British Army in Burma 27 December 1941

```
1st Burma Division: (Southern Shan States) Major General Scott
<u>Division Support Troops:</u>
     27th Indian Mountain Regiment
     2nd Indian Mountain Battery
     23rd Indian Mountain Battery
     5th Field Battery, RA, BAF
     56th Field Company, S&M
     40th Field Park Company, S&M
     1st Burma Field Company, S&M
     13th Burma Rifles
     14th Burma Rifles
     1st Frontier Force<sup>1</sup>
     3rd Frontier Force
     4th Frontier Force
     5th Frontier Force
1st Burma Brigade: Brigadier Farwell
     2nd King's Own Yorkshire Light Infantry
     1st Burma Rifles
     5th Burma Rifles
2nd Burma Brigade (Moulmein): Brigadier bourke
     12th Indian Mountain Battery (Moulmein)
     1/7th Gurkha Rifles (Moulmein)
     Tenasscrim Battalion, BAF (Moulmein) (less 1 co)
     2nd Burma Rifles (Mergui)
     4th Burma Rifles (Kawkareik)
     6th Burma Rifles (Tavoy)
     3rd Burma Rifles (2 cos) (Merqui)
     Tenasserim Battalion, BAF (Tavoy)
     8th Burma Rifles (Moulmein)
     2nd Frontier Force (Merqui)
13th Indian Brigade: Brigadier Curtis
     5/1st Punjab Regiment
     2/7thRajput Regiment
     1/18th Garhwal Rifles
16th Indian Brigade (Mandalay): Brigadier Jones
     1/9th Royal Jat Regiment
     4/12th Frontier Force Regiment
     7th Burma Rifles
Rangoon Garrison:
     1st Gloucestershire Regiment
     3rd Burma Rifles (less 2 companies)
```

Kirby, Stanley, Woodburn, <u>The War Against Japan</u>, London, Her Majesty's Stationary Office, 1961. Copyright GFN 1991

_

¹ Each Frontier Force unit consisted of a headquarters, two troops of mounted troops and three infantry columns, each with about 100 men. In addition to pack transport they had a few trucks. The 2nd Frontier Force had some motor driven native craft.