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parties on their work with rapid and sound judgement, and when a "stand to" was ordered to meet expected enemy counter attack, Capt. Reilly handled his men brilliantly, and gave an inspiration of absolute confidence by his calmness under very heavy bombardment which the enemy had put down. He personally salvaged a Lewis gun in good condition, ~~and~~ got it into position & manned it ready for action. All through, he displayed a contempt of personal danger beyond praise, and was a brilliant example of pluck & devotion to his men.

5th

For

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Nº 19. CORPL. LAMOND J. "For remarkable gallantry, brilliant resourcefulness under very heavy shell and M.G. fire." During the operations against Polygon Wood on 20th Sept 1917 this N.C.O. displayed ~~the~~ unparalleled bravery resourcefulness & devotion to duty in going out with his officer on the responsible duty of ~~xxxxx~~ siting and marking out a valuable "Strong Point" at "Black Watch Corner." He subsequently did priceless service in calmly directing the energies of the Sappers & Infantry party on the work of construction and by his absolute disregard of personal danger & devotion to duty was a splendid example to all ranks. On one occasion a party of ~~English troops~~ ^{English troops} got off their track and wandered into our works under heavy fire. Corpl Lamond went out, gathered them up, and conducted them to their own lines.

6th

For
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Nº 387 CPL. W. BOWEN. "For conspicuous gallantry, good leadership, and singular devotion to duty under the heaviest of enemy shell fire." This gallant N.C.O. during the operations against Polygon Wood on 20th and 22nd Sept. 1917 was given charge of the construction of a section of a "Strong Point" on Southern Corner of Polygon Wood, and on the heels of the advancing Inf. he got his party rapidly to work after conducting them through