

3rd Can. Inf. Brigade. 1st Canadian Division. Canadian Corps. 15-10-18 Date of Recommendation.

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	15th Canadian Battalion, (1ST CENTRAL ONTARIO REGIMENT)	602712	Signaller James Robert Gordon CHURCH. (Has not been recommended in connection with New Years Honours Gazette).	Operations of October 11th and 12th 1918 in RAMBLAIN-BLACHE SECTOR, N. of CAMBRAI. During the above operations, Signaller Church went forward with the Patrols and established communication from the advanced positions to Bn Hqrs under the most trying and dangerous circumstances. Through the night of the 11th/12th October he kept in communication and thus allowed very important messages regarding the situation to be sent to Battalion Hqrs. By his untiring efforts and splendid work, communication was established from the most advanced position to Brigade Headquarters. He mended breaks in the line under heavy M.G and shell-fire, and his devotion to duty is worthy of the highest praise. Recommended..... Brig-Gen., Comdg., 3rd Can. Inf. Bde. Recommended..... Maj-Gen., Comdg., 1st Canadian Division.	<i>B.E. Pent</i> Lieut-Col., 15th Canadian Battalion, (1ST CENTRAL ONTARIO REGIMENT)	10. M.	

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	15th Canadian Battalion (1st CENTRAL ONTARIO REGIMENT)		Lieutenant Thomas McWhirter COWAN. (verified.) (has not been recommended in connection with New Year's Honours.)	<p>Operations of October 11th & 12th, 1918. <u>HANBLAIN-BIATHE SECTOR, North of CAMBRIA.</u> During the above Operations Lieut. Cowan had command of a Company and led his men most skilfully. He showed great initiative in effectively dealing with all difficult situations and fearlessly led his Company to their objective; showing utter disregard of his personal safety. When the left flank of his Company, along the Scarpe Canal, became exposed to heavy machine gun fire, he at once altered his dispositions in such a masterly manner as to quickly dispose of the enemy resistance from that point.</p> <p>The conduct of this Officer throughout the day was splendid, cool and ever resourceful under most trying circumstances. He displayed sterling qualities of leadership. His courageous and gallant conduct was a great incentive to the men under his command and his bravery is deserving of the highest praise and commendation.</p> <p>Recommended Brig. General, Comdg. 3rd Canadian Inf. Brigade.</p> <p>Recommended Major General, Comdg. 1st Canadian Division</p>	Lieut.-Col. Commanding 15th Canadian Battalion. (1st CENTRAL ONTARIO REGIMENT.) <i>D. G. B. Smith</i>	M. C.	

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	15th Canadian Battalion (1st CENTRAL ONTARIO REGIMENT)		Captain Arthur Charles FUTCHER (Verified) (has not been recommended in connection with New Year's Honours.)	Operations of 11th & 12th Oct. 1918. <u>HAMBLAIN-BIACHE SECTOR north of CAMBRAI</u> During the above Operations Captain Fitcher handled his Company with great judgement and showed the utmost gallantry in leading his men. On nearing the SENSÉE Canal his Company met heavy Machine Gun fire and came under intense shell fire. Captain Fitcher appreciated the situation at once and so disposed his Company that the enemy Machine Gun Posts were dealt with and the casualties caused by shell fire were very slight. He led his men to the Objective showing great personal bravery and excellent qualities of leadership. His ability as a Company Commander proved itself many times throughout these operations, and the example he set his men won the admiration of all. It is impossible to speak too highly of the services performed by this gallant Officer.	D. E. Beech Lieut. Col., Cmdg. 15th Canadian Battalion, (1st CENTRAL ONTARIO REGIMENT)	M.C.	
				Recommended..... Brig. General, Cmdg. 3rd Canadian Inf. Brigade.			
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	<p>15th Canadian Battalion (1st CENTRAL ONTARIO REGIMENT)</p>	<p>28025</p>	<p>Private Francis Xavier GAUTHIER (has not been recommended in connection with New Year's Honours)</p>	<p>Operation of 11th 12th October, 1918. <u>HASSBACH-SIEGHE SUCTOR north of CAMBRAI.</u></p> <p>During the above Operations this man was employed as Runner, and his conduct was most gallant. He delivered many messages to his Company under the most trying circumstances and was most instrumental in keeping up communication. He crossed the open under heavy Machine Gun fire with complete disregard of personal safety, and was a splendid example to every one by his coolness and fearlessness in the execution of his duty. He is most deserving of the highest praise.</p> <p>Recommended.....Brig General, Cmdg. 3rd Canadian Inf. Brigade.</p> <p>Recommended.....Major General, Cmdg. 11st Canadian Division.</p>	<p><i>W. G. B. Burt</i> Lieut. Col. Cmdg. 15th Canadian Battalion (1st Central Ontario Regiment)</p>	<p>M. M.</p>	

