

# BATTLES AND WARFARE

## GENERAL

### **Le Jeu de la Hache: A Fifteenth-century Treatise on the Technique of Chivalric Axe Combat**

ANGLO Sydney

Description: From *Archaeologia*, Vol. 109

Date of publication: 1991

Synopsis: Text and commentary on *Le Jeu de la Hache* (Bibliothèque Nationale, manuscript français 1996), the only surviving treatise devoted exclusively to medieval axe combat.

[LIBRARY NOTE: Filed under Fine and Applied Arts]

### **The Times Guide to Battlefields of Britain**

ANON

Description: From *The Times*

Date of publication: 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> August, 1994

Synopsis: Articles on some of the battles included in English Heritage's official new battlefields list (*The Complete Guide to the Battlefields of Britain* by David Smurthwaite), viz. Bannockburn, Shrewsbury, Blore Heath, Tewkesbury and Bosworth.

### **The Wars of the Roses 1455-87**

COATES Dr. J. I.

Description: Typescript

Date of publication: N/A

Synopsis: Outline of the causes and main events of the wars.

### **Heraldic Banners of the Wars of the Roses: Counties of Anglesey to Hampshire**

COVENEY Thomas

Description: Freezywater Publications booklet, ed. G. Harrison, R. Erskine-Riddell & P. McGill

Date of publication: 1996

Synopsis: Volume 1 of series. Potted biographies of the knights involved in the Wars of the Roses, arranged alphabetically by county, followed by colour illustrations of their banners. An index of persons directs the reader to the relevant pages.

[LIBRARY NOTE: Filed under Biographical: General]

### **Heraldic Banners of the Wars of the Roses: Counties of Herefordshire to Rutland**

COVENEY Thomas

Description: Freezywater Publications booklet, ed. G. Harrison, R. Erskine-Riddell & P. McGill

Date of publication: 1997

Synopsis: Volume 2 of series. Potted biographies of the knights involved in the Wars of the Roses, arranged by alphabetically county, followed by colour illustrations of their banners. An index of persons directs the reader to the relevant pages.

[LIBRARY NOTE: Filed under Biographical: General]

**Heraldic Banners of the Wars of the Roses: Counties of Shropshire to Yorkshire**

COVENEY Thomas

Description: Freezywater Publications booklet, ed. G. Harrison, R. Erskine-Riddell & P. McGill

Date of publication: 1997

Synopsis: Volume 3 of series. Potted biographies of the knights involved in the Wars of the Roses, arranged alphabetically by county, followed by colour illustrations of their banners. An index of persons directs the reader to the relevant pages.

[LIBRARY NOTE: Filed under Biographical: General]

**Richard III's Battles**

GINDERS Alan

Description: Typescript summary of a talk

Date of presentation: 1965

Synopsis: Covers medieval warfare and the battles of Barnet, Tewkesbury and Bosworth.

**Yorkshire and the Wars of the Roses**

HAWARD Winifred I.

Description: Booklet

Date of publication: 1970

Synopsis: Describes Yorkshire's involvement in the Wars of the Roses, ordinary life in the county during the period, and Richard's relations with the county.

**The Wars of the Roses**

JONES Neil

Description: From *Britain: the Official Magazine*, Vol. 79, Issue 2

Date of publication: April-May 2011

Synopsis: Overview of dynastic conflict between 1399 and 1485, based on author's interview with Alison Weir.

**Early Artillery Fortifications in England and Wales: A Preliminary Survey and Re-appraisal**

KENYON J. R.

Description: From *Archaeological Journal*, Vol. 138

Date of publication: 1981

Synopsis: Study of pre-1539 fortifications that made provision for the use of artillery, in castles, town defences, block houses and fortified manor houses.

**Discovering Battlefields in Northern England and Scotland**

KINROSS John

Description: Booklet

Date of publication: 1968

Synopsis: Includes Wakefield, Mortimers Cross, Towton and Stoke.

**Discovering Battlefields in Southern England**

KINROSS                      John

Description: Booklet

Date of publication: 1968

Synopsis: Includes First St Albans, Northampton, Edgecote, Barnet, Tewkesbury and Bosworth.

**When Roses had Sharp Thorns**

LEHANE                      Brendan

Description: From *Telegraph Sunday Magazine*Date of publication: 20<sup>th</sup> March 1977

Synopsis: Brief account of the Wars of the Roses from 1429 to 1485.

**Raleigh Lecture on History: The Wars of the Roses**

MCFARLANE                      K. B.

Description: From *The Proceedings of the British Academy*, Vol. 50

Date of publication: 1964

Synopsis: Text of a lecture on the Wars of the Roses: causes, combatants and common misconceptions.

**Standards, Badges and Livery Colours of the Wars of the Roses**

MCGILL                      Pat

JONES                      Jonathan

Description: Freezywater Publications booklet

Date of publication: 1992

Synopsis: Descriptions of the standards and/ or badges, mottoes and livery colours of 117 peers and knights; with coloured illustrations of 36 standards.

[LIBRARY NOTE: Filed under Biographical: General]

**The Wars of the Roses: Who Fought and Why**

MAKINSON                      Albert

Description: From *History Today*

Date of publication: September 1959

Synopsis: Attributes the wars to "plebeian discontent and patrician lawlessness."

**War in the North: The Anglo-Scottish Wars of the Middle Ages**

MILLER                      Edward

Description: Text of lecture delivered at the University of Hull

Date of publication: 1960

Synopsis: The 1959-60 St. John's College Cambridge Lecture. Discusses the character and consequences of the endemic border warfare that began with Edward's I's attempt to conquer Scotland.

### **Historians Prepare for War over Battlefield List**

NEALE Greg

Description: From *The Daily Telegraph*

Date of publication: 4<sup>th</sup> September, 1994

Synopsis: Article about the publication of English Heritage's official battlefields list (*The Complete Guide to the Battlefields of Britain* by David Smurthwaite), and the controversy surrounding those battles excluded from the list.

### **Historians and the Role of Castles in the Wars of the Roses**

PETRE James

Description: From *Fort* (international journal of fortification and military architecture), Vol. 12

Date of publication: 1984

Synopsis: On the reasons for the declining role of castles in the Wars of the Roses.

[LIBRARY NOTE: Filed under Social History]

### **Wars of the Roses: Exhibition of Records**

PUBLIC RECORD OFFICE

Description: PRO exhibition catalogue.

Date of publication: 1961

Synopsis: Guide to exhibition held at the PRO (now TNA) between March and May 1961.

### **The Nobility and the Wars of the Roses**

RICHMOND Colin

Description: From *Nottingham Medieval Studies*, Vol. 21

Date of publication: 1977

Synopsis: An examination of the proportion of the nobility involved in the armed conflicts of 1459-61, and on which side they fought.

### **Maintenance and the Wars of the Roses**

ROGERS Alan

Description: From *History Today*

Date of publication: March 1967

Synopsis: Argues that the Wars of the Roses were not a clear-cut dynastic conflict, but a series of struggles between the magnates aided by the retinues they maintained.

