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Changi Civilian Internment Camp

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ALLAN, SHEILA

Diary of a girl in Changi, 1941-45 / Sheila Allan. - Kenthurst, New South Wales : Kangaroo Press, 1994. - 168p., 8p. of plates: ill., facsim., maps, ports. ; 23cm.
ISBN 0-86417-619-8 (pbk.)

Our Classification: 23(=94)/5 [Allan, Sheila]-2

Our Accession No.: 94 / 1642

BELL, LESLIE

Destined meeting / Leslie Bell. - London : Odhams Press, 1959. - 256p., 16p. of plates: ill., facsim., ports. ; 22cm. - index.

Our Classification: 22(=680) [Bloom, Philip]

Our Accession No.: 43407

BLOOM, FREDDY

Dear Philip: a diary of captivity, Changi 1942-45 / Freddy Bloom. - London : Bodley Head, 1980. - 158p.: frontis. ; 22cm.

ISBN 0-370-30345-8

Our Classification: 23(=73)/5 [Bloom, Elfrieden "Freddy"]-2

Our Accession No.: 80 / 4168

BROWN, C.C.

Mural ditties and Sime Road soliloquies / by C.C. Brown; illustrated by R.W.E. Harper. - Singapore : Kelly and Walsh, 1948. - 26p.: figs. ; 25cm.

Our Classification: 59(=41).3/5 [Brown, C.C.]

Our Accession No.: 32429

CORNELIUS, MARY DOROTHY

Changi / by Mary Dorothy Cornelius. - Ilfracombe : Arthur H. Stockwell, n.d. - 80p. ; 19cm.

Our Classification: 23(=41)/5 [Cornelius, Mary Dorothy]

Our Accession No.: 31274

CRADDOCK, SALLY

Retired except on demand: the life of Dr. Cicely Williams / by Sally Craddock. - Oxford : Green College, 1983. - 198p., 4p. of plates: ports. ; 23cm. - bibl. p.194-196 - index.

Our Classification: 22(=41) [Williams, Cicely]

Our Accession No.: 83 / 3985

GULLICK, J.M.

Josephine Foss and the Pudu English School: a pursuit of excellence / J.M. Gullick. - Selangor Darul Ehsan, Malaysia : Pelanduk Publications, 1988. - xii, 198p.: ill., plan, ports. ; 22cm. - bibl. p.185-187 - index.

ISBN 967-978-234-4

Our Classification: 22(=41) [Foss, Josephine]

Our Accession No.: 88 / 2106

HAYTER, JOHN

Singapore / by John Hayter and Jack Bennitt. - London : The Society for the Propagation of the Gospel, 1946. - 36p., 4p. of plates: ill., ports. ; 19cm. (The war and after series; no. II).

Our Classification: 41.6(595.13)/5-2

Our Accession No.: K. 92 / 1351

HAYTER, JOHN

Priest in prison: four years of life in Japanese-occupied Singapore 1941-1945 / John Hayter. - Thornhill, Dumfriesshire : Tynron Press, 1991. - 324p.: ill., frontis., ports. ; 22cm. - index.

ISBN 1-85646-051-7 (pbk.)

Our Classification: 23(=41)/5 [Hayter, John]

Our Accession No.: 91 / 2134

HERIOT, GUY

Changi interlude: leaves from the diary of a third class internee / by Guy Heriot. - Lewes, Sussex : W.E. Baxter (printers), [1946]. - 120p., 3 leaves of plates: ill., facsim., fig., port. ; 20cm.
Our Classification: 23(=41)/5 [Heriot, Guy] *Our Accession No.:* 21678

KENNEDY, JOSEPH

British civilians and the Japanese war in Malaya and Singapore, 1941-45 / Joseph Kennedy. - London : Macmillan, 1987. - xii, 167p., 16p. of plates: ill., maps ; 23cm. - bibl. p.159-162 - index.
ISBN 0-333-41603-1
Our Classification: 32(595).1(=41)/5 *Our Accession No.:* 87 / 1588

KITCHING, TOM

Life and death in Changi / [Tom Kitching]. - Coupar Angus, Perthshire : William Culross (printers), 1998. - v, 280p.: ill., ports. ; 21cm. - index.
ISBN 1-873891-35-0 (pbk.)
Our Classification: 23(=41)/5 [Kitching, Thomas]-2 *Our Accession No.:* 99 / 21

LEWIS, T.P.M.

