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Temp. 2nd Lt. Harry Taylor, Manch. R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He gallantly led his company against several enemy machine guns and succeeded in putting six of them out of action, thereby undoubtedly saving his battalion from many casualties. He set a fine example of courage and initiative.

Temp. 2nd Lt. Robert Leonard Thompson, R. Ir. Rif.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty during a raid made by the enemy. He handled his machine gun with great skill and was largely responsible for repulsing the enemy at a critical time. He set a splendid example to his men.

Temp. 2nd Lt. George Henry Tomkinson, Manch. R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. Although himself wounded in the leg, he pushed on with his men until the position was captured, setting a splendid example of courage and determination.

2nd Lt. John Clarkson Tredgold, R. Scots, Spec. Res.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He carried out a dangerous reconnaissance and obtained most valuable information. Later, he rescued several wounded men under heavy fire.

Capt. John Thomas Waller, Leic. R. and R.F.C.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He has consistently carried out with unflinching success long reconnaissances and daring bombing raids.

Temp. Lt. Clifford Walsham Ward, R.F.A.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He displayed great courage and initiative in bringing in six captured enemy guns under very heavy fire.

Lt. Howard Webster, Can. Fld. Arty.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. At great personal risk, and in spite of very heavy hostile fire, he went to the assistance of several men who had been buried. He was wounded.

2nd Lt. Dennis George Whigham-Teasdale, I.A.R.O.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He handled a machine gun with great skill, and thereby enabled the rear-guard to withdraw at a critical time from a difficult situation.

2nd Lt. Victor Rodney Stokes White, S. Staff. R., Spec. Res.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty when acting as Forward Observation officer. He constantly moved about in the open under very heavy fire and obtained most valuable information.

2nd Lt. Bernard Alexander Wilson, Yeo.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He carried out several difficult reconnaissances under heavy fire and

obtained most valuable information. He has previously done fine work.

2nd Lt. William Ewart Worsley, W. York. R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He handled his platoon with marked ability and succeeded in inflicting many casualties on an enemy raiding party. He has on many previous occasions done fine work.

Temp. 2nd Lt. (actg. Capt.) Thomas Charles Wright, R.W. Kent R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. By his personal example of coolness and courage he kept his men well in hand during the most intense bombardment. He has on many previous occasions done fine work.

3/9737 C. S.-M. George Gardner, S. Staff. R., Spec. Res.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty in digging a line of posts in open ground swept by fire. He continually moved from post to post over fire-swept ground in order to supervise the work of consolidation. He set a fine example of coolness and courage.

21380 C.S.M. (A./R.S.M.) John Hargreaves, Manch. R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He carried out a dangerous reconnaissance and brought back most valuable information. Later, he rescued a wounded man under very heavy fire.

5626 S.M. George Hastewell, Manch. R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He performed consistent good work throughout the operations, and handled his men in the most gallant manner.

8575 C./S./M. George Alfred Hollis, S. Staff. R., Spec. Res.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He carried out three daring patrols in order to collect the remnants of his company and to clear up the situation. Later, he rendered invaluable service reorganising his company in the defensive positions.

12975 C./S./M. William Thomas Sperry, Midd'x R.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He set a magnificent example to his men and was the greatest assistance to his company commander throughout the operations.

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Lt. Ralph Dorschel Doughty, Aust. Fld. Arty.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty when acting as Forward Observing Officer. He sent back most valuable information and was responsible for bringing artillery fire to bear on the enemy at a critical time.

Lt. Thomas Duncan Leaper, Aust. Fld. Arty.

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