

Annotated Bibliography

Primary Sources

Foot, M. R. D., and J. M. Langley. MI 9: Escape and Evasion. Biteback Publishing, 2020.

This book was used to provide information about the various members of MI-9 through a primary source. This was crucial to our research as it gave critical information on the escape and evasion methods used. This primary source provided in depth information from members of these groups.

Hutton, Clayton, et al. Official Secret: The Remarkable Story of Escape Aids, Their Invention, Production, and the Sequel . Odhams Press Limited, 1961.

This primary source was a novel written by Christopher Clayton Hutton himself. From this source we were able to get first hand accounts from his experiences. He detailed the process of how he was able to come to successfully print on silk, which was specifically expanded on in the Silk Map page. This source helped us significantly in understanding the explicit steps taken that led up to the success of creating silk maps

Hutton, Clayton. Their Official Secret: the Remarkable Story of Escape Aids Invention, Production, and the Sequel. Pickle Partners Publishing, 2015.

This source is an autobiography from Clayton Hutton. It details his life and experiences with MI-9. We used it for general knowledge, as well as background information on Clayton Hutton. This information was used to help understand the inventions and the aid provided.

Langley, James. *Fight Another Day*. 1974.

A book about World War II by James Langley, a soldier in the British Army. The book was useful to understand the importance of having morale in war, specifically, how the escapees of MI9 gave hope to the rest of the soldiers who were still imprisoned.

M. I. S.-X Manual on Evasion, Escape, and Survival. War Department, 1944, edocs.nps.edu/2016/May/MISX_manual_on_evasion_escape_and_survival_Part1.pdf.

The link was to an official PDF about M. I. S.-X that was unclassified. It was a secret document that was meant to describe the process of escape and evasion to the soldiers. The PDF contained detailed information about what the soldiers should expect during the war and what to do in the scenario that they are captured. The document also mentioned the importance of destroying information regarding the project in order to prevent information from getting to the enemy. Because of this section, we were able to learn why there was a lack of primary sources on this topic. By using the PDF, we were able to understand the purpose, intention, and impact of the evasion process.

The National Archives. "Intelligence and Security Services." *The National Archives*, The National Archives, 29 Jan. 2020, www.nationalarchives.gov.uk/help-with-your-research/research-guides/intelligence-and-security-services/.

The National Archives is one of the most credible sources from our many. It includes primary source information provided by the United Kingdom's highest database. From this amazing source we were able to find information regarding intelligence and security services. Within this information MI9 was linked through its use of spy technology. We used this source throughout our website to better understand our topic of MI9.

Neave, Airey. Saturday at MI9. Grafton Books, 1989.

A book written by Airey Neave, recounting his time while part of MI9. Neave was the first British POW to escape from Colditz Castle. Because of this, he later worked for MI9 helping prisoners with escape and evasion tactics. The book is an account of an escape in Northwest Europe led by MI9 that freed 4,000 Allied servicemen and guided them back to safety. Because Neave was a chief at MI9 at the time, he was able to give more insights into this event. We used the book as a way to understand the process of an MI9 operation and how they were carried out.

"POWs and Intel at Fort Hunt in World War II (U.S. National Park Service)." National Parks Service, U.S. Department of the Interior, www.nps.gov/articles/forthuntww2.htm.

The National Park Service is in charge of parks and national parks in the United States. They are a great source for information regarding the use of parks such as Fort Hunt. Fort Hunt was a park that was transformed into a military base for the United States Military. Within this source we are able to get primary source information regarding the use of the park in MISX. This information was placed in our MISX page.

Shoemaker, Lloyd R. The Escape Factory: the Story of MIS-X. St. Martin's Paperbacks, 1992. [10:20PM]

We used this book for background information on our topic, especially learning more about MIS-X, how it was important to the war, and that it was purposefully destroyed to remain secret.

Thomas, Van Cleve C. The Activities of Two Agencies of the CPM Branch, MIS, G-2, WDGS.
18 Oct. 1943, www.militarymuseum.org/Camp%20Tracy%20History.pdf.

A 149-page unclassified PDF about Fort Hunt. It was an official document that was created by the military, outlining the purpose of Fort Hunt as an interrogation site. The document described the process of interrogation, methods and equipment used, officials involved in the project, and its establishment. The document was organized into detailed sections about each topic and provided a lot of information that was not found on secondary sources. We were able to use the PDF to understand the importance of Fort Hunt and it's role in the war effort.

Primary Source Photos

Blazeski, Goran. "Monopoly Boards with Maps Hidden inside Helped British POWs Escape the Nazis." *The Vintage News*, 8 Jan. 2018, www.thevintagenews.com/2017/12/09/monopoly-boards-pow/.

