COLLECTION TITLE	Papers of John Coates
COLLECTION IDENTIFIER	MSS 366
INCLUSIVE DATE(S)	1899 to 2006
EXTENT	16 boxes + 9 oversize + 34 maps
CREATOR	Coates, John, 1932 Archives
RELATED ENTITIES	Coates, John, 1932 Archives
RELATED COLLECTIONS	Papers of John Coates
ACCESS POINTS	Military historians Military historians Australia Archives

BIOGRAPHICAL NOTE

Lieutenant-General (Henry) John Coates was born in Adelaide in 1932, educated at Ipswich Grammar School, Queensland, and graduated from the Royal Military College, Duntroon in 1955 into the Royal Australian Armoured Corps. He holds a BA in History and Economics from the University of Western Australia, 1962, BA (Hons) in Oriental and Russian History, Australian National University, 1965, and an MA in Military History from the Australian National University, 1975. He attended the Australian Staff College, Queenscliff in 1968, the Australian Joint Services Staff College in 1975, and the Royal College of Defence Studies, London in 1981.

During his long and distinguished military career he held various staff and command appointments both in Australia and overseas, including the appointment of Commandant of the Royal Military College, Duntroon, 1983, Head of the Australian Defence Staff, Washington, 1984-1987, Assistant Chief Defence Force (Policy), 1987-1989 and Chief of the General Staff, Australian Army, 1990-1992. After retirement, he was invited to become a Visiting Fellow at the School of Humanities and Social Sciences, University College, Australian Defence Force Academy, Canberra.

After retiring from the Army in 1992, he has been a Visiting Fellow in the History discipline, The School of Humanities and Social Sciences at UNSW Canberra, Australian Defence Force Academy, Canberra.

He is a highly respected military historian, and since his retirement has authored a number of military history books and publications, including *Suppressing insurgency: an analysis of the Malayan Emergency*, 1948-1954(1992)

Review of the Ready Reserve scheme (co-authored with Hugh Smith, 1995)

Bravery above blunder: the 9th Division at Finschhafen, Sattelberg and Sio(1999)

The Australian centenary history of defence, co-editor (2001)

An atlas of Australia's wars volume 7 of The Australian centenary history of defence (2001)

An atlas of Australia's wars, 2nd edition 2006.

He was awarded an MBE in 1971, an AO in 1987, an AC (Mil) in 1992, and the Centenary Medal in 2003.

References:

Lieutenant-General John Coates, April 2004 *Defence Force Journal*, No. 45, March/April 1984, p. 16 *Who's who in Australia 2007*, p. 469-470.

SCOPE AND CONTENT NOTE

This collection comprises research material used for the publication of the book *Bravery above blunder: the 9th Division at Finschhafen, Sattelberg and Sio* (1999). It includes photocopies of military archival material held in Australia, the United States and Britain, detailing the Huon Peninsula Campaign in New Guinea in 1943-44; interviews with Japanese prisoners of war and, post-war Japanese commanders; audio cassette interviews with Australian commanders; and maps of the Huon Peninsula area, and selected maps used for *An atlas of Australia's wars*.

ARRANGEMENT

This collection has been arranged into box then folder order.

ACCESS RESTRICTIONS

The collection is available for research.

SOURCE OF ACQUISITION

The collection was acquired from John Coates in 1999, 2007 and 2008.

EXISTENCE AND LOCATION OF ORGINALS

Special Collections, UNSW Canberra

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Box 1 (MSS 366.B1)

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Correspondence, 1992-1996 to Lt. Gen. John Coates, re research for Bravery above blunder: the 9th Australian Division at Finschhafen, Sattelberg, and Sio (1999). Includes personal reminiscences and a photocopied newspaper clipping Photocopied newsletter/newsletter articles about the death of Geoff Crawford, with biographical details and funeral agenda on the other side (2 copies)

2/17 Battalion A.I.F. Association publications

- Newsletter 2/17 Battalion A.I.F. Association, Vol. 1, no.227, December 1993, 36p.
- 2/13 Battalion Association Inc. publications
 - The Devil's Own Despatch, The Journal of the 2/13 Battalion Association Inc.
 - Vol. 33, no. 3, September 1995, 56p.
 - Part of Vol. 32, no. 1, March 1994, pp.16-16-19
 - Vol.37, no.1, February/March 1999, 27p.

