

Lt. William Joseph Denny, Fld. Arty.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty while engaged on pack transport work. He showed the greatest coolness and initiative throughout, especially when his convoy came under heavy shell fire. Though wounded, he personally obtained assistance for two of his men who were wounded, and then reorganised his command and reached his destination.

Lt. Bruce Sheen Dowling, Engrs.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. As Engineer Reconnaissance Officer he carried out his work in a most expeditious and capable manner, and his reports were of great assistance. A large proportion of the work was carried out under very heavy shell fire, and he showed great courage and resourcefulness in obtaining information.

Capt. George Gray Dixon Ferrier, Fld. Arty.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty when acting as Forward Observation Officer during an attack. He established himself in a very forward position under heavy shell fire and kept his group in touch with the situation throughout. The information which he sent back was most valuable, and enabled the group to deal with the situations as they arose.

Lt. Roland Belfield Glanville, Infy.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He led his platoon with great dash and skill in an attack. At one period, when he found himself out of touch with his men and under heavy rifle fire, he went forward, though his revolver ammunition was expended, and captured sixteen of the enemy. He showed great initiative and leadership throughout.

Lt. William Richard Haigh, Infy.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He led his men with great skill and had to consolidate his objective under the heaviest shell fire. Though suffering severe casualties, both in officers and men, he continued to move about amongst them, encouraging them in their work until he was wounded and forced to go to the rear.

Lt. George Meysey Hammond, Infy.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. As Intelligence Officer he went forward with the advance party and secured much valuable information. Though only having the use of one arm, he captured a score of prisoners single-handed. He was fearless in the extreme, volunteering for any dangerous work and making a number of reconnaissances of the front line, through which he obtained much useful information.

2nd Lt. Cyril Clythe Hanson, Infy.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. During an extremely heavy enemy bombardment he moved up and down the parapet of the trench, regardless of risk, encouraging his men. In an attack he took charge of a platoon who had lost their officer and reorganised them under heavy shell fire with the greatest courage and determination.

Lt. Illingworth Keith Harrison, Fld. Arty.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty as Liaison Officer in an attack. He went forward with the infantry and remained with them throughout the day, obtaining most valuable information.

Lt. Anthony Honybun, M.G. Corps.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty when in charge of machine guns in an attack. He led his men to the assembly positions through an intense barrage without casualties, and went forward in the advance, showing complete disregard of danger. When the objective was captured he placed his guns with great tactical skill and inflicted heavy casualties on the enemy. Though wounded he refused to withdraw until the position was made secure. He was largely responsible for the success of the operation.

Capt. Joseph Walton Hopkins, Infy.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He showed great initiative and courage in successfully leading his company to the attack and consolidating the captured position. He remained at duty though wounded.

2nd Lt. Thomas Balfour Keillor, Infy.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He led his platoon with great dash, and was always encouraging the men. On his senior officers becoming casualties, he took charge of the company and carried on the consolidation with judgment, afterwards organising the defence very thoroughly. He was fearless and set a splendid example to all.

Lt. Charles James Kelynack, Engrs.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He worked throughout the engagement, establishing and maintaining communication in the face of great difficulties and under heavy shell fire. When a dug-out was blown in he succeeded in rescuing two severely wounded men. He showed the greatest initiative and courage throughout.

2nd Lt. John Harold Laphorne, Infy.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. This officer's courage and dash stood out prominently throughout the action. He personally captured three concrete positions, together with seventeen prisoners and two machine guns. His many acts of daring were most inspiring to the men, and largely contributed to the success of the operation.

Lt. John Timothy Maguire, Infy.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He was in command of the right platoon of the division in an attack, and it was largely owing to his splendid coolness under fire and in the face of heavy opposition that direction was maintained. He kept touch with the division on his right, captured two objectives and showed great skill in the consolidation. He set a fine example to his men.

Lt. Lyndsay Torrance Maplestone, A.S.C.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty when in charge of lorries dumping ammunition. The dump was heavily shelled all day, and he remained at his post, though