

T./2nd Lt. Henry Guess, R.W. Kent R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He displayed great courage in controlling his men during a determined hostile attack, and later, when the enemy penetrated the line, he organised his platoon to cover the portion that was broken, and then, counter-attacking, regained all lost ground. His services were of the utmost value to his company commander.

T./Lt. (A./Capt.) Eric Guillaume, R. War. R., attd. Tank Corps.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty as battalion reconnaissance officer. He was responsible for the reconnaissance of Tank routes and areas, and showed great courage and zeal in going forward, often under heavy fire, to carry out his work. He has never spared himself, but worked cheerfully under all circumstances, and the success of two counter-attacks was in great measure due to his efforts.

T./2nd Lt. Robert Cyril Gunther, R. Fus.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty, in continually volunteering for and carrying out hazardous and valuable tasks. His personal reconnaissances to clear up doubtful situations and locate the enemy's positions and strength were of great assistance to his commanding officer, especially on one occasion when the enemy broke through the front line, and his battalion, which was in attack, drove them out, inflicting very heavy losses.

T./Lt. Alfred Relf Gurney, M.M.G.C., attd. R.F.C.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. While attacking enemy troops his pilot was wounded and fainted. He connected up the dual control, but the machine was falling in a spin. However, he got control again at a height of only 500 feet, and got the machine with its occupants safely back. He showed great pluck and determination.

Lt. Wilfred Maurice Guttman, Midd'x R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. During a critical stage he organised a company, disposed them for defence, and by his coolness and courage kept them well under control. This timely action saved the situation, not only on his own front, but also on his left flank. Throughout the ten days' operations he showed untiring energy, and was a fine example to all ranks.

Lt. (A./Capt.) Albert George Hackett, R.G.A., attd. A.O.D.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty in action. During a most critical period and whilst an important position was being shelled by field and siege guns, he maintained an uninterrupted supply of ammunition to the R.A. His splendid example and total disregard of danger greatly encouraged the men under him in their work.

T./Lt. Sidney George Hague, Bedf. R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. This officer, in charge of one of the

forward companies, repelled repeated attacks, keeping battalion headquarters well informed of the situation. He organised several small counter-attacks, ejecting the enemy from portions of the line, and greatly assisted the company on his left by diverting the fire of a trench mortar on to a quarry where the enemy were sheltering.

Lt. Victor Louis Bosker Haigh, R.G.A., Spec. Res.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He kept close touch with the field batteries and placed his section in positions of extreme danger, in order to protect the batteries. On one occasion he stopped a panic, collecting stragglers and leading them to high ground, where they were most urgently needed. He has crashed one enemy aeroplane and has many times kept his guns firing until forced by heavy fire to withdraw.

Lt. Adrian Kelso Hamilton, R. Highrs.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty during an enemy attack and when his commanding officer had been wounded. His energy, fearlessness and clear insight into the special requirements of the situation were of the utmost value, and were largely instrumental in finally holding the attack.

Lt. (T./Capt.) Herbert James Hamilton, D. of Corn. L.I., attd. R.A.F.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He has on many occasions displayed the utmost dash and fearlessness in engaging enemy aircraft at close range, and has succeeded in destroying a considerable number. He also attacked with machine-gun fire, and from low altitudes, enemy formations on the ground, and dropped bombs on points of importance behind the hostile lines. He has invariably shown great determination and a fine offensive spirit.

T./Capt. James Condra Hamilton, H.L.I.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty, in greatly assisting in the orderly withdrawal of troops. When heavy fighting was going on and orders were sent to companies to withdraw, he went along the firing line giving the companies clear and concise instructions about the next line. Throughout the operations he behaved with marked gallantry, never hesitating to expose himself if anything was to be gained, and setting a fine example to all.

2nd Lt. Leonard Francis Handford, Lond. R., attd. R.A.F.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. On one occasion, when on patrol, the machine in which he was acting as observer, was attacked from below by four hostile scouts. After he had fired twenty rounds into the nearest scout, the latter burst into flames and crashed in our lines. Despite the fact that he was wounded, and that his gun mounting was put out of action, he continued to fire the remainder of the drum into another hostile scout, which went down out of control, and is confirmed to have crashed in the enemy lines. The destruction of these two hostile machines was in a great degree due to his gallantry and determination in