St. James's Palace, S.W.1, 2nd January 1939.

The KING has been graciously pleased to give orders for the following appointments to the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire:-

To be Commanders of the Military Division of the said Most Excellent Order:-

William Engineer Rear-Admiral Henry Wildish.

Captain Frederick Rodney Garside, R.N.

The Reverend John Walter Barnwell Moore, M.A., K.H.Ch., R.N.

To be Officers of the Military Division of the said Most Excellent Order:-

Captain Henry Leonard Ivers Kirkpatrick, R.N. (Retired).

Paymaster - Commander Charles Assheton Bowen, R.N.

Lieutenant-Commander Hugh Charles Skinner, R.N.

Captain William Foggie Keay, V.D., R.N.V.R. Commander Harold Leopold Quick, R.A.N. (Auxiliary Services).

To be Members of the Military Division of the said Most Excellent Order:-

Lieutenant George Henry Warren, R.N. Shipwright Lieutenant Edgar Bertie Mitchell,

Lieutenant-at-Arms Samuel James Bennellick, R.N. (Retired).

Paymaster Lieutenant Charles Albert Gill, R.N.

Commissioned Engineer Henry Hannaford,

Lieutenant (E) John Dudley Owens, R.A.N. Commissioned Gunner George Henry Copeland, R.A.N.

CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD.

St. James's Palace, S.W.1, 2nd January 1939.

The KING has been graciously pleased to give orders for the following promotions in, and appointments to, the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire:-

To be Commanders of the Military Division of the said Most Excellent Order:-

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel John Buyart Trounce Barbary, O.B.E., T.D., Ewart Trounce Barbary, O.B.E., T.D., Royal Artillery, Territorial Army, Officer Commanding 56th (Cornwall) Anti-Aircraft Brigade, Royal Artillery, Territorial Army.

Colonel John Bernard Gawthorpe, Territorial Army (Major, retired pay, Regular Army Reserve of Officers, The West Yorkshire Regiment (The Prince of Wales's Own)), late Officer Commanding 7th (Leeds Rifles) Battalion, The West Yorkshire Regiment (The Prince of Wales's Own) Territorial Army.

Colonel (local Brigadier) Reginald Howlett, D.S.O., M.C., Inspector-General of the West Indian Local Forces, and Officer Commanding the Troops, Jamaica.

CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS | Colonel Arthur Morrell Johnson, M.C., T.D., OF KNIGHTHOOD.

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Colonel Arthur Morrell Johnson, M.C., T.D., Territorial Army, Assistant Director of Medical Services, 42nd (East Lancashire) Division, Territorial Army.

> Colonel (temporary Brigadier) Hanbury Pawle, O.B.E., Territorial Army (Captain, retired pay, late The Royal Berkshire Regiment (Princess Charlotte of Wales's)), Commander, 161st (Essex) Infantry Brigade, Territorial Army.

> Colonel William Albert Robertson, M.C., M.D., Territorial Army, Assistant Director of Medical Services, 51st (Highland) Division, Territorial Army.

> Colonel Vernon Ashton Hobart Sturdee, D.S.O., O.B.E., Australian Staff Corps, Director of Staff Duties, Army Headquarters, Australian Military Forces.

> Honorary Colonel George Lestock Thornton, M.C., T.D., 43rd (Wessex) Divisional Royal Army Medical Corps, Territorial Army (Colonel, retired, late Territorial Army).

> Colonel Ronald Morse Weeks, D.S.O., M.C., Territorial Army, late Officer Commanding 5th Battalion, The South Lancashire Regiment (The Prince of Wales's Volunteers), Territorial Army.

> To be Officers of the Military Division of the said Most Excellent Order:-

> Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel Richard Baron, T.D., Officer Commanding 55th (West Lancashire) Divisional Signals, Royal Corps of Signals, Territorial Army.

> Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel Harold Powell Crosland, M.C., T.D., Territorial Army, late Officer Commanding 99th (Buckinghamshire and Berkshire Yeomanry) Army Field Brigade, Royal Artillery, Territorial Army.

> Major Stanley Herbert Crump, New Zealand Staff Corps. Deputy Quarter-Master-General and Director of Supplies and Transport, Army Headquarters, New Zealand Military Forces.

> Lieutenant (Quarter-Master) (local Captain)
> Richard Element, D.C.M., Territorial Army Reserve of Officers, Staff Captain "Q," The Nigeria Regiment, Royal West African Frontier Force.

> Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel William Allen Foulkes, T.D., late Officer Commanding, 2nd Cavalry Divisional Royal Army Service Corps, Territorial Army.

> Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel Edward Norman Gardner, M.C., T.D., Officer Commanding 6th Battalion, The Gloucestershire Regiment, Territorial Army.

> Major Glyn Frank Jones, 18th King Edward VII.'s Own Cavalry, Indian Army, attached Burma Frontier Force.

> Lieutenant-Colonel Henry William Lucy, T.D., Officer Commanding 97th (Kent Yeomany) Army Field Brigade, Royal Artillery, Territorial Army.

> Major John Oscar Lawrence Mason, 3rd Battalion, 2nd Punjab Regiment, Indian

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel Harold Frederick Pearson, E.D., Ceylon Mounted Rifles Reserve.