

CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS
OF KNIGHTHOOD.*St. James's Palace, S.W.1.**1st January, 1954.*

The QUEEN has been graciously pleased to give orders for the following promotions in, and appointments to, the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire:—

To be Ordinary Knights Commanders of the Military Division of the said Most Excellent Order:—

Lieutenant-General Maurice Somerville CHILTON, C.B., C.B.E. (13379), late Royal Regiment of Artillery.

Lieutenant-General Geoffrey Charles EVANS, C.B., C.B.E., D.S.O. (12895), late Infantry.

To be Ordinary Commanders of the Military Division of the said Most Excellent Order:—

Brigadier Edward Cunliffe COOKE-COLLIS, D.S.O. (24314), late Infantry.

Brigadier (temporary) Richard Walter CRADDOCK, D.S.O., M.B.E. (47540), late Infantry.

Brigadier (temporary) Robert Withers EWBANK, D.S.O. (38372), late Corps of Royal Engineers.

Brigadier (temporary) Stanley Reginald GARRATT, O.B.E. (32326), late Infantry.

Colonel (now Honorary Brigadier) Richard Nigel HANBURY, O.B.E., T.D. (63198), late Royal Regiment of Artillery (now T.A.R.O.).

Colonel (now Honorary Brigadier) Herbert James Dacre Lacy MCGREGOR (17088), late Infantry (now R.A.R.O.).

Brigadier (now Major-General (temporary)) Frederick David MOORE (23670), late Royal Regiment of Artillery.

Major-General (temporary) Herbert MacGregor PATERSON (24859), late Royal Regiment of Artillery.

Brigadier Robert James ROSIE, M.B., Q.H.P. (27887), late Royal Army Medical Corps.

Brigadier (temporary) Nigel Prior Hanson TAPP, D.S.O. (30558), late Royal Regiment of Artillery.

Brigadier (temporary) Ralph YOUNGER, D.S.O., M.C. (33496), late Royal Armoured Corps.

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

Lieutenant-Colonel Eric Bernard BARRASS, T.D. (53882), The West Yorkshire Regiment, Territorial Army.

Lieutenant-Colonel Peter Lawrence BIRKIN, T.D. (45446), Royal Regiment of Artillery, Territorial Army (now T.A.R.O.).

Lieutenant-Colonel (Staff Quartermaster) Gilbert John BOUSTEAD, M.B.E. (86766), Employed List (2).

Lieutenant-Colonel (acting) Samuel Eyre BOWER (332245), Army Cadet Force.

Lieutenant-Colonel Alfred John BURGESS, T.D. (92730), Corps of Royal Electrical and Mechanical Engineers, Territorial Army.

Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas Peirce BUTLER, D.S.O. (53159), Grenadier Guards.

Lieutenant-Colonel John CAMERON, T.D. (45192), Royal Regiment of Artillery, Territorial Army (now T.A.R.O.).

Lieutenant-Colonel David Archibald CAMPBELL, T.D. (87635), Royal Regiment of Artillery, Territorial Army.

Lieutenant-Colonel John Keily CANTOPHER, G.M., T.D. (73931), The Royal Ulster Rifles, Territorial Army.

Brevet Colonel Alfred John CHASTON, M.C., T.D. (71593), The Monmouthshire Regiment, Territorial Army (now T.A.R.O.).

Lieutenant-Colonel Henry Nelson CLOWES, D.S.O. (52593), Scots Guards.

Lieutenant-Colonel Richard Stanislaus Gerrard DOYLE (114135), Royal Army Ordnance Corps.

Lieutenant-Colonel Kenneth Lawrence ELKINGTON, M.C., T.D. (164322), Royal Regiment of Artillery, Territorial Army.

Lieutenant-Colonel (temporary) James Douglas FRAIL, M.B.E., T.D. (86423), Royal Regiment of Artillery, Territorial Army (now T.A.R.O.).

Lieutenant-Colonel (acting) Harold Maldwyn GRAY, T.D. (19671), Combined Cadet Force.

Lieutenant-Colonel (acting) Geoffrey Gilbert GREEN (39221), Combined Cadet Force.

Lieutenant-Colonel (temporary) Peter Rupert HEMANS (52636), Royal Regiment of Artillery.

Lieutenant-Colonel William Howard HOOPER, T.D. (75680), Corps of Royal Engineers, Army Emergency Reserve.

Lieutenant-Colonel David Henry LEWIS, M.B.E., T.D. (66637), Royal Regiment of Artillery, Territorial Army.

Lieutenant-Colonel John Clement LIESCHING (44134), The Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry.

Lieutenant-Colonel (temporary) Edward Edmund George LUCAS (105723), Royal Army Service Corps.

Lieutenant-Colonel (temporary) Mildred Sydney Frances MILLINGTON, T.D. (192813), Women's Royal Army Corps.

Lieutenant-Colonel (Quartermaster) John Stevenson MITCHELL (86505), Royal Corps of Signals (Employed List (2X)) (now retired).

Lieutenant-Colonel (temporary) Alec Arthur PETTIFOR (249986), Royal Army Ordnance Corps.

Lieutenant-Colonel (O.E.O.) George Cecil RICHARDSON, M.B.E. (79083), Royal Army Ordnance Corps.

Lieutenant-Colonel (temporary) Alastair Gordon RUMBOLD, M.C. (63630), The Queen's Own Cameron Highlanders.

Lieutenant-Colonel Joseph Augustine SAMMUT (37984), Royal Malta Artillery.

Lieutenant-Colonel Frank William SIMPSON, D.S.O. (44185), Corps of Royal Engineers.

Lieutenant-Colonel Robert Edward OSBORNE SMITH, D.S.O. (41242), The Northamptonshire Regiment.

Lieutenant-Colonel Donald St. Clair THOM (36891), Royal Tank Regiment, Royal Armoured Corps (Employed List (1)).

Lieutenant-Colonel Richard Bertram VERDIN, T.D. (49741), The Cheshire Yeomanry (Earl of Chester's), Royal Armoured Corps, Territorial Army.

Lieutenant-Colonel Robert William May WETHERELL (30960), The Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry.

Lieutenant-Colonel (temporary) Henry George WICKS (217111), Royal Regiment of Artillery.