

Badge:

DIARY OF EVENTS

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

- Jun 1786 - Raised as a Soldier Artificer Company at GIBRALTAR when the original Company (1 Coy) was divided into two
- Jun 1797 - Incorporated in Corps of Royal Military Artificers as 2nd Gibraltar Company
- Sep 1806 - Temporarily numbered 10 Coy
- Sep 1811 - Retitled 2 Coy of 1st Bn
- Apr 1817 - WOOLWICH and disbanded
- Oct 1817 - 7 Coy of 4th Bn retitled 2 Coy of 1st Bn at ST HELENA
- Jan 1820 - Retitled 2 Coy
- Sep 1821 - WOOLWICH
- Jan 1833 - MAURITIUS
- 1842 - CHATHAM and WOOLWICH
- Oct 1844 - GIBRALTAR
- Sep 1850 - WOOLWICH
- Dec 1851 - GOSPORT
- May 1852 - CHATHAM
- Aug 1854 - BOMARSUND
- Oct 1854 - WOOLWICH
- Dec 1854 - CRIMEA
- Jun 1856 - GIBRALTAR
- Feb 1861 - CHATHAM
- Mar 1861 - ALDERSHOT
- Jan 1862 - KENSINGTON
- Mar 1862 - LONDON
- Jul 1863 - ALDERSHOT
- Jan 1864 - CHATHAM
- Nov 1864 - MAURITIUS
- May 1868 - CAPE OF GOOD HOPE
- Jul 1870 - CHATHAM
- Oct 1870 - SHORNCLIFFE

Jun 1876 - CHATHAM
 1877 - Redesignated a Field Company with a mounted section
 Apr 1872 - SHORNCLIFFE
 Dec 1878 - S. AFRICA and in Zulu War of 1879 and 1st Boer War of 1881
 Jul 1882 - CHATHAM
 Mar 1883 - PORTSMOUTH
 1883 - Redesignated a Fortress Company
 May 1887 - CORK
 Jul 1888 - CHATHAM
 Sep 1888 - MALTA
 Oct 1894 - EGYPT and in Atabara and Khartoum operations 1895-98
 Apr 1909 - Redesignated a Field Company
 Oct 1914 - HURSLEY PART, Sussex
 Nov 1914 - FRANCE with 8 Div
 Apr 1919 - HORSHAM
 Sep 1919 - EGYPT, Cairo
 Jan 1920 - PALESTINE, Ludd
 Mar 1920 - EGYPT, Cairo
 1921 - EGYPT, Abbassia
 Oct 1935 - EGYPT, Mersa Matruh
 Apr 1936 - EGYPT, Cairo
 Jun 1936 - PALESTINE operations
 Oct 1936 - EGYPT
 Sep 1939 - W. DESERT with 6 Div
 Feb 1940 - EGYPT, Cairo
 Apr 1940 - EGYPT, Abbassia
 Apr 1940 - W. DESERT
 Dec 1940 - LIBYA, Bardia
 Feb 1941 - EGYPT
 Apr 1941 - W. DESERT
 Jun 1941 - PALESTINE
 Jul 1941 - SYRIA
 Sep 1941 - W. DESERT
 Nov 1941 - LIBYA
 Jan 1942 - EGYPT
 Feb 1942 - SYRIA

- Mar 1942 - CEYLON with 16 Inf Bde
- Mar 1943 - INDIA, Piska with 70 Div
- May 1943 - BURMA, Arakan with 14 Inf Bde
- Jul 1943 - INDIA, Bangalore
- Nov 1943 - Reorganised into Commando Platoons
- Feb 1944 - BURMA as Cdo Plns for Long Range role with 16 Div
- May 1944 - INDIA, Bangalore
- Jul 1944 - Redesignated a Field Company (special)
- Mar 1945 - Redesignated a Field Company
- Nov 1945 - MALAYA
- Late 1946 - Absorbed by 54 Fd Coy
- May 1947 - Formed as a Field Company at ISERLOHN by retitling 244 Fd Coy
- Jul 1948 - Joined 23 Fd Engr Regt at Iserlohn and redesignated a Field Squadron
- Jan 1949 - Moved to HAMELN with the Regiment
- Jul 1950 - To DORTMUND with the Regiment
- May 1958 - On reorganisation of BAOR, 23 Regt disbanded and Sqn came under
HQRE 2 Div in support of 6 Inf Bde
- 1958 - Moved to MUNSTER in support of 6 Inf Bde
- Jul 1964 - Redesignated an Armoured Engineer Squadron
- Sep 1964 - Came under command of 32 Armd Engr Regt but remained at Munster
- Mar 1965 - To HOHNE to join the Regiment
- Apr 1959 - 32 Regt redesignated an Engineer Regiment and Armd Sqns no longer a
Part of the Regiment, but Sqn remained at Hohne and temporarily
remained under local command of 32 Regt
- Nov 1970 - To ISERLOHN to come under command of HQRE 4 Div
- Sep-Dec 1976 - In N. IRELAND under temporary command of 21 Engr Regt in the
infantry role
- Apr 1977 - Redesignated a Field Support Squadron and joined 26 Engr Regt, still
at Iserlohn
- Jan 1978 - 26 Regt retitled 3 Armd Div Engr Regt with Sqn under command and at
Iserlohn
- July-Nov 1978 - In N. IRELAND with the Regt in the Infantry role
- Jan 1981 - 3 Armd Div Engr Regt retitled 26 Engr Regt, still at Iserlohn and with
the Squadron under command
- 30 Sep 1994 - Sqn re-roled as 2 HQ Sqn and comes under Comd of 32 Engr Regt at
Hohne, on the disbandment of 26 Engr Regt

