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## CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD.

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16th December, 1943.

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, in recognition of gallant and distinguished services in Burma and on the Eastern Frontier of India:—

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

Colonel (temporary) Bijitendra Basu, O.B.E. (M.17525), Indian Medical Service.  
Brigadier (temporary) Laurence Douglas Grand, M.B.E. (14132), Corps of Royal Engineers.  
Major-General (acting) Edward Temple Leigh Gurdon, M.C. (8822), late The Black Watch (Royal Highland Regiment).  
Brigadier (temporary) Herbert Eric Horsfield, M.C. (9067), late Corps of Royal Engineers.  
Brigadier (temporary) Louis Anthony Loup (I.A.633), Royal Indian Army Service Corps.  
Major-General (temporary) Robert Philip Lancaster Ranking, M.C. (178647), Indian Army.  
Colonel Douglas Scott, M.C. (4336), late Royal Regiment of Artillery.  
Colonel Balwant Singh Sidhu, Bahadur, Indian States Forces.  
Brigadier (temporary) Dysart Edward Whitworth, M.C., Indian Army.

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

Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) Kenneth Cecil Orville Bastyan (34563), Royal Corps of Signals (Barnard Castle, Co. Durham).  
Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) William Simon McKillican Beaton, General List, Indian Army.  
Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) Charles Basil Boulden (10840), Corps of Royal Engineers (Malden, Essex).  
Captain (temporary Major) Martin Hunter Briggs (140262), Corps of Royal Engineers (Coulsdon).  
Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) William Felix Brown, The Assam Regiment, Indian Army.  
Lieutenant (temporary Captain) (acting Major) Rupert Sausemarey Carey (161638), The Cameronians (Scottish Rifles) (attd. 7th Gurkha Rifles, Indian Army) (Instow).  
Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) John Frederick Carroll (34600), Infantry.  
Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) Sidney Arthur Cooke (28103), The Lincolnshire Regiment (Harrow-on-the-Hill).

Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) George Creffield, M.B.E., 8th Punjab Regiment, Indian Army.

Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) Charles Frederick John Cropper (M.Z.6684), Indian Army Medical Corps.

Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) Arthur Alexander Donald, The Burma Regiment.

Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) Walter Morris Felix Gamble, M.C., 8th Punjab Regiment, Indian Army.

Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) John Evison Gordon (199783), Indian Armoured Corps.

Captain (temporary Major) Thomas Lindsay Gray (70320), Corps of Royal Engineers.

Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) Thomas Geoffrey Hill, Royal Indian Army Service Corps.

Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) Derek Ernest Holbrook (47558), Corps of Royal Engineers.

Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) Ian Stanley Anderson Howard, Royal Indian Army Service Corps.

Colonel (acting) Charu Chandra Kapila, Indian Army Medical Corps.

Major Brian Richard Kemp (ABRO108), Army in Burma Reserve of Officers.

Colonel (acting) James Alexander Matheson, M.B. (49588), Royal Army Medical Corps.

Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) Edward Victor McCormack (31712), Royal Corps of Signals (Quetta).

Colonel (temporary) Manfred Morris, M.D. (22017), Royal Army Medical Corps (Swanage).

Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) Ronald Hurdall Muirhead, M.B.E. (28777), Corps of Royal Engineers.

Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) Edward Dymoke Murray (A.I.196), Gurkha Rifles, Indian Army.

Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) William Charles Payne, M.B.E. (42189), Corps of Royal Engineers (Enfield).

Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) Victor Jorge Perez, M.D. (15612), Royal Army Medical Corps.

Lieutenant-Colonel Michael Joseph Aloysius Sheehan, Royal Indian Army Service Corps.

Brigadier (acting) Charles Francis Linnaeus Stevens, M.C., Indian Army.

Lieutenant-Colonel Robert Joseph Dudley Teague, 13th Frontier Force Rifles, Indian Army.

Lieutenant-Colonel Dermot Frederick William Warren, 8th Punjab Regiment, Indian Army.

Lieutenant-Colonel Andrew Edmund Wernicke, M.B.E. (I.A.664), 15th Punjab Regiment, Indian Army.

Colonel (local) George Frederick White, M.C., Indian Armoured Corps.