

touch, and assisting with the reorganisation of the troops. His work throughout, which ensured that the right and centre attacks worked in conjunction, was most gallant and skilful.

T./2nd Lt. Alexander Robert Macdonald, Cam. Highrs.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty when in command of a raiding party. He found loose wire across the gap in the enemy's wire, but with the help of a N.C.O. he cleared the gap and led his party through into the enemy's trench. He successfully dealt with the enemy in the trench, and when some of them tried to escape he followed them, killing one and capturing three prisoners. He withdrew the whole of his party safely, having set them an inspiring example of coolness and courage throughout the operation.

T./Capt. Robert Campbell Macfarlane, Arg. & Suth'd Highrs.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty when in command of a raiding party. Strong opposition was encountered and the two officers with him were wounded, but he handled the situation with promptness and decision, personally leading the assault. Though wounded he continued to superintend the operation, and was the last to leave the enemy trenches. His leadership and gallant conduct were a splendid example to his men.

Lt. George Stibbard MacKay, Yeo.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He displayed marked courage and dash in leading an attack on an enemy redoubt, which was successfully captured, nineteen of the enemy being killed in it. He set a fine example of coolness and cheerfulness to his men at a time when they were held up by wire and were being heavily bombed.

Lt. William Colin MacLagan, Lond. R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty when in charge of a ration convoy. He passed through several enemy barrages of both gas and high explosive shells, and though casualties occurred in the convoy he succeeded in delivering the rations to his own and other units. He showed splendid resource and contempt of danger.

T./2nd Lt. Hugh MacLaren, North'd Fus.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. When in command of a daylight raiding party he conducted his party for 200 yards, though seen by the enemy and under machine-gun fire, and supervised the disposition of his men according to plan. The enemy post was entered and the sentry killed, an identification being thus procured. Having bombed a dug-out from which the enemy were firing, and personally reconnoitred the trench in the hopes of capturing a prisoner, he withdrew his party, after being absent half an hour, without a casualty. He displayed gallantry and leadership of a high order.

Lt. (A./Capt.) Harold Frederick Samuel Magnus, Lond. R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. During an enemy attack he was in charge of an advanced position held by two companies. He was the only unwounded officer and showed splendid courage, energy and initiative in organising the defence of the position. It was largely due to his personal efforts that the defence was successfully maintained in face of superior numbers of the enemy.

Lt. (T./Capt.) Thomas John Clement Martyn, Lond. R., and R.F.C.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. On numerous occasions during a period of five months he has reached his objectives and released his bombs with marked effect and with the most excellent results. His work has invariably been characterised by the greatest keenness, determination and devotion to duty.

T./2nd Lt. Douglas Walter Graham May, R. Suss. R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. When leading a fighting patrol he entered the enemy's line and secured two prisoners, thereby obtaining an identification, which was urgently needed. His able leading and coolness prevented an alarm being raised and enabled the operation to be carried out with the greatest measure of success.

2nd Lt. Alexander MacBryde, K.O.S.B.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. When ordered to take his company and force the passage of a bridge, he led his men in a bombing attack on the enemy position covering the bridge. Having cleared the hostile trench system, he forced the passage and established himself on the other side of the river, killing fifteen of the enemy and capturing twelve prisoners. He displayed marked gallantry, skill and initiative throughout.

T./2nd Lt. John McClymont, Lanc. Fus.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. During a raid on the enemy posts he was in command of a section of the right raiding party, and led his men with coolness and determination. In a successful attack on a hostile post he shot two of the enemy and took one prisoner, displaying skilful leadership and a total disregard of danger.

2nd Lt. John Anthony McCudden, Gen. List, R.F.C.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. While on patrol he attacked single-handed two enemy triplanes, causing one to dive down steeply under control and the other to crash to the ground. On the day previous to this he destroyed a hostile two-seater, besides which he has driven down one other machine, which was observed to be destroyed, and four others completely out of control. He has always displayed great courage and determination.