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Scotland's War

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**1 Transcripts of interviews from the master tapes of “Scotland’s War”,
tapes 1-10.**

Alastair Dunnett

Journalist '39 then Press Officer for Secretary of State for Scotland
Tom Johnston; general home front views. [Imperial War Museum tape
numbers 1-2]

Jim Johnston

Scot called up as a US GI as he was born in Detroit in the 1920's. [Imperial
War Museum tape number 3]

Jim Lannan

Edinburgh man who saw the first German plane shot down over the
Firth of Forth '39. [Imperial War Museum tape number 4]

Federico Pontiero

Italian brought up in Scotland but interned in '40 as enemy alien on Isle
of Man. [Imperial War Museum tape number 5]

Isi Metzstein

German Jewish child who came in the Kindertransport and was
fostered by Scots. [Imperial War Museum tape number 6]

Agnes McLean

Rolls Royce Hillington worker who led the first (successful) women's
strike for equal pay in '43; war work and home front views. [Imperial War
Museum tape numbers 7-8]

Mary Gray

One of Rolls Royce striking women workers. [Imperial War Museum tape
number 9]

Marjory Herd

Upper class Wren who served in Shetland and elsewhere; home front
and services views. [Imperial War Museum tape number 10]

**2 Transcripts of interviews from the master tapes of “Scotland’s War”,
tapes 11-20.**

Stuart Hood

Young Communist pre-war; Intelligence HLI N. Africa/Italy/Germany; views on politics. [Imperial War Museum tape number 11]

Cliff Hanley

Journalist and conscientious objector; war-time politics; romance; foreigners. General Glasgow home front life; blitzes. [Imperial War Museum numbers 12-13]

Joe D'Ambrosio

Italian in British Army whose parents were interned as enemy aliens; he sought release. [Imperial War Museum tape number 14]

Tommy McSorley

Glasgow child evacuated to Perthshire; the culture clash and lasting friendship. [Imperial War Museum tape number 105]

Frieda Anderson

Edinburgh girl exported to England to work on munitions; victim of Coventry blitz. [Imperial War Museum tape number 16]

Gerald & Florence Freedman

Sister and Brother-in-law of Frieda; Edinburgh home front life; romance in war-time. [Imperial War Museum tape number 17]

Renzo Serafini

Inverness Italian; strong connection with Fascist Party; interned in Isle of Man as enemy alien; would not sign for release; life in camp inc. football and girls. [Imperial War Museum tape numbers 18-19]

Margaret Baxter

Evacuee from Glasgow to Ayrshire; Glasgow home front life; Americans. [Imperial War Museum tape number 20]

3 Transcripts of interviews from the master tapes of "Scotland's War", tapes 21-30.

Naomi Mitchison – Carradale House – Mull of Kintyre

Naomi reading manuscripts at fireside. Interview about her war-time daily diaries and Mass Observation organisation. [Imperial War Museum tape number 21]

Her poem about Tom Johnston; reading diary manuscripts. [Imperial War

Museum number 22]

General war memories; evacuation/effect on women/blitz/politics. [Imperial War Museum number 23]

Leocadia Dopierala – Polish Cemetery Perth

Interview about cemetery and Polish Monument. [Imperial War Museum number 24]

Wladyslaw Maronski

Interview on West Sands St Andrews about Polish troops' work on the beach defences. [Imperial War Museum tape number 25]

Wladyslaw Maronski

Signaller in Polish army; escape from Europe; arrival and views of Scotland & Scots; romances; views on Polish situation and their exile. [Imperial War Museum numbers 26 and 27]

Alexander Bogue

Glasgow policeman; work during blitzes; internment of aliens; duty at (whisky) docks. [Imperial War Museum tape number 28]

Leokadiusz Dopierala

Member of General Sikorski's guard; escape from Europe; view of Scotland; Scots bride. [Imperial War Museum tape number 29]

Margaret Docherty

Glasgow housewife with 2 children & soldier husband; home front life in Gorbals. [Imperial War Museum tape number 30]

4 Transcripts of interviews from the master tapes of "Scotland's War", tapes 31-42.

Eva Collins, Jean Lyon & Anne Wilson

Rolls Royce striking women workers; also general views of home front and war work. [Imperial War Museum tape numbers 31 and 32]

Tadeusz Apfel-Czaszka

Polish armoured division (with Maczec); views of Scotland and politics; exile. [Imperial War Museum tape number 33]

Jozef Mirczynski

Polish armoured division; views of Scotland difficulty of finding work after war; exile. [Imperial War Museum tape number 34]

Wladyslaw Wolanski & Ruby Wolanski

Interview with WW on Polish Armoured Division & Scotland; 2 shot with Scots wife Ruby. [Imperial War Museum tape number 35]

Paul Scott

Royal Artillery; army politics; SNP during war; Germany after war. [Imperial War Museum number 36]

No transcript for Imperial War Museum tape numbers 37-39

Dr Tony & Mrs Jean Lowther

Glasgow secondary school pupils evacuated to Cally House School Gatehouse of Fleet (during war-time Scotland's first co-ed boarding school) how they met. [Imperial War Museum tape number 40]

Iain Cameron & Jack Gillespie

Memories of life at Cally House School. [Imperial War Museum tape number 41]

No transcript for Imperial War Museum tape number 42.

5 Transcripts of interviews from the master tapes of "Scotland's War", tapes 43-54.

Joyce Christie & Jacqueline Patten

Memories of Cally House School. [Imperial War Museum tape number 43]

Betty Chalmers & Edith Campbell

Memories of Cally House School. [Imperial War Museum tape number 44]

Betty Pearson

Memories of Cally House School. [Imperial War Museum tape number 45]

Christine & Roy Smith

Memories of Cally House School; how they met married and settled in area. [Imperial War Museum tape number 46]

Willie Gilmour & John Campbell Bennett

Memories of Cally House School. [Imperial War Museum tape number 47]

No transcript for Imperial War Museum tape number 48.