Changi: the lost years: a Malayan diary 1941-1945 / T.P.M. Lewis. - Kuala Lumpur : The Malaysian Historical Society, 1984. - xi, 314p.: ill., maps, port. ; 24cm. - index.
Our Classification: 23(=41)/5 [Lewis, T.P.M.]-2 *Our Accession No.:* 87 / 1331

MONTGOMERY, BRIAN

Shenton of Singapore: governor and prisoner of war / Brian Montgomery. - London : Leo Cooper, 1984. - xviii, 218p., 16p. of plates: ill., facsim., maps, ports ; 24cm. - bibl. p.209 - index.
ISBN 0-436-28440-5
Our Classification: 22(=41) [Thomas, Shenton Thomas Whitelegge] *Our Accession No.:* 84 / 1347

MORETON, D.E.

An Irishman in Malaya: John Lowe Woods / by D.E. Moreton. - Peterhead : Volturna, 1977. - 218p.: ill., facsim., frontis., map, music, ports. ; 20cm.
ISBN 0-85606-052-6
Our Classification: 22(=41) [Woods, John Lowe] *Our Accession No.:* 83 / 1658

PARFITT, IRIS G.J.

Jailbird jottings / by Iris G.J. Parfitt. - [Kuala Lumpur : Economy Printers], 1947. - [5], 84p.: figs. (some col.) ; 24cm.
Our Classification: 77/5.3(=52).1-5 *Our Accession No.:* 32428

SHENNAN, MARGARET

Out in the midday sun: the British in Malaya, 1880-1960 / Margaret Shennan. - London : John Murray, 2000. - xv, 426p., 35p. of plates: ill., maps, ports. ; 25cm. - bibl. p.403-412 - index.
ISBN 0-7195-5716-X
Our Classification: 32(595).1(=41)/1 *Our Accession No.:* 00 / 1046

THOMAS, MARY

In the shadow of the rising sun / Mary Thomas. - Singapore : Maruzen Asia, 1983. - 216p.: ill., facsim. ; 20cm.
ISBN 9971-954-14-1 (pbk.)

Our Classification: 23(=41)/5 [Thomas, Mary]

Our Accession No.: 84 / 630

THOMPSON, TYLER

Freedom in internment: under Japanese rule in Singapore, 1942-1945 / [Tyler Thompson; edited by Theodore R. Doraisamy]. - South Pasadena, California : Kefford Press, [198-?]. - x, 170p.: ill., ports. ; 17cm.

ISBN 981-00-1932-7 (pbk.)

Our Classification: 23(=73)/5 [Thompson, Tyler]

Our Accession No.: 92 / 1350

The Department of Documents holds the Changi Civilian Internment Camp Register (Miscellaneous 1089). This is a 246 page listing, providing details of nationality, sex, name, age, next of kin and date of imprisonment. To make an appointment to see this, please contact the Department of Documents. The telephone number is (020) 7416 5221 / 5222 / 5223, and the e-mail address is docs@iwm.org.uk

The women interned in Changi created three embroidered quilts (for the British, Australian and Japanese Red Cross) with the intention that these could be taken across to the hospital in the military camp. The British quilt is held by the British Red Cross Society and it can be viewed by appointment. The telephone number to arrange this is (020) 7201 5153.

An article entitled *A patchwork of internment* written by Bernice Archer appeared in the July 1997 issue of **History Today**, volume 47, issue 7, pages 11-18.

The second edition of Sheila Allan's book *Diary of a girl in Changi* (East Roseville, New South Wales: Kangaroo Press, 1999) contains more information about the quilts (please note that the Imperial War Museum does not have this edition, only the original).

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