

Reference code: GB165-0061

Title: Sir Patrick Coghill Collection

Name of creator: Coghill, Sir Marmaduke Nevill Patrick Somerville (1896-1981) Baronet

Dates of creation of material: 1941-1945

Level of description: Fonds

Extent: 1 box

Biographical history: COGHILL, Sir Marmaduke Nevill Patrick Somerville, 6th Bt. Born 18 March 1896. Educated Haileybury. Joined Royal Artillery in 1915 and served in France until the armistice and afterwards in Turkey and Iraq. Succeeded father, 1921. Commanded 86th (Hertfordshire Yeomanry), Fd Regt RA TA, 1939-1941 and served in the Middle East, 1941-1945. Col., Arab Legion, Jordan, 1952-1956. Died 6 January 1981.

Scope and content: Diary and notes, 1941-1945 (bound typed version and original 3 vols. of notebooks; autobiography 'Before I Forget' (bound photocopy). Photographic Collection.

Access conditions: Open

Language of material: English

Conditions governing reproduction: No restrictions on copying or quotation other than statutory regulations and preservation concerns

Immediate source of acquisition: Photographs given by Sir Patrick Coghill, May 1973; papers given by Nevill Coghill (brother), 15 May 1976

Location of copies: With the Coghill family

Related Units of Description:

In Other Repositories

Imperial War Museum, Department of Documents: Coghill Memoirs and Diary 1916-1945

Finding aids: In Guide; Handlist

Archivist's note: Fonds level description created by C. Brown 13 Aug 1998 and revised by D. Usher 9 January 2006. Item level description created by D. Usher 9 January 2006

ITEM LEVEL DESCRIPTION OF THE SIR PATRICK COGHILL COLLECTION

1 Diaries

1/1	MS Diary	Aug 1941 – Jul 1945	1 vol
1/2	TS Diary and Notes	1941-1945	1 vol

2 Notes on Wartime Jottings

2/1	MS Notes on Wartime Jottings Vol 1	26 Mar 1962	1 vol
2/2	MS Notes on Wartime Jottings Vol 2	[1962]	1 vol

3 Autobiography

3/1	MS photocopy of the autobiography 'Before I forget...' by Patrick Coghill	1963	1 vol
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