CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD.

St. James's Palace, S.W.I, 17th August, 1943.

The KING has been graciously pleased to approve the following awards, in recognition of conspicuous gallantry in carrying out hazardous work in a very brave manner:—

Bar to the George Medal.

Lieutenant Michael Arthur Clinton, G.M. (130514), Corps of Royal Engineers (Westcott, Dorking, Surrey). Captain (temporary Major) Lewis Gerhold, G.M. (131777), Corps of Royal Engineers (Edinburgh).

The George Medal.

Lieutenant Thomas Blackshaw (210258), Corps of Royal Engineers (Chesterfield). No. 1894353 Sergeant Thomas Hall, Corps of Royal Engineers (March, Cambridgeshire).

CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD.

St. James's Palace, S.W.1, 17th August, 1943.

The KING has been graciously pleased to approve the award of the British Empire Medal (Military Division), in recognition of gallant conduct in carrying out hazardous work in a very brave manner, to the undermentioned:—

o. 1573725 Lance-Bombardier John Frederick Howard, Royal Regiment of Artillery (Chingford, Essex).

No. S/57547 Sergeant John Kershaw, Royal Army Service Corps (Halifax).

No. 1573783 Lance-Bombardier Norman William George Lawrence, Royal Regiment of Artillery (Walthamstow, London, E.17).

Q.115080 Sergeant Donald Robert Thomas Stirling, Australian Military Forces.

War Office, 17th August, 1943.

The KING has been pleased to grant unrestricted permission for the wearing of the following decoration which has been conferred upon the undermentioned officer in recognition of services in the cause of the Allies:--

DECORATION CONFERRED BY HIS MAJESTY THE KING
OF NORWAY.

Order of St. Olav.

Knight Cross 1st Class.
Second Lieutenant (acting Major) Frank Edward
FOLEY (126893), General List.

War Office, 17th August, 1943. REGULAR ARMY.

REGULAR ARMY.

Col. (t/Brig.) A: V. Hammond (85999), Indian Army, is apptd. A.D.C. to The King 16th Mar. 1943 vice Col. (t/Brig.) K. de L. Young, C.I.E., M.C., A.D.C. (4445), Indian Army, who has retired. Col. (a/Brig.) N. L. St. P. Bunbury, D.S.O., Indian Army, is apptd. A.D.C. to The King 5th Apr. 1943 vice Col. (t/Brig.) L. W. H. Mathias, D.S.O., A.D.C. (202121), Indian Army, who has retired. Col. (t/Brig.) A. H. Williams, M.C., Indian Army, is apptd. A.D.C. to The King 6th Apr. 1943 vice Col. (t/Brig.) A. L. Johnston, O.B.E., A.D.C. (14075), Indian Army, who has retired. Col. (temp. Brig.) L. B. NICHOLLS, O.B.E. (8826), is granted the actg. rank of Maj.-Gen. 1943. (Substituted for the notifn. in Gazette (Supplement) dated 27th July 1943.)

Lt.-Col. (temp. Brig.) J. W. N. Haugh (5090), Cameronians, is granted the actg. rank of Maj.-Gen. 17th July 1943.

17th July 1943.

Hong Kong Singapore Royal Artillery.
Subadar Major Maddat Shar (65891) retires 24th Feb. 1942.

INFANTRY.

R. Scots.
Lt. (Qr.-Mr.) Thomas Drysdale (131475) (Emergency Commn.) to be Lt. (Qr.-Mr.) 17th Aug. 1943.

Lt.-Col. D. F. Campbell, M.C. (9321), on completion of period of serv. in command to remain on full pay (supern.) 15th Aug. 1943.

Maj. J. W. N. Haugh (5090) to be Lt.-Col. 15th

Aug. 1943.

ROYAL ARMY ORDNANCE CORPS.

Lt. (O.M.E. 4th Cl.) J. F. RICE (68938) to be Capt. (O.M.E. 3rd Cl.) 1st Sept. 1942, with precedence next below Capt. (O.M.E. 3rd Cl.) J. A. H. Moore, A.M.I.Mech.E. (68937).

