

Though wounded, he remained with them, and in the afternoon again led them forward with the cavalry and caused the enemy to withdraw. He displayed fine courage and leadership.

Lt. Tom Robin Jack, M.G. Corps.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty in command of two machine guns. When an outpost line had been overrun by the enemy he brought his guns into action, performing fine service, and covering the withdrawal of the infantry. He remained in action until surrounded on three sides, when he brought his guns safely back to a position where he was able to come into action again. Throughout the operations he set a splendid example of coolness and courage to all ranks.

Lt. James Henry Julin, Infy.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty as battalion intelligence officer. He sent in valuable information from his observation post, which was under heavy artillery fire, and several times visited the line and was able to inform the battalion commander of the actual situation. He also assisted the defence by collecting men of a company, in which the officers were casualties, and placing them in posts. He did this under heavy machine gun fire.

Capt. William Kennedy, Infy.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty when handling his company. When the front posts held by his platoons had been driven in, he led his reserves forward so effectively as to re-establish the line. His tenacious defence at a critical moment greatly assisted the counter-attack by his brigade.

Captain Douglas Oswald Luke Kitto, Fd. Arty.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. In order to assist a battalion who were suffering from hostile enfilade fire, he went forward to check the locations of the enemy machine guns and trench mortars and to observe the fire of his battalion. He did this in full daylight and on a forward slope, exposed to heavy fire, and was seriously wounded. His splendid courage and determination was noticed by the whole brigade.

Lt. Gordon Linsley, Fd. Arty.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty during an attack on a position, when his battalion was under a very heavy and accurate shell fire. The control post was blown in by a shell, but he continued to direct and control the fire of the battalion in the open until he was severely wounded. His splendid courage under heavy fire, and at a most critical time, was invaluable to his battalion and a fine example to his men.

Lt. Gerald Thompson Little, Engrs.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He volunteered to assist in laying out trenches directly under the enemy's fire, and

made specially dangerous reconnaissances in daylight to inspect them. Later, when the line was attacked by overwhelming numbers, he collected some working parties and details, and organised them for defence as a support line, displaying throughout the greatest courage and resource, and setting a magnificent example to all ranks.

2nd Lt. Adam Bruce Mackay, Infy.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty when in charge of a support platoon during an attack. He successfully kept up communications between the various parties, promptly informing his C.O. of the different phases of the situation, quite heedless of enemy machine-gun fire at less than 50 yards.

Lt. Alister Grant MacLean, Engrs.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. Two villages were reported to be strongly held by the enemy, and, although sniped at from their outskirts, he advanced with the greatest courage and determination, and by a thorough reconnaissance ascertained that the enemy had only a few scouts forward. He was then able to furnish information which enabled the brigade to take up a fine position, and subsequently to inflict heavy losses on the enemy.

Lt. Frank Maxwell Mason, Engrs.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. With a section of sappers he constructed two barrel bridges across a river under heavy shell fire. By his energy and fine example of utter disregard for personal safety, communication across the river was restored at a very critical time.

Lt. Leo. Aloysius McCartin, Infy.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty when in charge of the battalion signals. Owing to an intense hostile bombardment all telephone wires to the firing line were cut. Without hesitation he collected a party of runners, and led them over the open to a point where he endeavoured to establish a lamp station. Failing in this owing to fog, he pushed on across the shell-swept zone and remained there repairing wires, regardless of personal danger, thereby enabling his commanding officer to keep in touch with the most advanced outposts. His coolness and courage were beyond all praise.

2111 S./M. Francis McGraw, Infy.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty when his battalion went forward to reinforce the line during an enemy attack. Though left with only ten men to help him, he got all supplies of ammunition, rations and water forward quickly, and, under heavy shell fire, personally established a dump of reserve ammunition. When the right flank of his battalion was forced back, he organised headquarters details and led them forward with great dash and courage, greatly assisting to break up the enemy's attack.

Lt. John McLean, Infy.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. Noticing two of the enemy entering a village, he immediately went forward with