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WEDNESDAY, 11 NOVEMBER, 1914.

War Office,  
11th November, 1914.

His Majesty the KING has been graciously pleased to approve of the appointment of the undermentioned Officers to be Companions of the Distinguished Service Order, in recognition of their services with the Expeditionary Force, specified below:—

Captain John Colquhoun Walford, 119th Battery, Royal Field Artillery. For gallant conduct at Eloges on the 24th of August, where he was wounded in two places, and at Le Cateau on the 26th of August, where, in spite of pain from his wounds, he showed a fine example in bringing limbers and teams up under a heavy fire.

Second Lieutenant Colin Arthur Jardine, 127th Battery, Royal Field Artillery. Twice wounded. For his fearlessness and enterprise in giving information from the firing line, both on the Aisne, and on the 21st of October, when he was severely wounded.

Lieutenant Gerald Brice Ferguson Smyth, 17th Company, Royal Engineers. For consistent skill, daring and hard work in reconnaissance and defensive preparations by night and day

throughout the Campaign, and especially during the battle of the Aisne, and in the trenches at Givenchy, until wounded on the 25th of October by a shell—entailing the loss of his left arm.

Lieutenant William Percy Buckley, 1st Battalion, The Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry. For great gallantry at Beaupuits on the night of the 18th of October, when the enemy's fire had set alight two ricks, in endeavouring to extinguish (under a heavy fire of machine guns) the flames which were already shewing clearly to the enemy the position of the Battalion's trenches.

Captain Reginald John Kentish, 1st Battalion, Princess Victoria's (Royal Irish Fusiliers). Captain Kentish, on the 17th of October, near Houplines, set fire to a farm building occupied by some Germans, who had killed and wounded many of the attacking party. It was then found that some of the wounded lying close to the door were suffering from burning débris. He organised a rescue party, and himself, at a range of a few feet, endeavoured by firing down the passage to keep down the fire of the occupants whilst the wounded were being removed.