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War Office, 26th March, 1917.

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 :--

Temp. 2nd Lt. William Algie, North'd Fus.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty during a raid on the enemy's trenches. He led the assaulting party with great dash and inflicted many casualties on the enemy. He himself shot eight of the enemy with his revolver. Later, he skilfully withdrew his party under very heavy fire and assisted to bring in the wounded.

Capt. (temp. Maj.) Maxwell Hunter Forsyth, M.C., Gord. Highrs., attd. Sco. Rif.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty when in command of a strong raiding party. He trained the party, and carried out the raid successfully, personally controlling it from the enemy's front line. The party entered the enemy's third line, captured forty-three prisoners, two machine guns, and a trench mortar.

Capt. James Andrew Harcourt Gammell, M.C., R.A.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty when employed as Staff Officer to the Armoured Car Patrol. He displayed great coolness under heavy fire, and his energy and perseverance greatly assisted in the success of the operations.

Temp. Surg. Harold Boultbee Padwick, R.N.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He remained in the open, and continued to tend the wounded under very heavy fire. Later, he proceeded to Headquarters, and at great personal risk brought in many wounded men. He displayed great courage and determination throughout the operations.