

Div. Engineers.

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1st Australian

1st Anzac

26th September 1917.

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2nd Field
Company
Engineers.

Captain Donald
Assire MACKAY.

During the period 26th February to date, this Officer's work has at all times been of the highest standard.

On the 9th April, 1917, at HERMES near BULLE-COURT he took charge of his section and constructed a strong point under heavy fire. He worked untiringly and exhorted his men until the position was complete.

On successive nights he encouraged his men to dig further strong points and he himself during the day salvaged German wire and material which he used in the construction of them.

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Division.

Major-General,
Commanding 1st Australian Division.