

near Bon Enfance Farm, he materially assisted in the attack on the position.

201104 L./Sjt. H. Wilby, 1/4th Bn., Leic. R., T.F. (Leicester).

He has on all occasions shown great courage and able leadership under fire. On one occasion in September, 1918, prior to the taking of the St. Quentin Canal, it was due to his example under heavy shell fire that the rations reached the front line.

15/515 Sjt. (A./C./S./M.) E. A. Wilcox, 16th Bn., R. War. R. (Birmingham).

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty during the period 25th February to 11th November, 1918. He rendered invaluable services by his courage and good leadership, and on one occasion he took command of his company, and led them forward to their objective in face of heavy machine-gun and shell fire.

40424 Pte. L. N. Wilcox, 7th Bn., Som. L.I. (Bath).

At Acheville, on 28th August, 1918, during an enemy raid, near Manitoba Road, he showed great determination in rallying his post, and finally drove off the raiders, causing a considerable number of casualties. Later, he repelled a second attack.

69699 Sig. Sjt. A. W. Wildman, C/108th Bde., R.F.A. (N. Finchley).

For consistent good work as No. 1 of a detachment from October, 1917, to March, 1918, both at Ypres and Epehy. During the advance from Albert to Ronsoy, from 21st August to 29th September, when he was wounded, he took part in the reconnaissance of all positions, and on two or three occasions performed the duties of reconnaissance officer. At Leuze Wood, on 30th August, he showed great courage under trying circumstances.

22262 Sjt. S. C. Wiles, R.F.A., attd. 111th Hy. By., R.G.A. (Canada).

For gallant service during the period September, October, and November, 1918. On numerous occasions he has kept his gun in action under heavy shell fire, and has at all times maintained the highest state of efficiency in his detachment. At Rumilly, on 8th October, 1918, he did especially good work.

24277 Sjt. F. J. Wilkin, 10th By., R.F.A. (Leamington Spa).

He has shown marked courage and devotion to duty on many occasions when in charge of his sub-section at the gun line, from 17th September to 8th November, 1918, particularly on 6th October, when he acted as guide to his battery, passing through a heavy barrage, and again on 11th October, when he rendered great assistance to his regimental officer, being subjected to heavy gun and machine-gun fire at the time.

27781 Pte. W. H. Wilkins, 2nd Bn., S. Lan. R. (Glossop).

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty as battalion runner. During the operations September-November, 1918, he

proved himself a reliable and trustworthy runner, never failing to deliver important messages, often under very trying circumstances. He has at all times shown utter disregard to personal safety under heavy fire, and the example set by him throughout has been admirable.

70077 Spr. E. N. Wilkinson, No. 11 Air Sec., R.E. (Leeds).

For gallantry and devotion to duty between Vermand and Bohain in September, October, and November, 1918. He was employed on the maintenance of forward wires and the exploiting of enemy routes as they were captured by the advancing troops. He was engaged consistently in the heavily shelled areas and in line with the advancing infantry.

242895 Sjt. J. Wilkinson, 15th Bn., N. Lan. R. (Bolton).

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. On the night of the 26th September, 1918, he carried out a reconnaissance at Voormezele of a bridge that was to be used in the attack the following day. Although under very heavy shell fire, he made a complete examination, and his report was of great assistance.

52012 Sjt. J. Wilkinson, 25th Div. Amm. Col., R.F.A. (Barrow-in-Furness).

For exceptional coolness under fire and the splendid example he has always set to the men under him. On 5th November, 1918, near Le Cateau, regardless of heavy fire, he succeeded in getting ammunition up to batteries. By his fearlessness he instilled a fine spirit to the men under him.

7661 B./S./M./G. Williams, 3 A Res. Bde., R.F.A. (Swanage).

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty throughout the recent advance, and especially on the night of 2nd-3rd November, 1918, at Poix-du-Nord, when bringing up ten wagons of ammunition under heavy shelling to the gun position. A direct hit on one team killed one driver, wounded two others, and killed four horses. He at once got the wounded men into safety, and superintended getting away the teams from the position.

27568 Pte. H. Williams, 10th Bn., Notts. & Derby. R. (Nottingham).

For continuous good work and devotion to duty during all the operations from 23rd August till 11th November, 1918. He was always willing to undertake any difficult and dangerous task on patrol, and when employed on battalion head-quarters as a runner his work and great pluck were a magnificent example to everyone. He has been in every battle since April, 1917, and has done excellent work throughout.

350992 C./S./M. L. Williams, 7th Bn., Lond. R. (Upper Holloway).

He has done continuous good work from January, 1917, to date, and more especially from August to November on the Somme and near Lens, when during heavy fighting he rendered invaluable assistance to his company commander in re-organising, controlling and leading the company.