

prise and a heavy fire fight ensued in which another enemy Automatic was in action. The patrol continued to engage the enemy who, doubtless realising that they were opposed by four men only, began an encircling movement on each flank. By now, the patrol's ammunition was almost exhausted. In face of the outflanking manoeuvre, Sergeant Gore THAPA, appreciating that to stand and fight was fruitless, and that to sustain a casualty was to invite annihilation, ordered his party to withdraw. Using the little ammunition that remained he broke off the engagement in two short bounds pursued by heavy rifle and automatic fire. Two terrorist bodies were subsequently recovered and, from the bloodstains at the scene of the engagement, it is almost certain that three others were wounded.

The War Office, 12th March, 1957.

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COMMANDS AND STAFF.

Col. F. J. J. PRIOR, O.B.E., E.R.D., A.M.I.C.E. (65841).

The QUEEN has been graciously pleased to confer the award of the 2nd Clasp to the Army Emergency Reserve Decoration upon the following officers:—

CORPS OF ROYAL ENGINEERS.

Lt.-Col. G. W. BAYLEY, O.B.E., E.R.D. (91967) (Hon. Col. of an A.E.R. Unit).

ROYAL CORPS OF SIGNALS.

Lt.-Col. W. H. OLIVER, M.B.E., E.R.D. (68526).

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CORPS OF ROYAL ENGINEERS.

Maj. J. M. PALIN (220772).

ROYAL CORPS OF SIGNALS.

Capt. C. A. ATKINSON (56223) (now R.A.R.O.).

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Lt.-Col. P. J. HANDS, M.B.E. (130522).

Lt.-Col. W. G. PARKER, M.B.E., G.M., B.Sc. (135029).

Maj. M. C. S. HIGGINS (94589) (now T.A.)

Maj. J. M. PALIN (220772).

Maj. N. T. TRAYLER, M.B.E. (190558).

Capt. (A/Maj.) B. E. LAMBERT (416035).

Capt. (Hon. Maj.) T. E. PARRY (65809).

Lt. (Hon. Capt.) J. N. ROBINSON (96105) Retired.

ROYAL CORPS OF SIGNALS.

Lt.-Col. & Bt. Col. M. F. ALLAN, M.B.E. (36474)

Retired.

Capt. C. A. ATKINSON (56223) (now R.A.R.O.).

Lt. A. SCARBOROUGH (77479) Retired.

Capt. (Qr.-Mr.) A. V. STOREY (316598).

INFANTRY.

Border.

Capt. R. L. PATERSON (73838) (now R.A.R.O.).

ROYAL ARMY SERVICE CORPS.

Capt. (Hon. Lt.-Col.) J. H. MORGAN, O.B.E. (63947) Retired.

ROYAL ARMY ORDNANCE CORPS.

Maj. E. L. HUNT (288966).

Maj. A. KIRK (251007).

Maj. J. M. WHITTINGTON (126553).

Capt. P. S. BATES (276801).

Capt. G. E. HOLLOWAY (174185).

ROYAL ARMY PAY CORPS.

Capt. O. JENNINGS (305307).

ROYAL AIR FORCE.

The QUEEN has been graciously pleased to confer the award of the Army Emergency Reserve Decoration upon the following former member of the Army Emergency Reserve:—
Sqn. Ldr. A. E. (LEE (42981) (formerly Capt., P/76540, R. Tks.).

The QUEEN has been graciously pleased to confer the award of the 4th Clasp to the Territorial Efficiency Decoration upon the following officer:—

ROYAL ARMY MEDICAL CORPS.

Maj. G. D. THOMPSON, T.D., M.B. (40601).

The QUEEN has been graciously pleased to confer the award of the 3rd Clasp to the Territorial Efficiency Decoration upon the following officer:—

COMMANDS AND STAFF.

Col. J. R. STANTON, D.S.O., T.D. (50778).

The QUEEN has been graciously pleased to confer the award of the 2nd Clasp to the Territorial Efficiency Decoration upon the following officers:—

COMMANDS AND STAFF.

Col. J. P. J. JENKINS, O.B.E., T.D., M.B., D.L. (48626) Retired.

HONOURABLE ARTILLERY COMPANY.

Maj. P. F. BARSHALL, T.D. (90726) (now T.A.R.O.).

ROYAL REGIMENT OF ARTILLERY.

Lt.-Col. R. J. C. FLEMING, T.D. (74255).

Maj. W. N. BYGATE, M.B.E., T.D. (69482) (now T.A.R.O.).

Maj. S. G. COULSON, T.D. (39936) Retired.

Maj. T. L. GILLISON, T.D. (79828).

CORPS OF ROYAL ENGINEERS.

Lt.-Col. O. S. PEARSON, T.D. (75868).

ROYAL CORPS OF SIGNALS.

Maj. (Hon. Lt.-Col.) W. A. TOMLINSON (47254).

INFANTRY.

R. Berks.

Capt. (Hon. Maj.) S. W. ROUTLEDGE, T.D. (76189).

H.L.I.

Lt.-Col. D. A. SKENE-SMITH, T.D. (70813).

ROYAL ARMY CHAPLAINS' DEPARTMENT.

Rev. W. A. WINTON, T.D., M.A. (74337) (C.F. 3rd Cl.).

ROYAL ARMY SERVICE CORPS.

Lt.-Col. H. R. HALL, T.D. (77771) (now T.A.R.O.).

ROYAL ARMY MEDICAL CORPS.

Lt.-Col. C. S. NICOL, T.D., M.D., M.R.C.P. (69703).

Maj. R. W. EVANS, T.D., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (90766).

MOBILE DEFENCE CORPS.

Maj. J. R. C. WHITE, T.D. (72141) (now A.E.R.).

GENERAL LIST.

SECTION A.

Lt.-Col. D. S. MOYES, T.D. (58584) (Seconded to St. Andrews Univ. O.T.C.).

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COMMANDS AND STAFF.

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ROYAL REGIMENT OF ARTILLERY.

Maj. S. G. COULSON, T.D. (39936) Retired.

Maj. F. L. SEDGWICK, T.D. (109734).

CORPS OF ROYAL ENGINEERS.

Capt. (Hon. Maj.) L. A. M. FRASER (67000).

ROYAL CORPS OF SIGNALS.

Maj. (Hon. Lt.-Col.) C. S. SCANTLEBURY, M.B.E., T.D. (51840) (now R.A.R.O.).

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