

8th Infantry Brigade. 5th Australian Division. 1st Anzac Corps. 2nd October 1917 Date of Recommendation.

Schedule No. (to be left blank)	Unit	Regtl. No.	Rank and Name	Action for which commended	Recommended by	Honour or Reward	(To be left blank)
	31st Battalion	916A	Private HENRY JOHN MITCHELL.	At POLYGON WOOD on 26/28 September 1917, an enemy machine gun held up a portion of our line for a time, but by boldly and skilfully working from shell hole to shell hole, this man succeeded in creeping on the gun, killed the crew and returned with the gun; thus allowing the advance to continue. Throughout the operation, his courage was magnificent.	<p><i>Med. Col. Moore</i></p> <p><i>W. J. B. [unclear]</i></p>	<p><i>M. J. [unclear]</i></p> <p><i>894</i></p>	