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FRIDAY, 27 JUNE, 1919.

War Office,

27th June, 1919.

His Majesty the King has been graciously pleased to approve of the following awards to the undermentioned Officers, Warrant Officers, Non-Commissioned Officers and Men in recognition of their gallantry and devotion to duty in the Field:—

AWARDED A SECOND BAR TO THE DISTINGUISHED SERVICE ORDER.

Maj. & Bt. Lt.-Col. Alfred Morey Boyall, D.S.O., 1st Bn., W. Yorks. R.

On 21st March, 1918, when the whole of the front line had gone and the reserve to the right of the battalion had been taken by the enemy, he continued to control the situation with the greatest coolness and gallantry, and by his fine example inspired the remaining garrison of the front line trenches to hold out till dusk. This resistance in the front line system was most valuable in delaying the enemy's advance on the corps front.

(D.S.O. gazetted 27th Sept. 1901.) (1st Ber gazetted 4th Feb. 1918.) AWARDED A BAR TO THE DISTINGUISHED SERVICE ORDER.

Lt.-Col. Frank Anstie Buzzard, D.S.O., R.A. (MESOPOTAMIA)

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty during operations at Sherqat, 24/30th Oct. 1918. On night of 26/27th Oct. 1918 and again on night of 29/30th Oct. 1918, he got his brigade on the move and into action with the greatest celerity after a march, on the latter occasion, of 26 miles in 7 hours. It was largely due to his promptness of action that the operation, which resulted in the capture of large numbers of prisoners, was entirely successful.

(D.S.O. gazetted 1st Jan. 1917.)

Lt.-Col. Henry Robert Gordon Deacon, D.S.O., Conn. Rangers, attd. High. L.I. (MESOPOTAMIA)

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty during operations at Sherqat, 24/30th Oct. 1918. On the 24th Oct. 1918 his battalion, during a night advance, suddenly came under heavy fire at close range from a wired redoubt, which he rushed and captured. It was mainly due to his coolness and the disci-