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Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1893.209
Categories	Vessels
Object name	Сир
Description	Horn cup, said to have belonged to Emperor Tewodros II, and described as being 'obtained' and 'taken' by an unidentified individual at the storming and looting of Maqdala during the Abyssinian Campaign, 1867- 8, Ethiopia, East Africa. Later acquired by the medical officer Sir William Mackenzie, likely in India c. 1868-1870s, as he did not serve in the campaign
Physical description	Cream and brown-coloured horn cup with a fillet at the lip and foot. A handwritten inscription beneath the cup reads: 'King Theodore's Horn Drinking Mug. / Taken at Magdala / Given by Sir Wm Mackenzie, K.C.B., London'.
Names associated	Tewodros II, Emperor Mackenzie, Sir William
Other associations	Ethiopia, East Africa, AFRICA Abyssinian Campaign



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Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1893.210
Categories	Ritual and religion
Object name	Cross
Description	Steel cross of Ethiopian origin, described as being 'obtained' by an unidentified individual at the storming and looting of Maqdala during the Abyssinian Campaign, 1867-8, Ethiopia, East Africa. Later acquired by the medical officer Sir William Mackenzie, likely in India c 1868-1870s, as he did not serve in the campaign
Physical description	Cross made of steel with four ornate arms, flat square tablet at the end of the stem, ornamented with incised circles and points.
Names associated	Mackenzie, Sir William
Other associations	Ethiopia, East Africa, AFRICA Abyssinian Campaign



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Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1893.211
Categories	Personal ornaments
Object name	Bracelet
Description	Iron penannular bracelet of Ethiopian origin, described as being '[b]rought from Magdala, 1868'. Later acquired by the medical officer Sir William Mackenzie, likely in India c. 1868-1870s, as he did not serve in the campaign
Physical description	Bracelet made of iron, surface hatched with lines, with a series of swirl- shaped pendants.
Names associated	Mackenzie, Sir William
Other associations	Ethiopia, East Africa, AFRICA Abyssinian Campaign





Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1893.212
Categories	Personal ornaments
Object name	Armlet
Description	Bronze annular armlet of Ethiopian origin, described as being '[b]rought from Magdala, 1868'. Later acquired by the medical officer Sir William Mackenzie, likely in India c. 1868-1870s, as he did not serve in the campaign
Physical description	Armlet made of bronze, ornamented with a raised plaited pattern, ribs and pellets.
Names associated	Mackenzie, Sir William
Other associations	Ethiopia, East Africa, AFRICA Abyssinian Campaign



Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1893.213
Categories	Books and manuscripts
Object name	Manuscript
Description	Manuscript of Ethiopian origin, described as being '[b]rought from Magdala, 1868'. Later acquired by the medical officer Sir William Mackenzie, likely in India c. 1868-1870s, as he did not serve in the campaign
Physical description	Manuscript written on parchment.
Names associated	Mackenzie, Sir William
Other associations	Ethiopia, East Africa, AFRICA Abyssinian Campaign



Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1893.214
Categories	Books and manuscripts
Object name	Manuscript
Description	Manuscript of Ethiopian origin, described as being '[b]rought from Magdala, 1868'. Later acquired by the medical officer Sir William Mackenzie, likely in India c. 1868-1870s, as he did not serve in the campaign
Physical description	Manuscript written on parchment.
Names associated	Mackenzie, Sir William
Other associations	Ethiopia, East Africa, AFRICA Abyssinian Campaign



Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1893.215
Categories	Books and manuscripts
Object name	Manuscript
Description	Manuscript of Ethiopian origin, described as being '[b]rought from Magdala, 1868'. Later acquired by the medical officer Sir William Mackenzie, likely in India c 1868-1870s, as he did not serve in the campaign
Physical description	Manuscript written on parchment.
Names associated	Mackenzie, Sir William
Other associations	Ethiopia, East Africa, AFRICA Abyssinian Campaign



Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures (Historic loan from the Royal College of Surgeons)
Accession Number	A.L.367.1-3 A
Categories	Arms and armour
Object name	Sword
Description	Three swords of Ethiopian origin, described as being 'picked up' by Surgeon-Major Hopetoun Currie Collier, 4 th (King's Own) after the Battle of Arogee, 10 April 1868, prior to the storming and looting of Maqdala during the Abyssinian Campaign, 1867-8, Ethiopia. Donated to the Museum of the Royal College of Surgeons, Edinburgh in 1868, and transferred as a loan to the Edinburgh Museum of Science and Art in 1935 (now NMS)
Physical description	Three swords with sickle-shaped blades, wooden hilts, and leather scabbards with belts.
Names associated	Collier, Surgeon-Major Hopetoun Currie 4 th (King's Own) Regiment of Foot
Other associations	Ethiopia, East Africa, AFRICA Abyssinian Campaign Battle of Arogee



Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures (Historic Ioan from the Royal College of Surgeons)
Accession Number	A.L.367.4, A
Categories	Arms and armour
Object name	Sword
Description	Sword of Ethiopian origin, said to have belonged to an Ethiopian military leader (unidentified). Described as being 'picked up' by Surgeon-Major Hopetoun Currie Collier, 4 th (King's Own) after the Battle of Arogee, 10 April 1868, prior to the storming and looting of Maqdala during the Abyssinian Campaign, 1867-8, Ethiopia. Donated to the Museum of the Royal College of Surgeons, Edinburgh in 1868 and transferred as a loan to the Edinburgh Museum of Science and Art in 1935 (now NMS)
Physical description	Sword with curved blade and hilt of horn and brass, with leather scabbard.
Names associated	Collier, Surgeon-Major Hopetoun Currie 4 th (King's Own) Regiment of Foot
Other associations	Ethiopia, East Africa, AFRICA Abyssinian Campaign Battle of Arogee



Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures (Historic Ioan from the Royal College of Surgeons)
Accession Number	A.L.367.5, A
Categories	Arms and armour
Object name	Sword
Description	Sword of Ethiopian origin, said to have belonged to an Ethiopian military leader (unidentified). Described as being 'picked up' by Surgeon-Major Hopetoun Currie Collier, 4 th (King's Own) after the Battle of Arogee, 10 April 1868, prior to the storming and looting of Maqdala during the Abyssinian Campaign, 1867-8, Ethiopia. Donated to the Museum of the Royal College of Surgeons, Edinburgh in 1868 and transferred as a loan to the Edinburgh Museum of Science and Art in 1935 (now NMS)
Physical description	Sword with curved blade and hilt bound with leather, with leather scabbard and belt attached.
Names associated	Collier, Surgeon-Major Hopetoun Currie 4 th (King's Own) Regiment of Foot
Other associations	Ethiopia, East Africa, AFRICA Abyssinian Campaign Battle of Arogee



Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures (Historic loan from the Royal College of Surgeons)
Accession Number	A.L.367.6
Categories	Arms and armour
Object name	Spearhead
Description	Spearhead of Ethiopian origin, described as being 'picked up' by Surgeon-Major Hopetoun Currie Collier, 4 th (King's Own) after the Battle of Arogee, 10 April 1868, prior to the storming and looting of Maqdala during the Abyssinian Campaign, 1867-8, Ethiopia. Donated to the Museum of the Royal College of Surgeons, Edinburgh in 1868 and transferred as a loan to the Edinburgh Museum of Science and Art in 1935 (now NMS)
Physical description	Iron socketed spearhead.
Names associated	Collier, Surgeon-Major Hopetoun Currie 4 th (King's Own) Regiment of Foot
Other associations	Ethiopia, East Africa, AFRICA Abyssinian Campaign Battle of Arogee



Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures (Historic loan from the Royal College of Surgeons)
Accession Number	A.L.367.7
Categories	Arms and armour
Object name	Firearm
Description	Matchlock of Ethiopian origin, described as being 'picked up' by Surgeon- Major Hopetoun Currie Collier, 4 th (King's Own) after the Battle of Arogee, 10 April 1868, prior to the storming and looting of Maqdala during the Abyssinian Campaign, 1867-8, Ethiopia. Donated to the Museum of the Royal College of Surgeons, Edinburgh in 1868 and transferred as a loan to the Edinburgh Museum of Science and Art in 1935 (now NMS)
Physical description	Matchlock with partly gold-damascened barrel and leather-covered butt.
Names associated	Collier, Surgeon-Major Hopetoun Currie 4 th (King's Own) Regiment of Foot
Other associations	Ethiopia, East Africa, AFRICA Abyssinian Campaign Battle of Arogee



Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures (Historic loan from the Royal College of Surgeons)
Accession Number	A.L.367.8
Categories	Arms and armour
Object name	Firearm
Description	Pistol of Ethiopian origin, described as being 'picked up' by Surgeon- Major Hopetoun Currie Collier, 4 th (King's Own) after the Battle of Arogee, 10 April 1868, prior to the storming and looting of Maqdala during the Abyssinian Campaign, 1867-8, Ethiopia. Donated to the Museum of the Royal College of Surgeons, Edinburgh in 1868 and transferred as a loan to the Edinburgh Museum of Science and Art in 1935 (now NMS)
Physical description	Flintlock pistol with brass mounts.
Names associated	Collier, Surgeon-Major Hopetoun Currie 4 th (King's Own) Regiment of Foot
Other associations	Ethiopia, East Africa, AFRICA Abyssinian Campaign Battle of Arogee



Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures (Historic Ioan from the Royal College of Surgeons)
Accession Number	A.L.367.9, A
Categories	Arms and armour
Object name	Knife
Description	Knife of Ethiopian origin, taken by Surgeon-Major Hopetoun Currie Collier, 4 th (King's Own), likely at the storming and looting of Maqdala during the Abyssinian Campaign, 1867-8, Ethiopia. Donated to the Museum of the Royal College of Surgeons, Edinburgh in 1868 and transferred as a loan to the Edinburgh Museum of Science and Art in 1935 (now NMS)
Physical description	Small curved knife with wooden handle and leather scabbard.
Names associated	Collier, Surgeon-Major Hopetoun Currie 4 th (King's Own) Regiment of Foot
Other associations	Ethiopia, East Africa, AFRICA Abyssinian Campaign



Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures (Historic loan from the Royal College of Surgeons)
Accession Number	A.L.367.10
Categories	Personal equipment
Object name	Whip
Description	Whip of Ethiopian origin, described as being 'picked up in the state prison at Magdala' by Surgeon-Major Hopetoun Currie Collier, 4 th (King's Own), during the Abyssinian Campaign, 1867-8, Ethiopia. Donated to the Museum of the Royal College of Surgeons, Edinburgh in 1868 and transferred as a loan to the Edinburgh Museum of Science and Art in 1935 (now NMS)
Physical description	Whip with wooden handle and long coiled leather lash.
Names associated	Collier, Surgeon-Major Hopetoun Currie 4 th (King's Own) Regiment of Foot
Other associations	Ethiopia, East Africa, AFRICA Abyssinian Campaign





Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures (Historic loan from the Royal College of Surgeons)
Accession Number	A.L.367.11
Categories	Personal equipment
Object name	Whip
Description	Whip of Ethiopian origin, taken by Surgeon-Major Hopetoun Currie Collier, 4 th (King's Own), likely at the storming and looting of Maqdala during the Abyssinian Campaign, 1867-8, Ethiopia. Donated to the Museum of the Royal College of Surgeons, Edinburgh in 1868 and transferred as a loan to the Edinburgh Museum of Science and Art in 1935 (now NMS)
Physical description	Whip with handle of hippopotamus hide and leather lash, understood to have been used to drive mules and ponies.
Names associated	Collier, Surgeon-Major Hopetoun Currie 4 th (King's Own) Regiment of Foot
Other associations	Ethiopia, East Africa, AFRICA Abyssinian Campaign



Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures (Historic loan from the Royal College of Surgeons)
Accession Number	A.L.367.12, A
Categories	Ammunition
Object name	Shell
Description	Shell said to have been manufactured by Europeans working in the foundry of Emperor Tewodros II, described as being 'found in Magdala' by Surgeon-Major Hopetoun Currie Collier, 4 th (King's Own), during the Abyssinian Campaign, 1867-8, Ethiopia. Donated to the Museum of the Royal College of Surgeons, Edinburgh in 1868 and transferred as a loan to the Edinburgh Museum of Science and Art in 1935 (now NMS)
Physical description	Spherical shell of cast iron, mounted on wooden stand.
Names associated	Collier, Surgeon-Major Hopetoun Currie 4 th (King's Own) Regiment of Foot
Other associations	Ethiopia, East Africa, AFRICA Abyssinian Campaign





Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures (Historic loan from the Royal College of Surgeons)
Accession Number	A.L.367.13
Categories	Personal equipment
Object name	Ammunition pouch
Description	Ammunition pouch of Ethiopian origin, taken by Surgeon-Major Hopetoun Currie Collier, 4 th (King's Own) at the storming and looting of Maqdala during the Abyssinian Campaign, 1867-8, Ethiopia. Donated to the Museum of the Royal College of Surgeons, Edinburgh in 1868 and transferred as a loan to the Edinburgh Museum of Science and Art in 1935 (now NMS)
Physical description	Leather ammunition pouch fitted with eleven pouches for bamboo powder cases.
Names associated	Collier, Surgeon-Major Hopetoun Currie 4 th (King's Own) Regiment of Foot
Other associations	Ethiopia, East Africa, AFRICA Abyssinian Campaign





Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures (Historic loan from the Royal College of Surgeons)
Accession Number	A.L.367.14-16
Categories	Restraints
Object name	Shackles
Description	Shackles of Ethiopian origin, described as being 'found in the state prison' by Surgeon-Major Hopetoun Currie Collier, 4 th (King's Own) at the storming and looting of Maqdala during the Abyssinian Campaign, 1867- 8, Ethiopia. Donated to the Museum of the Royal College of Surgeons, Edinburgh in 1868 and transferred as a loan to the Edinburgh Museum of Science and Art in 1935 (now NMS)
Physical description	Large iron cuffs attached to an inter-linked metal chain.
Names associated	Collier, Surgeon-Major Hopetoun Currie 4 th (King's Own) Regiment of Foot
Other associations	Ethiopia, East Africa, AFRICA Abyssinian Campaign





Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures (Historic loan from the Royal College of Surgeons)
Accession Number	A.L.367.17, A
Categories	Ritual and religion
Object name	Censor, fragment
Description	Fragment of a censor of Ethiopian origin, taken by Surgeon-Major Hopetoun Currie Collier, 4 th (King's Own) at the storming and looting of Maqdala during the Abyssinian Campaign, 1867-8, Ethiopia. Donated to the Museum of the Royal College of Surgeons, Edinburgh in 1868 and transferred as a loan to the Edinburgh Museum of Science and Art in 1935 (now NMS)
Physical description	Two brass fragments, one comprising a cup with chains and bells, the second in a crescent-shape.
Names associated	Collier, Surgeon-Major Hopetoun Currie 4 th (King's Own) Regiment of Foot
Other associations	Ethiopia, East Africa, AFRICA Abyssinian Campaign





Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures (Historic loan from the Royal College of Surgeons)
Accession Number	A.L.367.18
Categories	Arms and armour
Object name	Club
Description	Wooden club of Ethiopian origin, described as being 'found in the [state] prison [at Maqdala]' by Surgeon-Major Hopetoun Currie Collier, 4 th (King's Own) during the Abyssinian Campaign, 1867-8, Ethiopia. Donated to the Museum of the Royal College of Surgeons, Edinburgh in 1868 and transferred as a loan to the Edinburgh Museum of Science and Art in 1935 (now NMS)
Physical description	Club made of wood.
Names associated	Collier, Surgeon-Major Hopetoun Currie 4 th (King's Own) Regiment of Foot
Other associations	Ethiopia, East Africa, AFRICA Abyssinian Campaign



Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures (Historic loan from the Royal College of Surgeons)
Accession Number	A.L.367.19
Categories	Clothing and textiles
Object name	Robe
Description	Cotton robe of Ethiopian origin, described as being 'picked up' by Surgeon-Major Hopetoun Currie Collier, 4 th (King's Own) after the Battle of Arogee, 10 April 1868, prior to the storming and looting of Maqdala during the Abyssinian Campaign, 1867-8, Ethiopia. Donated to the Museum of the Royal College of Surgeons, Edinburgh in 1868 and transferred as a loan to the Edinburgh Museum of Science and Art in 1935 (now NMS)
Physical description	Robe made of white cotton with red stripe.
Names associated	Collier, Surgeon-Major Hopetoun Currie 4 th (King's Own) Regiment of Foot
Other associations	Ethiopia, East Africa, AFRICA Abyssinian Campaign Battle of Arogee



Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1901.392
Categories	Arms and armour
Object name	Spear
Description	Spear of Ethiopian origin, taken by Lieutenant William John Holt, 2 nd (The Queen's Royal) Regiment, during the Abyssinian Campaign, 1867-8, Ethiopia, East Africa
Physical description	Spear with iron head mounted on a wooden pole, and coils of iron and leather at the foot.
Names associated	Holt, Lieutenant William John 2 nd (The Queen's Royal) Regiment of Foot
Other associations	Ethiopia, East Africa, AFRICA Abyssinian Campaign



Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1901.393
Categories	Arms and armour
Object name	Spear
Description	Spear of Ethiopian origin, taken by Lieutenant William John Holt, 2 nd (The Queen's Royal) Regiment, during the Abyssinian Campaign, 1867-8, Ethiopia, East Africa
Physical description	Spear with long, narrow iron head mounted on a wooden pole, and brass wire coiled around the junction of the socket and blade.
Names associated	Holt, Lieutenant William John 2 nd (The Queen's Royal) Regiment of Foot
Other associations	Ethiopia, East Africa, AFRICA Abyssinian Campaign



Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1901.395
Categories	Personal ornaments
Object name	Bracelet
Description	Silver-gilt bracelet, described as having '[b]elonged to King Theodore's Queen [Tiruwork Wube (Queen Terunesh)]' and 'taken by one of the Abyssinian prisoners' at Maqdala, likely during the Abyssinian Campaign, 1868, Ethiopia. Later acquired by Lieutenant William John Holt, 2 nd (The Queen's Royal) Regiment
Physical description	Bracelet made of silver-gilt cast with bands of pellets and rope patterns.
Names associated	Wube, Empress Tiruwork Holt, Lieutenant William John 2 nd (The Queen's Royal) Regiment of Foot
Other associations	Ethiopia, East Africa, AFRICA Abyssinian Campaign



Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1875.16 1-19 R
Categories	Personal ornaments
Object name	Gold
Description	A collection of Asante gold-work taken as a forced indemnity from the Asantehene Kofi Karikari, after the storming and looting of Kumasi during the Fourth Anglo-Asante War, 1873-4, Ghana, West Africa. Purchased from army prize agents by the jewellers Garrard and sold to the museum in 1875
Physical description	Gold, beaten and embossed, in various shapes and patterns, some of which are understood to have ornamented furniture, others used as personal ornaments that featured on clothing and regalia.
Names associated	Karikari, Asantehene Kofi Garrard
Other associations	Ghana, West Africa, AFRICA Third Anglo-Asante War



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Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1903.339 1-100
Categories	Sculpture
Object name	Goldweight
Description	100 gold-dust weights of Asante origin, likely to have been taken at the storming and looting of Kumasi during the Fourth Anglo-Asante War, 1895-6, Ghana, West Africa. Acquired at some point, possibly through the army prize system, by the taxidermist and dealer Rowland Ward, from which they were purchased by the museum in 1903
Physical description	Gold-dust weights cast in brass, representing various figures in human, animal and material form, including fish, lizards, insects, weapons, shields, fans and musical instruments.
Names associated	Ward, Rowland
Other associations	Ghana, West Africa, AFRICA Fourth Anglo-Asante War



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Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1903.349
Categories	Containers
Object name	Gold-dust box
Description	Box for holding gold-dust of Asante origin, likely to have been taken at the storming and looting of Kumasi during the Fourth Anglo-Asante War, 1895-6, Ghana, West Africa. Acquired at some point, possibly through the army prize system, by the taxidermist and dealer Rowland Ward, from which they were purchased by the museum in 1903
Physical description	Oval box made of sheet brass with stamped ornament.
Names associated	Ward, Rowland
Other associations	Ghana, West Africa, AFRICA



Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1903.350
Categories	Containers
Object name	Scoop
Description	Scoop for gold-dust of Asante origin, likely to have been taken at the storming and looting of Kumasi during the Fourth Anglo-Asante War, 1895-6, Ghana, West Africa. Acquired at some point, possibly through the army prize system, by the taxidermist and dealer Rowland Ward, from which they were purchased by the museum in 1903
Physical description	Scoop made of sheet copper with stamped ornament on the handle.
Names associated	Ward, Rowland
Other associations	Ghana, West Africa, AFRICA



Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1928.186 + A
Categories	Arms and armour
Object name	Knife
Description	Knife of Asante origin, acquired by Surgeon Rear-Admiral Sir Patrick Brodie Handyside c. 1890s while on service in West Africa
Physical description	Double-edged blade made of iron, curved horn handle, scabbard made of wood, one side decorated with cross-hatched panels.
Names associated	Handyside, Sir Surgeon Rear-Admiral Patrick Brodie
Other associations	Ghana, West Africa, AFRICA



Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1928.188
Categories	Personal ornaments
Object name	Comb
Description	Wooden comb of Asante origin, acquired by Surgeon Rear-Admiral Sir Patrick Brodie Handyside c. 1890s from Cape Coast Castle while on service in West Africa
Physical description	Comb carved of light brown wood, with 12 sharp points, decorated with incised and carved diamond and cross patterns.
Names associated	Handyside, Sir Surgeon Rear-Admiral Patrick Brodie
Other associations	Ghana, West Africa, AFRICA





Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1928.189
Categories	Personal ornaments
Object name	Comb
Description	Wooden comb of Asante origin, acquired by Surgeon Rear-Admiral Sir Patrick Brodie Handyside c. 1890s from Cape Coast Castle while on service in West Africa
Physical description	Comb carved from pale wood with 10 sharp points, decorated with cut- outs and incisions on the wood in various patterns.
Names associated	Handyside, Sir Surgeon Rear-Admiral Patrick Brodie
Other associations	Ghana, West Africa, AFRICA



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Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1928.190
Categories	Smoking
Object name	Snuff bottle
Description	Wooden snuff bottle of Asante origin, acquired by Surgeon Rear-Admiral Sir Patrick Brodie Handyside c. 1890s while on service in West Africa
Physical description	Snuff bottle made of wood, decorated with bands of incised patterns, with a thin leather strap.
Names associated	Handyside, Sir Surgeon Rear-Admiral Patrick Brodie
Other associations	Ghana, West Africa, AFRICA





Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1928.191
Categories	Vessels
Object name	Bottle
Description	Leather bottle of Fulani origin, acquired by Surgeon Rear-Admiral Sir Patrick Brodie Handyside c. 1890s while on service in West Africa
Physical description	Bottle made of leather with lenticular body, long upright neck with sliding cover.
Names associated	Handyside, Sir Surgeon Rear-Admiral Patrick Brodie
Other associations	Ghana, West Africa, AFRICA



Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1875.29.5
Categories	Arms and armour
Object name	Dagger hilt
Description	Dagger hilt of Indian origin, acquired by Colonel Charles Seton Guthrie, Bengal Engineers, c. 1820s - 1850s while on service in India. Purchased by the museum when Guthrie's collection was auctioned in London by Christie, Manson and Woods (now Christies) in 1875 after his death
Physical description	Hilt made of white jade, inlaid with gold in the form of tendrils and leaves, and accented with rubies.
Names associated	Guthrie, Colonel Charles Seton Bengal Engineers
Other associations	INDIA



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Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1875.29.8
Categories	Personal ornaments
Object name	Mirror frame
Description	Jade leaf-shaped mirror frame of Indian origin, acquired by Colonel Charles Seton Guthrie, Bengal Engineers, c. 1820s - 1850s while on service in India. Purchased by the museum when Guthrie's collection was auctioned in London by Christie, Manson and Woods (now Christies) in 1875 after his death
Physical description	Mirror frame made of white jade, with a flower shrub in open-work, the front inlaid with gold, rubies and emeralds.
Names associated	Guthrie, Colonel Charles Seton Bengal Engineers
Other associations	INDIA



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Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1875.29.9
Categories	Personal ornaments
Object name	Mirror
Description	Jade mirror frame acquired by Colonel Charles Seton Guthrie, Bengal Engineers, c. 1820s - 1850s while on service in India. Purchased by the museum when Guthrie's collection was auctioned in London by Christie, Manson and Woods (now Christies) in 1875 after his death
Physical description	Mirror frame carved of green jade and ornamented with precious stones.
Names associated	Guthrie, Colonel Charles Seton Bengal Engineers
Other associations	INDIA



Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1875.29.10
Categories	Personal ornaments
Object name	Plaque
Description	Nephrite plaque acquired by Colonel Charles Seton Guthrie, Bengal Engineers, c. 1820s - 1850s while on service in India. Purchased by the museum when Guthrie's collection was auctioned in London by Christie, Manson and Woods (now Christies) in 1875 after his death
Physical description	Plaque, octagonal in shape, made of nephrite, carved with a lotus flower in the centre and a scroll in the border.
Names associated	Guthrie, Colonel Charles Seton Bengal Engineers
Other associations	INDIA



Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1875.29.11
Categories	Personal ornaments
Object name	Fly whisk holder
Description	Nephrite fly whisk holder acquired by Colonel Charles Seton Guthrie, Bengal Engineers, c. 1820s - 1850s while on service in India. Purchased by the museum when Guthrie's collection was auctioned in London by Christie, Manson and Woods (now Christies) in 1875 after his death
Physical description	Fly whisk holder made of pale green nephrite carved with flowers and inlaid with gold, rubies and an emerald.
Names associated	Guthrie, Colonel Charles Seton Bengal Engineers
Other associations	INDIA



