

displayed great courage in repeatedly mending wires under heavy barrage.

2nd Lt. Andrew John Murray, Gord. Highrs.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. Although he was wounded before leaving the trenches, he led his company in the attack. Despite casualties, he continued to lead his men to their objective, where he organised the work of consolidation.

Temp. Lt. (actg. Capt.) Michael John Murray, North'd Fus.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. During the advance he led his company with great courage and determination. He displayed a total disregard for personal safety, and throughout set a magnificent example to all.

2nd Lt. Harold Methven Musson, R.F.A., Spec. Res.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He was acting as F.O.O., and established himself close to the objective. When the advance was held up he went forward under heavy fire and joined the infantry, and returned with information of their position. Throughout he sent in most valuable information.

Temp. 2nd Lt. Henry Albert Gartside Neville, W. York. R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. When acting as intelligence officer he displayed untiring energy and total disregard for personal safety. He went through heavily shelled areas and obtained information of the utmost value.

Temp. 2nd Lt. George Arthur Newling, R.M.

For conspicuous gallantry in an attack, when he led his platoon with great courage and skill, and held the objective, when captured, against numerous counter-attacks.

Lt. (temp. Capt.) Robert White Newton, Linc. R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He showed great resource and initiative in reorganising small parties of men after his battalion had been held up by machine-gun fire, and in meeting and repulsing the enemy's counter-attack. His coolness at a critical juncture kept his men together and enabled them to turn the enemy out of our trenches, where they had obtained a footing.

2nd Lt. Charles Evelyn Nugent, R.G.A., Spec. Res.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty when acting as Forward Observation Officer. He went forward under very heavy fire and sent back most valuable information. He set a splendid example of courage and initiative.

Temp. Lt. John Martin Oakey, R.E.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. When in command of four trench mortar batteries he carried out a most successful piece of work. Two thousand rounds

of ammunition had to be carried a distance of 2,500 yards. This was successfully accomplished, in spite of enemy fire and the difficulty of working over open ground at night.

Temp. 2nd Lt. John Kinloch Ogilvie, R. Scots.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. During the advance he carried out several reconnaissances, going through a heavy barrage on each occasion. He obtained most valuable information.

Temp. 2nd Lt. Leonard Alfred Osborne, Som. L.I.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. When the advance was held up by enemy machine gun fire he worked as far as possible along a trench close to the enemy position and remained there until relieved. Throughout he displayed the utmost gallantry and determination.

2nd Lt. (temp. Capt.) Frederick Oswald Outhwaite, North'd Fus.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. During an enemy counter attack they succeeded in entering a portion of our line. He crawled within ten yards of the captured position and gained valuable information. He returned and organised and led a successful counter attack.

2nd Lt. Vernon Page, R.F.A., Spec. Res.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. During a heavy hostile bombardment the camouflage of a dump of ammunition caught fire. He personally organised a party and was instrumental in putting out the fire and saving the ammunition.

2nd Lt. Kenneth Macaulay Papworth, R.E.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He showed great courage and determination when superintending the construction of strong points, particularly on one occasion, when he supervised the work of his party under continuous heavy shell fire.

Lt. Charles Allen Parker, R.F.A.; Spec. Res., and R.F.C.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. When on a photographic reconnaissance he was attacked by hostile scouts, and his observer was severely wounded. He effected a landing near our front line, and carried his observer clear of the machine, which was heavily shelled the entire time, and had burst into flames.

Temp. Capt. Percy Clarence Parker, W. York. R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. With great skill and coolness he led his men to the attack, and successfully resisted counter-attacks until forced to retire by enfilade fire. He withdrew his men in a very orderly manner, covering his retirement by machine gun fire, and throughout the operation his calmness inspired his men with the greatest confidence under heavy shell and machine gun fire.