

NEW YEAR'S HONOURS.

Hundreds of men and a few women have received New Year's Honours, and so far as they refer to the Fighting Forces they have our warm congratulations. The Royal Navy, the Army and the Royal Air Force are duly honoured. The names of great men to whom the world owes gratitude are thus recognised at home and from our splendid Dominions.

Canadian appointments include the C.B.E., for Dr. C. H. Best, co-discoverer of Insulin, with the late Sir Frederick Banting.

THE ROYAL RED CROSS.

His Majesty has approved the following promotion in, and appointments to, the Royal Red Cross, for outstanding zeal, patience, cheerfulness, and for courage and wholehearted devotion to duty while serving in H.M. naval hospitals in the last six months of war:—

QUEEN ALEXANDRA'S ROYAL NAVAL NURSING SERVICE.

Bar to Royal Red Cross.

Miss D. W. Beale, R.R.C., Matron-in-Chief.

First Class, R.R.C.

Miss N. S. Garner, Acting Matron; Miss E. M. Fowler, Acting Superintendent Sister.

Second Class, A.R.R.C.

Miss A. B. S. MacFie, Hon. Matron; Miss G. B. Martin, Acting Matron; Miss F. H. Buckman, Acting Superintendent Sister (R.); Miss F. N. P. Booth, Nursing Sister; Miss A. A. Velyanovitch, Civilian Nursing Sister.

QUEEN ALEXANDRA'S IMPERIAL MILITARY NURSING SERVICE AND RESERVE.

Bar to Royal Red Cross.

Miss G. C. Ball, R.R.C., Principal Matron; Miss M. M. Roberts, Principal Matron.

First Class, R.R.C.

Miss A. G. Murrie, Principal Matron; Miss J. A. Patterson, Principal Matron; Miss E. M. Hill, Matron; Miss D. A. Johnson, Matron; Miss G. Roberts, Matron; Miss M. J. Thomson, Assistant Matron.

Second Class, A.R.R.C.

Miss F. G. Jones, Assistant Matron; Miss H. J. Kirkwood, Assistant Matron; Miss D. Sinden, Assistant Matron; Miss E. W. R. Warner, Assistant Matron; Miss W. L. Aldwinckle, Nursing Officer; Miss E. B. Black, Sister; Miss E. W. Kynaston, Sister (R.); Miss E. M. Thomas, Sister; Miss M. Dobson, Sister-in-Charge (R.); Miss K. Crago, Sister (R.); Miss M. A. Kay, Sister (R.); Miss L. Bell, Sister (R.); Miss C. Twitchin, Sister (R.).

TERRITORIAL ARMY NURSING SERVICE.

First Class, R.R.C.

Miss E. C. Key, Matron.

Second Class, A.R.R.C.

Miss W. A. Miller-Hallett, Sister-in-Charge; Miss C. C. Fleming, Sister; Miss C. Robertson-Taylor, Sister; Miss F. M. Taylor, Sister; Miss J. Waine, Sister.

PRINCESS MARY'S ROYAL AIR FORCE NURSING SERVICE.

First Class, R.R.C.

Miss G. Inman, Matron; Miss M. J. Macdonald, Matron; Miss E. Spensley, Matron.

Second Class, A.R.R.C.

Miss U. F. C. Henson, Matron; Miss A. M. Rodd, Matron; Miss V. M. Ashworth, Senior Sister; Miss J. W. Atkinson, Senior Sister; Miss G. E. Butler, Senior Sister; Mrs. N. L. Cain, Senior Sister; Miss E. Maltman, Senior Sister; Miss F. M. Pepper, Senior Sister; Mrs. H. B. Woods, Sister.

ROYAL CANADIAN ARMY MEDICAL CORPS.

First Class, R.R.C.

Major N. B. Kennedy-Reid, Principal Matron; Major D. I. MacRae, Principal Matron; Major D. M. Riches, Principal Matron; Major E. E. Rossiter, Principal Matron; Captain M. C. Crawford, Matron.

Second Class, A.R.R.C.

Captain G. Patterson, Matron; Captain M. A. Smith, Matron; Lieut. R. Hamelin, Nursing Sister; Lieut. (Act. Capt.) D. A. Macham, Acting Matron; Lieut. M. MacLean, Nursing Sister; Lieut. A. Thorpe, Nursing Sister.

ROYAL CANADIAN NAVY.

Second Class, A.R.R.C.

Nursing Sister E. L. Belden.

ROYAL CANADIAN AIR FORCE.

Second Class, A.R.R.C.

Flight Lieut. M. T. G. Montgomery; Flight Officer K. M. Baker.

SOUTH AFRICAN MILITARY NURSING SERVICE.

First Class, R.R.C.

Miss C. A. Nothard, Matron-in-Chief; Miss M. E. Stoney, Principal Matron.

Second Class, A.R.R.C.

Miss C. M. Loopuyt, Senior Matron.

NEW ZEALAND ARMY NURSING SERVICE.

First Class, R.R.C.

Miss G. L. Thwaites, Matron.

KAISAR-I-HIND GOLD MEDAL.

Miss D. Chadwick, Principal Matron, Surgeon-General's Office, Madras.

ORDER OF THE BRITISH EMPIRE.

O.B.E., Military Division.

Miss I. G. Willis, Matron-in-Chief, New Zealand Army Nursing Service.

O.B.E., Civil Division.

Miss Frances G. Goodall, Secretary, Royal College of Nursing; Miss Edith Smith, R.R.C., Matron, Westminster Hospital; Miss Edith E. Greaves, M.B.E., Matron, City of London Maternity Hospital; Miss Mercy Wilmshurst, General Superintendent, Queen's Institute of District Nursing; Miss Jane Bell, President, Royal Victorian College of Nursing, Australia.

M.B.E., Military Division.

Miss E. A. McGill, Lady Superintendent of Nurses, Uganda; Miss W. G. Houlding, Sister, Territorial Army Nursing Service.

M.B.E., Civil Division.

Miss E. Brodie, Lady Superintendent, Glasgow Royal Mental Hospital; Miss E. M. Beaver, R.R.C., Matron Commandant, Didsbury College Hospital; Miss M. A. Beaton, Inspector, Queen's Institute of District Nursing, N. Ireland; Miss E. M. Humble, Vice-President, Chartered Society of Physiotherapy; Miss K. M. Rowe, Superintendent Health Visitor, Kensington; Miss D. M. Millhouse, Matron, Home for Incurables, S. Australia.

BRITISH EMPIRE MEDAL.

Mrs. Laura Mary Hyde, Chief of the Home Office Cleaners.

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