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**THE QUEEN'S ROYAL REGIMENT (WEST SURREY),  
FORMERLY THE 2<sup>ND</sup> FOOT: PERSONAL PAPERS OF  
MEMBERS OF THE REGIMENT, 1794-2006**

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QRWS/30/HALL/

HALL, PRIVATE CHARLES HENRY (1906-?), 1943-1945

Born, 1906. Enlisted, 1943. Served with 2/6<sup>th</sup> Battalion. Transferred to reserve, 1946.

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| 1 | Soldier's service book, containing details of service, training, brief medical records and next of kin  | 1943-1945   |
| 2 | Letter to Hall's next of kin stating that he has been wounded and taken to hospital   | 25 Feb 1944   |
| 3 | Letters to Hall's wife from his comrades, wishing her well and conveying her husband's messages. 5 items  | 29 Feb 1944   |
| 4 | Letter to Hall from Lieut D J Neat describing the opening ceremony of 'Harry's Bar', formerly known as the men's canteen. 2 copies. With 4 photographs of the bar | 28 Apr 1944   |
| 5 | Menu for 306 POW Camp Staff Christmas Dinner  | Dec 1944  |
| 6 | Certificate of transfer to reserve  | 8 Oct 1945  |
| 7 | Photographs of individual [?Hall], and of a group of soldiers. 2 items  | nd [?1940s]   |
| 8 | Photograph of a comic sketch and of the regimental badge  | nd [?2 <sup>nd</sup> half of 20 <sup>th</sup> cent] |

QRWS/30/HALLE/

HALLETT, MAJOR, 1920S

Served with the [2<sup>nd</sup> Battalion] Queen's.

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| 1 | Photograph of Hallett with his wife and son and Captain Chapple, Fyzabad | nd [?1920s] |
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QRWS/30/HAMIEO/

HAMILTON, MAJOR GENERAL SIR EDWARD OWEN FISHER (1854-1944), 1814-1942

Born, 1854. Joined 1<sup>st</sup> Battalion as a 2<sup>nd</sup> Lieutenant, 1873. Served as Aide-de-Camp to Major General Primrose during Afghan War, 1878-1880. Promoted to Captain in 2<sup>nd</sup> Battalion, 1883, and served in Burma, 1886-1887. Brigade Major at Cawnpore, 1887-1888, and Inspector of Signalling, Punjab and Bengal, 1889-1893. Took part in Hazara Expedition, 1891. Served with the Malakand Field Force, 1897. Served as second in command of 2<sup>nd</sup> Battalion, 1897-1898, in command from 1898, during South African War, commanding a brigade from 1900. Commanded a brigade in India, 1902-1907. General Officer Commanding Troops in West Africa, 1908-1911, and Lieutenant-Governor and General Officer Commanding Troops, Guernsey and Alderney district, 1911-1914. Retired, 1914. Colonel of the Regiment, 1914-1920. Died, 1944.

- 1 Group photograph including Hamilton at Hermitage School, Bath nd [?1865-1871]
- 2 Photograph album compiled by Hamilton: views of Hong Kong; Malta; Woolwich, 1880; Alexandria after bombardment; Port Elizabeth, South Africa; Nice, France; Dalhousie, India; Shoeburyness, 1883-4; Bangalore, 1888; Auckland, New Zealand; Zululand; Labuan (one image of a man is entitled 'Colonial surveyor, Labuan, 1877-1890'); presentation of VC to Mr Harding, gunner on HMS Alexandra, Malta, Jul 1882; many photographs of Royal Navy ships, including HMS Bellerophon, London, Nelson, Warspite, Active, Alexandra, Royal Oak, 1869-1885
- 3 Scrapbook containing cuttings relating to the army in India, 1897, Hamilton's retirement as Lieutenant-Governor of Guernsey and Alderney district, sporting events in which Hamilton took part, and other cuttings relating to Hamilton's family. Also including handwritten notes by Hamilton, poems written by Hamilton's son and others, various sketches and some photographs of Hamilton and his family 1897-1941
- 4 Diary, in daybook form Jan 1880 -Dec 1880

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| 5  | Photograph album compiled by Hamilton: groups of British and Indian soldiers, views of India, including North West Frontier, Hong Kong, England, South Africa, 1901-1902, and Sierra Leone, 1908-1911  | 1880-1911                  |
| 6  | Biographical notes compiled by Hamilton, including an account of his experiences with Malakand Field Force in Mamund Valley, 1897, with relevant pages from his diaries, copies of 'The Kandahar News', Apr-Sep 1880, and letters concerning appointment as Brigade Major, 1893, and retired pay, 1925             | 1880-1936                  |
| 7  | <i>Letters from Lieutenant P F P Hamilton, Royal Horse Artillery, and Lieutenant E O F Hamilton, 2<sup>nd</sup> Queen's Royal Regiment, from Afghanistan, 1878-1880, and from W Des V Hamilton, RN, of HMS Active from Kaffraria and Zululand, 1879-1879. Printed by their father for private circulation only</i> | 1881                       |
| 8  | Photographs of Hamilton and his family, also a photograph of HMS Calliope  | 1884-1888                  |
| 9  | Photographs of Hamilton with his family and of his home at Eiddown, County Kerry, Ireland  | 1884                       |
| 10 | Marriage certificate   | 7 Sep 1886                 |
| 11 | Letters from Hamilton to his father, while serving in Burma and on North West Frontier, India (Malakand Field Force, Tirah Expeditionary Force). 21 items  | 6 Mar 1887<br>-12 Nov 1897 |
| 12 | Diary, in daybook form [when Hamilton was a Brigade Major on General Sir William Lockhart's staff of 2 <sup>nd</sup> Brigade, Burma Field Force]   | Mar 1887<br>-Dec 1887      |
| 13 | Photograph album compiled by Hamilton: views of Delhi, India, 1891; signalling class, Kasauli, 1891; 2 <sup>nd</sup> Battalion, The Queen's, band, c.1890; Burma, 1887; Simla, Hyderabad, Rawalpindi, Black Mountain, India, 1890-1891; groups of signallers.  | 1887-1891                  |

