

Temp. Capt. John Rochfort Keats, Suff. R.

For conspicuous gallantry in action. He led his company in the attack with great courage and initiative, maintaining and establishing his position under intense fire. He set a fine example to his men.

Temp. Lt. William Kee, R. Dub. Fus.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. Although twice wounded he continued to lead his men during an attack until ordered back to the dressing station. He has several times carried out reconnaissance work most efficiently.

Temp. 2nd Lt. Edgar Keel, Yorks. L.I.

For conspicuous gallantry in action. He assumed command of and led his company with great courage and determination, himself killing an enemy officer. Later, he captured twelve prisoners and sent them back. He set a splendid example throughout the operations.

Temp. Lt. Douglas Scrivener Howard Keep, Bedf. R.

For conspicuous gallantry in action. He organised and led repeated bombing attacks on the enemy strong points. One one occasion, with only three men and no bombs, he remained in close proximity to the enemy for one and a half hours.

Temp. Capt. Leslie Howard Keep, Bedf. R.

For conspicuous gallantry in action. He handled his company with great courage and skill, successfully clearing a village of the enemy. He set a fine example to his men.

2nd Lt. Percy Keevill, K.R.R.C.

For conspicuous gallantry in action. He handled two platoons under heavy fire with great courage and determination, maintaining and consolidating the captured position.

Temp. 2nd Lt. James Anderson Kellie, K.O. Sco. Bord.

For conspicuous gallantry in action. Although severely shaken by a shell, he led his men with great courage and initiative, and greatly assisted in the clearing of a village.

2nd Lt. John Philip Kemble, Midd'x R.

For conspicuous gallantry in action. Single-handed, he attacked a party of the enemy, killing one of them and capturing five prisoners. He displayed great courage and determination throughout the operations.

Temp. 2nd Lt. William John Charles Kendall, Lan. Fus.

For conspicuous gallantry in action. He maintained his post all day under very heavy fire and repulsed an enemy attack. He has previously done very fine work. He was severely wounded.

2nd Lt. John Kent, 9th Bn., Durh. L.I.

For conspicuous gallantry in action. He led a raid with great courage and skill, himself going to the flank under intense fire and withdrawing the covering party. He has on many previous occasions done very fine work.

Temp. 2nd Lt. Frederick Nicholas Kirby, Leic. R.

For conspicuous gallantry in action. He assumed command of and led his company with great courage and determination, gaining and consolidating his objective.

Lt. Edward Foley Knight, R.E.

For conspicuous gallantry in action. During an enemy bombing attack he kept his section well in hand and continued his work, setting a splendid example to his men. He has previously done fine work.

2nd Lt. Harold Lucian Knollys, S. Gds.

For conspicuous gallantry in action. Although wounded, he led his company with great courage and determination. Later, again being wounded, he led his men to the second objective and consolidated the position.

2nd Lt. Harry Wilfred Knowles, W. York. R.

For conspicuous gallantry in action. With a party of men he cut eight lanes through the barbed wire in order to assist the Infantry advance. Later, he carried out several daring patrols, and obtained most valuable information.

Temp. Capt. Patrick Joseph Lane, M.B., R.A.M.C.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He led parties of stretcher-bearers under heavy fire, displaying great courage and skill. He worked continuously for 48 hours, and was himself wounded. He set a splendid example to the men under him.

2nd Lt. Michael Lavelle, Conn. Rang.

For conspicuous gallantry in action. He led a daring raid with great courage and determination, inflicting many casualties on the enemy. Later, he skilfully withdrew his party.

Lt. Hugh Moxon Lawrence, R.F.A.

For conspicuous gallantry in action. He observed for nine hours under intense fire. Later, he carried out a very valuable reconnaissance. He has on many previous occasions done very fine work.

2nd Lt. Charles Hector Lee, Gord. Highrs.

For conspicuous gallantry in action. He carried out a reconnaissance under very heavy fire, obtaining most valuable information. Later, he rallied about 100 men and consolidated the position. He set a splendid example to his men.