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## BELGIUM, JULY 18, 1916.

# KING'S BIRTHDAY HONOURS FOR THIRD BRIGADE

On the occasion of His Majesty's Birthday—June 3rd—the following members of the Third Canadian Infantry Brigade were recipients of decorations for bravery and meritorious service in the field :

#### D.S.O.

Lt.-Col. V. C. Buchanan, 13th Batt. Major A. G. Cameron, 13th Batt. Major T. L. Morrisey, 13th Batt.

#### D.C.M.

C.S.M. W. G. Fraser, 15th Batt. C.S.M. C. F. E Hall, 13th Batt. C.S.M. A. Handcock, 14th Batt.

## MILITARY MEDAL

Lce.-Corpl. A. A. Harper, 13th Batt. Pte. T. Hodgson, 14th Batt. Corpl. R. Scott, 14th Batt. Sergt. R. Urguhart, 15th Batt. C.S.M. H. Urquhart, 15th Batt. Marshall, 15th Batt. Sergt. J. G. Boyes, 16th Batt. Pte J. Payne, 16th Batt.

### MENTIONED IN DESPATCHES

The following members of the Third Brigade are brought to the notice of the Secretary of State for War for gallant and distinguished conduct in the field in a despatch from General Sir Douglas Haig, under date of April 30th:

H.Q's Staff-Capt. H. Macl. Urquhart.

13th Batt.-Lt.-Col. V. C. Buchan-

an, Major G. E. McCuaig, C.S.M G. E. Race.

14th Batt. - Major G. McCombe. 15th Batt. - Major C. E. Bent, C.S.M. W. Maybin, Sergt. W. J. Binny.

16th Batt – Major C. W. Peck, C.Q.M.S. G. F. Palmer, Sergt. G. B. Goodall, Corpl. S. D. Johnson.



BRIG.GEN. G. TUXFORD, C.M.G.

#### SIR SAM'S CONGRATULATIONS

Text of a cable sent by Sir Sam Hughes, Minister of Militia, to the Canadian troops at the front:

"Heartfelt congratulations to the gallant lads of the Canadian Division for their splendid conduct. Canada rejoices in her heroic work, but deeply

## NEW OFFICERS COMMISSIONED ON THE BATTLEFIELD

Owing to recent actions and the depletion in the commissioned ranks during the past month the following non-commissioned officers in the Third Canadian Infantry Brigade were created Lieutenants.

13th Batt. - Sergt. W. J. Anderson, Sergt. G L. Earle, Sergt. D. C. Grieve, Corpl. H. R. Monsarrat, Lce.-Corpl. S. L. Reaume.

14th Batt.-R.S.M. J. W. Green, R.Q.M.S. W. Sharp, O.R.S. Plow, C.Q.M.S. G. H. Sullivan, Sergt. F. K. Higginson, Sergt. R. H. Hood, Corpl. A. L. McLean.

15th Batt. - C.S.M. N. Maybin, Sergt. S. O. Winnifrith, Sergt. W. B. Venner.

16th Batt.-R.Q.M.S. G. Skinner, Sergt. R. C. Lyons, D.C.M., Sergt. J. Russell, Sergt. J. R. N. Ellis.

Capt. V. Hastings recently returned to the 16th Batt. and resumed his old command-No. 4 Cov.

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mourns the loss of so many gallant heroes. On behalf of the entire Militia Force, heartfelt appreciation goes forth for their glorious conduct and gallant deeds, which will never be forgotten. Canada applauds the heroic sacrifice, but foremost of all to send congratulations and love are the mothers of those lads who are out to lay down their lives for their Empire."