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#### WEDNESDAY, 29 AUGUST, 1917.

War Office,

29th August, 1917.

His Majesty the KING has been graciously pleased to approve of the undermentioned rewards for gallantry and distinguished service in the Field, in Mesopotamia:—

# AWARDED BAR TO DISTINGUISHED CONDUCT MEDAL.

10677 Pte. W. Clifford, High. L.I.

For conspicuous gallantry in action. He was telephone operator with the headquarters of an Indian infantry regiment. The signal station was situated in an untraversed trench which was heavily enfiladed by enemy guns. He showed great gallantry in remaining at his instrument, which he only left when the enemy counter-attack had reached within 50 yards of the trench. He then took up his rifle and helped to repel it.

(D.C.M. gazetted 3rd June, 1915.)

12757 L./Cpl. E. W. Harcourt, S. Wales Bord.

For conspicuous gallantry and coolness in action. He returned under heavy fire a dis-

tance of 70 yards to recover a Lewis gun whose carrier had been killed. He has, moreover, behaved most gallantly as orderly to the O.C. Battalion.

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

2702 Sjt. W. Logan, R. Highrs.

For conspicuous gallantry in action. A party was ordered to reconnoitre and grenade an advanced saphead. This was ably led by him, who did not allow his party to throw bombs until they had seen some of the enemy. After the bombs exploded the party withdrew, two being wounded before reaching our lines. It seems certain that the damage done to the enemy was considerable.

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

4853 Sjt. J. Skinner, Sea. Highrs.

For conspicuous gallantry on all occasions. By his fine example under fire and utter disregard of danger he has imbued the men with confidence, and the young officers have greatly profited by his fine example and vast experience.

(D.C.M. gazetted 31st October, 1902.)

## AWARDED DISTINGUISHED CONDUCT MEDAL.

1744 Sjt. J. Anderson, R. Highrs.

For conspicuous gallantry in action. He led a small party of grenadiers, who successfully bombed an enemy saphead and drove back its occupants. He has displayed gallantry on many occasions, and his work has been of the greatest value to the battalion.

280499 Pte. A. Andrew, Lanc. Fus. (formerly 2354).

For conspicuous gallantry and coolness. He has repeatedly laid lines and repaired them under heavy fire in the open. He can be relied on at all times.

3594 Pte. A. W. Aston, R. War. R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. Hearing that an officer was lying wounded in an exposed place, he went out and dressed his wounds, and eventually brought him back to cover under heavy fire.

240261 Pte. J. Atkinson, E. Kent R.

For conspicuous gallantry throughout the operations. He has always been noticeable for his example of courage and determination in action.

13155 C./S./M. H. T. Bagley, N. Lan. R. For conspicuous gallantry in action. During the forcing of the passage of the river he did excellent work in collecting and sending across ammunition and bombs under fire. He has displayed conspicuous gallantry on several occasions.

P380 Sjt. U. Barter, M. Mtd. P.

For long and distinguished service. He has displayed marked ability and resource in carrying out his duties.

16 Sjt. J. Blunt, I.U. List.

For conspicuous gallantry during the forcing of the passage of the river. He laid a cable across the river under heavy fire, and then brought another back from left bank to right. He has at all times displayed marked gallantry and devotion to duty.

7008 L./Cpl. S. K. Blyth, Norf. R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. During the forcing of the passage of the river he was conspicuous by his volunteering to take the place of exhausted men. He made many crossings under an intense fire.

9248 Pte. A. Bona, K.R.R.C.

For gallantry and devotion to duty as a nursing orderly. He has been conspicuous on many occasions for work under fire and trying circumstances.

M2/131363 Pte. B. Bourke, A.S.C.

For conspicuous gallantry and ability in action. As motor cyclist scout he has been invaluable in tracking and bringing the cars into action by shortest and best routes, whereby many casualties have been inflicted on the enemy. On many occasions he has gone forward under heavy fire to discover the best route by which to come into action.

200494 Pte. A. G. Bowd, Devon. R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. On one occasion he repeatedly crossed

the open to repair his telephone wire, and when found to be unrepairable he took messages by hand. On another occasion he showed great gallantry in similar circumstances under heavy fire.

52686 Gnr. (A./Bomdr.) J. Bower, R.F.A. For conspicuous gallantry as Forward Observation Officer Telephonist throughout the operations. He has on all occasions maintained perfect communication with his battery, and has displayed great courage and determination in doing so.

4600 L./Cpl. G. W. Bowie, Hrs.

For conspicuous gallantry in action and devotion to duty. Hearing that some men were badly wounded, he volunteered to take a stretcher and bring them in. On two occasions he accomplished this under heavy fire, carrying the wounded a considerable distance.

38048 Pte. G. H. Brass, Worc. R. (frmly. 17388, N. Staff R.).

For gallantry and devotion to duty. As stretcher-bearer he for two hours tended the wounded under a heavy fire until severely wounded himself.

51959 Sjt. W. A. W. Breakwell, R.H.A.

For gallantry and distinguished service. He has always been selected to carry out important and often dangerous missions when officers could not be spared, performing these successfully and at all times proving himself to be a N.C.O. far out of the common, and to be relied on in all emergencies.

1150 Sqn./S./M. J. Brearley, Hrs.

For conspicuous gallantry in action. He went back from the firing line and both caused to be brought up, and brought up himself, urgently needed Hotchkiss gun ammunition. Later, when his Squadron Commander was wounded, he took command and by his ability and coolness succeeded in bringing the squadron out of action with all arms and accourrements.

17154 Sjt. W. E. Brinkworth, R. Lanc. R.
For consistent good and gallant service throughout the operations. He has shown great coolness and ability under fire and marked devotion to duty.

96838 B./S./M. M. Brown, R.F.A.

For conspicuous good work during the recent operations. His personality has been of the greatest value.

S/5333 L./Cpl. J. N. Buchanan, Seaf. Highrs.

For marked gallantry on all occasions. He has carried messages repeatedly under very heavy fire. By his fine work he has greatly assisted the maintenance of communication between the Commanding Officer and the firing line.

11413 Sjt. G. Buckley, Ches. R.

For conspicuous gallantry when in charge of a bombing party. He led them with great determination and courage, and took about 70 prisoners. 19542 Pte A. Bullas, Leic. R.

For conspicuous gallantry during a raid on the enemy's trenches. He was near an officer when the latter fell wounded into a shell crater. After the raid he came back and twice subsequently led out search parties under heavy fire to look for the officer, but was unable to find him.

7674 Cpl. S. J. Burgess, R.E.

For constant devotion to duty displayed on all occasions and under trying circumstances during the advance. He has disstances during the advance. played gallantry, and has often been employed in leading working parties up to the trenches at night.

