I further bring to notice the services of Lieutenant E. J. Wolseley, who conducted the operations after Lieutenant Chapman left, and brought them to a satisfactory conclusion. Lieutenant Chapman reports that he received every assistance from Captain Booth (Assistant Resident) acting as Political Officer to the Force.

I bring forward the names of the following

native ranks:

2547 Sergeaut Dan Halide, "F" Company, 2nd Northern Nigeria Regiment.

3464 Private Garaba Kofa, "F" Company,

2nd Northern Nigeria Regiment.

1566 Company Sergeant-Major Amadu Yoruba, "E" Company, Mounted Infantry, Northern Nigeria Regiment.

973 Private Malam Bedee (since deserted), "E" Company, Mounted Infantry, Northern Nigeria Regiment.

3335 Lance-Corporal Danbebi Kano, Company, 2nd Northern Nigeria Regiment. 2128 Private Adetuna Ogbomoso, "F" Company, 2nd Northern Nigeria Regiment.

I recommend that an application be made for the African General Service Medal to be granted to the Officers and men who served in these operations under Lieutenants Chapman and Wolseley.

I have, &c.,

J. HASLER, Lieutenant-Colonel,

Acting Commandant.

His Excellency The High Commissioner, Northern Nigeria.

> War Office, 13th March, 1908.

The KING has been graciously pleased to give orders for the following appointments to the Distinguished Service Order, in recognition of the services of the undermentioned Officers during minor operations in East Africa, 1902-6, and in Northern and Southern Nigeria, 1906-7 respectively:-

l'o be Companions of the Distinguished Service

Order, viz.:

Captain and Brevet Major Ladislas Herbert Richard Pope-Hennessy, the Oxfordshire Light Infantry (employed with the King's African Rifles);

Lieutenant Frederick William Orby Maycock, the Suffolk Regiment (employed with the

King's African Rifles); in recognition of their services during minor expeditions in East Africa.

Captain William Charles Eric Rudkin, Royal Artillery (late employed with the West African Frontier Force), in recognition of his services with the Owa Column, during operations in Southern Nigeria.

Lieutenant Paul Chapman, the Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment), (employed with the West African Frontier Force), in recognition of his services with the Chibuk Expedition,

Northern Nigeria.

The undermentioned Soldiers have been selected for the West African Frontier Force Distinguished Conduct Medal:-

For gallant conduct during minor operations

in Northern Nigeria, 1906:—
No. 3223, Private Nomad Bamba;
No. 4178, Private Katon;

No. 3626, Private Danan;

of the Northern Nigeria Regiment.

For gallant conduct during minor expeditions in Southern Nigeria, 1906-7:-

No. 2313, Company Sergeant - Major Alien Jarfah;

No. 144, Sergeant Awudu Birini Kanu; No. 1569, Corporal Fajenyo;

of the Southern Nigeria Regiment.

For gallant conduct during the Chibuk Expedition, Northern Nigeria, 1906-7:—
No. 2547, Sergeant Dan Halide;

No. 3464, Private Garaba Kofa;

No. 1566, Company Sergeant - Major Amadu

No. 3335, Lance-Corporal Danbebi Kano; No. 2128, Private Adetuna Ogbomoso; of the Northern Nigeria Regiment.

Whitehall, March 12, 1908.

The KING has been pleased to give and grant unto Joseph Whitaker, Esq., His Majesty's Royal licence and authority to accept and wear the Insignia of Commander of the Order of St. Maurice and St. Lazarus, conferred upon him by His Majesty the King of Italy, in recognition of valuable services rendered by him.

Whitehall, March 12, 1908.

The KING has been pleased to give and grant unto Arthur Torrens McKillop, Esq., His Majesty's Royal licence and authority to accept and wear the Insignia of the Second Class of the Imperial Ottoman Order of the Medjidieh, conferred upon the His Highness the Khedive of Egypt, authorized by His Imperial Majesty the Sultan of Turkey, in recognition of valuable services rendered by him.

Whitehall, March 12, 1908.

The KING has been pleased to give and grant unto Horace Mayne, Esq., Principal Inspector of the Egyptian State Telegraphs, His Majesty's Royal licence and authority to accept and wear the Insignia of the Fourth Class of the Imperial Ottoman Order of the Medjidieh, conferred upon him by His Highness the Khedive of Egypt, authorized by His Imperial Majesty the Sultan of Turkey, in recognition of valuable services rendered by him.

Whitehall, March 12, 1908.

The KING has been pleased to give and grant unto Lawrence Smith, Esq., His Majesty's Royal licence and authority to accept and wear the Insignia of Officer of the Order of the Crown of Siam (4th Class of the Order), which decoration has been conferred upon him by His Majesty the King of Siam, in recognition of valuable services rendered by him.