read in a book he wrote and published in 2006 called, 'Sock it to 'em Baby'.

With basic research as recorded on the Wall Of Honor at the National Air and Space Museum in America.

OTHER COUNTRIES

4714

Cambodia, Medal of National Defense in Bronze; France, Cross of Military Valour with Gold Star; Japan, China Incident War Medal 1937-1945. *The last with a short ribbon, otherwise very fine - uncirculated.* (3)

\$100

POLICE MEDALS

4715

Great Britain, Special Constabulary Long Service Medals, (GVR crowned bust), impressed naming to William H. Green.; (GVIR Ind:Imp), impressed naming to Harry Moulson; (GVIR Ind:Imp), impressed naming to John C.Russell. *Very fine - extremely fine.* (3)

\$150

4716

Great Britain, Police Long Service and Good Conduct Medal (GVIR), impressed naming to Insp. Sydney H. Sharpe; another (EIIR with Tudor crown), impressed naming to Sgt. 2/C Norman T. Behm. *Both without ribbons, extremely fine.* (2)

\$80

MILITARIA



4717*

NSW Lancer Regiment, hat badge, 1895-1903, in white metal (47mm) (2) (Grebert, p67); RNSWL (Royal New South Wales Lancers), title bar in chrome (introduced 1970); also Allied Regiment, 1st King's Dragoon Guards, hat badge (KC), in gilt and white metal (47mm). *All mounted on a display card with painted colour patch, very fine - uncirculated.* (4)

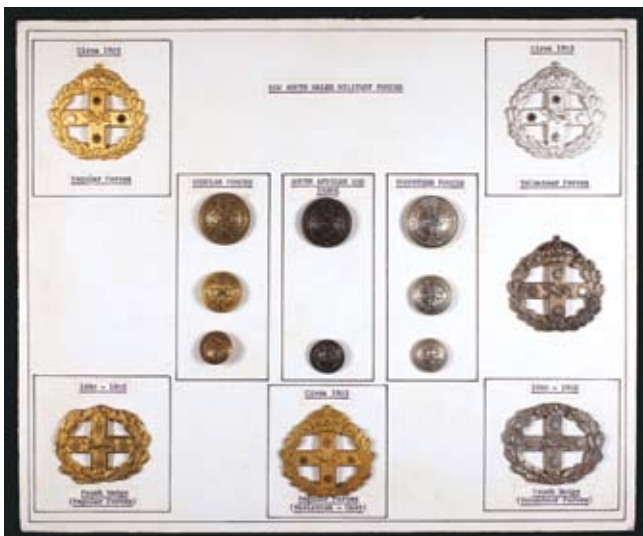
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4718*

NSW Military Forces, helmet plates (QVC 1881-1901 Pattern), in brass for regular forces, darkened white metal for South African War, and white metal for volunteer forces (all 103mm) (Grebert p78), also matching pairs of collar badges (all approx 31mm); the helmet plates with three lugs, the collar badges with two lugs. *All mounted on a display card, very fine - good very fine.* (9)

\$1,200



4719*

NSW Military Forces, 1880-1902, pouch badge in gilt (38mm) for regular forces, another in white metal (40mm) for volunteer forces (Grebert, p83); NSW Defence Forces Staff, c1903, cap badge in gilt (47mm) for regular forces and silver gilt (47mm) for volunteer forces, also a pouch or crossbelt badge in white metal (46mm) and another in cast gilded brass (46mm) (Cossum 16); NSW Military Forces, 1880-1901, large, medium and small buttons in gilt brass for regular forces, large and small in oxidised for South African War, and large, medium and small in white metal (Cossum, p6a). *All mounted on a display card, very fine - extremely fine.* (14)

\$400

4720

Tasmania, Her Majesty's Convict Department, c1855, hat badge in white metal (41mm) (Grebert p291), mounted on a starburst helmet plate, this missing lugs. *An interesting copy, very fine.*

\$50



4721*

The Victorian Scottish Regiment, 1900-12, sporran badge in white metal (52mm) (Cossum 10). *Good extremely fine.*

\$200

4722

Australia, Royal Australian Artillery, (EVIIR) 1903-11, hat badge in brass (46mm) (Cossum 87); New South Wales Artillery, 1900-12, collar badge pair in brass (30mm) (Cossum 91); Royal Australian Artillery Regt, 1930-42, hat badge in brass (50mm) (Cossum, p34d); Australian Commonwealth Military Forces, (EVIIR) 1903-10, small button in brass (Cossum, p30a); Royal Australian Artillery, (EVIIR) 1903-10, button in brass (Cossum, p31a). *The first badge with some oxidation, otherwise fine - very fine.* (6)

\$50



4723*

Australia, 2nd District Guards AIF, 1912-1918, unofficial hat badge, in oxidised bronze (36mm) (Cossum 167). *Extremely fine.*

\$250



4724*

Australia, 4th Light Horse AIF, 1912-1918, unofficial collar badge, in cast brass (25mm) (Cossum 173). *Fine.*

\$150



4725*

Australia, 5th Light Horse AIF, 1912-1918, unofficial collar badge, in brass (37mm) (Cossum 174), by J.R.Gaunt, London. *Very fine.*

\$250



4726*

Australia, 6th Light Horse AIF, 1912-1918, unofficial WWI opposing collar badge pair in oxidised bronze (30mm) (Cossum 175). *Good very fine.* (2)

\$250



4727*

Australia, 7th Light Horse AIF, 1912-1918, unofficial hat badge, in oxidised bronze (33mm) (Cossum 176). *Good very fine.*

\$250



4728*

Australia, 10th Light Horse AIF, 1912-1918, unofficial opposing collar badge pair, in gilt and enamel (34mm) (Cossum 178), by J.R.Gaunt, London. *Enamel chip in one badge, otherwise very fine.* (2)

\$450



4729*

Australia, 12th Light Horse AIF, 1912-1918, unofficial collar badge, in gilt bronze (28mm) (Cossum 179), pin-back. *Good very fine.*

\$200



4730*

Australia, 13th Light Horse AIF, 1912-1918, unofficial WWI hat badge in brass (56mm), collar badge in brass (35mm), and another collar badge in oxidised bronze (32mm, pitchfork bent) (Cossum 180). *Very fine - extremely fine.* (3)

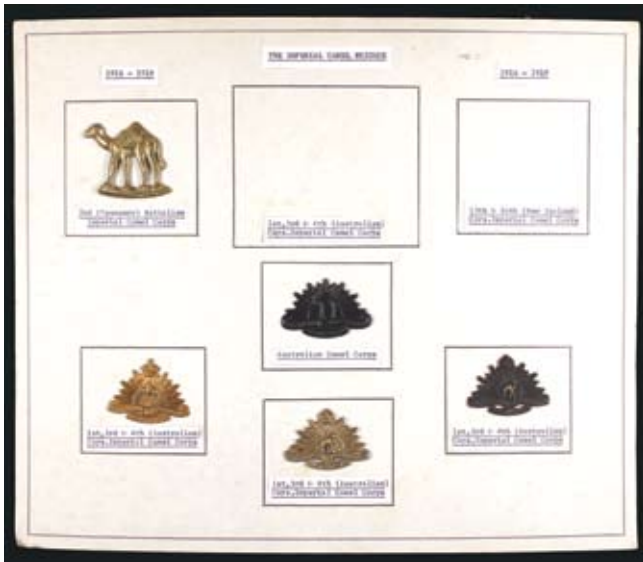
\$500



4731*

Australia, 14th Light Horse AIF, 1912-1918, unofficial collar badge, in oxidised brass (29mm) (Cossum 181), by J.R.Gaunt, London. *Good very fine.*

\$750



4732*

Australian Camel Corps badges, 1916-18, includes collar badge in cast brass (29mm) (Cossum 184); another also in darkened cast brass (29mm) (Cossum 184); collar badge in dark bronze (28mm) (Cossum 185) (probably a modern issue); Anzac Section Imperial Camel Corps collar badge in gilt (41mm) (Cossum 186); 2nd Yeomanry Bn Imperial Camel Corps hat badge in cast brass (36mm); all with two lugs except the fourth with a pin-back. *All mounted on a display card, fine - extremely fine.* (5)

\$750



4733*

Australian IEF (Imperial Expeditionary Force) Light Horse, WWI, unofficial handcrafted title in brass (KC), two lugs on reverse. *Very fine.*

\$100



4734*

Australia, shoulder titles in metal for overseas service, includes handcrafted in brass and another in oxidised bronze for South African War 1899-1902; World War I issues, large and small in brass, small in oxidised bronze; World War II, in brass, oxidised voided bronze (2), oxidised non-voided bronze, another in chrome; post world war II, in brass and in chromed; woven titles, World War II (2 different), post World War II, one woven and one in gold braid. *All mounted on a display card, mostly extremely fine.* (16)

\$150

4735

Buttons, military and government services, includes N.S.W. Military Forces (5, 4 large, 1 medium); N.S.W. Artillery (1 small); Australian Commonwealth Military Forces 1903-10 (2, one medium, 1 small); Australian Corps of Engineers 1903-10 (1 medium) (Cossum p6a [5], p8a [1], p30c [2], p30d [1]), also Cranbrook School Cadet Corps (2, medium); Knox Grammar School Cadets (1 medium); government services includes N.S.W. Railway GVR (4, two medium, two small); N.S.Wales Tramways GVR (2 medium); N.S.W. Water Police (1 medium). *Poor - extremely fine.* (19)

\$50

4736

Australia, Infantry Combat Badge; also USA, Presidential Unit Citation, Army Meritorious Unit Commendation; Republic of Vietnam, Cross of Gallantry with Palm Unit Citation, all on a display card together with a b&w group photograph of members of the AATTV in leisure time. *Good very fine - extremely fine.* (4 + photo)

\$50



4737*

Great Britain, 7th Queen's Own Hussars, c1896-1902, cap badge in brass and white metal, two lugs on reverse. *Toning on white metal, otherwise extremely fine.*

\$70



4738*

British Made WWI German Iron Cross Propaganda Medal, For Brave Deeds, Liar, cast in brass (42.5x43.5mm), with ring top suspension. *Crude, otherwise very fine.*

\$70

The British made this faux medal as a form of mockery of the large number of Iron Crosses awarded by Germany during WWI. (See also Lot 4997)

4739

Germany, WWII, DRL Sports badge in brass, reverse marked on one side, 'D.R.G.M. 35269', and on the opposite side, 'Wernstein Jena', pin-back. *Toned nearly extremely fine.*

\$70

Note: DRL is Deutscher Reichsbund für Leibesübungen (German Reich Association for Physical Exercise). D.R.G.M. is Deutsche Reichs Gebrauchs Muster (German National Registered Design).

4740

USA, Army Infantry Combat Badge, in silvered and enamel, with two clutch grip pins; Army Expert Marksman Badge with Carbine bar, in silvered, by N.S.Meyer, New York, with two clutch grip pins; Army Marksman Badge with Rifle bar, in silvered, pin-back. *Small chip in enamel of first badge, otherwise good very fine.* (3)

\$60

4741

Princess Mary Christmas 1914, gift tin in brass; included with the tin is a group of four WWI miniatures for Military Cross, 1914-15 Star, British War Medal 1914-18, Victory Medal 1914-19 with MID, stuck on a card strip and this marked 'Trevethan MC/Flying Corps'; also a matching riband bar but without MID emblem; backing plate for Wounded Stripe; Rising Sun collar badge, no lugs; Australia bronze metal title bar; ARP (Air Raid Precautions) Victoria badge, AP796; also a Prussian WWI pilot's badge in zinc coated brass and voided so probably a copy although it looks like it has been worn regularly. *Very good - good fine.*

\$50

Sqn Ldr Richard Michael Trevethan MC (1895-1971) was a British WWI flying ace. He was also awarded the Russian Order of St Anna 2nd Class.



4742*

Australia, WWII sweetheart brooch in silver (42.5mm), features a circular domed filigree background with decorative pieces fitted and in the centre is a small Rising Sun badge, pin-back, the reverse is stamped in the centre, 'Jerusalem/Sterling/Silver'. *Extremely fine.*

\$120



4743*

RAN Relief Fund & King George's Fund for Sailors, July 30, 1942, Guaranteed Souvenir from the Japanese Midget Submarine Sunk in Sydney Harbour, Sunday, May 31st, 1942, cast model in lead (length 81mm), together with a 'Guaranteed Souvenir' card with details printed in blue. *Good very fine.*

\$250

A captured Japanese midget submarine was put on display at Fort Macquarie in Sydney and the admission price to view was children-6d, adults-1/- with men in uniform half price. At the exhibition souvenirs from the midget submarine were sold and all sale and admission proceeds went in aid of the abovementioned funds. It was later exhibited at various regional towns and state capitals on the same basis.



4745*

British Navy Lemania Submarine Stopwatch, steel Swiss stopwatch for use with torpedoes and sonar, 1969 issue, reverse impressed, '0552/520-9365/arrow marking/285/69/Max/Run = 1 Hour'. *In working order, nearly uncirculated.*

\$100

0552 is the Ministry of Defence code or service reference number for the Royal Navy; 520-9365 is the NATO stock number for a stopwatch marked for 6 seconds, seconds/yards; 285 is the serial number; and 69 is the year of manufacture, 1969. This watch is designed for use with sonar for timing the return of sonar pings and torpedo runs.



4744*

RAN Relief Fund & King George's Fund for Sailors, July 30, 1942, Guaranteed Souvenir from the Japanese Midget Submarine Sunk in Sydney Harbour, Sunday, May 31st, 1942, cast model in lead (length 114mm), in relief along the top of the model is, JAP MIDGET SUB', together with a 'Guaranteed Souvenir' card with details printed in blue. *The card with tears and missing corner and age toning, good - fine.*

\$150

See previous lot.

4746

Australian Victoria Cross Recipients' photographs, three identical colour photographs (27x19cm), taken in 2011 and featuring Corporal Mark Donaldson, VC and Corporal Ben Roberts-Smith, VC, MG in uniform and Keith Payne VC, OAM (later advanced to AM) in civilian dress, all wearing their medal groups, one of the photos has images of the signatures of the first two recipients and the other two photos have images of all signatures. *Uncirculated.* (3)

Note: WOII Keith Payne was the last Australian to be awarded the Imperial Victoria Cross which was awarded for his actions during the Vietnam War. Cpl Mark Donaldson was the first to be awarded the Victoria Cross for Australia and Cpl Ben Roberts-Smith was the second such recipient, both awarded for their actions in the war in Afghanistan.

\$40

4747

Collectable military related cards, includes Australian Golden Fleece swap cards featuring uniforms of various units (30 coloured); units of the British Army and RAF (18 b&w); World Air Force, mostly Australian, British and USA (49 coloured); USA Civil War (7 coloured), some with multiples. *Poor - very fine.* (104)

\$50

ORDERS, DECORATIONS & MEDALS

BRITISH SINGLES



4748*

The Royal Victorian Order, Knight Commander (KCVO) neck badge and breast star, the reverse of the neck badge is impressed, K562, and the reverse of the breast star is impressed, 562, in case of issue by Collingwood (Jewellers) Ltd, To The Royal Family, 46 Conduit St W., below the plush holder is a virtually unused neck ribbon and cards on instructions for wear. *Uncirculated.*

\$2,500

4749

Imperial Service Medal, (GVR coinage profile 1920-31). Frederick Percy Cooper. Engraved. *In case of issue, extremely fine.*

\$60

4750

Distinguished Conduct Medal (QVR), jewellers cast silver copies. *Each medal with eraser marks around edge between 3 o'clock and 6 o'clock, otherwise good - very good.* (6)

\$250

Ex W. (Bill) Woolmore Collection.



4751*

South Africa Medal 1854. L.Webster Nat: L.Horse. Engraved. *Rank has been removed from medal, otherwise fine.*

\$750



4754

Queen's South Africa Medal 1899, (type 3 reverse) - three clasps - Cape Colony, Defence of Ladysmith, Transvaal. 1206 Serjt. J.Emms Nesbitt's H. Impressed. *Without ribbon, nearly extremely fine.*

\$400

4755

Singles: Tibet Medal 1903-4, in silver. Cooly Damber ?? T. & T. Corps (Script naming difficult to read so probably not accurate). Engraved in Indian script.; also Tibet Medal 1903-4, in bronze. Cooly Beiy ????? J&T Corps (Script naming difficult to read so probably not accurate). Engraved in Indian script. *Two single medals, the first good very fine, the second with irregular toning, otherwise very fine.*

\$300

4756

Singles: General Service Medal 1918-62, (GVIR Fid.Def), - clasp - S.E.Asia 1945-46. Unnamed.; General Service Medal 1962-2007, (EIIR), - clasp - Borneo. Unnamed.; Air Efficiency Award, (EIIR). Unnamed. *Three single medals, all toned good very fine - extremely fine.*

\$150

4757

Singles: Atlantic Star; Pacific Star. Both unnamed. *Two single medals, good very fine.*

\$80

4758

Singles: Africa Stars (5), Pacific Star, all unnamed. *Extremely fine - uncirculated.* (6)

\$240

4759

Singles: Africa Stars, unnamed. *Extremely fine - uncirculated.* (8)

\$300

4760

Defence Medal 1939-45. Unnamed but attributed to S.J.Thomson N.F.S. 475202. *Uncirculated.*

\$50

Together with a NFS (National Fire Service) hat badge (KC) in gilt and enamel (with some oxidation and loss of enamel); also official box for delivery of Defence Medal to S.J.Thomson, 64 Ennismore Gdns, East Molesey, Surrey; Defence Medal entitlement slip-card dated 10 Jul1946 and marked at the top, 'D.M.7. Part A Regional Fire H.O. Albert Embankment S.E.1', and written at the bottom, 'S.J.Thomson Esq (N.F.S. 475202)'; 'Home Secretary With Compliments 1939-45 slip that accompanied the medal; there is also a Commonwealth of Australia, State of Queensland, Federal Estate Duty - Notice of Assessment 1947/48 for the Estate of the late George John Walter that came with the lot but the relevance is unknown.

4761

Campaign Service Medal 1962-2007, - clasp - Borneo. E4250304 S.A.C. D.Collinge R.A.F. Impressed. *Light hairlines, otherwise good very fine.*

\$80

4752*

Singles: Indian Mutiny Medal 1857-58; Africa General Service Medal 1902 (EVIIR); Imperial Service Medal (GVIR Indiae Imp). All with naming removed. *Three single medals, all are cast copies, good - very good.*

\$50



4753*

New Zealand Medal 1869, undated reverse, with sterling silver brooch bar suspender marked by maker 'H.C.H.'. 3466. Pte M.Carroll. 40/Foot. Engraved. *Very fine.*

\$850

Ex Noble Numismatics Sale 119 (lot 3517).



4762*

Army Long Service and Good Conduct Medal, (Hanoverian arms with scroll suspension and small reverse lettering). 3461 Serjt P.Deacy, 40th Foot. Impressed. *Some surface marks, otherwise good very fine.*

\$600



4764*

2/15th Prince of Wales' Own London Regiment (Civil Service Rifles), Meritorious Service Medal in bronze, 'Presented By The Officers & Men of the 2/15th London Regt for Meritorious Service in The Field', unnamed. *Toned good very fine.*

\$80

With research.



4763*

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

\$220

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



4765*

Trio: Crimea Medal 1854-56, - three clasps - Alma, Balaklava, Sebastopol; Indian Mutiny Medal 1857-58, - clasp - Lucknow; Turkish Crimea Medal 1855-56 (British issue). Pte. Archd McInnis (sic). 93rd Ft. on first medal, Archd McInnes, 93rd Highlanders on second medal, last medal unnamed as issued. First medal officially engraved, second medal impressed. *Heavy contact marks on first two medals, otherwise very fine.*

\$800

Indian Mutiny Medal with clasp for Lucknow confirmed on medal roll as awarded to Private Archibald McInnes, 93rd Foot (Sutherland Highlanders).



4766*

Pair: Queen's South Africa Medal 1899 (type 2 reverse with clear ghost dates), - five clasps - Belmont, Modder River, Driefontein, Johannesburg, Belfast; King's South Africa Medal 1902, - two clasps - South Africa 1901, South Africa 1902. 285 Pte B.Senior, Cldstm: Gds: on first medal, 285 Pte B.Senior. Coldstream Guards. on second medal. Both medals impressed. *Display mounted, some contact marks on second medal, otherwise good very fine.*

\$600

Together with birth certificate (torn); Certificate of Discharge; Parchment Certificate of Character (2, 20 October 1898 and 21 July 1902); several photos.

Ben Senior, farmer, age 20, born in Parish of Upton, County of York, England; attested at Wakefield, England 21Oct1895 for Coldstream Guards; service in Reserves of more than 5 years and in Army for 6 years for a total of 12 years with 2 years abroad; Disch.20Oct1907 at London; Certificate of Character 20Oct1898 Very Good; Certificate of Character 21Jul1902 Good.



