

9478 Serjeant H. Strachan, 2nd Battalion, Royal Highlanders.

For conspicuous gallantry in leading his platoon after the leader was killed. He charged several times ahead of his bombers and bayoneted several of the enemy.

58902 Serjeant A. W. Stratton, 77th Field Company, Royal Engineers.

For conspicuous gallantry, notably on one occasion when he accompanied a bombing party of an infantry battalion. When all the bombing party were killed he held up the enemy with bombs until a "stop" had been made.

3816 Private A. Street, 1/4th Battalion, Yorkshire Regiment, T.F.

For conspicuous gallantry. When the enemy exploded a mine he assisted in digging out five buried men. He then searched the ground and brought in another wounded man. He worked for a long time under heavy shell and rifle fire.

2096 Private F. Tadman, 5th Battalion, Yorkshire Regiment, T.F.

For conspicuous gallantry in continually repairing telephone wires during two days of very heavy enemy bombardment.

16275 Acting Corporal J. E. Tagg, 2nd Battalion, Leicestershire Regiment.

For conspicuous gallantry. When an attack was held up by flank fire from machine guns and rifles he rallied his men and led them on till every one had become a casualty. He himself was badly wounded.

3856 Private C. Thomas, No. 52 Company, Machine Gun Corps.

For conspicuous gallantry in taking a machine gun into action under heavy shell fire. On another occasion he did the same thing. When his N.C.O. was wounded he took command of his gun and set a fine example.

16388 Serjeant H. Thurner, 2nd Battalion, Leicestershire Regiment.

For conspicuous gallantry on several occasions, notably when his platoon had suffered heavy casualties. He rallied the remainder and led them on, collecting scattered men on the way, till he was himself wounded.

1787 Serjeant J. Tierney, 7th Battalion, Leinster Regiment.

For conspicuous gallantry. He left his dug-out, went over the parapet, and rescued a wounded corporal under heavy fire from the enemy trenches 80 yards distant.

1266 Lance-Corporal P. Tierney, 1st Battalion, Manchester Regiment.

For conspicuous gallantry and consistent good work on patrol. He had shown great determination.

25150 Corporal D. Townsend, No. 2 Depot (formerly 40th Trench Mortar Battery), Royal Garrison Artillery.

For conspicuous gallantry in working his gun during operations until he was wounded. His fearless example inspired the gun crew, which suffered heavily.

13596 Private J. Unwin, 9th Battalion, King's Own Yorkshire Light Infantry.

For conspicuous gallantry. During a heavy bombardment by the enemy Privates Richmond and Unwin assisted an officer to rescue a wounded man who was lying in an exposed position. While the officer and Private Richmond rendered first-aid, Private Unwin ran for a stretcher. All this time the bombardment was very heavy.

2614 Private P. C. Varey, 4th Battalion, East Yorkshire Regiment, T.F.

For conspicuous gallantry during a heavy bombardment in rescuing a wounded man who was lying under fire of the enemy's snipers at 160 yards range. He himself was hit on his ammunition pouch and his equipment was set alight, but he threw it off and completed his brave act.

36436 Serjeant A. Vinten, 5th Siege Battery, Royal Garrison Artillery.

For conspicuous gallantry in volunteering to lay out telephone wires over a long distance under continuous heavy shell fire, and thus successfully maintaining communications.

8960 Serjeant J. Walker, 1st Battalion, Gordon Highlanders.

For conspicuous gallantry during operations. He was commanding a platoon, and, when the first attack was held up, he returned for reinforcements, and led a fresh attack, which captured a strong post of the enemy.

7/12088 Private J. Wallis, 7th Battalion, Lincolnshire Regiment.

For conspicuous gallantry. When the Bombing Serjeant and other bombers had become casualties in an attack, he and another private pushed forward under heavy fire with an officer to the "stop," and held up the enemy by bombing till the bomb supply failed and the officer was wounded. He then helped his officer back.