The formation of 9th Australian Division A.I.F. – 1940/1941. The Devil's Own Despatch, October 1979, pp.6-9. A list of Members, associate members, widows of members and other subscribers to The Devil's Own Dispatch, 9p. Miscellaneous

3 pages photocopied from "Mud and blood', 2/23 Battalion Association, series 13, no. 7, September 1993 2/3rd Pioneer Battalion Association publications

- The Pioneer, Official Journal of the 2/3rd Pioneer battalion Association publications, Vol. 62, April 1996, 6p.
- 2/3rd Anti-tank Regt. A.I.F. Association news Bulletin, 4p. (photocopy)
- Miscellaneous collection (Includes: Photocopied cover pages: of 2/2 Machine Gun Battalion newsletter, 2/15 BN A.I.F. Journal of the Remembrance Club Inc....etc.)

Folder 2 (MSS 366.B1.2)

Photocopied bibliographic lists/records from military institutions and museums/libraries Wartime translations of seized Japanese documents – Allied translator and interpreter section reports, 1942-1946. Indexes, pp. vii-xv Asian studies, research collections - part of a book catalogue

MacArthur archives record groups, 6p.

Table of contents: X - World War II Theatre

Douglas MacArthur, A working bibliography of MHI sources, 7p.

US Army in Australia, WW II, a working bibliography of MHI sources, 2p.

Australian archives, ANGAM II, 16 April 1996, 15p.

Australian manuscript collection, La Trobe Library, MS 11355 - Sir Edmund Francis Herring papers, 36p.

Douglas MacArthur Memorial Archives and Library - record groups, 7p.

Bibliography, Australian Archives, Canberra, Unpublished official records, pp.79-81, Newspapers, pp. 82-85

Office of the Chief of Military History, Special staff - Historical Manuscript file - Interrogation of Japanese officials on World War II (English translations), 7p.

Office of the Chief of Military History, Special staff - Historical Manuscript file - Statement of Japanese officials on World War II (English translations), 28p.

Handwritten notes - sequenced finding aid

Miscellaneous bibliographic records/lists

Folder 3 (MSS 366.B1.3)

Finding aid: the Commission of Inquiry into Japanese atrocities conducted by Sir William Webb, 1943-1944, 54p. List of casualties, 2/3 PN BN unit, 6p.

Book chapter – Inquiry into the "Brisbane Line" allegations. "I wish the politicians would end their arguments over something which never existed", pp.271-281

List of Army with their numbers, 13p.

Various papers on "honours and awards"

The papers of Field Marshal Montgomery, 16p.

1 newspaper clippings and 2 photocopied magazine clippings

Colour dividers

Miscellaneous collection (Includes: photocopied printed material, notes, request forms...etc.)

Folder 4 (MSS 366.B1.4)

Short biographies of Australian and United States military commanders

Drea, E. J. A soldier of the emperor: Adachi Hatazo and the Imperial Japanese Army, January 30, 1994, 30p.

The Commander-in-chief in the Prime minister's party 1944, 8p.

Note on operations in Malaya, Dec. 41- Feb. 42 with appendices A, B, C and D, 26p.

