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SATURDAY, 15 APRIL, 1916.

War Office,
15th April, 1916.

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 gallantry and devotion to duty in the field:—

Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) Albemarle Cator Annesley, The Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment), Commanding 8th Battalion.

For conspicuous ability and energy when in command of his Battalion during an attack. The success of the attack and the subsequent defeat of counter-attacks were due to his foresight, energy, and example.

Major Frederick Peter Charles Keily, 125th Napier's Rifles, Indian Army.

For conspicuous gallantry on several occasions, notably when, after being wounded, he continued to lead his company with great coolness. Finally he escorted a badly wounded officer to a field ambulance under

heavy fire, and returned at once to his post when his own wound was dressed. He has set a fine example.

Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) William Lushington Osborn, The Royal Sussex Regiment, Commanding 7th Battalion.

For conspicuous ability in the performance of his duties. The excellent training of his Battalion and the careful attention paid to all details of organisation of defence, ensured that the captured position he took over on relief was securely held, in spite of constant counter-attacks. He showed great initiative in launching counter-attacks.

Captain (temporary Major) Thomas George Cope, The Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment), attached 8th Battalion.

For conspicuous ability in supporting his own line, affording help to captured craters and gaining valuable information. Though wounded, he remained on duty till the following day.

Captain (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) Stamer Gubbins, The Royal Fusiliers (City of