

*The*  
*Malaya Study Group*

Presents an  
**Auction**

Of Literature, Books & Publications about  
**Malaya & Singapore**

Featuring the Library of Brian Geden

Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> June 2011 at 2.00 p.m.

Viewing of lots from 10.00 a.m.

To be held at the  
**Regency Hotel**  
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# Welcome

Welcome to this auction, unusual as it is of books only, all devoted to the many and varied subjects on Malaya and Singapore. The main portion of this auction is the extensive library of the late Brian Geden and we are grateful to Rosemarie Geden for allowing us to hold it. An opportunity to acquire wished for tomes or just a book that has avoided coming your way.

Though Brian focused his philately on Singapore he also collected books on Malaya and thus there is a wide variety of titles and subjects included throughout this interesting auction. For example, among the desirable books on Singapore are included the “100 Years .....” trio, through to sumptuously illustrated modern productions that were often acquired whilst visiting the island State. The fine range of Malayan books ranges from Commerce to Travellers Tales, oh and philatelic books as well! These followed by large sections on World War II and an amazing group of books on the Japanese Occupation and Prisoners of War.

This Library is followed by a small but diverse selection including Official publications that range from Parliamentary Reports to Annual Reports including some pre-occupation from the Unfederated States that are rare in private hands. There should be something for most bibliophiles.

Only members of the Malaya Study Group can participate in this auction – Membership Secretary David Tett, PO Box 34, Wheathampstead Herts AL4 8JY

**Bidding Steps:** - £1 up to £50; then £2 up to £100; then £5 up to £300; then £10 above that.  
**No Buyers Premium**

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# The Library of Brian Geden

## FEDERATED MALAY STATES

- 1 Federated Malay States Railways & Siamese State railways – 1921 Pamphlet of Information for Travellers, yellow card cover (some soiling and cover faults) illustrated with travellers palm on front, full of information on railways, maps of major towns and adverts, etc., and is much more than a pamphlet! Good condition. £40
- 2 Ditto The same Guide but the 1928 edition, cover in better condition £50
- 3 Illustrated Guide to the F.M.S. 1923, O.U.P. 1985 reprint (SB), good; Handbook of British Malaya 1930, original HB but cover faults, contents good £25
- 4 The Postage Stamps of the Federated Malay States by Bill Reeves, SB cover faults but good contents. Useful M.S.G. publication long out of stock £10

## PENANG

- 5 1932 Penang (Prince of Wales Island) Picturesque Island of Malaya, booklet of large plate photographs of Penang, purchaser has added some manuscript comments to some pages, bright fresh copy and very attractive £30
- 6 Penang Information Guide September 1935 – Gratis pub. Pinang Gazette Press, small guide with folded map of Georgetown, paper cover with slight faults but good overall condition £15
- 7 Postcards – Penang Postcard Collection 1899-1930s by Khoo Salma Nasution & Malcolm Wade, large HB profusely illustrated, excellent condition £25

## SINGAPORE

- 8 100 Years of Singapore by Makepeace, etc., Oxford University Press 1991 reprint in two HB volumes with DJ's. A fine edition of the classic and popular work in excellent condition £60
- 9 100 Years' History of the Chinese in Singapore by Song Ong Siang, University of Malaya press 1967 reprint, handsome HB edition of this classic work £50
- 10 First 150 years of Singapore by Donald & Joanna Moore, substantial HB. minor wear to cover but good £20
- 11 Lights of Singapore by Roland Braddell, HB, 1934 1<sup>st</sup> Edition, minor ageing but good condition for its age £20
- 12 The Singapore Letters of Benjamin Cook 1854-55, by Adrian Marshall, HB with DJ, excellent condition £15
- 13 Somme to Singapore by Charles Huxtable; Suez to Singapore by Cecil Brown. Former SB good condition, latter HB fair £10

