

Capt. Donald Gordon Duff, M.B., R.A.M.C., Spec. Res.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He proceeded to an area that was being heavily shelled, and at once organised stretcher parties, superintended the conveyance of wounded to his dug-out, and returned to make certain that no casualties were left. His coolness and devotion to duty throughout have been most marked.

Lt. (T./Capt.) John Shire Duff, E. Lan. R., Spec. Res.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. During a retirement, though slightly wounded in the arm, this officer continued in command of his company, and carried out an order which he received, in spite of machine-gun and point-blank artillery fire. Later, he brought his company out in good order and took up a position allotted to him, when he had to be evacuated through loss of blood, after a fine example of endurance at a critical time.

Lt. Creighton Edward Duggan, Leins. R., Spec. Res.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. This officer was in charge of a section of machine guns covering a valley; although they were subjected to an intense bombardment, being eventually all destroyed, he fearlessly supervised their work. All the members of his gun teams being killed or wounded, he borrowed a Lewis gun from the infantry and continued to do great execution, fighting his way out when completely surrounded. Again and again he was conspicuous by his coolness in handling machine guns under most difficult conditions.

T./Lt. John Duggan, D.C.M., Bord. R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. When the left flank of the battalion was being enveloped, this officer led his platoon straight at the enemy, scattering them and capturing a machine gun. This prompt action facilitated the withdrawal of the battalion without further molestation. All through the operations his confidence and offensive spirit have inspired the men.

T./Capt. John Duke, Essex R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. As adjutant of the battalion he gave untiring assistance to his commanding officer throughout two days of strenuous fighting. He kept neighbouring units and those in rear informed of the progress of the battle, and when the battalion was forced to withdraw, he remained with the last party and personally assisted in covering the remainder with rifle fire. He did splendid work.

Lt. (A./Capt.) Charles Moorhouse Duncan, R.F.A.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He went forward to a gun position which was under heavy barrage and extricated a man who had fallen under the burning camouflage and exploding ammunition. The ammunition exploding, killed the man he was carrying. He then organised a party to put out the fire, and by his gallantry and example enabled the position to recommence fire.

Lt. John Graham Duncan, R. Scots, attd. M.G. Corps.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty in gathering a small party, making his way through very heavy shell fire and extricating three machine guns from a village into which the enemy was penetrating. He fought these guns with the greatest gallantry, although wounded, until being hit a second time he was unable to see. His courage was most marked, and his action in recovering and fighting the guns of the greatest value.

Lt. Norman Duncan, Yeo., attd. S. Lanc. R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty during a successful raid on hostile lines, when in command of the centre party, from which position he directed the operations of the whole. He gained all his objectives, and captured many prisoners. Later, he personally led parties to the farthest objectives, under heavy fire, with the greatest coolness and determination, and afterwards covered the withdrawal of other parties, remaining himself behind until all the wounded had been safely removed.

2nd Lt. Alexander Findlay Dunn, R.F.A., Spec. Res.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He led up two limbers through the infantry to the forward gun position, and brought away the guns. He showed fine courage under heavy fire.

T./2nd Lt. Claude Pridmore Dunn, M.G. Corps.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty in charge of a sub-section of machine guns. Remaining on the left of a hill from which the infantry had retired, he fired continuously when the enemy showed himself. In the afternoon, when the line withdrew, he collected two more guns and staved off an attack in strength by the enemy, although two of his guns were put out of action.

2nd Lt. Thomas Dunn, R.F.A., Spec. Res.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty during an enemy attack. This officer went forward through a heavy enemy barrage and succeeded in sending back valuable information. He showed fine courage and determination.

T./2nd Lt. George Patrick Durham, Manch. R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty when in charge of part of a raiding party. Being encountered by an unexpected enemy post, he attacked and carried it. He reorganised and went to reinforce his superior officer, leading his men into the enemy trench. Later, he was indefatigable in bringing in wounded, himself helping to carry them back over difficult country.

T./Lt. (A./Maj.) Walters Farrell Dyde, R.F.A.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He kept his battery in action under heavy shell fire and under direct observation of the enemy, finally withdrawing it with all guns intact. Later, when his battery was