

BREVET.

To be Colonel.

Lieutenant-Colonel C. A. P. Burroughs, West African Regiment.

To be Lieutenant-Colonels.

Major F. T. Henstock, the West India Regiment.
 Captain and Brevet Major T. L. N. Morland, the King's Royal Rifle Corps.
 Major P. S. Wilkinson, the Northumberland Fusiliers.

To be Majors.

Captain W. M. Hall, the Prince of Wales's Own (West Yorkshire Regiment).
 Captain A. J. F. Eden, the Oxfordshire Light Infantry.
 Captain W. E. Edwards, Royal Artillery.

MEMORANDUM.

The Queen has further been pleased to approve the grant of the Medal for Distinguished Conduct in the Field to Native Officer Harri Zenuwa, Gold Coast Constabulary.

War Office, January 15, 1901.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to signify Her intention to confer the decoration of the Victoria Cross on the undermentioned Officers and Non-Commissioned Officers, whose claims have been submitted for Her Majesty's approval for their conspicuous bravery in South Africa, 1900, as stated against their names:—

Regiment.	Name.	Act of Courage for which recommended.
14th Hussars ...	Major E. D. Brown	On the 13th October, 1900, at Geluk, when the enemy were within 400 yards, and bringing a heavy fire to bear, Major Brown, seeing that Sergeant Hersey's horse was shot, stopped behind the last squadron as it was retiring, and helped Sergeant Hersey to mount behind him, carrying him for about three-quarters of a mile to a place of safety. He did this under a heavy fire. Major Brown afterwards enabled Lieutenant Browne, 14th Hussars, to mount, by holding his horse, which was very restive under the heavy fire. Lieutenant Browne could not otherwise have mounted. Subsequently Major Brown carried Lance-Corporal Trumpeter Leigh out of action.
Royal Army Medical Corps	Lieutenant E. T. Inkson	On the 24th February, 1900, Lieutenant Inkson carried Second Lieutenant Devenish (who was severely wounded and unable to walk) for three or four hundred yards under a very heavy fire to a place of safety. The ground over which Lieutenant Inkson had to move was much exposed, there being no cover available.
3rd Battalion Imperial Yeomanry	Lieutenant A. C. Doxat	On the 20th October, 1900, near Zeerust, Lieutenant Doxat proceeded with a party of Mounted Infantry to reconnoitre a position held by 100 Boers on a ridge of kopjes. When within 300 yards of the position the enemy opened a heavy fire on Lieutenant Doxat's party, which then retired, leaving one of their number who had lost his horse. Lieutenant Doxat seeing the dangerous position in which the man was placed galloped back under a very heavy fire and brought him on his horse to a place of safety.
17th Lancers ...	Sergeant T. Lawrence	On the 7th August, 1900, when on patrol duty near Essenbosch Farm, Sergeant Lawrence and a Private Hayman were attacked by 12 or 14 Boers. Private Hayman's horse was shot, and the man was thrown, dislocating his shoulder. Sergeant Lawrence at once came to his assistance, extricated him from under the horse, put him on his own horse, and sent him on to the picket. Sergeant Lawrence took the soldier's carbine, and with his own carbine as well, kept the Boers off until Private Hayman was safely out of range. He then retired for some two miles on foot, followed by the Boers, and keeping them off till assistance arrived.
2nd Battalion, East Surrey Regiment	Private (now Corporal) A. E. Curtis	On the 23rd February, 1900, Colonel Harris lay all day long in a perfectly open space under close fire of a Boer breastwork. The Boers fired all day at any man who moved, and Colonel Harris was wounded eight or nine times. Private Curtis, after several attempts succeeded in reaching the Colonel, bound his wounded arm, and gave him his flask—all under heavy fire. He then tried to carry him away, but was unable, on which he called for assistance, and Private Morton came out at once. Fearing that the men would be killed, Colonel Harris told them to leave him, but they declined, and after trying to carry the Colonel on their rifles, they made a chair with their hands, and so carried him out of fire.