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This is the extraordinary story untold until now, of how unlikely combatants like waiters, cooks, nurses and cleaners who never in their dreams imagined they could be caught up in a war, found themselves on the front line at the very end of the world. A comprehensive account of every major war and battle

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fought in the Americas, this revised edition of the award-winning Wars of the Americas offers up-to-date scholarship on the conflicts that have shaped a hemisphere. • Thousands of dated entries in two complete volumes, covering major battles and engagements of every war in the Western Hemisphere over the last 500 years • More than 200 sidebars offering insights on famous commanders and such important topics as weapons development, epidemics, and more • More than 90 maps detailing the course of specific battles, invasions, and assaults • 271

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Forgotten Frigate Of The Falklands War illustrations—a spectacular collection including many depicting little-known campaigns, soldiers' living conditions, everyday citizens and combatants caught up in conflict, and more • Two bibliographies (one for each volume), organized by chapter and in some cases subchapters to allow for very targeted resources easily available for readers

Exercise Tiger: A series of operations off the South Devon coast in the spring of 1944, rehearsing for the forthcoming D-Day landings. Shrouded in mystery, one of these exercises

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ended in disaster for over 600 young American servicemen, as their operation was discovered by a patrol of German e-boats, which attacked, leaving two LSTs sunk and one badly damaged. The secret nature of these exercises, some claimed, led to a military cover-up and many families were not immediately informed of the nature of the deaths of their loved-ones. Over the months that followed, D-Day came and went, the war ended and there seemed little point in raking over this sorry affair. Exercise Tiger became a forgotten chapter in the annals of the

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Second World War. Using
Falklands War
archive documents and images,
this book recounts the history
and personal accounts behind
this tragic event, as well as
examining the many
subsequent conspiracy theories
and exploring the evidence
behind them. Illustrations: 75
black-and-white photographs
A Very Strange Way to Go to
War

The Death and Life of Private
Jason Burt

The Battlecruiser HMS HOOD
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1873-76 Under the Command of
Captain George S. Nares ... and
the Late Captain Frank Tourle
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The Official History of the
Falklands Campaign: War and
diplomacy

**The average age of the 200
men on board HMS Ardent
was 23 when she made her
lonely midnight run into
Falkland Sound, an hour
ahead of the British
amphibious group about to
retake the Falkland Islands. In
the crucial hours that
followed, her naval gunfire
support kept enemy troops
and aircraft pinned down at**

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Goose Green and Darwin. Despite a few scares it all looked good. Until 5.44pm. At that precise moment, out of the gathering dusk, Ardent came under the most concentrated attack of any ship taking part in the landings. She was hit 17 times in 22 minutes and one in four of her ship's company were either killed or wounded. She lost a higher proportion of her men than any other fighting unit in the entire war. So why has the British public forgotten her name? Through Fire and Water tells the frigate's story, from Christmas

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**1981 in Amsterdam, to her
sinking in Falkland Sound -
and beyond. It follows the
families who waved off sons,
lovers, brothers, husbands
and fathers as she left the
dockyard. It explains what it
was like for British sailors in
the Falklands and what it was
like for the families waiting at
home for the news. It
describes the sickening fear
of being in a defenceless
warship singled out for
destruction, the feeling of
despair as those on board
tried to save their ship and
their mates - in that order -
while bomb after bomb came**

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crashing down. In a war so well documented, this book is the first to give them a collective voice and be heard, the first to explain why it all happened, the first to tell the true story of the forgotten frigate.

The Falklands War is a story of occupation, fierce air battles, heavy naval losses and bitter encounters between ground forces amidst an inhospitable terrain and unforgiving climate. With complex political machinations and nationalist sentiment at the centre of the conflict, even today the

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**sovereignty of the islands is
hotly contested in political
circles. For the first time,
renowned military historian
Gregory Fremont-Barnes has
compiled a definitive A–Z
guide to the British
involvement in the Falklands
conflict, including
personalities, weapons,
battles, ships, places and
much more. This accessible
yet comprehensive
companion to the Falklands
War will be a welcome
addition to any enthusiast's
shelves.**

**As John Winton, the best and
most authoritative writer on**

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currant naval matters, says in the foreword to this book 'The Navy has never been well known for its flair for publicity....Again and again during the Falklands War it seemed to me that the chances of giving the Navy a 'chuck-up' were being fumbled...so when the ships began to come home I let it be known that I was going to compile a book on the Navy's part in the Falklands'. The response was overwhelming and this, sadly, is is only a skimming from the cream of the response to his appeals Nevertheless it gives, without

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a doubt, as vivid an impression as we are likely to have of the feelings and experiences of those of all ranks and trades who served with the Royal Navy and the Royal Fleet Auxiliary on that brief but remarkably successful campaign. Some of the contributors, like the aptly named Sam Salt will be familiar to many; others are not well known. Individuals though it may seem to give pride of place to any one contribution on an anthology such as this, it must be said that the words of Reverend Charles Stewart do stand out.

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**In trying to resolve the
virtually insoluble dilemma
between 'Love Thy Neighbour'
and 'Justifiable War' he
succeeds where more famous
theologians have often failed.
All who served on board any
ship which 'went south' in that
strange nut epic endeavour in
1982 must be grateful to John
Winton for having compiled
this lasting tribute to tier
bravery, and perhaps more
characteristics, their abiding
sense of humour.**

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The Royal Navy in the
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*This book contains 20 papers
from authors in the UK, USA,
Germany and Austria.*

*Historically, it gives
examples of the influence of
groundwater on battlefield
tactics and fortress
construction; describes how
groundwater was developed
for water supply and
overcome as an obstacle to
military engineering and
cross-country vehicular
movement by both sides in*

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This book suggests that institutional culture can account for a great deal of the activities and rationale of the Royal Navy. War highlights the role of culture in military organizations and as such acts as a spotlight by which this phenomenon can be assessed seperately and then in comparison in order to demonstrate the influence of institutional culture on strategy.

