

Capt. Joseph Fortescue McKay, M.C., 28th Bn., Sask. R., Can. Infy.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. On three different occasions this officer made reconnaissances to locate the exact position of the front line under machine-gun and shell fire. He had to fight his way through the enemy in order to gain the necessary information, which was required at a critical time.

(M.C. gazetted 2nd December, 1918.)

Lt. Frederick Henry Morgan, M.C., 24th Bn., Quebec R., Can. Infy.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. When his company commander was wounded early in the operations, this officer led the company to its objective with great dash. The following day, after heavy casualties, he found himself in command of the battalion, which he reorganised under trying conditions. He reconnoitred the ground in front, and established communication with the flanks under intense fire. His courage and coolness were invaluable.

(M.C. gazetted 18th October, 1917.)

Capt. William Edward Morgan, M.C., 22nd Bn., Can. Infy., Quebec R.

He led his company in an attack, under very severe fire, with coolness and determination. When all the officers senior to him had become casualties, he took command of the battalion, and, though wounded himself, led it to the attack with conspicuous gallantry and skill until he was wounded a second time.

(M.C. gazetted 18th October, 1917.)

Lt. James Meredith Morris, M.C., 42nd Bn., Can. Infy., Quebec Regt.

For conspicuous gallantry. During an attack he was in command of supporting platoons. Owing to casualties in the forward platoons he led his men forward and carried on the fight, attacking a strong enemy block with great determination, being first to pass the barricade. He killed one of the enemy garrison and was severely wounded in the close fighting. He showed unusual courage and skill in handling his men.

(M.C. gazetted 15th October, 1918.)

Lt. James Harold Ramsay, M.C., 5th Bn., Can. E.

When detailed to assist the guns of the artillery to advance in support of the infantry, he displayed great courage under fire and admirable resource, pushing tracks for the batteries over ground heavily shelled by the enemy, and very materially assisting the success of the operations by the rapidity with which he completed the work.

(M.C. gazetted 18th October, 1917.)

Capt. Frederick Douglas Raymond, M.C., 21st Bn., Can. Infy., East Ont. Regt.

For conspicuous gallantry, initiative, and resourcefulness. When advancing with his battalion in attack, the C.O. being killed, he at once assumed command and directed it to its objective, after which he made a reconnaissance of the new line, reorganised and consolidated. Without delay he prepared plans for the exploitation of the success. His personal example upon this as during past

operations had a remarkable effect upon the moral of those under him.

(M.C. gazetted 12th March, 1917.)

Capt. Theodore Hampton Oswald Rayward, M.C., 18th Bn., Can. Infy., West Ont. Regt.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty in action. He, while in command of one of the attacking companies, personally directed the advance of his two leading platoons in an attack on two very strong machine-gun posts, bayonetting and capturing all the garrison and putting twelve machine guns out of action. His energy and steadiness maintained the momentum of the attack, which, in spite of heavy fog, reached the objective in splendid order.

(M.C. gazetted 4th February, 1918.)

Rev. Robert Weston Ridgeway, M.C., Can. Chap. Serv., attd. 52nd Bn., Manitoba Regt.

For conspicuous courage and devotion to duty. When very severe casualties had occurred in the battalion he worked unceasingly under fire, tending the wounded. Absolutely regardless of personal danger, and in spite of physical exhaustion, he carried on until every casualty had been attended to. His untiring efforts and rare courage were a great inspiration to all, and no words can describe the admiration that is felt for him throughout the battalion.

(M.C. gazetted 26th July, 1917.)

Capt. George S. Robertson, M.C., 31st Bn., Can. Infy., Alberta Regt.

When troops of another division were advancing, this officer, seeing an enemy officer directing the fire of two machine guns against our troops, immediately seized a Lewis gun, and under heavy fire pushed ahead and personally put out of action this nest, killing the officer and crews. His prompt action saved many casualties, and enabled the attack to proceed without delay. He set a fine example of coolness and courage.

(M.C. gazetted 26th July, 1917.)

Capt. (A./Maj.) Alphonse Gustave Routier, M.C., 22nd Bn., Can. Inf., Quebec R.

He commanded a company in the attack with remarkable skill, clearing his flanks of machine guns and snipers which were hampering the advance of the battalion. His example of courage and dash in personally rushing a machine-gun post and killing the crew had a most inspiring effect on his men.

(M.C. gazetted 18th July, 1917.)

Lt. Leonard Rowley, M.C., M.M., 10th Bn., Can. Infy., Alberta Regt.

This officer made a very daring night reconnaissance, in force, obtaining valuable information and capturing three prisoners and two machine guns. He also led a patrol up to a block. This post he rushed, killing or capturing the entire garrison. He then continued the advance, worked his way along the enemy's front line, captured one prisoner, and drove off the crews of two machine guns, which were captured. After further brisk fighting, in which many casualties were inflicted on the enemy, his supply of bombs gave out, and he withdrew his prisoners and the enemy machine guns. During the engagement he was wounded in the face and chest, but this did not prevent him from