Papers/reports on LHQ Training Centre (Jungle Warfare)

Folder 5 (MSS 366.B1.5)

General correspondence 1941-1945 - Australian units,

General correspondence 1941-1945 – Most secret radios

Correspondence - Allied land forces (ALF), 1 May 42-23 Dec. 44

General correspondence - Operations plans

Correspondence from General Marshall to General MacArthur

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Photocopied book/report chapters onoperations of the Imperial Japanese Army

Section 3 - Military operations in the Finschhafen area, pp.176-200

Section 6 - Experience of the Japanese soldiers in Papua-New Guinea, pp.97-100

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Part of the book/report titled "The psychology of the Japanese soldiers" submitted by Bonner F. Fellers, pp.1-50 Untitled pages, 3p.

Folder 46 (MSS 366.B10.46)

Photocopied research material

lwamoto, H. Japanese and New Guinean memories of wartime experiences at Rabaul, 1942 to 1946, 8p.

Iwamoto, H. Japanese images of air war in Papua New Guinea, 10p.

Iwamoto, H. Patrol reports - sources for assessing war damage in Papua New Guinea, 10p. + appendix A

The warrior's dishonor, pp.1-13

US Army and Japanese Imperial Army doctrine during World War II, 27p.

Some pages from "Waging war without warriors"

Folder 47 (MSS 366.B10.47)

Correspondence and questionnaires relating to Coates' M.A. thesis 'An operational analysis of the emergency in Malaya 1948-1954' and correspondence relating to Coates' MA scholarship from the Australian National University

Folder 48 (MSS 366.B10.48)

Printout of a talk, 17p.

Some pages photocopied from "Australian Government Defence annual report 2002-03

Folder 49 (MSS 366.B10.49)

Interview with Lieutenant General Henry John Coates AC MBE at the Australian Defence Force Academy, Monday the 23rd of September 2002, interviewer, Alan Ryan, 9p.

Coates, J. Preparing armoured units for overseas service, pp.74-95

The Australian Army and the Vietnam War 1962-1972, preparing armoured units for overseas service. A draft, 16p. Comments on "Preparing armoured units for overseas service in Vietnam", 7p.

Some pages from a book, pp.4-31

Panzerkampfwagen III (Pz Kw III) and its variants, pp.35-39

Some pages from "The life and death of the Afrika Korps"

Harris, J. P. British armour and rearmament in the 1930s. The Journal of Strategic Studies, Vol. 2, no. 2, June 1988, pp.220-244

Miscellaneous correspondence, accompanied information and notes

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Correspondence, questionnaires and notes relating to "RMC Class of 1952-1955 reunion in 1995"

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Miscellaneous correspondence and information relating to the 8 volume publication titled: "Century history of the Australian Defence Force and the Department Defence"

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Photocopied research material [for "An atlas of Australia's wars"?]

List of divisional commanders, 1p. Chapter eleven – "The historian as prophet and redeemer", pp.398-416 from book titled: The fabrication of aboriginal history, Vol. 1 - Van Diemen's land 1803-1847 by Windschuttle, Keith Roberts, C. A. M. The landing at Anzac: an Australian defensive action, Paper presented at the Australian War Memorial History Conference, 9-13 July 1990, 23p. together with notes on Intelligence for the Gallipoli landings - Apr 25 Sears, J. S. A military misjudgement the Anzac landings, 28p. Summing up the Somme. History Today, November 1991, pp.37-43 Hughes, J. The battle for the Hindenburg Line, pp.41-57 Bean, Monash and Hamel - a reassessment, 14p. Hamel: winning a battle, pp.5-13 10 maps (Includes: Gallipoli Peninsula, Artillery positions Gallipoli, Positions of Anzac artillery, naval gunfire support ANZ...etc.)

Folder 53 (MSS 366.B11.53)

Photocopied research material [for "An atlas of Australia's wars"?]

Biographical entries on various Australian politicians and military commanders

Buckley, J. P. Lieutenant General Sir Vernon Sturdee, KBE, CB, DSO, Defence Force Journal, No. 41, July-August 83, pp.29-43

Notes on corps vs militia

Literature search results on "Inspector General and pages from a report/book

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Photocopied research material [for "An atlas of Australia's wars"?]

