

CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS
OF KNIGHTHOOD.

*St. James's Palace, S.W.1,
1st January 1935.*

The KING has been graciously pleased to make the following Awards of the Kaisar-i-Hind Medal of the First Class for Public Services in India:—

- Brenda, Mrs. Cotesworth (wife of C. G. Cotesworth, Esq., Loco Superintendent, Bombay, Baroda and Central India Railway, Ajmer), Ajmer-Merwara.
- Margaret Edmondson, Mrs Gibson (wife of Reymond Evelyn Gibson, Esq., C.I.E., I.C.S., Commissioner in Sind), Bombay.
- Margaret Mary Crick, Lady Irving (wife of Sir Miles Irving, C.I.E., O.B.E., lately Financial Commissioner, Punjab).
- Margaret, Lady Page (wife of Sir Arthur Page, Chief Justice of Burma), Burma.
- Alice Henrietta, Lady Stokes (wife of Sir Hopetoun Stokes, K.C.I.E., C.S.I., I.C.S., Member of the Executive Council of the Governor of Madras), Madras.
- Reginald John Hands Cox, Esq., Church Missionary Society, Doctor-in-Charge of the Afghan Mission Hospital, Peshawar, North-West Frontier Province.
- Kottil Walappil Parameswara Marar, Esq., I.C.S., Officiating Deputy Commissioner, Nowgong, Assam.
- The Reverend Arnold Claude Pelly, Principal, St. Andrew's College, Gorakhpur, United Provinces.
- Gottfried Oram Teichmann, Esq., Medical Missionary of the Baptist Mission, Chandraghona, Chittagong Hill Tracts, Bengal.

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The KING has been graciously pleased to approve of the Award of the Medal of the Military Division of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire to the under-mentioned:—

For Meritorious Service.

- Chief Petty Officer Charles James Thurgill Hill, Royal Canadian Navy.
- Flight Sergeant Harry Johnson Winny, Royal Canadian Air Force.

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The KING has been graciously pleased to approve of the Award of the Medal of the Civil Division of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire to the undermentioned:—

For Gallantry:—

- Babu Ranjit Singh, Tahsildar, United Provinces, India.

When this Revenue Officer one night was in the neighbourhood of village Jharwan in the Saharanpur District he received information that a gang of twenty-five dacoits armed with short guns and lathis were attacking the house of a wealthy Bania. He collected four men and proceeded at once to the village and attacked the dacoits, his only weapon being a pistol. When two of his men had been wounded and his pistol had temporarily jammed, he continued to attack. Eventually, after wounding one of the dacoits, he succeeded in driving them off, and thus, by his prompt action and conspicuous bravery, was able to stop a very serious dacoity.

Albert Rienzi de Livera, Inspector, Mount Lavinia Police Station, Ceylon.

For conspicuous courage in arresting a notorious criminal who after assaulting a man named Romiel Perera, had tied him to a tree and had threatened to stab anyone attempting a rescue.

No one else had dared to approach the criminal who was armed with a chopper, and on seeing the Police party, advanced towards the Inspector but changing his mind cut Romiel Perera on the side of the neck. Before he could repeat the blow, Inspector de Livera was on him, and after a severe struggle in which the man also attacked the Inspector and a Constable with a kris knife the Inspector disarmed him and took him into custody.

Romiel Perera was bleeding profusely from a gaping wound on the left side of the neck which had completely severed an artery. Inspector de Livera immediately applied digital pressure to the artery and took him in a motor car to the Lunawa Hospital, about four miles away. During the journey, with the assistance of the Constable, he continued to apply the digital pressure necessary to arrest the bleeding. The injured man eventually recovered.

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For Meritorious Service:—

- Edward Bartlett, Chief Officer, Class I., Prison Service.
- Miss Hilda Mary Braithwaite, Sorting Clerk and Telegraphist, Bridlington Post Office.
- Henry Joseph Burnett, Engineering Inspector, London Trunk Exchange, General Post Office.
- John Campbell, Second Steward, Post Office Cable Ships.
- Charles Checkley, until recently Postman, Western District Office, General Post Office.