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## CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD.

*St. James's Palace, S.W.1.*

*7th December, 1944.*

The KING has been graciously pleased to give orders for the undermentioned appointments to the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, in recognition of gallant and distinguished services in the South West Pacific:—

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

Lieutenant-Colonel John Bell Kerr Taylor (5002), Fiji Military Forces.

Lieutenant-Colonel Francis Williams Voelcker, M.C. (28089), New Zealand Military Forces.

*To be an Additional Member of the Military Division of the said Most Excellent Order:—*

Major (temporary) Hugh Alistair Ross (5044), Fiji Military Forces.

*War Office, 7th December, 1944.*

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

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

Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) Ronald Francis Garland Jayne, D.S.O. (33394), Royal Armoured Corps (Hussars) (London, S.W.1).

Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) Sir Peter Walter Farquhar, Bt., D.S.O. (30646), 16th/5th Lancers, Royal Armoured Corps (Res. of Off.) (Donnington, Berks).

Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) John Alexander MacKenzie, D.S.O., M.C. (66128), Infantry (Lyne Regis).

Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) John Frederic Connolly, D.S.O. (39316), The Buffs (Royal East Kent Regiment) (Canterbury).

### *The Distinguished Service Order.*

Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) Ronald Brockett Holden, T.D. (7333), Royal Tank Regiment, Royal Armoured Corps (York).

Captain (temporary Major) (acting Lieutenant-Colonel) Eugene Vincent Strickland, M.M. (66223), Royal Tank Regiment, Royal Armoured Corps (London, S.W.11).

Captain (temporary Major) Gordon Russell Simpson (69991), Lothians and Border Yeomanry, Royal Armoured Corps (Port of Menteith, Stirling).

Lieutenant (temporary Captain) John Bogle Chinery (140418), Royal Regiment of Artillery (Chalfont St. Giles).

Lieutenant-Colonel Brian Mortimer Archibald, O.B.E. (38850), Corps of Royal Engineers (Basingstoke).

Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) Eric William Harrington Clarke (26955), Corps of Royal Engineers (Ripon, Yorks).

Lieutenant (acting Captain) Walter James Latimer Willson (176745), Grenadier Guards (Derby).

Lieutenant Andrew Shennan Neilson (219064), Scots Guards (Cheltenham) (since died of wounds) (to be dated 15th July, 1944.)

Captain (temporary Major) Adolf Charles Jack Van Ammel, M.C. (104848), The Buffs (Royal East Kent Regiment) (Crieff, Perthshire).

Colonel (temporary) Richard Neville Anderson (38648), The King's Own Royal Regiment (Lancaster) (London, S.W.3).

Captain (temporary Major) Maynard Hastings Pockson (105659), The Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment) (attd. 5th Royal Gurkha Rifles (Frontier Force)) (Nottingham).

Captain (temporary Major) Edward Hodges (191879), The King's Regiment (Liverpool) (Lincoln).

Captain (temporary Major) Eric Stuart Jenkins (149275), The Bedfordshire and Hertfordshire Regiment (Harpenden).

Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) Henry Percy Braithwaite (149453), The Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment (Piddletrenthide, Dorset).

Captain (temporary Major) Sir Edward Christian Goschen, Bt. (76135), The Rifle Brigade (Prince Consort's Own) (West Malling).

Captain (temporary Major) Charles Nicholson Macintosh (174557), Intelligence Corps.

Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) William Eric Dixon Robinson, M.C. (1A 257), Indian Armoured Corps.

Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) Derek William Herbert Leeming (A1 687), 5th Mahratta Light Infantry, Indian Army.

Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) Gordon Alexander Fullerton (143 1A), Gurkha Rifles, Indian Army.

### *Bar to the Military Cross.*

Captain (temporary Major) Marcus Evelyn Henry Linton, M.C. (74534), Royal Horse Artillery.

Captain (temporary Major) Ronald Bentley Denton, M.C. (72344), Corps of Royal Engineers.

Captain (temporary Major) William Godfrey Fothergill Jackson, M.C. (73056), Corps of Royal Engineers.

Lieutenant Philip Ernest Mellor, M.C. (237295), Corps of Royal Engineers (Burton-on-Trent).

Lieutenant Thomas Gerard Price, M.C. (262539), Corps of Royal Engineers (Brecon).

Lieutenant Bernard Booth Rackstraw, M.C. (228855), Corps of Royal Engineers (North Walsham, Norfolk).