Drummond Hunter

Royal Scots officer in Hong Kong; married Peggy Christmas '41 during fall of HK; POW in HK; returning home to Scotland. (Full interview with Peggy Tapes 123-5). [Imperial War Museum tape numbers 49-50]

George Pinkerton

Spitfire pilot 602 City of Glasgow auxiliary squadron shot down first German in Forth '39. [Imperial War Museum tape number 51]

Archie McCulloch

Journalist '39; then head of ENSA Scotland. [Imperial War Museum tape number 52]

Jim Poole

War-time family cinema; showed films in N. Africa; head of ENSA in Orkney. [Imperial War Museum tape number 53]

Ina and Betty Collins

Sisters conscripted to work in munitions factory in Midlands; complained to Devin. [Imperial War Museum tape number 54]

6 Transcripts of interviews from the master tapes of "Scotland's War", tapes 55-59.

Bill Crossan

Cameron Highlander from Glasgow; 1940 in 51st Highland Division captured at Abbeville in St Valery campaign; POW in Poland for 5 years. [Imperial War Museum numbers 55-56]

Ingrid Wuga & Henry Wuga

Glasgow based German Jewish refugees who eventually married; Henry on being interned at 16 on Isle of Man as enemy alien; cultural life; letters to MPs; release Ingrid on her father, brother being interned their meeting and marriage; Jewish politics. [Imperial War Museum tape numbers 57-58]

Bette Stevens

Glasgow middle class housewife with two children & soldier husband; homefront; blitz. [Imperial War Museum tape number 59]

7 Transcripts of interviews from the master tapes of “Scotland’s War”, tapes 60-65.

Stuart Brown

51st HD taken at St Valery; POW 5 years; married German girl Dora. (Interview Dora tape 91). [Imperial War Museum tape number 60]

Walter Gordon

Son of Glasgow department store owner; evacuees in home; rationing; running a store. [Imperial War Museum tape number 61]

Forsyth Hardy

Press officer to Secretary of State Tom Johnston; organised Scottish MOI films. [Imperial War Museum tape number 62]

Bella Keyzer

Dundee jute worker conscripted as shipyard welder; home front; married a Dutch sailor. [Imperial War Museum tape number 63]

Hamish Henderson

Pre-war Cambridge student in Germany with Quakers; joined army after St Valery; 51st HD Intelligence; Cairo; Alamein; Sicily; Italian campaign; spoke Italian with AMGOT wrote lyrics to D-Day Dodgers & Banks of Sicily; with partisans. [Imperial War Museum tape numbers 64 and 65]

8 Transcripts of interviews from the master tapes of “Scotland’s War”, tapes 66-82.

Hamish Henderson

Pre-war Cambridge student in Germany with Quakers; joined army after St Valery; 51st HD Intelligence; Cairo; Alamein; Sicily; Italian campaign; spoke Italian with AMGOT wrote lyrics to D-Day Dodgers & Banks of Sicily; with partisans. [Imperial War Museum tape number 66]

Helen Jackson

League of Nations Youth Group; Glasgow evacuees culture clash with Perthshire folk. [Imperial War Museum tape number 67]

No transcript for Imperial War Museum tape numbers 68-72.

Archie Macdonald

51st HD Cameron Highlander; captured St Valery; escaped in France

speaking Gaelic. [Imperial War Museum tape number 73]

Archie Macdonald & Donald Alan Maclean

51st HD Cameron Highlander captured St Valery; 5 years as POW in Poland; the trek through the Russian lines winter of '44/45; home to North Uist. [Imperial War Museum tape numbers 74 and 75]

Ronald Macdonald

51st HD Cameron Highlander at St Valery; 5 year POW (speech affected due to stroke). [Imperial War Museum tape number 76]

No transcript for Imperial War Museum tape numbers 77-78.

Murdo Maccuish

51st HD Cameron Highlander captured at St Valery; 5 years POW in Poland; trek home. [Imperial War Museum tape number 79]

John Macinnes

South Uist local government officer; home front; SS Politician; coping with loss of 51st HD; effect of war on islands. [Imperial War Museum tape numbers 80 and 81]

No transcript for Imperial War Museum tape number 82.

9 Transcripts of interviews from the master tapes of “Scotland’s War”, tapes 83-91.

Lachland Maclean

Naomi’s farm worker from North Uist; his work and Naomi’s war years. [Imperial War Museum tape number 83]

Dick Galbraith

Carradale man mentioned in Naomi’s war diary; joined merchant navy; politics. [Imperial War Museum tape number 84]

Christine Galbraith

Carradale girl in Naomi’s diary; education at House; romance with Free French soldier. [Imperial War Museum tape number 85]

No transcript for Imperial War Museum tape numbers 86-87.

Joseph Pia

Relation of Valvona & Crolla family; Italian who regards himself as a Scot; interned in '40 on Isle of Man; refused to sign as Italian or English; met Scottish nationalist internee. [Imperial War Museum tape numbers 88 and 89]

Harry Dillon

Merchant Navy; quarter master on Athenia '39' rescued passengers after torpedo hit. [Imperial War Museum tape number 89A]

Tony Ventilla

Scots/Italian soldier lost released interned parents, wife & brother in Clydebank blitz. [Imperial War Museum tape number 90A]

Dora Brown, Stuart & Dora Brown

German farmer's daughter who escaped with 51st HP POW; early German war bride. (Interview with Stuart tape 60). [Imperial War Museum tape number 91]

10 Transcripts of interviews from the master tapes of "Scotland's War", tapes 92-99.

General Sir Derek Lang

Adjutant with Cameron Highlanders 51st HD captured St Valery; escaped thro' France; led liberation HD in St Valery '44. [Imperial War Museum tape numbers 92]

Maggie Savoie

St Valery lady on Scots/French friendship Chairwoman of St Valery Association. [Imperial War Museum tape number 93]

Charles Oakley

Controller of Aircraft Production in Scotland; Rolls Royce Hillington; Glasgow home front. [Imperial War Museum tape number 94]

No transcript for Imperial War Museum tape number 95.

Derrick Johnstone

English Royal Navy sailor; Scapa Flow & Orcadians during war; doctor in Orkney now. [Imperial War Museum tape number 96]

Ian Macinnes

Orcadian Royal Navy sailor on Scapa Flow life; entertainment; politics; effect on islands. [Imperial War Museum tape number 97]

Eva Marwick

Young girl on Shapinsay one of the Orkneys life on island; soldiers on batteries; bombing. [Imperial War Museum tape number 98]

Joyce Anderson & Betty Garson

Orcadian sisters; Joyce in ATS in Stromness Betty on home front; effect of war on islands bombing on Flow; Royal Oak disaster; influx of servicemen; entertainment; Italian POWs. [Imperial War Museum tape number 99]

11 Transcripts of interviews from the master tapes of “Scotland’s War”, tapes 100-112.

Joyce Anderson & Betty Garson

Orcadian sisters; Joyce in ATS in Stromness Betty on home front; effect of war on islands bombing on Flow; Royal Oak disaster; influx of servicemen; entertainment; Italian POWs. [Imperial War Museum tape number 100]

Gerry Mayer & Nora Mayer

English soldier sent to Orkney; editor of the Orkney Blast forces’ paper; married local girl the daughter of WW1 English soldier. [Imperial War Museum number 101]

No transcript for Imperial War Museum tape number 102.

