



**Bartlett, Rupert W., Regt. No. 166 / O-17**

**Military Cross**

*London Gazette, June 18th, 1917*

Action Date, April 23rd, 1917 – Les Fosses Farm, Monchy-le-Preux.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He took command of the company and occupied the forming up trench under heavy fire. When the Division on his right had been repulsed he organized a party and repulsed a counterattack. He set a fine example throughout.

**Bar to Military Cross**

*London Gazette, October 26th, 1917 and September 26th, 1917*

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty on August 16th, 1917 at Steenbeek. Though suffering from the effects of gas he led his company to their objective in the attack. Though the ground appeared quite impassible he got his company forward and attacked a strong point, personally leading the bombing attack, put the garrison out of action and captured a machine gun. He then selected a good position beyond the strong point and carried out a rapid piece of consolidation. He showed great courage, leadership and determination.

**Ordine della Corona d'Italia - Cavaliere (Cavalier of the Order of the Crown of Italy)**

*London Gazette, January 9th, 1918*