### **Norfolk Involvement in Dynastic Conflict 1469-71 and 1483-87**

SAYER Michael

Description: From *Norfolk Archaeology*, Vol. 36, Part 4

Date of publication: 1977

Synopsis: On East Anglian families (including the Mowbrays, Howards and de la Poles) and their allegiances.

[LIBRARY NOTE: Filed under Biographical: General]

### **A Secret War against the Tudors**

SEWARD Desmond

Description: From *BBC History Magazine*

Date of publication: November 2010

Synopsis: Examines plots against the Tudors by dynastic rivals and their supporters.

### **The House of York at War: A Yorkist Account of the Wars of the Roses**

SNOWDEN, Keith

Description: Booklet

Date of publication: 1998

Synopsis: An overview of the history of the House of York from the creation of the first duke in 1385 to the death of Perkin Warbeck in 1499. 60 pages.

## **INDIVIDUAL BATTLES AND CAMPAIGNS**

### **FIRST BATTLE OF ST ALBANS, 22<sup>ND</sup> MAY 1455**

#### **Politics and the Battle of St Albans 1455**

ARMSTRONG C. A. J.

Description: From *BIHR*, Vol. 33, No. 87

Date of publication: May 1960

Synopsis: The causes, course and aftermath of the battle.

#### **An Account of the First Battle of St Albans from a Contemporary Manuscript**

BAYLEY John (ed.)

Description: From *Archaeologia*, Vol. 20

Date of publication: 1824

Synopsis: One of the fullest contemporary accounts of the battle, from a manuscript amongst the Stonor papers in the National Archives.

#### **The First Battle of St Albans, May 22nd 1455**

BURNE A. H.

Description: Chapter 6 of Burne's *The Battlefields of England*

Date of publication: 1950

Synopsis: An account of the battle and its causes.

#### **Hall Place and the First Battle of St Albans, 22 May 1455**

McSWEENEY Gerard

Description: From *Herts Past & Present*, 3<sup>rd</sup> Series, Issue 6

Date of publication: Autumn 2005

Synopsis: A critical examination of the oft-cited claim that Hall Place, which until 1905 stood at the north end of St Peter's Street, sheltered Henry VI both before and during the battle.

### **St Albans and the Wars of the Roses**

SANCTUARY Gerald

Description: Booklet

Date of publication: 1985

Synopsis: Brief accounts of the two battles of St Albans, with street maps.

## **BATTLE OF BLORE HEATH, 23<sup>RD</sup> SEPTEMBER 1459**

### **The Battle of Blore Heath, 23 September 1459**

BURNE A. H.

Description: Chapter 13 of Burne's *More Battlefields of England*

Date of publication: 1952

Synopsis: Account of the battle.

### **The Wars of the Roses Part One: The Battle of Blore Heath**

JEWELL Brian

Description: From *Detector User*

Date of publication: April 1984

Synopsis: Brief analysis of the Wars of the Roses up to and including the Battle of Blore Heath. Includes a simple diagram of the battle deployment.

### **The Battle of Blore Heath**

TWEMLOW F. R.

Description: Booklet

Date of publication: 1912

Synopsis: Detailed study of the battle.

## **BATTLE OF LUDFORD BRIDGE, 12<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER, 1459**

### **The Battle that Did Not Happen: A Tale of Treachery at Ludford Bridge October 1459**

EDGAR-BEALE R. S.

Description: Typescript

Date of copyright: 26<sup>th</sup> July 2005.

Synopsis: Article on the battle and the events leading up to it. Includes references. 8 pages.

### **Ludford Bridge and Mortimers Cross: The Wars of the Roses in Herefordshire and the Welsh Marches and the Accession of Edward IV**

HODGES Geoffrey

Description: Booklet

Date of publication: 1989

Synopsis: Well-illustrated booklet giving background information and detailed accounts of both engagements.

### **The Battle of Towton 1461**

McGILL Patrick

Description: Booklet

Date of publication: 1992

Synopsis: Covers events from Ludford Bridge to Towton. Includes lists of those present at each engagement.

[LIBRARY NOTE: Filed under Towton]

## **BATTLE OF NORTHAMPTON, 10<sup>TH</sup> JULY 1460**

### **A Quincentenary: The Battle of Northampton, July 10th 1460**

JACK R. Ian

Description: From *Northamptonshire Past and Present*, Vol. 3, No.1

Date of publication: 1960

Synopsis: Description of the battle, with quotations from contemporary accounts.

### **The Battle of Towton 1461**

McGILL Patrick

Description: Booklet

Date of publication: 1992

Synopsis: Covers events from Ludford Bridge to Towton. Includes lists of those present at each engagement.

[LIBRARY NOTE: Filed under Towton]

## **BATTLE OF WAKEFIELD, 30<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER 1460**

### **Walk Wakefield 1460: A Visitor Guide to Battle-related Sites**

COX Helen

Description: Booklet

Date of publication: 2011

Synopsis: Descriptions of the preliminary encounter at Worksop and the battle at Wakefield, plus visitor information on Worksop Priory, Sandal and Pontefract castles, and the Mickelgate Bar and walls of York. Illustrated with maps and black-and-white & colour photographs.

### **The Battle of Wakefield**

DOCKRAY Keith

KNOWLES Richard

Description: Booklet

Date of publication: 1999 (but first published in June 1992 in *The Ricardian*)

Synopsis: .A detailed (28-page) study of the battle, including maps and aerial photographs.

### **The Battle of Wakefield**

LEADMAN A. D. H.

Description: From *Proelia Eboracensia*

Date of publication: 1891 (but first published in 1890 in the *Yorkshire Archaeological and Topographical Journal*, Vol. 11)

Synopsis: Account compiled from various contemporary chronicles.

### **The Battle of Towton 1461**

McGILL Patrick

Description: Booklet

Date of publication: 1992

Synopsis: Covering events from Ludford Bridge 1459 to Towton, including the battle of Wakefield. Includes lists of those present.

[LIBRARY NOTE: Filed under Towton]

### **The Battle of Wakefield**

MARKHAM Clements R.

Description: From *The Yorkshire Archaeological and Topographical Journal*, Vol. 9

Date of publication: 1886

Synopsis: Account of the battle based on contemporary sources.

### **The Battles of Wakefield: An Historical Narrative of the Battle of Wakefield in 1460, etc.**

TYAS George

Description: Part 1 of above book

Date of publication: 1854

Synopsis: Discursive account of the battle and the circumstances leading up to it, based on later chronicles.

### **1460-1960: An Exhibition to Commemorate the Battle of Wakefield 1460 at the City Museum, Wood Street, Wakefield**

WAKEFIELD CITY MUSEUM

Description: Leaflet

Date of publication: 1960

Synopsis: List of exhibits but with no illustrations.

## **BATTLE OF MORTIMER'S CROSS, 3<sup>RD</sup> FEBRUARY 1461**

### **Walk Towton 1461: A Visitor Guide to Battle-related Sites**

COX Helen

STRINGER Alan

Description: Booklet

Date of publication: 2012

Synopsis: 70-page booklet containing guidance for visitors to the battlefields of Mortimer's Cross, Second St Albans and Towton.