Walter Leask

Owner of fishing boat; serviced the Home Fleet; Hoy and Lyness; effect on islands. [Imperial War Museum tape number 103]

Marjorie Linklater

Wife of writer Eric Linklater on life for upper class on Orkney in war-time; war work. [Imperial War Museum tape number 104]

Dilys Kelly

English WAAF stationed near Scapa Flow on service life in war-time Orkney. [Imperial War Museum tape number 105]

No transcript for Imperial War Museum tape number 106.

Alison Sutherland Graeme

Her father owned Lambholm; contact with POWs; friendship with Chiochetti the artist of Italian Chapel. [Imperial War Museum tape number 107]

No transcript for Imperial War Museum tape number 108.

Hoy Orkney, Johnny Pottinger & Ian MacInnes

Interview by the Flow on wartime Hoy interview on Lyness, Hoy and the remains of war. [Imperial War Museum tape number 109]

Martello Tower Longhope Hoy & John Cload

1815 tower at edge of Scapa Flow. Interview on top of tower about this part of the Flow the submarine booms and Fleet during the war... [Imperial War Museum number 110]

Peter Leith & Brig of Waith

Interview at Bridge about his cousin James Isbister first civilian bombing victim of WW2. [Imperial War Museum tape number 111]

Jeremy Isaacs

Young Glasgow evacuee in Kirkcudbright; home front; Jewish refugees in Glasgow. [Imperial War Museum tape number 112]

12 Transcripts of interviews from the master tapes of “Scotland’s War”, tapes 113-125.

Margaret Brown & Margaret Sharp

Women workers in Morris’s furniture factory Glasgow; converted to making rifle butts. Watching archive film of their warwork; identify themselves. [Imperial War Museum tape number 113]

Jim & Peppina Dickson

Jim a Scots soldier (Royal Tank Regiment) captured at Tobruk; POW camp in Italy; he escaped and was taken in and hidden from Germans by Italian farmer’s wife and her daughters; fell in love and married Peppina took her home to Scotland. [Imperial War Museum tape numbers 115 and 116]

Stockindroin Farm Ardlui & John Fisher

Farm near Loch Sloy Hydro. The Farmer on the building of the first Hydro Scheme reservoir and power station. [Imperial War Museum tape number 117]

Chrissie Fisher

John’s wife on the changes brought to her life by electricity from Loch Sloy. [Imperial War Museum tape number 118]

Hugh Savage

Plumber and shop steward at John Brown's Shipyard Clydebank; war work and politics attitude of employers; Clydebank blitz; campaigning for CP in '45 election. (Continues on tape 122). [Imperial War Museum tape numbers 119 and 120]

Hugh Savage & John Taylor Caldwell

Continuation from tape 121. Conscientious Objector; member of anarchist party and follower of Guy Aldred; war-time politics; campaigning in '45 election. [Imperial War Museum tape number 122]

Daisy Lundie & Drummond & Peggy Hunter

Glasgow Land Girl in Aberdeenshire farms. (Continues on tape 124). [Imperial War Museum tape number 123]

Drummond & Peggy Hunter & Gavin Laird

Continuation of 123. Meeting and marriage of Royal Scots officer and VAD nurse in Hong Kong; wedding in hospital (Drummond wounded) Christmas '41 war in Japanese POW camp. (Continues on tape 125). [Imperial War Museum number 124]

Drummond & Peggy Hunter & Gavin Laird

Memories of small boy in Clydebank blitz. [Imperial War Museum tape number 125]

13 Transcripts of interviews from the master tapes of "Scotland's War", tapes 126-136.

Stewart Watson

Labour League of Youth; war-time politics as shipyard apprentice and then in army; the forces election in '45; Labour party camp at Carradale near Naomi Mitchison's house. [Imperial War Museum tape number 126 and 127]

Gordon & Susan McFeeters

Greenock home front, the blitzes. [Imperial War Museum tape number 128]

Betty Reid

Viewing MOI archive film "Land Girl". Interview about joining the Land Army, being chosen to star in the film; training city girls. [Imperial War Museum number 129]

Jimmy Miller

Fife miner on work during war-time; politics among Communist supporters; SNP banned from Home Guard; '45 election. [Imperial War Museum tape number 130-131]

No transcript for Imperial War Museum tape number 132-133.

Loch Sloy Hydro Scheme & Alastair Dunnett

Interview at Hydro scheme control room about Tom Johnston and the Hydro Board and the opening of Loch Sloy. [Imperial War Museum tape number 134]

Jocky Bell

Argyll & Sutherland Highlander from Glasgow; posted to train and fight Japanese in Malayan jungle; captured; POW for 3 years on Burma railway; views of Japanese. [Imperial War Museum tape number 135 and 136]

14 Transcripts of interviews from the master tapes of "Scotland's War", tapes 137-144.

Iain Mackenzie

Gordon Highlander posted to Singapore garrison; captured by Japanese; POW on Burma railway; experiences and view of Japanese. [Imperial War Museum number 137 and 138]

Archie Black

Gordon Highlander in Singapore garrison; captured by Japanese; POW on Burma rail way for 3 years. [Imperial War Museum tape number 139 and 140]

Norman Catto

Gordon Highlander ex Aberdeen farm hand; captured with Singapore garrison; POW on Burma railway, talks of survival; views of Japanese now. [Imperial War Museum tape number 141-142]

No transcript for Imperial War Museum tape number 143

Lt-Col Muriel Gibson

Member of SNP in wartime; SNP politics; followed by Special Branch; SNP election. [Imperial War Museum tape number 144]

15 Transcripts of interviews from the master tapes of "Scotland's War", tapes 145-153.

Dr Robert McIntyre & Lt-Col Muriel Gibson

First SNP MP in '44 by-election. Interview on career in ATS; forces romances. (Full interview on ATS career tapes 309 & 310). [Imperial War Museum number 145]

Ian Fleming

Glasgow artist; special constable in war; service during blitzes and drawings of destruction/street scenes; service as war artist in '44/5 European campaign. War paintings drawings and engravings. [Imperial War Museum number 146-148]

Kathleen McConnell

As an 8 year old child bombed in Clydebank Blitz; nearly killed; lost mother and siblings. [Imperial War Museum tape number 149]

Tom McGregor

Argyll & Sutherland Highlander; fought in Malaya; Japanese POW on Burma railway. [Imperial War Museum tape number 150]

No transcript for Imperial War Museum tape number 151.

