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## MONDAY, JANUARY 13, 1919.

War Office,

11th January, 1919.

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 SECOND BAR DISTINGUISHED SERVICE ORDER.

T./Comdr. Archibald  $\mathbf{Walter}$ D.S.Ö., Anson Bn., R.N.D., R.N.V.R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. When the progress of the brigade at a critical moment was checked by machinegun fire, he went forward himself with his battalion staff, reorganised his battalion and led it forward on to commanding ground, seriously threatening the enemy's retreat. The success of the operation was largely due to his courage and fine leadership.

(D.S.O. gazetted 4th March, 1918.) (1st Bar gazetted 26th July, 1918.) Capt. & Bt. Maj. (A./Lt.-Col.) George Dawes, D.S.O., M.C., 2nd Bn., S. Staff. R.,

Comdg. 21st Bn., Lond. R.

For conspicuous gallantry and able leadership. When the enemy attacked the flank of the battalion, which had been uncovered owing to the retirement of other troops, and there appeared to be imminent danger of their breaking through at this spot, which was the key of the position, Colonel Dawes went up under an intense fire, and rallied the men by his splendid example of courage and saved the line by his able and determined leadership.

(D.S.O. gazetted 18th February, 1918.) (1st Bar gazetted 26th July, 1918.)

Capt. & Bt. Maj. (A./Lt.-Col.) John Standish Surtees Prendergast Vereker, Viscount Gort,, V.C., D.S.O., M.V.O., M.C., 1st Bn., G.G.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty in command of his battalion. He led his men up by night to relieve a battalion