

Lt. William Henry Roberts, M.G. Corps.

For conspicuous gallantry in action. He handled his section of motor machine guns with great courage and remarkable skill under heavy fire, enabling them to select positions of the utmost value, whence they were able to inflict heavy casualties on the enemy, as well as to neutralise his fire and permit our troops to advance.

T./Capt. Claude Henry Rogers, A.S.C.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He carried out the construction of a light railway that was very urgently required to assist our offensive operations in a remarkably short time, and, in spite of heavy shelling and gas attacks, kept it in operation, largely through his own personal efforts, as he was very short of men. His energy and determination were splendid examples to the men working under him, and materially contributed to the success of our operations.

Lt. Frank Mackenzie Ross, Manitoba R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty during an attack. When his commanding officer was killed and the second-in-command was forward he handled a difficult situation with splendid ability. Whilst assuming various duties he exposed himself to severe fire, and his fine example of coolness and resource did much to ensure the success of the operation.

Lt. John Douglas Seton, M.G. Corps.

For conspicuous gallantry in action. He was severely wounded and burnt by a shell which struck one of the two armoured cars of which he was in charge. In spite of his injuries he helped to turn the car round, under heavy machine-gun fire, and led it on his motor cycle back to our lines. He set a fine example of determination and endurance to his men.

Capt. George Lister Thornton Sharp, Infy.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty during an advance. He kept his brigade closely in touch with the situation, and sent back information which materially assisted them to advance through the leading brigade to the final objective. Later, he went over with the leading waves of the attack, and carried forward a telephone line, and under very heavy fire kept up information throughout the operation. He showed great coolness and courage.

Lt. Arthur William Hood Smith, Rail Troops.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He worked with his party for half an hour under heavy machine-gun fire repairing a break on the line of his light railway, enabling the gas trains to reach their destinations and make the attack a complete success.

Lt. Harold Smith, M.M., M.G. Corps.

For conspicuous gallantry and initiative. He was in command of a motor machine-

gun battery and a cyclist battalion, and with this small force he captured and held a very important enemy strong point that constituted a gap between our troops and those of our Allies. The success of the operation was due to his coolness and courage, which were fine examples to his men.

Lt. Harry Gardner Brough Templeman, M.M., Alberta R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He personally supervised the supply and transport of bombs and ammunition to our most advanced positions during an enemy attack. He was untiring in his efforts under heavy fire and exposed himself with complete disregard of danger to ensure the efficiency of the service. He set a very fine example to his men.

Capt. Waldo Talbot Trench, M.G.C.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty whilst commanding a battery during an advance. His battery fought most keenly to keep in touch with troops on the right, and throughout the whole action this officer showed great coolness, determination and ability to command. On several occasions he made bold reconnaissances which materially assisted in the success of the operation.

Lt. Frank Waghorn, D.C.M., M.M., M.G. Corps.

For conspicuous gallantry in action. He was in charge of part of a motor machine-gun battery and took a leading part in the capture of an important enemy strong point, which constituted a serious gap between our Allies and ourselves. He set a very fine example of coolness and courage to his men, whom he handled in a manner that was much admired by an Allied commander.

Lt. Edward Wallace Waits Watling, Alberta R.

For conspicuous gallantry and initiative during an attack. After the final objective had been reached he led a small party and rushed a material and munition dump beyond, capturing sixteen prisoners and a large quantity of stores and munitions. Throughout the operation he set a splendid example of coolness and devotion to duty to his men.

Lt. Charles Watt, Alberta R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty during an attack. He led his platoon against a party of the enemy in a wood who were holding up the advance with heavy machine-gun fire. He dispersed them and captured two machine guns. He showed marked gallantry and ability to command.

Lt. Alfred Laurence Wilson, Fd. Arty.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. As forward observation officer in charge of a party of signallers he established satisfactory communications under very difficult conditions and in spite of an intense barrage fire in a short space of time, thus enabling valuable information to be trans-