Correspondence from John Coates to Gen. Peter Gration, 15 September 1992 on Light Horse memorial, 2p.

List of Australian light Horse Divisional and brigade commanders, 1p.

Correspondence and a list of associations with light horse connections, 3p.

Significant world events from the Australian Light Horse, period 1901-WW2, 8p.

Significant Australian events from the Australian Light Horse, period 1901-WW2, 8p.

Memo to Lt-Gen. John Coates, 19 Sep. 1995, 2p.

A brief history of the Australian Light horse, prepared for The Defence Housing Authority, December 1995, 16p.

Extracts from a journal on Lights Horse, pp.351-354

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Photocopied/printed research material [for "An atlas of Australia's wars"?]

Correspondence to Coates from Kevin B. Rogers with along with information on "Crete chapter in the AOAW"12p.

Rogers, K. B. (2003) Operation mercury Crete 1941: military essentials of the land battle, 33p. (includes 8 colour maps) along with correspondence to Coates

Notes on Crusader, 18 Nov - 12 Dec, 3p.

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Summary of El Alamein Battle, 23 Oct – 3 Nov 1942. Lecture notes, 17p.

G. H. Q. Tactical discussion, M.E.J.S.S. 24-26 Nov 42 - Description of the planning and conduct of the battle of Alamein, by Lt. Gen. B. G. Horrocks, DSO., MC., 9p.

Printed web pages "Affidavit to accompany memorandum on the German general staff and high command, 8p.

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Nelson, H. (1999) The pacific war in Papua New Guinea: perceptions and realities, 27p.

The official names of the battles, actions and engagements fought by the land forces of the Commonwealth during the Australian Campaign in the "South-west pacific 1942-1945" and the "New Zealand Campaign in the South pacific 1942-1944" and the "Korean Campaign 1950-1953": final report of the battles Nomenclature Committee as approved by the Army Council, 16p.

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Photocopied research material [for "An atlas of Australia's wars"?]

Correspondence on Malayan Emergency, 2 Oct 1992

Information and list of participants of Malayan Emergency Workshop, 22-23 February 1999

Mackie, J. The formation of Malaysia (1961-3) and 'Konfrontasi' (1963-6); the role of the MCP and other leftist forces, 3p. The emergency in Malaya – Lectures

- Lecture I The coming of the emergency, 6p.
- Lecture II The British reaction, 5p.

- Lecture III The insurgent organization: development and decline, 5p.
- Lecture IV The advent of Briggs, 10p.
- Lecture V The impact of templer, 10p.
- Chapter I Background to the emergency: the opposing forces, pp.1-28 of The Malayan emergency 1948-1960
- Tilman, R. O. The non lessons of the Malayan Emergency, pp.407-419
- Walker, W. How Borneo was won: the untold story of an Asian victory, pp.9-20
- 2 pages from a book (The onus of responsibility)

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Photocopied research material [for "An atlas of Australia's wars"?]

Correspondence on "New divisional organization", 29 Oct 1985, 3p.

Lecture by Brigadier S. C. Graham, Brisbane 1968 on 1 ATF operations in SVN, 17p.

Graham, S. G. Observations on operations in Vietnam, pp.5-28 (original pages extracted from a book)

O'Neill, R. Australian military problems in Vietnam, Australian Outlook, Vol. 23, no. 1, 1969, pp.46-57

McNeill, I. G. An outline of the Australian military involvement in Vietnam, July 1962 – December 1972. Presentation to British Commission for Military History Conference, Sandhurst, 19-23 July 1979. Defence Force Journal, No. 24, Sep/Oct 80, pp.42-53

Notes relating to the 8RAR/3 Cav Regt friendly fire incident in Vietnam from AWM 98 and 103

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Correspondence together with a book chapter – Drea, E. J. Where the Japanese Army codes secure?, pp.113-136 1 Newspaper clipping and 2 photocopied newspaper clippings Embarkation nominal roll, 18p.

