

4th. Aust. Infantry Brigade.

4th. Aust. Division.

1st. Anzac. Corps.

15th. April 1917. Date of Recommendation.

Schedule No. (to be left blank)	Unit	Regtl. No.	Rank and Name	Action for which commended	Recommended by	Honour or Reward	(To be left blank)
	15th. Battalion Austral- ian Infantry.	5514	PRIVATE. JAMES SHANNON. <del>(STRETCHER BEARER)</del>	<p>Acted as Stretcher Bearer during attack on HINDENBURG LINE, South of REINCOURT on 11th. April 1917.</p> <p>He was carrying wounded continuously for seven hours and showed no consideration for his own safety his only object being to get the wounded to safety. He worked all the time under a murderous fire and where it was impossible to get forward with a stretcher he left his assistants behind and crawled forward and dragged and carried wounded back to where they could be carried by stretcher. His name has been sent in by the Battalion Bearers who all did wonderful work themselves for his outstanding bravery and self sacrifice. He was personally responsible for saving over twenty (20) lives.</p> <p>He has been previously awarded Military Medal for excellant work at GUEDECOURT.</p>			

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