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Temp. 2nd Lt. (temp. Capt.) Reginald Percy Perrin, Gen. List, attd. Trench Mortar Bty.

For conspicuous gallantry during operations. He brought up his trench guns and materially assisted in destroying a strong point, which was holding up the whole advance. His guns were frequently asked for, and he was always ready and able to get them into action immediately, wherever they were required.

2nd Lt. (temp. Lt.) George Stephens Perry, R.E.

For conspicuous gallantry during operations. He constructed a strong point under heavy fire, and, though wounded in two places, refused assistance and dressed and carried in a badly wounded sapper.

Capt. Richard Perse, S. Staff. R.

For conspicuous gallantry. When working in the front line trenches he was knocked down and rendered unconscious, his subaltern being wounded. On recovering consciousness he dressed his subaltern's wounds, and at once got the men to work again. It was owing to his personal bravery that the task was completed under heavy fire.

2nd Lt. Arthur Harry Phillips, Oxf. & Bucks. L.I.

For conspicuous gallantry during operations. He went out into "No Man's Land" to reconnoitre and rally men under very heavy shrapnel and machine-gun fire. He showed great coolness, and brought back valuable information.

2nd Lt. (temp. Lt.) John Bradley Phillipson, R.E.

For conspicuous gallantry and determination in laying out and completing a strong point, which was of the greatest importance during subsequent operations. Although wounded, he showed great coolness and courage in defending the point from enemy counter-attacks.

Temp. Lt. Thomas Kingsley Pickard, York. R.

For conspicuous gallantry in going out alone and rescuing and bringing in an officer from the enemy's wire under bomb fire.

Lt. Rudolph Arthur Preston, Linc. R., Spec. Res.

For conspicuous gallantry in action. He repelled strong hostile bomb attacks, consolidated his position and captured some 20 to 30 prisoners.

Temp. Capt. Edward Vincent Price, York & Lanc. R.

For conspicuous gallantry during an attack. After the first wave had suffered heavily from machine-gun fire, he rallied parties of men of several units, and with great bravery and determination led them on to renew the attack. He set a fine example to his men.

Temp. Lt. Herbert Quarry, R.F.A.

For conspicuous gallantry. When his battery had ceased firing and he was given

permission to withdraw, he saw his men away, but stayed behind himself in order to assist wounded infantrymen under very heavy shell-fire.

Temp. 2nd Lt. John Anthony Radford, R.F.A.

For conspicuous gallantry when getting a gun into a forward position, although much interfered with by hostile machine-gun fire. The gun subsequently fired over 100 rounds in about 25 minutes with open sights at points of the salient in the enemy's front line.

Lt. Alexander Cecil Rankin, R.E., Spec. Res.

For conspicuous gallantry during prolonged operations until he was wounded. On one occasion he worked for many hours under heavy shell fire strengthening and extending a trench, thereby enabling the position to be held against a violent counter-attack.

Lt. (temp. Capt.) Thomas Cecil Rapp, W. Rid. R.

For conspicuous gallantry in organising and directing, during a heavy bombardment, the rescue of a party of men who had been buried by the blowing in of a dug-out.

2nd Lt. Wilson Ratcliff, York. L.I.

For gallantry and devotion to duty during an enemy counter-attack on captured trenches. Though wounded, he went forward to his guns and reorganised his teams, which were losing heavily. He acted as one of the team for a gun, and continued, though wounded, until the attack was repulsed.

2nd Lt. (temp. Lt.) William Read, Lond. R.

For conspicuous gallantry. He led a raid on the enemy's trenches with great determination, though wounded in the arm and wrist. He remained to the last in the enemy's trench, and helped two wounded men out of it. Finally, when it was dark, he crawled back, and brought in a wounded man, with the assistance of two other men.

Temp. 2nd Lt. Ferdinand Edward Reiss, R. Fus.

For conspicuous gallantry in action. After his Captain had been killed, he led his company, and continued to urge on the men till he was badly wounded himself. He remained out till night, refusing to leave his men.

Temp. 2nd Lt. Stanley Renton, Devon. R.

For conspicuous gallantry in action. On reaching a front-line trench, he found the only officer wounded. He at once took command, organised the consolidation of the position under heavy machine-gun and sniping fire, and sent back a valuable report. Later, regardless of danger, he rendered first-aid to many wounded men.

Temp. Capt. Arthur Owen Playford Reynolds, M.B., R.A.M.C.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion during operations, when tending the wounded under heavy fire for thirty-six consecutive hours. He also made two