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Hong Kong & China Branch

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Notes

This list of deaths and of memorials is compiled in order of date of death.

It has been compiled from the following sources:

- The list of military burials in Hong Kong collected by the year 1997 by the staff of Headquarters British Forces Hong Kong. This was donated to the Branch in July 2021 by Mr Stephen Verralls, President of the Hong Kong Branch of the Orders and Medals Research Society. It had originally been given to him by Mr Colin Aitchison, RA, late photographer of Joint Services Public Relations Staff, Hong Kong, who rescued it from being destroyed when the Garrison left. This list appears in places to be based upon independent research, in other places to be based upon a reading of gravestones in the Happy Valley cemetery. It is in some cases preferable to other sources, in others it is mistaken, and there are many typographical errors. It must be used with caution.
- The Commonwealth War Graves Commission lists of Commonwealth War Graves and Memorials in Hong Kong, provided by the Senior Head Gardener, Hong Kong, Mr. Morris Cheung.

- The list of the contents of the memorials in the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley, compiled in November 2021 by Mr. Morris Cheung, Senior Head Gardener, Commonwealth War Graves Commission, Hong Kong.
- Patricia Lim, *Forgotten Souls: A Social History of the Hong Kong Cemetery* (Hong Kong; Hong Kong University Press, 2011 and 2013). There is much detail here of the individuals whose tombs she lists and discusses.
- Alan Harfield, *British and Indian Armies on the China Coast, 1785-1985* (?London: A&J Partnership, 1990).
- The website *Hong Kong Memory*, containing details and photographs of the Colonial Cemetery in Happy Valley, provided mostly by Patricia Lim, at: https://www.hkmemory.hk/MHK/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/about/index.html. This is a marvellous resource, but it is still wrong in several places, mostly due to misinterpretation of military detail where inscriptions are unreadable.
- Various internet sites, including gwulo.com. Wikipedia, Wikiwand, Pinterest, and Army and Navy lists, listing details of units and ships.

This text contains many items that are doubtful (these are marked with a ?) or have been misrepresented or are wrong (these are shown

in square brackets). Alternatives are shown with a / . Many of the gravestones and tombs now have inscriptions which can no longer be read. Others have been restored incorrectly. Where sources differ, it is not possible at this stage, without further research in military records, to clarify which source is correct.

References to the location of graves in the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley, mean: Section/row/tomb number

There are two Appendices to this Volume:

- Appendix 1 - the Commonwealth War Graves Commission list of those Chinese workers recruited in Hong Kong to work for the armed forces, mostly in Mesopotamia, who died 1915-1920.
- Appendix 2 - the Commonwealth War Graves Commission list of those Chinese workers recruited in north China to work in the Chinese Labour Corps in France and Belgium who died 1915-1920.

MEMORIALS

1902

Arthur Jacobs - RN, HMS *Rosario* died ? [**between 1901 and 1905**], no remains or monument.

HMS *Rosario* was a Condor-class sloop launched in 1898 and moving in 1900 for service on the China Station under Commander Claude A. W. Hamilton to replace HMS *Ratler*. She converted to a depot ship in 1910. She served with submarines based in Hong Kong during the 1st World War, and was sold there for breaking up on 11 November 1921.

David Jenkin Davies - Ordinary Seaman [DRD], RN, HMS *Argonaut*, died aged 18, **1 January 1902**, commemorated on the monument to the crew of the *Argonaut* who died 1900-1902 at Section 4/18/5, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. A photograph of the memorial, erected by their messmates, is at:
https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130916_68902.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=David+Jenkin+Davies|keyword=David+Jenkin+Davies

For HMS *Argonaut*, see William Henry Bennett, Volume 1.

William (Wm) Wilkinson - Private, 2nd Battalion Royal Welch Fusiliers, died of disease in North China, **2 January 1902**, commemorated in a joint memorial in Section 3/6/14, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. The memorial is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130911_65265.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Wilkinson|keyword=Wilkinson

For the 2nd Battalion Royal Welch Fusiliers, see William Williams.

Joseph Sheppard - Private, 2nd Battalion the Royal Welch Fusiliers, accidentally drowned in North China, **14 January 1902**, commemorated in a joint memorial in Section 3/6/14, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. The memorial is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130911_65282.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Sheppard|keyword=Sheppard

For the 2nd Battalion Royal Welch Fusiliers, see William Williams, Volume 1 (1786-1901).

James Black - Stoker, RN, HMS *Alacrity*, killed accidentally aged 27, **15 February 1902**, buried in Section 2/10/15, the Colonial

Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by the ship's company, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130911_65408.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Black|keyword=Black

HMS *Alacrity* was a Surprise-class third class cruiser, launched in 1885. She was used as a dispatch vessel in HK. She was sold in 1913.

William Blair - Able Seaman, RN, HMS *Rambler*, died at HK aged 24, **13 March 1902**, buried in in Section 2/11/13, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by the ship's company, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130911_65391.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Blair|keyword=Blair

HMS *Rambler* was an Algerine-class gun vessel of the Royal Navy, built by John Elder & Co., Glasgow and launched on 26 January 1880. She was commissioned as a survey vessel in 1884 and served in Chinese waters during the 1880s and 1890s. She provided men to a naval brigade during the Boer War. In May 1902, she was back at the China station, Captain Morris Henry Smyth in command, and in November that year she is reported leaving Nagasaki for Amoy. She was sold on 23 January 1907.

Thomas Brown - Gunner, 64th Company, Royal Garrison Artillery, died at HK aged 23 / 25, **29 March 1902**, buried in Section 3/7/13, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130911_65238.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Brown|keyword=Brown

In 1901, the HK Garrison included B Battalion, Royal Horse Artillery; 12th Battalion, Royal Field Artillery; No 25 Company, E Division, Royal Garrison Artillery; Nos 2, 25 and 28 Companies, Southern Division, Royal Garrison Artillery; 4 companies, Hong Kong & Singapore Battalion, RA. In 1904, RA detachments were serving in the North China Army; in the South China Army were 78, 80, 83 and 89 Companies, Royal Garrison Artillery; 4 companies Hong Kong & Singapore Battalion, RA.

In 1907, the South China (HK) Garrison included 83, 87 and 88 Companies, Royal Garrison Artillery; 1,3,4 and 5 Companies HK and Singapore Battalion, Royal Garrison Artillery.

Robert Adey - Able Seaman, RN, HMS *Vestal*, drowned in HK Harbour, **11 April 1902**, buried in in Section 2/11/11, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, along with Able Seaman Henry George Edmunds and Private William Henry Balchin, RMLI, who drowned with him, and Able Seaman Henry Haslam, who died at Singapore, 24 October 1902, erected by their shipmates, is at:

[https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All Items/images/201309/t20130911_65396.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Adey|keyword=Adey](https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130911_65396.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Adey|keyword=Adey)

HMS *Vestal* was a Condor-class sloop launched in 1900 and sold in 1921.

Henry George Edmunds - Able Seaman, RN, HMS *Vestal*, drowned in HK Harbour, **11 April 1902**, buried in in Section 2/11/11, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, along with Able Seaman Robert Adey and Private William Henry Balchin, RMLI, who drowned with him, and Able Seaman Henry Haslam, who died at Singapore, 24 October 1902, erected by their shipmates, is at:

[https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All Items/images/201309/t20130911_65396.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Adey|keyword=Adey](https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130911_65396.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Adey|keyword=Adey)

For HMS *Vestal*, see Robert Adey.

William Henry Balchin - Private, RMLI, HMS *Vestal*, drowned in HK Harbour, **11 April 1902**, buried in in Section 2/11/11, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, along with Able Seaman Robert Adey and Able Seaman Henry George Edmunds, who drowned with him, and Able Seaman Henry Haslam, who died at Singapore, 24 October 1902, erected by their shipmates, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130911_65396.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Adey|keyword=Adey

For HMS *Vestal*, see Robert Adey.

Frederick Oliver - Able Seaman, RN, HMS *Blenheim*, born 1 May 1882, died aged 20, **13 April 1902**, buried in Section 2/10/13, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his shipmates, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130911_65410.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Oliver|keyword=Oliver

HMS *Blenheim* was a Blake-class first class protected cruiser that was launched in 1890. Sitting Canadian Prime Minister Sir John Thompson died in England in December 1894 and was repatriated to Halifax, Nova Scotia by *Blenheim*, which was painted black for the occasion. Prince Henry of Battenberg died from malaria while on active duty on board HMS *Blonde* off Sierra Leone in January 1896. *Blenheim* repatriated his body from the Canary Islands. Queen Victoria appointed the commanding officer Captain Edmund S. Poe to the fourth class of the Royal Victorian Order as a mark of appreciation for this service. She was commissioned at Chatham by Captain Frank Hannam Henderson on 2 January 1901 with a complement of 593 men to serve at the China station to support the British position during the Boxer Rebellion. In June 1902 she visited

Nagasaki. She served as a cruiser with the Channel Squadron until May 1908 when she joined the Mediterranean Fleet as a destroyer depot ship. She was sent to Mudros in March 1915 in support of the Mediterranean Expeditionary Force at the Battle of Gallipoli. Later that year, *Blenheim* repatriated former Canadian Prime Minister Sir Charles Tupper who had died in England in 1915 to Halifax. She was scrapped in 1926.

T. B. Garland - Gunner, 64th Company, Royal Garrison Artillery, died at HK aged 27, **19 April 1902**, buried in Section 3/7/15, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130911_65236.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Garland|keyword=Garland

Phillips - Number 4046, 2nd Battalion Royal Welch Fusiliers, died of disease in North China, **10 May 1902**, commemorated in a joint memorial in Section 3/6/14, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley.

The memorial is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130911_65264.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=4046|keyword=4046

For the 2nd Battalion Royal Welch Fusiliers, see William Williams.

William Pickering - Gunner, 64th Company, Royal Garrison Artillery, died at HK aged 21, **29 May 1902**, buried in Section 3/7/20, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:
https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130911_65231.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=pickering|keyword=pickering

William Jones - Gunner, Number 7199, 89th Company, Royal Garrison Artillery, died at HK **29 May 1902**, buried in Section 3/7/18, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:
https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130911_65233.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=William+Jones|keyword=William+Jones

Walter Grounds - Petty Officer 1st Class, RN, HMS *Terrible*, born 18 June 1877, died aged 25, **2 June 1902**, buried in Section 2/11/12, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by the ship's Officers and crew, is at:
https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130911_65392.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Grounds|keyword=Grounds

HMS *Terrible* was the second and last of the Powerful-class protected cruisers built in the 1890s. She served on the China Station and

provided landing parties and guns which participated in the Siege and Relief of Ladysmith in the Second Boer War in South Africa. On 8 May 1900, she arrived at Hong Kong. Orders arrived on 15 June that *Terrible* was to load three companies of 2nd Battalion the Royal Welsh Fusiliers and sail to Taku where she arrived on the 21st. *Terrible* arrived in Hong Kong on 17 December after a typhoon had struck the city, and Scott volunteered to salvage the capsized dredger Canton River. In early 1901, *Terrible* spent several months at Hong Kong, providing relief and condensed water for the dockyard, amid an outbreak of cholera in the city leading to a water famine. A few months later she did much the same thing to help suppress the Boxer Rebellion in China. During this time, her Captain was Percy Scott who trained his crew to a high standard in gunnery and had his training methods adopted by the entire Royal Navy. Upon *Terrible's* return home in 1902, she was refitted for two years and was then placed in reserve, sporadically being activated to ferry replacements to China, escort a royal tour to India or participate in fleet manoeuvres. The ship served as an accommodation ship from 1909 to 1913. She subsequently made one voyage as a troop transport in 1915 before becoming a depot ship. *Terrible* was assigned as a training ship in 1918 before being hulked and converted to suit the role two years later. The ship was sold for scrap in July 1932.

James Francis - Able Seaman, RN, HMS *Argonaut*, died aged 22, **17 June 1902**, commemorated on the monument to the crew of the *Argonaut* who died 1900-1902 at Section 4/18/5, the Colonial

Cemetery, Happy Valley, buried in the RN Cemetery Wei Hai Wei. A photograph of the memorial, erected by their messmates, is at:
https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130916_68901.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=James+Francis|keyword=James+Francis

For HMS *Argonaut*, see William Henry Bennett, Volume 1.

Francis E. Pocock - Ordinary Seaman, RN, HMS *Amphitrite*, died at Muscat and buried at sea aged 18, **25 June 1902**, commemorated with Ordinary Seamen Robert W. McBride and John E. Clarke in Section 2/8/3, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His memorial, erected by his shipmates, is at:
https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130911_65453.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Clarke|keyword=Clarke

HMS *Amphitrite* was a ship of the Diadem-class of protected cruisers, launched in 1898. The following month she was ordered to go to China with new crews for the despatch vessel HMS *Alacrity* and the draught steamer HMS *Snipe*. She arrived at Hong Kong on 4 January 1902. On her return to England, she was recommissioned for service on the China Station, with Captain Charles Windham appointed in command. *Amphitrite* left Portsmouth for the China station on 6 May 1902, bringing crew for the draught steamer HMS *Robin*, which

was stationed at Hong Kong. She arrived in Bombay on 30 June 1902, following a cruise in the Persian Gulf, during which she had made a long stop in Muscat. The largest warship thus far to visit the gulf, she drew much interest during the cruise. She stopped in Colombo in mid-July, at Singapore in late July, and arrived at the station headquarters at Hong Kong on 1 August. She served in the First World War with her sisters. In 1914 she was part of the Ninth Cruiser Squadron, serving in the Atlantic. In June 1915 she was placed in reserve, but reactivated as a Minelayer in 1917. She was sold for breaking up on 12 April 1920. *Amphitrite* had the nickname 'am and tripe' amongst her crew

John E. Clarke - Ordinary Seaman, RN, HMS *Amphitrite*, drowned at sea aged 18, **23 July 1902**, commemorated with Ordinary Seamen Robert W. McBride and Francis E. Pocock in Section 2/8/3, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His memorial, erected by his shipmates, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130911_65453.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Clarke|keyword=Clarke

For HMS *Amphitrite*, see Francis E. Pocock.

Henry Charles Brown - Staff Sergeant, RE, died at HK aged 36, **8 August 1902**, buried in Section 3/7/17, the Colonial Cemetery,

Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades and friends, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130911_65234.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Brown|keyword=Brown

In 1901, the Royal Engineer units in the HK Garrison were HK Company, (Submarine Miners) RE; 25th Company (Fortress) RE. In 1902, Major A. C. Painter commanded the HK Company (Submarine Miners) RE, which were retitled in 1905 to become 40th Company (Fortress) RE, then losing the responsibility for mines and Brennan torpedoes to the RN. An officer and 20 other ranks joined the mixed column deploying to Hankow in 1911.

Albert C. Trow - Corporal, 25th Company, RE, died at HK aged 35, **20 August 1902**, buried in Section 3/7/19, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130911_65232.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Trow|keyword=Trow

John W. Cooke - Engine Room Artificer, RN, HMS *Tamar*, Naval Yard HK, died aged 28, **1 September 1902**, buried in Section 2/11/3, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His tomb, erected by his many friends, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130911_65404.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Cooke|keyword=Cooke

HMS *Tamar* was a Royal Navy troopship built by the Samuda Brothers at Cubitt Town, London, and launched in Britain in 1863. She visited Hong Kong in 1865 and took the 99th Regiment of Foot to Cape Town. In 1874, she formed part of the Naval Brigade that helped to defeat the Ashanti in West Africa, during the Ashanti War. On 7 April 1875, she ran aground whilst departing from Kingstown, County Dublin. She was refloated and resumed her voyage. On 15 April 1875, she ran aground at Chatham, Kent. She was refloated with assistance. On 7 November 1876, on a voyage from England to Bermuda, she was driven ashore at St. Catherine's Point, Bermuda. She visited Hong Kong in 1877/78 with relief crews, returning in 1886. She finally arrived in Victoria City on 11 April 1897. She was stationed permanently in the harbour as a supply ship from 1897 to 1941, when she was scuttled during the Battle of Hong Kong during World War II, to avoid being used by the invading Japanese. She gave her name to the shore station HMS *Tamar* in Hong Kong (1897 to 1997).

Henry Oliver - Carpenter's Mate, RN, HMS *Imperieuse*, born 1864, died aged 38, **1 September 1902**, buried in Section 2/10/6, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His tomb, erected by his wife, is at: https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130911_65419.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Oliver|keyword=Oliver

HMS *Imperieuse* was an Imperieuse-class armoured cruiser launched in 1883. She was the flagship of the China Station from 1889 to 1894 and the Pacific Station from 1896 to 1899. She returned to Chatham for refit in 1900. She was converted into a depot ship in 1905 and renamed HMS *Sapphire II*. The name reverted to *Imperieuse* in 1909 and she was sold in 1913.

Norman McLeod - Sapper, 25th Company, RE, died at HK aged 23, **12 September 1902**, buried in Section 3/7/22, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130911_65229.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=McLeod|keyword=McLeod

Robert W. McBride - Ordinary Seaman, RN, HMS *Amphitrite*, accidentally shot aged 18, **20 September 1902**, commemorated with Ordinary Seamen Francis E. Pocock and John E. Clarke in Section 2/8/3, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His memorial, erected by his shipmates, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130911_65453.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Clarke|keyword=Clarke

For HMS *Amphitrite*, see Francis E. Pocock.

Alfred E. Clayton - Stoker, RN, HMS *Ocean*, died at Weihaiwei, **10 October 1902**, commemorated on the memorial to the crew of HMS *Ocean*, Mediterranean and China, 1900-1903, in Section 4/3/1, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. A photograph of the memorial is at: https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130916_69006.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Clayton|keyword=Clayton

For HMS *Ocean*, see George H. Lamprey.

Hugh [Huge] Lynas - Able Seaman, RN, HMS *Ocean*, died at Gensan, **22 October 1902**, commemorated on the memorial to the crew of HMS *Ocean*, Mediterranean and China, 1900-1903, in Section 4/3/1, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. A photograph of the memorial is at: https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130916_69005.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Lynas|keyword=Lynas

For HMS *Ocean*, see George H. Lamprey.

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Henry Haslam - Able Seaman, RN, HMS *Vestal*, died at Singapore **24 October 1902**, commemorated in in Section 2/11/11, the

Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His memorial, along with Able Seaman Robert Adey, Able Seaman Henry George Edmunds and Private William Henry Balchin, RMLI, who all drowned together in HK Harbour on 11 April 1902, erected by their shipmates, is at:
https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130911_65396.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Adey|keyword=Adey

For HMS *Vestal*, see Robert Adey.

Frederick Whitehead - Lance Corporal, Number 6072, B Company, 1st Battalion the Sherwood Foresters (Derbyshire Regiment), died at HK aged 22, **7 November 1902**, buried in Section 3/7/23, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:
https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130911_65228.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Whitehead|keyword=Whitehead

For 1st Battalion the Sherwood Foresters, see Leonard Rockley.

Thomas Atkins - Gunner, Number 28340, 89th Company, Royal Garrison Artillery, died at HK **10 November 1902**, buried in Section 3/6/15, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

[https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All Images/images/201309/t20130911_65263.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Atkins|keyword=Atkins](https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130911_65263.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Atkins|keyword=Atkins)

Frank Duncan - Gunner, Number 7258 [2258], 89th Company, Royal Garrison Artillery, accidentally burned to death on Stonecutters Island, **20 November 1902**, buried in Section 3/7/24, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

[https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All Images/images/201309/t20130911_65227.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Duncan|keyword=Duncan](https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130911_65227.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Duncan|keyword=Duncan)

Henry Shaw - Private, Royal Marine Light Infantry, HMS *Argonaut*, died aged 28, **25 November 1902**, commemorated on the monument to the crew of the *Argonaut* who died 1900-1902 at Section 4/18/5, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley, buried in the RN Cemetery Wei Hai Wei. A photograph of the memorial, erected by their messmates, is at:

[https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All Images/images/201309/t20130916_68900.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Henry+Shaw|keyword=Henry+Shaw](https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130916_68900.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Henry+Shaw|keyword=Henry+Shaw)

For HMS *Argonaut*, see William Henry Bennett, Volume 1.

Samuel McDonald - Gunner, Number 21496, 89th Company, Royal Garrison Artillery, died at HK on **13 December 1902**, buried in Section 3/6/16, Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at: https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130911_65262.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=McDonald|keyword=McDonald

Arthur William Penfold - Gunner, 80th Company, Royal Garrison Artillery, died aged 33, **26 December 1902**, buried in Section 3/6/17, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at: https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130911_65261.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Penfold|keyword=Penfold

W. Wollard - Private, Number 5818, G [C] Company, 1st Battalion the Sherwood Foresters (Nottinghamshire and Derbyshire Regiment), died at HK aged 23, **26 December 1902**, buried in Section 3/7/21, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at: https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130911_65230.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=wollard|keyword=wollard

For 1st Battalion the Sherwood Foresters, see Leonard Rockley.

Leonard Rockley - Boy, H Company, 1st Battalion the Sherwood Foresters (Nottinghamshire and Derbyshire Regiment), died aged 16, **29 December 1902**, buried in Section 3/6/13, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130911_65310.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Rockley|keyword=Rockley

1st Battalion the Sherwood Foresters then transferred from South Africa on the SS *Wakool*, arriving in Hong Kong in October 1902. Four companies were posted north, two to Tientsin, two to Peking. They were renamed from the Derbyshire Regiment to the Nottinghamshire and Derbyshire Regiment in November 1902. Lieutenant Colonel HC Wyllie CB handed over command to Lieutenant Colonel CN Watts on 10 February 1904. They left for Singapore in December 1904, relieved by 2nd Battalion the Royal West Kent Regiment.

Herbert Allen - Sergeant, Hong Kong Sappers and Miners Company, RE, died aged 40, **30 December 1902**, buried in Section 3/7/26, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130911_65225.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Allen|keyword=Allen

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Walter Pickard [Pickhard] - Gunner, 80th Company, Royal Garrison Artillery, died aged 23, **19 January 1903**, buried in Section 3/6/18, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:
https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130911_65260.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=pickard|keyword=pickard

Henry Charles Cullum - Gunner, 78th Company, Royal Garrison Artillery, died aged 33, **23 January 1903**, buried in Section 3/7/25, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at
https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130911_65226.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Cullum|keyword=Cullum

Hugh Keith Arbuthnot - Lieutenant, HK Torpedo Squadron, RN, died at HK aged 29, **15 February 1903**, buried in Section 18/9/14,

the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by the Torpedo Lieutenants and others in the China Squadron, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130916_71001.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=arbuthnot|keyword=arbuthnot

Herbert Canton - Staff Surgeon, RN, died aged 43, **21 February 1903**, buried in Section 18/7/10, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130916_71042.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Canton|keyword=Canton

James Dayman - Private, Number 7027, B Company, 1st Battalion the Sherwood Foresters, died at HK aged 22, **4 March 1903**, buried in Section 3/7/27, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130911_65224.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Dayman|keyword=Dayman

For 1st Battalion the Sherwood Foresters, see Leonard Rockley.

Ernest C. Gutteridge [Cutteridge] - 2nd Corporal, Hong Kong Sappers and Miners Company, RE, died aged 26, **25 April 1903**, buried in Section 3/7/29, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130911_65222.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Gutteridge|keyword=Gutteridge

George H. Lamprey - Ordinary Seaman, RN, HMS *Ocean*, died aged 18, **26 May 1903**, buried in Section 2/6/19, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130911_65484.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Lamprey|keyword=Lamprey

HMS *Ocean* was a Canopus-class pre-dreadnought battleship launched in 1898. She entered service with the Mediterranean Fleet until January 1901, when she was transferred to the China Station. *Ocean* was recalled from China in 1905 for service with the Channel Fleet after a period spent in reserve. In February 1915, she struck a mine in Erenköy Bay, Dardanelles. Her crew were taken off by destroyers and *Ocean* was left to sink in Morto Bay.

James Aston - Gunner, 78th Company, Royal Garrison Artillery, died aged 22, **31 July 1903**, buried in Section 3/6/12, the Colonial

Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130911_65311.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Aston|keyword=Aston

John Phillips - Bombardier, 80th Company, Royal Garrison Artillery, died aged 32, **1 August 1903**, buried in Section 3/6/19, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130911_65259.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Phillips|keyword=Phillips

Robert McLelland - Boy 1st Class, RN, HMS *Sirius*, died at HK aged 19, **12 August 1903**, buried in Section 2/7/17, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his shipmates, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130911_65459.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=McLelland|keyword=McLelland

HMS *Sirius* was an Apollo-class cruiser of the British Royal Navy launched in 1890, which served from 1892 to 1918 in various colonial posts such as the South and West African coastlines. She served off America from 1892 to 1895 and on the China station from 1903 to 1905. On return from overseas, she went into reserve at Devonport.

In February 1912, *Sirius* became part of the training squadron. In April 1918, *Sirius* was deliberately scuttled in the mouth of Ostend harbour in Belgium during the failed First Ostend Raid. This operation was intended to block the harbour mouth and prevent the transit of German U-boats and other raiding craft from Bruges to the North Sea. German countermeasures were however too effective, and *Sirius* and her fellow blockship HMS *Brilliant* were eventually destroyed by their crews outside the harbour mouth after running aground on a sandbank. The wrecks were broken up after the war

Phillip Leary - Gunner, 89 [78th] Company, Royal Garrison Artillery, died aged 29, **1 September 1903**, buried in Section 3/6/21, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

[https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All Items/images/201309/t20130911_65257.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Leary|keyword=Leary](https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130911_65257.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Leary|keyword=Leary)

Percy Britton - Stoker, RN, HMS *Amphitrite*, accidentally killed on duty in the engine room, aged 24, **19 [16] September 1903**, buried in Section 2/5/22, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His tomb, erected by his shipmates, is at:

[https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All Items/images/201309/t20130911_65506.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Britton|keyword=Britton](https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130911_65506.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Britton|keyword=Britton)

For HMS *Amphitrite*, see Francis E. Pocock.

