

No 2501 Havildar Amrit Gurung, 3rd Queen  
Alexandra's Own Gurkha Rifles  
No 2555 Havildar Jange Thapa, 3rd Queen  
Alexandra's Own Gurkha Rifles  
No 2862 Naik Aita Sing Thapa, 3rd Queen  
Alexandra's Own Gurkha Rifles  
No 3402 Lance-Naik Dalbahadur Thapa, 3rd Queen  
Alexandra's Own Gurkha Rifles

No 590948 Private Edward Valentine Owen, New  
Zealand Military Forces  
No 68809 Private Joseph Edward Smith, New  
Zealand Military Forces

*Office of the Minister of Defence, Wellington,  
New Zealand*

10th February, 1944

#### NEW ZEALAND MILITARY FORCES

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

##### *Bar to the Distinguished Service Order*

Brigadier Robert Amos Row, D S O (38618), New  
Zealand Military Forces

##### *The Military Cross*

Second-Lieutenant Leslie Thomas George Booth  
(14759), New Zealand Military Forces

##### *The Distinguished Conduct Medal*

No 530023 Sergeant Wilham Albert Cowan, New  
Zealand Military Forces

##### *The Military Medal*

No 578368 Corporal Frederick Arthur Armstrong,  
New Zealand Military Forces  
No 584617 Sapper Jack Keith Duncan, New  
Zealand Military Forces

*War Office, 10th February, 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 —

##### *Royal Regiment of Artillery*

831890 W O II (BSM) R W Nicholson

##### *Infantry*

##### *Gordons*

Lt (temp Capt) J R McNeil (107841) (died of  
wounds)

##### *Royal Army Ordnance Corps*

7593369 W O II (SQMS) L A Lovitt

##### *Royal Electrical and Mechanical Engineers*

7607671 Corpl H Bridgewater  
10568826 Cfn T Morgan

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#### ERRATA

##### *Mentions-in-Despatches*

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