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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)
	53rd AUSTRALIAN INFANTRY BATTALION.		LIEUTENANT. Louis GALE.	This Officer during the last twelve months has acted as Scout Officer to the Battalion and has taken part in the following attacks.- MORLANCOURT, VILLEES BRETONNEUX and PERONNE. In all of these attacks he has displayed great gallantry and most marked initiative, often at great personal risk advancing alone far ahead of the Battalion in order to ascertain the dispositions of the enemy. In addition to the above, in the ordinary period of trench warfare, this officer has led countless patrols with extreme gallantry resulting in the capture of many prisoners and the obtaining of most valuable information. I consider this Officer's work has been outstanding and is worthy of recognition.	<i>W. Cheevers</i>	MENTION IN DES PATCHES	
I certify that this Officer's name has been checked with the latest A.I.F. Staff and Regimental List of Officers, that he is not in possession of any award, and that there is no recommendation pending in respect of his services.							