

convoy together and safely delivered his loads at their destination. He has on several occasions performed good work of a similar nature.

2nd Lt. Wilfred Roy Wolton, Suff. R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He led the leading platoon in the advance with great success. He showed fine spirit against severe opposition, and though wounded in the face, remained in front for some considerable time.

2nd Lt. (temp. Capt.) Robert Lindsay Wood, R.E.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He was engaged in removing ruins from most dangerous places. The ruins included "traps" of all kinds. This dangerous work was most successfully carried out under his direction.

2nd Lt. (temp. Capt.) James Woodburn, Arg. & Suth'd Highrs., Spec. Res.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. By his skilful leading he was largely instrumental in taking and making good the final objective. By his personal courage and example he maintained his company in a good state of organisation under very trying conditions.

Temp. Lt. David Edward Mantell Woodhouse, R.W. Kent R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty as Battalion Intelligence Officer during an attack. He gained valuable information, and when an enemy counter-attack forced our troops to withdraw he reorganised and encouraged the men from the top of the parapet, utterly regardless of his personal safety. He set a splendid example throughout.

2nd Lt. Guy Henry Warwick Wright, R.F.A.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. Whilst forward observing officer, he showed great courage and determination in remaining at his post for two days, registering targets and commanding his mortar during an attack. He had been severely wounded on the first day.

2nd Lt. (temp. Lt.) John Henry Marshall Yeomans, N. Staff. R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. When the objective of an attack had been gained, he showed great coolness in consolidating his position, and was largely instrumental in driving off repeated bombing attacks by the enemy. His courage has been noted on previous occasions.

8675 C./S./M. William Gittins, R. Welsh Fus.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He led his company in the attack on the enemy trenches. He remained out on the ground gained under heavy machine gun fire, and set a magnificent example to the men under very trying circumstances.

11576 C./S./M. Harry Holding, Manch. R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. With a few men of the company he drove out the enemy from the position. Although wounded in the head he remained at duty, and started consolidation until he was again severely wounded.

7760 C./S./M. Leonard Charles Knight, Suff. R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He took command of the company, and, reorganising them, led them to the attack. He displayed throughout the greatest skill, gallantry and leadership.

200441 C./S./M. William Medley, W. Rid. R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty when in command of a patrol. He handled his men with great skill and captured a prisoner, who furnished a valuable identification. He has on many previous occasions done fine work.

AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

Lt. Arthur James Shepherd, Arty.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty, when under heavy shell fire, in personally assisting a party of volunteers to extinguish a fire which had broken out in a howitzer battery, thereby preventing an explosion of heavy shells and consequent damage and loss of life. His conduct at all times has shown an utter disregard of personal risk.

CANADIAN FORCE.

Lt. Edward Lyman Abbott, Infy.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He handled his men in the most able manner, and successfully led them through an intense hostile barrage. He set a fine example of courage and initiative.

Lt. William Alexander Adam, Engrs.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He was in charge of parties repairing an important road. This work was carried out under heavy fire, and it was solely due to his example and personal courage that this important work was successfully accomplished.

Lt. Thoburn Stephens Allan, Inf.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He led his company in the most gallant manner, and captured his objective, which he succeeded in consolidating. He set a fine example to his men.

Capt. Arthur Chester Armstrong, A.M.C.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He displayed great courage and determination in tending the wounded under very heavy fire. His devotion to duty saved many lives.