

To be Brevet Colonel.

Lt.-Col. (T./Brig.-Gen.) G. Lubbock, C.M.G.,
D.S.O., R.F.

War Office,
24th April 1918.

His Majesty the KING has been graciously pleased to approve of the undermentioned rewards for distinguished services rendered in connection with Military Operations in Mesopotamia. Dated 26th March 1918:—

Awarded the Distinguished Service Order.

Maj. (T./Lt.-Col.) Robert Frederick Ewart,
S. & T. Corps, Ind. Army.
Maj. (T./Lt.-Col.) John Cunningham Moore
Hoskyn, Inf., Ind. Army.

CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD.

St. James's Palace, S.W.,
24th April 1918.

The KING has been graciously pleased to give orders for the following promotion in the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, in recognition of the distinguished service of the undermentioned Officer in Command of the operations against Zeebrugge and Ostend on Tuesday the 23rd April 1918:—

*To be an Additional Member of the Military
Division of the Second Class, or Knights Com-
manders, of the said Most Honourable Order:—*

Acting Vice-Admiral Roger John Brownlow
Keyes, C.B., C.M.G., M.V.O., D.S.O.

Buckingham Palace,
25th April 1918.

The KING has been pleased to appoint the Lady Joan Mulholland Lady in Waiting to Her Royal Highness the Princess Mary.

India Office,
26th April 1918.

The KING has been pleased to appoint Honorary General His Majesty Chowfa Maha Vajiravudh, King of Siam, G.C.B., G.C.V.O., to be an Honorary Knight Grand Commander of the Most Exalted Order of the Star of India.

The appointment to bear date from the 1st April 1918.

Foreign Office,
19th April 1918.

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint the Right Honourable the Earl of Derby, K.G., G.C.V.O., C.B., to be His Majesty's Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary on Special Mission to the French Republic.

Whitehall, 25th April 1918.

The KING has been pleased to award the Albert Medal in each of the following cases in recognition of gallantry displayed in saving or endeavouring to save life:—

Lieutenant Fred Kelly, 6th Battalion, Duke of Wellington's (West Riding) Regiment.

On the 30th January last, at a camp in England where rifle grenade practice was being carried out, one of the men struck the loophole with his bayonet and caused the fuse of the grenade to ignite. Lieutenant Kelly, who was in charge, shouted to the man to drop his rifle and get clear, but he lost his nerve and remained in the trench gripping the rifle. Lieutenant Kelly then seized the rifle, and with much difficulty got it out of the man's hands and threw it away. He then tried to push the man out of the emplacement, but before he could get him clear the bomb exploded, and they were both slightly wounded. But for Lieutenant Kelly's courage and resource the soldier would probably have been killed.

Flight Serjeant Albert Edgar Warne, 24th Wing Aeroplane Repair Section, and Flight Serjeant Horace Cannon, No. 50 Training Squadron.

On the 26th January last, while flying in England, a pilot when attempting to land lost control of his machine, which crashed to the ground from a height of about 150 feet, and burst into flames. Flight Serjeants Warne and Cannon went to the rescue of the pilot at great personal risk, as one tank of petrol blew up and another was on fire; moreover, the machine was equipped with a belt of live cartridges, which they dragged out of the flames. They managed to extricate the pilot, who was strapped to the burning plane, but he died shortly afterwards from his injuries and burns.

Trooper Walter George Gunner, 1st Dragoon Guards, attached Army Pay Corps.

On the 19th August last a tramcar full of passengers was descending a hill at Dover, and got out of control. The driver, finding that the brakes would not act, jumped off the front platform, and Private Gunner promptly took the driver's place on the platform and made every effort to stop the car by the application of the brakes. Unfortunately, in spite of Private Gunner's courage and presence of mind, he was unsuccessful in stopping the car, which ran to the bottom of the hill at great speed and overturned. Private Gunner lost both his feet as a result of the accident.

Whitehall, 26th April 1918.

Letters Patent have passed the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland conferring the dignity of a Baronet of the said United Kingdom upon the Right Honourable Sir James Henry Dalziel, of Brooklands, Chobham, in the county of Surrey, Knight, and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten.