

1099 Private F. Legatt, 1st/4th (Hallamshire) Battalion, York and Lancaster Regiment, T.F.

For conspicuous gallantry. During an advance Private Legatt ran back and assisted the wounded of another company under heavy shrapnel fire. He has invariably displayed great bravery and courage in digging out men buried from the effects of trench mortars and dressing their wounds.

31948 Serjeant E. J. Le Maistre, 23rd Battery, Royal Field Artillery.

For conspicuous gallantry in command of one of the forward guns. Although wounded he continued to command his subsection until the conclusion of the operations.

7840 Bombardier W. J. Lemon, 31st Battery, 37th Brigade, Royal Field Artillery.

For conspicuous gallantry in repairing on several occasions the telephone wires under heavy fire.

137587 Second Corporal R. G. Leonard, 171st Tunnelling Company, Royal Engineers (formerly No. 1511, 3rd Battalion, Monmouthshire Regiment, T.F.).

For conspicuous gallantry; he took charge of his section, the section serjeant having been killed by a mine. His coolness and bravery were very marked.

10295 Private T. Leonard, 2nd Battalion, Leinster Regiment.

For conspicuous gallantry. Whilst attending a wounded man under heavy shell fire he was severely wounded himself by a shell, which ignited some grenades in the trench. Without hesitation he seized the lighted grenades and threw them over the parapet, thus probably saving the lives of several of his comrades.

230 Serjeant E. Lester, 1st/4th Battalion, Loyal North Lancashire Regiment, T.F.

For conspicuous gallantry and good service. When all his officers were killed or wounded he took command, rallied his men by standing out in the open, and led them with great daring both in the advance and subsequent retirement.

1030 Serjeant E. W. A. Lester, 2nd/1st North Midland Field Company, Royal Engineers, T.F.

For conspicuous ability when he took command of a large working party after his section officer had been wounded.

3417. Colour-Serjeant F. E. Lewis, 9th (Glasgow Highland) Battalion, Highland Light Infantry, T.F.

For conspicuously good and valuable work as Acting Serjeant-Major since mobilisation. He has filled his responsible position in an admirable manner, and the non-commissioned officers and men of the battalion owe much of their efficiency to the way in which he has performed his duties.

17204 Private J. J. Lewis, 1st Battalion, Royal Welsh Fusiliers.

For conspicuous bravery and devotion; he assisted a Lance-Corporal to hold an advanced trench against the enemy after the remaining troops had fallen back. He stood to for four days and nights, and displayed great heroism.

8017 Serjeant E. G. Ley, 1st Battalion, Hampshire Regiment.

For conspicuous coolness and resource. When his company commander and platoon commander were killed he collected the men nearest to him and opened fire on the enemy who were enfilading his trench from some houses near, thereby keeping down their fire during the construction of a barricade. He saved a difficult situation by his promptness.

3149 Private W. Liddell, 9th Divisional Cyclist Company, Army Cyclist Corps.

For conspicuous gallantry. Hearing a wounded man of another battalion, who was lying out in the open, calling for assistance, he, accompanied by Captain Campbell, jumped over the parapet, and together they carried the wounded man to safety. Private Liddell's clothing was hit in several places by the enemy's bullets.

6612 Sapper W. Liggins, 1st West Lancashire Field Company, Royal Engineers, T.F.

For conspicuous gallantry. He bandaged two wounded men after extricating them from a dug-out in which they had been buried during a heavy bombardment, and when they were again buried, he again rescued them and got them into safety and finally to the dressing-station.

1471 Private T. Lightbody, 10th Battalion, Highland Light Infantry.

For conspicuous gallantry; he led, with great bravery and skill, several bomb attacks.

1006 Lance-Corporal J. S. Lindsay, 5th (City of London) Battalion, The London Regiment (London Rifle Brigade), T.F.

For conspicuous gallantry. Although wounded in the back early in the bombard-