

Lt. (A./Capt.) William Thomas Johnston, 1st Bn., East Kent R.

Near Fresnoy, on the 18th/19th September, 1918, he commanded his company with ability, courage and coolness, showing absolute disregard for personal danger. His conduct all through was a fine example to all ranks. He was wounded while carrying out a personal reconnaissance when in a difficult position.

T./Capt. Harry Maple Johnstone, 11th, attd. 17th Bn., R. Scots.

For conspicuous gallantry and ability during operations from 2nd October to 22nd October, 1918, from Wervicq to east of Courtrai. He made a daring reconnaissance with two men, and succeeded in bringing back valuable information. He subsequently, when his company commander was wounded, took over the company and commanded it brilliantly. In a night attack he captured objectives 3,000 yards from the starting point, and so secured the flank of the brigade.

Lt. Isaac Lloyd Johnstone, 6th Bn., R. Welsh Fus., T.F., attd. 9th Bn.

For gallant conduct and fine leadership throughout the operations of 19th to 24th October, 1918, near the Selle River. After all the remainder of the officers of his company had become casualties, he took command and led the company to its final objective. After the objective had been gained and consolidated, he organised and led patrols, bringing back important and accurate information.

T./2nd Lt. Albert Jones, D.C.M., 8th Bn., M.G. Corps.

For great gallantry and devotion to duty. On the 7th October, 1918, near Plouvain, during an attack on the Fresnee-Rouvroy line, he was in charge of four guns, which he led forward with the advancing infantry. On reaching the final objective he skilfully placed his guns and gave great support during the consolidation by harassing the enemy approaches and communications. Throughout these operations he showed great initiative.

T./2nd Lt. Arthur Llewelyn Jones, 2nd Bn., R.W. Fus.

During the attack on the south-eastern outskirts of Engiefontaine and the Foret de Mormal, on 4th November, 1918, he displayed great courage throughout the advance, and led his men with great skill, dash, and initiative. Owing to his determined leadership his platoon successfully attacked a machine-gun post of four guns, capturing them all, together with thirty-eight prisoners. His conduct was most inspiring, and an example to all ranks.

T./2nd Lt. Clifford Jones, S. Staff. R., attd. 1/5th Bn., T.F.

During the operations on the 29th September, 1918, north of Bellenglise, when his company commander was severely wounded, he took command of the company, which he led with great skill and courage, reaching his final objective after

capturing eight machine guns and four field guns. It was greatly due to his example and energy that the northern portion of the village of Bellenglise was cleared of the enemy.

Capt. Guy Travers Mordecai Jones, Leins. R. (EGYPT)

On the night of the 19th/20th September, 1918, in the attack on Furkah, when the leading company was temporarily held up, Captain Jones, who was in support, led his company forward under exceedingly heavy fire from machine guns, rifles, and bombs. His prompt and gallant leadership undoubtedly eased the situation at a critical period in the fight, and enabled our attack to proceed.

Lt. (T./Capt.) Herbert Llewellyn Jones, Welsh R., Spec. Res., attd. 13th Bn.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. In an attack north of Le Cateau on 20th October, 1918, he managed to effect, with his battalion, the crossing of the River Selle under fire from both artillery and machine-guns. The success of the operations was largely due to his resource and fine leading. Later, he personally reconnoitred the whole of the battalion front line.

T./2nd Lt. (A./Capt.) Owen Thomas Jones, 17th Bn., R.W. Fus.

On 29th October, 1918, at Englefontaine, during a raid on the enemy lines, his company was thrown into confusion while forming up by heavy shell fire. He at once reorganised and led them forward, and was mainly instrumental in destroying several enemy posts. On 4th November, during the attack on Mormal Forest, he again showed very fine leadership and gallantry, and in face of strong opposition gained his objective.

Subadar Kahar Sing Ale, 1st Gurkha Rif. (EGYPT)

For conspicuous gallantry in action on the 19th September, 1918, near Sabieh. A party of the enemy were in position so as to hold up his battalion. However, he moved out to the flank, and, after working round them, captured the whole party, thus allowing the battalion to continue the advance and saving many casualties.

T./Lt. William Albert Keates, 29th Bn., M.G. Corps.

For conspicuous gallantry and ability at St. Louis, between the 19th and 22nd October, 1918. When the infantry advance was held up on the 19th, he went forward and did a daring reconnaissance, which resulted in his being able to bring fire to bear of an enemy machine gun, enabling the advance to proceed. Again, on the following day, he assisted in giving the advancing infantry covering fire.

Capt. (A./Maj.) Brian Christopher Headlam Keenlyside, Lan. Fus., attd. 19th Bn., Dur. L.I.

He commanded his battalion during a most difficult manœuvre on the night of 30th/31st October, 1918, involving the capture of Rugge-Waermaerde-Tenhove-Kerk-