Duncan Ferguson

Argyll & Sutherland Highlander; fought in Malay jungle; attitude of high command in Singapore; Japanese POW on Burma railway. (Continued on tape 153). [Imperial War Museum tape number 152]

Duncan Ferguson & Stirling Castle

Continuation of tape 152. Argyll & Sutherland Highlanders Museum Old/young soldiers discuss picture of Retreat from Malaya to Singapore ("San Peur") and exhibits in glass case of POW life. [Imperial War Museum tape number 153]

16 Transcripts of interviews from the master tapes of "Scotland's War", tapes 154-163.

No transcript for Imperial War Museum tape numbers 154-156.

Col Kenneth Mowbray Burnett

Gordon Highlander officer; high life in Singapore; ignominy of surrender to the Japanese; POW on Burma railway for 3 years; attitude towards officer; release and feelings about Japanese. [Imperial War Museum tape number 157-158]

Willie Merchant

Ex Farm hand & Gordon Highlander in Singapore garrison; battle for Singapore; POW camp experiences on Burma railway; arrival home. [Imperial War Museum number 159-160]

Ronnie Taylor & Rona Taylor

SNP conscientious objector and merchant seaman; involved in SNP bomb attack in protest against Scots girl workers going to England; Rona SNP supporter and later wife. [Imperial War Museum tape number 161]

Tom Hastie

Scots rubber planter and civilian Malay volunteer; battle for Singapore; POW camp building an air-strip in the Borneo jungle; feelings on release and now. [Imperial War Museum tape number 162-163]

17 Transcripts of interviews from the master tapes of “Scotland’s War”, tapes 164-170.

No transcript for Imperial War Museum tape number 164.

George Kean

John Brown’s shipyard worker; memories of the night of the Clydebanks blitz. [Imperial War Museum tape number 165]

Donald Alexander

Pre war documentary film-maker, moved to Scotland with wife (also director) Budge Cooper; made films together for MOI in Scotland during war on social themes. [Imperial War Museum tape numbers 166-167]

Finlay Maclachlan

Argyll & Sutherland Highlander; fought in Malayan jungle; captured by Japanese in Singapore; 3 years as POW on Burma railway; recalls coming home to village near Stirling to find his three brothers had been killed in North Africa. [Imperial War Museum tape numbers 168-170]

18 Transcripts of interviews from the master tapes of “Scotland’s War”, tapes 171-180.

Ballantyne Henry

Argyll & Sutherland Highlanders officer POW on Burma railway. [Imperial War Museum number 171]

Bill Crossan

51st HD POW in Poland; recalls how girl friends at home would not wait (Tape 55/6). [Imperial War Museum tape number 172]

No transcript for Imperial War Museum tape number 173.

Aberfeldy, The Wade Bridge, Dorothy Beattie & Isabel Morris & Dorothy Beattie (B)

Matching shots with archive "Freedom of Aberfeldy" (about holidays in Perthshire village for Commonwealth troops). Dorothy and Isabel sit on bench and chat about the making of the film in which they appeared and what happened to everyone.

Memories of being chosen to appear in film and Aberfeldy in war-time. [Imperial War Museum tape number 174]

Isabel Morris (B) & Karol & Georgina Kabacki

Memories of the film and Aberfeldy in war.

Isabel's neighbours a Polish ex-soldier and his Scottish wife chat over gate to her. [Imperial War Museum tape number 175]

Mary Knox

The daughter of Tom Johnston war-time Scottish Secretary of State about him, her childhood, his career, his politics; Churchill called him "King of Scotland". On location in Kirkintilloch; talking about her father Tom Johnston; at his first home and other places associated with him... In Kirkintilloch talking about Tom Johnston; looking at his grave. [Imperial War Museum numbers 176-179]

Reg Clark, Erich & Margaret Penno

GVs and tracking shots of POW camp near Laurencekirk; Clark's memories of German Italian POWs there.

GVs of their former farm Drummair near Keith; Eric & Margaret walking around; interview about farming there. [Imperial War Museum tape number 180]

19 Transcripts of interviews from the master tapes of "Scotland's War", tapes 181-188.

Werner Busse

Member of Waffen SS & 10th Panzers; captured Caen '44; sent as POW to USA & Scotland; settled & married Scots girl. [Imperial War Museum tape number 181]

Erich Penno & Werner Busse

German from Polish corridor; captured North Africa; sent as POW to USA & Scotland; worked on farm; married farmer's daughter.

On being hon. Member KOSB sgt's mess. [Imperial War Museum tape numbers 182-183]

No transcript for Imperial War Museum tape number 184

General Ian Robertson

Adjutant Seaforth Highlanders; shock of St Valery; N. African campaign; LOB Alamein; views on Gen Wimberley, Montgomery & Rommel; Sicily & D Day landings. [Imperial War Museum tape numbers 185-186]

Donald Robertson

Seaforth Highlander officer; 2nd 51st HD; North African campaign; Alamein & loss of pipers; sweep to Tripoli & Tunis; Sicily landings; seriously wounded at Francofonte; sent home; good on fear and the other ranks. [Imperial War Museum numbers 187-188]

20 Transcripts of interviews from the master tapes of "Scotland's War", tapes 189-196.

Donald Robertson

Seaforth Highlander officer; 2nd 51st HD; North African campaign; Alamein & loss of pipers; sweep to Tripoli & Tunis; Sicily landings; seriously wounded at Francofonte; sent home; good on fear and the other ranks. [Imperial War Museum number 189]

Willie Galleitch

Seaforth Highlander 2nd 51st HD; North African campaign; El Alamein; sweep to Tripoli & Tunis; generals; desert conditions; Highway decorators; Sicily landings. [Imperial War Museum tape numbers 190-191]

Jock More

Seaforth Highlander; North African campaign. [Imperial War Museum Numbers 192]

Jean Mitchell

Daughter of Glen Clova post-mistress and star of the MOI film "Highland Postie"; first girl to be given trousers as uniform. [Imperial War Museum number 193]

No transcript for Imperial War Museum tape numbers 194-196.