John Claxton - Gunner, Royal Marine Artillery, HMS *Tamar*, died aged 37, **15 October 1903**, buried in Section 2/4/26, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130911_65535.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=claxton|keyword=claxton

For HMS *Tamar*, see John W. Cooke.

M. Bullman - B Company, 1st Battalion the Sherwood Foresters (the Nottinghamshire and Derbyshire Regiment), died at HK aged 25, **24 October 1903**, buried in Section 3/6/20, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130911_65258.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Bullman|keyword=Bullman

For 1st Battalion the Sherwood Foresters, see Leonard Rockley.

Henry Brock - Gunner, 89th Company, Royal Garrison Artillery, died at HK aged 23, **28 October 1903**, buried in Section 3/6/23, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130911_65255.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Brock|keyword=Brock

Philip Lane - Gunner, 78th Company, Royal Garrison Artillery, died aged 21, **30 October 1903**, buried in Section 3/6/11, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130911_65312.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Lane|keyword=Lane

Henry Shaw - Private, Royal Marine Light Infantry, HMS *Argonaut*, died aged 28, **25 November 1903**, buried in Section 2, moved to Section 4/18/5, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His tomb is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130916_68900.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Shaw|keyword=Shaw

HMS *Argonaut* was a Diadem-class armoured cruiser launched in 1898. She was commissioned for service on the China station in 1900, where she was until 1904. During this time, the Commanding Officer, Captain George H. Cherry RN, issued some 600 punishment warrants, gaining a reputation as a stern disciplinarian. As a consequence, the ship's officers ordered medals to be struck by Gamages of London as reward and mementos of their service under such a captain: on the obverse it read "Argonaut China 1900-1904"

and showed a fowl anchor (for the Royal Navy), a fleece (for Argonaut) and a dragon (for China); on the reverse are a cherry tree and a representation of the officers who survived the commission. An honorary "Cherry Medal" was presented to King George VI. From 1906 she served in the Home Fleet, and during the First World War she served in the Atlantic. She was converted to hospital ship in 1915, and sold for breaking up in 1920 and broken up in 1921.

Clement Harry Mann - Sergeant, 80th Company, Royal Garrison Artillery, died aged 27, **4 December 1903**, buried in Section 3/6/22, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130911_65256.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Mann|keyword=Mann

Arthur William Burton - Stoker, RN, HMS *Otter*, died at HK aged 23, **15 December 1903**, buried in Section 2/4/25, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His tomb, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130911_65536.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Burton|keyword=Burton

HMS *Otter* was an Avon-class destroyer launched in 1896. She was commissioned at Devonport on 27 March 1900 for the China Station, serving as tender to HMS *Goliath* on her way out. Her temporary officer in command for the voyage was Lieutenant Henry Douglas

Wilkin. She arrived at the station after the Boxer Rebellion operations were completed, and was based at Hong Kong. and sold in 1916.

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William Cauk - 2nd Yeoman of Signals, RN, HMS *Ocean*, died aged 27, **20 February 1904**, buried in Section 2/4/21, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130911_65540.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Cauk|keyword=Cauk

For HMS *Ocean*, see George H. Lamprey.

Alfred John Size - Carpenter's Mate, RN, HMS *Fearless*, died aged 30, **20 February 1904**, buried in Section 2/4/20, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, including a memorial to George Calloway, erected by their shipmates, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130911_65542.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Size|keyword=Size

For HMS *Fearless*, see George Calloway.

John William Sneller - Shipwright, RN, HMS *Glory*, died aged 19, **4 March 1904**, buried in Section 2/5/19, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his shipmates, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130911_65509.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=sneller|keyword=sneller

HMS *Glory* was a Canopus-class battleship launched in 1899, intended for service in Asia. She was assigned to the China Station from 1901 to 1905, before returning to British waters. In August 1916, *Glory* was sent to Murmansk, Russia, to support Britain's ally by keeping the vital port open for supplies being sent for the Eastern Front. There, she served as the flagship of the British North Russia Squadron. She was renamed HMS *Crescent* in 1920 when she became a depot ship, and was broken up in 1922.

Arthur Stevens - Private, H Company, 1st Battalion the Sherwood Foresters (Nottinghamshire and Derbyshire Regiment), died at HK aged 24, **10 April 1904**, buried in Section 3/6/25, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130911_65253.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Steven|keyword=Steven

For 1st Battalion the Sherwood Foresters, see Leonard Rockley.

William J. Pearse - Ordinary Seaman, RN, HMS *Andromeda*, drowned at sea, **19 April 1906**, commemorated in Section 1/1/17c, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His memorial, commemorating those who died from the ship from 1904-1906, erected by their shipmates, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130911_65724.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Pearse|keyword=Pearse

For HMS *Andromeda*, see Alfred J. Bath.

John Waterfield - Leading Stoker, RN, HMS *Andromeda*, died at Colombo, **21 April 1906**, commemorated in Section 1/1/17f, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His memorial, commemorating those who died from the ship from 1904-1906, erected by their shipmates, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130911_65721.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=joyner|keyword=joyner

For HMS *Andromeda*, see Alfred J. Bath.

Alfred J. Bath - Boy, RN, HMS *Andromeda*, died at RN Hospital HK, **22 June 1904 [1906]**, commemorated in Section 1/1/17a, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His memorial, commemorating

those who died from the ship from 1904-1906, erected by their shipmates, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130911_65726.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Bath|keyword=Bath

HMS *Andromeda* was a Diadem-class cruiser launched in 1897. She joined the Mediterranean Fleet, where she helped to escort a royal yacht during its cruise through the Mediterranean Sea. Captain Francis Foley was appointed in command on 12 March 1901. That month the ship was one of two cruisers tasked to escort the ocean liner HMS *Ophir*, commissioned as a royal yacht for the world tour of the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall and York (later King George and Queen Mary), from Gibraltar to Malta, and then to Port Said. Captain Christopher Cradock was appointed in command on 24 March 1902, and from 11 June that year *Andromeda* served as flagship to Rear-Admiral Sir Baldwin Wake Walker, commander of the Cruiser Division of the Mediterranean Fleet. In May 1902, she visited Palermo to attend festivities in connection with the opening of an Agricultural Exhibition by King Victor Emmanuel, and the following month the ship was in Gibraltar for a coronation fête. *Andromeda* and other ships of the division visited Argostoli in early October 1902, then was assigned to the China Station in 1904. She returned home three years later to be reduced to reserve. *Andromeda* was converted into a training ship in 1913. She later served as a depot and training ship, being renamed HMS *Powerful II* in 1913, HMS *Impregnable II* in 1919 and HMS *Defiance* in 1931. She was broken up in 1956.

Lyall G. Dunnet - Sapper, Hong Kong Company, RE, died aged 24, **19 July 1904**, buried in Section 3/6/24, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130911_65254.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Dunnet|keyword=Dunnet

Ernest Pope - Sapper, 25th Company, RE, died aged 21, **17 July 1904**, buried in Section 3/6/27, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130911_65251.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Pope|keyword=Pope

Herbert Charles Woods - Staff Sergeant, Army Ordnance Corps, died at HK aged 37, **5 August 1904**, buried in Section 3/6/26, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130911_65252.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Woods|keyword=Woods

The Army Ordnance Corps had been formed in 1894 as successor to the Ordnance Store Corps, absorbing then armourers and artificers.

George Calloway - P. Diel. / Oicl., RN, HMS *Fearless*, died whilst on passage home in the SS *Moldavia* [*Maldavia*] and buried at sea, aged 31 [30], **24 September 1904** [20 February 1904], commemorated in Section 2/4/20, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His memorial, on the gravestone of Alfred John Size, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130911_65541.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Calloway|keyword=Calloway

HMS *Fearless* was a torpedo cruiser launched in 1886 and sold in 1905.

RMS *Moldavia* was a P&O passenger steamer launched in 1903. It was purchased by the RN in 1915 and used as a troop carrier, being sunk off Beachy Head by a German submarine in May 1918.

Frank Rawson - Boy, RN, HMS *Glory*, died at HK aged 17, **14 October 1904**, buried in Section 2/3/12, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130911_65587.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Glory|keyword=Glory

For HMS *Glory*, see John William Sneller.

Robert Taylor - Able Seaman, RN, HMS *Glory*, died at HK from injuries received in execution of his duties, aged 21, **30 October 1904**, buried in Section 2/5/10, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130911_65521.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Robert+taylor|keyword=Robert+taylor

For HMS *Glory*, see John William Sneller.

T. Marles-Thomas - Surgeon, RN, HMS *Robin*, born 29 October 1872, son of the Reverend W. Marles-Thomas MA of Llwynrhydowen, Cardiganshire (Gwilym Marles, 1834-1879, minister and poet, the great-uncle of poet Dylan Thomas, who was given his middle name, "Marlais", in his honour, and who is believed to have based the character of the Reverend Eli Jenkins in the play *Under Milk Wood* on his great-uncle), died aged 32, **3 December 1904**, buried in Section 18/7/11, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130916_71041.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Marles|keyword=Marles

HMS *Robin* was a Heron-class gunboat, built in sections in 1897 and erected in Hong Kong. She was sold in 1928.

Edmund Henry Jellicoe - Lieutenant Commander, RN, HMS *Whiting*, youngest son of John Henry Jellicoe, Captain, R. M. S. P Ct., born 10 September 1875, died aged 29, **30 December 1904**, buried in Section 18/7/9, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. Jellicoe was the much younger brother of Admiral of the Fleet John Rushworth Jellicoe. He was promoted to the rank of Lieutenant on 30 September, 1898. Shortly after being appointed in command of the *Whiting* on the China Station, he was found in his cabin with a gunshot wound to the head. A Court of Inquiry determined that he had killed himself while suffering from a mental debility. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130916_71043.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Jellicoe|keyword=Jellicoe

HMS *Whiting* was a Star-class destroyer launched in 1896. On 26 June 1897, she was present at the Royal Naval Review at Spithead in celebration of Queen Victoria's Diamond Jubilee. In 1897 she was deployed to the China Station and remained there for the rest of her service life. On 17 June 1900 during the Boxer Rebellion in China, she and *Fame* were involved in operations against the Taku forts and Chinese destroyers. This resulted in the capture of four Chinese destroyers including *Hai Lung* (renamed HMS *Taku*). Lieutenant

Charles Pleydell Mansel was appointed in command in July 1902, but was succeeded by Lieutenant Harry Lionel Wells already the next month, on 18 August 1902. She was granted the battle honour 'China 1900'. During the summer of 1911 she was at Nanking during the Revolution in China and from there she moved on to Kiu Kiang and Hankow. She was sold in 1919.

1905

W. G. Triance - Sergeant, Royal Marine Artillery, HMS *Albion* [*Acbion*], died aged 32, **5 January 1905**, buried in Section 2/2/18, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by the Marine Artillery Sergeants' Mess, Portsmouth, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130911_65615.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Triance|keyword=Triance

HMS *Albion* was a Canopus-class pre-dreadnought battleship launched in 1898, intended for service in Asia. She spent 1901-1905 on the China Station, before returning to British waters to serve with the Channel Fleet and later the Atlantic Fleet. After the outbreak of the First World War in August 1914, she was mobilised and returned to the Channel Fleet, but was quickly sent to the Atlantic to help defend against the possibility of German warships breaking out of the

North Sea. In December and January 1915, she supported operations against German Southwest Africa. The ship was transferred to the Mediterranean Sea in January 1915 to participate in the Dardanelles Campaign. She participated in major attacks on the Ottoman coastal fortifications defending the Dardanelles in March 1915, and was damaged by Ottoman artillery twice. In October 1915, she was transferred to Salonika to support the Allied operations against Bulgaria through then-neutral Greece. She was transferred back to Ireland in April 1916 for service as a guard ship, a role she filled until October 1918, when she was reduced to a barracks ship. Albion was sold for scrap in December 1919

Sidney Elliott - Leading Stoker, RN, HMS *Hogue*, died in HK Hospital, aged 29, **13 January 1905**, buried in Section 2/2/16, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by the Officers and ship's company, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130911_65616.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Elliott|keyword=Elliott

HMS *Hogue* was a Cressy-class armoured cruiser launched in 1900. Upon completion she was assigned to the Channel Fleet and in 1904 to the China Station. In 1906 she became a training ship for the North America and West Indies Station before being placed in reserve in 1908. Recommissioned at the start of World War I, she played a minor role in the Battle of Heligoland Bight a few weeks after the

beginning of the war. *Hogue* was sunk by the German submarine U-9, together with two of her sister ships, on 22 September 1914.

Valentine G. Pike [Piker] - Royal Marines, HMS *Andromeda*, drowned at sea, **18 January [June] 1905**, buried in Section 1/2/13, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130911_65705.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Valentine|keyword=Valentine

He is also commemorated by his shipmates, on a joint memorial by the ship for the years 1904-1906 at Section 1/1/17c:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130911_65724.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Pearse|keyword=Pearse

Alfred Wakeley - RN, died **23 January 1905**, buried in Section 2/2/15, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130911_65617.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Wakeley|keyword=Wakeley

William E. [C.] Rowlands - Able Seaman, RN, HMS *Ocean*, died aged 19, **8 February 1905**, buried in Section 2/4/15, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130911_65558.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Rowlands|keyword=Rowlands

For HMS *Ocean*, see George H. Lamprey.

F. Hicks - Number 5130, D Company, 2nd Battalion Queen's Own (Royal West Kent Regiment), accidentally injured, died aged 26, **12 February 1905**, buried in Section 3/5/14, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130911_65328.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Hicks|keyword=Hicks

2nd Battalion the Queen's Own (Royal West Kent Regiment) was in South Africa from 1900 until early November 1902, when it left Cape Town for Ceylon, then moved on the SS *Avoca* to serve in Hong Kong from 18 November 1904, relieving 1st Battalion the Sherwood Foresters. Two companies went to Peking, two to Tientsin, the remainder stayed in Murray Barracks. It provided the guard of honour for Prince Arisugawa of Japan in HK in 1905, and moved to Singapore in 1906 on the SS *Soudan*, relieved in October by 3rd Battalion the Middlesex Regiment.

Thomas Cleall - Stoker, RN, HMS *Sutlej*, died aged 27, **19 February 1905**, buried in Section 2/3/15, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his shipmates, is at:
https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130911_65584.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Cleall|keyword=Cleall

HMS *Sutlej* was a Cressy-class armoured cruiser launched in 1899. She was assigned to the China Station. In 1906 she became a training ship for the North America and West Indies Station before returning home and being assigned as the flagship of the reserve Third Fleet in 1909. Relieved as flagship in 1910, she remained in reserve until the beginning of World War I in August 1914. She was spent most of the war on convoy escort duties before becoming an accommodation ship in 1917 and then a depot ship in 1918. *Sutlej* was sold for scrap in 1921.

Henry Edward Diaper - Able Seaman, RN, HMS *Vengeance*, of Gosport, died aged 23, **19 February 1905**, buried in Section 2/3/16, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his father and brother, is at:
https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130911_65583.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Diaper|keyword=Diaper

HMS *Vengeance* was a Canopus-class battleship launched in 1899 and sold in 1921. Intended for service in Asia, *Vengeance* and her

sister ships were smaller and faster than the preceding Majestic-class battleships, but retained the same battery of four 12-inch (305 mm) guns. She also carried thinner armour, but incorporated new Krupp steel, which was more effective than the Harvey armour used in the Majestics. On entering service, Vengeance was assigned to the China Station, but the Anglo-Japanese Alliance rendered her presence there unnecessary, and she returned to European waters in 1905. She then served in the Channel Fleet until 1908, when she moved to the Home Fleet, thereafter serving in secondary roles, including as a tender and a gunnery training ship. In 1913, she was transferred to the 6th Battle Squadron of the Second Fleet. In August 1914, Vengeance patrolled the English Channel with the 8th Battle Squadron before moving to Alexandria to protect the Suez Canal in November 1914. She then joined the Dardanelles Campaign in January 1915, where she saw extensive action trying to force the Dardanelles strait in February and March and later supporting the fighting ashore during the Gallipoli Campaign in April and May. She was recommissioned in December 1915 for service in East Africa, during which she supported the capture of Dar es Salaam in German East Africa. She returned to Britain again in 1917 and was decommissioned, thereafter serving in subsidiary roles until 1921, when she was sold for scrap.

Newton Arthur Young - Leading Seaman, RN, HMS *Vengeance*, of Bournemouth, died aged 30, **22 February 1905**, buried in Section 1/1/16, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his shipmates, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130911_65727.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Young|keyword=Young

For HMS *Vengeance*, see Henry Edward Diaper.

John Lowman - Able Seaman, RN, HMS *Ocean*, died aged 19, **19 March 1905**, buried in Section 1/1/18, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his shipmates, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130911_65720.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Lowman|keyword=Lowman

For HMS *Ocean*, see George H. Lamprey.

John William Fisher - Able Seaman, RN, HMS *Centurion*, accidentally drowned at HK, aged 19, **5 April 1905**, buried in Section 1/1/13, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130911_65730.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Fisher|keyword=Fisher

HMS *Centurion* was a Centurion-class battleship launched in 1892. HMS *Centurion* was the lead ship of her class of two pre-dreadnought battleships built for the Royal Navy in the 1890s. Intended for service

abroad, they exchanged heavy armour and a powerful armament for high speed and long range to counter the foreign armoured cruisers then being built as commerce raiders and were rated as second-class battleships. Launched in 1892, *Centurion* was assigned to the China Station in 1894 under the command of Captain Edmund Poë. On reaching Singapore, Vice-Admiral The Honourable Sir Edmund Fremantle, Commander-in-Chief of the China Station, hoisted his flag aboard her. Captain John McQuhae relieved Poë three days later. In his turn, McQuhae was relieved by Captain Spencer Login on 21 March 1895. Vice-Admiral Sir Alexander Buller relieved Fremantle on 28 May. *Centurion* ran aground on a sandbank at Shimonoseki, Japan in June 1896, but was not damaged. Captain John Jellicoe (the future First Sea Lord) assumed command of the ship on 12 February 1898. A week later, Vice-Admiral Sir Edward Seymour hoisted his flag aboard her. During the Boxer Rebellion, together with her sister ship, *Barfleur*, she contributed men to Seymour's expedition that attempted and failed to relieve the besieged International Legations in Peking, capital of China, between 10 and 28 June 1900. Jellicoe served as Seymour's flag-captain during the expedition and was badly wounded on the 21st. In addition, the ship put landing parties ashore which joined other forces in storming the Taku forts on 16–17 June and in relieving the foreign legations at Tientsin on 13–14 July. While anchored at Woosung, near Shanghai, she parted her mooring cables during a storm on 17 April 1901 and drifted across the bows of the battleship HMS *Glory*. *Glory*'s bow punched a hole in *Centurion*'s hull below the waterline, but the damage was not serious and was repaired at Hong Kong. *Glory* relieved *Centurion* as flagship on 10

June and Vice-Admiral Sir Cyprian Bridge relieved Seymour on the 26th. *Centurion*, with Seymour aboard, arrived at Portsmouth on 19 August, where she was welcomed by the local Commander-in-Chief and thousands of people lining the beach and pier. Admiral Seymour struck his flag on 21 August, and, after a month. She was rebuilt with a more powerful secondary armament. *Centurion* rejoined the China Station in 1903. In 1905, the United Kingdom and Japan renewed the Anglo-Japanese Alliance which reduced the need for a large Royal Navy presence on the China Station and all its battleships were withdrawn. Accordingly, on 7 June, *Centurion*, together with the battleship HMS *Ocean*, departed Hong Kong. At Singapore, they rendezvoused with the battleships HMS *Albion* and HMS *Vengeance*. The four battleships departed Singapore on 20 June and steamed in company to Plymouth, where they arrived on 2 August. Already made obsolete by the increasing speeds of the cruisers the ship was designed to defend against, she was placed in reserve until 1909. She was sold in 1910.

William Robert Townsend [Townsent] Jones - Cook's Mate, RN, HMS *Centurion*, died at the Naval Hospital aged 24, **12 April 1905**, buried in Section 1/1/12, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130911_65731.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Jones|keyword=Jones

For HMS *Centurion*, see John William Fisher.

Robert Winstanley - Ship's Steward, RN, HMS *Andromeda*, died at RN Hospital HK, **22 February 1905**, commemorated in Section 1/1/17a, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His memorial, commemorating those who died from the ship from 1904-1906, also Robert Winstanley, erected by their shipmates, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130911_65726.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Bath|keyword=Bath

For HMS *Andromeda*, see Albert J. Bath.

Richard W. Sampson - Gunner, 88th Company, Royal Garrison Artillery, died aged 30, **17 July 1905**, buried in Section 3/5/16, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130911_65326.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Sampson|keyword=Sampson

A. Newberry - Gunner, Number 44244, 83rd Company, Royal Garrison Artillery, died aged 39 [59], **25 July 1905**, buried in Section 3/5/15, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130911_65327.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Newberry|keyword=Newberry

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Alfred B. Elliott - Sapper, Hong Kong Company, RE, died at HK aged 22, **19 August 1905**, buried in Section 3/5/12, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130911_65330.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Elliott|keyword=Elliott

Arthur Greenaway - Army Staff Sergeant, Army Ordnance Corps, died aged 30, **21 September 1905**, buried in Section 3/5/13, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades in HK, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130911_65329.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Greenaway|keyword=Greenaway

William Newton - RN, died **8 November 1905**, buried in Section 2/2/26, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130911_65605.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Newton|keyword=Newton

A. C. Rowland - Sergeant, 2nd Battalion Queen's Own (Royal West Kent Regiment), died of disease at Tientsin, North China, **28 November 1905**, commemorated on a monument to those who died on in North China in Section 3/6/14, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. A photograph of the monument is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130911_65300.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Rowland|keyword=Rowland

For 2nd Battalion the Royal West Kent Regiment, see F. Hicks.

Frederick G. Hannaford - RN, died **5 December 1905**, buried in Section 2/1/15, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his shipmates, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130911_65635.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Hannaford|keyword=Hannaford

1906

J. Cohen - Number 5237, E Company, 2nd Battalion Queen's Own (Royal West Kent Regiment), died aged 26, **13 January 1906**,

buried in Section 3/5/18, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130911_65324.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Cohen|keyword=Cohen

For 2nd Battalion the Royal West Kent Regiment, see F. Hicks.

Samuel Caldwell - Gunner, 88th Company, Royal Garrison Artillery, died aged 24, **27 January 1906**, buried in Section 3/5/17, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130911_65325.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Caldwell|keyword=Caldwell

Henry Banks - Gunner, 88th Company, Royal Garrison Artillery, died aged 25, **6 February 1906**, buried in Section 3/5/19, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130911_65323.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Banks|keyword=Banks

Ernest G. Carpenter - Ordinary Seaman, RN, HMS *Bedford*, died aged 19, **27 February 1906**, buried in Section 16/5/2, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130912_66186.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Carpenter|keyword=Carpenter

HMS *Bedford* was a Monmouth-class armoured cruiser launched in 1901. She was assigned to the 1st Cruiser Squadron of the Channel Fleet in 1903 before she was briefly reduced to reserve in 1906. Bedford was recommissioned for service with China Station. En route for Wei-hai-wei, she ran aground on Samarang Reef and was wrecked in 1910.

F. Barr - Private, 2nd Battalion Queen's Own (Royal West Kent Regiment), died of disease at Tientsin, North China, **3 March 1906**, commemorated on a monument to those who died on in North China in Section 3/6/14, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. A photograph of the monument is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130911_65299.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Barr|keyword=Barr

For 2nd Battalion the Royal West Kent Regiment, see F. Hicks.

William Charles Hopper - Able Seaman, RN, HMS *Hecla*, drowned in Mirs Bay in the execution of his duty, aged 19, **6 March 1906 [1886]**, buried in Section 1/2/7, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his shipmates, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130911_65711.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Hopper|keyword=Hopper

HMS *Hecla* was a torpedo boat carrier/depot ship purchased in 1878, modernised in 1912 and sold in 1926

Claude A. Joyner - Able Seaman, RN, HMS *Andromeda*, died at Woosung, **16 April 1906**, commemorated in Section 1/1/17f, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His memorial, commemorating those who died from the ship from 1904-1906, erected by their shipmates, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130911_65721.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=joyner|keyword=joyner

For HMS *Andromeda*, see Alfred J. Bath.

Joseph Coxey - Boy 1st Class, RN, HMS *Monmouth*, born 29 June 1888, died aged 18, **5 June 1906**, commemorated in Section 1/3/12, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His memorial is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130911_65688.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Coxey|keyword=Coxey

HMS *Monmouth* was a Monmouth-class armoured cruiser launched in 1901. She was assigned to the 1st Cruiser Squadron of the Channel Fleet then transferred to the China Station in 1906, and remained there until she returned home in 1913. She was assigned to the reserve Third Fleet. When World War I began in August 1914, the ship was recommissioned and assigned to the 5th Cruiser Squadron in the Central Atlantic to search for German commerce raiders and protect Allied shipping. She was detached upon arrival to patrol the Brazilian coast for German ships, and was later ordered to the South Atlantic to join Rear Admiral Christopher Cradock's squadron in their search for the German East Asia Squadron. He found the German squadron on 1 November off the coast of Chile. The German squadron outnumbered Cradock's force and were individually more powerful; they sank Cradock's two armoured cruisers in the Battle of Coronel. *Monmouth* was lost with all hands.