1/6286 C./Q./M./S. (A./C./S./M.) A. Burnside, Conn. Rang.

For conspicuous gallantry throughout the operations. He has been in every action with the exception of one. By his coolness and determination, either as platoon serjeant or company serjeant-major, he has always set a fine example to those under him.

10110 L./Cpl. R. Campbell, High. L.I.

For conspicuous gallantry in action. Although wounded at an early stage of the attack, he continued to advance with his. men and bomb the enemy's trench. He has done consistent good work throughout the operations.

10697 Sjt. (A./C./S./M.) J. Carney, High.

L.I. (now 2nd Lt.).

For conspicuous gallantry in leading enade parties. He finally established grenade parties. himself in the communication trench leading from a nullah, whence he had driven back the enemy with great success.

5423 Pte. P. W. Clewlow, I.U. List, late

Hrs.

For gallant and distinguished service. In command of a cable waggon detachment he has laid his lines under heavy fire and shown great devotion to duty.

241348 Sjt. C. G. Cluer, R.W. Surr. R.

For conspicuous gallantry and coolness in action in going back 30 yards behind the firing line during the withdrawal and picking up a wounded man under heavy fire. He also handled his men with coolness and ability throughout the day.

1/9543 A./L./Cpl. T. Connor, Conn. Rang. For conspicuous gallantry when with a bombing party in the enemy's trenches. Though wounded himself, he continued to throw bombs until the supply ran out. He then carried a wounded man back into our own trenches.

6425 Sjt. M. J. Conroy, R.E.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty at all times, and especially on one occasion when he helped to make a tower at night under heavy snipers' fire; also during the crossing of the river he rendered valuable assistance in superintending the removal of wounded from pontoons. has always displayed marked coolness under 19252 Pte. J. Cooper, E. Lan. R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty as a bomber during the operations. On all occasions he has shown great coolness and initiative.

4504 Shoeing Smith J. F. Couch, Hrs.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He volunteered to go out and bring in the wounded. This he did on two occasions, carrying the men a considerable distance and being under heavy fire the whole

201687 Pte. R. F. Courtney, Hamps. R.,

(frmly. 4130).

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He volunteered to bring in a man who was lying wounded in the open. succeeded in doing so under heavy fire, being assisted by another man.

10014 B./Q./M./S. H. Cox, R.F.A.

For devotion to duty and distinguished He has worked with great energy and ability.

29772 Sjt. W. Coyle, M.G. Corps.

For conspicuous gallantry on two occasions When the enemy during the operations. were within a hundred yards of our position, he acted as No. 1 to a gun. His target being many feet below him, he had to expose himself under heavy fire in order to lay on it. He rendered on another occasion considerable assistance in collecting and encouraging parties of our troops who were without Îeaders.

36102 Bombr. E. J. Craft, R.F.A.

For consistent good and gallant work as Battery Telephonist, particularly on one occasion, when he repaired his line in the open under heavy fire. He displayed the greatest coolness and courage throughout the day.

26676 L./Cpl. W. Crossley, Norf. R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. At the crossing of the river he was in charge of a ferryboat, but though severely wounded, he remained at his post, thereby saving the loss of fifteen men.

32809 Gnr. T. Crossley, R.F.A.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty as a Forward Observing Officer Tele-phonist. He has repeatedly repaired lines under heavy fire with total disregard of danger, and although wounded on one occasion by the fragment of a shell, he remained at his work until it was completed.

10506 Pte. A. Cunliffe, Sea. Highrs.

For marked gallantry on all occasions. He has been in every action in which the Battalion has taken part, and has repeatedly carried messages under heavy fire. By his courage and coolness he has greatly assisted the maintenance of communication between Commanding Officer and the firing line.

53804 Bombr. P. H. Dale, R.F.A.

For gallantry and devotion to duty as Forward Observation Officer Telephonist. has on many occasions laid and repaired lines in the open under heavy fire.

67355 A./Bombr. W. H. Daniels, R.F.A.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty during the forcing of the passage of the river, when visual signalling had to be resorted to, he maintained communication with his battery all day under heavy fire until wounded. He has many times distinguished himself.

2227 Pte. W. Davies, Manch. R.

For conspicuous gallantry in action. Although not one of the bombing parties, he threw bombs all day, and when our own shells were falling short and causing some casualties, he went forward into the fire zone and replaced a red flag that had been knocked down, thus showing our real position and saving the lives of his comrades.

3rd Class Asst. Surg. A. F. J. D'Arcy, I.S.M.D.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He has on several occasions shown courage and coolness under fire when with the Bearer Division. The most useful man in any emergency.

5755 Sjt. J. J. Deverell, R.E.

For conspicuous gallantry and resource on many occasions. During the bridging operations when the passage of the river was being forced he showed conspicuous coolness under fire and was in charge of the first party to start work out in the open. He has rendered exceptionally valuable service.

39198 Sjt. T. Digby, R.H.A.

For conspicuous gallantry. When the battery was in action an enemy shell burst just in front of his gun, a piece of it penetrated into the wagon body from which smoke and flame began to come out. He withdrew the shell, the indiarubber fuse cover of which was on fire, and put the fire out.

31841 Bomdr. J. R. C. Dunkeld, R.F.A.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to He was Forward Observation Officer Telephonist about 150 yards from the enemy's lines. Though exposed to heavy fire he maintained communication with his battery until driven out by an enemy counterattack, returning subsequently to bring in a telephone which had been left behind in the withdrawal. He displayed great coolness and courage throughout the day.

16 C./S./M. A. Dymott, I.U. List.

For exceptional ability and good work both as commander of a Cable Detachment and latterly as C.S.M. He has shown soldierly qualities and devotion to duty of the highest order and has inspired all ranks by his example. No difficulties have been too great for him to surmount.

8571 Pte. D. Eastwell, Leic. R.
For gallant and distinguished service He has done throughout the operations. most excellent and useful work in carrying orders and messages under heavy fire. He has on all occasions shown a cheerfulness and courage beyond all praise.

5739 Dvr. H. Evans, R.F.A.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty on three different occasions. On each of these he laid a wire behind the infantry under heavy fire thus ensuring co-operation with the Artillery.

22179 Pte. T. Fairbank, N. Lan. R.

For marked gallantry and devotion to duty as a stretcher-bearer throughout the operations. He has always shown great coolness and perseverance under fire.

61851 L./Cpl. W. Firstbrook, M.G. Corps.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to When the assault had started this man's gun had to cease firing. rendered splendid service in He then in bringing wounded back into our lines. He repeatedly crossed the open under heavy fire and on two occasions went as far as the enemy's wire bringing in wounded officers and men.

