- Quartermaster and Lieutenant Arthur Pugh, M.C., 2nd Battalion, The Royal Scots (The Royal Regiment).
- Quartermaster and Lieutenant Joseph Edward Pugh, Royal Army Medical Corps.
- Captain Arthur Maxwell Ramsden, 8th Battalion, The West Yorkshire Regiment (The Prince of Wales's Own), Territorial Army.
- Lieutenant Wilford Norman Reeve, M.C., 4th/7th Dragoon Guards, Assistant Controller of Labour, British Army of the Rhine.
- Captain William Herbert Ridgewell, 5th Battalion, The Bedfordshire and Hertfordshire Regiment, Territorial Army.
- No. 3299690 Warrant Officer Class II, Regimental Quartermaster-Sergeant Robert Rowan, D.C.M., 9th (Glasgow Highlanders) Battalion, The Highland Light Infantry (City of Glasgow Regiment), Territorial Army.
- Lieutenant Albert Rumbelow, The Suffolk  $\cdot$  Regiment.
- Warrant Officer Class I, First Class Staff Sergeant-Major Arthur John Ryan, D.C.M., Royal Army Service Corps.
- Jemadar Sayed Gul Akber Shah, Sub Assistant Surgeon, 2nd Cavalry Regiment, Iraq Levies.
- Quartermaster and Captain Gilbert Scofield, 1st Battalion, The Royal Welch Fusiliers.
- Lieutenant Raja Sher Muhammad Khan, 1st Battalion, 15th Punjab Regiment, Indian Army.
- Quartermaster and Lieutenant Francis John Snell, 4th Battalion, The Somerset Light Infantry (Prince Albert's), Territorial Army.
- Sub Conductor Francis William Speare, Indian Miscellaneous List.
- No. 2809082 Warrant Officer Class II, Company Sergeant-Major (Acting Regimental Sergeant-Major) Robert Stuart, The Seaforth Highlanders (Ross-shire Buffs, The Duke of Albany's) attached The Lovat Scouts, Territorial Army.
- Quartermaster and Captain Charles Starkey Sykes, Royal Engineers.
- Warrant Officer Class I, Staff Sergeant-Major Herbert Tovell, Royal Army Service Corps.
- Quartermaster and Lieutenant Ernest John Meno Van Walwyk, M.M., 28th London Regiment, Territorial Army.
- Warrant Officer Class I, Regimental Sergeant-Major John George Venning, attached Iraq Levies.
- Captain William Warr, 48th (South Midland) Divisional Engineers, Royal Engineers, Territorial Army.
- No. 5239343 Warrant Officer Class II, Company Sergeant-Major (Acting Regimental Quartermaster-Sergeant) Harold Wheeler, The Worcestershire Regiment, Senior Officers' School, Belgaum, India.
- Warrant Officer Class II, Company Sergeant-Major Cyril Arthur George Wilde, attached Iraq Levies.
- Assistant Surgeon 2nd Class, Henry Carlyle William Windsor, Indian Medical Department.

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3rd June, 1927.

The KING has been graciously pleased, on the occasion of His Majesty's Birthday, to give orders for the following promotion in, appointments to the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire:—

- To be Commanders of the Military Division of the said Most Excellent Order:--
- Miss Joanna Margaret Cruickshank, R.R.C., Matron-in-Chief, Princess Mary's Royal Air Force Nursing Service.
- Group Captain Richard Williams, D.S.O., O.B.E., Royal Australian Air Force, in recognition of distinguished services rendered on the recent seaplane flight from Melbourne to the British Solomon Islands and back.
- To be Officers of the Military Division of the said Most Excellent Order:-
- Squadron Leader Arthur Travers Harris, A.F.C., Royal Air Force.
- Squadron Leader Arthur Trafalgar Williams, Royal Air Force.
- Squadron Leader William Boston Cushion, Royal Air Force.
- To be Members of the Military Division of the said Most Excellent Örder:---
- Flying Officer Allan Lanman, A.F.C., Royal Air Force.
- Flying Officer Graham Stuart Smith, Royal Air Force.
- Flying Officer Frank Henry Whitmore, D.S.C., Royal Air Force.
- 2436 Sergeant-Major, 2nd Class, William Webster, Royal Air Force.

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Her Royal Highness Princess Victoria Alexandra Alice Mary, Viscountess Lascelles.

To be Knights Grand Cross of the Civil Division of the said Most Excellent Order:---

Sir Henry Frank Heath, K.C.B., late Secretary to the Department of Scientific and Industrial Research.

- Lieutenant-Colonel the Right Honourable Sir Samuel John Gurney Hoare, Bart., C.M.G., M.P.
- Sir Otto Ernst Niemeyer, K.C.B., Controller of Finance, H.M. Treasury.