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THURSDAY, JUNE 27, 1918.

War Office,

26th June, 1918.

His Majesty the KING has been graciously pleased to approve of the award of a Bar to the Distinguished Conduct Medal to the undermentioned Warrant Officers, Non-Commissioned Officers and Men:—

19560 Cpl. (A./Sjt.) D. Boyd, D.C.M., R.E. (Hillsborough).

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He was in charge of an advanced party engaged in developing water supplies for the use of the advancing troops. He carried out his duties in a most capable manner, often under shell fire, and set a splendid example of untiring energy and determination under the most difficult conditions.

(D.C.M. gazetted 18th Feb., 1918.)

20267 C.S.M. H. A. Breslain, D.C.M., M.G.C. (frmly. R. Fus.) (Upper Holloway).

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. When several officers of his company

had become casualties he went forward, took command of a sub-section, and prepared to meet a threatened attack. When the enemy attacked he handled his machine guns with the utmost coolness and skill, and inflicted heavy casualties on the enemy, who retired in disorder. His courage and initiative were a splendid example to the men.

(D.C.M. gazetted 26th Sept., 1916.)

G/24566 L./Sjt. A. E. Fellows, D.C.M., R. Fus. (Southall).

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. During a hostile attack on our trenches he was of the greatest assistance to his company commander whilst his company was proceeding through an intense barrage to reinforce the front line. Later, he took command of two posts, repulsing repeated attacks during a period of eight hours, and holding the enemy at bay until our counter-attack developed. Thanks to his magnificent example of coolness, determination and efficiency the situation, which might have become extremely critical, was retrieved.

(D.C.M. gazetted 22nd Oct. 1917.)