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Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1875.29.16 and 17
Categories	Personal equipment
Object name	Thumb ring
Description	Jade archer's thumb ring of Indian origin, acquired by Colonel Charles Seton Guthrie, Bengal Engineers, c. 1820s - 1850s while on service in India. Purchased by the museum when Guthrie's collection was auctioned in London by Christie, Manson and Woods (now Christies) in 1875 after his death
Physical description	Thumb ring made of white jade.
Names associated	Guthrie, Colonel Charles Seton Bengal Engineers
Other associations	INDIA



Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1875.29.19
Categories	Personal equipment
Object name	Thumb ring
Description	Jade archer's thumb ring of Indian origin, acquired by Colonel Charles Seton Guthrie, Bengal Engineers, c. 1820s - 1850s while on service in India. Purchased by the museum when Guthrie's collection was auctioned in London by Christie, Manson and Woods (now Christies) in 1875 after his death
Physical description	Thumb ring made of white jade, with excisions for jewels, assumed to have originally been inlaid with gold, diamonds, rubies and emeralds,
Names associated	Guthrie, Colonel Charles Seton Bengal Engineers
Other associations	INDIA



Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1875.29.20
Categories	Personal equipment
Object name	Thumb ring
Description	Jade archer's thumb ring of Indian origin, acquired by Colonel Charles Seton Guthrie, Bengal Engineers, c. 1820s - 1850s while on service in India. Purchased by the museum when Guthrie's collection was auctioned in London by Christie, Manson and Woods (now Christies) in 1875 after his death
Physical description	Thumb ring made of pale green jade.
Names associated	Guthrie, Colonel Charles Seton Bengal Engineers
Other associations	INDIA



Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1875.29.21
Categories	Personal ornaments
Object name	Finger ring
Description	Jade finger ring of Indian origin, acquired by Colonel Charles Seton Guthrie, Bengal Engineers, c. 1820s - 1850s while on service in India. Purchased by the museum when Guthrie's collection was auctioned in London by Christie, Manson and Woods (now Christies) in 1875 after his death
Physical description	Finger ring made of jade.
Names associated	Guthrie, Colonel Charles Seton Bengal Engineers
Other associations	INDIA



Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1875.29.22
Categories	Arms and armour
Object name	Dagger hilt
Description	Dagger hilt of Indian origin, acquired by Colonel Charles Seton Guthrie, Bengal Engineers, c. 1820s - 1850s while on service in India. Purchased by the museum when Guthrie's collection was auctioned in London by Christie, Manson and Woods (now Christies) in 1875 after his death
Physical description	Dagger hilt made of rock crystal, with rounded end and undecorated surface.
Names associated	Guthrie, Colonel Charles Seton Bengal Engineers
Other associations	INDIA



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Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1875.29.23
Categories	Vessels
Object name	Сир
Description	Cup of Indian origin, acquired by Colonel Charles Seton Guthrie, Bengal Engineers, c. 1820s - 1850s while on service in India. Purchased by the museum when Guthrie's collection was auctioned in London by Christie, Manson and Woods (now Christies) in 1875 after his death
Physical description	Cup made of rock crystal, fluted, with a separate lid.
Names associated	Guthrie, Colonel Charles Seton Bengal Engineers
Other associations	INDIA



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Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1875.29.24
Categories	Personal ornaments
Object name	Box
Description	Box of Indian origin, acquired by Colonel Charles Seton Guthrie, Bengal Engineers, c. 1820s - 1850s while on service in India. Purchased by the museum when Guthrie's collection was auctioned in London by Christie, Manson and Woods (now Christies) in 1875 after his death
Physical description	Heart-shaped box made of rock-crystal, surface cut into equilateral triangles.
Names associated	Guthrie, Colonel Charles Seton Bengal Engineers
Other associations	INDIA



Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1875.29.25
Categories	Personal ornaments
Object name	Box
Description	Box of Indian origin, acquired by Colonel Charles Seton Guthrie, Bengal Engineers, c. 1820s - 1850s while on service in India. Purchased by the museum when Guthrie's collection was auctioned in London by Christie, Manson and Woods (now Christies) in 1875 after his death
Physical description	Circular box made of rock-crystal, patterned on the surface.
Names associated	Guthrie, Colonel Charles Seton Bengal Engineers
Other associations	INDIA



Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1875.29.26
Categories	Vessels
Object name	Сир
Description	Cup of Indian origin, acquired by Colonel Charles Seton Guthrie, Bengal Engineers, c. 1820s - 1850s while on service in India. Purchased by the museum when Guthrie's collection was auctioned in London by Christie, Manson and Woods (now Christies) in 1875 after his death
Physical description	Cup made of rock-crystal, carved with foliate motifs.
Names associated	Guthrie, Colonel Charles Seton Bengal Engineers
Other associations	INDIA



Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1875.29.34
Categories	Vessels
Object name	Сир
Description	Cup of Indian origin, acquired by Colonel Charles Seton Guthrie, Bengal Engineers, c. 1820s - 1850s while on service in India. Purchased by the museum when Guthrie's collection was auctioned in London by Christie, Manson and Woods (now Christies) in 1875 after his death
Physical description	Cup carved with leaf-shaped motifs.
Names associated	Guthrie, Colonel Charles Seton Bengal Engineers
Other associations	INDIA



Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1875.29.35
Categories	Personal ornaments
Object name	Box
Description	Oblong box of Indian origin, acquired by Colonel Charles Seton Guthrie, Bengal Engineers, c. 1820s - 1850s while on service in India. Purchased by the museum when Guthrie's collection was auctioned in London by Christie, Manson and Woods (now Christies) in 1875 after his death
Physical description	Box, oblong in shape, made of eklogite, with silver-gilt mounts.
Names associated	Guthrie, Colonel Charles Seton
Other associations	INDIA



Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1875.29.36
Categories	Arms and armour
Object name	Dagger hilt
Description	Dagger hilt of Indian origin, acquired by Colonel Charles Seton Guthrie, Bengal Engineers, c. 1820s - 1850s while on service in India. Purchased by the museum when Guthrie's collection was auctioned in London by Christie, Manson and Woods (now Christies) in 1875 after his death
Physical description	Hilt made of red marble, pommel in the form of an animal's head.
Names associated	Guthrie, Colonel Charles Seton Bengal Engineers
Other associations	INDIA



Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1875.29.38
Categories	Arms and armour
Object name	Knife handle
Description	Knife handle of Indian origin, acquired by Colonel Charles Seton Guthrie, Bengal Engineers, c. 1820s - 1850s while on service in India. Purchased by the museum when Guthrie's collection was auctioned in London by Christie, Manson and Woods (now Christies) in 1875 after his death
Physical description	Knife handle made of brown amber.
Names associated	Guthrie, Colonel Charles Seton Bengal Engineers
Other associations	INDIA



Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1875.29.45
Categories	Arms and armour
Object name	Knife
Description	Knife of North Indian origin (likely Panjab), acquired by Colonel Charles Seton Guthrie, Bengal Engineers, c. 1820s - 1850s while on service in India. Purchased by the museum when Guthrie's collection was auctioned in London by Christie, Manson and Woods (now Christies) in 1875 after his death
Physical description	Knife with Damascus blade, with broad straight back and ivory handle.
Names associated	Guthrie, Colonel Charles Seton Bengal Engineers
Other associations	Panjab, INDIA Panjab, PAKISTAN



Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1875.29.46
Categories	Arms and armour
Object name	Knife
Description	Knife of North Indian origin (likely Panjab), acquired by Colonel Charles Seton Guthrie, Bengal Engineers, c. 1820s - 1850s while on service in India. Purchased by the museum when Guthrie's collection was auctioned in London by Christie, Manson and Woods (now Christies) in 1875 after his death
Physical description	Knife with Damascus blade, with broad straight back and ivory handle.
Names associated	Guthrie, Colonel Charles Seton Bengal Engineers
Other associations	Panjab, INDIA Panjab, PAKISTAN



Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1875.29.48
Categories	Arms and armour
Object name	Knife
Description	Knife of Indian origin, acquired by Colonel Charles Seton Guthrie, Bengal Engineers, c. 1820s - 1850s while on service in India. Purchased by the museum when Guthrie's collection was auctioned in London by Christie, Manson and Woods (now Christies) in 1875 after his death
Physical description	Knife with hollowed and acutely pointed watered-steel blade with straight back, gold-inlaid tang, and hilt of walrus ivory.
Names associated	Guthrie, Colonel Charles Seton Bengal Engineers
Other associations	INDIA



Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1875.29.52
Categories	Arms and armour
Object name	Dagger
Description	Dagger of Indian origin, acquired by Colonel Charles Seton Guthrie, Bengal Engineers, c. 1820s - 1850s while on service in India. Purchased by the museum when Guthrie's collection was auctioned in London by Christie, Manson and Woods (now Christies) in 1875 after his death
Physical description	Dagger with curved steel blade decorated with gold-damascened patterning and a hilt carved from walrus tooth.
Names associated	Guthrie, Colonel Charles Seton Bengal Engineers
Other associations	INDIA



Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1875.29.63
Categories	Arms and armour
Object name	Dagger
Description	Dagger of Indian origin, acquired by Colonel Charles Seton Guthrie, Bengal Engineers, c. 1820s - 1850s while on service in India. Purchased by the museum when Guthrie's collection was auctioned in London by Christie, Manson and Woods (now Christies) in 1875 after his death
Physical description	Dagger with plain straight blade, gold-damascened tang, and ornate jade hilt. The scabbard is covered in red velvet and features jade mounts embedded with precious stones.
Names associated	Guthrie, Colonel Charles Seton Bengal Engineers
Other associations	INDIA



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Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1875.29.64
Categories	Arms and armour
Object name	Knife
Description	Knife of Indian origin, acquired by Colonel Charles Seton Guthrie, Bengal Engineers, c. 1820s - 1850s while on service in India. Purchased by the museum when Guthrie's collection was auctioned in London by Christie, Manson and Woods (now Christies) in 1875 after his death
Physical description	Knife with straight damascened blade, and bone handle.
Names associated	Guthrie, Colonel Charles Seton Bengal Engineers
Other associations	INDIA



Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1875.29.65
Categories	Arms and armour
Object name	Knife
Description	Knife of Indian origin, acquired by Colonel Charles Seton Guthrie, Bengal Engineers, c. 1820s - 1850s while on service in India. Purchased by the museum when Guthrie's collection was auctioned in London by Christie, Manson and Woods (now Christies) in 1875 after his death
Physical description	Knife with straight damascened blade, gold-inlaid tang, and bone handle.
Names associated	Guthrie, Colonel Charles Seton
Other associations	INDIA



Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1875.29.66
Categories	Arms and armour
Object name	Knife
Description	Knife of Indian origin, acquired by Colonel Charles Seton Guthrie, Bengal Engineers, c. 1820s - 1850s while on service in India. Purchased by the museum when Guthrie's collection was auctioned in London by Christie, Manson and Woods (now Christies) in 1875 after his death
Physical description	Knife with steel blade, gold-inlaid tang, and bone handle.
Names associated	Guthrie, Colonel Charles Seton Bengal Engineers
Other associations	INDIA



Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1875.29.67
Categories	Arms and armour
Object name	Dagger
Description	Dagger (katar) of Indian origin, acquired by Colonel Charles Seton Guthrie, Bengal Engineers, c. 1820s - 1850s while on service in India. Purchased by the museum when Guthrie's collection was auctioned in London by Christie, Manson and Woods (now Christies) in 1875 after his death
Physical description	Dagger with watered-steel blade, and hilt richly inlaid with gold.
Names associated	Guthrie, Colonel Charles Seton Bengal Engineers
Other associations	INDIA



Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1875.29.68
Categories	Arms and armour
Object name	Dagger
Description	Dagger (katar) of Rajputana origin, acquired by Colonel Charles Seton Guthrie, Bengal Engineers, c. 1820s - 1850s while on service in India. Purchased by the museum when Guthrie's collection was auctioned in London by Christie, Manson and Woods (now Christies) in 1875 after his death
Physical description	Dagger with steel blade, chiselled elephant head, and gold-inlaid hilt.
Names associated	Guthrie, Colonel Charles Seton Bengal Engineers
Other associations	INDIA



Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1875.29.71
Categories	Arms and armour
Object name	Knife
Description	Knife of North Indian origin (likely Panjab), acquired by Colonel Charles Seton Guthrie, Bengal Engineers, c. 1820s - 1850s while on service in India. Purchased by the museum when Guthrie's collection was auctioned in London by Christie, Manson and Woods (now Christies) in 1875 after his death
Physical description	Knife with straight and pointed watered-steel blade, gold-inlaid tang, and hilt of walrus ivory.
Names associated	Guthrie, Colonel Charles Seton Bengal Engineers
Other associations	Panjab, INDIA Panjab, PAKISTAN



Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1875.29.73
Categories	Arms and armour
Object name	Knife
Description	Knife of North Indian origin (likely Panjab), acquired by Colonel Charles Seton Guthrie, Bengal Engineers, c. 1820s - 1850s while on service in India. Purchased by the museum when Guthrie's collection was auctioned in London by Christie, Manson and Woods (now Christies) in 1875 after his death
Physical description	Knife with straight and pointed watered-steel blade, with hilt and part of the blade featuring gold koftgari.
Names associated	Guthrie, Colonel Charles Seton Bengal Engineers
Other associations	Panjab, INDIA Panjab, PAKISTAN



Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1875.29.75
Categories	Arms and armour
Object name	Knife
Description	Knife of North Indian origin (likely Panjab), acquired by Colonel Charles Seton Guthrie, Bengal Engineers, c 1820s - 1850s while on service in India. Purchased by the museum when Guthrie's collection was auctioned in London by Christie, Manson and Woods (now Christies) in 1875 after his death
Physical description	Knife with straight and pointed watered-steel blade, chiselled with foliage near the hilt which is of carved walrus ivory.
Names associated	Guthrie, Colonel Charles Seton Bengal Engineers
Other associations	Panjab, INDIA Panjab, PAKISTAN



Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1875.29.78
Categories	Arms and armour
Object name	Sword
Description	Sword (talwar) of Indian origin, acquired by Colonel Charles Seton Guthrie, Bengal Engineers, c. 1820s - 1850s while on service in India. Purchased by the museum when Guthrie's collection was auctioned in London by Christie, Manson and Woods (now Christies) in 1875 after his death
Physical description	Sword, with both sides inlaid with animals and other motifs in gold, with gilt metal handle.
Names associated	Guthrie, Colonel Charles Seton Bengal Engineers
Other associations	INDIA



Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1875.29.79
Categories	Arms and armour
Object name	Sword
Description	Sword (talwar) of North Indian origin (Panjab), acquired by Colonel Charles Seton Guthrie, Bengal Engineers, c. 1820s - 1850s while on service in India. Purchased by the museum when Guthrie's collection was auctioned in London by Christie, Manson and Woods (now Christies) in 1875 after his death
Physical description	Hilt featuring a curved knuckle-guard and disc-pommel. The blade and hilt of the sword are chiselled with animal motifs (including rabbits, cats and birds) in low relief and inlaid in gold.
Names associated	Guthrie, Colonel Charles Seton Bengal Engineers
Other associations	Panjab, INDIA Panjab, PAKISTAN



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Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1875.29.80
Categories	Arms and armour
Object name	Sword
Description	Sword (talwar) of North Indian origin (likely Panjab), acquired by Colonel Charles Seton Guthrie, Bengal Engineers, c. 1820s - 1850s while on service in India. Purchased by the museum when Guthrie's collection was auctioned in London by Christie, Manson and Woods (now Christies) in 1875 after his death
Physical description	Sword with gold-damascened blade and hilt.
Names associated	Guthrie, Colonel Charles Seton Bengal Engineers
Other associations	Panjab, INDIA Panjab, PAKISTAN



Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1875.29.81
Categories	Arms and armour
Object name	Knife
Description	Knife acquired by Colonel Charles Seton Guthrie, Bengal Engineers, c. 1820s - 1850s while on service in India. Purchased by the museum when Guthrie's collection was auctioned in London by Christie, Manson and Woods (now Christies) in 1875 after his death
Physical description	Knife with Damascus blade with broad straight back richly inlaid in gold with floral design near the hilt, made of walrus ivory.
Names associated	Guthrie, Colonel Charles Seton Bengal Engineers
Other associations	Peshawar, Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, PAKISTAN



Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1875.29.82
Categories	Arms and armour
Object name	Dagger
Description	Dagger (peshkabz) of North Indian origin (likely Panjab), acquired by Colonel Charles Seton Guthrie, Bengal Engineers, c. 1820s - 1850s while on service in India. Purchased by the museum when Guthrie's collection was auctioned in London by Christie, Manson and Woods (now Christies) in 1875 after his death
Physical description	Dagger with curved Damascus blade, ornamented with gold-inscribed cartouches, and hilt of walrus ivory with gold-damascened tang.
Names associated	Guthrie, Colonel Charles Seton Bengal Engineers
Other associations	Panjab, INDIA Panjab, PAKISTAN



National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
A.1875.29.83
Arms and armour
Shield
Parrying shield of North Indian origin (Panjab), acquired by Colonel Charles Seton Guthrie, Bengal Engineers, c. 1820s - 1850s while on service in India. Purchased by the museum when Guthrie's collection was auctioned in London by Christie, Manson and Woods (now Christies) in 1875 after his death
Parrying shield composed of two antelope horns tipped with steel and joined vertically at their butt ends by a handle covered by a circular guard of steel damascened on the edges in gold.
Guthrie, Colonel Charles Seton Bengal Engineers
Panjab, INDIA Panjab, PAKISTAN