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| 14 | Diary, in daybook form   | Jan 1889<br>-Nov 1889           |
| 15 | Photograph album compiled by Hamilton: views of Fowey, Cornwall, 1894; Stratford on Avon, Warwicks, 1893; Hamilton's house at Kasauli, c.1893; Waziristan, Jummoo, Rawalpindi, Murree, 1894-1896, including Sir William Lockhart and staff; cricket and polo teams of 1st Battalion, The Queen's, Malta, 1894; central school of army signalling, 1892; Miss Broadbent's wedding   | 1892-1896                       |
| 16 | Diary, in daybook form   | Jan 1896<br>-Dec 1896           |
| 17 | File of cuttings, chiefly relating to Boer War and the Regiment's 250 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary Dinner   | 1897-1911                       |
| 18 | Photograph album compiled by Hamilton: views of North West Frontier and Khyber Pass; staff, 1 <sup>st</sup> Division, Tirah, 1897-1898; Peshawar, 1898; officers of 1 <sup>st</sup> Battalion, The Queen's, at Dagshai, 1897; 2 <sup>nd</sup> Battalion, The Queen's, including review at Aldershot and entraining for Boer War, 1899 [Hamilton commanded battalion, 1898-1900]; Boer War battlefields, Boer leaders, 2 <sup>nd</sup> Brigade staff [Hamilton commanded, 1900], 1899-1902; Malubur Rifle Volunteers, 1904; Nilgiris, India | 1898-1904                       |
| 19 | Diary of service in South Africa, Nov 1899-Jun 1900 [when commanding 2 <sup>nd</sup> Battalion], with memoirs of service 1909-1914 [These memoirs are a continuation of those in -/42]   | 1899-1914                       |
| 20 | File containing newspapers <i>The Standard &amp; Diggers' News</i> , Johannesburg, Feb-May 1900, <i>De Volksstem</i> , Pretoria, Oct 1899, Jun 1900  | 1899-1900                       |
| 21 | Photographs of Hamilton's family and of the Queen's embarking for South Africa, 1899   | 1899-[c.1902]                   |
| 22 | Photograph of Colonel, later General, Harris [Hamilton's father in law]  | nd [late 19 <sup>th</sup> cent] |
| 23 | Diary, in daybook form   | Jan 1900<br>-Dec 1900           |

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| 24 | Philips' Large Scale Military Map of the Seat of War in South Africa: Sheet 1, Orange Free State, West and South Frontiers   | 1900                        |
| 25 | Diary, in daybook form   | Jan 1901<br>-Dec 1901       |
| 26 | Programme of concert at 'Court of King Neptune' on board H M S Simla, with letter and certificate issued to Hamilton's wife by 'Kind Neptune' regarding her crossing the equator   | Oct 1901                    |
| 27 | Diary, in daybook form   | Jan 1902<br>-Dec 1902       |
| 28 | Photograph album compiled by Hamilton: views of 'the Captain's house', Portsmouth, 1902; views of India including parades, parties, manoeuvres, and groups of officers, especially in Secunderabad [where Hamilton commanded 1 <sup>st</sup> Brigade, 1904-1907]; sketch of Queen's advancing at Colenso, 1899 | 1902-1911                   |
| 29 | Photograph of Captain Craig, Intelligence Officer, South Africa  | 1902                        |
| 30 | Photograph of Hamilton as a Brigadier General with his staff   | nd [c.1902<br>-1907]        |
| 31 | Postcards sent by Hamilton, including to his mother, some showing photographs  | early 20 <sup>th</sup> cent |
| 32 | Programme of music and table plan for breakfast at Chowmahla Palace  | 22 Apr 1907                 |
| 33 | Report on a Single Staff Ride carried out by the Secunderabad Infantry Brigade under the direction of Brigadier-General E O F Hamilton, Dec 1906   | 1907                        |
| 34 | Report of the Secunderabad Combined Manoeuvres, Jan 1907   | 1907                        |
| 35 | Diary summaries for years 1909, 1911-1916, 1918, 1920, 1925-1927, 1929-1932, 1934-1936, 1940   | 1909-1940                   |