21 Transcripts of interviews from the master tapes of “Scotland’s War”, tapes 197-202.

St Clair Cameron

Royal Artillery Territorial from Millport Isle of Cumbrae; joined 51st HD; captured at St Valery; life in POW camp; trek through Eastern Front; going home. [Imperial War Museum tape numbers 197-198]

David Stevenson

51st HD Royal Artillery territorial from Millport; St Valery POW; life in camp; home. [Imperial War Museum tape number 199]

Jack Hunter

51st HD Royal Artillery territorial from Millport; captured at St Valery; life in POW camp; Jack hated German captors; spent some time in punishment blocks; when the Russians broke through Jack and some friends trekked through snow to Odessa. [Imperial War Museum tape numbers 200-202]

22 Transcripts of interviews from the master tapes of “Scotland’s War”, tapes 203-207.

Walter Kerr

51st HD Royal Artillery territorial from Millport; captured St Valery; journey to POW & life there; no escape attempts as camps isolated in Poland; long dangerous trek in the winter snows of '44/45; bombed by Allies home to Millport; feelings about 5 years. [Imperial War Museum tape numbers 203-206]

John Oswald

Enthusiastic cinema-goer from Dunbarton on war-time films & newsreels. [Imperial War Museum tape number 207]

23 Transcripts of interviews from the master tapes of “Scotland’s War”, tapes 208-211.

Bob Crampsey

Glasgow school boy on all aspects of the home front; especially good on rationing, US troops, entertainment & Scottish football; '45 election. [Imperial War Museum numbers 208-209]

Chris Mackay

Young Glasgow woman on the home front; food and clothes rationing; entertainment in theatre cinema & dance hall; foreign troops; worked at aircraft factory Prestwick. [Imperial War Museum tape numbers 210-211]

24 Transcripts of interviews from the master tapes of “Scotland’s War”, tapes 212-218.

Angus Macdonald

Gaelic speaking piper from 51st HD; Gen. Wimberley’s personal piper; Alamein losses. [Imperial War Museum tape number 212]

James Macdonald

Merchant seaman; R. Clyde/Atlantic convoys. [Imperial War Museum numbers 213]

Jimmy Logan

Well-known Scottish entertainer; ENSA; music hall in war-time; patriotic themes; life on the home front; rationing; US troops. [Imperial War Museum numbers 214-215]

No transcript for Imperial War Museum tape number 216.

The Plaza Ballroom Glasgow, Jimmy & Ella Hill, Manny Ferri, Farquhar Macrae & Adam Sharp

Married couple who danced throughout war. Dance band leader. War-time dance hall manager. War-time airman and dance teacher. [Imperial War Museum number 217]

No transcript for Imperial War Museum tape number 218.

25 Transcripts of interviews from the master tapes of “Scotland’s War”, tapes 219-223.

Lou Anderson

Farmer at Lochwinnoch Ayrshire on the effect of rationing on farmers; too many inspectors; bending the rules; war farm workers; land girls. [Imperial War Museum numbers 219-220]

Elizabeth Anderson

A Farmer’s wife in war-time; coping with rationing; feeding family & workers. [Imperial War Museum tape numbers 221]

John Horn

Edinburgh man called up into Middlesex Regiment the artillery for the 51st HD; North African campaign & Sicily landings. [Imperial War Museum tape numbers 222-223]

26 Transcripts of interviews from the master tapes of “Scotland’s War”, tapes 224-228.

Donald Maclean

Black Watch & 51st HD bandsman; St Valery POW; life in camp; member of camp band; played for German officers; released before the long trek. [Imperial War Museum tape numbers 224-225]

David Macgough

Black Watch & 2nd 51st HD; North African campaign; desert life; Sicily campaign. [Imperial War Museum tape number 226]

Helmut Bongarz

Soldier with 10th Panzer Division; captured days before end of war; sent to Scotland as POW; married Scots girl. [Imperial War Museum tape number 227]

Ella Brock

Edinburgh girl worked in Co-operative Stores; home front & how rationing worked. [Imperial War Museum tape number 228]

27 Transcripts of interviews from the master tapes of “Scotland’s War”, tapes 229-236.

Alison Dunlop

Girl from Aberfeldy Perthshire & Edinburgh how rationing worked; bought coupons. [Imperial War Museum tape numbers 229]

No transcript for Imperial War Museum tape number 230.

Bunty Macleod

War-time Tiller Girl & daughter of Scots music hall entertainer Harry Gordon; work for ENSA; father’s pantomimes & war-time routines e.g. as Land girl or Wren. [Imperial War Museum tape numbers 231-232]

Norman Macleod

Son of Scots music hall star; Stars in Battledress, marriage to Bunty Gordon. [Imperial War Museum tape number 233]

No transcript for Imperial War Museum tape numbers 234-235.

Jimmy Smith

Rangers & Scotland footballer on how the League worked in war; matches against England. [Imperial War Museum tape number 236]

28 Transcripts of interviews from the master tapes of “Scotland’s War”, tapes 237-241.

Malcolm Macdonald

Celtic & Scotland footballer; how players worked in reserved occupations; the league; playing against Stanley Matthews in international. [Imperial War Museum number 237]

Andrew Nicol

Grocer from Alloa on how the shop-keeper worked the rationing system; under the counter & black market; his prosecution for buying eggs from farms and selling them. [Imperial War Museum tape numbers 238-239]

Gideon Rutherford

Officer Seaforth Highlanders 2nd 51st HD; North African campaign; Alamein to Tunis; Sicily campaign; Wimberley & Montgomery. [Imperial War Museum numbers 240-241]

29 Transcripts of interviews from the master tapes of “Scotland’s War”, tapes 242-249.

George Dunn

Officer Royal Scots Fusiliers 2nd 51st HD; North African campaign Alamein to Tunis; Sicily campaign; the Highway Decorators. [Imperial War Museum numbers 242-243]

Hugh Savage

Second IV; on home front in East End of Glasgow; rationing; entertainment; football; dancing; US troops; the black market. [Imperial War Museum numbers 244-245]

Charles Hammill

War-time cinema projectionist; worked for Glasgow Singleton circuit. [Imperial War Museum number 246]

No transcript for Imperial War Museum tape numbers 247-248.

Betty McAllister

Local shop-keeper in Barras market on how people used market in war; selling coupons. [Imperial War Museum tape number 249]

30 Transcripts of interviews from the master tapes of “Scotland’s War”, tapes 250-253.

Dorothy Paul & Agnes Stuart

Dorothy & her aunt on memories of war-time life in Glasgow tenement; rationing. [Imperial War Museum tape number 250]

Hugh Robertson

Officer in Seaforth Highlanders 2nd 51st HD North African campaign; Alamein to Tunis; Sicily. [Imperial War Museum tape number 251]

Bessie McCue

War-time cinema usherette; worked in central Glasgow & Springburn; audiences; films; home front. [Imperial War Museum tape numbers 252-253]

31 Transcripts of interviews from the master tapes of “Scotland’s War”, tapes 254-260.

Jim Atkinson

Officer Argyll & Sutherland Highlanders 51st HD; captured St Valery; POW camp in Germany; as recreation formed pipe band & dance troop; Jim created “Reel of the 51st”. [Imperial War Museum tape numbers 254-255]

No transcript for Imperial War Museum tape number 256.

