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*War Office,  
13th January, 1942.*

The KING has been graciously pleased to approve the undermentioned Award in recognition of gallant and distinguished services in the South West Pacific:—

*The Military Cross.*  
Lieutenant John Christopher Close (74503), Royal Regiment of Artillery (22, Christchurch Road, Winchester).

*War Office,  
13th January, 1942.*

The KING has been pleased to approve the undermentioned appt.:—

To be Aide-de-Camp to The King:—  
Col. (temp. Brig.) R. A. M. Basset, C.B.E., M.C. (22092), 4th Nov. 1941 (vice Col. (actg. Maj.-Gen.) A. T. Miller, M.C. (8923), promoted).

*War Office,  
13th January, 1942.*

The KING has been graciously pleased to approve of the publication of the names of the undermentioned as having been commended for brave conduct:—

*The Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers.*  
No. 4452723 Serjeant Robert Ashworth.  
No. 6976284 Corporal Daniel Keys.  
No. 7011084 Corporal Joseph Larmour.

*Australian Military Forces.*  
WX.4761 Corporal Sydney Arnold Bell.

*South African Indian and Malay Reserve  
Motor Transport Company.*  
No. 11305 Private Allie Bushney.

*Home Guard.*  
Company Serjeant-Major Sydney Norman Lee, M.M.  
Serjeant Phillip Henry Bermingham.

*War Office,  
13th January, 1942.*

**REGULAR ARMY.**

Maj.-Gen. T. C. Newton, C.B., D.S.O., O.B.E. (6248), remains on full pay. 1st Jan. 1942.

The undermentioned Cols. ret. pay (Res. of Off.), revert to ret. pay, and are re-granted the hon. rank of Brig. 12th Jan. 1942:—

The Visct. Dillon, C.M.G., D.S.O. (40).  
R. Howlett, C.B.E., D.S.O., M.C. (492).

Col. J. Whitehead, C.B., C.M.G., C.B.E., D.S.O. (17548), ret. Ind. Army, reverts to Ind. Pens. and is re-granted the hon. rank of Brig. 12th Jan. 1942.

**INFANTRY.**  
*Leicester R.*

*Ret. Off. re-empld.*  
Maj. J. T. Harley, O.B.E., T.D. (7088), ret. (late Leicester R.), at his own request, reverts to the rank of Capt. whilst empld. during the present emergency. 1st Oct. 1941.

**ROYAL ARMY CHAPLAINS' DEPARTMENT.**  
*Emergency Commission.*

Rev. W. E. Edwards (152925), Chapln. to the Forces, 4th Cl. (C.E.), resigns his commn. 8th Dec. 1941.

**ROYAL ARMY ORDNANCE CORPS.**  
The date of the appt. of Lt. (O.E.O. 3rd Cl.) A. Merry (211719), is 8th Sept. 1941, and not as in the Gazette of 28th Nov. 1941.

**REGULAR ARMY RESERVE OF OFFICERS.**

**GENERAL LIST.**

The undermentioned Maj.-Gens., having attained the age limit of liability to recall, cease to belong to the Res. of Off. 14th Jan. 1942:—

P. R. C. Commings, C.B., C.M.G., D.S.O., Col. S. Stafford R. (922).

W. N. Herbert, C.B., C.M.G., D.S.O., Col. R. North'd Fus. (22797).

Sir Hubert J. Huddleston, K.C.M.G., C.B., D.S.O., M.C., Col. Dorset R. (22783).

Col. C. G. S. Harvey, D.S.O. (12507), having attained the age limit of liability to recall, ceases to belong to the Res. of Off. 2nd Nov. 1941.

Col. H. L. Howell, O.B.E., M.C. (9940), (late R.A.M.C.), ceases to belong to the Res. of Off. on account of ill-health. 14th Jan. 1942.

**REGIMENTAL LIST.**

**ROYAL REGIMENT OF ARTILLERY.**

Lt. J. H. Watkins (112590), ceases to belong to the Res. of Off. on account of ill-health 10th Jan. 1942, retaining the rank of Lt.

**INFANTRY.**

*K.U.S.B.*

Lt. M. J. H. McGregor, M.C. (45874), ceases to belong to the Res. of Off. on account of ill-health 10th Jan. 1942, retaining the rank of Lt.

*Inniskilling Fus.*

Capt. W. McClelland (43447), is Cashiered by sentence of a Gen. Court-Martial. 24th Nov. 1941.