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The Collection of
R. de R. Jooste

THE ANGLO-BOER WAR,
South African History and Related Subjects
(Part I)
Dr Tielman Jooste exemplifies the very best attributes of book collectors. Inheriting from his father an interest in the Anglo-Boer War, he sought to discover all he could about the ‘Last of the Gentlemen’s Wars’ and its antecedents. On his maternal De Villiers side, Dr Jooste’s forebears entertained the Boer leaders in their Cape Town home following the War. The family also extended hospitality to such Boer sympathisers as Roger Casement and Alice Stopford Green. However, in his thirst for the truth about what happened, Dr Jooste did not satisfy himself with a collection presenting only one version of events. His wide-ranging library is particularly strong in rare Republican accounts, but there are hundreds of books from the other side of the conflict.

Ask the doctor about any book in his collection, and he will be able to offer you an opinion on its merits. He eschews jingoism, and can inevitably see both sides of a matter. In his company, one is reminded of the reception afforded Rayne Kruger’s *Good-bye Dolly Gray* upon its release, when the author was praised for “a lack of bias in handling a subject still controversial … years after the event.”

Given his medical background, it is understandable that Dr Jooste has also focused much on the treatment of the sick and wounded between 1899 and 1902. He has become something of an authority on the subject. In his standard reference work *Healers, Helpers and Hospitals – A History of Military Medicine in the Anglo-Boer War*, J. C. (Kay) de Villiers says: “Some individuals deserve special mention because of their untiring and valuable assistance over many years. The first among them is Dr Tielman Jooste with whom, after many years of geographic separation, a boyhood friendship was rekindled through our shared interest in the Anglo-Boer War. He put his vast knowledge of military and medical facts pertaining to this war at my disposal, and appeared to take a delight in going to endless trouble to search for information on my behalf.”

It is with great pleasure that, along with Dr Tielman Jooste, we offer for sale the first part of an important collection.
1. A.D.L. [A. D. Lückhoff]: *Woman's Endurance*. By A.D.L., B.A., Chaplain in the Concentration Camp, Bethulie, O.R.C., 1901 (Cape Town: S.A. News Co., 1904) 8vo; original black cloth, lettered in black to upper cover; pp. (iv) + 67. Cloth slightly rubbed; earlier owner's name, with date 'December 1904' penned on front free endpaper; trace of foxing to endpapers. Good to very good condition. (Hackett, p. 124; SABIB 3, p. 178) "He was admitted to the ministry in 1900, travelled in Europe for six months, and from August 1901 served as chaplain in the concentration camp at Bethulie, until his health failed completely by the end of October. The moving story of his experiences in the camp, which he recorded from time to time, appeared as a booklet in 1904 under the title Woman's endurance." - DSAB IV, p. 327 £40.00 [195]

2. Abbott, J. H. M.: Tommy Cornstalk. *Being some account of the less notable features of the South African War from the point of view of the Australian ranks* (London: Longmans, Green, and Co., 1902) Inscribed on the dedication page: "J. T. Jenkins / with the author's compt. / 1902". 190 x 130 mm; wrappers with additional mounted paper cover, and title in penned manuscript to spine and upper cover; pp. x + (ii) + 264. Cover tanned and a bit soiled; backstrip fragile; archival tape reinforcing to upper joint; binding a little slack; very occasional fox spot. Good. Eighth impression, produced in the same year as the first. (Hackett, p. 124; SABIB 1, p. 7) "But the Australian soldier, though frequently the subject of much literary effort, has not yet had his say. Therefore, in these pages the author has striven to show other Australians, who had not the good fortune to serve in Africa, what some phases of campaigning were like, as viewed from the standpoint of the Australian ranks, and has occasionally ventured to say, as an Australian, how things have impressed him." £35.00 [10]

3. Anderssen, E. C.: *Die Verlede Herleef. Herinnerings uit die Tweede Vryheidsoorlog* (Johannesburg: Voortrekkerpers, 1943) 180 x 133 mm; pictorial wrappers; pp. 91; portrait plates. Wrappers tanned and a bit scuffed; backstrip brittle; trace of fishmothing to margin of final leaf. Good. Afrikaans text. Uncommon. Armstrong tells the story of his extraordinary career ... " £5.00 [84]


5. Anonymous: *Swart Konsentrasiekampe tydens die Anglo-Boereoorlog* (Bloemfontein: Oorlogs museum, 1996) 210 x 148 mm; saddle-stitched wrappers; pp. 9. Fine. Afrikaans text. "Wat die geskiedenisboeke tot dusver verswyg het aangesien dit maar taamlik onlangs deur historici, wat besig is om argiefmateriaal na te gaan, opgediep is, is dat die Britte ook 'n stelsel van konsentrasiekampe vir Swart burgerlikes daargestel het. Die ontbering waaraan dié aangehoudenes bloatgestel is, was selfs erger as dié waaraan die Blanke konsentrasiekampinwoners onderworpe was." £7.50 [128]

6. Armstrong, H. C.: *Grey Steel. J. C. Smuts* (London: Methuen, 1951) 8vo; original pale blue cloth, lettered in black on spine; pictorial dustwrapper, housed in removable protector; endpaper map; pp. xiv + 333, incl. index; line drawings and maps; one plate. Dustwrapper very slightly worn to extremities of spine panel; occasional fox spot. Very good condition. "It tells the story of an uneducated farm lad who became Prime Minister of South Africa, and whose remarkable achievements as scholar, soldier and statesman, made him one of the outstanding figures of this century." £5.00 [84]

7. Armstrong, H. C.: *Grey Wolf. Mustafa Kemal. An Intimate Study of a Dictator* (London: Methuen, 1947) 8vo; original pale blue cloth, lettered in black on spine; pictorial dustwrapper, housed in removable protector; pp. x + 261, incl. index; frontis. portrait; illustrations in text; maps. Dustwrapper slightly edgedown and tanned; some foxing to edges and endpapers. Very good condition. "Although Mustafa Kemal, the creator of Modern Turkey, was one of the outstanding personalities in an age of dictators, he allowed little to be known of his private life. He remained an enigma, but in this revealing book Mr. Armstrong tells the story of his extraordinary career ... " £15.00 [83]

8. Anonymous: *Army and Navy Gazette* (original publishers): *South African War Honours & Awards, 1899-1902. Officers and Men of the Army and Navy Mentioned in Despatches* (London: Arms and Armour Press, 1971) 4to; original burgundy cloth, lettered in gilt on spine; laminated pictorial dustwrapper; pp. (vi) +132 + (viii). Near fine condition. "This detailed reference work was compiled from official sources. It records the glories of the British Army and Navy during the Boer war, listing regiment by regiment all honours and awards, mentions in despatches and officers' promotions. Originally published by the Army and Navy Gazette in 1903, it details the period November 23rd 1899 to March 6th 1903. Included also is a listing of actions, with the units involved and the regimental casualties. South African War Honours and Awards is a source work of great value to military historians and, especially, to medal collectors." £25.00 [310]

9. Anonymous: *Besieged by the Boers. A Diary of Life and Events in Kimberley During the Siege* (London: Hutchinson & Co., 1900) Crown 8vo; original red cloth, blocked in white and black; pp. xii + 210 + (ii); 24 plates; some illustrations in text. Cloth somewhat rubbed; spine sunned and frayed at ends; endpapers browned; hinges starting and lower joint splitting; ownership inscription to front free endpaper; binding slack; trace of soiling to top edge. (Hackett, p. 127; Mendelssohn I, p. 54) "An account of the siege and relief of Kimberley. Dr. Ashe was one of the leading surgeons in the town, and in spite of an extremely heavy practice found time to write a most interesting account of the operations of the Boers." - Mendelssohn. £25.00 [66]
10. Badenhorst, Alie: **Tant Alie van Transvaal. Die Dagboek van Alie Badenhorst** (Cape Town: Nasionale Pers, 1939) Squarish 8vo; original khaki cloth, lettered in brown and green; pp. (vi) + iii + (i) + [3-376]; frontis. portrait. Backstrip very slightly crumpled at tail with trace of wear to head; pin-point impression to lower board; earlier owner’s name signed on front free endpaper; trace of foxing to edges. Very good condition. Afrikaans text. Translated from the original Dutch by M. E. Rothmann. (Nienaber I, p. 38) Originally publicised and translated into English by Emily Hobhouse, this diary made such an impression on former President Reitz that, in his final days, he attempted to translate it into Afrikaans. “Mej. Hobhouse het jare gelede die manuskrip in hande gekry en dadelik die geskiedkundige waarde sowel as die betekenis uit algemeen menslike oogpunt van hierdie eenvoudige dog roerende verhaal van ’n Boer vrou tydens die Tweede Vryheidsoorlog raakgesien. Sy het dan ook persoonlik ’n vertaling bewerk, waarin sy haar bes gedoen het om die kragtige eenvoud van Tant Alie weer te gee.” £40.00 [159]

11. Bagot, Dosia: **Shadows of the War** (London: Edward Arnold, 1900) 8vo; original blue cloth, lettered in gilt on spine; pp. xvi + 214; plates. Backstrip a bit darkened, and crumpled at extremities; cloth partially mottled; small ink stamp to front pastedown; portion torn from top fore-corner of front free endpaper; occasional fox spot. Good condition. (Mendelssohn I, p. 66; Hackett, p. 128) “The Portland Hospital, of which the author was a founder, commenced its operations in South Africa during the darkest days of the war, at the close of 1899. The hospital was first settled at Rondebosch and its earliest patients were men from General French’s troops at Colesberg, whilst numbers of the wounded from Lord Methuen’s army were housed at Wynberg. After three months’ existence at Rondebosch, the hospital was removed to Bloemfontein, and Mrs. Bagot gives an interesting account of life in the Free State capital in the early days of the English occupation. The details of the work sufficiently indicate the kindness and skill exercised on behalf of the patients, and the solid comfort they enjoyed. The outbreak of enteric, however, seems to have overtaxed the abilities of all concerned, and the author estimates that at one period there were 5000 cases in Bloemfontein alone.” - Mendelssohn £35.00 [205]

12. Ballard, C.: **Smith-Dorrien** (London: Constable, 1931) 8vo; original red cloth, lettered in gilt on spine; tinted top edge; no dustwrapper; pp. xv + (i) + 345, incl. index; frontis. portrait with tissue guard; maps and battle plans. Cloth a little mottled, and sunned to backstrip; regular, light browning. Good condition. Sir Horace Lockwood Smith-Dorrien (1858-1930), distinguished himself first in the Anglo-Zulu War, being recommended for a Victoria Cross following Isandlwana and sharing in the final defeat of the Zulus at Ulundi. In 1882 he was in Egypt for the Arabi Pasha campaign, before moving on to India, returning to Egypt between 1884 and 1885. He participated in the Sudan campaign in 1898, and had a chequered experience of the Anglo-Boer War, doing well during the earlier stages, before seeming to lose his way somewhat during the guerrilla phase. His part in the First World War was cut short somewhat by his feud with French, although he did take charge of Home Defence thereafter. £25.00 [260]

13. Barbary, James: **The Boer War** (London: Victor Gollancz, 1971) 8vo; original dark brown boards, lettered in gilt on spine; laminated pictorial dustwrapper; pp. 160, incl. index; plates; maps. Light foxing to reverse of dustwrapper; light tape marks to boards and pastedowns. Very good condition. “The whole gripping narrative sweeps forward on the impetus of the quirky human strengths and weaknesses of the individual leaders. … For the military history enthusiast or for the general reader, this is a fascinating account of a complex era, when the techniques of modern warfare were born.” £10.00 [112]

14. Beckerling, Joan Letitia (compiler): **The Medical History of the Anglo-Boer War. A Bibliography** (Cape Town: University of Cape Town School of Librarianship, 1967) 230 x 165 mm; saddle-stitched card wrappers; pp. iv + v + (i) + 30. Small crease to bottom fore- corners of wrappers. Very good condition. “This bibliography … includes material written between 1899 and December, 1966. … I have included books, newspaper supplements, official reports, pamphlets, parliamentary papers and periodical articles. General entries have been made for The British Medical Journal and The Lancet which contained numerous medical articles during the entire period of the war.” £20.00 [285]

15. Belfield, Eversley: **The Boer War** (London: Leo Cooper, 1975) 8vo; original black boards, lettered in gilt on spine; laminated pictorial dustwrapper; endpaper map; pp. xxvi + 181, incl. index; plates. Very good condition. A volume in the ‘Concise Campaigns’ series. £5.00 [298]

16. Beukes, Piet: **Smuts the Botanist. The Cape Flora and the Grasses of Africa** (Cape Town: Human & Rousseau, 1996) 8vo; laminated pictorial boards; pp. 120. Very good condition. “Here [the author] explores a little-known aspect of the great man’s life: his profound interest in botany and, more specifically, in the native flora of his beloved country.” £10.00 [336]


18. Beukes, Piet: **The Religious Smuts** (Cape Town: Human & Rousseau, 1994) 8vo; laminated pictorial boards; pp. 111. Fine condition. ‘In reply to a question on what he saw as the purpose of life, General Jan Smuts once said: “You live and you exist to glorify your God who created you, that is the purpose of your life.” Despite this deep belief in God as the Creator of mankind, Smuts was often accused of being an atheist, especially after the publication of his book Holism and Evolution in 1926. The Religious Smuts looks at the role religion played in the great statesman’s philosophic and scientific thinking and shows how deeply Smuts saw and experienced the hand of God in his own life and in the destiny of mankind as a whole.’ £10.00 [334]

spine. Very good condition. "In The Romantic Smuts Piet Beukes, pioneering South African journalist and commentator on international affairs who had close contact with Smuts, analyses his relationships and reveals the tender and romantic side of his personality that was always hidden from the outside world." £10.00 [335]


21. Borger, Mary Cathcart: The Boer War. October 10, 1899 - May 31, 1902 (London: Lutterworth, 1971) Squarish 8vo; original brown boards, lettered in silver gilt on spine; pictorial dustwrapper; pp. 80; maps; line drawings. Dustwrapper a little sunned to spine. Very good condition. "This complex and highly dramatic story has been unfolded with great clarity by Mary Cathcart Borger …" £5.00 [113]

22. Boshoff, S. P. E.: Rebelle-sketse uit mij dagboek, 1914-1915. (Amsterdam: J.H. de Bussy, 1918) Crown 8vo; original orange cloth; pp. (vi) + iv + (ii) + 172; black-and-white photographic plates. Cloth a little worn, with some fishmothing to fore-edges of boards; corners a little turned; regular browning throughout. Good. (Nienaber I, p. 55) "On the outbreak of the Second Anglo-Boer War in October 1899, Boshoff's father was a member of the Volksraad and served as commandant during the war. Boshoff and his mother were taken to the concentration camp at Norvalspont. ... During 1912 and 1913 he was teaching and then left for Amsterdam for further study but soon returned to South Africa in view of the political developments at home. He took part in the 1914 Rebellion under Gen. C. F. Beyers and was captured and jailed, forfeiting his University scholarship. After his release he substituted for Prof. J. Kemp at the Theological School of Potchefstroom for two years. His experiences as a rebel are recounted in Vaalrivier die Broederstroom (1916) and Rebelle-sketse (1918)." - DSAB V, p. 64. £15.00 [102]

23. Bosman, H. S.: Een Terugblik op Kerkelike en Godsdienstige Toestanden in de Transvaal (Cape Town: Van de Sandt de Villiers, 1923) Crown 8vo; original brown cloth, lettered in gilt on upper cover; pp. 154; portrait plate. Cloth slightly mottled and stippled; earlier owner's name signed on front free endpaper; a little foxing to endpapers and edges. Good to very good condition. Dutch text. (SABIB I, p. 250) 'In the volgende bladzijden, wil de schrijver ons vooral een duidelijk overzicht geven van de gebeurtenissen, die aanleiding gegeven hebben tot het ontstaan der Vereenigde Kerk, en aantonen hoe het gekomen is, dat ondanks die vereeniging er toch nog een Hervormde naast de Vereenigde Kerk bestaat.' £10.00 [4]


25. Bowlby, Anthony A., and others: A Civilian War Hospital. Being an Account of the Work of the Portland Hospital, and of Experience of Wounds and Sickness in South Africa, 1900. With a Description of the Equipment, Cost, and Management of a Civilian Base Hospital in Time of War (London: John Murray, 1901) 8vo; original olive green cloth, lettered in gilt on spine and upper cover; pp. xii + 343, incl. index; folding frontis.; several plates. Backstrip somewhat frittered at head and tail; corners bumped; joints slightly rubbed; upper hinge starting; code penned at head of front pastedown; earlier owner's name signed, with date '1903', to half-title; binding a little slack; scattered, moderate foxing. Good. (Hackett, p. 177; Mendelsohn I, p. 168) 'A full account of the personnel, equipment, and work of the hospital. The section of the publication dealing with the "Personnel, Equipment, and Interior Economy" was contributed by Surgeon-Colonel C. R. Kilkelly, the "Medical Work," by Messrs. H. H. Tooth and J. E. G. Calverley, the "Surgical Work," by Messrs. Anthony Bowlby and Cuthbert Wallace; and the "Career and Work of the Portland Hospital," by Anthony Bowlby.' - Mendelsohn. The graphic illustrations and detailed descriptions of wounds and cases of disease provide a vivid picture of human suffering among soldiers during the Anglo-Boer War. £150.00 [199]

26. Brandt, Johanna: Die Kapnie Kommando, of Boerevrouwen in Geheime Dienst (Cape Town: H.A.U.M., 1915) 8vo; cloth-backed papered boards, lettered in dark brown to spine and upper board, with woman's bonneted head to upper board; pp. xiv + (ii) + 376; plates. Cover a little tanned and rubbed; contemporary ownership inscription pencilled to front free endpaper; hinges just starting; trace of foxing to edges, occasional fox spot elsewhere. Very good condition. Dutch text. (SABIB I, p. 273) 'Die Kappie Kommando' was "a Dutch translation of the original English edition 'The Petticoat commando or Boer women in secret service' (1913) ..." (DSAB IV, p. 55), which is described by Hackett as "An account of work done by Boer women patriots during the struggle for independence. The narrative is based on a war diary relating events in the district of Pretoria, then under martial law." (R. G. Hackett: South African War Books - An illustrated bibliography, p. 46 £35.00 [172]
27. Brandt-Van Warmelo, Johanna: Het Concentratie-Kamp van Iréne (Amsterdam & Cape Town: H.A.U.M., 1905) 8vo; pale green cloth, lettered in black to upper cover, enclosing original printed wrappers; pp. (vii) + 130; frontis, portrait and another portrait plate. Cloth partially sunned; some moderate foxing. Very good condition. Dutch text. (Mendelsohn II, p. 561) "With her mother she was one of the six volunteer nurses from Pretoria who assisted in the concentration camp at Irene. The desperate conditions in this camp were made known to the outside world by Mrs Van Warmelo and Johanna Brandt by means of a sympathetic person's silver cigarette case. A full description was smuggled out in this manner to the well-disposed journalist W. T. Stead and widely circulated through his journal 'Review of Reviews'. Johanna Brandt's war experiences formed the basis of two of her books, 'The Irene concentration camp' (1904), which was published the following year in Dutch under the title 'Het concentratie-kamp van Iréne', and the well-known 'Die kappie kommando, of Boerevrouwen in geheime dienst' (1913)."

28. Breytenbach, J. H.: Die Tweede Vryheidsoorlog (Cape Town: Nasionale Pers, 1948 and 1949) 2 small, squarish 8vo volumes; original black cloth, lettered in gilt on spines; pp. (vi) + ix + (i) + 406; x + 381; endpaper map to first volume; photographs. "Trace of light stippling to cloth; fore-edge of front pastedown a touch fishmothed in second volume. Very good condition. Afrikaans text. These books were the precursors of Breytenbach's great magnum opus, the six-volume 'Geskiedenis van die Tweede Vryheidsoorloog in Suid-Afrika, 1899-1902'. Their themes are 'I. Voorspel tot die Stryd', and 'II. Ontplooing van die Vryheidsoorlog in Suid-Afrika' (1899-1904). Their content is 'I. Voorspel tot die Stryd', and 'II. Ontplooing van die Boere-offensief Oktober 1899'. They are arguably the earliest works of serious historiography on the subject by an Afrikaans writer. £100.00 [36]

29. Breytenbach, J. H.: Die Tweede Vryheidsoorlog (Cape Town: Nasionale Pers, 1948 and 1949) Author's presentation inscription to front free endpaper verso in first volume. 2 small, squarish 8vo volumes; original black cloth, lettered in gilt on spines; pp. (vi) + ix + (i) + 406; x + 381; endpaper map to first volume; photographs. "Cloth very slightly rubbed; signed by earlier owner on front pastedown of second volume. Very good condition. Afrikaans text. £110.00 [37]

30. Breytenbach, J. H., and others: Komdt. Danie Theron: Baasverkenner van die Tweede Vryheidsoorlog (Cape Town: Nasionale Boekhandel, 1950) Squarish 8vo; original green boards, lettered in black to spine and upper cover; dustwrapper; pp. (ii) + 251, incl. index; plates. Dustwrapper tanned and a little edgeworn, with archival tape repairs to reverse; spine slightly cocked; some light brownling; occasional fox spot. Very good condition. Afrikaans text. Uncommon. "Hier is nou die ware verhaal agter die romantiese legende van Danie Theron, 'n verhaal wat nog groter luister aan sy naam verleen, 'n verhaal waarin vir die eerste keer die ware geskiedkundige gestalte bepaal word van een van die skildergagtigste figure in ons geskiedenis. KOMDT. DANIE THERON beantwoord aan die hoogste eise wat die geskiedskrwywing stel, maar terselfdertyd lees dit so vlot en boeiend soos 'n spanningsverhaal." £30.00 [78]

31. Brink, Adjutant J[an] N[eeethling]: Oorlog en Ballingskap (Cape Town: Nasionale Pers, 1940) 8vo; original pale grey cloth blocked in black and green; pp. (vi) + 286 + (iii); frontis. portrait; black-and-white photographic plates. Trace of spotting to cloth; earlier owner's name signed on front free endpaper. Very good condition. Afrikaans text. (Nienaber I, p. 66) Uncommon expanded version of the author's celebrated work Ceylon en de Bannelingen, which appeared in English under the title Recollections of a Boer Prisoner-of-War at Ceylon (HAUM, 1904). The 1940 revision contains a good deal more information, however, as the author explains in his foreword: "Die inhoud is aanmerlik uitgebrei en ook deur vier bykomende hoofstukke aangevul. Hierdie nuwe anvulling handel oor gebeurtenisse in die oorlog, waartoe bogenmelde [Ladybrand-, Ficksburg- en Senekal-] kommando's geen geringe deel bygedra het nie. Oorlogsgeskiedenis maak soms 'n aansienlike deel uit van die biografie van 'n volk en die groot gebeurtenis, wat as glorieryke tydperk van die volkstryd moet beantwoord aan die hoogste eise wat die geskiedskrwywing stel. Mag nie in die vergetelheid wegsink nie, maar vir die nageslag behou bly." £25.00 [163]

32. Brink, J. N.: Recollections of a Boer Prisoner-of-War at Ceylon (Amsterdam & Cape Town: H.A.U.M., 1904) 8vo; original olive green cloth blocked in gilt and blind; pictorial onlay on upper cover; blind-stamped emblem of Boer republics on lower cover; pp. (vi) + 220; black-and-white photographic plates and illustrations in text. "Very slightly rubbed; light bump to bottom fore-corner of upper board; trace of foxing to edges and endpapers, occasional fox spot elsewhere. Very good condition. (SABIB 1, p. 284; Hackett, pp. 48, 131) "An historical and descriptive sketch of the island of Ceylon, with an account of the outward journey from South Africa and of life as experienced by Boer prisoners-of-war at Diyatalawa and Ragama camps."

33. Brink, J.N.: Ceylon en de Bannelingen (Amsterdam and Cape Town: H.A.U.M., 1904) 8vo; original olive green cloth blocked in gilt and blind; pictorial onlay on upper cover; blind-stamped emblem of Boer republics on lower cover; pp. (x) + 224; black-and-white photographic plates and illustrations in text. Trace of foxing to endpapers and edges. Exceptional condition. Dutch text. (SABIB 1, p. 283; uniform English edition: Hackett, pp. 48, 131) £30.00 [230]
34. Bron, Alice: *Diary of a Nurse in South Africa. Being a Narrative of Experiences in the Boer and English Hospital Service* (London: Chapman & Hall, 1901) Translated from the French by G. A. Raper. 8vo; blue cloth, lettered in gilt on spine, and in red to upper cover; pp. xiii + (i) + 208; frontis. portrait. Cloth rubbed, and a little frayed at spine extremities; corners turned; binding a little slack; earlier owner's name signed, with penned date '1901' in same hand, on front free endpaper; endpapers and edges rather foxed, sporadic; moderate foxing elsewhere. Uncommon. Fair to good condition. (Hackett, p. 131; Mendelssohn I, p. 194) The following note from the publishers is tipped in on the title page: "Since the publication of the English version of this diary, Messrs. CHAPMAN & HALL have learned that Madame Alice Bron's assertion, that the Petit Bleu inserted her letters in its columns when they were Pro-Boer and suppressed them when they were pro-English, has been contradicted in two articles published in the issues of the Petit Bleu of February the 9th and 10th, 1901, immediately after the publication of the French version of Madame Bron's Diary." £75.00 [201]


36. Buffon, John: *Tasmanians in the Transvaal War* (Hobart: S. G. Loone, 1905) 4to; original charcoal cloth, lettered in gilt on upper cover; pp. (xvi) + 534; several photographic illustrations. Cloth damp-stained and worn; backstrip splitting along joints; gilt dull; endpapers a bit rippled; upper hinge starting between half-title and title leaves; small damp scar to bottom edge of final leaves. Externally fair only. Good internally. An uncommon work. (Hackett, p. 132; Mendelssohn I, p. 217) 'The volume contains a chapter entitled "Kruger's Characteristics," a summary of the negotiations between the Transvaal and Great Britain, and accounts of the experiences of the first contingent of Tasmanians, the Bushmen's contingent, the first and second Imperial Bushmen, the second federal contingent (Commonwealth Horse), and the first and third battalions. There are also articles giving the narrative of the prisoners, "The Last Roll Call," &c. &c. Part of the contents are in the form of journals, which are accompanied by a number of illustrations, and photographs of officers and men engaged in the campaign.' - Mendelssohn. £200.00 [289]

37. Buller, Redvers: *Evidence of General the Right Hon. Sir Redvers Buller taken before the Royal Commission on the War in South Africa* (London: Longmans, Green, and Co., 1904) 8vo; new brown cloth, with gilt lettering to spine; new endpapers and flyleaves; pp. 160. Scattered foxing. Very good condition. Very uncommon. (Hackett, p. 132; Mendelssohn I, p. 221) Buller's evidence before the Royal Commission on the War in South Africa did nothing to save his reputation following the fiasco on the Natal Front, including Colenso, Spioenkop, and the notorious telegram sent to White at Ladysmith. He had, by this time, already been relieved of his command and retired on half pay. 'Sir Redvers remarked, "The Boers are curious people, they fight well, are very mobile, but they are quicker at getting away than any soldiers the world has ever seen." He considered that the shooting of our troops was, on the whole, better than that of the Boers, and our rifle superior to the Mauser, and that whilst some of their guns were superior to ours in power and range, our artillery had the advantage of mobility.' - Mendelssohn. £50.00 [47]

38. Bulpin, T. V.: *Lost Trails of the Transvaal* (Cape Town: T. V. Bulpin, 1969) 8vo; original pictorial boards; endpaper map; pp. (vii) + 474, incl. index; colour plates; line drawings by A. A. Telford and C. T. A. Maberly in text. Cover very lightly rubbed; some foxing to page edges. Very good condition. 'Altogether the Transvaal is a natural treasure chest in a magnificently varied landscape setting. In an environment so beautiful and laden with such dynamic possibilities of wealth, it would be surprising if anything less had resulted than a human story of immense variety, restless movement, and all the varied passions, intrigues and contentions that the avariciousness of man can be expected to arouse." £10.00 [138]

39. Burger, A. J. V.: *Worsteljare. Herinneringe van Ds. A. P. Burger, Veldprediker by die Republikeine Magte tydens die Tweede Vryheidsoorlog* (Cape Town: Nasionale Pers, 1936) 8vo; original red cloth, lettered in white on spine and upper cover; no dustwrapper; pp. (vi) + vi + (ii) + 274, incl. index; plates. Contemporary gift inscription in same hand to front free endpaper; some foxing to edges. Very good condition. Afrikaans text. (Nienaber I, p. 75) "Ds. Burger sr. het noukeurige antworinge aangebring van al sy ondervindings, en omdat hy so 'n skerpssinnige waarnemer was, is sy relais van die krygsbedrywighede van buitengewone belang. … Ons maak die Natalse veldtog mee en kry dier tallose anekdotes 'n goeie kyk op die oorlogsmentaliteit van die burgers. Ook die guerilla-oorlog, die vlug van vroue en kinders, die konsentrasiemake, die krygsgevangenskap in Indië en die ontwrigting van die volkslewe na die oorlog word beskrywe." £55.00 [219]

40. Burleigh, Bennet: *The Natal Campaign* (London: Chapman & Hall, 1900) 8vo; original blue-grey pictorial cloth, blocked in yellow to spine and upper cover; pp. viii + (ii) + 418, incl. index; 3 folding maps; several plates. Cloth somewhat faded and stippled, with light wear to extremities; moderate foxing throughout. Good condition. (Hackett, p. 132; Mendelssohn I, p. 228) 'The narrative gives a full account of the Natal campaign, particularly with respect to the battle of Elandslaagte and Buller's four successive attempts to relieve Ladysmith, together with a short description of the wanton destruction committed by the
Burghers at Ennsdale and Frere.' - Mendelssohn £15.00 [68]

