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TUESDAY, 24 SEPTEMBER, 1918.

War Office.

24th September, 1918.

His Majesty the KING has been graciously pleased to approve of the following Awards to the undermentioned Officers and Warrant Officers, in recognition of their gallantry and devotion to duty in the field:—

AWARDED A BAR TO THE DISTINGUISHED SERVICE ORDER.

Capt. and Bt. Major (A./Lt.-Col.) Alfred James Napier Bartlett, D.S.O., Ox. & Bucks. L.I.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty during an enemy attack. By his skilful handling of his battalion he maintained his position in spite of the line being penetrated on both flanks, thereby checking the enemy's advance, and enabling the line to be completely re-established by counter-attack. By his courage and coolness he set a splendid example to all ranks.

(D.S.O. gazetted 1st January, 1918.)

Maj. (A./Lt.-Col.) Guy Mortimer Coleridge Davidge, D.S.O., Worc. R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty in action. He handled his battalion in a remarkably cool and resourceful way, and frequently anticipated orders according to the exigencies of the situation in difficult conditions. Again, later, he did particularly gallant and soldierly work, freely exposing himself to heavy fire and maintaining a close grip of the situation. It was due to his fine behaviour that his portion of the line remained intact.

(D.S.O. gazetted 26th September, 1917.)

Lt. (T./Capt.) Rupert Edmund Hobday, D.S.O., W. York. R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty in command of a raiding party of four officers and a hundred and twenty men. Thanks to his previous reconnaissance, careful organisation for the attack, and his gallant leadership during the raid, the operation successfully resulted in the capture of an