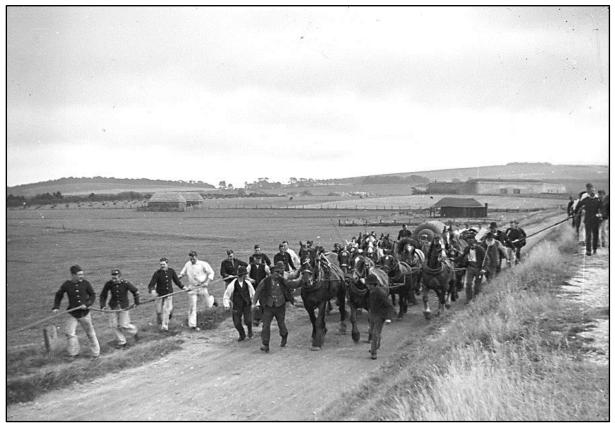
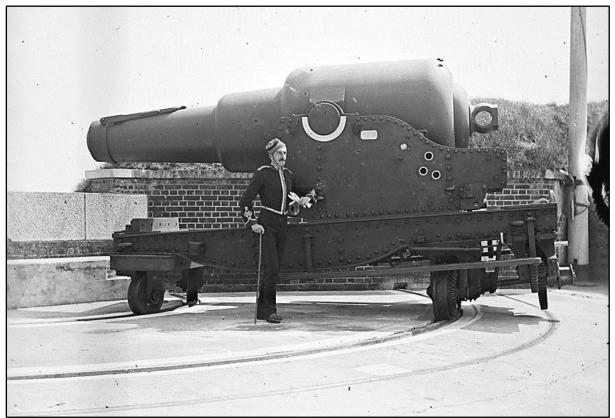
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Doubling 18-Ton Gun. An 18 ton gun being transported along **Culver Parade from Sandown Fort. Circa. 1890-1914** IWCMS.2012.88



18 Ton Gun - Through the Street. An 18 ton gun being hauledthrough the streets of Sandown. Circa. 1890-1914IWCMS.1995.532



A Woolwich Infant. A Woolwich Infantry soldier poses with an 11 inch rifled muzzle loading gun at Puckpool barracks. Circa. 1890-1914

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IOW Yeomanry on the March. Yeomanry officers on horseback ride through the streets. Circa. 1890-1914 IWCMS.1995.538



IOW Fusiliers - Between the lines. Rows of tents and weapons belonging to the Royal Fusiliers camped at Sandown. Circa. 1880-1914

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A group of Royal Fusiliers camped at Sandown. Circa. 1900 IWCMS.1995.535



Fusiliers - The Camp Kitchen.The Royal Fusiliers camp kitchen atSandown.Circa.1880-1914IWCMS.2012.71



Fusiliers – A Barbarous Lot. Members of the Royal Fusilierswaiting to have their hair cut outside one of the Island's forts.Circa. 1900WCMS.2012.78

Before the outbreak of the First World War the 4th Battalion, The Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment) were based in Parkhurst Barracks and manned the Island's forts.

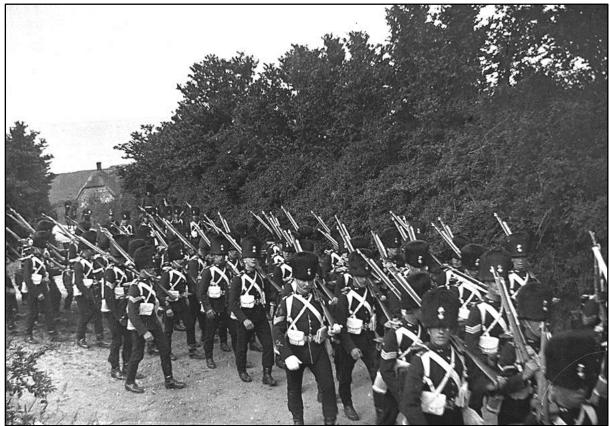


Fusiliers 'under cover' on Esplanade. Royal Fusiliers carrying out a training exercise on Sandown Esplanade. Circa. 1900

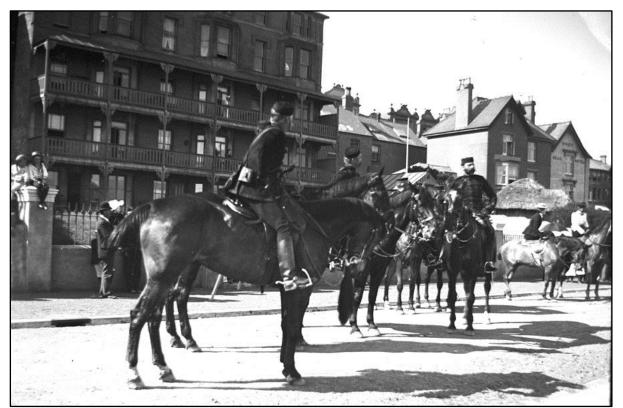
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Fusiliers - In Marching Order. Members of the Royal Fusiliers band preparing to march from their Sandown camp. Circa. 1880-1914 IWCMS.2012.95



Fusiliers - The Departure.Members of the Royal Fusiliers marchingdown an Island Iane.Circa.1900IWCMS.2012.93



I.W. Rifle Vol. - Prince Henry and Staff. Prince Henry of Battenberg in his role as Honorary Colonel of the 'Isle of Wight Rifles' along with his staff. The picture dates to pre-November 1895 when Prince Henry left to fight in West Africa. Circa. 1880-1895



IOW Rifle Volunteers off to Camp. The 'Isle of Wight Rifles' volunteers march through Sandown on their way to camp. The Railway Hotel is visible on the right and in the centre is WW Joliffe, Estate Agents. Circa. 1890-1914



I.W. Rifle Vol. Defending the Shore. 'The Isle of Wight Rifles' volunteers shooting practice on Sandown promenade. Used cartridges can be seen on the pavement. Circa. 1900 IWCMS.1995.536

At the start of World War One the 'The Isle of Wight Rifles' volunteers, took over the running of the Island's forts when the professional 'Royal Fusiliers' (City of London Regiment) where sent to France with the BEF (British Expeditionary Force), landing at Le Harve on the 13 August 1914.



The Freshwater branch of the 'Army Temperance Association' atthe Egypt Tea Lawns, Cowes. August 1911IWCMS.1995.4347