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	15th Canadian Battalion (1st CENTRAL ONTARIO REGIMENT.)	77717	Sergeant William Thomas HENDERSON. (Has not been recommended in connection with New Year's Honours.)	Operations of October 11th/12th, 1918. <u>HAMELAIN-BIACHE SECTOR, North of CAMBRAL.</u> Prior to the Operations of October 12th, this N.C.O. established three outposts under the heaviest machine gun fire, and he remained in charge of them during the day - maintaining their positions under the greatest difficulty. On the 12th this N.C.O. commanded a platoon and led his men with the greatest gallantry, showing complete disregard of his personal safety. When the platoon on his flank was held up he brought his fire to bear on hostile machine gun posts, and so assisted materially in allowing that platoon to advance. His work during the day was splendid and is worthy of the greatest praise	Lieutenant-Col. Cmde. 15th Canadian Battalion. (1st CENTRAL ONTARIO REGIMENT.)	M.M.	
	15th Canadian Battalion. (1ST CENTRAL ONTARIO REGIMENT.)	799091	Private (Actg-Sgt.) Alexander Thompson YULE. (Has not been recommended in connection with New Year's Honours).	On Oct. 11th 1918 this N.C.O. showed excellent judgement and cool and fearless behaviour in dealing with two enemy M. Gun posts which were in position on our flank to inflict severe casualties and to hold up our advance. He manoeuvred his men with great skill and his personal example was inspiring to the men under him. His good judgement and skill enabled his platoon to capture two enemy Machine Guns and 25 prisoners.	Lieutenant-Col. Cmde. 15th Canadian Battalion. (1st CENTRAL ONTARIO REGIMENT.)	M.M.	
				Recommended Brig. General, Cmde. 3rd Cdn. Inf. Brigade.			
				Recommended Major General Cmde. 1st Canadian Division.			

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	5th Canadian Battalion, (1st CENTRAL ONTARIO REGIMENT).	800214	Private Alexander George HENDERSON. (Has not been recommended in connection with New Years Honours Gazette)	Operations on October 12th 1918 - HAMBLAIN-BLACHE SECTOR - N. of CAMBRAI. ----- When nearing the SENSEE CANAL on the above date, the Company in which this man was serving was cut off by heavy M. Gun and artillery fire. It became necessary to get word back regarding the situation and Pte Henderson at once volunteered to carry this message. He successfully completed this, and for the remainder of the day he carried messages from the Platoon to the Coy Hqs, showing the greatest devotion to duty and bravery. He also attended the wounded in his spare moments, showing an utter disregard to danger himself in carrying them to more sheltered positions. His work throughout is worthy of the highest praise. Recommended..... Brig-Gen.. Comdg., 3rd Cdn. Inf. Bde. Recommended..... Maj-Gen.. Comdg., 1st Canadian Division.	<i>B. E. B. out.</i> Lieut-Col. Comdg., 15th Canadian Battalion, (1st CENTRAL ONTARIO REGIMENT).	M.M.	

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	15th Canadian Battalion (1st CENTRAL ONTARIO REGIMENT).	21374	Signaller Benjamin John HOWLETT. (Has not been recommended in connection with New Year's Honours Gazette).	<p><u>OPERATION OF OCTOBER 11th & 12th 1918 IN HANBLAIN-BIACHE SECTOR North of CAMBRAI.</u></p> <p>When the objective had been reached in the above operation on the 12th inst, Bn. H.Q. was established in GONDIS Chateau Pte Howlett located his visual station on the roof of the Chateau, maintaining constant connection with Brigade Report Centre. While performing this duty the enemy heavily bombarded the Chateau and although he was exposed to great danger he remained at his station and showed utter disregard of his perilous position and succeeded in transmitting important messages to the rear.</p> <p>His bravery and coolness under such a terrific bombardment was most admired by all who witnessed his great devotion to duty. He remained at his post until after H.Q. were forced to evacuate the Chateau and was still in communication with rear Report Centres when ordered to leave.</p> <p>His gallantry and devotion to duty throughout the entire operation was of the highest order and his bravery cannot be commended upon too highly.</p> <p>Recommended Brig. Gen. Comdg. 3rd Cdn. Inf. Bde.</p> <p>Recommended Major Gen. Comdg. 1st Canadian Division</p>	<p style="writing-mode: vertical-rl; transform: rotate(180deg);">Lieut-Col. Comdg. 15th Canadian Battalion (1st CENTRAL ONTARIO REGIMENT.)</p> <p style="font-size: 2em; font-weight: bold; text-align: center;">B. E. Pouch</p>	<p style="font-size: 1.5em; font-weight: bold; text-align: center;">D.C.M.</p>	