26890 Pte. J. Fleming, High. L.I.
For conspicuous gallantry in action. During the progress of the attack he frequently crept forward to report, and meeting with the enemy dislodged them by himself by bombing. Although wounded he continued to bomb and was sent back exhausted.

19573 Pte. R. Flynn, Leic. R.

For conspicuous gallantry throughout several actions. He has attended and carried back wounded under heavy fire until he was himself eventually wounded.

3975 Cpl. W. Ford, N. Lan. R.

For conspicuous gallantry throughout the operations especially at the forcing of the passage of the river when he tried to launch a pontoon under a withering machine gun and rifle fire.

7194 Sjt. H. Gask, S. Wales Bord.

For conspicuous gallantry and distinguished service whilst battalion bombing serjeant during the operations. He has acted with the greatest courage and ability on all occasions.

10868 Sjt. H. Gathercole, R. Lanc. R.

For gallantry and distinguished service. He has behaved most gallantly on all occasions, and in leading a platoon has displayed great ability and courage.

7755 A./R./S./M. S. Gibson, R. Lanc. R. For gallantry and devotion to duty. has done consistent good work under fire, and has set a fine example of duty to those under him.

31841 Bomdr. P. Gogan, R.F.A.

For marked gallantry and devotion to duty throughout the operations. On one occasion he laid a wire across the open and again on another, both under heavy fire. has shown a fine contempt for danger.

2971 Sjt. J. Goodfellow, R. War. R.

For conspicuous gallantry. He displayed great coolness and courage after the trench was taken, and helped to re-form the men, and alone reconnoitred an enemy communication trench. He inspired all by his con13118 Pte. F. C. Gratton, S. Lan. R.

For marked gallantry. As a company runner he has continually exposed himself to fire in carrying messages, and has been of great service.

37330 Cpl. W. G. Graves, M.G. Corps.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. When his officer had been killed and serjeant wounded he took command and worked his section under heavy fire with great coolness, although himself wounded and in much pain.

240306 L./Cpl. J. Green, R.W. Surr. R.

(frmly. 1856).

For gallantry and devotion to duty. one occasion when in charge of the signallers of the flank guard he successfully worked his helio throughout the day, constantly under heavy fire, which the helio attracted.

10002 Sjt. G. Gregg, Midd'x R.
For gallantry and exceptional good work rendered during the recent operations. During the whole of this period he has been untiring in his efforts to keep communication going under heavy fire, and for the greater part of the time under very trying weather conditions. His fine example has inspired those working under him.

241138 Pte. A. Gurney, E. Kent R. For gallant conduct. He has done consistently well throughout the operations.

242905 L./Cpl. F. Hall, E. Kent R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He volunteered to bring in wounded men lying in the open. He made five journeys for this purpose under heavy fire in daylight, and at nightfall he guided a stretcherbearer.

11165 Sjt. S. Hallworth, Ches. R.

For conspicuous gallantry in action. led a bombing party and bombed up 400 yards of trench, crossing 75 yards of open ground under machine-gun fire. He has ground under machine-gun fire. always shown great initiative and coolness.

27 Sjt. J. Hamilton, I.U. List.

For consistent good work, and especially during the recent operations. He has commanded his Cable Detachment in a most capable manner, and never failed to get his line through under any circumstances. His work has frequently been done under fire, and he has shown a fine example to his men.

33902 Pte. C. E. Hancock, M.G. Corps.

For conspicuous gallantry  $_{
m in}$ action. When the brigade had advanced to the captured trenches, he three times returned over a fire-swept zone and brought up fresh supplies of ammunition. He displayed a fine example of courage.

26678 Pte. G. J. Harvey, S. Lan. R.

For marked gallantry. As a runner he showed great courage in carrying messages, especially on one occasion, when he was severely wounded.

32329 Cpl. (A./Sjt.) O. Hatton, R.A.M.C. For gallant and meritorious service throughout the operations. He has done

consistent good work, and shown an utter disregard for danger, especially at the forcing of the passage of the river.

200798 Pte. A. Hester, Hamps. R. (frmly.

For conspicuous gallantry in the attack. He was placed with a Lewis gun to give flanking fire. Although under heavy fire, he got on to the parapet in order to obtain a better view. He continued to fire, although wounded.

56870 Sjt. E. W. Hewitt, M.G. Corps.

For conspicuous gallantry in action. When under heavy fire he displayed great coolness and resource in getting the horses of his section out of a nullah in which they could proceed in single file only. Throughout these operations he has earned nothing but praise.

11983 Pte. W. Hextall, R. War. R.

For marked gallantry. He displayed great coolness in laying a telephone wire under heavy fire. He was severely wounded while doing so, and his assistant was killed.

32030 A/Sjt. C. W. E. Hicks, R.E.

For consistent good work and devotion to duty, especially during the recent operations as Serjeant-in-Charge Despatch Riders. No country or weather has defeated him, and he has never failed in delivering despatches. He has set a splendid example.

242779 A./C./S./M. H. C. Hickson, E. Kent R.

For gallantry and devotion to duty. has throughout the operations set a fine example of courage, ability and determination.

8121 L./Cpl. R. Hinton, Glouc. R.

For conspicuous gallantry as a stretcherbearer. He has continually throughout the operations shown an utter disregard for danger under fire in attending to the wounded, displaying at all times great devotion to duty.

9049 Sjt. (A./C./S./M.) A. Hiscocks, Wilts. R.

For conspicuous gallantry and skilful leading. He has led the bombers in a most gallant and able manner, and greatly assisted the operations in his sector.

74892 A./2nd Cpl. F. R. Holder, R.E.

For gallantry and distinguished service. As linesman he has repeatedly done excellent work day and night in districts where there have been many hostile Arabs. He displayed great gallantry on one occasion in repairing lines under heavy fire.

12609 Sjt. R. Hopkins, Welsh R.

For gallantry and devotion to duty. has always shown great coolness under fire when ordered to dig trenches, and has set a fine example.

5182 Sjt. B. D. Hull, Hrs.

For conspicuous gallantry in action. has displayed great coolness and ability in carrying our reconnaissances, always bringing in valuable information. On one occasion, during a withdrawal, he returned under heavy fire and rescued a sergeant who had been shot through the head, placing him on his own horse and bringing him out of action. He has repeatedly shown himself to be a cool and capable Troop leader.

1326 Sjt. (A./C./Q./M./S.) F. J. Humphrey, Manch. R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty in action. He used a Lewis gun himself with great effect, and, later, when all the Lewis guns were out of action and many of the teams had become casualties, he collected and repaired the guns and re-organised the team, getting four guns into action again.