The Battle of Jutland was the greatest naval engagement of the First World War, if not any war. Admiral Scheer had adopted a policy of launching attacks against the British coast.

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What he did not know was that the British had broken his naval codes and that they knew of his plans. Consequently, when Scheer threw his entire fleet in a mission to attack the British mainland in May 1916, he could not know that the Royal Navy at Scapa Flow were underway. This is a fresh account of this greatest naval engagement, it offers fascinating insight into the events preceding the action, the tactics during the battle and the political and military fall-out. The book draws on released official records and personal accounts. Jellicoe failed to

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*ensnare Scheer and the bulk
of the German fleet which
escaped battered, but
intact. The Germans knew
however that despite their
great fleet, it was the
Royal Navy that controlled
the North Sea.*

*A Story of Peril and
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British Battleships
1919-1945

In the many historical accounts of D-Day, the Navy, Coast Guard and merchant marine, who transported troops to the invasion beaches and supported the attack, are often given scant attention. Film clips of landing craft unloading men into the surf and battleships firing on enemy emplacements are familiar yet comparatively little is known about the contributions of the marine services and what they accomplished during the Normandy Invasion. This book describes the Allied naval

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command structure for Operation Neptune and offers a comprehensive look at integrated offshore operations--how they were organized, who the sailors were and what they experienced.

From 1941, Italy had been developing a top-secret project to install guided rocket weapons aboard aircraft carriers. Campini Caproni's revolutionary guided rocket weapon, the DAAC, which would later become Hitler's Henschel HS-117 Schmetterling (Butterfly), was the selected projectile.

Classified intelligence on the V-1 flying bomb and

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other aircraft projects were acquired and then discarded when Ansaldo's naval architect, Lino Campagnoli (1911-1975), issued plans for the Impero battleship to be transformed into a modern fleet carrier. Previously unpublished documentation reveals how the last of the four state-of-the-art Littorio-class battleships, which was in advanced completion (hull components and engines installed), was destined for conversion into a modern aircraft carrier. This is an exhaustive historical review of the Impero and Regia Marina's (Royal Navy) developments as well as the dramatic story

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of the lack of co-operation and strategic insight with Regia Aeronautica before and during the war (1922-1943). Also, a final evaluation of the revolutionary Pugliese anti-torpedo system, based on unpublished German and Russian documentation, is assessed.

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through the streets and
playing fields of his dying
father's childhood.**

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A dramatic examination of the legendary HMS Nancy, whose noted career ended in a fiery explosion in the War of 1812.

In this official history of the Falklands Campaign, Lawrence Freedman provides a detailed and authoritative account of one of the most extraordinary periods in recent British political history and a vivid portrayal of a government at war. After the shock of the Argentine invasion of the Falklands in April 1982, Margaret Thatcher

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faced the crisis that came to define her premiership as she determined to recover the islands.

Freedman covers all aspects of the campaign - economic and diplomatic as well as military - and demonstrates the extent of the gamble that the government took. There are important accounts of the tensions in relations with the United States, concerns among the military commanders about the risks they were expected to take, the problems of dealing with the media and the attempts

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to reach a negotiated
settlement. This

definitive account
describes in dramatic
detail events such as the
sinking of the Belgrano,
the battle of Goose Green
and the final push to
Stanley. Special attention
is also paid to the
aftermath of the war,
including the various
enquiries, and the
eventual restoration of
diplomatic relations with
Argentina.

The year is 1912. The
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worldwide Great
Depression, which has left

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every nation on earth
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reeling financially.

During this time, two
camps of nations have
risen to prominence. The
nations of America,
France, England, and
Russia, despite the
economic collapses, have
managed to start to pull
themselves out of the
Great Depression. On the
other side is the UMN, the
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(home of the vampires),
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This superb reference book achieved the status of a classic soon after its first publication in 1993; it was soon out of print and is now one of the most sought-after naval reference books. And with good reason. Offering an unprecedented range of descriptive and illustrative detail, the author describes the evolution of the battleship classes through all their modifications and refits. As well as dealing with design features, armour, machinery and power plants and weaponry, he also examines the performance of the ships in battle and analyses their successes and failures; and as

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**delight for the historian,
enthusiast and ship modeller,
it is a volume that is already
regarded as an essential
reference work for this most
significant era in naval
history and ship design.**

**Through Fire and Water tells
the story of HMS Ardent, from
Christmas 1981 in Amsterdam
to her sinking in Falkland
Sound - and beyond.**

**The battlecruiser HMS Hood is
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photos and colour illustrations, is the story of her life, her work and her people from keel-laying on the Clyde in 1916 to destruction at the hands of the Bismarck in 1941. Among the eye-catching strengths of the book is a unique gallery of photos, including stills from a recently discovered piece of colour footage of the ship, plus a spectacular set of computer-generated images of both the exterior and interior by the world's leading exponent of the art - a man who worked with the film director James Cameron (of Titanic fame). A wealth of new information on Hood's structure and operation make

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**it essential reading for the
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Part I

Through Water, Ice & Fire Through Fire and Through Water

Jason Burt was frozen and frightened - and still around two months shy of his 18th birthday - the split-second he answered the call to 'Charge!' and ran, head on, at an Argentinian .50 cal machinegun post during the final days of the Falklands War. Within a few steps, he was dead. Was he alongside Ian McKay at the moment his Parachute Regiment platoon sergeant won the Victoria Cross? This is the story of what led him there, and his family's 30-year wait to discover their 'truth' about how he died.

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