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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)
Ward.	31st Battalion. A.I.F.	690.	Sergeant Robert Edward GRANTHAM.	During the operations 29th September - 1st October 1918, this N.C.O. displayed great keenness and initiative. At a critical stage of the advance he wassent forward to obtain touch with the enemy and gain information as to the location of the flanking unit. In the face of heavy Artillery and Machine Gun fire he advanced and returned with the information, as a result of which his Company was able to advance a 1000 yards. He set a fine example of determination and devotion to duty.	E.TIVEY, Brig.Gen, Comndng, 8th Aust Infantry Brigade.	Mention in Corps Orders.	
Ward.	31st Battalion. A.I.F.	5286.	Private (Lance Corporal) Arthur Richard ROLLS.	During the operations of 29th-30th September and 1st October 1918 this N.C.O. acted as a runner, a throughout displayed great courage and resource. He carried despatches in the face of heavy Artillery and Machine Gun fire to the front line, and by his coolness and utter disregard for personal safety set a fine example to all with whom he came in contact.			

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