781 Cpl. R. Hutchison, R. Highrs.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. Seeing a wounded Sepoy lying out in the open in "No Man's Land," some thirty yards from our front line, he climbed over the parapet and brought him in over perfectly bare ground, thus saving the man's

242907 L./Cpl. J. J. Jagger, E. Kent R. For conspicuous gallantry and ability in handling his Lewis gun section throughout the operations.

89040 S./M. J. Johnson, R.F.A.

For distinguished service. He has put in most excellent work throughout the opera-

48652 Sjt. E. Jones, R.F.A.

For gallantry in action. He was in charge of No. 2 Watching Post, which was heavily shelled. He remained at his post till intersections were obtained and verified on the active gun, although four H.E. shells actually hit the post. He then ordered his detachment under cover, and throughout displayed great initiative and coolness.

6830 Sjt./Piper J. Keith, R. Highrs.

For gallant and distinguished service throughout the operations. It is greatly due to his good work and influence that the pipers have performed their duties, both in action and at all times, in a most soldierly manner.

40744 Spr. F. A. Kemp, R.E.

For marked gallantry at the forcing of the Although his own passage of the river. team had become casualties, he volunteered for further rowing. By his fine example he inspired all his men.

29475 A./S./Sjt. J. Keogh, R.E.

For distinguished service and ability as instrument repairer and as N.C.O. i./c. linesmen. He has shown untiring energy, and no task has been too difficult for him, no matter how trying the circumstances. He has shown a splendid example of devotion to duty, and his work has been of the greatest value.

141142 Gnr. C. Knaggs, R.F.A.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. On one occasion, when the battery was under heavy fire, he remained in an exposed position, passing on orders until wounded.

8140 L./Cpl. W. Knell, Norf. R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty in attending to a large number of wounded under heavy fire. He worked hard for two days in dressing wounds, and has always been one of the last to leave the vicinity of the firing line.

15484 Pte. F. Lattimore, Norf. R.

For conspicuous gallantry in action. the forcing of the passage of the river he was the first to dash forward with the bombers, and led all the attacks with bombs. played the greatest contempt for danger and a fine example of cool courage.

241496 C./S./M. H. J. Lawrence, E. Kent  $\mathbf{R}$ .

For conspicuous and consistent gallantry displayed throughout the operations.

61596 A./Cpl. H. Leathley, M.G. Corps

For marked gallantry in action. his section had lost six men and an officer and had two guns buried he carried his gun up to the front line and worked it with great ability although wounded.

44270 Farr./Serjt. W. J. Lemon, R.F.A.

For gallantry and devotion to duty. displayed great coolness at the waggon lines, and under heavy fire he attended to twelve wounded horses, assisted to get teams away and went out to bring in a severely wounded man in the area that was being heavily shelled.

203051 Pte. J. A. MacGregor, Hamps. R. (frmly. 6439).

For marked gallantry in action. one of a party of twenty-five ordered to take up S.A.A., eighteen of whom, including himself, were wounded. He nevertheless carried a man 300 yards on his back to our trenches, had his own wound dressed, and then returned to his own platoon.

S/10658 Pte. W. Mahon, R. Highrs.

For conspicuous gallantry in action. was sent to examine the enemy front line and, if possible, locate any machine guns. located one, bombed and damaged it. He He was wounded while achieving this.

6363 Pte. H. W. McGrath, Dorset. R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He was twice sent with most important messages and twice volunteered to bring up ammunition to the front line. On each occasion he had to cross ground swept by heavy fire from front and flank, and this after several men had been killed whilst crossing this ground.

4th Grade Asst. Surg. J. P. McGuire,

For marked gallantry and devotion to duty with the dressing station, especially on one occasion when he did valuable work under fire, collecting and dressing the wounded.

60492 Cpl. A. McIntosh, R.F.A.

For gallantry and devotion to duty. On one occasion he did most excellent work with the F.O.O., and, although wounded, remained at his post until relieved.

105301 S./S./M. G. A. McKay, Yeo.

For distinguished service and devotion to duty. He has always done good work and displayed great energy in the performance of his duties.

42271 Cpl. A. McLean, M.G. Corps.

For conspicuous gallantry in action. After being wounded in the thigh he followed on behind his gun team with two boxes of ammunition. Nearly all the Indian carriers being casualties, he pushed on right up to the front position alone. Although in great pain, he later went to the assistance of a wounded comrade, dressed his wounds, and then went to find a stretcher-bearer and brought him to the wounded man.

88699 Spr. J. McReddie, R.E.

For conspicuous gallantry and disregard to danger at the crossing of the river. Time after time he went backwards and forwards, and when the rowers were hit he brought up a relief, all under heavy fire.

1431 C./S./M. J. M. Millar, R. Highrs.

For conspicuous gallantry in action. After all his company officers had become casualties he took command, and led forward his company with the greatest coolness and judgment. After the final assault, in which he led forward his portion of the line with great dash, he re-organised two companies, and by his resource enabled an early continuance of the advance. His zeal and energy were beyond all praise.

26343 Pte. E. Mills, R.A.M.C.

For marked gallantry and devotion to duty. When the battery came under heavy fire he, regardless of danger, attended to the many wounded and also those of the infantry close by.

8794 L./C. (A./Cpl.) J. Moore, Leic. R.

For conspicuous gallantry in action. As Regimental Scout Corporal he has shown a complete disregard of his personal safety, and has obtained most useful information on many occasions. He has repeatedly crossed open country under close range fire, carrying information back to the firing line.

200353 Pte. W. H. Morris, Devon. R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. On one occasion he repeatedly crossed the open under heavy fire to repair his telephone line, and also carried messages by hand.

4/12517 C./S./M. (A./R./S./M.) W. Murray, S. Wales Bord.

For gallantry and devotion to duty. He has always been conspicuous for his coolness and energy in every action. He was wounded.

33981 Pte. A. Nelson, M.G. Corps.

For gallant and distinguished service. He left his picquet by day, though in full view of the enemy picquets across the river, and in company with another man searched a boat which was temporarily stranded. He acted entirely on his own initiative, and brought in the documents of a certain enemy regiment. He has done consistent good work.

241481 C./S./M. M. H. Newham, E. Kent

For marked gallantry and devotion to duty. He has on several occasion led a platoon most gallantly, and has many times brought in wounded men.

43139 Bombr. J. Nicholson, R.F.A.

For gallantry and coolness. After other men had failed he went out under heavy fire and repaired the telephone lines between the F.O.O. and his battery. He has rendered invaluable service in charge of the battery signallers.

