

and rescued a severely wounded man of a working party, carrying him on his back some hundred yards in bright moonlight under heavy machine-gun and rifle fire.

Lt. Frederick Frank Minchin, Princess Patricia's Canadian L.I. (attd. R.F.C.).

For conspicuous gallantry and skill on many occasions, notably when leading a successful bomb and machine-gun raid on a force of the enemy which he had located overnight. Next day he took part in two other raids. During these operations he flew for thirteen hours over enemy country.

Temp. Lt. Daniel Walter Morgan, 18th Bn., (attd. 2nd Bn.), R. W. Fus.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He led a raid on the enemy's trenches, and, although badly wounded in the hand at the outset, continued to lead his men with great pluck till he was a second time wounded on the enemy wire.

Lt. Frank Thewlis, Spec. Res. (attd. 1st Bn.), C. Gds.

For conspicuous gallantry. After an intense bombardment by the enemy, which demolished parts of his trench, and during which he was himself twice buried, he rallied the men round him and drove out a party of the enemy which had penetrated into the trench.

Lt. (temp. Capt.) Arthur Ashford Benjamin Thomson, R. War. R. and R.F.C.

For conspicuous gallantry and good work during Zeppelin raids.

Lt. (temp. Capt.) Alec Warren Greenlaw Wildey, 4th Siege Bn., R.G.A.

For conspicuous good work as Observing Officer, notably on one occasion, when under very heavy fire he coolly carried on his observing all day.

Lt. George Clarence Willis, 3rd Canadian Infy. Bn.

For conspicuous gallantry, when with a private he went out to search for and rescue a wounded man in front of the trenches under heavy machine gun and rifle fire. The wounded man was found and brought in.

2nd Lt. Philip Francis Beard Bayly, Ind. Army Res. of Off. (attd. 2nd Rajput Light Infy.).

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty when in command of a machine gun section. Though severely wounded, he continued in action, and later took up a second position to check a counter-attack, carrying a tripod himself though suffering from his wound.

2nd Lt. Hubert Brodrick Birdwood, 1st Bn., Midd'x R.

For conspicuous gallantry when leading a party in a successful raid on the enemy's trenches. Several of the enemy were accounted for and three prisoners brought in. He had previously reconnoitred his objectives.

Temp. 2nd Lt. Fred James Varcoe Bullen, 251st Tunnelg. Coy., R.E.

For conspicuous gallantry. When with some infantry he was making a reconnaissance of a crater heavy enemy fire drove back the party, but he himself remained and completed his reconnaissance. Later with two infantrymen he brought in the body of another tunnelling officer, although the enemy were bombing them at 40 feet distance. He had previously done very gallant rescue work during a bombardment.

2nd Lt. Basil Burt-Smith, 1-6th Bn., Lond. R. (T.F.).

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty on several occasions when mines were exploded. He has set a fine example during consolidation. On one occasion, though wounded, he refused to have his wounds bound up till the situation was well in hand.

2nd Lt. Alexander Frazer Calder, 3rd Bn. (attd. 2nd Bn.), Arg. and Suth'd Highrs.

For conspicuous gallantry during a raid on the enemy's trenches. Several of the enemy were killed, and his coolness and good leading went a long way towards the successful result of the raid.

Temp. 2nd Lt. Angus Hamilton Campbell, 170th Tunnelg. Coy., R.E.

For conspicuous gallantry and good work. He entered an enemy gallery and found a charge ready tamped. At great risk, before the leads were cut, he coolly removed the tamping and extracted 2,500 lbs. of high explosive.

Temp. 2nd Lt. John Neilson Carpenter, 17th Bn., High. L.I.

For conspicuous gallantry during a raid on the enemy's trenches. He showed great dash in hand-to-hand fighting.

2nd Lt. Julius Edward Coughlan, 1st Bn., Midd'x R.

For conspicuous gallantry when leading a party in a successful raid on the enemy's trenches. Several of the enemy were accounted for. He himself removed obstacles in order to enter the enemy's trench.

2nd Lt. Sidney Edward Cowan, R.F.C. (Spec. Res.).

For conspicuous gallantry and skill. He dived on to an enemy machine in the enemy's lines and drove it to the ground, where it was smashed, and then circled round and fired at the pilot and observer as they ran for shelter. Although forced to land through his engine stopping he contrived to restart it and got back under heavy fire.

Temp. 2nd Lt. Arthur James Crichton, 9th Bn. (attd. 1st Bn.), R. W. Surr. R.

For conspicuous gallantry and dash when the enemy exploded a mine. He at once rushed forward into the crater with two N.C.O.'s and commenced bombing the enemy. His promptness ensured our occupation of the crater. He was afterwards wounded by shell fire.