[LIBRARY NOTE: Filed under Towton]



**Crowning Victory of Edward IV**

HANCOCK C. V.

Description: From *The Birmingham Post*

Date of publication: Undated

Synopsis: Brief account of the battle and of the battlefield as it is today.

**Ludford Bridge and Mortimer's Cross: The Wars of the Roses in Herefordshire and the Welsh Marches, and the Accession of Edward IV**

HODGES Geoffrey

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**The Battle of Towton 1461**

McGILL Patrick

Description: Booklet

Date of publication: 1992

Synopsis: Covering events from Ludford Bridge to Towton, including the battle of Wakefield. Includes lists of those present.

[LIBRARY NOTE: Filed under Towton]

**SECOND BATTLE OF ST ALBANS, 17<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY 1461**

**The Second Battle of St Albans, February 17th 1461**

BURNE A. H.

Description: Chapter 7 of Burne's *The Battlefields of England*

Date of publication: 1950

Synopsis: Classic account of the battle.

**Whirlwind from the North: The Campaign and Second Battle of St Albans, 1461**

CLIPSON Anthony

Description: From *Wargames World*, No. 3

Date of publication: January 1989

Synopsis: Detailed account, good on tactics and the lack of them – includes bibliography and notes for war gaming.

**Walk Towton 1461: A Visitor Guide to Battle-related Sites**

COX Helen

STRINGER Alan

Description: Booklet

Date of publication: 2012

Synopsis: 70-page booklet containing guidance for visitors to the battlefields of Mortimer's Cross, Second St Albans and Towton.

[LIBRARY NOTE: Filed under Towton]

### **The Battle of Towton 1461**

McGILL Patrick

Description: Booklet

Date of publication: 1992

Synopsis: Covers events from Ludford Bridge 1459 to Towton, including the battle of Mortimer's Cross. Includes lists of those present.

[LIBRARY NOTE. Filed under Towton]

### **St Albans and the Wars of the Roses**

SANCTUARY Gerald

Description: Booklet

Date of publication: 1985

Synopsis: Brief accounts of the two battles of St Albans, with street maps.

[LIBRARY NOTE. Filed under First St. Albans]

## **BATTLE OF TOWTON, 29<sup>TH</sup> MARCH 1461**

### **Nasty, Brutish and Not That Short**

ANON

Description: From *The Economist*, pp. 50-52

Date of publication: 13<sup>th</sup> December, 1996

Synopsis: Recounts the battle in the light of remains from the burial site discovered in 1996.

### **Towton and Saxton: The Story of a Famous Fight**

BOGG Edmund

Description: Chapter 8 of Bogg's *Round about Leeds and the Old Kingdom of Elmet, the Land 'twixt Aire and Wharfe*

Date of publication: 1904

Synopsis: Description of the area in which the battle was fought, and an account of the battle.

### **Burials from the Battle of Towton**

BOYLSTON Anthea

NOVAK Shannon

SUTHERLAND Tim

HOLST Malin

COUGHLAN Jennifer

Description: From *Royal Armouries Yearbook*, Vol. 2

Date of publication: 1997

Synopsis: Report on the excavation of the mass grave at Towton.

### **The Battle of Towton: Palm Sunday 1461**

BRANDT Ian (Ghost)

Description: From *Skirmish: Living History*, Issue 90, pp. 16-22

Date of publication: July-August 2011

Synopsis: Brief article, by a member of the Beaufort Company of re-enactors, describing the re-enactment and other events held at the site to mark the 550<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the battle. Includes several colour photographs of the re-enactment, and of the re-enactors in full battle dress.

### **Palm Sunday 1461**

BROWN Geoff

Description: From *Wargames Illustrated*

Date of publication: Undated

Synopsis: Brief account of the battle.

### **The Battle of Towton, March 29th 1461**

BURNE A. H.

Description: Chapter 8 of Burne's *The Battlefields of England*

Date of publication: 1950

Synopsis: Account of the battle.

### **Walk Towton 1461: A Visitor Guide to Battle-related Sites**

COX Helen

STRINGER Alan

Description: Booklet

Date of publication: 2012

Synopsis: 70-page booklet containing guidance for visitors to the battlefields of Mortimer's Cross, the Second Battle of St Albans and Towton.

### **The Lost Battle: England's Forgotten Killing Field**

GILL A. A.

Description: From *The Sunday Times Magazine*

Date of publication: 24<sup>th</sup> August, 2008

Synopsis: The writer visits the area as it is today, and muses on the gruesome scale of the casualties and the reasons why the battle is largely unknown to the nation. Includes a breezy summary of the Wars of the Roses and the battle itself. Several colour illustrations.

### **This Bitter Field**

GOODWIN George

Description: From *History Today*, Vol. 61, Issue 5

Date of publication: May 2011

Synopsis: Article by the author of *Fatal Colours: Towton 1461: England's Most Brutal Battle*. Goodwin describes the conditions that enabled the Yorkists to achieve victory over the larger, and better positioned, Lancastrian army, and led to such an extraordinarily large death toll.

**The Battle of Towton: Palm Sunday, 29 March 1461**

HUDSON    Graham

Description: Leaflet/ map

Date of publication: 1985

Synopsis: Unfolds to show pictorial map on one side and guided tour of battlefield on the other.

**The Battle of Towton**

LEADMAN    A. D. H.

Description: From *Proelia Eboracensia*

Date of publication: 1891 (but, first published in *Yorkshire Archaeological and Topographical Journal*, Vol. 10, 1889)

Synopsis: Full account of the battle.

**Pieces of History**

LOBELL    Jarrett A.

Description: From *Archaeology*, Vol. 64, No. 2, pp. 29-31

Date of publication: March-April 2011

Synopsis: Interview with Tim Sutherland regarding the discovery of the remains of two (or possibly three) guns on “what is believed to have been the Lancastrian side of the battlefield.”

**The Battle of Towton 1461**

McGILL    Patrick

Description: Booklet

Date of publication: 1992

Synopsis: Covering events from Ludford Bridge 1459 to Towton, including the battle of Wakefield. Includes lists of those present.

**The Battle of Towton**

MARKHAM    Clements R.

Description: From *Yorkshire Archaeological and Topographical Journal*, Vol. 10

Date of publication: 1889

Synopsis: Detailed account, with biographical notes on the participants.

**The Battle of Towton**

RANSOME    Cyril

Description: From *EHR*, Vol. 4

Date of publication: 1889

Synopsis: Account of the battle based on examination of the area.

**Killing Time: Challenging the Common Perceptions of Three Medieval Conflicts – Ferrybridge, Dintingdale and Towton – ‘the Largest Battle on British Soil’**

SUTHERLAND    Tim

Description: From *Journal of Conflict Archaeology*, Vol. 5, No. 1, pp. 1-25

Date of publication: 2009

Synopsis: Sutherland suggests a new interpretation of the huge casualty figures given in contemporary sources based on the different methods of timekeeping in use at the period.

