Central Chancery of the Orders of Knighthood.

St. James's Palace, S.W.1.

1st January, 1941.

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 an Additional Knight Commander of the Military Division of the said Most Excellent Order:

Major-General (local Lieutenant-General) Dudley Stuart Collins, C.B., D.S.O., Colonel Commandant, Royal Engineers.

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

Chaplain to the Forces 1st Class, the Reverend Percy Middleton Brunwell, M.C., Royal Army Chaplains' Department, Honorary Chaplain to the King.

Colonel Alfred Francis Day, late Royal Engineers.

Colonel William John Eldridge, D.S.O., M.C., late Royal Artillery.

Colonel (temporary Brigadier) Donald Rutherford Dare Fisher, D.S.O., late Royal Artillery.

Lieutenant-Colonel Oswald Boyd Forbes, E.D., Ceylon Garrison Artillery.

Major-General Algernon Clement Fuller, O.B.E., M.I.E.E., late Royal Corps of Signals.


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

Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) Stuart Marmaduke Cairns, Royal Artillery.


Major (Quartermaster) Herbert Benjamin James Franklin, M.B.E., Extra Regimentally Employed List.

Lieutenant-Colonel (Ordnance Officer, 2nd Class) Barnard Alfred Goldstein, Royal Army Ordnance Corps.

Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) Charles Granville Bayly Greaves, Royal Engineers.


Major (Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel) (Quartermaster) Daniel Hutton, M.B.E., retired pay, late Royal Engineers.

Captain (acting Major) Percy Edwin Keller, M.B.E., retired pay, late Royal Army Service Corps.

Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) Harold Reginald Kerr, M.C., Royal Army Service Corps.

Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas Joseph King, New Zealand Army Ordnance Corps.

Major (temporary Major) Lieutenant-Colonel) Sidney Chevalier Kirkbride, C.M.G., M.C., Royal Artillery.

Major (Quartermaster) Henry Lyne, The Royal Irish Fusiliers (Princess Victoria's).

Major Reginald Anson Mansell, M.B.E., Royal Army Medical Corps.

Lieutenant-Colonel James Eric Clifford Martin, Australian Military Forces.

Lieutenant-Colonel John McEwen Martin, T.D., Royal Engineers.


Lieutenant-Colonel James Ronald Patten, M.C., Royal Corps of Signals.

Lieutenant-Colonel (Quartermaster) George Townsend Paley, D.C.M., Trans-Jordan Frontier Force.

Lieutenant-Colonel Herbert Graham Pybus, T.D., Royal Artillery.

Major William Henry Ray, Royal Engineers.

Lieutenant-Colonel (acting Colonel) Roger Clayton Reynolds, M.C., Royal Artillery.

Major William Fletcher Routley, Australian Staff Corps, Australian Military Forces.

Major Bernard Ruffell, Indian Army, attached Burna Rifles.

Captain (acting Major) Alan Bernard Russell, M.B.E., retired pay, late Royal Engineers.

Major Edgar John Salomone, Royal Malta Artillery.


Major (Quartermaster) George Arthur Seymour, M.B.E., Extra Regimentally Employed List.

Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) Esmond Moreton Sinauer, M.C., retired pay, late Royal Engineers.

Lieutenant-Colonel John Bamford Smith, The Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment).

Major Vernon Thomas Smith, 7th Rajput Regiment, Indian Army.

Major (Quartermaster) William Smith, Canterbury Regiment, New Zealand Military Forces.

Major Charles Deane Steel, Royal Engineers.

Captain Frank Hugh Stevens, 6th Rajputana Rifles, Indian Army.

Major Cecil Stanway Sugden, Royal Engineers.

Lieutenant-Colonel (acting Colonel) Edward Temple, Royal Artillery.

Lieutenant-Colonel Stephen Keith Thorburn, M.C., Royal Artillery.