

T./Lt. (A./Capt.) Charles Ernest Jeffery, Tank Corps.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He led the attack in the foremost Tank in front of the infantry. When a large body of the enemy held up the advance, he fought his way through under heavy machine gun fire and inflicted heavy casualties on the enemy. He showed great determination and initiative.

T./Lt. (A./Capt.) Hubert Jennison, W. Yorks. R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty in bringing his Stokes mortar and ammunition forward by hand for a distance of five miles, keeping pace with the infantry throughout. At the end of this exhausting march he got his guns into position, and kept them in action against hostile strong points under heavy fire. His own personality and endurance alone made this fine feat possible.

2nd Lt. (T./Lt. and A./Capt.) Henry Watt Johnston, Gord. Highrs. and Tank Corps.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He led his Tanks into action with great determination, and when the situation became critical he left his Tank, under heavy machine-gun and snipers' fire, co-ordinated the work of the infantry with his Tanks, and enabled the advance to continue.

Lt. Michael Harry Kirkpatrick Kane, R. Dub. Fus., Spec. Res.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty as signalling officer. He went forward with the attacking line, laid a laddered cable to the captured position, and established and maintained communication, in spite of heavy shelling, for seven hours. He showed great initiative in grasping the situation when one of the attacking companies became disorganised owing to casualties among the officers, and rendered very valuable assistance in reorganising it.

2nd Lt. Lionel John Kent-Jones, Lond. R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. After a heavy bombardment, the enemy attacked in large numbers, using liquid fire, and penetrating into a portion of the post. He instantly organised a party and counter-attacked, driving them back. Although severely wounded, he remained on duty until our original sentry posts were re-established. His courage, leadership and example to the men were splendid.

T./Lt. Lewis George Murray Kidd, E. Kent R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty during a hostile attack. When most of the officers of his battalion had become casualties he collected and organised the troops in the vicinity of his position, and for some hours successfully defended it. When it became untenable, owing to trench mortar fire, he withdrew his men in good order, being himself the last to evacuate the position.

Capt. Malcolm Alan Kincaid-Smith, High. L.I.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. When his company were holding a dangerous position he advanced his line

about 200 yards to improve it. He was then attacked in great force and a part of his line occupied. He promptly organised a counter-attack, which was entirely successful, not only regaining the lost ground but capturing the enemy's bombing block.

2nd Lt. Arthur Clement Knollys, G. Gds., Spec. Res.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty in an attack. When his company commander was wounded he took command and led his company on to the objective, which he captured after severe fighting. He organised the defence of another sector in addition to his own, and showed the greatest courage and initiative under heavy fire.

Lt. Douglas Cedric Knott, Hamps. R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. When the enemy attacked he led his company forward and drove the enemy back. He collected men of other units who were without officers, and led an advance which drove the enemy from their position under heavy fire. He showed splendid initiative and resource.

T./2nd Lt. John Knox, R. Ir. Rif.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. In order to divert the enemy's attention from a main attack he was ordered to attack with one platoon a position strongly held with machine guns and protected by thick belts of wire. He led his platoon with great courage and skill, gaining his objective, and capturing the machine guns and forty prisoners before the main attack got level with him.

T./2nd Lt. Ralph Melville Law, Tank Corps.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He fought his Tank with great determination, taking it ahead of the infantry, and kept it in action for four hours. When his Tank was disabled he got his men and Lewis guns out, and fought in the open with the greatest gallantry and courage.

Lt. Frederick Charles Lawrence, W. York. R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. When early information as to the situation was urgently required during an attack he went forward on his own initiative from the reserve line to a very exposed position under heavy fire, and obtained information. During an enemy attack he rallied and reorganised his men under most difficult conditions, led them forward against greatly superior numbers, and drove the enemy back. He set a magnificent example of coolness and courage.

Capt. Edward Frederick Lawson, Yeo.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. When in charge of his squadron, and also later as second in command of his regiment, he by his gallant conduct contributed greatly to the success of two most important operations.