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Bolshaya Igra (The Great Game)

Rail communications in India 1942-44 – especially those in the North-East

The Place of Slaughter – the Ambala Campaign of 1863

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- Sepoys in the Trenches – The Indian Corps on the Western Front 1914-15

Letters and Queries

- Early awards of the IDSM 1907-08
- Americans and the Raj 1600-1900 – John Parker Boyd; Brevet Major General Emory Upton
- Pre-1947 Police Forces
- Badge queries – AKRF; MODC, Johore State Forces, Government Guards of Aden, 3rd Carabiniers (see No 2 Letters below)
- Hazara Pioneers

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An old badge of the Baluchistan Police

Selected Royal Humane Society Bronze Medals with an Indian interest

The Pagoda falls far from the tree (the rupee in late 18th century America)

Indian Labour Companies

Obituaries – Gaje Ghale VC and Agansing Rai VC

Book Review:

- Commonwealth Divisions 1939-1945

Letters and Queries:

- Badge identifications (see No.1 above)
- World War I Memorial Plaques
- Mutiny veterans – Delhi Durbar 1903 – odd units
- Khaki Ressala
- Grave of Major J Alford, Indian Armoured Corps, OC 100 Independent Light Tank Squadron
- BLH pouch

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Obituary – John Gaylor

Indian Armoured Corps

The MacGregor Memorial Medal – Unidentified Journeys

The Meerut District Volunteer Force 1857 – “The Khaki Ressalah”

World War One Memorial Plaques

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Burning Bright – panther hunt

Obituary – Ganju Lama VC MM

Book Notes:

- The Unforgettable Army: Slim’s XIVth Army in Burma
- St George and the Chinese Dragon
- The Armed Forces of Aden 1839-1967

Letters and Queries:

- BLH pouch (Behar Light Horse)
- Military armbands

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124th Duchess of Connaught’s Own Baluchistan Infantry

But where did the mules come from? (Steep Holm)

Jangi Inams to the Indian State Forces 1939-45

What happened to the Bronze Medallists (Royal Humane Society) (see No. 2 above)

Dehra Dun 1939 (continued)

Entry into service of Officer Cadets for the East India Company’s Army

Book Review:

- Soldier Sahibs – the men who made the North-West Frontier