

Lt. James Case McCulloch, 9th Bn., attd. 1/7th Bn., R. Scots., T.F.

For conspicuous gallantry during an attack. He remained at duty although wounded. He also led a patrol to the enemy line and obtained valuable information. While leading his platoon he was again wounded. Throughout he set a great example to his men.

T./2nd Lt. Cyril James Lamport McDowall, M.M., 7th Bn., S. Lan. R., attd. 12th Bn., Manch. R.

For conspicuous gallantry during an attack. He led his platoon against a strong enemy post, and with the help of another platoon captured nearly 100 prisoners and several machine guns. His prompt and fearless action at a critical moment enabled the whole brigade to move forward and occupy a strong position.

T./2nd Lt. James McDougall, R. Sco. Fus., attd. 2nd Bn., K.O. Sco. Bord.

For conspicuous gallantry in an attack on a village. His company commander having become a casualty, he took command, and by skilful leadership under trying circumstances enabled the village to be captured. He superintended the work of consolidation, and throughout showed great energy and devotion to duty.

2nd Lt. Alexander McFadzean, 1/5th Bn., R.S. Fus., T.F.

For conspicuous gallantry and determination in action. Although blown up and severely shaken by a shell early in the advance he continued to lead his platoon with the greatest dash, capturing two enemy machine-gun teams. He set a very fine example to his men.

Rev. Edward McGrath, A.C.D., attd. 1st Bn., Ches. R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. When the battalion was forced to withdraw from its final objective by an enemy counter-attack he went forward repeatedly to attend to the wounded under intense fire, and was the means of saving a large number who were in danger of falling into the enemy's hands. His coolness and disregard of danger were an inspiration to all ranks.

Lieut. Kenneth Alexander Taylor McLennan, 2nd Bn., K.O. Sco. Bord.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty during an advance. When sent forward with his platoon to clear a wood he accomplished his task brilliantly, capturing over thirty prisoners and a number of machine guns. In a later attack his bold and determined action was largely responsible for the capture of a village. Though severely wounded, he remained at duty until the final objective had been taken and consolidated.

2nd Lt. John Baird McMurtrie, 1/5th Bn. R. Scots Fus.

For conspicuous gallantry in action. He led his platoon brilliantly, and when the right flank of his company was heavily counter-attacked under trench-mortar barrage he took his platoon forward under cover

of a rifle-grenade barrage and in one rush killed or drove back the enemy party and captured two trench mortars and a machine gun. He did splendid work.

2nd Lt. Charles William McPherson, 1/14th Bn., Lond. R.

He led his platoon with great gallantry through heavy machine-gun fire to their objectives in two different attacks and successfully organised the captured positions. His example of personal courage and fine leadership inspired his men and carried them forward, in spite of determined resistance.

T./Lt. Thomas Brown McWalter, 12th Bn., E. Surr. R.

For conspicuous gallantry while commanding a fighting patrol. He was ordered to drive out enemy posts and so enable other troops to advance. In spite of extreme darkness and swampy ground, he overcame determined resistance and gained his objective. Throughout the whole operation he set a fine example of courage and good leadership.

T./2nd Lt. Thomas Mealand, 2nd Bn., Suff. R.

For conspicuous gallantry during an attack. At the head of a few men he captured two machine guns. Later, under heavy machine-gun fire, he left cover to direct a Tank towards a machine-gun nest at a time when an enemy field gun was firing direct on the Tank. Later, during the capture of a village, he led his platoon brilliantly. Throughout the operations he displayed marked courage and devotion to duty.

T./2nd Lt. Duncan McNab Menzies, 98th Fd. Co., R.E.

He displayed great gallantry and energetic determination in the preparations for crossing an important river, and his untiring efforts were particularly valuable, as under the heavy fire of the enemy his company sustained many casualties among the officers and was working short-handed.

T./Lt. John Merrilees, 1st Bn., Gord. Highrs.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He showed great coolness and initiative in organising his platoon and the other platoons of the company in full view of the enemy under very heavy fire after an attack. Later, when his company was coming up to assemble for an attack in a sunken road, he discovered that an enemy machine gun was in the sunken road. His platoon was in front, and he immediately rushed the gun, thus clearing the way for his company to assemble. Throughout he set a very fine example of courage and determination.

Lt. Kenneth Middlemiss, 4th Bn., E. York. R., T.F., attd. 7th Bn.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty as transport officer during an advance. He took forward ammunition, rations and water to the battalion under the most difficult conditions. On two occasions, when supplies were urgently needed, he personally led forward carrying parties under heavy fire to the front line. His cool determination