George Singleton

Full interview about his family & cinema from his first memories of his father’s film show in Clydebanks town hall in 1910; he was the chocolate boy; shows in mining areas; George building up his own cinema circuit in the 20’s; family’s socialist politics; war-time cinema audiences; selling out his circuit to Odeon chain late 30’s; built new one in the 50’s. [Imperial War Museum tape numbers 257-260]

32 Transcripts of interviews from the master tapes of “Scotland’s War”, tapes 261-266.

Eddie Karling

US GI stationed with USAAF at Prestwick in Scotland; meets and marries local girl and returns to States; eventually comes back to settle in Scotland.

[Imperial War Museum tape numbers 261-262]

Marion Karling

Girl from Prestwick; meeting GIs in Ballroom Ayr; married Eddie; preferred Scotland to US. [Imperial War Museum tape number 263]

No transcript for Imperial War Museum tape numbers 264-266.

33 Transcripts of interviews from the master tapes of “Scotland’s War”, tapes 267-280.

Harry Sullivan

Englishman who joined the Commandos on his reasons; training in Achnacarry; his experiences in North West Europe and coming home after the war. [Imperial War Museum tape numbers 267-268]

No transcript for Imperial War Museum tape numbers 269-273.

Janet MacLuckie

Glencoe girl who joined Lumberjills; met & married an English Commando. [Imperial War Museum tape numbers 274]

No transcript for Imperial War Museum tape number 275.

Lady Elizabeth Ross

Joining the WRENS; serving at Lochailort; service in Far East; meets future husband Willie Ross in India. [Imperial War Museum tape numbers 276]

Mrs Pauline Cameron-Head

Came to Lochailort as ambulance driver; met & married landowner; the services who trained there from Stirling and Lovat’s independent companies to the Navy. [Imperial War Museum tape number 277]

No transcript for Imperial War Museum tape numbers 278-279.

Mae Macintosh

Middle class teacher on clothes rationing in war; black market; factory girls; New Look. [Imperial War Museum tape number 280]

34 Transcripts of interviews from the master tapes of “Scotland’s War”, tapes 281-286.

Tom Couper

Clothing manufacturers' agent working in Glasgow during the war; how salesmen, shops, customers operated; scarcity of goods from factory; clothing coupons. [Imperial War Museum tape numbers 281-282]

Lachlan Mackinnon

Merchant seaman from Barra Hebrides; on Atlantic & Russian convoys; trained to use guns; describes shooting at bombers on Russian convoys; icy conditions; U boats. [Imperial War Museum tape numbers 283-284]

Susan Sinclair & David Sinclair with Susan Sinclair

Glasgow ATS girl; served as a cook in North Africa; met & married Scots soldier David HLI soldier; served in North Africa campaign. How they met and married. [Imperial War Museum tape numbers 285-286]

35 Transcripts of interviews from the master tapes of "Scotland's War", tapes 287-293.

May Nicolson

Glasgow shop girl; joined ATS; served in England, Belgium; Holland; in signals admin. [Imperial War Museum tape number 287]

No transcript for Imperial War Museum tape number 288.

Pat Doran

Glasgow girl; joined WRENS; served in St Enoch Hotel; main navy admin centre. [Imperial War Museum tape number 289]

Tom Jackson

Merchant seaman from Glasgow; the Clyde Atlantic and Mediterranean convoys. [Imperial War Museum tape number 290]

Margaret Hamilton

Dundee girl; joined WRENS; a telegraphist based near Broughty Ferry. [Imperial War Museum tape number 291]

John Wilkie

Cameronians/Scottish Rifles; from Hamilton near Glasgow; fought throughout Italian campaign; good on Anzio beach-head. [Imperial War Museum tape numbers 292-293]

36 Transcripts of interviews from the master tapes of "Scotland's War", tapes 294-301.

Hilda Howden

Yorkshire girl; joined WAAF; served as barrage balloon operator in Glasgow docks; tough work; proud of skill; comradeship; married Edinburgh man who served in RAF. [Imperial War Museum tape numbers 294-295]

Irene Milne

Edinburgh girl joined WAAF; served in Egypt & Palestine; in military band; good on what she learned in services; romances; fears about return to Civvy life. [Imperial War Museum tape numbers 296-297]

Louisa Harley

Queen Alexandra Army nurse in Alexandra Hospital Singapore; fled Japanese invasion in one of last ships; bombed in China Sea; captured; POW in Japanese camp Sumatra; conditions; the Dutch; medical work; final release and return home to Glasgow. [Imperial War Museum tape numbers 298-300]

Walter Gordon

On "The Warehouse" balcony about father's department store during war-time rationing. [Imperial War Museum tape number 301]

37 Transcripts of interviews from the master tapes of "Scotland's War", tapes 302-308.

Jim Drummond

Glasgow man joined Cameronians; fought as junior NCO in Italian campaign from Sicily to Rome; Anzio beach-head; good on geography and weather. [Imperial War Museum tape numbers 302-303]

Danny Davidson

Royal Scots Fusiliers; volunteered for Commandos; trained Achnacarry; signals. [Imperial War Museum tape number 304]

Archie Smith

Glasgow merchant seaman; Athenia at start; Mediterranean Atlantic convoys; D-Day. [Imperial War Museum tape number 305]

Andrew Macdonald

RASC Transport Corps; keen amateur photographer took pictures of Italian war. [Imperial War Museum tape number 306]

Renee Weir

Girl from poor Glasgow family; joined ATS; served in England on radar and Ack Ack. [Imperial War Museum tape number 307]

Betty Gibson

Glasgow WREN; served in Scapa Flow as telegraphist; romance with foreign sailors. [Imperial War Museum tape number 308]

38 Transcripts of interviews from the master tapes of “Scotland’s War”, tapes 309-314.

Muriel Gibson

Glasgow office worker; joined ATS; became officer; loved army; served in England & Italy discipline; pay poorer than male officers; eventually became Lt Col in WRAC. [Imperial War Museum tape numbers 309-310]

Flora Armstrong

Glasgow girl joined ATS; wanted to be driver ended up as cook; served in Italy. [Imperial War Museum tape number 311]

Peggy Dalman

Highland girl joined WRENS; served on West coast of Scotland; married Dutch sailor. [Imperial War Museum tape number 312]

Euphemia Wood & Peggy Dalman

Glasgow WREN; good on classier service. Double interview: how they met as WRENS; friends for life. [Imperial War Museum tape number 313]

Raymond Hervo

French sailor from Brittany; escaped after Fall of France; trained as Commando S/land. [Imperial War Museum tape number 314]

39 Transcripts of interviews from the master tapes of “Scotland’s War”, tapes 315-330.

Jean Hervo & Raymond Hervo

Glasgow waitress/WAAF; married Raymond. How they met; happy married life; now life in Fort William near Commando territory. [Imperial War Museum number 315]

No transcript for Imperial War Museum tape numbers 316-317.