19370 Pte. F. Nuttall, N. Staffs. R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He carried a Lewis gun forward with the attacking line, although wounded in the head. He continued to fire his gun until he received a second and more severe wound.

6496 C./S./M. W. J. O'Brien, N. Staff. R.

For marked gallantry on all occasions. When a party of men were driven by shell fire out of a trench he rallied them, and most gallantly retook the trench.

Sjt. G. T. Paley, I.U. List.

For distinguished service. He has shown exceptional initiative and intelligence in the performance of his duties, which have always been carried out with great carefulness and ability.

201316 Pte. F. G. Parfitt, Hants. R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He volunteered to bring in a man who was lying wounded in the open. He succeeded in doing so under a heavy fire. He was assisted by another soldier.

43171 Sjt. L. Parker, R.E.

For marked gallantry throughout the operations, and especially at the forcing of the passage of the river, when he was in charge of a motor boat, and succeeded, under heavy fire, in placing the anchors for the bridge.

31674 Cpl. W. H. Parker, R. Welsh Fus.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. On one occasion he brought in a wounded officer who was lying in an exposed place. On another occasion he displayed great courage and initiative in leading a party of bombers.

16489 Gnr. J. A. Parkinson, R.F.A.

For conspicuous devotion to duty throughout the operations. He is an example to the whole unit of keenness and cheerfulness under all circumstances.

S/9827 L./Sjt. A. E. Pedgrift, Sea. Highrs. For conspicuous gallantry in action. He completed a block in a communication trench under heavy fire. Although wounded early in the day, he refused to quit his position to have his wound dressed till ordered back by an officer at about 12 midnight. His services were particularly valuable as there was no other bombing N.C.O. in this portion of the trenches.

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8680 Dvr. W. J. Polaine, R.F.A.

For gallantry and devotion to duty. He was lead driver when the limber teams stampeded through shell fire. The other two drivers were thrown off, but he stuck to his horses under heavy fire, and brought the limber back.

1919 Sjt. A. Pratt, R. Highrs.

For conspicuous gallantry and distinguished service. One of the bravest and most intelligent bomb serjeants in the regiment. On three occasions he has proved his high capacity for leadership in the attack. He has been twice wounded. His power of training grenadiers and his influence over his men are quite exceptional.

8586 Pte. A. H. Price, N. Staff. R.

For conspicuous gallantry in action. Being the only man left of a gun team except the No. 1, he kept the gun supplied with ammunition all day. He was the last to leave the enemy's trench, bringing back the gun and tripod.

8014 C./S./M. W. Pyne, Leic. R. (now No. 40224 Hamps. R.).

For gallantry and distinguished service in action. In the attack he has always inspired courage and confidence in the men of his company by continually moving about under heavy fire, encouraging them by a total disregard of his own personal safety. He has repeatedly done excellent work, and is an example of courage and determination.

63139 2nd Cpl. E. A. Quarterman, R.E. For gallantry and ability. He has shown exceptional courage and devotion to duty throughout the operations.

2043 Pte. A. V. Rankin, Manch. R.

For conspicuous gallantry in action. During the attack this man remained at his telephone when a counter-attack was within 100 yards of his instrument. Although men were retiring past him all the time, he repaired his wire under a heavy fire, and enabled communication to be maintained at a time when it was greatly needed.

30304 Pte. C. Ravenscroft, R. Welsh Fus.
For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to
duty. He volunteered and repeatedly went

duty. He volunteered and repeatedly went out under heavy fire to attend to the wounded when all the stretcher-bearers had become casualties.

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11092 Pte. F. Rhodes, E. Lanc. R.

For marked gallantry during the operations. As company stretcher-bearer he has worked under heavy fire without any regard of personal danger, setting a fine example.

46326 A/Cpl. R. Richards, R.E.

For gallantry and distinguished service. He has done consistent good work and displayed exceptional energy when in charge of the R.A. cable section. Much of his work has been carried out under fire.

49888 Sjt. J. Richmond, R.F.A.

For conspicuous gallantry. He has laid out telephone wires under heavy fire, and kept up F.O.O.'s communication. His work has always been most gallant and excellent.

203107 Sjt. W. Ridler, Devon R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He took sole charge of a company whose officers had all become casualties, and by his untiring energy and example maintained the offensive spirit of that portion of the line.

11109 Pte. T. H. Rivers, Welsh R.

For conspicuous gallantry. He showed great coolness and ability in ferrying men over the river under heavy fire. He has on many other occasions shown great personal courage and devotion to duty.

4/5549 Pte. J. Roach, Conn. Rang.

For conspicuous gallantry in action. When all the bombs of his bombing party were expended and the bomb-carrier killed, he volunteered to go back for more bombs. He brought these up across the open under heavy fire. On finding that the enemy had reoccupied part of the trench, he reorganised fresh bombing parties on his own initiative, and proceeded to attack it. He only retired when ordered by his superior officer.

6166 Pte. J. L. Roberts, Hrs.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. This man volunteered to go out and bring in some wounded. This he did twice, carrying them a considerable distance, though under machine-gun fire the whole way.

11466 Cpl. J. R. Roberts, R. Welsh Fus.

For conspicuous gallantry on many occasions under fire, especially on one occasion, when he handled his Lewis gun with great ability and courage, and materially helped the bombers to advance. He was wounded while doing so.

8350 Sjt. (A./C./S./M.) F. Robinson, N. Staff. R.

For conspicuous gallantry. When all his officers had been wounded he took command, and organised and maintained his portion of the line. On another occasion he displayed great courage in organising the defence of a captured trench. He has throughout set a fine example of coolness and initiative.

12690 C./S./M. J. Robinson, Ches. R.

For conspicuous gallantry at all times. He has shown a devotion to duty and an example of courage which has inspired all men under him.

7946 C./S./M. (A./R./S./M.) F. Sabatella, Glouc. R.

For gallantry and devotion to duty. Although wounded in the head, he returned to duty after having his head dressed, setting a fine example of pluck and endurance.

35873 Sjt. S. Seager, R.A.M.C.

For gallantry and coolness under fire. When the stretcher-bearers were caught under a heavy fire he ably assisted them in taking cover, and eventually brought them back with only a few casualties.

61460 Pte. T. Sharpe, M.G. Corps.

For marked gallantry. He kept his gun working within bombing distance of the enemy, and, by his cheerfulness and disregard of danger, he rallied the bombers who were being driven back.

204093 Sjt. R. Simmonds, Hamps. R.

(frmly. 6226).

For conspicuous gallantry at the forcing of the passage of the river. As cox of one of the boats he displayed great coolness under heavy fire.

7700 Pte. A. Simmons, Leic. R.

For conspicuous gallantry throughout several actions. He attended and carried throughout back wounded under heavy fire until he himself was eventually wounded.

