

Australian Red Cross Society Wounded and Missing
Enquiry Bureau files, 1914-18 War
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**5140 Private
Roy Edward McGregor**

16th Battalion



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A.I.F. 16th Btn

McGREGOR
Roy Edw. 5140

"Pris: of War"

Died 4-11-17 - in Res: Field Laz: at Bouchain from
illness

Cert. by German death list 5-12-17.

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London
4-1-18.

16th Batt,
A.I.F.

McGregor
R.E. 5140.

"Missing 11.4.17"

Prisoner of War - Captured Beincourt 11.4.17 - Interned Limburg

Cert, by information from German List dated 23.6.17

London 1.8.17

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16th Battn,
A.I.F.

MC GREGOR,
R.E. 5140

"Prisoner of War."

"In reply to yours of 14.1.18. The English soldier Pte. 5140 Roy Ernest Mc Gregor 16th Battn, A.I.F. D.Coy, born at Freemantle 21.7.93. (Father Mc Gregor Meradin, West Australia) Captured Reincourt 11.4.17. died 4.11.17 at 5.30 p.m. in the Boughain Field Hospital of heart failure, resulting from bleeding of the abdominal cavity, a laceration of the bowel and incipient peritonitis. He was buried in the Military Cemetery Bouchain, Grave No. 46. He has left some effects."

Cert. by letter from Berlin Red Cross dated 28.3.18.

London.

17.5.18.

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A.I.F. 16th Battn.

McGREGOR
Roy Edward 5140

Prisoner of War

Translation of German Death Certificate received from Capt. Mills and
passed on to A.I.F. Hdqrs 10/10/19.

Reichswehr-Befehlsstelle
Prussia.

Berlin, 3rd October 1919
Dorotheen Str 48.

It is hereby certified that there is here produced the grave card of
the Ref.II.D., according to which the Australian Prisoner of War,
McGregor, Roy, Pte., Identity disc 5140, of the 16th Austr. Inf. Btl.,
died at Field Hospital 63, on 5th November 1917, and was buried in the
Cemetery of Honour, Bouchain, grave 46.

(Signed) J.A.,

Seal of Prussian War Office,
Central Information Bureau.

Kekule v. Stradonitz,
Captain.

Enquiries made by the Germans at the Nachweise Büro prove that date of
death was 5/11/17, and not 4/11/17, as shown by Records. (Cpt. Mills P.E. 19
London

15/10/19

16th Battn.
A.I.F.

MC GREGOR.
R.E. 5140.

V "Died as Prisoner of War"

When Prisoner of War at Bouchain on 11th April 1917. Was working at Saw Mills on the saw. Piece of timber he was pushing b through, shot back and hit him in abdomen. He was very weak at the time. He died in Hospital on following day. We saw him before he was taken to Hospital. Was then almost unconscious. Was buried in Bouchain French Cemetery. Some of our men attended burial. Cross would be erected. Came from Western Australia.

Informant:- Pte P.S. Phelan. 6573.
14th Battn. D. Coy.
Prisoner of War.
RED CROSS.

(A.D.C.
London.
30-12-18.
H.W.

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