Div.Engineers. 1st.Australian 1st.A & N.Z.Army October, 8th, 1916.

Royal Australian Engineers C.R.E. 1st.Aust. Division	Lieut.Colonel Athelstan Markham MARTYN. D.S.O.	In the Battle on the SOMME. As C.R.E. during the period the 1st.Australian Division was in action at POZIERES between 22/7/16 and 28/8/16, he did excellent work in organizing Engineer services, sending forward engineer material, and organizing existing means of communication, tram line etc. Strong Points were created under his supervision and engineer detachments were carefully allotted where most required. Most of his work of supervision was carried out under shell fire. Also for consistently good work since April 2nd.1916.	Maj.Gen. H.B. WALKER C.B., D.S.O. Comndg. 1st.Aust Division	Mention in Despatches

Major General,
Commanding 1st.Aust.Division.

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