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WEDNESDAY, 25 FEBRUARY, 1920.

War Office,
25th February, 1920.

With reference to the announcement of the undermentioned awards, which appeared in the London Gazette of the 17th April, 1919, the following are the acts of gallantry for which the awards were made:—

AWARDED A SECOND BAR TO THE DISTINGUISHED CONDUCT MEDAL.

8992 C./S./M. J. P. Dobson, D.C.M., M.M., 9th Bn., Y. & L. Regt. (Snaith).

(ITALY)

For conspicuous gallantry and daring on 30th-31st October, 1918, in the Piave battle. He commanded a patrol in front of our line, and in face of machine-gun and rifle fire gained valuable information. On 31st October, during the attack on Sacile, he led his men, under heavy fire from the houses, right down the main street, capturing it and taking many machine guns and prisoners.

(D.C.M. gazetted 25th November, 1916.)
(1st Bar gazetted 17th December, 1917.)

AWARDED A BAR TO THE DISTINGUISHED CONDUCT MEDAL.

3/8899 C./S./M. J. Goodieson, D.C.M., 9th Bn., York R. (Middlesbrough).

At Beaufevoir, on 5th October, 1918, he showed conspicuous gallantry in leading his

men under very heavy machine-gun fire. After his company officers had been killed he assumed command of his company, and led them to the objective with great dash. Throughout the operations he set a fine example of cheerful courage.

(D.C.M. gazetted 1st January, 1919.)

200031 Cr./Sjt. T. H. Hamilton, D.C.M., 2/4th Bn., Hamps. R., T.F. (Aldershot).

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty near Gognaux on 6th November, 1918. He took command of the platoon when his officer became a casualty, and led them, in the face of heavy machine-gun fire. On reaching his objective a machine gun and trench mortar caused considerable trouble. He rushed forward and, single handed, shot two of the team, and made four others prisoners.

(D.C.M. gazetted 12th March, 1919.)

781677 B./S./M. W. Hudson, D.C.M., C/246th (W. Rid.) Bde., R.F.A., T.F. (Sheffield).

For conspicuous gallantry and leadership near Cambrai on 11th to 13th October, 1918. When the gun limbers had to move forward an enemy barrage came down on the wagon lines. He extricated the teams, and then went back and attended to the wounded men