

19132 Pte. A. J. Bicknell, M.G. Corps.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion. He crept forward to examine a silenced hostile gun, and advancing beyond it, he bombed an enemy dugout, returning with two prisoners. He set a fine example to all ranks.

20024 Pte. A. Blick, Glouc. R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion in repeatedly bringing in wounded men under heavy fire, and often in broad daylight. He set a fine example to all ranks.

200941 L./Sjt. W. Boardman, Sea. Highrs.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He took command of the remainder of the platoon and captured his objective. He personally took fifteen prisoners. Throughout he set a splendid example to his men.

200083 Pte. C. Booth, Gord. Highrs.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion as a stretcher bearer, when he rescued many wounded under heavy shell and machine-gun fire; frequently, in difficult ground, carrying them long distances on his back.

Deal/3251(S.) S./Sjt. D. Booth, R. Marines.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion in evacuating wounded from a heavily shelled collecting post. His magnificent example greatly contributed to steady the men, who were suffering heavy casualties.

24/904 Pte. R. Boyle, North'd Fus.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He handled his machine gun with great courage and daring in taking up most advanced positions. Although most of his team were casualties he went forward and captured an enemy machine gun.

265193 Cpl. A. Brawn, Ox. & Bucks. L.I.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. A party of the enemy had advanced and occupied a position close to his post. He at once left his post with his bombers and with great gallantry attacked and dispersed a superior force.

4417 Cpl. T. Brindley, R. War. R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He made five journeys over exposed ground in order to gain information of the situation. This was carried out under heavy machine-gun and rifle fire, and finally he brought back one wounded officer.

240926 L./Sjt. J. H. Brown, Bord. R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. Under heavy fire of all kinds he took command and reorganised the men around him and by his promptitude and splendid example largely assisted in the capture of the enemy trenches.

3683 L./Sjt. S. Buckland, R. Fus.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He led his men with great determination and courage against heavy enemy counter-attacks, defeating them and consolidating his position. He afterwards got on to the parapet with a Lewis gun and enfiladed the enemy, who were massing for another counter-attack. His resource saved the trench from being captured.

18980 Pte. J. W. Budd, E. Kent R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He kept his Lewis gun in action after all his section had become casualties, establishing himself in a shell hole for three days until relieved. He showed marked determination and wonderful powers of endurance.

6509 C./S./M. D. Burbidge, Linc. R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He took command of the company and organised it, and rendered invaluable assistance to another company in reorganising the whole line. He has performed good work throughout.

265325 Sjt. A. G. Burnett, Gord. Highrs.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. During the attack he worked round behind an enemy machine gun and killed the men working the gun. He was instrumental in capturing the gun and its team.

36003 Pte. (A./L./Cpl.) J. Burton, R. Welsh Fus.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He rendered most valuable assistance when he took a section of bombers to the help of the battalion on his flank. Although surrounded, he fought his way out with five men.

27235 Pte. J. Bushell, Essex R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He reached the enemy wire, and succeeded in knocking out an enemy machine gun which was holding up the advance. Later, he was severely wounded, but refused to leave his post until ordered to do so.

325266 Sjt. A. Caldwell, Durh. L.I.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He led his platoon with great courage and skill. He went forward and captured an enemy machine gun and eleven prisoners. His prompt action removed a very serious obstacle.

11940 Sjt. D. S. Cameron, R. Scots.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty in leading men of another regiment to the attack after they had lost their officers. He rallied and collected them under very heavy fire from machine guns and bombs, finally attaching them to his own company.

200785 Sjt. J. Campbell, Sea. Highrs.

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