

Australian Red Cross Society Wounded and Missing  
Enquiry Bureau files, 1914-18 War  
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**5753 Lance Corporal  
Harry McNerney**

**51st Battalion**



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A.I.F. 51st Btn

McNERNEY  
Harry 5753

"D/Wounds"

Adm. 1st S.M.G.C.Stn - died 3-4-17 - Compound fracture skull  
Cert. by Hpl Index & A.I.F.Hqrs 3-7-18.

Brought in dead to 1/1 S.Midland C.C.S. 3-4-17 fractured skull.  
Buried at Dernacourt Communal Cemetery 2½ miles S.S.W. of Albert  
Cert. by A.I.F.Hqrs 4-7-18.

London  
4-7-18

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51st Battn. A.I.F.

MC NERNEY.  
Harry 5753

"Died of injuries 3.4.17."

Re Pte. Mc Nerney he was already dead when admitted to this C.C.S. on 3rd April 1917. Death was due to a Gun Shot Wound compound fracture of the Skull. The body was buried on 5th April at the Communal Cemetery Extension, Dernacourt, near Albert. Should you require any further information, I would refer you to the D.A.D.C.R. and E., Third who will no doubt, supply you with the number of the grave.

Letter from:- O.C.  
56th C.C.S.  
France.

London,  
23.7.18.

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— No. 56 — CASUALTY CLEARING STATION
No. _____
Date _____

The Secretary,

Wounded & Missing Enquiry Bureau,  
Australian Red Cross Society,  
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5753  
Harry McMerney  
51<sup>st</sup> Batta  
D of injuries 3-4 17 P. (cd)  
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Dear Madam,

With reference to attached enquiry, Pte McMerney was already dead when admitted to this C.C.S., on 3rd. April 1917. Death was due to a G.S.W. Compound Fracture of the Skull. The body was buried on 5th. April at the Communal Cemetery Extension, BERNANCOURT, near Albert. Should you require any further information, I would refer you to the D.A.D.G.R. & E., Third Army, who will, no doubt, supply you with the number of the grave.

Yours faithfully,

*[Handwritten signature]*

13th. July 1918.

Lt. Col RAMC.  
Commanding No. 56 C.C.S.