



The King's Badge

It was in March 1918 that HM King George V on a visit to the Depot at Deal directed that in future the Senior Squad under training should be designated the King's Squad, and that the best all-round recruit should wear the Royal Cypher on his left shoulder as 'King's Badgeman' throughout his career in the Corps. CSgt W G Peters DSM, MSM (pictured left) was one of the first to win this award, as Society Member Peter Pennell explains on the opposite page.