Albert Skipper - Gunner, 83rd Company, Royal Garrison Artillery, died aged 24, **12 July 1906**, commemorated in Section 3/5/11, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130911_65331.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=skipper|keyword=skipper

A. T. Noonan [Nonnan] - Quartermaster Sergeant, RE, died aged 35, **13 July 1906**, commemorated in Section 3/5/10, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

William Durrant - RN, died aged 20, **27 [7] July 1906**, commemorated in Section 1/3/11, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

[https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All Images/images/201309/t20130911_65689.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Durrant|keyword=Durrant](https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130911_65689.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Durrant|keyword=Durrant)

Hubert Cecil Pearn - Stoker, RN, HMS *Cadmus*, died aged 22, **6 August 1906**, commemorated in Section 1/3/14, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his shipmates, is at:

[https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All Images/images/201309/t20130911_65686.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Pearn|keyword=Pearn](https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130911_65686.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Pearn|keyword=Pearn)

HMS *Cadmus* was a Cadmus-class sloop launched in 1903, spent her entire career in the Far East. She started her career on the Australia Station, where she arrived on 13 July 1904; her maiden voyage to Australia was accomplished in record time for a sloop. She was refitted at Cockatoo Island Dockyard, Sydney in 1905. In May 1905,

she was ordered to follow *Clio* to the China Station. She was sold at Hong Kong in 1921.

A memorial erected by the British Community in HK commemorates those of the crew of the Torpedo Boat Destroyer *Fronde* who died in the typhoon of **18 September 1906**, at Section 21A/4/31, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. Those named are:

Jean Bonny - Chief Petty Officer

Charles [Charles] Meurig - Chief Petty Officer

Rene Derrien - Chief Petty Officer

Nargisse Bertho - Petty Officer

Joseph Nicolas - Petty Officer

Fronde was one of 20 Arquebuse-class destroyers built for the French Navy launched in 1902. The *Fronde* Memorial, a granite obelisk, was erected in May 1908 in memory of the five sailors of the *Fronde* who disappeared in the sinking of their ship near the Torpedo Depot in Kowloon, Hong Kong, during the 1906 Hong Kong typhoon. The *Fronde* was later salvaged, repaired in the Hung Hom shipyard, and left HK in March 1907. Initially erected at the corner of Gascoigne Road and Jordan Road, the monument was relocated to Happy Valley during the 1960s.

Edmund Dally - Petty Officer 1st Class, RN, HMS *Alacrity*, died aged 31, **20 September 1906**, commemorated in Section 1/3/21, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his shipmates, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130911_65679.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Dally|keyword=Dally

For HMS *Alacrity*, see James Black.

Alexander M. McGregor - Sapper, 25th Company, RE, died aged 29, **21 September 1906**, buried in Section 3/5/9, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130911_65333.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=McGregor|keyword=McGregor

Frederick Hinton - Petty Officer 1st Class, RN, HMS *Bramble*, died at the Naval Hospital HK, **17 November 1906**, commemorated in Section 1/3/16, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his shipmates, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130911_65684.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Hinton|keyword=Hinton

HMS *Bramble* was a later Bramble-class gunboat launched in 1898 and sold in 1920.

Alexander Nicol - Stoker 1st Class, RN, HMS *Astraea*, drowned on duty at HK, **21 November 1906**, commemorated in Section 1/4/7, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his shipmates, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130911_65671.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Nicol|keyword=Nicol

HMS *Astraea* was an *Astraea*-class cruiser launched in 1893. She served in the Mediterranean Sea in early 1900 under the command of Captain Alfred Paget, and was in China in 1901 under the command of Captain Casper Joseph Baker. She left Hong Kong on 27 March 1902, homeward bound, arriving in Singapore on 2 April, Colombo on 10 April, Suez on 27 April, Malta on 2 May, and in Plymouth on 14 May, having convoyed the destroyer *Skate* from the Mediterranean. She was serving off East Africa at Zanzibar when the First World War broke out, and the squadron was initially assigned to protect British Empire shipping travelling on the trade routes around the African coast. On 8 August 1914 *Astraea* bombarded Dar-es-Salaam, part of the German colony of German East Africa. *Astraea*'s guns destroyed a radio station, and fearing an imminent landing, the German authorities scuttled their floating dock to block the harbour. This had the subsequent effect of preventing the German commerce raider SMS *Königsberg* from being able to return to the port. *Astraea* was later one of the ships assigned to hunt and blockade *Königsberg* in the Rufiji Delta. In May 1915 *Astraea* became the ship of the senior naval

officer assigned to support the invasion of Kamerun. She was sold in 1920.

Harry Pidden - RN, HMS *King Alfred*, died at HK, aged 21, **15 December 1906 [1908]**, buried in Section 16/4/4, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his shipmates, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130912_66200.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Pidden|keyword=Pidden

HMS *King Alfred* was a Drake-class armoured cruisers launched in 1901. She served as flagship of the China Station from 1906 until relieved in 1910. Upon her return home that year, she was placed in reserve before being recommissioned in mid-1914. She was assigned to the 6th Cruiser Squadron of the Grand Fleet at the beginning of World War I. She was transferred to the 9th Cruiser Squadron in 1915 and assigned to convoy protection duties by the end of the year. *King Alfred* participated in the unsuccessful searches for the German commerce raider SMS *Möwe* in 1916–17 before beginning to escort convoys later that year. The ship was torpedoed by a German submarine in 1918, but returned to service. She was sold for scrap in 1920.

George C. Callingham - Sapper, 25th Company, RE, died aged 26, **29 December 1906 [1908]**, buried in Section 3/5/8, the Colonial

Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130911_65334.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Callingham|keyword=Callingham

1907

H. Oliff - Private, Number 8986, F Company, 3rd Battalion the Duke of Cambridge's Own (Middlesex Regiment), died aged 19, **3 January 1907**, buried in Section 3/5/7, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130911_65335.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Olliff|keyword=Olliff

3rd Battalion the Middlesex Regiment took over from 2nd Battalion the Royal West Kent Regiment, arriving on 30 October 1906, stationed in Murray Barracks, and sending four companies to Tientsin and Weihaiwei, leaving China in late 1908.

Albert Hawkins - RN / RM, died **4 January 1907**, buried in Section 1/4/8, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130911_65670.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Hawkins|keyword=Hawkins

Francis [Frank] Warren - Captain, Royal Artillery, died aged 35, **13 February 1907**, buried in Section 18/7/5, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His tomb is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130916_71047.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Warren|keyword=Warren

James Noble - Sapper, 25th Company, Royal Engineers, died aged 25, **16 February 1907**, buried in Section 3/5/6, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130911_65336.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Noble|keyword=Noble

In 1901, the HK Garrison included HK Company (Submarine Miners) RE; 25th Company (Fortress) RE. In 1904, the HK Company was commanded by Major A. C. Painter. In 1905, it became 40th Company

RE, and handed responsibility for submarine mining and the Brennan Torpedo establishment at Lyemun Barracks to the RN. The South China (HK) Garrison in 1907, included 25 and 40 Companies (Fortress) RE.

W. Holliday - Private, Ply 5670, Royal Marine Light Infantry, HMS *Tamar* and HMS *Monmouth*, died at HK aged 34, **29 March 1907**, buried in Section 1/5/9, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his shipmates is at:

[https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All Images/images/201309/t20130911_65653.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Holliday|keyword=Holliday](https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130911_65653.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Holliday|keyword=Holliday)

For HMS *Tamar*, see John W. Cooke.

For HMS *Monmouth*, see Joseph Coxey.

James Gordon - Stoker, RN, HMS *Bedford*, died aged 21, **29 April 1907**, buried in Section 1/4/5, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his Officers and shipmates is at:

[https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All Images/images/201309/t20130911_65673.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Gordon|keyword=Gordon](https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130911_65673.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Gordon|keyword=Gordon)

For HMS *Bedford*, see Ernest G. Carpenter.

John Caesar Kelly - Sapper, 40th Company, RE, died aged 23, **27 May 1907**, buried in Section 3/5/5, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130911_65337.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Kelly|keyword=Kelly

Albert E. Piggott [Piccott] - Private, 3rd Battalion Middlesex Regiment, accidentally drowned at Hong Kong, **29 May 1907**, commemorated on a monument to those who died on in North China in Section 3/6/14, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. A photograph of the monument is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130911_65298.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Piggott|keyword=Piggott

For 3rd Battalion the Middlesex Regiment, see H. Olliff.

William Thomas Tagget - Company Quartermaster Sergeant, 4th Company, Hong Kong and Singapore [5] Battalion, Royal Garrison Artillery, born 27 November 1868, died aged 39, **19 June 1907**, buried in Section 3/6/10, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130911_65313.html?f=search&t=search_data

as.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Tagget|keyword=Tagget
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The Hong Kong and Singapore Battalion RGA has its origins in the company of Madrassesees formed at Fort St. George, India, and sent to Hong Kong in 1841 as China Gun Lascars; it had no British Officers. In 1865, men of all Asiatic nations were enlisted for A Company, which was commanded by a British Subaltern or Captain (then Captain Blackenbury, of 8/1 Southern Division Royal Artillery) from the Garrison, with a British corporal or bombardier for clerical duties. In 1881 another company was formed; Colonel Hall, the then Officer Commanding Royal Artillery, Hong Kong, expressing a desire that the new company should be composed entirely of Sikhs enlisted in the Punjab. In the meantime local enlistment was allowed. The new B company arrived in Hong Kong in July, 1881. In 1891 a General Order authorized the designation 'Asiatic Artillery.' They were armed with 64 pounder R.M.L. and 7 pdr R.M.L. In 1885, a detachment was sent to Singapore to form a nucleus of a new company. In 1889 the system of detailing an officer from the British companies to temporarily command the corps was discontinued, and Captain Hawkins - specially detailed from Home - took the command, In 1890 the two companies were encamped at Kowloon Dock for the purpose of mounting the gun at Kowloon East Fort. In the same year two ten-inch Breach Loading guns were mounted at Stonecutters West Fort. In 1891, the Asiatic Artillery was increased by the formation of c and D companies. In 1893 the gun lascar companies in Asia were renamed Local Companies, Royal Artillery. In 1898, two

separate battalions were formed: The Hong Kong and Singapore Battalion, Royal Artillery, headquartered in Hong Kong, and the Ceylon Battalion, Royal Artillery, headquartered in Ceylon. In 1899 the Royal Artillery was split into two and the Royal Garrison Artillery came into being. This had an effect on Indian units and in 1899 the battalion was renamed Hong Kong Singapore Battalion, Royal Garrison Artillery. In 1907, the Mauritius company of the Ceylon Battalion was absorbed into the Hong Kong Singapore Battalion RGA. This battalion then provided the manpower for Hong Kong, Singapore and Mauritius with its headquarters in Hong Kong. A company of the Corps proceeded to Taku as part of the China Expeditionary Force and served with distinction throughout the operations against the Boxers. The officers with this Company were Captain Duff and Lieutenant Badham-Thornhill.

Henry Woods - Private, CO's Orderly, 3rd Battalion the Middlesex Regiment, died aged 25, **24 June 1907**, buried in Section 3/5/4, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130911_65338.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Woods|keyword=Woods

For 3rd Battalion the Middlesex Regiment, see H. Olliff.

Frank Hall [Rall] - Gunner, 87th Company, Royal Garrison Artillery, died aged 39, **13 August 1907**, buried in Section 3/6/9, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130911_65314.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Frank|keyword=Frank

Henry Valentine - Able Seaman, RN, HMS *Sandpiper*, died aged 20, **30 August 1907**, buried in Section 1/3/3, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by the Officers and crew, is at: https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130911_65697.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Valentine|keyword=Valentine

HMS *Sandpiper* was launched in 1897 at Yarrow, a gunboat with armament of 2-6 pounder guns and 4 machine guns. She served on the China Station and was paid off in 1914, sold in 1920 at Hong Kong.

H. F. Jarmain - Conductor, Army Ordnance Corps, died aged 39, **26 September 1907**, buried in Section 3/5/3, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his wife and comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130911_65339.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Jarmain|keyword=Jarmain

James Ellison - Able Seaman, RN, HMS *King Alfred*, died at HK aged 24, **19 November 1907**, buried in Section 1/4/1, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his shipmates is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130911_65677.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Ellison|keyword=Ellison

For HMS *King Alfred*, see Harry Pidden.

Frederick James Saunders - Able Seaman, RN, HMS *King Alfred*, died at HK aged 21, **23 December 1907**, buried in Section 1/2/2, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his shipmates is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130911_65716.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Saunders|keyword=Saunders

For HMS *King Alfred*, see Harry Pidden.

John Liddington - 2nd Battalion the Queen's Own (Royal West Kent Regiment), died aged 32, **8 January 1908**, buried in Section 3/5/2, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130911_65340.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Liddington|keyword=Liddington

For the 2nd Battalion, the Royal West Kent Regiment, see F. Hicks.

James John Hope - RN, died **11 January 1908**, buried in Section 16/1/2, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130912_66262.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Hope|keyword=Hope

J. B. Jackson - RN, HMS *Encounter*, died **30 March 1908**, buried in Section 16/9/1, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His tomb is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130912_66152.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Jackson|keyword=Jackson

HMS *Encounter* was a Challenger-class protected cruiser launched in 1902. From April 1906 to June 1912, Encounter served as part of the

RN Australia Squadron. She was transferred to the Royal Australian Navy in 1919.

Stephen Urry - Able Seaman, RN, HMS *King Alfred*, died aged 31, **3 June 1908 [1909]**, buried in Section 16/1/14, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his shipmates, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130912_66248.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Urry|keyword=Urry

For HMS *King Alfred*, see Henry Pidden.

Henry Ewington - Ordinary Seaman, RN, HMS *Monmouth*, died aged 19, **4 July 1908**, buried in Section 16A/1/14, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His tomb is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130912_66133.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Ewington|keyword=Ewington

For HMS *Monmouth*, see Joseph Coxey.

John Alfred Roshier - Bandsman, Number 9971, H Company 3rd Battalion Duke of Cambridge's Own (Middlesex Regiment), born Pentonville, London, 11 September 1886, died aged 21, **3 August**

1908, buried in Section 3/6/8, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley.

His tomb is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130911_65315.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Roshier|keyword=Roshier

For the 3rd Battalion the Middlesex Regiment, see H. Olliff.

George Victor Goodyer - Corporal, D Company, 3rd Battalion Duke of Cambridge's Own (Middlesex Regiment), born 2 July 1882, died aged 26, **1 November 1908**, buried in Section 3/6/7, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His tomb is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130911_65316.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Goodyer|keyword=Goodyer

For the 3rd Battalion the Middlesex Regiment, see H. Olliff.

Thomas Charter - Gunner, 88th Company, Royal Garrison Artillery, born 14 November 1873, died aged 34, **2 November 1908**, buried in Section 3/6/6, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His tomb is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130911_65317.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Charter|keyword=Charter

James Trevaskus - Stoker Petty Officer, RN, HMS *Kent*, died aged 33, **20 November 1908**, buried in Section 16A/2/11, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His tomb, erected by his shipmates, is at: https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130912_66118.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Trevaskus|keyword=Trevaskus

HMS *Kent* was a Monmouth-class armoured cruiser launched in 1901. She was placed in reserve when completed in 1903, but was recommissioned for the China Station in 1906. She remained there until she returned home in 1913. In 1914, *Kent* was ordered to the South Atlantic to join Rear-Admiral Christopher Cradock's squadron in their search for the German East Asia Squadron, but arrived at the Falkland Islands after the British squadron had been destroyed in the Battle of Coronel. During the subsequent Battle of the Falkland Islands at the end of 1914, the ship sank the German light cruiser *Nürnberg*. Several months later she discovered the sole surviving German ship from that battle and forced the light cruiser *Dresden* to scuttle herself in the Battle of Más a Tierra. She was assigned to patrol the South American coast for the rest of 1915, but was transferred to the Cape Station in early 1916 to begin convoy escort duties along the West African coast until mid-1918 when she returned to the China Station. In early 1919 the ship was deployed to Vladivostok to support the Siberian Intervention against the Bolsheviks during the Russian Civil War. She did little militarily there, although she contributed

some crewmen to man gunboats supporting the Whites opposing the Bolsheviks. Kent was sold for scrap in China in 1920.

Thomas Ernest Smith - Lance Corporal, Number 5858, 2nd Battalion the Buffs (East Kent Regiment), died at HK **27 November 1908**, buried in Section 3/4/14, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His tomb is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130911_65342.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Thomas+Ernest+Smith|keyword=Thomas+Ernest+Smith

2nd Battalion the Buffs (East Kent Regiment) was the Hong Kong Garrison battalion from 1909 to 1911, taking over from 2nd Battalion the Queen's Own (Royal West Kent Regiment).

Oscar Hunter - Gunner, 87th Company, Royal Garrison Artillery, died aged 36, **16 December 1908**, buried in Section 3/3/12, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His tomb is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130911_65356.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Hunter|keyword=Hunter

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Arthur Thomas Shave - Sapper, 40th Company, RE, died aged 24, **18 January 1909**, buried in Section 3/4/13, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130911_65343.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Shave|keyword=Shave

John Leonard Bentley - Stoker, RN, HMS *Britomart*, died aged 20, **10 March 1909**, buried in Section 16/5/1, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his shipmates, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130912_66187.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Bentley|keyword=Bentley

HMS *Britomart* was a Bramble-class gunboat launched in 1899 and sold in 1920 into civilian service, being renamed *Sakuntala*.

Frank Ernest Woolley - Private, Number 8248, 2nd Battalion the Buffs (East Kent Regiment), died **21 April 1909**, buried in Section 3/4/12, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130911_65344.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Woolley|keyword=Woolley

For the Buffs, see Thomas Ernest Smith.

Robert Lessels - Chief Engine Room Artificer, RN, HMS *Taku*, accidentally drowned in HK Harbour, aged 35, **20 June 1909**, buried in Section 16A/4/20, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by the Chief Engine Room Artificers of the Fleet and his shipmates is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130912_66071.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Lessels|keyword=Lessels

HMS *Taku* was a captured destroyer. Originally built by Schichau at Elbing for the Chinese Navy in 1898, she was armed with six 3-pounder guns and two 14 in (356 mm) torpedo tubes and had 58 crew. She was one of four captured from the Chinese during the Boxer Rebellion in 1900. She was sold in Hong Kong in 1916.

George Ernest Simpson - Ship's Steward, RN, HMS *Merlin*, died aged 26, **8 July 1909**, buried in Section 16A/4/18, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130912_66073.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Simpson|keyword=Simpson

HMS *Merlin* was a Cadmus-class sloop launched in 1901. She was used as a survey vessel from 1906 and was sold in 1923.

James Hadsley - Private, Number 4699, 2nd Battalion the Buffs (East Kent Regiment), died at HK **16 July 1909**, buried in Section 3/6/5, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:
https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130911_65318.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Hadsley|keyword=Hadsley

For the Buffs, see Thomas Ernest Smith.

George Robert Phillipott - Private, Number 8138, 2nd Battalion the Buffs (East Kent Regiment), died at HK, **21 July 1909**, buried in Section 3/6/4, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:
https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130911_65319.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=phillpott|keyword=phillpott

For the Buffs, see Thomas Ernest Smith.

Edward Mold - Private, Number 8151, 2nd Battalion the Buffs (East Kent Regiment), died **10 September 1909**, buried in Section 3/6/3, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130911_65320.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Mold|keyword=Mold

For the Buffs, see Thomas Ernest Smith.

John Dean - Gunner, 88th Company, Royal Garrison Artillery, died aged 28, **14 October 1909**, buried in Section 3/6/2, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130911_65321.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=John+Dean|keyword=John+Dean

George Newton - Stoker, RN, HMS *Monmouth*, died aged 32, **21 November 1909**, buried in Section 16, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley.

For HMS *Monmouth*, see Ernest G. Carpenter.

Eli Cook - Gunner, 88th Company, Royal Garrison Artillery, born 28 August 1887, died aged 22, **21 November 1909**, buried in Section 3/6/1, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130911_65322.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Eli+Cook|keyword=Eli+Cook

Nathaniel Coupland - Stoker Petty Officer, RN, HMS *Kent*, died at sea off Colombo, **17 December 1909**, commemorated on the tombstone of Reginald H. Manley, in Section 16A/2/7, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His memorial, erected by his shipmates, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130912_66122.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Coupland|keyword=Coupland

For HMS *Kent*, see James Trevaskus.

John Wood - Gunner, 88th Company, Royal Garrison Artillery, born 17 November 1888, died aged 21, **13 December 1909**, buried in Section 3/7/1, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley.

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130911_65250.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=John+Wood|keyword=John+Wood

Reginald H. Streets - Ordinary Seaman [Q.S.], RN, HMS *Tamar*, of Portsmouth, drowned aged 20, **19 December 1909 [1907]**, buried in Section 16/1/1, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by the Officers and ship's company, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130912_66263.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Reginald+H.+Streets|keyword=Reginald+H.+Streets

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For HMS *Tamar*, see John W Cooke.

George Henry Tarburton - Stoker, RN, HMS *Flora*, died aged 24, **20 December 1909 [1907]**, buried in Section 16A/4/13, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by the Officers and ship's company, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130912_66079.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Tarburton|keyword=Tarburton

HMS *Flora* was an *Astraea*-class cruiser launched in 1893. She was commissioned at Devonport on 11 November 1902 by Captain Casper Joseph Baker to relieve HMS *Phaeton* for service on the Pacific Station. Leaving Plymouth in late November, she arrived at the station early the following year. She was the subject of a famous salvage operation after running aground in 1903. She was renamed TS *Indus II* in 1915 and was sold in 1922.

Archibald Henry James Ashby - Stoker, RN, HMS *King Alfred*, died at HK aged 21 [22], **1 January 1910**, buried in Section 16A/4/10, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his shipmates, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130912_66082.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Ashby|keyword=Ashby

For HMS *King Alfred*, see Harry Pidden.

Reginald H. Manley - Stoker, RN, HMS *Kent*, died **7 February 1910**, buried in Section 16A/2/7, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by the men of the ship, and also commemorating Nathaniel Coupland, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130912_66122.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Coupland|keyword=Coupland

For HMS *Kent*, see James Trevaskus.

George Jones - RN, died **29 March 1910**, buried in Section 16A/2/5, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130912_66125.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=George+Jones|keyword=George+Jones

Charles George Murrell - Private, Number 6566, 2nd Battalion the Buffs (East Kent Regiment), died at Hong Kong, **2 April 1910**, buried in Section 3/4/11, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130911_65345.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Murrell|keyword=Murrell

For the Buffs, see Thomas Ernest Smith.

Reginald H. Blackwell - RN, died **25 April 1910**, buried in Section 16A/3/5, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130912_66107.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Blackwell|keyword=Blackwell

George H. Sparrow - RN, died **3 May 1910**, buried in Section 16A/2/4, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130912_66126.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Sparrow|keyword=Sparrow

William Hanson - Private, Number 7725, 2nd Battalion the Buffs (East Kent Regiment), died at Hong Kong, **22 May 1910**, buried in Section 3/3/11, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130911_65357.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Hanson|keyword=Hanson

For the Buffs, see Thomas Ernest Smith.

Thomas Jones - Gunner, 83rd Company, Royal Garrison Artillery, died aged 23, **23 June 1910**, buried in Section 3/4/10, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130911_65346.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Thomas+Jones|keyword=Thomas+Jones

John Bridges - Gunner, Number 4328, 87th Company, Royal Garrison Artillery, born 23 December 1879, died aged 30, **13 July 1910**, buried in Section 3/3/10, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130911_65358.html?f=search&t=search_da

[tas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Bridges|keyword=Bridges](https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130912_66084.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Bridges|keyword=Bridges)

Arthur Thomas Glanville - Chief Sick Berth Steward, RN, Royal Naval Hospital, died aged 44, **6 September 1910 [1911]**, buried in Section 16A/4/8, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by the Officers and staff, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130912_66084.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Glanville|keyword=Glanville

George Edmund Tomkins - Company Quartermaster Sergeant, 83rd [85] Company, Royal Garrison Artillery, died aged 37, **16 September 1910**, buried in Section 3/3/9, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130911_65359.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Tomkins|keyword=Tomkins

Richard Valentine Hatton - Private, Number 8960, 2nd Battalion the Buffs (East Kent Regiment), died at Hong Kong, **12 October 1910**, buried in Section 3/4/9, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130911_65347.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Hatton|keyword=Hatton

[as.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Hatton|keyword=Hatton](https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130911_65360.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Hatton|keyword=Hatton)

For the Buffs, see Thomas Ernest Smith.

Alfred Eveleigh [Everleigh] - Sergeant, 88th Company, Royal Garrison Artillery, died aged 37, **19 October 1910**, buried in Section 3//3/8, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130911_65360.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Alfred|keyword=Alfred

Cadwaldr Williams - Able Seaman, RN, HMS *Kent*, who died aged 20 from the effects of an accidental fall in Hong Kong Dry Dock, **18 November 1910**, buried in Section 16A/5/7, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his shipmates, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130912_66063.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Cadwaldr|keyword=Cadwaldr

For HMS *Kent*, see James Trevaskus.