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| 36 | Invitation to Hamilton as Lieutenant-Governor of Guernsey to the Coronation of King George V  | 1911                              |
| 37 | Visitor's book for Saumarez Park, Guernsey, 1911-1914 [while Hamilton was Lieutenant-Governor and commander, Guernsey and Alderney District], including photograph of Lady Hamilton presenting prizes, 1912, and of the salon at Saumarez House | 1911-1914                         |
| 38 | Photograph of Hamilton  | nd [c.1914]                       |
| 39 | Short record by Hamilton of his service and places in which he lived, 1884-1914   | nd [after 1914]                   |
| 40 | Field Service Pocket Book   | 1916                              |
| 41 | Loose photographs of Hamilton and his family  | 1916-1920                         |
| 42 | Manuscript of 'The Story of my Life', covering 1854-1908<br>[These memoirs are continued in the back of one of Hamilton's diaries, -/19 above]  | nd [?early 20 <sup>th</sup> cent] |
| 43 | Photograph of Hubert I Hamilton [best man at E O Hamilton's wedding; relation?] and cuttings showing photographs of Lord Kitchener and his staff in India and Major-General Kelly-Kenny and his staff at Aldershot; both include H I Hamilton   | nd [early 20 <sup>th</sup> cent]  |
| 44 | Portrait of General Sir William Lockhart  | nd [early 20 <sup>th</sup> cent]  |
| 45 | Draft of autobiography, covering Hamilton's life up to 1925   | nd [after 1925]                   |
| 46 | Cutting showing photograph of the Guard of the 2 <sup>nd</sup> Battalion at the HMS Excellent Centenary Tattoo, 1930  | (1930)                            |
| 47 | Letters from Hamilton to his daughter   | 17 Feb 1936<br>-19 Oct 1942       |
| 48 | Press cutting regarding Nazi and Soviet activities in Afghanistan   | 30 Dec 1939                       |

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| 49 | Photocopy of index to Graduation List (Hamilton's name is highlighted)   | nd [?mid 20 <sup>th</sup> cent]                    |
| 50 | Research by Hamilton into the military careers of his father, maternal and paternal grandfathers and great great grandfather (none of whom appears to have served with the Queen's). Includes letter from Major Charles Hamilton (E O Hamilton's paternal grandfather), to Colonel Forres complaining that he has been refused the command of the 100 <sup>th</sup> Regiment, May 1814 | May 1814<br>-nd [?early 20 <sup>th</sup> cent]     |
| 51 | List [?by Museum] of photograph albums relating to Hamilton and relevant page references in the Regimental History   | nd [2 <sup>nd</sup> half of 20 <sup>th</sup> cent] |

## QRWS/30/HAMS/

HAMSHARE, SERGEANT ALFRED CHARLES, 1939-1947

Enlisted 1939. Served with the Queen's, 1939-1942, and with the Devon Regiment, 1942-1946. Transferred to reserve, 1946.

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| 1 | Letter requiring Hamshare to attend military training at Guildford                                     | 30 Jun 1939      |
| 2 | Clothing and equipment record sheet, showing items issued  | nd [c.1939]      |
| 3 | Supplementary Clothing Book  | nd [c.1939-1945] |
| 4 | Card for positions on a boat, giving location of mess deck, and numbers of mess table and boat station | nd [c.1939-1945] |
| 5 | Certificate of transfer to the reserve   | 28 Jan 1946      |
| 6 | Record of service card   | 28 Jan 1946      |
| 7 | Certificate of post war credit   | 31 May 1947      |

## QRWS/30/HANDE/

HANDFORD, PRIVATE E F, 1945-1980S

Served with 1/7<sup>th</sup> Battalion. Also known as Private Finds.

- 1 Copy (undated) of photograph of Handford (1945)  
and picture of his sitting room wall -nd [?1980s]

QRWS/30/HANDS/

HANDS, PRIVATE H, 1909

Served with F Company, 1<sup>st</sup> Battalion Royal Home Counties Reserve Regiment.

- 1 Permanent Pass 5 Jul 1909

QRWS/30/HARD/

HARD, CORPORAL REUBEN, 1936-1941

Served in the Queen's Royal Regiment, West Yorkshire Regiment and Royal Engineers.

- 1 Letter to Hard's wife, enclosing two press 4 Nov 1936  
cuttings (with photocopies), one regarding the  
return to England of reserve forces and the  
other about Hard and his struggle to get into  
the regular army.
- 2 National service registration card nd [c.1941]

QRWS/30/HARDY/

HARDY, CAPTAIN H R (1864-?), 1897-1914

Born, 1864. Served in York and Lancaster Regiment. Commissioned as 2<sup>nd</sup> Lieutenant in the Queen's, 1889. Served with 1<sup>st</sup> Battalion. Served as Assistant Instructor, School of Musketry, Hythe, 1896-1898. Served as District Inspector of Musketry, Headquarters, Ireland, 1898-1900. Appointed Assistant Inspector, Ordnance Department, Oct 1900.

- 1 Photographs of Hardy. 3 items 1897-[c.1914]

QRWS/30/HARL/

HARLEY, PRIVATE CHARLES OLIVER (1918-?), 1939-1946

Born, 1918. Enlisted, 1939. Served with 2<sup>nd</sup> Battalion during World War II.