This source contains an image of a monopoly game when it was first created. We used this image to give the viewer a visual about the original design of the game. We wanted everyone to see how creative the designs of the monopoly boards were. This source was placed throughout our website and in our monopoly page.

"Brigadier Norman Richard Crockatt ." The Royal Scots, British Empire, 2020, www.britishempire.co.uk/forces/armyunits/britishinfantry/royalscotscrockatt.htm.

This source contained an important image of Brigadier Norman Richard Crockatt. This primary photo was used in our website.

"British Modern Military History Society." Bmmhs, www.bmmhs.org/meeting-mi9-escape-and-evasion/.

This secondary source contained primary source photos taken in WWII. We also used this source for our general information when it came to modern military history and the use of escape and evasion. We were able to get information on modern day escape and evasion meetings and events.

Clark, Nick. "Bletchley Park Charities Go to War over 'Berlin Wall': Two Groups." *The Independent*, Independent Digital News and Media, 21 Feb. 2014, www.independent.co.uk/news/uk/home-news/bletchley-park-charities-go-to-war-over-berlin-wall-two-groups-fall-out-over-building-of-6ft-high-9142450.html.

This source contained the image of the Government Code and Cypher School. We used an image of the school in our timeline. We were able to get this amazing photo giving our timeline more impact to the viewer.

"Collection: Silk Map." *Imperial War Museums*, www.iwm.org.uk/collections/item/object/30103113.

This source provided us with a silk map that showed Italy. This map belonged to Major H Radley who was an agent from Italy. We used this source in the Silk Map page where it depicted another version of the various products that were produced by MI9.

“Escape and Evasion Maps of World War II.” *The British Library*, The British Library, 27 Oct. 2016, www.bl.uk/maps/articles/escape-and-evasion-maps-of-world-war-ii.

This article was written by Dr. Barbara A. Bond with the theme of war in mind. Within this article Dr. Barara introduces the emergency MI9 escape and evasions that took place by the soldiers in World War II. This information was crucial into understanding the attitude shift in the population and comrades of the soldiers in the war. This source also included primary source maps created in 1940.

“Escape Kits: Real-Life British Spy Gadgets from World War II.” *Core77*, www.core77.com/posts/71473/Escape-Kits-Real-Life-British-Spy-Gadgets-from-World-War-II.

This source was able to provide us with primary source photos of objects gadgets produced by MI9 on the Clayton Hutton page. We used pictures of a compass that was hidden in the inside of a button and a pair of boots that were displayed that were used as a disguise as civilian shoes.

“Great Escapes: The Story of MI9's Second World War Escape and Evasion Maps.” *Aerbook Store*, aerbook.com/books/Great_Escapes_The_story_of_MI9s_Second_World_War_escape_and_evasion_maps-106789.html?social=1&retail=1&emailcap=0&imprint=harpercollinsuk

This book *Great Escapes The story of MI9's second world war escape and evasion maps*. Explains the history of MI9's emergency escape and evasion mapping programme which helped create maps to accomplish a victory. This information was crucial for the understanding of this topic. This book also included many primary source photos.

History of Wwii British Cloth Escape Maps, www.escape-maps.com/escape_maps/history_of_wwii_british_cloth_escape_maps.htm.

From this source we were able to gain information on WWII British cloth escape maps which were used by soldiers stuck in Nazi Camps. There were also many primary source photos on this page which were used throughout our website.

Knighton, Andrew. “MI9: The Secret British Organization Set Up in WWII to Help Prisoners Of War Escape.” *WAR HISTORY ONLINE*, 12 Oct. 2017, www.warhistoryonline.com/world-war-ii/mi9-secret-british-organisation-set-help-pows-e scape.html.

This secondary source with primary source photos explained the different approaches to escape and evasion, as well as how MI9 gathered information. Escaping from the camps was pointless without effective evasion from enemy forces. The article was useful for understanding specifics about the process of escaping camps and how it impacted the soldiers.

“Magical Victory? Jasper Maskelyne and the Battle of El Alamein.” The National WWII Museum Blog, 11 Jan. 2017, www.nww2m.com/2012/10/magical-victory-jasper-maskelyne-and-the-battle-of-el-alamein/.

We used this website for a primary picture of Jasper Maskelyne, as well as information about him. Jasper Maskelyne was a mastermind in illusion which was a tactic used in WWII. This information was used to help understand WWII better.

Mailonline, Katie Louise Davies For. “PoWs' Escape Maps Revealed in Author Barbara Bond's Great Escapes Book.” *Daily Mail Online*, Associated Newspapers, 21 Oct. 2015, www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-3282607/Secret-maps-helped-prisoners-escape-Colditz-prison-Second-World-War-hidden-gramophone-records-chess-sets-handles-cricket-bats.html.

