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MILITARY FORCES.

AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

Attestation Paper of Persons Enlisted for Service Abroad.

No. 241

Name John Charles Mc Nicol Turnbull

V 20469

Unit 88th Batta. A.I.F.

Joined on 6th Dec 1914

Questions to be put to the Person Enlisting before Attestation.

1. What is your Name? ...
2. In or near what Parish or Town were you born? ...
3. Are you a natural born British Subject or a Naturalized British Subject? (N.B.—If the latter, papers to be shown.) ...
4. What is your age? ...
5. What is your trade or calling? ...
6. Are you, or have you been, an Apprentice? If so, where, to whom, and for what period? ...
7. Are you married? ...
8. Who is your next of kin? (Address to be stated) ...
9. Have you ever been convicted by the Civil Power? ...
10. Have you ever been discharged from any part of His Majesty's Forces, with Ignominy, or as Incurable and Worthless, or on account of Conviction of Felony, or of a Sentence of Penal Servitude, or have you been dismissed with Disgrace from the Navy? ...
11. Do you now belong to, or have you ever served in, His Majesty's Army, the Marines, the Militia, the Militia Reserve, the Territorial Force, Royal Navy, or Colonial Forces? If so, state which, and if not now serving, state cause of discharge ...
12. Have you stated the whole, if any, of your previous service? ...
13. Have you ever been rejected as unfit for His Majesty's Service? If so, on what grounds? ...
14. (For married men and widowers with children)—
Do you understand that no Separation Allowance will be issued to you either before or after embarkation during your term of service? ...

1. John Charles Mc Nicol Turnbull
 2. In the Parish of Horsham in the County of Victoria
 3. Natural born British Subject
 4. 28 years 9 months
 5. Bricklayer
 6. Yes. John Mc Nicol for 3 years
 7. Yes
 8. Wife: Mary Ellen Turnbull
Firebrace Street
Horsham
 9. No
 10. No
 11. No
 12. Yes
 13. No
 14. Yes

John Charles Mc Nicol Turnbull do solemnly declare that the above answers made by me to the above questions are true, and I am willing and hereby voluntarily agree to serve in the Military Forces of the Commonwealth of Australia within or beyond the limits of the Commonwealth.

And I further agree to allot not less than two fifths of the pay payable to me from time to time during my service for the support of my wife, ~~or those fifths for the support of my wife and child, or wife and children~~

Date 5th Oct 1914 John, Charles Mc Nicol, Turnbull,
 Signature of person enlisted.

D.377/9.14.—C.13048.

* This clause should be struck out in the case of unmarried men or widowers without children under 18 years of age.

CERTIFICATE OF ATTESTING OFFICER.

The foregoing questions were read to the person enlisted in my presence.

I have taken care that he understands each question, and that his answer to each question has been duly entered as replied to by him.

I have examined his naturalization papers and am of opinion that they are correct
(This to be struck out except in the case of persons who are naturalized British Subjects.)

Date 5th Oct 1914

J. Harrison
Signature of Attesting Officer.

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY PERSON BEING ENLISTED.*

I, John Charles McNicol Turnbull swear that I will well and truly serve our Sovereign Lord the King in the Australian Imperial Force from the date hereof until the end of the War, and a further period of four months thereafter unless sooner lawfully discharged, dismissed, or removed therefrom; and that I will resist His Majesty's enemies and cause His Majesty's peace to be kept and maintained; and that I will in all matters appertaining to my service, faithfully discharge my duty according to law.

So HELP ME, GOD.

John Charles McNicol Turnbull
Signature of Person Enlisted.

Taken and subscribed at Horsham in the State of Victoria this 6th day October 1914

19 , before me—

James Hocking
Signature of Attesting Officer.

*A person enlisting who objects to taking an oath may make an affirmation in accordance with the Third Schedule of the Act, and the above form must be amended accordingly. All amendments must be initialed by the Attesting Officer.

Description of John Charles McNicol Turnbull on Enlistment.

Age 28 years 9 months
Height 5 feet 5 1/2 inches
Weight 9 st. 13 lbs.
Chest Measurement 34 — 36 3/4 inches
Complexion medium
Eyes brown
Hair brown
Religious Denomination Presbyterian

DISTINCTIVE MARKS.

Scars on lt. cheek. Depressed scars
(inner surface) of each leg below calf
well marked on R. leg.

CERTIFICATE OF MEDICAL EXAMINATION.