41. Burne, Lieutenant C. R. N.: With the Naval Brigade in Natal 1899-1900. Journal of Active Service kept during the Relief of Ladysmith and subsequent operations in Northern Natal and the Transvaal, under General Sir Redvers Buller, V.C., G.C.B. (London: Edward Arnold, 1902) 8vo; original blue-grey cloth, lettered in gilt on spine, and in black to upper cover, which has picture in central block; pp. ix + (iii) + 156 + publisher's catalogue; plates; folding map; author's loosely inserted printed compliments slip. Backstrip a little tanned, and slightly frayed at head and tail; boards lightly rubbed; moderate foxing throughout. Good condition. (Mendelssohn I, p. 230; Hackett, pp. 52, 132) "The diary of a gunnery officer during ten months service with the Naval Brigade in South Africa. Burne joined Gen. Buller's force in Natal taking part in operations at Chievelay, Colenso, Spion Kop and Vaal Krantz between December 1899 and February 1900. Following the relief of Ladysmith the naval detachment was broken up. The men of H.M.S. Powerful and H.M.S. Terrible being recalled for service elsewhere. Burne was taken ill with dysentery and sent to recuperate near Maritzburg. On return to service in April he was given command of a naval detachment in General Hildyard's brigade. The writer gives a personal account of the eastern advance with reference to the engagement at Almonds Nek in June 1900. Following a second bout of illness in July the author returned to his unit near Sandspruit in the Transvaal until recalled from active service in October 1900. The volume contains notes on field gunnery together with a diary of the war up to October 25, 1900. Extracts from despatches and hints on clothing and equipment for active service are appended." - Hackett £150.00 [181]

42. 'Buurman' [Meyndert Jacobus Bornman]: Oorlogswolke oor die Republiek. Die herinneringe van 'n Boere-offisier (Johannesburg: Voortrekkerpers, 1944) 8vo; original green cloth, lettered in black on spine and upper cover; dustwrapper; pp. 231; some plates. Dustwrapper browned and a bit edgeworn; light bump to head of spine. Very good condition. Afrikaans text. Uncommon. This ghost-written work blurs the lines between fact and fiction, relating several events ostensibly experienced by Meyndert Jacobus Bornman of Winburg. Even Bornman's appointment as a commandant cannot be verified. The book is, nevertheless, very interesting as a reflection of how folk memories can be created to satisfy the public's appetite during a period of nationalistic fervor. £25.00 [81]

43. Buxton, Earl: General Botha (London: John Murray, 1924) 8vo; original turquoise cloth, lettered in gilt on spine; pictorial dustwrapper; pp. xv + (i) + 347, incl. index; publisher's catalogue; plates; maps, incl. folding. Dustwrapper (a remarkable survival) a bit edgeworn; slight bump to top fore-corner of upper board; some foxing to edges, occasionally elsewhere. Very good condition. "This is not a biography of General Botha, but an attempt to give a picture of the man - Prime Minister, Statesman, General, Leader, Companion and Friend. In following out this object, many questions and problems of importance are naturally dealt with and discussed. Lord Buxton's intimate association, both official and unofficial, with General Botha in South Africa, during the critical years of the War, enables him to write with special knowledge and authority." £25.00 [241]

44. Carter, Thomas Fortescue: A Narrative of the Boer War: Its Causes and Results (London: John Macqueen / Cape Town: J. C. Juta, 1896, New Edition) Demy 8vo; original red cloth, lettered in gilt on spine and upper cover; pp. viii + 574+ publisher's adverts. Cover rather worn and bumped; joints starting and binding slack; spine darkened, and frayed at head and tail; earlier owners' names signed on front endpaper; endpapers browned; foxed throughout, quite significantly so to the outermost leaves. (Mendelssohn I, p. 305 [1st edition]) "The best work which has been published on the Boer War of 1880-1881 up to date. The volume is divided into four Parts; (I.) The British in the Transvaal. (II.) The Battlefields. (III.) The Peace. (IV.) A Journey through the Transvaal." - Mendelssohn. £20.00 [147]

45. Carver, Field Marshall Lord [Michael]: The National Army Museum Book of the Boer War (London: Sidgwick & Jackson in association with the National Army Museum, 1999) 8vo; original black boards, lettered in silver gilt on spine; laminated pictorial dustwrapper; pp. xv + (iii) + 301, incl. index; plates; maps. Near fine condition. "Field Marshall Lord Carver is one of Britain's foremost soldiers. His book, in co-operation with the National Army Museum, is essential reading for an understanding of the military aspects of the war as well as being entertaining and fascinating. It is based on mainly unpublished documents from the museum's archives." £7.50 [350]

46. Chisholm, Ruari: Ladysmith (Johannesburg: Jonathan Ball, 1979) Small 4to; original blue boards, lettered in silver gilt on spine; laminated pictorial dustwrapper; pp. 224, incl. index; maps; reproductions of contemporary photographs and artwork. Dustwrapper slightly sunned on spine panel; dustwrapper edges slightly curled, with archival tape repair to reverse of tear to bottom edge; some foxing to edges and endpapers. Very good condition. "Utilizing much hitherto unpublished information from contemporary sources in both Britain and South Africa, Ruari Chisholm tells the complete story of the campaign." £6.50 [450]

47. Churchill, Winston Spencer: Ian Hamilton's March. Together with Extracts from the Diary of Lieutenant T. H. C. Frankland, a Prisoner of War at Pretoria (London: Longmans, Green, and Co., 1900, 2nd edition) Crown 8vo; original red cloth, lettered in gilt on spine and upper cover; pp. xii + (ii) + 409 + (i) + 32; frontis. portrait; several maps and plans in text; folding map in colours. Spine a little sunned; extremities slightly worn; contemporary gift inscription to fly-leaf; faint trace of erased underlining to a few leaves (pp. 58-66); discreet marginal annotation in pen to one page (p. 202); some foxing to outer leaves, occasional minor spotting elsewhere. Good to very good condition. (Hackett, p. 136; Mendelssohn I, p. 338-339)
'The writer was in many sharp engagements, and nearly lost his life near Dewetsdorp with McNeill's Scouts. In describing this action, it is mentioned that the general commanding did not care to bring his guns into such an advanced position owing to the danger of their capture, and it is significantly observed that "so long as the loss of the guns is considered as a national disaster instead of an ordinary incident of war, ... officers will regard them rather as a source of anxiety than as powerful weapons." There is an interesting account of the life of the captured officers in Pretoria, and the volume contains a portrait of General Ian Hamilton, and a number of maps and plans illustrating his march.' - Mendelssohn. £95.00 [31]

48. Cleaver, M.M. (editor): A Young South African. A Memoir of Ferrar Reginald Mostyn Cleaver; Advocate and Veldcornet. Edited by his Mother (Johannesburg: W.E. Hortor & Co. Ltd., 1913) 8vo; original cloth half-binding; pp. xv + (i) + 200; frontispiece portrait. Cloth very worn and mottled, eroded to top third of upper joint, with trace of fishmouthing; earlier owner's name signed in pencil to front free endpaper and first page of the narrative; moderate foxing throughout. Fair condition. (Hackett, p. 136) Cleaver was born of English parents in the Orange Free State in 1870. He studied law in England and in 1895 was admitted as an advocate of the South African Republic. He was taken prisoner whilst engaged in the defense of Pretoria against the British, and died in captivity in Ceylon. £30.00 [5]

49. Cloete, Pieter G.: The Anglo-Boer War. A Chronology ( Pretoria: J. P. van der Walt, 2000) Folio (303 x 216 mm); laminated pictorial boards; pp. 351, incl. index; some maps and portrait illustrations. Bump to fore-edge of lower board; edges foxed, occasional fox spot elsewhere. Very good condition. "The book relates the political and military events of the Anglo-Boer War in a strict chronological order with daily diary type entries. The daily entries are grouped under regional, campaign and other headings, enabling the reader to follow specific events, campaigns and other aspects of the war. Where possible, direct quotations from speeches, letters, telegrams, etc., have been used to keep events 'live' as seen through the eyes of the participants. 'Trivia' entries record other events during the period to give a wider historical perspective to the war, putting it in a world-wide setting." £55.00 [261]

50. Cloete, Stuart: Rags of Glory (London: Collins, 1964) 8vo; original red boards, lettered in gilt on spine; pictorial dustwrapper; endpaper maps; pp. 576, incl. bibliography. Dustwrapper very slightly rubbed; some spotting to top edge. Very good condition. "This impressive novel of the Boer War is painted on the immense canvas of the African veld - thousands of square miles of it - where Boers, British soldiers, women and children move over the plains and mountains in battles among burning farms." £5.00 [139]

51. Colonel C. W. Thompson, with Major N. D. H. Campbell, Capt. W. S. Whetherly and Capt. J. E. D. Holland: Seventh (Princess Royal's) Dragoon Guards. The Story of a Regiment. And, With the Regiment in South Africa (1900-1902) (Liverpool: The "Daily Post" Printers, 1913) 4to; original maroon cloth over bevelled boards, blocked in black on upper cover; pp. (x) + 168; frontisp, portrait; several plates and text illustrations; 16 maps and plans, incl. one large, folding. Extremities a little rubbed; three small perforations to lower joint; endpapers somewhat browned; occasional spotting. Very good condition. (Hackett, p. 191; SABIB 4, p. 488) "A volume in two parts. The South African War record, which forms the greater part of the book, is by Major N. D. H. Campbell, Capt. W. S. Whetherly & Capt. J. E. D. Holland." - Hackett: South African War Books. An Illustrated Bibliography, p. 191. The earlier part of the volume also considers the Frontier War of 1846-7, to which chapter eight is devoted. The illustrations are excellent. £100.00 [267]

52. Colvin, Bt.-Lieut.-Colonel F. F. Colvin, and Captain E. R. Gordon: Diary of the 9th (Q.R.) Lancers During the South African Campaign, 1899 to 1902 (London: Cecil Roy, 1904) Squarine 8vo; original striking red and yellow cloth over bevelled boards, ornately lettered in black on upper board, with regimental crest in gilt; spine lettered in gilt; a.e.g.; pp. xiv + (ii) + 304; frontis.; illustrations in text; large, folding end-pocket map. Cloth irregularly discoloured; joints chafed, and spine frayed at head and tail; presentation bookplate to front pastedown deliberately scratched; hinges splitting but holding; endpapers very browned; sporadic foxing; folding map in very good condition, with few short tears at the junction of folds. (Hackett, pp. vi, 137; Mendelssohn I, p. 372) "A record of two and a half years service in South Africa compiled from officers diaries and other sources. The regiment joined Lord Methuen's force in the advance to Kimberley taking part in various engagements to mid December 1899, including Belmont, Modder River, and Magersfontein. In the Orange Free State from Feb.-May 1900 the 9th engaged in operations near Paardeberg, at Poplar Grove and Thaba' Nchu. In Transvaal, in June 1900, they took part in the action at Diamond Hill. Thereafter, to the end of the campaign, the regiment was employed at various times in western Transvaal, Orange River Colony and Cape Colony. 'The volume includes lists of honours, promotions and casualties (officers and other ranks). A large folding route map showing battlegrounds is enclosed separately.' - Hackett: South African War Books, p. vi. £95.00 [53]

53. Colvin, Ian: The Life of Jameson (London: Edward Arnold and Co., 1922) Two demy 8vo volumes; original blue buckram, lettered in gilt on spine; pp. vii + (i) + 314, (viii) + 352 (incl. index) + publisher's catalogue; four portraits and two maps. Trace of foxing to endpapers and edges; earlier owner's name signed, with date, to front free endpaper of first volume. Very good condition. (SABIB 1, p. 600; Hosken, p. 49) "The Jameson Raid, for which Jameson was directly responsible, may in a certain sense be considered as the start of the Second Anglo-Boer War. Although, as has been said, the Raid was part of a plan
originating with Rhodes, by whom Jameson was politically influenced, his name is so closely associated with this one impulsive act that it tends to obscure the political importance of his later life." - DSAB III, p. 441. £30.00 [149]

54. Comaroff, John L. (ed.): The Boer War Diary of Sol. T. Plaatje. An African at Mafeking (Johannesburg: Macmillan, 1973) 8vo; original black boards, lettered in gilt on spine; laminated pictorial dustwrapper; endpaper map; pp. xii + (iii) + 165; plates. Trace of wear to dustwrapper's top edge; earlier owner's name signed on front pastedown. Very good condition. "For decades Sol Plaatje's remarkable diary lay buried under a rubbish heap of old papers and documents in a Barolong village near Mafeking. When anthropologist John Comaroff told the villagers he was interested in written records, Plaatje's grandson rooted out an old scrapbook. At the back of this, miraculously preserved from the corrosions of dust and time, was Sol Plaatje's Boer War diary." £12.50 [291]

55. Conradie, François D.: Met Cronjé aan die Westfront. (1899-1900) en Waarom het die Boere die Oorlog verloor? (Cape Town: Nasionale Pers, 1943) Square 8vo; original khaki cloth, with green and brown lettering; dustwrapper, housed in removable protector; pp. (vi) + ii + (iv) + 244; plates and full-page illustrations; battle plans. Dustwrapper tanned, torn and edgeworn, with some loss to extremities of spine panel; occasional fox spot. Very good condition, in a modest dustwrapper. Afrikaans text. (Nienaber I, p. 97) "Ons kry hier vir die eerste maal ... 'n saaklike en kritiese ontleiding van die oorsake wat daartoe gelei het dat die aanvanklik seëvierende Boerewapens ten slotte die onderspit gedelf het. Vir die eerste maal word hier ook die vooroorlogse loopbaan geskets van die later so gevierdie baasverkenner - Danie Theron." £25.00 [156]

56. Constantine, Rodney James: The Poisoning of Gideon Scheepers. The Anglo-Boer War 1899-1902. A True Incident From the Guerilla War in the Cape Colony (Cape Town: Africana Institute, 1998) 210 x 145 mm; saddle-stitched pictorial wrappers; pp. (xi) + 28; portrait. Fine condition. The author, who has been at the forefront of research into Gideon Scheepers' life and death, presents the available evidence pointing to poisoning of the guerilla leader by a member of his own commando. £15.00 [132]

57. Corner, William: The Story of the 34th Company (Middlesex) Imperial Yeomanry. From the Point of View of Private No. 6243 (London: T. Fisher Unwin, 1902) Demy 8vo; original blue cloth, lettered in gilt on spine and upper cover; pp. xix + (i) + 540; several plates; illustrations in text; large, folding map. Backstrip a little darkened, and frayed at head and tail; boards likewise rubbed, esp. at top fore-corner of lower board, with trace of staining to edges; binding somewhat slack; light to moderate spotting throughout; short archival tape repair to reverse of folding map. (Hackett, p. 139; Mendelsohn I, p. 383) 'A lengthy but interesting account of the experiences of the 34th Company, "the first of three Imperial Yeomanry Companies raised in the County of Middlesex." It is stated that the force "remained at the front on active service from April 1900 to June 1901, and during that period it suffered casualties to the amount of about 50 per cent. of its fighting strength." The volume contains some portraits and illustrations, several appendices, and the roster and record of the 34th Company, together with an account of the operations in the Orange River Colony'. - Mendelsohn. £135.00 [240]

58. Crafford, F. S.: Jan Smuts. A Biography (Cape Town: Howard B. Timmins, 1945) 8vo; original blue cloth, lettered in silver gilt on spine; pictorial dustwrapper; pp. xi + (iii) + 369, incl. index; plates; map. Dustwrapper rubbed and torn, with loss; archival tape strengthening to upper hinge and a small section of lower hinge. Good condition. "... the most instructive, the most illuminating, and the most authentic life of General Smuts that has appeared so far ... " £5.00 [342]

59. Cunliffe, F. H. E.: The History of the Boer War. With Illustrations, Maps, and Plans. In Two Volumes. Volume I (London: Methuen, 1901) 4to; original red cloth blocked in black and gilt; pp. viii + 520; numerous plates, full-page and text illustrations, including maps, battle plans, portraits. Cloth very worn and a bit soiled; backstrip sunned, frayed, and re-mounted to spine; lower joint starting; binding slack; upper hinge starting; earlier owner's name signed on front free endpaper; some foxing; brown stain to top fore-corner of front endpaper and initial leaves. Fair condition. Relatively uncommon. (Hackett, pp. 64, 140; Mendelsohn I, p. 400) "A general history of the war in two volumes. Vol. 1 published in 1901 outlines events to the relief of Ladysmith." - Hackett. Please note that only the first volume is offered here. £50.00 [256]

60. Davey, Arthur: The British Pro-Boers 1877-1902 (Cape Town: Tafelberg, 1978) 8vo; original blue boards, lettered in white on spine; dustwrapper; pp. (xii) + 220, incl. index; plates. Dustwrapper ever so slightly tanned; a few fox spots to top edge. Very good condition. The pro-Boers emerge in this work as moulders of a new and more subdued British attitude towards their recent enemies. Pro-Boer activity, popularly associated with a handful of well-wishers, especially Emily Hobhouse, William Stead and Lloyd George, is shown to have had thousands of participants. The author portrays the remarkable work of Leonard Courtney, Dr. G.B. Clark, H.W. Massingham and others, as well as those better-known in South Africa, to reveal "the other England" which refused to follow the lead of Joseph Chamberlain and Lord Milner. Professor Davey also shows how the British Pro-Boers were strengthened in their views by their links with like-minded South Africans, notably John X. Merriman, Percy Molteno and Samuel Cronwright-Schreiner. ' £40.00 [311]

How did it happen that at the turn of the century the most popular Russian folk song was about the Transvaal and why is it still remembered today? Why was it that all the political groupings in Tsarist Russia, from the Monarchists to the Social Democrats, were so preoccupied with the Anglo-Boer War? This book deals with all these and many other questions about the Russian involvement in the War. It is based on rare archival material - most of which became available only after the collapse of the USSR - and on the private archives of Russian volunteers." £40.00

62. Davis, Richard Harding: With Both Armies in South Africa (New York: Charles Scribner's Sons, 1900) 8vo; re-cased, the original cloth laid on new matching red cloth; lettered in black to spine and upper cover, which has the Union Jack and Vierkleur blocked in colours; new endpapers; pp. xi + (i) + 237 + publisher's catalogue; several photographic plates. Corners bumped; light wear to extremities; spine sunned; damp-ripping and light dampstain to bottom edge of some leaves. Good reading copy.

63. Davitt, Michael: The Boer Fight for Freedom. From the Beginning of Hostilities to the Peace of Pretoria (New York: Funk & Wagnalls, 1902) 8vo; original orange cloth, with colour Vierkleur device and gilt lettering to spine; upper cover likewise gilt-lettered, with gilt Kruger head in central disc topped by an eagle and surrounded by six Vierkleur flags; pp. xii + 607, incl. index; full-page and text illustrations; several maps, incl. one folding. Corners slightly turned; spine a little darkened, with trace of wear to head and tail; earlier owner's name signed on front pastedown; a little light foxing. Very good condition.

64. De Villebois-Mareuil, Colonel: War Notes. The Diary of Colonel De Villebois-Mareuil from November 24, 1899, to March 7, 1900 (London: Adam and Charles Black, 1901) Authorised translation from the Paris Liberté by Frederic Lees. With a preface by E. M. de Vogüé, member of the Académie Française. Crown 8vo; original cream cloth, lettered in black to spine and upper cover, with pictorial onlay to upper cover; pp. xx + 283 + publisher's adverts. Cover somewhat rubbed, with trace of partially erased writing to pictorial onlay; corners turned; snapped at head of backstrip; earlier owner's name signed on front pastedown; discreet archival tape reinforcing to hinges; some soiling to two pages of the prelims. Good. (Hackett, pp. 83, 194; Mendelssohn II, p. 569) "Translation from the diary of a French officer serving in the Boer army. The entries relate to events in Natal, the siege of Kimberley and the campaign in the Orange Free State. The author was killed in action near Boshof in April 1900." - R. G. Hackett: South African War Books - An Illustrated bibliography, p. 83. "Villebois seems to have been thoroughly disillusioned before he lost his life at Boshof; a brave and skillful soldier, he appears to have been disgusted with the procrastination of the Boers, and their want of decision, resolution, and union. He thought well of the abilities of De La Rey, but considered that Joubert was a mere politician. He seems to have had a great contempt for the British army and officers before the arrival of Lords Roberts and Kitchener, but speaks of the presumption of the Republicans in thinking that they would defeat these generals as easily as they did some of the previous leaders. He criticises Buller's operations, but continually draws attention to the very marked "carefulness" of the burghers, of whom he says, "The Boer's first concern is for his safety." - Mendelssohn. £40.00 [11]


66. De Wet, A., with H. van Doornik and G. T. du Plessis: Die Buren in der Kapkolonie im Krieg mit England (Munich: J. F. Lehmanns Verlag, [1902]) Cover title reads: 'Im kampf um Süd-Afrika. Der kampf in der Kapkolonie.' 8vo; original light brown cloth, attractively blocked in darker brown and green to spine and upper cover, with pictorial onlay to upper cover; pp. viii + 293 + publisher's catalogue; plates; line drawings in text. Backstrip slightly crumpled at head and tail; signatures working loose but holding. Good condition. German text. (Spohr & Poller 479; SABIB 2, p. 66) Sympathetic account of the Boer guerrillas' activities in the Cape, particularly during the latter stages of the South African War. £25.00 [186]
67. De Wet, C.R.: De Strijd tusschen Boer en Brit. De Herinnering van den Boeren-Generaal C.R. de Wet (Amsterdam & Pretoria: Boekhandel voorheen Höveker & Wormser, 1903) 8vo; original grey cloth, lettered in black on spine and upper cover; pp. (iv) + 409 + (iii); frontispiece portrait. Dutch text. Twenty-fourth impression. Cloth rather fishmotted; boards a bit bumped; endpapers and edges browned; occasional fox spot; earlier owner's name signed recto of frontis. Fair to good. (SABIB 2, p. 68) 'Tot inleiding van mijn werkje, getiteld: 'De Strijd tusschen Boer en Brit', wensch ik, geachte lezer, slechts dit korte woord te zeggen: Ik ben geen boekschrijver. - Maar ik gevoelde dat de geschiedenis van dezen Strijd, waarin een klein Volk voor vrijheid en recht streefde, door geheel de beschaaftde wereld met recht als ongekend genoemd werd; en dat het mijn plicht was, mijne persoonlijke ondervindingen in dezen krijg te boek stellen, voor het tegenwoordige en voor de toekomst, niet alleen voor het Afrikaansche Volk, maar voor de geheele wereld." £20.00  [34]

68. De Wet, Christiana Rudolf: Three Years War (October 1899 - June 1902) (Alberton: Galago, 1986) 8vo; original grey-green boards, lettered in white on spine; laminated pictorial dustwrapper, pp. (iv) + 459; plates; maps. Dustwrapper partially sunned on spine panel, with trace of spotting to reverse. Front cover browned. "Fair.  (Hackett, p. 142; Mendelssohn I, p. 459) £12.50 [173]

69. De Wet, Christiana Rudolf: Three Years War (October 1899-June 1902) (London: Archibald Constable, 1902) 8vo; original blue cloth, lettered in gilt to spine, with De Wet's signature in gilt to upper cover; frontis. portrait; pp. 520, incl. index; publisher's catalogue; maps, incl. large, folding. Cloth a little worn and mottled; hinges split or starting, with archival tape strengthening; earlier owner's name signed on front free endpaper; short tear to folding maps, repaired on reverse side with archival tape; binding a little slack; occasional fox spot. Fair. (Hackett, p. 142; Mendelssohn I, p. 459) £7.50 [250]

70. Defender (pseud.): Sir Charles Warren and Spion Kop. A Vindication (London: Smith, Elder, & Co., 1902) 8vo; original red cloth, lettered in gilt on spine; pp. x + (iii) + 244, incl. index, publisher's adverts.; frontis. portrait; folding map. Spine somewhat mottled and rubbed, slightly frayed at extremities; corners bumped; edges rubbed; bookplate of W.H. Smith's Subscription Library to front pastedown; earlier owner's name signed on front free endpaper; endpapers rather browned and brittle; map rather foxed; occasional spotting. (Hackett, p. 141; Mendelssohn II, p. 586) 'The volume gives a detailed account of Sir Charles Warren's connection with the Natal campaign, and the circumstances attending the occupation and evacuation of Spion Kop. The writer asserts that Sir Redvers Buller was responsible for the appointment of Lt.-Colonel Thorneycroft as officer in command of the hill. Sir Charles, "it is stated on very good authority," was forbidden to lead the attack, but was nevertheless censured by Lord Roberts for not visiting Spion Kop, while he was in fact occupying "a central position whence he could issue orders to right and left, and be in communication with the Commander-in-Chief." He was given no long-range guns to reply to those of the Boers, and Thorneycroft gives this prominently as a reason for retiring, which he did without consulting his superiors in rank, and against the advice of those around him. There are a number of extracts from despatches which represent the affair from the varied points of view of Lord Roberts, Sir Redvers Buller, Sir Charles Warren, Lt.-Col. Thorneycroft, and Major-General Talbot Coke.' - Mendelssohn. £65.00 [71]

71. Devitt, Napier: The Concentration Camps in South Africa during the Anglo-Boer War of 1899-1902 (Pietermaritzburg: Shuter & Shooter, 1941) 242 x 154 mm; printed wrappers; pp. 60. Trace of wear to wrappers; a little foxing. Very good condition. "While not for one moment attempting to excuse or palliate the action or inaction of those partly responsible for some of the terrible death-roll I say that there were circumstances which, looked at forty years later, throw a different light upon the matter. And I trust that those to whom these words are offered will read them in the spirit of Fairness and Reason in which I have tried to set them down."
£60.00 [191]

72. Docking, A. Shipway: The Great War 1899-1900. A Poem (London: Greening & Co., 1902) Crown 8vo; original red cloth, blocked in black and blind on upper cover; lettered in gilt on spine; pp. 150 + (ii). Cloth sunned on spine, and, slightly to top edges of boards; endpapers and edges foxed; binding slightly slack. Good condition. (Hackett, p. 142; Mendelssohn I, p. 474) "A descriptive narrative of the war from the Boer Ultimatum to the relief of Ladysmith." - Mendelssohn. "Poems of the war. Contents include The march from Glencoe, Battle of Colenso, Kimberley relieved, etc." - Hackett: South African War Books. £35.00 [51]

73. Doyle, A. Conan: The Great Boer War (London: Smith, Elder, & Co., 1900) 8vo; original blue cloth, lettered in gilt on spine; pp. x + 552, incl. index + publisher's catalogue; folding maps. Spine darkened, and a little frayed at head and tail; corners turned; contemporary ownership inscription to flyleaf; trace of foxing. Very good condition. (Mendelssohn I, p. 484; Hackett, p. 142) 'At the time the volume was issued, the author, in common with many other people, including some of the highest military authorities, considered that the fighting was practically over ...' - Mendelssohn £10.00 [69]

74. Doyle, Arthur Conan: The Great Boer War (London: Thomas Nelson, no date) 8vo; original red cloth, lettered in gilt on spine; pp. 575, incl. index; map. Cloth partially sunned; top fore-corners slightly bumped; earlier owner's ink stamp, with penned date, to front free endpaper; endpapers and edges a bit foxed, occasional fox spot elsewhere. Good condition. £6.50 [1]

75. Dreyer, Johannes: Bittereinders onder die vroue (Potchefstroom: the author, 1969) Author's presentation inscription to first page. 210 x 148 mm; saddle-stitched green wrappers; pp. (iv) + 53; mounted photographs with
captions. Wrappers partially sunned. Very good condition.