4767*

Group of Eleven: The Most Excellent Order of the British Empire (Dame Commander) (DBE) Star (type 1); also Neck Badge (type 1); Royal Red Cross with Bar (QV in silver-gilt); Order of St John as Serving Sister Breast Badge; Queen's South Africa Medal 1899 (type 3 reverse); King's South Africa Medal 1902; 1914-15 Star; British War Medal 1914-18; Victory Medal 1914-19 with MID; France, Medaille des Epidemies (en Vermeil); Queen Alexandra's Imperial Military Nursing Service Cape Badge 1902-1949. First four unnamed as issued, Supt. Nursing Sister S.E.Oram. on fifth and sixth medals, Principal Matron S.E.Oram Q.A.I.M.N.S. on seventh medal, Matron In Chief S.E.Oram. on eighth and ninth medals, Miss S.E.Oram 1921 on tenth medal, last medal unnamed. All named medals impressed except the tenth which is die cast. *The decorations loose, the other medals swing mounted, very fine.*

\$10,000

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Together with swing mounted set of nine miniature medals (With French award ribbon but missing medal); NSW Railway Ambulance Corps Silver Cross, reverse inscribed, 'Passed Albt. J. Oram. Feb 1898' (presumably Sarah's brother); photo of S.E. Oram in uniform wearing some medals.

Dame Commander of Military Division of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire: LG 9/6/1919 as Matron in Chief. Invested 10 March 1920 at Buckingham Palace.

Royal Red Cross: LG 11/12/1896. Presented personally by the Queen 'in recognition of her services in tending the sick and wounded during the recent operations in the Soudan.'

Bar to Royal Red Cross: LG 1/1/1918 for very valuable services during the war.

Order of St John as Serving Sister: 5/1/1938.

Medaille des Epidemies (en Vermeil): LG 7/6/1919 as Temporary Matron in Chief.

MID: LG 27/9/1901 for service in South Africa as Superintendent.

WWI awarded four occasions.

Sarah Elizabeth Oram, born Christmas Day, 25Dec1860, at Cirencester, England; Appt'd Nursing Sister with British Army Nursing Service 01May1886; noted in Egypt 1897; Emb.21Jan1900 from Southampton for South Africa as Superintendent Sister in charge of 11 nurses; to Queen Alexandra's Imperial Military Nursing Service as Matron 26May1902; to South Africa as Principal Matron 19Jun1911; arrived Egypt 10May1915 and to duty as Matron in Chief Egypt 1915-1919; to Retired List Apr1920; Died unmarried on 26Jun1946 at South Kensington, England and cremated at Kensal Green Crematorium, London.

Mentioned in the book, 'Australian Women at War', by Patsy Adam-Smith as having introduced new uniforms for Australian nurses. Also mentioned several times and described in the Australian World War One Medical Official History as a 'capable and gracious lady in charge of Australian and British nurses.' (Vol 1, pp199 and 764).

There was an Albert John Oram, possibly Sarah Oram's brother, who arrived in NSW from England when he was 16 and who became a NSW Railways' station-master, serving at several regional locations. After he retired he settled at Porters Retreat in NSW and died on 11 October 1938 in Bathurst District Hospital.

With research.



4768*

Group of Six: Imperial Service Medal (EIIR Dei Gratia); India General Service Medal 1908-1935, - clasp - Burma 1930-32; 1939-45 Star; Africa Star; Defence Medal 1939-45; War Medal 1939-45. Henry Osborne on first medal, 6283793 Pte. H. Osborne. The Buffs. on second medal, the other medals unnamed as issued. The named medals impressed. *Swing mounted, the first medal out of order, otherwise toned very fine - good very fine.*

\$300



4769*

Group of Six: Distinguished Service Medal (GVR); 1914-15 Star; British War Medal 1914-18; Victory Medal 1914-19; France Medaille Militaire; Croix de Guerre with Palme. Ply 14717 Cpl T.H. Wedge R.M.L.I., H.M.S. Exmouth. Athens 1 Dec 1916 on first medal, Ply 14717 Pte T.H. Wedge R.M.L.I. on second medal, as Cpl on third and fourth medals. First to fourth medals impressed, last two medals unnamed. *Good very fine and rare.*

\$3,500



Together with a matching set of swing mounted miniatures mounted in correct order.

Thomas Henry Wedge, PLY 1717 Corporal RMLI.

DSM: LG 23/3/1917, EG 27Mar1917 'For service whilst landed from HMS Exmouth (on loan from HMS Princess Regent) at Athens on the 1st December 1916: 'The following awards have been approved'.

ADM 137/546 recommendation states: 'Corporal Ply/14717 R. Wedge, Pte Ply/14546 E. James, Pte Ply/16639 G. Conway. 'Exmouth'. During the retirement these men gave me every assistance in rallying the men and several times volunteered to reconnoitre my flanks'.

MM: LG 21/6/1918, p7305.

CdeG with Palme: LG 23/3/1917, p2953.

With photocopy pages from Gazettes.



4770*

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.*

\$320

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.



4772*

Pair to KIA: British War Medal 1914-18; Victory Medal 1914-19. 3178 Pte. D.Newbutt. Midd'x R. Both medals impressed. *Very fine.*

\$350

Together with WWI Memorial Plaque named to Derrick Newbutt; hat badge for Middlesex Regt and Middlesex metal shoulder title.

Ex Alan McRae Collection and Noble Numismatics Sale 117 (lot 5083).

Derrick Newbutt was the son of James Arthur and Ann Maria Newbutt of Sudbury, Middlesex which is near Wembley Stadium. The 17th Battalion, Middlesex Regiment, raised in London on 12 December 1914 was known affectionately as the 'First' Football Battalion. L/Cpl Derrick Newbutt was a member of the Territorial Force Battalion before the war and became a member of the 17th serving in B Company. L/Cpl Newbutt is mentioned on the battalion War Diary for bravery at Arras in France on 9-11 April 1917 when his unit along with other battalions in the Division captured the Blue Line. Derrick Newbutt, at the age of 26, was killed in action at Oppy Wood near Arras on 28 April 1917 while attacking the Germans. He has no known grave and is commemorated on the Arras Memorial in France. The 17th Battalion was disbanded in France less than a year later on 10 February 1918 due to lack of men because of its high casualty rate. L/Cpl Derrick's medals show him as a Private which was his substantive rank but he was acting as L/Corporal at the time of his death. His number is shown as G/43857 compared to the number 3178 recorded on his medals. This disparity arose because 3178 was his pre-war number and the other came from a renumbering programme undertaken by the British Army in 1916-17.

With research.



4771*

Trio: British War Medal 1914-18; Victory Medal 1914-19; Army Meritorious Service Medal (GVR type 1 with swivelling suspender). S4-157495 Sjt. D.Gibb. A.S.C. on first two medals and S4-157495 Sjt. D.Gibb. R.A.S.C. on last medal. All medals impressed. *Uncirculated.*

\$250

Ex Noble Numismatics Sale 116 (lot 5111).

MSM: Fourth Supplement to LG 19/9/1919, p11778 - to S4/157495 Sjt. Gibb, D. (Greenock), in recognition of valuable services rendered with the British Forces in Mesopotamia.

With copy of Gazette entry.

4773

Pair: British War Medal 1914-18; Victory Medal 1914-19. S-13954 Pte. T.Ross. Gordons. Both medals impressed. *Display mounted, good very fine.*

\$60

Together with 'Sans Peur' half of a WWI Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders collar badge.

Thomas Ross, born 1890 at Aberdeen, Aberdeenshire, Scotland; served on the Western Front at the Battles of the Somme, Arras, Cambrai and the second Battle of the Somme; departed London, England 28Feb1924 with his wife to reside in Perth, Western Australia; Died in Perth in 1950.

With research.



4774*

Pair: British War Medal 1914-18; General Service Medal 1918-62 (GVR coinage head), - clasp - Iraq. O-275 Pte. A.Ingram. Rif. Brig. Both medals impressed. *Toned very fine.*

\$150

4775

Group of Five: 1939-45 Star; Africa Star with 8 emblem; Burma Star; Defence Medal 1939-45; War Medal 1939-45. Unnamed as issued. *First ribbon damaged, last medal with contact marks, otherwise very fine - good very fine.*

\$100



4776*

Group of Four: 1939-45 Star; France and Germany Star; Defence Medal 1939-45; War Medal 1939-45 with MID. All medals unnamed as issued. *First two medals toned, otherwise uncirculated.*

\$150

Ex Noble Numismatics Sale 116 (lot 5118).

Together with OHMS medal box, and small individual medal packets, addressed to Mr D B Shaverin, 39 Paramount Court, University St, London WC1.

MID: Supplement to LG 2/10/1942, p4328 - to Engineman David Benjamin Shaverin, LT/JX.109920 - For gallantry, daring and skill in the combined attack on Dieppe (HMS Tormentor) Operation Jubilee.

MID (2nd award): Supplement to LG 11/12/1945, p5996 - to Temporary Lieutenant (E) David Benjamin Shaverin, R.N.V.R. - For distinguished service in NW Europe (HMS Hamilcar) Operation Wind Up (Europe 45).

Temp Sub-Lt (A) 09Nov1942 (LG 13/11/1942, p4944); joined HMS Dinosaur 13Feb1943; Temp Lt (E) with seniority of 9Nov1943 (LG 27/10/1944, p4932); joined HMS Hamilcar 01Jul1944; recorded in the book, Canadian and Allied Jews at the Raid on Dieppe compiled and researched by Martin Sugarman.

With copies of Gazette pages, Seedie's Roll and other research.

4777

Trio: 1939-45 Star; War Medal 1939-45; Imperial Service Medal (EIIR Dei Gratia). First two medals unnamed as issued, Arthur William Fish on third medal. The named medal impressed. *Toned extremely fine.*

\$150

Ex Norman W.Collett 11July 2010 item 3981.

Together with case for ISM and box of delivery for WWII medals addressed to Mr A.W.Fish, with medal slip; Safe Driving Competition 5 Years Medal with bars for 1951 to 1954; 10 Years Safe Driving Medal with bars for 1956 to 1960; Royal Corps of Signals hat badge (KC); Royal Corps of Signals brass bed plate 2313884 named 'Fish. A.'; various documents including Royal Life Saving Certificate, 3 documents relating to career in post office, birth certificate, marriage certificate, army certificates of education, attestation form, 2 Service Books and a copy of Fish's repatriation questionnaire and his service file

ISM: Supplement to LG 28/3/1968, p3725 to Arthur William Fish, Technician Class I, London Telecommunications Region, General Post Office.

Arthur William Fish, skilled workman class 1 with Post Office Engineering Dept, born 05Feb1903 at Paddington, London; Enl.14May1921 in militia with Royal Signals; passed Royal Army Veterinary School exam on Animal Management 14Apr1926; mobilized 01Oct1939; taken POW at St Valery, Somme, France 12Jun1940; imprisoned at Stalag XXA at Thorn, Poland Aug1940-Aug1941, Stalag XXB at Marienburg, East Prussia Aug-Sep1941, Stalag XXA at Thorn, Poland Oct1941-Sep1942, Stalag 383 at Hohenfels, Bavaria Sep1942-Apr1945, qualified for Royal Life Saving Society Bronze Medallion Certificate in Sep1944 while at Stalag 383; released 12May1945; Died at Swindon, Wiltshire in 1974.

4778

Pair: 1939-45 Star; War Medal 1939-45. Unnamed.; also Belgium, Inter Allied Victory Medal 1914-18. Unnamed.; Poland, Monte Casino Cross 1944, reverse numbered, '46/547'. *Pair and two singles, ribbon on last medal age toned, very fine - nearly uncirculated.*

\$70

Together with original issue box with pamphlet for the first pair. The box addressed to P (or R) Nicholson at Sutton, Surrey.



4779*

Imperial Service Medal, (GVIR Fid:Def:), with pin-back suspender. Daniel Doyle. Impressed. *In Royal Mint case of issue, this with foxing on lining, the medal nicely toned, a few short scratches on obverse, otherwise extremely fine.*

\$150

Sergeant 2 Class Daniel Doyle, Queensland Police, awarded Imperial Service Medal on 1 November 1949 'for many years of diligent and faithful service'. Presented by the Governor of Queensland, Sir John Lavarack KCMG, KCVO, KBE, CB, DSO, at a ceremony held at the Police Depot on 14 March 1950.

Daniel Doyle, farmer, born 18Jun1896 at Queensland; at age 26 joined Queensland Police Force 11May1923 as Constable; to Sgt 2/c 09Apr1942; served at various stations including Roma Street Depot, Moorooka, Maytown, Cairns, Rewan, Capella, Cloncurry, Clermont, Rockhampton, Mackay, Yaamba, Muttaborra and Maryborough; superannuated from Maryborough as Sergeant 2/c as from 17Apr1949.

With research.



4780*

Imperial Service Medal, (EIIR Dei Gratia), George Richards Vowles. Impressed. *Light hairlines, otherwise good extremely fine.*

\$60

Together with case of issue, this with foxing on lid lining.

ISM: Supplement to LG 29/1/1976, p1526, awarded on retirement to George Richards Vowles, Assistant, Primary Correspondence School, Department of Education, Brisbane, Queensland.

George Richards Vowles father, Henry George Vowles, whose father George Vowles was a State school teacher, was the brother of William John Vowles, a solicitor, who was the Member of the Legislative Assembly for Dalby from 1911 to 1926 and also Leader of the Opposition in Queensland. So, George Richards Vowles' grandfather was a State school teacher and his uncle was a politician who led the Queensland Opposition party from 1920 to 1923. George Richards Vowles died on 24 July 1982.



4781*

Singles to Sisters: British Empire Medal (Civil), (EIIR), with ladies bow ribbon. Miss Elsie Mary Stanley. Impressed.; Imperial Service Medal, (EIIR Dei Gratia), with pin-back suspender. Miss Ellen Elizabeth Stanley. Impressed. *Two single medals, both in Royal Mint cases of issue, these with foxing, medals nearly uncirculated.*

\$250

BEM: Supplement to LG 1/1/1972, p28, to Miss Elsie Mary Stanley for public service in Brisbane, State of Queensland.

ISM: LG 7/7/1972, p8160, to Miss Ellen Elizabeth Stanley, Typist-in-Charge Grade II, Fourth Division, Engineering Division, Postmaster-General's Department, Queensland.

Elsie Mary Stanley joined the Department of Public Instruction (later called the Education Department) in 1922. Then from 1934 until 1970 she was a member of the Premier's Department in the Queensland State Government, obviously a high achievement to retain such a position for 36 years.

Her sister, Ellen Elizabeth Stanley, formerly a student at All Hallow's School, Brisbane, joined the Commonwealth Public Service in 1926 as a female typist after coming seventh in admission examinations held in May of that year. Both sisters never married.

With copies of Gazette entries and research.



4782*

Queen's South Africa Medal 1899, (type 2 reverse) - six clasps - Cape Colony, Rhodesia, Orange Free State, Transvaal, South Africa 1901, South Africa 1902. 217 Tpr J.E.C. Sleddon Victorian M.R. Impressed. *Nearly uncirculated.*

\$1,200

John Exley Crouther Sleddon, wool sorter, born 22Oct1879 in Brighton; joined 4th Victorian (Imperial Bushman) Contingent; Emb.01May1900 Port Melbourne on the 'Victorian' 01May1900 for South Africa; RTA 22Jun1901 from East London on the 'Orient'; Enl.11Feb1902 as 2252 L/Cpl with 4th Australian Commonwealth Horse; Sleddon joined the Victoria Police Force in 1903 as Constable and served in several Police Stations in Metropolitan Melbourne; Died of pneumonia 07Jul1933.



4783*

Queen's South Africa Medal 1899 (type 2 reverse), three clasps - Cape Colony, Rhodesia, South Africa 1901. 499 Tpr: R.W.Taylor, Victorian M.R. Impressed. *A few contact marks, otherwise very fine.*

\$2,000

Medal roll shows that first two medal clasps were returned to authorities and re-issued to R.W.Taylor at Customs House, Durban, Natal on 15 March 1911.

Robert William Taylor, farmer, born 21Sep1875 at Sandridge, Vic; Enl. Apr1900 and to camp at Langwarrin; Emb.01May1900 with 4th Victorian Imperial Bushmen Contingent; Disemb.23May1900 at Beira; arrived at Marandellas 11Jul1900 and ops at Rhodesia to Bulawayo on Lines of Communication protection; Ops at Cape Colony from Dec1900 including Matjesfontein patrols and after near Orange River and Colesberg; RTA 22Jun1901; Disemb.12Jul1901 at Melbourne, Vic; Disch.31Jul1901; Died in 1944 at Melbourne, Vic.

With research.

4784*

Queen's South Africa Medal 1899, (type 3 reverse), - five clasps - Cape Colony, Orange Free State, Transvaal, South Africa 1901, South Africa 1902. 1041 Pte F.H.Seekamp, Victorian M.R. Impressed. *Extremely fine.*

\$1,000



Pte Frederick Herbert Seekamp, born 28Jun1880 in Carlton, Vic; Enl.15Jan1901 with 5th Victorian Mounted Rifles; Emb.15Feb1901; employed in the Melbourne office of the wool firm Kurt Weiman; was a member of the Melbourne Cricket Club, Carlton Football Club, Coburg Harriers and the Melbourne Chamber of Manufacturers; Died 28Jun1934.

Listed in Murray p288 incorrectly as Frederick Herbert Leekamp.



4785*

Queen's South Africa Medal 1899 (type 3 reverse), - three clasps - Cape Colony, Orange Free State, Transvaal. 31551 Tpr: P.Brown. Scottish Horse. Impressed. *Hairlines, otherwise good very fine.*

\$1,200

Also entitled to clasps for South Africa 1901 and South Africa 1902. These clasps issued separately 6 May 1905.

Sergeant Patrick Brown, labourer, age 30, born at Vic; Enl.15Mar1901 at Melbourne, Vic in 2Bn Scottish Horse and Emb. per 'Orient'; RTA and Disch.14Sep1901; Re-Enl.02Jan1902 at Johannesburg as Sergeant with 2nd Scottish Horse; Disch.06Jul1902 with Exemplary Conduct.

With research.

4786

Queen's South Africa Medal 1899 (type 3 reverse), - three clasps - Cape Colony, Orange Free State, Transvaal. 1505 Pte J.J.Nugent Victorian M.R. Impressed. *Very fine.*

\$750

John Joseph Nugent, station hand, Swan Hill, born 16Jun1861; Enl.01Feb1901 with 5th Victorian Mounted Rifles; Emb.15Feb1901 per 'Orient'; Invalided to Australia (Vic) 07Jan1902; Disemb.29Jan1902. Murray p298.



4787*

Queen's South Africa Medal (type 2 reverse), - five clasps - Cape Colony, Orange Free State, Johannesburg, Diamond Hill, Belfast. 121 Pte J.E.Petree, (sic) Sth. Australian M.R. Impressed. *Very fine.*

\$1,500

Ex the Rudd Collection, Noble Numismatics Sale 82 (lot 3648).



4788*

Queen's South Africa Medal 1899 (type 3 reverse), - two clasps - Orange Free State, Transvaal. 98 Pte N.McPherson Queensland I.B. Impressed. *Ribbon frayed, very fine.*

\$1,250

Neil McPherson, 6th Queensland Imperial Bushmen. Died of pneumonia, Rietfontein 03Aug1901. Murray p512.

With research including photocopy of Nominal Roll page.

4789

Queen's South Africa Medal 1899, (type 3 reverse), - two clasps - Transvaal, South Africa 1902. 2291 Tpr E.Hearndon Aus:Com:H. Impressed. *Without ribbon, very fine.*

\$750

Pte Edward Hearndon, Carlton, Vic, age 21yrs, served 4th Battalion, Aust Commonwealth Horse. Murray p321. Spelt as Hearnden on nominal roll.

4790

Queen's South Africa Medal 1899, (type 2 reverse). 362 Tpr C.Thompson, Victorian M.R. Impressed. *Without ribbon, fine.*

\$2,000

Entitled to clasps Cape Colony, Rhodesia, Orange Free State, Transvaal and the King's South Africa Medal.

Cornelius Thompson, labourer, born 03Nov1863 in Warracknabeal, Vic; Enl.4th Victorian Imperial Bushman/Australian Imperial Regiment (A.I.R.); Emb.01May1900 Port Melbourne per 'Victorian' for South Africa; Disemb.23May1900 at Beira; served with VIB 23May1900 to 22Jun1901, then Bushveldt Carbineers 03Jul1901 to 26Feb1902. Murray p268 spelt as Thomson.



MM for Risking Life to Save Soldiers Wounded at the Battle of Tel el Khuweilfe



4791*

Military Medal, (GVR). 6051 Dvr S.Flint 1/L.H. F.A.Aust: A.M.C. *With edge knocks, good fine.*

\$2,500

LG: 19Mar1918 p3473 - 'During the action at Tel Khuweilfe on 3/11/17 Driver Flint in conjunction with Driver Butler had to gallop with their sand cart containing wounded across an open stretch some 500 yards under heavy shell and machine gunfire. After proceeding some 200 yards three of the horses were wounded and the cart could not proceed. Driver Flint with much difficulty was able to free his horses which were struggling. He then attached them to his sand cart so that the wounded would have less chance of being hit. He then unhitched a dead horse and periodically had to expose himself so as to see to the wounded as the cart was still under fire. Throughout out of action he was compelled to remain till dark'.