## **BATTLE OF PILTOWN, AUGUST 1462**

### **The Battle of Piltown, 1462**

BUTLER George

Description: From *The Irish Sword*, Vol. 6, No. 24, pp. 196-212

Date of publication: Summer 1964

Synopsis: Article from the journal of the Military History Society of Ireland discussing the only battle of the Wars of the Roses to have been fought in Ireland, in which the Lancastrians were represented by the attainted earl of Ormond backed by English forces, and the Yorkists by the Earl of Desmond. Butler describes the background to the battle, what is known of the engagement, and its political aftermath.

## **BATTLE OF HEXHAM, 14<sup>TH</sup> MAY 1464**

### **The Battle of Hexham 1464**

CHARLESWORTH Dorothy

Description: From *Archaeologia Aeliana*, 4th Series, Vol. 30

Date of publication: 1952

Synopsis: The course of the battle, and the events leading up to it.

### **The Queen and the Robber: a Hexham Story**

CORFE Tom

Description: From *Hexham Historian*, No. 8

Date of publication: July 1998

Synopsis: A study of this story in the context of what is known of the Battle of Hexham.

[LIBRARY NOTE: Filed under Biographical: Queen Margaret]

## **LINCOLNSHIRE REBELLION & EMPINGHAM/ LOSECOAT FIELD, FEBRUARY-MARCH 1470**

### **An Unnoticed Battle**

BARTON M.

Description: From *Rutland Magazine*, Vol. 1

Date of publication: 1904

Synopsis: Full account of the Battle of Empingham

### **The Lincolnshire Rebellion of March 1470**

HOLLAND P.

Description: From *EHR*, Vol. 103, No. 409

Date of publication: October 1988

Synopsis: Detailed account, using the *Chronicle* (written by a Yorkist) and other contemporary sources.

### **The Battle of Losecoat Field March 1470**

KNAPP    Juanita. L.  
Description: From *Squire Magazine*, Vol. 1, No. 8  
Date of publication: 1980  
Synopsis: Brief account of the battle.

### **Chronicle of the Rebellion in Lincolnshire 1470**

NICHOLS    John Gough (ed.)  
Description: From *Camden Miscellany*, Vol. 1  
Date of publication: 1847  
Synopsis: Transcript of the *Chronicle* (written by a Yorkist), with introduction and notes.

### **Rutland - Battle of Losecoat Field**

SIMPSON    Justin  
Description: From *Leicestershire and Rutland Notes and Queries*, Vol. 1  
Date of publication: 1889-91  
Synopsis: Brief account of the engagement.

### **Lincolnshire Rebels Threw away their Coats - and Lost the Battle at Empingham**

SMITHIES    Alan  
Description: From *Grantham Journal*  
Date of publication: 12<sup>th</sup> March, 1970  
Synopsis: Brief account of the battle.

### **Rebels Threw away their Coats and Lost a Battle**

SMITHIES    Alan  
Description: From *Stamford Mercury*  
Date of publication: 20<sup>th</sup> March, 1970  
Synopsis: Brief account of the Lincolnshire Rebellion and the Battle of Empingham.

## **BATTLE OF NIBLEY GREEN, 20<sup>TH</sup> MARCH 1470**

### **On the Great Berkeley Lawsuit of the 15<sup>th</sup> and 16<sup>th</sup> Centuries: A Chapter of Gloucestershire History**

COOKE    James Herbert  
Description: From *Transactions of the Bristol and Gloucester Archaeological Society*, Vol. 3  
Date of publication: 1878-9  
Synopsis: A history of the property dispute between the Berkeleys and the Talbots, of which the Battle of Nibley Green was the most violent expression.  
[Library note: Filed under Biographical: Berkeley]

## **YORKSHIRE RISING, JULY 1470**

### **Lord Fitzhugh's Rising in 1470**

POLLARD A. J.

Description: From *BIHR*, Vol. 52, No. 126

Date of publication: 1979

Synopsis: Argues that the rising was potentially more dangerous than is usually thought because those involved were Warwick's northern affinity.

## **WAR BETWEEN ENGLAND AND BURGUNDY, FEBRUARY 1471**

### **The Wars of the Roses: A New Footnote**

DAVIS G. R. C.

Description: From *British Museum Quarterly*, Vol. 20

Date of publication: 1955-6

Synopsis: On a letter from Warwick to Louis XI promising England's support against the Duke of Burgundy.

### **The Outbreak of War between England and Burgundy in February 1471**

MYERS A. R.

Description: From *BIHR*, Vol. 33, Issue 87

Date of publication: May 1960

Synopsis: On a letter from Warwick to Louis XI promising England's support against the Duke of Burgundy.

## **BATTLE OF BARNET, 14<sup>TH</sup> APRIL 1471**

### **The Newsletter of Gerhard von Wesel, 17 April 1471**

ADAIR John

Description: From the *Journal of the Society for Army Historical Research*

Date of publication: 1968

Synopsis: A Hanseatic merchant's account of Edward's campaign to regain the crown, up to the Battle of Barnet.

### **Chroniclers of the Battle of Barnet**

BERNARD Philippa

GREEN Brigid Grafton

Description: *Hendon and District Arch. Society Occasional Paper No 1*

Date of publication: 1971

Synopsis: Description of various chronicles and other original sources of information on the battle.

**The Battle of Barnet April 14th 1471**

BURNE

A. H.

Description: Chapter 9 of Burne's *The Battlefields of England*

Date of publication: 1950

Synopsis: Account of the battle.

**The Battle of Barnet**

CASS

Frederick Charles

Description: From *Transactions of the London and Middlesex Archaeological Society*, Vol. 6

Date of publication: 1882

Synopsis: Account of the battle by the rector of Monken Hadley.

**Battle on Easter Day**

COLLIER

Hubert

Description: From *Lloyds Log*

Date of publication: March-April 1971

Synopsis: Account of the battle based on an examination of the battlefield.

**Barnet**

HAMMOND

Peter

Description: Single sheet

Date of publication: N/A

Synopsis: Two battle plans, for the early and late stages of the Battle of Barnet.

**Battle of Barnet Quincentenary 1971: Commemorative Brochure**

HICKS

David (ed.)

Description: Booklet

Date of publication: 1971

Synopsis: Series of short articles on warfare in the late Middle Ages, the Yorkist and Lancastrian claims to the throne, and the battle itself.

**The Battle of Barnet**

HUTCHISON

Sheila

Description: From *The Lady*

Date of publication: April 1971

Synopsis: Short account of the battle.

**The Battle of Barnet 1471**

McGILL

Patrick

Description: Freezywater Publications booklet.

Date of publication: 1996

Synopsis: A detailed discussion of the battle. 40 pages.



**Edward IV's *Memoir on Paper* to Charles, Duke of Burgundy: The So-called 'Short Version of the *Arrivall*'**

VISSER-FUCHS                      Livia

Description: Booklet

Date of publication: 1992

Synopsis: Reprint of article from *Nottingham Medieval Studies*, Vol. 36, discussing the Short *Arrivall*, which includes a description of the Battle of Barnet.

**Reappraisal of the Battle of Barnet 1471**

WARREN                              B.

Description: Potters Bar and District Historical Society special booklet

Date of publication: 2009

Synopsis: Reappraisal of the site of the battle in the light of primary sources and early local maps. 44 pages.