76. Driver, Kate: Experience of a Siege (A Nurse looks back on Ladysmith), by Nurse Kate Driver (Mrs. J. J. Boyd) (Ladysmith: Ladysmith Historical Society, 1978) No. 6 in the series of Ladysmith siege diaries, letters and recollections from the Natal Front. 253 x 206 mm; pictorial wrappers; pp. (iv) + 51 (printed recto's); photographs. Trace of foxing to edges. Very good condition. ‘Nurse Driver nursed the sick and worked throughout the Siege of Ladysmith, mainly at Ntombi Camp, and this book recounts her experiences during that time.’ £15.00 [264]

77. Du Cane, Hubert (translator): The German Official Account of the War in South Africa. The Advance to Pretoria After Paardeberg, the Upper Tugela Campaign, etc. Prepared in the Historical Section of the Great General Staff, Berlin (London: John Murray, 1906) 8vo; original green cloth, lettered in gilt on spine, with gilt lettering and Prussian Eagle device to upper cover; pp. vii + (iii) + 374, incl. index; six plates; nine folding maps. Cloth rather rubbed and a little worn to extremities; corners turned; archival tape reinforcing to upper hinge between free endpaper verso and half-title; earlier owner's name signed on title page, with date 'Sept. 1906'; some leaves roughly opened; fold tears, generally short, to folding maps, repaired with archival tape; moderate foxing; lower hinge starting. Good. (Mendelssohn I, p. 490; Hackett, p. 143) The contest is stigmatised as having been carried out between opponents of whom one was bound by “rigid formulas,” and the other characterised by “untrammeled healthy common sense,” and it is maintained that, with regard to the British army, “The rigid letter with forms and rules, to which a false system of peace-training condemned leaders, avenged itself bitterly during the South African War. In this experience, so pregnant of warning for the future, is contained the most important lesson of the whole war.” £60.00 [178]

78. Du Moulin, Lt.-Colonel: Two Years on Trek. Being Some Account of the Royal Sussex Regiment in South Africa (London: Murray and Co., 1907) Demy 8vo; original blue cloth, lettered in gilt on spine and upper cover; pp. 11+9+14+(i) + 323 + x + (i); several maps plates and one folding map. Cloth partially sunned, especially to backstrip; extremities rubbed, and backstrip somewhat frayed at head and tail; armorial bookplate of J.J. Chapman to front pastedown; occasional spotting. Good condition. (Hackett, p. 143; Mendelssohn I, p. 492) This “account of the doings of the Royal Sussex Regiment in South Africa” was written during the campaign by the author, has been left “practically untouched” by the editor, and "gives a vivid picture of events that had only just occurred - drawn with a firm hand, while the impression was fresh. ...” After January 1901 Col. Du Moulin “was far too occupied ... to do more than make a few notes for his book. And it is from these notes of his, and from the diaries, letters, and personal reminiscences of other officers, that the later chapters have been compiled.” The work was completed and published by the comrades of Col. Moulin, “as the most fitting memorial to a gallant soldier.” The author - a New Zealander of French descent - entered the British army in 1879, and was known in India as a “musketry expert”; during the hostilities in South Africa he became known for his skill in organisation; he was shot through the heart on June 17, 1900, at Diamond Hill, “leading a charge against the Boers who had rushed his camp.” - Mendelssohn. £125.00 [61]


81. Engelenburg, F. V.: General Louis Botha (London: George G. Harrap & Co., 1929) Demy 8vo; original dark green cloth, lettered in gilt on spine and upper cover; pp. 352; plates and line drawings; 4 maps. Cloth lightly stippled; scattered, light foxing. Good condition. According to Jan Smuts, who provides the introduction, this book is “a fair, reasonable, and true picture of the man who more than any other dominated the South African stage for the first two decades of this century.” £20.00 [236]

82. Ernst, J.: Anton van Wouw (Vanderbijlpark: Corals Publishers, 2006) 168 x 220 mm; laminated pictorial wrappers; pp. 128; profusely illustrated. Afrikaans text. As new. Biography of the Afrikaner sculptor, whose iconic creations are closely connected with the group identity of his people. "Die kalme, waardigheid en stille krag in sy werk is treffend. Slegs waar hy lyding uitbeeld soos in Die Vrouemonument te Bloemfontein (1913) en in die relieëwerk Wenende Vroue (1925), is daar stille ingehoue smart en krag, geen wapperende kledingstukke, swaaiende vuiste van verwronge gelaatstrekke nie.” £12.50 [107]

83. Farrelly, M. J.: The Settlement After the War in South Africa (London: Macmillan, 1900) 8vo; original red cloth, lettered in gilt on spine; pp. xv + (i) + 321. Bottom fore-corners slightly turned; trace of wear to spine extremities; rather foxed to endpapers, outermost leaves and edges, occasionally elsewhere; leaves largely unopened. Good. (Hackett, p. 144; Mendelssohn I, p. 535) "The
84. Farwell, Byron: The Great Boer War (London: Allen Lane, 1977) 8vo; original red boards, lettered in gilt on spine; laminated pictorial dustwrapper; pp. xiv + 495, incl. index; plates; maps. Very good condition. "The Great Boer War … produced in almost equal measure extraordinary feats of personal heroism, unbelievable examples of folly and stupidity, and many incidents of humour and tragedy." £5.00 [308]

85. Featherstone, Donald: Victorian Colonial Warfare - Africa (no place: Bok Books International, 1992) 4to; original burgundy boards, lettered in gilt on spine; price-clipped laminated pictorial dustwrapper; pp. 160, incl. index; profusely illustrated with contemporary artwork and maps. Some foxing to endpapers. Very good condition. £5.00 [274]

86. Fessler, Julius: Unter dem Roten Kreuz in Transvaal (Munich: Seitz & Schauer, 1902) 8vo; quarter cloth, with marbled sides; pp. (iv) + 314; frontis. portrait; photographs in text. Slightly rubbed; regular browning to pages. Very good condition. German text. (Spohr & Poller, 653; SABIB 2, p. 239) £60.00 [862]

87. Fessler, Julius: Unter dem Roten Kreuz in Transvaal (Munich: Seitz & Schauer, 1902) 8vo; original beige cloth, lettered in red and black to spine, with black lettering and red enamelled Red Cross emblem to upper cover; tinted edges; pp. (iv) + 314; frontis. portrait; photographs in text. A little light spotting to cloth; regular browning to pages. Very good condition. German text. (Spohr & Poller, 653; SABIB 2, p. 239) This book concerns operations in Natal and the western Transvaal, in the vicinity of the Magaliesburg and Witwatersrand, up to the autumn of 1900. It is written by a physician attached to the Red Cross, who had firsthand experience of events. The foreword to the second edition notes that, such was the popularity of the first printing, a second issue of the work became necessary within weeks. A Dutch translation was published in 1904. £75.00 [211]

88. Fischer, Eugen: Die Rehobother Bastards und das Bastardierungsproblem beim Menschen. Anthropologische und ethnographische Studien am Rehobother Bastardvolk in Deutsch-Südwest-Afrika (Jena: Gustav Fischer, 1913) Large 8vo; recent full brown leatherette, lettered in gilt on upper cover; pp. [iv-viii] + 327, incl. index; tables, graphs, photographs in text; nineteen ethnographic plates, each with four photographic portraits; twenty-three folding genealogical tables in end-pocket. Top and bottom edges of boards very slightly rubbed; earlier owner's name signed on flyleaf; some pencilled underlining and marginalia; occasional light foxing. Very good condition. German text. (Spohr & Poller 669; Schapera E177) The portraits are an outstanding feature of this volume. "Although devoted mainly to a biological study of hybridization, contains on pp. 228-305 a long description of economic and social life of the people, which throws interesting light on the changes undergone by the original culture of the Hottentots, to which many comparative references are made." - Schapera £75.00 [259]

89. Fischer, Maria A.: Kampdagboek (Cape Town: Tafelberg, 1964) 8vo; pictorial paper over boards; pp. (vi) + 143; few illustrations. A little rubbed at head of spine; some foxing to endpapers. Very good condition. Afrikaans text. Title on upper cover reads: "Tant Miem Fischer se Kampdagboek: Mei 1901-Augustus 1902." The diarist was made a prisoner-of-war near Ermelo on 31 May 1901. £10.00 [194]

90. Fisher, John: Paul Kruger. His Life and Times (London: Secker & Warburg, 1974) 8vo; original black boards, lettered in gilt on spine; laminated pictorial dustwrapper; endpaper map; pp. (x) + 278, incl. index; plates; map. Near fine condition. "John Fisher, author of The Afrikaners, brings vividly to life this strange, almost Biblical figure, who was born a subject of Queen Victoria, but successfully defied her statesmen and generals for nearly a quarter of a century." £7.50 [170]

91. Fisher, John: That Miss Hobhouse (London: Secker & Warburg, 1971) 8vo; original brown cloth, lettered in gilt on spine; laminated pictorial dustwrapper; pp. 286, incl. index; frontis. portrait; plates. Short tear to top edge of dustwrapper's lower panel. Very good condition. "But it was as champion of the Boers in the war of 1899-1902 that Emily Hobhouse achieved lasting fame. It was she who, single-handed on her first visit to South Africa, exposed the miseries and horrors of Lord Kitchener's concentration camps. It was she who on her return, howled down on platform after platform, braved the wrath of jingo Britain to preach the gospel of charity to one's enemies, and the need for a just peace." £15.00 [302]

92. FitzPatrick, J. P.: The Transvaal from Within. A Private Record of Public Affairs (London: William Heinemann, 1899) 8vo; original green cloth, lettered in gilt on spine; pp. xiv + (ii) + 452, incl. index. Cloth rubbed and a little stippled; remnant of bookseller's label to upper board; corners bumped; occasional minor fox spot. Good condition. £5.00 [182]

93. Fouché, Leo (editor), and A. C. Paterson (English translation): The Diary of Adam Tas (1705-1706) / Het Dagboek van Adam Tas (1705-1706) (London: Longmans, Green and Co., 1914) Titles continue: With an enquiry into the complaints of the colonists against the Governor Willem Adriaan van der Stel / Met een onderzoek naar de klachten der vrijburgers tegen de Gouverneur Willem Adriaan van der Stel. 8vo; original red cloth, lettered in gilt on spine and in blind on upper cover; pp. xvii + (i) + 367, incl. index; frontis, map and folding map. Bilingual publication: original Dutch text on verso, and English translation on
facing recto. Backstrip a little mottled, with light wear to head and tail; earlier owner's name signed on fly-leaf; folding map a little creased, and frayed to fore-edge; occasional fox spot. Good to very good condition. (Hosken, p. 75; SABIB 4, p. 460) "What Tas wrote is important not only because it reflects the social and political conditions of an early Cape society, but because it reveals Tas's own personality and character. His diary makes him a gay and sociable person, and, especially, an organizer and leader. His dedicated ability was the real force that put W. A. van der Stel and his friends out of office." - DSAB II, pp. 730-1. £35.00 [152]

94. Fremantle, Francis E.: Impressions of a Doctor in Khaki (London: John Murray, 1901) 8vo; original red cloth, lettered in gilt on spine; khaki cloth inlay to upper cover with medic pennant and red lettering; pp. xvi + 549, incl. index; plates; maps; some illustrations in text. Corners turned; backstrip frayed at head and tail; joints chafed; archival tape reinforcing to lower hinge; upper hinge a bit tender; binding slightly slack; some foxing to edges, outermost leaves and edges, occasional fox spot elsewhere. Good condition. (Mendelssohn I, p. 565; Hackett, pp. 89, 146) "Experiences of a civil surgeon employed in the RAMC. During twelve months' army service the author worked at No. 1 General Hospital in Wynberg, made two homeland voyages aboard hospital ships Avoca and Spartan tending casualties, and served in the Field Hospital and Bearer Company attached to the 19th Brigade operating in the Orange Free State and Transvaal. Fremantle was summoned to give evidence before the Hospitals Commission Of Inquiry before leaving South Africa in Oct. 1900." - Hackett £70.00 [200]

95. Fuller, J. F. C.: The Last of the Gentlemen's Wars. A Subaltern's Journal of the War in South Africa 1899-1902 (London: Faber and Faber, 1937) 8vo; original red cloth, lettered in gilt on spine; dustwrapper; pp. 304, incl. index; plates; maps, incl. folding. Dustwrapper a little tanned and edgeworn, with spotting to lower and spine panels; some foxing to edges and endpapers, occasional fox spot elsewhere. Good to very good condition. General Fuller states that "this last of our great colonial wars, fought but a generation ago, was a gentlemanly undertaking; for, with few exceptions, Briton and Boer fought cleanly." £35.00 [244]

96. Gardner, Brian: Mafeking. A Victorian Legend (London: Cassell, 1966) 8vo; original red cloth, lettered in silver gilt on spine; laminated pictorial dustwrapper; pp. (x) + 246, incl. index; plates; maps. Dustwrapper sunned on spine panel. Very good condition. "The commander of the garrison, Colonel R. S. S. Baden-Powell, became the most popular national hero since Wellington. ... For those nurtured in this stirring tradition - and they are many - Brian Gardner's account of the Siege of Mafeking will come as a considerable surprise." £7.50 [321]

97. Gardner, Brian: The Lion's Cage (London: Arthur Barker, 1969) 8vo; original maroon cloth, lettered in gilt on spine; tinted top edge; laminated dustwrapper; pp. 200, incl. index; plates; maps; battle plans. Lamination lifting slightly on dustwrapper's upper panel. Very good condition. "Throughout history sieges have brought out the best and worst in men. ... To many at the time, Cecil Rhodes seemed to typify the qualities that Victorian Englishmen so loved to see in themselves ... But was it true?" £12.50 [297]

98. Geyser, O.: Jan Smuts and his International Contemporaries (Johannesburg: Covos-Day, 2001) 220 x 150 mm; laminated pictorial wrappers; pp. xli + (i) + 257, incl. index; photographs. Fine condition. 'Read how this "sickly, rickety child", "an unprepossessing lad showing no signs of promise", not only became prime minister, but a world leader and one of the most influential people ever to come out of South Africa.' £10.00 [338]

99. Gibbs, Peter: Death of the Last Republic. The Story of the Anglo-Boer War (London: Frederick Muller Limited, 1957) 8vo; original blue boards, lettered in gilt on spine; pictorial dustwrapper; endpaper map; pp. 302, incl. index; plates; maps. Very good condition. 'This is the story of how Kruger’s republic, with its junta of homely farmers ... fought to keep its independence and challenged the military might of the British Empire.' £5.00 [301]

100. Gilbert, Sharrad H.: Rhodesia - And After. Being the Story of the 17th and 18th Battalions of Imperial Yeomanry in South Africa (London: Simpkin Marshall, Hamilton, Kent & Co., 1901) Autograph edition, with mounted frontis, portrait signed "Faithfully Yours / Sharrad H. Gilbert". 8vo; original cream cloth blocked in red and blue; pp. 350 + (i); plates; 3 maps, two of which folding. Backstrip very slightly rubbed; bookplate to front pastedown; earlier owner's name signed on recto of frontis.; binding a little slack; some foxing to edges and prelims., and sporadically elsewhere. Good condition. An uncommon work. (Hackett, pp. 89, 147; Mendelssohn I, p. 598) 'An account of the experiences of a battalion of Yeomanry during the South African War. The troops landed at Beira (the harbour being crowded with transports, many of the New Zealanders landing at the same time), and they subsequently proceeded to an unhealthy station called "Bamboo Creek," where many lives were lost from fever and malaria. After some stay at this place the Yeomanry went to Rhodesia, the author taking part in the expedition against Maponera and his followers. After leaving Rhodesia, the writer shared in the campaigns against De Wet, Hertzog, Scheepers, and others, in the Cape Colony, and he narrates many entertaining stories of these sturdy guerilla chiefs, and gives an interesting account of Scheepers, by whom he was taken prisoner near the Camdeboo Hills. Escaping from the Boer leader, he reached the British camp after some adventures, and was present at the defence of Philistown. The book is divided into three parts; the first being entitled "Rhodesia," the second "After," and the third, "The Stories of the Squadrons"; and these latter comprise, the Story of the 50th I.Y, the Story of the Irish Yeomanry,
on his relief. The range of sources is tremendous - from Winston Churchill (who plays a prominent part) to Denys Reitz, from Tommy Atkins to the Bishop of Natal. Some of those included are still alive, and have spoken directly to the author. This is eye-witness history at its very best - entertaining, provocative, often amusing and always moving." £15.00 [329]

104. Groningen, Paul: Der heldenkampf der Buren und die Geschichte Südafrikas (Wald-Solingen: Hartkopf & Torley, 1903) Two volumes in one. 8vo; original grey pictorial cloth; pp. (viii) + 220, (iv) + 152; plates; illustrations in text; folding map in colours. Cloth worn; binding slack; hinges split or splitting, with old tape marks in places; regular browning; some foxing. Fair condition.  "German text. (Spohr & Poller 864) Contemporary history of the South African War, reflecting the continental sympathy with the Boer cause. £10.00 [146]

105. Grundlingh, A M: Die "Hendsoppers" en "Joiners" (Pretoria and Cape Town: HAUM, 1979) 8vo; original pale blue boards; pictorial dustwrapper; pp. (x) + 379, incl. index; graphic illustrations. Dustwrapper ever so slightly rubbed, with old tape mark to reverse of spine panel at head; light bump to top fore-corner of lower board; trace of foxing to endpapers. "Very good. Afrikaans text. "In hierdie werk word vir die eerste keer gepoog om een van die mees omstredene en verwerfde aspekte van die Anglo-Boereoorlog - die kwessie van verraad - te ontleed. Onder meer word die rol en posisie van die afvallige burgers tydens die oorlog en die na-oorlogse periode op 'n sistematiese en ingringende wyse bespreek, terwyl daar ook ondersoek ingestel word van hulle wel van verraad beskuldig kan word." £17.50 [306]

106. Haldane, Captain Aylmer: How We Escaped From Pretoria (Edinburgh: William Blackwood and Sons, 1901) 'New edition, revised and enlarged, with numerous illustrations, plans and a map'. Crown 8vo; original khaki pictorial cloth; pp. xii + 231; plates; plan; folding map showing 'Pretoria to Komati Poort Railway' and 'Pretoria to Witbank'. Cloth a little soiled and somewhat worn to extremities; corners turned; archival tape strengthening to split hinges; fore-edge of folding map ragged; damp-stain and consequent ripple to several leaves; sporadic foxing. Fair condition. (Hackett, p. 150) "The prisoners were taken to the Staats Model School at Pretoria, and Churchill, Brockie, and Haldane made many plans to escape, which were doomed to failure, but eventually Churchill got away on December 12th; the others were observed by a sentry, and dared not make the attempt, but later on they managed to hide themselves under the floors of the prison, and being joined by Le Mesurier, they disappeared on February 26, 1900, to the consternation and mystification of their guards, who never supposed they were hiding in the building. They were supplied with necessities from time to time by their fellow officers who were in the secret, but found no means to escape till March 16th, when all the prisoners were removed and the building deserted, when finding the coast clear, they succeeded in getting outside, eluded the few passers by, and were soon on the veld. The officers were hidden by some friends amongst bales of wool, which were put on a truck attached to a passenger
train bound for Delagoa Bay, which took them safely across the border.” - Mendelssohn I, pp. 669,670. £40.00 [2]

107. Hales, A. G.: Campaign Pictures of the War in South Africa (1899-1900). Letters from the Front (London: Cassell and Company, 1901) Crown 8vo; original red cloth, lettered in gilt on spine and upper cover, and with gilt slouch hat and revolver device to upper cover; pp. xi + (i) + 303 + (i) + publisher's advertisements; frontis, portrait. Spine sunned, and very slightly frayed at head and tail; earlier owner's name signed on title page; edges browned; occasional spotting; binding a little slack. (Hackett, p. 150; Mendelssohn I, p. 670) 'At the commencement of the volume there is a poem entitled "Australia's Appeal to England," which the author tells his readers he has inserted, "because some critics have pronounced me anti-English in my sentiments.” It is observed that Australians adopted Boer tactics with great success, but it is remarked that our very clever Intelligence people considered the Boer a fool, "while he is as clever and crafty as any oriental." Mr. Hales was wounded and captured near Rensburg, Mr. Lamble, another correspondent, being killed in the same engagement. He was well treated during his stay with the Boers, and he seems to have gained a good deal of information with respect to their views on the war, and he met President Steyn, whom he describes as a refined, cultured gentleman. After his release he joined General Rundle's army, then engaged in the movement which led to Prinsloo's surrender, and he remarks that the Boer general could have escaped if he had listened to De Wet, who could just as easily have taken 6000 men with him as he took 1800.' - Mendelssohn. £30.00 [24]

108. Hamilton, Ian, and Victor Sampson: Anti-Commando (London: Faber & Faber, 1931) 8vo; original red cloth, lettered in gilt on spine; no dustwrapper; tinted top edge; pp. 220, incl. index; plates; several folding maps. Cloth mottled and a bit rubbed; extremities of backstrip a little frayed; scattered moderate foxing; very occasional pencilled marginalia. Good condition. £20.00 [74]

109. Hamilton, Ian, and Victor Sampson: Anti-Commando (London: Faber & Faber, 1931) 8vo; original red cloth, lettered in gilt on spine; dustwrapper; tinted top edge; pp. 220, incl. index; plates; several folding maps. Dustwrapper very slightly rubbed; occasional fox spot. Very good condition, in a like dustwrapper. "With Victor Sampson he [Ian Hamilton] was co-author of Anti-Commando (London, 1931), a book on the experiences of Aubrey Woolls Sampson in the Second Anglo-Boer War, which appeared two years after Deneyes Reitz's autobiographical work Commando." - DSAB II, p. 286 £50.00 [184]


111. Hellemans, Zuster [L.]: Met het Roode Kruis mee in den Boeren-Vrijheidsoorlog (Amsterdam: Gebroeders Koster, 1901) 8vo; original cream cloth, lettered in gilt on spine and upper cover, with Red Cross emblem enamelled to upper cover; pp. viii + 221; full-page illustrations; photographs in text. Cloth slightly rubbed, with spine ends a touch frayed; lower joint just starting at head; library label and code to front free endpaper, stamps to half-title and bottom edge; outermost leaves quite browned; regular light browning; occasional spotting. Good to very good condition. Dutch text. (Mendelssohn I, p. 699; SABIB II, p. 533) The writer was attached to the Second Dutch Ambulance of the Netherlands Red Cross. The book concerns experiences on the Natal Front and in the Transvaal up to the fall of Pretoria. £75.00 [209]

112. Hennings, Tom: Vyk Skilderye oor die Tweede Vryheidsoorlog 1899-1902 (Pretoria: Nasionale Kultuuroostere en Opelugmuseum, 1976) Oblong 4to; original brown papered boards; pp. 40; maps; contemporary photographs and artwork; full-colour, full-page reproductions of the five paintings that form the subject of the book. Boards a little rubbed; few fox spots to endpapers, occasionally elsewhere. Very good condition. Afrikaans text. The book was produced to coincide with an exhibition of five oil paintings by the German artist Sylvester Reisacher, born 1862. The scenes depicted are: The Siege of Ladysmith, the Battle of Colenso, the Battle of Spioenkop, the Battle of Paardeberg, and De Wet's penetration of the British lines. £15.00 [277]

113. Hibbard, M. G. (Foreword): List of Casualties in South African Field Force 1899-1902 (no place: privately published, 1972) Folio; original red cloth, lettered in gilt on spine and upper cover; pp. (x) + 116, (xii) + 161 + (i), (iv) + 94, (iv) + 121 + (i), (vi) + 111 + (i), (iii) + 95.
Partially a facsimile of the original components, with some additional material. Some light spotting to edges. Near fine condition. I believe that this re-issue of the "Casualties in the South African Field Force" will become a "must" for the serious collector of Boer War medals, for not only will it provide a ready reference to the casualties sustained by the British side in any nation, but it will help to give a medal its rightful recognition. Never in the history of medal collecting has it been so important to identify whether the recipient was a casualty. If he was, then this book will verify this very important fact. But no matter what, it is the man behind the medal that really counts. It should be the duty of every medal collector to remember this. This book will help the collector to realise this aim." - From the foreword by M. G. Hibbard Evans of the South African Numismatic Society. £60.00 [288]

114. Hickman, A. S.: Rhodesia Served the Queen: Rhodesian Forces in the Boer War 1899-1902. Volume I (Salisbury: Published by Authority of the Government of Rhodesia, 1970) 8vo; original dark green cloth, lettered in gilt on spine, with gilt coat-of-arms to upper cover; no dustwrapper; pp. xx + 384 + (xii); plates, some of which in colour; maps, sketches and battle plans. Cloth slightly rubbed; light bump to top fore-corner of upper board; trace of foxing to front endpaper and edges. Very good condition. Standard work on Rhodesian involvement in the South African War. "I have determined that what I write shall in no way be biased as between Briton and Boer, and found my research into the activities of our former opponents to be of the greatest value in trying to arrive at a correct appreciation of events." £65.00 [257]

115. Hiley, Alan R. I., and John A. Hassell: The Mobile Boer. Being the Record of the Observations of Two Burgher Officers (New York: The Grafton Press, 1902) 8vo; original pictorial orange cloth, with upper cover blocked in green and gold; pp. [iii-xvii] + (i) + 277 + publisher's catalogue; plates; folding end map. A modest copy, though exceedingly uncommon in original form. Cover very rubbed; cloth edges worn through to boards; backstrip missing and replaced by earlier owner with orange cloth lettered in pen; text block glued to this; free endpapers and half-title missing; some tears to map, with archival tape repairs; binding slack; some foxing; occasional marginalia. (Hackett, pp. 96, 152; Mendelsohn I, p. 712) "A narrative of the campaign compiled by American officers serving in the Republican army. The authors draw comparisons between the Anglo-Boer conflict and the American War of Independence, accusing the British of conducting the present war in the same barbarous manner employed in the earlier campaign. The narrative, which is brought down to the arrival of British forces at Koomati Poort, is based on personal observation or information gained from other eye-witnesses. The writers, at the Natal front in the first months of the war, give frank accounts of the carnage at Colenso and in later operations about Spion Kop. The volume contains considerable information in respect of the Republican military organization, leadership and mode of operation, together with notes on ordnance and other equipment." - Hackett £125.00 [105]


117. Hobhouse, Emily: Die smarte van die Oorlog en wie dit gely het (Cape Town: Nasionale Pers, 1943) Translated from the English by Dr. N. J. van der Merwe. 8vo; original blue cloth, lettered in black on spine and upper cover; pp. xxi + (i) + 328; plates. Spine very slightly worn at head and tail; some foxing to top edge, and occasionally elsewhere. Very good condition. Afrikaans text. (Nienaber I, p. 155 [Earlier editions]) "Die verhaal bestaan dus grotendeels uit die briewe van vroue en beskrywinge deur hulle vriende. Hulle het die smarte van die oorlog verduur. Meer volwasse Boere, manne en vroue, het in die kampe omgekom as wat op die slagveld gesneuwel het, en meer as vyfmaal soveel kinders." £35.00 [222]

118. Hobhouse, Emily: War Without Glamour, or, Women's War Experiences written by themselves 1899-1902. Historical Records Collected and Translated by Emily Hobhouse (Bloemfontein: Nasionale Pers, [1924?]) 8vo; original blue cloth, lettered in black on spine and upper cover; pp. 158; photographic plates and tipped-in colour plates after the author's watercolours. Cloth a little rippled, and somewhat worn to extremities; earlier owner's small ink stamp to front endpaper; endpapers rather browned; sporadic moderate foxing. Good condition. (SABIB II, p. 568) The colour pictures in this book date from Emily Hobhouse's third visit to South Africa in 1903, and convey something of the devastation to Boer homesteads and the loss of life in the concentration camps. "She had undoubtedly succeeded in focusing attention on the conditions in the concentration camps, and the consequent wave of indignation aroused in Britain and in other countries played an important part in forcing the authorities to effect improvements. - DSAB II, p. 304. The publication date of 1924 for this book is speculative, and is based on the Preface date. A London edition of this work appeared in 1927, according to DSAB. £125.00 [210]

119. Hobson, J. A.: The War in South Africa: Its Causes and Effects (London: James Nisbet, 1900) 8vo; original red cloth, lettered in gilt on spine and upper cover; pp. viii + 324, incl. index; publisher's adverts. Cloth sunned, mottled and discoloured, with a little wear to joints, spine extremities and corners; hinges just starting; some foxing to endpapers and edges, occasional fox spot elsewhere. Good,

Squarish 8vo; original blue cloth, lettered in gilt on spine and upper cover; pp. 344. Joints very lightly rubbed; a little light browning; occasional fox spot; some pencilled marginalia. Very good condition. Dutch text. (Mendelssohn I, p. 721) 

"An account of the war up to the time of Cronje's surrender. The tone of the volume is not so bitter as that of similar productions from Afrikander pens, and the narrative is not at all one-sided." - Mendelssohn £20.00 [245]

121. Hole, Hugh Marshall: *The Jameson Raid* (London: Philip Allan, 1930) 8vo; original blue cloth, lettered in gilt on spine; dustwrapper; pp. xiii + (i) + 306, incl. index; 2 maps, incl. 1 large folding; plates. Dustwrapper edgeworn and partially sunned; light wear to extremities of cloth; earlier owner's name signed on front free endpaper; trace of foxing to edges and endpapers, occasional fox spot elsewhere. Good to very good condition. Hugh Marshall Hole was Jameson's private secretary from 1891 to 1893, and was intimately acquainted with the principal characters in the events surrounding the Raid. He was thus well equipped to provide an insider's view of one of the landmark events in the history of British imperialism. £15.00 [143]

122. Holt, Edgar: *The Boer War* (London: Putnam, 1958) 8vo; original red cloth, lettered in gilt on spine; tinted top edge; pictorial dustwrapper; endpaper maps; pp. 317, incl. index; plates. Dustwrapper edgeworn and partially sunned, with scuff to spine panel. Very good condition. £5.00 [294]

123. Holt, Edgar: *The Boer War* (London: Putnam, 1958) Uncorrected proof copy. 215 x 136 mm; red wrappers, lettered in black to upper cover; pp. 304; plates. Wrappers a bit tarnished; archival tape strengthening to backstrip; prelims. working loose but present. Fair to good. The following blurb is taken from the trade edition: "The first of modern wars, and yet one in which old-fashioned heroics were still practised - such was the South African War of 1899 - 1902. Khaki replaced scarlet, the importance of camouflage was seen for the first time; and, by means of deadly rifle-fire, and their flexible 'commando' tactics, 50,000 Boers defied a British Army almost ten times as strong. Yet cavalry charges with lance and sabre were still carried out, and Lord Roberts' son lost his life in a story-book escapade, galloping into heavy fire to rescue abandoned guns." £7.50 [95]

124. Hopkins, J. Castell, and Murat Halstead: *South Africa and the Boer-British War. Comprising a History of South Africa and its People, including the War of 1899, 1900, 1901 and 1902* (Toronto: War Book Publishing Co. / J. L. Nichols & Co., [1902]) Two volumes bound as one. Squarish 8vo; brown half morocco, with red pebble-grained cloth; lettered in gilt to spine and upper cover; pp. 858; numerous illustrations. Extremities rather rubbed, with some disintegration to head of spine; hinges a little tender; regular browning throughout; occasional foxing. Good condition. (Hackett, p. 159; Mendelssohn I, p. 736) Complete, though with erratic pagination, as observed in Hackett and Mendelssohn. 'Vol. I. is divided into two parts, of which the former deals with the early history and development of South Africa, by J. Castell Hopkins, and the latter with the trouble between Great Britain and the Boers, including an account of the war up to 1900, by Murat Halstead. Vol. II. continues the account of the war, but the pagination between the first and second volumes shows an unaccounted for hiatus from p. 449 to p. 524. A Life of Cecil John Rhodes, by Murat Halstead... A Concise Biography of the late 'Diamond King.'..". "There is also an Appendix entitled 'Australians Ever Ready... by J. Baxter of Sydney.' The volumes contain a number of portraits and other illustrations." - Mendelssohn £75.00 [176]
to join the staff of the Imperial Military Railways. He was engaged at Johannesburg but later moved to Bloemfontein. In the course of his duties in the Orange River Colony he was taken ill and died at Bloemfontein in January 1902. An active service roll of the Kendal Division S.J.A.B. is appended." - Hackett £120.00 [197]

127. Ingham, Kenneth: Jan Christian Smuts. The Conscience of a South African (Johannesburg: Jonathan Ball, 1986) 8vo; original dark brown boards, lettered in white on spine; laminated pictorial dustwrapper; pp. xii + 284, incl. index; photographs. Very good condition. "An academic - even a visionary - by nature, he felt impelled to demonstrate that he was a man of action. Cosmopolitan in his political awareness, he constantly sought refuge in South Africa. A scientific humanist by choice, he was a Christian by conviction. This book examines how Smuts struggled with these dilemmas." £6.50 [333]

128. Izednova, Sophia: A Few Months with the Boers. The War Reminiscences of a Russian Nursing Sister (Johannesburg: Perskor, 1977) Translated and edited by C. Moody. 8vo; original grey boards, lettered in white on spine and upper cover; laminated pictorial dustwrapper; pp. (vi) + iv + 254, incl. index; map; photographs. Dustwrapper's spine panel slightly sunned; some spotting to top edge. Very good condition. "Her reminiscences, hitherto untranslated, and unknown outside Russia, were published in St Petersburg in 1903. They describe her experiences during the war, including some famous battles and many of the outstanding personalities of the day whom she had met." £15.00 [315]

