

The King has been graciously pleased to make the following promotions in and appointments to the Most Exalted Order of the Star of India, on the occasion of the Durbar to be held this day at Delhi in His Majesty's Indian Empire, in commemoration of His Majesty's Coronation:—

To be Knights Grand Commanders.

The Right Honourable George Francis Hamilton, commonly called Lord George Francis Hamilton.
His Highness Raja Sir Rama Varma, of Cochin, K.C.S.I.

To be Knights Commanders.

Denzil Charles Jelf Ibbetson, Esq., C.S.I., Indian Civil Service, Member of the Council of the Governor-General of India.
Rear-Admiral Charles Carter Drury, Commander-in-Chief of His Majesty's Naval Forces in the East Indies.
Henry Martin Winterbotham, Esq., C.S.I., Indian Civil Service, Member of the Council of the Governor of Fort St. George.
James Monteath, Esq., C.S.I., Indian Civil Service, Member of the Council of the Governor of Bombay.
Lieutenant-Colonel Donald Robertson, C.S.I., Indian Staff Corps, Resident in Mysore, and Chief Commissioner of Coorg.
Andrew Henderson Leith Fraser, Esq., C.S.I., Indian Civil Service, Chief Commissioner of the Central Provinces.
Hugh Shakespear Barnes, Esq., C.S.I., Indian Civil Service, Secretary to the Government of India in the Foreign Department.
Surgeon-General William Roe Hooper, C.S.I., Indian Medical Service (retired), President of the Medical Board at the India Office.
Colonel Sir Colin Campbell Scott Moncrieff, K.C.M.G., C.S.I., Royal Engineers (retired), President of the Indian Irrigation Commission.
His Highness Raja Kirti Sah, of Tehri, Garhwal, C.S.I.
Kunwar Ranbir Singh, of Patiala.

To be Companions.

Sir Edward Fitzgerald Law, K.C.M.G., Member of the Council of the Governor-General of India.
Charles Stuart Bayley, Esq., Indian Civil Service, Agent to the Governor-General in Central India.
Edward Townshend Candy, Esq., Indian Civil Service, Puisne Judge of the High Court of Judicature at Bombay.
Gabriel Stokes, Esq., Indian Civil Service, Chief Secretary to the Government of Madras and an additional Member of the Council of the Governor of Fort St. George for making Laws and Regulations.
Major-General Trevor Bruce Tyler, Royal Artillery, Inspector-General of Artillery in India.
Harvey Adamson, Esq., Indian Civil Service, Judicial Commissioner of Upper Burma.
William Henry Lockington Impey, Esq., Indian Civil Service, Officiating Chief Secretary to the Government of the United Provinces, and a Member of the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of the United Provinces for making Laws and Regulations.

William Charles Macpherson, Esq., Indian Civil Service, Officiating Secretary to the Government of Bengal, General and Revenue Departments, and a Member of the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal for making Laws and Regulations.

Colonel St. George Corbet Gore, Royal Engineers, Surveyor-General of India.

Lieutenant-Colonel James Alexander Lawrence Montgomery, Indian Staff Corps, Commissioner of the Rawalpindi Division of the Punjab.

Reginald Henry Craddock, Esq., Indian Civil Service, Commissioner of the Jubbulpore Division of the Central Provinces.

Colonel Henry Doveton Hutchinson, Indian Staff Corps, Assistant Military Secretary (for Indian Affairs) at the War Office.

Major Hugh Daly, C.I.E., Indian Staff Corps, Deputy Secretary to the Government of India in the Foreign Department.

Raja Ban Bihari Kapur, of Burdwan.

Nawab Mumtaz-ud-Daula Muhammad Faiyaz Ali Khan, of Pahasu, lately a Member of the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of the United Provinces for making Laws and Regulations.

Sardar Badan Singh, of Malaudh, in the Ludhiana District of the Punjab.

It had been the King's intention to appoint His Highness Raja Bije Sen Bahadur of Mandi to be Knight Commander of the Most Exalted Order of the Star of India in recognition of the good government of his State, and of his loyal offers to place the resources of his State at the disposal of Government during troubles on the frontier. His Highness died on the 10th of December 1902.

INDIA OFFICE, January 1, 1903.

The King has been graciously pleased to ordain and declare the following Special Statute of the Most Eminent Order of the Indian Empire:—

EDWARD THE SEVENTH, by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas, King, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India, and Sovereign of the Most Eminent Order of the Indian Empire, To all to whom these Presents shall come, Greeting!

Whereas in and by certain Letters Patent under the Great Seal bearing date the second day of August, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six, and the Statutes for the government of the Most Eminent Order of the Indian Empire made in pursuance of the said Letters Patent, full power and authority is reserved to Us to increase the number of Members of any of the Classes of Knights Grand Commanders, Knights Commanders, and Companions of our said Order, and to assign a place in any such Class to any person whom We may think fit to admit into the same.

And whereas by Article IX of the Statutes of Our said Order it is ordained and declared that nominations to the Second Class or Knights Commanders shall not exceed eighty-two in number, and that nominations to the Third Class or Companions shall not exceed twenty in any successive year.