Septimus Flint, farm labourer, age 21 yrs, born Cowra, NSW; Enl.19Feb1915 Liverpool, NSW; RTA 26Dec1918; Disch 08Mar1919.

With research.



4792*

Family Singles: British War Medal 1914-18. 10439 S/Sjt F.B.McDermott. Dental Cps. A.I.F. Impressed.; (Father-in-Law): The St John Ambulance Association, badge in gold (18ct; 11.01g), with suspension loop, engraved on reverse, 'R.T.Clark/No. 41305/L.R.C.P. & S.Ed.'. *Two single items, very fine.*

\$800

The first ex Noble Numismatics Sale 88 (lot 4176), the second ex Noble Numismatics Sale 91 (lot 4272).

L.R.C.P. & S.Ed (Licentiate of the Royal College of Physicians & Surgeons [Edinburgh])

Together with a series of letters to Miss Marie Clark from 10439 Frank Bede McDermott, AADS (Australian Army Dental Service) A.I.F. (was engaged to her and later became his wife), as well as a Military Pass for him and his Discharge Certificate; Discharge Certificate for Miss Marion (Marie) Clark, Forage Dept ASC and Transfer to Reserve Certificate and Discharge Certificate for her brother, John Clark, Royal Fusiliers, as well as photos including three of John Clark, two of these in WWI uniform; letter to Mrs R.T.Clarke (sic) expressing sorrow for her loss.

Francis (Frank) Bede McDermott, dentist's assistant, age 34, born at Fitzroy, Vic; Enl.30Mar1916 at Sydney, NSW in Dental Corps; Emb.03Jun1916 as Staff Sgt; TOS AMC 03Aug1916; TOS 35 AADS 18Jan1919; RTA 04Aug1919; Disch.09Nov1919; Married Marie Clark; by 1921 was a surgeon dentist operating from premises at Longueville, Sydney, NSW; Died 20Sep1947 at his residence at Hunter's Hill, Sydney, NSW and survived by wife Marie and children Myee, Peggy and Frank; Buried at Northern Suburbs Cemetery. Entitled to Victory Medal 1914-19.

4793

British War Medal 1914-18. 986 Pte G.H.Blanshard. A.N. & M.E.F. Impressed. *A few small edge bumps caused by impressed naming, some light hairlines, otherwise extremely fine.*

\$100

Together with Returned Sailors Soldiers & Airmens' Imperial League Australia badge (KC), reverse numbered Q37188.

George Herbert Blanshard, clerk, age 32, born at Portobello, Edinburgh, Scotland; Enl.09Nov1915 at Sydney, NSW, in 4th Tropical Force, with previous service of one year with Queensland Volunteer Rifles and discharged at own request; Emb.20Nov1915; TOS Garrison of F Coy 4th Tropical Force, AN&MEF at Rabaul 20Nov1915; to Kokopo for duty and struck off Garrison 03Jan1916; returned from Kokopo and TOS Garrison 04May1916; to Kokopo for duty and struck off Garrison 05May1916; RTA and struck off the AN&MEF 12Feb1917; Disch.26Mar1917, possibly to care for his aged mother who subsequently passed away in August 1918; married 29Oct1919 at Nambour, Qld; went on to serve as a bank manager; Died in 1959 at Brisbane, Qld. British War Medal is sole entitlement.

With copy of Service File and other research.

4794

British War Medal 1914-18 to DOW. 2128 Pte T.Bohane, 52 Bn A.I.F. Impressed. *Toned, good extremely fine.*

\$100

Together with two of each oxidised bronze titles for 4 5 2 Inf, i.e. 4/52 Inf (2).

Thomas Bohane, labourer, age 30, born at Mitchell, Qld; Enl.01Apr1916 at Mackay, Qld in 4Rfts 52Bn; Emb.16Aug1916; to France 12Dec1916; TOS 52Bn 19Dec1916; to hospital with trench feet 16Apr1917; rejoined unit 07Sep1917; WIA in Belgium and died same day 18Oct1917 and buried at Zonnebeke, Belgium; body along with several others exhumed and reburied in graves in a Divisional Collecting Post Cemetery Extension and as the individual bodies exhumed could not be identified the cross over each grave bears the individuals name and the inscription, 'Buried near this spot'.

4795

British War Medal 1914-18 to DOW. 2166 A-Cpl S.N.Franki. 1 F.C.E. A.I.F. Impressed. *Dark toned, good very fine.*

\$100

Sterling Napier Franki, engineer, age 22, born at Balmain, Sydney, NSW; employed by his father's company, Morts Dock & Engineering Co Limited at Balmain; Enl.21Aug1915 at Sydney, NSW in 11th Rfts Engineers; Emb.09Nov1915; to 1 FCE 28Dec1915; to France 28Mar1916; to (Provisional) L/Cpl 01Apr1916; WIA 23Jul1916; DOW 27Jul1916; Buried at Puchevillers Military Cemetery near Villers Bocage, France.

4796

British War Medal 1914-18 to KIA. 5613 Pte. W.A. Mc Innes. 17-Bn. A.I.F. Impressed. *No ribbon, toned very fine.*

\$100

William Angus Mc Innes, farmer, age 32, born at Toloombie near Maclean, NSW; Enl.05Apr1916 at RAS Showground, Sydney, NSW; Emb.09Sep1916; to France 13Dec1916; TOS 17Bn 24Jan1917; KIA 09Oct1917 at Belgium; Buried in Tyne Cot Military Cemetery near Passchendaele.

4797

British War Medal 1914-18. 11149 T-Cpl R.F.W.White. 3 F.A.B. A.I.F. Impressed. *No ribbon, very fine.*

\$50

11149 Reginald Francis Walter White, clerk, age 21, born at Bristol, Gloucester, England; Enl.02Sep1915 at Holsworthy, NSW in 14Rfts 3 Fld Arty Bde; Emb.16Jan1916; TOS DAC 13Feb1916; TOS 10FAB 27Mar1916; to France 10Feb1917; TOS 4DAC 24Mar1917; TOS 10FAB 01Jun1917; to T/Cpl 20Jan1918; RTA 11Dec1918; Disch.29Mar1919 Medically Unfit; Died 14Dec1937 at Royal Prince Alfred Hospital, Sydney aged 44.

4798

Victory Medal 1914-19. 3409 Pte. C.A.Clarke. 1 L.H.R. A.I.F. Impressed. *Two single identical medals, both named to same person, extremely fine.*

\$60

Charles Clarke wrote a letter on 23 March 1935 advising that his Victory Medal was lost and requested a replacement at the cost of three shillings. As requested, he provided a Statutory Declaration on 14 May 1935 declaring that his Victory Medal was stolen from a boarding house. Subsequently a duplicate Victory Medal was received and acknowledged on 30 May 1938. Obviously, sometime later, the original Victory Medal was found.

Charles Alfred Clarke, farmer, age 43, born at Newtown, Sydney, NSW; Enl.23Mar1917 at Sydney, NSW; Emb.03Sep1917; TOS 1LHR 06Dec1917; RTA 29Apr1919; Disch.04Jul1919.

The following obituary was published in the Daily Examiner, Grafton on Friday 16 April 1948 on page 2.

'CHARLES ALFRED CLARKE

CORAMBA - With the death of Charles Alfred Clarke, another link with the pioneers of the district has gone. Mr. Clarke, who was 80 years of age, was born in Sydney. When three or four he spent two years in England with his parents, returning to Sydney where he had his schooling. At the age of 14 he and an elder brother, Henry, went to the Hastings River where they worked on farms and followed other rural pursuits until he was between 18 and 20 years of age when he and his brother rode overland to Coramba where he selected the property on which he resided for the remainder of his life. He was among the first four or five to come to Coramba, and in his 60 years as a resident was active in his support of his church, the Methodist Church at Coramba, in the grounds of which he planted a number of trees. Other organisations with which he was connected were the P.P.U., Progress Association, and Parent and Citizens' Association.

In the First World War he put his age back to enlist, and saw service with the Australian Light Horse in the Palestine campaign. He often talked of his experiences in the Jordan Valley. He never married and his nearest relatives are Messrs. Charles Alfred and Frederick Clarke, of Sydney, who are nephews. His remains were interred in the Methodist portion of the Coramba general cemetery, the Rev. Mr. Spencer officiating at the graveside. Following the church service, Mr. A. J. Wilson, president of the Orara Valley sub-branch, assisted by members of the sub-branch, carried out the R.S.S. and A.I.L.A. burial service at the conclusion of which the Last Post was sounded by Mr. J. Pike.'

4799

WWI Memorial Plaque, named to Findley William Stephens, together with accompanying King's letter and envelope. *Oxidation spotting on plaque and age toning on document and tear to envelope, otherwise fine.*

\$200

6343 Findley William Stephens, farmer, age 24, born at Long Swamp, Yackandandah, Victoria; Enl.06Jun1916 at Melbourne, Vic; Emb.11Sep1916 with 20 Rfts for 7 Bn; to 7Bn 30Oct1916; to France 04Feb1917; WIA 16May1918 GSW to thighs and arm, France; DOW 17May1918; Buried at Ebblinghem Military Cemetery, France.

4800

Singles: 1939-45 Star. 165749 B S Furner. Impressed.; Australia Service Medal 1939-45. 437204 R.D.Armitage. Impressed. *Two single medals, both without ribbons, the first medal extremely fine, the second medal with spotty toning, otherwise very fine.*

\$50

Together with two RAAF Certificate of Service and Discharge documents, one for 165749 Albert Turner, LAC (cook), born 05Nov1918, Enl.12Sep1944 and Disch.09May1946; the other for 165749 Bert Stanford Furner, LAC (cook), born 05Nov1918, Enl.15Aug1946 and Disch.12Jan1949. It appears that the first certificate has his surname spelt incorrectly. The above medal is recorded on the second certificate as his only entitlement. There is also an Army Special Reserve Certificate of Discharge for 2/900036 Pte Albert Stanford Furner, born 05Nov1918, Enl.26Jan1951 and Disch.10Mar1954. Also included is a work reference dated 06Jan1955.

Robert Douglas Armitage, born 20Feb1915 at Melbourne, Vic; Enl.25Nov1942 at Adelaide, South Australia; Disch.07Feb1946 as Warrant Officer, 14 Aircrew Holding Unit.

With basic research for last medal.

4801

Single to KIA: Africa Star. A87 P R Heath. Impressed. *No ribbon, toned good very fine.*

\$100

Peter Ronald Heath, born 27Jan1914 at Clifton, Qld; attended Maitland High School; joined RAAF as a Cadet in 1935; Appt Pilot Officer Jan1936; Died 19Nov1940 as Squadron Leader with 3 Squadron in air battle in Middle East; commemorated on Roll of Honour in Muswellbrook, NSW.

A report in the Warwick Daily News, Queensland, on Friday 22 November 1940, page 1 stated as follows.

'Squadron Leader Missing

Canberra, Thursday-Squadron Leader Peter Ronald Heath (26), whose widow and two children live in Melbourne and whose parents are at Muswellbrook (N.S.W), failed to return from a victorious air encounter in the Western Desert against the Italians. He is believed to be dead. The announcement of the engagement was made in the House of Representatives to-day by Mr. McEwen. Squadron Leader Heath joined the R.A.A.F. as a cadet in 1935, and was appointed a pilot officer in January, 1936.'

Later newspaper reports confirmed that Squadron Leader Peter Ronald Heath was killed while leading an Australian flight of four Gloster Gladiator fighter planes which engaged and routed superior forces of 17 Italian fighter aircraft in the Western Desert in what was described as Australia's first air battle of the war. Five Italian planes were shot down and Squadron Leader Heath's aircraft crashed while diving to evade an Italian plane on his tail.

With basic research.

4802

Pacific Star to KIA. QX20482 L.A.Pearce. Impressed. *Nearly uncirculated.*

\$80

Leslie Allen Pearce, labourer, age 24, born at Toowoomba, Qld; Enl.20Jun1941 at Biloela, Qld; Emb.01Nov1941; TOS 2/9Bn 29Jan1942; RTA 28Mar1942; Emb.07Aug1942; KIA 27Dec1942; Buried Target Plan Buna Area No.24. Entitled to 1939-45 Star; Pacific Star; War Medal 1939-45; Australia Service Medal 1939-45. Medals posted 10Jan1952 and returned unclaimed 29Jan1952 then re-issued 09Feb1955.

4803

War Medal 1939-45 to DOW. NX140019 T.G.Quinn. Impressed. *Spotty toning, otherwise good very fine.*

\$50

Thomas Geoffery Quinn, born 03Jul1921 at Punchbowl, Sydney, NSW; Enl.30Oct1942 at Cowra, NSW NX140019 (N440180); DOW 20Sep1943, as Private ex 2/6 Independent Coy; Buried at Lae War Cemetery, PNG.

4804

Australia Service Medal 1939-45 to POW. NX9816 F.Baird. Impressed. *Tone spots, otherwise good very fine.*

\$100

Together with unrelated dual riband bar for 1939-45 Star; Atlantic Star; Africa Star; Italy Star; War Medal.

Fergus Baird, labourer, born 21Oct1906 at Carlton, Vic; Enl.04Jan1940 at Victoria Barracks, Paddington, Sydney, NSW; Emb.09Jan1940;

MIA 22Jun1941 during Greek campaign; POW at Stalag 4A 22Jun1942; POW at Stalag XVIII B 14Dec1942; Repat POW ex Germany 27Oct1943 after being hospitalised for pulmonary tuberculosis for several months; RTA 24Nov1943; Disch.24Jan1944 Medically Unfit; Died of pneumonia and pleurisy 03Feb1944 at his sister's home in Woollahra, Sydney, NSW.



4805*

Service Medal of the Order of St John, with straight bar suspension and pin-back suspender. 2250 A/S. N.Cantrell. N.S.W. Dis. Australia. S.J.A.B.O. 1938. Engraved. In case of issue by H.T. Lamb & Co, *hairlines, otherwise very fine.*

\$100



4807*

Shell Oil On Active Service Medal, WWII, in silver, reverse inscribed 'A. M. Mitchell'. No ribbon, very fine.

\$100

National Service was encouraged by the Shell Oil Company. From the inception of the war, the Company announced its policy of encouraging national service, and members of the staff either in the militia, A.I.F. or other permanent forces, had their military pay subsidised by the Company, so as to bring the total up to the same salary as they were in the habit of receiving prior to enlisting. They also received other gifts and the above medal. The names of those who enlisted from Victoria were on display on an honour board in the entrance to the Head Office building in Melbourne bearing the exhortation:-

"Each of us has a paramount duty to strive with all our powers, at whatever cost, to contribute to our Nation's struggle to overthrow the forces arrayed against our fundamental conception of the rights of men. It is up to each man to ask himself is HE now doing everything possible to pull his own weight in whatever sphere his duty lies to achieve this end." The company also contributed financially to the war effort and other staff set up a War Fund to provide other help and service to Australia's fighting men.

4806*

HMAS Sydney, Bartolomeo Colleoni Medal, 1940, in oxidised silver (57mm) (C.1940/2), by Amor, obverse, HMAS Sydney advancing at full speed with the smoking and disabled Italian cruiser, Bartolomeo Colleoni, in background, reverse, a representation of the plaque presented by the City of Sydney to HMAS Sydney, naming removed. Pitting around edge where naming removed, otherwise very fine.

\$300



4808*

General Service Medal 1918-62, (EIIR with Tudor crown), - clasp - Malaya. 1/217 H.A.Jackson. Impressed. Some surface marks, otherwise nearly extremely fine.

\$250

Queensland enlistment, 1/217 Herbert Arthur Jackson. In the Commonwealth of Australia Gazette Issue 60 on 4 July 1968 the above was also awarded a Long Service and Good Conduct Medal and a Meritorious Service Medal as a Staff Sergeant in the Royal Australian Infantry Corps.



4809*
Naval General Service Medal (GVIR), - clasp - Minesweeping 1945-51. L.McCarthy R23294. Engraved. *Extremely fine*.
 \$500

Lawrence McCarthy, labourer, born 14Dec1921 in Kyneton, Vic; Enl.13Jun1939 in Fremantle, WA.

Together with two photocopy pages of service record.



4810*
Naval General Service Medal, (GVIR Fid.Dei.), - clasp - Minesweeping 1945-51. Cdr. N.R.Read R.A.N. Impressed. *Hairlines, otherwise good very fine*.
 \$1,500

Neven Robinson Read, born 10Dec1903 at Cobar, NSW; Appt'd Cadet MidshipmanPNF 01Jan1917 with Home Port at Sydney; to Midshipman 01Jan1921; loaned to RN for service and training 15Jan1921; to A/Sub Lieut 01May1923; to Sub Lieut 01Dec1923; to Lieut 01Sep1925; loan to RN for service and training 27Nov1931; to Lt/Cdr 01Sep1933; granted war service rank of Cdr 01Dec1944; trf to Emergency List and re-appt for temporary service 10Dec1948; Appt for temporary service terminated 20Mar1952; Trf to Retired List 21Mar1952; served at various postings and passed several training courses during his career and commanded a variety of ships from 1936 onwards, some of which include war-time commands on ships, HMAS Warrnambool (minesweeper) 28Mar1943 - 27Feb1944, HMAS Stuart (destroyer) 04Mar - 04May 1944, HMAS Gascoyne (frigate) 05May - 26Nov1944, HMAS Whyalla (minesweeper) 01Dec1944 - 22Jun1945, and HMAS Ballarat (minesweeper) 19Jun - Nov1945. Neven Robinson Read died 08Jan1977 at Henty, NSW.

4811
Australian/British United Nations Korea Medal, in original boxes. *Uncirculated*. (4)
 \$250



4812*
Vietnam Medal 1964-1973. 1732892 P.W.Morgan. Impressed. *Toned extremely fine*.
 \$300

Peter William Morgan, born 22Nov1946 at Chelsea, Vic; Temp Corporal with Royal Aust Army Service Corps; served in Vietnam with HQs 1 Aust Logistics Support Group 02Jul1970 - 30Jun1971.

During the investigation into the disappearance of Prime Minister Harold Holt who went missing while swimming off Cheviot Beach on 17 December 1967 one of the witnesses who gave a statement was Private Peter William Morgan. He was on duty at the main gate to the Portsea Officers' Cadet School on that day and was the first person to be told of the disappearance.

4813
South Vietnam Campaign Medal 1964-72. 4720490 T.H.Aunger. Engraved. *Nearly uncirculated*.
 \$50

Trevor Harold Aunger, born 25Dec1947 at Gawler, Sth Aust; Craftsman with RAE&ME served as National Serviceman in Vietnam 26Nov1969 to 26Nov1970 with 106 Field Workshop.



4814*

Australian Sports Medal 2000. Kevin Kerr. Pantograph engraved. *In case of issue, missing miniature medal, some handling marks, otherwise extremely fine.*

\$100

Kevin Kerr was awarded the above medal on 29 September 2000 for 'Service to Administration of Lawn Bowls'.

In 2001 Kevin Kerr was also awarded Life Membership from Sydenham Bankstown District Bowling Association for 30 years of distinguished service to the district.

4815

Centenary Medal 2001, issued to Betty Dorice Sommerville. Engraved. *In case of issue with miniature, uncirculated.*

\$100



4816*

Efficiency Decoration, EIIR, Australia brooch suspender, reverse inscribed, 'Collectors. Item.', in Royal Mint case. *Uncirculated.*

\$70



4817*

Efficiency Medal, (GVR) with Australia suspender, with pin-back ribbon suspension bar. No.52137. Pnr. Sgt A.A.B.Cunningham. 7th L.H.Reg. Engraved, appears to be renamed at end of name and start of the unit. *Some contact marks and edge nicks, otherwise toned very fine.*

\$250



4818*

Efficiency Medal, (GVIR) with Australia suspender, with pin-back ribbon suspension bar. S 14691 Cpl E.J.Keenihan C.M.F. Engraved. *Hairlines, otherwise toned very fine.*

\$250

Edwin James Keenihan, born 07Sep1902 at Adelaide, Sth Aust; WWII: Enl.23Sep1941 at Keswick, Sth Aust; Disch.07Jan1944 as Corporal ex 6AT (Army Troop).



4820*

Colonial Auxiliary Forces Long Service Medal, (EVIIR). No.68. Corpl. W.B.Daniell. No.1. S.A.Co., A.G.A. Engraved. *Some scratch marks and edge bumps, otherwise very fine.*

\$300

CAFLSM: CAG No.37 14/7/1906, p866, to 69 Cpl William Booth Daniell, Aust Gar Arty, South Australia.

William Booth Daniell, formerly Warrant Officer W.B. 'Bill' Daniell, C Battery Garrison Artillery at Fort Largs died at his residence in Bowden on 30 August 1951 in his 91st year. His funeral was held on Friday 31 August at the Catholic Cemetery, West Terrace. Members of Bud of Hope Lodge I.O.O.F. were invited to attend.



4819*

Volunteer Force Long Service Medal, (VRI), 1895-1902. Unnamed. *Toned with hairlines, otherwise nearly extremely fine.*

\$150



4821*

Australia Senior Cadets, Commonwealth Military Competitions, Brigade Competitions Champion Team 1912-13. Engraved naming on reverse to Corpl. W.A. Gardner. 13th Battn. *A few light short scratches, otherwise toned nearly extremely fine.*

\$350

Together with spare ribbon.