I HAVE examined the above-named person, and find that he does not present any of the following conditions, viz. :—

Scrofula; phthisis; syphilis; impaired constitution; defective intelligence; defects of vision, voice, or hearing; hernia; hæmorrhoids; varicose veins, beyond a limited extent; marked varicocele with unusually pendent testicle; inveterate cutaneous disease; chronic ulcers; traces of corporal punishment, or evidence of having been marked with the letters D. or B.C.; contracted or deformed chest; abnormal curvature of spine; or any other disease or physical defect calculated to unfit him for the duties of a soldier.

He can see the required distance with either eye; his heart and lungs are healthy; he has the free use of his joints and limbs; and he declares he is not subject to fits of any description.

I consider him fit for active service.

Date Oct. 5th 1914

Place Moreham, Vic.

S. Stokes Road Surg Capt.
Signature of Examining Medical Officer.

CERTIFICATE OF COMMANDING OFFICER.

I CERTIFY that this Attestation of the above-named person is correct, and that the required forms have been complied with. I accordingly approve, and appoint him to 3. "A" Coy. 39th Battn. A.I.F.

Date 7. 4. 16

Place BALLARAT.

G. S. [Signature] Major
for Commanding 39th Battn. A.I.F.

FIELD SERVICE.

Army Form B. 2090A.

REPORT of Death of a Soldier to be forwarded to the War Office with the least possible delay after receipt of notification of death on Army Form B. 213 or Army Form A. 36, or from other official documentary sources.

REGIMENT OR CORPS } 39th BATTALION A.I.F. Squadron, Troop, Battery or Company } --
 Regimental No. 241 Rank Private
 Surname TURNBULL Christian Names JOHN CHARLES McNICOL
 Died { Date 2nd May 1917 Place 2nd Australian Casualty Clearing Station, FRANCE.
 Cause of Death* Died of Wounds received in action.
 Nature and Date of Report Hospital report dated 2nd May 1917
 By whom made Commanding Officer 2nd Australian Casualty Clearing Station.

* Specially state if killed in action, or died from wounds received in action, or from illness due to field operations or to fatigue, privation or exposure while on military duty, or from injury while on military duty.

Burial { Place Particulars not yet to hand. Date --
 By whom reported -- [See For Burial Report See B103]

State whether he leaves (a) in Pay Book (Army Book 64) Will not (b) in Small Book (if at Base) --
 a Will or not (c) as a separate document -- received

All private documents and effects received from the front or hospital, as well as the Pay Book, should be examined, and if any will is found it should be at once forwarded to the War Office.
 Any information received as to verbal expressions by a deceased soldier of his wishes as to the disposal of his estate should be reported to the War Office as soon as possible.
 A duplicate of this Report is to be sent to the Fixed Centre Paymaster at Home, or to the D.F.A.G. Indian Expeditionary Force, or Field Disbursing Officer, as the case may require, together with the Deceased's Pay Book (after withdrawal of any will from the latter). If the deceased's Small Book is at the Base, it should be forwarded to the War Office with this Report.

Handwritten initials

Station and Date } 3rd Echelon C.I.G. Signature of Officer in charge of Section } Capt.
B.E.F. 23rd Aug 1917 officer in Charge Records.

or B.C.; contracted or deformed chest, or physical defect calculated to unfit him for the duties of a soldier.

He can see the required distance with either eye; his heart and lungs are healthy; he has the free use of his joints and limbs; and he declares he is not subject to fits of any description.

I consider him fit for active service.

Date Oct. 5th 1914
 Place Horsham, Vic

Stoches Road Surg Capt.
 Signature of Examining Medical Officer.

CERTIFICATE OF COMMANDING OFFICER.

I CERTIFY that this Attestation of the above-named person is correct, and that the required forms have been complied with. I accordingly approve, and appoint him to 2. "A" Coy. 39th Battn. A.I.F.

Date 7. 4. 16
 Place BALLARAT.

Major
 for Commanding 39th Battn. A.I.F.

Aug 13 103 (France)
23.11.16.

CARD CHECKED *9/13*

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Statement of Service of No. *241* Name *Turnbull John Charles McNicol*

