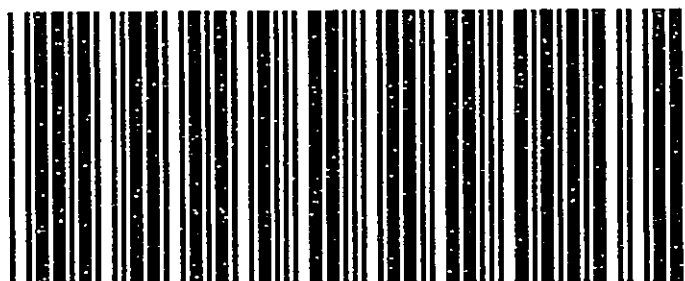


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Enquiry Bureau files, 1914-18 War
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2367 Trooper
Neil Hamilton McBride

7th Light Horse



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D/W 10 Jan.
Send Details

McBride N.H.
2367

Australian London Cable 21.2.17.

Camel Corps

"He was shot on Jan 9th at Rafa when about four hundred yards from the trenches, the bullet entered the groin & perforated his stomach, & from the beginning his case was a serious one. I saw him myself shortly after he had been shot, he was lying not far from their trenches, (is, the Turkish) & the Dr gave him something to ease the pain. He was brought in by the field Ambulance & eventually taken to the 3rd. Light Horse Field Ambulance where he died early on Friday, Jan 12th. I buried him that same ~~evening~~ afternoon, Jan 12th, in the Military Cemetery at El Arish & his comrades have erected a neat cross at the head of his grave, (Grave No 9). ~~XXXXXXXXXX~~ Both his Section Commander & myself wrote to his mother after he died & gave her particulars.

Letter from Chaplain Scott Little C.F.
Rec 12.3.17.

Died of wounds 12.3.17. at 3rd Light Fld Ambulance. Buried 12.3.17. in Military Cemetery El Arish by Chaplain Scott Little C.F. Grave No9. Alexandria 12.3.17. Record Office.

7th Aust. Light Horse

McBRIDE

att. 12/Coy. ICC

Pte. W.R.2367

Killed 12/1/17

Buried El Arish Military Cemetery, Egypt, S.S.W. of Gaza, 91.6

Extracted from Capt. Spedding's List of 16/10/19

Melbourne

29/12/19

A.I.F. Imp: Camel Corps
12th Coy.
late 7th L.H.Reg

McBRIDE
Tpr. Neil Hamilton 2367

"D of Wds 10-1-17"

Died of wounds 10-1-17 - Egypt
Cert. by A.I.F.Hqrs 10-2-17

Buried Military Cemetery El-Arish 12-1-17 - by Chap^{lain} Scott Little
Cert. by A.I.F.Hqrs 3-9-17.

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London
3-9-17

September 5th, 1917.

TC-

The O.C.,
12th Coy, Imperial Camel Corp.,
Egyptian Expeditionary Forces.

Dear Sir,

We should be greatly obliged if you could give
us any details of the wounds, death and burial of

2367 Trooper Neil Hamilton McBride,

of your unit who died of wounds on 10.1.17. We have
received a cabled inquiry from our Sydney Bureau and we
are most anxious to reply giving them the fullest details
available.

Thanking you in anticipation.

Yours faithfully,

SECRETARY.

R M.