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Correction to Gazette 16th August, 1917.

Major (Acting Lieut.-Colonel) Arthur Preston Hohler, D.S.O., Middlesex Regiment, is now correctly described.

(D.S.O. gazetted 16th August, 1917.)

His Majesty the KING has been graciously pleased to award a Second Bar to the Military Cross to the undermentioned Officer:—

2nd Lt. Francis Victor Wallington, M.C., R.F.A.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty in rushing to a dug-out in which men had been buried by shell fire and attempting to dig out the men, aided by two other officers. He himself was in a state of collapse, but insisted on helping to carry the wounded to a dressing station under shell fire.

(M.C. gazetted 26th January, 1917.)
(1st Bar gazetted 16th August, 1917.)

His Majesty the KING has been graciously pleased to award a Bar to the Military Cross to the undermentioned Officers:—

T./Lt. Ralph Copeland Barkworth, M.C., R. Fus.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. By his skilful dispositions and high standard of leadership he dealt with an obstinate resistance by the enemy in a most determined manner, capturing many prisoners and inflicting many casualties upon the enemy as they withdrew from the position.

(M.C. gazetted 14th January, 1916.)

T./Capt. Roger Baskett, M.C., K.R.R.C.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty in leading his company to its objective under heavy shell and machine gun fire. He personally killed three of the enemy who were inflicting casualties on his company, and by his gallantry and fearlessness greatly inspired his men, who had been subjected to heavy shell fire for forty-eight hours previous to the attack.

(M.C. gazetted 25th November, 1916.)

2nd Lt. Geoffrey Staley Clarke, M.C., R.F.A., Spec. Res.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty in working under continuous and very heavy shell fire with another officer to extricate men of their battery who had been buried in a dug-out. Owing to their quickness and perseverance seven of the men were got out alive out of twenty-four, and the example of fearlessness which he set was magnificent.

(M.C. gazetted 26th April, 1917.)

Lt. (A./Capt.) Alfred Stuart Dallas, M.C., R.F.A.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. Whilst his battery, less one section, was being heavily shelled, he brought the

other section into action at the gallop and got the horses away without accident, afterwards going to the observation post in the front line and doing valuable work in registering his battery.

(M.C. gazetted 20th October, 1916.)

T./Lt. Adrian Hubert Graves, M.C., M.G. Corps.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty in commanding his guns with great ability in a critical situation. Finding his objective untenable owing to heavy fire, he moved forward to the front line, where he remained in action for forty-eight hours without relief. Although wounded in two places he displayed a fine example of cheerfulness and endurance.

(M.C. gazetted 25th August, 1916.)

T./Capt. Ernest Harrison Griffin, M.C., M.D., R.A.M.C.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He showed the greatest gallantry in rescuing wounded men by night from "No Man's Land," where they had lain since dawn. He worked for four hours under heavy and continued shell fire, directing the bearers, encouraging and personally assisting the wounded, thereby enabling a large number of men to get back into our lines. Whilst thus employed, he went through the enemy's wire to within sixty yards of his position. His work has been excellent since he came out in 1914.

(M.C. gazetted 25th August, 1916.)

T./2nd Lt. John Francis Hagarty, M.C., R.F.A.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty in extinguishing a fire in his battery position during a heavy barrage which had ignited an ammunition dump. He was aided by another officer, and their joint efforts undoubtedly averted a serious explosion. He was severely wounded in the operation.

(M.C. gazetted 26th March, 1917.)

T./Lt. (A./Maj.) Victor Cadifor Hilditch, M.C., R.F.A.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty in promptly establishing an observation post after the capture of the position and fighting his battery with great skill and judgment.

(M.C. gazetted 3rd June, 1916.)

T./Lt. James Stuart d'Auvergne Innes, M.C., R.F.A.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty in extinguishing a fire in his battery under very heavy shell fire, thereby saving a gun from destruction. Afterwards, during the removal of his battery, when the guns had been run out of the pits, he ran a gun back with the help of two telephonists, and opened fire in response to the S.O.S. signal.

(M.C. gazetted 27th July, 1916.)

2nd Lt. (A./Maj.) Claude Stuart Lyon, M.C., R.F.A., Spec. Res.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He, with a Serjeant and two Bom-