(b) Civil Services in India:-

Senior Assistant Surgeon and Honorary Major Michael Courtney, Indian Subordinate Medical Department, Superintendent, Central Jail, Montgomery, Punjab.

Rai Ganga Charan Chatterjee, Bahadur, Magistrate and Collector, Pabna, Bengal. John Richardson Atkinson, Esq., Attorney-at-

Law, Deputy Registrar, High Court of

Judicature, Madras.

Maung Me, Esq., K.S.M., Headquarters

Assistant to Deputy Commissioner, Tharrawaddy, Extra Assistant Commissioner, 4th Grade, Burma. George Herbert Cockman, Esq., Military

Accounts Department.

Rai Bahadur Gyanendra Nath Chakravarti, M.A., Inspector of Schools, Benares, United Provinces.

Gerald Eyre Wilson, Esq., late Registrar, Office of the Private Secretary to His Excellency the Viceroy.
Rai Abinas Chandra Koar Bahadur, Senior

Superintendent in the Home Department of the Government of India.

Reginald Medlycott, Esq., Registrar, Office of the Inspector-General of Police, Bengal. Antony Marcel Peris, Esq., Registrar, Office

of the Resident in Mysore, Mysore Residency.

CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD,

St. James's Palace, S.W. 1. 3rd June, 1918.

The KING has been graciously pleased, on the occasion of His Majesty's Birthday, to institute two Decorations to be awarded to Officers and Warrant Officers in the Royal Air Force, and two Medals to be awarded to Non-Commissioned Officers and Men in the Royal Air Force, i.e.,

The Distinguished Flying Cross," to be awarded to Officers and Warrant Officers for acts of gallantry when flying in active opera-

tions against the enemy.
"The Air Force Cross," to be awarded to
Officers and Warrant Officers for acts of courage or devotion to duty when flying,

although not in active operations against the enemy.

"The Distinguished Flying Medal," to be awarded to Non-Commissioned Officers and Men for acts of gallantry when flying in

active operations against the enemy.
"The Air Force Medal," to be awarded to Non-Commissioned Officers and Men for acts of courage or devotion to duty when flying, although not in active operations against the enemy.

CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD.

St. James's Palace, S.W., 3rd June, 1918.

The KING has been graciously pleased, on the occasion of His Majesty's Birthday, to make the following awards of the "Kaisar-ihind Medal for Public Service in India" of the First Class:

Henry Newton Crouch, Esq., Additional Judicial Commissioner, Sind, Bombay.

Robert Alexander Boswell Chapman, Esq., Indian Civil Service, Deputy Commissioner, Yeotmal, Berar, Central Provinces.

Reverend Canon Cecil Stansfeld Rivington,

Bombay

Reverend Father Louis Van Hoeck, S.J., Rector, Roman Catholic Mission, Ranchi, Bihar and Orissa.

Reverend Elias William Kelly, M.A., Ph.D., Missionary, Superintendent, Judson Boys' High School, Moulmein, Burma.

Reverend Herbert Anderson, Secretary, Calcutta Temperance Federation and Indian Secretary, Baptist Missionary Society, and

Member, Licensing Board, Bengal. Sister Mary Victoria, Clewer Sisters of St. John the Baptist, Principal, Diocesan College for Indian Girls at Ballygunge, Calcutta.

Mrs. Margaret Vernon.

Seth Jay Dayal, of Muizuddinpur, Sitapur, United Provinces.

Admiralty, 3rd June, 1918:

The KING has been graciously pleased to give orders for the appointment of the undermentioned Officers to be Companions of the Distinguished Service Order, in recognition of their services in the prosecution of the war:

 \mathbf{Vice} - \mathbf{Adml} . Frank Hannan Henderson, C.M.G.

Rear-Adml. Hugh Thomas Hibbert.

Capt. George Bennett Weston Young, R.N.

Capt. Archer Napier Heathcote, R.N.

Capt. Herbert Neville Rolfe, R.N. Capt. Thomas Philip Walker, R.N.R. (Adml.,

retired.).

Capt.) William Henry Owen, Cdr.(act. R.N.R.

Cdr. (act. Capt.) Thomas Alban Jones, R.D., R.N.R

Cdr. Randal Borough McCowen, R.N.

Eng.-Cdr. Elias George Pallot, R.N.

Eng.-Cdr. William Symington Torrance, R.N. Cdr. Oswald Charles Merriman Barry,

Maj. William Skeffington Poë, R.M.A., Lieut.-Cdr. (act. Cdr.) Oliver Loc Lampson, C.M.G., M.P., R.N.V.R. Lieut.-Cdr. Arthur Avison Scott, R.N. Locker-

Lieut.-Cdr. Cuthbert Winthrop Swithinbank,

 $\mathbf{R}.\mathbf{N}.$ Lieut.-Cdr. Christopher John Frederick Wood, R.N.

To receive the Distinguished Service Cross. Lieut. Stanley Napier Blackburn, R.N.

The KING has been graciously pleased to award the Royal Red Cross Decoration to the undermentioned ladies in recognition of their valuable services in connection with the war: —

Royal Red Cross, 1st Class.

Miss Margaret Emma Goodall-Copestake, Superintending Sister, Q.A.R.N.N.S. Miss Muriel G. Hutton, Nursing Sister. Q.A.R.N.N.S., Reserve.

Royal Red Cross, 2nd Class.

Miss Sarah Edith McClefland, Nursing Sister, Q.A.R.N.N.S.

Vera Nursing Spark, Sister, Q.A.R.N.N.S., Reserve.