The Daily Mail is a UK based daily newspaper company. In this article we were able to find information about MI9's spies in WW2 and their contribution to the war effort in helping prisoners escape from camps. Within this source we were able to find multiple high quality photos revolving around the gadgets created by the MI9 organization. We included a quote from one of the photos explaining how the maps were hidden in the chess sets. This quote was included in our gadgets page.

Mike Petrucci. “The Secret Operations of P.O. Box 1142.” *ITS Tactical*, 3 Nov. 2014, www.itsactical.com/centcom/memorial/the-secret-operations-of-p-o-box-1142/.

This source provided us with a photo for our ‘Inventions’ page serving as the header. The photo depicts a display of various different forms of escape gadgets used and produced by MIS-X. This was crucial for viewers to have a visual on the gadgets used by the agency.

“National Day of Prayer.” *Imperial War Museums*, www.iwm.org.uk/collections/item/object/32273.

The Imperial War Museum provided a primary source photo with the image of a tape and the words National Day of Prayer “Put your trust in god as I do” His Majesty the King. We were given access to a collection of objects related to MI9.

New York Times. “BRITISH MILITARY INTELLIGENCE, 1870-1914.” New York Times, 11 Mar. 1984.

Source contains an image of World War II propaganda. We used this image in our timeline. This primary source photo provided information on MI9 at the time and how the newspaper companies reported on it.

“Silk Escape Map, Holland, France, Belgium, Germany and Switzerland.” Imperial War Museums, www.iwm.org.uk/collections/item/object/30089060.

From this website we were able to retrieve primary source photos of silk maps used. This map specifically was of Holland, France, Belgium, Germany, and Switzerland. This source was especially significant because it showed us the dimensions of the map as well as a visualization of what the PoWs were given.

“Silk Escape Map.” Imperial War Museums, www.iwm.org.uk/collections/item/object/30103112.

This source gave us a primary source photo of a map of Balkans showing Albania, Greece, Bulgaria and Turkey. It gave us a visualization of what a silk map looked like to inform us of the variations of maps that were produced and shipped to PoWs.

“Special Forces.” Viewing Image: Christopher Clayton-Hutton - Special Forces - Roll Of Honour, www.specialforcesroh.com/gallery.php?do=view_image&id=5286&gal=gallery.

This primary source photo of Clayton Hutton was used on the associated page that was dedicated to him and other important figures. It was used to put a face to the name of the creator of so many innovations that had great impacts on the world of escape and evasion tactics during WWII. In this photo Hutton is seen working on an unknown project

Secondary Sources

“About CIA.” Central Intelligence Agency, Central Intelligence Agency, 7 May 2019, www.cia.gov/about-cia/.

This source from the government website CIA provided information on the CIA for our timeline giving a greater impact to the visual.

“American POWs in Europe.” Guests of the Third Reich, The National WWII Museum, 2012, guestsofthethirdreich.org/home/.

This secondary source website compiled by The National WWII Museum provides details on American prisoners of war, which we used to inform the readers on our "choose your own adventure page" of the conditions faced by those in the camps.

Bond, Barbara A. *MI9's Escape and Evasion Mapping Programme 1939-1945*. University of Plymouth, 2014, pearl.plymouth.ac.uk/bitstream/handle/10026.1/3553/2014bond10376351phd.pdf?sequence=1&isAllowed=y.

A PDF of a thesis written by Barbara Bond for the University of Plymouth. This document gives empirics as to how many soldiers were helped by MI9, as well as the number of supplies that were distributed. We used this source to understand the extent of the impact MI9 had on the soldiers.

“Bicycle Escape Map Cards.” George C. Marshall Foundation, George C. Marshall Foundation, 2020, www.marshallfoundation.org/shop/product/bicycle-escape-map-cards/.

The Marshall Foundation was started in honor of George Catlett Marshall, a World War II veteran who held many positions of power in the United States, as well as received the Nobel Peace Prize. The information received from this source was a description of Bicycle Playing Cards that contained escape maps intended for Allied soldiers to help them escape German Prisoner of War camps. We quoted this information for a description of the Bicycle Playing Cards on our website.

“British Modern Military History Society.” Bmmhs, www.bmmhs.org/meeting-mi9-escape-and-evasion/.

This secondary source contained primary source photos taken in WWII. We also used this source for our general information when it came to modern military history and the use of escape and evasion. We were able to get information on modern day escape and evasion meetings and events.

