

hour, gaining valuable information. While he was returning the enemy opened a heavy machine-gun fire, but he skilfully withdrew his men, and, though wounded himself, helped to carry a wounded man back. He brought back a valuable report.

T./Capt. Thomas Frederick Given, R. Ir. Fus.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty as Second in Command of his Battalion. Before the attack he visited every wave and saw that everything was in order. He took forward a party of details from battalion headquarters to reinforce the centre, which had suffered heavy casualties, and was being hard pressed. He remained in command at this point, although twice wounded, and was only persuaded to leave his post after receiving a third wound, which rendered both arms useless.

2nd Lt. Clifford White Gourlay, R.F.A., Spec. Res.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty when the enemy commenced to heavily shell the neighbourhood of his battery. He remembered that the large ground strip, which had been put out as a signal, was still on the ground, and that if left would inevitably attract the attention of hostile aeroplanes, and thus cause more fire to be turned on the battery. He very gallantly went through very heavy shell fire to roll up the signal, and while doing so was severely wounded. If it had not been for the gallant conduct of this officer the battery position would undoubtedly have been given away, as shortly after he had removed the ground strip two hostile aeroplanes flew low over the position and could not have failed to see it. He set a fine example of pluck and devotion to duty.

T./2nd Lt. Donald Grant Graham, attd. Manch. R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty during an extensive raid. He led a small party away to the right flank of the raided area, and captured a machine-gun, which would otherwise have enfiladed the raiding party on its return.

T./Lt. Strang Graham, R. Highrs.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty during a night attack. When the advance was held up by a strong point, he halted his men under cover, and himself led a party round to outflank it. Although wounded in the knee, he remained to consolidate the ground won.

2nd Lt. (T./Lt.) Charles Percy Grant, Durh. L.I.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. During an enemy counter-attack he went from battalion headquarters to the foremost post and took command, forming a defensive flank where a gap had been made in the line. His prompt action prevented a whole company from being surrounded. Later, he remained in the open under continuous shell fire, gaining information as to the situation. Throughout he acted with the greatest gallantry, coolness, and resource.

T./Lt. Richard Allan Gray, R.F.A.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He was engaged in removing ammunition from a vacated gun position when the enemy opened fire on the position, and a gun-pit containing several hundred rounds of ammunition was set alight. He at once went to the pit, which became a sheet of flame, and with the help of another officer extinguished the fire. At one time he was overcome by smoke, but continued at work, entering the pit and carrying out the ammunition at great risk, both from the fire and the hostile shelling, which still continued. He showed the greatest courage, energy, and devotion to duty, and was responsible for saving a large quantity of ammunition.

2nd Lt. Ralph Green, Durh. L.I.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. The battalion came under a heavy gas shell bombardment on the way up to the trenches. Some confusion resulted, and at great risk he at once removed his box respirator and reorganised his company. Though suffering from the gas, he remained with his company and held his position in the line, continually moving about under heavy shell fire to visit isolated posts.

T./Capt. Ralph Bareham Green, Gen. List.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. Hearing that several men had been severely wounded, accompanied by a N.C.O., he reached them with the greatest difficulty through the heavy shelling, and moved them to cover and rendered first aid. He was wounded while doing so, but walked to the dressing station and sent ambulances for the wounded.

T./Lt. John Alan Campbell Greene, R.A.M.C.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. When an advance dressing station was shelled with 8-inch shells, he at once went to the spot and began to dig out men who were buried. Though the shelling continued he did not desist until satisfied that the men were dead. He then assisted in clearing the entrance to the dressing station and attended to the wounded within. He showed an entire disregard of personal safety in his efforts to save life.

2nd Lt. (A./Capt.) Frank Kingsley Griffith, Linc. R., Spec. Res.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. Though wounded at the commencement of the action he remained in command of his men, and by establishing two strong points on each flank held up the enemy's counter-attack. His coolness and example enabled him to obtain the best fighting qualities in his men.

2nd Lt. Henry Raveley Guest, Ox. & Bucks. L.I.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. In an advance against the enemy positions, when his company officers became casualties, he sited and consolidated a position on reaching the objective, arranging a defensive flank. He organised a resistance