- 1 Soldier's service and pay book, containing 1939-1946  
details of service, training, brief medical  
records and next of kin
- 2 Card issued by regimental depot giving nd [1939-  
Harley's name, platoon, section, rank, number 1945]

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| 3 | Regimental and 'Greetings from Ceylon' Christmas cards   | nd [1939-1945] |
| 4 | 'Tobruk Truth', part of a series of daily summaries of BBC broadcasts. Damaged: bottom of page torn away | 13 Dec 1941    |
| 5 | Photograph of Harley   | 1942           |
| 6 | Message and rules for Chindits going on leave  | 26 Apr 1944    |

QRWS/30/HARR/

HARRIS, GUNNER CHARLES HENRY (C.1899-?), 1916-1998

Born, c.1899. Enlisted, 1916. Served with 3<sup>rd</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> Battalions and in the Depot. Served in France. Transferred to Royal Horse Artillery, 1919. Served in Egypt, 1919-1922. Discharged, 1922.

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| 1 | Photocopies of attestation, service forms, medical records, and letters from the Ministry of Defence to Harris' grandson concerning his military career | (1916-1998) |
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QRWS/30/HARVJ/

HARVEY, SERGEANT JACK (?-1940), 1984-1985

Served with 1/22<sup>nd</sup> Battalion, London Regiment, during World War I. Awarded Victoria Cross, 1918. Died, 1940.

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| 1 | Order of service for the dedication of a headstone to mark Harvey's grave at Redstone Cemetery, Redhill   | 2 Sep 1984 |
| 2 | Cutting from the <i>Orders and Medals Research Society</i> magazine, showing photograph and description of the dedication of Harvey's grave, with summary of career | 1985       |

QRWS/30/HARVVC/

HARVEY, CAPTAIN VICTOR CLAUDE (?-1957), 1915-1957

Enlisted, 1905. Served with East Lancashire Regiment in India and later in France during World War I. Commissioned into the Queen's, 1915. Served with 2<sup>nd</sup> Battalion. Retired, 1936. Served in Royal Air Force during World War II. Died 1957.

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| 1 | Commission as a 2 <sup>nd</sup> Lieutenant   | 25 Nov 1915     |
| 2 | Typescript of extracts from the <i>London Gazette</i> , regarding citations of Harvey for bravery, 1 Apr 1915 and 25 Nov 1916        | nd [after 1916] |
| 3 | Letter to unknown person from Harvey's wife, enclosing a summary of his service to 1926  | 21 Sep 1927     |
| 4 | Commission as Flight Lieutenant in RAF volunteer reserve   | 10 Nov 1939     |
| 5 | Mentioned in dispatches certificate  | 31 Aug 1940     |
| 6 | Postcard to be returned to Ministry of Defence to acknowledge receipt of unspecified certificate                                     | 7 Mar 1941      |
| 7 | Postcard showing signatures of King George VI, Queen Elizabeth and Princess Elizabeth, as shown in the Officers' mess visitors book  | (5 Jul 1944)    |
| 8 | Cutting from <i>London Gazette</i> recording Harvey's commission as a Flight Lieutenant, with handwritten service history, 1940-1945 | nd [c.1945]     |
| 9 | Folder originally containing items in this file and stating that they were donated by Harvey's widow                                 | 25 Sep 1957     |

QRWS/30/HAWKE/ HAWKEN, LIEUTENANT COLONEL NINIAN J P (C.1911-1975),  
1940-1975

Joined the regiment as a 2<sup>nd</sup> Lieutenant, 1939. Served in 1/7<sup>th</sup> Battalion during World War II and awarded the Military Cross for his actions in France, 1940. Served as Staff Captain in the Canal Zone, c.1943. Joined 2/5<sup>th</sup> Leicestershires, 1944. Returned to 7<sup>th</sup> Battalion, Queen's, when it was re-formed as 622 Heavy Anti-Aircraft Regiment, 1947. Served as Battery Commander, as Second in Command, and later as Commanding Officer, 1949-1951. Died, 1975.

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| 1  | Field Service postcards sent by Hawken. 2 items  | 2 Apr 1940                  |
| 2  | Cutting from <i>The Times</i> of a citation for bravery. With envelope stating that cutting was framed with Hawken's medals [medals held at Regimental Museum]                                   | 1940                        |
| 3  | Letter from Hawken to his mother   | 27 Oct 1942                 |
| 4  | Letters (including one photocopy) from Hawken to his wife. 12 items  | 26 Oct 1942<br>-22 Nov 1944 |
| 5  | Letters and telegrams to Hawken's wife from medical personnel and the war office regarding his hospitalisation in 1942 and 1944, and a cutting from <i>The Times</i> , listing Hawken as wounded | 29 Oct 1942<br>-16 Nov 1944 |
| 6  | Cuttings from <i>The Times</i> regarding 'The Battle of Egypt' and 'The Attack on Tunis'   | 10 Dec 1942<br>-7 May 1943  |
| 7  | Photographs of tanks, battles and marching soldiers, relating to Western Desert Campaign, with detailed notes on the back. 6 items   | nd [c.1942]                 |
| 8  | Christmas airgram from Hawken to his wife  | Dec 1944                    |
| 9  | Letter to Hawken from Ministry of Defence listing his service history during World War II  | 27 Nov 1945                 |
| 10 | Letter from the War Office thanking Hawken for his service and granting him the honorary rank of Major   | 3 Dec 1945                  |

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| 11 | Official Programme of Victory Celebrations, London, giving route of march past and list of units participating in it | 8 Jun 1946                       |
| 12 | Letter to Hawken from Ministry of Pensions and National Insurance regarding his war pension                          | 23 Feb 1966                      |
| 13 | Cutting of Hawken's obituary   | 1975                             |
| 14 | Handwritten list of Hawken's documents, with notes that some were moved to other sections by the Museum              | nd [?late 20 <sup>th</sup> cent] |

QRWS/30/HAWKI/

HAWKINS, LIEUTENANT WILFRID EDGAR WEAVER (C.1895-?), 1914-1938

Born, c.1895. Enlisted, 1914. Served with 24<sup>th</sup> London Regiment (The Queen's) and Machine Gun Corps during World War I.

