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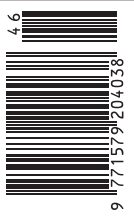
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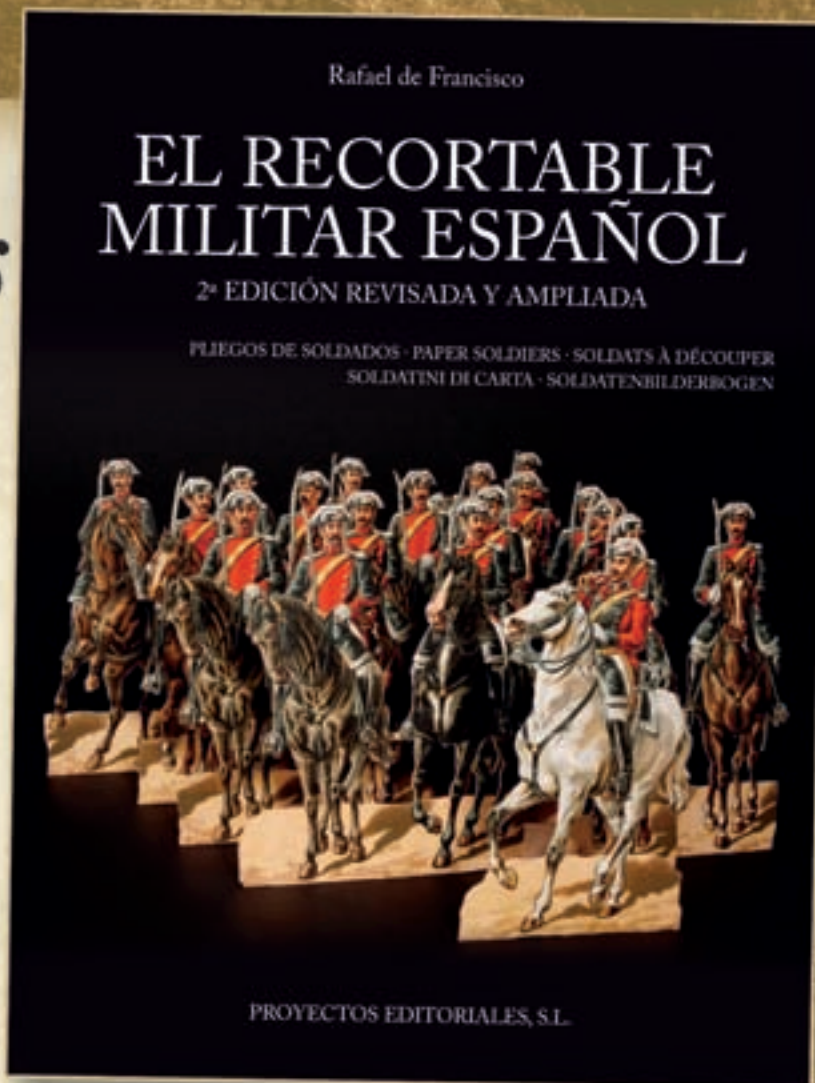


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# Leader

Summer is here and, while we are all planning where to go on holiday and putting up with the usual heat around these dates, we have brought you this issue in the hope you can enjoy a few moments of leisure away from it all before getting out your car or boarding your plane.

In this issue, we have used possibly one of the best packs of photos available to us. We hope we won't have to pay for it later. Pay special attention to the photos used in the dossier, they are simply fantastic. Our friends at Chemin de Feu never stop amazing us with their assemblies. Many thanks!!!

In addition to the dossier, we have an interesting article on a curious action in the American Civil War and another on the battle of Zama. The latter is supported with photographic material ceded by Warhammer Ancient Battles, to whom we also give our thanks.

We hope you enjoy the magazine, and wish you all a good summer. On your return from holiday, keep an eye on the newsagents - we will be offering many surprises, but as yet we will say no more...

WSS Staff

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# News



## SECOND VISIT TO THE "S-61 DELFÍN" SUBMARINE

Last month, the U.E.O. paid its second institutional visit to the "Delfín", a submarine of the Spanish Armada. Lately, these lads never take a break! The S-61 submarine "Delfín", which gave its name to its class, known as the S-60, is open to the public in Torrevieja, under an agreement made between the Ministry of Defence and the city council, and it has become an obligatory visit made by the U.E.O. at regular intervals.

A member of the Wargames: Soldiers and Strategy editorial team took the opportunity to accompany the visiting association and presented the submarine crew

with a copy of the magazine containing the report of the previous visit, thanking them for their kindness and friendliness.

The submarine, with a length of almost 60 metres, is open all year round. Its design is French although all the S-60 class was manufactured in its entirety in Spain under French licence. These submarines, extremely silent and armed with 533 mm. torpedo tubes, had a distinguished career, taking part in actions in close cooperation with the Armada Special Operations, whose commandos practised surprise attacks from the submarines' decks.

The "Delfín" class was gradually replaced by the "Galerna" class, also known as the S-70 submarines, which are soon to be replaced by the new S-80 submarines.