Norman, C. H. B. 2/28 Aust Inf Bn: report on operations – Scarlet Beach – Katika – Song River – Bonga – Wareo, 14 Oct 43 – 31 Dec 43, 11p.

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Questions and answers by S. H. Christian - pages extracted from a book/report, 16p.

Starvation Hill: the story of 13 platoon's (2/13 battalion) and their part in the capture of high ground prior to the fall of Finchaffen during October, 1943, by NX91163 Pte. Jim Griggs, 5p.

Rats of Tobruk Association (NSW) - R.O.T.A.: the siege of Tobruk - 10th April 1941 to 7th December 1941, 10p. Miscellaneous collection (Includes: Various forms, Pages extracted from books, Notes, Correspondence, Biographical information...etc.)

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Results of a literature search done on "Singapore strategy" for Coates by Christopher Dawkins in Academy Library database

Results of a literature search done on "Singapore strategy, defence...etc" in Historical Abstracts database Web pages – Singapore, 1941-1945: pre-war defence strategy, 3p.

Report on "The military defence of Australia", by a conference of senior officers if the Australian military force, 1920. Vol. I and II, 32p.

Cain, F. The pacific war: why did the Menzies Government not see it coming?. Photocopied from: Cain, F. (Ed.). (1997). Menzies in war and peace. NSW, Australia: Allen and Unwin, pp.1-23. (together with correspondence from the author of this book to Coates)

Ferris, J. "Worthy of some better enemy?": the British estimate of the Imperial Japanese Army 1919-41, and the fall of Singapore. Canadian journal of History, Vol. 28, Issue 2, August 1993, pp.223-256

Notes and a synopsis of the Singapore strategy

Gordon, A. The admiralty and imperial overstretch, 1902-1941. Photocopied from: Till, G. (Ed.). (1994). Seapower: theory and practice. London, UK: Frank Cass, pp.63-85

Marder, A. The influence of history on sea power: the Royal Navy and the lessons of 1914-1918. Pacific Historical Review, Vol. 41, no. 1972, pp.413-443. (together with 1 page notes)

Till, G. Retrenchment rethinking revival 1919-1939. Photocopied from: Hill, R. J. (Ed.). (1995). The Oxford illustrated history of the Royal Navy. Oxford, UK: Oxford University Press, pp.319-347

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War of 1939-45. Australian War Memorial record: AWM 54 553/5/23 Pt.1, pp.9-198 (some pages are missing n between)

Thyer, J. H. Records of the war of 1939-45. Australian War Memorial record: AWM 93 50/2/23/480, pp.6-10 together with correspondence and notes

Papers of Brigadier H. B. Taylor, 22 Bde AIF, Australian War Memorial record: PR85/42, 30p. + 2 maps

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Lowe, P. Great Britain's assessment of Japan before the outbreak of the Pacific War. Photocopied from: May, E. R. (Ed.). (1984). Knowing one's enemies: intelligence assessment before the two World Wars. New Jersey, USA: Princeton University Press, pp.456-475

McCarthy, J. Singapore and Australian defence 1921-1942, pp.165-180

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Vol. 25, no. 2, 1933, pp.207-217

Robertson, H. C. H. The defence of Australia, The Army Quarterly, Vol. 30, no. 1, 1935, pp.15-33

An army view of Australian defence policy: Major General V. C. M. Sellheim, 1926, 15p.

Introduction to 1985 reprint, pp.xix-xxii

Sixty Years on the Fall of Singapore Revisited. A conference to commemorate the 60^{h} anniversary of this major event of the Second World War.

- Descriptions of sessions and abstracts/summaries of papers, 12p.
- Biographies of conference presenters, 5p.
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The commandants service paper. General Sosaku Suzuki, Japan (1891-1945), 6p.

Brewer, C. The general staff of the German Army: a lesson in military organization, pp.157-166

Samuels, M. Directive command and the German general staff. War in History, Vol. 2, no. 1, 1995, pp.22-42 Command and Staff Collage. The development of military staff systems: index/instructions for issue, 18p. + annexes (51p.)