Unit in which served.	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Period of service in each rank.		Remarks.
		From—	To—	
<i>Castlemaine 14/D Bats Ballarat</i>			<i>8/3/16</i>	<i>Detached to Ballarat Camp</i>
		<i>18/3/16</i>	<i>6/4/16</i>	<i>Transferred to 39th Bats</i>
<i>A Company 39th Battalion Ballarat</i>	<i>Private</i>		<i>7/4/16</i>	
	PROCEEDED OVERSEAS, FRANCE	<i>23. 11. 16</i>		<i>Pt 27/1739E 29. 11. 16</i>
	<i>ex Southampton Grant conduct prejudicial to good order & military discipline in that he left his Iron rations without order from an officer aboard ship 10 Oct 2. 16. 6/p. 39th Bats. 27 J.F. 10. 3. 17 "</i>		<i>10. 3. 17</i>	<i>27/014/1275 26. 3. 17</i>
	DIED OF WOUNDS.			<i>20/1735. 9/5/17</i>
	<i>rec in action 1st Aust C. C. Sta</i>		<i>France 2. 5. 17</i>	<i>C113L 1364 C113L 1373</i>
<i>39th Bn Rte 39th Bn</i>	<i>Bureau Trois Armes Steenwerck 1 mile E of Steenwerck 3 1/2 miles W. N. W. of Armentieres</i>			<i>20 & RE 10167 4 100 36/2433E 30/6/17</i>

SEE COPY AF. B103 ENCLOSED

I have examined the above details, and find them correct in every respect.

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Certified True Copy

Col. *Franklin* Major

MILITARY FORCES.

AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

Attestation Paper of Persons Enlisted for Service Abroad.

241 ✓
V20469

Name *John Charles McNicol Turnbull*

Unit *39th Battn. A.I.F. A Coy, 39th Battn.*

Joined on *6th Oct 1914*

Questions to be put to the Person Enlisting before Attestation.

- 1. What is your Name? ... *John Charles McNicol Turnbull*
- 2. In the ^{Town} Parish of *Norsham* in the State of *Victoria* in the County of ...
- 3. Are you a natural born British Subject or a Naturalized British Subject? (N.B.—If the latter, papers to be shown.) ... *Natural born British Subject*
- 4. What is your age? ... *28 years 9 months*
- 5. What is your trade or calling? ... *Bricklayer*
- 6. Are you, or have you been, an Apprentice? If so, where, to whom, and for what period? ... *Yes. John McNicol for 3 years*
- 7. Are you married? ... *Yes*
- 8. Who is your next of kin? (Address to be stated) *Wife: Mary Ellen Turnbull 606 Falbot Street, Forrester Street, Ballarat, Victoria, Norsham*
- 9. Have you ever been convicted by the Civil Power? ... *No*
- 10. Have you ever been discharged from any part of His Majesty's Forces, with Ignominy, or as Incurable and Worthless, or on account of Conviction of Felony, or of a Sentence of Penal Servitude, or have you been dismissed with Disgrace from the Navy? ... *No*
- 11. Do you now belong to, or have you ever served in, His Majesty's Army, the Marines, the Militia, the Militia Reserve, the Territorial Force, Royal Navy, or Colonial Forces? If so, state which, and if not now serving, state cause of discharge ... *No*
- 12. Have you stated the whole, if any, of your previous service? ... *Yes*
- 13. Have you ever been rejected as unfit for His Majesty's Service? If so, on what grounds? ... *No*
- 14. (For married men and widowers with children)—Do you understand that no Separation Allowance will be issued to you either before or after embarkation ... *Yes*

John Charles McNicol Turnbull do solemnly declare that the above answers made to the above questions are true, and I am willing and hereby voluntarily agree to serve in the Military Forces of the Commonwealth of Australia within or beyond the limits of the Commonwealth.

And I further agree to allot not less than *three-fifths* of the pay payable to me from time to time during my service for the support of my wife, ~~or three-fifths for the support of my wife and children.*~~

Date *5th Oct 1914* *John Charles McNicol Turnbull* Signature of person enlisted.

* This clause should be struck out in the case of unmarried men or widowers without children under 18 years of age.

CERTIFICATE OF ATTESTING OFFICER.

The foregoing questions were read to the person enlisted in my presence.

I have taken care that he understands each question, and that his answer to each question has been duly entered as replied to by him.

I have examined his naturalization papers and am of opinion that they are correct.

(This to be struck out except in the case of persons who are naturalized British Subjects.)

Date 5th Oct 1914

J. Harrison
Signature of Attesting Officer

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY PERSON BEING ENLISTED.*

I, John Charles Mc Nicol Turnbull swear that I will well and truly serve our Sovereign Lord the King in the Australian Imperial Force from the date hereof until the end of the War, and a further period of four months thereafter unless sooner lawfully discharged, dismissed, or removed therefrom; and that I will resist His Majesty's enemies and cause His Majesty's peace to be kept and maintained; and that I will in all matters appertaining to my service, faithfully discharge my duty according to law.

SO HELP ME, GOD.

John Charles Mc Nicol Turnbull
Signature of Person Enlisted.

