Hicks, Henry George, Regt. No. 833 / O-72

Military Cross

London Gazette, 6th April 1918 and Supplement 26th December 1917 Action Date, 9th October 1917

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He took charge of part of the line when several officers became casualties, and made the position secure when a unit on his flank was forced back, and held it against a heavy counterattack. He showed great courage and determination.

Bar to Military Cross - London Gazette, October 4th 1919. Newfoundland Gazette, December 31, 1918

During the whole advance from the 14th to 26th October 1918, from Ledeghem to Ingoyghem, he carried out his duties as Transport Officer with great energy and fearless devotion to duty. During the operations at Stampkot and Deerlyck his conduct has been most praiseworthy. Both these areas were heavily shelled and gassed, the main roads at times being impassible, but he never failed to get his wagons to their destination.