

2nd Lt. (A./Capt.) Reginald Maltby, R.W. Kent R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. During an attack he, with another officer and his Company Serjeant-Major, rushed an enemy machine-gun which had opened fire at short range, killed some of the crew and captured the remainder. During six months of arduous work as a Company Commander he has constantly set a splendid example to all.

2nd Lt. Horace Edmund Marsh, R.F.A.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty when his battery was being heavily shelled, in remaining until the last man had left the position. He afterwards returned under heavy shell fire and rescued a wounded man. On all occasions his conduct has displayed the greatest courage and discipline under the worst conditions.

Rev. James Bernard Marshall, A. Chapl. Dept.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty in attending to the wounded of his battalion and carrying them to places of safety regardless of personal risk for three hours. He moved up and down the front line trench under an intense bombardment, encouraging all by his cheerfulness, attending the wounded and comforting the dying. His coolness under fire won the admiration and praise of all with whom he came in contact.

2nd Lt. Eric Martin, Lond. R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. With great gallantry he repeatedly led bombing attacks against the enemy, only desisting when all his party had been either killed or wounded. He was wounded himself, but brought back information of great value, having set a magnificent example to his men.

T./Capt. James Godfrey Martin, attd. R. War. R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He led his company gallantly and successfully under heavy fire, keeping his men well under control at all times, and when unexpectedly ordered to make a fresh attack from the captured position, pushing forward rapidly in spite of the strong opposition encountered.

2nd Lt. Charles John Beech Masefield, N. Staff. R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. During a raid upon enemy trenches, he led his company with great dash and skill under heavy trench mortar barrage, attacking a party of the enemy single-handed and killing two of them at close quarters. At least fifty of the enemy were killed and three prisoners taken, after which he successfully withdrew his company, having shown conspicuous gallantry and good leadership throughout.

2nd Lt. Joseph Alexander Milne, R.F.A.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty in personally conducting ammunition wagons from a road to his battery position

under heavy shell fire. Owing to his coolness and example all the ammunition was delivered on both occasions without casualties. He has on many previous occasions shown great coolness and resource under fire.

2nd Lt. William McKutcheon Mitchell, R. Scots.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty on two occasions in organising and commanding machine gun teams which were suffering heavy casualties during a severe bombardment and counter-attack. By his splendid example of gallantry under very trying conditions he kept his guns continuously in action.

T./Lt. (A./Capt.) James Prior Moffitt, Durh. L.I.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty in successfully commanding a daylight raid. His skilful organising and leadership resulted in heavy casualties to the enemy at a very small loss to his own party.

2nd Lt. Frank Norrish, Lond. R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. During an attack upon a canal he returned to the canal under very heavy shell fire to recover a Lewis gun, afterwards returning at great personal risk to the same place to assist wounded men who had become embedded in the mud of the canal. He subsequently showed the greatest efficiency and coolness in commanding his company after his company Commander had been wounded.

T./2nd Lt. (A./Lt.) James Edward Brooks Oakes, R.F.A.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He, with some N.C.Os., rescued four trench mortars from a large ammunition dump which was on fire (several explosions taking place), and which was being shelled by the enemy. It was essential to get these mortars into action by the afternoon, and it was entirely due to their devotion to duty at such a critical moment that the guns were saved and brought into action.

Lt. (A./Capt.) James O'Neill, R.G.A.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty when under shell fire with his battery. He displayed great zeal and energy in looking after his men, doing fine all round work and largely contributing to the speed with which his battery moved forward and came into action.

2nd Lt. Percy Favell Oxley, R.F.A.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. When his battery position was heavily shelled and the ammunition and camouflage were set on fire, he twice returned after the personnel had been withdrawn and extinguished the fire.

T./2nd Lt. Reginald Sebastian Page-Green, R. Fus.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty when commanding the leading company