

14th July 1959.

The QUEEN has been graciously pleased to approve the award of the British Empire Medal (Military Division) for gallantry to:

22308735 Sergeant Bernard Thomas HEANE, Royal Regiment of Artillery.

During eighteen months of operations against terrorists in Cyprus Sergeant HEANE led a very large number of patrols, some of which lasted for periods up to five days, with outstanding vigour and initiative.

In August 1958, seeing a crowd gathering and going with four men to investigate, he found a Turkish truck which had just been ambushed. Leaving two men to prevent further terrorist action he went on to a nearby village where he found evidence which led to the arrest of two of the culprits.

During November 1958, he frequently achieved surprise by travelling into villages in civilian buses and lorries. He did this at great personal risk for he was accompanied by only two or three men. In this way he captured two terrorist couriers and, on another occasion, surprised an EOKA Youth meeting making several arrests.

By his fine leadership, ability, devotion to duty and personal gallantry Sergeant HEANE made a valuable individual contribution towards the success of the anti-terrorist operations.

14th July 1959.

The QUEEN has been graciously pleased to approve the award of the British Empire Medal (Military Division) to the undermentioned, in recognition of distinguished services in Cyprus for the period ending 30th June 1959:

22201139 Sergeant (acting Colour Sergeant) Kenneth Frederick GEARING, The Lancashire Fusiliers.

22223212 Private (acting Sergeant) Edwin THOMPSON, Army Catering Corps.

S/22560933 Sergeant William Frank WALLER, Royal Army Service Corps.

WAR OFFICE

14th July 1959.

The QUEEN has been graciously pleased to approve that the following be mentioned, in recognition of gallant and distinguished services in Cyprus for the period 1st January to 30th June 1959:

COMMANDS AND STAFF

T/Col. J. H. ALLFORD, D.S.O. (149871), 7 Gr. (E.L.I.).

T/Brig. H. C. BAKER-BAKER, D.S.O., M.B.E. (58154), late Inf.

T/Maj. G. G. W. BROWN (380133), R.A.

Maj. C. P. DRYLAND, M.C. (137499), R.W.F.

Col. H. PRINCE (52698), late R. Sigs.

HOUSEHOLD CAVALRY

Royal Horse Guards

T/Capt. J. A. C. G. EYRE (441247).

305390 W.O. II F. WHENNELL.

ROYAL ARMOURD CORPS

Royal Tank Regiment

Maj. H. T. R. G. CORKERY (62940).

ROYAL REGIMENT OF ARTILLERY

Maj. A. G. HOGG (109927).

Maj. D. A. LOW, M.C. (134920).

Lt. G. R. MARKS (453715).

Lt.-Col. E. L. STOCKER, M.C. (69047).

831003 W.O. II G. A. GALER.

CORPS OF ROYAL ENGINEERS

Capt. F. A. ANTHONY (375555).

Maj. D. A. BARKER-WYATT, M.B.E. (290897).

Capt. (Q.S.) J. B. DAVIES (449636).

Maj. W. A. DAVIS (287475).

Maj. A. C. MARLES (295928).

2548514 W.O. II C. W. HARRISON.

1883581 W.O. I K. A. S. TOOKE.

ROYAL CORPS OF SIGNALS

T/Capt. J. A. GATWARD (435127).

22212207 Sgt. F. GILL.

21125468 A/Sgt. H. SMITH.

GRENADIER GUARDS

22545080 A/Sgt. E. M. ADDISON.

INFANTRY

The Royal Scots (The Royal Regiment)

23405960 A/Sgt. J. F. A. SAWYER.

The Queens Royal Regiment (West Surrey)

Maj. S. F. HARRIS (266438) (E.L.3.).

The Devonshire and Dorset Regiment

Capt. D. P. LOVEJOY (403525).

22977694 Cpl. W. C. WALTER.

The Lancashire Fusiliers

Lt. S. V. CONNELLY (451212).

T/Lt.-Col. J. C. K. HARRINGTON, M.C. (63858).

Capt. W. H. SILLITOE (400065).

The Royal Welch Fusiliers

Lt. G. D. INKIN (440038).

The Staffordshire Regiment (The Prince of Wales's)

14467434 A/Sgt. J. C. BECKETT.

1st Green Jackets. 43rd and 52nd.

Capt. G. C. STACEY (383323).

The Royal Berkshire Regiment (Princess Charlotte of Wales's)

Capt. D. T. CRABTREE (427648).

The Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment

Capt. K. DODSON (393120).

The Durham Light Infantry

Capt. D. DUNN (424309).

The Royal Ulster Rifles

Lt. (Q.M.) E. C. J. BULL, M.M. (449654).

Lt.-Col. T. N. S. WHEELER, O.B.E. (66180).

The Parachute Regiment

23498191 Pte. M. W. S. HALL.

23503703 A/Cpl. P. HODGKINSON.

ROYAL ARMY SERVICE CORPS

Lt.-Col. V. R. CETTI (140029).

Lt.-Col. R. V. HATHERLEY (124982).

Maj. R. C. F. PAYNE (366617).

Maj. G. S. TOUZEL (256374).

S/14445607 W.O. II D. GREENWOOD.

T/66833 W.O. II H. E. J. SYMES.

ROYAL ARMY MEDICAL CORPS

Capt. W. N. SCHOFIELD, M.B. (444570).

23468440 Sgt. W. D. WRIGHT (now with G.S.C.).

ROYAL ARMY ORDNANCE CORPS

T/Maj. B. BAMFORD (315780).

Capt. T. BENTHAM (430992).

ROYAL ELECTRICAL AND MECHANICAL ENGINEERS

2549098 Sgt. F. F. W. BOUSFIELD.

22230767 W.O. II F. CLARK.

22237927 A/Sgt. F. J. FINCH.

7608646 W.O. I G. A. HAYWOOD.

295346 A/W.O. I J. M. HOWE.

7601355 A/W.O. I L. PEARSON.

CORPS OF ROYAL MILITARY POLICE

22228594 Sgt. R. BEVAN.

7688913 W.O. II J. W. FRATER.

23467628 A/Cpl. B. GILSON.

ROYAL ARMY PAY CORPS

Capt. S. G. DANGERFIELD (303162).

INTELLIGENCE CORPS

Maj. A. L. CARY (256961).

14400236 W.O. II F. MACE.

2765089 W.O. II N. E. PYMM.

ARMY CATERING CORPS

5383854 A/Sgt. J. BRANIFF.

14th July 1959.

REGULAR ARMY

The undermentioned Cols. to be Brigs. on the dates shown:

R. G. F. FRISBY, C.B.E., D.S.O., M.C. (52626), late Inf., 31st May 1959.

H. W. KITSON, B.A. (44917), late R.E., 6th June 1959.

C. H. STONELEY, O.B.E. (49927), late R. Sigs., 8th June 1959.

E. J. H. BATES, O.B.E., M.C. (53108), late R.A., 20th June 1959.

C. T. D. LINDSAY (47589), late R.A., 22nd June 1959.

J. GROSE, O.B.E., M.C. (47548), late R.A., 23rd June 1959.

G. R. G. BIRD (44029), late Inf., 26th June 1959.

F. J. C. PIGGOTT, D.S.O., O.B.E. (49931), late Inf., 27th June 1959.

T. H. BIRKBECK, C.B.E., D.S.O. (44960), late Inf., 28th June 1959.