

Mercian Regiment Museum (Worcestershire)  
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## Baggage and Belonging Catalogue 2020

<b>Museum</b>	Mercian Regiment Museum (Worcestershire)
<b>Accession Number</b>	WOSWR:2004-439
<b>Categories</b>	Containers
<b>Object name</b>	Box
<b>Description</b>	Box described as being 'picked up' by a soldier from the field of the Battle of Banda, fought 19 April 1858 during the Indian Mutiny/Uprising, 1857-8. Possibly found on the battlefield by Corporal W. E. Postings while on service in India during the Second World War
<b>Physical description</b>	Box, possibly brass, inscribed on the top: "W Postings Box / Found on the Battle Field / of Banda / 19th April 1858 / Indian Mutiny".
<b>Names associated</b>	Postings, Corporal W. E.
<b>Other associations</b>	INDIA Indian Mutiny / Uprising Battle of Banda



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- Museum** Mercian Regiment Museum (Worcestershire)
- Accession Number** WOSWR:M868
- Categories** Arms and armour
- Object name** Flint
- Description** 2 musket flints, described as being 'picked up' by Lieutenant John Mackenzie Lyle, 29th Regiment, from the battlefield of Sobraon, fought on 10 February 1846, during the First Anglo-Sikh War, 1845-6, Panjab
- Physical description** 2 pieces of flint, one grey, the other slightly darker. With two brass plaques, one engraved 'Musket Flints', the other 'Picked up on the Field of Sobraon by Lieut. J. M. Lyle, 29th Foot, 19th Feby 1846'.
- Names associated** Lyle, Lieutenant John Mackenzie  
29th Regiment of Foot
- Other associations** Panjab  
First Anglo-Sikh War  
Battle of Sobraon



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## Baggage and Belonging Catalogue 2020

- Museum** Mercian Regiment Museum (Worcestershire)
- Accession Number** WOSWR:2016-6
- Categories** Clothing and textiles
- Object name** Jacket
- Description** Military jacket of Sikh origin, described as being 'picked up' by Lieutenant Lyle, 29th Regiment, in the Sikh camp after it was overrun during the Battle of Ferozeshah, First Anglo-Sikh War, 1845-6, Panjab
- Physical description** Red serge (wool) jacket with elaborate embroidery across the back, arms, wrists and neck. Gold braiding on the centre front. The collar is lined with a light blue patterned textile (possibly silk).
- Names associated** Lyle, Lieutenant  
29th Regiment of Foot
- Other associations** Panjab  
Battle of Ferozeshah  
First Anglo-Sikh War



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