Niall Thomson

Commando and commando instructor at Achnacarry; tough training; how recruits stood up to it; war experience inc D-Day landings. [Imperial War Museum numbers 318-319]

No transcript for Imperial War Museum tape numbers 320-325.

William Maclean

Lewis man in RNVR pre war; called up to the Navy; served on various ships – armed merchant cruisers & destroyers; Atlantic & Russian convoys; D-Day landings. [Imperial War Museum tape numbers 326-327]

No transcript for Imperial War Museum tape number 328.

Norman Smith

In his sitting room listens to a tape of ANZIO beach-head (BBC radio); reads from a book on ANZIO an account of joining up with US troops; he was present and is in a photo in the book. Lewis soldier; in Reconnaissance Corps in Italy; Anzio beach-head; captured; POW. [Imperial War Museum tape numbers 329-330]

40 Transcripts of interviews from the master tapes of “Scotland’s War”, tapes 331-337.

John Gillies

Lewis merchant seaman with 13 friends joined same ship; captured; POWs 5 years. [Imperial War Museum tape number 331]

Murdo Smith

Lewis man in RNVR; called up to Navy; served on destroyers; Atlantic & Russian convoys; D-Day landings; won medal mine sweeping Scheldt estuary after Walcheren. [Imperial War Museum tape numbers 332-333]

No transcript for Imperial War Museum tape number 334.

Connie Macdougall

Glasgow girl; joined ATS; served on Ack Ack batteries. [Imperial War Museum number 335]

Louise Wyatt

Glasgow girl; joined ATS; served on Ack Ack batteries; loved the services and the job. [Imperial War Museum tape number 336]

Jim Patterson

Merchant seaman on the Atlantic & Russian convoys; good on U Boat wolf packs. [Imperial War Museum tape number 337]

41 Transcripts of interviews from the master tapes of “Scotland’s War”, tapes 338-343.

David Pryde

KOSB/78th Division soldier went through whole Italian campaign from Sicily to the Alps; at Salerno; Cassino; Sangro & Gagliano Rivers good on geography and weather problems. [Imperial War Museum tape numbers 338-339]

Peter Paterson

Royal Scots Grey; Palestine; conversion from horse to tanks; Salerno landings. [Imperial War Museum tape number 340]

Patricia Walker

Daughter of owner of men’s outfitter shop in Glasgow; took over shop during war; how the business was affected; coupons; supplies black market; workers with money to spend. [Imperial War Museum tape numbers 341-342]

John Gilmour

Scottish Horse soldier; one of first of the Commando recruits; trained in Glencoe; joined SBS; served in Greece, Salerno. [Imperial War Museum number 343]

42 Transcripts of interviews from the master tapes of “Scotland’s War”, tapes 344-350.

Ronnie Williamson

Commando; good on interview and reason for joining; training at Achnacarry; different techniques; joined SBS; sea training; at head of Sicily landings; good on fear. [Imperial War Museum tape numbers 334-345]

Donald Gilchrist

Cameronian Scottish Rifles; joined the Commandos; became Adjutant to Vaughan at Achnacarry; good on history & training ideas; at Dieppe & D-Day with Lovat. [Imperial War Museum tape numbers 346-347]

Bill Haynes

Englishman who joined Royal Scots Greys as they converted to tanks; at Salerno. [Imperial War Museum tape number 348]

Len Binks

Royal Scots Greys; Middle East; the conversion to tanks; Salerno landing. [Imperial War Museum tape number 349]

No transcript for Imperial War Museum tape number 350.

43 Transcripts of interviews from the master tapes of “Scotland’s War”, tapes 351-359.

Walter Gordon & The Warehouse

Interview on balcony of the store about the effect of war on his father and the business. [Imperial War Museum tape number 351]

Jack Woodburn

Merchant seaman & engineer on the Clan Line in war; good on convoy system; sailed in Mediterranean Indian Ocean Atlantic; saw Audacity & Stanley sunk by U B wolf pack. [Imperial War Museum tape numbers 352-353]

Sir Denis Forman

Argyll & Sutherland Highlander; the crazy rituals of the officer class in 1940; the battle school idea of infantry with Lionel Wigram; Italy campaign; Sangro River; with local partisans on Gustav line; Monte Cassino; lost a leg in attack on Monastery. [Imperial War Museum tape numbers 354-356]

No transcript for Imperial War Museum tape number 357.

Andrew Brown

Argyll & Sutherland Highlanders; Lt Quarter Master in Italian campaign; good on organisation of troops; beach landings; local people; from Sicily to Gothic Line. [Imperial War Museum tape numbers 358-359]

44 Transcripts of interviews from the master tapes of “Scotland’s War”, tapes 360-365.

David Coutts

Royal Scots Fusiliers officer; Sicily landings Reggio Calabria landing; weather/geography Gagliano River; Anzio; fall of Rome. [Imperial War Museum numbers 360-361]

Alexander Robertson

Royal Scots Fusiliers in Italian campaign; in supply line; good on weather & geography; Sicily thro Anzio to Rome; pipers in Rome. [Imperial War Museum number 362]

John Gibson

Royal Corps of Signals officer; recruited to Commandos by Lovat; Achnacarry training. [Imperial War Museum tape number 363]

Hamish Taylor

Captain in 8th Argylls/78th Battleaxe Division; North Africa; Italian campaign from Sicily Termoli Sangro River Monte Cassino pipers in Rome Florence Gothic Line Bologna into Austria. [Imperial War Museum tape numbers 364-365]

45 Transcripts of interviews from the master tapes of “Scotland’s War”, tapes 366-376.

Mae Macintosh

Clothes rationing in war-time. [Imperial War Museum tape numbers 366]

Bert Mitchell

Sergeant with 5/7th Gordon Highlanders call up '41; North Africa; trained London for D-Day; landed at Juno Beach; fought by paras in Normandy; wounded badly; sent home. [Imperial War Museum tape numbers 367-368]

