

Capt. John Hamptowne L'Amey, M.C., Can. Infy.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He was in command of the leading company, and was responsible for keeping direction through a heavy barrage, which he maintained throughout. His fine courage and personal example assisted greatly in the success of the attack.

(Military Cross gazetted 25th November, 1916.)

Lt. Edwin Alfred Trendell, M.C., Can Infy.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. Although twice wounded, he continued on, and established a report centre. It was due to his determination and courage that much early and valuable information was sent back.

(Military Cross gazetted 26th April, 1917.)

His Majesty the KING has been graciously pleased to confer the Military Cross on the undermentioned Officers and Warrant Officers in recognition of their gallantry and devotion to duty in the Field:—

2nd Lt. George Douglas Adam, R.F.A.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. The battery was very heavily shelled for half an hour, causing heavy casualties. He showed great coolness and bravery whilst supervising the fire of the battery, and by his splendid example steadied the other gun detachments.

2nd Lt. William Aitchison, R.F.A., Spec. Res.

For conspicuous gallantry when in command of trench mortars. Early in operations he came under heavy shell-fire, and half his detachment became casualties; but his coolness and courage kept all ranks steady, and enabled fine work to be performed.

Temp. Capt. Gavin Bullen Anderson, Midd'x R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty when in an advanced position during an attack. He kept his company under control, and sent back most valuable information, holding on to his trench for twenty-four hours and harassing the enemy with rifle and machine-gun fire. The fine work of his company bore evidence to his good training and the spirit instilled by him.

Capt. Gilbert William Arbuthnot Alexander, Gord. Highrs.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He displayed the utmost fearlessness and determination under heavy fire. When the advance was held up he went forward and reconnoitred the exact position of the neighbouring units. This was carried out under severe machine-gun and rifle fire.

Temp. 2nd Lt. Hugh Dalrymple Alexander, Cam'n Highrs.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He led a company ordered to raid the enemy lines. He succeeded in establishing strong points under intense machine-gun fire

from three sides. He continued to expose himself and organise his men until severely wounded.

2nd Lt. Thomas Allan, High. L.I.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He led his platoon with great courage and determination. He was the first to cut the enemy wire and get through, and, though wounded, remained with his men until ordered to withdraw. He set a fine example throughout.

Temp. 2nd Lt. Arnold Morley Allen, North'd Fus.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He led the company with great skill and determination. On reaching the final objective his example and energy under heavy fire greatly assisted in the task of consolidation.

Temp. 2nd Lt. Thomas Bisset Allison, R. Highrs.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He was exceptionally cool and courageous under heavy fire. His splendid example greatly assisted the men under him through most trying circumstances.

Rev. Leonard Martin Andrews, A. Chaplins. Dept., attd. R. Fus.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He carried a wounded man 1½ miles under heavy shell fire. He returned six times, and carried wounded men to safety, still under heavy shell fire.

2nd Lt. Reginald Wood Andrews, R.F.A.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. Whilst under heavy shell fire he succeeded, with others, in extinguishing a fire in an ammunition dump close to a gun, 500 charges having become ignited and in very dangerous proximity to the shells. The camouflage covering the gun was also on fire, and he extinguished it.

2nd Lt. (actg. Lt.) Frederick George Aplin, Gen'l List.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He showed great coolness and bravery when acting as observation officer in the front line. Although under direct shell fire, he continued to observe, and rendered most valuable reports throughout.

2nd Lt. Bernard Martin Armstrong, R. Scots.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He led his section against a strong gun position held by the enemy, and forced them to retire. He then attacked another gun position, which he bombed, but being met by heavy machine-gun fire and sniping he was forced to withdraw. His cheerfulness and energy later on in the day did much to hearten men who had been severely shaken.

2nd Lt. (temp. Capt.) Gilbert Barrington Arnold, Essex R., Spec. Res.

For conspicuous gallantry in an attack when in command of four Stokes Mortars.