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WEDNESDAY, 30 OCTOBER, 1918.

War Office, 30th October, 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 for gallantry and Distinguished Service in the field:—

9067 C.S.M. E. Burrell, D.C.M., M.M., Linc. R. (Bishops Waltham).

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty in action. At a critical moment he led the whole personnel of battalion head-quarters into the line, and commanded them with marked ability. When the battalion was compelled to withdraw, he successfully covered the withdrawal with the heavy and well-sustained fire of his party, and finally, under most difficult circumstances, extricated his own men and rejoined the battalion. He displayed courage, coolness, and initiative of a high order.

(D.C.M. gazetted 3rd September, 1918.)

8713 C.S.M. G. Crump, D.C.M., Worc. R. (Worcester).

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty during an enemy attack. Observing a wounded man of another unit lying out in the open, he walked out under heavy rifle and machine-gun fire at close range and brought him in on his back. He then placed his command, consisting only of two Lewis guns and a dozen men, in the best defensive position and himself continued to work one gun until he was the only man left in the team. He set a splendid example of courage and determination, and inflicted heavy casualties on the enemy.

(D.C.M. gazetted 1st January, 1918.)

40245 Pte. (A./Cpl.) B. H. Cunniffe, D.C.M., K.O.S.B. (Long Eaton).

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. During an attack, when his platoon commander and most of his own section had become casualties from machine-gun fire, he worked forward alone and captured the gun,