

the Distinguished Flying Cross and the Air Force Cross and two Medals designated the Distinguished Flying Medal and the Air Force Medal to be awarded to Officers and Men in Our Air Force and in the Air Forces of Our Self-governing Dominions beyond the Seas in recognition of acts of valour, courage and devotion to duty:

And whereas We are desirous that certain alterations should be made in the regulations governing the said Decorations and Medals:

Now, therefore, We do by these Presents for Us, Our Heirs and Successors, ordain that the following ordinances shall be substituted for the corresponding ordinances in the said Royal Warrant, and shall henceforth be construed and have the same effect as if they formed part of the said Royal Warrant:—

Thirdly. It is ordained that the Distinguished Flying Cross shall be worn on the left breast pendant from a ribbon one inch and a quarter in width which shall be in colour violet and white in alternate diagonal stripes of one-eighth of an inch in width running at an angle of 45 degrees from left to right.

Seventhly. It is ordained that the Air Force Cross shall be worn on the left breast pendant from a ribbon one inch and a quarter in width which shall be in colour red and white in alternate diagonal stripes of one-eighth of an inch in width running at an angle of 45 degrees from left to right.

Eleventhly. It is ordained that the Distinguished Flying Medal shall be worn on the left breast pendant from a ribbon of one inch and a quarter in width which shall be in colour violet and white in alternate diagonal stripes of one-sixteenth of an inch in width, running at an angle of 45 degrees from left to right.

Fifteenthly. It is ordained that the Air Force Medal shall be worn on the left breast pendant from a ribbon one inch and a quarter in width which shall be in colour red and white in alternate diagonal stripes of one-sixteenth of an inch in width running at an angle of 45 degrees from left to right.

Given at Our Court at *St. James'* this 24th day of *July*, in the tenth year of Our Reign and in the year of Our Lord One thousand nine hundred and nineteen.

W. S. Churchill,

By His Majesty's Command.

ROYAL WARRANT ENABLING THE AIR FORCE CROSS AND AIR FORCE MEDAL TO BE CONFERRED UPON CIVILIANS.

GEORGE R.I.

GEORGE THE FIFTH, by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas King, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India: To all to whom these Presents shall come. Greeting!

Whereas, We did, by Royal Warrant under Our Sign Manual dated 3rd June, 1918, institute and create two decorations designated the Distinguished Flying Cross and the Air Force Cross and two Medals designated the Distinguished Flying Medal and the Air Force Medal to be awarded to Officers and Men in Our Air Force and in the Air Forces of Our Self-governing Dominions beyond the Seas in

recognition of acts of valour, courage and devotion to duty:

And whereas We are desirous that certain alterations should be made in the regulations governing the said Decorations and Medals.

Now, therefore, We do by these Presents for Us, Our Heirs and Successors, ordain that the following Ordinances shall be substituted for the corresponding Ordinances in the said Royal Warrant, and shall henceforth be construed and have the same effect as if they formed part of the said Royal Warrant.

Fifthly. It is ordained that the Air Force Cross shall be granted to such Officers and Warrant Officers of Our said Forces as shall be recommended to Us for an act or acts of valour, courage or devotion to duty whilst flying though not in active operations against the enemy, and may also be granted to individuals not belonging to Our Air Force (whether Naval, Military or Civil) who render distinguished service to Aviation in actual flying.

Thirteenthly. It is ordained that the Air Force Medal shall be granted to such Non-commissioned Officers and Men of Our said Forces as shall be recommended to Us for an act or acts of valour, courage or devotion to duty performed whilst flying though not in active operations against the enemy, and may also be granted to individuals not belonging to Our Air Force (whether Naval, Military or Civil) who render distinguished service to Aviation in actual flying.

Given at our Court at *Balmoral* this twenty-seventh day of *August*, in the tenth year of Our Reign and in the year of Our Lord One thousand nine hundred and nineteen.

W. S. Churchill,

By His Majesty's Command.

CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD.

St. James's Palace, S.W.,

5th December, 1919.

The KING has been graciously pleased to give orders for the following appointments to the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire for services rendered in Egypt:—

To be a Knight Commander of the Civil Division of the said Most Excellent Order:—

Frederick Terry Rowlatt, Esq., Governor of the National Bank of Egypt.

To be Commanders of the Civil Division of the said Most Excellent Order:—

Percy Marmaduke Tottenham, Esq., Headquarters Inspector-General and Acting Under Secretary of State, Ministry of Public Works, Chairman of Fuel Committee.

Bertram Hornsby, Esq., Sub-Governor National Bank of Egypt, Alexandria, Public Custodian and Deputy Chairman of Cotton Control Commission.

Sydney Ralph Pitts Carver, Esq., Member of Cotton Control Commission.

Lieut.-Col. Herbert George Anderson Garsia, D.S.O. (R. of O.), Financial Secretary, Egyptian Army.

To be Officers of the Civil Division of the said Most Excellent Order:—

Robert Vaughan Wild, Esq., Inspector, Ministry of Finance.