

two platoons after all the officers had become casualties. He was twice wounded.

542 Sjt. J. Wilson, Infy.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He displayed great gallantry and initiative when commanding the company, and performed valuable service in driving off two enemy bombing parties.

3861 Pte. W. T. Young, Infy.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He rushed a party of the enemy alone, and killed several of them with bombs. He rendered invaluable service throughout the operations.

CANADIAN FORCE.

439440 Sjt. R. C. Murray, Infy.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty during a raid on the enemy's trenches. He led his party with great gallantry, and was largely responsible for the success of the raid. He has previously done fine work.

551426 Sjt. T. Smith, L. Horse R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. When leading a patrol in the face of machine gun and rifle fire which caused several casualties, his own horse was shot. He then made his way back on foot with the information he had been sent to obtain.

431065 Pte. L. Wilby, Pnr. Bn.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. While his tractor and two ammunition cars was halted the enemy opened fire on the train, which caught fire. He at once pulled his train through heavily shelled area to safety, when he succeeded in putting out the fire. His prompt action undoubtedly saved much material.

SOUTH AFRICAN FORCE.

571 Sjt. B. F. Hurr, R.G.A.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. Ammunition from the battery was burning and exploding freely owing to hostile shelling. Several motor lorries which were coming up the road got into a state of great confusion. This N.C.O. went out at once, and, rallying the drivers, succeeded in getting the lorries out of danger. His prompt action saved the lorries and much ammunition which they contained.

His Majesty the KING-EMPEROR has been graciously pleased to approve of the undermentioned Rewards to Officers, Non-Commissioned Officers and Men in the Indian Army for gallantry and devotion to duty in the Field:—

Awarded the Indian Order of Merit, 2nd Class.

Jemadar Alam Sher Khan.

3968 Naik Chelia Perumal.

Ressaidar (actg. Risaldar Maj.) Hargyan Singh.

3189 Sepoy Iman Din.

Sepoy Jaffar Khan.

2896 Rif. Jagea Rana.

Jemadar Kishan Sing Bohra.

Subadar Musa Khan.

Jemadar Rup Chand.

Risaldar Sadik Muhammad Khan.

3641 Spr. Saiyid Abdul Wahab.

Awarded the Indian Distinguished Service Medal.

Subadar Ahmed Khan.

Subadar Maj. Bakhshi Chand.

3138 Bowar Dharm Singh.

2705 Sepoy Gopal Singh.

3562 Sowar Jabber Singh.

Havildar Kesar Sing Rana.

34 Spr. (L./Naik) Kirat Singh, formerly 1095.

4915 Sepoy (L./Naik) Lal Singh.

4970 L./Naik Mahomed Issra.

637 L./Naik Maung Sein.

3474 Sowar Narain Singh.

4436 Spr. Periasami.

4881 Sepoy Said Amir.

2767 L./Dafadar Saleh Muhamed.

4635 Spr. Shaikh Imam.

Subadar Sher Afzal.

3611 Rif. Tekbahadur Thapa.

2623 Naik Wilayat Khan.

AMENDMENTS.

The following corrections are made in the London Gazette announcements:—

1st Jan. 1917.

Military Cross Award.

For Capt. Charles Beverley Metcalfe, Aust. A.M.C., read Capt. James Beverley Metcalfe, Aust. A.M.C.

17th Apr. 1917.

For Temp. 2nd Lt. Percy Reginald Palmer, R.W. Fus., attd. Leic. R., read Temp. 2nd Lt. Percy Roger Palmer, Leic. R.

26th Apr. 1917.

For Temp. Lt. Phillip Edmund Mitchell, K. Afr. Rif., read Temp. Lt. Philip Euan Mitchell, K. Afr. Rif.

26th Apr. 1917.

D.C.M. Award.

No. 240508 Q.M.S. Abraham Gray, H.L.I., was awarded a Bar to his D.C.M. on 26th April, 1917, not a second D.C.M., as incorrectly published in the Gazette of that date. (D.C.M. award to No. 3986 Serjt. A. Gray, H.L.I., gazetted in 1898 in connection with the outbreak in Kandia.)

17th Apr. 1917.

For No. 1203 Pte. J. Hailstones, M.G. Corps, read No. 62187 Pte. F. Hailstones, M.G. Corps.

20th Oct. 1916.

For 2183 L./Cpl. W. H. Chapman, R.W. Kent R., read G.1927 Cpl. W. Chapman, R.W. Kent R.

The undermentioned Officers who were granted rewards in the Honours Gazette of 4th instant are now correctly described:—

Capt. (actg. Maj.) Arthur Wynton Langley, D.S.O., M.C., R.G.A.

Lt.-Col. Chester Fish McGuffin, D.S.O., Can. A.M.C.

Temp. Capt. James Robertson Mitchell, M.C., M.B., R.A.M.C.

No. 379 Serjt. F. W. Owens, Aust. Fd. Amb.