“Camel Cigarette Pack Reproduction.” *WWII Soldier*,
wwiisoldier.com/product/camel-cigarette-pack-reproduction/.

This source provided us with helpful photos regarding R.J Reynolds Company Cigarette Packaging which was useful in presenting how small the crystal radio receivers had to have been in order to fit into the cartons to be snuck into POW Camps. The photo was used on our MIS-X Inventions page.

Campsie, Alison. “The Secret Silk WWII Escape Plans of an Edinburgh Map Maker.” *News*, 16 Mar. 2018,
www.scotsman.com/news-2-15012/the-secret-silk-wwii-escape-plans-of-an-edinburgh-map-maker-1-4706946.

The Scotsman national newspaper provides high quality newspapers and articles about European topics. One of these topics included the secret silk WWII escape plans of an Edinburgh map maker. This article explained how silk maps were used and created for the POW in Nazi Germany.

Carver, Tom. *Where the Hell Have You Been?*: Short, 2009. “To get this equipment into the POW camps, MI9 set up fake charities with innocuous sounding names like the Welsh Provident Society and the Lancashire Penny Fund and sent letters, apparently written by an elderly widow... asking for their “parcels of cheer” to be distributed to British Prisoners. According to MI9’s records, they successfully dispatched 9,247 maps, 1,119 hacksaws, 427 sets of dyes and 297 blankets that could be used to make civilian clothes.”

This book tells the story of Richard Carver and his internment in a POW camp. It then details his escape across German-occupied territory and his safe return to the Army Headquarters. We included this excerpt in our website to describe the process in which MI9 assisted POWs by sending them materials while they were imprisoned. This quote goes into specifics about the quantity, as well as the type of supplies that they sent out. This book expanded our group’s knowledge about MI9’s impact on helping soldiers escape.

“The CIA Museum ... OSS Escape and Evasion Map.” *Central Intelligence Agency*, Central Intelligence Agency, 30 Apr. 2013,
www.cia.gov/news-information/featured-story-archive/2010-featured-story-archive/oss-escape-and-evasion-map.html.

A secondary source from the Central Intelligence Agency’s Museum. The article includes information about the gadgets that were developed, with the focus being around silk maps. Silk maps were also used in the U. S. Military during World War II. We used this source to understand MI9’s influence beyond the British Military. The article talked about the influence of MI9 outside of England, specifically focusing on its role in the United States. The United States was influenced by MI9 to create their own escape and evasion group, known as MIS-X.

“Evasion and Escape Devices Produced by MI9, MIS-X, and SOE in World War II.” *Schiffer Publishing*,
www.schifferbooks.com/evasion-and-escape-devices-produced-by-mi9-mis-x-and-soe-in-world-war-ii-5811.html.

Schiffer publishing published a book called the Evasion and Escape Devices Produced by MI9 MIS-X and SOE in World War II. This book described the design and manufacture of the shipments that were used to provide the allied soldiers in the camps supplies such as the gadgets used to escape the camps. This information was included throughout our website to better understand how the supplies were distributed to the camps.

“Escape and Evasion Maps of World War II.” *The British Library*, The British Library, 27 Oct. 2016, www.bl.uk/maps/articles/escape-and-evasion-maps-of-world-war-ii.

This article was written by Dr. Barbara A. Bond with the theme of war in mind. Within this article Dr. Barara introduces the emergency MI9 escape and evasions that took place by the soldiers in World War II. This information was crucial into understanding the attitude shift in the population and comrades of the soldiers in the war.

“Escape & Evasion.” Joint Forces News, 2 Sept. 2018,
www.joint-forces.com/features/17469-escape-evasion-the-comet-line-and-mi9-pt-3.

This secondary source was about the evasion process for British Airmen. The article detailed the importance of escape and evasion. When POWs were able to return to service, it saved the country thousands of dollars in resources and training. It also discussed the impact of increasing morale for the prisoners. When members were able to successfully escape, it gave others hope towards the war effort. By using this source, we were able to gain insight to the significance of evasion and the impact it had not only on the soldiers, but the military as a whole.

“Fort Hunt.” National Parks Service, U.S. Department of the Interior, 2020, www.nps.gov/gwmp/learn/historyculture/forthunt.htm.

This website helped us gather information about Fort Hunt through the reputable source of the National Park Service. Fort Hunt was the location of the MISX which was the USA’s version of MI9. This source provided quality information on the location and how the park was used.

Froom, Phil. “Escape and Evasion Devices in WWII.” *Global SOF*, 29 Aug. 2017, gsof.org/escape-and-evasion-devices-in-wwii/.