Ernest Laurie - Sergeant, 87th Company, Royal Garrison Artillery, died aged 31, **24 December 1910**, buried in Section 3/4/8, the

Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by the Non-Commissioned Officers and men, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130911_65348.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Laurie|keyword=Laurie

1911

Albert Trotman - Sergeant, 25th Company (Fortress) RE, died at HK aged 34, **2 February 1911**, buried in Section 3/4/7, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130911_65349.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Trotman|keyword=Trotman

Frank Beacon - Gunner, 88th Company, Royal Garrison Artillery, died aged 24, **21 April 1911**, buried in Section 3/3/6, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130911_65362.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Beacon|keyword=Beacon

[tas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Beacon|keyword=Beacon](https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130911_65350.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Beacon|keyword=Beacon)

A. Fielding - Sapper, RE, drowned while bathing aged 24, **26 April 1911**, buried in Section 3/4/6, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley.

His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130911_65350.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Fielding|keyword=Fielding

Albert W. Smith - Signalman, RN, HMS *Monmouth*, died at HK aged 26, **29 April 1911**, buried in Section 16A/5/15, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his shipmates, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130912_66055.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Smith|keyword=Smith

For HMS *Monmouth*, see Joseph Coxey.

Walter George [C.] Howard - RN, died **12 May 1911**, buried in Section 16A/7/13, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130912_66016.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Howard|keyword=Howard

[tas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Howard|keyword=Howard](https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130912_66039.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Howard|keyword=Howard)

Frederick J. Sadler - Able Seaman, RN, HMS *Waterwitch*, died at the Royal Naval Hospital HK after falling from aloft, **1 June 1911**, buried in Section 16A/6/12, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley.

His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130912_66039.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Sadler|keyword=Sadler

HMS *Waterwitch*, a hydrographic survey vessel, originally called *Lancashire Witch*, was purchased in 1893 and active in eastern Asian waters from 1894 to 1912. Between 1898 and 1907 she worked the coast of China, including Hong Kong, Weihaiwei and the Yangtze River. In early 1900 Commander Willoughby Pudsey Dawson was in command, succeeded by Lieutenant W. O. Lyne when she was re-commissioned on 16 February 1900. She formed part of the British naval contingent involved in relieving the Peking legations during the Boxer Rebellion in 1900 and surveyed the north channel of the Yangtze prior to the battleship *Centurion*'s navigation of the river. In 1902 Lieutenant and Commander Ernest Clifford Hardy was in command, and she was in Hong Kong in October that year.

Socotra Rock was surveyed by *Waterwitch* confirming a depth of less than 18 ft (5.5 m),[13] and she met severe gales in the Formosa

Channel in 1903, and lost three men overboard. In 1906 she escaped being driven ashore in Chauan Bay by weighing anchor and steaming to safety in the calm of the storm-centre as it passed over. In 1908, under Lieutenant Percy Douglas, she surveyed around Singapore and Klang, with work in this area continuing under other commanding officers until she sank in 1912 after being accidentally rammed by a launch belonging to the governor of Singapore.

George J. Christie - RN, died **5 July 1911**, buried in Section 16A/6/14, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at: https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130912_66037.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Christie|keyword=Christie

Edward James Campbell - Engineer Commander, RN, HMS *Kent*, died aged 41, **29 November 1911**, buried in Section 18/7/13, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at: https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130916_71039.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Campbell|keyword=Campbell

For HMS *Kent*, see James Trevaskus.

Walter Cantrill - Private, G Company, 1st Battalion the King's Own (Yorkshire Light Infantry), died aged 27, **29 December 1911**, buried

in Section 3/3/5, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130911_65363.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Cantrill|keyword=Cantrill

The 1st Battalion the King's Own (Yorkshire Light Infantry) relieved the 2nd Battalion the Buffs in the HK Garrison on 1 December 1910, arriving on board the RIMS *Hardinge*. HQ, the Band, Buglers, and 2 companies were in Murray Barracks, 4 companies were in Mount Austin Barracks on the Peak, 2 companies were at Whitfield Barracks, Kowloon. One company under Major W. M. Withycombe was sent to garrison Hankow on 5 December 1911, on board the ship *Kwong Sang*, being fired at ineffectually by Chinese rebels on the River Yangste. They returned to HK on 20 December 1912 on board the SS *Chin Hua*. The battalion was relieved by the 2nd Battalion Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry in 1913, moving to Singapore on the RIMS *Northbrook*.

1912

John William Stubbs - Stoker, RN, HMS *Astraea*, died aged 29, 7 **January 1912**, buried in Section 16B/1/19, the Colonial Cemetery,

Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by the Captain, Officers and ship's company, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130916_70186.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Stubbs|keyword=Stubbs

For HMS *Astraea*, see Alexander Nichol.

C. C. W. Bouchier - Sub Lieutenant, RN, died aged 22, **4 March 1912**, buried in Section 17/5/10, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his ?parents (he was the only son) is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130916_71256.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Bouchier|keyword=Boouchier

Adam Meldrum [Neldrum] - RN, died **14 June 1912**, buried in Section 16B/1/6, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130916_70201.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Meldrum|keyword=Meldrum

Charles Bettoney - Lance Corporal, H Company, 1st Battalion the King's Own (Yorkshire Light Infantry), died aged 22, **11 August 1912**, buried in Section 3/2/10, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130911_65372.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Skipp|keyword=Skipp

For 1st Battalion the King's Own (Yorkshire Light Infantry), see Walter Cantrill.

George Egglestone - Private, 1st Battalion the King's Own (Yorkshire Light Infantry), died aged 21, **30 August 1912**, buried in Section 3/2/11, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130911_65369.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Egglestone|keyword=Egglestone

For 1st Battalion the King's Own (Yorkshire Light Infantry), see Walter Cantrill.

George Thomas Sheldon - Stoker, RN, HMS *Clio* [*Cleo*], died aged 28, **22 September 1912**, buried in Section 16B/2/16, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his shipmates, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130916_70166.html?f=search&t=search_databases.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Sheldon|keyword=Sheldon

HMS *Clio* was a Cadmus-class sloop launched in 1903. *Clio* started her career on the Australia Station, where she arrived in May 1904. In July she made an Island trip and visited Nouméa, Suva, Tonga. The visit was in connection with the proposal of the Admiralty to examine the various reefs in the Cook and other groups, to make safe entrances for the surf boats, discharging and loading cargo. After visiting Mangain, Aitutaki, and other islands, the *Clio* proceeded to Tahiti. After blasting passages through the coral reefs at Savage Island and other islands she reached Auckland in September and stayed for two months in New Zealand waters. Planning to return to Sydney for Christmas, she visited Fiji again, where she stayed at the disposal of the Governor because of political problems at Tonga, to which she made some tours. In February she finally returned to Sydney. After a visit to Hobart *Clio* left Australia in April 1905 for the China Station. In 1908, the *Clio* transported British journalist Ernest Bethell from Chemulpo to Shanghai to serve a sentence of imprisonment for inciting Koreans to oppose Japanese rule of Korea. She was sold in 1920.

Frederick Walter Large - Private, Royal Marine Light Infantry [Guard], died aged 21, **29 September 1912**, buried at Wei Hai Wei.

James Waters - Private, 1st Battalion the King's Own (Yorkshire Light Infantry), died aged 28, **8 October [December] 1912**, buried in Section 3/2/9, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130911_65371.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Waters|keyword=Waters

For 1st Battalion the King's Own (Yorkshire Light Infantry), see Walter Cantrill.

Henry Skipp - Private, A Company, 1st Battalion the King's Own (Yorkshire Light Infantry), died aged 23, **23 October 1912**, buried in Section 3/2/8, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by the Officers, Non-Commissioned Officers and men of the Company, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130911_65372.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Skipp|keyword=Skipp

For 1st Battalion the King's Own (Yorkshire Light Infantry), see Walter Cantrill.

Louis Scrivener - Sergeant, 1st Battalion Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers, died aged 30, **20 November 1912**, buried in Section 3/2/7, the

Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130911_65373.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Scrivener|keyword=Scrivener

1st Battalion Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers were in at Tientsin from November 1909, having sailed from Malta in HM Troopship *Soudan* almost two months earlier. Battalion Headquarters was at Tientsin with one company immediately dispatched to guard the British Legation in Peking. Chinese troops in Peking mutinied in 1911 and started to burn and plunder the capital. They wrecked the offices of the Tientsin-Peking Railway, which was being guarded by the European Powers that had undertaken to keep them open. The Inniskillings were sent to their aid and a successful parley between the Commanding Officer and the rebels led to their withdrawal with no casualties. The Inniskillings again embarked for India at Chin Wang Tao, the port of Tientsin, on 4 November 1912 and landed at Bombay on 3 December.

William Keast - Private, 2nd Battalion, Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry, drowned at HK aged 28, **11 December 1912**, buried in Section 3/2/6, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130911_65374.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Keast|keyword=Keast

2nd Battalion, Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry took over from 1st Battalion King's Own (Yorkshire Light Infantry) as garrison battalion in HK in January 1913. It was quartered HQ and 2 companies in Murray Barracks, 1 company in Mount Austin Barracks, and 1 company in Whitfield Barracks. It provided detachments to reinforce the Royal Marines on board HMS *Triumph* and HMS *Tamar* in 1914. It remained until November 1914, then left for England.

John O'Neil [Oneil] - Petty Officer 1st Class, RN, HMS *Minotaur*, drowned **25 December 1912**, buried in Section 16B/3/22, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his shipmates, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130916_70138.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Minotaur|keyword=Minotaur

HMS *Minotaur* was the lead ship of the Minotaur class of armoured cruisers, launched in 1906. The ship was assigned to the 5th Cruiser Squadron of the Home Fleet upon commissioning. She escorted the royal yacht Victoria and Albert from Kiel, Germany to Reval when King Edward VII and his wife visited in Russia in June. The next month *Minotaur* escorted the battlecruiser *Indomitable* as it carried

the Prince of Wales to Canada to commemorate the tercentenary of Quebec City. The ship was transferred to the 1st Cruiser Squadron when the Home Fleet reorganized on 24 March 1909. She was present for two fleet reviews in June and July before she was ordered to the China Station in January 1910 to relieve *King Alfred* as flagship. Minotaur was in Wei Hai Wei on 3 July 1914 when most of the ships assigned to the China Station were ordered to assemble at Hong Kong. She was broken up in 1920.

1913

Walter George Matthews [Mattews] - Stoker, RN, died aged 27, **2 February 1913**, buried in Section 16B/3/21, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:
https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130916_70139.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Matthews|keyword=Matthews

Murdoch McPhee - Stoker, RN, HMS *Flora*, drowned at Stonecutters Island, aged 26, **6 April 1913**, buried in Section 16B/3/17, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:
https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130916_70143.html?f=search&t=search_data

[tas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=McPhee|keyword=McPhee](https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130916_71064.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=McPhee|keyword=McPhee)

For HMS *Flora*, see George Henry Tarburton.

Alfred Turner Rowlandson - Lieutenant-Colonel, 126th Baluchistan Infantry, born 1867 in Madras, killed in Kowloon, **19 July 1913**, buried in Section 18/6/3, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. Rowlandson served as a Captain with the 26th Baluchistan Infantry during the 3rd Anglo-Chinese War and as a Major with the 124th Baluchistan Infantry during the Tibet expedition of 1903-1904. He became Commandant of the 126th Baluchis on 16 January 1911. It is not known how he was killed. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130916_71064.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Rowlandson|keyword=Rowlandson

The 126th Baluchistan Infantry was in Canton with an artillery battery in 1912, and was in Hong Kong at the outbreak of the 1st World War, then moved immediately to Aden then India.

Charles Marlay Fleury [Flenry] - Major, Royal Army Medical Corps, died aged 42, **5 September 1913**, buried in Section 18/6/9, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130916_71058.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Fleury|keyword=Fleury

[tas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Marlay|keyword=Marlay](http://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130916_70151.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Marlay|keyword=Marlay)

The Royal Army Medical Corps was formed in 1898 from the Army Medical Services.

William Richards Daniells - Gunner, RN, HMS *Cadmus*, died aged 39, **9 September 1913**, buried in Section 16B/3/9, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his shipmates, is at:

[https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130916_70151.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Daniells|keyword=Daniells](http://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130916_70151.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Daniells|keyword=Daniells)

HMS *Cadmus* was a Cadmus-class sloop launched at Sheerness in 1903. She spent her entire career in the Far East. *Cadmus* started her career on the Australia Station, where she arrived on 13 July 1904; her maiden voyage to Australia was accomplished in record time for a sloop. In May 1905, she was ordered to follow *Clio* to the China Station and served there for the rest of her career. She recommissioned at Hong Kong on 18 October 1912, and remained on the China Station during World War I. In November 1914 she arrived at Direction Island in the Indian Ocean a week after the battle between *Emden* and *Sydney* to bury the sailors killed in action. She was in Singapore during the Sepoy Mutiny of February 1915, and her

crew was involved in capturing the mutineers. She was sold at Hong Kong in 1921.

Charles Crofts - Private, Royal Army Medical Corps, died aged 26, **29 September 1913**, buried in Section 3/2/5, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130911_65375.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Crofts|keyword=Crofts

H. R. Kunhardt - Lieutenant, RN, died aged 33, **8 December 1913**, buried in Section 18/7/14, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130916_71037.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Kunhardt|keyword=Kunhardt

William Francis Barnes Cox - Private, RMLI, HMS *Minotaur*, born October 1891, died aged 22, **30 December 1913**, buried in Section 16B/4/18, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his shipmates, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130916_70119.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Barnes+Cox|keyword=Barnes+Cox

For HMS *Minotaur*, see John O'Neil.

1914

Charles V. Kneighton - Stoker, RN, died **22 April 1914**, buried in Section 16B//6/14, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130916_70087.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Kneighton|keyword=Kneighton

Wilfred Blunden - Gunner, 88th Company, Royal Garrison Artillery, died aged 23, **16 May 1914**, buried in Section 3/1/10, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130911_65380.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Blunden|keyword=Blunden

Arthur Lester - Private, 2nd Battalion, Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry, died at HK, aged 24, **31 May 1914**, buried in Section 3/1/9, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130911_65381.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Lester|keyword=Lester

For 2nd Battalion, Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry, see William Keast.

Daniel Cunningham - Gunner, 88th Company, Royal Garrison Artillery, died aged 22, **13 June 1914**, buried in Section 3/1/8, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130911_65382.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Cunningham|keyword=Cunningham

Chan Chun - Petty Officer, RN, HMS *Tamar*, died **22 August 1914**, commemorated on the HK Memorial, Stanley Cemetery.

For HMS *Tamar*, see John W. Cook.

Alfred Steed - Private, 2nd Battalion, Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry, died aged 22, **25 August 1914**, buried in Section 3/1/7, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130911_65383.html?f=search&t=search_databases&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Steed|keyword=Steed

For 2nd Battalion, Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry, see William Keast.

A. Shute - Stoker 1st Class, RN, Number K/8282, HMS *Kennet* [*Kennett*], died **25 August 1914**. Commemorated on the Sai Wan (China) Memorial.

HMS *Kennet* was a Thornycroft type River Class Destroyer launched in 1903. In 1910 she was assigned to China Station. In July 1914, she was on China Station based at Hong Kong tendered to *Triumph*. She deployed with China Squadron to Tsingtao to blockade the German base. On 22 August, *Kennet*, under the command of Lieutenant Commander F.A. Russel, RN, was damaged in action with the German torpedo boat S90, the German gunboat SMS *Jaguar* and a 4-inch shore battery off Tsingtao. On 24 November 1914, she returned to Hong Kong. With the fall of Tsingtao and the sinking of SMS *Emden*, she was redeployed to the 5th Destroyer Flotilla in the Mediterranean and scrapped in 1919.

Percy Thomas Cox - Private, Number 10366, 2nd Battalion South Wales Borderers, died **30 August 1914**. Commemorated on the Sai Wan (China) Memorial.

For 2nd Battalion South Wales Borderers, see Jack Clapp.

A. G. Day - Private, Number 10377, A Company, 2nd Battalion South Wales Borderers, born at St. Pancras, drowned aged 22, in Piao River, Tientsin, **30 August 1914**. Son of Mrs. Ann Day of 51 William Street, Hampstead Road, London. Commemorated on the Sai Wan (China) Memorial.

For 2nd Battalion South Wales Borderers, see Jack Clapp.

Summai - Bearer, Number 8224, 74th Punjabis, died **7 September 1914**. Cremated, listed in the Hong Kong Hindu and Sikh Cremation Memorial, Happy Valley.

74th Punjabis were in Hong Kong between 1914 and 1918, stationed for a time in Whitfield Camp Barracks.

George J. Brunning - Chief Engine Room Artificer, RN, died **10 September 1914 [1915]**, buried in Section 16B/4/8, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130916_70128.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Brunning|keyword=Brunning

Ghulam Rasuk - Naik, Number 3059, 25th Punjabis, of Daudpur, Jullundur, Punjab, died **10 September 1914**, buried in Section Sp. Mem., the Muslim Cemetery, Happy Valley.

The 25th Punjabis, commanded by Lieutenant-Colonel Reginald E. H. Dyer, moved to Hong Kong from Multan on board RIMS *Hardinge* to protect British interests following the Chinese Revolution of 1911. Stationed on their arrival on 7 February 1911 first in tents on reclaimed land in Hung Hom near the Kowloon railway terminus, then in sheds at the Standard Oil terminal in Lai Chi Kok. They conducted border patrols and mounted observation posts, and patrolled villages in the New Territories. The Battalion was given the Governor's thanks for its gallantry in putting out a fire in the oil tanks alongside their quarters in October 1913, thereby saving the Standard Oil Company facility. They moved to Happy Valley at the outbreak of the First World War in August 1914, with two companies in Victoria Barracks in Fortress Reserve. In September 1914, they were stationed in Whitfield Barracks, with two companies remaining in Fortress Reserve in Murray Barracks. The regiment returned from Hong Kong to India in March 1915.

Ishwar Jaganath - Sepoy, Number 408, 26th Punjabis, died **12 September 1914**. Cremated, listed in the Hong Kong Hindu and Sikh Cremation Memorial, Happy Valley.

26th Punjabis moved to Hong Kong from Samana in the Punjab, via Karachi, in 1911 to protect British interests following the Chinese

Revolution, arriving in HK on 13 and 14 February 1911. They were stationed at Rennie's Mill (Tseung Kwan O). On 26 August 1912, they were part of an expeditionary force to eradicate pirates in the Pearl River estuary. On the outbreak of the First World War in August 1914, the regiment moved first to Quarry Point then in September to Whitfield Barracks, just vacated by 8th Rajput Infantry. They returned from Hong Kong to the North-West Frontier in March 1915.

W. H. Hopkins - Private, Number 9886, 2nd Battalion South Wales Borderers, died **13 September 1914**. Commemorated on the Sai Wan (China) Memorial.

For 2nd Battalion South Wales Borderers, see Jack Clapp.

E. Swords - Able Seaman, RN, Number 216794, HMS *Triumph*, died **14 October 1914**. Commemorated on the Sai Wan (China) Memorial.

HMS *Triumph* was a Swiftsure-class battleship launched in 1903. She was transferred to the China Station in 1913. *Triumph* participated in the hunt for the German East Asia Squadron of Maximilian Graf von Spee and in the campaign against the German colony at Tsingtao, China early in World War I. The ship was transferred to the Mediterranean in early 1915 to participate in the Dardanelles Campaign and was sunk by U-21 in 1915.

Mak Choy - Trimmer, RN, HMS *Empress of Russia*, died **14 October 1914**. Commemorated on the HK Memorial, Stanley War Cemetery.

For HMS *Empress Of Russia*, see Cho Chu.

Wong Wa - Trimmer, RN, HMS *Empress of Asia*, died **16 October 1914**. Commemorated on the HK Memorial, Stanley War Cemetery.

For HMS *Empress of Asia*, see Lee Tuk.

James Thomas - Lance Corporal, Number 10406, 2nd Battalion South Wales Borderers, died of wounds aged 21, **2 November 1914**. Son of Joseph and Elizabeth Thomas of ?idenham, Gloucestershire. Commemorated on the Sai Wan (China) Memorial.

For 2nd Battalion South Wales Borderers, see Jack Clapp.

Bishn Singh - Lance Naik, Number 2819, 36th Sikhs, died **3 November 1914**. Son of Munsha Singh of Mola, Garhshankar, Hoshiarpur, Punjab. Commemorated on the Sai Wan (China) Memorial.

For 36th Sikhs, see Sapuran Singh.

E. T. Stoner - Private, Number 9291, 2nd Battalion South Wales Borderers, died **3 November 1914**. Commemorated on the Sai Wan (China) Memorial.

For 2nd Battalion South Wales Borderers, see Jack Clapp.

Udham Singh - Sepoy, Number 2806, 36th Sikhs, died **4 November 1914**. Son of Dula Singh of Mangli Wahbandi Raya, Sialkot, Punjab. Commemorated on the Sai Wan (China) Memorial.

For 36th Sikhs, see Sapuran Singh.

E. J. Bettis - Private, Number 10019, 2nd Battalion South Wales Borderers, died **5 November 1914**. Son of Edward and Eliza Bettis of 73 Cann Hall Road, Leytonstone, London. Commemorated on the Sai Wan (China) Memorial.

For 2nd Battalion South Wales Borderers, see Jack Clapp.

H. Evans - Private, MID, Number 10614, 2nd Battalion South Wales Borderers, died aged 22, **5 November 1914**. Son of Mrs. A. Morrell (formerly Evans), of Penn Road, Hazlemere, Buckinghamshire. Commemorated on the Sai Wan (China) Memorial.

For 2nd Battalion South Wales Borderers, see Jack Clapp.

G. Parkes - Private, Number 10202, 2nd Battalion South Wales Borderers, killed in action aged 24, **5 November 1914**. Son of Frederick and Mary Ann Parkes, of Birmingham. Commemorated on the Sai Wan (China) Memorial.

For 2nd Battalion South Wales Borderers, see Jack Clapp.

Arthur George Payne - Sergeant, Number 7235, 2nd Battalion South Wales Borderers, killed in action aged 33, **5 November 1914**. Son of Mr. and Mrs. George Payne of Brecon; husband of Alice Payne of Waterford Lane, Lyminster, Hampshire. Commemorated on the Sai Wan (China) Memorial.

For 2nd Battalion South Wales Borderers, see Jack Clapp.

J. Williams - Private, Number 9763, 2nd Battalion South Wales Borderers, died **5 November 1914**. Commemorated on the Sai Wan (China) Memorial.

For 2nd Battalion South Wales Borderers, see Jack Clapp.

A. L. Dale - Private, Number 10724, 2nd Battalion South Wales Borderers, died **6 November 1914**. Commemorated on the Sai Wan (China) Memorial.

For 2nd Battalion South Wales Borderers, see Jack Clapp.

John Roland Sewell - Private, Number 9243, B Company, 2nd Battalion South Wales Borderers, killed in action aged 27, **6 November 1914**. Son of Roland and Eliza Ann Sewell of 9D, Peabody Square, Blackfriars Road, London. Commemorated on the Sai Wan (China) Memorial.

For 2nd Battalion South Wales Borderers, see Jack Clapp.

W. Miller - Sergeant, Number 9436, 2nd Battalion South Wales Borderers, killed in action, **7 November 1914**. Husband of A. E. Miller of 8 Rosaline Road, Munster Road, Fulham, London. Commemorated on the Sai Wan (China) Memorial.

For 2nd Battalion South Wales Borderers, see Jack Clapp.

C. W. W. Pavitt - Private, Number 10273, 2nd Battalion South Wales Borderers, died **7 November 1914**. Son of Mrs. Ellen M. Poole of 14 Albert Road, West Kilburn, London. Commemorated on the Sai Wan (China) Memorial.

For 2nd Battalion South Wales Borderers, see Jack Clapp.

A. G. Sydenham - Lance Corporal, Number 9880, 2nd Battalion South Wales Borderers, died **7 November 1914**. Commemorated on the Sai Wan (China) Memorial.

For 2nd Battalion South Wales Borderers, see Jack Clapp.

Sain - Sepoy, Number 4700, 40th Pathans, Son of Rangî, of Gaghial, Akhnur, Jammu, Kashmir, died **10 November 1914**. Cremated, listed in the Hong Kong Hindu and Sikh Cremation Memorial, Happy Valley.

40th Pathans were stationed in Whitfield Barracks HK at the outbreak of the First World War in August 1914, and moved to India in September relieved by 74th Punjabis, then move to France, September, arriving 2 April 1915,

Fat Tang - Trimmer, RN, HMS *Empress Of Russia*, died **15 November 1914**. Commemorated on the HK memorial, Stanley War Cemetery.

For HMS *Empress Of Russia*, see Cho Chu.

George Aaron Johnson - Lance Corporal, Number 9881, 2nd Battalion South Wales Borderers, died of wounds aged 24, **17 November 1914**. Son of Catherine Powell (formerly Johnson) of Upper Park Cottage, Llanvihangel Crucorney, Abergavenny, Monmouthshire and the late George Johnson. Commemorated on the Sai Wan (China) Memorial.

For 2nd Battalion South Wales Borderers, see Jack Clapp.

