

**Name of memorial:** 2nd Battalion Royal Irish Rifles (Egypt) Memorial

**Inventory No. 1085**

**Place:** Downpatrick Cathedral

**Address and map reference:** Downpatrick Cathedral, English Street, Downpatrick, Co. Down.

Map reference: J 482 444 (Sheet 21)

Co-ordinates: N 54.3274°; W 5.7222°.

**Access:** 9.30 – 4.00, Monday to Saturday, and on Sundays. **Parking:** adjacent. **Disabled access:** yes.

**Position:** on north wall of narthex (entrance hall).

**Description and dimensions:** brass plaque.

Height: appx. 70cms. Width: appx. 70cms.

**Recorded by:** Michael Pegum 21 May 2018.

**Text:**

(Badge of the Royal Irish Rifles)

**MAJOR TURNBULL**

<b>LIEUT:</b>	<b>HUME</b>	<b>LIEUT:</b>	<b>WYNCH, A. B.</b>
<b>COL<sup>R</sup>. SERG<sup>T</sup>.</b>	<b>CASHEN, J.</b>	<b>PRIVATE</b>	<b>GARTLAND, P.</b>
“ “	<b>GARAGAN, E.</b>	“	<b>JOHNSTON, J.</b>
<b>SERGEANT</b>	<b>GAVIN, J.</b>	“	<b>HINDS, H.</b>
“	<b>CONNORS, J.</b>	“	<b>IRVINE, R.</b>
“	<b>FLACK, A.</b>	“	<b>CAHILL, W.</b>
<b>LCE.CORPL.</b>	<b>ATKINSON, E.</b>	“	<b>McHUGH, J.</b>
“	<b>McGUIRE, J.</b>	“	<b>TRUEMAN, J.</b>
“	<b>TRAYNOR, S.</b>	“	<b>BLUNDELL, F.</b>
<b>BUGLER</b>	<b>COOLEY, T. J.</b>	“	<b>MASCORD, R.</b>
<b>PRIVATE</b>	<b>KELLY, J.</b>	“	<b>DEARY, J.</b>
“	<b>BRUCE, J.</b>	“	<b>WOODS, S.</b>
“	<b>SAVAGE, J.</b>	“	<b>BOOT, A.</b>
“	<b>COFFEY, J.</b>	“	<b>JOHNSTON, J.</b>
“	<b>ALLEXANDER, S.</b>	“	<b>WILLIAMSON, J.</b>
“	<b>BOWERS, D.</b>	“	<b>GALES, W.</b>
“	<b>MURPHY, P.</b>	“	<b>EGAN, M.</b>
“	<b>MADDEN, T.</b>		

**THIS TABLET IS ERECTED  
BY THE OFFICERS, WARRANT OFFICERS, N:C:OFFICERS AND MEN,  
2ND ROYAL IRISH RIFLES, TO THE MEMORY OF THEIR COMRADES  
WHO DIED WHILE SERVING IN EGYPT DURING THE YEARS 1888, 89 &  
90.**

**“THY WILL BE DONE.”**