These papers also included an identity disk and sight for a Vickers machine gun, with envelope containing diagram, which are now held by the Regimental Museum.

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|---|---|-----------------------------|
| 1 | Original and photocopy of diary kept in France  | 3 Aug 1914<br>-11 Nov 1918  |
| 2 | Passes to be absent from his quarters (2 items) and letter from the Regiment cancelling all leave and ordering Hawkins to return, 6 Jan 1915  | 31 Dec 1914<br>-6 Jan 1915  |
| 3 | Duplicate postcards of members of A Company, 24 <sup>th</sup> London (Queen's Royal West Surrey) Regiment, including Hawkins, with messages on the reverse to his mother and aunt while at St Albans. 2 items                                   | 17 Jan 1915                 |
| 4 | Letters and postcards from Hawkins to his father, with complete transcript (undated) of one letter and transcript of extracts from others. Also two empty envelopes, one an empty 'active service' envelope used to send letters home. 10 items | 23 Apr 1915<br>-24 Jul 1918 |
| 5 | Christmas message to Hawkins from his brother   | 25 Dec 1915                 |

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| 6  | Letters and telegrams to Hawkins' father concerning the hospitalisation of his son  | 25 May 1916<br>-12 Jul 1918                     |
| 7  | Regimental Christmas card   | Dec 1916  |
| 8  | Soldier's pay book  | 1916  |
| 9  | Commission as a 2 <sup>nd</sup> Lieutenant in Machine Gun Corps   | 6 Nov 1917                                      |
| 10 | Cigarette cards, small cards with Hawkins' name and regiment on and a complementary card from St Saviours, St Albans.   | nd [?1914<br>-1918]                             |
| 11 | Photographs of an individual [?Hawkins] and a group of soldiers. 6 items  | nd [?1914<br>-1918]                             |
| 12 | Receipt from London Metropolitan Police for a revolver handed in at North Fulham Station  | 7 Jul 1922                                      |
| 13 | Cuttings from <i>The Daily Telegraph</i> and <i>Morning Post</i> concerning the fighting retreat of the 5 <sup>th</sup> Army in 1918. Also a cutting from an unknown paper regarding two wards at St Mary's Hospital, Paddington, which are to be endowed as a memorial to the 5 <sup>th</sup> Army | 21 Mar 1938<br>-[?mid 20 <sup>th</sup><br>cent] |

QRWS/30/HAWO/

HAWORTH, PRIVATE T, 1918

Served with Manchester Regiment. Joined 8<sup>th</sup> (Service) Battalion, Queen's, Aug 1918.

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| 1 | Photocopy of diary of service on Western Front, 11 Jul 1918-29 Nov 1918, with covering letter from Haworth's daughter to regimental museum, donating items, 2001 | (Jul 1918<br>-Nov 1918) |
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QRWS/30/HAYE/

HAYES, 2<sup>ND</sup> LIEUTENANT JOSEPH BARRY, 1913-1914

Served with the Queen's.

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|---|---|-------------|
| 1 | Commission as a 2 <sup>nd</sup> Lieutenant in the special reserve | 15 Mar 1913 |
| 2 | Commission as a 2 <sup>nd</sup> Lieutenant                        | 11 Oct 1914 |

QRWS/30/HAYWF/

HAYWARD, PRIVATE F, 1915

Served with 2<sup>nd</sup> Battalion.

See also papers of Henry James Hayward and Sydney Albert Hayward, his brothers, and Sydney Hayward, his father. A list of documents relating to all four is contained among the papers of the last named.

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| 1 | Swimming certificate | 28 May 1913 |
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QRWS/30/HAYWHJ/ HAYWARD, PRIVATE HENRY JAMES (?-1917), 1917

Served with 6<sup>th</sup> Battalion. Killed in action, 1917.

See also papers of F Hayward and Sydney Albert Hayward, his brothers, and Sydney Hayward, his father. A list of documents relating to all four is contained among the papers of the last named.

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| 1 | Letter to Hayward's next of kin, stating that he has been killed in action | 5 Sep 1917 |
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QRWS/30/HAYWSA/ HAYWARD, PRIVATE SYDNEY ALBERT (1888-?), 1919

Born, 1888. Enlisted, 1915. Served with 3<sup>rd</sup> Battalion and Machine Gun Corps during World War I. Transferred to reserve, 1919.

See also the papers of F Hayward and Henry James Hayward, his brothers, and Sydney Hayward, his father. A list of documents relating to all four is contained among the papers of the last named.

