SOUTH AFRICAN FORCE.

T./2nd Lt. Duncan Culverwell, S. Afr. Hvy.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty while in charge of the forward section of the battery. Communication was broken, and four of his men wounded by heavy shelling. He got the wounded men moved to safety and helped in repairing and maintaining under very heavy fire the telephone communication to brigade headquarters. He was also responsible for bringing to a conclusion an aeroplane shoot on an important enemy battery. His example of courage undoubtedly encouraged all ranks to carry out their difficult task.

T./2nd Lt. Forrest Saxon Lloyd FitzGeorge, Engrs.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty in establishing a wireless station under heavy fire, 300 yards from the front line. His station was twice wrecked, but he kept up communication with artillery brigade head-quarters. After continuous shelling he withdrew his personnel, but remained himself with the plant, and though severely wounded in the arm, would not leave until taken away on a stretcher. Throughout the operation he displayed fine endurance and courage.

T./Lt. Stanley Edgar Gordon Gray, Infy. For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty in an attack on an enemy trench. The line was held by an enemy machine gun, but his gallant leadership and personal disregard for danger encouraged his men to capture the trench, seven prisoners and a machine gun, and great assistance was thereby given to the troops on his right flank.

AMENDMENTS.

The following are the correct descriptions of Officers and a Warrant Officer upon whom rewards have recently been conferred:—

Maj. (T./Lt.-Col.) R. M. Barron, I.M.S. (London Gazette dated 26th March, 1918.)

T./Capt. and Paymaster Albert George Charter, M.C., S. African Rif.

(M.C. gazetted 1st January, 1918.)

T./Capt. Alfred Edgar Court, M.C., S. African Rif.

(M.C. gazetted 1st January, 1918.)

6824 R.S.M. Frederick Arthur Ward, M.C., S. Staffs. R.

(M.C. gazetted 3rd June, 1918.)

The following should be added to the announcement in the London Gazettes, No. 30563, dated 8th March, and No. 30856, dated 22nd August, 1918, against the name of Qr.-Mr. and Maj. G. Merritt, S.A. Med. Corps:—(Ret. pay, late R.A.M.C.)

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