



*The Cumberland Collection of  
Travel &  
Shoulder Bags*

The Scottish Borders and English Lakes are areas of outstanding national beauty and rugged scenery. In keeping with the area around us, we design and make bags of classic styling and extremely rugged construction, with strict quality control and great attention to detail. The best available natural British raw materials are combined with the skills and workmanship of our local craftsmen and women to great effect. Only items which form an integral part of each bag are utilised and no unnecessary details are added. This ensures that our products are exactly suitable for their purpose.

Including travel and shoulder bags our whole collection comprises well over 100 styles. A major portion of our work is exported (for which we have been fortunate in winning several awards) and our bags are to be found in the finest speciality shops and department stores in the United Kingdom and overseas. For years we have designed and made exclusive bag collections for clients (where volumes are sufficient) and bags bearing the logos of several world famous companies are made by Chapman & Company.

We all extensively use our award winning bags and expect them to last a very long time - we expect you will too!

John Chapman

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### Luggage Shoulder Bags

Top **KB12 Kendal**  
(12" x 11" x 3") 3 compartments including 1 zipped main section

Second Row Left **WM15 Windermere**  
(15" x 11" x 3") 4 compartments

Second Row Right **FL14 Fell**  
(14" x 11" x 4") 4 compartments including 1 zipped main section

Third Row Left **TB10 Twin Beck**  
(10" x 8" x 4") 3 compartments. Also available 12" wide

Third Row Right **RS16 Rambler**  
(16" x 11" x 4") 7 compartments including 2 main zipped sections

Bottom **BC09 Small Beck**  
(9" x 6" x 3") 1 compartment



Top Left **RK16 Rucksack**  
(16" x 10") Diameter 2 compartments

Right **CT15 Cumbrian Tote**  
(15" x 14" x 7") 4 compartments including 2 zipped sections

Bottom Left **RK18 Large Rucksack**  
(18" x 10") Diameter 3 compartments

Bottom Right **DB14 Duffle**  
(14" x 10") Diameter 2 compartments





## Briefcases

Top Left **BC15 Brough Folio Bag**  
(15" x 10" x 2") 3 compartments

Top Right **BC16 Brampton Briefcase**  
(16" x 10" x 4") 5 compartments, detachable adjustable shoulder strap

Bottom Left **KB17 Keswick Briefcase**  
(17" x 12" x 3") 5 compartments, detachable shoulder strap

Bottom Right **BC14 Bowness Folio Bag**  
(14" x 11" x 3") 5 compartments including 1 zipped section - detachable shoulder strap

All the above bags have wooden strengtheners.



## Shoulder/Overnight Bags

Top Left **EX16 Medium Explorer**  
(16" x 8" x 9") 9 compartments, including 2 main zipped sections

Top Right **HB17 Huntsman**  
(17" x 12" x 8") 5 compartments wooden strengthener

Bottom Left **EX21 Large Explorer**  
(21" x 9" x 12") 8 compartments, including 2 main zipped sections

Bottom Right **EX12 Small Explorer**  
(12" x 8" x 9") 9 compartments, including zipped main section

All above bags have brass feet, fully adjustable shoulder straps/handgrips.



## Travel Bags

Top Left **SF14 Baby Safari**  
(14" x 11" x 10") 6 compartments including zipped main section

Top Right **GB18 Shap Grip**  
(18" x 12" x 9") 4 compartments including zipped main section

Bottom Left **SF18 Medium Safari**  
(18" x 13" x 12") 7 compartments including zipped main section

Bottom Right **SF24 Large Safari**  
(24" x 13" x 12") 7 compartments including zipped main section

Also available **SF30 Giant Safari**  
(30" x 14" x 14") 7 compartments including zipped main section

All safari bags have fully adjustable detachable wide shoulder straps.

All bags have brass feet.



Top Left **SD18 Small Hunting Bag**  
(18" x 13" x 14") 2 compartments, wooden strengthener

Top Right **SD21 Large Hunting Bag**  
(21" x 15" x 14") 2 compartments, wooden strengthener

Also available **SD26 Giant Hunting Bag** (26" x 15" x 14") 2 compartments

Bottom Left **SC24 Suitcase**  
(24" x 15" x 9") 3 compartments, including 2 zipped sections, base reinforcement

Also available **SC27 Large Suitcase**  
(27" x 18" x 10") 3 compartments, including 2 zipped sections, base reinforcement

Bottom Right **WF21 Weekend/Flight**  
(21" x 15" x 8") 4 sections, including 2 zipped sections, base reinforcement

All above have brass feet, fully adjustable detachable shoulder straps and handgrips.



## Garment Carriers

Left **SB23 Suiter**  
(23" x 21" x 3") (folded) 3 compartments,  
including 2 zipped sections

Right **GC23 Garment Carrier**  
(23" x 22" x 8") (folded) 4 compartments,  
including wooden strengthener, hanger  
mechanism and 2 hangers



Photograph illustrates quality, strength  
and colour matching of our stitching.

## Material Specifications

The following main components are carefully selected and continuously monitored for consistent quality.

### Cloth

Fine multi-layered cotton canvas bonded together with natural rubber, which is both rot and waterproof.

### Leather

Best leather strappings and bindings, specially prepared to our own requirements.

### Brass Fittings

Buckles, rings, slides, loops, studs and snap-links are cast of solid brass (brass plated fittings may eventually rust, damaging leather and canvas) our D-rings, slides, loops and rings are solid cast construction and not joined, eliminating a potential area of weakness.

### Shoulder Straps

Wide strong cotton webbing is used which, wherever possible continues right around the bags for additional strength.

### Zips

We use the heaviest zips obtainable and sew them into the bag with not one, but two rows of heavy stitching.

### Thread

Heavy duty abrasion resistant mountaineering type thread is used which is also lubricated for rot-proofing.

Seams are stitched at least twice for strength with thread which is specially dyed to match our canvases and leathers.

### Quality Control

Every bag is examined several times both during and after construction. Bags will only be approved and initialled by the final examiner when we are satisfied that every detail is as perfect as possible.

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