



**The Collector's
Handbook of
British Miniature Medals**

**Volume I
Orders of Chivalry,
Decorations
&
Campaign Medals**



D-8. Member of the Royal Red Cross

Victoria George V George VI GVIR (2nd)
 Edward VII George VI GRI (1st) Elizabeth II

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D-9. Associate of the Royal Red Cross

Victoria George V George VI GVIR (2nd)
 Edward VII George VI GRI (1st) Elizabeth II

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D-10. Indian Order of Merit
 Many variations

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D-11. a The Conspicuous Service Cross
D-11. b The Distinguished Service Cross

Edward VII* George VI GRI Elizabeth II
 George V George VI GVIR

* The Edward VII issue of this medal was known as the **Conspicuous Service Cross** (see first picture above – D-11a).

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D-12. The Military Cross

George V 1914-20 George VI GRI Elizabeth II
 George V 1921-36 George VI GVIR

One bar Two bars Three bars

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D-13. The Distinguished Flying Cross

George V 1918-20 George VI GRI Elizabeth II
 George V 1920-36 George VI GVIR

One additional award bar Two additional award bars

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O-19. The Order of Merit

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Edward VII	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	George VI	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
George V	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Elizabeth II	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

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O-20. The Order of the Companions of Honour

George V George VI Elizabeth II

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O-21. The Knight Bachelor Badge

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O-22. The Order of St John
 Enamelled – Commander and Officer
 Silver – Officer and Serving Brother or Sister

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O-23/24. The Badge of a Serving Brother or Sister

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2 nd . Type	<input type="checkbox"/>	6 th . Type	<input type="checkbox"/>
3 rd . Type	<input type="checkbox"/>	7 th . Type	<input type="checkbox"/>
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C-27. The Turkish Crimea Medal, 1855

- Crimea (British issue)
- La Crimée (French issue)
- La Crimea (Sardinian issue)

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C-28. The Indian Mutiny Medal, 1857-59

5 clasps, plus various multi-clasp combinations.

No clasp

- Delhi Relief of Lucknow Central India
- Defence of Lucknow Lucknow

Multi-clasp combinations

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C-29. The Second China War Medal, 1856-60 1st type ribbon example
6 clasps, plus various multi-clasp combinations. No clasp

- China 1842 Canton 1857 Taku Forts 1860
- Fatshan 1857 Taku Forts 1858 Pekin 1860

Multi-clasp combinations

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C-30. The New Zealand Medal, 1845-47 & 1860-66 Undated reverse
And the Colonial Government issue 1870

Dated reverses.

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C-99. The Operational Service Medal, 2000-2003 No clasp
6 clasps, on four different ribbon designs to denote area of operations.

Ribbon types

- Ribbon - Sierra Leone Ribbon - Afghanistan
- Ribbon - Congo (DROC) Ribbon - Iraq & Syria

- Afghanistan (type 1) Operation Pitting
- Afghanistan (type 2) D. R. O. C.
- Afghanistan (type 3) Silver rosette emblem

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C-100. The Accumulated Campaign Service Medal, 1969-94

- Silver rosette Gilt rosette

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C-101. The Accumulated Campaign Service Medal, 2011
Silver rosette Gilt rosette

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C-102. The General Service Medal, 2008 No clasp
7 clasps plus various multi-clasp combinations.

- Southern Asia Western Africa Global Operations
- Arabian Peninsular Eastern Africa
- Northern Africa Gulf of Aden

Multi-clasp combinations

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