

largely due to the action of this officer that the Arabs were so rapidly driven from their position. He displayed absolute fearlessness throughout and was a fine example to all ranks.

Subadar Devaraju, 80th Carnatic L.I., I.A.

For gallantry and devotion to duty on the 7th of May 1920, near Albu Kemal, when in charge of three small pickets. He was heavily attacked by vastly superior numbers, but maintained his position the whole day. His coolness and skilful leading were above all praise, and his determined resistance saved much Government property from being looted.

Lt. Harry Wood, Rif. Brig., attd. 15th B., L.A. Motor Cars.

For gallantry and skilful leading between Menjil and Resht, North Persia, on the 15th July 1920, when in command of a Section of armoured cars which was suddenly surprised by a superior force. By skilful manœuvring and prompt action he opened fire on the enemy with marked effect and remained in action until a second section of the battery arrived in support. He eventually drove the enemy into the jungle inflicting some thirty casualties. By his coolness he extricated his men and cars from a dangerous situation.

His Majesty the KING has been graciously pleased to approve of the undermentioned rewards in recognition of distinguished services in connection with military operations with the Army of the Black Sea :—

Awarded the Distinguished Service Order.

Maj. Alfred George Lyell, 2/39th Garhwal Rif., Ind. Army.

For consistent good work in the field as battalion commander in the recent operations against the Nationalist Forces, and in particular on the 21st June 1920, near Beglik Dag, when, his battalion coming under heavy fire from a concealed enemy, by skilful dispositions he inflicted considerable loss and caused them to retire. The efficient handling of his battalion on the 13th July 1920 also contributed largely to the success of the action at Gebze.

Awarded the Military Cross.

Lt. (T./Capt.) Henry Newbolt Lyster, 3rd Bn., Lond. R., attd. Intell. Corps.

For gallantry and devotion to duty on the 14th June 1920, during the Ismid operations against the Nationalist Forces when despatched under heavy rifle and machine-gun fire with a message to the Anti-Nationalists which he succeeded in delivering. His intelligence work throughout the operations were invaluable.

Lt. (A./Capt.) James Robert Kenneth Wallace, 1/95th Russell's Infy., Ind. Army.

For gallantry and devotion to duty when in command of a company at Sultan Chift on the 5th July 1920. Although his arm was shattered

at the outset he continued in command and led his men with great skill, and remained with his company till ordered to leave the line four hours later. His quick action and determination enabled a weak platoon to drive more than double its number out of two successive positions.

War Office,
28th October 1920.

His Majesty the KING has been graciously pleased to approve of the award of the Military Medal to the undermentioned Non-Commissioned Officer and Man for bravery in the Field in connection with operations on the North-West Frontier of India :—

ROYAL FUSILIERS.

150766 Cpl. (L./Sjt.) Nash, S. C., 2nd Bn. (Wandsworth).

For bravery and initiative in action at Ali Tsappar Post (N.W. Frontier of India) on the 11th June 1920.

134616 Pte. Greenwood, F., 2nd Bn. (Rochdale).

For bravery and initiative in action at Ali Tsappar Post (N.W. Frontier of India) on the 11th June 1920.

His Majesty the KING has been graciously pleased to approve of the award of the Military Medal to the undermentioned for bravery in the Field in connection with operations of the Waziristan Force, India :—

HAMPSHIRE REGIMENT.

305762 Pte. Vey, A. J., 1/7th Bn. (Christchurch).

For bravery in carrying despatches to Dardoni on the night of 25th May 1919, along an unpicqueted road while an action was taking place in the surrounding hills.

MACHINE GUN CORPS.

163414 Pte. Thompson, W., 16th Armd. Motor Bde. (Liverpool).

For bravery while under fire near Gambila Serai on the 2nd June 1920, when he succeeded in preventing the enemy from getting round on the right flank.

His Majesty the KING has been graciously pleased to approve of the award of the Meritorious Service Medal to the undermentioned Warrant Officer in recognition of valuable services rendered in connection with operations of the Baluchistan Force, India :—

EAST KENT REGIMENT.

200333 Sjt. (A./Coy./S.M.) Wyles, H., 1/4th Bn. (Margate).

His Majesty the KING has been graciously pleased to approve of the award of the Meritorious Service Medal to the undermentioned Non-Commissioned Officer and Men in recogni-