129. [James, Lionel] The Intelligence Officer: On the Heels of De Wet (Edinburgh: William Blackwood and Sons, 1902) Crown 8vo; original pale brown cloth blocked in black and brown; pp. vi + (ii) + 346 + 32. Some wormholes to backstrip; sporadic, moderate foxing. Good. (Hackett, pp. 91, 161; Mendelssohn I, p. 764) "An account of operations to suppress the Boer invasion of Cape Colony in 1901. The author took part in various drives chiefly in pursuit of the Boer commander De Wet. The narrative, based on the writer's war diary, was first published as a series of papers in Blackwood's Magazine." - Hackett: South African War Books, p. 91. £20.00 [85]

130. Jeppe, Carl: The Kaleidoscopic Transvaal (Cape Town: J. C. Juta and Co., 1906) Demy 8vo; original olive-green cloth, lettered in gilt to spine and upper cover; pp. 266, incl. index. Spine sunned; cloth somewhat mottled and worn; earlier owner's bookplate to front pastedown; front free endpaper removed; upper hinge fragile and binding slack; scattered foxing. Fair condition. (Mendelssohn I, p. 779; Hosken, p. 109) 'An interesting sketch consisting "largely of reminiscences interspersed with camp-fire stories and old half-forgotten tales." The author was a well-known citizen of the Transvaal, his family having settled there in 1870.' - Mendelssohn £10.00 [77]

131. Jordaan, G. (compiler): Hoe zij stierven. Mededeelingen aangaande het einde dergenen, aan wie gedurende de Oorlog 1899-1902, in de Kaap-Kolonie het doodvonnis voltrokken is (Cape Town: H.A.U.M., 1917, 2nd impression) 8vo; cloth-backed printed paper over boards; pp. 208; photographic portrait illustrations throughout. Cover very worn and soiled; penned code to tail of spine; front free endpaper and pastedown adhering; rear hinge starting; regular browning throughout; brown stain to top fore-corner of endpapers and several leaves. Fair condition only. Dutch text. The Afrikaans translation of this work was published in 1940. (Nienaber I, p. 172) £45.00 [50]

132. Judd, Denis: The Boer War (London: Hart-Davis, MacGibbon, 1977) Large 8vo; original blue boards, lettered in gilt on spine; laminated pictorial dustwrapper; pp. 190, incl. index; maps; illustrations after contemporary photographs and artwork. Very good condition. "Dr Judd above all deals clearly and vividly with the complex issues, stirring events and varied personalities that go to make up the Boer War." £5.00 [309]

133. Kalf, S.: Onder een Worstelend Volk. Met tal van platen en portretten en een kaart van Zuid-Afrika (Haarlem: Tjeenk Willink, 1899) 8vo; original olive-green cloth, lettered in gilt to spine and upper cover; gilt Z.A.R. coat-of-arms to upper cover; pp. 205; many full-page and text illustrations; large, folding map. Spine tanned and a little rubbed at head and tail; slight bump to top fore-corner of upper board; a little occasional light foxing; folding map a bit creased to fore-edge, with short tear, repaired on reverse side with archival tape. Very good condition. Dutch text. (Schutte: Nederlandse Publicaties betreffende Zuid-Afrika 1800-1899, 429; Mendelssohn I, p. 802) 'The Preface commences with the significant English expression, "Fear God and keep your powder dry," and a comparison is drawn between Cromwell and his puritans and Kruger and his people. Reference is made to the struggles of the Dutch against the Spanish power, and to the contest between David and Goliath, and it is inferred that in the case of a war between England and the Republics it is possible that "Britain will find her Moscow" ... on this occasion. The volume gives descriptions of Cape Town and Pretoria, with many
references to the history of South Africa, and there are some interesting illustrations and portraits of leaders of Boer and British politics.' - Mendelssohn £35.00 [58]

135. Kandyba-Foxcroft, Elisaveta: 
Russia and the Anglo-Boer War 1899-1902 (Rooideoop: CUM Books, 1981) 8vo; original red boards, lettered in white on spine and upper board; laminated pictorial dustwrapper; pp. (x) + xiii + (i) + 407, incl. index; several photographs and facsimiles; large, folding map mounted to rear pastedown. Trace of spotting to top edge. Very good condition. "By the time war engulfed South Africa in October 1899 Britain and Russia had been at loggerheads in Asia for generations. It is not surprising therefore that Russia's rulers and policy-makers saw the belligerent Boers as distant 'allies' whose actions would embarrass their great rival and might help to tip the global balance scales in their own favour. The Anglo-Boer War (1899-1902) was more than a struggle for mastery of South Africa. It had far flung ramifications and aroused intense international attention. In Russia, pro-Boer feeling extended far beyond her rulers to many levels of society. Even Leo Tolstoy waivered from his customary pacifist stance." - From the Foreword by A. M. Davey £25.00 [316]

136. Kemp, General J. C. G.: Vir Vryheid en Reg (Cape Town: Nasionale Pers, 1941) Squarish 8vo; original khaki cloth, with green and brown lettering; pp. (xii) + 476; plates and battle plans; line drawings in text. Cloth very lightly soiled; trace of spotting. Very good condition. Afrikaans text. (Nienaber I, p. 180) £30.00 [73]

137. Kemp, General J. C. G.: Vir Vryheid en Reg (Cape Town: Nasionale Pers, 1941) Squarish 8vo; original khaki cloth, with green and brown lettering; pp. (xii) + 476; plates and battle plans; line drawings in text. Near fine condition. Afrikaans text. (Nienaber I, p. 180) "He published two volumes of memoirs, the first, dealing with events before 1902 (1941); the second, covering the subsequent period (1942). Kemp, whose physical and moral courage cannot be doubted, was determined, direct, forceful, impetuous in the field and in politics and, above all, a fervent believer in the republican form of government for South Africa." - DSAB I, p. 421. £30.00 [164]

138. Kemp, J. C. G.: Die Pad van die Veroweraar. 'n Vervolg op Vir Vryheid en Reg (Cape Town: Nasionale Pers, 1942) Squarish 8vo; original oatmeal cloth, lettered in green on spine, and blocked in green and brown to upper cover; pp. (viii) + 453; plates. Cloth a little rubbed and soiled; sporadic foxing; archival tape strengthening to lower hinge. Good condition. Afrikaans text. (Nienaber I, p. 180) £25.00 [165]

139. Kestell, J. D.: Christiaan de Wet. 'n Lewensbeskrywing (Cape Town: De Nationale Pers, 1920) Demy 8vo; original light green cloth, lettered in black on spine; pp. (viii) + 283; plates. Cloth rubbed, and a little frayed to corners; school prize inscription, dated "Dec. 1919" (?) to front free endpaper; some foxing to edges, occasional fox spot elsewhere; lower hinge starting. Good. Afrikaans text. (Nienaber I, p. 180) £15.00 [217]

140. Kestell, J. D.: Christiaan de Wet. 'n Lewensbeskrywing (Cape Town: De Nationale Pers, [1922]) Demy 8vo; original light green cloth, lettered in black on spine; pp. (vii) + 323; plates. Cloth a little rubbed, with trace of slippage to lower cover; ownership inscription penned to front free endpaper; hinges starting; a little foxing. Good. Afrikaans text. (Nienaber I, p. 180) Despite the title page giving 1920 as the date of publication, Nienaber states that the second edition was printed in 1922. Firsthand account of the great guerilla general, Christiaan de Wet. "On the outbreak of the Second Anglo-Boer War (1899) he [Kestell] joined the Harrismith commando as a chaplain, and later became the trusted adviser of Pres. M. T. Steyn and Gen. C. R. de Wet. 'Numerous stories are still told about Kestell's fearlessness on commando, his courage, endurance, cheerfulness despite hardships, and his unselfish aid for the sick and wounded.'" - DSAB I, p. 422. £20.00 [59]

141. Kestell, J. D.: Through Shot and Flame. The Adventures and Experiences of J. D. Kestell, Chaplain to President Steyn and General Christian de Wet (London: Methuen, 1903) 8vo; re-cased, the original cloth laid on new blue cloth; new endpapers; lettered in gilt on spine and in blind on upper cover; pp. x + 347 + publisher's catalogue. Original backstrip only partially preserved; some foxing to edges and outermost leaves, occasional fox spot elsewhere; very occasional pencilled marginalia. Good to very good condition. (Hackett, p. 163; Mendelssohn I, p. 814) "The author was the principal minister of the Dutch Reformed Church at Kimberley for many years before he was called to Harrismith, in which town he was stationed at the outbreak of hostilities. He relates in his Preface that his wife, solicitous for his personal safety, burnt the first part of the MS. of this work, and that at his capture at Graspan, near Reitz, he lost a third part of his notes. These occurrences, however, have not prevented him from writing an interesting account of his experiences during the war, throughout which he acted as Chaplain to the Republican forces of the Free State, and the work, though tinged with great hostility to the British, does not fail at times to be critical of the actions and conduct of the Republican forces." - Mendelssohn £60.00 [55]

142. Kesting, J. G. (compiler): The Anglo-Boer War, 1899-1902: Mounting tension, and the outbreak of hostilities as reflected in overseas magazine contributions published January - December 1899. A Bibliography (Cape Town: University of Cape Town School of Librarianship, 1956) 251 x 200 mm; cloth-backed card wrappers; pp. (vi) + xii + 51. Some foxing to wrappers and edges. Good to very good condition. "The present list ... comprises all articles published in foreign magazines between January and December 1899 and dealing with aspects of the prelude to the war and the opening of the campaign in Natal, which are either available for examination, or can otherwise be traced in printed bibliographical sources, in the South African Public Library and the Mendelssohn collection of the Library of Parliament, Cape Town." £20.00 [284]
143. Kilian, J. D.: *Laat ons veg* (Johannesburg: Perskor, 1975) 8vo; original white boards, lettered in red on spine and upper board; laminated pictorial dustwrapper; pp. (vi) + 121; illustrations in text. Dustwrapper sunned on spine panel; edges somewhat bronwned. Very good condition. Afrikaans text. This book comes with the following recommendation from the dustwrapper flap: "In Laat ons veg word die oorlogservaringe van Petrus Kilian op boeiende en interessante wyse "vertel" deur sy seun, ds J. D. Kilian - die "Oubasie" in die boek. … Die boek bevat verder historiese feite wat in geen ander geskiedkundige werk of -herinneringe voorkom nie." £10.00 [80]

144. Knight, E. F.: *South Africa After the War. A Narrative of Recent Travel* (London: Longmans, Green, 1903) 8vo; original light green cloth, lettered in gilt on spine; pp. xi + (iii) + 356 + publisher's catalogue; plates. Corners a little turned; spine ends a touch crumpled; much of front free endpaper cut away; some foxing to outermost leaves and edges. Good condition. (Hackett, p. 163; Mendelssohn I, pp. 835-6) 'Mr. Knight traversed "some of the most disaffected parts of the Cape Colony ... and then travelled ... through the Transvaal and Orange River Colonies" with a Cape cart "or with the waggons of Boer Transport riders ... visiting remote districts, and living among the Boer farmers." By such methods he gained a fair insight into the position of affairs, and the work is valuable as a record of impressions taken in the new colonies in the period immediately succeeding hostilities.' - Mendelssohn £25.00 [180]

145. Knox, E. Blake: *Buller's Campaign with the Natal Field Force of 1900* (London: R. Brimley Johnson, 1902) Demy 8vo; original red cloth, lettered in gilt on spine and upper cover; t.e.g.; pp. xx + 336, incl. index; plates; maps, incl. folding. Backstrip very slightly sunned, with trace of wear to head and tail; moderate foxing throughout. Good to very good condition. (Hackett, p. 163; Mendelssohn I, p. 840) 'An account of the hostilities in Natal from the march to the Tugela River in January 1900 to the Relief of Ladysmith, and the subsequent battles of Laing's Nek and Belfast. The writer states that he was "present at each and every engagement," that he describes "as medical officer of one or the other unit employed in the fighting lines. My duties also brought me on conversational terms with many of the enemy, both in the early and later stages of the war, and I am thus able to record certain hitherto unpublished items of interest bearing on the campaign, gathered from the Boer side, all of which I have given as nearly as possible in the words of the speakers. ... I have endeavoured to present a brief, though accurate, account of some of the enormous difficulties that General Buller's army had to surmount; concerning these, considerable vagueness seems to prevail in this country. If ever truth lay at the bottom of a well, it must have been during war-time, and the Natal Campaign has verified that proverb."' - Mendelssohn £55.00 [252]

146. Knox, E. Blake: *Buller's Campaign with the Natal Field Force of 1900* (London: R. Brimley Johnson, 1902) Demy 8vo; original red cloth, lettered in gilt on spine and upper cover; t.e.g.; pp. xx + 336, incl. index; plates; maps, incl. folding. Cloth rather worn, with trace of soiling; gilt dull; backstrip somewhat brittle; a little foxing and some fingering; binding a bit slack; frontispiece missing; tear to fore-edge of one plate, not affecting image. Good. (Hackett, p. 163; Mendelssohn I, p. 840) £45.00 [246]

147. Koch, Retief: *Van die Oever van die Dywka na Graaff-Reinet se Sand. Kommandant Gideon Scheepers: Sy Lewe, Gevangeneming en Tergestelling* (Bloemfontein: Oorlogs museum van die Boererepublieke, 1998) 204 x 145 mm; saddle-stitched pictorial wrappers; pp. 52; map; monochrome illustrations. Spine very slightly sunned. Very good condition. Afrikaans text. "Die doel van hierdie geskrid is drieledig: eerstens om saaklik die persoon en geskiedenis van kommandant Gideon Scheepers aan oningeligtes bekend te stel, aangesien die gepubliseerde werke oor hom nie meer beskikbaar is nie; tweedens om aan ingeligte persone en aandeel in die vryheidstryd tussen Boer en Brit opnuut in herinnering te roep, en derdens met die vertroue dat navorsers die samevatting en oorweging van feite veral rondom die laaste honderd dae in die lewe van Gideon Scheepers van nut sal vind." £15.00 [134]

148. Koss, Stephen (editor): *The Pro-Boers. The Anatomy of an Antia war Movement* (Chicago & London: The University of Chicago Press, 1973) 8vo; original lime green cloth, lettered in metallic blue to spine; dustwrapper; pp. xl + 280, incl. index. Dustwrapper's spine panel very slightly sunned. Near fine condition. "Braving popular condemnation and public censure, the pro-Boers first attempted to warn British society against the likelihood of war in South Africa, and then struggled to bring hostilities to an end." £7.50 [313]

149. Kotzé, Sir John Gilbert: *Memoirs and Reminiscences* (Cape Town: Maskew Miller, [1949]) Volume 2. 8vo; original blue cloth, blocked in black to spine and upper cover; dustwrapper (housed in removable protector); pp. xvii + (i) + 306, incl. index; plates. Dustwrapper's spine panel lightly sunned; trace of foxing to top edges and endpapers, occasional fox spot elsewhere. Very good condition. At twenty-seven, John Gilbert Kotzé (1849-1940) became, with Shepstone's confirmation of his appointment as chief justice of the Transvaal, "the youngest man to have been appointed a judge in any British territory. Anthony Trollope ... who was visiting South Africa at that time, referred to him as 'a boy judge' in his book South Africa (1878)." (DSAB I, p. 439) "The present volume … deals with the main events in the history of the Transvaal during these fifteen years. The twenty years (1877-1897) during which Kotzé was on the Transvaal Bench embrace a most interesting period of the history of South Africa and one which, in the Transvaal, was both formative and highly controversial." £30.00 [243]

150. Kritzinger, P. H., and R. D. McDonald: *In the Shadow of Death* (London: Printed for private circulation by William Clowes and Sons, 1904) 8vo; original maroon cloth, lettered in gilt on spine and upper cover; pp. (vi) + 178; plates; battle plans in text. Cloth rubbed, a little sunned to backstrip, which is a touch frayed at head and tail; ownership
151. Krüger, D. W.: Paul Kruger (Johannesburg: Dagbreek-Boekhandel, 1961 & 1963) Two volumes, the first covering 1825-83, and the second, 1883-1904. 8vo volumes; original brown cloth, lettered in gilt on spines, with Krüger signature in white to upper cover in each case; pp. xvi + 283, (viii) + 310 + (viii); frontis. portraits; plates; trace of light browning to edges. Very good condition. Afrikaans text. Standard Afrikaans history of the iconic leader of the Zuid-Afrikaansche Republiek. £35.00 [166]

152. Krüger, D. W.: The Age of the Generals. A Short Political History of the Union of South Africa, 1910-1948 (no place: Dagbreek Book Store, 1958) 8vo; original red boards, lettered in black on spine; pictorial dustwrapper; endpaper map; pp. 229. Dustwrapper rubbed, and sunned; spine slightly frayed at head and tail; earlier owner's hand-stamp to free endpapers; library stamps to front free endpaper and title page recto and verso; endpapers, frontis. and edges a bit foxed. Good condition. German text. (Mendelssohn I, p. 856; Spohr & Poller, 1495) The caption to the frontispiece portrait of President Paul Kruger reproduces a note of thanks in the President's hand for outstanding services rendered by the German Ambulance Unit. The German Red Cross made itself available to the Boer forces during the Anglo-Boer War, and this work is a record of its involvement in the early part of the conflict. £40.00 [214]

153. Kruger, Rayne: Good-bye Dolly Gray. The story of the Boer War (London: Cassell, 1959) 8vo; original red cloth, lettered in gilt on spine; pictorial dustwrapper; pp. xii + 540, incl. index; several plates; maps, incl. 1 large, folding. Trace of edge wear to very good dustwrapper, which has old tape repairs to reverse of spine panel; some fox spots to top edge. Very good condition. "We have had to wait until the sixtieth anniversary of the outbreak of this war for an account of it which is both readable and complete; vivid while being absolutely unbiased. Rayne Kruger sees and describes the background, the personalities, the campaigns and the lasting effects on Africa clearly and without censure." £15.00 [322]


155. Küttner, H.: Unter dem Deutschen Roten Kreuz im Südafrikanischen Kriege (Leipzig: Verlag von S. Hirzel, 1900) Large 8vo; original pictorial green cloth, lettered in gilt on spine and in red and black on upper cover; pp. vii + (i) 252; photogravure frontis. portrait; numerous photographic illustrations in text. Extremities a touch rubbed; spine slightly frayed at head and tail; earlier owner's hand-stamp to free endpapers; library stamps to front free endpaper and title page recto and verso; endpapers, frontis. and edges a bit foxed. Good condition. German text. (Medelssohn I, p. 856; Spohr & Poller, 1495) The caption to the frontispiece portrait of President Paul Kruger reproduces a note of thanks in the President's hand for outstanding services rendered by the German Ambulance Unit. The German Red Cross made itself available to the Boer forces during the Anglo-Boer War, and this work is a record of its involvement in the early part of the conflict. £40.00 [214]

156. Laidler, Percy Ward, and Michael Gelfand: South Africa. Its Medical History 1652-1898. A Medical and Social Study (Cape Town: Struik, 1971) Number 637 of an edition limited to 2000 copies. Squarish 8vo; original burgundy rexine, lettered in gilt on spine; pictorial dustwrapper; pp. xii + 536, incl. index; plates; tables. Spine panel a bit sunned; edges slightly browned. Near fine condition. "This book deals with medical practice in South Africa by doctors and unqualified practitioners. Much is written on the epidemics and attempts to curb their spread. The slave population created its own peculiar problems. The first hospitals catered for officials and in 1818 Bailey started a public hospital. The Supreme Medical Committee formed in 1807 was an innovation ahead of its time. Doctors who arrived with the 1820 Settlers stimulated medical thought. From its pages emanate the figures of James Barry and Sir George Grey who with Dr. Fitzgerald established a health service for Africans. A midwifery school was started in 1810, a school for nurses was founded in Kimberley, followed by far sighted health measures and the establishment of research laboratories in South Africa. Written in a pleasant, flowing style the volume is easy to read, providing a fund of information on the life of the times and the change to a more humanitarian approach." £75.00 [136]

157. Lehmann, Joseph: The First Boer War (London: Jonathan Cape, 1972) 8vo; original brown cloth, lettered in gilt on spine; laminated pictorial dustwrapper; tinted top edge; endpaper illustrations; pp. 330, incl. index; plates; maps. Very good condition. "In this definitive study of a small war, Professor Lehmann describes the events that culminated in a unique people confronting and confounding an empire at the height of its wealth and power." £7.50 [314]

11 black-and-white plates. Cloth mottled and somewhat worn, likewise title label; hinges starting; a little foxing. Fair condition. Early biography of General Smuts. £10.00 [33]

159. Lewis, Major R. C.: On the Veldt. A Plain Narrative of Service Afield in South Africa (Hobart, Tasmania: Printed by J. Walch and Sons, 1902) 8vo; original brown cloth blocked in red; pp. xv + (i) + 159; folding map. Cloth worn, blotched and scuffed, with pin-hole impression to top edge of lower board; earlier owner's ink stamp to front free endpaper; edges browned and slightly soiled; archival tape repair to reverse of map, which also has tape stains from an earlier repair. A singularly uncommon title in first edition form. (Hackett, p. 165; SABIB IV, p. 110) Not in Mendelssohn. "Account of the 1st Tasmanian Imperial Bushmen in South Africa written by the officer commanding assisted by Frank Morton, journalist." - Hackett: South African War Books. "At this time there has not appeared, and I am unable to learn that there is in preparation, any book narrating Tasmanian experiences at the front. My little book has so much justification for its existence. ... The operations we were concerned in covered a very wide area of country. We went, in the Transvaal, as far north as Pietersburg, as far east as Piet Retief, on the border of Swaziland; we saw a good deal of the Orange River Colony; in Cape Colony we had a part in the now-famous flying-chase at the slippery heels of De Wet. All the way through, engagements with the enemy were almost daily occurrences with us; and we had tastes of heavy fighting at Rhenoster and elsewhere. Several of us yielded our lives for the cause; many of us were grievously wounded. Nor were the Tasmanians of my command otherwise undistinguished. The first two Victoria Crosses awarded to Australia fell to them. In these facts, I take it that there is further justification - or, at least, further excuse - for this narrative, as now put forth." - From the author's Preface. £350.00 [32]

160. "Linesman": The Mechanism of War (Edinburgh: William Blackwood & Sons, 1902) 8vo; original pale cloth, lettered in red on spine and upper cover; pp. (viii) + 183 + publisher's adverts. Cloth somewhat stippled, and rubbed at extremities; backstrip darkened; front free endpaper removed; some foxing to endpapers and edges, occasional fox spot elsewhere. Fair to good condition. "Much of the content is reproduced from the 'Speculator'." (Hackett, p. 166). £10.00 [6]

161. Lloyd, J. Barclay: One Thousand Miles with the C.I.V. (London: Methuen & Co., 1901) Crown 8vo; original red cloth blocked in white and gilt; pp. xii + 288 + 47; frontis. portrait; folding map. Spine sunned, and corners a bit bumped; front free endpaper removed; endpapers, edges and outer leaves somewhat foxed, occasional spotting elsewhere. Good condition. (Hackett, p. 166; Mendelssohn I, p. 917) "The author left for the front early in 1900, joining what was known as the "Cyclist Section" of the C.I.V. He described the daily life on board of the transport, and maintains that the food was simple but good and sufficient. He states that most of the men were inoculated against enteric fever, and it is worthy of note that the regiment was subsequently practically free from that disease. Mr. Lloyd spent some time in the Military Hospital at Orange River, suffering from dysentery, and he bears good testimony to the general good treatment prevailing, but deprecates "the serpent of red tape," which in his opinion often acted detrimentally to the patient on account of the stringency of the dietary regulations. In April 1900 the C.I.V. were incorporated in General Ian Hamilton's great army, and marched with them to Pretoria, but they appear to have suffered severely from the weather, which was apparently abnormally cold and wet.' - Mendelssohn. £40.00 [45]

162. Lombard, J. P. la Grange: Paul Kruger, die Volksman (Pretoria: J. L. van Schaik, 1925) Introduction by Gustav Preller. 8vo; original pale blue cloth, lettered in brown on spine and upper cover; pp. 241; plates. Cloth a little stippled; school prize book label to front pastedown; regular browning throughout; a little foxing. Good condition. Afrikaans text. (Nienaber I, p. 217; SABIB 3, p. 150) Johannes Petrus la Grange Lombard (1846-1939), Boer commandant and member of the Transvaal Volksraad, was well placed to write this account of the life of Paul Kruger. £20.00 [153]

163. Lombard, P. S. (author), and A. M. Jackson (compiler): Uit die dagboek van 'n wildeboer (Johannesburg: Afrikaanse Pers, [1939]) 8vo; original dark green cloth, lettered in black on spine and upper cover; pp. 160; frontis. portrait. Lightly rubbed; some light foxing to endpapers; earlier owner's hand-stamps to front endpaper, bottom edge and elsewhere. Very good condition. Afrikaans text. Uncommon. (Nienaber I, p. 217) "Hierdie boek het ek begin vanaf die ontslaan van die Tweede Vryheidsoorlog in Oktober 1899. My begeerte was om die aanvang van die oorlog al alles te boekstaf soos wat gebeur, nie alleen my eie ondervindinge nie, maar van alle gebeure waarvan ek kennis gedra het. Hierdie dagboek bevat dan ook die volle waarheid soos ek dit ervaar en aanskou het." £50.00 [118]


165. Lowther, H. C.: From Pillar to Post (London: Edward Arnold, 1911) 8vo; original red cloth, lettered in gilt on spine and upper cover, with cap device to upper cover; pp. xi + (i) + 307 + (i); plates. Backstrip mottled and faded, a bit crumpled at head and tail; top edges of boards sunned;
During a trip to British East Africa, he encountered Teddy Roosevelt (who was on his famous safari), and went on to bag elephant near the Riana River. There are also several chapters devoted to his experiences in the Boer War, as well as other military obligations.” - Kenneth Czech: An Annotated Bibliography of African Big Game Hunting Books 1785-1999 £25.00 [237]

166. Mackinnon, Major-Gen, W. H.: The Journal of the C. I. V. in South Africa (London: John Murray, 1901) 8vo; original blue cloth, with the regimental crest in red, white and gilt on upper cover; spine lettered in gilt; t.e.g.; pp. xii + 252; plates; maps / battle plans. A little wear to head and tail of slightly discoloured spine; endpapers a bit foxed; some spotting. Very good condition. (Hackett, p. 167; Mendelssohn I, pp. 958-959) The offer of the Lord Mayor of London to raise and equip a regiment for the South African War was accepted by the Commander-in-Chief, with the proviso that he should appoint the chief officers. Lord Wolseley selected the author to command the C.I.V., and appointed the Earl of Albermarle to command its infantry, and Colonel Cholmondeley to lead the mounted infantry, the two latter with the rank of Lieut.-Colonel. The total number of men who served in the C.I.V. included 64 officers and 1675 of other ranks, and during the campaign 58 were killed and 156 invalided home. No less than 31 volunteers were given commissions (6 officers and 25 men) in the Imperial Army, and 121 remained in Africa in various capacities. A curious point about the regiment was the varied occupations which had been previously followed by the officers and men, and this matter soon attracted the attention of Lord Roberts and the military and civil authorities in South Africa.” - Mendelssohn. £50.00 [30]

167. Macnab, Roy: Die Franse Kolonel. Villebois-Mareuil, Veger ter die Boere 1899-1900 (Cape Town: Tafelberg, 1977) Translated by Fritz Joubert. 8vo; original black boards, lettered in white on spine; pictorial dustwrapper; endpaper map; pp. 270, incl. index; maps; plates. Very good condition. “Georges, Comte de Villebois-Mareuil, had in fact been the youngest Colonel in the French Army and had commanded its Foreign Legion in Algeria. Roy Macnab’s book is the first in English to trace the complicated circumstances and motives that brought this dashing and romantic hero of French imperialism to fight and die in vain but valiantly, in action against the British in the Orange Free State.” £12.50 [303]

168. Macnab, Roy: The French Colonel. Villebois-Mareuil and the Boers 1899-1900 (Cape Town: Oxford University Press, 1975) 8vo; original black boards, lettered in white on spine; pictorial dustwrapper; endpaper map; pp. xvi + (i) + 410, incl. index; plates; some illustrations in text; maps. Very good condition. ”Kitchener’s flamboyant and yet curiously melancholy career has been reconstructed with marvellous expertness by Sir Philip Magnus.” - The Daily Mail £5.00 [292]

170. Mahan, Captain A. T.: The Story of the War in South Africa 1899-1900 (London: Sampson Low, Marston and Company, 1900) 8vo; original blue cloth, lettered in gilt on spine, with gilt map device to upper cover; t.e.g.; pp. vi + 322, incl. index; large, folding coloured map; frontis. portrait of the author. Backstrip slightly frayed at head and tail; scattered foxing; short tear to folding map, repaired on reverse; binding a little slack. Good. (Hackett, p. 167; Mendelssohn I, p. 968) “A critical but unbiased view of the operations up to the occupation of Pretoria by the British.” - Mendelssohn £20.00 [44]

171. Makins, George Henry: Surgical Experiences in South Africa 1899-1900. Being mainly a clinical study of the nature and effects of injuries produced by bullets of small calibre (London: Henry Frowde/Hodder & Stoughton, 1913) 8vo; original red cloth, lettered in gilt on spine; pp. xvi + 504, incl. index; plates; illustrations in text. Spine slightly sunned; extremities a bit rubbed; corners turned; archival tape reinforcing to split, or splitting, hinges; sporadic light foxing; medical doctor’s name to title page, with penned date ‘Oct 1914’. Good condition. (Hackett, p. 167; SABIB 3, p. 232) Sir George Henry Makins (1853-1933) served as Consulting Surgeon to the South African Field Force. In this volume he reveals his expertise in wound treatment, which would later be put to use treating the injured from the Western Front during the First World War. The X-rays, photographs and diagrams of wounds are an outstanding feature of this volume. £100.00 [208]

172. Marais, J. S.: The Fall of Kruger’s Republic (Oxford University Press, 1961) 8vo; original black cloth, lettered in gilt on spine; price-clipped dustwrapper; pp. xiv + 345, incl. index. Dustwrapper a little tanned, particularly to spine panel, with old tape repair to reverse of head; previous owner’s name signed on front pastedown. Very good condition. £7.50 [863]

