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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)
	3rd Battalion Australian Imperial Force.	5208	Private, Nathaniel DOUGHTY.	For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty at MONT de MERRIS near STRAZEELE, FRANCE, on 14th April, 1918. During a powerful enemy attack Pte. DOUGHTY moved through a heavy barrage delivering urgent messages on nine different occasions. Again on 17th April, he moved through an extremely heavy double barrage on three occasions with urgent messages. It was chiefly owing to the receipt of these messages on both occasions that Artillery was able to be directed on the enemy at critical times. He showed a wonderful spirit of devotion to duty and his gallantry was of the highest order. He completely earned the confidence and admiration of all ranks.	G.O.C., 1st Aust. Inf. Bde.	M.M.	
	3rd Battalion Australian Imperial Force.	763	Private Edward William Hamilton BAILEY.	For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty at MONT de MERRIS near STRAZEELE, FRANCE, on 14th April, 1918. During a heavy attack Pte. BAILEY headless of the heavy barrage passed through and warned the front line posts of a flank attack. At all times during the operations he showed great courage and utter disregard of personal safety and was instrumental in keeping communication with his Company posts during the heavy barrage. At all times he was under direct observation and was subjected to heavy machine gun fire in addition to the barrage fire. His bravery earned for him the greatest admiration of all ranks.	G.O.C., 1st Aust. Inf. Bde.	M.M.	

Major-General,
Commanding 1st Australian Division.