A secondary source about the escape and evasion tactics developed by MI9. The source explains the creation of MI9, as well as the intention behind formulating the group. The source was helpful in understanding how prisoners managed to escape and the impacts of doing so.

Garber, Megan. “How Monopoly Games Helped Allied POWs Escape During World War II.” *The Atlantic*, Atlantic Media Company, 10 Jan. 2013, www.theatlantic.com/technology/archive/2013/01/how-monopoly-games-helped-allied-prisoners-escape-during-world-war-ii/266996/.

This article is from The Atlantic, an American news site. It gives information on the smuggling of important escape tools through Monopoly games. We used this for general background knowledge on our topic, especially the Monopoly games.

Gearon, Liam Francis. *The Routledge International Handbook of Universities, Security and Intelligence Studies*. Routledge, 2020.

The Routledge International Handbook of Universities, Security and Intelligence Studies book edited by Liam Francis Gearon explains information regarding prisoners of war and intelligence. They included a section on MI9 to explain the extents of the gadgets used and how the Nazi army tried to handle them. This source was used to help our understanding of MI9.

“Great Escapes: The Story of MI9’s Second World War Escape and Evasion Maps.” *Aerbook Store*, aerbook.com/books/Great_Escapes_The_story_of_MI9s_Second_World_War_escape_and_evasion_maps-106789.html?social=1&retail=1&emailcap=0&imprint=harpercollinsuk

This book *Great Escapes The story of MI9’s second world war escape and evasion maps*. Explains the history of MI9’s emergency escape and evasion mapping programme which helped create maps to accomplish a victory. This information was crucial for the understanding of this topic. This book also included many primary source photos.

“Hidden Maps and Compasses: Rare WWII POW 'Escape Kits' Go to Auction.” USA Today, Gannett Satellite Information Network,
www.usatoday.com/videos/news/world/2019/11/18/hidden-maps-and-compasses-rare-wwii-pow-escape-kits-go-auction/4227082002/.

We used this secondary source for our background information on MI9 and the rare WWII surviving escape kits. These were a rare glimpse of the remaining few items created by MI9 which helped thousands of POWs escape Nazi camps.

“History of the CIA.” Central Intelligence Agency, Central Intelligence Agency, 23 Mar. 2013,
www.cia.gov/kids-page/6-12th-grade/operation-history/history-of-the-cia.html.

This source from the credible government website CIA.gov provided information on the NSC and CIA establishment which was used on our timeline to increase the effect of the visual and information.

History of WWII British Cloth Escape Maps,
www.escape-maps.com/escape_maps/history_of_wwii_british_cloth_escape_maps.htm.

From this source we were able to gain information on WWII British cloth escape maps which were used by soldiers stuck in Nazi Camps. There were also many primary source photos on this page which were used throughout our website.

“Home.” A Husband's Most Secret War in MI9 IS9, www.mi9-is9.com/index.html.

We used this secondary source for our background information. We were able to find a primary source story from a Husband who left a secret from WWII. This source allowed us to gain more insightful information about the topic of MI9.

“Home.” SIS, www.sis.gov.uk/.

The Secret Intelligence Service website provided great insight on military operations under the name of MI6. This British SIS keeps the UK safe and one step ahead of its foes at any step of the way. We were able to gain information about spies and evasion tactics through this government source.

Jay, John. Facing Fearful Odds: My Father's Story of Captivity, Escape and Resistance, 1940-1945. Pen & Sword Military, 2014.

John Jay accounts his father's experiences being a Jewish POW during World War II. After five escape attempts, Jay's father was successful after receiving assistance from MI9. The book was another story about the lives that were impacted by MI9 and helped our group understand the importance of escape to the servicemen and their loved ones.

Keith. "Most Secret - MI9, IS9 & MIS-X Reports." *Most Secret - MI9, IS9 & MIS-X Reports*, 1 Jan. 1970, theescapeline.blogspot.com/2012/04/most-secret-mi9-is9-mis-x-reports.html.

This blog was created to inform readers about MI9 and the work they provided. This blog also included information on MI-X which was the American equivalent to MI9. A lot of the information provided in this blog was straight quotes which was a nice addition of primary sources. This information was included in our website to help our understanding about MI-X and the german perspective.

Ki, Heussner Mae. "Get Out of Jail Free: Monopoly's Hidden Maps." ABC News, ABC News Network, 17 Sept. 2009, abcnews.go.com/Technology/monopolys-hidden-maps-wwii-pows-escape/story?id=8605905.

This is a secondary source from ABCNews, a news website, about the Monopoly boards that hid escape plans and tools to help with them. This source allowed us to gain background information about the Monopoly boards, as well as what was hidden inside of them.