58941 A./Sjt. W. N. Smart, R.E.

For marked gallantry and devotion to duty throughout the operations. He has frequently laid cables and obtained communication under the heaviest fire. On one occasion he laid a line to a forward picquet, and when all the officers were casualties he directed the artillery fire with great ability.

7866 L./Cpl. C. H. Smith, Norf. R.

For conspicuous gallantry and coolness under fire. At the forcing of the passage of the river he showed great coolness and com-plete disregard of danger as one of the leading bombers. His example was inspiring to all.

31704 C./S./M. F. G. Spencer, N. Lan. R. For gallantry and devotion to duty. He has displayed great coolness and has set a fine On one occasion he example in action. greatly assisted the marooned garrison on the other side of the river by his skilful fire from the left bank.

13039 Cpl. (A./R./S./M.) M. A. Sprinks,

For gallant and distinguished service throughout the operations, notably on one occasion, when he brought up stores to his company under very heavy fire.

200269 Sjt. R. J. Stark, Devon. R.

For conspicuous gallantary and devotion to He brought up ammunition under heavy fire, and himself organised the defence of the captured trench with great ability when all his officers were casualties.

2901 L./Cpl. J. Stevens, Hrs.

For conspicuous gallantry in action. When all the N.C.O.'s in his troop had become casualties he took charge, and handled the troop in action with great skill. On another occasion he was conspicuous for the ability and daring with which he used his Hotchkiss

1563 L./Cpl. W. J. Stewart, Dns. (attd.

For gallantry under fire and untiring devotion to duty under very trying conditions at all times. He carried out his duties most energetically and efficiently, and set a splendid example.

97587 Sjt. E. Stone, R.F.A.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He controlled a section under heavy fire, in addition to his duties as No. 1. When a complete detachment was disabled he served the gun and kept up a regular rate of fire.

240072 Sjt. G. A. Swinyard, E. Kent R.

For conspicuous gallantry and resource. On his officer being hit he assumed command, dug his party in, removed the wounded to cover, and acted in a most gallant manner till ordered to withdraw at night.

19378 C./S./M. S. J. Sydenham, Welsh R. For gallant and distinguished service. He has behaved with great coolness under all conditions, and has inspired his men with confidence. On one occasion he behaved most gallantly, under heavy fire, in bringing up pontoons to the bank of the river.

42740 Gnr. H. Theaker, R.F.A.

For gallantry and devotion to duty. twice mended the telephone wire under heavy By this means communication was maintained and all messages, both for the R.A. and for the infantry, whose line was not working, were punctually delivered.

13732 Cpl. G. Thomas, N. Staff. R.

For conspicuous gallantry in action. took command when all his officers had become casualties, and in a fearless manner beat off an enemy counter-attack, setting a very fine example.

7678 Pte. S. Thurston, Norf. R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. At the forcing of the passage of the river he was conspicuous for the work he did under heavy fire, and for the manner in which he volunteered to replace exhausted

62173 Gnr. G. H. Towler, R.F.A.

For marked gallantry and coolness under heavy fire, when, with a F.O.O., he repeatedly went out and mended the telephone wire, and so kept up communication.

9809 Sjt. C. S. Townshend, Wilts. R.

For conspicuous gallantry in action. He led his platoon with great dash, and consolidated the ground won. He displayed great personal courage and set a fine example.

4th Class Asst. Surg. A. R. Underwood, I.S.M.D.

For gallantry and devotion to duty. his own initiative he moved forward to the newly captured trenches under heavy fire, and dressed many wounded, his action being of the greatest value.

27149 Cpl. E. J. Vanner, R.F.A.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to Early in the day he was wounded in three places by the explosion of a shell which burst within a few feet of him. In spite of this, and though exposed to continuous fire, he remained in command of his gun throughout, displaying a fine example of coolness and courage to the men of his detachment.

10599 Sjt. J. Vesty, R. Lanc. R.
For consistent and distinguished service as signalling serjeant of the battalion. He has shown an utter disregard of danger in running out lines under heavy fire and in repairing them.

12353 Q./M./S. C. H. Warner, R. Welsh Fus.

For distinguished service. He has displayed ability and resource under difficult circumstances, and been of the greatest assistance throughout the operations.

9192 L./Cpl. A. W. Watkins, Hrs.

For conspicuous gallantry in action. While keeping up visual communication he had first his heliograph and later his flag hit by bullets, but continued to remain in the open, keeping touch with his headquarters. Un several other occasions he has performed similar acts of gallantry.

11616 Cpl. A. Went, Glouc. R.

For marked gallantry. He was one of a covering party to a half-company digging a sap. He pushed forward close up to the enemy, and had three men hit by a sniping post, but he carried each one to a place of safety under heavy fire.

8239 Cpl. (A./L./Sjt.) J. W. Whitehead, Leic. R.

For conspicuous gallantry in action. He organised stretcher-bearer parties and brought in wounded under heavy fire. Although wounded in the arm, he continued to perform his fine work all day, showing great pluck and devotion to duty. The following day he again went out under heavy fire to make sure that all wounded were brought in. He has in many previous actions done most excellent work.

11132 C./S./M. R. Wilding, E. Lanc. R. For gallantry and devotion to duty. Owing to shortage of officers, he has taken on their work with great ability and coolness. Throughout his conduct has been of the highest order, and he has at all times displayed conspicuous coolness under fire.

37565 Sjt. J. Williamson, M.G. Corps.

For conspicuous gallantry and coolness in handling his gun in action. On his own initiative he twice mounted his gun in position in the enemy's second and first line to cover the withdrawal of our infantry, thereby being ready to meet any counter-attack. During the attack on another occasion he again set an excellent example of steadiness under heavy fire.

240216 Pte. H. C. Woods, R.W. Surr. R.
For conspicuous gallantry and coolness in sending messages by helio from the firing-line under heavy fire, and in continuing to receive a message there although severely wounded in the thigh.

11831 Sjt. (A./C./Q./M./S.) W. G. Wood, R. War. R.

For marked gallantry in action. In an attack on an enemy trench he showed conspicuous coolness under heavy fire, and led his platoon in a most able manner.

7897 C./S./M. F. G. Woollett, S. Lanc. R. For gallantry and resource. He has displayed great ability and energy throughout the operations. On one occasion, when all

his officers were casualties, he commanded his company with marked ability.

79837 Sjt. F. E. Yeates, R.F.A.

For gallantry and devotion to duty at all times, especially on one occasion, when he took up several convoys of ammunition to the ferry heads under heavy fire.