- 14 Raffles – The Life of Sir Stamford Raffles by Boulger (HB & DJ); Raffles by Collis(SB); Raffles of Singapore by Hahn(HB); Sir Stamford Raffles – Figures of the Commonwealth (HB), good £16
- 15 Raffles Hotel, large HB with DJ, history of the landmark hotel, many illustrations, fine £20
- 16 Colony of Singapore Annual Report 1953, HB, odd cover fault but clean & complete £15
- 17 Commerce – Mansfields, history of the company, HB, minor wear to cover but good £12
- 18 Guides – Singapore (Islands Series) by Backhouse(HB&DJ); Singapore Tour it Yourself(SB); Singapore Insight (SB); Singapore by Stephens(HB), good £10
- 19 History – History of Singapore 1819 to 1975 by Turnbull(SB); Singapore – A 150 Years pub. MBRAS (HB&DJ with faults), good condition £16
- 20 Maritime – Home Port Singapore – A History of the Straits Steamship Co. 1890-1965 by K.G.Tregonning, HB with DJ, fine copy & a lovely book £30
- 21 Oxford Univ. Press – 1907 Handbook to Singapore by Reith (SB reprint); Old Singapore by Maya Jayapal (HB) & from same series Old Penang by Sarnia Hayes Hoyt (HB), good £12
- 22 Philatelic – Singpex Exhibition Catalogues for 1971, 1974 & 1978; A Collectors Guide to Postage Stamps & Postal Stationery(SB); Philatelic Delights Singapore and Malaya large HB and profusely illustrated, last two good, others slightly worn £10
- 23 Police - Singapore Patrol by Dixon (HB), good. Also A Yellow Sleuth by ‘Nor Nalla’(HB), poor but readable, scarce F.M.S. Police story £10
- 24 Postcards – Singapore Historical Postcards from the National Archive Collection, HB&DJ, good £15
- 25 Postcards – Singapore 500 Early Postcards by Cheah Jin Seng, large SB profusely illustrated, excellent condition £20
- 26 Postcards/Photography – A Vision of the Past – A History of Early Photography in Singapore & Malaya – The Photographs of G.R.Lambert & Co., 1880-1910, by J.Falconer, large HB with DJ, profusely illustrated, as new & a lovely work £30
- 27 Postcards/Photography: Singapore Then & Now by Ray Tyers, revised & updated by Siow Jin Hua, large HB with DJ, profusely illustrated, excellent condition £30
- 28 R.A.F. in the Far East - Lion in the Sky by N.Shorrnick, (HB&DJ), good. Much on Seletar £25
- 29 Ditto History of Changi by Squadron Leader Probert, (HB) 1988 reprint but scarce regardless, very good £15
- 30 Ditto Seletar Crowning Glory by David Taylor (R.A.F. in Singapore) SB; Eastward – History of the R.A.F. in the Far east 1945-72 by Sir David Lee, (HB&DJ), good condition £15

- 31 Street Directory – Singapore Street Directory & Guide, 1<sup>st</sup> edition 1954, SB with faults to spine and slightly grubby but more importantly maps complete £15
- 32 Singapore Story by Barber(SB); Singapore Through Sunshine & Shadow by Van Cuylenburg(SB); Singapore Saga by Crone-Arbenz(SB); There is Only One Raffles by Ilsa Sharp (re: Hotel) (HB&DJ), good condition £15
- 33 We Live in Singapore by Moore; Eastern Windows by F.D. Ommanney; Rickshaw Reporter by G.R.Peet, all HB & DJ(faults), good condition £15
- 34 The Emergence of Bukit Ho Swee Estate (SB); Chinatown (HB); Singapore Rediscovered (SB); See Singapore by Moore (HB), fair to good £15
- 35 Singapore's River by Berry; Singapore Portrait of a Port pub. By Singapore Port Authority, both HB & DJ, good condition £15
- 36 Singapore – A Pictorial History 1819-2000, by Gretchen Liu, large profusely illustrated HB with DJ in excellent condition £20
- 37 Singapore - An Illustrated History 1941-1984, substantial SB pub. By Ministry of Culture of Singapore, profusely illustrated £10
- 38 Singapore Handbook for 1971(HB); Straits Times Annual 1973(SB), also Sons of the Yellow Emperor – The Story of the Overseas Chinese, by Lynn Pan(HB&DJ), good condition, cover of annual slightly worn £20

## **MALAYA/MALAYSIA**

### **Commerce**

- 39 The Traders by Cunyngham-Brown (Guthries); Wayfoong – The Hong Kong & Shanghai Bank by M.Collis, both HB with DJ(faults), good condition £25
- 40 The Traders by S. Cunyngham-Brown (Guthries), HB with DJ, good condition £12

### **History & Information**

- 41 Twentieth Century Impressions of British Malaya, edit. Arnold Wright, 1989 reprinted edition, large HB with DJ, excellent condition £30
- 42 Man in Malaya by B.W.Hodder; Land, People & Economy in Malaya by Ooi Jin-Bee; British Malaya 1824-67 by Mills; The Malay Peninsular & Archipelago by Ashley Gibson. 4HB in good condition £12
- 43 British Malaya by Sir Frank Swettenham, 4<sup>th</sup> edition, spine cover partly detached (easily repairable!) otherwise O.K. £15
- 44 Malaya (S.S., F.M.S. etc.) by R.O.Winstedt; Footprints in Malaya by Sir Frank Swettenham (DJ faults), both HB, fair to good £15