Wong Quong - Trimmer, RN, HMS *Empress of Russia*, died **21 November 1914**. Commemorated on the HK Memorial, Stanley War Cemetery.

For HMS *Empress Of Russia*, see Cho Chu.

Frank Maidment - Private, Number 9395, G Company, 2nd Battalion South Wales Borderers, died aged 41, **28 November 1914**. Son of Lot and Kate Maidment of 291, Bridgend Road, Maesteg, Glamorgan. Commemorated on the Sai Wan (China) Memorial.

For 2nd Battalion South Wales Borderers, see Jack Clapp.

Tim Jeung (served as **Chang Pun**) - Trimmer, RN, HMS *Empress of Russia*, died **8 December 1914**. Commemorated on the HK Memorial, Stanley War Cemetery.

For HMS *Empress Of Russia*, see Cho Chu.

Lee Tuk - Fireman, RN, HMS *Empress of Asia*, died **12 December 1914**. Commemorated on the HK Memorial, Stanley War Cemetery.

RMS *Empress of Asia* was launched on 23 November 1912, for the Canadian Pacific Railway. She set ting a world record for both a single day's steaming (473 nautical miles) and for crossing the Pacific (nine days, two hours, and fifteen minutes). In 1914, she was converted

into an auxiliary cruiser at Hong Kong, armed with eight 4.7-inch (12 cm) guns. Among her peacetime crew only those in the Royal Naval Reserve were retained. She was deployed in Asia, in the Middle East and in the Atlantic with Chinese, British Indian and Portuguese Indian (Goan) crew. In late 1914, *Empress of Asia* was among the cruisers tasked with hunting the German light cruiser SMS *Emden* in the Indian Ocean east of Ceylon. She transported wounded German prisoners from the sunken *Emden* to Colombo.

John Walter Mackinder - Acting Bombardier, 83 Company, Royal Garrison Artillery, died aged 22, **17 December 1914**, buried in Section 3/1/6, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130911_65384.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Mackinder|keyword=Mackinder

Jack Clapp - Private, 2nd Battalion South Wales Borderers, died who died from wounds received in action at Tsingtau, aged 27, **19 December 1914**, buried in Section 3/2/4, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130911_65376.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=clapp|keyword=clapp

The 2nd Battalion South Wales Borderers, part of the garrison at Tientsin, landed at Laoshan Bay for operations against the German territory of Tsingtao in September 1914 and saw action at the Siege of Tsingtao in October 1914. After returning home in January 1915, the 2nd Battalion landed at Cape Helles.

San A Kim - Coolie, Number 6, Chinese Porter Corps, attached Army Ordnance Department, died **22 December 1914**. Grave Reference: Kipling Memorial, Stanley Military Cemetery.

Yee Yeong - Able Seaman, RN, HMS *Empress of Asia*, died **29 December 1914**. Commemorated on the HK Memorial, Stanley War Cemetery.

For HMS *Empress of Asia*, see Lee Tuk.

1915

Ram Saran - Follower, 25th Punjabis, died **26 January 1915**. Cremated, listed in the Hong Kong Hindu and Sikh Cremation Memorial, Happy Valley.

For 25th Punjabis, see Ghulam Rasuk.

De Courcy Ireland - Major, 36th Sikhs, died **28 January 1915**.
Commemorated on the Sai Wan (China) Memorial.

For 36th Sikhs, see Sapuran Singh.

Tulsa Singh - Bugler, Number 1812, 74th Punjabis, son of Nihal Singh, of Paunshta, Phagwara, Jullundur, Punjab, died **29 January 1915**. Cremated, listed in the Hong Kong Hindu and Sikh Cremation Memorial, Happy Valley.

For 74th Punjabis, see Summai.

Leung Cheung - Fireman, RN, HMS *Empress of Russia*, died **14 February 1915**. Commemorated on the HK Memorial, Stanley War Cemetery.

For HMS *Empress Of Russia*, see Cho Chu.

Duk Lee - Able Seaman, RN, HMS *Empress of Japan*, died **8 March 1915**. Commemorated on the HK Memorial, Stanley War Cemetery.

RMS *Empress of Japan* was launched in 1890, and in 1914 refitted as an Armed merchantman as HMS *Empress of Japan*. During the war years, she was refitted as an Armed Auxiliary Cruiser. After the Armistice, she was the only one of the first three Empress ocean liners to return to the trans-Pacific route.

Rkunddin Khan - Sepoy, Number 2045, 1st Battalion 18th Indian Infantry, son of Turra Khan, of Gaddawal, Ludhiana, Punjab, died **21 March 1915**, buried in Section 8/1898, the Muslim Cemetery, Happy Valley.

1st Battalion 18th Indian Infantry arrived in India from the North West Frontier of India in March 1915, relieving 8th Rajput Infantry, and remained in Hong Kong until 1919.

Niamat Khan - Sepoy, Number 2447, 1st Battalion 18th Indian Infantry, son of Mahtab Khan, of Khartan Tomda Dasuya, Hoshiarpur, Punjab, died **22 March 1915**, buried in Section 1/59, the Muslim Cemetery, Happy Valley.

For 1st Battalion 18th Indian Infantry, see Rkunddin Khan.

Wazira Khan - Sepoy, Number 2877, 1st Battalion 18th Indian Infantry, son of Sultan, of Mandiala Khana, Samrala, Ludhiana, Punjab, died **31 March 1915**, buried in Section 1/559, the Muslim Cemetery, Happy Valley.

For 1st Battalion 18th Indian Infantry, see Rkunddin Khan.

Sapuran Singh - Bugler, Number 1937, 36th Sikhs, son of Buta Singh, of Chakrala, Jullundur, Punjab, died **3 April 1915**. Cremated,

listed in the Hong Kong Hindu and Sikh Cremation Memorial, Happy Valley.

36th Sikhs were stationed as part of the Garrison of Tianjin in China during the 1st World War and took part in the Siege of Tsingtao.

Yeung Lin - Fireman, RN, HMS *Empress of Russia*, died **3 April 1915**. Commemorated on the HK Memorial, Stanley War Cemetery.

For HMS *Empress Of Russia*, see Cho Chu.

Hugh Arthur Lindley - Gunner, 88th Company, Royal Garrison Artillery, died aged 32, **28 April 1915**, buried in Section 3/1/5, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130911_65385.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Lindley|keyword=Lindley

Walter Mayler Biggs - Corporal, 83rd Company, Royal Garrison Artillery, died aged 38, **1 June 1915**, buried in Section 3/1/4, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130911_65386.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Biggs|keyword=Biggs

Cho Chu - Fireman, RN, HMS *Empress Of Russia*, died **1 June 1915**, commemorated on the HK Memorial, Stanley Cemetery.

HMS *Empress of Russia* was a commercial liner launched in 1912, converted in 1914 for use as an Armed Merchant Cruiser and decommissioned in 1916.

Abdul Khan - Sepoy, Number 2779, 1st Battalion 18th Indian Infantry, son of Barkat Ali Khan, of Berchha Dasua, Dasuya, Hoshiarpur, Punjab, died **2 June 1915**, buried in Section Sp. Mem., the Muslim Cemetery, Happy Valley.

For 1st Battalion 18th Indian Infantry, see Rukunddin Khan.

William Lovegrove - Gunner, 88th Company, Royal Garrison Artillery, died aged 23, **8 July 1915**, buried in Section 3/1/3, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:
https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130911_65387.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=LOvegrove|keyword=L_Ovegrove

Po Wong - Trimmer, RN, HMS *Empress of Russia*, died **23 July 1915**. Commemorated on the HK Memorial, Stanley War Cemetery.

For HMS *Empress Of Russia*, see Cho Chu.

Sandoria Khan - Sepoy, Number 2789, 1st Battalion 18th Indian Infantry died **11 August 1915**. Son of Bari Khan of Majat Kharar, Kharar, Ambala, Punjab. Commemorated on the Sai Wan (China) Memorial.

For 1st Battalion 18th Indian Infantry, see Rukunddin Khan.

Subhe Khan - Sepoy, Number 2740, 1st Battalion 18th Indian Infantry, son of Nathu Khan, of Thaman Moga, Moga, Ferozepore, Punjab, died **25 August 1915**, buried in Section 8/1921, the Muslim Cemetery, Happy Valley.

For 1st Battalion 18th Indian Infantry, see Rukunddin Khan.

Ming Lo - Fireman, RN, HMS *Empress of Russia*, died **6 September 1915**. Commemorated on the HK Memorial, Stanley War Cemetery.

For HMS *Empress Of Russia*, see Cho Chu.

Ernest Wilson Porter - Private, RMLI, Number PLY/11596, HMS *Tamar*, died aged 36, **4 October 1915**. Son of the late Walter George and of Charlotte Porter of 26, George Street, Weston-super-Mare. Commemorated on the Sai Wan (China) Memorial.

For HMS *Tamar*, see John W. Cook.

Fon Chun (served as **Ho Chow**) - Fireman, RN, Mercantile Marine Reserve. HMS *Empress of Russia*, died **11 October 1915**.

Commemorated on the HK Memorial, Stanley War Cemetery.

For HMS *Empress Of Russia*, see Cho Chu.

How Po - Trimmer, RN, Mercantile Marine Reserve, HMS *Empress of Russia*, died **11 October 1915**. Commemorated on the HK Memorial, Stanley War Cemetery.

For HMS *Empress Of Russia*, see Cho Chu.

Man Tap (served as **Au Hong**) - Fireman. RN, Mercantile Marine Reserve, HMS *Empress of Russia*, died 11 October 1915.

Commemorated on the HK Memorial, Stanley War Cemetery.

For HMS *Empress Of Russia*, see Cho Chu.

Nur Muhammad Khan - Havildar, Number 1800, 1st Battalion 18th Indian Infantry, son of Amir Khan, of Basana, Rohtak, Punjab, died **7 November 1915**. Buried in Sai Wan War Cemetery, Section XI.K.Sp.Mem. No.10.

For 1st Battalion 18th Indian Infantry, see Rukunddin Khan.

Edwin Manley - Engine Room Artificer, RN, died **26 December 1915**, buried in Section 16B/6/8, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130916_70093.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Manley|keyword=Manley

Frank Penfold - RMLI, died **26 December 1915**, buried in Section 16B/7/7, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130916_70076.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Penfold|keyword=Penfold

1916

Karam Khan - Sepoy, Number 1662, 74th Punjabis, son of Ahmad Khan, of Bhaun, Chakwal, Jhelum, Punjab, died 19 March 1916, buried in the Saiwan war Cemetery, Section XI. K. Sp. Mem. No. 4.

For 74th Punjabis, see Summai.

Donald Kenneth Rotherham - Lieutenant, RN, elder son of Kenneth and Frances Rotherham of Coventry, born 22 November 1889, died aged 26, **24 March 1916**, buried in Section 18/5/9, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his parents, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130916_71072.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Rotherham|keyword=Rotherham

Subha Driver, Number 339, Mule Corps, died **2 April 1916**, buried in the Saiwan War Cemetery, Section XI. K. Sp. Mem. No. 12.

The Hong Kong Mule Corps was staffed almost entirely by Dogras and Punjabi Muslims.

Hingu Khan - Havildar, Number 414, 1st Battalion 18th Indian Infantry died **15 May 1916**. Commemorated on the Sai Wan (China) Memorial.

For 1st Battalion 18th Indian Infantry, see Rukunddin Khan.

Mohammed Din - Follower, Military Hospital, Kowloon, Army Hospital Corps, died **20 June 1916**, buried in the Saiwan War Cemetery, Section XI. K. Sp. Mem. No. 6.

Khan Muhammad - Sepoy, Number 2714, 1st Battalion 18th Indian Infantry died **21 June 1916**. Son of Mana Khan, of Baliالي, Hansi, Hissar, Punjab. Commemorated on the Sai Wan (China) Memorial.

For 1st Battalion 18th Indian Infantry, see Rukunddin Khan.

James E. Forster - RMLI, died **27 June 1916**, buried in Section 16B/2/8, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at: https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130916_70174.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Forster|keyword=Forster

Frederick Brown - Stoker, RN, HMAS *Psyche*, died aged 20 at HK, **27 June 1916**, buried in Section 16B, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his shipmates, is at: https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130916_70152.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Frederick+Brown|keyword=Frederick+Brown

HMS *Psyche*, a Pelorus third class protected cruiser was commissioned in the RN in 1899. She arrived in Sydney in 1913, and was serving in New Zealand waters at the outbreak of World War I in 1914. She decommissioned on 22 January 1915 and was laid up in Sydney. In July 1915, HMAS *Psyche* was commissioned into the RAN under the command of Commander (later Rear Admiral) Henry

Feakes, RAN. *Psyche* and HMAS *Fantome* patrolled in the Bay of Bengal. She remained for the next two years in Asian waters. *Psyche* was posted at Rangoon with orders to organise a patrol scheme for the Burmese coast. In 1916, *Psyche* arrived at Hong Kong for her annual inspection and refit. During this period, six officers and more than 70 ratings were landed to the naval hospital at Hong Kong for treatment of various ailments including Dengue Fever and other similar conditions. Combined with some 40 more ratings and an officer sick on board, around half of *Psyche*'s complement were incapacitated due to illness. Patrol duties off the south coast of China commenced on 14 August. The ship was ordered to Singapore. in October 1916. She was sold in 1922.

W. J. H. Perrin - Lance Corporal, Army Ordnance Corps, drowned at HK, aged 25, **1 July 1916**, buried in Section 3/1/2, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130911_65388.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Perrin|keyword=Perrin

Edward Frost - Sergeant, 87th Company, Royal Garrison Artillery, died aged 24, **31 July 1916**, buried in Section 3/2/3, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130911_65377.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Frost|keyword=Frost

Bande Khan - Subedar, 1st Battalion 18th Indian Infantry died **2 August 1916**. Commemorated on the Sai Wan (China) Memorial.

For 1st Battalion 18th Indian Infantry, see Rukunddin Khan.

Sun Kow - Able Seaman, RN, HMS *Tamar*, died **14 August 1916**. Commemorated on the HK Memorial, Stanley War Cemetery.

For HMS *Tamar*, see John W. Cook.

Arthur Edward Davey - Lieutenant Commander, RNR, born 15 May 1875 died whilst acting as Assistant Harbour Master, died aged 41, **15 August 1916**, buried in Section 18/5/7, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His elaborate gravestone, erected by some of his friends, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130916_71075.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Davey|keyword=Davey

Arjan Singh - Gunner, Number 1798, Royal Garrison Artillery, Indian Army, died **25 August 1916**. Cremated, listed in the Hong Kong Hindu and Sikh Cremation Memorial, Happy Valley.

Jabbar Khan - Sepoy, Number 1775, 1st Battalion 18th Indian Infantry, son of Imam Ali Khan, of Nigana, Rohtak, Punjab, died **17 October 1916**, buried in the Sai Wan War Cemetery Section XI. K. Sp. Mem. No. 2.

For 1st Battalion 18th Infantry, see Rukunddin Khan.

Lu Sai Hai - Able Seaman, RN, HMS "*Tamar*", died **31 October 1916**. Commemorated on the HK Memorial, Stanley War Cemetery.

For HMS *Tamar*, see John W. Cook.

Ernest Duderidge - Gunner, 88th Company, Royal Garrison Artillery, died aged 26, **7 November 1916**, buried in Section 3/2/2, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:
https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130911_65378.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Duderidge|keyword=Duderidge

1917

John Rowley - Lance Corporal, 1/4th Battalion King's Shropshire Light Infantry, died aged 21, **1 January 1917**, buried in Section 3/1/1, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130911_65389.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Rowley|keyword=Rowley

The 1/4th Battalion King's Shropshire Light Infantry was a Territorial Army Battalion that was stationed in Singapore and garrisoned HK with two companies from April 1915 to April 1917.

Joseph William Steel [Stell] - A.V.S.O., RN, RN Depot, died aged 27, **9 February 1917**, buried in Section 16B/4/5, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130916_70131.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Joseph+William|keyword=Joseph+William

Muhammad Sharif Khan - Sepoy, Number 2684, 1st Battalion 18th Indian Infantry, son of Juma Khan, of Shimuwala, Faridkot, Punjab, died **23 March 1917**, buried in the Sai Wan War Cemetery, Section XI. K. Sp. Mem. No. 8.

For 1st Battalion 18th Indian Infantry, see Rukunddin Khan.

Pascoe Spencer Thornton - Interpreter, Chinese Labour Corps, died **10 April 1917**. Commemorated on the Sai Wan (China) Memorial.

James Turner - 83rd Company, Royal Garrison Artillery of Lumbs, Lancashire, died aged 32, **24 June 1917**, buried in Section 3/3/4, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130911_65364.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=James+Turner|keyword=James+Turner

John Light - Acting Bombardier, 87th Company, Royal Garrison Artillery, died at HK aged 23, **25 June 1917**, buried in Section 3/2/1, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by the Officers, Non-Commissioned Officers and men of his Company, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130911_65379.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Light|keyword=Light

Ismail Khan - Sepoy, Number 2131, 1st Battalion 18th Indian Infantry died **28 June 1917**. Commemorated on the Sai Wan (China) Memorial.

For 1st Battalion 18th Indian Infantry, see Rukunddin Khan.

Nabi Bakhsh Khan - Sepoy, Number 2786, 1st Battalion 18th Indian Infantry, son of Imam Khan, of Garshankar, Hoshiarpur, Punjab, died **8 July 1917**, buried in Sai Wan War Cemetery, Section XI. K. Sp. Mem. No. 9.

1st Battalion 18th Indian Infantry, see Rukunddin Khan.

Frederick Henry Lucas - Private, 25th (F.S.) Garrison Battalion, the Middlesex Regiment, died at HK aged 39, **21 November 1917**, buried in Section 3/4/5, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

[https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All Its images/201309/t20130911_65351.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Lucas|keyword=Lucas](https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Its_images/201309/t20130911_65351.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Lucas|keyword=Lucas)

25th Middlesex was a Force Support Battalion raised in the 1st World War and sent to HK as a garrison battalion. A stone memorial in the National Army Museum (at <https://www.iwm.org.uk/memorials/item/memorial/92959>) was erected by Lieutenant Colonel John Ward, Commanding Officer, in memory of those men of the 25th Battalion, The Middlesex Regiment who died when the troopship *Tyndareus* struck a German mine off Cape Agulhas, South Africa on 6 February 1917. The Battalion had embarked in England and were en route for Hong Kong to carry out garrison duties. In 1918 it served in Vladivostock.

Karam Bakhsh Khan - Sepoy, Number 1706, 1st Battalion 18th Indian Infantry, son of Nagar Khan, of Pahni, Ludhiana, Punjab, died **23 November 1917**, buried in Sai Wan War Cemetery, Section XI. K. Sp. Mem. No. 3.

For 1st Battalion 18th Indian Infantry, see Rukunddin Khan.

1918

Musa Din - Sapper, Number 204, Engineer Company, Hong Kong Defence Corps, died **26 February 1918**. Grave Reference: Kipling Memorial, Stanley Military Cemetery.

F. E. Daniel - Private, C Company, 25th (F.S.) Garrison Battalion, the Middlesex Regiment, died **14 March 1918**, buried in Section 3/3/3, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, also commemorating H. Quickenden is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130911_65366.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=daniel|keyword=daniel

For 25th (F.S.) Garrison Battalion, the Middlesex Regiment, see Frederick Henry Lucas.

Alexander Kidd Baxter - Medical Officer, Royal Army Medical Corps, attached Chinese Labour Corps, died **14 March 1918**. Commemorated on the Sai Wan (China) Memorial.

H. Quickenden - Private, C Company, 25th (F.S.) Garrison Battalion, the Middlesex Regiment, died at sea **16 March 1918**, commemorated in Section 3/3/3, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His memorial, erected by his comrades, on the gravestone of F. E. Daniel, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130911_65366.html?f=search&t=search_das.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=daniel|keyword=daniel

For 25th (F.S.) Garrison Battalion, the Middlesex Regiment, see Frederick Henry Lucas.

Munshi Khan - Sepoy, Number 2919, 1st Battalion 18th Indian Infantry died **25 March 1918**. Son of Yusuf Khan of Basti Towara, Towara, Hissar, Punjab. Commemorated on the Sai Wan (China) Memorial.

For 1st Battalion 18th Indian Infantry, see Rukunddin Khan.

Khan Muhammad Khan - Sepoy, Number 2833, 1st Battalion 18th Indian Infantry, son of Shahbaz Khan, of Andlukhot, Ludhiana,

Punjab, died **22 April 1918**, buried in Sai Wan War Cemetery, Section XI. K. Sp. Mem. No. 5.

For 1st Battalion 18th Indian Infantry, see Rukunddin Khan.

James Wright - RN, HMS *Tarantula*, died **14 June 1918**, buried in Section 21A/1/15, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130916_70643.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=James+Wright|keyword=James+Wright

HMS *Tarantula* was an Insect-class gunboat launched in 1915. She saw service in both the First and Second World Wars. *Tarantula* served with the Tigris flotilla in 1916, retaking a former British gunboat that had previously been captured by the Ottoman Empire. Towards the end of the First World War, *Tarantula* was towed to join the China Station, eventually ending up at Trincomalee, Ceylon during the Second World War. She was sunk as a gunnery target in the Bay of Bengal in 1946.

Suliman Khan - Sepoy, Number 3322, 1st Battalion 18th Indian Infantry, son of Umar Din, of Jandwala, Muksar, Ferozepore, Punjab, died **17 June 1918**, buried in Sai Wan War Cemetery Section XI. K. Sp. Mem. No. 13.

1st Battalion 18th Indian Infantry, see Rukunddin Khan.

Bogha - Sepoy, Number 2488, 74th Punjabis, son of Bir-Bal, of Balak Rupihar, Palampur, Kangra, Punjab, died **28 June 1918**. Cremated, listed in the Hong Kong Hindu and Sikh Cremation Memorial, Happy Valley.

For 74th Punjabis, see Summai.

Charles Adams - RN, HMS *Tamar*, died **1 July 1918**, buried in Section 21A/2/14, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

[https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All Items/images/201309/t20130916_70579.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Adams|keyword=Adams](https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130916_70579.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Adams|keyword=Adams)

For HMS *Tamar*, see John W. Cook.

Allah Ditta - Sepoy, Number 4041, 1st Battalion 18th Indian Infantry, son of Sheikh Subhan, of Hathras, Aligarh, United Provinces, died **13 July 1918**, buried in Sai Wan War Cemetery, Section XI. K. Sp. Mem. No. 1.

For 1st Battalion 18th Indian Infantry, see Rukunddin Khan.

Ahmad Ali - Sepoy, Number 2358, 1st Battalion 18th Indian Infantry died **17 July 1918**. Son of Karim Bakhsh, of Dullewal, Hoshiarpur, Punjab. Commemorated on the Sai Wan (China) Memorial.

For 1st Battalion 18th Indian Infantry, see Rukunddin Khan.

H. Hurst - Gunner, 83rd Company, Royal Garrison Artillery, died aged 35, **20 July 1918**, buried in Section 3/4/4, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130911_65352.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Hurst|keyword=Hurst

G. T. Joad - Petty Officer Telegraphist, RN, Number 188897 [188807], HMS *Cadmus* [*Hoadmus*], died **22 July 1918**, buried in Section 21A/3/13, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130916_70546.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Joad|keyword=Joad

For HMS *Cadmus*, see Hubert Cecil Pearn.

Samuel Little [Lyttle] - Engine Room Artificer, RN, HMS *Tamar*, died **23 July 1918**, buried in Section 21A/1/14, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130916_70644.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Little|keyword=Little

For HMS *Tamar*, see John W. Cook.

Rahmat Khan - Sepoy, Number 1576, 1st Battalion 18th Indian Infantry, died **25 July 1918**, buried in Sai Wan War Cemetery, Section XI. K. Sp. Mem. No. 11.

For 1st Battalion 18th Indian Infantry, see Rukunddin Khan.

James W. Owen - Gunner, 88th Company, Royal Garrison Artillery, died aged 30, **2 October 1918**, buried in Section 3/3/2, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130911_65367.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Owen|keyword=Owen

Thomas Appleton - Gunner, 88th Company, Royal Garrison Artillery, died aged 38, **4 October 1918**, buried in Section 3/4/3, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130911_65353.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Owen|keyword=Owen

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Sandhe Khan - Sepoy, Number 1898, 1st Battalion 18th Indian Infantry died **24 October 1918**. Son of Karim Bakhsh of Lalheri, Samrala, Ludhiana, Punjab. Commemorated on the Sai Wan (China) Memorial.

For 1st Battalion 18th Indian Infantry, see Rukunddin Khan.

Miran Baksh - Sepoy, Number 2781, 1st Battalion 18th Indian Infantry died **9 November 1918**. Son of Tika of Kharkan, Hoshiarpur, Punjab. Commemorated on the Sai Wan (China) Memorial.

For 1st Battalion 18th Indian Infantry, see Rukunddin Khan.

Henry Linfield - Sergeant, RN, HM Dockyard Police, shot in action aged 37, **19 November 1918**, buried in Section 21A/2/13, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130916_70580.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Linfield|keyword=Linfield

Harry Hawkins - Gunner, 87th Company, Royal Garrison Artillery, died aged 29, **27 November 1918**, buried in Section 3/4/2, the

Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130911_65354.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Hawkins|keyword=Hawkins

1919

Shahzade Khan - Sepoy, Number 2509, 1st Battalion 18th Indian Infantry died **21 January 1919**. Son of Bhikkhe Khan of Girdhwala, Hoshiarpur, Punjab. Commemorated on the Sai Wan (China) Memorial.

