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Title: Jack Collard Collection

Name of creator: Collard, Jack Marler (1909-1995) Author, pen name John Marlowe

Dates of creation of material: 1921; 1941-1945

Level of description: Fonds

Extent: 1 box

Biographical history: Collard, Jack Marler (1909-1995) Author, pen name John Marlowe
Jack Collard was born in Putney on the 19th March 1909. He worked for Shell in different parts of the Middle East, served as a major in the Second World War in Syria and North Africa, and lived in Iran for several years before retiring from Shell in 1964. Between 1946 and 1976 he wrote 18 books using the pen name John Marlowe. He died in Hampshire on the 15th September 1995, at the age of 86.

Scope and content: Papers relating to Bedouin customary law in the frontier provinces of Egypt, and to the Medani fraternity of Siwa, 1921; material on administration of Cyrenaica, 1941-1945.

System of arrangement: Chronological

Access conditions: Open

Language of material: English

Conditions governing reproduction: No restrictions on copying or quotation other than statutory regulations and preservation concerns

Custodial history: In Jack Collard's possession

Immediate source of acquisition: Received before 1979

Finding aids: In Guide; Handlist

Publication note: Books written by Jack Collard under his pen name John Marlowe:

Rebellion in Palestine (1946)

Anglo-Egyptian Relations, 1800-1953 (1954)

The Puritan Tradition in English Life (1956)

Trouble in Muristan (a novel, 1957)

The Seat of Pilate: An Account of the Palestine Mandate (1959)
Arab Nationalism and British Imperialism (1961)
The Persian Gulf in the Twentieth Century (1962)
Iran: A Short Political Guide (1963)
The Making of the Suez Canal (1964)
Four Aspects of Egypt (1966)
Late Victorian: The Life of Sir Arnold Talbot Wilson (1967)
Mission to Khartoum (1969)
Cromer in Egypt (1970)
Perfidious Albion (1971)
The Golden Age of Alexandria (1971)
Cecil Rhodes: the Anatomy of Empire (1972)
Spoiling the Egyptians (1974)
Milner: Apostle of Empire (1976)

Archivist's note: Fonds level description created by Clare Brown 13 Aug 1998 and revised by Debbie Usher 5 Nov 2003 and 9 Aug 2018. Biographical history and list of books supplied by Roger Hardy in August 2018.

ITEM LEVEL DESCRIPTION OF THE JACK COLLARD COLLECTION

1	Paper on Bedouin customary law and its administration in the frontier provinces of Egypt	
2	Paper on the Medani fraternity in Siwa by W.R. Fanner	1921
3	Report on Occupied Enemy Territory Administration Cyrenaica 14 October 1941 – 31 January 1942 by Brigadier S.H. Longrigg	
4	Annual reports for Agedabia District	1943
5	Annual report of the Chief Administrator on the British Military Administration of Tripolitania	1943-1944
6	Report on Organisation Policy. Agedabia District Cyrenaica	1944
7	The future of Cyrenaica	1944
8	Annual Report, Derna district	1944
9	Monthly reports – Cyrenaica	Apr 1944 – Jul 1944
10	Annual report of the Chief Administrator on the British Military Administration of Cyrenaica	1944
11	Public reactions to the visit of Sayed Idris	1945