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

Reference code: DP40

Title: CSM James Guy, RE, personal

army papers

Dates: 1897- *c*1945

Level of Description: Fonds

Extent and medium 1 bundle

Name of creator(s): James Guy (1878-*c*1945), of

Swansea and Gower

## **Administrative/Biographical History**

James Guy was born near Swansea, and enlisted in the Royal Engineers in 1897. He served in South Africa from 1899-1901, and in the First World War. He was promoted to lance-corporal in 1899, and rose to be Company Sergeant Major in 1913.

#### **Scope and Content:**

Personal army papers of CSM James Guy

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## Language/scripts of material:

English

#### **Archivists note:**

Description compiled by Rosemary Boyns, consultant archivist. Description completed November 2011

Level	Reference	Former ref.	Title/description, extent and medium and related records	Dates
Item	DP40/1	D154	Record of Service of CSM James Guy (1 booklet, first 4 pages missing)	1897-1907
Item	DP40/2	D153	Warrant appointing James Guy Company Sergeant Major, Royal Engineers (1 paper)	1916
Item	DP40/3	D156	Circular letter from Officer Commanding No.4 District, thanking CSM Guy for his service in the war. (1 paper)	1919
Item	DP40/4	F62	Certicate granting the Croce al Merito di Guerra by the Italian government to CSM Guy (1 paper)	1919
Item	DP40/5	D155	Character certificate for CSM James Guy, on discharge from the army (1 paper)	1920
Item	DP40/6	C374	Photocopy of newscutting relating to the funeral of James Guy (1 paper)	n.d. <i>c.</i> 1945