**BATTLE OF TEWKESBURY, 4<sup>TH</sup> MAY 1471**

**Battle of Tewkesbury: Fate of the Combatants**

ANON

Description: Typescript

Date of publication: N/A

Synopsis: Contemporary lists of those slain, executed, pardoned and knighted.

**The Battle of Tewkesbury**

BAKER                                 Alan

Description: From *British History Illustrated*, Vol. 1, No. 1

Date of publication: February 1975

Synopsis: Well-illustrated account of the battle.

**The Battle of Tewkesbury AD 1471**

BAZELEY                              Rev. Canon

Description: From *Transactions of the Bristol & Gloucestershire Archaeological Soc.*, Vol. 26

Date of publication: 1903

Synopsis: Orthodox account of the battle.

**Account of King Edward the Fourth's Second Invasion of England, in 1471, Drawn up by One of his Followers; with the King's Letter to the Inhabitants of Bruges upon his Success; Translated from a French Manuscript in the Public Library of Ghent**

BEDINGFIELD                      Lady Charlotte Georgiana (transcriber)

JERNINGHAM                         Edward (editor)

Description: From *Archaeologia*, Vol. 21

Date of publication: 1826

Synopsis: English translation (unattributed) of Edward Jerningham's copy of a transcription of the original manuscript made by his sister Lady Bedingfield.

**The Battle of Tewkesbury**

BLYTH J. D.

Description: From *Transactions of the Bristol & Gloucestershire Archaeological Soc.*, Vol. 80

Date of publication: 1961

Synopsis: Misleading account of the battle.

**The Battle of Tewkesbury May 14<sup>th</sup> [sic] 1471**

BURNE A. H.

Description: Chapter 10 of Burne's *The Battlefields of England*

Date of publication: 1950

Synopsis: Account of the battle.

**Battle of Tewkesbury, May 1471**

COLLIER Hubert

Description: From *Lloyds Log*

Date of publication: May 1971

Synopsis: Account based on examination of the battlefield.

**Tewkesbury – May 4<sup>th</sup> 1471**

HAMMOND Peter

Description: Single sheet

Date of publication: N/A

Synopsis: Plan of the battle.

**Battle of Tewkesbury 4<sup>th</sup> May 1471**

HAMMOND P. W.

SHEARRING H. G.

WHEELER G.

Description: Booklet

Date of publication: 1971

Synopsis: Illustrated commemorative booklet for the 500<sup>th</sup> anniversary; covers who fought and why, the course of the battle, its aftermath, and monuments and memorials

**From a Chronicle of Tewkesbury Abbey**

KINGSFORD C. L. (ed.)

Description: Chapter 14 of Kingsford's *English Historical Literature in the Fifteenth Century*

Date of publication: 1913

Synopsis: Transcript of a brief contemporary account of the battle. Describes the violation of the abbey and gives a list of those slain. Partly in Latin, but an English translation of the Latin portion is available.

**The Battle of Tewkesbury: May 4th 1471**

LINELL B.

Description: Booklet

Date of publication: 1971

Synopsis: A misleading account of the battle written for the 500<sup>th</sup> anniversary.

**Descriptive Particulars of the Battle of Tewkesbury and of All Known Local Scenes and Memorials of the Battle**

NORTH William

Description: Booklet

Date of publication: Undated but probably late 19th century

Synopsis: An account of the battle, with local information on places said to be associated with it.

**A May Day in Tewkesbury When a Crown Was Lost and Won**

PEARSON Dorothy Kendall

Description: From *Cotswold Life*

Date of publication: June 1974

Synopsis: Retells the story of the bloody battle of Tewkesbury and tries to sift the facts from the legends that have grown up around it.

**The Burials of Lancastrian Notables in Tewkesbury Abbey after the Battle, A.D. 1471**

RUSHFORTH G. McN.

Description: From *Transactions of the Bristol & Gloucestershire Archaeological Soc.*, Vol. 47

Date of publication: 1925

Synopsis: Identifies the nobles killed, and the sites of their graves in the Abbey.

**Edward IV's *Memoir on Paper* to Charles, Duke of Burgundy: The so-called 'Short Version of the *Arrivall*'**

VISSER-FUCHS Livia

Description: Booklet

Date of publication: 1992

Synopsis: Reprint of article from *Nottingham Medieval Studies*, Vol. 36, discussing the Short *Arrivall*, which includes a description of the Battle of Tewkesbury.

**Museum Diorama**

WHEELER Geoffrey

Description: From *Airfix Magazine*, Vol. 13, No. 8

Date of publication: April 1972

Synopsis: Description of the construction of the scale model of the battle made from converted Airfix figures on display in the museum at Tewkesbury.

**Battle of Tewkesbury 1471: A Roll of Arms**

WHEELER Geoffrey

Description: Booklet

Date of publication: 1971

Synopsis: Brief biographies and coats of arms those known to have been present at the battle.

### **The Battle of Tewkesbury 1471**

WHEELER Geoffrey

McGILL Patrick

Description: Freezywater Publications booklet

Date of publication: 1995

Synopsis: An account of the battle by Patrick McGill followed by Geoffrey Wheeler's *A Roll of Arms* (see above).

### **KENTISH RISING, MAY 1471**

#### **Fauconberg's Kentish Rising of May 1471**

RICHMOND C. F.

Description: From *EHR*, Vol. 85

Date of publication: 1970

Synopsis: On the causes and eventual defeat of the uprising.

### **CAMPAIGN IN FRANCE, 1475**

#### **The Hundred Years' War and Edward IV's 1475 Campaign in France**

LANDER J. R.

Description: Chapter 9 of Landers' *Crown and Nobility 1450-1509*

Date of publication: 1976 (but originally published in 1972 in *Tudor Men and Institutions: Studies in English Law and Government*, ed. A.J. Slavin)

Synopsis: Differing attitudes towards fighting in France under Henry V and Edward IV.

### **BUCKINGHAM'S REBELLION, OCTOBER-NOVEMBER 1483**

#### **The Proclamation of Henry Tudor as King of England, 3 November 1483**

ARTHURSON Ian

KINGWELL Nicholas

Description: From *BIHR*, Vol. 63, Issue 150, pp. 100-106

Date of publication: February 1990

Synopsis: Discussion of a document surviving in the Borlase Collection, which consists of a return on investigations into estates forfeited by participants in Buckingham's Rebellion. The paper focuses on the description in this document of the rebels' stand at Bodmin during the month following Buckingham's execution, and their alleged intention to set up another king (*alium regem*) in place of Richard III.

### **The Maidstone Sector of Buckingham's Rebellion, Oct. 18, 1483**

CONWAY Agnes Ethel

Description: From *Archaeologia Cantiana*, Vol. 37

Date of publication: 1925

Synopsis: Brief account of eastern (Maidstone) section of the rebellion, and biographical details of the rebels.

### **The Death of Edward V and the Rebellion of 1483**

MORGAN Philip

Description: From *BIHR*, Vol. 68

Date of publication: 1995

Synopsis: Discusses the statement in the Anlaby Cartulary that Edward V was murdered on 26<sup>th</sup> June 1483 and his body 'drowned' (*submersum*), and suggests a possible link between this document, the Lewkenor family and Buckingham's refocusing of the rebellion planned to reinstate Edward V.

