

Divisional Engineers

1st.Australian

1st.A.&.N.Z.Army

9th.October 1917.

2nd.Field 100 Lance Corporal
Company
Engineers. Alexander John
A.I.F. McNAUGHTON.

During the operations east of YPRES on 4th. October 1917, he was employed on the construction of a strong point near MOLENAARELSTROEK. He performed with excellent skill and judgement C.R.E., the additional duties which fell to his lot owing to two senior N.C.O's. of his section becoming casualties. When his section was relieved at night he displayed unselfish gallantry, remaining behind to assist in carrying a wounded comrade to the dressing station - a distance of two miles over difficult and dangerous ground. Military 1st.Aust. Medal. Division.

2nd.Field
Company 15616 Sapper
Engineers. Harold LOW.
A.I.F.

During the operations east of YPRES on 4th. October 1917, whilst employed on the construction of a strong point he noticed an infantryman, who was moving across to the front line, wounded by machine gun fire. He ran out and brought the man in to shelter and after dressing his wounds carried him over the ridge through an enemy barrage and placed him in the shelter of a dugout. Throughout the day although the work was subjected to heavy fire he displayed great coolness and set an excellent example to his comrades. C.R.E., Military 1st.Aust. Medal. Division.

[Signature]
Lieut.Colonel,
C.R.E., 1st.Australian Division.