

Distinguished Conduct Medals—Continued.

Regimental No.	Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Action for which commended.
8346	Serjeant ..	Gibbens, C....	2nd Battalion, Durham Light Infantry	For conspicuous gallantry on the 9th and 10th August, 1915, at Hooge. About 3 p.m. some men started to withdraw from the vicinity of the "Stables." Serjeant Gibbens, assisted by three others, succeeded in rallying them and leading them back, under considerable shell fire, to the vacated trench. Later he, in company with an Officer, ran across some exposed ground in order to head off some men who had commenced to withdraw. The action was very gallant owing to the heavy shell fire.
7051	Corporal ...	Gott, J. ...	2nd Battalion, Durham Light Infantry	For conspicuous energy and devotion to duty throughout 9th August, 1915, at Hooge. He refused to quit the portion of the trench which he was holding when a retirement was permitted on 10th August, and he'd on till relieved at dark.
969	Serjeant ...	Grantham, H. ...	1/9th Battalion, Manchester Regiment (T.F.)	For conspicuous gallantry and ability south of Krithia, Gallipoli Peninsula, on 10th and 11th July, 1915, when making a reconnaissance of the enemy's new trenches under very dangerous circumstances. He gained valuable information and located exactly the hostile positions.
9865	Corporal ...	Groom, J. ...	1st Battalion, Shropshire Light Infantry	For conspicuous gallantry on the 9th August, 1915, during the attack on the Hooge trenches, when he was ordered to reinforce the captured trenches with a machine gun. In the advance he came under heavy shell fire, the gun was damaged and several of the gun team wounded. Although wounded himself, he bound up his comrades' wounds, returned to Headquarters and reported, and successfully took another gun and team to the firing line.
9732	Serjeant ...	Hamer, A. ...	1/6th Battalion, Lancashire Fusiliers (T.F.)	For conspicuous gallantry on the 6th May, 1915, on the Gallipoli Peninsula, when he led a half Platoon during the attack with great ability and courage. On several occasions he has carried messages under heavy fire.
S/7625	Private ..	Hamilton, F. ...	8th Battalion, Rifle Brigade	For conspicuous gallantry and ability on 30th July, 1915, at Hooge. When his own machine-gun had been knocked out he mounted another, the detachment of which had been disabled, and fired it at the enemy attacking from the rear. When the water failed he filled the water jacket of the gun from the men's water bottles, kept the gun in action and finally stopped an enemy's bombing attack with his fire.
5929	Lance-Corporal	Harrison, G. ...	1st Battalion, West Yorkshire Regiment	For conspicuous gallantry on the 10th August, 1915, near the Crater, Hooge. Lance-Corporal Harrison went by daylight up to an advanced post, which it was imperative to hold, well knowing that he had to cross over open ground exposed to a heavy shell fire, and that the post was in the air and both flanks exposed.