

and machine guns, besides inflicting severe casualties. He then moved his company forward 200 yards and consolidated, saving the men many casualties, which would have been incurred by the bombardment of the town.

(M.C. gazetted 3rd March, 1917.)
(First Bar gazetted 18th January, 1918.)

Capt. (A./Maj.) Arthur Thomas Field, M.C., 58th Bn., Can. Infy., 2nd Cent. Ont. R.

For conspicuous gallantry and leadership in the attack on Bois du Sart and Boiry on 27th and 28th August, 1918. In the face of intense fire he led his company to all objectives given to him, and when the enemy counter-attacked on the flank he rushed his company to the rescue, completely crushing the attempt. Later, handling his company with courage and skill, he repelled another counter-attack.

(M.C. gazetted 18th January, 1918.)
(Bar gazetted 26th July, 1918.)

Lt. Joseph Robson Hardy, M.C., 52nd Bn., Can. Infy., Manitoba R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty at Bois de Vert on 27th August, 1918, when his company commander became a casualty during the attack. He took command and led the men forward without hesitation, later on reorganising for a second attack, which he directed with success.

(M.C. gazetted 18th January, 1918.)
(Bar gazetted 16th September, 1918.)

Lt. (A./Capt.) Walter Wallace Johnson, M.C., 58th Bn., Can. Infy., 2nd Cent. Ont. R.

For conspicuous gallantry and fine leadership when many officers had become casualties and the advance was held up by enemy machine-gun fire in Bois du Sart on 27th August, 1918. He rallied men from all the companies, reorganised them, and led the attack with success. When danger threatened from two strong posts on the flank, he swung his company round and captured both, taking 200 prisoners and many machine guns. He then repulsed a counter-attack, and all through set a splendid example which inspired his men.

(M.C. gazetted 4th February, 1918.)
(Bar gazetted 26th March, 1918.)

Capt. (A./Maj.) James Austin Scroggie, M.C., 16th Bn., Can. Infy., Manitoba R.

For conspicuous gallantry and skilful leadership throughout a prolonged period of operations extending from August 7th to September 4th, 1918; first, in the arrangements of the assembly and distribution of battle supplies, then in organising and leading an attack on Schwetz Wood, which resulted in the capture of many prisoners and an advanced line. In the second battle of Arras he was always first and foremost in overcoming machine-gun opposition, reorganising and reconnoitring. His energy and enthusiasm were a brilliant example to the men of his battalion.

(M.C. gazetted 19th August, 1916.)
(Bar gazetted 16th August, 1918.)

Capt. John Douglas Young, M.C., 52nd Bn., Can. Infy., Manitoba R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty at the Bois de Vert on 27th August,

1918. After the initial attack, many officers having become casualties, he personally supervised the reorganisation of four companies of his battalion, besides parties from other units, and then led them with success against the next objective. He showed determination and tactical ability in directing this operation.

(M.C. gazetted 4th February, 1918.)
(Bar gazetted 11th January, 1919.)

Capt. Lewis Younger, M.C., Alberta R. (Bde. Maj., 9th Can. Infy. Bde. H.Q.)

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty during operations on 27th to 29th August, 1918, near Monchy-le-Preux. After the first attack, the situation was obscure, and he made a most daring reconnaissance of the position, bringing back excellent information. The following day he made another reconnaissance of the jumping-off positions, and subsequently of the ground gained by the attack, twice passing through the enemy barrage and accurately appreciating the situation.

(M.C. gazetted 15th March, 1916.)
(Bar gazetted 18th January, 1918.)

AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

Lt. Leslie Dadson, M.C., 12th Bn., A.I.F.

For conspicuous gallantry near Lihons on 11th August, 1918, while in command of his company in conducting the attack on a very strong enemy position in Auger Wood which was full of machine guns. He carried the position with a rush, thus facilitating the advance in other parts of the line. His excellent leadership resulted in his company capturing 15 machine guns, accounting for the teams in every case, and taking three field guns. He did splendid work.

(M.C. gazetted 18th June, 1917.)
(Bar gazetted 18th June 1917.)

AWARDED A BAR TO MILITARY CROSS.

T./Lt. Stephen Arthur Andrews, M.C.; 7th Bn., R. Suss. R.

For conspicuous gallantry near Carnoy on 26th August, 1918. He showed great courage in bombing a strong point from which the enemy were holding up the advance by heavy machine-gun fire. He led a few men forward, captured the gun, and killed five of the crew, enabling the remainder to advance and reach their objective. Throughout the operations from 22nd to 28th August his courage and leadership inspired all under his command.

(M.C. gazetted 18th October, 1917.)

T./2nd Lt. Frank Archer, M.C., M.M., 25th Bn., North'd Fus., attd. 2nd Bn., Linc. R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty on 8th October near Walincourt. When the two leading companies were held up by fire from the right flank he led forward two Lewis-gun teams, together with a captured gun, and drove the enemy down a road, at the end of which he captured two field guns and forty-four prisoners. His determination and drive had an inspiring effect on all ranks.

(M.C. gazetted 11th January, 1919.)