The 13th Battn was in the 4th brigade in the 2nd Military District (NSW).

4822

Collection of replica medals, includes Australian Active Service Medal 1975 onwards (1991); International Force East Timor Medal 2000; Afghanistan Medal 2004; Iraq Medal 2004; Australian Service Medal 1945-1975 (1995); Australian Service Medal 1975 onwards (1988); Defence Force Service Medal (1982); Defence Long Service Medal (1998); Australian Defence Medal (2006) (4); also UN Medal - (UNAMET/UNTAET/UNMISSET) (UN missions in East Timor); South Vietnam Campaign Medal 1964-72. The last medal repaired and in poor condition, all other medals uncirculated. (14)

\$130

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4823*

Trio: The Most Distinguished Order of St Michael and St George (Companion) neck badge; Jubilee Medal 1935; Coronation Medal 1937. All unnamed as issued but attributed to Sir Harry Budge. *The CMG in case by Garrard & Co Ltd and the medals in boxes of issue, extremely fine.*

\$1,000

Together with parchment certificate for the award of the CMG to Henry Sinclair Campbell Budge and an official letter advising of the appointment to the order; a large hinged lidded box (W24.5 x L22.5 x H8.5cm), marked on the lid with the gold blocked name, 'Sir Harry Budge' and British Royal coat-of-arms; a miniature of the Jubilee Medal in a small hinged lidded case.

Also entitled to a KBE conferred in 1935.

CMG: Supplement to LG 2/1/1928, p4, to Henry Sinclair Campbell Budge Esq., Official Secretary to the Governor and Clerk to the Executive Council, State of New South Wales.

Jubilee Medal: confirmed award to Sir Henry Sinclair Campbell Budge Kt, CMG, Civil Servant.

Coronation Medal: confirmed award to Sir Henry Sinclair Campbell Budge Kt, CMG, Commerce.

Henry 'Harry' Sinclair Campbell Budge entered the NSW public service in 1889 and was Personal Secretary to the NSW Governor Admiral Sir Harry Rawson from 1902 to 1905 and then Official Secretary from December 1905 through to June 1936 to Governors Rawson, Frederick Napier (Baron Chelmsford), Sir Gerald Strickland (Count della Catena), Sir Walter Davidson, Admiral Sir Dudley de Chair, Air Vice Marshall Sir Philip Game and Sir Alexander Hore-Ruthven. He died on 6 June 1946.

The following account of his funeral was published in The Daily Telegraph on Friday 7 June 1946, page 13.

Sir Harry Budge Buried Yesterday - Many leading citizens attended the funeral service of Sir Harry Budge at St. James' Church yesterday afternoon. Sir Harry Budge died on Wednesday at his home at Point Piper at the age of 73. He was official secretary to every State Governor from 1902 to 1936. Archbishop Mowll conducted the service. Chief mourners were two sons, W.O. Charles Budge and Dr. Alexander Budge, and three daughters, Mrs. Harold Cribb and Misses Sadie and Rosemary Budge.

The Premier (Mr. McKell) was represented by the Under-Secretary of the Premier's Department (Mr. J. W. Ferguson). Others present were the Leader of the State Country Party (Mr. M. F. Bruxner), Sir Henry Manning, and the Clerk of the Legislative Assembly (Mr. W. R. McCourt). Sir Harry Budge was buried at St. Thomas' Church of England Cemetery, Enfield.

Also see Lot 227.



4824*

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.*

\$320

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.

4825

Family Group: (Uncle) Queen's South Africa Medal 1899 (type 2 reverse with clear ghost dates), - four clasps - Cape Colony, Rhodesia, Orange Free State, Transvaal. 259. Tpr. A. Nolan. N.S.W. C.B.C. Renamed and engraved.; (Nephew) Trio: 1914-15 Star; British War Medal 1914-18; Victory Medal 1914-19. 2951 Pte R.G. Beal. 4/Bn. A.I.F. All medals impressed. *One single and a trio, two XXs scratched on each medal of the trio, otherwise very fine - good very fine.*

\$500

Ex Noble Numismatics Sale 69 (lot 1028).

(Uncle) Trooper Albert Edward Nolan, A Squadron, Citizen's Bushmen Contingent; Born at Gunnedah, NSW c1877; Emb.28Feb1900; to C Squadron and then Invalided to Australia 01Feb1901; killed at age 59 when crushed between two coal hoppers while working as a shunter at Cessnock No 2 Colliery on 18Mar1936.

(Nephew) Rupert George Beal, traveller, age 27, born at Newcastle, NSW; Enl.17Jul1915 at Liverpool, NSW, in 9Refts for 4Bn; Emb.30Sep1915; Trf to 56Bn 16Feb1916; TOS 14 MG Coy 10Mar1916; to School of Instruction at Zeitoun 01Apr1916; rejoined unit 23Apr1916; Trf to 1 Anzac Corps School 31Jul1917; various other postings and various hospitalisations for VD, cardiac dilation, deafness, pharyngitis, inflammation of larynx; RTA 10Jun1919; Disch.05Oct1919.

With research.



4826*

Group of Four to KIA: Queen's South Africa Medal 1899, (type 3 reverse), - four clasps - Cape Colony, Orange Free State, Transvaal, South Africa 1902; 1914-15 Star; British War Medal 1914-18; Victory Medal 1914-19. 2341 Pte D.Fulton. Highland L.I. on first medal, 726 Pte D.R.Fulton. 20 Bn. A.I.F. on second medal, 2-Lieut. D.R.Fulton. A.I.F. on last two medals. All medals impressed. *Very fine.*

\$1,500

David Roger Fulton, cellarman, 30, born at Paisley, Renfrenshire, Scotland; Enl.29Apr1915 at Liverpool, NSW, with 4 years 129 days service in Highland Light Infantry and 2 years 3 months in Australian Scottish (Newcastle) Corps; to Cpl 14Jul1915; Emb.26Jun1915; to MEF Gallipoli 16Aug1915; to BEF France 24Mar1916; to Sgt 27Jul1917; to 2/Lt 29Sep1917; KIA 06Nov1917, Belgium - officer letter - 'On the night of 6/7th November '17 this officer had a fatigue party at a ration dump between Polygon Wood and Retaliation Farm (Map Sheet Polygon Wood or Zonnebeke 1/20,000). He was hit by a shell which killed him instantly. I think he was buried where he fell.'; commemorated at Menin Gate Memorial.



4827*

Group of Five: Queen's South Africa Medal 1899, (type 2 reverse with very faint trace of ghost date), - five clasps - Cape Colony, Orange Free State, Johannesburg, Diamond Hill, Belfast; 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. 36 Pte J.H.Swanson, Sth. Australian M.R. on first medal, 615 Serjt: J.H.Swanson. S. Aust: I.B. on second medal, 3501 Pte J.H.Swanson. 10/Bn. A.I.F. on third medal, 3501 SQMS: J.H.Swanson 10 Bn. A.I.F. on last two medals. All medals impressed. *Display mounted, very fine.*

\$5,000

James Hamilton Swanson, born Adelaide, Sth Aust 27Aug1881; served in Sth Aust Forces as a gunner in Machine Gun Corp; Enl.Oct1899 as a Private in 1 SAMR; RTA on Harlech Castle; Re-Enl.1901 as Sergeant with 6SAIB; WWI: Enl.16Jul1915 at Keswick, Sth Aust at age 33 with occupation stated as stevedore and previous service of 3 years in Victorian School Cadets as well as other service in Sth Aust and Sth Africa; Emb.27Oct1915; TOS 50Bn 29Feb1916; to 4th Field Bakery 20Mar1916; to 1st Field Bakery 27Jul1916 and to Cpl; to Sgt 28Jul1916; to Staff Sgt 03Aug1916; to SQMS 15Oct1918; RTA 03Jul1919; Disch.14Oct1919.

It was reported in the Advertiser (Adelaide) Fri 14Jan1927, p15 that Charles Swanson had died at Norwood. It stated that he had been employed by the South Australian Railways and had been one of the foundation members of the South African Soldiers' Association of South Australia. He was buried at the West Terrace Cemetery.

With research.

4828

Father and Son Group: (Father) Trio: Queen's South Africa Medal 1899, (type 3 reverse) - three clasps - Cape Colony, Orange Free State, Transvaal; Natal Medal 1906 - clasp - 1906; Coronation Medal 1902 (EVIIR). Bug. B.Mundy 1 Essex Reg 1329 (with partial correction) on first medal, Pte B.Mundy, Natal Rangers on second medal, B.Mundy Pte on third medal. First medal re-named, second medal impressed, third medal engraved.; (Son) Group of Four: Pacific Star; 1939-45 Star; War Medal 1939-45; Australia Service Medal 1939-45. VX 107049 F.G.Mundy. First and second medals engraved, third and fourth impressed. *Fine - extremely fine.*

\$600

Son: WO 1 Class Frederick George Mundy, butcher, born 25Jul1920 in Northcote, Vic; Enl.23Jul1942; Disch.27Feb1946.

Together with ribbon bars, Identity discs (2) to VX107049/Mundy/F G/CE on chain, Female Relative's badge with single star A245408, War Savings Certificates Voluntary Worker pin backed badge in gilt and enamel, St John Ambulance War Service badge with 'Australia' bar in gilt and enamel numbered 6126 on reverse, Rising Sun collar badge, 9ct gold fob chain with handcrafted masonic fob (8.5g), masonic teutonic cross tie pin.



4829*

Pair: Queen's South Africa Medal 1899, (type 2 reverse), - five clasps - Modder River, Relief of Kimberley, Paardeberg, Driefontein, Transvaal; King's South Africa Medal 1902, - two clasps - South Africa 1901, South Africa 1902. 27 Tpr: O.A.Taylor, Australian Horse on first medal, Lieut: O.Taylor. N.S.W.M.R. on second medal. Both medals impressed (see footnote). *Court mounted, contact marks, good fine.*

\$3,500

Note: Service number area seems to have been adjusted and the number 27 which is impressed is different to the number 811 on medal roll although next to this number on the roll is a circled number 29. Perhaps the medal naming worker has inserted 811, thought he made an error, then removed it and in trying to put 29 has made another error and inserted 27.

Ex R.Dalton in March 1992 and Noble Numismatics Sale 122 (lot 3659).

811 Trooper Owen Albert Taylor, 1st Aust Horse; Emb.14Nov1899 from Newcastle, NSW and arrived at Cape Town 13Dec1899; WIA 10Mar1900 at Battle of Driefontein; Enl. in 3rd NSW Mounted Rifles as Sgt in A Sqdn; promoted to Lieut 28Feb1901; Emb.05Apr1901 to Durban; 25Apr1902 subject to a serious charge re improper conduct at Villiersdorp; RTA 04May1902.

On 25 April 1902 Colonel Rimington CB wrote to the Assistant Adjutant General Colonial Forces, Pretoria and stated,

'I have the honour to bring to your attention the conduct of the two officers named in the margin (Lieut O.Taylor and Lieut H.Waters 3d NSWMR), with a view to their receiving no further employment in this country.

On marching through Villiersburg from South to North on 13th instant, special precautions were taken to protect the houses of two Boer women, who had on several occasions been of use to His Majesty's Forces by giving information. These women were given orders by my intelligence officer protecting their property, and were also given small presents of sugar, coffee, etc. Military Mounted Police were posted on their houses to protect them. As the rear guard passed through the town these police were withdrawn.

The two rear troops which were commanded by the two officers in question, instead of continuing on with the remainder of the rear guard, and taking up a position on the heights overlooking the town from the North, as they should have done, stopped behind and headed by their officers, looted and set on fire the houses of these women, and robbed them of their money and their groceries. Both officers were shown the protecting passes by the women, and they threw them to one side. My Assistant Provost Marshall had to return and clear them out of the town. One of the women had a cross in her house which had been left with her by the O.C. 3rd N.S.W.M.R. to put over the grave of a man of this regiment, who had been buried in the neighbourhood. This had the man's name and regiment painted on it, and was shown to these officers.

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I was not present with my column at the time or I should have had both these officers tried by Field General Court Martial, the officer temporarily in command gave them a public reprimand. I am sending a similar letter to this to the authorities in Australia.'

On 4 May 1902 Lieutenant M.R.Mecham claimed that the women had wrongly identified Lieutenant Waters and it was in fact Mecham who had gone to the women's houses.

In his defence, on board H.M. Transport 'Aurania' on 4 May 1902 Lieutenant Taylor wrote,

'I have the honour to state that on 13th April, when I was in charge of one of the rear troops of Colonel Rimington's Column, I was directed by Major Bennett to burn the houses in Villiersdorp, if not under police protection. As the houses were not so protected when I came to them, I acted on the General Orders which I had received during the drive and proceeded to burn them. Before however any damage had been done I was informed by the acting Provost Marshall that these houses were protected and at once withdrew my men.

I saw no protection passes as stated by the women. One house was burnt by Lieutenant Mecham and not by Lieutenant Waters as stated by the women. The house I went to was not burnt. As far as I know the woman who protected our comrades grave and buried him was not interfered with in any way.'

No further action was taken by the authorities in this matter.

With considerable research.



4830*

Pair: Queen's South Africa Medal 1899 (type 2 reverse with clear ghost dates), - four clasps - Cape Colony, Orange Free State, Transvaal, South Africa 1901; New South Wales Fire Brigade Long Service and Good Conduct Medal. 2382 Gr.C.Murray, N.S.W. Art. on first medal, C.Murray 20:3:1918 on second medal. First medal impressed, the second medal engraved. *Display mounted, light scratches on first, otherwise toned very fine.*

\$1,800

Gunner Cameron Murray, A Battery, RAust Arty; Emb.30Dec1899; RTA reaching Sydney 15Sep1901; discovered his wife had developed an alcohol problem while he was serving overseas; left the Army and joined the NSW Fire Brigade Mar1903; sued for divorce in 1911; in 1918 he was Instructor of NSW Fire Brigades.

With research.



4831*

Family Group: (Father) Pair: Natal Rebellion Medal 1907, - clasp - 1906; British War Medal 1914-18. Tpr: D.Goslett, Roystons Horse. on first medal, 106 Pte D.B.Goslett. A.N.&M.E.F. on second medal.; (Son) Group of Four: 1939-45 Star; Pacific Star; War Medal 1939-45; Australia Service Medal 1939-45. Third medal a replacement with name erased, VX104756 D.K.Goslett on the other three medals. The Natal Medal naming area has been worked on and then impressed with an engraved correction to 'E' in surname, all other named medals impressed. *Display mounted in two groups, fine - extremely fine.*

\$1,500

Ex Regal Coin Company in March 1981 and Noble Numismatics Sale 122 (lot 3663).

Father: Duncan Beresford Goslett, motor driver, age 30, born at Mortlake, Vic; Enl.09Nov1914 at Melbourne, Vic in 3rd Batt. N. and M. Forces, previous service 3 years 186 days Natal Field Arty, 3 months Roystons Horse and 2 years Natal Naval Volunteers; Emb.28Nov1914; RTA 06Dec1915 from Rabaul; Disch.23Dec1915; Enl.01Feb1916 for service in Australia and appt'd Recruiting Sgt; Trf to Town Hall Recruiting Depot and reduced rank to A/Cpl 09Aug1916; Disch.15Nov1916 due to reduction in staff; died 26Feb1953 and buried at Spring Vale Cemetery, Melbourne, Vic. (British War Medal 1914-18 is only medal entitlement for WWI.)

Son: Duncan Keith Goslett, born 02Jul1920 at Warracknabeal, Vic; Enl.29Jul1942 In the Field, Qld; Disch.17Jun1947 as Cpl ex 10 Field Amb.

With research including father's Service File.

Group to Highly Decorated Senior Officer
3rd Ashore with 9th Battalion at Gallipoli then WIA



4832*

Family Group: (Brother 1) Group of Seven to Senior Officer WIA at Gallipoli: Companion of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath (Military); Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of St Michael and St George; Distinguished Service Order (KC); 1914-15 Star; British War Medal 1914-18; Victory Medal 1914-19 (MIDx7); Colonial Auxiliary Forces Officer's Decoration. The first three medals unnamed as issued, Major. J.C.Robertson. 10/Bn. A.I.F. on fourth medal, T/Brig Gen. J.C.Robertson. A.I.F. on fifth medal, T-Brig-General. J.C.Robertson. A.I.F. on sixth medal, Brig. Gen. J.C.Robertson 7th Inf. Bde. 31.5.23. on last medal. The last medal engraved, all other named medals impressed.; (Brother 2) Pair to DOW at Gallipoli: 1914-15 Star; Victory Medal 1914-19. 378 Pte G.H.Robertson 2/L.H. Regt A.I.F. on first medal, 378 Pte G.H.Robertson. 2 L.H.R. A.I.F. on second medal, also WWI Memorial Plaque named to Gordon Holmes Robertson. *The first group display mounted and very fine, the second group unmounted and very fine, all stored in a large fold-over satchel (32x45cm) containing various other related items.*

\$50,000

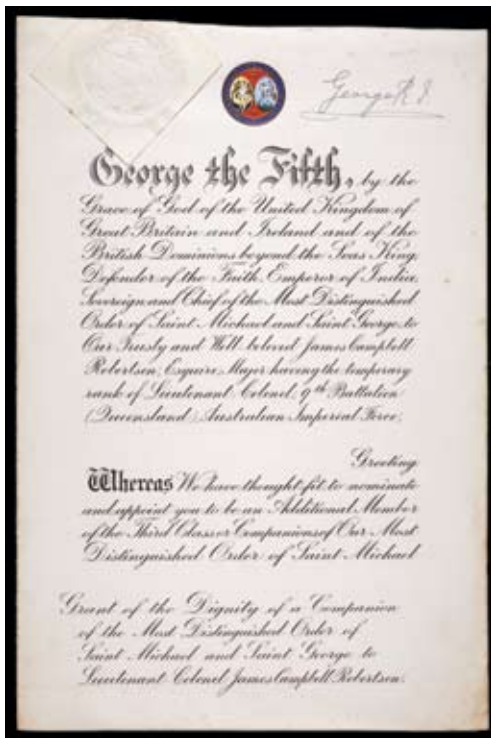


Together with a matching set of unmounted miniatures for first group, the orders in 18ct **gold** and enamel; two signet rings in 18ct **gold** and bearing the Robertson family crest; Army Officer's hat by maker Philip Joseph, Melbourne, fitted with General Staff Officer oxidised bronze hat badge (KC); Queensland Mounted Infantry hat badge (QVC) (Grebert p214); 24 Queensland Mounted Infantry hat badge (KC) 1900-30 (Cossum 65); General Staff Officer hat badge (KC) 1900-30 (Cossum 155); 25 Darling Downs Infantry hat badge 1930-42 (Cossum p19d); 25 Darling Downs Infantry collar badge 1930-42 (Cossum p19d); 11 Light Horse Regiment (Darling Downs) collar badge 1930-42 (Cossum p8b); metal title for Australia in brass (2), Aust Light Horse, QMI, 14/ALH/QMI; General Staff Officer metal shoulder badge, collar badge and collar gorgets (2); A (Anzac) metal badge; Anzac Onward badge (KC) in silvered and enamel; General Staff buttons 1912-48(4, two large, two small) (Cossum p38b) ; original School of Instruction certificate to Captain J.C.Robertson 18/3/13; Letter of Introduction from Minister of External Affairs dated 1 Feb 1910 for visit to New Zealand and South America by Captain J.C.Robertson accompanied by his brother; Gen Birdwood's autograph on an Australian Comforts Fund card.

Also included is a book titled *The War Diary of Brigadier James Campbell Robertson CB CMG DSO VD*, hardcover 268pp. This book was printed in 2019 with a grant from the Centenary Committee with approximately 100 soft cover copies and 2-3 hardcover copies issued.

CMG: Original Certificate for award of CMG to Lt-Col James Campbell Robertson together with original booklet, The Statutes of The Most Distinguished Order of St Michael and St George. Awarded 10 October 1915. LG 5/11/1915.

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DSO: Original Certificate for the award of the Distinguished Order to Col (Temp Brig-Gen) J.C. Robertson CMG together with original booklet, The Statutes of the Distinguished Service Order. Awarded 1 June 1917. Sixth Supplement to LG 1/6/1917; CAG No.169 4/10/1917 - 'reward for distinguished service in the Field'.

CB: Original Certificate for the award of the CB (Mil Div) to Col (temp Brig Gen) James Campbell Robertson CMG, DSO together with original booklet, Statutes of The Most Honourable Order of the Bath 1925. Awarded 1 June 1919. Fifth Supplement to LG 3/6/1917; CAG No.109 15/9/1919 - 'for valuable services rendered in connection with military operations in France and Flanders'.

Awarded MID (7 times).

Supplement to LG 5/11/1915; Military Order No.44 of 1916.

Second Supplement to LG 2/1/1917; CAG No.103 29/6/1917.

Second Supplement to LG 1/6/1917; CAG No.169 4/10/1917.

Second Supplement to LG 25/12/1917; CAG No.57 18/4/1918.

Fourth Supplement to LG 28/5/1918; CAG No.165 24/10/1918.

