

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

<b>Reference code:</b>	<b>DP9</b>
<b>Title:</b>	<b>Lieutenant-Colonel D A Smith, RMonRE(M), personal army papers</b>
<b>Dates:</b>	<b>1938-1951</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>David A Smith, Lieut.-Col RMonRE(M)</b>

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**Administrative/Biographical History**

David A Smith joined the Royal Engineers Reserve of Officers as a Second Lieutenant in 1938, and was posted to the Royal Monmouthshire Royal Engineers. In the postwar Regiment, he became major and subsequently Lieutenant Colonel, serving as Commanding Officer 1952-1955.

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<b>Level</b>	<b>Reference</b>	<b>Former ref.</b>	<b>Title/description, extent and medium and related records</b>	<b>Dates</b>
Item	DP9/1	D268	Commission of David Arthur Smith as Second Lieutenant in the Royal Engineers Reserve (1 paper)	1938
Item	DP9/2		Copy of citation for award of Military Cross to Lieutenant D A Smith for his actions in Belgium (2 cards, photocopies)	1940
Item	DP9/3	D270	Certificate of mention in despatch for distinguished service of Major D A Smith in anti-terrorist campaign in Malaya with 26 <sup>th</sup> Gurkha Brigade  (1 paper)	1951