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RALLYING THE TROOPS



Rallying the Troops: A World War I Commemoration

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Honours and Awards – Those Who Were Decorated

In order of precedence:

- **VC:** Victoria Cross
- **KCB:** Knights Commander of the Bath
- **KCMG:** Knight Commander of the Order of St Michael and St George
- **KBE:** Knights Commander of the Order of the British Empire
- **Kt:** Knights Bachelor
- **CB:** Companion of the Order of the Bath
- **CMG:** Companion of the Order of St Michael and St George
- **CBE:** Commander of the Order of the British Empire
- **DSO:** Distinguished Service Order
- **OBE:** Officer of the Order of the British Empire
- **MVO:** Member of the Royal Victorian Order
- **MBE:** Member of the Order of the British Empire
- **RRC:** Royal Red Cross (1st Class)
- **DSC:** Distinguished Service Cross
- **MC:** Military Cross
- **DFC:** Distinguished Flying Cross
- **AFC:** Air Force Cross

- **ARRC**: Royal Red Cross (2nd Class or Associate)
- **DCM**: Distinguished Conduct (in the field) Medal
- **DSM**: Distinguished Service Medal
- **MM**: Military Medal
- **DFM**: Distinguished Flying Medal
- **AFM**: Air Force Medal
- **MSM**: Meritorious Service Medal
- **VD**: Volunteer Officers' Decoration
- **MID**: Mentioned in Despatches

Foreign decorations

A Bar is a second decoration of the same kind and level.

Honours and awards gained pre or post World War I service are shown in [square brackets].

Many were recommended for decorations which, for various reasons, were not awarded. Their names are not recorded here but the recommendations are noted in the individual's entry in the biographical section.

ABBOTT, Joseph Palmer, MC [later: OBE]

ABELL, Lydia, ARRC

ABIGAIL, Thomas Gerard, MM

ALLEN, Raymond Asher Milton, MC [later: Order of St John of Jerusalem]

ANDERSON, Robert Cairns Amos, OBE, MID

ANDERSON, Robert Murray McCheyne, KCMG MID, Order of the Nile (Egypt)

BACKHOUSE, Allan Norman, [later: MID]

BAGSHAW, Horace Stanley, MC

BARBER, Cecil, MM

BARTLETT, Harold Sloan, MC

BEALE, Leonard Ernest, MM

BETTLEY-COOKE, Alan Cuthbert, [later: MBE]

BLACK, Jack Colin, MSM

BLAKE, Giles Eyre, MID

BLAKE, Wesley Mervyn, MC

BOATWRIGHT, James John, Croix de Guerre (France)

BOURNE, Cecil, MC

BROWN, Arnold, DSO, MC, MID [later: OBE, MID]

BLUMER, George Albert, MC

BROWN, Joseph Hector, OBE

BUDDEN, Henry Ebenezer, CBE

BURNS, Ida Annie, MID [later: Royal Jubilee Medal]

BUTCHER, Arthur Albert, MM

CADELL, Henry Charles Dight, MC

CALLAGHAN, Cecil Arthur, CMG, DSO, MID x 4, French Legion of Honour 5th Class Chevalier [later: CB, VD, MID]

CAMERON, Claude Ewen, MC and Bar [later: OAM, ED, MID]

CAMERON, Henry Gervais Lovett Cameron, DSO, MC, MID x 2

CARNEY, Mollie, Medal for Military Merit, 4th Class (Greece)

CARSON, John Duncan (Jock), MID

CARTER, Herbert Gordon, DSO, MID x 3

CARTER, Robert Burnside, MC

CLARK, James William, DSO, VD, MID x 2

CLARKE, William, MM

COLE, Sydney Thomas [later: ED]

COLLINS, Archibald John, DSO, MC, MID [later: KB]

COMPAGNONI, Walter Joseph, MID

CONCANON, George Lewis Blake, MID

COX, Charles Robinson, MC

COY, Frederick William, DCM, MID

CROKER, John Walter, VD

CURSON, Edward Ernest, MM

CUTHBERT, Noel Millar, MC, MID x 3, Croix de Guerre (France)