Fifth Supplement to LG 27/12/1918; CAG No.61 23/5/1919.

Eighth Supplement to LG 11/7/1919; CAG No.124 30/10/1919.

CAFD: CAG No.37 31/5/1923 to Col. (Hon Brig. Gen.) J.C. Robertson CB, CMG, DSO, 7th Infy bde, 1st MD.

James Campbell Robertson, freeholder, age 35, born at Toowoomba, Qld; applied for a commission in AIF 16Aug1914 while an officer in AMF (14LH commissioned service 28Aug1903 to 31Jan1910; Area Officer 01Nov1910 to 06Jul1912; CO of 11Infy 06Jul1912 to date); Emb.24Sep1914; 25Apr1915 landed with covering force of 3Bde at Anzac, Gallipoli and WIA at Gaba Tepe GSW arm (in the history of the 9th Battalion, 'Campaigning With The Fighting 9th' by C.M.Wrench, Brisbane, Boolarong, 1985, the author writes, 'The first man ashore on the peninsular was Lt Chapman of the 9th followed closely by Colonel Lee, Major Robertson, Major Salisbury, Captain Ryder, Dr Butler and men from the leading boat'); returned to Gallipoli 30May1915 and appt'd Command 9Infy Bn; promoted Lt-Col 01Jun1915; active ops Knifeboard Trenches 28Jun1915; supported attack 11Bn at Leanes Trench 31Jul1915; to hospital 09Sep1915 with enteric; OC troops 'Argylshire' Alexandria to Lemnos 13Nov1915; rejoined 9 Infy Bn and took command 24Nov1915; appt'd Temp CO 3 Infy Bde till 01Jan1916; 27Jan1916 Canal Defences East of Serapeum till 08Mar1916; to France 26Mar1916; defensive ops Petillion Sector 20Apr1916; defensive ops Levante Sector 19May to 20Jun1916; successful raid enemy trenches 01Jul1916; heavy active ops Pozieres 22-26Jul1916; defensive ops Moquet

Farm 19-22Aug1916; defensive ops Ypres Sector 12Sep to 08Oct1916; defensive ops Flers (Somme) 09-18Nov1916; appt'd to command 12 Infy Bde 19Nov1916; promoted to Colonel and Temp Brig-Gen 01Dec1916; defensive ops Guidecourt Sector including 3 successive and successful attacks on Stormy Trench 07Jan1917; thrown from horse, sprained ankle CCS for fortnight 24Mar1917; active ops Hindenburg Line at Bullecourt 11Apr 1917; active ops Messines 13Jun1917; defensive ops Ploegsteert Wood 29Jun1917; defensive ops Wytschaete Sector 07-22Aug1917; defensive ops Ypres Sector 25-30 Sep1917; active ops Passchendaele Sector 09-14Oct and again 19-20Oct1917; temporarily in command 4 Aust Div 04-14Nov1917; 2 months leave granted 25Nov1917; sailed from Sydney as OC troops H.M.T.Runic 21Mar1918; appt'd Director of Training, AIF Depots in UK 04Jun1918; appt'd to command 6 Infy Bde 18Jul1918; defensive and minor active ops Villiers-Brettoneaux 20Jul1918; active ops Villiers-Brettoneaux 08Aug1918; active ops Herleville 12-19Aug1918; advance south of Somme 27Aug1918; active ops and capture Mt St Quentin 01Sep1918; active ops and capture Mont Brehain 03Oct1918; temporarily in command 2 Aust Div 08Oct to 01Dec1918 and again 08Mar to 01Apr1919; appt'd to command No 2 Australian Concentration Depot, Sutton Veny 02Apr1919; temporary commanded AIF Depots in UK 19Jun to 08Jul1919; RTA 02Jan1920; Appt Terminated 02Mar1920; Died at his home in Toowoomba, Qld 22Jan1951 and was buried the following day at Toowoomba Cemetery; three streets in Toowoomba are named in his honour, James Street, Campbell Street and Robertson Street; a portrait painting by Sir John Longstaff of Brig-Gen Robertson is in the Australian War Memorial, Canberra, ACT.

Brother: Gordon Holmes Robertson, grazier, age 29, born at Toowoomba, Qld; Enl.19Aug1914 at Toowoomba, Qld in 2ALH Regt; Emb.24Sep1914; to Gallipoli 09May1915; WIA GSW abdomen at Gaba Tepe, Gallipoli and DOW 13May1915; buried at sea 3 miles off Gallipoli 14May1915 by chaplain of HMS London.

The following tribute was published in Brig-Gen Robertson's home state newspaper, the Warwick Daily News on Tuesday 23 January 1951, page 3.

Brig.-Gen. J. C. Robertson Dead

TOOWOOMBA: Brigadier-General James Campbell Robertson, distinguished soldier and company director and for a lifetime associated with the progress of Toowoomba, died at his home, Fairholme Street, early yesterday morning. He was born in Toowoomba on October 24, 1878, being a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Robertson. After attending the Toowoomba North State School and the Toowoomba Grammar School he was associated with his father in the printing business of J. H. Robertson and Co., Ruthven Street. Early in life he took an active interest in military affairs, and obtained his commission in the 14th Australian Light Horse when he was in his twenties.

Brigadier-General Robertson was married in 1911 to Ada Elizabeth Godsall, eldest daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. R. Godsall. His wife died in 1942. There were two sons, Major A. C. Robertson, and Ian, who died when eight years old. He is survived by three sisters, Mrs. R. G. Wonderley, Campbell Street, Toowoomba, Mrs. W. Mole (Southport) and Miss Jessie Robertson (Toowoomba), who patiently nursed him in his illness. The late general's brother, Gordon Robertson, was killed, at Gallipoli.

Three days after the declaration of World War I Brigadier-General Robertson left Toowoomba in charge of a contingent of volunteers, and with the rank of major took up the position of second in command of the Ninth Battalion, A.I.F. He was at the landing at Gallipoli, was wounded there, and was invalided to Lemnos. He returned to Gallipoli and was present at the evacuation. He subsequently was transferred to the command of the 12th Brigade, A.I.F., and took part in many big engagements on the Somme. It was at the battle of Mont St. Quentin in August, 1918, that Brigadier-General Robertson gained added distinction. After World War I he was appointed to take charge of the demobilisation of Australian forces aboard. On his return to Australia he was made an honorary colonel of the 25th Battalion Darling Downs Regiment, of which his son, Major A. C. Robertson, is at present second in command.

He was 37 years associated with the Darling Downs Building Society, and at one period was secretary of the Toowoomba Permanent Building Society. He was chairman of trustees of the Toowoomba Grammar School for a number of years. He was first appointed a director of the Toowoomba Gas and Coke Co. in 1914, and became chairman of directors in 1921, a position which he held at the time of his death. He was also closely associated with the Royal Agricultural Society, Legacy Club, R.S.S.A.I.L.A., Chamber of Commerce, Toowoomba Golf Club and several other local organisations. At one time he represented Queensland at polo. He was also a keen golfer.

Together with a very large volume of research and numerous photographs.



4833*

Group of Five: 1914-15 Star; British War Medal 1914-18; Victory Medal 1914-19; Delhi Durbar Medal 1911, in silver; Army Long Service and Good Conduct Medal (GVR type A with swivelling suspender). 1141 W.O.(Cl.2.) E.A.Parker. 2/F.A.Bde. A.I.F. on first medal, Lieut. E.A.Parker. A.I.F. on second and third medals, 10861 B.Q.M.Sjt: E.A.Parker. R.F.A. on last two medals. All medals impressed except the fourth which is engraved. *Ribbons dirty, otherwise very fine - good very fine.*

\$650

Together with Returned from Active Service (AIF) badge, reverse inscribed, E.A.Parker, and with impressed number 60105.

Edward Alfred Parker, age 33, born at Devonport, Devon, England; WWI: Enl.15Aug1914 as Staff Sgt Major at St Kilda, Vic, with previous service of 18 years with Instructional Staff, RFA; to Warrant Officer 20Sep1914; Emb.20Oct1914; joined BEF 08Apr1915 and to Gallipoli; to 2/Lieut 12Jul1915; A/Adjutant 2 FArty Bde 23Jul1915; to hospital with colitis 14Aug1915; placed on supernumerary list of officers 22Nov1915; to Lieut 08Dec1915; RTA 19Jan1916 as Medically Unfit; Appt terminated 26Jun1916; in 1935 Edward Parker was residing in Orlando, Florida, USA; Died 15Mar1956.

With copy of Service File stored in a binder.



4834*

Group of Four: 1914-15 Star; British War Medal 1914-18; Victory Medal 1914-19; Serbian Milos Obilic Medal for Bravery (Gold Class). 2067 Pte L.J.Owen 6/Bn A.I.F. on Star, 2067 Sgt L.J.Owen 6/Bn A.I.F. on second and third medals, last medal unnamed. Named medals impressed. *Good - good very fine and rare.*

\$2,500

Serbian Medal: LG 15/2/1917, p1611; CAG 25/7/1917, p1543 'Awarded gold medal by the King of Serbia in recognition of Distinguished Service rendered during M.E.F. Campaign'.

Llewellyn Joshua Owen, Operating Clerk, age 19yrs, born Sandhurst, Vic; Enl.18Sep1914 at Bendigo; Emb to join MEF Alexandria (Gallipoli Campaign) 05May1915; WIA 12May1915 Dardanelles, GSW leg; Appt L/Cpl 29Sep1916; promoted to Cpl 30Nov1916 and then to Sgt 26Jun1917; RTA 24Sep1918; Disch.24Jan1919.

With research.



Son: Peter Horace Bizley, born 22Nov1927 at Prahran, Vic; Joined RAN 22Jul1946; Served on minesweeper HMAS Warrnambool from 14Jan1947 until 13Sep1947 when she was sunk while minesweeping the Great Barrier Reef to clear mines laid during WWII; AB P.Bizley was one of those injured and was admitted to Greenslopes Hospital in Brisbane; Re-Enl.30Jun1950; served in Korea as Able Seaman on HMAS Murchison 09May1951 to 19Feb1952; Disch.29Jun1956

With copy of father's Service File together with photos and other paperwork including some for his son, all stored in a binder.

4836

Family Group: (1st and 2nd Brothers) WWI Trio (includes 2 medals to one brother and one medal to another brother): 1914-15 Star; British War Medal 1914-18; Victory Medal 1914-19. 2769 Pte J.O'Connell. 20/Bn. A.I.F. on first medal, 4696 Pte. P.O'Connell. 53-Bn. A.I.F. on second medal, 2769 Pte. J.O'Connell 20 Bn. A.I.F. on third medal. All medals impressed. *Swing mounted, medals lacquered, otherwise fine.*; (3rd Brother) WWII Group of Six: 1939-45 Star; Africa Star, - clasp - 8th Army; Pacific Star; Defence Medal 1939-45; War Medal 1939-45; Australia Service Medal 1939-45. NX21015 H.O'Connell. All medals impressed. *Swing mounted, some contact marks on fourth medal, otherwise good very fine.*

\$350

Together with box of issue with pamphlet indicating above awards and with spare ribbons; also an unconnected court mounted pair of miniatures for Australian Defence Medal and Centenary of National Service Medal.

All three soldiers were brothers. James and Phillip O'Connell, who served in World War I, both show their address as 6 Little Burton Street, Darlinghurst. Harold O'Connell, who served in WWII, initially showed his sister as his next of kin but later changed this to his brother, Phillip O'Connell.

2769 James O'Connell, packer, age 19, born at Sydney, NSW; Enl.13Aug1915 at Holsworthy, NSW with previous service in Naval Reserve; Emb.02Nov1915; TOS 56Bn at Tel-el-Kebir 16Feb1916; TOS 13FArty & posted to 51Bty 17Mar1916; admitted to VD hospital 24Feb1917 and Disch.07Apr1917 (total 43 days); Died of disease (cerebro spinal meningitis) 31Jul1917; Buried at Military Cemetery, Tidworth, England.

4696 Phillip O'Connell, storeman, age 31, born at Sydney, NSW; Enl.14Jan1917 at Sydney, NSW with previous service of 21 days in AIF (discharged 23Sep1915 medically unfit at wife's request); Emb.31Oct1917; TOS 53Bn 02Jan1918; WIA 02Sep1918; declared to be illegal absentee from 11Jan1919 until RTA 17Mar1919; Disch.06Aug1919.

NX21015 Harold O'Connell, labourer, age 21, born at Sydney, NSW; Enl.23May1940 at Paddington, Sydney, NSW; served in Middle East 19Oct1940-27Feb1942 and Borneo 08Apr1945-16Sep1945 with 2/13Bn and 2/24Bn; Disch.19Nov1945; Died 08Sep1968.

4837

Trio to WIA: 1914-15 Star; British War Medal 1914-18; Victory Medal 1914-19. 2675 Pte T.J.C.Gannon 20/Bn. A.I.F. on first medal, Lieut. T.J.C.Gannon. A.I.F. on last two medals. All medals impressed. *Display mounted, toned, otherwise nearly extremely fine.*

\$350

Ex Noble Numismatics Sale 117 (lot 5174).

Thomas James Carnett Gannon, bank accountant, age 21, born at Auburn, Sydney, NSW; Enl.17Jul1915 at Liverpool, NSW with 3 years in Senior Cadets and currently serving as Sergeant with 40 Bn of the CMF; Emb.02Nov1915 with 6th Reinf to 20 Bn; to 56 Bn at Tel-el-Kebir 16Feb1916; to Sgt 27Jun1916; to 2/Lt 09Aug1916 and TOS 59 Bn; to Lieut 14Feb1917; to Medical Board (in the field) with neurasthenia 13May1918 and then returned to duty; WIA 29Aug1918 GSW face and left leg, France; RTA 10Jun1919; Disch.28Sep1919; Died 07Sep1969 at Sydney, NSW.

With copy of service file and photos of family graves.



4835*

Family Group: (Father) Group of Six: 1914-15 Star; British War Medal 1914-18; Victory Medal 1914-19; Defence Medal 1939-45; War Medal 1939-45; Australia Service Medal 1939-45. 44 Pte L.W.Bizley 8/L.H.Rgt. A.I.F. on first medal, 44 Sgt L.W.Bizley. 8/L.H.Rgt. A.I.F. on second and third medals, B3/335 L.W.Bizley on last three medals. All medals impressed.; (Son) Trio: Naval General Service Medal (GVIR Fid:DeF), - clasp - Minesweeping 1945-51; Korea Medal 1950-53; United Nations Korea Medal 1950-53. 31338 P.H.Bizley. All medals impressed. *Some medals with contact marks, otherwise very fine.*

\$2,500

Together with ANZAC Commemorative Medallion, in bronze (50x75mm) (C.1915/3), issued in 1967, engraved, 'L.W.Bizley', in case of issue.

Father: Leonard William Bizley, accountant, born 08Mar1894 at Sandgate, Qld; WWI: Enl.09Sep1914 at Melbourne, Vic while serving in CMF; Emb. to Gallipoli 16May1915; WIA GSW left ankle 07Aug1915 at the Nek, Gallipoli; RTA 12Dec1915; Disch.23Mar1916 as Medically Unfit; Re-Enl.01Aug1917 in AIF, with 6 years service in CMF, 19 months in AIF and at the time Lieut in 13th Gippsland Light Horse; Appt to Sea Transport Service 13Aug1917; Disemb.19Oct1917 at Suez and TOS of AIF; RTA 27Oct1917; Appt terminated 16Feb1918. WWII: Enl.05Jul1940 at Melbourne, Vic in CMF (V8083) (Note: medal entitlement sheet shows number as B3/335) and appt Lieut; to T/Capt 15Oct1941; to Captain 01Sep1942; Disch.03May1944 ex 2 Infy Training School and placed on Retired List (3MD); trf to Retired List (1MD) 06Nov1947.



4838*

Trio to KIA: 1914-15 Star; British War Medal 1914-18; Victory Medal 1914-19. 1584 Pte D.Lamond. 2/Bn. A.I.F. on first medal, 1584 Pte. D.Lamond. 2-Bn. A.I.F. on second medal, 1584 Pte. D.Lamond 2 Bn. A.I.F. on last medal. All medals impressed. *Good very fine.*

\$2,000

Together with WWI Memorial Plaque, named to David Lamond, in original fold-over cover and with note from the King; Mother's and Widow's Ribbon (AIF), one star, number 12214 on reverse of pin-back suspension bar; original letter to Mrs D.Lamond dated 2nd October 1917 advising of the death of Private D.Lamond; Thursday Island postcard (damaged) written to Mrs D.Lamond (wife), postmarked at Valletta, Malta 17 Ap 15 and then postmarked at Portland NSW 20 May15 for re-direction to Kogarah, NSW; small tablecloth featuring a bulldog standing on a Union Jack flag but with white background and red cross and diagonal stripes, also with a few ships and an aeroplane around and below, "Staunch and True" (flag with some tears); two copies of Service File and other research.

David Lamond, quarryman, age 30, born at Sydney, NSW; Enl.25Nov1914 at Liverpool, NSW in 2Bn; Emb.05Apr1915 to join MEF at Gallipoli; reported missing 02May1915 at Gallipoli; after a Court of Inquiry held at Rouen, France 3-5Sep1917 was declared KIA at Gallipoli; Finding confirmed by Lt-Gen W.R.Birdwood 23Sep1917. In September 1915 it was reported that Pte David Lamond's brothers, Pte Sidney Lamond and Pte Alec Lamond, both died of wounds received at Gallipoli. Another brother, Stewart Lamond (enlisted 23.8.15), was in camp in Liverpool, NSW and did serve overseas and returned to Australia.

It is of interest that in May 1914 David Lamond was charged with attempting to commit suicide at Bexley by taking strychnine. At the court hearing Constable Adams gave evidence that about midnight on May 28 he saw Lamond at his residence in Harrow Road when he told him he had taken strychnine. He conveyed him to hospital. The accused pleaded guilty and explained that about four months ago he underwent an operation and had since suffered with severe pains. On the day of the offence he suffered more than usual and took the poison on the spur of the moment. He said he would not do it again. The Magistrate sentenced him to one hour's imprisonment but permitted the accused to leave the court forthwith.



4839*

Family Group: (Father) Trio: 1914-15 Star; British War Medal 1914-18; Victory Medal 1914-19. 371 Pte P.J.O'Sullivan. 2/L.H.Rgt. A.I.F. on first two medals, 371 Pte P.J.O'Sullivan. 2 L.H.R. A.I.F. on last medal. All medals impressed.; (Son) Trio: 1939-45 Star; War Medal 1939-45; Australia Service Medal 1939-45. First medal unnamed, QX31965 E.J.O'Sullivan on last two medals. The named medals impressed. *All medals display mounted as a group, the third medal with reverse showing, very fine - nearly uncirculated.*

\$750

Together with King's Silver War Badge, reverse numbered A59042; WWII Returned from Active Service badge, reverse numbered A338161; RSL member's badge (KC) (3 figure type), reverse numbered 025201; Rising Sun hat badge (KC) in bronze; Certificate of Discharge for QX31965 Private Eric James O'Sullivan, records War Badge R.A.S. No. A338161 (see above).

E.J.O'Sullivan entitled to 1939-45 Star and Pacific Star which, in February 1984, his wife declared were presumably lost during flooding in 1974 but she was advised that replacements could not be issued as the recipient, her husband, had passed away and replacements could only be issued to the original recipient. It appears she has purchased an unnamed 1939-45 Star but not a Pacific Star.

Father: Philip Joseph O'Sullivan, blacksmith, age 35, born at Blackwater, County Kerry, Ireland; Enl.01Sep1914 at Brisbane, Qld in 2 Light Horse; Appt Shoeing Smith 24Sep1914; Emb.24Sep1914; arrived in Egypt 06Dec1914; revert to Pte 04Nov1915; Appt Shoeing Smith 29Dec1915 (the movements in appointments being the subject of an investigation and subsequent ruling); fought at Battle of Romani 03-05Aug1916; reported ill at Romania 05Sep1916; to hospital with malaria & anaemia 19Sep1916; RTA 21Nov1916; Disch.14Feb1917 Medically Unfit; Died 12Nov1936 at Brisbane, Qld and was buried at Toowong Cemetery.

Son: Eric James O'Sullivan, wardsman, age 30, born at Brisbane, Qld; Enl.04May1942 at Brisbane, Qld; Emb.28Aug1942; TOS 2/12 Bn 11Sep1942 which captured Goodenough Island in Oct1942 and then operated a 'Ghost' force to bluff the enemy from using it as a forward base; RTA Dec1942 and was suffering with malaria; returned to New Guinea and fought at Buna, attacking Giropa Point 01Jan1943 and then at Sanananda; RTA Mar1943; to Port Moresby and deployed to Lae to fight in Finisterre Mountains, Shaggy Ridge and the Ramu Valley; RTA and sent to Townsville in Jun1944 with malaria; temp located with 2/25 Aust Transport Platoon but evacuated again with malaria to Townsville; Disch.17Apr1946 as Private ex 2/12 Aust Infy Bn; Died 25Aug1977 at Brisbane, Qld and was buried at Bridgeman Downs, Brisbane City, Qld

With copies of both Service Files and other research.

