

WAR DIARY

2/6th Bn. The Queen's Royal Regiment (West Surrey)

April 1943.

1st Apr. Leave ABU ? Arrive TAHAG.

2nd Apr. Maintenance & Interior Economy.

From 3rd to 19th illegible but basically they leave TAHAG by road and rail and arrive at BEN GARDANE.

20th Apr. Leave BEN GARDANE – Arrive GABES.

21st Apr. Leave GABES. Arrive Camp on SFAX road.

22nd Apr. Arrive 12 miles S. of ENFIDAVILLE at HERGLA.

23rd April. Bn. Takes over from 5 East Yorks West Edge.
Area shelled as Bn. Arrives – Fd. Amb. Pte. Killed. Maj. Blair Invirie (51 Highland Div.)
attached to advise with battle experience.

24th April. Spasmodic shelling. Conference & recces on.

26th April, Bn. Takes over from 25 Bn. NZ by night in area 2000x N.W. ENFIDAVILLE.

27th April. Shell kills 1 man of "B" Coy.

28th April. Bn. Ordered to attack Pt. 141 – Zero 0015 29th April.

29th April. Bn. Withdraws to olive grove owing to exceptionally heavy Mortar & Arty.
concentration. – fairly heavy casualties sustained (0945) & ? line.
9 R.F. take over left edge SRAFI (2000).

Lt. Col. Hugh Edward Wilson, (Killed in Action 29th April)
Comdg.

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