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The Argyll and  
Sutherland  
Highlanders  
REGIMENTAL MUSEUM



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Dear Argyll Supporter

**Auction of surplus items from The Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders Regimental Museum, WOs' & Sgts' Mess and Company Property**

**Date:** 26 October 2018 at 1830 hrs  
**Viewing:** 24 and 25 October 1230-1545 hrs and 26 October 1715-1820 hrs  
**Location:** Stirling Castle

As you know, The Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders' Museum is in the middle of a major redevelopment. With Historic Environment Scotland we have developed an exciting Partnership Agreement that will ensure that our Museum can remain in Stirling Castle in perpetuity. Fundamental to this agreement is for the Museum to be redeveloped to modern standards.

This redevelopment has given us the opportunity to review our collection, some of which has been in storage, and consists of multiple examples of the same items. We have already been able to offer items to other Museums, as the regulations require, to enhance their collections. However, we still have a surplus of some items, which are of no interest to the collection or are duplicates, which we now offer for auction. In addition, there are also residual items from the Warrant Officers' and Sergeants' Mess and the Companies of 1st Battalion The Argyll and Sutherland that will also be included. Where possible, individuals have been given the chance to reclaim items which they donated.

Any surplus raised from the sale of these items will be restricted to the long-term sustainability, use and development of The Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders Regimental Museum collection.

A catalogue of the items being offered can be found on the Museum website at [www.argylls.co.uk](http://www.argylls.co.uk), together with details of how to register, how to place a bid if you are unable to attend the event, and other useful information. Please note, we reserve the right to amend the catalogue. Any amendments will be made by 24 October. If you are interested in a specific item, please check the catalogue on the website on 24 October.

Please make the most of this opportunity to own a piece of Argyll history!

Thank you.

Brigadier Bruce Russell



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