173. Maritz, [Salomon Gerhardus] ‘Manie’: My Lewe en Strewe ([Pretoria]: the author, [1939]) 8vo;
original orange cloth, lettered in black on spine, and with black lettering and Transvaal coat-of-arms to upper cover; dustwrapper; pp. (iv) + 263; title page portrait. Dustwrapper partially tanned and slightly edgeworn; earlier owner's name signed on front free endpaper; scattered foxing. Good to very good condition. (Nienaber I, p. 238) £25.00 [232]

174. Maritz, [Salomon Gerhardus] 'Manie': My Lewe en Strewe (WITH TWO ORIGINAL PHOTOGRAPHS) ([Pretoria]: the author, [1939]) 8vo; original orange cloth, lettered in black on spine, and with black lettering and Transvaal coat-of-arms to upper cover; no dustwrapper; pp. (iv) + 263; title page portrait. Cloth worn, especially at extremities of spine, and partially discoloured; earlier owner's name on front pastedown; upper hinge starting; some foxing to edges. Good condition. (Nienaber I, p. 238) Loosely inserted are two original photographs of Maritz, taken at the time of his trial in August 1939 at Windhoek, South-West Africa. Salomon Gerhardus (Manie) Maritz (1876 - 1940), "Boer general and rebel leader of 1914, was a descendant of the Voortrekker leader Gerrit Maritz. Maritz became an admirer of Nazism. He joined the Greyshirt movement in the Union, but resigned in 1934 to form the South African National Democratic Movement. He was farming in South-West Africa at the time, but paid frequent visits to the Union to make speeches attacking the Jews and Freemasonry. In August 1939 he was charged in the high court, Windhoek, with engendering racial hostility in South-West Africa by the distribution of his book, My lewe en strewe (Pretoria, 1939). On 34 August he was found guilty, the presiding judge stating that the book had been '... written with the deliberate object of encouraging bad feelings towards the Jewish race'. Maritz was short, stocky, broad-shouldered and dark-complexioned. In his prime he was endowed with exceptional physical strength about which many striking anecdotes were recorded by his contemporaries. His courage, energy and ruthlessness made him a formidable opponent in the field. In civilian life his impetuosity, restlessness and lack of business acumen precipitated a series of financial setbacks. He undoubtedly had a personal magnetism, but his arrogance, violent temper and pathological racial prejudices made him many enemies and often alienated his friends." (Dictionary of South African Biography, Vol. I., pp. 513-515) £50.00 [72]

175. Matthiolius, Dr. [Heinrich Karl]: Tagebuchblatter aus dem Boerenkriege 1899-1900 (Leipzig: Verlag von F. C. W. Vogel, 1900) 8vo; original papered boards, with printed map and red lettering to upper cover; tinted edges; pp. v + (i) + 169. Boards tanned and a bit rubbed; backstrip missing; earlier owner's name signed on front free endpaper and title page; light foxing throughout. Good. German text. (Spohr & Poller 1754; Mendelssohn I, p. 997) Leaves from a Journal of the Boer War. £50.00 [204]

176. May, John Henry: Music of the Guns. Based on two journals of the Boer War (Johannesburg: Hutchinson, 1970) 8vo; original brown cloth, lettered in gilt on spine; price-clipped pictorial dustwrapper, housed in removable protector; pp. ix + (iii) + 196, incl. index; plates; maps. Dustwrapper spine panel slightly sunned. Near fine condition. "This most unusual book about the Anglo-Boer War is based on two remarkable interlocking journals; one by Freda Schlosberg, a farmer's fourteen-year-old daughter, and the other by James Alexander Kay, an English doctor." £6.50 [437]

177. Mc Donald, R. D.: 'n Terugblik op my Oorlogsjare (Bloemfontein: Oorlogsboom van die Boererepublieke, 1995) 210 x 150 mm; saddle-stitched pictorial wrappers; pp. (iv) + 84; some photographs. Fine condition. Afrikaans text. Personal experiences of the Anglo-Boer War, by an Afrikaner clergyman associated with General Kritzinger's forces. £15.00 [135]

178. M'Caw, Robert: Outposts and Convoys. With the Ayrshire Volunteers in South Africa (Kilmarnock: Dunlop & Drennan, 1901) Crown 8vo; original red cloth over bevelled boards, lettered in gilt to spine and upper cover, with circular portrait onlay on upper cover; pp. (x) + 149 + (i); two plates. Spine somewhat sunned; cloth very slightly worn and a bit mottled; front free endpaper removed; upper hinge a little tender; trace of dye bleed from cloth to bottom edges of front pastedown and half-title; very occasional fox spot. Good condition. Uncommon. (SABIB 3, p. 194; Hackett, pp. 92, 169) "A record of the Volunteer Service Company the Royal Scots Fusiliers in South Africa 15 months to May 1901." - Hackett £275.00 [104]

179. McCracken, Donal P.: The Irish Pro-Boers 1877-1902 (Johannesburg: Perskor, 1989) 8vo; original yellow boards, lettered in white on spine; laminated pictorial dustwrapper; pp. xx + 189, incl. index; photographs and reproductions of contemporary artwork in text. Dustwrapper very lightly sunned; merest trace of foxing to endpapers. Very good condition. "In this book Dr McCracken, using hitherto unpublished material gathered in
Ireland and South Africa has pieced together the development of the most influential and violent of the European pro-Boer movements, from its infancy in the days of the great Parnell to its zenith during the second Anglo-Boer war. In addition he throws light on the extraordinary twist of the arch imperialist Cecil Rhodes financing the Irish nationalist party in the British parliament and on the activities of Irish revolutionaries in South Africa." £20.00 [312]

180. Meintjes, Johannes: De la Rey - Lion of the West. A Biography (Johannesburg: Hugh Heartland, 1966) 8vo; original oatmeal-coloured cloth, lettered in green on spine, with regimental crest in gilt to tail of spine and upper cover; laminated, price-clipped dustwrapper; endpaper map; pp. xvi + 432, incl. index; plates. Very good condition. "In this biography we are brought close to a man of power and passion, of warmth and humour, through whose life strange forces moved - such as the weird Prophet Van Rensburg who passed, like a godly messenger in an ancient Greek tragedy, through the later phases of De la Rey's life. Patriotism and humour, aggression, guilt and mystery feature in the story of the magnificent De la Rey, striding the South African landscape in a lonely dignity towards his ultimate destiny." £45.00 [305]

181. Meintjes, Johannes: General Louis Botha (London: Cassell, 1970) 8vo; original light brown cloth, lettered in gilt on spine; laminated pictorial dustwrapper; pp. x + (vi) + 332, incl. index; plates; map. Small tape mark to rear pastedown; dustwrapper spine panel very slightly sunned. Very good condition. "Johannes Meintjes has done full justice to his subject and has shown Louis Botha in all his strength and his weakness too. Louis's tremendous charm shines through on every page. It was a characteristic which gained him many devoted followers, yet filled others with suspicion. But Louis Botha was a truly honourable man, utterly sincere, a good friend of Britain, and above all a man who had a vision in early life which was to make him run a course from which he never deviated." £30.00 [325]

182. Meintjes, Johannes: President Paul Kruger (London: Cassell, 1974) 8vo; original red boards, lettered in gilt on spine; laminated pictorial dustwrapper; pp. (xvi) + 295, incl. index; plates; map. Bumps to top fore-corners of boards; one small tape mark to each board; small tape mark to front pastedown; a little spotting to top edge. Very good condition. "The result is this important biography of a massively forceful figure, a colossus driven by a love of his people and a single-minded, obsessive sense of divine mission, a giant on the world stage, almost superhuman in intelligence and energy." £12.50 [324]

183. Meintjes, Johannes: President Steyn. A Biography (Cape Town: Nasionale Boekhandel, 1969) 8vo; original black boards, lettered in white on spine; laminated pictorial dustwrapper; pp. (xvi) + 272, incl. index; plates. Small tape mark to rear pastedown; merest trace of foxing to edges and endpapers. Very good condition. "Johannes Meintjes has succeeded in giving us not only a picture of Steyn the man, but of the times he lived in, using them as a framework within which the qualities of Steyn's character and the extent of his influence can be given perspective." £25.00 [326]

184. Meintjes, Johannes: Stormberg, A Lost Opportunity. The Anglo-Boer War in the North-Eastern Cape Colony, 1899 - 1902 (Cape Town: Nasionale Boekhandel, 1969) 8vo; original black boards; laminated pictorial dustwrapper; pp. (xii) + 206, incl. index; + list of illustrations; black-and-white photographic plates. Dustwrapper's lower panel slightly rubbed; small, light tape marks to pastedowns. Very good condition. "The result was a battle characterised by strange blunders and confusion on the British side, and almost incredible strokes of luck on the part of the Boers. The Boer victory took its place among a series of disasters known to the British as Black Week. Johannes Meintjes examines the circumstances around the battle and attempts to uncover what really did happen, but his interest lies as much in the individuals who were a part of it and their fortunes, the vagaries of a man and his fate, as in the battle itself." £17.50 [320]

185. Meintjes, Johannes: Sword in the Sand. The Life and Death of Gideon Scheepers (Cape Town, Tafelberg, 1969) 8vo; original black boards; pictorial dustwrapper; pp. 242, incl. index; photographic plates; tipped-in frontis. Small tape mark to each pastedown. Very good condition. "What happened to Gideon Scheepers, the gallant twenty-three year old Boer fighter who was executed by a British firing squad some months before the Anglo-Boer War came to an end? Though nobody knows, since his body was never found, this young heliographer became an almost legendary figure in the South African history and his name sacred to many Afrikaners." £20.00 [327]

186. Meintjes, Johannes: The Commandant-General. The Life and Times of Petrus Jacobus Joubert of the South African Republic 1831-1900 (Cape Town: Tafelberg, 1971) 8vo; original black boards; pictorial dustwrapper; pp. (xvi) + 220, incl. index; photographic illustrations. Dustwrapper's spine panel a little sunned. Very good condition. "Perhaps because of the enigma of his character as much as the fact that he was overshadowed by his rival, President Kruger, there has been little or no attempt to assess Commandant-General Petrus Jacobus Joubert. … Meintjes has given his readers a fascinating character study of a man whose complexity was the source of his potential greatness as well as of his weaknesses." £20.00 [318]
187. Meiring, Piet: *Generaal Hertzog 50 Jaar Daarna* (Johannesburg: Perskor, 1986) 8vo; original blue boards, lettered in white on spine; laminated pictorial dustwrapper; pp. (viii) + 211; photographs and contemporary artwork. Merest trace of foxing to endpapers and edges. Very good condition. Afrikaans text. "Uit die mond van genl. Hertzog, selfs in die ou dae toe hy nog die twee-straambeleid verkondig het, het die skrywer die bewys gevind van die generaal se onwrikbare geloof in 'n eerlike en billike benadering tot die eise van al die inwoners van ons land." £20.00 [175]

188. Meiring, Piet: *Jan Smuts die Afrikaner* (Cape Town: Tafelberg, 1974) 8vo; original grey boards, lettered in white on spine; laminated pictorial dustwrapper; pp. (vi) + 218; photographs in text. Dustwrapper's spine panel slightly sunned; trace of foxing to top edge and endpapers. Very good condition. Afrikaans text. "Piet Meiring het met tientalle vooraanstaande Afrikaners wat Smuts geken het die gesels om antwoorde vir al die tergende vrae te probeer vind: Het Smuts sy volk werlik afgesterf? Het hy 'n trefly of 'n Majomag?" £10.00 [341]


190. Meyer, Jan H., in collaboration with E. P. du Plessis: *Kommando-jare. 'n Oud-stryder se persoonlike relasie van die Tweede Vryheidsoorlog* (Cape Town: Human & Rousseau, 1971) 8vo; original pale blue boards, lettered in white on spine; pictorial dustwrapper; pp. 344. Dustwrapper ever so slightly rubbed, faintly sunned spine panel; trace of spotting to top edge. Very good condition. Afrikaans text. "Wat hier volg, is 'n ware verhaal uit die Anglo-Boere-oorlog. Dis die verhaal van 'n jong seun wat van die skool af gedros en meer as tweehonderd myl per piese gery het om die wapens te gaan op. Hy vertel van al sy opwindende ervarings in die drie jaar van stryd en van sy wonderbaarlike ontkomings. Hy vertel van die veldslae van Modderrivier en Magersfontein en Paardeberg; van Die Wet en de La Rey en Cronjé; van Roberts en Kitchener, Methuen en French. Hy verhaal hoe hy tot die dood veroordeel is, twee maal gewond en eenkeer vir dood laat lê is. Hy vertel van sy epiiese toeg saam met genl. Smuts deur die Kaapkolonie, en van die aangrypende dinge wat die laaste dae van die stryd gekenmerk het." £20.00 [235]

191. Millais, J. G.: *Life of Frederick Courtenay Selous, D.S.O., Capt. 25th Royal Fusiliers* (London: Longmans, Green and Co., 1918) 8vo; original blue cloth, lettered in gilt on spine and upper cover; pp. xi + (iii) + 387, incl. index; frontis. portrait; several plates after photographs and the author's own artwork. Boards a little rubbed; spine slightly darkened, with dulled gilt lettering and fraying to extremities; bottom fore-corners a touch bumped; scattered light to moderate foxing. Good condition. (Czech, p. 115) Classic biography of the greatest big-game hunter. "Written as a tribute to Selous, who was killed in action against German forces in East Africa during the Great War, Millais includes numerous passages from his subject's books and articles, recounting big-game hunting adventures in Africa and other international locales." - Czech: *An Annotated Bibliography of African Big Game Hunting Books*, 1785 to 1950. £30.00 [254]

192. Millin, Sarah Gertrude: *Rhodes* (London: Chatto & Windus, 1936) 8vo; original red cloth-backed coarse oatmeal cloth, with gilt lettering block to spine; no dustwrapper; tinted top edge; endpaper map; pp. vi + 389, incl. index; frontis. portrait. Cloth mottled; earlier owner's name signed on front pastedown and in several other places; binding slack; regular browning throughout. Fair to good. £5.00 [56]

193. Milner, the Viscountess: *My Picture Gallery 1886-1901* (London: John Murray, 1951) 8vo; original green cloth, lettered in gilt on spine; no dustwrapper; pp. ix + (i) + 250, incl. index; frontis. portrait and other plates; line drawings. Spine a little sunned; corners slightly bumped; occasional light foxing. Good condition. "Looking back on life, now it is over, I find myself thinking of my own as I might think of a walk through a picture gallery, in which there are good and bad pictures, but in which each picture as one looked at it was all-absorbing. ... They are all in my Picture Gallery. Can I show them to others as I saw them? I want to try." £7.50 [48]

194. Muller, Chris. H.: *Oorlogsherinneringe van Generaal Chris. H. Muller* (Cape Town: Nasionale Pers, 1936) S Quarish 8vo; original pale green cloth, lettered in black on spine and upper cover; pp. (iv) + ii + 212; plates; cloth partially sunned; bottom fore-corners a touch bumped; edges browned; occasional fox spot. Very good condition. Afrikaans text. (Nienaber I, p. 254) Uncommon. "During the last months of 1901 and the beginning of 1902 he was in charge of all the commandos north of Pretoria to the Portuguese border at Komatiport. He himself was constantly in action mainly in the area north-east of Pretoria. Gen. Viljoen having been taken prisoner by the British in January 1902, Muller became assistant commandant-general. In April 1902, by a great majority, he was elected the representative of the Boksburg and Middelburg Comandos
and the Johannesburg and Pretoria police at the peace conference at Vereeniging. He was one of the diehards who wanted to continue the war until the republics were in a position to conclude a favourable peace treaty. The peace of Vereeniging was a great disappointment to him." - DSAB II, p. 501 £75.00 [218]


196. Nathan, Manfred: Paul Kruger. His Life & Times (Durban: Knox, 1941) 8vo; original light blue cloth, lettered in black on spine; pictorial dustwrapper; pp. (xii) + 510, incl. index; plates. Dustwrapper a bit rubbed and edgeworn; a small tape mark to each board; earlier owner's name signed on front free endpaper; tape marks to endpapers; archival tape reinforcing to hinges; light browning; occasional fox spot. Good condition. "Paul Kruger is portrayed against the rich, living background of South African politics, and the rival themes of a gigantic pastoral conservatism and the onrush of industrial progress which began, in his period of political labour and triumph, to gather force in his beloved Transvaal." £10.00 [319]

197. Nathan, Manfred: Sarie Marais. A Romance of the Anglo-Boer War (London: Gordon and Gotch, 1938) 8vo; original red cloth, lettered in black on spine; no dustwrapper; pp. viii + 358. Backstrip tanned; upper cover partially mottled; joints slightly rubbed; trace of foxing to edges and endpapers. Good condition. Best known for several legal works and commentaries, besides works on constitutional matters and South African history, Manfred Nathan (1875-1945) also wrote this novel. £12.50 [220]

198. Naudé, J. F.: Vechten en Vluchten van Beyers en Kemp "bôkant" de Wet (Rotterdam: Niijgh & van Ditmar, [1904]) 8vo; original light blue cloth, lettered in black on spine and upper cover; pp. 374; photographs and plans in text. Extremities ever so slightly rubbed; light bumps to corners; original Graaff-Reinet bookseller's ink stamp to title page; lightly browned throughout; some foxing to edges, occasionally elsewhere. Very good condition. Dutch text. (SABIB 3, p. 474) "A personal account of the South African War, in particular the part played by Gen. Beyers and Gen. Kemp." - SABIB £35.00 [249]

199. Neethling, [Elizabeth] Mev. wijlen ds. H. L.: Vergeten? (Cape Town: De Nationale Pers, 1917) 8vo; original green cloth, lettered in gilt on spine and upper cover; pp. xiii + (i) + 282; plates. Spine sunned; edges worn; trace of fishmoothing to cloth; upper hinge fractured; very browned throughout. Fair condition. Dutch text. (SABIB 3, p. 522) "Accounts by various women of their experiences during the South African War, selected by Mrs. Neethling from material which came into her possession ca. 1916." - SABIB £40.00 [196]


202. Odendaal, Roelf: Waterberg op Kommando 1899-1902 (Nylstroom: the author, 1995) 197 x 140 mm; cloth-backed card wrappers; pp. (iii) + vii + 110 + (xiii); monochrome illustrations. Unusual pagination to prelims.: Odd page number to verso and even number to recto. Very good condition. Afrikaans text. A compendium of accounts relating to the part played by the Waterberg district in the Anglo-Boer War. The book ends with a facsimile list of those who died in the Nylstroom concentration camp. £20.00 [41]

203. O'Meara, Lieut.-Colonel W. A. J.: Kekewich in Kimberley. Being an Account of the Defence of the Diamond Fields October 14th, 1899-February 15th, 1900 (London: Medici Society, 1926) 8vo; original blue cloth, lettered in gilt on spine; no dustwrapper; pp. (iv) + 150; plates; folding map. Spine browned, and a little frayed at extremities; bookplate of Naval and Military Club, with accession code, to front pastedown; light browning; endpapers and prelims. slightly foxed; trace of soiling to Plate V and facing page. Good condition. "A clever brain, a human heart, and a cherly spirit; a lovable disposition, unsparing loyalty, and absolute devotion to duty - supply a make-up for a man which should carry him through most if not all the difficulties of leadership in life. Robert Kekewich possessed just these qualities in a remarkable degree. Moreover they were just the qualities which were needed in the man who was to command successfully through a crisis such as that of the Defence of Kimberley. His difficulties there were not entirely due to the novel form of warfare involved nor to the enemy without the gates, but also to differing elements within them. But in the event he pulled through successfully and thus his character and his methods are well worth studying by those who aspire in
their turn to happy and successful leadership.” - The Foreword by Baden-Powell. £90.00 [70]

204. Orford, Julian: 95 Days: The Siege of the Fort at Potchefstroom, 16th December, 1880 - 21st March, 1881 (Potchefstroom: Town Council of Potchefstroom, 1973) 292 x 205 mm; cloth-backed card wrappers; pp. (x) + 68; illustrations. Very good condition. "The siege of the Fort at Potchefstroom took place a long time ago. The full Saga of events has never before been written, and the defence of that small Fort has not received the credit it deserves in the annals of military history. For this reason only that story should be told." £10.00 [283]

205. Otto, Commandant Willem, and others: Die Spesiale Dienstbataljon (1933-1973) (Pretoria: Central Documentation Services of the South African Defence Force, 1973) Folio; original black rexine, silver gilt; pp. (vi) + 149, incl. index; full colour frontis, showing regimental colours; monochrome photographs throughout. Near fine condition. This regimental history is very largely in Afrikaans, but the chapter on the "World War II Phase of the History of the Special Service Battalion", by J. N. Blatt, is written in English. £17.50 [268]

206. Otto, J. C.: Die Konsentrasiemakke (Cape Town: Nasionale Pers, 1954) 8vo; original pale blue cloth, lettered in black on spine and upper cover; no dustwrapper; pp. (vii) + 187, incl. index; plates. Cloth slightly rubbed; corners turned; trace of label on spine. Good condition. "Die konsentrasiemakke het daar tot nou toe geen studie wat op wetenskaplike navorsing berus, verskyen nie. ... Daar behoefte aan 'n objektiewe omvattende studie oor die konsentrasiemakke bestaan, is dus duidelik. In hierdie behoefte het skrywer hiervan probeer voorsien." £20.00 [193]

207. Pakenham, Elizabeth: Jameson's Raid (London: Weidenfeld and Nicolson, 1960) 8vo; original dark green boards, lettered in gilt on spine; price-clipped pictorial dustwrapper, housed in removable protector; tinted top edge; pp. 366, incl. index; plates; map. Minor wear to top edge of dustwrapper; a little spotting to edges and endpapers. Very good condition. "An extraordinary episode in our history and the prelude to the Boer War of 1899." £12.50 [142]

208. Peel, Hon. Sidney: Trooper 8008 I Y (London: Edward Arnold, 1901) 8vo; original red cloth, lettered in gilt on spine and in black and gilt to upper cover; pp. xi + (i) + 168; plates; folding map at end. Cloth very worn; significant damp-stain to lower board, affecting final leaves; front endpapers pasted together; upper hinge split; some dye bleed to top fore-corner of initial leaves; some foxing. Fair condition only. (Hackett, p. 175; Mendelssohn II, p. 148) "Experiences of a volunteer in the 40th (Oxfordshire) Co. Imperial Yeomanry. Impressions 1-5 published 1901." - Hackett £30.00 [151]

209. Pemberton, W. Baring: Battles of the Boer War (London, B.T. Batsford, 1964) 8vo; original blue cloth, lettered in gilt on spine; pictorial dustwrapper; tinted top edge; pp. 216, incl. index; plates: maps. Near fine condition. ‘The result is to leave the reader with a radically changed picture of the Boer War.’ £7.50 [300]

210. Perold, P. J.: De Weduwe of Taferelen uit den Engelschen Oorlog 1899-1902 (Amsterdam & Cape Town: H.A.U.M. voorheen Jacques Dusseau & Co., 1903) 8vo; original green cloth, lettered in white to upper cover; pp. 59. Boards slightly rubbed; earlier owner's name signed on front free endpaper; moderate foxing throughout; hinges fragile. Good. Dutch text. (SABIB 3, p. 655) The author, pastor at Warrenton in the northern Cape, wrote these poems during his imprisonment at Tokai, Cape Town. Uncommon: OCLC finds just five repositories holding this item, all in South Africa. £25.00 [12]

211. Pienaar, E. C.: Die Triomf van Afrikaans. Historiese oorsig van die wording, ontwikkeling, skriftelike gebruik en geleidelike erkenning van ons taal (Cape Town: Nasionale Pers, 1943) 8vo; original brown pebbled cloth, lettered in gilt on spine and upper cover; pp. (xiv) + 422. Cloth a bit rubbed and gilt dull; some foxing to edges and endpapers, occasionally elsewhere. Good condition. Afrikaans text. Eduard Christiaan Pienaar (1882-1949) "was one of the founders of the Federasie van Afrikaanse Kultuurverenigings (F.A.K.); a member of the Voortrekker monument committee (the symbolic ox-waggons round the Voortrekker monument in Pretoria were his idea); the chairman of the Hugenot monument committee; a member of the S.A. Akademie vir Wetenskap en Kuns and of the S.A. Taalbond ... He also wrote 'Die triomf van Afrikaans ...' (Cape Town, 1943), a historical review of the development of the Afrikaans movement, in which he himself had played an important part.” - DSAB II, p. 549 £25.00 [225]

212. Pieterse, H. J. C. (Déki): My Tweede Vryheidsstryd. Herinneringe van P. C. Joubert (Cape Town: Nasionale Pers, 1945) Square 8vo; original turquoise cloth, lettered in black on spine and upper cover; pictorial dustwrapper; pp. ix + (iii) + 208; frontis; portrait; photographs in text. Dustwrapper edgeworn and a little sunned, with short tear to top edge of lower panel; penned code to tail of spine; faint pocket scar to front endpaper; slight ripple to top edge of front free endpaper a few prelims. Good condition. Afrikaans text. "Die vàredevolle, eerstehandse inligting oor die laaste jare van die Suid-Afrikaanse Republiek is net betyds opgeteken om vir die nageslag behoue te bly, want oom Pieter Joubert, op wie se herinneringe dit gebaseer is, is ongeveer 'n maand voor die publikasie van die boek ooorlede. Oom Pieter was verskillende male kommandant en moes op een tydstip die plek van waarnemende president Schalk Burger as hoof van die reëring van die Republiek inneem. Hy was lid vir
Ermelo in die Tweede Volskaap en het in dié hoedanigheid die geheime gesamentlike sitting van dié Volskaap bygewoon toe die ultimatum aan Brittanje bespreek is. Sy mededelings in dié verband is 'n belangrike bydrae tot ons kennis van 'n veelbewoë tydspan in ons geskiedenis. Oom Pieter het aan die geheue te Bronkonfortspuit en op Majuba - tydens die Eerste Vryheidsoorlog - en aan baie van die vernaamste veldslae van die Tweede Vryheidsoorlog deelgeneem, en sy geheue was so goed hy selfs allerlei ondergeskikte voorvalletjies tot in die fynste besonderhede kon onthou. Sy mededelings oor die Eerste Vryheidsoorlog is opgeteken in Volksaltare, van dieselfde skrywer." £60.00 [49]

213. Pirow, Oswald: Piet Potlood (Johannesburg: Afrikaanse Pers Boekhandel, 1948) Warm presentation inscription to the front free endpaper, signed: "Aan my vriend Rassie as herinnering aan die Maalgat dae / 12 VII '48 O Pirow". 8vo; original grey cloth, lettered in black on spine and upper cover; pictorial dustwrapper, housed in removable protector; pp. (viii) + 156; maps. Dustwrapper creased and edgeworn, with a little loss to extremities of spine panel; light wear to spine at head and tail; corners slightly bumped; very occasional fingering. Good to very good condition. Afrikaans text. Oswald Pirow (1890-1959), renowned Afrikaner politician and lawyer, was a man of many parts. This, his first book, is an historical novel for boys, set during the Anglo-Boer War. "Piet Potlood, die feitlik veragte seun van Potchefstroom, was 'n baaspioen tydens die Tweede Vryheidsoorlog. Saam met Ben en tant Bella het hy oorkapbare dienste aan die Boere bewys, en die Engelse in Potchefstroom menigte keer uitoorlê. Die kroon word egter gespan deur die opblaas van die Potchefstroomse tronk." £20.00 [91]

214. Ploeger, Jan, assisted by H. J. Botha: The Fortification of Pretoria. Fort Klapperkop - Yesterday and Today (Pretoria: Government Printer, 1968) 295 x 208 mm; side-stitched pictorial wrappers; pp. (vi) + 95; several photographs and facsimile illustrations. Lower cover a little scuffed; trace of foxing. Very good condition. "The history of the four fortresses round Pretoria, of which the restored Fort Klapperkop is one, is intimately interwoven with the political and military past of the South African Republic. ... Fort Wonderboompoort, Fort Schanskop, Fort Klapperkop and Fort Daaspoortrand are the remnants of a fortification plan, which as a result of certain circumstances, was only partially realised. Three of these forts, Fort Wonderboompoort, Fort Schanskop and Fort Daaspoortrand, today still stand in ruins. ... Fort Klapperkop, which was restored and furnished as a military museum by the South African Defence Force ... is one of our most invaluable monuments." £35.00 [262]

215. Pohl, Victor: Adventures of a Boer Family (London: Faber and Faber, 1944) 8vo; original khaki cloth, lettered in gilt on spine; dustwrapper, housed in removable protector; pp. 117. Dustwrapper partially tanned and a little edgeworn; extremities of spine a bit sunned; newspaper clipping relating to the author tipped in on front pastedown; earlier owner's name on front free endpaper; a little foxing to endpapers and edges. Very good condition. "The present book describes the fortunes of the Pohl family during the eventful years of the South African War. Victor Pohl was a boy at the time, living with his parents on their farm in the Free State: his elder brothers were out on commando fighting against the British, and the book is mainly an account of their adventures. From the viewpoint of the Pohl farm we get an interesting picture of the varying fortunes of the war." £20.00 [124]

216. Pohl, Victor: Bushveld Adventures (London: Faber and Faber, 1946) Foreword by Deneys Reitz. Crown 8vo; original grey cloth, with spine lettered in gilt; no dustwrapper; pp. 256; map. Cloth rubbed and mottled; previous owner's name on front pastedown; annotations throughout. Fair to good. (Czech, p. 132, 1st edition) "The author, a violin teacher by profession, relates his adventures in the bush country of South Africa's Transvaal. There are numerous instances of hunting lion, leopard, bushbuck, and buffalo, though the descriptions are rather brief." £7.50 [120]

217. Pottinger, Brian: The Foreign Volunteers. They fought for the Boers (1899-1902) (Johannesburg: Scripta Africana, 1986) Number 503 of an edition limited to 1000 copies, signed by the publisher. 4to; original red cloth, lettered in gilt on spine and upper cover, in slipcase of similar colour; linen marker; pictorial endpapers; top edge gilt; pp. xxxi + (i) + 340, incl. index; plates. Slipcase a bit rubbed; trace of foxing to edges and endpapers. Very good to near fine condition. "Among them was a French nobleman who had once commanded the Foreign Legion, a half dozen of Teddy Roosevelt's Rough Riders, a Russian Prince who brought his own Cossacks, a hero of the Apache wars, a group of Filipinos, a Junker escaping professional disgrace, the brother of Vincent van Gogh, an anarchist, Irish revolutionaries, an Algerian Muslim and a nephew of the Pope. ... This book is in honour of the Foreign Volunteers so that their place in history will not be forgotten." £35.00 [281]

