

9th Indian Infantry Division ⁽¹⁾

8th Indian Infantry Brigade ⁽²⁾

Headquarters, 8th Indian Infantry Brigade & Signal Section

2nd Bn. 10th Baluch Regiment

1st (Coke's) Bn. 13th Frontier Force Rifles

3rd Bn. 17th Dogra Regiment

21st Mountain Battery, Indian Artillery ⁽³⁾

19th Field Company, Royal Bombay Sappers and Miners

22nd Indian Infantry Brigade ⁽⁴⁾

Headquarters, 22nd Indian Infantry Brigade & Signal Section

5th (Duke of Connaught's Own) Bn. 11th Sikh Regiment

2nd (Sikhs) Bn. 12th Frontier Force Regiment ⁽⁵⁾

2nd Bn. 18th Royal Garhwal Rifles

22nd Field Company, Royal Bombay Sappers and Miners

Divisional Troops

Headquarters, 9th Indian Divisional Royal Artillery ⁽⁶⁾

5th Field Regiment, Royal Artillery ⁽⁷⁾

(H.Q., 63rd/81st & 73rd Field Batteries, Royal Artillery)

88th (2nd West Lancashire) Field Regiment, Royal Artillery ⁽⁸⁾

(H.Q., 351st & 352nd Field Batteries, Royal Artillery)

272nd Anti-Tank Battery, Royal Artillery ⁽⁹⁾

Headquarters, 9th Indian Divisional Sappers and Miners ⁽¹⁰⁾

42nd Field Park Company, Royal Bombay Sappers and Miners

9th Indian Divisional Signals, Indian Signals Corps

9th Indian Divisional Headquarters Transport Section, Royal Indian Army Service Corps

58th Indian Supply Issue Section, Royal Indian Army Service Corps

60th Indian Supply Issue Section, Royal Indian Army Service Corps

15th Field Ambulance, Indian Medical Service

27th Field Ambulance, Indian Medical Service

10th Field Hygiene Section, Indian Medical Service

5th Anti-Malaria Unit, Indian Medical Service

8th Mobile Workshop Company, Indian Army Ordnance Corps

9th Mobile Workshop Company, Indian Army Ordnance Corps

10th Mobile Workshop Company, Indian Army Ordnance Corps

30th Mobile Workshop Company, Indian Army Ordnance Corps

9th Indian Divisional Provost Unit, Corps of Military Police (India)

29th (A) Indian Field Post Office, Indian General Service Corps

NOTES:

1. The 9th Indian Division was formed in India in September 1940. It then consisted of the 20th, 21st and 22nd Brigades. It was sent to Malaya, arriving in March and April 1941 with the 15th and 22nd Brigades under command. On arrival, the 15th Brigade transferred to the 11th Division, to be replaced by the 8th Brigade. It was deployed in north-east Malaya and this is the order of battle on 8 December 1941. Major General Arthur Edward BARSTOW, C.I.E., M.C., *p.s.c.*, Indian Army, was the General Officer Commanding, until he was killed in action on 28 January 1942. He was not replaced, as when the remnants of the division arrived on Singapore Island on 31 January, the 8th Indian Infantry Brigade was transferred to the 11th Indian Infantry Division, and the rest of the division was dispersed.
2. A pre-war regular brigade when it was known as the 8th (Bareilly) Infantry Brigade. It was sent to Malaya in October 1940 to become part of the 11th Division. It transferred to this division in April 1941 on the arrival of the 11th Division Headquarters in Malaya. The brigade commander was Brigadier B. W. KEY. On 14 January 1942, he was promoted to command the 11th Indian Division. To replace him, Brigadier W. O. LAY was transferred from the command of the 6th Indian Infantry Brigade to assume command of this brigade. Brigadier LAY was sacked following the events of 27 and 28 January 1942, so Colonel W. A. TROTT was appointed as brigade commander from being the G.S.O. 1 of this division.
3. This battery was detached from the 22nd Indian Mountain Regiment.
4. This was one of the constituent brigades when the division was formed in September 1940. The brigade sailed for Malaya in April 1941. It then consisted of the 5th/11th Sikhs, 2nd/12th F.F.R. and 1st/13th F.F.Rif. On the arrival of the brigade in Malaya, the 1st/13th F.F.Rif were transferred to 8th Brigade and 2nd/18th Garhwal transferred from 8th Brigade to 22nd Brigade. The brigade commander was Brigadier C. W. E. PAINTER, who was captured with most of the brigade on 1 February 1942.
5. This battalion was attached to 8th Indian Brigade on 8 December. It reverted to the 22nd Brigade following the Japanese invasion.
6. Brigadier (Acting) Eric Whitlock GOODMAN, D.S.O., M.C. was the Commander Royal Artillery for the Division.
7. The regiment was based at Rawalpindi at the outbreak of war. It embarked for Malaya on 21 October 1940. On arrival in Malaya, it came under the command of 28th Brigade at Ipoh. On 6 December 1941, it transferred to come under the command of this Division. It ceased to be under command of the Division on 29 January 1942, when it came under the command of 54th Brigade, 18th Division.
8. This regiment was a first line Territorial Army regiment, formed in 1916 as the 2nd West Lancashire Brigade RFA. It was based in Preston and Blackpool. The regiment arrived from the United Kingdom on 28 November 1941 and came under Malaya Command, but then it was allocated to this division.
9. This battery was detached from 80th Anti-Tank Regiment.
10. The Commander Indian Engineers was Lieutenant Colonel T. H. LINDSAY, R.E.

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