

Lt. Alfred Champion Denny, Midd'x R.,  
attd. M.G.C.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty in the control of his guns under heavy shell and machine-gun fire and in covering the withdrawal of the infantry. He kept his guns in action till the last moment, and withdrew them all successfully. His example of confidence and skilful control did much to steady the troops under very trying conditions.

T./Capt. Geoffrey Dent., M.G.C.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty during a hostile attack, when he handled his gun with the greatest determination and skill, moving about the whole day in the open under heavy artillery and machine-gun fire. His coolness and courage were most marked, and he set a splendid example to all ranks with him.

Rev. Raymund Devas, A. Chapl. Dept.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty in visiting the front-line trenches during heavy fighting, where his coolness and courage assisted greatly in maintaining the confidence and morale of the men.

Lt. Maurice Nelson Dewing, R.F.A.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He remained in the observation post under intense fire, observing the attack and engaging the enemy with direct observation throughout the day. He also repaired a telephone wire under heavy fire.

T./Lt. Harold Watson Dick, W. York. R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty in checking a hostile attack, when, by the skilful handling of his company, he caused the enemy heavy casualties. Later, when his position was heavily shelled and a few men commenced to fall back, he walked up and down the line in the open under heavy fire and rallied his men. The position was maintained.

2nd Lt. Augustus George Dickson, R.F.A.,  
Spec. Res.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty during long operations while in command of his section. Although he was several times shelled both with high explosives and gas, he maintained his position with the greatest courage and tenacity, and sent back very valuable information. By his coolness and absolute disregard of danger he set a splendid example to all under his command.

T./Lt. Ernest Alfred Dickson, L'pool R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty when in command of a company in the front line. The troops on his flanks had withdrawn, but he held on until almost surrounded, and then fought his way back step by step, inflicting heavy loss on the enemy. His splendid example of coolness inspired the greatest confidence in both officers and men.

T./2nd Lt. Herbert Alfred Disney, M.G.C.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. On two occasions, he brought up supplies of ammunition and rations through intense artillery barrages. Later, he personally rescued a gun and tripod, organising a fresh team from stragglers, and with them proving of invaluable assistance during a critical moment of the operations. His exceptional ability and courage were most marked.

T./Capt. Thomas Herbert Dixon, Manch. R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty when he took his company forward to clear away the enemy, who were reported to be cutting wire under cover of darkness, when he led his men with great coolness.

Capt. (A./Maj.) James Jardine Dobie,  
D.S.O., Hrs.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty when commanding his squadron. Finding that he was no longer necessary in his position, he obtained leave to rejoin his regiment engaged in a counter-attack. He took command of the front line, and after the objectives had been seized, it was in great measure due to his courage and determination that the consolidation of the line was successfully accomplished.

T./Lt. Harold Heatley Dobinson, Tank  
Corps.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty in command of a Tank, when he was instrumental in breaking up two hostile attacks, and again, when there was danger of the infantry being outflanked, he took his Tank into a counter-attack and drove the enemy back over a road. Throughout the operations he showed great skill and courage, and eventually manoeuvred back to safety.

Lt. (A./Maj.) George Dodds Rowell Dobson,  
Durh. L.I.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty during a retirement. He showed exceptional zeal, and by his cheerful and resourceful manner and disregard for personal safety did much to keep up the spirits of the men.

2nd Lt. William Dobson, North'n R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. When the company was ordered to withdraw he organised and controlled the retirement of his platoon on the left flank, so that it fell back in perfect order under fire. Later, he reorganised and led his platoon forward in the counter-attack. By his example and coolness he exercised a decided influence on the other units of the company.

T./2nd Lt. George Henry Dodd, W. York.  
R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty during four heavy enemy attacks. His company was subjected to intense bombardment, followed by strong infantry attacks, but owing to this officer's gallant leadership were driven off each time with heavy loss.