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Howard, M. Mistake to declare this a 'War', RUSI Journal, December 2001, pp.1-4

MacKinlay, J. NATO and Bin Laden, RUSI Journal, December 2001, pp.36-40

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Ritter, S. Why is always pays to know your enemy. Sydney Morning Herald, April 5, 2003, 2p.

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Finlan, A. Trapped in the dead ground: US counter-insurgency strategy in Iraq, Small Wars and Insurgencies, Vol. 16, no. 1, pp.1-21

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Various articles printed from web

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Washington Post regular column "Early warning" by William M. Arkin, March 6, 2006, 2p.

Pillar, P. R. Intelligence, policy and the war in Iraq, 7p.

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Biddle, S. (2002). Afghanistan and the future of warfare: implications for army and defence policy, 58p.

Andrade, D. Information Paper: the battle for Mazar-e-Sharif, October-November 2001, 6p.

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Sherry, M. The course of operation enduring freedom in southern and eastern Afghanistan, 6p.

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Using limited air power in the 20th century. Journal of the Royal United Service Institution, Vol. 146, no. 6, pp.59-62 Wohlstetter, R. Cuba and Pearl Harbor: hindsight and foresight, pp.691-707

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Coleman, D. C. Mercantilism revisited. Historical Journal, Vol. 23, no. 4, 1980, pp.773-791

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Dornberg, J. Count Rumford the most successful yank abroad, ever. Smithsonian, Vol. 25, no. 9, 19994, pp.102-115 (some pages are missing in between)

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Smith, H. Conscientious objection to particular wars: Australia's experience during the Vietnam War, 1965-1972. War and Society, Vol. 8, no. 1, 1990, pp.118-134

Introduction to command, commandant C&SC, 11 June 93, 6p.

Australian Heritage Commission. Register of the national estate database legal status codes, 20 April 1995, 7p.

Friedman, N. The fifty-years war: conflict and strategy in the Cold War. RUSI Journal, June 2001, pp.20-25

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- 3. Brig Sir Frederick Chilton
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- 5. Maj Bruce G. Cribb
- 6. LtGen Sir Thomas Daly
- 7. Capt Neil B. Gilmour and Capt Harold Gray
- 8. Col Colin H. Grace
- 9. and 10. Lt Ken J. Hall
- 11. LtCol R. J. (later Sir Rupert) Hamer
- 12. Gen Sir Francis Hassett
- 13. LtCol Geoff D. Houston
- 14. LtCol Ron Ireland
- 15. MajGen Ken Mackay
- 16. Maj K. F. (Bill) Mollard
- 17. Capt Vic Nelson and Capt R. (Bob) W. Lewin
- 18. Brig C. Hugh B. Norman
- 19. Gun Sgt Max Parsons
- 20. Col Phil H. Pike
- 21. Maj Ray S. Rudkin
- 22. Capt E. John (Jock) Shattock
- 23. Steve Fitzgerald and LtCol F. A. George Tucker
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- 25. Les Rowe
- 26. MajGen Tim Cape

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Photocopied handwritten and typescript copies of correspondence, reports and citations by/received by Maj. Rosevear, 1943-1965 regarding new Guinea campaigns

- Information on Finschhafen action, Oct 1943 from papers left by Maj. George Rosevear M.M. of 2/3 Pioneer Battalion who was headquarters coy commander
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Intelligence regulations, Prepared by the general staff American Expeditionary Forces, 28p.