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| 1 | HM Forces out-of-work donation policy booklet, allowing former soldiers to claim money if unemployed | 1919        |
| 2 | Certificate of employment during the war   | nd [c.1919] |
| 3 | Protection and identify certificate for soldier not remaining with the Colours                       | 18 Jan 1919 |
| 4 | Soldier's demobilisation account   | 6 Feb 1919  |
| 5 | Discharge certificate  | 15 Feb 1919 |

QRWS/30/HAYWS/ HAYWARD, PRIVATE SYDNEY (C.1859-?), 1893

Born in [?Normanby] near Middlesbrough, c.1859.  
Enlisted at Croydon, 1880. Served in Queen's.  
Discharged, 1893.

See above for papers of his three sons.

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| 1 | Discharge certificate                        | 20 Mar 1893  |
| 2 | Character certificate                        | 20 Mar 1893  |
| 3 | List of papers of Hayward and his three sons | nd [?2 <sup>nd</sup> half<br>of 20 <sup>th</sup> cent] |

QRWS/30/HEAT/

HEATHER, PRIVATE EDWARD (C.1873-?), 1892-1904

Born, c.1873. Served in 3<sup>rd</sup> Battalion. Joined 1<sup>st</sup> Battalion, 1892, and served in Malta, 1893, and East Indies, 1895-1904. Discharged 1904.

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| 1 | Photocopies of attestation form and of service history | (15 Mar 1892<br>-24 Mar 1904) |
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QRWS/30/HEBB/

HEBBOURNE, PRIVATE DAVID, 1919

Served as Bandsman with 1<sup>st</sup> Battalion and wounded in 1914. Discharged, 1917.

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| 1 | Certificate of honourable discharge after being wounded. Includes a note giving further details and stating that the item was donated by Hebbourne's daughter | 10 Mar 1919 |
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QRWS/30/HENR/

HENRIQUES, LIEUTENANT RONALD L Q, 1902-1973

Born, c.1884. Gazetted to 2<sup>nd</sup> Battalion, 1903. Served in South Africa. Later transferred to 1<sup>st</sup> Battalion. Was the first officer of the regiment to be killed in World War I (14 Sep 1914).

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| 1 | Letter from Henriques to his mother on being made a corporal   | 2 Feb 1902                |
| 2 | Telegrams sent to by Henriques to his father stating that he has passed out of Sandhurst, 1903, and passed his musketry test, 1909. With further explanatory notes on the back | 4 Jul 1903<br>-3 Nov 1909 |

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| 3 | Scrapbook compiled by Henriques' nephew, Colonel K L Beddington: photographs taken by Henriques whilst in South Africa with 2 <sup>nd</sup> Battalion [?Queen's], with list of men in D Company, [c.1903]; letter sent by Henriques [to his sister] regarding having been gazetted to the Queen's Regiment, 10 Oct 1903; Christmas card sent by Henriques, 1913; telegram sent by Henriques [to his sister], thanking her for her help, 12 Aug 1914; photographs and cuttings relating to Henriques' death and to the Regiment's history and activities during World War I, including photograph of officers of 1 <sup>st</sup> Battalion who went to France in Aug 1914 and of the ten men who went to France with 1 <sup>st</sup> Battalion in Aug 1914 and returned in May 1919. Includes letters of sympathy sent to Henriques' mother and sister and letters to Henriques' sister from the Imperial War Graves Commission and from Major Dyer regarding the location of his grave, Feb 1925 | 1903-1935                        |
| 4 | Invitation to dinner commemorating 250 <sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Regiment   | 12 Jun 1911                      |
| 5 | Field service postcard sent to Henriques' sister from Private [?H Martin] stating that he is wounded and has been admitted to hospital   | 11 Nov 1914                      |
| 6 | Photocopy of cutting regarding Henriques' memorial service   | (nd [?1914])                     |
| 7 | Letter to Henriques' sister from Sergeant Walter Tyrell describing his own service history and relating his memories of Henriques  | 29 Mar 1916                      |
| 8 | Letter from donor Keith Beddington, Henriques' nephew  | 15 Feb 1973                      |
| 9 | Envelope used by Museum to hold above documents. Gives date of Henriques' death and states he was first officer casualty in the regiment during World War I  | nd [?late 20 <sup>th</sup> cent] |

Enlisted, 1908. Served with 4/4<sup>th</sup> Battalion. Discharged, 1916.

- 1 Discharge certificate 1 Apr 1916

QRWS/30/HEWE/

HEWETT, PRIVATE W, 1920

Served with 2/4<sup>th</sup> Battalion during World War.

- 1 Letter informing his widow that her husband's body has been exhumed and transferred to the Jerusalem War Cemetery 13 Dec 1920
- 2 Photographs of the Jerusalem War Cemetery and of Hewett's grave. 2 items nd [?late 20<sup>th</sup> cent]

QRWS/30/HILLG/

HILL, GEORGE, LATE 20<sup>TH</sup> CENT

Enlisted, 1943. Served with 2<sup>nd</sup> Battalion during World War II.

- 1 Account of service during Chindit Campaign in Burma, 1944 nd [late 20<sup>th</sup> cent]

QRWS/30/HILLHR/

HILL, LIEUTENANT COLONEL HENRY ROBERT DUNLOP (1915-1986), 1942-1986

Served with 2<sup>nd</sup> Battalion during World War II, and as Staff Captain, 16<sup>th</sup> Infantry Brigade. Commanded 1<sup>st</sup> Battalion in Malaya, 1954-1957.