Taken and subscribed at Warrnambool in the State of Victoria this 6th day October 1914

19 , before me—

James Hocking
Signature of Attesting Officer.

* A person enlisting who objects to taking an oath may make an affirmation in accordance with the Third Schedule of the Act, and the above form must be amended accordingly. All amendments must be initialed by the Attesting Officer.

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Description of John Chas. McNeill Turnbull on Enlistment.

Age 28 years 9 months
Height 5 feet 5 1/2 inches
Weight 95 lbs. 13 lbs.
Chest Measurement 34 - 36 3/4 inches
Complexion medium
Eyes brown
Hair brown
Religious Denomination Presbyterian

DISTINCTIVE MARKS.
Scar on lt. cheek, depressed scar inner surface of each leg below calf - well marked on R leg.

CERTIFICATE OF MEDICAL EXAMINATION.

I HAVE examined the above-named person, and find that he does not present any of the following conditions, viz. :-

Scrofula; phthisis; syphilis; impaired constitution; defective intelligence; defects of vision, voice, or hearing; hernia; hæmorrhoids; varicose veins, beyond a limited extent; marked varicocele with unusually pendent testicle; inveterate cutaneous disease; chronic ulcers; traces of corporal punishment, or evidence of having been marked with the letters D. or B.C.; contracted or deformed chest; abnormal curvature of spine; or any other disease or physical defect calculated to unfit him for the duties of a soldier.

He can see the required distance with either eye; his heart and lungs are healthy; he has the free use of his joints and limbs; and he declares he is not subject to fits of any description.

I consider him fit for active service.

Date Oct 5th 1914

Place Morebax, Vic.

S. Docker Read Surg Capt.
Signature of Examining Medical Officer.

CERTIFICATE OF COMMANDING OFFICER.

I CERTIFY that this Attestation of the above-named person is correct, and that the required forms have been complied with. I accordingly approve, and appoint him to "A" Coy. 39th Battn. A.I.F.

Date 7. 4. 16

Place BALLARAT.

Col. [Signature] Major
for Commanding 39th Battn. A.I.F.

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Statement of Service of No. 20469 Name Turnbull John Chas.

Unit in which served.	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Period of service in each rank.		Remarks.
		From—	To—	
Castlemaine			8/3/16	Transferred to Ballarat Co
D Co 39 th Batta		8/3/16	18/3/16	Transferred 14 th Depot Batta
14 th Batta Ballarat		18/3/16	6/4/16	Transferred 39 th Batta
A Company 39 th Batta Ballarat	Private		7/4/16	

I have examined the above details, and find them correct in every respect.

To be used for Enlistment in the Permanent Military Forces only.

MEDICAL HISTORY of

Surname Turnbull Christian Name John Charles Mc Nicol

TABLE I.- GENERAL TABLE

Birthplace ... Horsham

Examined ... on 2nd day of October 1914.
 at Horsham

Declared Age ... 28⁹/₁₂

Trade or Occupation ... Bookbinder

Height ... 5 feet 5¹/₂ inches.

Weight ... 9 Stone 13 lbs.

Chest Measurement { Girth when fully Expanded 9 Stone 13 - 36 inches.
 Range of Expansion 36 - 23³/₄ inches.

Physical Development and Pulse rate

Vaccination Marks { Arm Right. Left.
 Number

When Vaccinated ...

Vision ... (R.E.-V =
 L.E.-V =

(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease
Scars to knee which expressed scars on surface of each leg below girth well marked right leg

(b) Slight defects, but not sufficient to cause rejection

Approved by ... (Signature) (Signed) H. Head
 (Rank) Major Medical Officer.

Enlisted ... on 6 day of October 1914.

Joined on Enlistment ...	Corps. <u>A17</u>	Regtl. No. <u>241</u>
Transferred to ...	<u>A Coy. 39th Battr</u>	<u>722940</u>

Became non-effective by... Died of Wounds 2.5.14

on _____ day of _____ 19____

(Signature) _____
 (Rank) _____

Sick List in the case of Warrant Officers treated in Quarters.

Remarks bearing on the Cause, Nature, or Treatment of the Case, likely to be of interest or of future use. In cases of Syphilis, admissions and re-admissions to hospital will be shown. If an accident, state whether it occurred on duty.

Signature of Medical Officer.

No admission

H. W. Bullen

NO ADMISSIONS

Admission

Part 2

Statement - 388 Victoria

1. Full name, number, rank, and unit of Member of Forces in respect of whose death or incapacity pension was claimed ...
2. Full name and address of person for whom pension was claimed ...
3. Relationship of such person to Member ...
4. Result of Claim ...
5. Name and address of Trustee (if any) ...