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	15th Canadian Battalion (1st CENTRAL ONTARIO REGIMENT)	800237	Private Hursell Marine OSBORNE (has not been recommended in connection with New Year's Honours)	Operations of October 12th, 1918 <u>HAMELAIN-RIACHE SECTOR north of CAMBRAI</u> In the above attack this man with another was detailed to go out and ascertain the location of an enemy Machine Gun that was holding up the advance. They succeeded in advancing about 75 yards when his comrade was seriously wounded. Pte Osborne carried out his mission and on his wayback, though exposed to heavy Machine Gun fire, with a total disregard of danger, helped his wounded comrade to a place of safety. He then delivered his message which was invaluable to his Company Commander and he then returned to help the wounded man. Owing to the heavy fire it was impossible to bring in this man, and he remained with him until darkness fell. His great devotion to duty and his comrades was an inspiration to all who were aware of the situation.	<i>Col. G. J. ...</i> Lieutenant Colonel, Cmdg. 15th Canadian Battalion (1st Central Ontario Regiment)		
				Recommended.....Brig. General, Cmdg. 3rd Can. Inf. Brigade,			
				Recommended.....Major General, Cmdg. 1st Canadian Division,			

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Headquarters,
15th Cdn. Battalion,

Headquarters,
3rd Canadian Infantry Brigade,

Herewith please find Recommendations
of Award for the following Officers and Other Ranks
of this Battalion. - Arranged in order of pre-
ference;-

Lieut. B. J. Tait,
1046000 Pte. I. Alexander,
192649 " A.R. Lapere,
192259 " R. Knox,
436731 L/C L. I. Sheppy,
1090229 Pte J. Leplant,

W. Maylin

Captain,
Commanding,
15th Cdn. Battalion,
48th Highlanders of Canada.

In the Field,
October 25th. 1918.

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Headquarters
15th Canadian Battalion,
17th October; 1918.

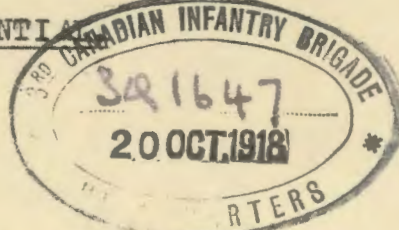
To
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These are arranged in order of preference.

Lieut T M Cowan; - M.C.
Capt A C Fitcher - M.C.
21374 Pte B J Howlett - D.C.M.
800237 " H M Osborne - M.M.
77717 Sgt W T Henderson - M.M.
799091 A/SG. A T Yule - M.M.
28025 Pte F X Gauthier - M.M.
802712 Sig J R G Church - M.M.
800214 Pte A G Henderson - M.M.

H. H. Donald

Lieutenant & A/Adjutant,
15th Canadian Battalion
48th HIGHLANDERS OF CANADA.



Headquarters,
3rd Cdn. Inf. Bde.
19-10-18.

15th Cdn. Inf. Battalion.
16th Cdn. Inf. Battalion.

Herewith copies of Special Army Orders to be handed to recipients of Honours awarded, (as mentioned below) whilst in the Fourth Army Area, for your necessary action, please.

15th Cdn. Inf. Battalion.

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Pte. J. A. GORDON, M.M. —	2	Div School Cont
Pte. C. I. V. MONTEITH, M.M. —	1	with Coy.
Sgt. W. K. GALLOWAY. —	4	England.
Sgt. R. L. LEMM. —	1	K in A
Sgt. A. M. REID. —	3	England
Sgt. R. RICHARDS. —	4	with Coy
L/Sgt. (A/Sgt) J. SCOVILLE. —	3	England
L/Sgt. W. A. ALWARD. —	1	England
Cpl. J. A. BAIRD. —	3	Div School Cont
L/Sgt. A. E. PADDON. —	4	England
Cpl. R. W. H. BINNIE. —	3	with Coy
Cpl. H. HAWKES. —	1	England
Cpl. H. MORRIS. —	1	with Coy
L/Cpl. W. G. FLAGG. —	2	England
L/Cpl. J. W. McCONNACH. —	1	Command
L/Cpl. A. F. MURDOCH. —	1	Leave
L/Cpl. W. L. MARSHALL. —	1	with Coy
Pte. W. H. BLACK. —	4	with Coy
Pte. H. A. BOURDON. —	3	Command
Pte. W. J. BROOKS. X	4	K in A
Pte. W. R. CRAIGS. X	4	with Coy
Pte. W. R. CRAIGS. —	3	England
Pte. M. W. GANTON. —	3	with Coy
Pte. J. F. HARRISON. —	4	K in A
Pte. E. JONES. X	4	with Coy
Pte. J. MITCHELL. —	Medical	with Coy
Pte. W. OLDFIELD. —	✓	Eng.
Pte. G. J. SELBY. —	Infantry	with Coy
Pte. G. A. SKARRATT. —	1	England

