andLieutenant Thomas Quartermaster Stephen Tate, M.C., 1st Battalion, Scots Guards.

Quartermaster and Captain Harry Willi Thomas Vine, Royal Army Service Corps.

Quartermaster andLieutenant  $\bar{\mathrm{R}}\mathrm{obert}$ Henderson White, 6th Battalion, The Seaforth Highlanders, Territorial Army.

Subadar Major Barkat Ram, Bahadur, Indian Medical Department.

## CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD.

St. James's Palace, S.W. 1, 3rd June 1925.

The KING has been graciously pleased, on the occasion of His Majesty's Birthday, to give orders for the following appointments to the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire:

To be a Knight Commander of the Military Division of the said Most Excellent Order:-

Vice-Marshal John Frederick Andrews Higgins, C.B., D.S.O., A.F.C., Royal Air Force.

To be a Commander of the Military Division of the said Most Excellent Order:

Wing Commander Augustine ap Ellis, Royal Air Force.

To be Officers of the Miltary Division of the said Most Excellent Order:-

Squadron Leader Norman Channing Spratt, Royal Air Force.

Flight Lieutenant Albert William Fletcher,

D.F.C., A.F.C., Royal Air Force. Flight Lieutenant Norman Hugh Jenkins, D.F.C., D.S.M., Royal Air Force.

To be Members of the Military Division of the said Most Excellent Order:

Flying Officer Ernest Stanford Bullen, Royal Air Force.

Flying Officer Edwin James Newman, Royal Air Force.

No. 2731 Sergeant-Major, 1st Class, Albert Edward Harbot, Royal Air Force.

No. 224451 Sergeant-Major, 2nd Class, Reuben Charles Pennicott, Royal Air Force.

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The KING has been graciously pleased, on the occasion of His Majesty's Birthday, to give orders for the following promotions in, and appointments to the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire:—

To be Knights Grand Cross of the Civil Division of the said Most Excellent Order:

Major-General Herbert Francis Eaton, Baron Cheylesmore, K.C.M.G., K.C.V.O.

man of the National Rifle Association; President of the Lord Roberts' Memorial Workshops. Twice Mayor of Westminster and Chairman of London County Council 1912-13.

Sir Frederic George Kenyon, K.C.B., T.D., M.A., Litt.D., D.Litt., LL.D., Ph.D., F.B.A., Director and Principal Librarian of the British Museum.

Sir John Francis Cleverton Snell, M.Inst.C.E., Chairman of the Electricity Commission.

To be Knights Commanders of the Civil Division of the said Most Excellent Order:-

Edward Hall Alderson, Esq., C.B., Clerk Assistant of Parliaments.

Major Robert Lister Bower, C.M.G., C.B.E., Chief Constable of North Riding of Yorkshire.

Edmund Kerchever Chambers, Esq., C.B., F.B.A., Hon. D.Litt., Second Secretary, Board of Education.

Colonel Charles Clifford, C.M.G., V.D., T.D., For political and public services in Sheffield.

John Smith Flett, Esq., O.B.E., M.A., D.Sc., LL.D., F.R.S., Director of Geological Survey of Great Britain and Museum of Practical Geology.

Charles Leolin Forestier-Walker, Esq., M.P. Knight of Grace of the Order of St. John of Jerusalem. For political and public services. Member of Parliament for Monmouth since 1918. Chairman of Monmouthshire County Council 1923–24. A Forestry Commissioner (unpaid): A Commissioner of the Board of Control (unpaid): A Welsh Church Commissioner (unpaid).

Frederick Thomas Hopkinson, Esq., M.Inst. C.E. For services in connection with the Nile Dam, Sudan.

Charles Fraser Adair Hore, Esq., C.B., Principal Assistant Secretary, Ministry Pensions.

Francis Adolphus Jones, Esq., C.B., Legal Adviser, Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries and Solicitor to Commissioners of Crown Lands.

Frederick Sydney Parry, Esq., C.B., Deputy Chairman, Board of Customs and Excise.

Henry Arthur Payne, Esq., C.B., Second Secretary, Board of Trade.
Sir John Reid, J.P., D.L., Director of Glasgow Chamber of Commerce, Director of Glasgow Infirmary, Vice-President of the Princess Louise Scottish Hospital for Limbless Sailors and Soldiers, President of the Glasgow Y.M.C.A. For political and public services.

John Lloyd Vaughan Seymour Williams, Esq., T.D., Lieut.-Colonel R. E. (T.A.), re-tired. Clerk to the Rural District Council of Warmley for over 20 years; Chairman of Executive, Rural District Councils Association for over 25 years.

To be Dames Commanders of the Civil ExcellentDivision of the said Most Order:-

Emma Cecile, Mrs. Gye Marie-Louise (Madame Albani).

Susan Mary Elizabeth, Lady St. Helier, C.B.E., J.P., a Member of the L.C.C. for