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NEW ZEALAND EXPEDITIONARY FORCE.

RETURN OF DECORATIONS WON BY MEMBERS OF THE FORCE DURING THE WAR.

Return to an Order of the House of Representatives dated the 11th September, 1917.

Ordered, "That there be laid before this House a return showing the number in each case of the following decorations which have been won by the members of the New Zealand Expeditionary Force from the beginning of the war until June last: V.C. (with names of recipients), K.C.B. (also with names), K.C.M.G. (with names), C.B. (with names), D.S.O., Royal Red Cross, M.C., Bar to M.C., M.M., Bar to M.M., D.C.M., Bar to D.C.M., and M.S.M.; and also the name of the New Zealand officer who gives the final recommendation for the bestowing of such decorations."—Mr. Reed.

ORDERS, DECORATIONS, AND MEDALS CONFERRED UPON, OR AWARDED TO, MEMBERS OF THE NEW ZEALAND EXPEDITIONARY FORCE FROM THE COMMENCEMENT OF THE PRESENT WAR TO THE 16TH AUGUST, 1917.

Order, Decoration, or Medal.	Number awarded.	Name and Rank of Recipient.			
Order, Decoration, or Medal.		Name.	Rank.		
Victoria Cross	3	Brown, D. F. (deceased)	Sergeant. ,, Lance-Corporal.		
Knight Commander of the Bath	1	Godley, Sir A. J., K.C.M.G	LieutGeneral.		
Knight Commander of the Order of St. Michael and St. George	1	Russell, Sir A. H	Major-General.		
Companion of the Bath	6	Chaytor, E. W. C Russell, Sir A. H Richardson, G. S Johnston, F. E. (deceased) Logan, R Findlay, J	Colonel.		
Companion of the Order of St. Michael and St. George	25	Chaytor, E. W. C. Braithwaite, W.G., D.S.O. Richardson, G. S. Fulton, H. T., D.S.O. Parkes, W. H. Begg, C. M. Collins, Hon. W. E. Esson, J. J. Luxford, Rev. J. A. Acland, H. T. Alderman, W. W. Charters, A. B. Fenwick, P. C. Fitzherbert, N. Hughes, J. G., D.S.O. Hutchen, J. W. Mackesy, C. E. R. Meldrum, W. Myers, B. Plugge, A. Smith, G. S. Standish, I. T. Symon, F. Wylie, D. S. Young, R.			

Order, Decoration, or Medal.						Number awarded.	
Distinguished-service Order						62	
Military Cross	•••				•••	161	
Bar to Military Cross						None yet officially notified.	
Royal Red Cross, 1st Class	•••					4	
Royal Red Cross, 2nd Class						. 10	
Distinguished conduct Medal						$1\overline{23}$	
Bar to Distinguished-conduct					•••	None yet officially notified.	
Military Medal						500	
Bar to Military Medal					•••	5	
Meritorious-service Medal						14	
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The name of the New Zealand officer who gives the final recommendation for the bestowing of decorations is Lieutenant-General Sir A. J. Godley, K.C.B., K.C.M.G., General Officer Commanding New Zealand Expeditionary Force.

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