

501194 Spr. H. D. McGillivray, Can. Engrs.

For conspicuous gallantry in action. He displayed great courage and skill against enemy galleries. On one occasion he was cut off from our lines for twelve hours. He set a splendid example throughout.

A.4179 Pte. D. E. Purser, Can. Infy.

For conspicuous gallantry in action. He showed marked courage and initiative when in charge of a section during a raid, and himself shot four of the enemy. He has at all times set a fine example to his men.

452502 Cpl. J. C. Raspberry, Can. Infy.

For conspicuous gallantry in action. Although wounded, he led a raiding party into the enemy's trench. He displayed great courage and determination throughout.

501114 Sjt. A. W. Richardson, Can. Engrs.

For conspicuous gallantry in action. He displayed great courage and skill in counter-mining against enemy galleries. On one occasion he was cut off from our own lines for twelve hours. He set a splendid example throughout.

439424 Sjt. J. W. Strong, Can. Infy.

For conspicuous gallantry in action. He led a raiding party with great courage and skill, entering the enemy's trench and inflicting many casualties. He has previously done fine work.

NEW ZEALAND IMPERIAL FORCE.

23/366 Sjt. (actg. C.S./M.) G. H. Boles, N. Zealand Rif. Bde.

For conspicuous gallantry in action. He reorganised his men and led them forward under heavy fire. Later, he dug in and maintained his position until relieved thirty-six hours later. He set a splendid example of courage and coolness throughout.

26/462 Sjt. W. McConachy, N. Zealand Rif. Brig.

For conspicuous gallantry in action. He carried out several dangerous patrols prior to a raid, and obtained most valuable information. Later, during the raid he led his party with great gallantry.

SOUTH AFRICAN FORCE.

984 Dvr. L. R. Anderson, S. African Serv. Corps (M.T.).

For conspicuous gallantry in action. He drove his car into the front line under very heavy fire, picked up a wounded officer, and stopped his car on four separate occasions in order to pick up other wounded men.

58 Gnr. J. R. Banks, S. African Fld. Arty.

For conspicuous gallantry in action. He displayed great courage and determination in establishing and maintaining communication under very heavy fire. He set a splendid example throughout.

49 Sjt. A. Christopher, S. African Indian Bearer Coy.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He displayed great courage and determination on several occasions in tending wounded under very heavy fire.

156 Sjt. J. Coles, S. African Motor Cyclist Corps.

For conspicuous gallantry in action. With only four men he remained in position in close proximity to the enemy. He set a fine example of courage and determination throughout.

1861 Cpl. E. A. Crosbie, Van Deventer's Scouts.

For conspicuous gallantry in action. With the assistance of only one man, he effected the capture of eleven of the enemy under very difficult conditions.

2109 Sjt. W. Eve, S. African Infy.

For conspicuous gallantry in action. He displayed great courage, and, although severely wounded in three places, continued to carry on his work.

5150 Pte. R. N. Fuller, S. African Infy.

For conspicuous gallantry in action. He returned three times for ammunition under very heavy fire. Later, he brought up a machine gun and continued to work the gun single-handed. He was wounded five times.

7718 Sjt. C. A. Norregaard, S. African Horse.

For conspicuous gallantry in action. He led a scouting party with great courage and ability, remaining out for two days and nights in close proximity to the enemy, and obtaining useful information.

934 Sjt. H. C. Simpson, South African Horse.

For conspicuous gallantry in action. He led a scouting party with great courage and ability, remaining out for two days and nights in close proximity to the enemy, and obtaining useful information.

325 S./S./M. C. J. Willemse, S. African Horse.

For exhibiting great courage in assisting in carrying out a wounded officer and then returning to his position under heavy machine gun and rifle fire.

The undermentioned Non-Commissioned Officers and men are promoted to the rank indicated against their names, for distinguished service in the field, with effect from 21st November, 1916:—

S/22430 Cpl. (Actg. Sjt.) C. E. G. A. Charm-bury, A.S.C., Serjeant.

8313 Rfm. (Actg. Sjt.) A. W. F. Davis, K.R. Rif. Corps, attd. Ind. Tel. Co., Serjeant.

8352 Rfm. (Actg. Sjt.) A. W. Rackstraw, K.R. Rif. Corps, attd. Ind. Tel. Co., Serjeant.

S/4/145353 Pte. H. E. R. Browning, A.S.C., Corporal.

77371 Spr. G. H. Greenwood, R.E., Corporal.
S/29164 Pte. (Actg. Sjt.) S. D. Ridley, A.S.C., Corporal.