

2nd Lt. Alfred Sutherland Le Maitre, R. Highrs.

For conspicuous gallantry when leading a raid. His party was observed and fired on while forcing a torpedo through the enemy wire, but he pushed the torpedo home, was first into the enemy trench and accounted for two of the enemy who offered resistance. Finally, while returning with a prisoner, he was badly wounded.

Temp. 2nd Lt. Dudley Glyn Le May, Bord. R.

For conspicuous gallantry when in command of a platoon in the front line. Nearly the whole trench was blown in, and there was little cover. He showed great coolness and a fine example to his men, carrying out the duties of his N.C.O.'s who had become casualties.

Capt. Frank Graham Lescher, R.A.M.C., Spec. Res.

For conspicuous gallantry and initiative in searching for wounded under heavy shell fire. He repeatedly led his bearers through heavy barrage. He continued his work until he had got all the wounded to safety.

Temp. 2nd Lt. Francis Harold Lewin, R. W. Kent R.

For conspicuous gallantry in action. He laid telephone wires under heavy fire, and maintained communications both forward and backward throughout the day and during the night. He used the enemy's wire when his own was finished, and frequently repaired his wires under heavy shell fire.

Temp. Capt. Lewis Hewitt Lewis, E. Lan. R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty when in command of a reconnoitring patrol. On the night preceding an attack he reconnoitred the enemy front line under heavy artillery and machine gun fire, and brought back valuable information.

2nd Lt. Percy Tyson Lewis, R.F.A., Spec. Res.

For conspicuous gallantry. When acting as F.O.O. he heard that a shell had ignited some smoke bombs, and at once went to the spot. A private with him was wounded by the explosion of a detonator, but, after binding up his wound, he returned to the fire, pushed away into safety a bag of hand grenades, and finally extinguished the fire with sandbags.

2nd Lt. John Lingham, North'n R.

For conspicuous gallantry in action. When the enemy's counter-attack was making headway, and the situation becoming critical, he got on the parapet followed by some men and bombed the enemy right back. Later he was severely wounded.

Temp. Lt. Francis Lismore, M. Gun Corps.

For conspicuous gallantry during operations. When the enemy was heavily shelling our front line, he caused several casualties among them by sniping, and completely gained the upper hand. He also mounted his gun in the open, accounted for many of the enemy and forced the rest to cover.

Temp. Lt. (temp. Capt.) Wilfred Lewis Lloyd, Shrops. L.I.

For conspicuous gallantry during operations. When another regiment needed support, he led up his own company and did fine work consolidating the defences.

Lt. Francis Arthur James Lock, R.G.A.

For conspicuous gallantry. During a fire in an ammunition depôt he removed, at great personal risk, a number of trucks loaded with ammunition, which would otherwise have been destroyed.

Temp. 2nd Lt. Robert Lockhart, R. Scots.

For conspicuous gallantry when commanding a raiding party. Though twice wounded, once severely, in the enemy trenches, he continued to push along them and did not withdraw till his party were all safely out. He was again wounded while withdrawing.

Temp. 2nd Lt. John Page Lorains, North'd Fus.

For conspicuous gallantry when leading a successful raid into the enemy's trenches. When finally driven back by superior numbers, he led a second attack with great determination under heavy fire.

Lt. Archibald Charles Lutyens, R.F.A., Spec. Res.

For conspicuous gallantry during operations, notably as F.O.O. He did fine work and rendered valuable reports, showing great determination under heavy fire.

2nd Lt. William Smith Macfarlane, R. Scots.

For conspicuous gallantry during operations. He led a party across the open under heavy shell-fire to draw R.E. stores, and, though wounded, led on to the front line before allowing his wound to be dressed. On another occasion he tended wounded men under fire.

Temp. Capt. Kenneth William Mackenzie, M.B., R.A.M.C.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty during operations. His aid post was continually shelled, but he carried on with great determination. He personally assisted some of the walking cases across the shelled area, and, when water ran out, went himself across the open to get some. He showed an utter disregard of personal safety.

2nd Lt. Malcolm MacKinnon, High. L.I., Spec. Res.

For conspicuous gallantry in action. He organised the supply of bombs and ammunition to the front line, and successfully carried out this work under very heavy shell-fire.

2nd Lt. (temp. Lt.) John Martin, High. L.I.

For conspicuous gallantry during operations. When an officer was hit by a sniper, and two stretcher-bearers had become casualties trying to get him in, 2nd Lt. Martin crawled out and brought him in single-handed.