Turnbull, John Charles McNicol, 241 Pte.,
39th Batt.

Mary Ellen Turnbull, 108 Latrobe St., Ballarat W.

Widow

Granted £2 p.f. as from 12/7/17

Deputy Commissioner of Pensions at MELBOURNE

D.904/S.16.—0.9066.—1914.

DAILY STATEMENT (MILITARY)

Showing Grants, Alterations, and Cancellations of Pensions (together with date from which such action took effect); also Rejections of Claims and Deaths of Pensioners.

Statement No. 388

Containing 16 sheets

Date 16/7/17

State of VICTORIA

1. Full name, number, rank, and unit of Member of Forces in respect of whose death or incapacity pension was claimed ...	Turnbull, John Charles McNicol, 241, Pte., 39th Batt.
2. Full name and address of person for whom pension was claimed ...	Edith Esperance McNicol Turnbull, 108 Latrobe Street, Ballarat W.
3. Relationship of such person to Member ...	Daughter
4. Result of Claim ...	Granted 20/- p.f. as from 12/7/17
5. Name and address of Trustee (if any) ...	Mary E. Turnbull, 108 Latrobe St., Ballarat W.
1. Full name, number, rank, and unit of Member of Forces in respect of whose death or incapacity pension was claimed ...	Turnbull, John Charles McNicol, 241, Pte., 39th Batt.
2. Full name and address of person for whom pension was claimed ...	Jean Agnes Turnbull, 108 Latrobe St., Ballarat W.
3. Relationship of such person to Member ...	Daughter
4. Result of Claim ...	Granted 15/- p.f. as from 12/7/17
5. Name and address of Trustee (if any) ...	Mary E. Turnbull, 108 Latrobe St., Ballarat W.
1. Full name, number, rank, and unit of Member of Forces in respect of whose death or incapacity pension was claimed ...	Turnbull, John Charles McNicol, 241, Pte., 39th Batt.
2. Full name and address of person for whom pension was claimed ...	Lylia May Turnbull, 108 Latrobe St., Ballarat W.
3. Relationship of such person to Member ...	Daughter
4. Result of Claim ...	Granted 10/- p.f. as from 12/7/17
5. Name and address of Trustee (if any) ...	Mary E. Turnbull, 108 Latrobe St., Ballarat W.
1. Full name, number, rank, and unit of Member of Forces in respect of whose death or incapacity pension was claimed ...	Turnbull, John Charles McNicol, 241, Pte., 39th Batt.
2. Full name and address of person for whom pension was claimed ...	Alma Ellen Turnbull, 108 Latrobe St., Ballarat W.
3. Relationship of such person to Member ...	Daughter
4. Result of Claim ...	Granted 10/- p.f. as from 12/7/17
5. Name and address of Trustee (if any) ...	Mary E. Turnbull, 108 Latrobe St., Ballarat W.
1. Full name, number, rank, and unit of Member of Forces in respect of whose death or incapacity pension was claimed ...	Turnbull, John Charles McNicol, 241, Pte., 39th Batt.
2. Full name and address of person for whom pension was claimed ...	John Frederick Turnbull, 108 Latrobe St., Ballarat W.
3. Relationship of such person to Member ...	Son
4. Result of Claim ...	Granted 10/- p.f. as from 12/7/17
5. Name and address of Trustee (if any) ...	Mary E. Turnbull, 108 Latrobe St., Ballarat W.

URGENT TELEGRAM.

COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA.

A.M.F. BRD. MILITARY DISTRICT

HEADQUARTERS Postmaster-General's Department,

Charges to Pay—Message

Porterage

No. 501/50/2258

B.774/2.17.—C.1923.

To

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Colonel Hawker.

This message has been received subject to the Post and Telegraph Act and Regulations.

All complaints to be addressed in writing to the Deputy Postmaster-General.

DATE STAMP.



STATION FROM. No. OF WORDS. CHECK. TIME LODGED AND RECEIVED. REMARKS.

m.t. Horsham. 18 pr 2d collect. Section 95.
9-24 9-30am.

Wife J C McN. Turnbull. Removed 606

Talbot street Ballarat.



CHANGE OF ADDRESS NOTED FOR CAIRO & D.P. McA. Communicate There.
Rev Gray.

Noted on sheet 22/5/17

Officer in Charge
Base Records.

Referred vide your 64310 of the 12th instant re change of address of the next of kin of the late Private J.C. McN. Turnbull. The next of kin has been informed.

