

8th (Service) Battalion (Pioneers) The Welsh Regiment

World War I

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Summary of Service:

August 1914: Formed at Cardiff (as a KI Battalion) - to Parkhouse Camp, Salisbury Plain in 40th Brigade part of 13th Division. About October 1914: to Chiseldon, Swindon. December 1914: Bournemouth in billets. January 1915: Designated a Pioneer Battalion of 13th Division. February 1915: North Camp Aldershot, Hampshire. 15th June 1915: sailed from Avonmouth for Mudros. 5th August 1915: landed at Anzac Cove, Gallipoli. December 1915: left Gallipoli. January 1916: Left Egypt. February 1916 to Mesopotamia. 31st October 1918: Delli Abbas, North East of Baghdad, Mesopotamia as Pioneer Battalion of 13th Division.

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