For 1st Battalion 18th Indian Infantry, see Rukunddin Khan.

Wilfred L. Catton - Gunner, 83rd Company, Royal Garrison Artillery, died aged 26, **20 February 1919**, buried in Section 3/4/1, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130911_65355.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Catton|keyword=Catton

Reginald Wright - Private, Number 83371, RAMC, died aged 26, 25 [22] February 1919, buried in Section 3/3/1, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130911_65368.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Wright|keyword=Wright

Frederick Woodhouse - Able Seaman, RN, HMS *Suffolk*, died aged 23, 1 March 1919, buried in Section 21A/3/12, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130916_70547.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Woodhouse|keyword=Woodhouse

HMS *Suffolk* was a Monmouth-class armoured cruiser launched in 1903. Upon completion she was assigned to the 3rd Cruiser Squadron of the Mediterranean Fleet and was then assigned to the 5th Cruiser Squadron in the Mediterranean in 1909 then became the flagship of the 4th Cruiser Squadron on the North America and West Indies Station in 1913. After the beginning of World War I in August 1914, *Suffolk* searched for German commerce raiders while protecting British shipping. She captured a German merchantman shortly after the war began. She remained in the Atlantic until she became flagship

of the China Station in 1917. In late 1918 the ship was deployed to Vladivostok to support the Siberian Intervention during the Russian Civil War. She returned home in 1919 and briefly became a training ship before she was sold for scrap in 1920.

W. C. Cook - Stoker 1st Class, RN, Number W C, K/35042, HMS *Bee*, died **12 March 1919**. Commemorated on the Sai Wan (China) Memorial.

HMS *Bee* was an Insect-class gunboat launched on 8 December 1915. (of a class known as "Large China Gunboats"). Initially built for service on the River Danube, after World War I the Insects were transported to China and served on the Yangtze River. In 1920, *Bee* became the flagship of the Yangtze patrol. On 12 December 1937, *Bee*, along with *Ladybird*, became involved in the Panay incident, coming under fire from a Japanese artillery unit near Wuhu on the Yangtze. *Ladybird* took six shells and *Bee* dodged a shell as she came upon the scene. *Bee* was paid off in 1938.

John Severn [Seven] Fuller - Captain, Royal Field Artillery, who had served four years in the 1st World War, died aged 23, **15 March 1919**, buried in Section 17/13/8, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his parents, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130916_71145.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Fuller|keyword=Fuller

Saiyid Sadardin - Sapper, Sappers and Miners, Indian States Forces, died **18 April 1919**. Commemorated on the Sai Wan (China) Memorial.

Edwine [E. - ?Edwin] Horton - Chief Stoker, RN, HMS *Hydrangea*, Number DEV/299022, died **23 May 1919**, buried in Section 21A/1/16, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130916_70642.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Horton|keyword=Horton

HMS *Hydrangea* was an Arabis-class sloop launched in 1916 and sold in 1920.

J. Beardsworth - Lieutenant, 87th Company, Royal Garrison Artillery, died aged 28, **29 June 1919**, buried in Section 17/13/7, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130916_71146.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Beardsworth|keyword=Beardsworth

William E. Mayall - 1st Garrison Battalion the Manchester Regiment, died aged 43, **13 July 1919**, buried in Section 16D/7/12,

the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130912_65864.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Mayall|keyword=Mayall

The 1st Garrison Battalion the Manchester Regiment were in Singapore, Hong Kong and eventually Siberia, 1915-1919.

William Hayward - Chief Engine Room Artificer, RN, HMS *Moorhen*, died **3 August 1919**, buried in Section 21A/2/15, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130916_70578.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Hayward|keyword=Hayward

HMS *Moorhen* was a river gunboat launched in 1901 and sold in 1933.

James D. Struthers - Lieutenant, 87th Company, Royal Garrison Artillery, died aged 36, **8 August 1919**, buried in Section 17/13/6, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130916_71147.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Struthers|keyword=Struthers

Charles Henry May - Chief Petty Officer, HMS *Kent*, died **8 August 1919**, buried in Section 21A/3/14, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:
https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130916_70545.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=May|keyword=May

For HMS *Kent*, see James Trevaskus.

Edward J. Agar - Lance Corporal, 1st Garrison Battalion Manchester Regiment, died aged 36, **31 August 1919**, buried in Section 16D/6/13, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:
https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130912_65876.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Agar|keyword=Agar

1st Garrison Battalion Manchester Regiment consisted mostly of medically downgraded soldiers and served in India, Singapore, Hong Kong and Siberia between 1915 and 1919.

Ruby Newman - Army School Mistress, died aged 38, **11 September 1919**, buried in Section 16D/5/16, the Colonial

Cemetery, Happy Valley. Her gravestone, erected by her comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130912_65889.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Ruby+Newman|keyword=Ruby+Newman

C. H. Lovett - Private, RMLI, Number PO/9046, HMS *Tamar*, Royal Marine Light Infantry, died aged 46, **25 September 1919**. Husband of Sophia Lovett of 22, Cobden Streer, Mill Lane, Gosport, Hampshire. Commemorated on the Sai Wan (China) Memorial.

For HMS *Tamar*, see John W. Cooke.

Ah Sim - Stoker, RN, HMS *Woodlark*, died **30 September 1919**. Commemorated on the HK Memorial, Stanley War Cemetery.

HMS *Woodlark* was a Woodcock-class river gunboat assembled at Shanghai in 1897. She served on the Yangtze River to 1928.

Joseph Miller Johnston - Able Seaman, RN, HMS *Fame*, died aged 48, **10 October 1919**, buried in Section 21A/1/17, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:
https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130916_70641.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Miller+Johnston|keyword=Miller+Johnston

HMS *Fame* was a D-class destroyer launched in 1896. She served in Chinese waters for the whole of her life from 1897. On 17 June 1900, during the Boxer Rebellion in China, she was involved in operations against the Taku forts and Chinese destroyers. She was awarded the battle honour "China 1900" for her participation in operations during the Chinese Boxer Rebellion. Lieutenant Cyril Asser was appointed in command on 1 July 1902. On 19 April 1909, *Fame* suffered a burst boiler and was towed by *Virago* to Nagasaki. In 1914 she was assigned to the Eastern Fleet in the China Squadron tendered to the battleship HMS *Triumph*. She remained on China Station for the duration of the First World War. In 1919 she was paid off and laid-up in reserve awaiting disposal. She was sold at Hong Kong in 1921.

Joseph [J.] Bell - Gunner, 83rd Company, Royal Garrison Artillery, died aged 27, **12 October 1919**, buried in Section 16D/8/10, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130912_65854.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Bell|keyword=Bell

E. H. Casey - Captain, Duke of Wellington's (West Riding Regiment) and Royal Indian Marine, died **2 December 1919**. Commemorated on the Sai Wan (China) Memorial.

Charles Frederick Lintott - Quartermaster Sergeant, RE, Freemason, died in HK **6 December 1919**, buried in Section 16D/7/11, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at: https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130912_65865.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Lintott|keyword=Lintott

David Stephen Robertson - Lieutenant-Colonel, OBE, Royal Scots Fusiliers, Military Attaché, Peking, died aged 45, **8 December 1919**. Son of David and Margaret Robertson (nee Stephen) of Glasgow. Commemorated on the Sai Wan (China) Memorial.

W. E. Waymark - Captain, RAMC, died aged 48, **10 December 1919**, buried in Section 17/13/5, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at: https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130916_71148.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Waymark|keyword=Waymark

1920

Long Mok-Kan - Stoker, RN, HMS *Tamar*, died **22 January 1920**. Commemorated on the HK Memorial, Stanley War Cemetery.

Niaz Muhamad Khan - Sepoy, Number 4367, 1st Battalion 18th Indian Infantry died **11 February 1920**. Son of Ahmad Khan, of Mandadli, Jagadhri, Ambala, Punjab. Commemorated on the Sai Wan (China) Memorial.

For 1st Battalion 18th Indian Infantry, see Rukunddin Khan.

Hakim Ali - Sepoy, Number 3433, 1st Battalion 18th Indian Infantry died **17 February 1920**. Commemorated on the Sai Wan (China) Memorial.

For 1st Battalion 18th Indian Infantry, see Rukunddin Khan.

W. Greenhill - Captain, Chinese Labour Corps, died aged 33, **18 February 1920**, buried in Section 17/12/8, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:
https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130916_71158.html?f=search&t=search_dat as.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Greenhill|keyword=Greenhill

Frank Mansell Wall Watts - Lieutenant, the Northamptonshire Regiment [Highland Light Infantry], died aged 28, **25 March 1920**, buried in Section 17/13/4, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130916_71149.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Watts|keyword=Watts

There was no battalion of the Northamptonshire Regiment in theatre at the time.

Inayat Khan - Sepoy, Number 2133, 1st Battalion 18th Indian Infantry died **9 June 1920**. Commemorated on the Sai Wan (China) Memorial.

For 1st Battalion 18th Indian Infantry, see Rukunddin Khan.

Joseph Cookson - Able Seaman, RN, Number J/62848, HMS *Ambrose*, born at Birkenhead, died aged 19, **18 July 1920**. Son of William and Annie Cookson of 45 Aspen Grove, Liverpool. Commemorated on the Sai Wan (China) Memorial.

For HMS *Ambrose*, see E. H. Gunn.

James Holmes - RN, HMS *Titania*, died **24 July 1920**, buried in Section 21A/2/16, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130916_70577.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Holmes|keyword=Holmes

HMS *Titania* was launched in March 1915 and commissioned by the Royal Navy as a submarine depot ship in November 1915. On 1 October 1919, HMS *Titania* and HMS *Ambrose* were the two ships commissioned at Chatham as depot ships for the 4th Submarine Flotilla, China. At that time, another depot ship was already in service at Hong Kong, HMS *Rosario*, the depot ship for the Hong Kong Submarine Flotilla, which consisted of three C-class submarines, C36, C37 and C38. The seven submarines of the 4th Flotilla that accompanied HMS *Titania* and HMS *Ambrose* on the voyage to Hong Kong were L2, L5, L6, L8, L19, L20 and L33. *Titania* arrived in Hong Kong on 14 April 1920. She fielded a football team in the Hong Kong Second Division League and the team won the championship in the 1921/22 and 1923/24 seasons. Between 1920 and 1926 she sailed several times on voyages from Hong Kong to destinations around the Far East. She was made a depot hulk in Portsmouth in 1945 and broken up in Faslane in 1949.

Robert Samuel Pakenham Hughes - Able Seaman, RN, Number DEV/216567, HMS *Cricket*, died **28 July 1920**. Commemorated on the Sai Wan (China) Memorial.

For HMS *Cricket*, see James Goodfield.

A. H. Wood - Foreman of Works Quartermaster Sergeant, RE, died aged 38, **4 August 1920**, buried in Section 16D/4/27, the Colonial

Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130912_65905.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=A+H+Wood|keyword=A+H+Wood

W. R. Cook - Chief Petty Officer, RN, Number W R, 206122, HMS *Widgeon*, died **8 August 1920**. Commemorated on the Sai Wan (China) Memorial.

HMS *Widgeon* was a river gunboat that was launched in 1904. She served on the China Station. She was sold in 1931.

Henry James Sutter - RN, died aged 35, **11 August 1920**, buried in Section 21A/3/15, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130916_70544.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Sutter|keyword=Sutter

H. C. J. Mahoney - Cooper 1st Class, RN, Number DEV/344158. HMS *Ambrose*, died **14 August 1920**. Commemorated on the Sai Wan (China) Memorial.

For HMS *Ambrose*, see E. H. Gunn.

Henry Thomas Sims - Stoker 1st Class, RN, Number K/22447 (CH), HMS *Moorhen*, died aged 24, **16 August 1920**, buried in Section 21A/4/10, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at: https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130916_70522.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Sims|keyword=Sims

For HMS *Moorhen*, see William Hayward.

John William Johnsen - RN, HMS *Cicala* [*Circala*], died aged 45, **5 September 1920**, buried in Section 21A/4/11, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at: https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130916_70521.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=John+William|keyword=John+William

HMS *Cicala* was an Insect-class gunboat designed for work in shallow rivers. During the 1st World War, she was deployed on anti-Zeppelin duties in the east of England. Her commanders were:

Lieutenant-Commander Christopher Hornby, 12 June, 1916.

Acting Wing Captain Robert M. Groves, 1916 – 27 October, 1916.

Commander Astle S. Littlejohns, 27 October, 1916 – February, 1918.

Lieutenant R.N.R. Edward T. Grayston, 7 October, 1918 – 2 July, 1919.

Lieutenant-Commander Joseph H. L. Yorke, 2 July, 1919 – 22 December, 1919.

Lieutenant-Commander Robert G. M. D. Hunt, 22 December, 1919 – January, 1922.

Lieutenant-Commander Francis E. M. Garforth, 4 February, 1920 – 15 January, 1922.

In 1919, during the Russian Civil War, *Cicala* served on the Dvina River (northern Russia, in Arkhangelsk Oblast), fighting in support of White Russian forces. The crew of *Cicala* mutinied, as part of a wider wave of unrest in the Royal Navy, and five "ringleaders" were sentenced to death, later commuted to five years' imprisonment. She was bombed in HK by the Japanese in 1941 and scuttled.

Umraz Khan - Sepoy, Number 587, 2nd Battalion 55th Coke's Rifles (Frontier Force), died **5 September 1920**. Son of Nur Ahmad of Girdi, Pindigheb, Attock, Punjab. Commemorated on the Sai Wan (China) Memorial.

2nd Battalion 55th Coke's Rifles (Frontier Force) was raised at Ambala in 1918 and ordered to Hong Kong in March 1920. Its Commanding Officer was Acting Lieutenant-Colonel Benjamin Hubert Finnis. It was disbanded in 1922.

John Humphreys - Able Seaman, RN, Number J/25494, HMS *Hawkins*, died **20 September 1920**. Commemorated on the Sai Wan (China) Memorial.

For HMS *Hawkins*, see Geoffrey William Winsmore Hooper.

James Goodfield - Able Seaman, RN, Number DEV/J/8320, HMS *Cricket*, served at the Battle of Jutland, drowned aged 27, **30 September 1920**. Son of Joseph and Emily Goodfield of Golden Valley, Bitton, Bristol; husband of Lottie Florence Goodfield of 9, Leopold Buildings, Hedgenead, Walcot, Bath. Commemorated on the Sai Wan (China) Memorial.

HMS *Cricket* was an Insect-class gunboat launched in 1915. During the First World War, Cricket took part in the Mesopotamian Campaign as part of the gunboat squadron operating on the Euphrates and Tigris rivers. During the Russian Civil War, Cricket served as part of the British intervention forces fighting in support of White Russian forces on the Dvina River during 1919-1920. She was used as a minesweeper in China from 1939 and gunboat from 1940, then transferring to the Mediterranean. She was scrapped in 1942.

Louis Claude Browne - Stoker 1st Class, RN, Number SS/23159, HMS *Titania*, died of meningitis aged 19, **7 October 1920**. Son of Martha Browne, of 37, Bruce Grove Road, Tottenham, London and the late William Thomas Albert Browne. Commemorated on the Sai Wan (China) Memorial.

For HMS *Titania*, see James Holmes.

Christopher Wennel Hornsby - Staff Sergeant, Number S/1309, Supply Office, Royal Army Service Corps, died of pneumonia aged 30, **12 November 1920**. Son of William and Mary Ann Hornsby of Corringham, Essex. Commemorated on the Sai Wan (China) Memorial.

Herbert Burgess - Private, Number 5562605, 2nd Battalion Wiltshire Regiment, died aged 27, **14 November 1920**. Son of Mrs. Harriett Burgess of Tinhead. Commemorated on the Sai Wan (China) Memorial.

For 2nd Battalion Wiltshire Regiment, see both Horace William Way and Arthur Wills.

Stewart [Steward] Colin Birch - RN, died aged 18, **29 November 1920**, buried in Section 21A/4/12, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:
https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130916_70520.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Colin+Birch|keyword=Colin+Birch

William Earnest Crozier - Telegraphist, RN, Submarine HMS *L7*, [HMS *Ambrose*], killed accidentally in Hong Kong Dockyard, aged 19, **8 December 1920**, buried in Section 21A/5/11, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his boatmates and friends, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130916_70485.html?f=search&t=search_databases.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Crozier|keyword=Crozier

Submarine HMS *L7* was launched in 1917. She sailed with the Submarine Depot Ship HMS *Ambrose* to Hong Kong in 1919 as part of the 4th Submarine Flotilla, arriving there in January 1920. *L7* was sold on 26 February 1930 for scrapping at Blyth.

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E. D. Clarke - Able Seaman, RN, Number DEV/J/44313, HMS *Kinsha*, died **10 January 1921**. Commemorated on the Sai Wan (China) Memorial.

The Royal Navy bought the ship *Pioneer* in November 1900, converted her to a gunboat and renamed her HMS *Kinsha* for service on the China Station. She was scrapped at Shanghai in 1921.

Walter Thomas Fuller - Able Seaman, RN, HMS *Bluebell*, died aged 21, **24 January 1921**, buried in Section 21A/4/13, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130916_70519.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Walter+Thomas+fuller|keyword=Walter+Thomas+fuller

HMS *Bluebell* was an Acacia-class sloop in service from 1915 to 1930. The merchant vessel SS *Libau* (masquerading under the name *Aud*) was intercepted by *Bluebell* as she carried arms to Ireland for the Easter Rising in 1916.

Henry Thomas Hurn [Hurin] - Engine Room Artificer, RN, HMS *Carlisle*, died aged 21 [44], **28 January [February] 1921**, buried in Section 21A/5/13, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130916_70483.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Henry+Thomas|keyword=Henry+Thomas

HMS *Carlisle* was a C-class cruiser launched in 1918. In 1919, she joined the 5th Light Cruiser Squadron at Harwich. During March 1919 she departed alongside the squadron and took up station in China. In March 1921, she assisted the survivors of the Singaporean passenger ship SS *Hong Moh*, which ran aground on the White Rocks off Lamock Island, Swatow, China. *Carlisle* was credited with shooting down eleven Axis aircraft during the Second World War and

was the top scoring anti-aircraft ship in the Royal Navy. She was scrapped in 1949.

Ah Nam - Officer's Steward 2nd Class, RN, HMS *Hawkins*, died **10 February 1921**. Commemorated on the HK Memorial, Stanley War Cemetery.

For HMS *Hawkins*, see Geoffrey William Winsmore Hooper.

Ghulam Hussain - Sepoy, Number 969, 2nd Battalion 55th Coke's Rifles (Frontier Force), died **2 March 1921**. Son of Gul Mir of Katah Kat, Mardan, Peshawar, North West Frontier. Commemorated on the Sai Wan (China) Memorial.

For 2nd Battalion 55th Coke's Rifles (Frontier Force), see Umraz Khan.

Hamesh Gul - Sepoy, Number 1027, 2nd Battalion 55th Coke's Rifles (Frontier Force), died **27 March 1921**. Son of Galar Muhammad, of Shahalam, Peshawar, North West Frontier. Commemorated on the Sai Wan (China) Memorial.

For 2nd Battalion 55th Coke's Rifles (Frontier Force), see Umraz Khan.

John Cox - Petty Officer, RN, Number J/14302(CH), HMS *Scarab*, died of accidental injuries aged 26, **2 April 1921**. Husband of Daisy Lilian Cox of 255 Lower Road, Deptford, London. Commemorated on the Sai Wan (China) Memorial.

HMS *Scarab* was an Insect Class River Gunboat launched on 7 October 1915. During 1917 she was deployed in support of military operations on the Danube, based at Bucharest. She remained there until 1919 when she took passage to join the China Squadron for service in the Yangtse Flotilla. She served in the Second World War in the Mediterranean and was scrapped in 1948.

Iltyd Arthur Stewart Hutton - Commander, RN, Order of Green Dragon (China), HMS *Tamar*, Naval Attaché at Pekin, served in the Boxer Rebellion in 1900, died of phthisis aged 38, 2 April 1921. Son of the late Arthur C. A. and C. May Stewart Hutton of 36, Ashburnham Mansions, Chelsea, London; husband of Marjorie Hutton. Commemorated on the Sai Wan (China) Memorial.

For HMS *Tamar*, see John W. Cooke.

Thomas Bowen - RN, HMS *Cairo* [*Cairw*], died aged 31, **16 April 1921**, buried in Section 21A/5/14, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:
https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130916_70482.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Bowen|keyword=Bowen
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HMS *Cairo* was a C-class light cruiser launched in 1918. Her first posting was to the China Station in 1920, followed by the East Indies Station from 1921 to 1925. She was torpedoed and sunk in 1942.

Maurice Mills - Sapper, 40th Company (Fortress), RE, died aged 26, **5 June 1921**, buried in Section 16D/3/28, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130912_65932.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Maurice+Mills|keyword=Maurice+Mills

Ernest W. Freeman - RN, HMS *Tarantula*, died aged 26, **8 June 1921**, buried in Section 21A/5/15, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130916_70481.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Freeman|keyword=Freeman

For HMS *Tarantula*, see James Wright.

Dulla - Sweeper, 2nd Battalion 55th Coke's Rifles (Frontier Force), died **28 June 1921**. Son of Manphul of Dhankaur, Bulandshahr, United Provinces. Commemorated on the Sai Wan (China) Memorial.

For 2nd Battalion 55th Coke's Rifles (Frontier Force), see Umraz Khan.

Thomas Rodham - Stoker, RN, HMS *Titania*, drowned aged 36, **26 July 1921**, buried in Section 21A/4/14, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130916_70518.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Rodham|keyword=Rodham

For HMS *Titania*, see James Holmes.

W. Holland - Sergeant, Number 4794438, 2nd Battalion Lincolnshire Regiment, attached Signal Service, Royal Engineers, died **2 August 1921**. Commemorated on the Sai Wan (China) Memorial.

Horace [Florace] William Way - Lance Corporal, B Company, 2nd Battalion Wiltshire Regiment (Duke of Edinburgh's), died aged 35, **1 September 1921**, buried in Section 16D/4/26, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by the Officers, Non-Commissioned Officers and men of his Company, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130912_65906.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Way|keyword=Way

2nd Battalion the Wiltshire Regiment (Duke of Edinburgh's) arrived in HK in 1919 on board a former German ship (its name changed in 1921

from Duke of Edinburgh's (Wiltshire Regiment). It left the Colony in 1922, moving to Kamptee, India, relieved by 2nd Battalion, the King's Regiment; it returned in 1929, stationed in Shanghai.

Henry C. Butler - Quartermaster Sergeant, 83rd Company, Royal Garrison Artillery, died aged 32, **18 September 1921**, buried in Section 16D/3/27, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his widow (whose inscription is in part in French) and comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130912_65933.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Butler|keyword=Butler

Albert V. Maxted - RN, HMS *Colombo* [*Colombs*], died aged 37, **29 October 1921**, buried in Section 21A/3/16, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130916_70543.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Maxted|keyword=Maxted

HMS *Colombo* was a C-class light cruiser launched in 1918. She served in the Far East with the Eastern Fleet between June 1919 and 1926, before being reassigned to the North American and West Indies Station. She was scrapped in 1948.

William Norman - RN, HMS *Titania* [*Tataima*], died aged 38, **24 November 1921**, buried in Section 21A/2/17, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130916_70576.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=William+Norman|keyword=William+Norman

For HMS *Titania*, see James Holmes.

John T. Williams - Commander / Commissioned Boatswain, ?RNY, died **22 December 1921**, buried in Section 21A/5/9, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130916_70487.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=John+T+Williams|keyword=John+T+Williams

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Joseph Dixon - Leading Telegraphist, RN, HMS *Curlew*, died **23 March 1922**, buried in Section 21A/1/18, the Colonial Cemetery,

Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by the Officers and ship's company, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130916_70467.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Joseph+Dixon|keyword=Joseph+Dixon

HMS *Curlew* was a C-class cruiser launched in 1917 and sunk during the Norwegian campaign in 1940.

Harry Morgan - RN, HMS *Titania*, died aged 28, **24 March 1922**, buried in Section 21A/5/16, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley.

His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130916_70480.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Harry+Morgan|keyword=Harry+Morgan

For HMS *Titania*, see James Holmes.

John Cameron Elliott - Able Seaman, RN, HMS *Titania*, Brother of the Royal Antediluvian Order of Buffaloes, died aged 34, **10 April 1922**, buried in Section 21A/4/15, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his RAOB brethren, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130916_70517.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Elliott|keyword=Elliott

For HMS *Titania*, see James Holmes.

John Nixon - RMA, RN, HMS *Tamar*, died aged 39, **22 April 1922**, buried in Section 21A/3/17, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley.

His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130916_70542.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Nixon|keyword=Nixon

For HMS *Tamar*, see John W. Cooke.

Frederick Edgar 'Eddie' Webber - Leading Telegraphist, RN, Stonecutters Wireless Station of HMS *Tamar*, of Ford, Devonport, killed in a diving accident aged 23, **17 June 1922**, buried in Section 21A/2/18, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his mother and sister, with a smaller cross erected separately, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130916_70575.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Webber|keyword=Webber

For HMS *Tamar*, see John W. Cooke.

Reginald Gregory - Lieutenant Commander, RN, HMS *Tamar*, died **22 June 1922**, buried in Section 21A/5/7, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130916_70489.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Reginald+Gregory|keyword=Reginald+Gregory

For HMS *Tamar*, see John W. Cooke.