[LIBRARY NOTE: Filed under Biographical: Edward V]

## **BATTLE OF BOSWORTH, 22<sup>ND</sup> AUGUST 1485**

*Individual items:-*

### **Bosworth Feilde**

ANON

Description: From *Bishop Percy's Folio Manuscript: Ballads and Romances*, Vol. 3, ed. J. W. Hales & F. J. Furnivall

Date of publication: 1868

Synopsis: Near-contemporary metrical account of the Battle of Bosworth, similar to *Ladye Bessye*.

### **Bosworth: What Really Happened?**

ANON

Description: From *Military History Monthly* (previously *Military Times*), pp. 14-17

Date of publication: November 2011

Synopsis: Demonstrates how the recent archaeological finds and greater attention to contemporary sources have overturned the traditional view, as expressed by Charles Oman in the 1920s, that English military strategy during the Wars of the Roses was stuck in the past.

### **Lady Bessiye**

ANON

Description: From *Bishop Percy's Folio Manuscript – Ballads and Romances*, Vol. 3, ed. J. W. Hales & F. J. Furnivall

Date of publication: 1868

Synopsis: Metrical account of the Battle of Bosworth, similar to, but probably slightly later than, *Bosworth Feilde*.

### **The Rose of Englande**

ANON

Description: From *Bishop Percy's Folio Manuscript – Ballads and Romances*, Vol. 3, ed. J. W. Hales & F. J. Furnivall

Date of publication: 1868

Synopsis: An early poem in the Stanley cycle, relating in an allegorical manner how the Earl of Richmond won the crown.

[LIBRARY NOTE. Filed under Source Material]

### **The Bosworth Crucifix**

ASHDOWN-HILL                      John

Description: From *Transactions of the Leicestershire Archaeological & Historical Soc.*, No. 78

Date of publication: 2004

Synopsis: Discusses the provenance of the cross.

### **Bosworth Field: A Poem**

BEAUMONT                              Sir John

Description: From *The Poems of Sir John Beaumont*, ed. Alexander B. Grosart

Date of publication: 1869 edition of work first published in 1629

Synopsis: Verses describing the battle.

Note. A transcription by Mary O'Regan is also available, with archaic *i*, *v* and *u* changed respectively to *j*, *u* and *v* where so pronounced.

[LIBRARY NOTE. Filed under Dramatic and Literary Criticism]

### **Three Prophecies that Came True**

BIRD                                      Vivian

Description: From *Birmingham Sunday Mercury*

Date of publication: c.1960s

Synopsis: Relays three prophecies of doom said to have been given to Richard before the battle and walks from Sutton Wharf to Dickon's Well. Her view of history is firmly traditionalist.

Note. The reference to the Society as The Fellowship of the White Boar cannot be used to date the piece, as the author appears to have merely taken the name from the plaque on Dickon's Well.

### **The Last Battle of the Roses: A Paper on the Battle of Bosworth Field**

BURGESS                              J. Tom

Description: Photocopy of booklet

Date of publication: 1872

Synopsis: Outdated description of the battle based on talks given to local archaeological and historical societies in 1870 and 1872.

**The Battle of Bosworth, August 22nd, 1485**

BURNE

A. H.

Description: Chapter 11 of Burne's *The Battlefields of England*

Date of publication: 1950

Synopsis: Outdated account of the battle.

**The Landing Place of Henry of Richmond 1485**

CHRIMES

S. B.

Description: From *Welsh History Review*, Vol. 2, No. 2

Date of publication: 1964

Synopsis: Suggests Henry's landing place can be identified as Mill Bay, near Dale at the entrance to Milford Haven.

**When Treason Crowned a Tudor**

CLEUGH

James

Description: From *Everybody's Weekly*

Date of publication: 8<sup>th</sup> August, 1953

Synopsis: Somewhat over-imaginative account of the battle.

DE VALERA, Diego: See PENNA

**English Heritage Battlefield Report: Bosworth 1485**

ENGLISH HERITAGE

Description: Typescript

Date of publication: 1995

Synopsis: Summarises knowledge of the battle at the time of writing.

**Talking Points: The Battle of Bosworth Field: A Welsh Victory?**

EVANS

Robin

Description: From *History Review*, Issue 44, Part 4

Date of publication: December 2002.

Synopsis: Modifies the traditional perception of Bosworth as a victory for Wales.

**The Battle of Bosworth Field**

FEATHERSTONE

Bill

Description: Handout published by the Friends of the National Army Museum

Date of publication: 2001

Synopsis: Summary of what was known about the battle at the time of writing.

**Finding Bosworth . . .**

FOARD

Glenn

Description: From *Battlefield*, Vol. 14, Issue 4

Date of publication: Winter 2009-10

Synopsis: Describes his team's discovery of medieval cannon shot between Dadlington and Fenny Drayton.

### **The Battle of Bosworth – Where Was It Fought? A Preliminary Report**

FOSS Peter J.

Description: Typescript

Date of publication: August 1985

Synopsis: Peter Foss's first brief paper questioning the traditional site of the battle, in which he suggests a site between Ambien Hill and Dadlington.

### **The Battle of Bosworth: Towards a Reassessment**

FOSS Peter J.

Description: From *Midland History*, Vol. 13

Date of publication: 1988

Synopsis: Uses documentary and topographical evidence to suggest moving the battle site still further from Ambien Hill, to Dadlington itself.

### **The Battle of Bosworth**

GAIRDNER James

Description: From *Archaeologia*, Vol. 55

Date of publication: 1896

Synopsis: Detailed but outdated account of the battle.

### **The Battle of Bosworth**

GAIRDNER James

HAMMOND P. W.

Description: Richard III Society booklet

Date of publication: 1975

Synopsis: Comprises Gairdner's 1896 paper (see above), *The Ballad of Bosworth Field*, and the relevant passages from Croyland and Vergil, together with an introduction by Peter Hammond pointing out where subsequent work (i.e. to 1975) had shown Gairdner's paper to be in need of "a few corrections or alterations of emphasis."

### **A Castilian Report on English Affairs, 1486**

GOODMAN Anthony

MACKAY Angus

Description: From *EHR*, Vol. 88

Date of publication: January 1973

Synopsis: Discussion of de Valera's letter describing events in England from August 1485 to January 1486.

Note. For the actual text of the letter, see below under PENNA.

### **Traitors on the Touchlines**

HANCOCK C. V.

Description: From *The Birmingham Post*

Date of publication: Undated but prior to the opening of the Battlefield Centre

Synopsis: Brief account of the battle and the Ambien Hill site.

Note. The reference to the Society as The Fellowship of the White Boar cannot be used to date the piece, as the author appears to have merely taken the name from the plaque on Dickon's Well.



