

70th Inf. Brigade 23rd Division Corps

Schedule No. Unit 10th Bn. D.L.I.  
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Army No. and Rank 4449491 Sergeant.

Name John METHERINGHAM.  
(Christian names must be stated)Date recommendation  
passed forward

Received

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Brigade

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Army

Action for which commended  
(Date and place of action must be stated)Recommended  
byHonour  
or  
Reward(To be  
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On 27th May the Battalion Transport was heavily bombed and machine gunned by hostile aircraft. Five men were buried under debris, and this rescue was due to the non-commissioned Officer, who led a rescue party under fire. His example of coolness and courage was outstanding. During the withdrawal to Dunkirk from the Arras Area, this non-commissioned Officer set a magnificent example of courage and determination in carrying out his duties, carrying out many journeys during day and night in country known to be investigated by hostile A.F.V.S., and subject to hostile Air Attack.

Lt.-Col.  
D.D.  
Marley.

M.M.

DCM  
as Wetheringham  
11/7/40