

MILITARY CROSS

Captain Albert David REID, 4th. Australian Light Horse Regiment

For conspicuous gallantry at BEERSHEBA on the 31st October, 1917 during an attack on the trenches. This Officer led a Squadron at the gallop under heavy rifle and machine gun fire and reinforcing the leading squadron, galloped over the first and second line trenches, thus enabling the Regiment to push forward and capture all the Turkish trenches in front.

Captain Norman Gordon RAE, 4th Australian Light Horse Regiment.

For conspicuous gallantry at BEERSHEBA on the 31st October, 1917 during the Regiment's mounted attack on the Turkish trenches. This Officer, single-handed, captured over 60 prisoners, and set a fine example to his men under extremely heavy rifle and machine gun fire.