

T./Capt. John Price Roberts, M.G. Corps.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. During the heavy enemy attacks, he performed magnificent work, and inflicted heavy casualties on the assaulting troops. This was almost entirely due to his organisation, resource and skilful handling of the guns at his disposal. He never failed to select the enemy's most vulnerable points, and on one occasion brought fire to bear on an enemy field battery with effective results. He continually moved from gun to gun, cheering his men and watching for fresh targets to engage.

Lt. Thomas Norman Roberts, R.G.A.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He kept his guns in action until the enemy were within 200 yards of the position. He personally removed a jammed breech block with the enemy actually in the position while he was being directly fired on by them. It was due to his courageous conduct under heavy fire that all six guns were put out of action in time.

Capt. William Robertson, M.B., R.A.M.C.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty in attending to the wounded in the open during an attack when the battalion was held up by heavy machine gun and rifle fire and several casualties occurred. When two companies were cut off by heavy machine-gun fire and sustained casualties, he volunteered to try and reach them. His conduct throughout was most courageous.

Lt. (T./Capt.) Vyvyan Arthur Hemming Robeson, R.F.C., Spec. Res.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. In the course of three flights, which he carried out in one day in very bad weather, he bombed an enemy battery and fired 250 rounds on it from his machine gun and bombed and fired on enemy infantry. He also carried out a valuable reconnaissance. On the following day, in the course of two flights he attacked enemy infantry with bombs and machine-gun fire. He showed the greatest skill, courage and judgment.

Lt. (A./Capt.) Alfred Robinson, York. L.I.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty in organising the various companies under heavy trench mortar and shell fire for an attack. He was blown up and wounded by a shell, but insisted on remaining at duty. He repeatedly went out under heavy shell fire to keep in touch with the situation.

T./2nd Lt. Gilbert Arthur Robinson, W. Yorks. R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He commanded the flank company of the battalion during an attack with great dash and gallantry. His company captured five guns at the point of the bayonet, took forty prisoners, and killed and wounded a large number of the enemy. His accurate reports were of the greatest assistance during the operations.

2nd Lt. John Lister Rodger, York. L.I.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He took command of two companies

when all senior officers had become casualties, led them to the attack and captured the objective. Later, he reorganised a party under great difficulties, and held an important position for many hours under heavy fire until relieved.

2nd Lt. Arthur Boulivant Rogers, Shrops. L.I.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty when in charge of the brigade sniping section detailed to clear a wood. Working in close co-operation with a section of tanks he accomplished his task, capturing 40 prisoners and inflicting large casualties on the enemy.

2nd Lt. (T./Capt.) William Wendell Rogers, R.F.C., Spec. Res.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty in shooting down seven enemy aeroplanes, and on two occasions attacking enemy troops with machine gun fire from very low altitudes. He proved himself a daring patrol leader.

2nd Lt. Cyril Williams Rowlands, Lond. R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. During an attack he led his platoon with marked success to the final objective. On seeing that the enemy were attempting to leave their trenches and crawl back, he rendered great assistance in engaging them with rifle fire, inflicting heavy casualties on them. Throughout the attack he displayed great initiative, and assisted greatly in making the attack a success.

T./Capt. Lionel Matthew Rowlette, D.S.O., R.A.M.C.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He worked untiringly attending to the wounded under very heavy fire throughout the whole day, and set a magnificent example of courage and coolness to all.

Qrnr. and Hon. Lt. George Matthew Rumball, Yeo.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. When ammunition was urgently needed and the position was inaccessible to transport, he personally carried 900 rounds to the firing line under heavy shell and machine-gun fire.

Lt. Alec Charles Russell, R.F.A.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty as forward observation officer. He laid a line to an advanced position just before the attack, went forward with the first wave, and established visual communication. In spite of a determined enemy counter-attack he continued to watch the enemy at close range and sent back valuable information as to the situation. He remained at his post throughout the day under heavy fire, and showed the greatest coolness and determination in a critical situation.

T./Capt. Cedric Russell, M.B., R.A.M.C.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He worked in the open attending to the wounded during an engagement, with complete disregard of danger under heavy fire.