

Distinguished Conduct Medals—*Continued.*

Regimental No.	Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Action for which commended.
8749	Serjeant ...	Roderick, P. B. ...	2nd Battalion, Royal Welsh Fusiliers	For conspicuous gallantry, ability, and devotion to duty near Bois Grenier on 6th, 8th and 9th March 1915, when he obtained valuable information on reconnaissance duty relative to the enemy's positions. On the 9th March two men of the five forming his patrol were wounded, and he remained out in attendance on the more seriously wounded man, and eventually carried him into safety, notwithstanding the heavy fire from the enemy, who were only 150 yards distant.
3159	Lance-Corporal	Rostron, J. ...	2nd Battalion, Coldstream Guards	For conspicuous gallantry and great presence of mind on 26th March 1915, near Pont Fixe, Givenchy. When a German shell set fire to our bomb store, this Non-commissioned Officer rushed into the burning building and took away 60 bombs and 200 detonators. This act of courage prevented a very dangerous explosion, and the personal risk was very great owing to the roof tumbling in all the time the bombs were being removed.
7449	Serjeant ...	Ruckledge, H. E. ...	2nd Battalion, Leicestershire Regiment	For conspicuous gallantry on 10th March 1915, at Neuve Chapelle, when he dressed the wounds of several men after being wounded himself in the leg. He then collected the sand-bags and took them back to the firing line, being wounded in the wrist whilst so doing. Serjeant Ruckledge next went to the assistance of a severely wounded Officer and rendered him first aid. All these gallant actions were performed with the utmost coolness under heavy fire.
145	Private ...	Ruffell, F. ...	2nd Battalion, East Surrey Regiment	For conspicuous gallantry on 12th March 1915, during the attack at Spanbroek Molen, when he went out in daylight on two occasions under heavy fire in front of his trench and brought back two wounded men.
1222	Private ...	Russell, J. ...	2nd Battalion, Royal Warwickshire Regiment	For conspicuous gallantry at Neuve Chapelle on 13th March 1915, when he voluntarily went out under heavy fire to dress the wounded. He was mortally wounded after bandaging two men.
7951	Company Serjeant-Major	Saunders, A. ...	4th Battalion, Rifle Brigade	For conspicuous gallantry at St. Eloi on 15th March 1915, when he continued at his duty after being wounded in three places in the leg, bringing up men to the attack and encouraging them by his gallant example of devotion to duty.
9007	Serjeant ...	Scrimshaw, A. ...	1st Battalion, Nottinghamshire and Derbyshire Regiment	For gallant conduct at Neuve Chapelle from 10th to 14th March 1915. When his platoon was surrounded by the enemy he showed a fine example to his men, whom he handled with much ability.
9429	Private ...	Sherwood, F. ...	2nd Battalion, Dorsetshire Regiment	For conspicuous gallantry near Ahwaz (Turkey in Asia) on 3rd March 1915, when he rendered valuable service at a critical stage by rallying parties of Indian Infantry who were being hard pressed by superior numbers of the enemy. Private Sherwood assisted in rescuing the wounded on several occasions during the action.