

T./2nd Lt. Frank Frere, 10th Bn., Tank Corps.

He displayed conspicuous gallantry and initiative when commanding his Tank under difficult circumstances, and, though the infantry had lost touch, he unhesitatingly attacked the enemy and cleared the flank for our advance. His prompt grasp of the situation undoubtedly enabled the infantry to reach their objective.

2nd Lt. John Boyd Frew, 1/4th Bn., R.S. Fus., T.F.

For conspicuous gallantry and initiative. Seeing a large party of the enemy firing heavily with rifles and machine guns on our infantry, he started a party bombing down the trench, and sent an N.C.O. round with men to bomb up from the other end. The result was the surrender of fifty-two enemy and four machine guns and considerable progress to our attack. He did splendid work.

Lt. (A./Capt.) Eric Jesser Fulcher, R.W. Kent R. (Spec. Res.), attd. 1st Bn.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty during an attack. He pushed up a platoon from his support company when the attack was wavering, and by his action the objective was gained and consolidated. His initiative and energy restored a critical situation.

T./Capt. Frederick Walter Furber, 8th Bn., R. Lan. R. (Lt., S. African Def. Force).

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty during an attack. He led his company with great coolness and judgment, and later, although wounded, remained with them until the objectives were consolidated. He set a very fine example to his men.

Lt. George Gardner, 1/4th Bn., R. Scots, T.F.

For conspicuous gallantry and fine leadership during an attack. He took out a patrol and gained valuable information, and afterwards led his company to the final objective. Later, with a few men, he went forward and killed the team of a machine gun which was firing on his outposts. During the whole action he showed great gallantry, and set a splendid example to his men.

2nd Lt. (A./Capt.) Hector Holland Garvey, Linc. R., attd. 8th Bn.

For conspicuous gallantry during an attack. When his company was enfiladed by machine-gun fire he personally led a platoon to deal with this and relieved the situation. His prompt action enabled his company to advance. Throughout the action he handled his company in a most determined and courageous manner, and he carried out several dangerous reconnaissances, obtaining useful information.

Capt. Clive Hunter Gaskell, Wilts. R., Spec. Res., attd. 1st Bn.

For conspicuous gallantry and perseverance in an attack by his company, which under his leadership was entirely successful, and after taking a village he consolidated a line on the far side. When daylight appeared he discovered that he was surrounded,

but in spite of heavy fire he maintained the position until, troops coming up on the flanks, the enemy were forced to withdraw.

Lt. William Herbert Gatfield, 1/16th Bn., Lond. R.

He displayed conspicuous gallantry and resource during an attack, when troops in front were held up by the intense machine-gun fire of the enemy. He exposed himself with complete disregard for his own safety, getting in touch with other units and collecting and reorganising stragglers who had lost their officers. He set a very fine example to all around him, and his efforts greatly contributed to the success of the operation.

Lt. Antony Howard Gattie, 2nd County of Lond. Yeo., seed. 10th Bn., Tank Corps.

During an attack he walked in front of his two Tanks to guide them through the mist, and, pointing out suitable targets, he was able to silence a battery of guns. One of his Tanks was disabled and the other set on fire, but he helped to extinguish the flames, and then proceeded to destroy a machine-gun nest that was harassing the infantry. His courage and fine leadership were an example to all.

2nd Lt. Jack Rudolph Gaulter, 1/4th Bn., R. Lan. R. (T.F.).

For conspicuous gallantry and good leadership. He led his platoon in an attack, surprised the enemy and captured his final objective with few casualties. He then carried out a reconnaissance beyond the outpost line. He set an excellent example of determination to his men.

Lt. Peter Geddes, 6th Bn., Gord. Highrs. (T.F.), attd. 2/14th Bn., Lond. R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty during an advance. He made a very daring and complete reconnaissance, showing complete disregard for his own safety under severe machine-gun and rifle fire at close range. Also, by cool and skilful handling of his men he broke up many enemy machine-gun nests with a minimum of loss to his company. He did fine work.

2nd Lt. John Percy Gee, 1/5th Bn., Lond. R.

With a few men of his own company and some stragglers from other units he held an isolated position till dusk, going out himself frequently under heavy fire to reconnoitre. On one occasion he routed an enemy patrol, shooting two and dispersing the others. He inspired his small force with his own spirit of resolution, and his gallant example greatly encouraged them throughout.

2nd Lt. Walter Herman Geilinger, R. Fus.

For conspicuous gallantry during an attack. He advanced with his platoon to within 100 yards of the enemy and established a Lewis gun position and was responsible for covering the advance of two companies. Later, when the enemy was about to counter-attack, he took out a small party to meet them and caused them to withdraw. Throughout the operations he was conspicuous for his cheerful courage and devotion to duty.