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**TUESDAY, 25 MAY, 1954**

**CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD.**

*St. James's Palace, S.W.1.  
25th May, 1954.*

The QUEEN has been graciously pleased to make the following appointments to the Royal Victorian Order:—

(To be dated 7th May, 1954.)

*To be a Knight Commander:—*

Sir Gerald Hallen CREASY, K.C.M.G., O.B.E., Governor and Commander-in-Chief, Malta.

*To be Commanders:—*

Herbert Felix GRECH, Esq., Commissioner of the Malta Police Force.  
Lieutenant-Colonel Victor George VELLA, O.B.E., E.D., The King's Own Malta Regiment. (Retired.)

*To be Members of the Fourth Class:—*

Major Walter Lewis BONELLO, Royal Malta Artillery. (Retired.)  
Superintendent Vivian BYERS DE GRAY, M.B.E., B.E.M., Malta Police Force.

*To be Members of the Fifth Class:—*

Inspector William ABELA, Malta Police Force.  
Gerald Henry FERRO, Esq.

**CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD.**

*St. James's Palace, S.W.1.  
25th May, 1954.*

The QUEEN has been graciously pleased to award the Royal Victorian Medal (Silver) to:—

(To be dated 7th May, 1954.)

Gaetano AZZOPARDI.

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The QUEEN has been graciously pleased to make the following appointments to the Royal Victorian Order:—

(To be dated 11th May, 1954.)

*To be a Knight Commander:—*

General Sir Gordon Holmes Alexander MACMILLAN of MACMILLAN, K.C.B., C.B.E., D.S.O., M.C., Governor and Commander-in-Chief, Gibraltar.

*To be a Commander:—*

Julian Darrell BATES, Esq.

*To be Members of the Fourth Class:—*

Arthur Leslie ABRAHAM, Esq., Commissioner of Police, Gibraltar.  
Joshua Abraham HASSAN, Esq.

*To be Members of the Fifth Class:—*

Major Robert Spencer FERGUSON, The Royal Northumberland Fusiliers.  
David James SCHERR, Esq., M.B.E.

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25th May, 1954.*

The QUEEN has been graciously pleased to award the Royal Victorian Medal (Silver) to:—

(To be dated 11th May, 1954.)

Sergeant Julio A. PONS, Gibraltar Defence Force.

**CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD.**

*St. James's Palace, S.W.1.  
25th May, 1954.*

The QUEEN has been graciously pleased to make the following promotion in, and appointments to, the Royal Victorian Order:—

(To be dated 15th May, 1954.)

*To be a Knight Commander:—*

Vice-Admiral (Edward Michael) Conolly ABEL SMITH, C.B.

*To be Commanders:—*

Lieutenant-Colonel (Principal Director of Music) (Francis) Vivian DUNN, M.V.O., Royal Marines.  
Surgeon Commander Derek Duncombe STEELE-PERKINS, Royal Navy.

*To be Members of the Fourth Class:—*

Lieutenant-Commander North Edward Frederick DALRYMPLE-HAMILTON, M.B.E., D.S.C., Royal Navy.  
Commander Robert Ronald Beveridge MACKENZIE, M.B.E., Royal Navy.  
Commander Colin Duncan MADDEN, D.S.C., Royal Navy.

*To be a Member of the Fifth Class:—*

Surgeon Lieutenant-Commander Alan Peter Mayberry NICOL, Royal Navy.