

Badge: yellow Key on a blue diamond (in 1963)

DIARY OF EVENTS

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

Mar 1772	-	Raised at GIBRALTAR as a <u>Soldier Artificer Coy</u>
1779-1783	-	In Great Siege of Gibraltar
Jun 1786	-	Divided to form a second coy
Jun 1797	-	Incorporated in corps of Royal Military Artificers as <u>1st Gibraltar Coy</u>
Sep 1806	-	Temporarily numbered <u>9 Coy</u>
Sep 1811	-	Re-titled <u>1 Coy of 1st Bn</u>
Nov 1819	-	Re-titled <u>1 Coy</u>
Jul 1823	-	WOOLWICH
1825	-	CHATHAM
Jan 1827	-	GIBRALTAR
Jan 1834	-	WOOLWICH
Mar 1835	-	CHATHAM
Apr 1836	-	WOOLWICH
May 1838	-	CANADA
1839	-	ST JOHNS, NEWFOUNDLAND
Nov 1842	-	WOOLWICH
1843	-	DUBLIN
1844	-	WOOLWICH
1845	-	CHATHAM
Nov 1846	-	BERMUDA
Jan 1852	-	WOOLWICH
May 1853	-	CHATHAM
Jan 1855	-	CRIMEA
May 1856	-	MALTA
Sep 1861	-	DEVONPORT
Oct 1864	-	ALDERSHOT
May 1865	-	CANADA
Dec 1869	-	BERMUDA
Apr 1873	-	MALTA

Jun 1874	-	DOVER
Jun 1876	-	SHORNCLIFFE
Apr 1878	-	CHATHAM
Jan 2879	-	SHORNCLIFFE
Jun 1880	-	HALIFAX, Nova Scotia
Aug 1882	-	GIBRALTAR
1885	-	Redesignated a <u>Fortress Coy</u>
Oct 1887	-	BERMUDA
May 1890	-	CHATHAM
Oct 1892	-	CORK
Jan 1903	-	GIBRALTAR
1915	-	GALLIPOLI
Jun 1915	-	FRANCE
	-	Redesignated an <u>Advance Pk Coy</u>
1916	-	Redesignated a <u>Base Pk Coy</u>
1919	-	<u>Disbanded</u>
Jul 1925	-	Formed, at GIBRALTAR, by redesignation of 15 Fortress Coy to <u>1 Fortress Coy</u>
1935	-	Reorganised as a mixed Defence Electric Light and AA Searchlight Coy
1948	-	Re-titled a <u>Fortress Sqn</u>
Feb 1950	-	Became a sub unit of The Fortress Regt on its formation at Gibraltar
Aug 1961	-	The Fortress Engr Regt disbanded, but Sqn remained in Gibraltar
Apr 1978	-	<u>Disbanded</u>

EDITION 3 (2000)

1 COY OCs

1772	-	Maj Gen W Green			
1783	-	Capt J Evelegh			
1786	-	Capt T Nepean	Jul 1925	-	Maj A D St C Bremner MC
1792	-		Jan 1926	-	Capt B K Young MC
1798	-	Capt S T Dickens	Sep 1926	-	Maj W E Britten OBE
1803	-	Lt C Mann	?	-	Maj H G Eady MC
1803	-	Lt t Fyers	Sep 1931	-	?
1803	-	Capt F Thackeray	Feb 1932	-	Maj R S Rait Kerr DSO MC
1805	-	Lt C S Rhodes			
1806	-	Capt H Evatt	1935	-	Maj D J McMullen
1811	-	Capt H Vavasour	Jan 1936	-	Capt E S de Brett
1812	-	Lt Col C W Rudyers	Mar 1937	-	Capt J H Amers
1813	-	Lt J S McCauley	Jan 1939	-	Maj J M Lambert
1814	-	Capt W C Ward			
1815	-	Capt A Fraser			
1815	-	Capt G F Thompson			
1821	-	Lt C McKenzie	1953	-	Maj H G Brayne
1822	-	Maj W B Tylden	Mar 1954	-	Maj Court
1824	-	Maj J N Wells			
1825	-	Capt T H Fenwick	1959	-	Maj P M Leslie-Jones
1834	-	Capt C Alexander	1960	-	Maj J Senior
1834	-	Capt r C Alderson	1961	-	Maj A Trimmer
1837	-	Capt C O Streatfield	Nov 1962	-	Maj Q Bowker
1838	-	Capt C Mackenzie	Aug 1964	-	Maj P S Wadsworth
1851	-	Capt J W Gordon	Jul 1966	-	Maj R J Little
1852	-	Capt G Ross	Feb 1968	-	Maj A j Hartley
1854	-	Capt W H Jesse	Feb 1970	-	Maj M J E Adams
1855	-	Capt J F M Browne	Apr 1972	-	Maj D L Mackay
1855	-	Capt E C De Moleyns	1974	-	Maj M E Ballard
1856	-	Capt A Durnford	May 1974	-	Maj J W R Mizen
1857	-	Capt W Porter	Aug 1988	-	Maj P D Luscombe
1859	-	Capt J M C Drake			
1864	-	Capt G Harris			
1866	-	Capt J M H Maitland			
1867	-	Capt E D Malcolm			
1870	-	Capt R M Sanford			

1896 - Maj M Martin

1896 - Capt H A L Patterson

1910 - Maj J W S Sewell

Dec 1914 - Capt J D Gemmill

SUMMARY OF REGTS

Fortress Engr Regt : Feb 1950 – Aug 1961