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	15th Canadian Battalion, (1ST CENTRAL ONTARIO REGIMENT.)	1046000	Private Irving ALEXANDER. (Has not been recommended in connection with New Year's Honours.)	Operations of October 20th 1918. West of BOIS DE WALLERS. This man, a member of the Battalion Intelligence Section, was attached to No. 3 Company during the operations, which Company, when within 400 yards of the BOIS DE WALLERS, encountered extremely heavy machine gun and sniping fire from both front and the flanks and were held up. Private Alexander with the most intrepid courage advanced alone across the open space, which was swept by machine gun fire, for the purpose of locating the different enemy posts. He was successful in gaining the wood and located several enemy posts, recrossed the open space and reported his discoveries to the Company Commander. This information enabled the Artillery to put two of these posts out of action, which, without doubt saved the Company many casualties. His gallantry and devotion to duty was a splendid example to all ranks.	D. J. [Signature] Captain, Commanding 15th Canadian Battalion, (1st Central Ontario Regiment.)	M. 40	
				Recommended Brig. Gen. Comdg 3rd Canadian Inf. Brigade.			
				Recommended Major Gen. Commanding 1st Canadian Division.			

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15th Canadian
Battalion. 192649. Private
Alexander Reid
(1ST CENTRAL
ONTARIO
REGIMENT.)
LAPERRE,

(Has not been
recommended
in connection
with New Year's
Honours.)

Operations of October 20th 1918, west of
BOIS DE WALLERS.
During the advance of the 20th inst, through
"BOIS DE WALLERS" the left flank of the Company
had become separated a distance of 300 yards
from the rest of the Company, a runner of the
1st Canadian Infantry Brigade crossing this
space under very heavy machine gun and Snipers
fire, was hit. Private Lapere who was with the
left platoon saw this man lying in the open
unable to move, and acting entirely on his
own initiative, he ran out to him and finding
he was severely wounded in the leg, he picked
him up and carried him a distance of 100 yards
to a place of safety. All this time Private
Lapere was exposed to intense Machine gun and
Rifle Fire.
Under the extremely difficult situation
this was a most conspicuous act of bravery and
gallantry.

A. M. ...
..... Captain.
Comdg. 15th Canadian Battalion,
(1ST CENTRAL ONTARIO REGIMENT.)

N. J. M.

Recommended Brig. Gen.
Comdg. 3rd Canadian Inf. Brigade.

Recommended Major Gen.
Commanding 1st Canadian Division.

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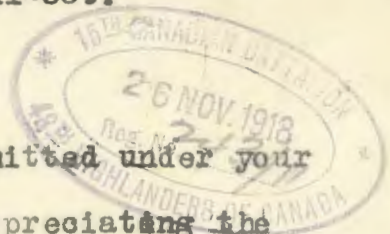
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	15th Canadian Battalion, (1ST CENTRAL ONTARIO REGIMENT).		Lieutenant, Bernard James TAIT, (Verified) Has not been re-commended in connection with New Years Honours Gazette)	Operations of October 20th, West of BOIS de WALLERS. During the above operations this Officer displayed the best initiative and tact at all times in leading his men by day or night. During the period before the advance he made several reconnaissances, and brought back valuable information regarding the situation. On the 20th inst., when his Company was held up by Machine Gun fire and his Company Commander wounded, he at once took command of the situation and disposed his men very skilfully under very heavy daylight fire. He himself organized a patrol to ascertain the exact position of enemy guns, leading the patrol with great gallantry and overcoming the resistance of enemy M. G. post. It is impossible to speak too highly of the services of this gallant Officer.	[Signature] Lt-Col Comdg. 15th Canadian Battalion, (1ST CENTRAL ONTARIO REGIMENT.)	M.C.	
				Recommended Brig General, Comdg. 3rd Cdn. Inf. Brigade.			
				Recommended Major Gen. Commanding 1st Cdn. Division,			

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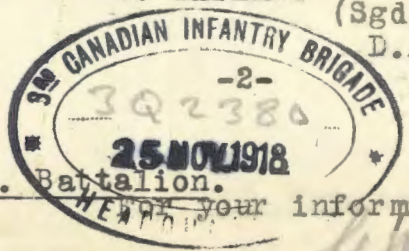
The Corps Commander, whilst appreciating the good work performed by the undermentioned, had decided to make no award or recommendation in their cases:

(Canadian Corps M.S. 21-1-116/1 dated 22-11-18).

