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CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace, S.W., 17th May, 1915.

The KING has been graciously pleased to give orders for the following appointment to the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, in recognition of the most distinguished service in the Field of the undermentioned Officer :---

To be an additional Member of the Military Division of the Second Class or Knights Commanders:—

Brigadier-General William Throsby Bridges, C.M.G., Inspector-General, Council of Defence, Australian Commonwealth Forces.

War Office,

22nd May, 1915.

His Majesty the KING has been graciously pleased to approve of the grant of the Victoria Cross to the undermentioned Officers, Noncommissioned Officer, and Men, for their conspicuous acts of bravery and devotion to duty whilst serving with the Expeditionary Force:—

No. 8191 Corporal William Anderson, 2nd Battalion, Alexandra, Princess of Wales's Own (Yorkshire Regiment).

For most conspicuous bravery at Neuve Chapelle on 12th March, 1915, when he led three men with bombs against a large party of the enemy who had entered our trenches, and by his prompt and determined action saved, what might otherwise have become, a serious situation.

Corporal Anderson first threw his own bombs, then those in possession of his three men (who had been wounded) amongst the Germans, after which he opened rapid rifle fire upon them with great effect, notwithstanding that he was at the time quite alone.

No. 10523 Private Edward Dwyer, 1st Battalion, The East Surrey Regiment.

For most conspicuous bravery and devotion to duty at "Hill 60" on the 20th April, 1915. When his trench was heavily attacked by German grenade throwers he climbed on to the parapet, and, although