

Appendix 1 to War Diary for June 11th 1918
TRANSCRIPTION

Serial No. 22

SPECIAL COMPANIES R.E. THIRD ARMY

Zero Time.

2.00. a.m.

Date 11-6-18

"J" SPECIAL COMPANY. R.E.

Report on Operation No G. J. 24

VI Corps 32nd Division

Purpose of Operation:-		To inflict casualties on the enemy garrison of HAMELIN COURT – the majority of whom, according to VI Corps Intelligence, live in dug-outs at the map reference given below	
Targets, given Map References		Sheet 57.c. (1) A.5.a central - - 300 Drums (2) A.5.b central - - 300 Drums	
No. of Projectors Employed.	(1) 300 (2) 300	Map reference of Emplacements	Sheet 51.b S.23,a.1.7.
No. and Nature of Projectiles Allotted.	600 C.G.	No. and Nature of Projectiles Fired	493.
Reason for Discrepancy (if any)		The position had been heavily shelled during the previous 24 hours. It is estimated that 50 guns were knocked out of position or damaged. A very large number of connections had been cut, and in many cases the leads had broken close to the charge tin.	
Programme		All projectors to be discharged at Zero. Artillery the targets, and all approaches within 400 yards of them, from Zero plus 2 to Zero plus 7, and from Zero plus 30 to Zero plus 35.	
Direction and Strength Of Wind.	W 4. M.P.H.	Casualties	
		Names of Officers	Nil
		Number. of O.R.	Nil
Name of Officers i/c Operation		2/Lt J. B. BASSFORD R.E.	
Sections Engaged	Section 42.	2/Lt J. L. YATES R.E.	
	Section 43.	Lt J. C. S. BRANSON R.E.	
	Section 45.		
Remarks:-		No enemy action of any kind is reported.	

A copy of this report has been forwarded to

VI Corps
32nd Division
C.S.C. R.E. Third Army (2)

Date 11-6-18

O.C. "J" Special Coy. R.E.