Harry Redgwell - RN, HMS *Titania*, died aged 31, **7 July 1922**, buried in Section 21A/1/19, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130916_70640.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Redgwell|keyword=Redgwell

For HMS *Titania*, see James Holmes.

Patrick Spencer John Ponsonby (-Fane) - Lieutenant, RN, born 10 September 1894, died of pneumonia **10 July 1922**, son of Sydney Alexander Brabazon Ponsonby-Fane and Audrey Catherine St Aubyn, daughter of John St Aubyn, 1st Baron St Levan, grandson of cricketer and diplomat Sir Spencer Cecil Brabazon Ponsonby-Fane, buried in Section 21A/5/6, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. Born in Hertford, Ponsonby joined the Navy by transferring in from the Royal

Marines, where he'd held the rank of Lieutenant aboard H.M.S. *Queen*, on 11 June, 1915. He was promoted to the rank of Lieutenant on 11 November, 1916. On 1 January, 1917 he was appointed to *Dolphin* for submarines. Ponsonby was appointed in command of the submarine H 27 on 30 October, 1920. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130916_70490.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=POnsonby|keyword=POnsonby

George Leah [Leak] - Able Seaman, RN, HMS *Ambrose*, died aged 24, **24 August 1922**, buried in Section 21A/5/17, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130916_70479.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Leah|keyword=Leah

For HMS *Ambrose*, see E. H. Gunn.

R. P. Preece - Engine Room Artificer, RN, HMS *Tamar*, died aged 30, **12 September 1922**, buried in Section 21A/4/16, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130916_70516.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Preece|keyword=Preece

For HMS *Tamar*, see John W. Cooke.

Harry Field - RMLI, HMS *Tamar*, died aged 29, **9 December 1922**, buried in Section 21A/3/18, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130916_70541.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Field|keyword=Field

For HMS *Tamar*, see John W. Cooke.

E. H. Gunn - RN, HMS *Ambrose*, died aged 35, **12 December 1922**, buried in Section 21A/2/19, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130916_70574.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Gunn|keyword=Gunn

HMS *Ambrose* was a cargo liner that was commissioned as an armed merchant cruiser in 1914-1915, later converted into a submarine depot ship in 1917. She was stationed at Berehaven, Ireland in January 1918 and transferred to Falmouth, Cornwall in November. In 1919 she was stationed at Devonport. From 19 September 1918 until 30 October 1920 her commander was Commander Cecil Talbot. On 1 October 1919 *Ambrose* and HMS *Titania* were sent to support the Fourth Submarine Flotilla in Hong Kong, replacing HMS *Rosario*. Six L-class submarines accompanied *Ambrose*: HMS L1, L3, L4, L7, L9

and L15. *Ambrose* and her submarines reached Hong Kong in January 1920. She spent long periods at the Royal Navy bases in Hong Kong and Weihaiwei. She also visited Kobe and Shanghai in 1920, Nagasaki and Kobe in 1921 and Singapore in 1923. In 1928, she was laid up in the Reserve Fleet in Britain. She was renamed HMS *Cochrane* in 1938 and was broken up in 1946.

1923

Geoffrey William Winsmore Hooper - Lieutenant Commander, RN, OBE, HMS *Hawkins*, of Kents Green Court/ Worcestershire, born 14 April 1892, killed in a motor accident at HK, **2 January 1923**, buried in Section 21A/3/10, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. He was made Lieutenant 15 February 1914. Cooper was co-editor of *The Fighting at Jutland: The Personal Experiences of Sixty Officers and Men of the British Fleet* (1920); and *The Fighting at Jutland (Abridged Edition) The Personal Experiences of Forty-Five Officers and Men of The British Fleet* (1921). His gravestone is at: https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130916_70549.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Hooper|keyword=Hooper

HMS *Hawkins* was the lead ship of her class of five heavy cruisers built during the First World War, launched in 1917. She was the

flagship of the 5th Light Cruiser Squadron on the China Station by September 1920 and continued in that role until 1928. She was briefly assigned to the Atlantic Fleet in 1929–1930, always serving as a flagship, before being placed in reserve. *Hawkins* was recommissioned in 1932 for service on the East Indies Station, but returned to reserve three years later. The ship was disarmed in 1937–1938 and converted into a cadet training ship in 1938. She was scrapped in 1945.

Henry Patrick Scholes [Schools] - Lieutenant, RN, HMS *Diomedé*, died aged 28, **7 February 1923**, buried in Section 21A/2/11, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at: https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130916_70582.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Henry+Patrick|keyword=Henry+Patrick

For HMS *Diomedé*, see Sydney J. Ives.

John Tremayne - Sub Lieutenant, RN, HMS *Tarantula*, son of Captain Charles H. Tremayne and Mrs. Tremayne of Carclew House, Mylor, Cornwall, died aged 21, **14 February 1923**, buried in Section 21A/1/12, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his parents, is at: https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130916_70646.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=John+Tremayne|keyword=John+Tremayne

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For HMS *Tarantula*, see James Wright.

Sydney J. Ives Leading Seaman, RN, HMS *Diomedé*, died aged 24, **4 March 1923**, buried in Section 21A/1/20, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his shipmates on behalf of his loved ones at home, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130916_70639.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Ives|keyword=Ives

HMS *Diomedé* was a Danae-class cruiser launched in 1919. She joined the 5th Light Cruiser Squadron on the China Station in 1922. In 1925 she was transferred to the New Zealand Division, where she served until 1935. From 1936 onwards, she was in reserve. Between 22 July 1942 and 24 September 1943 she was converted to a training ship at Rosyth Dockyard. In 1945 she was placed in reserve and scrapped in 1946.

G. H. Sennett - RN, HMS *Titania*, died aged 48, **11 April 1923**, buried in Section 21A/5/18, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley.

His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130916_70478.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Sennett|keyword=Sennett

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For HMS *Titania*, see James Holmes.

Richard Wilson - Gunner, 83rd Company, Royal Garrison Artillery, died aged 27, **28 June 1923**, buried in Section 16D/2/30, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130912_65960.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Richard+Wilson|keyword=Richard+Wilson

Dudley John Richardson - Leading Stoker, HMS Submarine *L 20*, drowned at HK, **4 November 1923**, buried in Section 21A/4/17, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130916_70515.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Richardson|keyword=Richardson

HMS *L 20* a L-class submarine launched in 1918. The boat was not completed before the end of the war. She was assigned to the 4th Submarine Flotilla and with HMS *Titania* sailed to Hong Kong in 1919, arriving on 14 April 1920. She was transferred to the reserve flotilla in 1923 in Hong Kong. She was sold on 7 January 1935 for

breaking up at Newport. Her bell is in the Royal Navy Submarine Museum.

William Wodehouse [Woodehouse] - Gunner, 94th Company, Royal Garrison Artillery, died aged 28, **9 November 1923**, buried in Section 16D/9/1, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130912_65852.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Wodehouse|keyword=Wodehouse

Edward Veran Lungard - RN, HMS *Titania*, died **10 December 1923**, buried in Section 21A/3/19, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130916_70540.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Lungard|keyword=Lungard

For HMS *Titania*, see James Holmes.

Charles Edwards Simpson - RN, HMS *Magnolia* [*Magnolia*], died aged 33, **8 January 1924**, buried in Section 21A/2/20, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130916_70573.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Simpson|keyword=Simpson

H.M.S. *Magnolia* was one of twenty-four Acacia Class sweeping sloops launched in 1915. She was on the China Station from 1920-and remained there. Her commanders were:

Lieutenant-Commander Lord George F. Seymour, 25 July 1915
– 16 March 1916

Lieutenant-Commander Herbert E. W. C. Whyte, 16 March 1916
– 28 June 1919

Commander Basil R. Brooke, 24 November 1919 – 15 October
1921

Commander Ralph V. Eyre, 15 October 1921 – 27 December
1921

Commander Basil R. Brooke, 27 December 1921 - February
1922

Lieutenant-Commander David Wardlaw-Ramsay, 18 October
1922 – 27 January 1923

Commander Victor E. Ward, 27 January 1923 – 3 May 1924

She was sold in 1932.

John Rogers Weeks - RN, HMS *Ambrose*, died aged 38, **14 January 1924**, buried in Section 21A/1/21, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130916_70638.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Weeks|keyword=Weeks

For HMS *Ambrose*, see E. H. Gunn.

John N. Johnson - RN, HMS *Durban* [*Durham*], died aged 40, **15 January 1924**, buried in Section 21A/5/19, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130916_70477.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Johnson|keyword=Johnson

HMS *Durban* was a Danae-class light cruiser launched from the yards in 1919 and commissioned on 1 November 1921. She was initially assigned to the China Station as part of the 5th Light Cruiser Squadron in January 1922, and in 1928 she was transferred to the America and West Indies Station based at the Royal Naval Dockyard at Bermuda, with Prince George, Duke of Kent, the fourth son of King George V and Queen Mary, serving aboard as a watch-keeping

Lieutenant. She was scuttled off the mouth of the River Seine in June 1944.

Harold Webster - Able Seaman, RN, HMS *Carlisle*, drowned while serving in H. M. A. L. *Ming Lee* at Sham Shui Po, aged 23, **11 May 1924**, buried in Section 21A/4/18, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his shipmates, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130916_70514.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Webster|keyword=Webster

For HMS *Carlisle*, see Henry Thomas Hurn.

Frank Rhodes Waterworth - RN, HMS *Tamar*, died **6 June 1924**, buried in Section 21A/3/20, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130916_70539.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Waterworth|keyword=Waterworth

For HMS *Tamar*, see John W. Cooke.

William Henry Griggs - Armourer [Regimental] Quartermaster Sergeant, Royal Army Ordnance Corps, died aged 32, **11 June 1924**,

buried in Section 16D/8/9, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130912_65855.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Griggs|keyword=Griggs

The Army Ordnance Department and the Army Ordnance Corps amalgamated in 1918 to form the Royal Army Ordnance Corps.

Cecil Howard Booth - Private, B Company, 1st Battalion the East Surrey Regiment, born 15 July 1903, died at HK aged 20, **22 June 1924**, buried in Section 16D/7/10, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by the Officers, Non-Commissioned Officers and men of his Company, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130912_65866.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Booth|keyword=Booth

1st Battalion the East Surrey Regiment had been in Murmansk between August and October 1919 to help cover the evacuation of the expedition sent to support the White Russian forces against the Bolsheviks. They served in Ireland in 1920 during the troubles, then in Egypt. They arrived in HK in December 1923 on board the troopship *Derbyshire*, relieving 2nd Battalion the King's Regiment. Prince George Duke of Kent, then serving with the Royal Navy on the China Station, visited them. During the Canton- HK general strike

and boycott, June 1925 to October 1926, caused by firing on demonstrators by Shanghai Sikh policemen and the subsequent Shakee massacre of Chinese prisoners, they were called out to maintain essential services. They left for India in November 1926 on board the troopship HT *Neuralia*, relieved by 2nd Battalion King's Own Scottish Borderers.

James Flett Fraser - RN, HMS *Ambrose*, died **6 August 1924**, buried in Section 21A/2/21, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130916_70572.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Fraser|keyword=Fraser

For HMS *Ambrose*, see E. H. Gunn.

Aubrey Cecil Newbold - Lieutenant Commander, RN, HMS Submarine *L 5*, born 10 July 1892, died of spinal meningitis in the Royal Navy Hospital HK, **14 September 1924**, buried in Section 21A/4/7, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. He joined the Royal Navy in 1905 and married Kathleen Agnes Francis Voules, born 1895, on 30 March 1915. MID 23 April 1918. His gravestone, with a poem by 'Kathy', is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130916_70525.html?f=search&t=search_data

[tas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Newbold|keyword=Newbold](https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130912_65878.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Newbold|keyword=Newbold)

HMS *L5* was a L-class submarine launched in 1918. She was based at Falmouth, Cornwall in 1918. *L5* was assigned to the 4th Submarine Flotilla and with HMS *Titania* sailed to Hong Kong in 1919, arriving on 14 April 1920. She served on the China Station with other vessels of this class in the 1920s. On 20 October 1927 off Hong Kong, *L5* and HMS *L4* rescued the crew of the merchant ship SS *Irene* from a pirate attack after firing her deck gun. HMS *L5* was sold in 1931 and broken up.

John Richard Skinner - Signalman [Singleman], died aged 29, **18 October 1924**, buried in Section 16D/6/11, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130912_65878.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Skinner|keyword=Skinner

In 1908, the Royal Engineers Signal Service was formed. And included motorcycle despatch riders and wireless sets in service in the 1st World War. A Royal Warrant for the creation of a Corps of Signals was signed by the Secretary of State for War, Winston Churchill, on 28 June 1920. Six weeks later, King George V conferred the title Royal Corps of Signals. First mention of a Royal Corps of Signals Section in HK is in 1924; there was also a North China Signals Section.

By 1925, when the HK Signal Section was commanded by Captain C. A. Brigland DRC, at least 12 Chinese soldiers had been recruited alongside 15 British personnel. Shanghai Defence Forces also had a Signals Section by 1927.

1925

John Joseph Stafford - RN, HMS *Gnat*, died aged 30, **19 April 1925**, buried in Section 21A/1/22, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130916_70637.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Stafford|keyword=Stafford

HMS *Gnat* was an Insect-class gunboat launched in 1915. *Gnat* saw service during the First World War as part of a flotilla operating on the Tigris and Euphrates rivers. After the war, the vessel was transferred to China, where in 1927, *Gnat* took part in the Nanking Incident. *Gnat* was towed to the Mediterranean Sea in 1940 and took part in an assault on Tobruk before being torpedoed by a German submarine. *Gnat* did not sink, and was beached at Alexandria, Egypt where the vessel was used as an anti-aircraft platform. The vessel was declared a constructive total loss and scrapped in 1945.

Samuel Francis Galford Tuke - Lieutenant, RN, HMS *Titania*, committed suicide by gunshot, **6 May 1925**, buried in Section 21A/3/9, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at: https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130916_70550.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Tuke|keyword=Tuke

For HMS *Titania*, see James Holmes.

Leonard H. [N.] G. Gager - Squadron Sergeant Major, Royal Army Service Corps, died aged 42, **11 October 1925**, buried in Section 16D/5/14, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his parents, is at: https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130912_65891.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Gager|keyword=Gager

The Army Service Corps became the Royal Army Service Corps in 1918.

Donald M. Hendry - RN, HMS *Carlisle*, died aged 25, **11 November 1925**, buried in Section 21A/5/20, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at: https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130916_70476.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Hendry|keyword=Hendry

For HMS *Carlisle*, see Henry Thomas Hurn.

James H. Whitby - Able Seaman, HMS *Hermes*, killed in an accident inducing paralysis on board ship, aged 26, **26 December 1925**, buried in Section 21A/4/19, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his shipmates, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130916_70513.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Whitby|keyword=Whitby

HMS *Hermes* was the first purpose built aircraft carrier in the world to be launched, in 1919. Finally commissioned in 1924, she served briefly with the Atlantic Fleet before spending the bulk of her career assigned to the Mediterranean Fleet and the China Station. In the Mediterranean, she worked with other carriers developing multi-carrier tactics. Captain Arthur Stopford was appointed as the ship's commanding officer in February 1923 and *Hermes* was assigned to the Atlantic Fleet. She participated in the fleet review conducted by King George V on 26 July in Spithead. Afterwards she transferred to the Mediterranean Fleet. She arrived at Malta on 22 November 1923; at this time the ship embarked No. 403 Flight with Fairey Flycatcher fighters and 441 Flight with Fairey IIIDs. *Hermes* sailed for the China Station on 17 June with 403 and 441 Flights aboard. En route in the Mediterranean, Captain Stopford was replaced by Captain C. P. Talbot. She arrived at Hong Kong on 10 August 1925. The ship made

her first foreign port visit to Amoy in November. She was sunk in a Japanese air attack off Battacoa in 1942.

1926

Edward Ernest Batchelor - RN, HMS *Hawkins*, died aged 28, **3 January 1926**, buried in Section 21A/3/21, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130916_70538.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Batchelor|keyword=Batchelor

For HMS *Hawkins*, see Geoffrey William Winsmore Hooper.

William Frederick Champion - Lance Corporal, C Company, 1st Battalion East Surrey Regiment, died aged 24, **5 January 1926**, buried in Section 16D, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130912_65907.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Champion|keyword=Champion

For 1st Battalion East Surrey Regiment, see Cecil Howard Booth.

John Basil Roland Bacchus - Lieutenant-Colonel, Royal Army Pay Corps, formerly of the Royal Warwickshire Regiment, died aged 52, **19 February 1926**, buried in Section 17/13/10, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, also commemorating his wife, Mary Adelle, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130916_71143.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Bacchus|keyword=Bacchus

Before 1870, each British Army unit had a commissioner Paymaster. In 1870 a Pay Sub-Department of the Control Department was formed; an officer-only establishment, it gained autonomy as the Army Pay Department in 1878. In 1893 an Army Pay Corps was formed, composed of other ranks, to support the work of the Department. In 1920 the Army Pay Department and the Army Pay Corps were amalgamated to form the Royal Army Pay Corps.

John William Whitehead - RN, HMS *Ambrose*, died aged 23, **22 February 1926**, buried in Section 21A/2/22, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130916_70571.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Whitehead|keyword=Whitehead

For HMS *Ambrose*, see E. H. Gunn.

Harold Frederick [Frerick] Jacobs - Battery Quartermaster Sergeant, RA, died aged 39, **11 August 1926**, buried in Section 16D/3/26, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at: https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130912_65934.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Jacobs|keyword=Jacobs

Leonard Carbine - Submarine Lieutenant, RN, died aged 25, **21 August 1926**, buried in Section 21A/1/23, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at: https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130916_70636.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Carbine|keyword=Carbine

Harold Leslie Horloway - RN, HMS *Moth*, died **23 September 1926**, buried in Section 21A/5/21, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at: https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130916_70475.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Horloway|keyword=Horloway

HMS *Moth* was an Insect-class gunboat launched in 1915. She served in the Middle East, the White Sea and the Far East on the China Station from 1920. Scuttled in World War II during the invasion of Hong Kong, the ship was raised and put into service by the Imperial Japanese Navy as *Suma* (須磨). The ship remained active throughout the war, before striking a naval mine in the Yangtze River in 1945 and sinking.

Maurice Anthony Maude - Sub Lieutenant, RN, HMS *Vindictive*, second and dearly beloved son of Anthony Fritz Maud, land agent, of Belgard Castle, County Dublin and his wife, accidentally killed at Lan Tau aged 26, **11 December 1926**, buried in Section 21A/2/10, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. Maude was educated at the Royal Naval College. In 1916, he was appointed to HMS *Vivacious* and saw active service in the Baltic. In 1919, he spent six months at Caius College, Cambridge, and obtained a first in all subjects. He served later in the Atlantic Fleet, and in 1924 was transferred to the Fleet Air Arm, and underwent his training at Netheravon and Leuchars. He was then appointed to HMS *Vindictive* and served in the aircraft carrier *Hermes* at Malta and later at Hong Kong. When HMS *Hermes* was recalled to Malta, Maurice, although only 26 years of age, was appointed to the command of a detached flight (a component part of a squadron) consisting of six seaplanes. On 11 December 1926, as reported in *Lancashire Evening Post*, Maurice 'went with two friends to Lantao for a day's game shooting, and when the party were descending a hill at dusk to embark for Hong Kong Lieutenant Maude

stumbled against his gun, which went off and shot off his head.' His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130916_70583.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Maude|keyword=Maude

HMS *Vindictive* was a Hawkins-class heavy cruiser launched in 1918, converted into an aircraft carrier while still being built. In 1919, she participated in the British campaign in the Baltic against the Bolsheviks during which her aircraft made numerous attacks against the naval base at Kronstadt. *Vindictive* returned home at the end of the year and was placed in reserve for several years before her flight decks were removed and she was reconverted back into a cruiser. The ship retained her aircraft hangar and conducted trials with an aircraft catapult before she was sent to the China Station in 1926. A year after her return in 1928, she was again placed in reserve. In 1944 and was damaged by a German torpedo off the coast of Normandy after the Allies invaded France. She was reduced to reserve after the war and sold for scrap in 1946.

1927

Richard Freeborn - Stoker, RN, HMS *Vindictive*, died aged 23, **6 January 1927**, buried in Section 21A/4/20, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by the Officers and ship's company, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130916_70512.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Freeborn|keyword=Freeborn

For HMS *Vindictive*, see Maurice Anthony Maude.

Leonard Norman Jeffery - Shipwright, RN, HMS *Emerald* [*Emerold*], died aged 25, **10 January 1927**, buried in Section 21A/3/22, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his shipmates, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130916_70537.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Jeffery|keyword=Jeffery

HMS *Emerald* was an Emerald-class light cruiser launched in 1920. She went out to the East Indies to join 4th Cruiser Squadron, finally returning home to pay off on 15 July 1933. During her time in the Far East she participated as part of a Royal Navy flotilla in the 1927

Nanking Incident, helping to protect British and other international citizens and business interests. She was broken up in 1948.

D. [O.] Melville - Private, Number 3180503, 2nd Battalion King's Own Scottish Borderers, died **23 February 1927**, buried in Section 16D/2/29, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at: https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130912_65961.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Melville|keyword=Melville

For 2nd Battalion King's Own Scottish Borderers, see William Richards.

Edward George Faulkner - Gunner, 12th Pack Battery, RA, died aged 24, **27 February 1927**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

The 12th Pack Battery RA was part of the Shanghai Defence Forces stationed in Shanghai in 1927 when the city was occupied by Nationalist forces.

William Head Spargo - Chief Engine Room Artificer, RN, HMS *Petersfield*, died aged 39, **12 March 1927**, buried in Section 21A/2/23, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his shipmates, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130916_70570.html?f=search&t=search_databases.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Spargo|keyword=Spargo

HMS *Petersfield* was a Hunt-class minesweeper of the Aberdare subclass launched in 1919. Her first commander was Stuart Bonham Carter, who went on to become an Admiral. She was recommissioned at Hong Kong on 23 February 1925 for service on the China Station as an Admiral's yacht. She was wrecked on 11 November 1931 off Tung Yung Island, with the C-in-C China Station Admiral Sir Howard Kelly embarked. Two courts martial following her loss resulted in severe reprimands for her Captain, Commander Douglas C. Lang, and Navigating Lieutenant, Geoffrey A. H. Pratt, though an imperious meddling throughout the unfolding disaster brought ignominy upon Admiral Kelly, as well.

Walter Birchley - Private, 2nd Battalion the Gloucestershire Regiment, died aged 23, **20 March 1927**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

2nd Battalion the Gloucestershire Regiment was posted from India to the Shanghai Defence Forces stationed in Shanghai from February 1927 for five months in 1927 when the city was occupied by Nationalist forces.

George Radway - Private, 2nd Battalion the Gloucestershire Regiment, died aged 23, **22 March 1927**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

For 2nd Battalion the Gloucestershire Regiment, see Walter Birchley.

Oliver Stiff - Private, 2nd Battalion the Gloucestershire Regiment, died aged 25, **22 March 1927**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

For 2nd Battalion the Gloucestershire Regiment, see Walter Birchley.

Eric Charles Gough [or C. E. Scarlet] - Signaller, Royal Corps of Signals, died aged 21, **25 March 1927**, buried in Section 16D/2/28, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130912_65962.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Gough|keyword=Gough

William Richards - Lance Corporal, Number 3183510, 2nd Battalion King's Own Scottish Borderers, died **7 April 1927**, buried in Section 16D/3/25, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130912_65935.html?f=search&t=search_da

tas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Richards|keyword=Richards

2nd Battalion King's Own Scottish Borderers relieved 1st Battalion the East Surrey Regiment in November 1926. They were reinforced in May 1927 by 1st Battalion the Queen's Royal Regiment due to the civil war in China. They conducted anti-piracy duties in the Pearl River and had a detachment garrisoning Shameen (Shamian) Island in Liwan District, Canton. They remained in HK till 1929.

George Henry Blair - Guardsman, 2nd Battalion Coldstream Guards, died aged 19, **5 April 1927**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

2nd Battalion Coldstream Guards arrived in Shanghai in March 1927, and left in 1928, arriving in Britain in March.

Joseph Doyle - Private, 2nd Battalion Durham Light Infantry, died **23 April 1927**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

2nd Battalion Durham Light Infantry was in India, and spent February to August 1927 in Shanghai.

Thomas Bassett [Barrett] - Petty Officer, RN, died **30 April 1927**, buried in Section 21A/1/24, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130916_70635.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Petty+Officer|keyword=Petty+Officer

George Aubrey - Surgeon Lieutenant Commander, RN, died **9 May 1927**, buried in Section 21A/1/11, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130916_70647.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Aubrey|keyword=Aubrey

George Best - RN, died **13 May 1927**, buried in Section 21A/5/22, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130916_70474.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Best|keyword=Best

George William Maddison - Private, 2nd Battalion Durham Light Infantry, died **6 June 1927**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

For 2nd Battalion Durham Light Infantry, see Joseph Doyle.

Edward Davis - Leading Aircraftsman, HMS *Hermes*, committed suicide with cyanide at HK aged 24, **27 June 1927**, buried in Section

16D/4/21, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his shipmates, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130916_70511.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Davis|keyword=Davis

For HMS *Hermes*, see James H. Whitby.

