

Lt. (A./Capt.) William Hugh Ferrier Mackay, Lond. R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He was in command of the first company to force a crossing of the river, and established the first bridge head on the far bank. Under exceptional difficulties and in thick jungle he manœuvred his company in such a manner as to afford protection for the pontoon bridge which was being built, and although severely wounded carried on until the position was secured.

T./Lt. (A./Capt.) Robert Francis MacKeown, Gen. List.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty during an enemy advance. He blew up several bridges after the men detailed for the work had been shot by enemy snipers. He reorganised parties to check the enemy's advance; and he also did good work reconnoitring the ground in front of the enemy, during which he was severely wounded.

T./Lt. (A./Capt.) Lindsay Stuart Mackersy, R.G.A.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He fought his section to the last under continuously heavy barrage; and when the enemy entered the position, retired fighting on the infantry in rear with the remainder of his men.

Lt. William Gordon MacKie, W. Rid. R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. This officer personally reconnoitred under heavy machine-gun fire the whole front of the battalion, which had been ordered to advance at short notice, without having had an opportunity of examining the ground beforehand. When the flank was threatened the reserve company of which he was in command was pushed into the gap, and he made able dispositions of his platoons and Stokes and Vickers guns. Under heavy fire he crawled forward and secured maps and papers from wounded and dead enemy in front of our lines. Later, when fifty of the enemy endeavoured to rush one of his posts, he turned a Lewis gun on them and accounted for them all. He was severely wounded—losing an eye while doing this—but he did not desist until the enemy was completely repulsed. His gallantry and initiative were conspicuous throughout the day, during the whole of which he was under close machine-gun fire.

T./Capt. James David Mackinnon, M.B., R.A.M.C.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. During very heavy fighting he attended to the wounded in the open under machine-gun and rifle fire. He showed fine courage and saved many lives.

Capt. John Falconer Mackintosh, Gord. Highrs.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. While his company was in battalion reserve this officer was untiring in keeping touch with the three companies in the firing line, constantly going up to reconnoitre under heavy fire. He was thus enabled to fill a gap with his company at the right moment, preventing the enemy breaking

through. Later he carried out an orderly withdrawal and reorganised on a new line. The next day he again took his company up under heavy fire, when the troops in front were withdrawing.

2nd Lt. Duncan Campbell MacLennan, M.M., R.F.A., Spec. Res.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He went up to the battery position with six limbers in an endeavour to get the guns away when it was known that the enemy was near the position. He approached to within 100 yards, but was forced to retire owing to heavy fire and casualties in the teams. He showed great coolness in getting them away, and personally stopped one run-away team and mounted himself as lead driver in place of the one who had been seriously wounded.

T./Lt. William Bouvard MacLusky, W. York. R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. During the early stages of a determined enemy attack, after the right flank of his battalion had become exposed, he collected a party of men and formed a defensive flank, enabling a withdrawal to take place successfully. Next day he again collected men and held the line, and inflicted heavy casualties on the enemy. He set a fine example of coolness and cheerfulness.

2nd Lt. Hugh Bannerman Macpherson, R.F.A., Spec. Res.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty in keeping his guns in action during an enemy attack in great force at close range and under heavy machine-gun fire. He engaged the advancing infantry over open sights, causing very heavy casualties, and fought his command with great gallantry.

2nd Lt. Jack Machattie Lord MacPherson, R.F.A., Spec. Res.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. When two gun-pits were blown in by heavy high-explosive and gas shell bombardment this officer organised a party and dug out the detachments. He was knocked down twice by the explosion of shells, but persisted in the attempt and was successful. He showed fine courage and devotion to duty.

2nd Lt. Alexander Macrae, Yeo.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion in command of a group of observers in operations lasting many days, during the whole of which time his observation post was under very heavy shell fire. His fine work, observing the progress of the battle and the massing of the enemy for the attack, enabled him to send back the most valuable information.

T./Capt. Kenneth Duncan Cameron Macrae, M.B., R.A.M.C.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He constantly attended to wounded under machine-gun and shell fire. He also maintained an aid post on the line of the enemy's artillery barrage. By his devotion to duty many lives were saved.