Rev Charles Stuart

Padre with 5/7th Gordon Highlanders; why he joined up; Training & D-Day landing; battles in Normandy; memories of Sgt McPherson; St Valery; Germany; home. [Imperial War Museum tape numbers 369-370]

Jock Rainnie

Gordon Highlander wounded St Valery; joined Paras (1st battalion); fought Africa Sicily Arnhem; captured POW till end of war. [Imperial War Museum number 371]

James Glennie & Sandy Mckenzie

5/7th Gordon Highlanders; just 18 on D-Day; lost best friend in Normandy; captured POW (Short section only). Continued on tape 374. [Imperial War Museum numbers 372-373]

Sandy Mckenzie

Continuation of tape 372-373. 5/7th Gordon Highlanders; call up 1941; North Africa, Alamein; driver in motor platoon; landed after D-Day; fought in Normandy; won MM in Holland carrying wounded. [Imperial War Museum number 374]

Bill Paterson

5/7th Gordon Highlanders; missed St Valery; North Africa; Salerno Mutiny; D-Day & Normandy. [Imperial War Museum tape number 375]

Bill Cheyne & Sandy Grant

5/7th Gordon Highlanders; North Africa; due to loss of pipers trained for pipe band, from Normandy to Bremerhaven (Section only). [Imperial War Museum numbers 276]

46 Transcripts of interviews from the master tapes of “Scotland’s War”, tapes 377-391.

Bill Cheyne & Sandy Grant

5/7th Gordon Highlanders; North Africa; trained for pipe band; from Normandy to Bremerhaven. [Imperial War Museum tape number 377]

James Irvine

Officer in 1/2nd Gordon Highlanders; landed after D-Day; fought in Scottish corridor in Normandy; Seine crossing filmed by Jock Gordon; Belgium Holland Germany. [Imperial War Museum tape numbers 378-379]

No transcript for Imperial War Museum tape numbers 380-381.

James Barclay & Vic Campbell

KOSB soldier; trained in Moray for D-Day; landed 2nd wave; Normandy; entry to Caen; Low Countries, Rine Crossing, Germany. (Continued on tape 384). [Imperial War Museum tape numbers 382-383]

Vic Campbell

Continuation of tapes 382-383. KOSB soldier; trained Moray for D-Day; landed Sward Beach 6th June; fought in Normandy – Cambes En Plaine, Caen, Troarn; Low Countries; Bremen VE day. [Imperial War Museum number 384]

Alec Wentworth

Royal Artillery; landed Juno Beach Bernieres Sur Mer with Canadians; won MM on D-Day; VE Day: father’s WW1 grave on Somme. [Imperial War Museum numbers 385-386]

Walter Jennings

Stoker petty officer in Royal Navy; Med mine sweeper; on landing craft at D-Day. [Imperial War Museum tape number 387]

John Gordon

Army Film & photo Unit cameraman; filmed Normandy, Falaise Gap, Seine crossing. [Imperial War Museum tape numbers 388]

No transcript for Imperial War Museum tape number 389.

George Duncan

KOSB officer; training in Moray; preparation in South; D-Day landings; battles Normandy Cambes en Plaine; wounded; returns to Low Countries; Germany; trains for Japan; VJ day. [Imperial War Museum tape numbers 390-391]

47 Transcripts of interviews from the master tapes of “Scotland’s War”, tapes 392-401.

Geoffrey McCreath

KOSB officer; training in Moray; build up; D-Day landings; Normandy; Cambes En Plaine; wounded & returns to Troarn; dreadful attrition; Germany; still nervous. [Imperial War Museum tape numbers 392-393]

Peter Wild

Commando; joined SBS; Mediterranean reported to Admirals on beach conditions; New Year '43/4 checked out Sword Beach Normandy; D-Day led in TLCs; Burma; VJ day. [Imperial War Museum tape numbers 394-395]

John Russell

KOSB stretcher bearer; D-Day landings; wounded at Troarn; won MM in Germany. [Imperial War Museum tape number 396]

Alastair Pearson

Glasgow HLI recruit; commanded 1st Para North Africa/Sicily; trained 8th Para for France; dropped midnight D-Day; battle around D zone Dives bridge & Troarn; '45 election. [Imperial War Museum tape numbers 397-398]

Bill Boucher-Myers

Commando recruit from Grenadier Guards; Lofoten Dieppe with Lovat; missed D-Day; Normandy; led Flushing assault; at Belsen. [Imperial War Museum numbers 399-400]

John Leese

Royal Navy midshipman; Combined Ops in Scotland; 3rd officer on LCT D-Day; landed GIs on Utah beach; storm wrecked US Mulberry; ran port at Courseulles sur Mer. [Imperial War Museum tape numbers 400-401]

48 Transcripts of interviews from the master tapes of “Scotland’s War”, tapes 402-424.

Archie McLean

Merchant seaman on Royal Navy rescue tug service; D-Day; worked on Mulberry Harbour. [Imperial War Museum tape number 402]

Oliver Mather

Welder at Belshill engineering works; built sections of Mulberry harbour. [Imperial War Museum tape number 403]

No transcript for Imperial War Museum tape numbers 404-405.

Sir Robert Grieve

Civil engineer building ARP shelters; post war planner; politics and '45 election. [Imperial War Museum tape number 406]

No transcript for Imperial War Museum tape number 407.

Archie Toppin

Glasgow working class student became officer in Indian army; class & politics in army; war in Burma; Hiroshima bomb; '45 election; how war changed him. [Imperial War Museum tape numbers 408-409]

Ken Kennett

Royal Engineers sapper; joined Commandos; at Dieppe; D-Day landed Sword Beach with 4 Commando; fought Breville; Flushing assault. [Imperial War Museum numbers 410-411]

No transcript for Imperial War Museum tape numbers 412-414

Ernie Bright & Ouistreham Normandy

At home; interview about how he met wife in '39 in France; Cameron Highlander; joined the Commandos; D-Day landing; Normandy battle; went to Brittany to find wife; why still lives in France; the Normandy pipe band. [Imperial War Museum tape numbers 415-416]

No transcript for Imperial War Museum tape numbers 417-420.

George Rodger

Life magazine photographer during war; London & Coventry blitz; Africa; D-Day Normandy; Belsen & its effect on him; Robert Capa; Luneberg Heath; VE

Day. [Imperial War Museum tape numbers 421-422]

Jimmy George & Molly George

Gordon Highlander from Banffshire; North African campaign; in Chalfont St Giles pre D-Day met and married local girl; European war experiences; friend of Sgt McPherson.

Local girl; how the Highlanders fitted in; how she met & married Jimmy; fear of losing him. [Imperial War Museum tape numbers 423-424]