

all his objectives. He moved on Sludka, and was the first officer to arrive there. He was largely instrumental in the capture of 350 prisoners. He has done very good work on patrol on previous occasions.

Lt. Patrick James Sylvester, Som. L.I.

For marked gallantry, resource and coolness under fire at Selmenga, on evening 10 July, 1919, when a regiment was heavily attacked by the Bolsheviks; he went up to the front line under very heavy fire on five occasions, bringing back reports to battalion headquarters as to the situation on the threatened flank. On three occasions he collected stragglers and led them up to the firing line to fill up gaps. On one occasion the company to which he proceeded was practically surrounded.

T./Lt. (A./Capt.) John Ethelbert Buchanan Tinker, 250th Sig. Coy., R.E.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty when in charge of signal arrangements on the advance to Sludka and the subsequent attacks on Lipovets. He showed untiring energy in keeping a line laid to the advance guard for three days through almost impassable marshes. On the 10th August, 1919, he followed the attack with cable under very heavy fire.

Capt. James Vallance, M.B., R.A.M.C., attd. 45th Bn., R. Fus.

For great gallantry and devotion to duty in dressing and attending wounded under fire. As each objective was gained he followed up immediately, dressing and bringing in all wounded on his way. In one village the Bolsheviks landed a party of sailors, and it was only through his untiring efforts that the wounded were removed to a place of safety.

Lt. Frederick Lionel Whalley, Rifle Bde., attd. 45th Bn., Royal Fus.

On 15th September, 1919, when in command of a raid on Nevonovskaya and Bulandovskaya, he displayed conspicuous gallantry and powers of leadership. After both parties carrying out the raid had been held up by heavy fire, he led a most successful frontal attack on the village, inflicting heavy casualties on the enemy and destroying two machine guns.

2nd Lt. Herbert Leonard Wheeler, Hampshire Regt.

For conspicuous gallantry during a raid near Alexandrova, 19th August, 1919. With his platoon, he was in reserve to a raiding party. Losing touch, he eventually came under heavy trench mortar and artillery fire near the hostile wire. He led his men with great dash through the latter, capturing four of the enemy and one trench mortar.

Lt. Vashon James Wheeler, Rifle Bde., attd. 45th Bn., Royal Fus.

At Vosnesenskoe he was in charge of a flank party in a raid on the 2nd September, 1919. He was surrounded on three sides by the enemy at close quarters. He acted with great courage and determination, and with his small party drove off the enemy and inflicted severe loss on him.

Lt. William Anderson Wilken, R.E.

For determined gallantry and good work. On the 29th August, 1919, when the first enemy positions were captured, it was found that they had left a series of mines. At great personal risk he succeeded in removing fifteen charges. It was owing to his efforts that the railway was quickly repaired. He worked for sixty hours.

Lt. John Windsor, Devon. Regt., attd. 45th Bn., R. Fus.

At a point 300 yards east of the battery on the 29th August, 1919, he pushed the attack forward, and under heavy fire rushed a machine-gun team, killing one of the crew and capturing the remainder. He showed great gallantry and able leadership.

#### CANADIAN FORCE.

Lt. (A./Capt.) William Ramsay Peacock, Can. Engrs., attd. Rly. Troops, R.E.

He has been at work between Obozerskaya and the front line since October, 1918. He has throughout that period been making good damage done by enemy action on the railway, often in circumstances of considerable danger. During the recent fighting on the railway front the work of this officer in keeping the railway in running order has been splendid.

#### AWARDED A BAR TO THE DISTINGUISHED CONDUCT MEDAL.

130560 Sjt. T. G. Goodchild, D.C.M., 46th Bn., R. Fus. (Cleethorpe).

During the attack on Gorodok on 10th August, 1919, he displayed great courage and determined leadership. During the enemy counter-attack he held on with seven men and drove the enemy back. He twice attacked a battery of artillery, and finally captured four field guns and twenty-one prisoners, two trench-mortar guns and a large quantity of shells.

(D.C.M. gazetted 4th June, 1917.)

602411 Sjt. A. E. Green, D.C.M., M.M., 385th Fd. Coy., R.E. (Newcastle-on-Tyne).

For steadiness and cool courage in controlling men under fire and supervising and controlling the work.

(D.C.M. gazetted 1st January, 1917.)

#### AWARDED THE DISTINGUISHED CONDUCT MEDAL.

129963 C./S./M. E. Almey, 45th Bn., R. Fus. (Kegworth).

For great gallantry and determination. He led a small party of men against a machine gun which was firing on the right flank of Sludka, and captured the gun and about 50 prisoners.

133025 Pta. O. C. Anderson, 45th Bn., R. Fus. (Copenhagen, Denmark).

For conspicuous gallantry and initiative on 15th September, 1919, at Tulgas. He formed one of a flanking party which was held up by wire and heavy machine-gun fire.