

*Order of the Crown of Siam.**2nd Class.*

Colonel (temporary Colonel on the Staff) Kenneth Wigram, C.B., C.S.I., C.B.E., D.S.O., Indian Army.

3rd Class.

Major John Harvey De Wiederhold Carruthers, O.B.E., M.C., 39th Royal Garhwal Rifles, Indian Army.

Colonel Sydney Frederick Muspratt, C.I.E., D.S.O., Indian Army.

DECORATIONS CONFERRED BY
HIS MAJESTY THE KING OF THE
HEDJAZ.

*Order of "El Nahda."**3rd Class.*

Captain William Douglas Grant Batten, 3rd Gurkha Rifles, Indian Army.

CORRECTIONS.

The following are now correctly described :—

London Gazette 31537, dated 4th September 1919, page 11216.

Belgian Croix de Guerre.

198488 Driver Henry Joseph Bettis, B/51st Brigade, Royal Field Artillery (Camberwell).

London Gazette 31586, dated 7th October 1919, page 12405.

French Croix de Guerre.

Major (acting Lieutenant-Colonel) Robert Henry Thomas, D.S.O., Royal Engineers.

London Gazette 32268, dated 24th March 1921, page 2389.

*Roumanian Medaille Barbatie si Credinta "with Swords."**2nd Class.*

65892 Private Morgan James Lewis, The North Staffordshire Regiment (Llandaff, Glam.).

London Gazette 31039, dated 29th November 1918, page 14079.

Order of St. Maurice and St. Lazarus.

For the grade of "Officer" read "Commander" to :—

Lieutenant-Colonel Lord Esmé Charles Gordon-Lennox, M.V.O., D.S.O., Scots Guards.

Colonel (temporary Brigadier-General) Arthur Herbery Hussey, C.B., C.M.G.

Brevet Colonel (temporary Brigadier-General) Lumley Owen William Jones, D.S.O., Essex Regiment.

Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel (temporary Brigadier-General) Richard Deare Furley Oldman, C.M.G., D.S.O., Norfolk Regiment.

Lieutenant-Colonel Julian Mayne Young, C.M.G., D.S.O., Army Service Corps.

For the award of :—Order of the Crown of Italy "Officer," read : Order of St. Maurice and St. Lazarus "Officer" to :—

Lieutenant-Colonel (acting Colonel) Henry Hewetson, D.S.O., Royal Army Medical Corps.
Lieutenant-Colonel (temporary Colonel) Frank Walter Wilson, C.M.G., F.R.C.V.S., Army Veterinary Corps.

London Gazette 31615, dated 24th October 1919, page 13002.

Greek Order of the Redeemer.

For the grade of "Officer" read "Chevalier" to :—

Lieutenant (acting Captain) Reginald Alfred Boxshall, 2nd Battalion, East Surrey Regiment.

Lieutenant John Bailey Carter, 2nd Battalion, East Surrey Regiment.

2nd Lieutenant Bertram Leonard Prentice, 2nd Battalion, East Surrey Regiment.

DELETIONS.

London Gazette 30309, dated 26th September 1917, page 9984.

French Medaille Militaire.

3691 Havildar Nasib Khan, Indian Army (Duplicate award).

London Gazette 32149, dated 3rd December 1920, page 11926.

*Roumanian Croix de Virtute Militara.**2nd Class.*

740 Chief Master Mechanic Alfred Taylor, 3rd Squadron, Australian Flying Corps. (Duplicate award.)

*Air Ministry,
Kingsway, W.C. 2,
August 1921.*

His Majesty the KING has been graciously pleased to approve of the following reward to the undermentioned Officer, in recognition of gallantry and devotion to duty in Mesopotamia :—

Awarded a Bar to the Distinguished Flying Cross.

Flying Officer Victor Emmanuel Groom, D.F.C., R.A.F.

(Distinguished Flying Cross gazetted 2nd November 1918.)

For conspicuous skill and gallantry under fire.

While taking part in a bombing expedition from Mosul on the 5th May 1921, an aeroplane was shot down by rifle fire in hostile country three miles west of Batas.

Flying Officer Groom at once landed and picked up the crew of this machine while under enemy fire. He then successfully took off down hill and returned safely to Mosul with two passengers in the back seat and a third lying on one of the planes.

This officer, in addition to showing great promptitude and gallantry, also displayed marked skill in first landing safely under most difficult conditions and then taking off with a very excessive load.