ROYAL ELECTRICAL AND MECHANICAL ENGINEERS.
Capt. (O.M.E. 3rd Cl.) J. F. RICE (68938), from
R.A.O.C., to be Capt. (E.M.E. 3rd Cl.) 1st Oct.
1942, retaining his present seniority. (Substituted
for the notifn. in Gazette (Supplement) dated 19th
Mar. 1042 Mar. 1943.)

ROYAL ARMY PAY CORPS.

Lt. (Asst. Paymr.) J. T. Kaine (72736) to be Capt. (Asst. Paymr.) 11th June 1943. (Substituted for the notifn. in Gazette (Supplement) dated 10th Aug. 1943.)

Maj. W. E. STRICKLAND (5448), h.p. list (late R.A.), retires on ret. pay on account of ill-health 18th Aug. 1943.

REGULAR ARMY RESERVE OF OFFICERS. GENERAL LIST.

Maj.-Gen. H. A. Lewis, C.B., C.B.E. (693) (Col. Comdt. R.A.), having attained the age limit of liability to recall, ceases to belong to the Res. of

Off. 18th Aug. 1943.
Col. (Hon. Brig.) B. L. Eddis, D.S.O., M.A. (9), having attained the age limit of liability to recall, ceases to belong to the Res. of Off. 17th Aug. 1943.

REGIMENTAL LIST.

ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS.

4th/7th D.G. Lt.-Col. T. A. E. CAIRNES, D.S.O. (3471), having attained the age of liability to recall, ceases to belong to the Res. of Off. 18th Aug. 1943.

INFANTRY.

King's Own R. War Subs. Capt. C. Grisson (6880) to be Bt. Maj. 14th Aug. 1943.

Suffolk R.

Lt. G. W. EARL (59506) having attained the age limit of liability to recall, ceases to belong to the Res. of Off. 13th Aug. 1943, and is granted the hon. rank of Capt.

SUPPLEMENTARY RESERVE OF OFFICERS.

ROYAL CORPS OF SIGNALS

War Subs. Capt. H. McClean (41879) relinquishes his commn. on account of ill-health 18th Aug. 1943. and is granted the hon. rank of Maj.

ROYAL ARMY ORDNANCE CORPS.
War Subs. Lt. R. W. GREEN (91387), from
R.A.S.C., to be War Subs. Lt. 1st Oct. 1942, retaining his present seniority.

REGULAR ARMY.

EMERGENCY COMMISSIONS.

ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS.
War Subs. Lt. G. H. THOMPSON (145681), from R.A.S.C., to be War Subs. Lt. 14th Apr. 1943, retaining his present seniority.

Yorks. H. (T.A.)

War Subs. Lt. R. Thicknesse (189043), to be placed on the h.p. list on account of ill-health 1st June to 17th Aug. 1943 incl.

War Subs. Lt. R. Thicknesse (189043), relinquishes his commn. on account of ill-health 18th Aug. 1943 and is granted the hon, rank of Lt.

ROYAL REGIMENT OF ARTILLERY.

The notifins. regarding 2nd Lt. J. H. STEPHENS (166162) in Gazette (Supplements) dated 3rd Apr. 1942 and 10th July 1942 are cancelled.

The undermentioned War Subs. Lts. to be War Subs. Lts. retaining their present seniority:—

4th May 1943:— T. A. Norman (138475) from Suffolk R.

20th June 1943:— M. St. G. JOHNSTON (251248) from Lincoln R.

Lt. & Paymr. C. F. Watson, D.C.M., M.M. (195148), from R.A.P.C., to be War Subs. Lt. 22nd July 1943, with seniority 21st June 1941, relinquishes the anot of 1 + & Paymer

the appt. of Lt. & Paymr.
Lt. H. C. Allen, M.C. (159966) relinquishes his accomn. on account of ill-health 16th Aug. 1943,

and is granted the hon. rank of Capt.