### **Bosworth 1485: Did French Pikemen Kill Richard III?**

HARLEY Alan

HINSLEY Mark

Description: From *Skirmish: Living History*, Issue 89, pp. 42-46

Date of publication: May-June 2011

Synopsis: Brief article by two members of the Beaufort Company of re-enactors, illustrated with colour photographs of a battle re-enactment. The authors present the evidence for the presence, and crucial role, of a substantial contingent of French forces in Henry Tudor's army, and discuss what is known about their training and fighting methods.

### **Treachery: What Really Brought Down Richard III**

HIPSHON David

Description: From *BBC History Magazine*

Date of publication: March 2009

Synopsis: Suggests that Richard may have lost Bosworth not because he was unpopular but because the Stanleys saw him as a block to their local ambitions.

### **The Every-day Book – August 22**

HONE William

Description: From *The Every-day Book*, Vol. 2

Date of publication: 1827

Synopsis: On the Battle of Bosworth and the erection of the cairn over Dickon's Well.

### **The Battle of Bosworth Field**

HUDSON Raymond

Description: From *The Lady*

Date of publication: 27<sup>th</sup> July, 1978

Synopsis: Short description of the battle and battlefield.

Note. The last part of the article is missing.

### **Sketchbook: Such a Bright and Cheerful Sight in the Spring Sunshine**

HUGHES Olwen

Description: From *Leicester Mercury*

Date of publication: 1<sup>st</sup> May, 2009

Synopsis: Description of walk from Sutton Cheney to the chapel and the Dog and Hedgehog inn in Dadlington, illustrated with a sketch of the latter.

### **Bosworth and the Tudors**

JONES Dafydd Glyn

JONES Ellis

O'REGAN Stephen (translator)

Description: Typed translations of extracts from the Jones' *Bosworth a'r Tuduriaid*

Date of publication: 1985

Synopsis: Extracts dealing with the battle itself and the events leading up to it as seen from a Welsh perspective.

### **Bosworth Field: An Episode of Welsh History**

JONES

W. Garmon

Description: From *Transactions of Liverpool Welsh National Society*

Date of publication: 1910-12

Synopsis: Discusses Welsh attitudes to Richard III and Henry Tudor.

### **Wales and Bosworth Field – Selective Historiography?**

JONES

Emyr Wynn

Description: From *National Library of Wales Journal*, Vol. 21, No. 1

Date of publication: Summer 1979

Subjects covered: Battle of Bosworth; discussion; literature; Wales; Welshmen

Synopsis: Discusses the way in which the literature on Bosworth ignores of the role of Wales and Welshmen.

### **The Battle of Bosworth Field**

REES

Captain D. C. Kibble

Description: From *The Trumpeter* (journal of the Junior Leaders Regiment of the Royal Artillery), Vol. 40

Date of publication: Winter 1971

Synopsis: Short account of the battle, from a military viewpoint.

### **Reconstructing Richard III: Discovering the Man behind the Myth**

KING

Turi

Description: From *Current Archaeology*, Issue 277

Date of publication: April 2013

Synopsis: Article by Turi King, lecturer in Genetics and Archaeology at the University of Leicester and one of the team assigned to studying the Greyfriars remains. She describes the process of identifying the bones, and what they tell us about the manner of Richard's death at Bosworth. Several colour illustrations.

[LIBRARY NOTE: Filed under Biography: Richard III: Leicester, Tomb, Remains, etc.]

### **Battlefield of Bosworth**

LEICESTERSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

Description: Official booklet

Date of publication: 1974

Synopsis: Visitor's guide to the Ambien Hill site produced for the opening of the Visitors' Centre.

### **Places to Know – 10: Bosworth Field**

MADDOX

Inspector K. W.

Description: From *Tally Ho* (magazine of the Leicestershire and Rutland Constabulary)

Date of publication: Autumn 1966

Synopsis: Illustrated account of the battle, not wholly accurate even in the context of its time.

### **The Road to Bosworth Field**

MAKINSON Albert

Description: From *History Today*

Date of publication: April 1963

Synopsis: Outdated account of the battle and what led up to it.

### **Places of Interest: Bosworth Battlefield Visitors' Centre**

MARTIN Rob

Description: From *Medieval History*, Vol. 6, Issue 1

Date of publication: 2003

Synopsis: Brief overview of the battle and its historical significance, followed by a description of the Visitors' Centre.

### **A Spanish Account of the Battle of Bosworth**

NOKES Elizabeth M.

WHEELER Geoffrey

Description: From *The Ricardian*, No. 36

Date of publication: March 1972

Synopsis: Discussion of the letter describing the battle written by Diego de Valera to King Ferdinand and Queen Isabella (see item below); the article is based on, and includes a full reprint of, the English translation published in the *Bulletin of Spanish Studies*, IV, 1927, pp. 34-37.

### **A Church for Bosworth Field: St. James Dadlington and the Battlefield Chantry**

PARRY Tim

Description: Booklet

Date of publication: 1987

Synopsis: On the history of the chantry and the light it sheds on the siting of the battle.

### **The Route to Bosworth**

PEARSON Laurie

Description: From *Esprit de Corps* (historical war games magazine), No. 5

Date of publication: 1987

Synopsis: Discussion of the events influencing the final location of the battle, and whether this was a Welsh invasion of England.

### **Letter by Diego de Valera to Ferdinand and Isabella of Spain, dated 1 March 1486**

PENNA D. Mario (ed.)

Description: From *Biblioteca de Autores Españoles*, Vol. 1: *Prosistas Castellanos del Siglo XV*

Date of publication: 1959

Synopsis: Ferdinand and Isabella's official historian, Diego de Valera, writes from the port of Santa María with details about Tudor's victory that he has received from merchants newly arrived from England. The letter contains many inaccuracies and considerable confusion of personnel, but the basic scheme of events agrees very closely with other sources; also it contains several intriguing unique details and is by far the earliest known account of the battle. The letter is in Spanish, but a translation by Marie Barnfield (with footnotes) is attached.

## **22 August 1485: The Battle of Bosworth**

PUBLIC RECORD OFFICE

Description: Typescript

Date of publication: 1985

Synopsis: The record of an exhibition to mark the quincentenary of the battle. Lists documents in the PRO (now TNA) relevant to Bosworth and its aftermath, with summaries of their contents and their call numbers.

## **Materia non Medica: White Roses for Me**

RICHARDSON J. G. R

Description: From *The British Medical Journal*, Vol. 291, p. 1714

Date of publication: 14<sup>th</sup> December, 1985

Synopsis: Bosworth quincentenary memorial piece.

## **The Battle of Bosworth**

RICHMOND Colin

Description: From *History Today*, Vol. 35

Date of publication: August 1985

Synopsis: A new analysis of the course of the battle, and the earliest published suggestion that it was fought in the parish of Dadlington (Peter Foss's initial paper on the subject, published in the same month, merely suggested a site between Dadlington and Ambien Hill). Includes follow-up correspondence from the October 1985 issue.

## **1485 and All That, or What Was Going on at the Battle of Bosworth**

RICHMOND Colin

Description: Chapter from *Richard III: Loyalty, Lordship and Law*, ed. P.W. Hammond

Date of publication: 1986

Synopsis: Suggests that one of the causes of the Battle of Bosworth was the lack of foreign wars since 1453 and gives an analysis of who fought on both sides in the battle.