17/5/17

J. C. Hawker
Colonel,
A.A.G., 3rd Military District.

Mr Barry 22/5

*Mr McRobb
note change of address
22/5*

A.M.F. 8RD. MILITARY DISTRICT
HEADQUARTERS
No. 501/50/R258

Officer in Charge
Base Records.

Referred vide your 64310 of the 12th instant re change
of address of the next of kin of the late Private J.C. McN. Turnbull.
The next of kin has been informed.

17/5/17

J.C.M. Colonel,
A.A.G., 3rd Military District.

Army Form B. 103.

Regimental Number. 241

Casualty Form—Active Service.

Regiment or Corps... 39th BATTALION A.I.F.

Rank... Private... Surname... TURBULL... Christian Name... JOHN CHARLES MCNICOL

Religion... Pres... Age on Enlistment... 25... years... 2... months

Enlisted (a) 6.10.14... Terms of Service (a) War & A. I.F. Service reckons from (a) 6.10.14

Date of promotion to present rank... Date of appointment to lance rank

Extended... Re-engaged... Qualification (b)

Occupation... or Corps Trade and Rate... Signature of Officer

Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, &c., during active service, as reported on Army Form B.213, Army Form A. 36, or in other official documents. The authority to be quoted in each case.

Date... From whom received... Embarked... Disembarked... Place of Casualty... Date of Casualty... Remarks... Taken from Army Form B.213, Army Form A.36, or other official documents.

23.8.16 O.C.H.M.A.T. ALL "ASCANIUS" Embarked... Disembarked... Melbourne 27.5.16

C.O. 39th Btn. CRIME Discharging a rifle and endangering other soldiers. AWARD. Cautions By C.O. 39th Battn A.I.F. 25.8.16 Devonport 18.7.16

23.11.16 C.O. 39th Btn. Proceeded Overseas FRANCE Southampton 2 3.11.16 F.R. 1471

17.3.17 C.O. 39th Btn. CRIME Conduct prejudicial to good order and Military discipline, in that he ate his iron rations without orders from an officer. AWARD. 1 Gay F.P. No. 2 By C.O. 39th Battn. A.I.F. 11.3.17 Field 10.3.17 G 115/17

D.O 27/1730B D.O 14/1278

(a) In the case of a man who has re-engaged for, or enlisted into Section D, Army Reserve, particulars of such re-engagement or enlistment will be entered.
(b) Signaller, Shoeing-Smith, &c.

W.4386—M4477 Room 1117 (2702) S.P. & Co. Ltd. Forms B./103/A E./134. P.T.O.

Date	From whom received	Remarks Promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, etc., as reported on Army or Navy forms, Army Form A-36, or in other official documents. The authority to be quoted in each case.	Field	Remarks Taken from Army Form B-23, Army Form A-36, or other official documents.
2.5.17	G.O.C. 3rd Austn. Divn.	Wounded in Action	Field	30.4.17 A.T. 11624
4.5.17	C.O 39th Btn	Wounded in Action	Field	30.4.17 C 15/23
5.5.17	C.O 9th AF Amb.	Admitted (G.S.W. Frac.L. thigh, S.W. chest, back, arms.)	do	30.4.17 A.K. 1192/36
5.5.17	do	Trans to 2nd A.C.C.S.	do	30.4.17 A.K. 1192/36
5.5.17	C.O 2nd A.C.S.	Admitted (G.S.W.)	do	1.5.17 A.K. 1192/41
2.5.17	C.O. 2nd Aus. Cas. C. Stn.	Died of Wounds (S.W. G.P.F. L. thigh. Arm and Chest.) (To be buried in Trois Arbres Military Cemetery.)	do	A.T. 11623 V.L. 337 5/5/17 D.O 20/1735
<i>W. N.W. of Armentieres.</i>				
(S.G.D) F.E. LAMPE				
Capt.				
Officer in Charge Records.				
Anzac Section, 3rd Echelon G.H.Q. B.E.F.				
for Burial Report & Bur				

Army Form B. 103.

Casualty Form—Active Service.

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Regiment or Corps A. Coy. 39th Bn. Battr. A. I. F. Regimental Number 2441.

Rank Pte. Surname Turnbull Christian Name John Charles McNeill

Religion Pres. Age on Enlistment 28 years 9 months.

