

Burma Command (1)

The Rangoon Brigade Area (2)

1st Bn. The Gloucestershire Regiment (3)

1st Bn. The Burma Rifles (4)

12th Bn. The Burma Rifles (Burma Territorial Force) (5)

The Rangoon University Training Corps (Burma Territorial Force)

The Tenasserim Battalion, Burma Auxiliary Force

The Rangoon Battalion, Burma Auxiliary Force

The Burma Railways Battalion, Burma Auxiliary Force

The Rangoon Field Brigade, Royal Artillery, Burma Auxiliary Force (6)

1st Rangoon Battalion, Burma Military Police

2nd Rangoon Battalion, Burma Military Police

The Maymyo Infantry Brigade (8)

2nd Bn. The King's Own Yorkshire Light Infantry

2nd Bn. The Burma Rifles

3rd Bn. The Burma Rifles

4th Bn. The Burma Rifles

11th Bn. The Burma Rifles (Burma Territorial Force)

2nd (Derajat) Indian Mountain Battery, Indian Artillery

13th Field Company, Queen Victoria's Own Madras Sappers and Miners

1st Field Company, Burma Sappers and Miners

The Upper Burma Battalion, Burma Auxiliary Force

The Northern Shan States Battalion, Burma Frontier Force

The Southern Shan States Battalion, Burma Frontier Force

The Bhamo Battalion, Burma Frontier Force

The Chin Hills Battalion, Burma Frontier Force

The Myitkyina Battalion, Burma Frontier Force

The Reserve Battalion, Burma Frontier Force

The Mandalay Battalion, Burma Military Police

NOTES:

1. Burma Command was a pre-war formation to control all the British Army units deployed in Burma. Following separation from India in 1937, Burma was a semi-autonomous country reporting directly to the Colonial Office in London.
2. As its name suggests, this formation was a static garrison brigade to command the units deployed in and around Rangoon, the capital of Burma. The main purpose of these units was internal security in support of the civil administration.
3. This battalion was a regular British Army battalion, which was stationed at Mingladon just to the north of Rangoon. The battalion was charged with internal security duties, so there were detachments elsewhere in the area.
4. A pre-war regular battalion of the Burma Rifles. This battalion was also stationed at Mingladon.
5. A territorial force battalion, this battalion was also based at Mingladon.
6. This unit comprised 4 x 18 Pounder guns.
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