

Distinguished Conduct Medals—*continued.*

Regimental No.	Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Action for which commended.
42065	Bombadier	Baxter, P. E. ...	"N" Battery Royal Horse Artillery	For gallantry and continuous good work between the 14th and 26th December 1914, in keeping up telephone communication between his Battery and the observation station.
8793	Lance-Corporal	Beal, S. ...	1st Battalion, Norfolk Regiment	For conspicuous gallantry on the occasion when a company of the 58th Vaughan's Rifles were blown out of their trenches by shell fire. By his fine example he was largely instrumental in restoring confidence in his comrades at a critical moment.
4309	Serjeant ...	Berridge, J. ...	4th Battalion, King's Royal Rifle Corps	For gallant conduct at St. Eloi on 2nd March 1915, in going out of his trench alone and lying in the open firing effectively on the enemy's barricade. Subsequently he was joined by several other men in this risky work.
9477	Lance-Corporal	Berry, H. ...	1st Battalion, Royal Irish Regiment	For gallant conduct at St. Eloi on the night of 14th-15th February 1915, in rescuing the wounded under a heavy fire, including one wounded man from a ditch full of water.
6832	Corporal ...	Bird, J. R. ...	1st Battalion, Leicestershire Regiment	For gallantry and ability on many occasions in obtaining valuable information relative to the enemy's position. Has been noted for his readiness to undertake patrol duty.
60304	Corporal ...	Bird, R. J. ...	12th Battery Royal Field Artillery	For gallant conduct on 25th October 1914, in joining his Battery Commander under very dangerous circumstances, and succeeding in keeping up communication by semaphore with his battery, under very heavy shell and rifle fire.
10755	Private (Acting-Corporal)	Black, R. ...	1st Battalion Highland Light Infantry	For gallantry between 19th and 22nd December 1914, in working a bomb mortar under heavy fire. When ordered to return he remained to assist a wounded comrade.
9284	Serjeant	Blacktin, J. ...	1st Battalion, Royal Welsh Fusiliers	For gallant conduct and devotion to duty on 20th and 21st October 1914, in rescuing the wounded and attending on them under heavy shell and rifle fire, and for the fine example shown by him to the stretcher bearers.
10017	Private ...	Bloomfield, F. ...	1st Battalion, East Kent Regiment	For gallant conduct on 20th October 1914, in carrying his Section Commander, who was severely wounded, into safety, and afterwards returning to the firing line.
9578	Acting-Serjeant	Blundy, S. ...	1st Battalion, Lincolnshire Regiment	For gallant conduct at Kemmel on 27th November 1914, in going out in front of his trench for a distance of 50 yards and rescuing a wounded man.
52474	Gunner ...	Booth, H. ...	12th Battery, Royal Field Artillery	For conspicuous gallantry on 27th October 1914, when, chiefly by his own efforts, a German attack was repulsed by a single gun. He was killed.
9479	Serjeant ...	Booth, R. L. ...	2nd Battalion, Border Regiment	For conspicuous gallantry and resource during the action of 2nd November 1914, when he left the advance trench under a destructive fire, collected men, and with great coolness brought them into a position where there was every prospect of the enemy breaking through.
2469	Serjeant ...	Boulger, H. W. R.	Signal Service, Royal Engineers	For conspicuous courage on 30th October 1914, near Hooge, in taking his heavy cable cart across a half-mile stretch of fire-swept ground, accompanied by a few men, and establishing communication. This work was accomplished in circumstances of great danger.