

**Reference code:** GB165-0113

**Title:** William Fraser Collection

**Name of creator:** Fraser, William Archibald Kenneth (1886-1969) Major-General

**Dates of creation of material:** 1912-1919

**Level of description:** Fonds

**Extent:** 230 sheets

**Biographical history:** Fraser, William Archibald Kenneth (1886-1969) Major-General  
Served European War 1914-1919. A.Q.M.G. 1919-1920; Inspector General, South Persia  
Rifles, 1920-1921; Military Attaché at Kabul, 1922-1924, Tehran 1924-1928; Military  
Secretary to the Governor of Bengal, 1930-1932; General Staff Officer 1st Grade, Lahore  
District 1936-1937; Commander Mhaw Brigade Area India from 1937; Divisional  
Commander India, 1941. Retired 1941, re-employed until 1945.

**Scope and content:** Photocopies and some typed transcripts of diaries kept while stationed  
in Persia with his regiment, the Central India Horse, 29 Mar 1912 – Dec 1919.

**System of arrangement:** Chronological

**Access conditions:** Open

**Language of material:** English

**Physical Condition:** Some portions of text very faint

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

**Custodial history:** In the possession of Major-General Fraser and his widow

**Immediate source of acquisition:** Photocopies acquired from Mrs. Cicely Fraser (widow)  
July 1971

**Location of originals:** Probably with the Frasers' daughter Ann or her son

**Location of copies:** A second copy was made for deposit in the Imperial War Museum

**Finding aids:** In Guide; Handlist

**Archivist's note:** Fonds level description created by Clare Brown 19 Nov 1998 and revised  
by Debbie Usher 10 Dec 2019