DAVID, Tannatt William Edgeworth, [pre-war: CMG], DSO, MID x 3 [later: KBE]

DAVIS, James William, MC and Bar

DEBENHAM, Frank, OBE [later: Victoria Medal (Geography)]

DEBENHAM, Herbert, MID

DE LA RUE, Hippolyte Ferdinand, DFC, Silver Medal for Valour (Italy) [later: CBE]

DIXON, Robert Derwent, DSO, MID

DOIG, Allan Torrance, MC

DOIG, Charles John, MC

DONALDSON, George Shirley, MC

DONALDSON, Katherine Minnie née Porter, ARRC

DOUGALL, Andrew William aka James Davidson, MC

DOUGALL, Norman, MC

DURHAM, Eric Alfred Knight, [later: ED]

EATON, John Keith Lobban, MID

FARNCOMB, Harold Bruce [later: CB, DSO, MVO, MID x 3, Commander of the Legion of Merit (US), Navy Cross (US)]

FINCH, Clifford Horace, MID

FROST, Gerald Alfred John, MM

FRY, Harold Willoughby, MC and Bar, MID

GAUKRODGER, Arthur George, DCM

GEE, George L'Estrange, [later: MID]

GIBBS, Leonard Gordon, MID

GILDER, Telford Graham, MC

GOLDRICK, Dallas Earls court, MSM

GOWING, Roy Lanchester, [later: OAM]

GOY, Christopher Thomas Frow, [later: OBE]

GREGORY, Ronald Chesterley, MM

GRIBBLE, Arthur Hazelhurst, CMG

GRIFFITHS, Frederick Guy, MID

HALL, Frank Sunderland, MC

HAMILTON, Herbert Stockwin, MID

HAMILTON, Ronald Garnet, MC, MID x 4, Croix de Guerre (France)

HARDING, John, MC

HARRIS, Charles Edward, MID

HARRIS, John Redford Oberlin, MID

HENRY, Cecil Lewis, DCM

HIRST, Percy Frederick, MM, MID

HOLDEN, Leslie Hubert, MC, AFC

HOLT, Henry, MM

HOOPER, Geoffrey Herbert, MC, DFC

HORDERN, Herbert Vivian, MBE

HORSEY, George Harcom, MSM

HOWARD, Arthur John De Size, MID x 2

HUNT, Gladstone Montague, MC

HUNT, Walter Moxon, MM

HUNTER, Lancelot John, MC, MID

HUNTER, Robert Dudley, MM

HUTCHINSON, Edwin Octavius, MID x 2

HUTCHINSON, Eric Lloyd, DSO, MID x 2

IFOULD, William, [later: OBE]

JOHNSON, Frank Leslie, MM

JOHNSON, Geoffrey Allan, MM [later: MBE]

KERSHAW, Harold George Augustus, MM

KERSHAW, Raymond Newton, MC [later: CMG]

KING, Clifford Bray, MC

KING, Robert Cecil, MC, MID

LAMBERT, Clarence Charles, MID

LECKY, Charles Stuart, DSO, MID

LEGGE, James Gordon, CB, MID [pre-war: CMG], Legion d'Honneur (France),
Order of Danilo (Montenegro)

LIPSCOMB, Frederick Neville, MC

LOWING, Bertie, MC and Bar

LOXTON, Merlin Forster, MC, MID x 3

LUDERS, Edward Michael, MM

MACFARLANE, Edward Albert Charles, MC

MACKAY, Alexander Leslie Gordon, DCM

MACLEAN, Alister Grant, MC

MARSH, George Augustus Milbourne, MSM

McKEOWN, William Henry, MID

MILLARD, Reginald Jeffery, CMG, CBE, MID

MILWARD, Alan Shepherd [later: OBE]

MINTER, Bruce, MC, MID

MINTER, Mervyn, MID, Order of the White Eagle (Serbia)

MOIR, Charles McNicol Jarvis, MID, Croix de Guerre (France)

MONRO, Roy Gladstone, MM

MOODY, Arnott Victor Dundas, DCM

MORLEY, Claude Ronald, MC

MORRIS, Basil Moorhouse, DSO, MID x 3 [later: CBE, MID]