218. Preller, Gustav: Oorlogsoormag en Ander Sketse en Verhale (Cape Town: Nasionale Boekhandel, n.d.) Small 4to (186 x 134 mm); original red boards, lettered in black on spine and upper board; pp. (vi) + 134. Spine sunned; trace of foxing to endpapers. Very good condition. Afrikaans text. Contents: Lettie; Moedersmart; Oorlogsoormag; Oembaswane; Die "Kruger-Miljoene"; Boere op See; Dalmanutha; Dr. Gustav Schoeman Preller; Kultuurhistoriese Agtergrond; Lewenskets. "He devoted most of his time to two periods which were peaks in the history of the Boer nation: the period of the Great Trek and the migrations westward and northward which followed it; and the Second Anglo-Boer War, 1899-1902." - DSAB I, p. 646 £20.00 [121]
219. Preller, Gustav S. (introduction and notes): Scheepers se Dagboek en die Stryd in Kaapland (1 Okt. 1901 - 18 Jan. 1902) (Cape Town: Nasionale Pers, 1940) 8vo; original pale grey cloth blocked in black and green; pp. (vi) + 215; plates. Trace of spotting to cloth; earlier owner's name signed on front free endpaper. Very good condition. Dutch text (Scheepers diary), and Afrikaans notes, with some English in the material forming the appendix. (Nienaber I, p. 303) The diary continues until moments before the death of Gideon Scheepers. £20.00 [162]

220. Preller, Gustav S.: Kaptein Hindon. Oorlogsaventure van 'n Baas Verkenner (Pretoria: J. L. van Schaiik, 1916) 8vo; original blue cloth, lettered in black to spine and upper cover; pp. 265; plates. Backstrip faded and a bit worn to extremities; cloth a little rubbed; earlier owner's name pencilled on front free endpaper; rather foxed throughout; occasional pencilled underlining. Good. Afrikaans text. (Nienaber I, p. 301; SABIB 3, p. 727) Oliver John (Jack) Hindon (1874-1919) who was born in Stirling, Scotland, "joined the British army and at an early age came to South Africa to serve in Zululand. However, severe treatment at the hands of a non-commissioned officer caused him to desert. In 1888 he moved to the Transvaal Republic and settled at Wakkerstroom ... Hindon's adventurous war time career fired the imaginations of many. His fearlessness and ingenuity were almost unequalled, and his identification with the cause of the Afrikaners won him an honourable place among their heroes." - DSAB III, p. 394 £45.00 [223]

221. Preller, Gustav S.: Ons Parool. Dae uit die Dagboek van 'n Krygsgevange (Cape Town: Nasionale Pers, 1938) 1st edition. 8vo; original oatmeal cloth, lettered in green on spine, and blocked in green and brown to upper cover; pp. (vii) + 250; plates. Trace of spotting to cloth; earlier owner's name signed on front free endpaper; light browning; occasional fox spot. Very good condition. Afrikaans text. (Nienaber I, p. 302)

222. Preller, Gustav S.: Ons Parool. Dae uit die Dagboek van 'n Krygsgevange (Cape Town: Nasionale Pers, 1943) 8vo; original oatmeal cloth, lettered in green on spine, and blocked in green and brown to upper cover; pp. (iv) + 172; plates. Corners turned; code penned at tail of spine; label remnants, code and stamp to front endpaper, stamp also to title page; lower hinge starting; light browning; occasional fox spot. Good. Afrikaans text. (Nienaber I, p. 302) £20.00 [42]

223. Preller, Gustav S.: Sketse & Opstelle (Pretoria: J. L. van Schaiik, 1928) 8vo; original pale grey cloth, with lettering and ox-waggon monogram blocked in blue to upper cover, and blue lettering to spine; dustwrapper, housed in removable protector; pp. (ii) + 219; a few illustrations. Dustwrapper partially tanned and a little edgeworn; spine cocked; endpapers browned. Very good condition. Afrikaans text. (Nienaber I, p. 302) The essays included in this anthology have the following themes: Trigardt se Dagboek; Ons Parlementêre Tradisie; Buys en sy Bure; Prins Louis Napoleon; Manne en Motiewe; Veldkornet van As; Die Retief-Dingaan Traktaat. "He devoted most of his time to two periods which were peaks in the history of the Boer nation: the period of the Great Trek and the migrations westward and northward which followed it; and the Second Anglo-Boer War, 1899-1902." - DSAB I, p. 646 £20.20 [122]

224. Preller, Gustav S.: Voortrekkers van Suidwes. Geskiedenis van die land en sy volke met hul oorloë; van die Dorsland-Trek; die Smit-Trek uit Piketberg en die Duitse en Britse veroweringe (Cape Town: Nasionale Pers, 1941) 8vo; original maroon cloth, lettered in gilt on spine, with publisher's gilt device to upper cover; tinted top edge; pp. (xii) + 394, incl. index; plates; large, folding map. Edges very lightly rubbed; gift and ownership inscriptions to front endpaper; occasional light pencilled highlighting and marginalia; edges and endpapers a little foxed. Very good condition. Afrikaans text. (Nienaber I, p. 303) Drawing from primary sources, the doyen of Afrikaner historians provides a thorough history of the various treks that brought his people to the arid regions of Namibia and Angola, also touching on the native tribes and other contemporary travellers in those parts. £45.00 [226]

225. Pretorius, Fransjohan: De la Rey - die Leeu van Wes-Transvaal (Pretoria: Protea Boekhuis, 2007) 212 x 137 mm; laminated pictorial wrappers; pp. 80; maps; photographs; text illustrations. As new. Afrikaans text. 'Die Boeregeneraal Koos de la Rey het 'n ikoon geword: 'n eerbare man, een wat gesonde verstand aan die dag gelê het en nie oor mag beangstig, nie oor mense. Koos de la Rey is as militêre strateeg, mens, gesinsman, volksman en leier die benaming "die Leeu van Wes-Transvaal" waardig.' £15.00 [109]

226. Pretorius, Fransjohan: Kommandowe tydens die Anglo-Boereoorlog 1899-1902 (Cape Town: Human & Rousseau, 1991) 8vo; laminated pictorial boards; pp. 491, incl. index; maps; plates. Faint trace of foxing to endpapers. Very good condition. Afrikaans text. Definitive work on the day-to-day experience of Boer fighters during the war of 1899-1902, written by the leading authority on the republican side of the conflict. £25.00 [65]


"Die bekende historikus Fransjohan Pretorius voorsien met Op kommando in die behoeft aan 'n oorsigstellige beeld van die lewe op kommando tydens die Anglo-Boereoorlog. Dié boek is saamgestel uit Pretorius se radiopraatjes en gebaseer op sy omvangryke en bekroonde Kommandolewe tydens die Anglo-Boereoorlog 1899-1902." £20.00 [110]

229. Priem, G. H., and others:  *De Oorlog, in Zuid-Afrika, bewerk na offisiële telgrammen en particuliere Brieven. Geillustreerd Uitgave van N. J. Boon, Te Amsterdam* (Amsterdam: N. J. Boon, 1900) BOUND WITH:  *De Oranje-Vrijstaat*, by F. A. G. Beeelaerts van Blokland (pp. 30), and  *Uit die Geschiedenis van Zuid-Afrika*, by H. J. Kolstee (pp. 30). 8vo; red cloth, lettered in gilt on spine; pp. 256; profusely illustrated. Full catalogue title taken from Mendelssohn, as the wrappers of this partwork have not been bound in, though the upper cover for the work by Beeelaerts van Blokland appears at the very start of the volume. Cloth a bit rubbed; upper joint starting at head; upper hinge a little fragile; some light foxing. Good condition. Dutch text. (Mendelssohn II, p. 185) "Rather an interesting narrative, part of which has been contributed by other writers. There are several songs (with musical score), poems, and many illustrations which are not to be met with in other works. Amongst the latter is a portrait of Joubert in his tent, with Botha sitting beside him, probably the last photograph of the elder Boer Commander-in-Chief ever executed, as it is observed that it was taken shortly before his death. Another interesting portrait is that of "Hans Cordua," who - according to the inscription - was murdered by the British on a charge of forming a plot against Lord Roberts' life in Pretoria.' - Mendelssohn £40.00 [150]

230. Raal, Sarah (Mev. O. J. Snyman):  *Met die Boere in die veld. Die Ervarings van die Skryfster* (Cape Town: Nasionale Pers, 1937) Squashir 8vo; original pictorial cloth; pp. (vi) + 171; some plates; illustrations. Backstrip very slightly spotted; light browning; upper panel of original dustwrapper loosely inserted. Very good condition. Afrikaans text. (Nienaber I, p. 305) "Some one has said that real patriotism is bred only on the farms and plains of a country, and no better exemplification of the truth of the saying was necessary than that which was afforded by the wives and mothers of the burghers of the two South African Republics."

- Howard C. Hillegas, With the Boer Forces. £25.00 [39]

231. Rabie-van der Merwe, Hendrina:  *Onthou! In die Skaduwee van die Galty (Bloemfontein: Nasionale Pers, 1940) 8vo; original light blue cloth, lettered in darker blue to spine and upper cover; pictorial dustwrapper; pp. 347; frontis. portrait; plates. Dustwrapper a bit browned, with trace of wear to head of spine panel; a little light foxing to endpapers and edges. Very good condition. Afrikaans text. (Nienaber I, p. 306) Anglo-Boer War experiences of a Red Cross nurse, who served in the concentration camps. She relates in her Foreword that she was finally motivated to record her recollections by such events at the Great Trek centenary and the inauguration of the Voortrekker Monument. £25.00 [203]

232. Rae, Colin:  *Malaboch, or Notes from My Diary on the Boer Campaign of 1894 Against the Chief Malaboch of Blaauwberg, District Zoutpansberg, South African Republic* (London: Sampson, Low, Marston and Company / Cape Town: J. C. Juta & Co., 1898) Subtitle continues: To which is appended A Synopsis of the Johannesburg Crisis of 1896. 8vo; original red cloth, lettered in gilt on spine and upper cover, with gilt portrait of the chief to upper cover; pp. xix + (i) + 248; several plates; large, folding map at end. Corners turned; some wear to extremities; backstrip darkened, a little scuffed, and frayed at head and tail; ownership inscriptions to front endpaper; portion cut from front free endpaper; moderate browning throughout; occasional fox spot; archival tape reinforcing to lower hinge. Good condition. (Mendelssohn II, p. 196; Hosken, p. 165) 'The expedition arrived at the base of operations on June 12th, and was under the superintendence of General Joubert, who had with him Commandant Erasmus and Colonel Ferreira. After several engagements and a blockade of Malaboch's mountain, the chief surrendered on July 31st, having with him 1000 natives who kept 2000 white men at bay for a considerable period. Mr. Rae observes that "through the campaign the poor Malabochians were seldom aggressors, their attitude being nothing more or less than a gentle protest against what they considered an unjust encroachment on their ancestral rights." The volume contains a large number of interesting illustrations, a map of the scene of war in Zoutpansberg, and a graphic account of the Jameson Raid.' - Mendelssohn £40.00 [154]

233. Ralph, Julian:  *At Pretoria. The Capture of the Boer Capitals and the Hoisting of the Flag at Pretoria* (London: C. Arthur Pearson, 1901) Crown 8vo; original red cloth, lettered in gilt on spine; publisher's advertisements printed on endpapers; pp. viii + 377 + (vii). Cloth slightly spotted; light browning; upper panel of original dustwrapper loosely inserted. Very good condition. (Hackett, p. 178; Mendelssohn II, p. 197) "A continuation of the former volume [Towards Pretoria], compiled from similar sources, giving sketches of the capture of Bloemfontein and Pretoria, with many interesting features of the war." - Mendelssohn £25.00 [26]

234. Ralph, Julian:  *Towards Pretoria. A Record of the War between Briton and Boer to the Relief of Kimberley* (New York: Frederick A. Stokes Company, 1900) Author's presentation inscription to front free endpaper. Crown 8vo; original red cloth lettered in gilt, with the coats-of-arms of the contending nations on the upper cover; captioned portrait of the
author mounted to front pastedown, and captioned portrait of Rudyard Kipling and the editors of "The Friend" mounted to verso of half-title; pp. viii + (ii) + 328, incl. index; large folding map. Spine sunned, and a little frayed at head and tail; two small perforations to upper joint, and one similar pinhole to lower joint; edges browned; occasional spotting. Good condition. (Hackett, p. 178; Mendelssohn II, p. 197 [Pearson edition]) The historical foreword affords some particulars respecting "The Dutch in South Africa" and the Boer armament and ultimatum, and there are notes on the refugees in Cape Town, and the attitude of the Dutch and British residents. The description of the campaign (which is reproduced from Mr. Ralph's letters to the Daily Mail) includes accounts of the battles of Belmont, Graspan, Modder River, and Magersfontein, the investment of Ladysmith and the siege and relief of Kimberley.' - Mendelssohn. The author's inscription reads: 'Dear Mr. Thom / Please put this in your collection of pom-pom shells, sharpejo and rejoicings that South Africa is at last to know Peace. / Thine Ever / Julian Ralph / London, July 31/01.' £40.00 [27]

235. Ralph, Julian: War's Brighter Side. The Story of The Friend Newspaper Edited by the Correspondents with Lord Roberts's Forces, March-April, 1900 (London: C. Arthur Pearson, 1901) Pearson's Colonial Library printing. Crown 8vo; original red cloth, lettered in gilt on spine; publisher's advertisements printed on endpapers; pp. xv + (i) + 419, incl. index; plates. Cover a little rubbed at extremities; spine sunned, and frayed at head and tail; front free endpaper signed, "James Green, 1st Regt Austr Bushmen"; endpapers and edges rather browned; scattered foxing; hinges tender, binding a little slack and one or two plates working loose, though all present. (Hackett, pp. 46, 178; Mendelssohn II, pp. 197, 198) "An account of The Friend newspaper established under military authority in Bloemfontein soon after British occupation in March 1900. For one month the paper was edited by correspondents with Lord Roberts' force before being turned over to the proprietor of the Johannesburg Star. Among contributors were Rudyard Kipling, A. Conan Doyle and The Times correspondent Perceval Landon." - Hackett: South African War Books. £25.00 [25]

236. Ransford, Oliver: The Battle of Majuba Hill, the First Boer War (London: John Murray, 1967) 8vo; original orange cloth, lettered in gilt on spine; laminated pictorial dustwrapper; tinted top edge; pp. (x) + 150, incl. index; plates; maps. Near fine. "Dr Ransford's research into the personalities of Buller, Warren, Botha and Prinsloo, his familiarity with the country round Spion Kop and his extensive use of Boer records, have enabled him to recreate and analyse the campaign in a remarkably lucid manner without losing any sense of its predominant confusion." £7.50 [299]

237. Ransford, Oliver: The Battle of Spion Kop (London: John Murray, 1969) 8vo; original orange cloth, lettered in gilt on spine; laminated pictorial dustwrapper; tinted top edge; pp. (x) + 150, incl. index; plates; maps. Near fine. "Dr Ransford's research into the personalities of Buller, Warren, Botha and Prinsloo, his familiarity with the country round Spion Kop and his extensive use of Boer records, have enabled him to recreate and analyse the campaign in a remarkably lucid manner without losing any sense of its predominant confusion." £7.50 [299]

238. Reckitt, B. N.: The Lindley Affair. A Diary of the Boer War (Hull: A. Brown & Sons Ltd., 1972) 8vo; original burgundy cloth, lettered in gilt on upper cover; price-clipped pictorial dustwrapper; endpaper maps; pp. ix + (i) + 52, incl. index. Dustwrapper sunned on spine panel. Very good condition. "Amongst its many lessons ... 'The Lindley Affair' traces with a firm but sensitive hand the human problems, individual and political, of the period of which it treats - invaluable material for any who seek to analyse the past for the benefit of the present and the future. Underwriting the authenticity of this diary are the qualifications of the author, son of the diarist, himself a soldier, historian, businessman and public figure." £15.00 [62]

239. Reitz, Deneyes: No Outspan (London: Faber and Faber, 1945) 8vo; original blue cloth, lettered in gilt on spine; dustwrapper; pp. 288, incl. index; plates; two folding maps. Dustwrapper somewhat edgeworn; occasional fox spot; marginal tear to one map, not affecting image area. Very good condition. "We do not think any book has been so successful in giving us the feel of the country, both physical and spiritual; or, most important, in foreshadowing South Africa's course in future years. Although a book of active adventure, No Outspan is at heart the story of a man's love for his country ... " £7.50 [144]

240. Reitz, F. W.: A Century of Wrong (London: "Review of Reviews" Office, [1900]) Preface by W. T. Stead. 8vo; original cream cloth with black lettering to spine and upper cover, and Vierkleur device in colours to upper cover; pp. xxiii + (i) + 152, incl. index. Lower joint starting at tail; corners a little turned, with trace of wear to backstrip at head and tail; cloth rather mottled; upper hinge starting; endpapers browned; earlier owner's name pencilled to title page; sporadic foxing. (Hackett, p. 178; Hosken, p. 167; Mendelssohn II, p. 208) "The case for the Boers could hardly have been placed in more zealous hands than those of the past President of the Orange Free State and Mr. W. T. Stead." - Mendelssohn £20.00 [148]

241. Reitz, F. W.: Oorlogs en Andere Gedichten (Potchefstroom: Unie Lees- en Studie-Bibliotheek, 1911) 8vo; original grey cloth, blocked in black and red; pp. (viii) + 108 + publisher's catalogue. Cloth a bit rubbed and slightly soiled; spine somewhat frayed at head and tail; damp-stain to top edge of leaves; some light foxing; lower hinge starting. Good. Largely Dutch text, with some English poems included. (Nienaber 1, p. 309) 'As South Africa is - in due time - destined to become bilingual, I have ventured to insert in this little book, a few English verses also. Should some of their comments appear to the reader to be unduly severe I would refer him to the "apology"

Dustwrapper very slightly tanned; edges of boards a touch rubbed; small tape mark to front pastedown; trace of foxing to edges and endpapers. Very good condition. Afrikaans text. "Waarom die outobiografie van dié merkwaardige staatsman nie vroër gepubliseer is nie, is moeilik om te sê; dit was immers sy begeerde dat dit gepubliseer sou word. Gelukkig het die manuskrip sedert 1919 behoue gebly. ... F.W. Reitz was egter nie net staatsman nie. Hy was ook digter en vegter vir Afrikaans. Daarom word 'n faksimileeweergawe van sy bloemlewing 'Twee en sesig uitgesogte Afrikaanse gedigte' hierin opgeneem." £20.00 [255]


244. Reitz, Joubert: Beproewing. ’n Historiese-Romanties Verhaal (Potchefstroom: A. H. Koomans, 1918) Author's signed presentation inscription to title page: "Met complimente van die skywer Joubert Reitz." 8vo; original charcoal cloth over limp boards; lettered in gilt to spine and upper cover; pp. 150. Longitudinal crease to upper board; top fore-edges gnawed; earlier owner's name signed on front free endpaper; very browned; upper hinge starting. Fair condition. Afrikaans text. (Nienaber I, p. 310) Joubert Reitz (1881-1919) "author and poet, was the second son of Francis William Reitz, one-time President of the Orange Free State, and his first wife, Blanka Theron. Reitz was an elder brother of Col. Deneyes Reitz. ... Reitz's significance lies in the cultural-historical field for his contribution to the early literary works in Afrikaans at the beginning of this century. ... Three of his novels were published: Die dolsogooier (1916), one of the first in Afrikaans, which ran to three editions, Beproewing (1918) and Wraak (1927)." - DSAB IV, pp. 494-5 £20.00 [92]

245. Roberts, Brian: Those Bloody Women. Three Heroines of the Boer War (London: John Murray, 1991) 8vo; original black boards, lettered in silver gilt on spine; laminated pictorial dustwrapper; pp. x + (ii) + 292, incl. index; plates; map. Dustwrapper's spine panel very slightly sunned. Near fine condition. "Brian Roberts's brilliant new study of the Boer War uncovers much that has been shrouded in secrecy and reveals the true nature of exceptional women and extraordinary conflict in England and South Africa." £7.50 [307]

246. Romer, C. F., and A. E. Mainwaring: The Second Battalion Royal Dublin Fusiliers in the South African War, with a Description of the Operations in the Aden Hinterland (London: A. L. Humphreys, 1908) Demy 8vo; original green cloth, lettered in gilt on spine and upper cover, and with regimental device to upper cover; e.g.; pp. xiv + 271; several plates; illustrations in text. Cover very lightly rubbed; ownership inscription to front free endpaper; some light foxing to endpapers, and occasionally elsewhere. Very good condition. (Hackett, p. 180; Mendelssohn II, p. 245) ' "A plain soldier's narrative of the part taken by the 2nd Battalion Royal Dublin Fusiliers" in the Natal campaign, together with an account of its "grim fights on the hills which fringe the borders of the River Tugela, its long and weary marches across the rolling uplands of the Transvaal, and its subsequent monotonous life of constant vigil in fort and blockhouse, and on escort duty." - Mendelssohn, quoting the preface. £150.00 [238]

247. Rompel, Frederik: Siegen oder Sterben. Die helden des Burenkriegs. Bilder und Skizzen nach eigenen Erlebnissen (The Hague & Pretoria: Uitgevers Maatschappij "Nederland" / Stuttgart: Anton Hoffmann, n.d.) 8vo; cloth-backed pictorial limp boards; lettered in black on spine; pp. 192; liberally illustrated with photographs of localities and personalities; folding end-map. Boards very rubbed; rather foxed, especially to endpapers; some leaves torn out and re-inserted elsewhere, though one leaf (pp. 157-8) missing completely. Fair condition. German text. A volume reflecting the continental preoccupation with the Boer cause. £12.50 [145]

248. Rompel, Frederik, and J. D. Kestell: Im kampf um Süd-Africa: Präsident Steijn und die Freistaater im
249. Rosenthal, Eric: Heinrich Egersdörfer. An Old-time Sketch Book / 'n Outydse Sketsboek (Cape Town: Nasionale Boekhandel, 1960) Small 4to; pictorial papered boards; pp. 22 + (88); line drawings. Boards slightly rubbed and sunned; endpapers somewhat foxed. Good to very good condition. A portfolio of Egersdörfer's often humorous sketches, with captions and an introduction to his epic and heroic struggle against the might of British imperialism. £50.00 [111]

250. Ross, P. T.: A Yeoman's Letters, by P. T. Ross (Late Corporal 69th Sussex Company I.Y.) (London: Simpkin, Marshall, Hamilton, Kent & Co., 1901) 8vo; original pictorial cream cloth, lettered in gilt on spine and in black on upper cover; pp. 186; frontis. portrait; humorous illustrations. Cloth slightly discoloured and rubbed; backstrip a little snagged at head; edges, endpapers and outermost leaves rather foxed, some fox spots elsewhere. Good. (Mendelssohn II, p. 253; Hackett, p. 181) 'A humorous description of camp life in the Sussex Yeomanry "on trek" with Generals Roberts and Clemence during a portion of the South African War. The illustrations are very comical, and depict in a graphic manner the author's experiences in the Veld. The series of letters embrace the period from June 1900 to April 1901.' - Mendelssohn £30.00 [227]

251. Rothmann, Frederik L. (author), and M.E.R. [Maria Elizabeth Rothmann] (annotations): Oorlogsdagboek van 'n Transvaalse Burger te Velde 1900-1901. Met Inleiding en Aantekeninge uitgee deur M.E.R. (Cape Town: Nasionale Pers, 1947) Squarish 8vo; original tan cloth, lettered in black on spine and upper cover; pp. (vi) + 265; frontis. portrait; map. Spine sunned; cloth a little mottled; trace of foxing to endpapers, occasional fox spot elsewhere. Very good condition. Afrikaans text. The author, Fritz Rothmann, was the brother of the author M.E.R., Maria Elizabeth Rothmann, who provides an introduction and notes. Fritz Rothmann was working on a Witwatersrand mine when war broke out. His diary concerns experiences on commando in the Lowveld, where he later farmed. "At the start of the Second Anglo-Boer War in October 1899, Fritz joined the commando and the diary he kept at that time was subsequently published by M.E.R. under the title Oorlogsdagboek (1947), with an important cultural-historical introduction to the Afrikaner's way of life in the 19th century." - DSAB V, pp. 661-2 £40.00 [38]


253. Sandys, Celia: Churchill Wanted Dead or Alive (London: HarperCollins, 1999) 8vo; original red boards, lettered in gilt on spine; laminated pictorial dustwrapper; pp. xxxi + (i) + 233, incl. index; plates; facsimiles; maps and battle plans. Trace of spotting to top edge. Near fine condition. "Churchill Wanted Dead or Alive is both a thrilling adventure story and a unique insight into the life of a young man who went on to become one of his country's greatest leaders." £10.00 [347]

254. Schiel, Adolf: 23 Jahre Sturm und Sonnenschein in Südafrika (Leipzig: Brockhaus, 1902) 8vo; original pictorial khaki cloth, lettered in black to spine and upper cover; marbled edges; silk marker; pp. 592, incl. index; plates; facsimiles; maps and battle plans. "Boerejode - Jews in the Boer Armed Forces, 1899-1902 is the first-ever book-length study of those Jews who ... fought alongside the Boer Republics in their epic and heroic struggle against the might of British imperialism." £15.00 [228]

255. Schiele, Wolfgang: Mit den Deutschen im Buren-Kriege (Berlin: Dietrich Reimer, 1901) Small 4to; original pictorial dustwrapper; pp. vi + (i) + 242, incl. index; two maps, incl. one large, folding in pocket at rear; battle plans. Cover partially sunned, with damp stain to portion of upper board; trace of cloth dye bleed to bottom of endpapers; pencilled
marginalia and annotations to front endpaper; earlier owner's name signed on front endpaper; pages somewhat browned; occasional fox spot. Good. (Mendelsohn II, p. 275) The foreword explains that Schiele had lived among the Boers, and fought alongside them, having experienced good times and bad. He was thus a fully qualified observer. £40.00 [229]

256. Schikkerling, R. W.: Hoe ry die Boere ('n Kommando-dagboek) (Johannesburg: Afrikaanse Pers-Boekhandel, 1964) 8vo; original pale blue boards, lettered in black on spine and upper cover; pictorial dustwrapper; pp. (xv) + 402. Dustwrapper very slightly rubbed; small tape marks to spine and pastedowns; regular browning. Very good condition. Afrikaans text. "Die skrywer verstaan die kuns om die leser saam met hom op die slagveld te neem ... Die ontsnapping uit die Britse omsingeling by Komatipoort en die daaropvolgende trek deur die uitgestrekte dorsland wat vandag as die Kruger-Wildtuin bekend staan, word 'n epos van moed en uithouvermoë. Die ngtelike aanval op die kamp van die Queenslind Mounted Cavalry is 'n meesterlike voorbeeld van krystaktiek en tipies van die kommando's se durf en onverskrokkenheid. Die skrywer se sprankelende humorins raak nooit uitgeput nie, maar terselfdertyd verstaan hy die kuns om die tragiese oomblikke, veral die verlorenheid van die Boere teen die einde, aangrypend en soms onvergeetlik uit te beeld." £30.00 [233]

257. Schikkerling, Roland William: Commando Courageous (A Boer's Diary) (Johannesburg: Hugh Keartland, 1964) 8vo; original pale grey boards, lettered in metallic red to spine; pictorial dustwrapper; pp. (x) + 396; frontis. portrait. Dustwrapper spine panel a little tanned. Very good condition. "Quite apart from the masterful display of sheer courage and endurance R. W. SCHIKKERLING tells his story of privations and tragic occurrences with an inexhaustible sense of humour and with a pen at once scholarly and poetic. Written some fifty years ago this soldier's story is as fresh and exhilarating as if the reader were on the field of battle to share the day's fortunes of war." £25.00 [343]

258. Schoeman, Johan: Generaal Hendrik Schoeman - was hy 'n verraaiër? (Pretoria: The author, 1950) 8vo; original beige cloth, lettered in black on spine and upper cover; no dustwrapper; pp. 267; plates. Very slightly frayed to extremities; bottom edges a little bumped; earlier owner's ink stamp and codes to front endpaper; a little foxing to edges. Good condition. Afrikaans text. "It appears that he was not guilty of treason, but there is still controversy about his behaviour after he left Bloemfontein. The verdict on this phase of his career depends basically on whether Boer resistance after the fall of Pretoria was futile or not. A biography, published by his son in 1950, includes numerous documents bearing on his career, and is an outspoken attempt to vindicate his behaviour in the last controversial phase of his life." - DSAB II, p. 634 £30.00 [216]

259. Schoeman, Karel: Only An Anguish To Live Here. Olive Schreiner and the Anglo-Boer War 1899-1902 (Cape Town: Human & Rousseau, 1992) 8vo; original brown boards; laminated pictorial dustwrapper; pictorial endpapers; pp. 239 (including index); numerous black-and-white photographs. Fine condition. "In this book based on Schreiner's largely unpublished letters and other contemporary sources, Karel Schoeman recreates her life during the war, and interprets her spirited defence of the Boers as a stage in her developing sense of social justice which within the next ten years was to make her an eloquent champion of the black population and of women's rights." £15.00 [348]

260. Scholtmeijer, Herman: Die Balling Oor die See (Uit die Dagboek van 'n Krygsgevangene) (Bloemfontein: Nasionale Pers, 1949) 8vo; cloth-backed papered boards; pictorial dustwrapper; pp. 88. Dustwrapper somewhat edgeworn and rubbed, with penned code to tail of spine panel; a little browning to edges; ink stamp to front free endpaper erased, though still just discernible. Good condition. Afrikaans text. Uncommon. Herman Scholtmeijer provides these day-to-day experiences of his father, a Dutch civilian who experienced life as a prisoner-of-war on St Helena. "Sy eerste standplaas was te Wilgeboomspruit, in die distrik Marico. Lank het hy nie gebly nie, want om verskeie redes wou hy daar weg. Hy het aan die Departement van Onderwys geskryf en verlof ontvang om na elders te oop. As 'n banneling na St. Helena gestuur is. Met die uitbreek van die oorlog was hy my vader nog Hollandse onderdaan en, omdat hy uitgekom het as onderwyser en as onderwyser die land wou dien, het hy nie die wapen opgeneem nie." £45.00 [7]

