olonel (temporary) William Somerset Seymour (10192), Royal Army Service Corps (Farnborough, Hants).

Major

Hants).

(ajor (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) Herbert
Douglas Tanner (33752), Corps of Royal Engineers
(Res. of Off.) (Aldershot).

(ajor (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) Reginald
Ernest Tunbridge, M.D., M.R.C.P. (171571),
Royal Army Medical Corps (Leeds 6).

(olonel (temporary) Edgar Joseph Vella, E.D.
(66879), The King's Own Malta Regiment, Malta
Territorial Force. Major

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

Lieutenant (temporary Captain) Seymour Clifford Akerman (143265), Royal Regiment of Artillery. No. 7583540 Warrant Officer Class I (Sub-Conductor) George Edward Atkins, Royal Army Ordnance Corps (Downton, Wilts).

Captain John Richard Bolton (125277), Royal Army Medical Corps (Crownhill, Devon).

Major John Beauchamp Gordon-Duff (15381), The Rifle Brigade (Prince Consort's Own) (Huntly, Aberdeenshire).

Aberdeenshire).
Captain John Joseph Kempton, M.B. (102621),
Royal Army Medical Corps (Bracknell, Berks).
Lieutenant (Quarter-Master) Robert Leitch (168884),

Royal Regiment of Artillery (Markwearmouth, Co. Durham).

Captain (temporary Major) Gordon William Nottage Palmer (87335), Royal Regiment of Artillery (Pinkney's Green, Berks).

Captain (temporary Major) Kenneth Harry Platt (108860), Royal Electrical and Mechanical Engineers (Cardiff).

gineers (Cardift).
Captain (temporary Major) Redvers Potts (88761),
The Durham Light Infantry (Hamilton, N.Z.).
Captain (temporary Major) Frank Rodney Dawson
Tizard (189119), Royal Army Service Corps
(Hampden Park, Sussex).
Captain (temporary Major) Ernest Cecil Claude Wells
(159921), The Hampshire Regiment (Westonsuper-Mare).

super-Mare).

CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD.

St. James's Palace, S.W.I. 6th January, 1944.

The KING has been graciously pleased to approve the award of the British Empire Medal (Military Division), in recognition of gallant and distinguished services in Malta, to the undermentioned:—

Staff-Sergeant Thomas Frederick Dolman, Corps of Royal Engineers (Barry Island, Glam.).

o. 2323368 Sergeant (acting Company Quarter-Master-Sergeant) Bert Ward, Royal Corps of Signals (Malta) No.

War Office, 6th January, 1944.

The KING has been graciously pleased to approve the following awards in recognition of gallant and distinguished services in the Middle East:—

The Military Cross.

Lieutenant (temporary) John Brewer Booth (2102), South African Forces. Captain (temporary) William Ernest Bowden (169971), South African Forces.
Lieutenant (temporary) Guy Young (169937), South William Ernest Bowden

African Forces.

The Royal Red Cross.

To be Additional Members of the Royal Red Cross, First Class.

Miss Doris Irene Brown, A.R.R.C. (1426), Matron,

Miss Dons Irene Brown, A.R.R.C. (1426), Matron, New Zealand Army Nursing Service.

Miss Mildred Elizabeth Harris, M.B.E. (206196), Sister (Acting Matron), Queen Alexandra's Imperial Military Nursing Service (Portishead, Somerset).

Miss Mary Elizabeth Hawkins (90690 V.), Senior Matron, South African Military Nursing Service.

Miss Isabella Bingham Hazlett (206207), Sister (Acting Matron), Queen Alexandra's Imperial Military Nursing Service (Moville Co. Donegal)

tary Nursing Service (Moville, Co. Donegal). iss Agnes Christine Mills (206293), Sister (Acting Matron), Queen Alexandra's Imperial Military Nursing Service (West Malling, Kent).

Miss Linda Mary Pickering (206378), Sister (Acting Matron), Queen Alexandra's Imperial Military Nursing Service (Hawarden, Chester).

Nursing Service (Hawarden, Chester).

Miss Florence Mary Powell (206372), Sister (Acting Matron), Queen Alexandra's Imperial Military Nursing Service (Llannon, Carmarthenshire).

Miss Lilian Maud Rose (206411), Sister (Acting Matron), Queen Alexandra's Imperial Military Nursing Service (Woking).

Miss Alice Marian Woolerton (215869), Matron, Territorial Army Nursing Service (Grantham).

To be Additional Associates of the Royal Red Cross, Second Class.

Miss Edith Jo Wilson (31573), Sister-in-Charge, New Zealand Army Nursing Service.

The Military Medal.

No. 225911 Trooper Jan Abraham Nel, South African Forces.

No. 251777 T/Corporal Salomon Johannes Pieterse, South African Forces. No. 812828 Lance-Sergeant Walter Robinson Smith, Royal Regiment of Artillery (Keighley). No. 135543 T/Corporal Harry Thomas Wright,

South African Forces.

India Office, 6th January, 1944.

The following awards have been made in recognition of gallant and distinguished services in the Middle East:—

The Indian Distinguished Service Medal.

Subadar Birchar Singh Rai (128076), Indian Auxiliary Pioneer Corps.

Jemadar Gabriel Murmu (127100), Indian Auxiliary Pioneer Corps.

War Office, 6th January, 1944.

The KING has been graciously pleased to approve that the following be Mentioned in recognition of gallant and distinguished services in the Middle East:—

Cavalry.

R.H.G.Maj. (temp. Lt.-Col.) M. H. Crichton (78135).

Royal Armoured Corps.

The Royals. Maj. (temp. Lt.-Col.) R. B. Moseley (6499).

R.T.R.

Maj. (temp. Lt.-Col.) M. S. Son., Off.).
Capt. (temp. Maj.) (actg. Lt.-Col.) R. J. Southron (76157).
Capt. (Qr.-Mr.) A. E. Thompson (191223).

Lt.-Col. (local Col.) Sir M. N. Patrick S. Coghill,

Bt. (13596).

Maj. (temp. Lt.-Col.) J. Laird (78799).

Maj. (temp. Lt.-Col.) S. J. Phillips (78281).

Maj. (temp. Lt.-Col.) E. D. R. Shearer (73353).

Lt. (temp. Capt.) R. M. Glen (132611).

Corps of Royal Engineers.

Brig. (temp.) J. A. Bell, C.B.E. (131953). Maj. (temp. Lt.-Col.) B. M. Cloutman, V.C., M.C. (122929).

Maj. (temp. Lt.-Col.) G. A. Lemon (41616).
Maj. (temp. Lt.-Col.) J. R. H. Robertson (53649).
Capt. (temp. Maj.) A. C. Anderson, O.B.E. (108534).

Intantry.

Brig. (actg.) J. Gifford, D.S:O. (30854).

E. Surrey R. Maj. (temp. Lt.-Col.) N. M. Ekserdjian (108272).

Cheshive R. Col. (actg.) G. W. F. Leicester (860).

D.L.I.

Capt. (temp. Maj.) H. Scott-Batey (68870).

Royal Army Service Corps.

Col. (actg.) H. F. H. Eve, M.C. (9702). S/7669148 S.-Sergt. F. W. Wyatt. S/5254198 Corpl. W. Whitworth.