MORRIS, Charles, MID

MORRIS, Edward Fortescue, MM

MORRISON, James Arthur, [later: MBE]

MORRISON, Sydney Erskine, MM

MORSE, Richard Victor, DSO, MID x 2

MOXHAM, Harry Cuthbertson, [later: KB]

MURDOCH, James Anderson, CMG [later: KBE]
NORRIE, Edward Creer, DSO, MID x 2 [later: CB, VD]
OLDFIELD, William Albert Stanley, [later: MBE]
OLIVE, Arthur Horace, MM
OLSEN, Oscar Volney, DCM, MID
OLVER, Harold Reath, MM, MID
PARRY, Stanley Evan, [later: OBE]
PATON, Florence Elizabeth, Medal for Military Merit, 4th Class (Greece)
PATTISON, John Grant, MM
POCKLEY, Brian Colden Antill, MID
PRENTICE, James Thomson, MM
PRICE, Lionel James, MC
PULLING, Guy Harris, [later: MID x 2]
PULLING, Hugh Douglas, MC, MID
RAE, Douglas Frank, MC, MID [later: MID]
RAGGATT, Harold George, [later: Kt, CBE]
REID, Milton, MM
REID, Walter Scott, MM
REMINGTON, Geoffrey Cochrane [later: CMG]
RENSHAW, Harold Conrad, MC
RICHARDSON, William Ronald, MID
RICKARD, Arthur Lancelot, MC, MID x 2 [later: DSO, ED, MID x 2]
ROBERTS, George Arthur, [later: VD]
ROBERTSON, Louis Leighton, MM
ROBSON, Russell Dunsmore, MM
ROSENTHAL, Charles, KCB, CMG, DSO, MID x 7, Croix de Guerre (Belgium),
Croix de Guerre avec palme (France), Légion d'honneur (France) [later: VD]
ROYLE, John MacDiarmid, MID

RUTLEDGE, Edgar Woolls, MC, MM

SANDERS, Charles, MM

SCOTT, Allan Humphrey, DSO, MID x 3

SCOTT, Lee, MC

SCOTT, Thomas Maxwell, MC [later: OBE]

SCOTT, William John Rendell, DSO, MID x 2 [later: ED]

SETTLE, Albert, MM

SHARLAND, William Stanley Cockburn, MM

SIDAWAY, Jack, Roumanian Medaille Barbatie si Credinta, 2nd Class

SIEVERS, Nowell Johnstone, MID

SIMPSON, Arthur Roderick, DCM

SIMPSON, Frederick John, MM

SLEEMAN, James Edward, DCM, MID

SMITH, Albert Gordon, MC

SMITH, Percy, MBE, MID

SNASHALL, Ernest Albert, MM

SNOW, Gordon Keith [later: KB]

SPENCER BROWNE, Reginald, [pre-war: CB, VD, MID x 2]

SPIER, Reginald Vincent, MID

SPOONER, William Henry, MM [later: KCMG, PC]

STACY, Harold Skipton, MID

STEEL, Robert Stanley [later: OBE]

SUMMERS, John Hamilton, [later OBE]

SWEETLAND, Albert Graham, MM

THOMPSON, George Richard, MC

THOMPSON, Leslie Edward, Serbian Silver Medal

THOMPSON, Walter, MM

TOZER, Claude John, DSO, MID

VERNON, Hugh Venables, DSO, MID x 3 [later: VD]

WALLIS, Cecil, MM

WARK, Blair Anderson, VC, DSO, MID

WATKINS, Edward Sydney, MSM

WATSON, Edward Oliver, MID

WATT, Charles Washington, MC

WATTS, Edwin Ralph, MM

WHEEN, Arthur Wesley, MM and two Bars

WHITFIELD, Norman Harold, MC and Bar, MID [later: US Medal of Freedom]

WILLARD, Rupert Roy Frederick, MC

WILLEY, Walter Henry [later: ED]

WINDEYER, Guy Stanley, [later: DSC]

WOODWARD, Edward Albert, MC [later: ED]

WRIGHT, John William, DFC [later: Efficiency Medal, MID]