- William John WILLIAMS, Esq., Divisional Superintendent, Londonderry Division, St. John Ambulance Brigade.
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CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD.

St. James's Palace, S.W.1, 1st January, 1947.

The KING has been graciously pleased to give orders for the following promotion in, and appointments to the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire:-

To be a Knight Grand Cross of the Civil Division of the said Most Excellent Order:-

Sir George Bailey SANSOM, K.C.M.G., Minister at His Majesty's Embassy at Washington and Adviser to His Majesty's Ambassador on Far Eastern affairs.

To be a Knight Commander of the Civil Division of the said Most Excellent Order:

- Stanley Gordon IRVING, Esq., C.M.G., until recently His Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary at Panama.
- To be Commanders of the Civil Division of the said Most Excellent Order:-
- George Richard Frederick BREDIN, Esq., Provincial Governor, Sudan Political Service.
- John Hellyer LIDDELL, Esq., formerly Chair-man of the Shanghai Municipal Council.
- Dermot Francis MACDERMOT, Esq., until recently Senior Foreign Office Representative on the United Kingdom Liaison Mission to Japan.
- Hugh Charles McClelland, Esq., one of His Majesty's Consuls-General.
- Richard Thomas WINDLE, Esq. For services to the Anglo-American Observer Mission to Greece.
- To be Officers of the Civil Division of the said Most Excellent Order:-
- REID-ADAM, Esq., First Secretary Randle (Commercial) at His Majesty's Embassy at Cairo.
- Edward Anthony Fulcher ASHTON, Esq., First Secretary at His Majesty's Legation at La Paz.
- Henry Norman BRAIN, Esq., Consul on the Staff of the Special Commissioner in South East Asia.
- Alfred John CLAXTON, Esq., British Advocate, Sudan Government.
- Edward Uniacke Penrose FITZGERALD, Esq., First Secretary (Information) at His Majesty's Embassy at Mexico City (Now at His Majesty's Embassy at Madrid.)

- Joseph William Foster, Esq., J.P. For services to the Anglo-American Observer Mission to Greece.
- William Hawksley GRICE, John Esq., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., British subject resident in China.
- Alan Joseph HERBERT, Esq., J.P. For services to the Anglo-American Observer Mission to Greece
- Henry Calverly HINTON, Esq., British subject resident in Madeira.
- Herbert Aubrey MABEY, Esq., attached to a Department of the Foreign Office. Mary Edith, Mrs. NICHOLLS. For services with
- the British Red Cross Society in South East Asia.
- John Kingston O'DONOGHUE, Esq., M.B.E. On the staff of the Political Adviser to the Commander-in-Chief, Germany.
- John Bradbury Lanham TITCHENER, Esq. Far Eastern Publicity Division of Supreme Allied Command, South East Asia.
- Richard Bartram Boyd TOLLINTON, Esq., First Secretary and Consul on the Staff of the British Political Representative in Bulgaria.
- Maurice WOOD, Esq., British subject resident in the United States of America.
- To be Members of the Civil Division of the said Most Excellent Order:-
- Miss Annie Louise BROWN, Typist at His
- Majesty's Embassy at Bogota. Peter Paul CARUANA, Esq., British Vice-Consul at Port Said.
- Henry D'Albertanson, Canon British Chaplain at Beaulieu and Monte Carlo.
- Paul Henry Alfred Ghislayn Howard DORCHY, Esq., formerly Information Officer at His Majesty's Consulate-General at Barcelona.
- Arthur Herbert DUDBRIDGE, Esq., British subject resident in the Argentine Republic.
- Winifred Amy, Mrs. EDWARDS, British subject resident in Turkey.
- Edward Foster VESEY-Leslie Desmond FITZGERALD, Esq., Principal Assistant to the Chief Locust Officer, Middle East.
- George Pereira FRYXELL, Esq., British Pro-Consul at Setubal.
- William GOODALL, Esq., British subject resident in Persia.
- William Peter HALLIDAY, Esq., formerly on the staff of the Political Adviser to the Commander in Chief, Germany.
- Arthur HALSEY, Esq., Second Secretary (Com-mercial) at His Majesty's Embassy at Bagdad.
- Irene, Mrs. HANNAFORD, formerly on the staff of the Supreme Allied Commander, South East Asia.
- John Roland KAY, Esq., British Vice-Consul at Chicago.
- Miss Irma KLOUZAL, on the staff of the British Political Representative in Austria.
- James Stewart LAWSON, Esq. For services to the British Colony in Riga.
- Harold Robert MOORE, Esq., Deputy Assistant Legal Secretary, Sudan Government.
- John Alexander REID, Esq., Principal Information Officer, Benghazi.
- Miss May ROWDON, until recently Registrar at His Majesty's Legation at Reykjavik.
- Allan VEITCH, Esq., Acting Consul-General at Consulate-General His Majesty's at Kunming.