- 45 The Government Services in British Malaya by C.Woodville Harrison, issued Malayan Information Agency 1929, HB with yellow cover, good £20
- 46 Malaya & Its History by Winstedt(DJ); British Intervention in Malaya 1867 to 1877 by Parkinson; A History of Malaya by J.Kennedy, all HB good £16
- 47 Decade Of Change – Malaya & Straits Settlements 1936 – 1945 by Brian C.Cooper(SB), politics, social history, etc., good £12
- 48 Malayan Post Office Guide 1955, SB with loose 9pp supplement containing revisions up to 31<sup>st</sup> August 1955, spine faded and slight wear but good £15
- 49 Malaysia – Malaysia Merdeka – Meju 1957-1967 HB but broken spine; Malaysians HB large art style book; Malaya by Hawkins (HB); Malaysia Trav Bugs (SB); Malaya Amer. Geog. Soc. (SB); Malaysia, Singapore & Brunei Lonely Planet(SB); Malaysia Singapore by Hildebrand(SB), mainly good £12
- 50 Malaysia Singapore by Hildebrand(SB); Malaysia & Singapore by G.Nicol(HB&DJ); Malaysia by Purcell(HB&DJ); Malaysia & Singapore in Pictures pub. Sterling(HB); Malaya by Hawkins (HB&DJ with faults), author signed, good £10
- 51 Netherlands East Indies – Geographical Handbook Two Volume set, published by Naval Intelligence Division 1944, complete with three folding maps, HB, good condition. An interesting & scarce restricted wartime publication £50

### **Philatelic**

- 52 The Postage Stamps of the Straits Settlements by R.H.D.Lockhart,,PJGB Study No.3 (SB), good condition. Scarce £20
- 53 Straits Settlements Postage Stamps by Dr.F.E.Wood,, (SB) 1948 1<sup>st</sup> edition with article from Stamp Collecting by George Rosevear titled ‘Malayan Collection Extraordinary’ regarding the 1964 visit by Group members, etc., and a handwritten letter from the Doctor to Mr.Sanderson regarding Marine Sorters, etc., good condition and an interesting lot £25
- 54 The Postal History of British Malaya by Ted Proud, the original editions, cloth bound but well used with spines damaged. Still useful! £12
- 55 The Postal History of Malaya by Ted Proud, Volume 1 Straits Settlements, current 2<sup>nd</sup> edition, HB&DJ, good condition £30
- 56 Dr.F.E.Wood – The Postage Stamps of Straits Settlements and States, etc., handy SB 1981 ISC reprint, worn cover but good useable copy. Also Perfins of Malaya by Peter Giffen, small SB, dedicated ‘To Brian Regards Peter’, good £12

### **Travellers Tales**

- 57 The Golden Chersonese by Bird; Out East in the Malay Peninsular by Lewis; Tropic Temper by Kirkup(DJ), latter HB, others SB, good £15

- 58 The Cree Journals pub. Webb & Bower(HB&DJ); Glimpses in to Life in Malayan Lands Thomson(SB); Rambles in Java & the Straits in 1852 by Bengal Civilian(SB); The Pirate Wind by Rutter(SB), all good £15
- 59 The Magic of Malaya by C.Woodville Harrison(HB); Stories by Sir Hugh Clifford (SB), former fairly good, latter good £12
- 60 Bush-Whacking & Other Tales from Malaya by Sir Hugh Clifford, 1929 1<sup>st</sup> edition (HB), one end paper removed and slightly aged but a good copy £12
- 61 In Malay Forests by George Maxwell (HB), 2<sup>nd</sup> edition 1911, minor aging to be expected, good copy £20
- 62 Out in the Midday Sun by Shennan(SB), the British in Malaya, fine £15
- 63 Elephant Bill by Williams; Six Years in the Malay Jungle by Wells; Malayan Safari by Shuttleworth, latter HB, others SB, good £10
- 64 Where Monsoons Meet edit. Moore; Taming the Jungle by Pat Barr, both HB, latter with DJ(Faults), good £10
- 65 Travellers Tales of Old Singapore by Michael Wise (HB&DJ); Tales from the South China Seas edit. Allen(DJ); Where Monsoons Meet edit. Moore. Also Plain Tales from the Raj edit. Allen.. All HB and good £12

### **General Books on Malaya**

- 66 The Sarong & the Kris by Harrison(HB&DJ); The Soul of Malaya by Fauconnier(SB); The Malay Customs & Traditions by Alwi Bin Sheikh Alhady(SB), good £12
- 67 With My Back to the East by Bernard Llewellyn(DJ); In Javanese Waters by Ponder; The Story of the British Empire in Pictures pub. Odhams; Emerging South East Asia by Fryer. 4HB, good £10
- 68 The Jungle Ends Here, also Malayan Landscape(DJ), both by Katherine Sim; My Other Family by Patricia Morley(DJ); Diversion in Malaya by Anthony Hill, all HB, good £12
- 69 A small selection of Booklets, 8 items, including Singapore to Shoreditch by Langley; Historic Malaya, also A Short History of Malaya by M.Sheppard, Britain & Malaya by Windstedt; The New Malaya & You by Egmont Hake(HB); The Travellers Malay Pronouncing Handbook, etc., fair to good £12
- 70 Air Mails – Beyond the Blue Horizon by Frater(SB); The Development of K.L.M. Air Mail Service Holland-D.E.I. 1920-42 by M.Verkuil(SB); Skyliners 3 – A Journey to Asia pub. Hamlyn(HB); Tales from the Golden Age of Air Travel by Quinn(HB&DJ); Charles Kingsford Smith by Davis(HB&DJ), good condition £18
- 71 And Far East – Return to Malaya by Lockhart; Let the Tiger Turn Tail by Spurr(DJ); The War of the Springing Tigers by Corr(DJ). All HB & good £10