Enlisted (a) 6/10/14 Terms of Service (a) Wart + 4 months Service reckons from (a) 6/10/14

Date of promotion to present rank _____ Date of appointment to lance rank _____

Extended { } Re-engaged { } Qualification (b) _____
 or Corps Trade and Rate _____

Signature of Officer i/c Records, _____

Date	Report		Embarked ...	Place of Casualty	Date of Casualty	Remarks Taken from Army Form B, 313, Army Form A, 36, or other official documents
	From whom received	Disembarked...				
23.8.16	60.39 th Battr.	A. H. Acanne	Mythmore	Mythmore	27.5.16	AFB 2069
			Discharging rifle + undumping other soldiers (Caution)	South Hill	22.8.16	
23-11-1916	O.G. 29th BATTN	Proceeded Overseas	FRANCE	South-empton	23-11-16	FR. 1471
17.3.17	60.39 th Battr.	Crime: - Conduct prejudicial to good order and military discipline in that he took his promotions without orders from an officer. Award: - 1 day F.P.M.S. By R. Col. R. Henderson, 11.3.17.		In the Field	10.3.17.	C 115/17 SO. 14/1278
2.5.17	60.2 nd BATTN	Dead of Wounds (I.W.)		Field	2.5.17	AT 11623
		To be buried in Iron Arches Military Cemetery				V.L. 337 5/5/17. SO. 20/1735

(a) In the case of a man who has re-engaged for, or enlisted into Section D, Army Reserve, particulars of such re-engagement or enlistment will be entered.
 (b) Signaller, Shoosmith, & Co.
 (M.C. 2455) NAA: B2455. TURNBULL JOHN CHARLES MCMICOL P.T.O.

No.	Date	Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, &c., during active service, as reported on Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 36, or in other official documents. The authority to be quoted in each case.	Place of Casualty	Date of Casualty	Remarks Taken from Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 36, or other official documents
		From whom received					
6	4.5.17	60.39 th Bn	Wounded in Action	Field	30.4.17	815723	
7	5.5.17	60.9 th A.S.Mk	Admitted (B.W. Trac L High)	Field	30.4.17	A.K. 1192/36	
8	5.5.17	do	14 th Chest back, both arms	"	30.4.17	A.K. 1192/36	
9	5.5.17	80.2 A.C.C.	Admitted (B.W.)	"	1.5.17	A.K. 1192/41	
5	2.5.17	40.3 rd Av. Div.	Wounded in Action	"	30.4.17	A.T. 11624	
		Original	Copy forwarded to Defence Medical Services and A.P.F. HQ				Chief Paymaster
		Amgac Section 3 rd Echelon D.M.A. P.P.F.	with A.P.F. 2090 A 23.5.17.				Report
		Graves Regn Report	Buried by Rev E.H. Tucker B.F.				Officer in Charge Records
			2 A.C.C.				A.T. 12586

WILL

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Date. March 9th 1917

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Checked.

W.E. Edsall S/Sgt.
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B.A.T.

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Australian Imperial Force.

110, GREYHOUND ROAD,
HAMMERSMITH, LONDON,
W. 6.



KIT STORE.

TELEPHONES: HAMMERSMITH 1900, 1901.

The Late No. 241 Pte. Turnbull J.C. McN. 39th. Bn. A.I.F.

Inventory of Effects of-

Forwarded to-
LEGATEE.
(Wife.)

Mrs. Mary E. Turnbull,
606, Talbot Road,
Ballarat West,
VICTORIA.

MARATHON

Effects.

3rd. Echelon.) Knife, Pipe, Prayer Book, 2 Note Books, Stationary
No. 763.) Wallet, 4 Badges, Letters, Cards, Photos, Pouch.

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D/S.

No. of Package
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Checked BY

AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

BASE RECORDS OFFICE,
VICTORIA BARRACKS,
30th January, 1918.
MELBOURNE,

E. H.

In all communications regimental number, rank, full name, and unit of Soldier referred to are to be stated.

Madar,

Dear

Forwarded herewith, per separate registered post, is one package containing personal effects of the late No. 241 Private J.C. McN.Turnbull, 39th Battalion, received ex "Marathon"

as per inventory attached.

I shall be much obliged if you will kindly let me know whether (Enclosure.) ^s come safely to hand, by signing and returning the enclosed printed receipt slip. **same**

Yours faithfully,

J. M. LEAN, Major,

Officer in Charge, Base Records.

Registered Packet No. **1287** G. P. O. Melbourne.

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Mrs. M.E. Turnbull,
606 Talbot Street
BALLARAT WEST.
VIC.

17001

E.W.

M.54/618.

3-DEC-1924

Madam,

the late No.241 Private J.C.McH. TURNBULL, 39th Battalion, your husband,
the site of his final resting
place in the TROIS ARBRES CEMETERY, STEENWERCK, is officially registered as:-

Plot 1. Row J. Grave 6.