261. Scholtz, G. D.: Die Rebellie 1914-15 (Johannesburg: Voortrekkerpers, 1942) Squarish 8vo; original red cloth, lettered in black on spine and upper cover; pp. 312, incl. index. Ex-library copy, with code to tail of spine, also elsewhere; label or pocket scar to front pastedown, stamps and codes elsewhere; joints and extremities rather rubbed; occasional fox spot. Fair condition. Uncommon: OCLC finds only the British Library copy. "Toe ek 'n rukkie gelede die lewe van Genl. Beyers beskryf het, het die tydperk van die Rebellie te skryf." £35.00 [103]
262. Scholtz, G. D.: *Die Tweede Vryheidsoorlog* (Johannesburg: Voortrekkerpers, 1960) 8vo; original orange boards, lettered in black on spine and upper cover; no dustwrapper; pp. 150; several maps and illustrations. Spine a bit sunned. Very good condition. Afrikaans text. An excellent introduction to the subject. "Ek het in hierdie werk slegs daarna gestreef om oorsigstelik te wees, om die vernaamste gebeurtenisse en feite te vermeld en op die redes in te gaan wat aan die oorlog ’n bepaalde verloop gegee het." £15.00 [115]

263. Scholtz, G. D.: *Europa en die Tweede Vryheidsoorlog 1899-1902* (Pretoria: Voortrekkerpers, 1939) 8vo; pale grey cloth, lettered in black to spine and upper cover; dustwrapper, housed in removable protector; pp. 224; portraits. Dustwrapper sunned and torn, with a little loss; earlier owner's name signed on front free endpaper; endpapers and edges. Very good condition, in a good dustwrapper. Afrikaans text. (Nienaber I, p. 329) "Dit was eers gedurende my verblyf in Europa dat ek besef het welke geweldige indruk die worstelstryd van die Afrikaanse volk uit die jare 1899-1902 op die buitewêreld gemaak het. Ek het toe van die kans gebruik gemaak om die stof vir hierdie werk te versamel. Sedert my terugkeer in Suid-Afrika het dit my ook weer getref dat die meeste Afrikaners feitlik niks van die reaksies van die buitewêreld op die Tweede Vryheidsoorlog weet nie." £15.00 [158]


265. Seiner, Franken: *Ernste und heitere Erinnerungen eines deutschen Burenkämpfers* (Munich: C. H. Beck, 1902) Two 8vo volumes; original coarse yellow cloth, ornamented lettered in green and red, with pictorial onlay to blind-stamped panel of upper board in each case; pp. viii + 237 + (v), (viii) + 325 + (i); tinted edges; maps, incl. folding. Covers somewhat rubbed and a little soiled; ownership inscription to front free endpaper of first volume and to fly-leaf of second; front free endpaper and pastedown of second volume pasted together; rather foxed throughout; occasional penned annotations; upper hinge of second volume starting, with old tape mark. Good. German text. (Mendelsohn II, p. 297; Rainbacher II, p. 88) "Gay and Grave Reminiscences of a German soldier in the Boer War. Accounts of the campaigns at the Modder River, the retreat of the Boers in the Free State, Battles at Pretoria and on the Delagoa Bay Railway, the capture of the author and his return home, &c. &c." - Mendelsohn £100.00 [119]

266. Selby, John: *The Boer War, A Study in Cowardice and Courage* (London: Arthur Barker, 1969) 8vo; original charcoal boards, lettered in gilt on spine; tinted top edge; laminated pictorial dustwrapper; pp. 237, incl. index; plates; maps; battle plans. Dustwrapper very slightly edgedown; light bump to top fore-corners. Very good condition. "It is kinder ... to label it not a white flag war which suggests cowardice, but a gentlemen's war indicating the chivalry and gallantry which were just as often displayed." £7.50 [295]

267. Sellers, W. E.: *From Aldershot to Pretoria. A Story of Christian Work among our Troops in South Africa* (London, The Religious Tract Society, no date [preface 1901]) 6th impression. 8vo; original pictorial green cloth with gilt titles; pp. (ii) + 224; monochrome plates. Cloth somewhat rubbed, and a little frayed at extremities of spine; gift bookplate to front pastedown; endpapers and edges browned; occasional light foxing; binding slack; archival tape reinforcing to hinges. Fair to good condition. (Hackett, p. 182) "If ... [this book] has the result of deepening the sympathy of all true lovers of their country for our soldiers and sailors, and in increasing the interest they take in the good work done on their behalf, and if at the same time it brings cheer and encouragement to the men in the Army and Royal Navy who are trying to live manly, Christian lives, the author of the book and the great Society on whose behalf it has been written will be amply rewarded." £12.50 [43]

268. Sibbald, Raymond: *The War Correspondents: The Boer War* (Johannesburg: Jonathan Ball, 1993) Large 8vo; original black boards, lettered in gilt on spine; laminated pictorial dustwrapper; pp. (x) + 244, incl. index; illustrations after contemporary photographs, artwork and maps. Light bump to bottom fore-corner of upper board. Near fine condition. "This collection of reports sent back to Britain by newspaper correspondents in the field reflects the tensions felt during the progress of the war, including the uneasy match between patriotism and a critical appreciation of events on the battlefield. The individualism of the Victorian reporters shines through, despite the haphazard attempts of the State to manage the news, presenting, along with over fifty contemporary photographs, a fresh, first-hand perspective on a campaign which heralded the advent of twentieth-century warfare." £15.00 [331]

269. Sleigh, Dan: *Ruiters teen die Ryk. Die verhaal van die Tweede Vryheidsoorlog* (Cape Town: NASOU, 1979) 8vo; original pictorial boards; pp. (viii) + 56; photographs; maps. Boards rubbed; some foxing. Good condition. Afrikaans text. An introduction to the Anglo-Boer War for a young readership. £7.50 [93]

270. Slocum, S. L.H., and Carl Reichmann: *Boer War Operations in South Africa 1899-1901. Extracts from the Reports of Captain S L’H Slocum and Captain Carl Reichmann. A facsimile reproduction with new foreword and rare historical pictures* (Johannesburg: Scripta Africana, 1987) Number 503 of an edition limited to 1000 copies, signed by the publisher. 4to; original red cloth, lettered in gilt on spine and upper cover, in slipcase of similar colour; linen marker; pictorial endpapers; top edge
gilt; pp. (xxiv) + 325; photographs; maps and battle plans; tables. Slipcase partially sunned and very slightly rubbed; trace of foxing to edges. Near fine condition. The original publication is listed in SABIB 4, p. 583, and in Hackett, p. 148. "The ninth volume of the Scripta Africana series ... contains the intelligence reports on the Second Anglo-Boer War of two American military attaches - one travelled with the Boer forces and the other with the British. The war is, therefore, seen from both sides by highly trained observers. ... The two authors were Captain S L'H Slocum of the Eighth Cavalry, who accompanied the British troops, and Captain Carl Reichmann of the Seventh Infantry, who went with the Boers because he could speak Dutch." £35.00 [280]

271. Smail, J. L.: Monuments and Battlefields of the Transvaal War 1881 and the S. A. War 1899 (Cape Town: Howard Timmins, 1966) Number 461 of an edition limited to 1500 copies. Large 4to; dark blue rexine, lettered in gilt on upper cover; pictorial dustwrapper; unpaginated; forty-two annotated full-page or double-page, folding maps; monochrome illustrations. Dustwrapper very slightly rubbed; occasional fox spot. Very good condition. The book's key feature is the excellent maps of engagements from the two wars between Boer republics and the British Empire. "The illustrations and material are the result of years of research and will throw new light on the two wars so aptly described." £25.00 [273]

272. Smail, J. L.: Monuments and Trails of the Voortrekkers (Cape Town: Howard Timmins, 1968) Number 347 of an edition limited to 1500 copies. Large 4to; dark blue rexine, lettered in gilt on upper cover; pictorial dustwrapper; unpaginated; twenty-seven annotated full-page or double-page, folding maps, with numerous supplementary illustrations, plus smaller route maps. Dustwrapper very slightly rubbed; occasional fox spot. Very good condition. The book's key feature is the excellent maps relating to the movements and engagements of the Voortrekkers. "Clear maps, diagrams, and delightful sketches enable the reader to follow the epic adventures of the various trek groups, and gain a clear picture of the way in which the trail of civilisation was blazed in South Africa's northern provinces." £25.00 [272]


274. Smith, J. A.: Ek Rebelleer (Cape Town: Nasionale Pers, 1946) Signed by the author on the title page. Small, squarish 8vo; original tan cloth blocked in black and orange; dustwrapper; pp. (viii) + 183; plates; plans. Dustwrapper edgeworn, with loss to spine panel; occasional fox spot. Very good condition. Afrikaans text. "Almal wat belangstel in die Donker Tydperk, 1899-1902, soos die veelbewoë tydstip in ons volksgeskiedenis tereg genoem word, sal in hierdie boek 'n duidelike en treffende verhaal vind vinds soos deur die skrywer persoonlik deurleef. Die justheid van die verhaal het my deurmaars getref, wat 'n bewys is van die skrywer se eerlikhede om dinge nie te vergroot nie. J. A. Smith was, sover ek my kan herinner, die jongste burger in my kommando en hy het, hoewel in die begin onbekend onder ons, my besonder aandag getrek en bewondering erlang. As ek in daardie dae iets presteer het, dan was dit te danke aan my T.V.K.-bende wat bestaan het uit manne soos Johannes Smith, die jong rebelle. Ek is bewus van my swakke aanbeveling, maar is seker dat niemand wat die boek lees, teleurgestel sal wees nie." - Wynand Malan (Generaal) £30.00 [79]

275. Smith, J. A.: Ek Rebelleer (Cape Town: Nasionale Pers, 1946) Small, squarish 8vo; original tan cloth blocked in black and orange; pp. (viii) + 183; plates; plans. Extremities very slightly rubbed; small scar from removal of label on front free endpaper; a little light foxing. Very good. Afrikaans text. £25.00 [114]


277. Smith-Dorrien, General Sir Horace: Memories of Forty-Eight Years' Service (London: John Murray, 1925) 8vo; original black cloth, lettered in gilt on spine; price-clipped laminated pictorial dustwrapper; pp. xvi + 522, incl. index; publisher's adverts.; plates; battle plans and maps, incl. folding. Spine gilt a little dull; some wear to extremities, incl. backstrip; joints starting; contemporary gift inscription to front free endpaper, and another pencilled inscription to pastedown; short tear to margin of large, folding map, repaired with archival tape; foxing to edges and endpapers, occasionally elsewhere. Good condition. "He was of medium height and spare build, and his blunt directness was marred at times by a fiery temper. He was essentially a soldier's general, not given to ostentation, and he had the gift of being able to infuse a fighting spirit into his men, who respected him for his stubborn strength and tenacity of purpose." - DSAB III, p. 744 £85.00 [251]

278. [Smuts, J. C., compiler]: Eene Eeuw van Onrech (Een Eeuw van Onrech) (no place: no publisher noted, 1899) 343 x 214 mm; later blue half calf, with matching cloth sides, lettered in gilt to upper cover; not enclosing original wrappers; pp. 49. Boards slightly rubbed; earlier owner's name signed on first text page; very occasional fox spot. Very good condition. (SABIB 2, p. 166) SABIB supplies the following details: 'Contains Appendices A and B. Original edition. Compiled by Genl. J.C. Smuts from a draft by J. de V. Roos with the addition of the introductory and end chapters by Genl. Smuts. In later editions the name of F. W. Reitz, State Secretary of the South African
279. Smuts, J. C.: *Holism and Evolution* (London: Macmillan, 1926) First edition. 8vo; original charcoal cloth, lettered in gilt on spine; pp. ix + (i) + 361, incl. index. Cloth very slightly rubbed; light wear to backstrip at head and tail; earlier owner's hand-stamp and penned name to front free endpaper; contemporary gift inscription to title page; edges a little browned; occasional light foxing and discreet, pencilled annotations. Good to very good condition. First edition of the author's philosophical testament. "The gist of the treatise is the presupposition of Wholeness (Holism) as a fundamental factor in the universe, operative towards the creation and self-perfection of Wholes in an evolutionary process. It is maintained that matter, life and mind are not disparate phenomena but manifestations of the cardinal principle of Wholeness in a successive order extending from inorganic beginnings to the highest levels of spiritual activity, that is, 'holistically' bound to give rise to each other in a definite series in the stages of Evolution." - DSAB I, p. 755 £35.00 [22]

280. Smuts, J. C.: *Jan Christian Smuts* (Cape Town: Heinemann & Cassell, 1952) 8vo; original black cloth, lettered in gilt on spine; dustwrapper; pp. xvi + 568, incl. index. Cloth very slightly rubbed; light wear to backstrip at head and tail; earlier owner's hand-stamp and penned name to front free endpaper; contemporary gift inscription to title page; edges a little browned; occasional light foxing and discreet, pencilled annotations. Good to very good condition. First edition of the author's philosophical testament. "The gist of the treatise is the presupposition of Wholeness (Holism) as a fundamental factor in the universe, operative towards the creation and self-perfection of Wholes in an evolutionary process. It is maintained that matter, life and mind are not disparate phenomena but manifestations of the cardinal principle of Wholeness in a successive order extending from inorganic beginnings to the highest levels of spiritual activity, that is, 'holistically' bound to give rise to each other in a definite series in the stages of Evolution." - DSAB I, p. 755 £35.00 [22]

281. Smuts, Jan: *Memoirs of the Boer War* (Johannesburg: Jonathan Ball, 1994) Edited by Gail Nattrass and S.B. Spies. 8vo; original brown boards; laminated pictorial dustwrapper; endpaper facsimile; pp. 242, incl. index; several maps; monochrome illustrations. Near fine condition. "It was the South African War of 1899-1902 (Anglo-Boer War) that first fully revealed the versatility and leadership qualities of Jan Smuts, who came to play such an important role in South African and world affairs. His Memoirs of the Boer War are a lucid, humorous and compassionate account of critical events from the fall of Pretoria to the reorganisation of the commandos in the December of that year; they are also a commentary on much that was important to him. The Memoirs are fully illustrated with photographs and maps and are amplified by the addition of an introduction, notes, biographical sketches, chronology and bibliography." £25.00 [332]

282. Spies, S. B.: *Methods of Barbarism? Roberts and Kitchener and Civilians in the Boer Republics, January 1900 - May 1902* (Cape Town: Human & Rousseau, 1977) 8vo; original charcoal-coloured boards, lettered in white on spine; pictorial dustwrapper; pp. 416, incl. index; monochrome photographic plates. Trace of edgewear to slightly rubbed dustwrapper; light foxing to front free endpaper. Very good condition. "On 14 June 1901, at a dinner party given by the National Reform Union, the leader of the Liberal opposition party in Britain, Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman, answered his own conundrum: 'When is a war not a war?'. by stating: 'When it is carried on by methods of barbarism in South Africa.' The phrase 'methods of barbarism' referred specifically to the devastation of the country and the concentration camp system during the Anglo Boer War. Although these two aspects of British military policy affecting non-combatants received the greatest attention from contemporaries, comparatively few detailed documented historical studies have been published on this subject. This gap has been filled by Methods of Barbarism?" £35.00 [346]

283. St Leger, (Capt.) Stratford: *Mounted Infantry at War* (Alberton: Galago Publishing, 1986) 8vo; original grey-green boards, lettered in white on spine; laminated pictorial dustwrapper. pp. (ii) + ix + (iii) + 274; frontispiece; line illustrations in the text; colour and other plates. Dustwrapper spine panel somewhat sunned. Near fine. 'More importantly, however, was his artistic talent which he put to good use in the production of many paintings during the march and the prints of which, in both colour and black and white, illustrate this most beautiful classic of the Boer War.' £12.50 [174]

284. Statham, F. Reginald: *Paul Kruger and His Times* (London: T. Fisher Unwin, 1898) 8vo; original green cloth, lettered in gilt on spine, with gilt Kruger portrait medallion to upper cover; pp. (viii) + 312; frontis. portrait; folding colour map. Tail of spine and bottom fore-corners slightly bumped; hinges a little tender; contemporary gift inscription, with date, to half-title; moderate foxing throughout. Good to very good condition. (Mendelssohn II, p. 424; Hosken, p. 190) A largely favourable account of Kruger's life, up to the time directly preceding the Anglo-Boer War. £20.00 [188]

285. Statham, F. Reginald: *Paul Kruger and His Times* (London: T. Fisher Unwin, 1898) 8vo; original green cloth, lettered in gilt on spine, with gilt Kruger portrait medallion to upper cover; pp. (viii) + 312; frontis. portrait; folding colour map. Boards very slightly rubbed; corners turned; fly-leaf removed; hinges starting; moderate foxing. Good condition. (Mendelssohn II, p. 424; Hosken, p. 190) £15.00 [76]

286. Steevens, G. W.: *From Capetown to Ladysmith. An Unfinished Record of the South African War* (Edinburgh: William Blackwood and Sons, 1900) Crown 8vo; original mustard-coloured cloth, lettered in black on upper cover, and in gilt on spine; pp. viii + (ii) + 180 + 32; 2 maps, incl. 1 folding. Earlier owner's name signed on front free endpaper; moderate foxing; archival tape repair to margin of folding map, outside of image area. Very good condition. (Hackett, p. 188; Mendelssohn II, pp. 432-433) "The author was besieged in Ladysmith and gives a vivid account of the investment. The last chapter of the volume was contributed by Mr. Vernon Blackburn, and contains some account of the death and funeral of Mr. Steevens, with some appreciative notes on his character, abilities and work." - Mendelssohn. £7.50 [29]
287. Stopford Green, Alice: *History of the Irish State to 1014* (London: Macmillan, 1925) 8vo; original green cloth, lettered in gilt on spine; dustwrapper; pp. xi + (i) + 437, incl. index; maps. Dustwrapper tanned and rather edgeworn, with scuff to lower panel; earlier owner's bookplate to front pastedown. Very good condition, in a modest dustwrapper. Besides her fame as an Irish historian and nationalist, Alice Stopford Green was among those who sympathised with the Boer cause and strove to relieve the plight of Boer civilians in the concentration camps. £7.50 [88]

288. Stopford Green, Alice: *Irish Nationality* (London: Williams and Norgate, no date) 12mo; original pale brown cloth, lettered in gilt on spine; tinted top edge; pp. 256 + publisher's catalogue. Cloth partially sunned and marked; earlier owner's name pencilled to front free endpaper; archival tape reinforcing to hinges; endpapers browned; occasional fox spot. Good reading copy. Alice Stopford Green was among those who sympathised with the Boer cause and strove to relieve the plight of Boer civilians in the concentration camps. £7.50 [35]

289. Strydom, C. J. Scheepers: *Held van Colenso, Die verhaal van genl. Louis Botha* (Cape Town: Tafelberg, 1972) 8vo; original black boards, lettered in white on spine; pictorial dustwrapper; pp. (vi) + 95; plates. Dustwrapper slightly sunned to spine panel, with trace of foxing; very light foxing to endpapers. Very good condition. Afrikaans text. "Louis Botha - sekerlik een van die mees omstrede figure in ons land se geskiedenis. … Dit is die verhaal van ’n man wat hom beter in Zooloe kon uitdruk as in Engeland, maar wat in die hoogste diplomatieke kringe in Engeland respek afgedwing het." £10.00 [108]

290. Strydom, C. J. Scheepers: *Kaapland en die Tweede Vryheidsoorlog* (Cape Town: Nasionale Pers, 1937) Square 8vo; original khaki cloth, with green and brown lettering; dustwrapper, housed in removable protector; pp. (ii) + ii + (ii) + 285, incl. index; folding maps. Dustwrapper tanned and edgeworn; page edges a little browned throughout. Very good condition. Afrikaans text. (Nienaber I, p. 354) This work on the Cape colony's involvement in the Anglo-Boer War, on both sides of the conflict, is based on the author's 1932 doctoral thesis. £20.00 [157]

291. Suter, F. A.: *Under dem Schweizerischen Roten Kreuz im Burenkriege* (Leipzig: Heinrich Schmidt & Carl Günther, 1901) 8vo; purple half calf with marbled sides; decorative endpapers; pp. xii + 342; frontis. portrait; plates; illustrations in text; folding map. Cover a little rubbed; accession code label to front free endpaper verso; earlier owner's name, and penned date '1914' in small, neat hand to fly-leaf; occasional fox spot. Very good condition. German text. (Spohr & Poller 2975; Mendelssohn II, p. 453) "Under the Swiss Red Cross in the Boer War. By 1st Lieutenant Dr. F. A. Suter, Field Doctor of the Swiss Field Battery, No. 29, formerly Field Doctor with General De La Rey … and General Christian Botha." - Mendelssohn £75.00 [206]

292. Symons, Julian: *Buller's Campaign* (London: The Cresset Press, 1963) 8vo; original boards, lettered in gilt on spine; price-clipped pictorial dustwrapper; pp. xvi + 312, incl. index; black-and-white plates. Dustwrapper slightly rubbed. Very good condition. £5.00 [293]

293. Tempelhof, W. G.: *With the Boers Round Kimberley. Being a Personal Narrative of Scenes and Occurrences during the Siege of Kimberley, 1899-1900* (Kimberley: Diamond Fields Advertiser, [1902]) 8vo; later brown leatherette-backed red cloth, lettered in gilt on upper cover, enclosing original wrappers; pp. 17. Attractive binding; original wrappers worn, soiled and a bit torn, with old tape marks; earlier owner's name signed on upper wrapper and half-title; browned throughout; some archival tape repairs to wrappers. Very good externally; good internally. (Hackett, p. 190; Mendelssohn II, p. 466) 'Dr. Tempelhof, a Prussian, was commandeered by the Transvaal authorities at Wolmaranstad in the early days of the struggle. He asserts that he refused to do military duty but agreed to act as a medical man, provided that his son, who was serving in the Transvaal army, should be exempted from further service and allowed to return to the Doctor's farm. … Some details are given of the battle of Magersfontein, at which the writer was ordered to attend the wounded, being afterwards appointed to the 'Intermediate Station' (Waterworks), near Kimberley. … There is an account of the effect produced on the Boers by the big gun made by Mr. Labram at the De Beers Company's works and called 'Long Cecil,' of the expected advent of which they had received previous notice.' - Mendelssohn £50.00 [198]

294. Tilemann, Hero: *Tagebuchblätter eines deutschen Arztes aus dem Burenkriege* (Munich: Beck, 1910) 8vo; original coarse khaki cloth over bevelled boards, with gilt lettering in red block to spine and upper cover; pp. xii + 534; frontis. portrait, another plate, and folding map. Some wear to extremities of lightly soiled cloth; earlier owner's name signed on title page; sporadic foxing; one small marginal annotation noted; archival tape repair to short tear on map. Good. German text. (Spohr & Poller 2929) "Press and public sympathy in Europe had been steadily growing for the Boers since the Jameson Raid, particularly after the outbreak of the Anglo-Boer War. … Funds were launched to relieve the Boer plight and ambulance teams were assembled and equipped, especially in the Netherlands, Germany and Russia, and sent to the South African front." - Fransjohan Pretorius: *The Anglo-Boer War 1899-1902*, p. 86 £40.00 [202]

295. Tipping, H. Avray: *The Story of the Royal Welsh Fusiliers* (London: Country Life, 1915) 8vo; original blue cloth, lettered in blind to spine, with Welsh dragon device in blind to boards; pp. xii + 281, incl. index; publisher's catalogue; full-colour frontis., with tissue-guard (detached but present); plates, largely in monochrome; battle plans in
296. Trew, Peter: *The Boer War Generals* (Johannesburg: Jonathan Ball Publishers, 1999) 8vo; original blue boards, lettered in gilt on spine; laminated pictorial dustwrapper; pp. xiii + (i) + 274, incl. index; plates; maps. Trace of spotting to top edge. Very good condition. "The Boer War Generals is an in-depth study of the principal commanders on both sides, in a conflict that was both 'the last of the gentlemen's wars' and the first modern one. ... Peter Trew's detailed narrative examines each personality separately, highlighting the differences between the command styles of the experienced, professional British generals and the natural ingenuity of the 'amateur' Boers. Fully illustrated with photographs and maps, this book provides a compelling insight into a war that provoked strong feelings not just from the protagonists, but across the world." £10.00 [349]

297. Unger, Fredric William: *With "Bobs" and Krüger. Experiences and Observations of an American War Correspondent in the Field with Both Armies* (Cape Town: Struik, 1977) Number 361 of an edition limited to 1000 copies. Text facsimile of the 1901 first edition published by Henry T. Coates and Company of Philadelphia. 8vo; original brown rexine, lettered in gilt on spine; laminated pictorial dustwrapper; pp. xiii + 10 + 412 + (ii); illustrations in text. Dustwrapper partially sunned, with tape marks to reverse; a little foxing to top edge and endpapers. Very good condition. "Unger, an American freelance journalist, came to southern Africa in search of adventure and history in the making - and found both. ... Of particular interest is his description of Machadodorp when it was the capital of the Transvaal and his interview with President Kruger just prior to Kruger's departure for the Netherlands. His account is largely impartial and his personal experiences yield a fresh slant on a fascinating phase in South Africa's history." £15.00 [224]

298. Uys, Ian: *Heidelbergers of the Boer War* (Heidelberg: the author, 1981) 8vo; original brown boards, lettered in white on spine and upper cover; pictorial dustwrapper; pictorial endpapers; pp. ix + (i) + 277, incl. index; maps; photographs. Dustwrapper sunned on spine panel, and ever so slightly rubbed; some spotting to top edge. Very good condition. "This is the story of the people of Heidelberg. The men, women and children who lived in the shadow of the Suikerbosrand mountains and on the banks of the Blesbokspruit. Although predominantly Boers, they were from all nationalities and walks of life. When war clouds loomed the people of this small dorp stood together, fought and died together, and will be remembered for the manner of their so doing." £20.00 [323]

299. Vallentin, Wilhelm: *Meine Kriegserlebnisse bei den Buren. Erinnerungen und Skizzen aus dem südafrikanischen Kriegie 1899/1900* (Berlin: Verlag von Hermann Walther, [1900]) 8vo; original pinkish brown cloth blocked in dark brown and red, with picture to upper board showing Boer firing from behind his slay horse; decorative endpapers; marbled edges; pp. 183; frontis; portrait; line drawings and photographs in text. Cloth a bit mottled; earlier owner's name signed on frontis. recto; trace of foxing to edges. Good condition. German text. (Mendelssohn II, p. 537; Kainbacher II, p. 96) In sharing his military experiences in South Africa during the early phases of the Anglo-Boer War, the author fed the prevailing appetite in his homeland for sympathetic accounts of the "Germanic brother nation" in their fight with the British Empire. "Für die um ihre Freiheit kämpfenden Buren aber wird die Sympathie der ganzen übrigen Welt beständig rege bleiben. Unserem in Süd-Afrika niedergemetzelten germanischen Brudervolk, das noch lange nicht ausgeröehlt haben wird, hat die Geschichte ein bleibendes Denkmal errichtet." £25.00 [96]

300. Van Blerk, J. A.: *Op die Bermudas beland. My herinneringe uit die Tweede Vryheidsoorlog* (Cape Town: A. A. Balkema, 1949) 8vo; original dark blue cloth, lettered in gilt on spine and upper cover; no dustwrapper; pp. 145; plates. Slight bump to top fore-corners; corner of front free endpaper clipped; ownership inscription to front pastedown (a Boer officer with the same surname - no doubt a relative - is identified in pen on one of the plates); a little foxing to edges and endpapers. Very good condition. Afrikaans text. "The Bermudas are situated in the Atlantic Ocean some 900 km from the North American mainland, halfway between the West Indies and Canada. Camps were built on eight of these small islands, and here the prisoners were accommodated in tents. The camps were not fenced with barbed wire, as others elsewhere were. More than 4600 Boers were held prisoner of war on the Bermudas from July 1901 till after the end of the war." - Fransjoan Pretorius: The Anglo-Boer War 1899-1902, p. 50 £50.00 [213]

301. Van Bruggen, J. R. L.: *Bittereinders* (Potchefstroom: H. W. Huyser, 1935) Square 8vo; original brown cloth, lettered in black on spine; pp. (x) + 204; plates, incl. folding. Edges very slightly rubbed; small accession code stamped on front pastedown; light browning. Very good condition. Afrikaans text. (Nienaber I, p. 71) Jan Reinder Leonard van Bruggen (1895-1948) se "belangrikste werk is Bittereinders (1935), 'n romaniseran die lewe in Mafekeing se konsentrasiekamp." - Kannemeyer: Die Afrikaanse literatuur 1652-1987, p. 84. The book, although a fictionalisation, has its basis firmly in actual events, and is supplied with several authentic photographic illustrations of the camp and its inmates. £50.00 [52]
302. Van der Wateren, H. (editor): **Die 100-jarige Herdenking van die Tweede Vryheidsoorlog** (Nylstroom: Volkskomitee vir die Herdenking van die Tweede Vryheidsoorlog, 1998) 204 x 145 mm; saddle-stitched pictorial wrappers; pp. vi + 54; some illustrations. Fine condition. Afrikaans text. "Met hierdie publikasie wil die Volkskomitee vir die Herdenking van die Tweede Vryheidsoorlog sy benadering en doel met betrekking tot die 100-jarige herdenking van hierdie besondere hoofstuk in die geskiedenis van die Afrikanervolk verklaar." £10.00 [131]


304. Van Everdingen, W.: **De Oorlog in Zuid-Afrika** (Delft: Technische Boekhandel en Drukkerij J. Waltman Jr., 1911, 1920, 1915) Each of the volumes is of the second, revised printing. Three 8vo volumes, the first two of light brown cloth, the third of light brown papered boards, lettered in black to spine and upper cover in each case; pp. xvi + (ii) + 373, xvi + 356, xiv + 351; two maps in the first volume, and one in the third. Covers a little rubbed; earlier owner's name signed on front free endpaper in each case; pp. browned; some foxing, especially to the third volume. Good condition. Dutch text. (Mendelssohn 1, p. 527 [1st printing]; SABIB 2, p. 210) To some degree reflecting the European sympathy with the Boer republics' cause, this 3-volume work started life as a serial in a military journal, before being edited for publication in book form. £200.00 [221]