19369 Sjt. J. D. Young, Worc. R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. When a portion of the line was compelled to withdraw he set a splendid example of steadiness, and also brought in a wounded officer, under heavy fire, who was lying in an exposed position.

His Majesty the KING has been graciously pleased to approve of the award of a Bar to the Military Medal to the undermentioned Noncommissioned Officers and Men:—

981 L./C. J. H. Harding, R.W. Surr. R. (M.M. gazetted 3rd June, 1916.)

267438 Pte. J. Collins, Sea. Highrs. (formerly 9532).

(M.M. gazetted 9th December, 1916.)

266134 Pte. A. Duggan, North'd Fus. 305011 Sjt. R. Norrie, R.A.M.C. (formerly 867).

(M.M.'s gazetted 22nd January, 1917.)

G/15401 L./C. J. H. Rees, Mdx. R. (M.M. gazetted 18th June, 1917.)

70687 Pte. A. Storey, N. & Derby. R. (M.M. gazetted 18th July, 1917.)

His Majesty the KING has been graciously pleased to award the Military Medal for bravery in the Field to the undermentioned Non-Commissioned Officers and Men:—

1323 Pte. (L./C.) S. Allen, Sea. Highrs.
23478 Cpl. H. Armitage, M.G. Corps.
20750 Dvr. W. Armstrong, R.F.A.
98239 Sjt. M. Arthur, R.E.
35098 Sjt. G. H. Ashford, R.G.A.
107647 L./C. T. W. Bailey, R.E.
77880 Sjt. W. J. Barrell, R.F.A.
26179 S./Smith Cpl. G. Barrett, R.F.A.
54288 Cpl. L. V. Beckett, R.E.
2762 Pte. J. W. Bell, R. Lan. R.
2859 Cpl. S. Bendall, N. Lan. R.
7622 Pte. E. W. Beresford, N. Staff. R.
950272 Gnr. F. Bethell, R.F.A.
70647 Pte. S. Billingham, N. & Derby. R.
14/367 Sjt. (actg. C./S./M.) C. Birkett, Y. & L. Rgt.
78881 Dvr. F. J. Bocock, R.F.A.
72062 L./C. R. Bowen, M G. Corps.
11240 Sjt. W. A. Boyd, N. & Derby. R.
242527 Cpl. J. R. Bramwell, North'd Fus.,
attd. T.M. By.

152245 Cpl. W. Bray, R.E. 13/147 L./Sjt. J. Breathwick, Y. & L. Rgt. 3321 L./C. A. Briddon, N. & Derby. R. 17767 Pte. J. Broome, S. Lan. R. 17385 Pte. (actg. Cpl.) W. Burrell, Y. & L. Rgt. 3/7160 Pte. (L./C.) M. Campbell, Sea. Highrs. 201557 Pte. A. Clamp, N. & Derby. R. 10260 L./Sjt. A. Clark, Sea. Highrs. 21915 Sjt. F. Cocking, R.G.A. 6913 Sjt. T. F. Collingwood, Gds. 28351 Cpl. W. Conroy, M.G. Corps (formerly K.O.S.B.). 325434 Sjt. W. A. Cox, Camb. R. 9342 Sjt. C. Cross, R.G.A. 41656 Pte. E. W. Cutcliffe, Manch. R. 36449 Sjt. A. H. Cutts, R.A.M.C. 9748 Pte. D. Dempster, Sea. Highrs. 37191 Sjt. H. Dillon, R.F.A. 165875 Gnr. (actg. Bomdr.) F. Dixon, R.G.A. 269827 Pte. G. H. Dolby, N. & Derby. R. 25525 Cpl. A. Dodds, R.F.A. 1664 L. /Sjt. H. J. Earl, R. Fus. 2663 Sjt. J. Frankland, N. Lan. R. 125022 Bomdr. H. O. Gane, R.G.A. 28377 Pte. M. Gill, S. Lan. R. 17050 Pte. T. Goodier, S. Lan. R 240444 Pte. W. Gough, N. & Derby. R. 2350 L./C. D. Hall, R. Lan. R. 45901 Cpl. W. H. Hare, Dur. L.I. (late S. Staff. R.). 128964 L./C. A. P. C. Harley, R.E. 87157 Cpl. H. E. Hayes, R.G.A. 49553 Gnr. (actg. Bomdr.) N. Hodgers, R.G.A. 432352 Spr. R. Hodgkinson, R.E. P.S./8971 Pte. W. Hurst, R. Fus. 200532 Cpl. R. James, Dur. L.I. 104514 Spr. T. Jordan, R.E. 242295 Pte. (L./C.) J. Kennedy, W. Rid. R. 432353 L./C. J. King, R.E. 1229 Pte. (L./C.) L. A. N. King, Sea. Highrs. 65067 L./C. S. H. Kingsworth, R. Fus. 6117 Sjt. P. Lamb, R. Fus. 251986 Spr. J. Law, R.E. (formerly L'pool 14349 Pte. A. E. Levett, R. Fus. 9007 Pte. (L./C.) M. Macleod, Sea. Highrs. S/12175 Cpl. (L./Sjt.) D. Macrae, Sea. Highrs. 202090 Pte. H. Madeley, S. Staff. R. 265791 Cpl. J. Martin, North'd Fus. 28053 Sjt. G. A. Maxted, R.G.A., attd. T.M. By. 14436 Gnr. D. McCrum, R.G.A. 42175 L./C. W. Melvin, M.G. Corps. 141580 Gnr. A. Merrick, R.G.A. 13763 A./Cpl. W. H. Metcalf, W. York. R. 103590 Gnr. (actg. Bomdr.) H. Milburn, 15005 Pte. C. Miller, N. Lan. R. 16146 Sjt. R. Milligan, H.L.I. 14/570 Cpl. E. C. Morley, Y. & L. Rgt. 90993 Cpl. O. Murphy, R.F.A. 950990 Bomdr. E. A. Murray, R.F.A. 203161 Pte. H. Page, Dur. L.I. 149751 Gnr. (actg. Bomdr.) H. W. Peary R.G.A. 2348 Pte. J. Peel, R. War. R 63628 Dvr. S. J. Penfold, R.F.A. 11661 Sjt. H. W. Phear, R.F.A. 78564 Bombr. E. H. Philps, R.F.A. 12145 L./Sjt. W. H. Piper, W. York. R. 20218 Pte. D. Pugh, R. Lan. R.

