Temp. Capt. John Martin, Gord. Highrs.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He displayed marked courage and ability in organising the arrangements previous to a raid. Later, during the raid, he personally supervised the guiding of the assaulting troops.

2nd Lt. James Thomas Byford McCudden, Gen. List, and R.F.C.

For conspicuous gallantry in action. He followed a hostile machine down to a height of 300 feet, and drove it to the ground. He has shown marked skill on many previous occasions, and has destroyed two hostile machines and driven another one down out of control.

Temp. 2nd Lt. Robert Scott Miller, R.G.A. (S.A.H.A.).

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. Although wounded, he, during a heavy hostile bombardment, extricated several men who had been buried.

Temp. Lt. Deric William Parkes, Midd'x R. For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He led a successful raid against the enemy's trenches, and inflicted many casualties. He set a splendid example to his men.

2nd Lt. James Ronald Patten, R.F.A.

For conspicuous gallantry in action. He greatly assisted in the consolidation of the position, and brought up reinforcements under very heavy fire. He set a splendid example throughout, and inspired his men to resist vigorous enemy counter-attacks.

Temp. 2nd Lt. Samuel John Haughton Pile, .Midd'x R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty during a raid on the enemy's trenches. He completely overcame the resistance of the enemy by shooting their leaders. He led his party beyond their objective, and later effected a skilful withdrawal.

Capt. (Actg. Maj.) Darcy John Rigby Richards, R.G.A.

For conspicuous gallantry in action. He assisted to re-establish telephonic communication, and established visual signalling, which was used for important messages under a heavy fire. He set a splendid example throughout.

Temp. 2nd Lt. Percy Crawford Richards, .R.F.A.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. At great personal risk he extricated a man who had been buried in close proximity to a burning ammunition dump.

2nd Lt. Cecil Martin Sankey, Bord. R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He led his company in a most successful raid against the enemy's trenches. He himself killed one of the enemy and wounded another, whom he brought back to our lines. Capt. David Scollard, R. Ir. Rif.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He carried out several dangerous reconnaissances, and obtained most valuable in. formation. Later, he led a successful raiding party, and inflicted many casualties on the enemy.

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Lt. Philip Huntington Simpson, Gen'l List.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. Although slightly wounded by an explosion and his clothes badly burnt, he succeeded in carrying out the work of destruction entrusted to him. Later, to escape capture, he had to make his way across country.

2nd Lt. Francis William Smith, W. York. R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. With a few men he dispersed a fighting patrol of the enemy. Later, he assisted to bring in a wounded man under heavy fire. He has at all times set a fine example of courage and determination.

Temp. 2nd Lt. Allan Robert Steele, Sco. Rif.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He displayed great courage and determination in endeavouring to breach the enemy's wire under most difficult conditions. Later, he carried out several dangerous patrols, and took part in a successful raid.

2nd Lt. Herbert Wilfred Taylor, R.F.A., Spec. Res.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He carried out the observation for wire-cutting under very heavy fire with conspicuous success.

Temp. 2nd Lt. Lechmere Cay Thomas, E. Surr. R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He led a successful raid with great gallantry, and personally accounted for four of the enemy. Later, he skilfully withdrew his party under heavy fire.

2nd Lt. Terence Conrad Thorn, I.A.R.O.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty, when he went out under very heavy rifle and machine gun fire and carried into safety a man who had been severely wounded.

Capt. (temp. Lt.-Col.) John Brereton Owst Trimble, E. York. R., attd. W. York. R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He led a most successful raid against the enemy's trenches, inflicted many casual-• ties, and captured several prisoners. The success of the raid was largely due to his magnificent personal example.

Temp. 2nd Lt. Cyril Raymond Wise, Bord. R.

For conspicuous gallantry in action. He assumed command of his company and personally superintended the capture of a strong point, which was holding up the line. He set a splendid example throughout,