

STUART CLOETE

Stuart Cloete (pronounced Clewty) was born in Paris in 1897, educated in England, served with the Coldstream Guards, and was wounded severely twice during World War I. He farmed for 15 years in South Africa, the region settled by his ancestors in 1652. He wrote many books, the early ones, which dealt with the Boer colonization of South Africa, were the best. If we think cowboys and Indians were exciting, the African frontier and the Zulus were even more so. His best-known books were historical novels and represent an exciting way to spend an evening reading by the fire! Stuart Cloete died in 1976 at the age of seventy-eight.

FIRST EDITION BOOKS

(A Chronological Synopsis)

	TITLE	SUBJECT	DATE
	TURNING WHEELS	Fiction	1937
	WATCH FOR THE DAWN	Fiction	1939
	YESTERDAY IS DEAD	General	1940
	THE HILL OF DOVES	Fiction	1941
	THE YOUNG MEN AND THE OLD	Poetry	1941
	CHRISTMAS IN MATABELELAND	Fiction	1942
	CONGO SONG	Fiction	1943
	AGAINST THESE THREE. A Biography of Paul Kruger, Cecil Rhodes and Lobengula, Last King of the Matabele – Published in England under the title, “AFRICAN PORTRAITS”	Biographical	1945
	THE THIRD WAY	General	1947
	THE CURVE AND THE TUSK	Fiction	1952
	THE AFRICAN GIANT: The Story of a Journey	Travel/Historical	1955
	MAMBA	Fiction	1956
	STORM OVER AFRICA	General	1956
	THE MASK	Fiction	1957
	GAZELLA	Fiction	1958
	THE SOLDIER’S PEACHES and Other African Stories	Fiction	1959
	THE FIERCEST HEART	Fiction	1960

THE SILVER TRUMPET, and Other African Stories	Fiction	1961
WEST WITH THE SUN	Travel/Historical	1962
RAGS OF GLORY	Fiction	1963
THE LOOKING GLASS	Fiction	1963
THE HONEY BIRD and Other African Stories	Fiction	1964
THE THOUSAND AND ONE NIGHTS OF JEAN MACAQUE	Fiction	1965
THE ABDUCTORS	Fiction	1966
THE WRITING ON THE WALL and Other African Stories	Fiction	1968
SOUTH AFRICA Published in South Africa in wraps	General	1968
HOW YOUNG THEY DIE, published in England under the title, "HOW YOUNG THEY DIED"	Fiction	1969
THREE WHITE SWANS and Other Stories	Fiction	1971
A VICTORIAN SON: An Autobiography, 1897 – 1922 (Volume I)	Autobiographical	1972
THE GAMBLER, An Autobiography, 1923 – 1939 (Volume II)	Autobiographical	1973
THE COMPANY WITH THE HEART OF GOLD and Other Stories	Fiction	1973
MORE NIGHTS OF JEAN MACAQUE	Fiction	1975
CANARY PIE	Fiction	1976

NOTE: Almost all of Cloete's books were published in London by Collins. Many were also published, generally in the same year, by various publishers in the U.S.

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