

T./Lt. John Stanley Hancock, M.C., D.C.L.I.

For conspicuous gallantry and ability. He handled the company of which he was in command with marked skill during three days' hard fighting, moving out under heavy fire on several occasions when in support on his own initiative to protect the exposed flank of the battalion. He materially helped in the capture of an important village, where he and all the other officers of his company were wounded, by his splendid example of courage and good judgment.

(M.C. gazetted 12th March, 1917.)

T./Lt. Harry John Minshaw Harris, M.C., R.W. Kent R.

For conspicuous gallantry and determined leadership during an attack. When ordered to clear a communication trench forming a flank, he carried out the work in a most successful and skilful manner, with very small losses. He did splendidly.

(M.C. gazetted 25th August, 1916.)

T./Lt. (A./Capt.) Michael John Hartery, M.C., R. Ir. Rifles.

For conspicuous gallantry in handling his mortars during an attack. Later, under heavy fire from an enemy counter-attack, he ably covered the infantry when they were temporarily pushed back. He held his ground up to the last moment, and then successfully got his guns away to a new advantageous position. Throughout he set an inspiring example to all ranks.

(M.C. gazetted 17th September, 1917.)

Lt. (A./Capt.) Raymond Evelyn Head, M.C., L'pool R.

For conspicuous gallantry and good leadership in a raid. For two nights previously he reconnoitred the ground at great personal risk, selecting routes and assembly positions. In the raid itself he led his men splendidly in the assault, and set a fine example as a company commander.

(M.C. gazetted 24th June, 1916.)

T./Capt. Phillip George Heath, M.C., E. Surr. R.

For conspicuous gallantry and good leadership when commanding a trench mortar battery. By skilful handling of his guns he was of great assistance to the officer commanding the forward area in helping to establish the battalion on their position; and he also brought into action three enemy light trench mortars and inflicted losses, besides silencing an enemy machine gun. He behaved with great gallantry and energy throughout.

(M.C. gazetted 25th November, 1916.)

2nd Lt. John Norman Hughes, M.C., Ches. R.

He led his men to the attack with amazing dash and initiative. When his own and then another company commander was wounded, he took charge of the two companies, and controlled them with great ability until he was seriously wounded. His example of leadership inspired all ranks.

(M.C. gazetted 18th February, 1918.)

Capt. (T./Maj.) Gavin Robert Vernon Hume-Gore, M.C., Gord. Highrs.

For great gallantry and resolution while in command of his battalion. After the first advance had been held up, he went forward, took personal charge, and pushed his line forward under heavy machine-gun fire to the final objective. His personal example and energy had a most encouraging effect on his men.

(M.C. gazetted 18th February, 1915.)

T./2nd Lt. Joseph Hurst, M.C., Lan. Fus.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty during an attack. He led his platoon with great ability to the final objective. After consolidation he collected stragglers and placed them in position in the front line. He rendered the greatest assistance to his commanding officer, and by his total disregard of danger under heavy fire set a very fine example to all ranks.

(M.C. gazetted 13th May, 1918.)

Lt. Herbert Johnson, M.C., D.L.I.

For conspicuous gallantry and good leadership. He took command of the company just before zero hour, having been brought up from reserve, when the company commander became a casualty. He led the men with great success in the attack, in face of heavy machine-gun fire, capturing the objective and 85 prisoners and nine guns. The ability with which he grasped the situation and his personal example to the men largely contributed to the success obtained.

(M.C. gazetted 16th September, 1918.)

T./Capt. Lewis George Murray Kidd, M.C., E. Kent R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty during an attack. Though early wounded, he led his company with determined courage to the final objective and consolidated the position, after which he collapsed. His brilliant handling of his company was the means of inflicting heavy casualties on the enemy, and largely assisted in the success of the operation.

(M.C. gazetted 18th February, 1918.)

T./2nd Lt. John Knox, M.C., R. Irish Rif.

For conspicuous gallantry during an attack. Having reached his final objective, he found the platoon on his right held up. He at once led an attack on the point and captured it, taking a machine gun and six prisoners. Then he worked along fences, clearing out three enemy posts, and established touch with the division on the right. He handled his platoon with the greatest skill, and showed fine courage and coolness under difficult conditions.

(M.C. gazetted 18th February, 1918.)

Capt. (A./Maj.) Ralph Trenchard Lee, M.C., R.F.A.

For conspicuous gallantry and initiative when a portion of the front line became unoccupied during an enemy counter-attack. He organised a party of spare men from his battery, and held the trench some 500 yards