Knighton, Andrew. "MI9: The Secret British Organization Set Up in WWII to Help Prisoners Of War Escape." *WAR HISTORY ONLINE*, 12 Oct. 2017, www.warhistoryonline.com/world-war-ii/mi9-secret-british-organisation-set-help-pows-escape.html.

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Laird, Matthew R. *"By the River Potomac": an Historic Resource Study of Fort Hunt Park, George Washington Memorial Parkway, Mount Vernon, Virginia*. National Park Service, National Capital Region, 2000.

This novel provided us with information regarding hidden maps inside decks of playing cards as well as Gillette Razor Company's method and approach to magnetizing their double sided blades. Additionally to this, the source aided in our establishment of essential background knowledge of the impact of various American Companies in their contributions to the war effort.

Lyons, Chuck. "MIS-X's Shadowy Secrets: Aiding Allied POW Escapes." *Warfare History Network*, 21 Oct. 2015, warfarehistorynetwork.com/2015/10/21/mis-xs-shadowy-secrets-aiding-allied-pow-escapes/.

A secondary source about MIS-X, a military intelligence group in the United States that was influenced by MI9. The article explains the history behind the formation of MIS-X and its relationship with MI9. We used this source to further understand how MI9 tactics expanded into the United States.

"Magical Victory? Jasper Maskelyne and the Battle of El Alamein." The National WWII Museum Blog, 11 Jan. 2017, www.nww2m.com/2012/10/magical-victory-jasper-maskelyne-and-the-battle-of-el-alamein/.

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"A Map Inside the Cards – Articles." *Bicycle Playing Cards*, bicyclecards.com/article/a-map-inside-the-cards/.

This secondary source provided us with background knowledge on the history of the hidden map playing cards which we used for the MIS-X Inventions Page. This was an essential source in providing us with the knowledge to understand the extent to which these 'Map Decks' were used and why they are, to this day, so difficult to find.

Mason, Amanda. "6 Escape Aids For Prisoners Of War." *Imperial War Museums*, www.iwm.org.uk/history/6-escape-aids-for-prisoners-of-war.

The Imperial War Museum was established in 1917 and ever since has provided quality primary sources from wars including WW2. They also have an extensive online museum which has compiled primary sources for the escape aids used by prisoners of war. This particular page included 6 aids used by the Prisoners of war. We included a quote and photo from this source on the escape boots.

Mason, Amanda. "What Life Was Like For POWs In Europe During The Second World War." Imperial War Museums, Imperial War Museums, 18 June 2018, www.iwm.org.uk/history/what-life-was-like-for-pows-in-europe-during-the-second-world-war.

This secondary source website provided by the Imperial War Museum provides insight into the treatment of European prisoners of war in World War II. We used this on our "Choose your own adventure" page to inform readers of the conditions in war camps.

Mike Petrucci. "The Secret Operations of P.O. Box 1142." *ITS Tactical*, 3 Nov. 2014, www.itsactical.com/centcom/memorial/the-secret-operations-of-p-o-box-1142/.

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"MIS-X: The U.S. Escape and Evasion Experts." National Museum of the United States Air Force™, 1 May 2015, www.nationalmuseum.af.mil/Visit/Museum-Exhibits/Fact-Sheets/Display/Article/197474/mis-x-the-us-escape-and-evasion-experts/.

The National Museum of the United States air force is an amazing source for information regarding the United States military and military actions. They published primary source photos of an X-ray photograph of radio concealed in a cribbage board. They also included information of the topic which was used in the MISX page.

“Monopoly Maps: the History of MI9’s Secret Second World War Escape Programme.”
HistoryExtra, 18 Jan. 2018,
www.historyextra.com/period/second-world-war/monopoly-maps-the-history-of-mi9s-secret-second-world-war-escape-programme/.

HistoryExtra is the official website for the BBC History Magazine and the BBC History Revealed as well as the BBC World Histories Magazine. This article explained how Monopoly maps helped British soldiers in war prisons escape camps. Within this article they included photos of other methods used to help war prisoners in the camps. One of these photos included a chess set with a secret compartment to hide maps and compasses. Which was included in our gadgets page.

“Monopoly – More than Just a Game? • How Leeds-Made Monopoly Helped POWs Escape in WW2.” *MyLearning*, MyLearning, 2020,
www.mylearning.org/stories/how-leeds-made-monopoly-helped-pows-escape-in-ww2/1012.

This website is a curriculum-based resource for schools managed by Leeds Museums and Galleries. The webpage details how Christopher Hutton and MI-9 used Monopoly boards to smuggle escape plans to Allied Prisoners of War. It specifically includes the history behind the idea, as well as how it was implemented. We included this information when we analyzed the Monopoly Boards. We also used this site for a picture of an old Monopoly board.

