

Napoleon's Egyptian Campaigns 1798-1801
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French dragoon, general, grenadier
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French hussar, dragoon, chasseur
French drummer, officer, fusilier
British general, light company, Corsican Ranger
British light dragoon, officer, drummer
British infantry (2 figures)
Hompeshø mounted rifleman
British artilleryman, highlander, de Wattevilleø Swiss

Comments:

A good campaign guide. There is a lot of information on uniforms but equipment and tactics are covered as well. There is a good account of the campaign. There is a definite bias towards the British phase of the campaign. While the French and British armies get about equal coverage, there is only one page on the Mamelukes and Turks and no colour plates of them either, which is a great missed opportunity.

--Paul Le Long

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