

killed and wounded, the personnel were ordered back to cover. Finding that a N.C.O. was badly wounded and buried in the battery position, he at once went back, and after fifteen minutes extricated the N.C.O., and then appeared from the midst of the inferno caused by the bursting shells with the wounded man on his back.

16757 L./Cpl. T. J. Green, Welsh R. (New Tredegar).

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. When the advance was held up by a group of enemy strong points he led a party forward and captured them, together with two machine guns and a large number of prisoners. Later he located an enemy post, and single-handed compelled the enemy to retire from it. He set a magnificent example to his men.

8185 Sjt. J. Greene, R. Ir. Rif. (Dublin).

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty in command of his platoon, after his platoon commander had become a casualty. He bombed enemy dugouts and established very effective sniping posts. Only himself and one other of his platoon were left when withdrawn thirty-six hours later.

40828 C.S.M. J. Greenway, N. Staff. R. (Newcastle, Staffs.).

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. Though severely wounded he remained with his company, rendering valuable service during the consolidation under heavy fire. His leadership and fearlessness were an example to all ranks.

W/952 B.Q.M.S. R. Grenfell, R.F.A. (Penzance).

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. When the battery was on the march and was bombed by hostile planes, causing many casualties to men and horses, after getting clear of his own horse, whose leg had been broken, he extricated a wounded officer from his dead horse and then collected the remaining men, attending to the killed and wounded of his own battery and of a passing squad of infantry.

8907 C.S.M. A. Griffin, R. Ir. Fus. (Cork).

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty in charge of his company, after all the officers had become casualties during a heavy counter-attack. He rallied the men, establishing a series of strong points and bombing posts, and so succeeded in repelling the enemy with heavy loss.

75609 L./Cpl. V. J. Guiver, Tank Corps (Long Acre, London).

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. As chief wireless operator, after having erected the aerials, this non-commissioned officer remained at duty for eighteen hours continuously under heavy shell fire. On several occasions the aerials and masts were shot away, but on each occasion he went out and repaired the damage under an intense bombardment. By his initiative and courageous perseverance the wireless station was kept open during the whole action.

22022 L./Cpl. W. T. Gysser, R. Welsh Fus. (Islington).

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. When the whole left half of his company was held up by an enemy machine gun, he advanced with his Lewis gun and put the enemy out of action. He has also been very prominent on other occasions, setting a splendid example to his comrades in spite of adverse weather conditions and under trying circumstances.

18027 Sjt. H. J. Hall, R.F.A. (E. Northampton).

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. The enemy opened a heavy barrage on the road behind his battery. The road was congested with ammunition waggons, and great confusion followed, but with the utmost presence of mind and disregard of danger he restored order, cleared the road, and got the ammunition waggons and other traffic through to a place of safety.

5018 Sjt. (A./Sub-Cond.) T. A. Harding, A.O.C. (Charlton).

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty when an ammunition railhead was bombed by enemy aircraft. A truck of ammunition was set on fire, and he at once extinguished it, uncoupling the truck from the train. His prompt and courageous action averted a serious disaster.

370744 Sjt. G. H. Harris, Lond. R. (Stoke Newington).

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty in an attack. When all his officers became casualties he took command of his company and led them to the capture of all their objectives. He showed great ability in reorganising the company, and by his personal example greatly encouraged his men.

46853 Bomdr. F. W. Helm, R.F.A. (Chelsea).

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He patrolled and repaired the telephone lines, which were continually being cut by shell fire. He continued at this work with utter contempt of danger under continual heavy fire for seven hours, until all the guns were out of action. He set a magnificent example of courage and coolness.

21/993 C.S.M. R. C. Henderson, Northb'n Fus. (Blyth).

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty in an attack. He took command of a platoon when its officer was a casualty, and led the men to their objective. During the consolidation of the captured position he did splendid work in directing the operations under very difficult conditions and heavy fire.

S/1970 L./Cpl. T. L. Hendry, Gord. High. (Aberdeen).

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty in charge of a mopping-up platoon after the platoon sergeant had been wounded. While mopping-up a strong point the line retired and left him surrounded. He organised a shell hole for defence, and held out all day, escaping a night attack by moving to another shell hole. After sixty hours