

officers, and brought in single-handed a wounded man under heavy fire.

Temp. 2nd Lt. John Warren Davis, Welsh R.

For conspicuous gallantry in action. He led a bombing attack with great dash under heavy machine-gun and sniper fire. Next day he led the right flank of his company in an attack, and held on to the ground won until severely wounded.

Temp. 2nd Lt. Charles Leslie Davy, R. War. R. and M.G. Corps.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty in action. When wounded by shrapnel fire in the shoulder he went to a dressing-station, where a large number of splinters were removed, and then returned at once to his command. He subsequently did fine work.

Temp. 2nd Lt. Alfred Edward Day, York. L.I.

For conspicuous gallantry in action. Though severely wounded in the leg, he led forward a party of men, seized his objective, and held it till reinforcements arrived. Though his wound made it difficult for him to walk, he refused to go back till ordered to do so.

2nd Lt. Frederick Montague Deighton, R.F.A. (S.R.).

For gallantry and devotion to duty when acting as F.O.O. Finding that his wires were cut he endeavoured to establish communication and was shot through the neck. Despite this severe wound he finally established communication with his battery, and was later relieved in a state of collapse.

2nd Lt. Louis Alfred Ceasar De Velly, R.F.A. (S.R.).

For conspicuous ability and devotion to duty. He observed fire most effectively from an exposed position and thoroughly cut the enemy wire. He has previously distinguished himself under fire on several occasions.

Temp. 2nd Lt. Arthur Dickinson, York. R.

For conspicuous gallantry during operations. He met a superior number of the enemy firing at our advancing troops and bombing up the captured trench. He at once got his platoon on the top of the parapet and killed or captured the whole enemy party.

Temp. Capt. John Muir Donaldson, K. R. Rif. C.

For conspicuous gallantry in action. Although wounded he remained with his company, encouraging them on under heavy shell, rifle and machine-gun fire, until he was hit again and forced to retire.

2nd Lt. John Alfred Alexander Duncan, York. R.

For conspicuous gallantry in action. He led his platoon with great dash against the enemy's position. Later he assisted back under heavy fire his Company Commander, who was severely wounded. On another occasion he displayed great bravery with the battalion bombers.

2nd Lt. George Dundas, R.F.A., Spec. Res.

For conspicuous gallantry during pro-

tracted operations. He commanded his four trench mortars, which were widely separated, with great skill, going from one to the other often under heavy fire. His fine, cheery example kept up the spirits of his men after severe casualties.

Temp. Capt. James Churchill Dunn, R.A.M.C.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty in action. He showed an utter disregard of personal danger, and his bravery when tending the wounded was the admiration of all ranks.

Temp. Lt. John Evans, Welsh R.

For conspicuous gallantry during operations. He held on to a portion of a wood with great determination for several hours till relieved by another regiment.

Temp. 2nd Lt. Thomas Charles Farmer, E. Kent R.

For conspicuous gallantry in action. When all the other officers of his company had become casualties, he organised and led a bombing attack with great dash. When his bombs were exhausted he covered the withdrawal of his company with rifle fire, and was the last man to leave the enemy trench.

2nd Lt. Roland Faulkner, R. W. Surr. R.

For conspicuous gallantry and ability in action. When the C.O. was wounded, he handed over the command to 2nd Lt. Faulkner, who set a fine example of cheeriness, coolness and resource at a critical time. He was himself wounded next day.

2nd Lt. Reginald John Fillingham, R.G.A.

For conspicuous gallantry and good work. He took forward a 6-inch gun to an advanced position, kept it there for over thirty hours, and carried out the task allotted to him with great courage under heavy bombardment from at least two batteries. His whole detachment behaved with the greatest determination.

Temp. 2nd Lt. James Gibson Foster, R.E.

For conspicuous gallantry in action. He led a party of seven men into the enemy's trenches to explore their mine-working. Finding the first infantry wave held up, the officers having become casualties, he rallied the men, and sent them on with the second wave when it arrived. He then cleared out several enemy dug-outs, capturing and sending back fifty prisoners.

Temp. 2nd Lt. (temp. Lt.) Lionel Wray Fox, Genl. List.

For conspicuous gallantry in action. For many days he kept his guns in action under heavy shell fire, though the emplacements were destroyed at least once every day. He carried out his task and successfully destroyed the enemy's wire.

Temp. 2nd Lt. Thomas James Harold Fryer, K.R. Rif. C.

For conspicuous gallantry during a raid on the enemy's trenches. He dragged a wounded man from the enemy's wire to safety, and assisted others to get under cover. He crossed "No Man's Land" three