9275 Pte. R. S. Reid, Dns.

7036 Sjt. J. Reilly, R.I. Rifles. 11164 L./C. N. Rice, N. Lan. R. 147091 Sjt. H. Richards, R.E. 61395 Actg. Sjt. G. E. Roberts, M.G. Corps. 66979 Dvr. F. Robinson, R.F.A. 9200 Cpl. G. Ross, R. Fus. 6711 L./Sjt. J. Russell, Dns. 63427 Sjt. J. A. Saunders, R.F.A 1496 Sjt. G. Scott, N. & Derby. R. 200529 Pte. E. W. Scott, Dur. L.I. 202193 L./C. B. D. Shaw, S. Staff. R. 785328 Whr. W. Shaw, R.F.A. 432035 Spr. (L./C.) C. T. Shepherd, R.E. 10996 Pte. W. Siddle, S. Lan. R. 113787 Gnr. J. T. Smith, R.G.A. 143014 Sjt. G. Stalker, R.E 687388 A./Bomdr. H. Standfield, R.F.A. 33428 Pte. E. V. Stones, Y. & L. Rgt., attd. L.T.M. By. 267532 Pte. W. H. Tacey, N. & Derby. R. 45887 Pte. J. Tait, Dur. L.I. 13/1142 Pte. A. Taylor, Y. & L. Rgt. 28814 Pte. J. Taylor, K.O.S.B. G/4320 Pte. W. T. Taylor, R. Fus. 41206 Dvr. H. Thirkell, R.F.A. 16385 Pte. R. Thompson, Y. & L. Rgt., attd. L.T.M. By. 203287 Pte. J. Toone, N. & Derby. R. 202253 L./C. H. B. Underwood, N. & Derby. 6687 Sjt. H. Wake, Dr. Gds. 165861 Gnr. (actg. Bomdr.) A. Walsh, R.G.A. 15993 Pte. S. Walsh, N. Lan. R. 56670 Cpl. B. Webster, R.F.A. 14905 L./Sjt. A. Willis, N. Lan. R. 49840 Gnr. (actg. Bomdr.) A. Wilson, R.F.A. 6619 Pte. J. F. Wood, R. Lan. R. 200119 Pte. W. Wood, Dur. L.I. 200390 Pte. A. E. Worthington, N. Staff. R. 102327 Cpl. (actg. Sjt.) R. Wrightson, R.E.

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411 Cpl. J. Gillespie, L.H. Regt. 428 Sjt. R. Hampton, L.H. Regt. 968 Tpr. H. C. Robertson, L.H. Regt.

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14433 S./Sjt. J. J. Adams, Cav.
748378 Pte. J. F. Barber, Inf.
129438 Sjt. J. M. Cameron, Inf.
25933 Sjt. H. Campbell, Inf.
426186 Pte. T. Campbell, P.P.C.L.I.
14761 L./C. H. S. Churchill, Cav.
301404 Bomdr. H. Cruly, F.A.
487293 Cpl. H. Dalton, Engrs.
551217 Pte. H. J. Dent, Cav.
115061 Pte. D. Dobson, Cav.
114768 Pte. O. A. Dunning, Cav.
103362 Pte. A. Edwards, Inf.
228451 Pte. F. Fitzgerald, Cav.
551346 Pte. E. Garlick, Cav.
703965 Pte. (actg. Cpl.) H. B. Gates, Inf.
504165 Spr. A. W. Hatton, Engrs.
444927 Sjt. B. W. Jones, Inf.
13 L./C. S. Laker, M.G. Corps.
445480 Pte. H. J. Leet, Inf.
457020 Sjt. R. S. Maclagan, Inf.
102334 Sjt. O. Massey, Inf.
444538 Pte. A. McGougan, Inf.

15405 Sjt. W. D. McClure, Cav.
14525 Cpl. J. McKay, Cav.
113395 L./C. J. Mewes, Cav.
706662 Spr. J. J. Moran, Engrs.
178222 Pte. E. Mosher, Inf.
301516 Gnr. (A./Bomdr.) D. W. Rowan, F.A.
793161 Pte. A. Roy, Inf.
15432 Pte. (L./C.) J. Sharp, Cav.
457510 Pte. W. Silverson, Inf.
505544 Spr. J. Snovskig, Engrs.
7839 Pte. H. A. Spencer, M.G. Corps.
757714 Pte. J. Thomason, Inf.
487284 L./C. (actg. Cpl.) J. Thompson, Engrs.
117096 Cpl. E. Tipton, Cav.
139703 Pte. S. Watts, Inf.
551447 Pte. F. Wilcox, Cav.

His Majesty the KING has been graciously

pleased to award the Meritorious Service Medal to the undermentioned Non-Commissioned Officers and Men for gallantry in the performance of military duty:—

40120 Pte. B. Blackburn, L'pool R.
109166 Sjt. L. A. W. Brooks, R.E.
35699 Gnr. E. Cooper, R.G.A.
240671 Cpl. D. Drennan, R. Sco. Fus.
5/1194 Pte. S. Hunt, R.I. Rifles.
55436 Sjt. W. Jacobs, R.E.
241191 Pte. B. Speight, York. L.I.
157473 Spr. S. F. Tobitt, R.E.
11089 Sjt. W. Wall, W. York. R.

His Majesty the KING has been graciously pleased to award the Meritorious Service Medal to the undermentioned Warrant Officers, Non-Commissioned Officers and Men in recognition of valuable services rendered with the Armies in the Field during the present War:—

S./Sjt. L. J. Bright, A.O.C.
 Cpl. R. Colwill, R.F.C.
 Actg. Sjt. L. C. Hayburn, R.E.
 By S./M. W. J. Perkins, R.F.A.
 S./Sjt. F. J. Seaton, A.O.C.
 L./C. (actg. Sjt.) J. W. Thomas, Manch. R. (attd. Egyptian Army).
 St. Cl. A.M. J. F. Wilder, R.F.C.
 Sjt. H. H. Wright, R.F.C.

Awarded the Meritorious Service Medal, for valuable services rendered with the Armies in the Field, in Mesopotamia:—

109710 A./C./S./M. F. S. Alexander, R.E. 61465 Sjt. J. Anderson, M.G. Corps.
910309 B./S./M. E. Barber, R.F.A. 2368 Pte. W. Barnes, Midd'x R. (now No. 30087, Norf. R.).

Sub-Condr. C. G. Bartrop, I.M. List.
138171 Sjt. (A./C./S./M.) A. E. Benge, R.E. 150724 A./Sjt. E. R. Best, R.E.

S./Sjt. G. W. A. Bickley, Military Works Service (India).

9481 Pte. (A./Cpl.) J. A. Biggs, R.A.M.C. 200785 Pte. J. J. Bishop, Dorset. R.
11005 A./Q.M./S. W. H. Bonner, Ches. R.
100322 Sjt. R. F. Burrough, R.E.

Sjt. O. F. Butler, I.M. List.
10886 Sjt. H. E. Chandler, R.E.
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