- 1 Photocopies of letters from Hill to his parents, (1942-1943) 27 Jan 1942 and 18 Jun 1942, with transcripts. Also incomplete photocopy of letter describing events of May 1941, and incomplete transcript of letter describing events, Sep 1942-Mar 1943
- 2 Order for Hill's memorial service, held at the Priory Church of St Mary, Easebourne 30 Oct 1986

QRWS/30/HILLJG/

HILL, CORPORAL J G, 1893

Served with 1<sup>st</sup> Battalion.

- 1 Certificate showing qualifications in military subjects for the rank of sergeant 19 Aug 1893

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| 2 | Sketch map showing route from Polverista Gate to Zietun, Malta              | nd [?late 19 <sup>th</sup> cent]  |
| 3 | Envelope originally holding discharge certificate (certificate now missing) | nd [?early 20 <sup>th</sup> cent] |

QRWS/30/HINDAD/ HINDS, A D, 1900

Served with [?2<sup>nd</sup> Battalion].

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| 1 | Postcard sent to J Singleton reporting relief of Ladysmith | 1 Mar 1900 |
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QRWS/30/HINDH/ HINDS, PRIVATE HENRY (C.1865-?), 1884-1901

Born in [?Keston] near Maidstone, Kent, c.1865.  
Enlisted, 10 Dec 1883. Served with 2<sup>nd</sup> Battalion in India and Burma, 1885-1889. Discharged, 1895, and enlisted in 1<sup>st</sup> Battalion, Royal Counties Home Reserve Regiment, 1900. Discharged, 1901.

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| 1 | Account book, giving details of service, education, pay and next of kin   | 1884-1891                       |
| 2 | Discharge certificate   | 19 Dec 1895                     |
| 3 | Discharge certificate   | 18 Mar 1901                     |
| 4 | Character certificate   | 18 Mar 1901                     |
| 5 | Typed note listing items and stating that they were donated by Hinds' son | nd [late 20 <sup>th</sup> cent] |

QRWS/30/HOAR/ HOAR, CORPORAL G (1908-?), 1943

Born in Petersfield, Hampshire, 1908. Enlisted, 1939. Served with 2/5<sup>th</sup> Battalion and was a prisoner of war. Discharged, 1946.

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| 1 | Newspaper cutting from <i>The Camp</i> , newspaper of Stalag XXB Prisoner of War Camp, giving an account of Hoar's life. Includes covering note donating item | nd [c.1943] |
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QRWS/30/HOBR/ HOBROW, MAJOR A S C (1921-1999), 2<sup>ND</sup> HALF OF 20<sup>TH</sup> CENT-1999

Born, 1921. Commissioned into the Queen's, 1941.  
Served with 1<sup>st</sup> Battalion during World War II. Awarded  
Military Cross for actions at battle of Jail Hill, 1944.  
Died, 1999.

- 1 Photocopy of a personal account of entitled (nd [?2<sup>nd</sup> half  
'Shillong and Back to Burma', Aug 1944-May of 20<sup>th</sup> cent])  
1945. 2 copies
- 2 Cutting from the *Daily Telegraph* containing 14 Sep 1999  
Hobrow's obituary. 2 copies

QRWS/30/HODGE/

HODGEKIN, PRIVATE JOHN (1841-?), 1859-1880

Born in Maidstone, Kent, c.1841. Enlisted, 1859. Served  
with [?1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> Battalions]. Served abroad in China,  
1860-1861, Gibraltar, Jul 1864, [?Halifax], Sep 1864,  
Bermuda, 1865, and Ireland, 1866, Malta, 1877, and East  
India, 1878. Awarded good conduct medal, 1879.

- 1 Soldier's account book, giving details of 1859-1880  
service, pay, uniforms issued and next of kin

QRWS/30/HODGS/

HODGSON, CAPTAIN CHARLES BASIL MORTIMER (C.1881-  
1918), 2005

Born, c.1881. Served with 3<sup>rd</sup> Battalion. Later attached  
to 2/24<sup>th</sup> Battalion, London Regiment. Killed in action,  
Apr 1918.

- 1 Colour photograph of cross which marked 2005  
Hodgson's grave, now situated in Salisbury  
Cathedral

QRWS/30/HOIL/

HOILE, CAPTAIN JACK, 1918

Enlisted at Guildford, 1914. Served in the Queen's.  
Discharged, 1918, in order to take up a temporary  
commission as a 2<sup>nd</sup> Lieutenant in 3<sup>rd</sup> Battalion.

- 1 Discharge certificate, issued as a result of 25 Jun 1918  
being appointed to a temporary commission  
in 3<sup>rd</sup> Battalion
- 2 Temporary commission as a 2<sup>nd</sup> Lieutenant 17 Jul 1918

	3	Photograph of Hoile	nd [?early 20 <sup>th</sup> cent]
	4	Letter from depositor, donating items	7 Nov 2002
QRWS/30/HOLLI/		HOLLIMAN, REGIMENTAL QUARTERMASTER SERGEANT J, 1919	
		Served with 2 <sup>nd</sup> Battalion in World War I.	
	1	Mentioned in despatches certificate	1 Mar 1919
QRWS/30/HOLLO/		HOLLOWAY, PRIVATE JOHN THOMAS (?-1918), 1918-1921	
		Served with 1 <sup>st</sup> Battalion during World War I. Killed in action, 1918.	
	1	Reprint of Holloway's obituary	(25 Oct 1918)
	2	Letters sent to [Holloway's wife] regarding his medals. 3 letters, with 2 envelopes and a receipt to be sent back to the War Office	1921
QRWS/30/HOLM/		HOLMAN, CORPORAL J E, 1939-1946	
		Served with 2 <sup>nd</sup> Battalion in World War II.	
	1	Copies (undated) of photographs of Holman alone and with Corporals Mosling and Mills, India	(nd [c.1939] -1946)

