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War Office, 19th April, 1915.

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

No. 15518 Private Edward Barber, 1st Battalion, Grenadier Guards.

For most conspicuous bravery on 12th March, 1915, at Neuve Chapelle. He ran speedily in front of the grenade company to which he belonged and threw bombs on the enemy with such effect that a very great number of them at once surrendered.

When the grenade party reached Private Barber they found him quite alone and unsupported with the enemy surrendering all about him.

No. 15624 Lance-Corporal Wilfred Dolby Fuller, 1st Battalion, Grenadier Guards.

For most conspicuous bravery at Neuve Chapelle on 12th March, 1915. Seeing a party of the enemy endeavouring to escape along a communication trench, he ran towards them and killed the leading man

with a bomb; the remainder (nearly 50) finding no means of evading his bombs, surrendered to him.

Lance-Corporal Fuller was quite alone at the time.

Lieutenant Cyril Gordon Martin, D.S.O., 56th Field Company, Royal Engineers.

For most conspicuous bravery at Spanbroek Molen on 12th March, 1915, when in command of a grenade throwing party of six rank and file. Although wounded early in the action, he led his party into the enemy's trenches and held back their reinforcements for nearly $2\frac{1}{2}$ hours, until the evacuation of the captured trench was ordered.

No. 7504 Private Henry May, 1st Battalion, The Cameronians (Scottish Rifles).

For most conspicuous bravery near La Boutillerie, on 22nd October, 1914, in voluntarily endeavouring to rescue, under very heavy fire, a wounded man, who was killed before he could save him, and subsequently, on the same day, in carrying a wounded Officer a distance of 300 yards into safety whilst exposed to very severe fire.