

*Immediate*

Date Recommendation passed forward.

Army Form  
W. 5121.

Received

Passed  
28.5.18.

6th Aust. Infantry Brigade. 2nd Australian Division. AUSTRALIAN Corps.

Brigade \_\_\_\_\_  
Division \_\_\_\_\_  
Corps \_\_\_\_\_  
Army \_\_\_\_\_

Schedule No. (not blank)	Unit	Regt. No.	Rank and Name (Christian names must be stated)	Action for which commended (Date and place of action must be stated)	Recommended by	Honour or Reward	(To be left blank)
	21st Bn.	-	Lieut. Frederick GAWLER, M.C.	<p>On the morning of 22nd March near WARNETON the enemy raided our Front Line Posts.</p> <p>This officer was in charge of one of the posts and although subjected to a severe bombardment lasting forty five minutes, was successful in keeping the enemy back.</p> <p>He disposed his Lewis Gun and garrison so as to give effective cover to the neighbouring posts and moved about, regardless of danger, cheering his men.</p> <p>Lieut. GAWLER went out into NO MAN'S LAND and brought in one of our wounded who, previously being taken back as a prisoner, was left lying helpless as his escort had been killed.</p> <p>This Officer displayed the greatest coolness throughout a very trying time.</p> <p>M.C. awarded 6.5.17 (A.I.F. List 193) Supplement to London Gazette No.30135 dated 18. 5. 17.</p>	Brig.-General, Commanding 6th Aust. Infantry Brigade	BAR to M.C.	