

The award of the M.C., which was announced in the London Gazette dated 4th May, 1917, to Capt. R. D. Anderson, Congo Carrier Section, East Africa, Transport Corps, is cancelled, the award of the D.S.O. being substituted.

The deed for which the award of the M.C. was gazetted to 2nd Lt. (T./Lt.) Frank William Henry Thomas, Yeo. and R.F.C., is cancelled, and the following substituted:—

“ For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. Whilst returning from a bombing raid he was attacked by four hostile machines, one of which he succeeded in bringing down. He was then severely wounded, and on two occasions lost consciousness. He nevertheless successfully brought his machine back and landed it undamaged on his aerodrome. His pluck and determination were worthy of the highest praise.”
(M.C. gazetted with deed 7th March, 1918.)

The deed for which the award of the M.C. was gazetted to Lt. Ronald Victor Frazer, Aust. Fd. Arty., is cancelled, and the following substituted:—

“ For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty as F.O.O. in the operations leading up to the capture of a position. He pushed right forward through an extremely

heavy barrage, and while doing so was wounded, but was able to make a very useful reconnaissance and secure valuable papers from a wounded enemy staff officer. He continued to move forward until prevented by his wound, and then returned to his battery to report.”

(M.C. gazetted, with deed, 23rd April, 1918.)

The deed for which the award of the M.C. was gazetted to Lt. Kenneth Darnton Watson, Aust. Fd. Arty., is cancelled, and the following substituted:—

“ For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty as F.O.O. with the right Infantry Brigade. He made a valuable reconnaissance, and eventually formed an advance post with some Lewis gunners in advance of our own protective barrage line, where enemy concentration could be plainly seen. His messages enabled the artillery concentrations. Throughout the day he was under extremely heavy fire.”

(M.C. gazetted, with deed, 23rd April, 1918.)

The announcement of the award of the Military Cross to T./Capt. Richard Earl Williams, M.G. Corps, which appeared in the London Gazette dated 25th August, 1917, page 8856, is cancelled, and the following substituted:—

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