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TUESDAY, 15 MARCH, 1921.

CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD,

*St. James's Palace, S.W.,
15th March, 1921.*

The KING has been graciously pleased to give orders for the following appointment to the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire. To be dated 24th February, 1921:—

To be an Officer of the Military Division of the said Most Excellent Order:—

Maj. Gerald John Percival Geiger, D.S.O.,
R.W. Fus.

CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD.

*St. James's Palace, S.W. 1,
15th March, 1921.*

The KING has been graciously pleased to give orders for the following appointments to the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, in recognition of gallant conduct in the performance of military duties:—

To be dated 7th February, 1921.

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

Lieut. Geoffrey Thornton Macarthur Allen,
R. Fus.

Lieut. James Herbert Theobald Charles
Butler, K.R.R.C.

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 undermentioned, in recognition of gallant conduct in the performance of military duties:—

To be dated 7th February, 1921 (except where otherwise stated)..

THE ROYAL FUSILIERS.

No. 6446360 A./Serjt. Stanley George Sutton.

THE LINCOLNSHIRE REGIMENT.

No. 4793185 L./Cpl. Jesse Ault.

To be dated 18th February, 1921.

No. 4793071 Pte. Frank Beanes.

To be dated 18th February, 1921.

THE KING'S ROYAL RIFLE CORPS.

No. 6837149 C.S.M. George Francis.

War Office,

15th March, 1921.

His Majesty the KING has been graciously pleased to approve of the undermentioned awards for distinguished services rendered in Palestine:—

To be dated 15th December, 1920.

Awarded the Distinguished Service Order.

Maj. John Robert Hutchison, 38th Cent. India
Horse, I.A.

On the 24th April, 1920, when Semakh
was heavily attacked by Arab tribesmen and

Bedouins, Major Hutchison displayed great ability in the organisation of the few troops at his disposal for the defence of an extended area.

The situation was for some time critical, and the small garrison in danger of being overcome. It was due to this officer's able handling of the situation that the attack was definitely repulsed before reinforcements could reach him.

Awarded a Bar to the Military Cross.

Capt. Dysart Edward Whitworth, M.C., 2nd Lrs., I.A.

For gallantry and coolness on April 22nd, 1920, when on a reconnaissance in the Jordan Valley with about 85 lances, he was surrounded by a horde of 500-600 armed Bedouin. He withdrew fighting to Beisan village, just in time to prevent the Bedouin seizing it. The situation became critical until the numerous exits had been secured. Subsequent repeated attacks by the Arabs in greatly superior numbers were repulsed. Captain Whitworth's coolness and able handling of his weak force undoubtedly largely contributed to the saving of Beisan village and railway station.

Awarded the Military Cross.

Lt. William Henry Lloyd, 10th Bn., Midd'x R. (T.F.), attd. R.C. of Sigs.

For gallantry and devotion to duty at Beisan on the 22nd April, 1920, when that village was being attacked by the Ghazzi-tribe. This officer had arrived at Beisan station in the morning with the intention of laying a telephone line. Early in the afternoon the village was attacked in large numbers. He at once organised the few men in the vicinity and beat off a tentative attack made on the station about an hour later, and then proceeded to lay a cable to the village under cover of 6 sowars, in spite of fierce fighting taking place at other exits, and which might have had to be encountered on his route.

Throughout the ensuing night he displayed resource and energy in sending up rations and ammunition to the defence and in the operations of the next two days in obtaining communication with Semakh.

War Office,

15th March, 1921.

His Majesty the KING has been graciously pleased to approve of the award of the Military Medal to the undermentioned for bravery in the Field with the British Armies in France and Flanders:—

ROYAL FIELD ARTILLERY.

L/8356 Sgt. Evans, C.W., C/148th Bde. (Darwen). (To be dated 13th Sept. 1918.)

ROYAL ENGINEERS.

446196 (frmly. 552) Cpl. Martin, J. (Lower Bebington). (To be dated 12th March, 1917.)

MANCHESTER REGIMENT.

1357 Pte. (A./L./C.) Carter, A., 2nd Bn. (London). (To be dated 11th Feb. 1919.)

KING'S ROYAL RIFLE CORPS.

56509 (frmly. 505213) Sgt. Barnes, G. J., 18th Bn. (Ilford). (To be dated 11th Dec. 1918.)

