

Rev. Bernard Nathaniel Nicolas Woodard, R. Army Chapln. Dept., attd. R.A., 39th Div.

On October 13th, 1918, the brigade was in action in the Calvigny Valley, west of Avesnes-le-Sec. Whilst firing a barrage the positions were very heavily shelled. There were several wounded infantry soldiers crawling back through the enemy barrage. He personally took forward a stretcher party to one man and brought him back to safety through the barrage. He showed a fine example of courage and devotion to duty.

2nd Lt. (A./Capt.) Frederick William Callingham Woods, 1st Bn. R. Fus.

During operations east of Rieux on October 11th, 12th and 13th, 1918, he showed marked gallantry and devotion to duty. On October 11th the enemy made a surprise counter-attack which caused the line to withdraw, but by the prompt action of this officer in organising his company the line was steadied and went forward. On October 12th he went forward and personally supervised, under heavy fire, the consolidation of a position held by his forward platoon on the slopes covering Montrecourt.

Lt. (A./Capt.) Richard Dean Townsend Woolfe, 3rd Bn. R. Fus.

For most conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. During the operations on October 4th, 1918, near Le Catelet, he, with his company, when practically surrounded by the enemy, held on to a post for over nine hours. Although wounded he, by his coolness and daring, kept up the spirit of his men. Owing to the excellent example set by him, his company after hard fighting maintained the position until the enemy posts which threatened him were taken by another regiment.

T./Capt. Louis Harris Wrangham, 1st Bn. R. Marines.

For most conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty on September 27th, 1918, during the attack on Anneux. He led his company forward with great dash and courage, and when, after the village of Anneux had been taken, the enemy counter-attacked, he personally supervised the actions of a company on his right flank, when all its officers had become casualties, in addition to his own. Although wounded in the arm he continued at duty and also rallied other troops to the original alignment. He remained with his company throughout the operations until ordered by the medical officer to report to the aid post.

Lt. Lewis Wrigg, R.G.A. (Bermuda Contingent).

He was in command of a detachment working at Krusecke forward ammunition dump, on the Ypres-Menin road on October 13th and 14th, 1918, the spot being incessantly shelled by the enemy. By his disregard of his own safety and his good judgment and coolness he set a splendid example to his men, who remained at work unloading ammunition from light railway trucks and forwarding the same to near-by batteries.

T./2nd Lt. John Wright, 2nd Bn. High. L.I.

On the evening of October 1st, 1918, after the capture of the high ground north of

Rumilly, he led a party against the enemy who had temporarily occupied one of our posts. He was stopped by machine-gun fire when within fifty yards of the post, but he at once dashed forward alone, killed two of the enemy and captured a third. It was entirely due to his courage and dash that the enemy was ejected from the post.

Lt. Walter Young, 468th (N.M.) Fd. Co. R.E., T.F.

In charge of the repairs to the bridge over the St. Quentin Canal, near Bellenglise, on September 29th, 1918, he showed great gallantry and devotion to duty. His coolness and total disregard of danger under shell and machine-gun fire encouraged his men and contributed largely to the successful completion of the work.

2nd Lt. Wilfred Gordon Young, 2/4th Bn. Hamps. R., T.F.

For gallantry and good work on September 29th, 1918, near Marcoing. He led his company forward with admirable skill and daring and reached his objective on the outskirts of Marcoing; one field gun, several machine guns, and about twenty prisoners being captured. His quick grasp of the situation and fearless leadership through the enemy barrage and against machine-gun fire contributed to a large extent to the taking of the village.

T./2nd Lt. William Young, 37th Bn. M.G. Corps.

For great gallantry and able handling of his section and fighting limbers in the attack on Caudry on October 9th, 1918. He brought his section and limbers up to the north-west corner of Ligny, reconnoitred the ground under heavy fire, and placed his guns in a most favourable position for supporting the infantry advance. Throughout he showed marked ability and initiative in directing his fire and materially reduced the hostile fire. After the advance was resumed, fourteen enemy were found killed by machine-gun bullets. His fire undoubtedly prevented heavy casualties to our own troops. He showed throughout a complete disregard to personal danger in the leading and handling of his section.

CANADIAN FORCE.

Capt. Alan Fenton Argue, Can. A.M.C., attd. 87th Can. Bn., Quebec R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty, September 2nd/3rd, 1918, at the Dury-Arras sector. During the attack he accompanied the battalion during its advance under very heavy fire, and established his first-aid post in a trench close to the front line reached by the battalion, and continuously during the day and night worked without any rest and under constant fire. Later, he went to the assistance of a wounded officer under heavy shell fire, dressed his wounds, and remained with him until he died in his arms. Throughout he behaved admirably.

Capt. Charles Miller Armstrong, 87th Bn. Can. Infy., Quebec R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty on September 2nd/3rd, 1918, during