- 72 Borneo, etc. – A Stroll Through Borneo by Barclay (DJ); Borneo People by M.MacDonald; Land Below the Wind by Agnes Keith; First Overland (Oxbridge 1950's Asia Expedition) (DJ); odd faults but generally O.K. £10
- 73 Federation of Malaya Annual Report 1954, HB, odd tape mark on cover and minor water damage end paper map but good £15
- 74 Fiction – Across to Singapore by Ben Ames Williams; The Burning Shore by Elleston Trevor; A Many Splendoured Thing by Han Suyin; When the Enemy is Tired by Russell Braddon; South By Java head by Alistair Maclean; A Town Like Alice by Neville Shute, all HB, two with slightly faulty DJ, otherwise fair to good £10
- 75 Fiction – A Town Like Alice by Neville Shute; Fires of Spring, also Tanah Mera, both by Noel Barber; Night Run From Java by Gavin Black; And the Rain My Drink by Han Suyin, all HB, last three with DJ, good condition £10
- 76 Fiction: - Death March by Laurie Andrews; The Camp on Blood Island by J.M.White & Val Guest; Bridge on the River Kwai by Pierre Boulle(2 editions); Return from the River Kwai by Joan & Clay Blair; Singapura by Christopher Nicole; Selangor by Gerry Barton; King rat by James Clavell; The Seed & the Sower by Laurens van der Post; Empire of the Son by J.G.Ballard; Imperial 109 by Richard Doyle; The Forests of the Night by Sarah Harrison; The Tub by Hugh V. Clarke; Storm Over Singapore by Alfred Draper; Fools Gold by Frederick Lees(author signed); Escape From the Rising Sun by Ian Skidmore; Tenko by Anthony Masters; Tenko Reunion by Anne Valery; The Singapore grip by J.G.Farrell; Where Are All the Madmen by Arthur Lane, all SB, mainly good condition. 20 books & a good lot £20
- 77 Hugh Clifford – Two uniformly bound in blue HB – In Court & Kampong; Studies in Brown Humanity, good £16
- 78 Indigenous Peoples – Temiar Jungle by Slimming; Noone of the Ulu by Holman; The Lost World of the East Wavell; Jungle Nurse by Gouldsbury, all HB & with DJ's (faults), good £12
- 79 Maritime – The Story of P.& O. by Howarth(HB&DJ); Merchant Fleets Handbook – Messageries Maritime by Duncan Haws(SB), both good £14
- 80 Ditto British Maritime Postal History Volume 2 – The P&O Lines to the Far East by Reg Kirk(HB), many tables of individual voyages, etc., good £15
- 81 Railway – The Malayan railway – Keretapi Tanah Melayu by J.A. Stanistreet(SB), illustrated booklet on Malay railways, good £10
- 82 Religious Theme – The Far East Magazine, 12 issues for 1944 cloth bound (must be rare!); Convent Chronicles by Lily Kong, etc.(HB); Sophia Blackmore in Singapore by Doraisamy(SB) & author signed; Journey in to Malaya by McKintosh(HB&DJ); The War & After Pamphlet No.2 – Singapore by Hayter, fair to good £12



