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Pte. (L/Cpl.)
Ernest George
SAVIGE, M.M.

North of MONTBERRAIN, East of PERONNE, on the afternoon of 5th Oct., 1918, this N.C.O. went forward with a support platoon to reinforce the outpost line. Under heavy enemy fire he pressed forward until within sixty yards of their line, at which point he engaged a machine gun which was sweeping our forward positions and interfering with the communications. He successfully silenced this gun as well as several snipers and caused the enemy to withdraw from his forward positions.

During their retreat he inflicted many casualties on them, completely silencing their fire, and enabling our posts to be pushed further forward still.

His courage and initiative were very noticeable.

(Awarded M.M. 31. 8. 18)

(Awarded B.M. to M.M. 30.9.18)

(Signed) A.R.L. WILTSHIRE, Lieut.-Colonel,
Commanding (temp.) 6th Australian Infantry Brigade

SECOND
BAR TO
M.M.