

continued at duty until his work was completed.

Lt. Donald Grant McNeil, M.G.C.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty when in charge of machine guns in an attack. Under heavy fire from the enemy he brought his guns into action, and silenced the enemy's fire, thus enabling the advance to continue. His guns were twice threatened by superior numbers, but with great coolness and skill he overcame all opposition, inflicted heavy casualties on the enemy, and assisted in the capture of the objectives.

Lt. Harry Lyall McPherson, Fd. Arty.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty as liaison officer with an infantry battalion in an attack. He carried out his work with great skill, and when it was no longer possible to maintain the telephone lines he established and kept up visual communication and sent in most valuable information. He showed splendid energy and determination.

Lt. Charles Edmund McRae, Inf.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. During an attack the troops on his left were held up by an enemy strong point. Observing the situation he led the remnant of his platoon, consisting of eight men, to their assistance, and was instrumental in capturing the position, inflicting heavy casualties on the garrison and enabling the advance to continue to the final objective.

Capt. William Blight Megloughlin, Inf.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty as battalion transport officer. When his pack train came under heavy bombardment of gas and other shells, though himself badly affected by gas and concussion, he continued to withdraw them from the shelled area. He then returned and helped the wounded, later making a detour through almost impassable ground and getting his supplies forward. On the following night, though still suffering from gas, he insisted on going forward with his pack train.

Capt. (A./Maj.) John McIntosh Millar, Inf.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He made a reconnaissance of the front immediately after a counter-attack. When another attack was anticipated he went through a barrage to organise the right flank, and brought back valuable information.

Lt. Leslie Howard Millar, Mtd. Rif.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. Though wounded, he led his men in an attack. When wounded again, he still refused assistance until he was wounded a third time. Even then he encouraged his men to continue the advance under most difficult conditions.

Lt. Bernhard Coeure Montagnon, M.G.C.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty when in charge of machine guns. He reconnoitred and selected positions for his guns in the front line and provided covering fire with great skill during an attack. As

soon as the objective had been captured he went forward with two guns, established them on the captured position, and inflicted heavy casualties on the enemy. He showed splendid judgment and courage.

Lt. George Murray, Inf.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. When all the officers of the attacking company had become casualties he led his platoon forward to reinforce, and overpowered the enemy's resistance. He took command of and reorganised all troops on the objective and sent in a valuable report.

T./Capt. William Henry Douglas Murray, Rail. Constn. Co.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He took charge of and completed the grading of a certain section of the line under considerable shell fire. He also organised and operated a train service for the evacuation of the wounded, his untiring efforts meeting with the greatest success.

Lt. Arthur Nicholls, R. Can. Regt.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty when in charge of pack mules. He worked night and day, frequently under heavy fire, getting forward water and ammunition to the fighting troops. Owing to his skill and energy sufficient supplies were maintained.

Lt. Rupert Austin Orme, Infy.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty when in charge of a working party during the operations. He carried out the evacuation of the wounded and established and replenished dumps in a forward area. Though his party worked continuously under shell fire and suffered many casualties, he carried out his work with great skill, and assisted materially in the operations. He set a splendid example of courage and contempt of danger.

Lt. Richmond Archie Payne, Infy.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He was in charge of parties carrying supplies to the front line, and carried out his work with the greatest determination and courage under heavy fire and most difficult conditions.

T./Lt. George Peck, Rail. Constn. Co.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He had charge of the maintenance of the railway line in a forward area, and during the operations, which necessitated special train movements, and caused a large amount of traffic, his services proved most valuable. Though tracks were cut by shell fire, by his gallant efforts he succeeded in getting the line clear for traffic without appreciable delay. Later, he rallied a detachment of men under heavy shell fire, and was the means of rescuing the wounded.

Lt. (T./Capt.) Maurice Arthur Pope, Engrs.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He was in charge of an advanced report centre under intense bombardments of gas and other shells, which inflicted very heavy casualties on his staff. Though he was suffering from the effects of gas, he carried on