## WORLD WAR TWO

- 83 History of the Indian Army Postal Service, Volume III 1931-1947 by Ted Proud. Essential listing of Field Post Offices, etc., HB, good condition £30
- 84 Eastern Epic by Compton Mackenzie; Japan at War by Collier; Fifth Year of War in Pictures pub. Odhams; The Second World War in the Far East by Willmott(DJ), all HB, fair to good £15
- 85 Grim Glory – A.I.F. in Malaya, by Gilbert Mant, with foreward by Gordon Bennett, 1<sup>st</sup> edition July 1942(SB), some soiling/wear to cover & spine but a scarce booklet £15
- 86 Singapore Tragedy by S.E.Field; Singapore Goes Off the Air by Giles Playfair; Singapore – The Chain of Disaster by S.Woodburn Kirby; Singapore – Too Little Too Late by Ivan Simson; The Bitter End – The Fall of Singapore 1941-42 by Richard Holmes & Anthony Kemp, all HB, last three with DJ, good condition £15
- 87 The Singapore Story by Kenneth Attiwill; Who Dies Fighting by Angus Rose; Spotlight on Singapore by Denis Russell-Roberts; Sinister Twilight by Noel barber, all HB, last two with slightly faulty DJ, good £12
- 88 Singapore 1941-42 – The Japanese version by M.Tsuji(SB); Malaya 1941 by Sir Andrew Gilchrist; Singapore 1941-1942 by Louis Allen; Singapore & After – A Study of the Pacific Campaign by Lord Strabolgi, last three HB, last without DJ, all good condition £12
- 89 Percival and the Tragedy of Singapore by Sir John Smyth; Scapegoat – General Percival of Singapore by Clifford Kinvig; Shenton of Singapore by Brian Montgomery, all HB with DJ, good condition £15
- 90 Odd Man Out – The Story of the Singapore Traitor by Peter Elphick & Michael Smith; The Hunting of Force Z by Richard Hough; Main Fleet to Singapore by Russell Grenfell; Retreat in the East by O.D. Gallagher, first three SB, last HB, good condition £10
- 91 The War in Malaya & Indonesia 1941-1945 edited by Philip Cockrill; Sold For Silver by Janet Lim; The Jungle is Neutral by Spencer Chapman; Malayan Postscript, and The War Against Japan, both by Ian Morrison, first SB booklet, others HB, good condition £15
- 92 Singapore – The Pregnable Fortress by Peter Elphick; Singapore Burning – Heroism & Surrender in World War II by Colin Smith, both HB DJ in very good condition £15
- 93 The Heroes of Rimau by Lynette Ramsay Silver (SB), commando type attack on Singapore Harbour – Operation Rimau, immaculate condition £15
- 94 Krait – The Fishing Boat that Went to War by Lynette Ramsey Silver (SB), the attempt to repeat the previous raid of Operation Rimau, excellent condition. Scarce book £18
- 95 R.A.F. – The Remorseless Road – Singapore to Nagasaki by James McEwan (HB&DJ); Hurricane Over the Jungle by Terence Kelly;(SB) ; Last Flight From Singapore by Donahue(HB), good condition £10

- 96 Units – Who Dares Wins – S.A.S. 1950-1980 by Tony Geraghty; Force 136 by Tan Chong Tee; Moon Over Malaya by Audrey Holmes McCormick; Operations Most Secret by Ian Trenowden, last HB with DJ, others SB, good £12
- 97 Escape From Singapore – Singapore to Freedom by O.W.Gilmour; You'll Die in Singapore by McCormac; Tobo by Jane Tierney; Singapore – We Got Away – Or Did We? By Arthur McKenzie; The Escape From Singapore by Richard Gough, all HB, last four with DJ, good to fair £16
- 98 The Heroes by Ronald McKie; Against the Sun by Janet Uhr; Return of the Tiger by Brian Connell; Bloody Buna by Leda Mayo (New Guinea campaign), last two HB, last with DJ, good condition £12
- 99 Malayan Climax by Carline Reid; The Jungle is Neutral by Spencer Chapman; Sold for Silver by Janet Lim; Soldier Surgeon in Malaya by Thomas Hamilton, last three HB, last two with DJ(faults), all fair to good condition £10

### **JAPANESE OCCUPATION & PRISONER OF WAR**

- 100 A Postal History of the Prisoners of War & Civilian Internees in East Asia During the Second World War, Volume 1, Singapore & Malaya 1942-45, by David Tett, large HB with DJ, very good £25
- 101 Ditto Volume 3, Burma, Thailand & Indo-China 1942-46, by same author, large HB with DJ, very good £20
- 102 Borneo – The Japanese P.O.W. Camps – mail of the Forces, P.O.W. & Internees by Neville Watterson, 1989 original volume(SB), good £12
- 103 The Postal History of the Occupation of Malaya and British Borneo 1941-1945, by Ted Proud & Milo Rowell,(HB&DJ), good condition £25
- 104 When Singapore was Syonan-To by N.I.Low(SB), good condition £10
- 105 Singapore and Beyond by Don Wall, Australian soldier in Malaya and as P.O.W., HB & DJ good £15
- 106 Artists – To the Kwai and Back – War Drawings 1939-45 by Ronald Searle; Burma Railway Artist – The War Drawings of Jack Chalker, both good size & well illustrated HB with DJ, excellent condition £20
- 107 The Knights of Bushido by Lord Russell of Liverpool; A Fearful Freedom by Robert Hamond; The Emperor's Guest by Don Peacock; A Spoonful of Rice With Salt by G.Patterson; Road From Singapore by Diana Norman, all HB DJ, good condition £15
- 108 The Emperor's Guest by Sir John Fletcher-Cooke (same title but different book to the one in previous lot!); Fifty Years of Silence by Jan Ruff-O'Hearne; Where Fate Leads by Harry Howarth; Life & Death in Changi – The Diary of Tom Kitching; Diary of a Girl in Changi, by Sheila Allan, all SB in good condition £15

