

PARIS COMMUNE 1871 – BIBLIOGRAPHY OF WORKS IN ENGLISH

*This is a work in progress – please contact me with corrections and suggested additions.
Its genesis lies in a list of material in my personal collection and a further list of works I was looking for,
hence the lack of some bibliographical details. As well as extending it through additions, I intend gradually
to add more comments to the items listed. I hope to extend it in the future to works in English by
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| CPGB | Communist Party of Great Britain |
| Illust. | illustrations |
| IWMA | International Working Men's Association |
| lf | large format |
| nd | no date |
| p | pamphlet |
| p.o.d. | Print-on-demand edition now available. |
| MML | Marx Memorial Library |
| MUP | Manchester University Press |
| SPGB | Socialist Party of Great Britain |
| tr | translated |
| WRP | Workers' Revolutionary Party |