

*Officer of the Order of Leopold II.*

Major Douglas James Watherston DRYBURGH (102782), The Royal Ulster Rifles.

## DECORATIONS CONFERRED BY HIS MAJESTY THE EMPEROR OF ETHIOPIA.

*Distinguished Order of the Star of Ethiopia.*

Lieutenant-Colonel (temporary) Leslie Shepley BARLOW (71591), The Devonshire Regiment.  
Lieutenant-Colonel (temporary) Francis MOYSEY, D.S.O. (22898), The Suffolk Regiment.  
Lieutenant-Colonel (temporary) Thomas St. Valentine TUDBALL (189088), The Bedfordshire and Hertfordshire Regiment.

## DECORATIONS CONFERRED BY HIS MAJESTY THE KING OF IRAQ.

*Order of Al Rafidain, Military Division IV Class.*

Brigadier (temporary) James Lewis SPENCER, D.S.O., O.B.E., M.C. (1313), late Infantry.  
Lieutenant-Colonel (temporary) Joseph Richards WATERS, O.B.E. (15083), Royal Regiment of Artillery.

## DECORATIONS CONFERRED BY HIS MAJESTY THE KING OF THE HELLENES.

*Grand Cross of the Order of the Phoenix with Swords.*

Lieutenant-General Sir William George HOLMES, K.B.E., C.B., D.S.O. (4613), late Infantry.

*Officer of the Royal Order of King George I.*

Lieutenant-Colonel Alfred Charles SIMONDS, O.B.E. (41554), The Royal Berkshire Regiment (Princess Charlotte of Wales's).

*Distinguished Service Medal.*

Lieutenant-Colonel (temporary) John Charles PUTTERILL (70262), Royal Regiment of Artillery.  
Major (temporary) Reginald George Richard BEST (180039), The Queen's Royal Regiment (West Surrey).  
Major (temporary) Herbert Charles LOMAS (318321), General List.  
Major (temporary) Douglas Joseph LONGHILL, M.C. (193300), Royal Tank Regiment, Royal Armoured Corps.  
Major (temporary) Joseph Frederick Niven STOTT, T.D. (47802), Royal Regiment of Artillery.

## DECORATION CONFERRED BY HER MAJESTY THE QUEEN OF THE NETHERLANDS.

*Officer of the Order of the House of Orange.*

Major James Lascelles IREMONGER (62590), The Royal Lincolnshire Regiment.

*Government House, Canberra.*

28th January, 1949.

The KING has been pleased to grant unrestricted permission for the wearing of the following decoration which has been conferred on the under-mentioned officer in recognition of distinguished services in the cause of the Allies:—

## DECORATION CONFERRED BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

*Medal of Freedom with Bronze Palm.*

Lieutenant-Colonel Alastair Wallace SANDFORD (SX 11231), Australian Intelligence Corps.

*Department of National Defence, Ottawa.*

18th May, 1946.

The KING has been pleased to grant unrestricted permission for the wearing of the following decoration which has been conferred on the under-mentioned officer in recognition of distinguished services in the cause of the Allies:—

## DECORATION CONFERRED BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

*Officer of Merit, Degree of Officer.*

Colonel Lorne Cuthbert MONTGOMERY, O.B.E., M.C., The Royal Canadian Army Medical Corps.

*Department of National Defence, Ottawa.*

1st June, 1946.

The KING has been pleased to grant unrestricted permission for the wearing of the following decorations which have been conferred on the under-mentioned officer in recognition of distinguished services in the cause of the Allies:—

## DECORATIONS CONFERRED BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

*Legion of Merit, Degree of Legionnaire.**Bronze Star Medal.*

Captain Charles Taylor ROBERTSON, M.B.E., The Royal Canadian Army Medical Corps.

*Department of National Defence, Ottawa.*

16th October, 1948.

The KING has been pleased to grant unrestricted permission for the wearing of the following decorations which have been conferred on the under-mentioned personnel in recognition of distinguished services in the cause of the Allies:—

## DECORATIONS CONFERRED BY HIS ROYAL HIGHNESS, THE PRINCE REGENT OF BELGIUM.

*Decoration Militaire I Class.*

No. C. 31997 Warrant Officer Class I Russell Frederick TAYLOR, The Royal Canadian Army Medical Corps.

*Decoration Militaire II Class.*

No. L. 41789 Staff-Sergeant Albert LE FRANCOIS, Canadian Pioneer Corps.

## ERRATA.

The KING has been pleased to grant unrestricted permission for the wearing of the following decorations which have been conferred on the under-mentioned officers in recognition of distinguished services in the cause of the Allies:—

## DECORATION CONFERRED BY HIS ROYAL HIGHNESS THE PRINCE REGENT OF BELGIUM.

*Officer of the Order of Leopold.*

Colonel (local) Henry Frank HEYWOOD, M.C. (4671), Royal Regiment of Artillery.

(Substituted for the announcement made in the London Gazette, No. 38405, dated 17th September, 1948.)

## DECORATION CONFERRED BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

*Legion of Merit, Degree of Officer.*

Brigadier (temporary) Charles Douglas ROBERTS, C.B.E. (106176), Royal Regiment of Artillery.

(Substituted for the announcement made in the London Gazette, No. 38459, dated 19th November, 1948.)

*The War Office, 28th January, 1949.*

## REGULAR ARMY.

Brig. M. HOTINE, C.M.G., C.B.E. (10859), late R.E. retires on ret. pay, 29th Jan. 1949.

Maj. (War Subs. Lt.-Col.) H. F. MCKILLOP (17751) Special List (ex Ind. Army) ret'd. is granted the hon. rank of Brig., 11th Dec. 1948.

Maj. (War Subs. Lt.-Col.) A. C. HUGHES, M.B.E. (36685), Special List (ex Ind. Army) ret'd. is granted the hon. rank of Col., 31st Dec. 1948.

Lt.-Col. H. F. C. ARMSTRONG (399784) Special List (ex Ind. Army) ret'd. is granted the hon. rank of Col., 28th Jan. 1949.

## HOUSEHOLD CAVALRY.

## R.H.G.

*Short Serv. Commn.*

Lt. (Qr.-Mr.) Donald Frederick ROBERTS (396853) from Emerg. Commn. to be Lt. (Qr.-Mr.), 1st Dec. 1948 with seniority, 19th Oct. 1948.

## ROYAL ARMOURD CORPS.

*The Bays.*

Lt. P. W. D. GILL (193506) to be Capt., 18th Jan. 1949.

*3rd D.G.*

Capt. C. F. WILLIAMS, M.C. (66807), to be Maj., 10th Jan. 1949.