- 109 No Time for Geishas by Adams; You'll Die in Singapore by McCormac; and the Dawn Came Up like Thunder by L.Rawlings; The Railway Man by Eric Lomax, all HB with DJ(odd faults), good condition £12
- 110 Slaves of the Samurai by Kent Hughes; The Survival Factor by R.Richards & M.McEwan; FEPOW – The Story of a Voyage Beyond Belief by Terence Kelly; Out of the Depths of Hell by John McEwan, all HB &DJ(odd faults) but good condition £12
- 111 Tales by Japanese Soldiers by Kazuo Tamayama & John Nunneley; The War Journal of major Damon (Rocky) Gause; Changi the Funny Side by Slim DeGrey; Priest in Prison by John Hayter; Refugee From the Japanese by Dorothy Thatcher & Robert Cross, all SB good condition £16
- 112 Medics - The War Diaries of Weary Dunlop by E.E.Dunlop(SB); Bamboo Doctor by Stanley Pavillard(HB with scruffy DJ); Borneo Surgeon – A Reluctant Hero by Peter Firkins(HB); The Burma-Siam Railway – The Secret Diary of Dr.Robert Hardie 1942-45 (SB), mostly good condition £12
- 113 The Will to Live by Sir John Smyth; Blind to Misfortune by Bill Griffiths; White Coolies by Betty Jeffrey; Quiet Jungle - Angry Sea by Denis Gavin; 4000 Bowls of Rice by Linda Goetz Holmes; Bamboo & Bushido by Alfred Allbury, all HB with DJ (odd faults) except last good condition £18
- 114 You'll Die in Singapore by Charles McCormac; Escape to Captivity by Peter Hartley; The Naked island by Russell Braddon; No Time for Geishas by Adams; The Fall of Singapore by Frank Owen; Painaa by Dorothy Thatcher & Robert cross, all HB, last two with DJ, good to fair condition £18
- 115 Campaigning in Captivity by A.R.Wiggins; Prisoners of Santo Tomas by Celia Lucas; The Flamboya Tree by Clara Olink Kelly; The Railway Man by Eric Lomax; Lest We Forget by Fred Seiker; Living Hell by Goh Ghor Boon, all SB, good condition £12
- 116 4000 Bowls of Rice by Linda Goetz Holmes; One Day at a Time by Arthur Titherington; Out in the Midday Sun – Singapore 1941-1945 by Kate Caffrey; Of Love and War by Philippa Poole, all HB & DJ, good £14
- 117 Prisoner of the Japanese by Tom Wade; Life and Death in Changi – The Diary of Tom Kitching; Elizabeth Choy – More Than a War Heroine by Zhou Mei; The Rainbow Through the rain by Geoffrey Scott Mowatt, author signed slip of paper; Slaves of the Son of Heaven by Roy Whiteceross, all SB in good condition £15
- 118 Fall of Singapore by Frank Owen; Branch Line to Burma by John Durnford; Women beyond the Wire by Lavinia Warner & John Sandilands; The Green Torture by Dennis Holman; White Coolies by Betty Jeffrey; Syonan – My Story by Mamoru Shinozaki; Singapore Samurai by Penrod V. Dean; Java Nightmare by Daphne Jackson, all SB, first two damaged but others good condition £14
- 119 The Japanese Occupation 1942-1945, pub. Times Editions; Changi Photographer – George Aspinall's Record of Captivity by Tim Bowden, both pictorial content, SB, good condition £12

- 120 Railway - Through the Valley of the Kwai by E.Gordon; White Coolie by R.Hastain; And All the Trumpets by D.Smith; Banzai You Bastards by J.Edwards; Tamajao 241 by Ernest Warwick, all HB & DJ, good to fair £15
- 121 Railway - Miracle on the River Kwai by E.Gordon; Their Last Tenko by James Home; Railway Man by Eric Lomax; Colonel of Tamarkand by Julie Summers; The Will to Survive by Arthur Godman, all HB with DJ, good £15
- 122 Railway – White Coolie by Ronald Hastain; Branch Line to Burma by John Durnford; The Other Side of Tenko by L.L.Baynes; Miracle of the River Kwai by Gordon; One Fourteenth of an Elephant by I.D.PEEK; Death Railway by Clifford Kinvig; One Man’s War by Stan Arneil; Camp Four – Kanburi by R.Monteiro, all SB and good condition £16
- 123 Railway – Line of Lost Lives by J.S.Cosford; Railroad to Burma by James Boyle; One for Every Sleeper by J.English; Railroad of Death by J.Coast; Behind Bamboo by R.Rivett, all bar one with DJ(odd fault), good condition £18
- 124 M.Bentinck – A Will To Live; Forgotten Heroes; My Dad, My Hero, all SB, good condition & all author signed £12
- 125 The Double Tenth Trial edited by Bashir A. Mallal, HB partially detached spine cover but a very scarce book. Following the Operation Rimau sinking of ships in Singapore Harbour the Japanese thought the civilian internees were part of a conspiracy. Some died, and this book details the war crimes trial of some of the perpetrators. £20

