

Capt. Pierrepont Rodney Miller Mundy, M.C., 2nd Bn., S. Wales Bord.

(SALONIKA)

For conspicuous gallantry in command of the leading company in the assault on Grand Couronne on 18th September, 1918. Though wounded in the thigh he continued to lead his men to the final assault of the enemy position, and on the readjustment of our line he, with the one other remaining officer, rallied the remnants of the battalion, and organised a new position on the Tonque, beating off an enemy counter-attack. Finally, with only fifteen men left, he withdrew them in an orderly manner to our lines. His courage and leadership throughout inspired all ranks.

Capt. Terence Desmond Murray, M.C., 1st Bn., Leins. R.

(EGYPT)

For conspicuous gallantry during the raid on Ghurabeh Ridge on night of 12-13th August, 1918. He led two companies against the east end of Ghurabeh Ridge. By his skilful leadership and fine example of courage he was responsible for the capture of 110 prisoners and five machine-guns. He subsequently organised and carried out with conspicuous success the withdrawal of these two companies from a very extended and difficult position.

Capt. (A./Lt.-Col.) George Henry Neely, M.C., 6th Bn., Lond. R., attd. 1/18th Bn.

On the evening of the 5th September, 1918, he personally led his men, with conspicuous coolness and gallantry, in an assault, and succeeded in clearing out many nests of hostile machine guns, which had been holding up the attack all day. During the night he reorganised his own unit, and assisted others, and completed the work of disposing of further enemy machine-gun posts, finally continuing the advance on Lieramont, driving the enemy from the village, and establishing himself on the high ground to the east. Throughout his magnificent example inspired all in contact with him with the greatest confidence.

Capt. William Alexander Parker, 5th Bn., attd. 9th Bn., Sco. Rif., T.F.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty during the nine miles advance east of Ypres, from 28th September to 9th October, 1918. He was primarily responsible for maintaining the direction of the advance, and overcame many obstacles in the form of machine-gun nests and concrete emplacements, keeping well up with the barrage, and consequently with light casualties. His company captured a large number of prisoners.

T./2nd Lt. Leonard Richmond, 12th Bn., Ches. R.

(SALONIKA)

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty as battalion intelligence officer. He carried out many valuable reconnaissances before the attack on the "P" Ridge on September 18, 1918. He taped out the assembly positions of the leading battalion in Jackson's Ravine, and carried out his duties generally with such skill that the assembly of the brigade proceeded in perfect order. After the attack had deve-

loped he assumed command of a company which had lost its leaders and rallied them under intense fire. Later, under very heavy fire, he remained with his commanding officer, who had been mortally wounded. He showed marked courage throughout.

T./Capt. James Basil Wilkie Robertson, 11th Bn., North'd Fus.

(ITALY.)

For conspicuous gallantry and ability during attacks on the enemy's lines on the N. bank of the Piave on October 27th and 29th, 1918. He led his company brilliantly and captured a large number of machine guns and prisoners, setting a very fine example to his men throughout the operations. On October 27th, when the senior officers had become casualties, the battalion under his command captured all objectives.

Lt. (A./Capt.) David Ross, M.C., 2nd Bn., A. and S. Highrs.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty on September 23rd, 1918, near Villers Guislain. The night on which he took over a newly captured trench with his company, he worked past a block on his right and established a new one 200 yards down the trench. The following day he fought up and down the trench with varying results, killing and wounding many of the enemy and taking five prisoners. Day and night for four days he was attacking and counter-attacking with great dash, on one occasion taking forty-three prisoners. He inspired the men with fine fighting spirit.

Capt. (A./Lt.-Col.) Samuel Edgar Sanders, M.C., R. Fus. (Spec. Res.), attd. 3rd Bn., Lond. R.

For remarkable gallantry during operations near Chipilly, August 8th to 10th, 1918. In a heavy mist, when companies were apt to lose direction; he pushed forward with his battalion headquarters and led an attack on Malard Wood, capturing large parties of prisoners. Then, in spite of being wounded, he rushed a quarry and captured four machine guns and seventy prisoners. Later he led the line forward under heavy fire to the final objective, where he took charge of elements of the brigade and Allied troops, and established a line of posts. He displayed the greatest courage and was most severely wounded.

Lt. (A./Capt.) Harry James Sanders, M.C., 1/24th Bn., Lond. R.

At Le Foret and St. Pierre Vaast Wood, 30th August and 2nd September, 1918, this officer led his company in the attack, and succeeded in capturing the objectives and sixty prisoners, seven machine guns, and two 77 mm. guns. When the position on Hill 150, near Rancourt, was obscure, he went forward several times under very heavy shell and machine-gun fire to clear up the situation. Throughout the operations he displayed great courage and ability.

Maj (A./Lt.-Col.) Prescott Sandilands, 1st Royal Marine L.I. Bn.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. On 27th September, 1918, at