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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. Battn.	4378	Pte. James Boothby WATTS.	During the operations of 29/30th. Sept. and 1st. Oct. this man showed the greatest gallantry and devotion to duty. At one time the platoon on the flank of his own was held up. Under very heavy fire he was sent forward with a message to them, and by its safe delivery was instrumental in enabling that flank to get up, so that the line was restored. He also guided the flank up along a sunken road, and placed them into position. Throughout the whole operation he showed a bravery and devotion to duty worthy of the highest commendation.	[illegible]	Awarded the Military Medal	

CERTIFIED that the number, rank and name of the abovementioned soldier have been checked with Battalion records and found correct in every respect.

[signature] Capt.
A/C.O. 31st. Battalion. A.I.F.