Mrs. M.E. Turnbull,
317 Reglan Street,
BALLARAT, V.

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Checked

W.M. Lendon. Sgt.
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30th May 1917.

W.E. Edsall S/Sgt.
 O.R.S 39th Battalion, A.I.F.

 CERTIFIED TRUE COPY

P. Gallagher Lt.
 Officer i/c Records

RECEIPT FOR MEMORIAL PLAQUE.

Received from the Officer i/c Base Records, Army Head-quarters,
one Memorial Plaque in connexion with the late

No. 241 Pte. J.C. McN. Turnbull,

39th Battalion



Signature *May Ellen Turnbull*

Date *25/8/22*

This slip to be returned to the Officer in Charge, Base Records, Victoria Barracks, Melbourne, Victoria,
within seven (7) days.

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RECEIPT FOR VICTORY MEDAL.

Received from the Officer i/e Base Records, Army Headquarters, one Victory Medal in connexion with the late

No. 241 Pte. J. C. MC N. TURNBULL,

DECEASED SECTION

39th Battalion.

MAR 20 1923

RECEIVED

Signature

M. Mc E. Turnbull

Date

26th March, 1923

This slip to be returned to the Officer in Charge, Base Records, Victoria Barracks, Melbourne, Victoria, within seven (7) days.

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Place	Date of Offence	Rank	Cases of Drunkenness	Offence	Names of Witnesses	Punishment Awarded	Date of Award or of Order Dismissing with Trial	By Whom Awarded	Remarks
Bank Hill	22/1/16	Private		Disobeying rifle regulations & other orders.	Capt. G. J. Tucker	Condemned		Capt. G. J. Tucker	
O.A.S.	9/3/17			Disobedience of Orders in that he ate his horse Ration	Lieut. Linton	1 day P. S. 2	10/3/19	Lieut. Linton	

No. 2417 Name *John Turnbull* Sup. Batty, *A* Corps *34th* Battalion *AIF* Date of Enlistment *16.10.14* G. C. Badges *Good Conduct Medal* Service or Proficiency Pay *1/6*

No. and date of last drunk *1/1/16* Sheet No. *1* Signature O.C. *Good Conduct Medal* Character *Good*

522940

Place	Date of Offence	Rank	Class of Drunkenness	Offence	Names of Witnesses	Punishment Awarded	Date of Award or Order Disposing of Trial	By Whom Awarded	Remarks
Admiralty	18/12/1912	Boatswain	to be drunk	Drunkenness	John Turner	14 days imprisonment	19/12/1912	John Turner	14 days imprisonment

NAA B2455 TURNBULL JOHN CHARLES MCNICOL

Transferred to

D.P.R.
D 27436

AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

No. 241

Rank Pte Name TURNBULL. J.C. McN.

Unit 39 Battalion

LIST.

Casualty Died of Wounds 2/5/17 C.I.B. L. 1367/8886 A dated London 9/5/17

Died 2.5.17 from S.P.W. Chest, Arm. Compound fracture Femur
2nd Lt. 1373/5894 dated London 10.5.17. 119

G.S.W. Chest Arm Compound fracture DANGEROUS 10/17 to 2nd had been 1/17
W.M.P.H. 5018917 dated London 12/5/17

DATE	PURPORT	REF. NO.
14/7/17	M.C. 3 ADVISED, DIED OF WOUNDS, 2/5/17	
14-5-17	COPY MADE FOR WAR PENSIONS	
3.8.17	"Will" to D.P.M. 2 nd M.D. 18/12/18	
30-1-18	PERSONAL EFFECTS EX... Cf. order B.R.M. 46/1366 & Booklet re Graves despatched... <i>"Received & Acknowledged"</i> <i>by printed card 17.8.20.21</i>	
20/1/22	BRITISH WAR MEDAL to Comdt. 3 rd M.D.B.R.M. 54/312	

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PHOTOGRAPH OF GRAVE TRANSMITTED TO NEXT OF KIN. B.R.M. 54/312

D.54/10.16.-C.1278.-50W.

"WHERE THE AUSTRALIANS REST."
Pamphlet sent to Mrs M E Turnbull

MEMORIAL
PLAQUE
To
Widow (Direct)
Mrs M E Turnbull
322930
14/8/22
@ 14/8/22

MEMORIAL
SCROLL
To
Widow
Mrs M E Turnbull
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8 MAR 1923
VICTORY MEDAL to Widow B. R. P. F. 42.
Registered Post No. 9585 G. P. O. Melbourne.