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Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1875.29.84
Categories	Personal equipment
Object name	Mace
Description	Silver mace of Indian origin, acquired by Colonel Charles Seton Guthrie, Bengal Engineers, c. 1820s - 1850s while on service in India. Purchased by the museum when Guthrie's collection was auctioned in London by Christie, Manson and Woods (now Christies) in 1875 after his death
Physical description	Mace, straight in form with upper third curved, chased with acanthus leaves and spiral fluting.
Names associated	Guthrie, Colonel Charles Seton Bengal Engineers
Other associations	INDIA



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Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1875.29.85 A-D
Categories	Arms and armour
Object name	Armour
Description	Plate body armour of Indian origin, acquired by Colonel Charles Seton Guthrie, Bengal Engineers, c. 1820s - 1850s while on service in India. Purchased by the museum when Guthrie's collection was auctioned in London by Christie, Manson and Woods (now Christies) in 1875 after his death
Physical description	Steel, overlaid with silver, inlaid in gold with arabesques in the centre and a pine pattern on the border.
Names associated	Guthrie, Colonel Charles Seton Bengal Engineers
Other associations	INDIA



Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1875.29.86 A
Categories	Arms and armour
Object name	Vambrace
Description	Arm guard or vambrace of Indian origin, acquired by Colonel Charles Seton Guthrie, Bengal Engineers, c. 1820s - 1850s while on service in India. Purchased by the museum when Guthrie's collection was auctioned in London by Christie, Manson and Woods (now Christies) in 1875 after his death
Physical description	Vambrace made of steel, overlaid with silver, inlaid with arabesques, with hand-guard of mail attached.
Names associated	Guthrie, Colonel Charles Seton Bengal Engineers
Other associations	INDIA



Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1875.29.87 A-D
Categories	Arms and armour
Object name	Armour
Description	Body armour of North Indian origin (Lahore), acquired by Colonel Charles Seton Guthrie, Bengal Engineers, c. 1820s - 1850s while on service in India. Purchased by the museum when Guthrie's collection was auctioned in London by Christie, Manson and Woods (now Christies) in 1875 after his death
Physical description	Steel and gold-damascened border enclosing intertwining arabesques in raised gold-work.
Names associated	Guthrie, Colonel Charles Seton Bengal Engineers
Other associations	Lahore, Panjab, PAKISTAN



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Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1875.29.88 A-D
Categories	Arms and armour
Object name	Armour
Description	Plate body armour of Indian origin, acquired by Colonel Charles Seton Guthrie, Bengal Engineers, c. 1820s - 1850s while on service in India. Purchased by the museum when Guthrie's collection was auctioned in London by Christie, Manson and Woods (now Christies) in 1875 after his death
Physical description	Plate body armour made of steel with floral arabesques chiselled in low relief, and gold-damascened border.
Names associated	Guthrie, Colonel Charles Seton Bengal Engineers
Other associations	Gwalior, INDIA



Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1875.29.89
Categories	Arms and armour
Object name	Helmet
Description	Steel helmet of Indian origin, acquired by Colonel Charles Seton Guthrie, Bengal Engineers, c. 1820s - 1850s while on service in India. Purchased by the museum when Guthrie's collection was auctioned in London by Christie, Manson and Woods (now Christies) in 1875 after his death
Physical description	Helmet made of steel, damascened in gold, and ornamented with chiselled arabesques, with adjustable nose guard. There is a neck curtain of fine mail composed of steel and brass links.
Names associated	Guthrie, Colonel Charles Seton Bengal Engineers
Other associations	Gwalior, INDIA



Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1875.29.90
Categories	Arms and armour
Object name	Helmet
Description	Helmet of North Indian origin (likely Panjab), acquired by Colonel Charles Seton Guthrie, Bengal Engineers, c. 1820s - 1850s while on service in India. Purchased by the museum when Guthrie's collection was auctioned in London by Christie, Manson and Woods (now Christies) in 1875 after his death
Physical description	Helmet made of watered steel, damascened in gold, with adjustable nose guard and neck curtain of chain mail.
Names associated	Guthrie, Colonel Charles Seton Bengal Engineers
Other associations	Panjab, INDIA Panjab, PAKISTAN



Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1875.29.91
Categories	Arms and armour
Object name	Breeches
Description	Breeches of North Indian origin (likely Panjab), acquired by Colonel Charles Seton Guthrie, Bengal Engineers, c. 1820s - 1850s while on service in India. Purchased by the museum when Guthrie's collection was auctioned in London by Christie, Manson and Woods (now Christies) in 1875 after his death
Physical description	Mail composed of steel and brass links, lined with crimson silk.
Names associated	Guthrie, Colonel Charles Seton Bengal Engineers
Other associations	Panjab, INDIA Panjab, PAKISTAN



Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1875.29.92
Categories	Arms and armour
Object name	Head covering
Description	Mail head covering of North Indian origin (Panjab), acquired by Colonel Charles Seton Guthrie, Bengal Engineers, c. 1820s - 1850s while on service in India. Purchased by the museum when Guthrie's collection was auctioned in London by Christie, Manson and Woods (now Christies) in 1875 after his death
Physical description	Mail composed of steel and brass rings in zig-zag stripes with plume socket.
Names associated	Guthrie, Colonel Charles Seton Bengal Engineers
Other associations	Panjab, INDIA Panjab, PAKISTAN



Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1875.29.93
Categories	Arms and armour
Object name	Coat of mail
Description	Coat of mail of Indian origin, acquired by Colonel Charles Seton Guthrie, Bengal Engineers, c. 1820s - 1850s while on service in India. Purchased by the museum when Guthrie's collection was auctioned in London by Christie, Manson and Woods (now Christies) in 1875 after his death
Physical description	Coat of mail composed of riveted steel links with six narrow oblong plates of steel on breast, and five rows of imbricated plates on the back.
Names associated	Guthrie, Colonel Charles Seton Bengal Engineers
Other associations	INDIA



Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1875.29.97
Categories	Containers
Object name	Box
Description	Box of Indian origin, acquired by Colonel Charles Seton Guthrie, Bengal Engineers, c. 1820s - 1850s while on service in India. Purchased by the museum when Guthrie's collection was auctioned in London by Christie, Manson and Woods (now Christies) in 1875 after his death
Physical description	Box with hexagonal pattern of inlaid white and coloured ivory and gold- leaf.
Names associated	Guthrie, Colonel Charles Seton Bengal Engineers
Other associations	INDIA



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Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1875.29.98
Categories	Personal equipment
Object name	Crutch
Description	Crutch of Indian origin (Goa), acquired by Colonel Charles Seton Guthrie, Bengal Engineers, c. 1820s - 1850s while on service in India. Purchased by the museum when Guthrie's collection was auctioned in London by Christie, Manson and Woods (now Christies) in 1875 after his death
Physical description	Crutch made of wood inlaid with zig-zag, hexagonal and other patterns in ivory and gold-leaf.
Names associated	Guthrie, Colonel Charles Seton Bengal Engineers
Other associations	Goa, INDIA



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Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1875.29.102
Categories	Arms and armour
Object name	Bow
Description	Wooden bow of Indian origin, acquired by Colonel Charles Seton Guthrie, Bengal Engineers, c. 1820s - 1850s while on service in India. Purchased by the museum when Guthrie's collection was auctioned in London by Christie, Manson and Woods (now Christies) in 1875 after his death
Physical description	Bow made of lacquered wood, ornamented on both sides, on a blue and green ground.
Names associated	Guthrie, Colonel Charles Seton Bengal Engineers
Other associations	INDIA



Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1875.29.103
Categories	Arms and armour
Object name	Bow
Description	Composite bow of Indian origin, acquired by Colonel Charles Seton Guthrie, Bengal Engineers, c. 1820s - 1850s while on service in India. Purchased by the museum when Guthrie's collection was auctioned in London by Christie, Manson and Woods (now Christies) in 1875 after his death
Physical description	Bow made of wood, in a curved shape, horn and sinews, with kincob and lacquer decoration.
Names associated	Guthrie, Colonel Charles Seton Bengal Engineers
Other associations	INDIA



Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1875.29.104
Categories	Arms and armour
Object name	Quiver
Description	Quiver of Indian origin, acquired by Colonel Charles Seton Guthrie, Bengal Engineers, c. 1820s - 1850s while on service in India. Purchased by the museum when Guthrie's collection was auctioned in London by Christie, Manson and Woods (now Christies) in 1875 after his death
Physical description	Quiver featuring embroidered purple velvet.
Names associated	Guthrie, Colonel Charles Seton Bengal Engineers
Other associations	INDIA



Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1875.29.105 A-X
Categories	Arms and armour
Object name	Arrow
Description	Arrows of Indian origin, acquired by Colonel Charles Seton Guthrie, Bengal Engineers, c. 1820s - 1850s while on service in India. Purchased by the museum when Guthrie's collection was auctioned in London by Christie, Manson and Woods (now Christies) in 1875 after his death
Physical description	Arrows with steel heads, mounted on stained reed staff, feathered and notched.
Names associated	Guthrie, Colonel Charles Seton Bengal Engineers
Other associations	INDIA



Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1875.29.106
Categories	Arms and armour
Object name	Quiver
Description	Quiver of Indian origin, acquired by Colonel Charles Seton Guthrie, Bengal Engineers, c. 1820s - 1850s while on service in India. Purchased by the museum when Guthrie's collection was auctioned in London by Christie, Manson and Woods (now Christies) in 1875 after his death
Physical description	Quiver made of buff leather.
Names associated	Guthrie, Colonel Charles Seton Bengal Engineers
Other associations	INDIA



Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1875.29.107 A-V
Categories	Arms and armour
Object name	Arrow
Description	Arrows of Indian origin, acquired by Colonel Charles Seton Guthrie, Bengal Engineers, c. 1820s - 1850s while on service in India. Purchased by the museum when Guthrie's collection was auctioned in London by Christie, Manson and Woods (now Christies) in 1875 after his death
Physical description	Arrows with steel heads, and partly lacquered reed staff.
Names associated	Guthrie, Colonel Charles Seton Bengal Engineers
Other associations	INDIA



Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1875.29.108 A-Z
Categories	Arms and armour
Object name	Arrow
Description	Arrows of Indian origin, acquired by Colonel Charles Seton Guthrie, Bengal Engineers, c. 1820s - 1850s while on service in India. Purchased by the museum when Guthrie's collection was auctioned in London by Christie, Manson and Woods (now Christies) in 1875 after his death
Physical description	Arrows with steel heads, partly lacquered reed staff, feathered and notched.
Names associated	Guthrie, Colonel Charles Seton Bengal Engineers
Other associations	INDIA



Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1875.29.109 A-C
Categories	Personal ornaments
Object name	Thumb ring
Description	Thumb ring of Indian origin, acquired by Colonel Charles Seton Guthrie, Bengal Engineers, c. 1820s - 1850s while on service in India. Purchased by the museum when Guthrie's collection was auctioned in London by Christie, Manson and Woods (now Christies) in 1875 after his death
Physical description	Thumb ring made of ivory.
Names associated	Guthrie, Colonel Charles Seton Bengal Engineers
Other associations	INDIA



Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.299.1
Categories	Clothing and textiles
Object name	Coverlet
Description	Cashmere coverlet of Indian origin, presented as a gift by the King of Awadh, Wajid Ali Shah to Surgeon General Sir Joseph Fayrer, c. 1850s
Physical description	Coverlet made of cashmere, embroidered in silver and gold in the form of fish-scale patterns.
Names associated	Shah, Wajid Ali Fayrer, Surgeon General Sir Joseph
Other associations	INDIA



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Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.299.2
Categories	Clothing and textiles
Object name	Silk gauze
Description	Silk gauze of Indian origin, said to be from the Chutter Manzil Palace, Lucknow, and acquired by Surgeon General Sir Joseph Fayrer while on service in India c. 1850-1870s
Physical description	Silk gauze.
Names associated	Fayrer, Surgeon General Sir Joseph
Other associations	Lucknow, India, South Asia, ASIA



Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.299.6
Categories	Arms and armour
Object name	Knife
Description	Knife of Afghan origin, said to be from the Royal Armoury, Lucknow, and acquired by Surgeon General Sir Joseph Fayrer while on service in India c. 1850-1870s
Physical description	Knife with watered-steel blade, and hilt of walrus ivory and gold- damascened steel.
Names associated	Fayrer, Surgeon General Sir Joseph
Other associations	Lucknow, India, South Asia, ASIA Afghanistan



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Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.299.8 and 8a
Categories	Personal ornaments
Object name	Bracelet
Description	Pair of bracelets made in Monghyr, Bengal, acquired by Surgeon General Sir Joseph Fayrer while on service in India c. 1850-1870s
Physical description	Bracelets made of stained wood.
Names associated	Fayrer, Surgeon General Sir Joseph
Other associations	Bengal, India, South Asia, ASIA



Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1893.216
Categories	Clothing and textiles
Object name	Slippers
Description	Wooden slippers of South Indian origin, acquired by the medical officer Sir William Mackenzie likely while on service in India c. 1830s-1870s
Physical description	Pair of slippers made of wood, with borders and scroll-work inlaid in bone.
Names associated	Mackenzie, Sir William
Other associations	INDIA



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Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1893.218
Categories	Sculpture
Object name	Figure
Description	Cast bronze sculpture of Indian origin, acquired by the medical officer Sir William Mackenzie, likely while on service in India c. 1830s-1870s
Physical description	Sculpture made of cast bronze.
Names associated	Mackenzie, Sir William
Other associations	INDIA



Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1893.219
Categories	Sculpture
Object name	Figure
Description	Cast bronze sculpture of Indian origin, acquired by the medical officer Sir William Mackenzie, likely while on service in India c. 1830s-1870s
Physical description	Sculpture made of cast bronze.
Names associated	Mackenzie, Sir William
Other associations	INDIA



Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1893.220
Categories	Sculpture
Object name	Figure
Description	Bronze sculpture of Indian origin, acquired by the medical officer Sir William Mackenzie, likely while on service in India c. 1830s-1870s
Physical description	Sculpture made of bronze of Navanita-Krishna dancing with the butter ball, he dances the 'Navanita-nritta', the peacock feather stuck into a tuft of his hair is a special feature of Krishna as a boy.
Names associated	Mackenzie, Sir William
Other associations	INDIA



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Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1893.221
Categories	Sculpture
Object name	Figure
Description	Bronze sculpture of Indian origin, acquired by the medical officer Sir William Mackenzie, likely while on service in India c. 1830s-1870s
Physical description	Sculpture made of bronze of Krishna as a boy defeating the demon Kaliya, holding the butterball in his right hand.
Names associated	Mackenzie, Sir William
Other associations	INDIA



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Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1893.222
Categories	Sculpture
Object name	Figure
Description	White bronze sculpture of Indian origin, acquired by the medical officer Sir William Mackenzie, likely while on service in India c. 1830s-1870s
Physical description	Sculpture made of white bronze of a Vishnavite teacher-priest seated on a pedestal, his right hand is raised in the gesture of instruction, 'vyakhyanamudra', while his left hand is turned upwards.
Names associated	Mackenzie, Sir William
Other associations	INDIA



Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1893.223
Categories	Sculpture
Object name	Figure
Description	Bronze sculpture of Indian origin, acquired by the medical officer Sir William Mackenzie, likely while on service in India c. 1830s-1870s
Physical description	Sculpture made of bronze of Ganesha, or Ganapati, standing below an arch of rays, 'prabhatorana', son of Shiva and Parvati he is seen as the 'remover of obstacles'.
Names associated	Mackenzie, Sir William
Other associations	INDIA



Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1893.224
Categories	Sculpture
Object name	Figure
Description	Sculpture of Indian origin, acquired by the medical officer Sir William Mackenzie, likely while on service in India c. 1830s-1870s
Physical description	Figure made of white metal of a four-armed god, possibly Subramanya, or the goddess Saraswati
Names associated	Mackenzie, Sir William
Other associations	INDIA



Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1893.225
Categories	Sculpture
Object name	Figure
Description	Silver sculpture of Indian origin, acquired by the medical officer Sir William Mackenzie, likely while on service in India c. 1830s-1870s
Physical description	Figure made of silver of Garuda, the vehicle or vahana of the god Vishnu, showing him in devotional pose, with hands in 'anjali mudra', his wings are spread out.
Names associated	Mackenzie, Sir William
Other associations	INDIA



Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1893.226
Categories	Sculpture
Object name	Lamp
Description	Bronze lamp of Indian origin, acquired by the medical officer Sir William Mackenzie, likely while on service in India c. 1830s-1870s
Physical description	Lamp made of bronze in the form of a leaf-shaped cup on two feet connected by a recurved bar.
Names associated	Mackenzie, Sir William
Other associations	INDIA



Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1893.234
Categories	Personal ornaments
Object name	Rosary
Description	Rosary of Indian origin, acquired by the medical officer Sir William Mackenzie, likely while on service in India c. 1830s-1870s
Physical description	Hindu rosary made of rudraksha seeds or nuts from the Utrasam tree, or Elaeocarpus Ganitrus. The rosary is used as a counting device to recall a defined number of prayers, and to gain divine favour.
Names associated	Mackenzie, Sir William
Other associations	INDIA



Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1948.228
Categories	Personal equipment
Object name	Mace
Description	Silver mace said to have been taken from the military commander Kunwar Singh by Lieutenant George Godfrey Pearse, 3rd Regiment, Sikh Irregular Cavalry, during the Indian Mutiny/Uprising, 1857-8, India
Physical description	Silver mace, with cylindrical staff chased with spiral twist and acanthus leaves.
Names associated	Singh, Kunwar Pearse, Lieutenant George Godfrey Sikh Irregular Cavalry
Other associations	India, South Asia, ASIA Indian Mutiny / Uprising



Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1948.229
Categories	Personal equipment
Object name	Fly whisk
Description	Silver fly whisk (chauri) said to have been taken from the military commander Kunwar Singh by Lieutenant George Godfrey Pearse, 3rd Regiment, Sikh Irregular Cavalry, during the Indian Mutiny/Uprising, 1857-8, India
Physical description	Finely chased silver fly whisk mounted with fine golden hair (possibly yak) with engraved silver plaque, commissioned by Pearse, that reads: "Spolia Opima" / The Chowrie of Koer Sing. A Great Leader / in the Indian Mutiny War of 1857-9. /Killed 20 th April 1858 on the River Ganges. / Lieut. Geo. G. Pearse Captor.'
Names associated	Singh, Kunwar Pearse, Lieutenant George Godfrey Sikh Irregular Cavalry
Other associations	India, South Asia, ASIA Indian Mutiny / Uprising



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Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1948.230
Categories	Personal equipment
Object name	Club
Description	Silver club (chob) said to have been taken from the military commander Kunwar Singh by Lieutenant George Godfrey Pearse, 3rd Regiment, Sikh Irregular Cavalry, during the Indian Mutiny/Uprising, 1857-8, India
Physical description	Silver club, with staff chased with spiral pattern and acanthus leaves, and terminating in a tiger head. There is an engraved silver plaque, commissioned by Pearse, that reads: 'Spolia Opima / The Bludgeon of Koer Sing Chief of the Bhojpure Rajputs / K. in Action, Sheopore Ghat. Riv. Ganges. 20 th Ap. 1858. /A gt Leader in the Indn Mutiny / Lt t Geo. Godfrey Pearse /Comdg. 3 rd Regt Sikh Irr. Cavly/ The Captor'.
Names associated	Singh, Kunwar Pearse, Lieutenant George Godfrey Sikh Irregular Cavalry
Other associations	India, South Asia, ASIA Indian Mutiny / Uprising



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Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1956.597
Categories	Arms and armour
Object name	Firearm
Description	Matchlock of Sikh origin, taken by Major Alexander Robertson, Bengal Artillery, at the Battle of Gujrat, 21 February 1849, during the Second Anglo-Sikh War, 1848-9, Panjab
Physical description	Firearm with wooden stock and long narrow butt, with steel mounts, and bronzed barrel partly inlaid with gold, with a ramrod.
Names associated	Robertson, Major Alexander Bengal Artillery
Other associations	Gujrat, Panjab, PAKISTAN Second Anglo-Sikh War



Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1878.14
Categories	Regalia
Object name	Seal
Description	Impression of the seal of Sultan Fateh Ali Tipu (Tipu Sultan), taken by an unidentified individual, possibly during the Fourth Anglo-Mysore War, 1798-99, Mysore, India
Physical description	Red seal, with a bespoke leather case. The interior lid of the case has a handwritten inscription that reads: 'The year of the Higyra 1187. The warlike King, Sword of God. The victorious Sovereign Tippoo Sultan. Exalted in dignity, high in Nobility. Prosperous in Fortune'.
Names associated	Sultan, Tipu
Other associations	Mysore, India, South Asia, ASIA Fourth Anglo-Mysore War



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Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1887.102
Categories	Arms and armour
Object name	Spear
Description	Spear of Sudanese origin, taken by Lieutenant Clarence Arthur Osborne, 6th Dragoon Guards, during the Gordon Relief Expedition, Mahdist War, 1881-99, Sudan, North Africa
Physical description	Spear with steel blade, mounted on a wooden pole.
Names associated	Osborne, Lieutenant Clarence Arthur 6th Dragoon Guards
Other associations	Sudan, North Africa, AFRICA Mahdist War



Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1887.103
Categories	Arms and armour
Object name	Spear
Description	Spear of Sudanese origin, taken by Lieutenant Clarence Arthur Osborne, 6th Dragoon Guards, during the Gordon Relief Expedition, Mahdist War, 1881-99, Sudan, North Africa
Physical description	Spear with steel blade, mounted on wooden pole, with brass wire bands.
Names associated	Osborne, Lieutenant Clarence Arthur 6th Dragoon Guards
Other associations	Sudan, North Africa, AFRICA Mahdist War



Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1887.106
Categories	Arms and armour
Object name	Shield
Description	Shield of Sudanese origin, taken by Lieutenant Clarence Arthur Osborne, 6th Dragoon Guards, during the Mahdist War, 1881-99, Sudan, North Africa
Physical description	Shield made of hide, with central boss and two notches in the margin.
Names associated	Osborne, Lieutenant Clarence Arthur 6th Dragoon Guards
Other associations	Sudan, North Africa, AFRICA Mahdist War



Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1887.107
Categories	Arms and armour
Object name	Shield
Description	Shield of Sudanese origin, taken by Lieutenant Clarence Arthur Osborne, 6th Dragoon Guards, during the Gordon Relief Expedition, Mahdist War, 1881-99, Sudan, North Africa
Physical description	Shield made of hide, with central boss and two notches in the margin.
Names associated	Osborne, Lieutenant Clarence Arthur 6th Dragoon Guards
Other associations	Sudan, North Africa, AFRICA Mahdist War



Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1887.108
Categories	Clothing and textiles
Object name	Jibbah
Description	Jibbah of Sudanese origin, taken by Lieutenant Clarence Arthur Osborne, 6th Dragoon Guards, during the Gordon Relief Expedition, Mahdist War, 1881-99, Sudan, North Africa
Physical description	Jibbah made of white calico ornamented with applied diagonal stripes, squares, and crosses of red and blue cotton.
Names associated	Osborne, Lieutenant Clarence Arthur 6th Dragoon Guards
Other associations	Sudan, North Africa, AFRICA Mahdist War Gordon Relief Expedition



Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1887.109
Categories	Clothing and textiles
Object name	Jibbah
Description	Jibbah of Sudanese origin, taken by Lieutenant Clarence Arthur Osborne, 6th Dragoon Guards, during the Gordon Relief Expedition, Mahdist War, 1881-99, Sudan, North Africa
Physical description	Jibbah made of white calico ornamented with applied diagonal stripes, squares, and crosses of red and blue cotton.
Names associated	Osborne, Lieutenant Clarence Arthur 6th Dragoon Guards
Other associations	Sudan, North Africa, AFRICA Mahdist War Gordon Relief Expedition



Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1893.217
Categories	Clothing and textiles
Object name	Sandals
Description	A pair of brown leather sandals of Sudanese origin, acquired by the medical officer Sir William Mackenzie, further provenance unconfirmed
Physical description	Sandals with brown leather foot-strap or band, decorated with plaited strips of white and green leather.
Names associated	Mackenzie, Sir William
Other associations	Sudan, North Africa, AFRICA



Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1898.389
Categories	Arms and armour
Object name	Spearhead
Description	Spearhead of Sudanese origin, taken by Surgeon Major William George Birrell at the Battle of Omdurman, 2 September 1898, during the Mahdist War, 1881-99, Sudan, North Africa
Physical description	Spearhead made of steel, mounted on a pole that appears to be of a later date.
Names associated	Birrell, Surgeon Major William George
Other associations	Omdurman, Sudan, North Africa, AFRICA Battle of Omdurman Mahdist War



Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1926.80
Categories	Arms and armour
Object name	Coat of mail
Description	Coat of chain mail of Sudanese origin, described as being 'obtained at Omdurman' by Captain Cameron Deane Shute, Rifle Brigade, c. 1898, during the Mahdist War, 1881-99, Sudan, North Africa
Physical description	Sleeved tunic of chain mail composed of split steel rings, over quilted brocade. The condition of the object suggests that it may have been purchased by Shute, rather than taken from the battlefield.
Names associated	Shute, General Cameron Deane Rifle Brigade
Other associations	Omdurman, Sudan, North Africa, AFRICA Battle of Omdurman Mahdist War



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Museum	National Museums Scotland: Department of World Cultures
Accession Number	A.1926.81
Categories	Arms and armour
Object name	Helmet
Description	Steel helmet of Sudanese origin, described as being 'obtained at Omdurman' by Captain Cameron Deane Shute, Rifle Brigade, c. 1898, during the Mahdist War, 1881-99, Sudan, North Africa
Physical description	Helmet made of steel with adjustable nose guard, and neck guard of chain mail. The condition of the object suggests that it may have been purchased by Shute, rather than taken from the battlefield.
Names associated	Shute, General Cameron Deane Rifle Brigade
Other associations	Omdurman, Sudan, North Africa, AFRICA Battle of Omdurman Mahdist War



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