

200629 C./S./M. (A./R.S.M.) P. Docherty, M.M., 5/6th Bn., Sco. Rif., T.F. (Glasgow).

For gallantry in the field and devotion to duty. From the 17th September until 11th November, 1918, he did excellent work in action, arranging for carrying parties and superintending the supply of ammunition under heavy fire. He has displayed keenness, dash and cheerfulness under all conditions, and his personal example and contempt for danger have contributed largely to the success of his battalion.

201861 Pte. C. W. Dockwray, 1/5th Bn., Manch. R., T.F., attd. 127th L.T.M.B. (South Shields).

For marked gallantry and devotion to duty as a runner during the last 18 months on many occasions—at Havrincourt, Nieuport, Gommiecourt and east of Hebuterne. In the course of these operations he was twice wounded. He was frequently in charge of Stokes gun teams in the line, and his work in this capacity has been carried out with remarkable skill and determination.

69270 Sjt. E. Dodd, 121st Sge. By., R.G.A. (Barraford).

Before the operations on the night of the 3rd and morning of the 4th November, 1918, he displayed great gallantry and devotion to duty during heavy hostile shelling of the battery position. The fire from his gun never slackened throughout the whole time.

387931 Cpl. (A./Sjt.) G. S. Dodd, 8th A.T. Coy., R.E. (Walthamstow). (ITALY)

For praiseworthy performance of his duties during the five months with his unit on the Asiago Plateau, during which he set an excellent example of gallantry and coolness under almost daily shell fire on the pipe lines being laid and maintained up to and forward of the front line.

500280 Cpl. H. T. Dodd, 61st (S. Mid.) Div. Sig. Coy., R.E., T.F. (Bristol).

He was in charge of a forward cable detachment during the operations in the Vendegies area, 22nd October to 2nd November, 1918, and showed great energy and initiative in laying and maintaining the forward lines. For two years he has commanded a cable detachment, and has always set his men a fine example under fire.

51277 Pte. J. Dodds, 9th Bn., North'd Fus. (Durham).

On the 24th October, 1918, his section commander became a casualty. He immediately took command of the section, and continued to command them throughout the whole of the operations. Later in the day, by his courage and initiative, he was the means of putting an enemy machine gun out of action. His conduct throughout the operations was of the highest order.

8090 C./S./M. T. Dodgson, M.M., 1/7th Bn., W. Rid. R., T.F. (Canada).

On 11th October, 1918, at Villers en Gauchies, he showed marked gallantry during the attack. Although wounded, he greatly assisted the one remaining officer in

keeping the men together. During the enemy counter-attack with tanks he showed coolness and ability.

0404 L./Sjt. F. J. Donhou, 1/4th Bn., D.C.L.I. (fmly. 8560 2/4th Bn., Devon. R.), attd. 1/152nd Punjabis, Ind. Army (Wednesday). (PALESTINE)

For cool courage and continual good work during the campaign of 1918. On 19th September, during the attack on the coastal sector, Palestine, when heavy enemy barrage endangered loss of touch between his battalion and the battalion on the left, he collected the nearest men, and led them straight through the barrage, thereby maintaining touch and direction.

202116 Sjt. E. Doring, 9th Bn., Sco. Rif. (Glasgow).

He has taken part in practically all the engagements in which the battalion has been engaged since March, 1917, including the operations at Arras in April and May, 1917, Ypres, September and October, 1917, on the Somme, and the actions at Kemmel in March and April, 1918, and the advance east of Ypres in September and October, 1918. Throughout he has always displayed high soldierly qualities of fine courage.

26684 L./C. (A./Cpl.) A. Dott, 10th Bn., Sco. Rif. (Edinburgh).

For gallantry and devotion to duty. On 23rd October, 1918, during the advance from Petih Rumes to Merlin, his platoon was held up by a machine gun. He crawled out and signalled back its position to his Lewis-gun team, which opened fire and silenced the gun, enabling the platoon to continue advancing. Later in the day he succeeded in silencing three machine guns.

251489 Sjt. G. H. Dowdall, 2/6th Bn., Durh. L.I. (Kingston).

Under most trying conditions he has maintained signal communication under shell fire. By his energy and indifference to his own safety he has set a fine example to the signal section.

650020 R./Q./M./S. J. C. Downer, 1/21st Bn., Lond. R. (Maida Vale).

For devotion to duty during the period from 25th February to 31st December, 1918, and particularly on 25th March, when the company of which he was at the time C.S.M. was fighting a rearguard action in Bazentin-le-Petit Wood, and later in the trenches defending Contalmaison.

11686 Sjt. E. Downey, 1st Bn., L'pool R., attd. 6th T.M. By. (Liverpool).

For continuous gallantry and devotion to duty from 16th/17th September to 11th November, 1918. He has invariably shown great courage and coolness while in charge of gun teams, notably at Flesquieres on 27th September and at Noyelles on 29th September. His skill and coolness under shell fire have frequently inspired all ranks under his command, and his efforts have repeatedly met with success, to the detriment of the enemy.