

## **M/L Montgomeryshire Lieutenancy**

A small quantity of militia records survive, mostly for the Napoleonic period. For the history of the Montgomery Regiment of Militia see Mont Colls xvi, pp 117-124 and xvii, pp 181-232. From 1804 it was styled the Royal Montgomery Regiment of Militia. A local regiment, the Royal Eastern Montgomery Regiment of Local Militia, was raised in 1809. Between 1831 and 1852 there was no training or recruitment. The regiment was revived in 1852 and formed into a rifle corps, the Royal Montgomery Rifles. In 1881 it was restyled the 4<sup>th</sup> Battalion of the South Wales Borderers.

A Montgomery Volunteer Legion was raised by Charles Watkin Williams Wynn in 1803. In 1809 its infantry transferred to the local militia. There remained the Volunteer Cavalry, otherwise called the Yeoman Cavalry. This was disbanded in 1828 and raised again in 1831. On the history of the Volunteers see Mont Colls xiii, pp 1-22. For other records connected with the militia see M/Q/AX/1, M/Q/CR/2, M/Q/RQ.

### **/M Lieutenancy Meetings**

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| /1 | Minute book of general meetings of HM lieutenancy, including details of ballots relating to service  | 1813-1815 |
| /2 | Minute book of sub-division meetings for the hundreds of Montgomery and Cause, for receiving lists of those fit to serve and for choosing those to serve. Includes lists by parishes | 1798-1804 |
| /3 | Minute book of sub-division meetings for the hundred of Montgomery, relating to enrolments, ballotings, appeals  | 1808-1831 |

### **/R Regimental Books**

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| /1 | Regimental book of the Royal Montgomery Regiment of Militia and the Montgomery Yeomanry Cavalry.<br><br>Lists deputy lieutenants for the county in 1816, with dates of commission from 1803 and additions to 1820; details of military divisions of the county, with names of clerks, c1816, with changes to 1845; the establishment of the RMR c1816, with lists of officers and dates of commission and notes to 1842; lists of men enrolled, 1817-1831, arranged under sub-divisions, giving parish, age and comment; the establishment of the MYC for the years 1818, 1819, 1820 and 1831, with names of officers, dates of commission from 1803 and additions to 1844. | 1816-1845 |
| /2 | Enrolment book of the Royal Montgomery Regiment of Militia, later the Royal Montgomery Rifles. Gives age, parish, details of discharge or further enlistment  | 1852-1875 |
| /3 | Royal Montgomery Rifles, reports on defaulters. Only 4 entries  | 1856      |
| /4 | Muster rolls, Montgomery Yeomanry Cavalry. Gives annual muster, with names of "effectives", abode and parish, for the years 1852-1856, 1858,  | 1852-1867 |

1860-1861 and 1863-1867

**/L Royal Eastern Montgomery Local Militia**

/1	Letter book (in and out) of the Colonel, Lord Clive	1809-1813
/2	Letter book (in and out) of the Colonel, Lord Clive	1813-1816
/3	Letter book of the quarter master and battalion clerk	1809-1817
/4	Cash book of the quarter master and battalion clerk	1809-1817
/5	Ledger	1809-1812
/6	Ledger (only two entries after 1817)	1812-1829
/7	Order book of Captain Adjutant Farmer, with daily orders for annual camps in May-June	1809-1812
/8	Proceedings upon courts martial	1811-1813
/9	Captain George Thomas, <i>The local militia paymaster or military friend</i> , London 1812. Enclosed is a covering letter from the author to the paymaster of the REMLM	1812
/10	Daily report book, on printed forms	9-23 Jun 1813

**Montgomeryshire: Lord Lieutenancy and Advisory Committee** **Acc 359, 370**

/M	Minutes file of Advisory Committee (Lieut 7)	1954-1973
/M	Agenda file (Lieut 8)	1965-1961

**/APP Appointments and Retirements files**

/1	Commission of peace (lists justices) (formerly in Lieut 27: M/L/APP/21)	2 May 1878
/2	Record of appointments and retirements	1921, 1933-1957
/3-13	Files relating to appointments, 1941-1945, 1951-1954, 1956, 1957-1959, 1959-1960, 1960-1962, 1962-1966, 1967, 1968-1974, 1975-1981, 1982 (Lieut 2/2-8, 12-14)	1941-1982
/14	Lists of names submitted for appointment as magistrates (Lieut 2/11)	c1969-1975
/15	Lists of justices (active)	c1943-1985
/16	Lists of justices by divisions (Lieut 20)	1960-1963
/17	Supplemental list of justices	c1961-1985
/18	Supplemental list of justices authorised to sit in Crown Court to age 72 (Lieut 36)	1973-1982

/19	List of Justices	Nov 1970
/20	Resignations and retirements of justices: transfers to Supplemental List and between benches (Lieut 14)	1958-1980
/21	Commission of peace (given as "Secretaryship of Advisory Committee) (Lieut 34)	1968-1973
/22	Oaths of allegiance ("649")	1957-1971
/23	Personal particulars (Lieut 30)	c1976-1981
/24	Recommendations not placed on Potential List or subsequently removed (Lieut 38)	1968-1973
<b>/CORR Other Correspondence Files</b>		
/1	General correspondence (Lieut 1)	1938-1950
/2	Miscellaneous correspondence (Lieut 4)	1952-1983
/3	Constitution of advisory committee (Lieut 3)	1950-1982
/4	Deputy Lieutenants (Lieut 12)	1945-1983
/5-6	Royal visits (including Radnor area) (Lieut 32)	1977-1982, 1980-1983
/7	Annual magisterial report to Lord Chancellor (Lieut 18)	1962-1974
/8	County War Memorial (Lieut 12)	1948-1978
/9	Local Government in Wales (Lieut 29)	1969-1978
/10	Directories, Practice Notes and Precedents (Lieut 9)	1948-1982
/11	Establishment of benches (Lieut 37)	1976-1978
<b>/X Other Items</b>		
/1	Sentencing exercises	1969-1972