305. van Hoek, Kees: **Kruger Days. Reminiscences of Dr. W. J. Leyds** (London: "South Africa", 1939) 8vo; original grey, cloth-backed papered boards; pictorial dustwrapper, housed in removable protector; pp. (x) + 54; photographs. Dustwrapper somewhat worn, particularly to extremities of spine panel, and a bit soiled; edges of boards slightly rubbed; light bump to fore-edge; occasional fox spot. Very good condition, in a fair dustwrapper. "In 1939 the journalist Kees van Hoek published in London a series of Leyds's interviews as 'Kruger Days. Reminiscences of Dr. W. J. Leyds.' ... Leyds was a remarkable man in every way, with a strong personality and great diplomatic ability. This was basically characterised by diligence and, while he never became an Afrikaner in the cultural sense, by loyalty to his adopted fatherland." - DSAB III, pp. 519-20 £30.00 [123]

306. Van Jaarsveld, F A: **Paul Kruger. Simbool van 'n volk** (Roodepoort: CUM-Boeke, 1982) 8vo; original blue boards; dustwrapper; pp. (viii) + 125; contemporary illustrations in monochrome. Near fine condition. Afrikaans text. "Die aangebode opstelle is meestal opgediep uit Die Huisgenoot en ander tydskrifte van die veertiger- en vyftigerjare. Hulle was as geleentheidsstukke aangebied ten tye van Krugerdag, of om een of ander historiese gebeurtenis na 100 jaar in herinnering te roep." £25.00 [168]

307. Van Niekerk, L. E.: **Kruger se Regterhand. 'n Biografie van dr. W.J. Leyds** ( Pretoria: J L van Schaik, 1985) 8vo; original dark brown boards, lettered in white on spine; laminated pictorial dustwrapper; pp. (xiv) + 457, incl. index; plates. Fine condition. Afrikaans text. 'Kruger se regterhand is die eerste gesaghebbende werk oor die lewe van dié briljante juris, politikus en diplomaat, 'n man wat moeilik aangepas het in Suid-Afrika, maar wat só deel van hierdie land geword het dat hy aan die einde van sy lewe kon sê: "Ek het my hart aan die Afrikaanse saak verpand en ek het my lewe daaraan gewy."' £15.00 [328]

308. Van Oordt, Gregorius August: **Striving and Hoping to the Bitter End. The life of Herman Frederik van Oordt 1862-1907** (Cape Town: the author, 1980) 8vo; original blue boards, lettered in white on spine; dustwrapper; endpaper map; pp. xii + 297, incl. index; photographs and contemporary artwork; map. Dustwrapper a little rubbed, with trace of edgewear, and some tape scars to reverse. Very good condition. The title page synopsis continues: "Hunter and Trail Breaker in the Kalahari Desert (1883-1887); Resident, Advisor and Agent in Zambaaansland, later Resident Justice of the Peace in Swaziland; Combatant in the Second South African War of Independence (1899-1902). By his son Gregorius August van Oordt. His father's letters and other documents, collected, explained and added to, as well as the writer's own early memories." £25.00 [117]

309. Van Reenen, Rykie (editor): **Emily Hobhouse. Boer War letters** (Cape Town: Human & Rousseau, 1984) 8vo; original blue boards, lettered in white on spine; laminated pictorial dustwrapper; pp. (vi) + 557, incl. index; colour frontis. portrait tipped in; plates. Dustwrapper's spine panel a little sunned; some spotting to top edge. Very good condition. "These spirited on-the-spot letters selected by herself span not only her well-known work in the camps, but her forceful and imaginative role in the ruined former republics after the war. They rescue the woman from the myth. ... The letters are liberally annotated and the notes and appendices constitute a treasure trove of quotation, anecdote and sidelight: a browser's delight. There is a generous photographic section, highlighting various phases of Emily Hobhouse's life and her South African years." £25.00 [345]

310. Van Themaat, H. ver Loren: **Twee Jaren in den Boerenoorlog** (Haarlem: Tjeenk Willink & Zoon, 1903) 228 x 152 mm; printed wrappers; pp. (viii) + 354; frontis. portrait of Danie Theron; three folding maps. Spine darkened and fractured, but all leaves present; wrappers creased, foxed and curled; some foxing, especially to outermost leaves. Fair condition. Dutch text.
311. Van Wyk, J F: Die Mauser Knal (No place: Perskor-Uitgewery, 1971) 8vo; original white boards; pictorial dustwrapper; pp. 244; map; photographs in text. Dustwrapper sunned on spine panel. Very good condition. Afrikaans text. Uncommon Anglo-Boer War recollections by a burgher on commando. "Die Mauser Knal is die herinnering van oud-stryder Johannes Frederikus van Wyk wat die Tweede Vryheidsoorlog as 15-jarige penkop meegemaak het. Hier is 'n verteller aan die woord met 'n oop oog vir die werkelikheid, en op ongekuistelde wyse slaag hy daarin om die werkelikheid van daardie oorlog te herskep met al sy dramatiek, tragiek, patos maar ook humor. Al was die skrywer destyds maar 'n jong seun, miskien juist daarom, is hy 'n betroubare waarnemer en getuie." £25.00 [189]

312. Van Zyl, D. H.: In die Konsensrasieiekamp. Jeugherinneringe (Bloemfontein: Nasionale Pers, 1944) Square 8vo; cloth-backed papered boards; pp. 55; black-and-white photographic plates. Boards very rubbed and slightly soiled, with title penned to spine; binding slack; library markings to endpapers and prelims.; some fingering. Fair condition. "By die deurlees van die vertellings oor die wreedste kant van die veelsydige prent van daardie oorlog het die leerlinge van die leerder in die skool ontdek hoe hoog die manlike waardes verkry word in die oorlog." £12.50 [247]

313. Van Zyl, P. H. S. (compiler): Die Helde-Album. Verhaal en foto's van aanvoerders en helde uit ons Vryheidstryd (Johannesburg: Afrikaanse Pers-Boekhandel, 1944) 4to; original green cloth, lettered in silver gilt on spine and upper cover; pictorial dustwrapper; pp. v + (i) + 409 + (ix); liberally illustrated with full-page and text illustrations after contemporary photographs and artwork. Dustwrapper very torn, with loss, old tape repairs to reverse, and housed in removable protector; cloth partially sunned, especially to spine; gift inscription, with several signatures, to front pastedown; short split to upper joint at tail; hinges just starting; a little light browning; very occasional fox spot. Good condition. Afrikaans text. This work has probably not been replicated in its key feature of providing as many portraits as possible of Boer generals and commandants from the Anglo-Boer War. £65.00 [248]

314. Various: Our First Half-Century 1910-1960. Golden Jubilee of the Union of South Africa (Johannesburg: Da Gama Publications, 1960) 4to; original green cloth, lettered in gilt on spine and upper cover; no dustwrapper; endpaper maps; pp. xii + 556; photographs in text. Slightly rubbed to joints and extremities, with trace of spotting to cloth; foxed to edges, endpapers and outermost leaves. Good condition. "This work represents an attempt to record for the generation that was born in and grew up with the Union an objective review of what was undertaken and what was achieved." £12.50 [247]

315. Viljoen, B. J.: Mijne Herinneringen uit den Anglo-Boeren-Oorlog (Amsterdam: W. Versluys, 1902) Square 8vo; original pale cloth blocked in purple and yellow; pp. 354; portrait plate. Spine a little rubbed and sunned, with light wear to extremities; endpapers and edges somewhat foxed, occasional foxing elsewhere; some pencilled marginalia. Very good condition. Dutch text. The original version of Viljoen's Reminiscences, which subsequently appeared in English. Viljoen's memoirs were written while a prisoner-of-war on St Helena, and published before the conclusion of hostilities. In humorously alluding to the fabulous tales about him which had appeared in the British papers, the General remarks that "after the several coups de grace in the field, and the tragic execution at De Aar ... all which is left of Ben Viljoen ... still pans out at a fairly robust young fellow - quite an ordinary young fellow indeed, thirty-four years of age, of middle height and build," although a periodical narrated how, bound to a chair, and placed near his open grave, he had met his doom with "rare stoicism and fortitude." ... The work is free from bitterness, and is characterised by a fairness and lack of bragging which favourably distinguishes it from other publications written from the Boer point of view, while the humour, candour, and good-nature displayed in the volume are undeniable. The author was instructed by General Joubert to proceed to the Natal frontier, and he subsequently joined the troops under General Kock's command. He does not appear to have had a high opinion of his leader, and remarks, possibly if we "had had less to do with arrogant and stupid old men, we should have reached Cape Town and Durban."" - Mendelssohn. £75.00 [16]

316. Viljoen, Ben J.: Under the Vierkleur. A Romance of a Lost Cause (Boston: Small, Maynard & Company, 1904) Crown 8vo; original pictorial red cloth, lettered in gilt on spine and upper cover; pp. x + 385 + (xiii); frontis. portrait; plates. Spine sunned; very light wear to extremities; endpapers, edges and outer leaves somewhat foxed, occasional spotting elsewhere. Very good condition. The front pastedown bears the following printed message: "This special edition is issued as a souvenir of the reproduction of battles of the Anglo-Boer War at the Louisiana Purchase Exposition, St Louis, Missouri, USA 1904. Sold only by the South African
Boer War Exhibition Company." Novel by Boer general Ben Viljoen, based on his experiences during the Anglo-Boer War. "In 1904 Viljoen, together with several other Boers, including Gen. P.A. Cronje, as well as some British ex-soldiers, took part in a war display during the exhibition at St Louis, Missouri, USA. This attracted great attention and publicity in the USA but met with disfavour in some of the South African newspapers. In America Viljoen published several books on the Second Anglo-Boer War and established a Boer settlement in the northern part of Mexico where he had succeeded in obtaining a grant of land from the government." - DSAB IV, p. 742. £40.00 [28]

317. Viljoen, General Ben: My Reminiscences of the Anglo-Boer War (London: Hood, Douglas, & Howard, 1902) Crown 8vo; original red cloth, lettered in black on spine and upper cover; pp. 542 + (ii); frontis.; portrait; plates; several battle plans. Cloth very worn and rubbed; trace of water damage to fore-edge of upper board, with consequent bleed to front endpaper; simple archival tape repairs to joints and lower hinge; hinges starting; a few tears to fore-edge of front free endpaper and half-title; some foxing. Reading copy only. (Hackett, p. 194; Mendelsohn II, pp. 568-569) Viljoen's memoirs were written while a prisoner-of-war on St Helena, and published before the conclusion of hostilities. "The work is free from bitterness, and is characterised by a fairness and lack of bragging which favourably distinguishes it from other publications written from the Boer point of view, while the humour, candour, and good-nature displayed in the volume are undeniable. The author was instructed by General Joubert to proceed to the Natal frontier, and he subsequently joined the troops under General Kock's command. He does not appear to have had a high opinion of his leader, and remarks, possibly if we "had had less to do with arrogant and stupid old men, we should have reached Cape Town and Durban." - Mendelsohn. £30.00 [18]

318. Visagie, L. A.: Terug na kommando. Avonture van Willie Steyn en vier ander krygsgevangenes (Cape Town: Nasionale Pers, 1932) Small squarish 8vo; original red cloth, with lettering and mounted Boer blocked in black to spine and upper cover; pp. (iv) + 246; plates. Spine a little sunned; light wear to extremities; regular, light browning. Very good condition. Afrikaans text. (Nienaber I, p. 391) "As historiese dokument is dit van besondere betekenis, omdat dit nie alleen 'n dramatiese stuk geskiedenis uit ons tweede Vryheidsoorlog in beeld bring nie, maar teweens die merkwaardige lotgevalle behels van 'n vyftal Boerekrygsgevangenes wat feitlik die halwe wereld deurkruis het, ten einde weer op die oorlogsterrein by die Boerekommando's uit te kom en hulle skadeloos te stel vir al die deurgestane leed en onterbining. Daarby werp die verhaal 'n interessante lig o.a. op die behandeling van krygsgevangenes, die vernuftige pogings tot ontsnapping, die geërdfrigte bewondering en daadwerlike belangstelling van verskeie groot Europese nasies ten opsigte van die strydende Boerevolk hier in die verre Suide." £30.00 [20]

319. Visser, Sannie: Die Wit Vlag (Johannesburg: Voortrekkerpers, 1946) Squarish 8vo; original pale blue cloth, lettered in black to spine and upper cover; pictorial dustwrapper, housed in removable protector; pp. 190; plates. Light wear to extremities of cloth; dustwrapper rather edgedown, with old tape marks to reverse; some foxing to endpapers and edges. Good to very good condition. Afrikaans text. "Die Wit Vlag is 'n verhaal waarin gien. Piet Cronjé die sentrale figuur vorm. Sy aandeel in die Jameson-inval en die Tweede Vryheidsoorlog word op 'n heel aanskoulike wyse meegedeel. Die skryfster slaag daarin om kleur en lewe in die verhaal te bring wat van 'n deeglike kennis van haar stof getuig en 'n groter historiese waarde aan die verhaal verleen." £15.00 [82]

320. Vuliamy, C. E.: Outlanders, A Study of Imperial Expansion in South Africa 1877-1902 (London: Jonathan Cape, 1939) 8vo; original brown cloth, lettered in gilt on spine; no dustwrapper; tinted top edge; pp. 380, incl. index; frontis.; maps. Very good condition. "The period 1877-1902 is ... a period signalized by the rise, fulfilment and relapse of the British Imperial Policy in South Africa, and, in particular, by the annihilation of Boer independence. The activities to which that policy gave rise form the major theme of this book." £10.00 [183]

321. Walker, Eric A.: A History of South Africa (London: Longmans, Green and Co., 1928) 8vo; original dark buckram, lettered in gilt on spine; gift inscription to front free endpaper; pp. xii + 623, incl. index; several maps. Spine darkened, with light wear to extremities; cloth partially mottled; a little foxing to endpapers and edges. Good condition. The front endpaper inscription reads: "To Miss Winifred de Villiers / in recollection of many pleasant / motor drives from C. W. Darwin / Cape Town / 1928". £7.50 [60]

322. Walker, Eric A.: Lord de Villiers and His Times, South Africa 1842-1914 (London: Constable, 1925) 8vo; original navy cloth, lettered in gilt on spine; t.e.g.; pp. xvi + 523, incl. index; frontis. portrait. Backstrip slightly frayed at head and tail; trace of blistering to cloth at joints; contemporary ownership inscription to front free endpaper; moderate foxing throughout. Good condition. "Lord de Villiers was born in the simple agricultural South Africa of 1842; he entered the Cape Parliament in 1867, the year in which the gold and diamond discoveries set in motion the economic revolution that has made the South Africa of to-day; he died in the first month of the Great War. His public life thus fell in the most complicated and controversial period of his country's history. ... I have not attempted to write that history here; but Lord de Villiers' papers touch so intimately on events of political importance, there is so much in them that calls for explanation, that I have had to make his biography a running commentary, as far as possible from his point of view, on the South African history of his day." £30.00 [21]

323. Walker, Eric Anderson: The Great Trek (London: Adam and Charles Black, 1938) Second edition, illustrated. A volume in 'The Pioneer Histories' series. 8vo; original blue cloth, lettered in gilt on spine, and with gilt device to upper cover; tinted top edge; pp. xii + 389, incl. index; three maps, two of which folding; four plates. Light wear to extremities; front free and pastedown endpapers glued together; very occasional light foxing. Good. The story of the great exodus of Afrikaner farmers from Cape Colony to the interior to found their own independent republics a hundred years ago has never before been told for its own
sake, for the single epic adventure that it was. Professor Walker, author of the brilliant History of South Africa, has written it as probably no other author could, authoritatively and yet readably, with a full appreciation of the 'Trekker point of view.' £10.00 [23]

324. Waszklewicz, Mew., in collaboration with H. D. van Broekhuizen: Paul Kruger's Tocht. Getrouwe beschrijving van Oom Paul's bezoek aan Frankrijk, de Rijnprowincie en Nederland, opgeluisterd door illustratien naar momentphotographieën (The Hague: A. Abrahams / Leiden: Blankenberg & Co., 1900) Small 4to; green half cloth, with marbled sides, enclosing original pictorial wrappers; pp. 107 + (vii); some illustrations in text. Cover a little rubbed; a little creasing to bottom fore-corner of some leaves, outside of text area; earlier owner's name signed on frontis, recto; occasional fox spot. Very good condition. Dutch text. (Mendelssohn I, p. 850) 'An account of the President's journeys and receptions in Europe, with short articles from sympathisers with the Boer cause, poetry - much of which is by no means complimentary to the British - and several illustrations. There are also two musical compositions, one entitled "Vereenigd Afrika," and the other "Een 'Welkom' aan President Kruger." - Mendelssohn £25.00 [190]

325. Waters, W. H. H. (authorised translator): The War in South Africa. Prepared in the Historical Section of the Great General Staff, Berlin (London: John Murray, 1904) Spine title reads: 'German Official Account of the War in South Africa. October 1899 to February 1900.' 8vo; original olive-green cloth, lettered in gilt on spine, with gilt lettering and publisher's device to upper cover; top edge gilt; pp. ix + (i) + 280, incl. index; two plates and nine folding maps. Cloth somewhat worn, with trace of fishmothing; corners turned; hinges starting; a little foxing; some discreet pencilled marginalia and underlining; a little earlier pencil crayon underlining in a few places partially erased, in consequence of which the printed text here is a little faint; short fold tears (not affecting image area) to some maps, repaired with archival tape. Good. (Hackett, pp. 104, 199; Mendelssohn II, p. 590) "An account of military operations in South Africa prepared by the General Staff, Berlin. Part I of the volume concerns the campaign in Natal up to and including the battle of Colenso, with an account of Lord Methuen's campaign in the west concluding with the battle of Magersfontein. Part II relates to operations in the western theatre from the assumption of command by Lord Roberts until the surrender of Cronje at Paardeberg. With appendices to each section." - Hackett £60.00 [177]

326. Watkins-Pitchford, H.: Besieged In Ladysmith. A letter to his wife, written in Ladysmith during the siege (Pietermaritzburg: Shuter & Shooter, 1964) 8vo; original green boards, lettered in gilt on spine, and with gilt 'Long Tom' device to upper cover; dustwrapper; endpaper map; pp. (iv) + 129; a few facsimiles. Dustwrapper very slightly edgeworn and partially sunned. Very good condition. "The substance of this book comes entirely from a letter to his wife commenced on 27th October, 1899, and finished on 1st March, 1900 - within which dates Watkins-Pitchford endured and survived the Siege of Ladysmith. However much about the Siege may previously have been published, this marathon letter is a most distinguished and eloquent contribution. It may add but little to known facts; it does certainly provide a document of intense human interest, not only by faithfully recording the day by day events, but by clearly and vividly reflecting the whole panorama of emotions evoked at the time in a highly sensitive and impressionable mind. Reading this account, one feels besieged, angry, frustrated, hopeful and hopeless, terrified and courageous, selfish and selfless, hurt and hungry: one is overcome by the climactic joy of the Relief." £15.00 [3]

327. Wavell, Archibald: Allenby, A Study in Greatness. The Biography of Field-Marshal Viscount Allenby of Megiddo and Felixstowe G.C.B. G.C.M.G. (London: Harrap, 1941) 8vo; original red cloth, lettered in white to spine; no dustwrapper; pp. 312, incl. index; plates; maps. Ex-library copy, with code to tail of sunned spine, which is slightly cocked; corners turned; trace of damp-stain to bottom edge of upper board; front endpapers pasted together; hinges starting; some ink stamps. Fair. £5.00 [137]

328. Weeber, E. J.: Op die Natalse Front (1 Oktober 1899-31 Mei 1900) (Cape Town: Nasionale Pers, 1940) Squarish 8vo; original khaki cloth, with green and brown lettering; pp. (vi) + 230; plates. Spine a little cocked, with trace of wear to extremities; corners turned; cloth very slightly mottled; occasional fox spot. Good condition. Afrikaans text. (Nienaber I, p. 404) Weeber was intimately involved in the events he relates. The caption to the group portrait which serves as the frontispiece summarises his background as follows: "E. J. Weeber, klerk van die Staatssecretaris, afdeling Buitelandse Sake, later amptenaar en onderwyser, tans boer en joernalis, krygsgevangene geneem in April 1902." £20.00 [160]

329. Weeber, E. J.: Op die Transvaalse Front, 1 Junie 1900 - 31 Oktober 1900 (Bloemfontein: Nasionale Pers, 1942) Small squarish 8vo; original blue cloth, lettered in black on spine and upper cover; pp. 297; plates. A little light browning. Very good condition. Afrikaans text. "Soos in my vorige boek, Op die Natalse Front, reeds beskryf, het ons uiteindelik ná die noodlottige terugtog uit Natal op die dorp Wakkerstroom aangegaan. Nou was ons weer in ons geliefde ou Transvaal, al was die burgermarge baie verswak, gedesorganiseer en oor die hele distrik Wakkerstroom versprei. Ja, ons was op moedoveroor van die vloekte en die toekoms was duister - 'n pikswart wolk van smart het oor die gehele Afrikanerdom gehang. Die hoofstad van Transvaal was in die hande van die vyand en die segevierende magte onder generaal sir Redvers Buller kort voor ons hakke. Dinge het lelik gelyk. " £30.00 [19]

330. Weibach, J. D., and C. N. J. du Plessis: Geschiedenis van de Emigranten-Boeren en van den Vrijheids-Oorlog (Cape Town: Saul Solomon, 1882) 8vo; somewhat later blue cloth, lettered in gilt on spine; pp. (vi) + 420; frontis. portrait; maps and plans, incl. folding. Boards very lightly rubbed; signed and dated on the front free endpaper by
earlier owner (famous Afrikaner artist W. H. Coetzer), with his signed bookplate to the front pastedown; endpapers and edges slightly foxed, occasional fox spot elsewhere; short close tear to folding map, not touching image area. Very good condition. Dutch text. (Mendelssohn II, p. 597) This volume describes the "Great Trek" of Dutch-speaking colonists who left the Cape Colony during 1836 and subsequent years, with an account of their history from that time until the retrocession of the Transvaal in 1881. The grievances against the British are dully put on record, the principal points being the method of the abolition of slavery and the Slachter's Nek tragedy, which, with other matters, embittered the Dutch farmers. There is a narrative of the adventures of various parties which set out, and an account of the attack on Retief and his party by Dingan, and of the battle between the Boers under Potgieter and Piet Uys, and the Zulus. ... Following these matters is a description of the deputations to England for the purpose of getting the Government to reverse the annexation, the failure of the delegates, and the subsequent revolt of the Boers, together with an account of the engagements and negotiations terminating in the retrocession of the Transvaal under British suzerainty. It is stated that "British prestige had received a rude shock, and the Burgers no longer feared England's power." - Mendelssohn £60.00 [75]

331. Wessels, André: Die Anglo-Boereoorlog 1899-1902. 'n Oorsig van die militêre verloop van die stryd (Bloemfontein: Universiteit van die Oranje-Vrystaat, 1991) 208 x 148 mm; saddle-stitched pictorial wrappers; pp. vii + 60; some maps. Very good condition. Afrikaans text. "Die doel van hierdie publikasie - wat 'n verwerking is van 'n lesing wat op 19 Mei 1989 deur die ouer gelewer is by geleeuw van 'n byeenkoms van die Vriende van die Oorlogsmuseum - is dus om die belangstellende in die geskiedenis van die Anglo-Boereoorlog te orienteer ten opsigt van die hooffasies en belangrikste gebeure tydens die oorlog." £10.00 [125]

332. Wessels, André: Die militêre rol van swart mense, bruin mense en Indiërs tydens die Anglo-Boereoorlog (1899-1902) (Bloemfontein: Oorlogsmuseum van die Boererepublieke, 1998) 210 x 145 mm; saddle-stitched pictorial wrappers; pp. vi + 46. Fine condition. Afrikaans text. "Wat veronderstel was om 'n witmansoorlog en "gentleman's war" te wees, het met verloop van tyd in 'n bykans algehele regionale stryd ontaard. ... Dit is die doel van hierdie studie om 'n oorsig te gee van die wyse waarop swart mense, bruin mense en Indiërs tydens die oorlog deur sowel die Britte as die Boere militêr aangewend is.' £12.50 [127]

333. Wilson, H. W.: With the Flag to Pretoria. A History of the Boer War of 1899-1900. AND, After Pretoria: The Guerilla War. The Supplement to "With the Flag to Pretoria" (London: Harmsworth Brothers, 1900 and 1901; The Amalgamated Press, 1902) Four quarto volumes (330 x 255 mm); red cloth over bevelled boards, uniformly blocked in black and gilt to spines and upper covers; pp. viii + 364, viii + [365-716], viii + 528, vii + (ii) + [529-1008]; each volume liberally illustrated with photographs, artwork and maps. Covers bright; a little bumped, with slightly sunned spines; bindings slack; some light foxing; folding maps present, as called for, in both first and second volumes. Good condition. (Mendelssohn II, p. 625; Hackett, pp. 18, 202) Concerning the first two volumes, Mendelssohn notes: "This compilation ... affords a record of the South African War up to the advance to Komati Poort and the flight of President Kruger. The volumes are interesting and entertaining ..." Regarding 'After Pretoria: The Guerilla War', which completes the overall work, he observes: "These volumes continue the history of the South African War to the signing of Peace at Vereeniging. The same careful attention to detail is evinced in this work as in the preceding volumes ..." £375.00 [444]

334. Wilson, Lady Sarah: South African Memories Social, Warlike & Sporting, From Diaries Written at the Time (London: Edward Arnold, 1909) 8vo; original red cloth, lettering in gilt on spine and upper cover, with gilt device to upper cover incorporating elements of the title; pp. xii + 331, incl. index; several plates (that facing page 172 is missing). Backstrip somewhat sunned and soiled, with wear to head and tail; corners turned; joints and edges rubbed; moderate foxing throughout; binding slack; one plate missing. Good. (Hackett, p. 202; Hosken, p. 220; Czech, p. 305) "Lady Wilson, an aunt of Sir Winston Churchill, relates her adventures in South Africa, particularly during the Boer War during which she actually became a prisoner of war. After the war, she returned to England for a short time, then journeyed back to South Africa. In 1903, her party traveled to the Victoria Falls and the region north of the Zambesi. There are a few pages of sport on hunting wildebeest and zebra, with note of lion hunting but without actual encounters." - Czech £40.00 [185]


336. Wrangel, Ernst Freiherr von: Mit den Boeren gegen Albion (Zurich: Caesar Schmidt, 1903) 8vo; cloth-backed marbled boards; pp. (iv) + 99; frontis, portrait. Boards a bit rubbed; some light pencilled marginalia; pages somewhat browned. Good condition. German text. Uncommon. (Spolhr & Poller 3364; Mendelssohn II, p. 640) The author, who was adjutant to General Villebois-Mareuil, asserts that the Boers "gave up their independence to save their wives and children from destruction," and that "The whole world has sympathised with the Boers since the commencement of the South African War. The reason for this is not alone that the British greed for gold has brought about this horrible bloodshed, but that no such revolting cruelty has ever taken place to compare with that waged by the British in the extirpation of..."
a poor race of herdsmen, ... but although they (the Boers) did not succeed, the time is coming when the prophecy of the 'Iron Chancellor' will be proved to be true, and out of the ruins of the rotten, gold-seeking English Empire will arise 'The United States of South Africa.' " – Mendelssohn

£75.00 [207]

337. Wulff, L. (editor): Neue Burenstreiche. Der Transvaalkrieg in der Karikatur aller Völker (Berlin: Verlag von Dr. Eysler & Co., 1900) 8vo; recent brown half-leatherette with red cloth sides, retaining original pictorial wrappers; lettered in silver gilt on spine; pp. 96; 169 contemporary political cartoon illustrations; facsimile manuscript letter from Dr. Leyds. Original wrappers a little scuffed and creased; occasional fox spot. Very good condition. German text. (SABIB 3, p. 530) Uncommon. These cartoons from the European press reflect the prevailing antipathy on the Continent towards British colonialism, and sympathy with the cause of the Boers.

£25.00 [106]

338. Wulfsohn, Lionel: Rustenburg at War. The story of Rustenburg and its Citizens in the First and Second Anglo-Boer Wars (Rustenburg: the author, 1987) Signed by the author, with date, on title page. 8vo; laminated pictorial boards; pp. (xvi) + 198; frontis. portrait and contemporary photographs; maps and battle plans; loosely inserted typescript letter from author, answering questions posed by earlier owner. Trace of browning to front endpaper; very occasional fox spot. Very good condition. A history of the involvement of the Northwest Province town in the two conflicts between the Z.A.R. and the British Empire.

£15.00 [171]

339. Young, P. J.: Boot and Saddle. A narrative record of the Cape Regiment, the British Cape Mounted Riflemen, the Frontier Armed Mounted Police, and the Colonial Cape Mounted Riflemen (Cape Town: Maskew Miller, 1955) 8vo; original blue cloth, lettered in gilt on spine; pp. (xiv) + 193, incl. index; plates; map. Spine very slightly sunned, and gilt dull; regular browning to pages, as usual. Very good condition. "The confusion which has existed between the Cape Corps, the Imperial Cape Mounted Riflemen and the Colonial Cape Mounted Riflemen is abolished in this well-written record of the origin and expansion of the Defence Forces of the Cape Colony." – From the Preface by A. W. Burton.

£30.00 [46]

340. [Zuid-Afrikaansche Republiek]: Notulen der Verrichtingen van den Hoog-Edel Achtbaren Tweeden Volksraad der Zuid-Afrikaansche Republiek gedurende zijne gewone jaarlijksche zitting, aangaande Maandag, den 3den Mei 1897 (Pretoria: Staatsdrukkerij van de Zuid-Afrikaansche Republiek, 1897) Folio (362 x 250 mm); later dark brown cloth over boards, lettered in gilt on spine; pp. vii + (i) + 739. Some spotting to upper board; bump to top fore-corner of lower board; moderate foxing to edges, endpapers and outermost leaves, occasionally elsewhere. Very good condition. Dutch text. Very uncommon. Not found by OCLC, and not listed in 'Nederlandse Publicaties Betreffende Zuid-Afrika 1800-1899'. Published minutes from the deliberations of the Z.A.R. Volksraad in the period shortly preceding the outbreak of the Anglo-Boer War. A large number of the laws promulgated have to do with mining regulations, in the wake of the discovery of the Witwatersrand's mineral riches.

£175.00 [276]