4840

Trio: 1914-15 Star; British War Medal 1914-18; Victory Medal 1914-19. 6596 S/Sjt P.J.Heffernan. 8/F Amb. A.I.F. on first medal, H/Lieut. P.J.Heffernan. A.I.F. on last two medals. All medals impressed. *Swing mounted, ribbons aged, otherwise good very fine.*

\$300

Together with Returned from Active Service badge (AIF), reverse numbered 166043, pin-back; Returned Sailors & Soldiers Imperial League badge, 2 figure type, with (19)32 overlay on KC.

Patrick John Heffernan, chemist, age 24, born at Toowoomba, Qld; Enl.05May1915 at Liverpool, NSW in 8th Field Ambulance; to Staff Sgt 13Aug1915; Emb.10Nov1915; to France 28Aug1916; Trf & TOS 3AGH 19Sep1918; to Hon Lieutenant & Pharmacist, 3AGH, 19Sep1918; RTA 01Jul1919; Appt Terminated 13Oct1919; Died 10Sep1938; After a requiem mass at Our Lady of Dolours Church at Chatswood, Sydney, NSW on 12Sep1938 was buried at the Northern Suburbs Catholic Cemetery.



4841*

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.*

\$650

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.



4842*

Pair: British War Medal 1914-18; Army Meritorious Service Medal (GVR type A with swivelling suspender). 6534 Cpl J.Marr. 17 A.S.C. A.I.F. on first medal, 6534 Cpl J.Marr. 57/Aust:Inf: on second medal. Both medals impressed. A few contact marks on second medal, otherwise toned good very fine.

\$1,500

Entitled to 1914-15 Star and Victory Medal 1914-19.

MSM: LG 17/6/1918, p7179; CAG 7/11/1918, p2114, to Corporal James Marr, 57 Aust Infy Bn.

Recommendation by Brig-Gen H.E. 'Pompey' Elliott, Commanding 15th Infy Bde: During the period 22nd September to 25th February 1918, Corporal Marr has acted in the capacity of Transport N.C.O. His work often means long hours out but his devotion to duty has meant the successful completion of many important tasks entrusted to him, such as taking ammunition or special stores to the forward area. In an excellent manner he carried out his duties during the operations at Polygon Wood, East of Ypres, September and October 1917, when he was charged with the duty of getting supplies through congested traffic and enemy shelling. In addition to this, he often was detailed to get through special ammunition or stores, and R.E. materials to forward points as required. His trustworthiness has been of great help to the HQ side of the Brigade Staff during operations in the line, or on the move.

James Marr, station hand, age 26, born at Fovran, Aberdeen, Scotland; Enl.16Jan1915 at Longreach, Qld; Emb.26Jun1915; TOS 57Bn at Tel-el-Kebir 15Mar1916; appt'd Driver 18Apr1916; temp attached to 15 Infy Bde HQs 04May1916; to France 25Jun1916 with 57Bn; to Cpl 09Nov1916; awarded MSM in AIF List 546 18Jun1918 and medal presented by His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales in France; RTA 21Mar1919; Disch.14Jul1919.



4843*

Pair to KIA: British War Medal 1914-18; Victory Medal 1914-19. 5027 Pte. F.P.Hanlon 25 Bn. A.I.F. Impressed. *Good very fine.*

\$750

Together with Memorial Plaque WWI named to Frank Percy Hanlon in original fold-over cardboard pack of issue with leaflet (plaque cleaned); Mother's and Widow's Ribbon (AIF) with one star, number 1525 on reverse of suspension bar (ribbon not sewn to bars and some shredding at sides).

Frank Percy Hanlon, mattress maker, age 19, born at Southport, Qld; Enl.08Jan1916 at Brisbane, Qld, in 13th Rfts for 25Bn, with 4 years service in militia; Emb.04May1916; TOS 25Bn 03Dec1916 in France; KIA 23Apr1917 in France; burial site unknown but about half-a-mile from Bullecourt, France; commemorated at Villers-Bretonneux Memorial in France.



4844*

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.*

\$8,600

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 Ellassona on 14 Apr 41.

Recommendation: On 14 Apr. 41 at Ellassoea, 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.

4845

Family Group: (1) Pair to Camel Corps: British War Medal 1914-18; Victory Medal 1914-19. 1250. Pte. J.S.Green. Cml Cps. A.I.F. Both medals impressed.; (2) Trio: Defence Medal 1939-45; War Medal 1939-45; Australia Service Medal 1939-45. NX55330 A.E.Green. All medals impressed. *The first medal of the pair without ribbon, good very fine; the trio with contact marks, otherwise very fine.*

\$300

The family connection is uncertain but probably brothers.

(1) John Stanley Green, labourer, age 20, born at Walgett, NSW; Enl.17May1916 at Narrabri, NSW; to Narrabri Depot Camp; Emb.20Oct1916; TOS 1LHR 14Dec1916; TOS Imperial Camel Corps 23Dec1916; TOS Aust Remount Unit 07Aug1917; RTA 26Jul1919; Disch.16Oct1919.

(2) Alfred Edward Green, born 20Nov1906 at Darlington, Sydney, NSW; Enl.28Jun1940 at Paddington, Sydney, NSW; Disch.28Aug1942 as Private ex 3 Pk Coy (3 Park Coy).



4846*

Family Group: Pair: British War Medal 1914-18; Victory Medal 1914-19. 2403 Cpl G.H.Tarling. 9 Bn. A.I.F. Both medals impressed.; Single: British War Medal 1914-18. 679 Cpl. C.W.Tarling. 13-Bn. A.I.F. Impressed.; also WWI Memorial Plaques (2), one named to George Henry Tarling and the other named to Charles William Tarling; and a Mother's and Widow's Ribbon (AIF) with two stars, number 32098 on reverse of suspension bar. *A pair and a single with three other items, the Memorial Plaques in original fold-over holders, the medals without ribbons, the Victory Medal with spotting, otherwise extremely fine, other items uncirculated.*

\$1,000

George Henry Tarling, salesman, age 24, born at Maryborough, Qld; Enl.05Jul1915 at Brisbane, Qld, with 3 years in Port Curtis Infantry; Emb.20Aug1915; TOS 9Bn at Gallipoli 18Nov1915; to L/Cpl 04Dec1915; TOS 49Bn 26Feb1916; appendicitis 15Apr1916; to Temp Cpl 12Jul1916; to Cpl 06Sep1916; MIA 07Jun1917 in Belgium later declared KIA. Also entitled to 1914-15 Star.

Charles William Tarling, clerk, age 25, born at Maryborough, Qld; Enl.09Sep1914 at Rosebery Park Camp, NSW; Emb.22Dec1914; to join MEF at Gallipoli 12Apr1915; WIA 28May1915 bomb wound to head at Gallipoli; to L/Cpl 08Nov1915; to Temp Cpl 03Dec1915; to Cpl 04Jan1916; WIA 13Aug1916 GSW shoulder and back; DOW 16Aug1916, France; Buried at Puchevillers British Cemetery near Doullens, France. Also entitled to 1914-15 Star and Victory Medal 1914-19.



4848*

Group of Six: 1939-45 Star; Atlantic Star; Africa Star; Burma Star, - clasp - Pacific; War Medal 1939-45; Australia Service Medal 1939-45. 22425 K H Johnston. All medals impressed. *The first four medals toned, otherwise good very fine - extremely fine.*

\$600

Keith Henry Johnston, born 30Jun1921 at Brisbane, Qld; joined RAN 05Aug1938, Home Port at Sydney; served as Ord Seaman (30Jun1939) and then Able Seaman (30Jun1940) during WWII on postings to HMAS Cerberus, Perth, Stuart, Napier, and Moreton; Demobilised and Disch.10May1946.



4847*

Pair: British War Medal 1914-18; Royal Naval Reserve Long Service and Good Conduct Medal (GVR). D.Dean. C.P.O. R.A.N.B. on first medal, D.Dean. C.P.O. on second medal. First medal impressed, second medal engraved; also Volunteered For Active Service, Retained For Home Service badge issued by the Navy Department, by Stokes & Sons, Melb, lug back, reverse numbered 372. *Good very fine, the badge rare.*

\$500

Together with N.Q.R.A (North Queensland Rifle Association), 1924, uniface prize medal in silver (50mm), by W.Kerr, reverse inscribed, ' "B" Series Aggregate/Won by/D.Dean./Score 100.', with William Kerr box of issue.

The above shooting medal was won at the annual meeting of the N.Q.R.A. (North Queensland Rifle Association) held in early May 1924 at the Cluden Rifle Range, Townsville. Practically every club in North Queensland was represented and there were also competitors from as far south as Brisbane. The conditions were far from good but some excellent shooting was registered particularly in the B series with D.Dean winning the B grade aggregate with a score of 100 registered over the 200, 500 and 600 yards ranges.

4849*

Group of Eight: 1939-45 Star; Atlantic Star; Italy Star; Defence Medal 1939-45; War Medal 1939-45; Australia Service Medal 1939-45; Korea Medal 1950-53; United Nations Korea Medal 1950-53. The sixth medal unnamed, 41219 B.McDermott on all other medals. All named medals impressed. *Court mounted, some contact marks on fourth and fifth medals, otherwise very fine - good very fine.*

\$500

Not entitled to Australia Service Medal 1939-45. As Royal Navy WWII medals were issued unnamed it seems that the above medals were numbered after B.McDermott joined the RAN and they bear his RAN service number.

Bernard McDermott, born 12Sep1924 at Earlestown, Merseyside, England; WWII: served in Royal Navy 11Jan1943 to 17Jul1946; joined RAN 11Oct1950, recruited in UK, Service No. R41219; Korea: served as Able Seaman on HMAS Sydney 31Aug1951 to 22Feb1952; Disch.09May1956.

Survived the War then Died Fighting a Bushfire
Serving with South Australian Police



4850*

Group of Seven: 1939-45 Star; Africa Star; Pacific Star; Defence Medal 1939-45; War Medal 1939-45; Australia Service Medal 1939-45; Efficiency Medal (GVIR Fid.Def), with Australia suspender. SX4439 C.W.Sparks. A.I.F on last medal. First six medals impressed, last medal engraved. *The last medal toned, otherwise extremely fine - uncirculated.*

\$600

Efficiency Medal: CAG 2/2/1948, p960 to Captain (T/Major) Cecil William Sparkes, Australian Army Provost Corps.

Cecil William Sparkes, born 24Aug1904 at Karachi, India; Enl.06Jun1940 at Keswick, Sth Aust; Disch.13Jun1946 as Captain ex 11 Aust Div Provost Corps AIF; Died while serving as a Sergeant Instructor with South Australian Police on Friday 19 January 1951 when fighting a bushfire in a steep gully near Upper Sturt in South Australia along with two other police officers who were also killed.

4851

Group of Six: 1939-45 Star; Africa Star; Pacific Star; Defence Medal 1939-45; War Medal 1939-45; Australia Service Medal 1939-45. The second and fourth medals unnamed, NX107329 N.A.Robinson on other medals. All named medals impressed. *Swing mounted, good very fine - extremely fine.*

\$200

Together with a matching set of swing mounted miniatures; Totally and Permanently Disabled Soldiers Association badge (TPI/1981), by Swann & Hudson, pin-back, reverse numbered 05141.

Neville Alexander Robinson, born 28Apr1923 at Newcastle, NSW; Enl.13Jul1942 NX107329 (N152152), at Warners Bay, NSW;

Disch.03Jun1946 as Signalman ex 11 Corps of Signals.



4852*

Group of Six: 1939-45 Star; Africa Star; Pacific Star; Defence Medal 1939-45; War Medal 1939-45; Australia Service Medal 1939-45. SX2288 W.D.C.Weber. All medals impressed. *Display mounted, some contact marks on last three medals, otherwise good very fine - extremely fine.*

\$300

William Daniel Cornelius Weber, born 24Mar1918 at Hallett, Sth Aust; Enl.03Apr1940 at Renmark, Sth Aust; Disch.09Oct1945 as Private ex 2/31Bn; Died and was interred at Centennial Park Cemetery, Pasadena, South Australia 08Nov1967.

War service had a detrimental effect on William Daniel Cornelius Weber who was charged on 29 January 1946 with maliciously setting fire to a cardboard box and contents that resulted in a house being set on fire. He pleaded not guilty and said he was destroying something because his wife and mother-in-law had upset him and he lost his temper. He claimed his relatives would not keep out of his affairs and his life was hell. Ultimately the prosecution dropped the case. Then on 1 November 1946, Weber, now aged 28, was sentenced to six months goal having pleaded guilty to sending his wife, Lorna Violet Weber age 23, a letter threatening to murder her. He had fallen behind in maintenance payments and when threatening letters arrived from the Children's Welfare Department he had retaliated by writing the threatening letter to his wife. A medical doctor gave evidence on his behalf stating that Weber was suffering from emotional instability as a result of war service but that this would probably disappear under reasonable conditions of life. The following year on 16 September 1947 he was granted a divorce from his wife due to her adultery.



4853*

Group of Six: 1939-45 Star; Africa Star; Pacific Star; Defence Medal 1939-45; War Medal 1939-45; Australia Service Medal 1939-45. NX10193 G.R.Wilson. The first three medals engraved, the last three impressed. *Swing mounted, some spotty toning, otherwise good very fine - extremely fine.*

\$350

Together with a matching set of swing mounted miniature medals and a pin-back riband bar for the last three medals.

George R. Wilson, born 29May1919 at Geelong, Vic; Enl.19Mar1940 at Paddington, Sydney, NSW; Disch.11Aug1945 as Gunner ex 1 Anti Tank Regiment.



4854*

Group of Six: 1939-45 Star; Africa Star; Pacific Star; Defence Medal 1939-45; War Medal 1939-45; Australia Service Medal 1939-45. TX319 H.R.Woolley. Impressed. *Contact marks on some medals, otherwise very fine and a low Tasmanian service number.*

\$400

Hilma Rowland Woolley, born 11Oct1909 at Bream Creek, Tas; Enl.03Nov1939 at Hobart, Tas; Emb.04May1940 with 2/1 Anti Tank Regt; served on operations in Greece, Syria, Egypt and Palestine; RTA and Disemb.07Aug1942 at Melbourne, Vic; served in New Guinea with 2/1 Anti Tank Regt; Disch.24Oct1945 as Gunner ex 2/1 Aust Tank Attack Regiment.

In post war years, H.R.Woolley was on the committee of the A.I.F. Artillery League of Tasmania.

With copy of Service File and other research stored in a binder.



4855*

Group of Five to KIA: 1939-45 Star; Africa Star; Pacific Star; War Medal 1939-45; Australia Service Medal 1939-45. 23241 W.R.Parry on last two medals, the first three medals unnamed. The named medals impressed. *Court mounted, good very fine.*

\$1,500

Walter Richard Parry, farm labourer, born Colac, Vic on 26Sep1921; Enl.06Jun1939; KIA 01Mar1942 Sunda Strait.



4856*

Group of Five to KIA: 1939-45 Star; Africa Star; Burma Star; War Medal 1939-45; Australia Service Medal 1939-45; with added Unit Citation for Gallantry. 23228 F.N.Salisbury on last two medals, first three medals unnamed. The named medals impressed. *Mounted on card, extremely fine and rare.*

\$2,500

RAN Leading Stoker Francis Norman Salisbury, born Carlton, Vic on 05Jun1920; Enl.05Mar1939 Melbourne; KIA 04Mar1942 aboard HMAS Yarra.

HMAS Yarra (II) Royal Australian Navy Unit Citation for Gallantry. For acts of extraordinary gallantry in action off Singapore on the 5th of February 1942 and in the Indian Ocean on the 4th March 1942.

On the 5th February 1942 a convoy, about to enter Singapore Harbour was attacked by Japanese aircraft and the troop transport Empress of Asia was severely damaged, resulting in major fires and the ship began to sink. Despite the threat from continuing air attack and the explosions in the Empress of Asia, HMAS Yarra's Commanding Officer, Commander Wilfred Hastings Harrington, RAN, manoeuvred the ship alongside the stern of the sinking transport, enabling 1334 men to be directly transferred across to Yarra. Yarra then proceeded to rescue a further 470 men from life rafts and floats in the vicinity. In doing so, Yarra's crew showed conspicuous devotion to duty, outstanding seamanship and ship handling skills and extraordinary courage in the face of immediate danger, directly from the enemy and from the burning troop transport.

On the 4th March 1942, Yarra and her convoy of three merchant vessels were proceeding to Fremantle, having departed Java two days before. In the early hours of the morning, Yarra's lookouts sighted a Japanese surface action group, consisting of three heavy cruisers and two destroyers. Each individual Japanese warship was greatly superior to Yarra in fighting strength and speed. Without concern for his own or his ship's safety, Yarra's Commanding Officer, Lieutenant Commander Robert William Rankin, RAN, immediately manoeuvred the ship between the enemy and the convoy, made smoke to screen the convoy and closed to engage.

Despite the obvious fate that awaited them, Yarra's ship's company conducted themselves with distinction and utter professionalism throughout the action that followed. They showed extraordinary courage, skill and conspicuous devotion to duty in the face of a far superior enemy as they turned towards them and engaged against overwhelming odds. Yarra was struck by heavy enemy shellfire, badly damaged and set on fire yet continued to engage the enemy. When it was obvious the ship was about to sink, the order to abandon ship was given. Despite this order the last remaining gun crew continued to engage the enemy until silenced by direct fire. From a ship's company of 151 men there were only 13 survivors.

Through their actions, the ship's company of HMAS Yarra (II) displayed extraordinary gallantry in the face of overwhelming odds, which is in keeping with the finest traditions of the Royal Australian Navy.

4857

Group of Seven: 1939-45 Star; Africa Star; Italy Star; France and Germany Star; Defence Medal 1939-45; War Medal 1939-45; Australia Service Medal 1939-45. First four medals unnamed, 24814 R.E.Kidman on last three medals. All named medals impressed. *Some medals with oxidation marks, otherwise very fine.*

\$250

Reginald Ernest Kidman, born 09May1922 at Townsville, Qld; Enl.07Feb1941 at Brisbane, Qld, in RAAF; Disch.10Jan1946 as Leading Aircraftman, ex 3 Aircraft Depot.



4858*

Group of Five: 1939-45 Star; Africa Star, - clasp - North Africa 1942-43; Italy Star; War Medal 1939-45; Australia Service Medal 1939-45. 274305. G.D.Williams. All medals impressed. *Display mounted, a few contact marks on last two medals, otherwise extremely fine.*

\$300

George Dudley Williams, born 08May1906 at Perth, WA; Enl.17Feb1944 at Melbourne, Vic, in RAAF; Disch.09Jan1946 as Flight Lieutenant ex Rear HQ OAF (Operation Allied Forces).



4859*

Group of Five: 1939-45 Star; Africa Star, - clasp - 8th Army; Defence Medal 1939-45; War Medal 1939-45; Australia Service Medal 1939-45. NX25952 C.H.Ford. All medals impressed. *Court mounted, spotty toning on last three medals especially the last medal, otherwise very fine.*

\$200

Charles Henry Ford, truck driver of Horse Shoe Creek, Kyogle, NSW, age 38, born at Eastbourne, England; Enl.14Jun1940 at Paddington, Sydney, NSW; TOS 1st Rec Recpt AASC 05Aug1940; Trf to 9Div Supply Column 18Nov1940; Emb.27Dec1940 for Middle East; detached to 2/13Bn 18Apr1941; various other postings; RTA and Disemb.27Feb1943; Disch.13Oct1945 as Driver ex 9 Aust Div ASC; Died 22Aug1976.

KIA by Sniper While on Patrol at El Alamein



4860*

Group of Six to KIA: 1939-45 Star; Africa Star; Defence Medal 1939-45; War Medal 1939-45; Australia Service Medal 1939-45; Tobruk Siege 1941 Medal (casting). VX12704 P.R.Jacoby on first five medals, last medal unnamed. The named medals impressed. *Display mounted, extremely fine.*

\$1,000

Peter Renbury Jacoby, born 21Apr1917 at Perth, WA; Enl.22Apr1940 at Caulfield, Melbourne, Vic; DOW 30Oct1942 as Captain with 2/32 Aust Infy Bn.

Peter Renbury Jacoby was the son of Arthur Jacoby, the general manager of the Swan Brewery Company. He attended Hale School where he was the School Captain in 1935 and he was also outstanding at sports in athletics, swimming, rifle shooting and boxing. He was a lieutenant in the school cadets and he was also junior sailing champion at the Royal Perth Yacht Club and was a member of the Cottesloe Golf Club. He studied law at St George's College at the University of Western Australia after leaving school and also served as a lieutenant in the City of Perth Regiment.

He was in Victoria when war was declared and after enlisting at Caulfield he went overseas where he joined up with Western Australia's 2/32 Bn in England. The battalion then went to the North African Theatre of Operations where he was a company commander throughout the Siege of Tobruk. After evacuating from Tobruk the battalion was then preparing for battle with Rommel's Afrika Korps. Unfortunately, while on a reconnaissance patrol on 22 October 1942, the day prior to the Battle of El Alamein, Captain Jacoby was shot by a sniper. He was assisted by some of his men but was shot again while being carried to his battalion lines and died a short time later on 30 October at the age of 25. He is buried at the El Alamein War Cemetery in Egypt.