1792	-	Capt W Fyers			
1798	-	Lt G Whitmore			
1803	-	Lt H Goldfinch			
1803	-	Lt T Fyers			
1804	-	Lt C Rhodes			
1805	-	lt H M Kilvington			
1806	-	Capt G Landmann			
1811	-	Lt A Brown			
1813	-	Capt H A Colby			
1816	-	Capt J S McCauley			
1817	-	Sub Lt R Gibb			
1817	-	Maj A Emmett			
1821	-	Lt J Twiss			
1822	-	Capt J Harper			
1825	-	Lt M W Heath			
1825	-	Capt E Matson			
1826	-	Lt H G Bolders			
1826	-	Capt J H Elliott			
1826	-	Capt G V Tinling			
1828	-	Capt W D Smith			
1828	-	Lt T L Lewis			
1851	-	Capt J H Freeth	1869	-	Capt R Barton
1852	-	Capt G W Lovel	1879	-	Capt W R C Wynne
1854	-	Capt F W King	1879	-	Capt J Cameron
1855	-	Capt A A C Fisher	1881	-	Maj L C Mesurier
1856	-	Capt C W Barry			
1859	-	Capt L Hale			
1861	-	Capt J B Edwards			
1863	-	Capt R Harrison			
1864	-	Capt W A Frankland			
1864	-	Capt R M F Sandford			

Jul 1888	-	Capt G Godsall	1948	-	Maj J Gordon
Apr 1889	-	Capt R Thompson	1949	-	Maj W Byrde
Oct 1894	-	Capt g H Harrison	1950	-	Maj R G Lambert
Oct 1895	-	Capt L A Arkwright	1951	-	Maj J McDowell
Oct 1898	-	Capt G H Harrison	1951	-	Maj H G W Hamilton
Jun 1902	-	Capt G O Bigge	1952	-	Maj B S Bedall
Mar 1906	-	Capt A H Dumaresq	1952	-	Maj A J Wheatcroft
Dec 1908	-	Maj C S Wilson	1954	-	Maj A E J M Perkins
1911	-	Maj C E G Vesey	1957	-	Maj R S Genn MC
1915	-	Capt G B Pears	1959	-	Maj C T Holland
1915	-	Maj A H Brown	1961	-	Maj W J Reed
Apr 1918	-	Maj J R Grant	Jan 1963	-	Maj G B Sinclair
Jun 1918	-	Maj J H F Kendall	Jan 1965	-	Maj A M Pyne
Jul 1919	-	Maj K B S Crawford	Feb 1967	-	Maj J Lewins
1921	-	Maj W H Oxley MC	1968	-	Maj J J Stibbon
Nov 1924	-	Maj R E B Pratt DSO	Dec 1970	-	Maj S Jardine
Dec 1926	-	Bt Lt Col G G Waterhouse MC	Jan 1973	-	Maj W M Crawshaw
Dec 1927	-	Maj V E G Guinness	1975	-	Maj A J Wright
Nov 1930	-	Maj E Rait-Kerr	Mar 1977	-	Maj R A Bradbury
1935	-	Maj R H Maclaren MC	Mar 1979	-	Maj L A Bearder
1939	-	Maj G Topham	Apr 1981	-	Maj W M Foster
1939	-	Maj N Boddington	Feb 1983	-	Maj M W M Warren
1940	-	Maj N L Blandford	Oct 1984	-	Maj C B Chadwick
Sep 1940	-	Maj J M Guyon	Dec 1986	-	Maj R M P Winfield
Feb 1943	-	Maj J W Robinson	Dec 1988	-	Maj I S Cobley
Jul 1944	-	Capt D J Meek			
Aug 1944	-	Maj R C Orgill	1993	-	Maj G R Holland
1944	-	Capt R N Collins			
1944	-	Capt A Waxe			
1945	-	Maj G B Falconer			
1945	-	Maj A A Ross			
1945	-	Maj D C Cameron			
1946	-	Maj C J Oliver			
1946	-	Maj G F Blyth			
1947	-	Maj R Dinwiddie			
1947	-	Maj B B Spiridion			

SUMMARY OF REGTS

23 : Jul 1948 – May 1958

2 Div : May 1958 – Sep 1964

32 : Sep 1964 – Nov 1970

26 : Apr 1977 –

(includes 3 Armd Div Engr Regt)