Nix, Naomi. “Fort Hunt in World War II: MIS-X Escape & Evasion.” Greater Alexandria, VA Patch, Patch, 23 June 2011,
patch.com/virginia/greateralexandria/fort-hunt-in-world-war-ii-mis-x-escape-evasion.

This amazing source outlines Fort Hunt and its connections to the famous MISX Escape and Evasion military operations. This source outlines the purpose of the organization and its true location during the War. We were able to get photos of the actual park which was used during the time and placed this photo on the MISX page. We also used information from this source on our MISX page.

Norrrington, Bill. “Monopoly, Maps, and the Great Escape.” *UC Geography*, University of California Santa Barbara, 2018, geog.ucsb.edu/monopoly-maps-and-the-great-escape/.

This is a website from the University of California Santa Barbara. It explains the process of sending the Monopoly boards to Prisoner of War camps. We used it when explaining the Monopoly Boards.

“Related Auctions.” Bonhams, www.bonhams.com/press_release/11684/.

This website is an auctioneering site. It explains the various items from MI9 that are on sale. We used this information as general knowledge to enhance our understanding of the topic, specifically the designs of MI9.

Richards, Lee. "MI9 Historical Report." Archive Research and Document Copying , 14 Jan. 2013, www.arcure.com/mi9/mi9history#mi9_03.

This website had information about MI9 and a subsection of MI9 known as IS9. It was organized from the materials at the British Archives. The website contained information about the formation of MI9, as well as the people responsible for creating it. Before the creation of the group, POWs had to rely on information from escaped prisoners. However, the German Intelligence was able to discover these materials and learned how to prevent escape. The website detailed the importance of IS9 because the government was now involved in the process of escape and evasion, increasing the number of successes the operation had. From this source, we were able to recognize the significance MI9 had for the POWs that it helped.

Richards, Lee. *IS9 Historical Report*, www.arcure.com/mi9/is9.

This Historical Report by Richard Lee examines the executive branch of MI9. It explains how it assisted the British and the commonwealth service personnel who attempted and escaped the Nazi war camps. This information was crucial for our understanding on how they were able to escape enemy lines.

Richards, Matt, and Mark Langthorne. Downed WWII Bomber Pilots Hid in Secret Forest Camp under the Noses of the Nazis. 17 July 2018, www.mirror.co.uk/news/real-life-stories/forgotten-tale-how-downed-ww2-12906382.

A news article about the evasion process for British Airmen. The source contained many primary photos that showed what life was like for the men after they escaped their imprisonment. Photos included POWs wearing civilian clothes, using escape aids, and camping in the forest. The site also gave insight as to the conditions inside of the German camps, as well as the approximate number of soldiers in captivity. We used the photos from the site in our project because it was one of the few sources we could find that had documentation of the men in the process of evading European countries during the war.

Richards, Matt, and Mark Langthorne. *The Hidden Army: MI9's Secret Force and the Untold Story of D-Day*. John Blake Publishing, 2019.

Matt Richards, one of the authors of this book has made a number of documentaries about warfare and the various struggles within the twentieth century. Throughout this book Matt alongside his co[-author Mark Langthrone bring back to life another story about WWII which in this case revolves around the hidden army otherwise known as MI9.

“S.O.E. /MI9 Pencil Dagger World War Two.” *Relic Militaria - Military Antiques and Memorabilia*, Relic Militaria - Military Antiques and Memorabilia, 2 Apr. 2015, www.relicmilitaria.com/product/s-o-e-mi9-pencil-dagger-world-war-two/.

Relic Militaria is an online blog and store that sells war replicated items. One of the items they have in stock includes the pencil dagger replica used by MI9 and the Special Operation Executive. Information about the pencil was also included in the description. We placed this information in our Gadgets page.

Tostado, Kevin, director. "Under the Boardwalk: The MONOPOLY Story". 2010.

We included a short clip from this documentary within our "Monopoly" page. The purpose of this video was to emphasize the significance of Monopoly in Prisoner of War's escape efforts. Additionally, this source detailed how and why the attempts of using Monopoly were successful, which ultimately was why it was so necessary and beneficial to our website.

Vance, Jonathan F. “MIS-X.” Encyclopedia of Prisoners of War and Internment, by Jonathan F. Vance, Grey House Pub., 2006, pp. 189–190.

This source provided background information on MIS-X. We also used it as part of MIS-X's legacy. This information was crucial in understanding the connections and the MIS-X involvement in the war.

