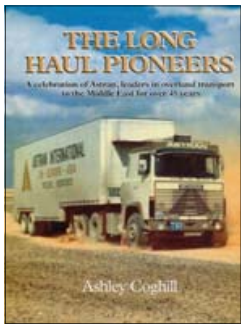
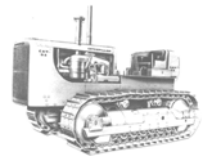


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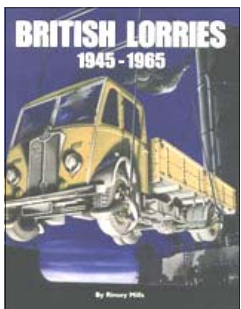
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Ashley Coghill's celebration of Astran and its drivers covers all these points. He interviewed many of the people involved, not least Bob Paul, one of the company's founder members. There are mini-biogs of Astran's drivers and sub-contractors accompanied by a wealth of photographs.

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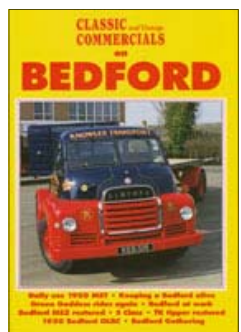


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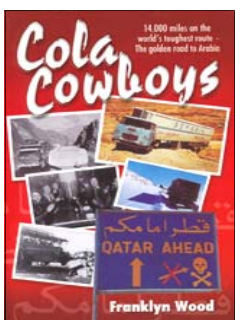
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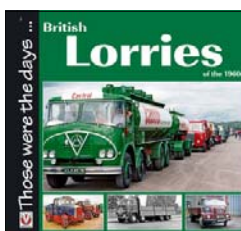
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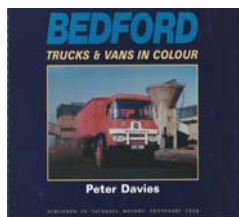
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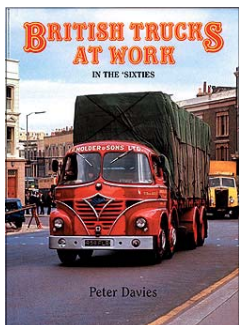
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In this book he has focused on the companies and lorries of the earlier part of the 1960s, capturing a world that was going to be swept away by the continental invasion.

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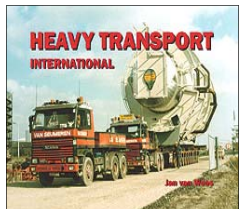
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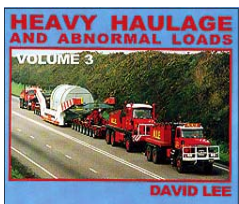


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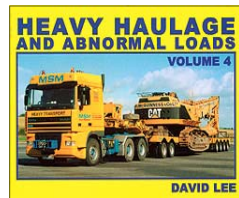


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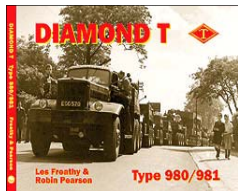
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## DIAMOND T TYPE 980/981

By L. Freathy & R. Pearson

The 980 had its beginnings in 1940 when the British Purchasing Commission sought the assistance of the American truck industry in providing a heavy unit that would be capable of hauling the new generation of armoured fighting vehicles that were then coming into service with the British Army. Following the end of the Second World War many refurbished Ts were issued to re-equip the armies of the liberated European countries, while others remained with the British army as tank transporter units. Many were released from the army in the immediate post-war years to prove a mainstay for civilian heavy haulage well into the 1950s. Others were used in the wreck & recovery industry, in fairs and fairgrounds and overseas.



All these aspects and more are covered in this detailed and comprehensive book, the product of thirty years enthusiastic research and collecting by Les Freathy. Using over 500 photographs he and Robin Pearson have succeeded in conveying the pure magical imagery of one of the aesthetically most appealing of heavy road vehicles ever built - a true icon of the twentieth century.

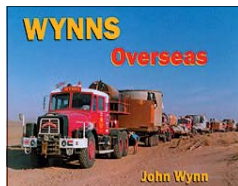
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Arranged by country, the photographs in this book were mostly taken by those individuals involved in the projects. This is very much a hands-on account of some extraordinary work, much of it in the 1970s. Loads of 150 tons and more had to be taken on unmade roads, even fording rivers, or other solutions had to be found such as rail/road transport.

There are fine images of Scammells and Bedfords in desert or bush with their loads for power stations. John Wynn himself accompanied some of the hauls and throughout the book his knowledgeable captions give full context for the photographs.

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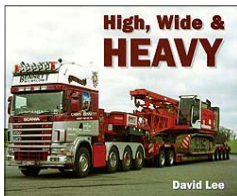
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This illustrated guide to the vehicles and support machinery involved in the heavy haulage industry features roughly 170 different British heavy haulage and crane operators as well as a number of their European counterparts.

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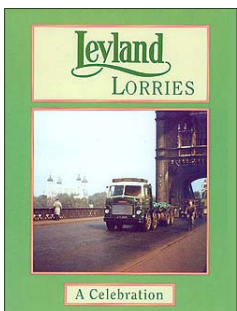
In the 1920s these machines were of increasing importance to the rebuild of Britain and in the 1930s they became part of the revolution in the road transport industry, which saw goods and people being transported in commercial vehicles rather than by rail. This book charts the continued development of this brand through the expansion of their service vehicles, another World War, a globalising transport market, and it all culminates in several pages of colour photographs of slightly more modern Leyland designs.

The history of Leyland is magnificent & though the story of its heavy haulage vehicles is a lesser-known subject, this book covers it with illustrated ease.

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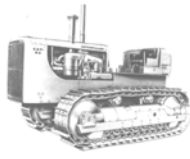
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