

Lt. Stanley James Till, R.F.A.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He took command of the remaining gunners of the battery, keeping the serviceable guns in action under heavy shelling at a critical period until there were insufficient unwounded men to keep them firing. When the guns were knocked out he personally rescued several wounded men.

2nd Lt. William Harry Topliss-Green, R.F.A., Spec. Res.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty as forward observation officer. He sent back an S.O.S. signal at great personal risk, and afterwards proved of great assistance to the commanding officer of a battalion whose adjutant had been killed.

T./Capt. Reginald Herman Tribe, R.A.M.C.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. Having organised an aid-post behind the front line, he dealt untiringly with many wounded cases belonging to several different units, his courage and efforts being the means of saving many lives and much suffering. He showed splendid determination and resource.

Capt. (A./Maj.) Charles William Rowland Tuke, R.F.A.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He was in command of his battery in several actions, and on one occasion, though gassed by hostile shells, he refused to leave his command. Though his men were suffering heavy casualties he fought his gun successfully through the whole series of actions.

T./Lt. Alfred John Tyler, Gen. List and R.F.C.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He took an active part in several engagements. He went up in all weathers and located many enemy batteries. He showed splendid determination and resource when under heavy fire.

2nd Lt. Cyril Thomas Underhay, Lond. R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty as battalion intelligence officer. He went through a heavy barrage and established liaison with the left company, who were being severely shelled, and with whom no other communication could be established.

Lt. (T./Capt.) John Lyne Vachell, R.F.A.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He did excellent work on many occasions, continually locating and engaging successfully enemy heavy batteries.

T./Capt. Henry Bernard van Praagh, R.M.L.I.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. During an enemy counter-attack he led forward a small part through an intense barrage to garrison a position under fire from snipers. He also carried out a reconnaissance under fire.

2nd Lt. Arthur Egbert Vautier, R.F.A.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. When a direct hit destroyed a truck

of ammunition and started a fire in another, and wounded five men, he helped to organise a party to remove the wounded, and then helped to put out the fire. On another occasion he helped to save an ammunition dump from destruction by fire.

T./2nd Lt. Frank Walker, E. Yorks. R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty during a daylight raid. He led his party across a long open stretch of ground to the enemy second line. After clearing the enemy trenches and taking prisoners he successfully effected a difficult withdrawal under heavy fire.

T./2nd Lt. James Robinson Walker, M.G. Corps.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He led his section forward through almost impassable mud under heavy fire, and consolidated the captured position, which was immediately counter-attacked. Although his teams were seriously depleted he kept his guns in action and repulsed the attack, holding his position against heavy odds until relieved on the following night.

2nd Lt. Matthew Henry Walker, R.F.A. Spec. Res.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. The battery position was heavily shelled while in action. A detachment was killed and several men were wounded and a gun received a direct hit. He carried on his duties, and afterwards assisted the wounded men. He then ordered up some pack horses which had previously been ordered to retire, and personally conducted the unloading of the ammunition.

Capt. Roger Beverley Walker, Yeo.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty when in charge of a daylight raiding party. His efforts in the preparation and training of the various parties for the action and his fearlessness in going forward to an advanced position to control the raid contributed largely to its success.

2nd Lt. Charles Henry Wallington, Ox. & Bucks. L.I.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty during a raid. His party missed the gap in the wire through which they were to have advanced, but he led them over the uncut wire, and helped to kill a number of the enemy and capture a machine gun. He personally shot three of the enemy and returned a second time along the trench to attack another party.

T./Lt. Cyril Michael Chavannes Ward, M.G. Co.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. Although wounded early in an attack, he pressed on and was again wounded. Still going forward towards the objective, he was wounded a third time, and could go no further. He then, however, made his report first to brigade headquarters, giving the disposition of his guns and the infantry, and then to his company commander.