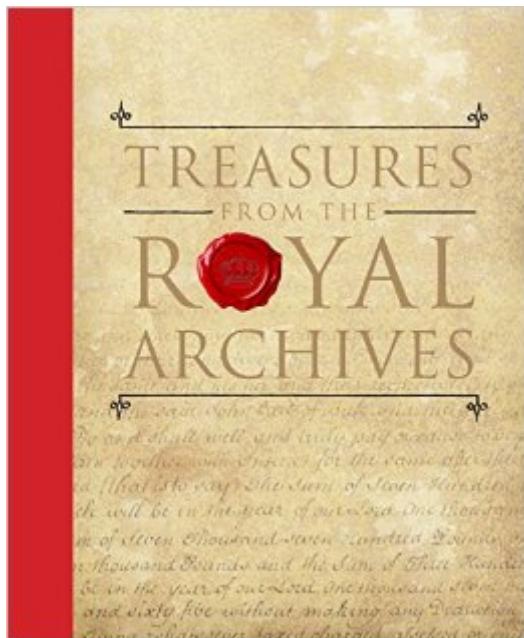


The book was found

# Treasures From The Royal Archives



## Synopsis

Since 1914, the Round Tower at Windsor Castle has been home to the Royal Archives, an extraordinary collection of documents dating back to the thirteenth century. To commemorate the hundredth anniversary of the founding of a permanent home for the Royal Archives in the Tower, highlights from this fascinating and historically significant collection are being published here for the first time. The treasures photographed and described for this lavish volume range from state records to letters, diaries, and domestic jottings. Among them are the account books of Elizabeth I, the deeds to Sandringham House, a list of Jacobite prisoners taken at the Battle of Culloden in 1745, and a terrifyingly vivid firsthand description of the Battle of Rorke's Drift. But the book also includes a great many personal documents, including excerpts from the diary of Queen Victoria, as well as letters from Bonnie Prince Charlie; from Prime Minister Benjamin Disraeli and his chief political rival, William Ewart Gladstone; and from President Lincoln, who commiserates with Queen Victoria in 1861 on the death of Prince Albert. For those with an interest in British history or the broader history of Britain in the world, *Treasures from The Royal Archives* will be a true pleasure to peruse.

## Book Information

Hardcover: 256 pages

Publisher: Royal Collection Trust (July 15, 2014)

Language: English

ISBN-10: 1909741043

ISBN-13: 978-1909741041

Product Dimensions: 8.2 x 1.2 x 10 inches

Shipping Weight: 2.9 pounds (View shipping rates and policies)

Average Customer Review: 4.0 out of 5 stars See all reviews (1 customer review)

Best Sellers Rank: #692,848 in Books (See Top 100 in Books) #37 in Books > Politics & Social Sciences > Social Sciences > Library & Information Science > Academic Libraries #555 in Books > Politics & Social Sciences > Social Sciences > Library & Information Science > General #1608 in Books > Arts & Photography > Collections, Catalogs & Exhibitions

## Customer Reviews

I liked the book. I was surprised how talented the royals were in drawing and sketching. However, I was disappointed that it did not have much prior to the reign of Victoria. I was hoping that there would have been more examples of the past royals' consort needlework such as embroidery and

crewel work, since that is how many of them passed their time. Plus, I would have liked to have seen more of their formal and everyday clothing. Of course prior to Victoria, I don't think people thought of preserving such items. Over all, I did enjoy the book, it was very insightful.

[Download to continue reading...](#)

Treasures from The Royal Archives Processing the Past: Contesting Authority in History and the Archives (Oxford Series on History and Archives) Collector's Guide to Royal Copley Book II: Plus Royal Windsor & Spaulding, Identification and Values Collecting Royal Copley plus Royal Windsor & Spaulding. Identification and Value Guide The Royal Touch: Simply Stunning Home Cooking from a Royal Chef Annals of the Royal Vancouver Yacht Club 1903-1965: History of the Club's founding; granting of the Royal Charter; prominent early yachtsmen; racing ... and Gulf of Georgia, British Columbia, Canada A Royal Christmas Wedding (Royal Wedding Series) Creating a 3D Animated CGI Short: The Making of the Autiton Archives Fault Effect - Pilot Webisode Portrait of Route 66: Images from the Curt Teich Postcard Archives Picture Show: Classic Movie Posters from the TCM Archives Pest Management in Museums, Archives and... Rock Island Railroad: Travel on the Rockets (Photo Archives) Keepers of the Record: The History of the Hudson's Bay Company Archives Hidden Water: From the Frank Stanford Archives The Borders of Dominicanidad: Race, Nation, and Archives of Contradiction The Life of Captain Cipriani: An Account of British Government in the West Indies, with the pamphlet The Case for West-Indian Self Government (The C. L. R. James Archives) Paper Cadavers: The Archives of Dictatorship in Guatemala (American Encounters/Global Interactions) The James Bond Archives: SPECTRE Edition The James Bond Archives- (No film strip will be included) The Archers Archives: 60 Years of Life, Love and Stories from Ambridge

[Dmca](#)