

## The Prince of Wales's Leinster Regiment (Royal Canadians) Great War Battle Honours

**NOTE:** The dates associated with the battle honours in column (c) of the table below are derived from Anthony Baker's *Battle Honours of the British and Commonwealth Armies* (London: Ian Allan Ltd, 1986).

Ser	Honour	Remarks
(a)	(b)	(c)
<b>THEATRE BATTLE HONOURS</b>		
1	France and Flanders, 1914-18	Non-emblazoned battle honour. 1 <sup>st</sup> , 2 <sup>nd</sup> and 7 <sup>th</sup> Battalions.
2	<b>Gallipoli, 1915</b>	Emblazoned battle honour. 6 <sup>th</sup> Battalion.
3	<b>Macedonia, 1917-18</b>	Emblazoned battle honour. 1 <sup>st</sup> and 6 <sup>th</sup> Battalions.
4	Palestine, 1917-18	Non-emblazoned battle honour. 1 <sup>st</sup> and 6 <sup>th</sup> Battalions.
<b>1914</b>		
5	<b>Aisne, 1914</b>	Emblazoned battle honour. Although Baker asserts that this covered the period 12-15 September 1914, the 2 <sup>nd</sup> Battalion did not deploy on the Aisne until 22 September 1914 (being relieved on 1 October 1914).
6	Armentières, 1914	Non-emblazoned battle honour covering period 13 October to 2 November 1914. 2 <sup>nd</sup> Battalion.
<b>1915</b>		
7	<b>Ypres, 1915</b>	Emblazoned battle honour (' <b>Ypres, 1915, '17, '18</b> ') covering period 22 April to 25 May 1915. 1 <sup>st</sup> and 2 <sup>nd</sup> Battalions.
8	Gravenstafel	Non-emblazoned battle honour covering period 22/23 April 1915. 1 <sup>st</sup> and/or 2 <sup>nd</sup> Battalions.
9	St Julien	Non-emblazoned battle honour covering period 24 April to 4 May 1915. 1 <sup>st</sup> and/or 2 <sup>nd</sup> Battalions.
10	Frezenberg	Non-emblazoned battle honour covering period 8-13 May 1915. 1 <sup>st</sup> and/or 2 <sup>nd</sup> Battalions.
11	Suvla	Non-emblazoned battle honour covering period 6-21 August 1915. 6 <sup>th</sup> Battalion.
12	Sari Bair	Non-emblazoned battle honour covering period 6-10 August 1915. 6 <sup>th</sup> Battalion.
13	Kosturino	Non-emblazoned battle honour covering period 7/8 December 1915. 1 <sup>st</sup> and/or 6 <sup>th</sup> Battalions.
<b>1916</b>		
14	<b>Somme, 1916</b>	Emblazoned battle honour (' <b>Somme, 1916, '18</b> ') covering period 1 July to 18 November 1916. 2 <sup>nd</sup> and 7 <sup>th</sup> Battalions.
15	Delville Wood	Non-emblazoned battle honour covering period 15 July to 3 September 1916. 2 <sup>nd</sup> Battalion.
16	<b>Guillemont</b>	Emblazoned battle honour covering period 3-6 September 1916. 7 <sup>th</sup> Battalion (including conduct of Lieutenant Holland on 3 September 1916 resulting in award of Victoria Cross).
17	Ginchy	Non-emblazoned battle honour for action on 9 September 1916. 7 <sup>th</sup> Battalion.
18	Struma	Non-emblazoned battle honour covering period 30 September to 31 October 1916. 1 <sup>st</sup> and/or 6 <sup>th</sup> Battalions.
<b>1917</b>		
19	Arras, 1917	Non-emblazoned battle honour covering period 19 April to 4 May 1917. 2 <sup>nd</sup> Battalion.
20	<b>Vimy, 1917</b>	Emblazoned battle honour covering period 9-14 April 1917. 2 <sup>nd</sup> Battalion (including conduct of Corporal Cunningham on 12 April 1917 resulting in award of posthumous Victoria Cross).
21	<b>Messines, 1917</b>	Emblazoned battle honour covering period 7-14 June 1917. 2 <sup>nd</sup> and 7 <sup>th</sup> Battalions.
21A	<b>Ypres, 1917</b>	Emblazoned battle honour (' <b>Ypres, 1915, '17, '18</b> ') covering period 31 July to 10 November 1917. 2 <sup>nd</sup> and 7 <sup>th</sup> Battalions.
22	Pilckem	Non-emblazoned battle honour covering period 31 July to 2 August 1917. 2 <sup>nd</sup> Battalion.

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23	Langemarck, 1917	Non-emblazoned battle honour covering period 16-18 August 1917. 2 <sup>nd</sup> and/or 7 <sup>th</sup> Battalions.
24	Gaza	Non-emblazoned battle honour covering first battle (26/27 March 1917), second battle (17-19 April 1917) and third battle (27 October to 7 November 1917). The 1 <sup>st</sup> and 6 <sup>th</sup> Battalions participated in the third battle.
25	<b>Jerusalem</b>	Emblazoned battle honour covering capture of city (7-9 December 1917) and defence of city (26-30 December 1917). 1 <sup>st</sup> and 6 <sup>th</sup> Battalions.
<b>1918</b>		
25A	<b>Somme, 1918</b>	Emblazoned battle honour (' <b>Somme, 1916, '18'</b> ) covering periods 21 March to 5 April and 21 August to 3 September 1918. 2 <sup>nd</sup> Battalion engaged during first period.
26	<b>St Quentin</b>	Emblazoned battle honour covering period 21-23 March 1918. 2 <sup>nd</sup> Battalion.
27	Bapaume, 1918	Non-emblazoned battle honour covering periods 24/25 March and 31 August to 3 September 1918. 2 <sup>nd</sup> Battalion engaged during first period.
28	Rosières	Non-emblazoned battle honour covering period 26/27 March 1918. 2 <sup>nd</sup> Battalion.
28A	<b>Ypres, 1918</b>	Emblazoned battle honour (' <b>Ypres, 1915, '17, '18'</b> ) covering period 28 September to 2 October 1918. 2 <sup>nd</sup> Battalion.
29	Courtrai	Non-emblazoned battle honour covering period 14-19 October 1918. 2 <sup>nd</sup> Battalion (including conduct of Sergeant O'Neill and Private Moffat at Ledegem on 14 October 1918 resulting in awards of Victoria Cross).
30	Tell 'Asur	Non-emblazoned battle honour covering period 8-12 March 1918. 1 <sup>st</sup> and/or 6 <sup>th</sup> Battalions.
31	Meggido	Non-emblazoned battle honour covering period 19-25 September 1918. 1 <sup>st</sup> Battalion.
32	Nablus	Non-emblazoned battle honour covering period 19-25 September 1918. 1 <sup>st</sup> Battalion.