

when consolidating the position. On numerous similar occasions he has performed most valuable service under very great difficulties.

16/896 R.S.M. J. W. Windmill, R. War. R. (Brierley Hill).

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He invariably displayed great courage and ability in operations when conditions were exceptionally bad, and set a splendid example of courage and determination.

925173 Cpl. (A./Sjt.) H. Withers, R.F.A. (Muswell Hill, N.).

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty when in charge of signallers. He has invariably displayed the greatest courage and ability, and his initiative has been most marked.

7555 Sjt. A. Wood, Essex R. (Warley).

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. As regimental transport sergeant over a long period, he has constantly displayed the greatest courage under the most difficult and dangerous conditions when he has had to bring up rations through heavy shell fire. Thanks to his steadfast determination and devotion to duty, he has never failed to deliver the rations to his battalion.

775078 Cpl. H. Wood, R.F.A.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. During heavy shell fire he continued to mend telephone wires and superintend the work of his men, with utter disregard of danger. By his ability and courage he set a splendid example to his men.

10045 C.S.M. H. C. Woodger, E. Lancs. R. (Braming, Kent).

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. When his company commander had become a casualty and only two other officers remained, he took command of a platoon and led his men with great dash. His continuous courage and initiative have been at all times most marked.

G./9884 Sjt. H. Woodhams, E. Kent R. (Northampton).

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He has rendered good and meritorious service, and has set a fine example in carrying out whatever task has been allotted to him under circumstances of extreme danger and difficulty.

700374 B.S.M. E. Woodruff, R.F.A. (Blackburn).

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty on many occasions, and especially when, under heavy fire, he assisted an officer to carry a wounded man to safety.

58990 Cpl. (A./Sjt.) F. Woods, R.E. (Maidenhead, Bucks).

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He has rendered good and meritorious service, and has set a splendid example in carrying out whatever task has been allotted to him under varied conditions of danger and difficulty.

32966 B.S.M. J. H. Woods, R.F.A. (Battersea).

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. When the wagon lines were heavily shelled he took charge of a serious situation and also carried wounded to a place of safety. He has at all times set a fine example of courage and devotion to duty to all ranks.

12020 Sjt. C. E. K. Wordingham, Suff. R. (Ely, Cambs.).

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He has rendered good and meritorious service, and has set a fine example in carrying out whatever task has been allotted to him under circumstances of extreme danger and difficulty.

750001 Fitter Q.M.S. J. W. Worth, R.F.A. (Newcastle-on-Tyne).

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He frequently repaired guns at the batteries under most difficult and dangerous conditions, and by his determination and coolness enabled them to be kept in action. He did excellent work during several engagements.

34025 L./Cpl. (A./Sjt.) F. E. Wright, R.E. (Darlington).

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He has done very good work during the recent operations, and has carried out his duties in connection with wireless and power buzzer regardless of danger. His fine example has proved a great incentive to those under him.

250571 Cpl. F. W. Wright, R. Scots (Edinburgh).

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty in action as a stretcher-bearer. He has on all occasions shown the greatest courage in tending and dressing wounded under fire, and has set a brilliant example of total disregard of personal danger.

56610 Sjt. W. J. Wright, R.F.A. (Pembroke).

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty, and consistent good work during a very long period. He has shown splendid courage and determination at his work, and has rendered valuable service to his battery.

265138 C.S.M. T. G. Yearsley, Mon. R. (Abercarn).

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. For over two years he has served continuously with the battalion, and both as a serjeant and serjeant-major has done splendid work. He has always proved himself to be both capable and cheerful under the most trying conditions, and has done much to sustain the morale of his company.

72999 Sjt. W. H. Zanazi, R.E. (Plymouth).

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. This N.C.O. has done excellent work in maintaining corps lines and supervising the work of all corps linesmen. On very many occasions he has been out night and day, and has quickly and efficiently restored communication. He has at all times displayed initiative, resource, and untiring zeal and energy, and has afforded a splendid example to his men.