- Peter FORSTER, Inspector, Metropolitan Police For arresting and restraining a disturbed and violent man armed with two knives who had forcibly entered a house and held one of the occupants hostage.
- John Paget Walker GILROY, Miner, Rock End, Edinburgh For attempting to rescue two workmen who were trapped by an earth fall when the roof of a tunnel undergoing repair collapsed.
- Karl Craig HUTCHINSON, Constable, Royal Ulster Constabulary
- William Edward John MILLS, Constable, Royal Ulster Constabulary For gallantry in Northern Ireland.
- Leslie Campbell JOHNSTON, Constable, Royal Ulster Constabulary For gallantry in Northern Ireland.
- Miss Janet Marjory KEARNS, Woman Police Sergeant, Metropolitan Police
 - For services in overpowering and arresting an armed man who attempted to rob a bank.
- James Francis KEELAN, Sergeant, West Australian Police Force
 - For services during an attack by an unstable and dangerous armed man who went beserk and murdered his colleague.

- Raymond George KOCH, Senior Constable, Victoria Police For services in attempting to arrest an armed and dangerous criminal.
- Mark Stephen Peter LAMB, Constable Metropolitan Police For services in confronting an armed and violent man following a car and foot pursuit during which he was constantly threatened by a firearm.
- George William LEA, Constable, Humberside Police George MATCHETT, Sergeant, Humberside Police For confronting and attempting to restrain a violent and unpredictable armed man who had fired a shot gun indiscriminately at a motor vehicle and a dwelling house.
- James Samuel McELFATRICK, Constable, Royal Ulster Constabulary For gallantry in Northern Ireland.
- Joseph Neilson Stark PENDRICH, Steeplejack, Lasswade, Midlothian.
 - For an operation undertaken in conditions of poor visibility and adverse weather to recover the body of a steeplejack who had been trapped and fatally injured by an accident at the top of a 550 feet chimney.
- Robert Malcolm RICHARDS, Constable, Nottinghamshire Constabulary
- Neil RILEY, Constable, Nottinghamshire Constabulary
 For services leading to the rescue of an unconscious
 man overcome by toxic fumes following an explosion.