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13th. Aust. F.A. Brigade. 5th. Australian Division. 1st. ANZAC Corps. 1.9.1917. Date of Recommendation.

Schedule No. (to be left blank)	Unit	Regtl. 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)
	113th. Howitzer Battery 13th. Australian Field Artillery Brigade.	3668	Driver Frank BROWN.	On the afternoon of 31st. August 1917, East of YPRES, a Column of Ammunition Wagons of the 113th Howitzer Battery was proceeding filled to the Brigade Forward Ammunition Dump, when the enemy commenced to barrage the road heavily with 4.2" and 5.9" . Three drivers of the column were wounded and two horses killed and 11 wounded. The immediate action of Driver F. BROWN in assisting Bombardier F.SMITH in supervising and getting the wounded to cover, and the wounded and killed horses clear of the teams was instrumental in preventing further casualties to personnel, horses and equipment. They shewed an utter disregard for their own safety, as well as setting a splendid example. Their action greatly assisted the Officer in charge of the Column. Awarded Military Medal 1/9/17 Authority XIX Corps R.O 107 dated 24/9/17. Forwarded and recommended 13.9.17.	Brig-General, C.R.A. 5th Australian Division.	MILITARY MEDAL (Immediate) No previous award.	

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