- 192649 Pte. A. R. LAPERE 15th Cdn. Inf. Bn.
- 600214 " A. G. HENDERSON -do-
- 1090229 " J. LEPLANT -do-

(Sgd.) F. R. PHELAN, Major,
D.A.A.G., 1st Canadian Divn.

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Graph Capt. Major,
Staff Captain,
3rd Cdn. Inf. Bde.

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	15th Canadian Battalion, (1ST CENTRAL ONTARIO REGIMENT.)	1090229.	Private Joseph LEPLANT. (Has not been recommended in connection with New Year's Honours).	<p>Operations of October 20th, 1918. West of BOIS DE WALLERS.</p> <p>Twice during the above operation Private Leplant showed conspicuous bravery in carrying important messages across ground swept by very heavy Rifle and Machine Gun fire.</p> <p>While on a patrol, he went forward alone in the direction from which heavy gun fire had been coming; on his arrival he found that the enemy had evacuated. After thoroughly reconnoitring the thick wood where these enemy posts had been located, he returned and led the patrol safely through the wood without a casualty.</p> <p>The courage and willingness of this man to undertake any mission, no matter how great the risk, was a great inspiration to the men of his platoon.</p> <p>Recommended Brig. Gen. Comdg. 3rd Cdn. Inf. Brigade.</p> <p>Recommended Major Gen. Commanding 1st Canadian Division.</p>	<p><i>D. J. MacLellan</i> Captain, Comdg. 15th Canadian Battalion, 1st Central Ontario Regiment.</p>	M.M.	

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	15th Canadian Battalion (1ST CENTRAL ONTARIO REGIMENT,)	192259	Private, Robert KNOX, (Has not been recom- mended in connection with New Year's Honours. →	Operations of October 20th, 1918, West of BOIS DE WALLERS. Private Knox showed a fine example of gallantry and devotion to duty as a stretcher bearer. Throughout the day he repeatedly went to the aid of wounded comrades in the face of extremely heavy machine gun and rifle fire, he bandaged their wounds and placed them under comparative cover. Twice during the operation, he ventured out alone to dress the wounds of comrades who had been hit while on patrol, in every move- ment he exposed himself to very heavy gun fire with utter disregard of personal risk. The conduct of this man was excellent and his courageous acts were a fine inspiration to all ranks.	<p style="text-align: right;">A.A.A.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">D. M. ...</p> <p style="text-align: center;">..... Captain</p> <p style="text-align: center;">..... 15th Canadian Battalion</p> <p style="text-align: center;">..... 1ST CENTRAL ONTARIO REGIMENT</p>		
				Recommended Brig Gen, Comdg. 3rd Cdn. Inf. Brigade.			
				Recommended Major Gen, Commanding 1st Canadian Division.			

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	15th Canadian Battalion (1ST CENTRAL ONTARIO REGIMENT)	77559	Sergeant Alfred SALTER	<p>Sgt. Salter is recommended for his long and faithful service as Lewis Gun N.C.O. of the Battalion.</p> <p>He has ably assisted the Lewis Gun Officer in the work of keeping the Lewis Guns supplied with magazines and spare parts. During the fighting between August 8th, 1918 and Oct. 22nd 1918 he worked continuously to keep all guns in action. He personally visited the sections in the line during heavy fighting to see that all needs were supplied and his never failing devotion to his duty was of the greatest material benefit to the Battalion's fighting efficiency.</p> <p>Sgt Salter has served continuously with the Battalion since May, 1915. He took part in the engagements at ZILLBEKE in June, 1916; at the SOMME in Sept. and Oct. 1916; at VIMY RIDGE in April, 1917 and HILL 70 in August, 1917. His work throughout these Operations has always been of the most praiseworthy character.</p> <p>Recommended.....Brig. General, Commanding 3rd Canadian Infantry Brigade.</p> <p>Recommended.....Major-General, Commanding 1st Canadian Division.</p>	<p><i>B. E. Bant</i> Lieut. Colonel, Commanding 15th Canadian Battalion (1ST CENTRAL ONTARIO REGIMENT).</p>	M S M	