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*'It is not unique but it has been bloody marvellous'* –  
with these words a member of 24 New Zealand Infantry  
Battalion Association describes the club he has belonged  
to for over 60 years.

Based on the private archives of the association and the  
recollections of its members, this book catalogues how  
the '24 men' fostered and nurtured the loyalty and  
comradeship they forged while serving overseas in  
World War 2. Always focused on fundraising for  
welfare projects, they kept in touch with countless  
newsletters and social events. This New Zealand style  
veterans' organisation has served the community with  
the men organising venues, transport (and beer), while  
the ladies' committee took charge of teas, lunches, and  
raffles. Illustrated with photographs, newsletter excerpts,  
cartoons and oral history it is a glimpse of everyday life  
in post war New Zealand.