

platoon, whereupon he jumped on to the parapet, threw bombs on the advancing enemy and succeeded in breaking up the hostile attack. By this prompt and bold action the retention of the objective was ensured.

22211 L./C. T. Metcalfe, W. Yorks. R. (Baildon).

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. Noticing the fuze of a trench mortar bomb burning in the ammunition recess, near to which a party of infantry were standing, he picked up the shell, rushed along the sap leading from the trench, and threw it over the parapet, where it immediately exploded. His prompt and conspicuously gallant action undoubtedly saved many casualties, and prevented the destruction of many rounds of ammunition in the dump.

11670 Sjt. J. Millward, Ches. R. (Cheadle Heath, Stockport).

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. When in charge of a section, he led his men with marked ability and coolness under a heavy fire. His courage and devotion to duty have at all times been of the highest order.

200239 C./S./M. T. J. Milne, H.L.I. (Glasgow).

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. During the action against a strongly defended enemy position the company, after reaching its objective on several occasions, was each time driven back again by strong and determined counter-attacks. On these occasions he performed splendid service in rallying and re-organising the men for the next attack, and through his fearlessness under a heavy machine gun fire and dogged determination he so inspired the men under him that they returned to the attack with renewed vigour until finally successful.

610582 Sjt. A. Moody, Lond. R. (Kentish Town).

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He organised and guided carrying parties through a very heavy gas shell barrage over ground where no cover existed. His inspiring leadership enabled the supplies for the battalion to be successfully maintained for three nights under exceptionally trying circumstances.

885104 Gnr. (A./Bomdr.) G. N. Moore. R.F.A. (Langley, Norfolk).

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. After his officer, with whom he had gone forward, had been severely wounded, he took charge at the forward observation station, and, remaining there for forty-eight hours, maintained communication with his battery throughout the action. His skill, enterprise, and ability were most outstanding.

50819 Dvr. H. Morris, R.F.A. (Wrexham).

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. As lead-driver of a firing battery wagon he drove his wagon straight through

the enemy, who had surrounded the wagons. By thus scattering the enemy he greatly assisted the remainder of the wagon line to reach a place of safety. His boldness and initiative were worthy of the highest praise.

9769 Sjt. P. V. Morritt, Conn. Rang. (Galway).

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. In the attack he was mainly instrumental in capturing and clearing a strongly defended trench system. Later, when his company commander was wounded, he carried him across No Man's Land under very heavy fire of all kinds, after which, volunteering to guide a reinforcement of two platoons to the front line, he was twice wounded, but refused to return until he had succeeded in establishing them in the position allotted to them. He displayed great initiative and determination, and was entirely heedless of any enemy fire.

8119 C./S./M. C. Moss, S.W. Bord. (Upper Norwood, S.E.).

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. When all officers had become casualties, he took charge of the company and visited all detached bodies of men under heavy fire. He handled his command with marked gallantry and ability, and displayed throughout the greatest skill and coolness.

266121 Cpl. J. Moss, W. York. R. (Leeds).

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He was holding an isolated post 300 yards in advance of the front line with eight men when he was attacked on three sides by about fifty of the enemy. He held the enemy back for some time with rifle and Lewis gun fire, and when the Lewis gun jammed and he was running out of ammunition, he skilfully withdrew his men to the front line and prevented the enemy from obtaining an identification. He showed splendid determination and initiative.

200276 Sjt. F. G. Mundy, Wilts. R. (Salisbury).

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He, with the assistance of one other N.C.O., captured two officers, forty other ranks, and two machine-guns. These men accomplished this bold and gallant deed entirely unassisted by other troops.

6/7944 C./S./M. W. Neill, E. Lan. R. (S. Africa).

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. When in command of the company after all the officers had become casualties, he showed great initiative in reorganising the company when exposed to heavy fire. He remained in command of the company throughout the day and following night, and rendered exceptionally valuable service, displaying marked efficiency and energy on all occasions.

21455 C./S./M. C. Newman, M.M., M.G.C. (Eastbourne).

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. When the enemy attacked and the company commander and remaining officers