

7764 Sjt. E. Pegg, N. Staffs. R. (Fenton, Staffs.).

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty during a heavy enemy counter-attack. He handled his section with great courage and skill, and subsequently volunteered to go to the front line under very heavy artillery fire to ascertain if assistance was needed.

6637 C.Q.M.S. L. Pegg, Lanc. Fus. (Salford).

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He has rendered continuous good service since the commencement of the campaign. He has invariably displayed great courage and devotion to duty, and has set a splendid example to all ranks.

66450 Pte. H. R. Periam, M.G. Cps. (Romford, London).

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He led forward a party to bring in a man who had been seriously wounded. While they were carrying him in the rest of the party were wounded by a shell. Although badly shaken, he dressed their wounds, being under shell fire the whole time.

825096 Sjt. W. G. Perkins, R.F.A. (Bristol).

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. When the battery was heavily shelled and the entrance to a shelter was blown in, he went to the assistance of three men, who were severely burnt within, regardless of the shelling, and eventually succeeded in extricating them and rendered first aid. He has on many occasions proved himself an excellent and most efficient N.C.O.

T./9149 T./1st Cl. S.S.M. J. Perks, A.S.C. (Henley-in-Arden).

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. On several occasions he displayed great courage while in charge of convoys under heavy fire, and his personal example and untiring energy largely assisted in preventing casualties.

95573 Cpl. S. Petty, R.E. (Harrogate).

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty in charge of locks and bridges. It was owing to his courage, skill and determination in keeping the bridges repaired, in spite of hostile shell fire, that the cross-river communications were maintained.

18/233 Sjt. J. Phillips, North'd Fus. (Seaton Delavel).

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He has done excellent work during a long period, particularly during an important engagement. He has shown the greatest coolness and courage on all occasions.

283382 Bdr. P. W. Phillips, R.G.A. (Walton, Radnorshire).

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty in repairing lines under very heavy shell fire. On one occasion, although wounded in the face, he continued his work under the heaviest shelling, exhibiting courage and determination worthy of the highest praise.

241781 Cpl. H. O. Pike, N. and Derby. R. (Manchester).

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. On one occasion, although badly wounded, he refused attention until all the other wounded had been evacuated, and endeavoured to continue the direction of his command.

15823 Sjt. W. Pilkington, E. Lancs. R. (Accrington).

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. On one occasion, when, in spite of intense shelling by heavy artillery, he kept his trench mortar in action, although he had to dig it out several times when it had been buried by shells. He did excellent work on many occasions.

444601 Sjt. H. Pinder, R.E. (Darwin).

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He has rendered excellent service during the past year, and has shown great skill and coolness at his work.

6510 C.S.M. E. Pink, Essex R. (Enfield).

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. Prior to a raid his fine spirits under a hostile bombardment greatly helped to keep up the morale of the men. He led the leading wave with magnificent courage and disregard of danger. He has always been of the greatest assistance to his company commander.

753 C.S.M. C. B. Plenderleith, R. War. R. (Birmingham).

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty during a long period. He has acted as platoon commander on several occasions in active operations, and he has invariably displayed great courage, energy and ability.

P/4704 L./Cpl. (A./Sjt.) P. Pocock, Mil. Mtd. Police (Edenbridge, Kent).

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty at all times. He invariably displayed great courage and energy and did excellent work in supervising the traffic and stragglers posts.

7014 R.Q.M.S. J. H. Poste, R. War. R. (Birmingham).

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. During the past three years he has rendered consistent good service, and by his great devotion to duty has set a fine example to all under him.

277049 Sjt. H. W. Potter, Manch. R. (Flixton).

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. On all occasions he displayed the utmost courage, cheerfulness and skill, and his fine example had a most beneficial effect on all ranks.

20368 L./Sjt. J. T. Potter, S. Lancs. R. (St. Helens).

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty on many occasions, and notably when he volunteered to lead a small party to rescue four men who had been buried in a tunnel. He succeeded in his task in spite of heavy enemy shelling. His courage inspired confidence in all ranks.