

of officers he was placed in command of a portion of the line in which he led men of different regiments, and captured the objective. Afterwards, in command of a strong post, he held it gallantly with a few men against many enemy attacks.

2nd Lt. Edward Tom Williams, R.F.A.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. On the battery being heavily shelled and also fired on by machine guns from the flank, orders were received to withdraw. He remained behind with two guns, the wheels of which had been damaged, but succeeded in getting both of them clear of the position, thereby setting a splendid example of gallantry and fearlessness to the men.

2nd Lt. Frank Williams, R.E.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. During an enemy attack he took charge of a party of forty volunteers and superintended the digging of trenches, which were to form a point of resistance. This task was successfully carried out, though the enemy had advanced to within machine gun range. He showed great courage and coolness.

Lt. John Wilson, Yeo.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty in an attack. Though wounded, he remained at duty, and rendered valuable service while in command of the Lewis guns of the battalion. He set a splendid example to all by his courage and determination.

T./Capt. Emilius Albert Ernest Wilson-Weichart, A.S.C.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. When a large quantity of stores were endangered by an enemy attack, he placed them on rail, under heavy shell fire, and despatched them to a place of safety. He showed splendid promptness and devotion to duty.

2nd Lt. George Howard Wintle, Glouc. R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. When he had been wounded, knowing that only a few officers survived, he returned, after having his wound dressed, with a number of men who had lost their way. With these men he reinforced the battalion, got into touch with the battalion on his left, and helped to take up a new position under the most difficult conditions.

T./2nd Lt. Gordon Thomas Worn, Norf. R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He continued to lead his platoon, although badly wounded in the thigh, until he had cleared the enemy from the sector of the village allotted to him and reached his objective, over two miles from the starting point. He refused to withdraw until satisfied that his platoon was firmly established.

2nd Lt. James William Worth, W. York. R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. When a Tank which should have preceded the advance was delayed, he pushed forward with two men to cut a path through the wire belt under heavy fire. He was very severely wounded in the chest, but did not desist till he had cleared a path through the

wire. He showed magnificent courage and determination.

Lt. Richard Louis Wreford Brown, W. Gds. Spec. Res.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. All the officers in his company became casualties early in an advance, and he himself was badly wounded, but he continued to lead his men forward, and captured and consolidated the objective. He then went to battalion headquarters to report on the situation before having his wound dressed.

Rev. Arthur Basil Wright, A. Chapl'n's Dept.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty in attending to the wounded under heavy machine gun and shell fire. His splendid example was the greatest encouragement to the men.

T./2nd Lt. Edward Grigg Wylie, Durh. L.I.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. His company was heavily attacked three times, and suffered very severe casualties. When two of his platoons had been driven out, he collected the remainder, counter-attacked under heavy machine gun fire, and drove the enemy back. Later, when his men were surrounded, through his splendid leadership he forced his way out and rejoined the battalion.

Capt. James Anderson Young, R.A.M.C.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. When the building in which a number of wounded were lying was heavily shelled, with the assistance of another man he succeeded in carrying all the wounded into a cellar, though shells were continually bursting in the building. He showed the greatest courage and determination.

Capt. James Carruthers Young, M.D., R.A.M.C., Spec. Res.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty when in charge of an advanced dressing station. When the village was continuously shelled he personally superintended the removal of many of the wounded to a safer position. During the night he had them all evacuated and established a new dressing station.

Capt. John Hamilton Langdon Yorke, Yeo.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. When part of the line was driven back by the enemy he rapidly reorganised the situation with great skill under very heavy shell and machine-gun fire. He showed splendid leadership and initiative.

785528 B.S.M. George Fettis Bowden, R.F.A.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. When on advancing into action the battery came under a heavy barrage he remained in the shelled area directing the advance of each gun team successively until the whole battery had passed through the barrage.

7840 C.S.M. (A./R.S.M.) Albert Brough, D.C.M., W. York. R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. When almost every officer had become