

CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS
OF KNIGHTHOOD.*St. James's Palace, S.W.1.*

23rd March, 1944.

The KING has been graciously pleased to approve the award of the George Medal, in recognition of conspicuous gallantry in carrying out hazardous work in a very brave manner in Sicily, to:—

No. 1898514 Sapper Ivor George Robins, Corps of Royal Engineers (East Kirkby, Notts.).

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The KING has been graciously pleased to approve the award of the British Empire Medal (Military Division), in recognition of gallant and distinguished services in Sicily, to the undermentioned:—

- No. 7879452 Sergeant John Edward Austin, Corps of Military Police (London, E.3).
 No. T/222514 Corporal Horace Wortham Barnes, Royal Army Service Corps (Cambridge).
 No. 7381695 Sergeant John Desmond Belamy, Royal Army Medical Corps (Ashby-de-la-Zouch).
 No. 7015891 Corporal Frederick Henry Charles Bye, Army Catering Corps (Surbiton).
 No. S/80491 Sergeant Edward Charles Cattermole, Royal Army Service Corps (Stowmarket).
 No. T/175461 Corporal Harold George Cheesley, Royal Army Service Corps (Highworth, Wilts).
 No. 5494772 Colour-Sergeant (acting Warrant Officer Class II (Regimental Quartermaster-Sergeant)) Alfred Curzon Chitty, The Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment (Bournemouth).
 No. 1984410 Sapper Walter Clubley, Corps of Royal Engineers (Hull).
 No. T/82993 Sergeant Allan Day, Royal Army Service Corps (Edgbaston, Birmingham).
 No. 1909289 Sergeant (acting Staff-Sergeant) Stewart Henry Gallear, Corps of Royal Engineers (Cannock, Staffs).
 No. 2017774 Sapper Robert Patrick Ernest Gray, Corps of Royal Engineers (London, S.E.16).
 No. 2346113 Signaller Sidney Hardiman, Royal Corps of Signals (London, N.W.9).
 No. 1073942 Sergeant George Howse, Royal Regiment of Artillery (Aston, Birmingham).
 No. 7362187 Private Harry Hunn, Royal Army Medical Corps (Barry Dock, S. Wales).
 Corporal Albert William Hunnex, Infantry (Chippenham, Wilts).
 No. 2151904 Sapper John Walter James, Corps of Royal Engineers (Lozells, Birmingham).
 No. 1976947 Gunner Clifford Kettell, Royal Regiment of Artillery (Rotherham).
 No. 1455038 Sergeant James Isiah Lamb, Royal Regiment of Artillery (Brierley Hill, Staffs).
 No. 555400 Staff-Sergeant Arthur Henry Malkin, Royal Electrical and Mechanical Engineers (Aston Flamville, Leics).
 No. S/93229 Staff-Sergeant Albert Hudson Parkinson, Royal Army Service Corps (Welling, Kent).
 No. 2115637 Lance-Sergeant Hubert Parrott, Corps of Royal Engineers (Oxspring, Sheffield).
 No. 1940607 Lance-Sergeant Norman Walter Philo, Corps of Royal Engineers (London, S.W.11).
 No. 937609 Lance-Sergeant Arthur Alfred Henry Powell, Royal Regiment of Artillery (Chadwell Heath).
 No. 7604256 Sergeant Alfred Powley, Royal Electrical and Mechanical Engineers (Howden-on-Tyne).
 No. 873891 Sergeant Joseph William Redfearn, Royal Regiment of Artillery (Tweedmouth).
 No. S/2574455 Sergeant William Albert Haylett Rye, Royal Army Service Corps (Carshalton Beeches).
 No. 777456 Sergeant Frank Thomas Shuttlewood, Corps of Royal Engineers (Ongar, Essex).
 No. 2351905 Lance-Corporal Thomas Edward Nicholson Starbuck, Royal Corps of Signals (Daybrook, Notts).
 No. 2471518 Signaller Harry Turner, Royal Corps of Signals (Aberdeen).
 No. 7627858 Lance-Corporal Stanley Clarence Young, Royal Electrical and Mechanical Engineers (Aberystwyth).

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The KING has been graciously pleased to give orders for the following appointments to the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, in recognition of gallant and distinguished services in the field:—

To be an Additional Officer of the Military Division of the said Most Excellent Order:—

Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) Mortimer Ernest Ruffer, D.S.O. (21148), Royal Regiment of Artillery (London, E.C.3).

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

Subadar-Major Khalim Gul (6429, I.O.), 13th Frontier Force Rifles, Indian Army.

Lieutenant (temporary Captain) William Kerstan Northcroft (E.C.5902), 13th Frontier Force Rifles, Indian Army.

The Reverend Ninian Blundell Wright, B.D. (111057), Chaplain to the Forces, 4th Class, Royal Army Chaplains' Department (Dollar, Clackmannanshire).

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The KING has been graciously pleased, on the advice of His Majesty's New Zealand Ministers, to approve the award of the British Empire Medal (Military Division), in recognition of gallant and distinguished services in the field, to:—

No. 37293 Sergeant John Llewellyn Dorian Davis, New Zealand Military Forces.

War Office, 23rd March, 1944.

The KING has been graciously pleased to approve the following awards in recognition of gallant and distinguished services in Sicily:—

The Distinguished Service Order.

Major-General (acting) Alexander Arthur Richardson (17109), late The Royal Ulster Rifles (Cheltenham).
 Lieutenant-Colonel Edmund John Stansfield (8890), Royal Regiment of Artillery (Dehra-Dun, India).
 Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) Harry Stanley Hunt (38717), Royal Regiment of Artillery (Shalford, Surrey).

The Military Cross.

Captain (temporary Major) Stanbury John Hawkins (201118), Corps of Royal Engineers (Southsea, Hants).
 Captain (temporary Major) Steven Muir Holloway (52080), Corps of Royal Engineers (Moreton, Cheshire).
 Lieutenant George Joseph Milner Hopper (204950), Royal Corps of Signals (Heighington, Lincoln).
 Lieutenant (temporary Captain) Alan Kirton Guest (99823), The Hampshire Regiment (London, S.W.16).
 Lieutenant (acting Captain) Robert Wallis Tucker (121129), The Dorsetshire Regiment (Bridport).
 The Reverend Bernard Mary Egan (159715), Chaplain to the Forces, 4th Class, Royal Army Chaplains' Department (Buntingford, Herts).
 Captain Andrew Noble, M.B. (185090), Royal Army Medical Corps (Stonehaven, Scotland).
 Captain Dennis Gerard Sheffield, M.B. (108446), Royal Army Medical Corps (Cosham, Hants).

The Royal Red Cross.

To be an Additional Member of the Royal Red Cross, First Class.

Miss Margaret Mary Mirrielees (206308), Sister, Queen Alexandra's Imperial Military Nursing Service (Grantham).

The Military Medal.

No. 1398239 Lance-Sergeant Denis Tomlin, Royal Horse Artillery (London, E.7).
 No. 916212 Sergeant George Henry Vowles, Royal Regiment of Artillery (London, N.8).
 No. 2330530 Lance-Corporal Harry Bleackley, Royal Corps of Signals (Bolton).
 No. 3124671 Warrant Officer Class II (Company Sergeant-Major) Michael Rodger, The Royal Scots Fusiliers.