heavy fire, and endeavoured to tap the enemy telephone communications. He displayed great courage and determination throughout.

Temp. Lt. Ralph Henry Covernton, Engrs. For conspicuous gallantry in action. He, with two men, established communications under very heavy fire. He displayed great courage and skill throughout.

Capt. Lovell Greene, Inf. R.

For conspicuous gallantry in action. He moved up and down his company's front under heavy fire encouraging his men. Though slightly wounded, he stuck to his duty and held an enemy trench. On another occasion, though severely wounded, he stuck to his duty for some hours, and by his plucky example greatly assisted in the success of the operation.

Lt. Brian Neil Macfarlane, Inf. R.

For conspicuous gallantry during operations. When patrolling a trench, his party was suddenly heavily fired on, and he himself and three others were wounded. Though his leg was badly fractured, he kept control, ordered the men to retire to cover, and then, with the other wounded men, crawled back until they were picked up.

2nd Lt. Francis George Walsh, Inf.

For conspicuous gallantry in action. For four nights he reconnoitred the enemy's fire. Later, he led a raid with great courage and initiative, obtaining valuable information.

The undermentioned has been awarded a 2nd Bar to his Military Cross for a subsequent act of conspicuous gallantry:—

2nd Lt. (temp. Capt.) Sidney Edward Cowan, M.C., R.F.C., Spec. Res.

For conspicuous gallantry in action. He fought a long contest with seven enemy machines, finally bringing one down in flames. He has displayed great skill and gallantry throughout.

(The Military Cross was awarded in London Gazette dated 31st May, 1916. The 1st Bar was awarded in London Gazette dated 20th Oct., 1916.)

The undermentioned have been awarded a Bar to their Military Cross for subsequent acts of conspicuous gallantry:—

Lt. James Creswell Auld, M.C., Can. Arty. For conspicuous gallantry in action. As observation officer, he carried out his work under very heavy fire with great courage and determination. Later, although twice

buried, he stuck to his post and rendered most valuable information.

(The Military Cross was awarded in London Gazette dated 27th July, 1916.)

2nd Lt. (temp. Lt.) Malcolm Glassford Begg, M.C., Rif. Bde., Spec. Res., and R.F.C.

For conspicuous gallantry in action. He has on many occasions carried out successful contact patrol work at low altitudes, rendering most valuable reports and displaying great courage and determination.

(The Military Cross was awarded in London Gazette dated 22nd Sept. 1916.)

Temp. Capt. Cyril Mary Brophy, M.C., R.A.M.C.

For conspicuous gallantry in action. He tended a wounded officer under intense fire. Later, he carried out the work of rescuing the wounded with great courage and determination. He has on many previous occasions done fine work.

(The Military Cross was awarded in London Gazette dated 27th July, 1916.)

Temp. 2nd Lt. Charles Oliver Crawford, M.C., R. Ir. Rif.

For conspicuous gallantry during a raid. He guided his party into the enemy's trenches, and, meeting six of the enemy, killed two with his revolver, and made a third prisoner. He was then wounded by a bomb, but continued to bomb dug-outs in which he saw and heard the enemy. Finally he covered the retirement of his company.

(The Military Cross was awarded in London Gazette dated 26th Sept., 1916.)

Capt. John Arthur Cullum, M.C., Can. A.M.C.

For conspicuous gallantry in action. He carried out the evacuation of the wounded under very heavy fire with great courage and skill, and at great personal risk. He has on many previous occasions done very fine work. The Military Cross was awarded in London

(The Military Cross was awarded in London Gazette dated 27th July, 1916.)

Lt. Frederick Joseph Aglid Dibdin, M.C., R. Suss. R., Spec. Res.

For conspicuous gallantry in action. He handled his machine-guns under very heavy fire with great courage and determination. Later, he consolidated the position and rendered services of the utmost value.

(The Military Cross was awarded in London Gazette dated 23rd June, 1915.)

Temp. 2nd Lt. Robert Kenneth Drummond, M.C., Cam'n Highrs.

For conspicuous gallantry when leading a bombing attack. He showed great determination, and when a withdrawal became necessary owing to lack of bombs, he helped to get a wounded man into a shell-hole, whence he was rescued after dark. He was under continuous fire all the time.

(The Military Cross was awarded in London Gazette dated 26th Sept., 1916.)

Temp. Capt. William Foot, M.C., M.B., R.A.M.C.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty in action. He tended the wounded