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

*The Distinguished Service Order.*

- Lieutenant-Colonel (temporary) Hilary Howard Benson Clegg (34665), Royal Regiment of Artillery (Lichfield).  
Major Cecil George Percy-Hardman (49638), The Devonshire Regiment (since died of wounds) (to be dated 7th March, 1945) (London, W.5).  
Major (temporary) Jack Dillon Ricketts (66129), The Worcestershire Regiment (Cheltenham).  
Major (temporary) Charles Dennis Hamilton (90293), The Durham Light Infantry (Aldwick).

*The Military Cross.*

- Major (temporary) Richard Andrew Joscelyne (122550), Royal Tank Regiment, Royal Armoured Corps (Honiton).  
Major (temporary) Harry Judge (104481), Reconnaissance Corps, Royal Armoured Corps (Sutton Coldfield).  
Lieutenant Eric Charles Macey (273715), Reconnaissance Corps, Royal Armoured Corps (Twickenham).  
Lieutenant Michael Anthony Urban-Smith (285977), Reconnaissance Corps, Royal Armoured Corps (Abingdon).  
Lieutenant Peter Scott Newman (285414), Lothians and Border Yeomanry, Royal Armoured Corps (Crouch End).  
Major (temporary) Richmond Ambrose Gorle (44862), Royal Regiment of Artillery (Northlew, Devon).  
Captain (temporary) William Gordon Melrose (149744), Royal Regiment of Artillery (Redmans).  
Captain (temporary) Thomas Frederick Palmer (166658), Royal Regiment of Artillery (Lostwithiel).  
Captain (temporary) Henry Shearer Taylor (94552), Royal Regiment of Artillery (Tynemouth).  
Captain (temporary) Donald Graham Thorne (190661), Royal Regiment of Artillery (London, E.18).  
Captain (temporary) Roger Bates Ward (220938), Royal Regiment of Artillery (Shelsley Beauchamp).  
Captain (temporary) Ronald Richard David Wigley (174675), Royal Regiment of Artillery (Enfield).  
Lieutenant John Cawley (249068), Royal Regiment of Artillery (Slough).  
Lieutenant Robert Jardine (255139), Royal Regiment of Artillery (Lockerbie).  
Lieutenant Richard James Parker (303686), Royal Regiment of Artillery (Dulwich).  
Lieutenant Stephen Charles Malenoir Malenoir-Vickers (222703), Corps of Royal Engineers (Colchester).

- Lieutenant Eric Bryan Spencer (324323), The Royal Warwickshire Regiment (Handsworth).  
Lieutenant Kenneth Morgan Evans (261636), The King's Regiment (Liverpool) (Sale).  
Captain (temporary) Stanley Simpson (293333), The East Yorkshire Regiment (The Duke of York's Own) (Kew).  
Lieutenant William Lambert Woodhouse (193180), The Royal Welch Fusiliers (Melksham).  
Captain Douglas Sydney Stroud (70884), The South Wales Borderers (Bognor Regis).  
Major (temporary) David Balfour Haig (52658), The King's Own Scottish Borderers (Winchester).  
Lieutenant William Arthur Hodge (285989), The Duke of Wellington's Regiment (West Riding) (Babington).  
Second-Lieutenant John LeCornu (333688), The Duke of Wellington's Regiment (West Riding).  
Major (temporary) Francis Fletcher Laugher (47616), The Dorsetshire Regiment (Cerne Abbas).  
Major (temporary) Thomas Hope Read (90908), The Oxfordshire and Buckinghamshire Light Infantry (Old Amersham).  
Captain (temporary) Geoffrey Mark Fuller (271280), The Oxfordshire and Buckinghamshire Light Infantry (Bedford).  
Major (temporary) Geoffrey Vardon Martin (130721), The Royal Berkshire Regiment (Princess Charlotte of Wales's) (Tenterden).  
Major (temporary) James Douglas Hendry (69489), The Highland Light Infantry (City of Glasgow Regiment) (Bridge of Weir).  
Captain (temporary) John Walker Brown (148617), The Highland Light Infantry (City of Glasgow Regiment) (Newton Mearns).  
Lieutenant John Renwick (284902), The Highland Light Infantry (City of Glasgow Regiment) (Uddingston).  
Major (temporary) David Arthur Blair, M.B.E. (73177), The Seaforth Highlanders (Ross-shire Buffs, The Duke of Albany's) (Nairn).  
Major (temporary) Alan Curtis Bird (105617), The Royal Ulster Rifles.  
Captain Andrew James Clarke, M.B. (133358), Royal Army Medical Corps (Edinburgh).  
Captain (temporary) Thomas Rankine Galloway (204492), Intelligence Corps (Dumbarton).

*The Distinguished Flying Cross.*

- Captain (temporary) Edward Hugh Salmon (190660), Royal Regiment of Artillery (Beckenham).

*The Distinguished Conduct Medal.*

- No. 7928964 Lance-Sergeant James Paxton Swan, 22nd Dragoons, Royal Armoured Corps (Glasgow).  
No. 4800749 Private George Henry Sneesby, The Lincolnshire Regiment (Grantham).  
No. 4611795 Sergeant Henry Simpson, The Duke of Wellington's Regiment (West Riding) (Oldham).