

Lt. (A./Capt.) Sir William Andrews Ava Campbell, Bt., Yeo.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty in leading his company to the attack, and in maintaining touch with the battalion on his left in the face of great difficulties.

Lt. Alexander James Walker Carnie, Gord. Highrs.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He led his platoon forward in spite of heavy flanking fire. When further advance was impossible he carried out a most successful movement to his flank under very difficult conditions.

2nd Lt. William Alexander Christie Carr, R.F.A.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty in fighting. He kept his gun in action against the advancing enemy under heavy machine-gun fire. He continued to fire when the enemy were at close quarters, and inflicted very heavy casualties on them.

2nd Lt. Frederick William Arthur Carter, Shrops. L.I.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty when in command of two platoons which came under heavy machine-gun fire in an attack. In spite of casualties he reorganised his men and led them forward to their final objective with the greatest skill and determination.

T./2nd Lt. John Cassidy, attd. Lanc. Fus.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. During an advance his company came under intense machine-gun and rifle fire, and progress became impossible. He at once rallied his men, fearlessly exposing himself, and carried out an orderly withdrawal. He carried back all the wounded, finally bringing in another officer who was badly wounded, though attacked at the time by an enemy party, whom he drove off with his revolver.

T./2nd Lt. Clifford Worthley Caswell, Midd^x R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. When the enemy opened heavy fire, which almost destroyed his posts and inflicted several casualties, he reorganised his men and steadied them by his splendid example under heavy fire.

Lt. (A./Capt.) Michael Chapman, G. Gds., Spec. Res.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He carried out several difficult reconnaissances with great contempt of danger under heavy shell fire. Though twice wounded, he remained at duty until the battalion was relieved.

2nd Lt. Thomas Chapman, R. War. R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. Whilst in command of a platoon he successfully organised and led bombing parties to eject the enemy from our trenches, which during two days they repeatedly attacked in force under heavy bombardments. During this period he showed great gallantry, and on four occasions drove the

enemy out as soon as they had gained a footing in the trench, and inflicted heavy casualties on them. His courage was a magnificent example to his men and enabled the position to be maintained.

Lt. Albany Kennett Charlesworth, D. Gds.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. When the enemy had broken through our line he was sent to obtain information as to the situation in a village. In spite of heavy rifle and machine-gun fire he led his patrol right through the village and located the enemy's positions. He collected some small parties of men and with them maintained a footing in the village until a counter-attack had driven the enemy back. He showed splendid gallantry and initiative.

Lt. (T./Capt.) Robert Leslie Chidlaw-Roberts, Hants. R. and R.F.C.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He constantly attacked superior numbers of enemy aeroplanes. On one occasion he repeatedly attacked five enemy machines, driving among them and attacking each in turn at short ranges. On three other occasions he brought down enemy machines. He showed great skill and courage.

Lt. (T./Capt.) James Martin Child, Manch. R. and R.F.C.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. While leading a patrol he encountered four enemy scouts, one of which he destroyed. On another occasion he attacked one of two enemy two-seater machines which he encountered over the enemy's lines. He disabled the machine, and skilfully turned it towards our lines, where the enemy pilot was forced to land and he and his observer were taken prisoner. On another occasion he attacked five enemy scouts, one of which he destroyed. He showed the greatest judgment and determination.

T./2nd Lt. Leslie Howard Chivers, M.G. Corps.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He kept five guns under his command in action, firing continuously and breaking up the enemy attacks on his flank. It was owing to his energy in keeping his guns in action that the flank was kept intact. He displayed great courage and determination.

2nd Lt. Charles Lawrence Clarson, R.E.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. When in charge of the construction of the defences of a village, though subjected to heavy shelling for two hours, he kept his party at work throughout, and completed two machine-gun positions and some 100 yards of wiring.

T./2nd Lt. Harry Cleal, Essex R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He was returning from a reconnaissance when he encountered two of the enemy near our front line. He dashed through our wire and captured both men single-handed. When in charge of a patrol of ten other ranks he encountered an enemy machine gun,