

Badge:

DIARY OF EVENTS

(Record of changes of location, designation and operational moves)

Mar 1827	-	Formed as a <u>Service Coy</u> at WOOLWICH
Nov 1828	-	CHATHAM
Nov 1830	-	BARBADOS
Mar 1832	-	<u>Re-titled</u> 15 Coy
Apr 1848	-	Formed as a <u>Survey Coy</u> in the UK
1848	-	LIVERPOOL
	-	DONCASTER
	-	YORK
Apr 1853	-	GLASGOW
Sep 1854	-	NEWCASTLE
Nov 1854	-	GLASGOW
1863	-	PERTH
1865	-	INVERNESS
1866	-	SOUTHAMPTON
Nov 1872	-	INVERNESS
Jan 1875	-	BRISTOL
Jul 1876	-	EDINBURGH
Mar 1877	-	SOUTHAMPTON
1929	-	<u>Absorbed</u> into Survey Bn at Southampton
Aug 1932	-	Formed as a <u>Fd Svy Coy</u> at FAREHAM
Sep 1939	-	FRANCE
Jun 1940	-	UK
Jul 1940	-	ICELAND
Apr 1941	-	BECKHAMPTON
Sep 1941	-	EGYPT
Jul 1942	-	PERSIA
May 1943	-	N. AFRICA
Feb 1944	-	ITALY
Sep 1945	-	AUSTRIA

- Feb 1947 - Disbanded
- Feb 1947 - Formed as a Fd Svy Coy in EGYPT
- Oct 1948 - Joined 42 Svy Engr Regt, at FAYID in Egypt, and redesignated
A Topo Sqn
- Aug 1948 - Detached from Regt to JORDAN
- Oct 1952 - CYPRUS
- Sep 1953 - IRAQ
- Oct 1955 - 42 Regt moves to Cyprus, with Sqn still under comd
- Dec 1958 - Sqn joins Regt at CYPRUS, but with two Tps in Aden
- May 1959 - Rest of Sqn joins the two Tps in ADEN
- Late 1960 - BAHREIN
- 1961 - MUHARRAQ for Kuwait emergency
- Mar 1963 - ADEN
- Jun 1963 - 42 Regt to Barton Stacey, Sqn still under comd
- Nov 1963 - Sqn joins Regt at BARTON STACEY
- Jan 1973 - Redesignated a Geodetic Sqn
- Jun 1976 - Redesignated a Topo Sqn

- Oct 1985 - 42 Regt disbands and Sqn moves to HERMITAGE to come under
Comd of newly formed 42 Svy Engr Gp

- Jun 1996 - 2 week svy task – NI
- Jul-Sep 1996 - BOSNIA
- 3 Oct-7 Nov 1996 - CYPRUS (Ex Trig Med 96)

Mar 1827	-	Capt C Rivers	1939	-	Lt Col R Ll. Brown
1829	-	Lt D Heatley	1940	-	Maj R H Denniss
Mar 1829	-	Capt H H Wilson	1942	-	Maj F Q Mansfield
			1945	-	Maj J R Hyatt
1848	-	Capt J S Hawkins	1945	-	Maj A J Herbert
			1948	-	Maj Walmsley-White
1852	-	Capt J Bayly	1949	-	Maj D J Suter
			1950	-	Maj J W Taylor
1862	-	Capt F E Pratt	1951	-	Maj W L Covington
1866	-	Capt R M Parsons	1952	-	Maj G S J Garwood
1873	-	Capt G H Bollard	1953	-	Maj D M Gunn MBE
Dec 1875	-	Capt a Hill	May 1956	-	Maj J A H West
Jul 1876	-	Capt F W Nixon	Jun 1958	-	Maj D V Hutchinson
Oct 1878	-	Capt W St G Burke	1959	-	Maj G A Hardy
Mar 1883	-	Maj A A W Beamish	1959	-	Maj I D Hart
Jul 1887	-	Capt E R Hussey	1961	-	Maj G J F Holden
Sep 1889	-	Capt M E Bisset	1963	-	Maj W D Rushworth
Mar 1892	-	Capt S C N Grant	1965	-	Maj P J Hunt
Feb 1895	-	Maj C E Haynes	1966	-	Maj N J D Prescott MBE
Oct 1895	-	Capt R P Lee	Jul 1967	-	Maj H C Honeyman MBE
Oct 1899	-	Capt W C Hedley	Jul 1969	-	Maj R J Clint
Jul 1904	-	Capt P T Denis de Vitre	Feb 1971	-	Maj G R Cronchey
Juyl 1908	-	Capt C St B Sladen	Aug 1973	-	Maj J W Williams
Apr 1911	-	Capt J E E Craster	Dec 1974	-	Maj M A Nolan
1911	-	Capt G A P Brown	May 1977	-	Maj G P G Robinson
Dec 1913	-	Capt J g Hearson	Nov 1979	-	Maj M J Stainbridge
1916	-	Maj A C Robinson	1981	-	Maj J D A Dean
Apr 1920	-	Lt R D Davies	Nov 1982	-	Maj T J Zarichak
Oct 1920	-	Capt E H M Clifford MC	Feb 1985	-	Maj J F Collins
Mar 1925	-	Capt K M Papworth MC	Aug 1986	-	Maj A R T Wardrop
Oct 1925	-	Capt C S V Cooke MC	Nov 1989	-	Maj S M Anderson
Jan 1927	-	Lt N A M Swettenham	11 Dec 1995	-	Maj A P Honey
Aug 1932	-	Capt F O Metford			
Nov 1933	-	Lt L F de Vic. Carey			
Jan 1935	-	Capt S G Hudson			
1938	-	Capt H C Smith			

SUMMARY OF REGTS

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