ARGYLL AND SUTHERLAND HIGHLANDERS.

40753 Pte. McIntyre, J., 14th Bn. (Glasgow). (To be dated 23rd February, 1918.)

War Office,

15th March, 1921.

His Majesty the KING has been graciously pleased to approve of the award of the Meritorious Service Medal to the undermentioned for gallant conduct in the performance of Military duty:—

DORSETSHIRE REGIMENT.

5718378 Pte. Biddlecombe, A. W. W., 2nd Bn. (Nottingham). (INDIA)

5719524 Pte. Gollop, F. W. G., 2nd Bn. (Upper Parkston). (INDIA)

For gallantry and devotion to duty during a fire at the Arsenal at St. Thomas's Mount (India) on the night of 18/19th June, 1920. These soldiers were the first to undertake the removal of the bombs from the immediate vicinity of the flames, which they continued to do until ordered to rejoin the guard. The work was of a highly dangerous nature, involving risks of explosion.

ROYAL ARMY ORDNANCE CORPS.

016237 2nd Cpl. (A./Sjt.) Gallagher, W. (Stockton-on-Tees) (MESOPOTAMIA)

027969 Pte. (A./L./Sjt.) Jewell, W. J. (Carn Brea). (MESOPOTAMIA)

For gallantry and devotion to duty during a fire in an ammunition store shed at Basra on 3rd July, 1919.

These N.C.Os., by a total disregard of personal danger, materially assisted in averting what might have proved a serious disaster, by dismantling stacks and boxes of phosphorus and incendiary shells, some of which were actually burning. In spite of the fumes and risk of burns and explosion, they continued the work of removal until the bay of the store was cleared.

CANADIAN FORCE.

426333 A./Sjt. Warwick, D. J., E. Ont. R. (HOME)

(To be dated 25th February, 1918.)

His Majesty the KING has been graciously pleased to approve of the award of the Meritorious Service Medal to the undermentioned in recognition of valuable services rendered in India in connection with the War. To be dated 3rd June, 1919:—

INDIAN ARMY.

T./Sjt. Lyons, T. F., S. & T. Corps.

CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS
OF KNIGHTHOOD.

*St. James's Palace, S.W.,
15th March, 1921.*

Order of the British Empire.

The following correction to an appointment to the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire is notified:—

London Gazette dated 3rd June, 1919,
page 6938.

For Campbell, Maj. & Bt. Lt.-Col. (T./Lt.-Col.) Robert Morris, C.M.G., R.A.S.C.
Read Campbell, Maj. & Bt. Lt.-Col. (T./Lt.-Col.) Robert Morris, R.A.S.C.

*War Office,
15th March, 1921.*

CORRECTIONS.

The following are the correct descriptions of the undermentioned Officer, Warrant Officers, Non-commissioned Officers and Men, whose names have appeared in the London Gazettes indicated for the award specified:—

Military Cross.

London Gazette dated 3rd June, 1919,
page 6928.

For Lt. (A./Capt.) Frank Moyle Shuttleworth Field, I.A.R.O., attd. 47th Sikhs, I.A.,
Read Lt. (A./Capt.) Frank Drummond Shuttleworth Field, I.A.R.O., attd. 47th Sikhs, I.A.

Military Medal.

London Gazette dated 14th September, 1916.
6057 Gnr. J. H. Pollock, R.F.A.

London Gazette dated 11th November, 1916.
10497 Sjt. T. Temple, 2nd Bn., Durh. L.I.

London Gazette dated 22nd January, 1917.
1287 Pte. W. F. Gore, S. Irish Horse.

Meritorious Service Medal.

London Gazette dated 22nd February, 1919.
WR/40003 Coy./Q.M.Sjt. J. Williams, R.E.
19663 S./Sjt. (A./Supt. Clk.) J. G. Hutchison, R.E.

London Gazette dated 3rd June, 1919.

(FRANCE.)

236518 Sjt. S. J. Turner, R.E.

London Gazette dated 3rd September, 1920.
240044 Coy./Q.M.Sjt. (A./S.M.) F. W. Thornback, 1/5th Bn., Hamps. R.

DELETION.

Meritorious Service Medal.

London Gazette dated 20th October, 1920.
11 Flight Serjt. J. McK. Sloss, Aust. Flying Corps. (Duplicate award.)

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