

India, and Sovereign of the Most Eminent Order of the Indian Empire: To all to whom these presents shall come; Greeting!

Whereas, by virtue of the power in Us vested under certain Letters Patent under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, bearing date respectively the second day of August one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six, and the tenth day of June one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, and in the Statutes of the Order made for the Government of the Most Eminent Order of the Indian Empire, We deem it expedient, without permanently increasing the number of the Ordinary Members of the Order, to provide for the admission into the First, Second, and Third Classes of the Order of such persons as have rendered to Us special and important Services: We, therefore, in pursuance and in exercise of the powers so vested in Us, do make, ordain, and establish by these presents, sealed with the Seal of the said Order, the following Statute and Ordinances, namely:—

It is ordained that the persons whom We may think fit to admit into the First, Second, and Third Classes of the said Most Eminent Order of the Indian Empire in consideration of their services rendered during the recent military operations in South Africa and China, shall be Additional Members of the said Classes, and shall not, now or hereafter, be included within the number of the Ordinary Members allotted to such Classes.

It is ordained that the Additional Members so to be appointed shall have rank and precedence among the Ordinary Members of their respective Classes, according to the dates of their respective appointments, and that the Statutes of Our said Order shall in all matters and things apply in the same manner to the said Additional Members as to the Ordinary Members of Our said Most Eminent Order, any Statute, Decree, or usage to the contrary notwithstanding.

And it is Our Will and Pleasure that this Statute, sealed with the Seal of Our said Order, shall be taken and received as part and parcel of the Statutes thereof.

Given at Our Court at Saint James' this twenty-second day of July one thousand nine hundred and one, in the first year of Our Reign.

By His Majesty's Command,
GEORGE HAMILTON.

The King has been graciously pleased to make the following appointments under the above Statute to the Most Eminent Order of the Indian Empire:—

FOR SERVICES IN CHINA.

To be a Knight Grand Commander.

Colonel Sir Alfred Gaselee, K.C.B., A.D.C.

To be a Knight Commander.

Major His Highness Maharaja Raj Rajeshwar Siromani, Sri Gunga Singh, Bahadur of Bikanir.

To be Companions.

Lieutenant-Colonel William John Read Rainsford, Royal Army Medical Corps.
Lieutenant-Colonel Oswald Claude Radford, Indian Staff Corps.

Lieutenant-Colonel George Kenneth Scott-Moncrieff, Royal Engineers.

Major John James Carl Watson, Royal Army Medical Corps.

Captain and Brevet Major Thomas Edwin Scott, D.S.O., Indian Staff Corps.

Lieutenant-Colonel Lawrence Augustine Waddell, Indian Medical Service.

Lieutenant Asaf Ali Khan, Maler Kotla Sappers.

Subadar Major Sardar Khan, Hong Kong Regiment.

Subadar Major Yasin Khan, 24th Bengal Infantry.

FOR SERVICES IN SOUTH AFRICA.

To be a Companion.

Commander Gerald Edward Holland, D.S.O., Royal Indian Marine.

INDIA OFFICE, July 24, 1901.

The King has been graciously pleased to appoint Colonel George Lloyd Reilly Richardson, C.B., C.I.E., to be a Companion of the Most Exalted Order of the Star of India.

WHITEHALL, July 23, 1901.

The King has been pleased, by Warrant under His Majesty's Royal Sign Manual, bearing date the 17th May 1901, to give and grant unto Colonel Charles Needham His Majesty's Royal licence and authority that he may accept and wear the Insignia of a Commander of the Order of the Crown of Italy, conferred upon him by His Majesty the King of Italy upon the termination of his appointment as Military Attaché to the Embassy at Rome.

FACTORY DEPARTMENT, HOME OFFICE,

July 19, 1901.

The Chief Inspector of Factories has appointed Dr. A. D. Fleming to be Certifying Surgeon, under the Factory Acts, for the Kelso District of the County of Roxburgh.

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION,

July 23, 1901.

The Civil Service Commissioners, with the consent of the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, and in pursuance of the Order in Council of the 29th March 1879, as amended by Clause 21 of the Order in Council of the 29th November 1898, hereby gives notice that the Civilian Employés in the Army Ordnance Department and in the Ordnance Factories and other Departments under the Director-General of Ordnance, who were presented to the Civil Service Commissioners before the 1st July 1901, for Certificates of Qualification for established situations in those Departments, shall be exempt from the payment of fees in respect of the issue of Certificates of Qualification for such situations.