Secondary Source Photos

Ansari, Mohamed Saleem Mohamed. "On Politics." *Bruce On Politics*, 25 Mar. 2015, www.bruceonpolitics.com/2015/03/25/the-spoofs-own-you/.

This source had an image of the logo for the MI5 Security Service, which we used in our timeline. This allowed us to portray the MI5 security service logo which gave the timeline greater impact.

"Bicycle® Escape Map – Playing Cards." *Bicycle Playing Cards*, bicyclecards.com/product/bicycle-escape-map-playing-cards/.

This source was from a direct company that created Map Decks during WWII. We used a picture from this source to depict the peelable-map playing cards.

Campsie, Alison. "The Secret Silk WWII Escape Plans of an Edinburgh Map Maker." *News*, 16 Mar. 2018, www.scotsman.com/news-2-15012/the-secret-silk-wwii-escape-plans-of-an-edinburgh-map-maker-1-4706946.

The Scotsman national newspaper provides high quality newspapers and articles about European topics. One of these topics included the secret silk WWII escape plans of an Edinburgh map maker. This articles explained how silk maps were used and created for the POW in Nazi Germany.

"Crystal Set." *Museums.gov.il*, Israel's National Museum of Science, Technology, and Space, museums.gov.il/en/items/Pages/ItemCard.aspx?IdItem=ICMS-MTC-1891.

This source detailed what crystal radio receivers were and why they were so helpful for POWs. It was used on our MIS-X gadgets page to supplement the information having to do with crystal radio receivers being hidden inside cigarette packages.

Donzey, Jean-Patrick. "ESCAPE COMPASSES ." *Compass Museum - Escape Compasses*, www.compassmuseum.com/esc/esc.htm.

We used this source to provide a picture of compass button examples which depicted how they were hidden and produced to be inconspicuous in the possession of POWs. This picture was used on our MIS-X Inventions page.

Duell, Mark. "The Real-Life James Bond Gadgets Invented by MI9 Spies in WWII Revealed." Daily Mail Online, Associated Newspapers, 21 Sept. 2016, www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-3800062/The-real-life-James-Bond-gadgets-invented-MI9-spies-WWII-including-compasses-dice-daggers-pens-smuggled-PoW-camps-inside-board-games.html.

We used this secondhand article from the Daily Mail, a British newspaper. It is about MI9's various inventions. We used it to gather generalistic information on MI9's techniques and innovations, as well as background information on the Section itself.

The Editors of Encyclopaedia Britannica. "Coat of Arms." *Encyclopædia Britannica*, Encyclopædia Britannica, Inc., 26 Apr. 2018, www.britannica.com/topic/coat-of-arms.

The source had an image of the Royal Crest of the British Army that we included in our timeline. We wanted to include this Crest in order to give viewers a more impactful visual when it came to the Royal Crest of the British Army.

"Gray Monopoly Game Board." *Canva*, www.canva.com/photos/MADGvz1F3YA-gray-monopoly-game-board/.

Canva is designing software for individuals who want to create their own designs. From one of their public posts there was a photo of a monopoly board. This was synonymous to the ones used in WWII which is why we wanted to include one of the gadgets in our home page.

"MI9 Bulletin." <https://i.pinimg.com/originals/e9/48/e9/e948e852f14a6b5323723b599c0c1.jpg>

This source included a picture of an MI9 bulletin board. We were able to use this amazing picture on our timeline page. This allowed our timeline to have a greater impact for the viewers.

Srivastav, Taruka. "MI6 Breaks out of Its 'James Bond Image' to Recruit Applicants from Diverse Backgrounds." The Drum, The Drum, 26 May 2018, www.thedrum.com/news/2018/05/26/mi6-breaks-out-its-james-bond-image-recruit-applicants-diverse-backgrounds.

This source contained the logo for the MI6 Secret Intelligence service. We used the image in our timeline to enhance the experience for the viewer.

"World War II: Joint Intelligence Committee Daily Summary ." *PaperlessArchives.com*, downloads.paperlessarchives.com/p/4RJO/.

This source contained an image of a document from the Joint Intelligence Committee. We used this as an image in our timeline to enhance the experience of the viewer.

“WWII Monopoly Board Escape Kit.” *The Regiment*, www.theregiment.ca/dscn0042/.

This source contains a picture of a monopoly board in a museum. We used this image to show an example as to how the device looked.

“WW2 US Gillette Thin Razor Blade Dated 1938.” *WW2 US Gillette Thin Razor Blade Dated 1938*, World War Wonders,

From this website, we were able to obtain photos of original razor blades produced by Gillette from the WWII era which we used on our MIS-X Inventions page. This source allowed us to present how the double-sided blade could be doubled as a compass when balanced on a string.