QRWS/30/HOOK/

HOOKER, CAPTAIN W S, 1904-1922

Appears to have served with 4<sup>th</sup> Battalion during World War I, 53rd (Young Soldiers) Battalion, c.1919, and 2<sup>nd</sup> Battalion in India, 1920-1922.

- 1 Photograph album [created by Hooker]: 1/4<sup>th</sup> Battalion at Croydon, just before disbanding in 1919; family and friends; views of India, Egypt, Ceylon and Burma; 2<sup>nd</sup> Battalion and 9<sup>th</sup> Brigade in India, including in Waziristan on North West Frontier of India [now Pakistan], 1920-1922; presentation of Colours to 2/4<sup>th</sup> Battalion; 53rd (Young Soldiers) Battalion, The Queen's, in Germany. Also programmes of sporting events and copy of 'The Blockhouse' newsletter of 4<sup>th</sup> Battalion, Dec 1916. 1904-1922

QRWS/30/HORW/

HORWOOD, LIEUTENANT ALEC (1914-1944), 1940

Born, 1914. Joined 6<sup>th</sup> Battalion, 1939. Served in France and was captured by Germans at Dunkirk, but escaped, for which he was awarded the Distinguished Conduct Medal. Commissioned, Dec 1940. Attached to 1<sup>st</sup> Battalion, Northamptonshire Regiment, with which he served in the Far East. Killed in action, 1944. Awarded the Victoria Cross for actions in the days immediately preceding his death.

- 1 Photocopy of letter from Horwood to his father, describing his escape from German soldiers and journey behind enemy lines to Dunkirk (3 Jun 1940)
- 2 Copy (undated) of photograph of Horwood nd [?mid 20<sup>th</sup> cent]

QRWS/30/HUCK/

HUCKVILLE, SIGNALLER, 1943

Served with 1<sup>st</sup> Battalion and was present during the Quetta earthquake, 1935. Served during World War II and was a prisoner of war in Italy.

- 1 Photocopy (undated) of two pages from *The Griff*, a newsletter produced by POWs at Concentration Camp No 53 in Sforzagosta, Italy, with an article by Huckville regarding his experiences in the Quetta earthquake, 1935. With notes regarding the production of the newsletter (Sep 1943)

QRWS/30/HUNT/

HUNT, SERGEANT ALFRED DANIEL (C.1891-?), 1915-1918

Born, c.1891. Enlisted, c.1906. Served with 1<sup>st</sup> Volunteer Battalion (later 4<sup>th</sup> Battalion), then during World War I with 3/4<sup>th</sup> Battalion and 8<sup>th</sup> Battalion.

- 1 Account by Hunt of his service, 1906-1915 Oct 1915
- 2 Congratulatory card from Major General Campbell to Sergeant A W Hunt on distinguishing himself in the field Oct 1917
- 3 Cards stating that Hunt is a POW in Germany. 23 Mar 1918  
2 items -21 Apr 1918
- 4 Letter to Hunt's next of kin, informing her that Hunt is missing 1 May 1918
- 5 Identity disk nd [?1914-1918]
- 6 Letter to the Museum from Hunt's daughter, donating items 23 Apr 1979

QRWS/30/HUNTE/

HUNTER, SURGEON STAFF 1<sup>ST</sup> CLASS, ROBERT HOPE ALSTON (1805-1867), 1850

Born in Dumfriesshire, 1803. Appointed Assistant-Surgeon to the Queen's, 1830. Transferred to 57<sup>th</sup> Regiment of Foot, 1843. Retired on half pay, 1852. Died, 1867.

- 1 Copy (undated) of a photograph of Hunter, Army Medical Services. (nd [c.1850])

QRWS/30/HUTC/

HUTCHINGS, BANDSMAN THOMAS JAMES (1905-1998), 1928

Served with 1<sup>st</sup> Battalion.

- 1 Photograph of parade through Hong Kong, nd [c.1928]  
with note outlining Hutchings' service

QRWS/30/HUTT/

HUTTON, QUARTERMASTER SERGEANT WILLIAM JOSEPH,  
1895-1906

Born, c.1871. Served with 1<sup>st</sup> Battalion. Died of illness  
while on service, 1906.

- 1 Photographs of Hutton alone and with a nd [?1890s]  
[?family group]. 5 items
- 2 Letter to Hutton's sister from Col Francis J 30 Jun 1906  
Pink, informing her of the death of her brother
- 3 Photograph of Hutton's grave 30 Jun 1906
- 4 Card showing Regimental Colours nd [?early 20<sup>th</sup>  
cent]
- 5 Cutting from unknown publication showing a nd [?early 20<sup>th</sup>  
group photograph of 'The Non-Coms of the cent]  
Queen's' [?1<sup>st</sup> Battalion] on the North West  
Frontier