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War Office, September 17, 1901.

THE King has been graciously pleased to signify His intention to confer the decoration of the Victoria Cross on the undermentioned Officer and Non-Commissioned Officer whose claims have been submitted for His Majesty's approval, for their conspicuous bravery in South Africa, as stated against their names :—

Regiment.	Name.	Act of Courage for which recommended.
5th Lancers	Lieutenant F. B. Dugdale	On 3rd March, 1901, Lieutenant Dugdale, who was in command of a small outpost near Derby, having been ordered to retire, his patrol came under a heavy fire at a range of about 250 yards, and a Sergeant, two men, and a horse were hit. Lieutenant Dugdale dismounted and placed one of the wounded men on his own horse; he then caught another horse, galloped up to a wounded man and took him up behind him, and brought both men safely out of action.
2nd Battalion the Prince of Wales's Own (West Yorkshire Regiment)	Sergeant W. B. Traynor	During the night attack on Bothwell Camp on the 6th February, 1901, Sergeant Traynor jumped out of a trench and ran out under an extremely heavy fire to the assistance of a wounded man. While running out he was severely wounded, and being unable to carry the man by himself he called for assistance. Lance-Corporal Lintott at once came to him and between them they carried the wounded soldier into shelter. After this, although severely wounded, Sergeant Traynor remained in command of his section, and was most cheerful, encouraging his men till the attack failed.

HIS Majesty has further been pleased to approve of the grant of the Medal for Distinguished Conduct in the Field to the undermentioned Soldiers, in recognition of their gallant conduct during recent operations in South Africa :—

- 4792 Corporal J. Shaw, 2nd Battalion Lincolnshire Regiment.
- 2988 Corporal W. T. Lintott, 2nd Battalion West Yorkshire Regiment.
- 397 Private Edmund Sweeney, 5th Queensland Imperial Bushmen.

Scottish Office, Whitehall, September 13, 1901.

ADDRESSES of Condolence expressing sympathy with His Majesty King Edward the Seventh and the Royal Family on the occasion of the lamented death of Her late Majesty Queen Victoria, and Congratulations to the King upon His Majesty's Accession to the Throne, have been received by the Secretary for Scotland from the undermentioned Bodies for presentation to His Majesty, and have been presented accordingly :—

The Synod of the Free Presbyterian Church of Scotland.

The Argyll Cattle Show Society.

War Office, September 17, 1901.

THE King has been graciously pleased to give orders for the following appointment to the Most Honourable Order of the Bath :

To be an Honorary Member of the Civil Division of the First Class, or Knights Grand Cross, of the said Most Honourable Order, viz. :—

His Royal Highness Prince Waldemar of Denmark.