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- · Lieut. Gen. G. C. Kenny and Gen. H. H. Arnold
- · Lieut. Gen. G. C. Kenny and Maj. Gen. E. C. Whitehead
- Gen. Arnold and ? (incomplete)
- Col. C. Cooper and Lieut. Gen. G. C. Kenny
- Lieut. Gen. G. C. Kenny and Maj. Gen. R. K. Sutherland
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- Col. Henry Hutchings and Brig. Gen. W. F. Heavey
- Brig. Gen. Hugh J. Casey and Brig. Gen. W. F. Heavey
- Lieut. Gen. Sir Iven Mackay Maj. Gen. E. C. Whitehead

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- · Gen. Douglas MacArthur and Gen. Walter Krueger
- Gen. Walter Krueger and Gen. E. A. Blamey
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- Maj. Gen. Walter Krueger and Robert Eichelberger
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Special Intelligence Bulletin, 1 July 1943 – 31 December 1943 (Nos. 60-239) Summaries of operations

- Summary 545 (cont'd.) Operations in the Ramu-Markham Valleys, 4p.
- Summary 546 (cont'd) Navy, 3p.
- Summary 547 (cont'd) 4p.
- Summary 548 (cont'd) Navy, 4p.
- I-III: daily summary of enemy intelligence, IV: G-2 estimate of the enemy situation
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Photocopied copies of United States military reports on the Huon Peninsular campaign, 1943 - 1944

Monthly historical report of operations: 2nd Engineer Special brigade, October 1 – 31, 1943, 27p.

Finschhafen operation, Seventh Amphibious Force - report upon, 8 December 1943, 14p.

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Notes on amphibious operations no. 4 (S. W. P. A.) - report on Diminish Operation, 21/22 September 1943, 7p.

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Report on patrols in the southwest pacific area, Army ground forces 2 May 1944, 21p.

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Final report on operations of 2D ESB, June 20 - Sept 30, v.p. (183p.) + map of New Guinea Langemak Bay, 3p. This report is about the operations in Nassau Bay-Salamaua, Lae, Finschhafen of Papua New Guinea, 1943

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Doc no. 50738: full translation of statement by Majors Furukawa and Hirano, 22 July 1949, 3p.

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- No. 97 Air operations by Japanese Naval Air Forces based at Rabaul, pp.413-421
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Chapter XIV – The attack and defence of Finschhafen, pp.87-97

Chapter XVI - Air and shipping position in New Guinea, pp. 109-116

Appendix – units which participated in the East New Guinea War, Units under the direct command of 18th Army, pp.i-vii The New Guinea Campaign, pp.173-190

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Lessons from the New Guinea Campaign, 13p.

Othertype Map Cabinet 4, Drawer 10 (MSS 366.MAP4.10)

Oversize 1 (MSS 366.MAP4.10.1)

Nine maps of the Huon Peninsula area, including:

East Indies (featuring Papua New Guinea), 1928, reissued 1942

Hand drawn map of Finschhafen in 1943

Annotated photocopy map of Finschhafen coastline

Huon Peninsula

Photomap of Bonga (two copies)

New Guinea coastline from Madang towards Finschhafen and south to Lae

Finschhafen coastline featuring Scarlet Beach, Sattelberg and Langemak Bay

Photocopy of map 'Progress of defence operation (after MO operation)'

Three black and white photographs - aerial photographs of the Finschhafen area taken in July 1943 plus letter of description

Oversize 2 (MSS 366.MAP4.10.2)

Enlarged copies of maps and pages from *An atlas of Australia's wars*, by John Coates; Oxford University Press, South Melbourne, 2006, 2nd edition:

'World War I', including:

Map 8a 'The first months of World War I in the Pacific and Indian Oceans' and map 8b 'Th €ydney/Emden action, 9 November 1914'

Page 42 text with map entitled 'Looking south from Anzac Cove'

Map 11a 'The covering force plan and the Turkish defences in the Ari Burnu-Gaba Tepe area' and map 11b 'Naval gunfire support at the landing, 25 April 1915'

Map 28 'Battle of Hamel, 4 July 1918'

Oversize 3 (MSS 366.MAP4.10.3)

Enlarged copies of maps from *An atlas of Australia's wars*, by John Coates; Oxford University Press, South Melbourne, 2006. 2nd edition:

'Australian forces in Europe and the Mediterranean in World War II', including:

Map 63a 'El Alamein : the July fighting when Field Marshal Rommel's offensive was halted by General Auchinleck' and

map 63b 'Field Marshal Rommel's final offensive: the Battle of Alam Halfa, 30 August-3 September 1942' Map 64a 'The Battle of El Alamein: the course of fighting, 23 October-4 November 1942'; map 64b 'The 9th Division's task at El Alamein' and map 64c 'Operations Supercharge' Map 67 'The Nuremberg operation, 30-31 March 1944'

Oversize 4 (MSS 366.MAP4.10.4)

Enlarged copies of maps and pages from *An atlas of Australia's wars*, by John Coates; Oxford University Press, South Melbourne, 2006, 2nd edition:

'Australian forces in the Pacific in World War II', including:

Page 199 text with map photographs of 'A scale mock-up of Ford Island and Battleship Row' and 'Japanese carrier aircraft taking off for the Pearl Harbor attack'

Map 71a 'Japanese plan, Asia and Western Pacific, October 1941' and map 71b 'The Japanese offensive, January-march 1942'

Map 72 'Location of Australia forces, 8 December 1941'

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Enlarged copies of maps from *An atlas of Australia's wars*, by John Coates; Oxford University Press, South Melbourne, 2006, 2nd edition:

'Australian forces in the Pacific in World War II', including:

Map 74a 'Malaya: topography and land use' and map 74b 'Malaya: location of British Empire forces, 8 December 1941' Map 75a 'Thailand and Malaya: Japanese landings and advance, 8-20 December 1941'; map 75 b 'Japanese advance and British Empire force's withdrawal to Singapore Island, 21 December 1941-31 January 1942'; and map 75c 'Sinking of *Prince of Wales* and *Repulse*, 10 December 1941'

Map 77a 'Singapore Island : British Empire defences' and map 77b 'Singapore Island : the Japanese attack, 8 February 1942'

Map 78a 'Singapore Island : situation on 10 February 1942' and 'Singapore Island : situation at time of capitulation, 15 February 1942'

Map 108a 'Wewak : Operation Deluge, the amphibious landing, 11 May 1945' and map 108b 'Wewak : General Adachi's last stand, July-August 1945'

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Enlarged copies of maps from *An atlas of Australia's wars*, by John Coates; Oxford University Press, South Melbourne, 2006. 2nd edition:

'The post-World War II period':

'The Malayan Emergency and confrontation', including:

Map 131a 'Malaya: a guerrilla's paradise'; map 131b 'Main terrorist areas'; and map 131c 'Federal priority operations, 1955-59'

'Since the Cold War':

'The war in Afghanistan', including:

Map 153a 'Afghanistan, ethnic composition'; map 153b 'US Central Command (CENTCOM), area of responsibility'; and map 153c 'Afghanistan, concept of operations'

'The war in Iraq', including:

Map 156a 'The first Gulf War (outline), 17 January-28 February 1991'; map 156b 'Ethnoreligious groups in Iraq'; and map 156c 'Iraq's oil infrastructure'

Map 157a 'Outline coalition plan for the campaign'; map 157b 'Iraq's defences'; and map 157c 'Iraq's regional commands'

'Peace-keeping operation':

Map 162 'Peace-keeping operations in which Australian military forces have been involved, 1947-2006'

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Laminated maps, April 2004, including: North Western Turkey Europe Northern Europe

Mediterranean

Oversize 8 (MSS 366.MAP4.10.8)

Laminated map with smaller map inserts showing the state of Europe and the Mediterranean during World War II from 7/4/1939 - 9/5/1945

Oversize 9 (MSS 366.MAP4.10.9)

Maps, including: Western Sahara briefing map, 1991 Contact covered small map of the Middle-East listing major incidents and key events Iraq briefing map, August 2002