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List of Recommendations accompanying.....Despatch dated.....

Name.	Rank,	No.	Unit.	Date & place of action.	Reason.	Order of Merit.	If & when recommended previously
PETERSON. KENNETH MURDOCH.	Sgt.	170	4th.L.H.	Amzac. 25th. to 4th.Sept.	Carried out the duties of stretcher bearer since landing and has done increasingly good work from May 25th. to Sept. 4th. 1915, on which date he was severely wounded. On one day he made three three successive trips with wounded men from "Courtney's Post" (where his squadron was posted) to the beach, the whole time under heavy shrapnel and sniper fire. During the Counter attack by the Turks on "Leane's Trenches" on 6th. July 1915 he again displayed great gallantry in carrying wounded out of the firing line to the Dressing Station. On 4th. Sept. while carrying Lt. Hollands, who was dangerously wounded, from the firing line down to the Dressing Station he was knocked down by shrapnel which also knocked the stretcher upside down. Peterson got up, grabbed the broken stretcher and carried the wounded man safely down to the Dressing Station. On arrival there he collapsed and on examination was found to be wounded seriously, having bad shrapnel wounds in the thigh and calf. The whole of this was carried out under very heavy artillery fire in my opinion well worthy of recommendation.		No.

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