## Contents

List of Illustrations		vii	18	Masséna Isolated and in Retreat:	
Preface and Acknowledgements		ix		inset of the combat at Sabugal	54
Chronology		xi	19	The Battle of Barrosa: inset of the	
Key to Cartographic Symbols		xvi		Barrosa Campaign	56
Introduction		1	20	The Battle of Fuentes de Oñoro I	58
The Historical Context		16	21	The Battle of Fuentes de Oñoro II	60
			22	South-west Spain	62
Atlas Section			23	The Battle of Albuera I	64
1	Physical Map of the Peninsula	20	24	The Battle of Albuera II: and 2 details	66
2	Catalonia, Aragon and the Levante Coast: insets of the Battle of Castalla,		25	Combats of El Bodón, and Arroyomolinos de Montánchez: inset	
	and the Siege of Tarragona	22		of Winter Cantonments, 1811–12	68
3	Central and Western Andalucia: inset of Cadiz area	24	26	The Siege of Ciudad Rodrigo: cross-section of Greater Breach	70
4	The Portuguese Coast: from the Mouth of the Mondego to Lisbon	26	27	The Final Siege of Badajoz: inset of breached walls, and cross-section	72
5	The Combat at Roliça	28	28	The Almaraz Expedition	74
6	The Battle of Vimeiro	30	29	Manoeuvring prior to Salamanca:	
7	Moore's Campaign: inset of the			inset of the Fall of the Forts	76
	combat at Sahagún	32	30	The Battle of Salamanca I	78
8	The Battle of Corunna	34	31	The Battle of Salamanca II: 4 details:	
9	Wellesley's Advance on Oporto and			inset of the Combat at Garcihernández	80
	Pursuit of Soult	36	32	The Advance on Madrid and Burgos,	
10	The Passage of the Douro at Oporto	38		and Retirement to Portugal	82
11	Wellesley's Advance into the Tagus		33	The Siege of Burgos	84
	Valley, and Retirement to Portugal	40	34	Winter Cantonments, and Preparing	
12	The Battle of Talavera I	42		for the Spring	86
13	The Battle of Talavera II	44	35	The Advance on Vitoria	88
14	Combats on the Agueda and the Côa	46	36	The Battle of Vitoria	91
15	Masséna's Invasion	48	37	The Pyrenean Quadrilateral	94
16	The Battle of Busaco: insets of Ney's		38	Soult's Counter-offensive, and Retreat	96
	and Reynier's attacks	50	39	The Combats at Roncesvalles, and Maya	
17	The Lines of Torres Vedras: inset of		40	The Battles of Sorauren	100
	their position	52	41	The Siege of San Sebastian	102

42	The Frontier Triangle	104	50	The Battle of Orthez	120
43	The Combats at San Marcial, and Vera	106	51	The Advance on Bordeaux, Tarbes,	
44	The Passage of the Bidasoa and the			and Toulouse	122
	Ascent of La Rhune	108	52	The Combats at Aire, and Tarbes	124
45	The Battle of the Nivelle	110	53	Manoeuvres on the Garonne, and the	
46	The Battle of the Nive	112		Battle of Toulouse	126
47	The Battle of St Pierre	114			
48	Bayonne: the Investment; and the Sortie		Disp	persal, and Epilogue	129
	(14 April 1814)	116	Glo	ssary	132
49	The Advance on Orthez: inset of the		Sele	Selective Bibliography	
	Combat at Garris	118	Inde	ex to Actions	143