

Series	Name History	Date	DJ?	1 st – distinguishing features	Got it?	Got a 1 st ?
561	King Alfred The Great	1956	Yes	No titles on back DJ flap (blue logo). Pale bluish textured boards with blue lettering. Back catalogue lists to 'The Ambush'		
	William the Conqueror	1956	Yes	Two titles only (in blue) on back DJ flap. Back catalogue lists to 'The Ambush'.		
	Sir Walter Raleigh	1957	Yes	Slightly textured fawn boards with maroon line drawing. Back catalogue lists down to 'The Ambush'		
	The Story of Nelson	1957	Yes	Brownish, slightly textured boards with dark blue drawing. Last title listed (in black) on back DJ flap.		
	The Story of the First Queen Elizabeth	1958	Yes	Last title listed on back DJ flap.		
	The Story of Captain Cook	1958	Yes	Last title listed on back DJ flap. No logo on the back of the DJ.		
	Florence Nightingale	1959	Yes	Last title listed on back DJ flap. No logo on the back of the DJ. The book cover has a line drawing in a maroon colour rather than blu.		
	Julius Caesar and Roman Britain	1959	Yes	Last title listed on back DJ flap No logo on the back of the DJ		
	Charles II	1960	Yes	Charles II is not listed on DJ flap. No logo on the back of the DJ		
	David Livingstone	1960	Yes	Last title listed. Open wing logo No logo on the back of the DJ		
	Stone Age Man in Britain	1961	Yes	Last title listed on back DJ flap. There's no logo on back board or back DJ panel		
	Christopher Columbus	1961	Yes	Last title listed on back DJ flap		
	Marco Polo	1962	Yes	Last title listed on back DJ flap		
	Henry V	1962	Yes	Last title listed on back DJ flap		
	Oliver Cromwell	1963	Yes	Last title listed on back DJ flap		
	Captain Scott	1963	Yes	Last title listed on back DJ flap. Tally 100		
	Alexander the Great	1963	Yes	Last title listed on back DJ flap. Tally 100		
	Robert the Bruce	1964	Yes	Last title listed on back DJ flap. Tally 100		
	Richard the Lionheart	1965	Yes	Last title listed on back DJ flap. Tally 120		
	Charles Dickens	1965	No	Last title listed on back. Tally 140		
	Warwick the Kingmaker	1966	No	Last title listed on back. Tally 150		
	Cleopatra and Ancient Egypt	1966	No	Last title listed on back. Tally 160		

	James I and the Gunpowder Plot	1967	No	Last title listed on back. Tally 190		
	Kings and Queens of England (Book 1)	1968	No	Last title listed on back. Tally 210		
	Kings and Queens (Book 2)	1968	No	Last title listed on back. Tally 225		
	Napoleon	1968	No	Last title listed on back. Tally 224		
	King John and the Magna Carta	1969	No	Last title listed on back. Tally 250		
	Joan of Arc	1971	No	Last title listed on back. Tally 280		
	The Pilgrim Fathers	1972	No	Last title listed on back. Tally 300		
	Elizabeth Fry	1973	No	Last title listed on back. Tally 320		
	Great Civilisations: Egypt	1973	No	Last title listed on back. Tally 330		
	Henry VIII	1973	No	Last title listed on back. Tally 330		
	Henry II and Tomas Becket	1973	No	Last title listed on back. Tally 340		
	Great Civilisations: Greece	1974	No	Last title listed on back. Tally 350		
	Great Civilisations: Rome	1974	No	Last title listed on back. Tally 350		
	Samuel Pepys	1974	No	Last title listed on back. Tally 350		
	Hannibal	1974	No	Last title listed on back. Original price 24p		
	Robert Louis Stevenson	1975	No	Last title listed on back. Tally 370		
	Bonnie Prince Charlie	1975	No	Last title listed on back. Original price 24p		
	Great Civilisations: Crete	1976	No	Last title listed on back. Original price 24p		
	Great Civilisations: The Vikings	1976		Has a full-cover illustration on the front – not a blue-framed cover.		
	Queen Victoria	1976		Last title listed. Original price 24p		
	Sir Francis Drake	1977		Original price 24p. Last title listed is Elizabeth Gaskell		
	John Wesley	1977		Original price 24p. Last title listed is Elizabeth Gaskell		
	Elizabeth Gaskell	1977		Last title listed		
	Great Civilisations: The Mycenaeans	1978		Last title listed in 'China'. Original price 30p		
	Great Civilisations: The Incas	1978		Last title listed in 'China'. Original price 30p		

	Great Civilisations:The Aztecs	1978		Last title listed in 'China'. Original price 30p		
	Great Civilisations:China	1978		Last title listed. Original price 30p		
	William Shakespeare	1981		Matt boards		
The books below are revised versions of books – rewritten and reillustrated So if you want to complete the full set, you might want to look out for these too:						
	Marco Polo revised Written by Audrey Daly, illustrated by Roger Hall. Matt boards	1980				
	Nelson Revised Written & illustrated by Frank Humphris Matt boards	1980				
	Sir Walter Raleigh revised Written & illustrated by Frank Humphris Matt boards	1980				
	Captain Cook revised Written & illustrated by Frank Humphris Matt boards	1980				
	Kings and Queens revised Books one and two Written by Brenda Lewis, illustrated by John Leigh-Pemberton/Peter Robinson Matt boards	1981				