4861*

Group of Four to KIA: 1939-45 Star; Africa Star; War Medal 1939-45; Australia Service Medal 1939-45. 19977 C.C.Whitney on third and fourth medals, first and second medals unnamed. The named medals impressed. *Court mounted, good very fine - uncirculated.*

\$1,200

19977 L/Stoker Charles Clare Whitney, RAN, born 25Jan1914 in London, UK; Enl.22May1934 in Melbourne, Vic; KIA 27Nov1941 aboard HMAS Parramatta.

4862

Group of Four: Africa Star; Defence Medal 1939-45; War Medal 1939-45; Australia Service Medal 1939-45.VX13144 A.A.Kampfhenkel. All medals impressed. *Ribbons dirty, medals with contact marks and spotty toning, otherwise fine.*

\$100

Entitled to 1939-45 Star.

Alfred Alwyn Kampfhenkel, labourer, age 27, born at Warracknabeal, Vic; Enl.25Apr1940 at Melbourne, Vic; various postings; tfr to Greta Camp 03Jun1940; disobeyed lawful order and reprimanded 04Jun1940; Emb.30Aug1940; to Aust Div Cav Regt 18Oct1940; charged with act to prejudice of military discipline and fined 28 days pay 04Jul1941; charged again with drunkenness and fined 07Dec1941; RTA 12Mar1942; Disch.24Jan1944; Died 13Oct1975.

4863

Family Group: (1) Trio: Africa Star; Defence Medal 1939-45; Australia Service Medal 1939-45. NX24521 H.J.Shore. All medals impressed.; (2) Pair: War Medal 1939-45; Australia Service Medal 1939-45. NX157539 F.H.Shore. Both medals impressed. *Both groups with some contact marks, the first group very fine, the second group very fine - good very fine.*

\$100

The family connection is uncertain but possibly brothers.

(1) Herbert John 'Duke' Shore, born 07Nov1900 at Sydney, NSW; Enl.31May1940 at Paddington, Sydney, NSW; Disch.21Sep1943 as Sapper ex 10 Workshop & PK (Park) Coy RAE.

(2) Frederick Henry Shore, born 22Oct1918 at Sydney, NSW; Enl.14Jul1943 at Sydney City, NSW; Disch.23Dec1943 as Private ex 35 Aust Infy Bn.



4864*

Group of Six: 1939-45 Star; Pacific Star; Defence Medal 1939-45; War Medal 1939-45; Australia Service Medal 1939-45; Royal Australian Fleet Reserve Long Service and Good Conduct Medal (GVR type A). First two medals unnamed, 7269. J.L.Fulcher. on third to fifth medals, M.162 J.L.Fulcher P.O. Ck. R.A.F.R. on last medal. *Ribbon on fifth medal damaged, otherwise fine - extremely fine.*

\$150

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

RAFRLS&GCM: CAG No.135 6/12/1928, p3448 to M.162 Petty Officer Cook John Leonard Fulcher, dated 1/11/1928.

John Leonard Fulcher, born 04May1892 at Plumstead, Kent, England; Enl.14Oct1912 at Melbourne, Vic, on loan from RN; Disch.17Nov1945 as PO Cook ex HMAS Lonsdale.

4865

Group of Six: 1939-45 Star; Pacific Star; Defence Medal 1939-45; War Medal 1939-45; Australia Service Medal 1939-45; unofficial Australian Prisoner of War Medal. QX14831 C.W.J. Coles-Smith. With D at top edge on first two medals, QX14831 C.W.J. Coles-Smith. D on third to fifth medals, QX14831 C W J Coles Smith on last medal. The first five medals impressed, the last medal engraved. *The first five medals swing mounted, the last medal as a single swing mounted issue, the first five medals are duplicate issues, the fourth and fifth medals with contact marks, otherwise extremely fine.*

\$150

Clifford William John Coles-Smith, age 21, born 01Nov1918 at Brisbane, Qld; Enl.16Jul1940 at Kelvin Grove, Brisbane, Qld; Emb.02Feb1941 to Singapore; various postings until to 2/10 Field Regt 16Jan1942; MIA 15Feb1942 and then reported as POW; reported in POW Camp in Thailand 18May1943; repatriated 18Oct1945; Disch.25Jan1946 as Bombardier ex 2/10 Field Regt.; Bdr Coles-Smith's mother was president of the 2/10th Field Regiment Welfare Fund.



4866*

Family Group: (Father) Group of Five: 1939-45 Star; Pacific Star; Defence Medal 1939-45; War Medal 1939-45; Australia Service Medal 1939-45. NX71696 D.H.Hannan. Impressed. (Son) Pair: New South Wales Police Force Commissioner's Commendation for Courage; National Medal. The first unnamed as issued, Douglas Hamilton Hannan on the medal. Machine pantographed script. *Two groups, the first very fine - extremely fine, the second uncirculated.*

\$1,000

Ex Noble Numismatics Sale 98 (lot 3696).

Together with framed award certificate for Commendation dated 16 December 1974, signed by F.J.Hanson, Commissioner of Police and also by recipient. The certificate reads,

'Awarded to Constable 1st Class Douglas Hamilton Hannan of Phillip Street Police Station whose signature appears in the margin, in recognition of his courage and devotion to duty at Redfern on the 14th March, 1974 when accompanied by several other members of the force he approached a dark laneway in which an armed and intoxicated offender had taken refuge after discharging shots from a rifle in the direction of police. Despite the potential danger, he proceeded in support of his comrades within the offender's field of fire and was present when the man was mortally wounded during an exchange of shots.'

The Commendation with ribbon is in a wall hanging display frame together with a miniature commendation with ribbon and a riband. The National Medal is also in a wall hanging display frame together with a miniature medal and riband. The WWII group of five is in a wall hanging display frame albeit the medals are in the incorrect order.

Father: Douglas Hamilton Hannan, born 06Jul1917 at Camperdown, NSW; Enl.25Mar1941 at Paddington, NSW; Disch.09Nov1945 as Sapper ex 2/2Field Coy.

4867

Group of Five: 1939-45 Star; Pacific Star; Defence Medal 1939-45; War Medal 1939-45; Australia Service Medal 1939-45. First and third medals unnamed, NX72335 J.R.Anderson on other medals. The named medals impressed. *The last two medals with spotty toning, otherwise extremely fine.*

\$150

James Ronald Anderson, born 09Jan1906 at Bundaberg, Qld; Enl.07Apr1941 at Paddington, Sydney, NSW; Disch.06Jan1945 as Lance Corporal ex A Sec FSS (Field Security Section).

4868

Group of Five: 1939-45 Star; Pacific Star; Defence Medal 1939-45; War Medal 1939-45; Australia Service Medal 1939-45. First two medals unnamed, 14723 S G Bines on other three medals. All named medals impressed. *Swing mounted, with some oxidation and stain marks, otherwise fine - very fine.*

\$150

Together with riband bar for first three medals, this dirty and aged; dog tag in aluminium marked, 'Bines S G/14723/RAAF/CE'; WWII Returned From Active Service badge, reverse numbered AF125490; City of Parramatta Returned Ex-Servicemen's Club name badge for Sid Bines.

Sidney George Bines, general labourer and truck driver, born 24Feb1911 at Tendering, Essex, England; came to Australia in Aug1926 under Barnardo migration scheme; Enl.29Apr1940 at No.2 Recruiting Centre, RAAF, Sydney, NSW; various postings including overseas service with 80 Sqn at Hollandia and Morotai, as well as 4700BU (Operational Base Unit) and 9TMO (Transport & Movements Office) at Noemfoor; Disch.23Nov1945 as Leading Aircraftman ex 2 Personnel Depot Reserve Pool.



4869*

Group of Five to POW: 1939-45 Star; Pacific Star; Defence Medal 1939-45; War Medal 1939-45; Australia Service Medal 1939-45. QX17076 L.G.Burnett. All medals impressed. *Some irregular toning on last three medals, otherwise extremely fine.*

\$700

Lionel Granville Burnett, born 05Mar1918 at Leeds, England; Enl.22Jul1940 at Kelvin Grove, Qld; fought in Malaya and Singapore as a Bombardier with 2/10 Field Regt and then taken POW; volunteered to work with A Force comprising allied POWs who worked in Burma on airfield construction and later on the Burma-Thailand railway construction. On completion A Force remained at Tamarkan in Thailand and was sent out to repair bridges damaged by allied bombing, clearing landslides and general maintenance work; later Burnett was sent with other POWs to Petburi, Thailand to help with construction of an airfield near the Indo-Chinese border; after repatriation was Disch.22Jan1946; Died 12Sep2012 at age of 94 and a celebration of his life was held at Walkabout Creek, The Gap, Qld on 24Sep2012; Commemorated at Queensland Garden of Remembrance, Brisbane, Qld.

4870

Group of Five: 1939-45 Star; Pacific Star; Defence Medal 1939-45; War Medal 1939-45; Australia Service Medal 1939-45. NX136717 A.Mc. McCarter. The first two medals engraved, the last three impressed. *Uneven toning on reverse of first two medals, otherwise very fine - good very fine.*

\$150

Alexander McConnell McCarter, born 22Sep1917 at Glasgow, Scotland; Enl.31Oct1942 NX136717 (N102815) at Narellan, Sydney, NSW; Court Martial 09Nov1942, 22Jan1943 and 30Aug1943 while serving in 19 Aust Infy Bn; Disch.30Oct1945 as Sapper ex 3 Returned Stores Depot.

The following was reported in the Illawarra Mercury at Wollongong on Friday 5 February 1943, page 3.

COURT MARTIAL -At Maitland

Absence without leave from 6.15 a.m. on November 13 to 11 p.m. on November 14, 1942, was charged against Cpl. Alexander McConnell McCarter. McCarter said he had a clean record except for three days A.W.L. on his return after 20 months at Darwin. The absence charged was because he received word that his wife was ill. He was refused leave although the battalion was going on monthly leave, and was given no reason. He went to Wollongong and was only there a few hours when he heard the battalion was on the move. He reported back to his unit and was placed under open arrest until January 23, receiving no leave or rest day. He did not ask for a Court Martial. The defending officer submitted that McCarter had been very harshly dealt with. Up to the present time he was under open arrest for over two months and suffering from all the inconveniences which followed from that. McCarter was released from arrest and ordered to be returned to his unit.

4871

Group of Five: 1939-45 Star; Pacific Star; Defence Medal 1939-45; War Medal 1939-45; Australia Service Medal 1939-45. NX57571 F.A.Murdoch. All medals impressed. *Swing mounted, contact marks and spotty toning on last three medals, otherwise very fine.*

\$150

Francis Arthur Murdoch, born 14Feb1906 at Melbourne, Vic; Enl.24Nov1941 at Paddington, Sydney, NSW; Disch.03Jan1946 as Craftsman ex 129 Aust Brigade Workshop.

With basic research.

4872

Group of Five: 1939-45 Star; Pacific Star; Defence Medal 1939-45; War Medal 1939-45; Australia Service Medal 1939-45. First and third medals unnamed, QX44831 K.A.Petersen on the other medals. The second medal pantographed, the other named medals impressed. *Extremely fine.*

\$150

Kevin Anthony Petersen, labourer, born 05Jul1920 at Mt Morgan, Qld; Enl.21Jul1942 at Rockhampton, Qld; Disch.07Aug1946 as Corporal ex 11 Small Ships Coy (AIF); Died 19Jun1988.



4873*

Group of Five: 1939-45 Star; Pacific Star; War Medal 1939-45; Australia Service Medal 1939-45; Royal Naval Long Service and Good Conduct Medal (EIR coinage bust without Br:Omn). First two medals unnamed, S.7780. R.T.Walker. on third and fourth medals, R35556 C.P.O. R.T.Walker R.A.N. on last medal. All named medals impressed. *Swing mounted, contact marks on third and fourth medals, otherwise very fine.*

\$300

Note: Official Number for WWII service shown in Record of Mobilized Service was S.7980 not S.7780.

R35556 Raymond Thomas Walker, born 27Jul1925 at Drummoyne, Sydney, NSW; joined RAN Reserve at the rank of Ord Seaman II Class and was mobilized on 15Feb1943 at Sydney, NSW; Disch.21Dec1962 as Chief Petty Officer ex HMAS Creswell.



4874*

Group of Five: 1939-45 Star; Pacific Star; War Medal 1939-45; Australia Service Medal 1939-45; Netherlands, Commemorative War Cross 1940-45, - clasp - Oost-Azie - Zuid-Pacific 1942-1945. First two and last medal unnamed, 128206 W.M.Dawson. on third and fourth medals. The named medals impressed. *Display mounted, extremely fine.*

\$300

William Maxwell Dawson, born 19Mar1925 at Ballan, Vic; Enl.26Mar1943 at Melbourne, Vic, in RAAF; Disch.14Mar1946 as Leading Aircraftman ex Station HQ East Sale; Died 22Mar1994 and was buried at Ballan Lawn Cemetery, Moorabool, Vic.

4875

Group of Four: 1939-45 Star; Pacific Star; War Medal 1939-45; Australia Service Medal 1939-45. QX24990 G.A.J.Baxter on first two and last medals, QX24990 C. (sic) A.J.Baxter on third medal. All medals impressed. *Nearly uncirculated.*

\$100

George Arthur James Baxter, born 18Mar1909 at Bundaberg, Qld; Enl.07Jan1942 at Bundaberg, Qld; Disch.21Dec1945 as Corporal ex 2/23 Aust Infy Bn; Died 17Mar1967 at Ayr, Qld and was buried at Ayr Cemetery on Saturday 18Mar1967.

4876

Group of Four: 1939-45 Star; Pacific Star; War Medal 1939-45; Australia Service Medal 1939-45. Q36652 A.W.Fraser. The first two medals engraved, the last two impressed. *Some spotting, otherwise extremely fine.*

\$150

Note: A.W.Fraser's medals were reported stolen when he was in hospital in 2001 and replacements were issued to him.

Alexander William Fraser, butcher, age 23, born at Rockhampton, Qld; Enl.23Aug1940 in 42Bn at Gladstone, Qld; to A/Cpl 22Jun1941; called up for service and TOS 42Bn 20Sep1941; to L/Sgt 09Jan1942; to Sgt 02Feb1942; Emb.09Jan1943; Disemb.12Jan1943 at Milne Bay; to S/Sgt 14Feb1943; RTA 28May1944; to hospital with malaria 06Aug1944; Disch.08Mar1945.

4877

Group of Four: 1939-45 Star; Pacific Star; War Medal 1939-45; Australia Service Medal 1939-45. QX12771 W.A.Grose D. All medals pantographed. *A set of duplicate medals, extremely fine.*

\$100

William Ambrose Grose, storeman, age 22, born at Brisbane, Qld; Enl.19Mar1941 at Brisbane, Qld; to L/Cpl 23Aug1941; Emb.02Apr1942; to Cpl 05Aug1942; to A/Sgt 29Sep1942; various postings; RTA 16Nov1943; reprimanded for neglect to the prejudice of good order 10Feb1945; reverted to Pte 22Feb1945; to L/Cpl 14Apr1945; Disch.31Oct1945 as Lance Corporal ex 2/26 Aust Supply Depot Platoon.



4878*

Group of Four: 1939-45 Star; Pacific Star; War Medal 1939-45; Australia Service Medal 1939-45. PX59 J Howard. Impressed. *First ribbon marked, otherwise very fine - extremely fine and a scarce low Papuan service number.*

\$400

Jack Howard, sawmill manager, born 12Oct1902 at Perth, WA; Enl.30Oct1942 at Port Moresby, New Guinea PX59 formerly P361 (Papua Militia serving with ANGAU); Disch.01Nov1945 as Warrant Officer Class 2 ex ANGAU (Australian & New Guinea Administrative Unit).

With copy of Service File stored in a binder.

4879

Group of Four: 1939-45 Star; Pacific Star; War Medal 1939-45; Australia Service Medal 1939-45. Q18845 W.J.Howard. Impressed. *Uncirculated.*

\$150

Together with boxes of issue.

William John Howard, labourer, age 21, born at Brisbane, Qld; Enl.11Jan1940 at Annerley, Qld; called up to 15Bn 13Dec1941 for full time duty; Emb.09Jan1943; Served at various postings in New Guinea and Solomon Islands; RTA 25Jan1946; Disch.13May1946.

4880

Group of Four: 1939-45 Star; Pacific Star; War Medal 1939-45; Australia Service Medal 1939-45. SX18832 M.J.Smart. All medals impressed. *Swing mounted, contact marks on last two medals, otherwise good very fine.*

\$150

Melville James Smart, born 26Jan1909 at Mount Gambier, Sth Aust; Enl.16Sep1942 at Wayville, Adelaide, Sth Aust; Disch.07Aug1943 as Private ex N G Rfts (New Guinea Reinforcements).

POW Died Working on Burma Railway



4881*

Group of Four to POW Died in Custody: 1939-45 Star; Pacific Star; War Medal 1939-45; Australia Service Medal 1939-45. DX612 R.C.Vingoe. Impressed. *Some contact marks, otherwise extremely fine.*

\$400

Roderick 'Rod' Clarence Vingoe, born 01Aug1901 at Boulder City, WA; Enl.10Jul1940 at Darwin, NT; served as Driver in 2/3 Motor Ambulance Convoy; reported as POW 15Feb1942; entrained with K Force at Changi POW Camp 25Jun1943; Died of illness 11Jul1944 in Thailand while working on Burma/Siam Railway; Buried at Kanchanaburi War Cemetery, Kanchanaburi Province, Thailand; commemorated on the board of Darwin Enlistees WWII 'They died for their country'.

With copy of Service File and other research and a coloured photo of grave, all stored in a binder.



4883*

Trio to New Guinea Native: 1939-45 Star; Pacific Star; War Medal 1939-45. NGN1004 Suwer. All medals impressed. *Display mounted, extremely fine.*

\$300

Suwer, hospital worker, age 25, born at Maira Village, Madang, New Guinea; Enl.29Nov1944 at Nadzab, New Guinea in New Guinea Infantry Battalion (NGIB); TOS 2NGIB 29Nov1944; admitted to 2/2 Aust Fd Amb 13Sep1945; evacuated to Angau Nat Hospital at Maprik 14Sep1945; released from hospital 27Sep1945; awarded 1939-45 Star and Pacific Star 04Dec1945; Disch.21May1946; also awarded War Medal 1939-45.

With copy of Record of Service.



4882*

Group of Four to KIA: 1939-45 Star; Pacific Star; War Medal 1939-45; Australia Service Medal 1939-45. NX116928 C.L.Voges. All medals impressed. *No ribbons on first two medals, uncirculated.*

\$500

Together with box of issue with leaflet showing medal entitlement and letter from Department of Army confirming awards to killed in action N.X.116928 Lance Corporal C.L.Voges.

Colin Lorraine Voges, born 07Nov1918 at Sydney, NSW; Enl.26Jul1942 NX116928 (N36753) at Sydney, NSW; KIA 01Jan1943 at Giropa Point, Buna serving as Lance Corporal with 2/12 Aust Infy Bn; Buried at Bomana Cemetery, Port Moresby, PNG; Recorded on the Roll of Honour at Balmain, Sydney, NSW.



4885

Group of Four to POW: 1939-45 Star; Defence Medal 1939-45; War Medal 1939-45; Australia Service Medal 1939-45. NX 18793 J.D.Bibby on all medals. Impressed. *Very fine.*
\$750

James Douglas Bibby, taxi driver, born 02Dec1917 in Sydney; Enl.29May1940 to Australian Army Medical Corps, 2/5th Australian General Hospital; Emb.19Oct1940 Sydney per 'Queen Mary'; Reported POW Athens from 01May1941, Salonika from 01Nov1941 and Thorn from 09Dec1941; RTA 29Dec1943; Disch.02Sep1944 Medically Unfit.

With two pages of research.



4884*

Group of Four: Pacific Star; Defence Medal 1939-45; War Medal 1939-45; Australia Service Medal 1939-45. QX8396 A.J.Drury. All medals impressed. *Display mounted, good very fine - extremely fine.*

\$550

The above is the confirmed medal entitlement.

Together with WWII Nearest Female Relative's badge with one star, pin-back with safety chain, reverse numbered A21235; Farleigh E C (Entertainment Committee) Returned From Service badge in sterling silver and enamel, pin-back, reverse impressed, 'J Drury/AIF/War 1939-45; RSL Club badge (3 figure type) with (19)50 overlay on KC, reverse numbered Q41159; patriotic fundraising badge in bronze with stick-pin, features A in middle of a small Rising Sun badge with 'Courage Sacrifice Comradeship' in scroll below; military whistle in brass with chain attached; Army Driving Licence to Pte Albert Drury; Record of Service Book to Dvr Drury; Demobilization Procedure Book to Pte Drury; personal note book; photo in uniform.

Farleigh Entertainment Committee badges were presented to relatives of those who died and also to those returning service men and women from the Farleigh area at a special 'Grand Final Welcome Home' function held at the Farleigh School of Arts on Saturday night 19 October 1946. Relatives were invited to attend and accept badges for those who could not be present.