## **POST OCCUPATION COMMUNIST INSURGENCY**

- 126 Red Shadow Over Malaya by M.C.A.Henniker; Jungle Green by Arthur Campbell; Red Jungle by John Cross, author signed; The War of the Running Dogs by Noel Barber, all HB, last two with DJ, good £12
- 127 The Door Marked Malaya by Oliver Crawford; The Hostile Sun by Tom Stacey; Snake Wine by Patrick Anderton; Malaya - Communist or Free by Victor Purcell, all HB, first two with faulty DJ, good £12
- 128 The Camp Across the River by J.W.C. Moran; The Jungle Beat by Roy Follows; Smashing Terrorism in the Malayan Emergency by Brian Stewart, first HB with DJ(damaged), others SB, good condition £12

## **THE PROPERTY OF OTHER VENDORS**

*Two Malaya Study Group Publications - out of print and sold out long ago*

- 129 Federated Malay States – The Printing of its Stamps by Bill Reeves, published 1989, 32pp detailing the full listing of the printings, dates and quantities from De La Rue records. A slim but useful booklet of which only 100 were printed, fine £10

- 130 Singapore Post Offices and Registration Labels by Bill Lyons, published 1990, 140pp with many illustrations, details both post offices and records the labels they used with dates of use, fine £12

## **MALAYA – General Selection including Bornean Books**

- 131 European Settlements in the Far East - with map & illustrations, 1<sup>st</sup> edit. 1900 Sampson Low, etc., slight wear/minor faults, end papers toned but stamped Kelly & Walsh Singapore & ms Campbell McKellar Terap 1901; The Oxford Survey of the British Empire Vol. II – Asia, 3 folding maps, good. Both HB, attractively bound, former with full rigged junk on cover, latter world map in oval on cover, etc. £12
- 132 Handbook to British Malaya 1926, HB ¼ bound in red, slight wear to spine/covers but good. With large folding map of Malaya dated 1924, slight insect damage but O.K. £20

## **Annual Reports**

*The following seven lots are Annual Reports for Unfederated States and are all very scarce. They were printed in State except those for Johore and Trengganu which were printed in Singapore. Though all were available in London they are scarce in private hands. All are disbound from larger volumes, most have lost their back paper cover but more importantly are complete with map. They remain quite usable or are ideal for rebinding. Some have library stamps but are in good condition unless stated.*

- 133 Johore Annual Report for 1928 with folding map & back cover, negligible water stain one corner but good. 24 poor souls killed by tigers that year! £20
- 134 A similar Report for 1929 with folding map in similar condition. Tigers 12; crocodiles 24! £20
- 135 Kedah & Perlis Annual Report for 1346 (July 1927-June 1928) with back cover but published without a map plus similar Report for 1347 (1928-29) without back cover but fine folding map, good £35
- 136 Ditto Similar Report for 1348 (1929-30) with fine folding map, good £20
- 137 Kelantan Annual Reports for 1928 through to 1938 a fine run of eleven years, one has back paper cover but three have paper front cover lacking (which mimics title page in any case), each has a fine folding map of the State (though one is detached it is fine), good. A rare lot, the maps sold individually probably worth reserve! £220
- 138 Trengganu Annual Report for 1346 & 1347 (June 1927 to June 1929) in one report, negligible water stain on one corner but good with fine folding map. Very scarce £30
- 139 Ditto Report for 1348 (1929-30) in similar condition with fine folding map. Very scarce £25
- 140 1947 Annual Report titled 'Malayan Union', printed in K.L. with photo plates at Govt. Press with imprint 2,000 printed. Minor wear to spine and slight soiling but good, SB with pictorial cover. The first post occupation report printed in small numbers due to shortages of everything, and with an emotive title! £30