## **Bosworth: The Dawn of the Tudors**

SKIDMORE Chris

Description: From *BBC History Magazine*, Vol. 14, No. 6

Date of publication: July 2013

Synopsis: An article advertising Skidmore's forthcoming biography of Henry VII. "Charts the origins of the Tudor dynasty" from the family's disastrous support of Owain Glyndwr in 1400 through to the end of Henry Tudor's exile.

[LIBRARY NOTE: Filed under Biographical: Henry VII]

## **Beware of Pretenders at Bosworth**

TAYLOR Paul

Description: From *Medieval History Magazine*, Issue 12

Date of publication: August 2004

Synopsis: Short article on the battle by a Leicestershire cartoonist.

**Homeless Bones**

TAYLOR Paul

Description: From *Forrean Times*, No. 273, pp. 58-9

Date of publication: April 2011

Synopsis: Short article by Leicestershire cartoonist on Richard's death and the fate of his body.

**The Battle of Sandeford: Henry Tudor's Understanding of the Meaning of Bosworth Field**

THORNTON Tim

Description: From *BIHR*, Vol. 78, No. 201, pp. 436-442

Date of publication: August 2005

Synopsis: 'Sandeford', a name given to the Battle of Bosworth in an early proclamation but not found in any extant local records, is identified by the author as that of the Last Battle as prophesied by the 13th-14<sup>th</sup> century Scottish visionary Thomas the Rhymer of Ercildoun.**Battlefield of Bosworth: Where It Is and What There Is to See**

TURNER Edward

Description: Leicestershire County Council official booklet

Date of publication: 1976

Synopsis: Guide to the battlefield.

VALERA, Diego de: see PENNA

**The Battle of Bosworth 1485**

WATSON John

Description: Freezywater Publications booklet

Date of publication: 1998

Synopsis: An account of the political background to the Tudor invasion, and of the battle itself. Includes colour illustrations of the standards and banners of the leaders and a list of participants.

**The Battle of Bosworth**

WILLIAMS D. T.

Description: Booklet

Date of publication: 1973

Synopsis: Detailed but occasionally misleading account – see review in *The Ricardian*, No. 43, December 1973.**Henry of Richmond's Itinerary to Bosworth**

WILLIAMS W. Tom

Description: From *Y Cymmrodor* (magazine of the Honourable Soc. of Cymmrodorion), Vol. 29

Date of publication: 1919

Synopsis: Henry's route from Milford Haven to Bosworth, day by day.

*Collections:-*

### **Battlesite Controversy**

Description: Assorted cuttings

Dates of publication: 1994-2008

Synopsis: Newspaper articles plus debate from letters section of *Ricardian Bulletin* dealing with the controversy over where the Battle of Bosworth was fought.

### **Quincentenary Celebrations**

Description: Assorted cuttings & leaflets

Date of publication: 1985

Synopsis: Newspaper and magazine articles, programmes, etc., relating to the Bosworth quincentenary celebrations.

## **HUMPHREY STAFFORD REBELLION, 1486**

### **The Rebellion of Humphrey Stafford in 1486**

WILLIAMS C. H.

Description: From *EHR*, Vol. 43

Date of publication: 1928

Subjects covered: Yorkist rebellion; Francis Lovell; Humphrey Stafford

Synopsis: On the unsuccessful Yorkist rising by Francis Lovell and the Staffords.

## **BATTLE OF STOKE, 16<sup>TH</sup> JUNE 1487**

### **Stoke Field's Last Stand**

BAINBRIDGE Norman

Description: From *History Today*, Vol. 37

Date of publication: June 1987

Synopsis: Brief account of the battle and the forthcoming quincentenary events and publications.

### **A Strange Accident of State: Henry VII and the Lambert Simnel Conspiracy**

BEESTON David

Description: Booklet

Date of publication: 1987

Synopsis: 60-page account of the Lambert Simnel rebellion largely based on Vergil.

### **The Battle of East Stoke**

BISHOP M. W.

Description: Booklet

Date of publication: 1987

Synopsis: Concise account of the campaign and the battle based on contemporary sources.

**The Field of the Battle of Stoke**

BROOKE Richard

Description: Chapter 9 of Brooke's *Visits to Fields of Battle, in England, of the Fifteenth Century*

Date of publication: 1857

Synopsis: An account based on his personal examination of the battlefield in the 1850s.

**The Battle of Stoke Field, 16 June 1487**

BURNE A. H.

Description: Chapter 14 of Burne's *More Battlefields of England*

Date of publication: 1952

Synopsis: Fairly detailed account of the battle.

**Original Documents relating to Lambert Symnell's Rebellion in the Second Year of King Henry VII, selected from the Municipal Archives of the City of York**

DAVIES Robert

Description: From *Memoirs illustrative of the History and Antiquities of the County and City of York*, ed. Archaeological Institute of Great Britain & Ireland

Date of publication: 1847

Synopsis: Transcripts of documents relating to the Lambert Simnel Rebellion.

**The Battle of Stoke Field 1487**

NOTTINGHAMSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

Description: Leaflet/ poster

Date of publication: 1987

Synopsis: Unfolds to show a poster on one side and a brief account of the battle and guide to the battlefield on the other.

**The Battle of Stoke Field 1487**

ROBERTS David E.

Description: Booklet

Date of publication: 1987

Synopsis: Detailed account of the events leading up to the battle and the battle itself; well illustrated with photographs and maps.

**The Battle of Stoke-Field, or Burham Fight, between King Henry the VII and John de la Pole, Earl of Lincoln**

SHILTON R. P.

Description: Booklet, 82 pages

Date of publication: 1828

Synopsis: Account by local antiquary, with quotations from early chronicles.

## **YORKSHIRE REBELLION, 1489**

### **The Yorkshire Rebellion of 1489 Reconsidered**

HICKS M. A.

Description: From *Northern History*, Vol. 22

Date of publication: 1986

Synopsis: Studies the causes and course of the rebellion, during which the Earl of Northumberland was slain.

### **The Murder at Cocklodge 28th April 1489**

JAMES M. E.

Description: From *Durham University Journal*, Vol. 57

Date of publication: 1964-5

Synopsis: Asks whether this was a tax revolt with Yorkist overtones or a plot encouraged by Henry VII to rid himself of an overmighty subject.

## **CORNISH REBELLION & SIEGE OF EXETER, 1497**

### **Letter from Henry VII to Edward Courtenay, Earl of Devon, Concerning Perkin Warbeck**

ANON

Description: Facsimile of letter plus explanatory sheet

Date of publication/ presentation: Shortly after 1972?

Synopsis: The King's letter commands Courtenay to make his musters at Oakhampton. Dated "*at oure Manoir of Wodestok the xvj day of Septembre at viij of the klok in the night*". The explanatory notes point out that this important letter was unpublished and overlooked.

[LIBRARY NOTE: Filed under Biographical: Perkin Warbeck]

### **The Cornish Rising of 1497**

PUBLIC RECORD OFFICE

Description: Exhibition catalogue

Date of publication: 1997

Synopsis: Guide to quincentenary exhibition held at the PRO (now TNA) in 1997.