Albert James 'Jim' Drury, labourer, age 28, born at Mackay, Qld; Enl.31May1940 at Rockhampton, Qld; posted to 1 Aust Corps Troops Supply Column 19Jun1940; Emb.27Dec1940 to Middle East; fought at Bitters Lake and Hill 29 Palestine with 2/2 Bn and 2/9 Bn; undertook Distinguished Driving & Maintenance Course 05May-17May1941 in Middle East; RTA 17Feb1942; deployed to Wau in PNG in 1943 with 2/5 Independent Coy with raids at Salamaua and patrols around the Huon Gulf; moved to Markham Valley and also defended Wau airfield; RTA May1943 for training at Canungra, Qld; Disch.05Dec1945 at Redbank, Qld; Died 08Mar1992.

With copy of Service File and other research.



4886*

Group of Four: Pacific Star; War Medal 1939-45; Australia Service Medal 1939-45; Royal Air Force Long Service and Good Conduct Medal (EIIR Dei Gratia). 46669 F J Cain on first three medals, A5149 Cain. F.J. on last medal. First three medals impressed, last medal engraved. *Court mounted, spotty toning on third medal, otherwise very fine - good very fine.*

\$120

Francis Joseph Cain, born 03Sep1913 at Kalgoorlie, WA; Enl.10Mar1942 at Perth, WA; Disch.03Sep1968 as Warrant Officer ex 24 Squadron.



4887*

Group of Eight to Heroic and Respected Police Officer: Medal of the Order of Australia (OAM); Queen's Police Medal (QPM); Pacific Star; War Medal 1939-45; Australia Service Medal 1939-45; Jubilee Medal 1977; Police Long Service and Good Conduct Medal (QEII type 1); Royal Shipwreck Relief Humane Society of N.S.W. Bronze Medal. Russell Nelson Crook on first medal, Russell N. Crook, Insp. Class 1. N.S. Wales Police. on second medal, NX83455 R.N. Crook on third to fifth medals, sixth medal unnamed as issued, Russell N. Crook on seventh medal, Constable R.N. Crook Saving Life 10.10.1946 on last medal. First medal pantographed, second to fifth and seventh medals impressed, last medal engraved. *Display mounted, contact marks on a few medals, otherwise very fine.*

\$6,000

Ex Noble Numismatics Sale 122 (lot 3707).

OAM: 9/6/1980 in recognition of service to the community and ex-service personnel.

QPM: 2/6/1973 citation states New South Wales Police.

Recommendation by F.J. Hanson, Commissioner of Police: Commended for his efforts as a member of the Police Anti-Hijacking Committee in evolving procedures to combat aircraft hijacking and for his contribution to the successful staging of a simulated hijacking exercise at Kingsford Smith Airport on the 19th March 1973.

Jubilee Medal: award to Russell Nelson Crook QPM of Frenchs Forest confirmed.

Police LS&GCM: 21/5/1959.

Recommendation 31Mar1958: Commended for excellent manner in which, as Police Prosecutor, he presented the facts at the hearing of the Inquest into the death of Alfred Bamblett at Griffith on the 3rd November, 1957. At the conclusion of the Inquest the District Coroner passed complimentary remarks regarding the assistance rendered by the Sergeant.

RSR&HSM: awarded bronze medal and Certificate of Merit for rescue of J.M. Leahey from Sydney Harbour on 10Oct1946. Also commended for good work and devotion to duty during disastrous floods in New South Wales during February-March 1935.

Citation: Constable First/C Russell Nelson Crook, NSW Police, on the 10th October, 1946 saved a man from being drowned in the waters of Port Jackson. The Constable was a passenger in the Manly Ferry Steamer "Barrenjoey" proceeding from Circular Quay to Manly, when the alarm "man overboard" was raised. Constable Crook, on discovering the man's whereabouts in the water, dived overboard and swam to his assistance. Meanwhile the ferry's engines had been reversed, and a launch from Garden Island appeared on the scene and picked up the Constable and the man he was supporting. The prompt action of Constable Crook has been recognised by the Society by the award of the Bronze Medal and Certificate of Merit.

Russell Nelson Crook, born 21Oct1916 at Artarmon, Sydney, NSW; joined NSW Police as trainee Metropolitan District Depot No.1 06Jan1936 (Probationary Constable); General & School Lecturer 16Mar1936; Ordinary Constable 06Jan1937; resigned 15Jan1942 after enlisting in AIF; Enl. 12Jan1942 at Paddington, Sydney, NSW 261545 (NX83455); Appt Lt in 2/5 Aust Commando Sqn 03Jun1943 and served with unit until Jan1945; Trf to ANGAU and served in New Britain; Disch. 11Jan1946 as Lt ex HQ Angau; resumed police duty 31Jan1946 (Constable 1st Class) General Duties No. 1 Depot; Court Staff with C.I. Branch 20Mar1946; Police Prosecutor with C.I. Branch 13Mar1950; Senior Constable 01Mar1951; Training purposes with Traffic Office & Traffic Court (Temp) 10Dec1951; Police Prosecutor with C.I. Branch 16Jun1952; Sergeant 3rd Class 09Apr1954; Sergeant 2nd Class 25Feb1961; Sergeant 1st Class 04Feb1965; Police Prosecutor with Prosecuting Branch 02Aug1965; Inspector 3rd Class 20Jul1967; Asst Officer No.14 Station 07Sep1967; Special Investigation No.20 (HQs) 17Oct1968; Asst Officer No.14 Station 29Sep1969; Inspector 2nd Class 12Oct1969; OIC No.25 Station 04Jan1971; Inspector 1st Class 05Sep1971; Asst Officer No.20 Station (2Sub-Dist) 19Jan1972; Asst Officer No.20 (3 Sub-Dist) 22May1972.

Russell Crook was heavily involved with all aspects of the RSL movement and in particular with Paddington-Woollahra RSL. He died on 20Jun1986. A Police service was conducted at St Francis Church, Paddington and a valediction was read by Acting Police Commissioner W. Ross QPM, APM and later at the crematorium an eulogy was given by Sir Colin Hines OBE, State President of the RSL of NSW.

With research.

Medals to Mabo Family Member



4888*

Trio: Defence Medal 1939-45; War Medal 1939-45; Australia Service Medal 1939-45. Q85052 T.Mabo. All medals impressed. *Swing mounted, spotty toning, otherwise very fine.*

\$150

The above is full medal entitlement.

Tat Mabo, seaman, age 28, born 29Dec1912 at Murray Island, Qld; Enl.14Jun1941 at Thursday Island, Qld; Trf to Torres Strait Light Infantry Battalion 01Mar1943; Tfr out to Protector of Islanders for Disch.15Feb1946 as Private; Died 21Oct1986; Buried at Walkerston Cemetery, Mackay Region, Qld.

There were four Mabo Murray Islanders who served in WWII with the Torres Strait Light Infantry, namely Benny, Jack, Lui and Tat. Benny adopted Eddie Koiki Sambo (name changed to Mabo) in accordance with customary law when his mother, Annie (nee Mabo) died shortly after childbirth. Eddie Mabo went on to be instrumental in the Australian Parliament passing the Native Title Act in 1993 that recognises the rights and interests of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people in land and waters according to their traditional laws and customs.



4889*

Family Group: (Father) Pair: War Medal 1939-45; Australia Service Medal 1939-45. 115169 E.H.Mortlock. Impressed.; (Son) Trio: Australian Active Service Medal 1945-1975, - clasp - Vietnam (copy-see note); Vietnam Medal 1964-1973; Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, - clasp - 1960-. First and last medals unnamed, 4719951 D.M.Mortlock on second medal. The named medal impressed. *Both groups court mounted, both with contact marks, otherwise good very fine.*

\$400

Note: The Australian Active Service Medal 1945-1975 was instituted in 1997 after this group was purchased and the vendor has added the copy. The original has probably never been claimed.

(Father) Eric Henery Mortlock, born 19Aug1920 at Port Augusta, Sth Aust; Enl.21Jul1942 at Adelaide, Sth Aust in RAAF; Disch.10Aug1945 as Leading Aircraftman ex 5 Repair and Servicing Unit.

(Son) Dean Michael Mortlock, born 25Oct1947 at Port Augusta, Sth Aust; National Service as a Private in Royal Aust Army Service Corps; served in Vietnam with 86 Transport Platoon RAASC 27Mar1969 - 25Mar1970.

4890

Pair: War Medal 1939-45; Australia Service Medal 1939-45. V187283 C.H.Ashton. Both medals impressed. *Some bubble marks on cheek of King on first medal, ribbon on second medal dirty, otherwise extremely fine.*

\$50

With medal box and medal pamphlet.

Charles Harry Ashton, born 25May1924 at Oakleigh, Vic; Enl.28May1942 at Prahran, Vic; Disch.30Jul1946 as Private ex 3 Aust Army Disposals Depot.

4891

Pair: War Medal 1939-45; Australia Service Medal 1939-45. 94216. C.I.Gillespie. Impressed. *No ribbons, very fine.*

\$80

Constance Isabel Gillespie, born 19Jul1906 at Longreach, Qld; Enl.02Feb1942 at Brisbane, Qld, in WAAF; married George Logan of Ashfield, Sydney at St Andrew's Presbyterian Church in Brisbane in early June 1945 and members of the WAAF formed a guard of honour; Disch.03Jul1945 as Sergeant ex Brisbane Wireless/Telegraphic Station.

4892

Pair to Died on Service: War Medal 1939-45; Australia Service Medal 1939-45. N275453 M.K.Moore. Both medals impressed. *Some surface marks on second medal, otherwise extremely fine - uncirculated.*

\$100

Together with box of issue with leaflet showing medal entitlement and letter from Department of Army confirming awards to died on service N275453 Corporal M.K.Moore, 9 Infantry Training Battalion.

Max Kelvin Moore, born 12Dec1922 at Inverell, NSW; Enl.13Nov1941 at Woodburn, NSW in CMF (N275453); Died 03Aug1942 of pneumonia after complications set in while serving as Corporal with 9 Aust Training Bn; Buried at Dubbo General Cemetery, Dubbo, NSW.

The following obituary was published in The Inverell Times on Wednesday 19 August 1942 on page 3.

'THE LATE MAX KELVIN MOORE

The Dubbo "Liberal" of August states that Inverell's old school prefect, fine athlete, tennis player, cricketer and High School footballer was buried with military honours in the Church of England cemetery on Tuesday, August 4, 1942 in his twentieth year. Teachers and students who remember him as a Fifth Year student of barely 16 years can scarcely realise that Max one of our prefects is gone forever. Teachers and fellow-students recall Max, always arriving in time in all weathers after his daily 12 miles on his bicycle, in his gritty determination to secure his Leaving Certificate and become a school-teacher. His ambition was realised when he was appointed to take charge of the small school at New Italy where he remained until his call to military service. He became a Corporal Instructor very rapidly and his old school mates looked forward to a fine career for Max in our national tasks; but the Grim Reaper has taken him all too early leaving us a memory of one who "played the game" both in and out of school. Unselfish and courageous, no task ever dismayed Max and he leaves behind him, when we read his name on our "Honour Roll" not merely a name but an example of character and determination that must inspire every student of Inverell High School.'



4893*

Trio: War Medal 1939-45; Korea Medal 1950-53; United Nations Korea Medal 1950-53. VX95222 A.H.White on first medal, 2400696 A.H.White on last two medals. All medals impressed. *Very fine - extremely fine.*

\$500

Alfred Henry White Private, born 04Aug1926 at Melbourne, Vic; WWII: Enl.08Aug1944 at Royal Park, Melbourne, Vic; Court Martial 3 and 5Dec1946; Disch.19Nov1947 as Private ex 67 Aust Infy Bn. Korea: stated born 08Jun1927 at Port Melbourne, Vic; served with 1Bn RAR 03Apr to 16Oct1952 and HQs 28 British Commonwealth Infy Brigade 26Dec1952 to 24Mar1953.



4894*

MBE Group of Six: The Most Excellent Order of the British Empire (Member) (Military) (type 2); Australian Active Service Medal 1945-1975 (copy), - clasp - Vietnam; Vietnam Medal 1964-1973; Defence Force Service Medal; National Medal (copy); Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, - clasp - 1960-. First medal unnamed as issued, second medal unnamed, 0218723 Taylor K.J. on third medal, K.J.Taylor 0216723 on fourth medal, fifth medal unnamed, Taylor K.J. on last medal. All named medals engraved except the last which is pantograph engraved. *Court mounted, extremely fine.*

\$2,500

Ex Noble Numismatics Sale 60 (lot 4187) group of four excluding Australian Active Service Medal and National Medal. The vendor has added copies of these medals to the group.

Together with book, 'Mission Vietnam, Royal Australian Air Force Operations 1964-1972', by George Odgers. Mentioned on page 24, 'Wing Commander Scott who had the key responsibility of leading the first Australian helicopter squadron into action was the RAAF's most experienced helicopter pilot. He had first flown a helicopter in 1951 (the Sikorsky S-51) and in 1964, accompanied by engineer officer Flight Lieutenant K.J.Taylor, had visited Borneo and Vietnam.'. Then mentioned again on page 129, 'RAAF helicopter maintenance methods were demonstrated to Vietnamese Air Force parties. Squadron Leader Keith Taylor of Canberra, the squadron's Senior Engineer Officer said that the Vietnamese were particularly impressed by the RAAF serviceability rate.'; copy of Honours and Awards Citation for MBE; RAAF Interim Certificate of Discharge 29Aug75; two metal plates (approx 14.5x15cm) with painted shield marked, 'No 1/ADG FLT/(image of a white bird landing)/RICHMOND', and on the back is painted a lobster with 1 above (ADG is Airfield Defence Guards or 'Adgies' as they are nicknamed).

MBE: LG 1/1/1964, p36; CAG 16/1/1964, p229, in New Year Honours to Flight Lieutenant Keith James Taylor, RAAF.

Citation: Flight Lieutenant Taylor is an engineer officer in the Royal Australian Air Force and is currently serving with No. 9 Helicopter Squadron. During flood rescue operations carried out in south-west Queensland from 31st March to 3rd April, 1963, Flight Lieutenant Taylor volunteered to act as third crewmember aboard Iroquois helicopter A2-387.

As third crewmember, Flight Lieutenant Taylor was lowered by the aircraft's rescue hoist onto rooftops and into deep water to render aid and assist fifty-two people trapped by flood waters. On some occasions it was necessary to lower him a distance of 60-70 feet through or in close proximity to trees, high tension lines, and radio antennas. In addition, on numerous occasions he was hoisted aboard carrying small children in his arms. Flight Lieutenant Taylor willingly carried out these tasks and his firm but tactful handling of the people in distress was of immense value to the successful completion of rescue operations.

In recognition of his meritorious service.

National Medal: Awarded 14/7/1977 to Squadron Leader Keith James Taylor; also awarded 1st clasp on same date.

Keith James Taylor, born 01Dec1927 at Brisbane, Qld; Enl.23Nov1957; served in the RAAF as an aeronautical engineer rising through the ranks to Squadron Leader; Served in Vietnam with No. 2 Sqn 07Jul1964; No. 9 Sqn Detachment A 03May-11Jun1966; No. 9 Sqn 12Jun1966-03Apr1967; No. 9 Sqn 04Mar-04Dec1970; Disch.29Aug1975 for early retirement; Mustering on discharge was Aeronautical Engineer.



4895*

Group of Nine: Australian Active Service Medal 1945-1975 - clasp - Vietnam; Vietnam Medal 1964-73; Australian Service Medal 1945-1975 - clasp - S E Asia; Defence Force Service Medal with four bars; National Medal with one bar; Australian Defence Medal; National Service Medal 1951-1972; Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, - clasp - 1960-; Pingat Jasa Malaysia Medal. 53602 R.J.Brown on all but fourth medal, this with 53602 Brown A.J. The second medal impressed, the fifth and eighth medals engraved, all other medals pantograph engraved. *Display mounted, extremely fine.*

\$3,000

Together with Republic of Vietnam Cross of Gallantry with Palm Unit Citation in box of issue.

Also entitled to Army Commendation badge.

Citation for Commendation: The Commander of the 1st Military District has brought to my attention your outstanding dedication and performance of duty with the Australian Army, in particular in the field of Electronic Warfare with the 7th Signal Regiment.

During your long career you have served with distinction in Singapore, South Vietnam and Australia, and have successfully completed sensitive tasks of national importance. You have for many years provided excellent advice and assistance to young operators, non-commissioned officers and officers of the three Services, and are recognised as a specialist of great skill in the trade of Operator Signals.

I commend you for your long and dedicated service: you have set and achieved the highest of standards in your trade bringing great credit to yourself, your Corps and the Australian Army.

Signed by Lieutenant General L.G.O'Donnell, Chief of the General Staff, 18 August 1989.

Robert James Brown, born 11Sep1934 at Perth, WAust; Signaller with Royal Australian Corps of Signals; served in Vietnam with Detachment, 547 Signal Troop 13Jun1966-02Feb1967 and 547 Signal Troop 03Feb-08Jun1967.

With research and original Commendation document.



4896*

Group of Seven: Australian Active Service Medal 1945-1975 - clasp - Vietnam; Vietnam Medal 1964-73; Defence Force Service Medal with one bar; National Medal; Australian Defence Medal; National Service Medal 1951-1972; Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, - clasp - 1960-. 36658 M.J.Foster on all but third medal, this with 36658 Foster M.J. The second medal impressed, the fourth and seventh medals engraved, all other medals pantograph engraved. *Display mounted, extremely fine.*

\$3,000

Entitled to United States Meritorious Unit Commendation.

Together with two original documents from the United States War Office for the award of the Meritorious Unit Commendation; a matched set of unmounted miniatures; AATTV shoulder patch; Australian Army Service Corps hat badge (QC); pair of aluminium dog tags, one circular and one hexagonal, impressed, '36658 WO2/M.Foster/BGP.A2 RH Pos/Presb.'; Returned from Active Service badge (QC), reverse numbered A431045.

Murty Joseph Foster, born 24Dec1932 at Windsor, Vic; served with Royal Australian Army Service Corps as (temporary) Staff Sergeant until appointed Warrant Officer 01Feb1976; served in Vietnam with Australian Army Training Team Vietnam 12Feb1968-28Jan1969.

With research including an original Australian Army Warrant dated 1st February 1976 appointing Murty Joseph Foster to the rank of Warrant Officer.



4897*

Group of Five: Australian Active Service Medal 1945-1975, - clasp - Vietnam (copy-see note); Vietnam Medal 1964-1973; Defence Force Service Medal; National Medal; Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, - clasp - 1960-. First medal unnamed, 1732883 D.C.Lovett on second and last medals, D.C.Lovett A120028 on third and fourth medals. Second medal impressed, third and fourth medals pantograph engraved, last medal engraved. *Court mounted, contact marks on second medal, otherwise very fine - extremely fine.*

\$600

Note: The Australian Active Service Medal 1945-1975 was instituted in 1997 after this group was purchased and the vendor has added the copy. The original has probably never been claimed.

Dennis Charles Lovett, born 20Aug1946 at Bundaberg, Qld; National Service as Lance-Corporal in RAust Infy Corps; served in Vietnam with 4Bn, RAR 21May1968 - 14Mar1969. Joined RAAF (A120028) 24Sep1969; awarded National Medal as Corporal, 22Apr1983; Disch.05Oct1987 as Sergeant.

With copies of Certificates of Service.



4898*

Group of Four: Australian Active Service Medal 1945-1975, - clasp - Vietnam; Vietnam Logistics and Support Medal 1964-1973; HMAS Sydney (Vietnam) Medal; Australian Logistic Support Forces (Vietnam) Medal. J.P.Johnson R110765 on first two and last medal, Endorsed By The City Of Sydney R110765 J.P.Johnson on last medal. The second medal engraved all other medals pantograph engraved. *Court mounted, nearly uncirculated.*

\$600

James Paul Johnson, born 17Jun1953; Ordinary Seaman (Steward) with Supply and Secretariat Branch; served in Vietnam with HMAS Sydney 26Oct-18Nov1971; 24Nov-17Dec1971; and 14Feb-09Mar1972.

Ex Downies Auction Sale 275 (lot 478).



4899*

Pair: Vietnam Medal 1964-1973; Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, - clasp - 1960-. 4721506 R.W.Payne. First medal impressed, the second medal engraved. *Good very fine.*

\$750

Ex Noble Numismatics Sale 67 (lot 2088).

Robert Ward Payne, born 17Sep1949 at Broken Hill, NSW; served as national serviceman, as Private in RAust Infy Corps; served in Vietnam with 3RAR 25Feb-16Oct1971.

Awarded Military Medal, LG 1/9/1972, p10458; CAG No.60 13/7/1972, p2.



4900*

Pair: Vietnam Medal 1964-1973; Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, - clasp - 1960-. 1731738 T.D.T.Wyatt. The first medal impressed, the second engraved. *Court mounted, extremely fine.*

\$400

Terence David Thomas Wyatt, born 19Apr1945 at Cairns, Qld; national serviceman with rank of Private in RA Infy Corps; served in Vietnam with 1 Australian Reinforcement Unit 18Nov-23Dec1966 and with HQs, 1 Aust Task Force 24Dec1966 - 21Nov1967.