- 141 1948 Annual Report simply titled 'Malaya', printed K.L. with coloured map at back & 12 page appendix on Emergency, some plates also reflect Emergency, minor wear to spine but good, SB with a pictorial cover £25
- 142 1949 Annual Report titled 'Federation of Malaya', (third title in as many years!) printed in K.L. with coloured map at back, 11 page appendix on Emergency with plates, minor wear to spine but good, SB with a pictorial cover £25
- 143 1950 Federation of Malaya Annual Report, printed K.L. with 13 page intro on Emergency and some plates reflect that situation, colour print of State flag, SB, slight soiling to cover which bears library stamp, but good £20
- 144 1951, a similar report in a slightly smaller format, 17 page intro on Emergency & colour coat-of-arms instead of flag, minor wear/soiling to cover, good £20
- 145 1952, a similar report, 18 pages on Emergency, photo plates with some in colour (inc. Templer) & 2 page map at back, binding loose with one page detached but all there, cover with small faults & some soiling £15
- 146 1956 Federation report, HB with coloured map, 16 pp chapter on Emergency, plates, some in colour, small damage to spine but good £15
- 147 Singapore 1953 Annual Report, HB, two plates detached but all there, cover with some soiling, etc., & previous owner has underlined references to Christmas Island, binding indicates originally there may have been a map(?) but not present if so £10
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- 148 Air Crash Mail of Imperial Airways & Predecessor Airlines, Kendall C. Sanford, profusely illustrated & important work on subject, Rossiter Trust 2003, SB with pricing guide, as new. Popular work that soon sold out £25
- 149 Airmail Operations During World War II by Thomas H. Boyle Jr., SB, 926pp pub. By American Air Mail Soc., war time routes, rates, much valuable information covering all world, as new £25
- 150 The Forgotten Air Force – The Royal Air Force in the War Against Japan 1941-1945, Air Comm. Henry Probert, HB DJ, 1995 factual study with Bibliography, Notes, Chronology, Glossary & Index. A job well done! As new £25
- 151 Silent Victory – Breaking the Japanese air-blockade between Australia & Europe, Arthur Leebold, 1995 Banner Books, Australia, much on Cocos, etc., scarce book privately ¼ bound in leather. Fine & attractive copy £25
- 152 F.M.S. 1924 paper for Federal Council – A narrative history of the Prai River Wharves from 1899 to date, including the question of Siltage, 61pp foolscap, map of Prai, 2 folding charts of soundings. Rare original document that shows the wharves were built by the F.M.S.R. at great cost in a totally unsuitable place!! £40
- 153 Malay Proverbs, Chosen & Introduced by Sir Richard Winstedt 1950 1<sup>st</sup> edit.; Malay Sayings by C.C.Brown, both HB, former with DJ(toned), odd small fault but both good. Nice pair complimenting each other £12

- 154 Guide to South Asian Material in the Libraries of London, Oxford & Cambridge, R.Datta, 2<sup>nd</sup> Edit. 1966, 16pp A4 SB; National Archives of Malaysia SB booklet 11pp in Malay & English detailing this Institution, Holdings, etc., complimenting pair for researcher. Also 5<sup>th</sup> Asian International K.L. 1992 Exhibition catalogue £12
- 155 Kedah: MBRAS 1923 The Geology of the Langkawi Islands, with a geological sketch map, by Scrivenor & Willbourn, 10pp & folded coloured map, paper covers, good £12
- 156 MBRAS 1947 Historical Sketch of the Chinese Labour in Malaya, by W.L.Blythe, M.C.S., 114pp, paper covers, good £15
- 157 British North Borneo by Owen Rutter, 1922 with photographs & maps, HB, end papers toned, etc., rubber Co. h/s, etc. but good copy with water buffalo on cover £12
- 158 Borneo: The Japanese P.O.W. Camps by N.Watterson – the two volume boxed set, SB, as new £20
- 159 Royalty: Corporation of London Reception & Banquet for the Yang di-Pertuan Agong, etc., Guildhall July 1974, tassled card cover with arms of London & Malaysia, menu (mouthwatering!), music (Coldstream Guards) & much more! Fine £20
- 160 Sarawak – A History of Sarawak under its Two White Rajahs, Baring Gould & Bampfylde, Sotheran 1909, end papers slightly toned with blind stamp of previous owner but a beautiful binding and a bright fresh copy £25
- 161 Sarawak – The issues of 1871 & 1875 Plating Studies & Postal History, Batty-Smith & Watterson, replete study with pmks., etc., as new with flaw position indicator £20
- 162 Sarawak – The De La Rue Story, Neville Watterson, magnificent study of the stamps/postal stationery they printed from 1888 to 1928 , HB DJ, as new £20
- 163 Singapore: Singapore Improvement Trust 1953, 65pp SB report with plates, scarce. Also The Emergence of Bukit Ho Swee Estate, 100pp SB profusely illustrated, 2 guides, 2 Singapore humour cartoon books! All good £20
- 164 Straits Settlements: 1903 Parliamentary Report ‘Straits Settlements Currency Committee – Minutes of Evidence & Appendices, 164pp foolscap, important debate for establishment of currency based on gold or silver standard previously having used foreign silver dollars, blue paper covers, excellent condition. Front cover refers to a ‘Report’ which importantly accompanies, 14pp foolscap, a bit creased but O.K. Rare original documents £75
- 165 Graf Spee’s Raiders – Challenge to the Royal Navy, 1914-1915 by Keith Yates, HB DJ, as new, Emden, Cocos, Battle of Falklands, Konigsberg, etc. £15
- 166 Two green ‘Graduate’ peg fitting albums, good condition, each with 50 unused leaves £20
- 167 Pair of boxed commemorative ceramic mugs ‘Singapore Stamp Club 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary 1940-1990’, attractive design by James Song. Fine unused! £12

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