

**The Castle and Regimental Museum, Royal Monmouthshire Royal  
Engineers (Militia)**

<b>Reference code:</b>	<b>DP3</b>
<b>Title:</b>	<b>Lieutenant-Colonel Lawrence Peterson, RMonRE(M), personal army papers</b>
<b>Dates:</b>	<b>1938-1940</b>
<b>Level of Description:</b>	<b>Fonds</b>
<b>Extent and medium</b>	<b>1 bundle</b>
<b>Name of creator(s):</b>	<b>Lawrence Peterson, Lieutenant- Colonel RMonRE(M)</b>

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**Administrative/Biographical History**

Lawrence Peterson was an officer in the Royal Engineers during the Second World War. He joined the Royal Monmouthshire Royal Engineers (Militia) as a Captain in 1948, was promoted to Major in 1951, and Lieutenant Colonel in 1962. He was commanding officer of the Regiment from 1962-1963.

**Scope and Content**

A small bundle of papers relating to the army career of Lieutenant-Colonel Peterson

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**Archivists note:**

Description compiled by Rosemary Boyns, consultant archivist. Description completed June 2009, as part of a project part-financed by AMOT and WAG through the Museums Small Grants Scheme.

<b>Level</b>	<b>Reference</b>	<b>Former ref.</b>	<b>Title/description, extent and medium and related records</b>	<b>Dates</b>
Item	DP3/1	D131	Letter to L Peterson notifying him that he has been selected for appointment to the Supplementary Reserve of Officers, with the rank of Second Lieutenant (1 paper)	1938
Item	DP3/2	D137	Commission of Lawrence Peterson as Second Lieutenant in the Supplementary Reserve of Officers, Royal Engineers. With covering letter. (2 papers, in original envelope)	1938
Item	DP3/3	D144 (part)	Temporary Travel permit for Captain Lawrence Peterson to travel outside the zone of the British Army (1 paper, English and French)	1940
Item	DP3/4	D131	Letter informing L Peterson of his of appointment as Captain in the RMonRE(M) (1 paper)	1949
Item	DP3/5	D131	Notification of Officer "Casualty". Notification that L Peterson is appointed major in RMonRE(M) (1 paper)	1953