

2nd Lt. Joseph Adam Innes, Sea. Highrs.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He led his platoon direct to its objective and dug in under heavy shell fire. Later, while in charge of a working party, five of his men were killed and ten wounded, but in spite of this he kept the remainder together and finished the task. He also assisted to remove the wounded, and displayed extraordinary disregard of personal safety throughout the entire day.

Capt. (T./Maj.) Herbert Innocent, Essex R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty when in command of a mopping-up company. Owing to the leading division not having reached its objective he found the situation changed at a moment's notice, and after making a personal and dangerous reconnaissance, had to turn his company into an assaulting company. This he did with the utmost coolness and ability, and at once filled a dangerous gap which existed in the line. Throughout the day he displayed a clear and concise grasp of the situation, and at all times set a splendid example to his men.

2nd Lt. (A./Lt.) Jonathan Duncan Inverarity, R.F.A., Spec. Res.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. While firing his mortars an ammunition pit close by was set on fire by an enemy shell. Ordering his men under cover, he went into the pit alone and put out the fire. He then ordered the men back into action, and continued firing his battery until his task was completed, displaying magnificent courage and devotion to duty on this, as on all other occasions when he has been in action.

2nd Lt. James Farrar Irving, K.O.S.B., Spec. Res.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. When all the other officers of his company were killed and wounded he took command and captured the objective, and by his energy and cheerful disregard of his personal safety enabled his company to consolidate its position, and to hold it through a counter-attack on the following day.

T./Lt. William Johnstone Isbister, M.B., R.A.M.C.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. During the attack and capture of a position he displayed complete disregard of danger in attending to the wounded and evacuating them under heavy shell fire. During this work, all of which was done under great difficulty and practically in the open, he was once partly buried, but completed his dressing of the wounded, setting a splendid example of devotion to all.

Lt. Frederick Chater Jack, R.F.A.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty on many occasions when carrying out reconnaissances, especially on one occasion when he accompanied a patrol into the enemy front line. Although they were driven back with many casualties, he managed to make a rapid reconnaissance of the position. As a result of his great

fearlessness and energy he brought back detailed and accurate information.

2nd Lt. Herbert Edward Jackman, Lond. R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. Although wounded early during an attack on the enemy's position, he continued to supervise the consolidation of an advanced post in the furthest objective with the utmost disregard of his personal danger. He was wounded for the second time, but refused to leave his men to have his wounds dressed until the position had been firmly established, thus enabling his unit to hold a position of considerable tactical advantage.

Lt. (A./Capt.) Henry Humphrey Jackson, Notts. and Derby R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty when in command of a raiding party. The success of the raid was greatly due to his courage and cheerfulness. The night was exceptionally dark and he showed great coolness in collecting scattered parties under heavy fire and in getting them forward. Later, when very severely wounded, he continued to direct operations until loss of blood compelled him to return to our own lines. His pluck and gallantry under trying circumstances deserved the highest praise.

Lt. Stafford Jackson, R.F.A.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. Having succeeded in getting most of his men away from a heavily shelled position, he was attending to the wounded when he discovered two men were missing. At great personal risk he returned to the gun pits, which were on fire and in which ammunition was exploding, and found the two men, one wounded and the other dead. He removed the wounded man under heavy shell fire from the burning gun pit and conveyed him to the dressing station, by his personal courage and devotion to duty setting a magnificent example to the men under his command.

2nd Lt. (A./Capt.) Henry Harris Jago, Devon. R., Spec. Res.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. During an attack he kept his company in perfect order, in spite of intense hostile fire of every description, by his exceptional coolness and courage. He continued to display the utmost gallantry throughout the action, reorganising his men and directing operations against an enemy counter-attack in full view of the enemy and under heavy hostile fire.

2nd Lt. Robert Douglas James, R.G.A.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty under very difficult circumstances. He led large parties carrying materials at night in the open and through heavy shell fire. On one occasion his hand-cart broke and he had to make several journeys along a road which was being shelled. This he successfully did. A few nights later, he displayed the utmost gallantry in looking after wounded men and collecting a party to carry them away when their camp was being shelled.