Norman Failes - Private, 2nd Battalion Durham Light Infantry, died **27 June 1927**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

For 2nd Battalion Durham Light Infantry, see Joseph Doyle.

M. Prince - Private, Number 3183171, 2nd Battalion King's Own Scottish Borderers, died **10 July 1927**, buried in Section 16D/4/24, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:
https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130912_65908.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Prince|keyword=Prince

For 2nd Battalion King's Own Scottish Borderers, see William Richards.

Frederick George Baynes - Private, 2nd Battalion Suffolk Regiment, died aged 23, **15 July 1927**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

2nd Battalion Suffolk Regiment was in Shanghai from 1927 to 1929.

Thomas Morgan - Private, 2nd Battalion the Gloucestershire Regiment, died aged 20, **20 July 1927**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

For 2nd Battalion the Gloucestershire Regiment, see Walter Birchley.

F. W. S. Fawkner - Captain, Royal Marines, died aged 31, **23 July 1927**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

Joseph Davis - Private, 1st Battalion the Border Regiment, died aged 19, **28 July 1927**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

1st Battalion the Border Regiment moved to Shanghai from England in 1927, and returned there that year.

William Hughes - Driver, Royal Army Service Corps, died aged 24, **30 July 1927**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

Stanley George Whiles - Guardsman, 2nd Battalion Coldstream Guards, died aged 24, **2 August 1927**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

For 2nd Battalion Coldstream Guards, see George Henry Blair.

Leonard Vincent - Gunner, 1st Field Brigade, RA, died aged 24, **2 August 1927**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

D. T. W. Jackson - Private, Royal Army Medical Corps, died aged 23 [20], **8 August 1927**, buried in Section 16D/6/10, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130912_65879.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Jackson|keyword=Jackson

Rex Lyndhurst Chadwick Turner - Guardsman, 2nd Battalion Coldstream Guards, died aged 20, **15 August 1927**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

For 2nd Battalion Coldstream Guards, see George Henry Blair.

Arthur Dieal - Lance Corporal, 1st Battalion Middlesex Regiment (Duke of Cambridge's Own), died aged 26, **15 August 1927**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

1st Battalion Middlesex Regiment was part of the Shanghai Defence Force posted in the concessions after Nationalist troops occupied the city.

Alfred Henry Tull - Corporal, Royal Marines, died aged 37, **17 August 1927**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

Charles George Smart - Guardsman, 2nd Battalion Coldstream Guards, died aged 20, **20 August 1927**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

For 2nd Battalion Coldstream Guards, see George Henry Blair.

Frank Reginald James Glisson - Guardsman, 2nd Battalion Coldstream Guards, died aged 18, **30 August 1927**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

For 2nd Battalion Coldstream Guards, see George Henry Blair.

Ernest Wood - Sergeant, DCM, 1st Battalion the Green Howards (Alexandra, Princess of Wales's Own (Yorkshire Regiment)), died aged 38, **1 September 1927**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

1st Battalion the Green Howards (Alexandra, Princess of Wales's Own (Yorkshire Regiment)) were in Shanghai 1927-1930.

Eric Herbert Falconer-Wright - Captain, 2nd Battalion Suffolk Regiment, died aged 32, **5 September 1927**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

For 2nd Battalion Suffolk Regiment, see Frederick George Baynes.

Harold John Driver - Lance Corporal, 2nd Battalion Coldstream Guards, died aged 23, **9 September 1927**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

For 2nd Battalion Coldstream Guards, see George Henry Blair.

Edward John Morecombe - Gunner, 52nd Field Battery RA, died aged 22, **9 September 1927**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

Walter James Gates - Lance Corporal, 2nd Battalion Coldstream Guards, died aged 23, **27 September 1927**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

For 2nd Battalion Coldstream Guards, see George Henry Blair.

Thomas Ryles - Lance Corporal, 2nd Battalion Coldstream Guards, died ? **September 1927**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

For 2nd Battalion Coldstream Guards, see George Henry Blair.

William John Barnes - Chief Petty Officer Writer, HMS *Danae*, died aged 40, **5 October 1927**, buried in Section 21A/3/23, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130916_70536.html?f=search&t=search_databases.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Barnes|keyword=Barnes

HMS *Danae* was a Danae-class light cruiser launched in 1918. she was one of the fastest cruisers of her time; she could travel at 29 knots. Attached to the Harwich-based 5th Light Cruiser Squadron, she took part in several North Sea patrols during the last months of World War I. Between October and November of the following year, she passed to the Baltic Sea, where she supported the Whites in the Russian Civil War, along with her sister ships *Dragon* and *Dauntless*. In February 1920 she was attached to the 1st Light Cruiser Squadron of the Atlantic Fleet. In 1923 she was attached to the Special Service Squadron, a naval fleet created for propaganda purposes. The flotilla further consisted of the battlecruisers *Hood*, *Repulse* and the cruisers *Delhi*, *Dragon*, *Dauntless* and *Dunedin*, as well as 9 other ships (mostly destroyers), sailing to Freetown, Sierra Leone, Cape Town, Port Elizabeth, East London and Durban, Zanzibar, Trincomalee, Singapore, Fremantle, Albany, Adelaide, Melbourne, Hobart and Sydney, from where she left for Wellington in New Zealand. She paid a short visit in 1924 to Suva and Samara, Fiji, then to Honolulu, Victoria, Vancouver and San Francisco. The light cruisers then sailed south around South America visiting various ports on the way, Callao, Valparaiso and Talcahuano and through the Strait of Magellan. From there stopping at the Falkland Islands, Bahia Blanca, Buenos Aires, Montevideo and Rio de Janeiro, crossing the Atlantic Ocean with a

final stop on the Cape Verde Islands before heading back for the Great Britain. Transferred to the Mediterranean, between 1927 and 1929 *Danae* served as an escort of the 1st Cruiser Squadron, after which she was withdrawn. She was lent to the Polish Navy between 1944 and 1946 as ORP *Conrad* and was sold for scrapping in 1948.

Albert Edward Clarke - Private, 1st Battalion the Border Regiment, died aged 28, **8 October 1927**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

For 1st Battalion the Border Regiment, see Joseph Davis.

Alan Newham - Guardsman, 2nd Battalion Coldstream Guards, died aged 21, **27 October 1927**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

For 2nd Battalion Coldstream Guards, see George Henry Blair.

George Henry Prudent - Sergeant, died **1927**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

John William Dawson - Private, 1st Battalion the Green Howards (Alexandra, Princess of Wales's Own (Yorkshire Regiment)), died aged 23, **3 December 1927**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

For 1st Battalion the Green Howards (Alexandra, Princess of Wales's Own (Yorkshire Regiment)), see Ernest Wood.

Ronald George [John/T.J.] French - Royal Air Force, died in a motorcycle sidecar accident, aged 25, **12 December 1927**, buried in Section 21A/2/24, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130916_70569.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=French|keyword=French

For the Royal Air Force, see Alfred William Beverley Hale. French is the first recorded RAF death in HK.

Alfred Joseph Horton - Private, 1st Battalion Middlesex Regiment (Duke of Cambridge's Own), died aged 23, **14 December 1927**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

For 1st Battalion Middlesex Regiment, see Arthur Dieal.

Bob Johnson - Guardsman, 2nd Battalion Coldstream Guards, died aged 23, **19 December 1927**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

For 2nd Battalion Coldstream Guards, see George Henry Blair.

1928

Walter Manton - Royal Marines, died aged 20, **9 January 1928**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

Charles William Begley - Driver, Royal Army Service Corps, died **13 January 1928**, buried in Section 16D7/9/, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130912_65867.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Begley|keyword=Begley

Alfred C. Rowett - Chief Petty Officer, HMS *Tern*, died aged 32, **4 February 1928**, buried in Section 21A/1/25, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130916_70634.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Rowett|keyword=Rowett

HMS *Tern* was a river gunboat launched in 1927. After her construction, she was broken down into sections and transported to Hong Kong, where she was reassembled and launched. She served in the Yangtze River. In 1941, she was transferred back to Hong Kong, and command was transferred to Lt. John Douglas. In December, she

took part in the Battle of Hong Kong. On 11 December, she assisted in the evacuation of British forces from Kowloon to Hong Kong Island. On 12 or 13 December, she shot down a Japanese aircraft. She was scuttled in Deep Water Bay on 19 December, to prevent capture by the Japanese. Douglas survived the battle and escaped to China, then to Calcutta by plane.

Fred Shaw - Stoker Petty Officer, RN, HMS *Sirdar*, died **10 February 1928**, buried in Section 21A/1/26, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130916_70633.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Fred+Shaw|keyword=Fred+Shaw

HMS *Sirdar* was one of sixty-seven "S" class destroyers and was launched in 1918. She was re-commissioned at Hong Kong on 1 October 1929 for service with the Eighth Destroyer Flotilla on the China Station. She was paid off on 14 April 1932 to join the Reserve Fleet at Portsmouth. Her commanders were:

Lieutenant-Commander Basil W. L. Owen, 10 August 1918 – 3 February, 1919

Lieutenant-Commander Ernald G. H. Master, 3 February 1919 – 7 July 1919

Commander Jack E. A. Mocatta, 13 October 1919 – 10 November 1919

Lieutenant-Commander Edmund F. FitzGerald, 10 November 1919 – 9 December, 1919

Lieutenant-Commander Norman A. G. Ohlenschlager, 17 December 1919– 8 January 1921

Lieutenant in Command John W. Durnford, 8 January 1921– April, 1921

Lieutenant-Commander Richard Harter, August 1921 – 13 August 1922

Lieutenant-Commander Ralph G. H. Izat, April 1922 – 1 April, 1924

Lieutenant-Commander Alexander M. Donovan, 1 April 1924 – 13 January 1925

Lieutenant-Commander William S. Moor, 13 January 1925 – 14 August, 1925

Lieutenant-Commander Charles G. N. Graham, 14 August, 1925 – May 1929

Ernest William Garrett - Chief Engine Room Artificer, HMS *Titania*, died aged 38, **3 March 1928**, buried in Section 21A/2/25, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by the chief and engine room artificers of the China Station, is at:
https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130916_70568.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Garrett|keyword=Garr ett

For HMS *Titania*, see James Holmes.

Ronal Miller Rough - Able Seaman, RN, shot in the course of duty, **12 March 1928**, buried in Section 21A/3/24, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130916_70535.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Rough|keyword=Rough

J. H. Williams - Gunner, 31st Heavy Battery, RA, died aged 28, **23 March 1928**, buried in Section 16D/5/13, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130912_65892.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Williams|keyword=Williams

There were three heavy batteries, RA, in China by 1924 (then 13, 25 and 38 Batteries). It is not clear when 31 Battery arrived.

George H. Whitfield - Stoker, RN, HMS *Bruce*, died in a fall, **27 March 1928**, buried in Section 21A/4/22, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130916_70510.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Whitfield|keyword=Whitfield

HMS Bruce was the second of eight Admiralty type flotilla leaders launched in 1918. During the First World War, she served with the 10th Destroyer Flotilla at Harwich. After the end of the war, she spent several years in reserve at British ports. In January 1927, *Bruce* returned to active service as the 8th Flotilla was sent to the China Station, to be based at Hong Kong, while operating from Weihaiwei and other northern ports during the summer. Bruce remained based in Chinese waters, both with the 8th Destroyer Flotilla and the 4th Submarine Flotilla, until January 1937. She was withdrawn from use because of her poor condition, and was sunk as a target ship on 22 November 1939.

John Henry Patrick Graham - Lieutenant, RN, HMS *Hermes*, killed in an aircraft accident in Hong Kong harbour while on duty, aged 23 [27], **3 April 1928**, buried in Section 21A/1/10, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his parents, is at: https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130916_70648.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Graham|keyword=Graham

For HMS *Hermes*, see James H. Whitby.

Alfred William Beverley Hale - Flying Officer, Royal Air Force, killed in an aircraft crash, **4 April 1928**, buried in Section 21A/4/6, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130916_70526.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Hale|keyword=Hale

The Royal Air Force was founded in 1918. RAF Kai Tak was opened in 1927 and used for seaplanes. The RAF flight operated a few land based aircraft as well as having spare aircraft for naval units.

Stanley Jackson - Telegraphist, RN, died **4 April 1928**, buried in Section 21A/, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by Phyllis A.P. Jackson, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130916_70473.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Jackson|keyword=Jackson

George William Othen - RN, died **26 April 1928**, buried in Section 21A/1/27, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130916_70632.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Othen|keyword=Othen

Ernest Herbert Mayhew - Private, 2nd Battalion Suffolk Regiment, died aged 22, **7 May 1928**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

For 2nd Battalion Suffolk Regiment, see Frederick George Baynes.

Charles Albert William Essam - RN, HMS *Wishart*, died **8 June 1928**, buried in Section 21A/3/8, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130916_70551.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Essam|keyword=Essam

HMS *Wishart* was a modified W-class destroyer launched in 1919. She served first in the Atlantic Fleet, then in the Mediterranean Fleet, and while in the latter had Lord Louis Mountbatten as her commanding officer for a time. *Wishart* was in waters off China when the United States Navy gunboat USS *Fulton* was heavily damaged by fire while at sea on 14 March 1934. *Wishart* and the merchant ship SS *Tsinan* took off *Fulton*'s crew and took them to the Royal Navy Dockyard at Hong Kong. She was scrapped in 1945 after serving throughout the 2nd World War.

Ernest Plume - Private, Number 6082669, Machine Gun Company, 1st Battalion the Queen's Royal Regiment (West Surrey), died aged 21, **11 June 1928**, buried in Section 16D/2/24, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130912_65936.html?f=search&t=search_data

[tas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Plume|keyword=Plume](https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130916_70567.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Plume|keyword=Plume)

1st Battalion the Queen's Royal Regiment arrived from Britain as a reinforcement battalion on 16 May 1928, and were accommodated in Wellington, Victoria and Lyemun Barracks, with one company in a converted garage in Happy Valley. It had a company at Shameen Island, Canton later in the year. In November 1927, the whole battalion was brought together in Hankow Barracks, Sham Sui Po. The battalion provided anti-pirate guards on ships sailing to Canton, Shanghai and Singapore. The battalion left HK in March 1929, relieved by 1st Battalion the Somerset Light Infantry.

Alfred Thomas Eames - Staff Sergeant, RAMC, died aged 38, **20 June 1928**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

Harry Whitear Fawcitt - Royal Marine, HMS *Carlisle*, died aged 27, **9 July 1928**, buried in Section 21A/2/26, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130916_70567.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Harry+Whitear|keyword=Harry+Whitear

For HMS *Carlisle*, see Henry Thomas Hurn.

John King - Lance Corporal, 5th Armoured Car Company, Royal Tank Corps, died aged 25, **11 July 1928**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

The Tank Corps was formed in 1917 and named the Royal Tank Corps in 1923. It formed part of the Shanghai Defence Force from 1927.

Theophilus Jones - Private, 2nd Battalion the Welch Regiment, died aged 23, **2 August 1928**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

The 2nd Battalion the Welch Regiment moved from Waziristan to Shanghai in 1927 for service with the Shanghai Defence Force and then on to India in 1935.

Charles Burgess - Sergeant, 2nd Battalion Scots Guards, died aged 27, **7 August 1928**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

The 2nd Battalion Scots Guards arrived in Shanghai on 2 July 1928 and were based there until 20 January 1929 as part of the British Shanghai Defence Force

George Arthur Irving - Lance Corporal, 2nd Battalion Scots Guards, died aged 24, **15 August 1928**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

For 2nd Battalion Scots Guards see Charles Burgess.

Victor Davies - Private, 2nd Battalion the Welch Regiment, died aged 22, **16 August 1928**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

For 2nd Battalion the Welch Regiment, see Theophilus Jones.

Ralph Hodgson - Guardsman, 2nd Battalion Scots Guards, died aged 20, **19 August 1928**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

For 2nd Battalion Scots Guards see Charles Burgess.

William John Gilbert - Private, 2nd Battalion the Welch Regiment, died aged 23, **30 August 1928**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

For 2nd Battalion the Welch Regiment, see Theophilus Jones.

George Edward Rogers - Private, Number 6082563, C Company, 1st Battalion the Queen's Royal Regiment (West Surrey), died at Kowloon, aged 23, **6 September 1928**, buried in Section 16D/4/23, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his Company is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130912_65909.html?f=search&t=search_da

tas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Rogers|keyword=Rogers

For 1st Battalion the Queen's Royal Regiment, see Edward Plume.

Edward Bamford - Major, VC, DSO, Royal Marines, born 28 May, 1887, died of pneumonia on board HMS *Cumberland* en route for Hong Kong, where he held the appointment of Instructor of Small Arms and Musketry, aged 41, **30 September 1928**, buried in Bubbling Well Cemetery, Nanjing Road, Shanghai, moved with other graves to Hungjao Road Cemetery in 1951. Bamford joined the RMLI in 1905. He was awarded the DSO for his gallantry aboard HMS Chester at the Battle of Jutland, and the VC for his action at Zeebrugge in April 1918. He landed on the Mole from HMS *Vindictive* with Nos. 5, 7 & 8 platoons of the Marine Storming Force in the face of great difficulties. When on the Mole under heavy fire, he displayed the greatest initiative in the command of his company, and by his total disregard of danger, showed a magnificent example to his men. He first established a strong point on the right of the disembarkation, and when that was safe, led an assault on a battery to the left with the utmost coolness and valour.

The Royal Marine Artillery (RMA) and Royal Marine Light Infantry (RMLI) were amalgamated on 22 June 1923 to form the Royal Marines.

HMS *Cumberland* was a County-class heavy cruiser launched in 1926. She served on the China Station with the 5th Cruiser Squadron from 1928 until 1938, returning to the UK in March 1935. She served throughout the 2nd World War and was scrapped in 1959.

Stanley William Farrow - Private, 2nd Battalion Suffolk Regiment, died aged 26, **4 October 1928**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

For 2nd Battalion Suffolk Regiment, see Frederick George Baynes.

William Edward Hague - Private, C Company, 1st [3rd] Battalion Middlesex Regiment (Duke of Cambridge's Own), born 3 November 1907, died aged 20, **23 October 1928**, buried in Section 3/5/1, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130911_65341.html?f=search&t=search_dat as.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Hague|keyword=Hague

3rd Battalion Middlesex Regiment was disbanded in 1922 when Hague was 15, so this is a misattribution. 1st Battalion was in Shanghai only from April to December 1927. Perhaps Hague was long-term sick.

Frederick Charles Gamsby - Lance Sergeant, Number 3178827, 2nd Battalion the King's Own Scottish Borderers, died **2 November 1928**, buried in Section 16D/5/12, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130912_65893.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Gamsby|keyword=Gamsby

For 2nd Battalion King's Own Scottish Borderers, see William Richards.

Sydney Monk - Private, RAMC, died aged 21, **18 December 1928**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

1929

Henry George White - Signalman, Royal Corps of Signals, died aged 32, **10 January 1929**, buried in Section 16D/6/9, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130912_65880.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Henry+George+White|keyword=Henry+George+White

Henry E. White - Able Seaman, HMS *Sepoy*, died aged 28, **2 February 1929**, buried in Section 21A/3/25, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130916_70534.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=White|keyword=White

HMS *Sepoy* was an S-class destroyer launched in 1918 and sold in 1932.

A. Goddard - Private, Number 5666775 [5660755], D (Machine Gun) Company, 1st Battalion Prince Albert's (Somerset Light Infantry), died aged 25, **10 February 1929**, buried in Section 16D7/8/, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by all ranks of his Company, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130912_65868.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Goddard|keyword=Goddard

For 1st Battalion Somerset Light Infantry, see Albert Beck.

Thomas McGregor Milland - RN, died from a fall, **30 April 1929**, buried in Section 21A/4/23, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley.

His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130916_70509.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Milland|keyword=Milland

T. W. Vaughan - Private, 1st Battalion the Norfolk Regiment, died **6 May 1929**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

1st Battalion the Norfolk Regiment moved from Egypt to Shanghai in 1928, and moved to Sialkot in 1929.

William Edwards - Stoker, RN, HMS *Hermes*, died aged 24, **8 May 1929**, buried in Section 21A/5/24, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130916_70472.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=William+Edwards|keyword=William+Edwards

For HMS *Hermes*, see James H. Whitby.

Albert Beck - Private, B Company, 1st Battalion Prince Albert's (Somerset Light Infantry), accidentally drowned at Kowloon, **14 June 1929**, buried in Section 16D/, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades in his Company, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130912_65857.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Beck|keyword=Beck

1st Battalion Prince Albert's (Somerset Light Infantry) moved from Egypt to relieve 1st Battalion the Queen's Regiment on 11 January 1929, but the Queen's didn't depart till 22 March as the troopship H.T.

Somersetshire broke down. They took over Hankow Barracks, Sham Sui Po. In 1930, they were replaced by 1st Battalion South Wales Borderers and moved to India.

Maurice C. England - Sick Berth Attendant, RN, HMS *Tamar*, died **19 June 1929**, buried in Section 21A/5/25, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130916_70471.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=England|keyword=England

For HMS *Tamar*, see John W. Cooke.

Frank Carter - Signaller, Royal Corps of Signals, died aged 22, **5 July 1929**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

John Lambert - Gunner, 12th Heavy Battery, RA, died **12 July 1929**, buried in Section 16D/8/6, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130912_65858.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Lambert|keyword=Lambert

12th Heavy Battery was part of 8th Heavy Regiment, RA and remained in HK until 1941.

Louis McNamara Keenaw - Petty Officer, RN, HMS *Cicala*, died from heart failure, **5 September 1929**, buried in Section 21A/4/24, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130916_70508.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Keenaw|keyword=Keenaw

For HMS *Cicala*, see John William Johnsen.

Arthur Wills - Private, 2nd Battalion Wiltshire Regiment, died aged 41, **10 September 1929**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

For 2nd Battalion Wiltshire Regiment, see Horace William Way; the Battalion stayed in Shanghai before returning to Britain in 1933.

Hugh Littleton - Paymaster Commander, RN, HMS *Titania*, and IVth Submarine Flotilla, accidentally drowned aged 39, **27 September 1929**, buried in Section 21A/2/9, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130916_70584.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Littleton|keyword=Littleton

For HMS *Titania*, see James Holmes.

George Colin Johnson - Private, RAMC, died aged 24, **29 September 1929**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

Frederick Sloper - Private, 2nd Battalion Wiltshire Regiment, died aged 27, **20 October 1929**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

For 2nd Battalion Wiltshire Regiment, see both Horace William Way and Arthur Wills.

Ernest Bellerby - Bombardier, Number 1056026, 20th Heavy Battery, RA, died aged 24, **23 October 1929**, buried in Section 16D/7/7, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at: https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130912_65869.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Bellerby|keyword=Bellerby

20th Heavy Battery was part of 12th Heavy Regiment, RA, and remained in HK until 1941.

Albert Ross Ward - Flying Officer, RAF, of London, died on duty, **29 October 1929**, buried in Section 21A/1/9, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his parents, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130916_70649.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Ward|keyword=Ward

George Frederick Cornwall - Stoker, RN, HMS *Tarantula*, died **30 October 1929**, buried in Section 21A/3/25, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130916_70533.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Cornwall|keyword=Cornwall

For HMS *Tarantula*, see James Wright.

Reginald Moyes - Private, 1st Battalion the Norfolk Regiment, died aged 20, **30 October 1929**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

For 1st Battalion the Norfolk Regiment, see T. W. Vaughan.

Arthur Minty - Company Quartermaster Sergeant, 2nd Battalion Wiltshire Regiment, died aged 40, **12 November 1929**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

For 2nd Battalion Wiltshire Regiment, see both Horace William Way and Arthur Wills.

Alfred James Landricombe - Private, 2nd Battalion Wiltshire Regiment, died aged 26, **30 November 1929**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

For 2nd Battalion Wiltshire Regiment, see both Horace William Way and Arthur Wills.

Reginald F. Swallow - Corporal, Royal Marines, Number PLY 21782, HMS *Berwick*, died aged 30, **2 December 1929**, buried in Section 21A/2/27, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his shipmates, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130916_70566.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Swallow|keyword=Swallow

HMS *Berwick* was a County-class heavy cruiser, part of the Kent subclass. She was launched on 30 March 1926 was sent to the China Station, where she remained until a temporary detachment to the Mediterranean in 1936. She served throughout the 2nd World War and was scrapped in 1948.

James William Copson - Private, 1st Battalion Worcestershire Regiment, died aged 29, **6 January 1930**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

1st Battalion Worcestershire Regiment embarked in H.M.T. *Neuralia* at Bombay on 22 October 1929, and on 8 November arrived at Shanghai to relieve 1st Battalion the Norfolk Regiment. For a week the battalion was at Great Western Road Camp, the overflow from the huts being accommodated under canvas, then moved into the hutted camp at Jessfield Park. Battalion Headquarters, Headquarter Wing and D (Machine Gun) Company were located at Great Western Road, the one rifle company at Great Western Road changing over with one of these at Jessfield Park Camp every two months. On 6 January 1931, the battalion was relieved by the Royal Scots Fusiliers. The Battalion marched, with bayonets fixed and Colours flying to the Old Ningpo Wharf, headed by the band of the 4th Regiment of the United States Marines, and embarked in H.M.T. *Nevasa* to go to Britain.

Charles Banks Williams - Private, Number 3764881, RAMC, died aged 24, **10 January 1930**, buried in Section 16D/6/8, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130912_65881.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Charles+Banks+Williams|keyword=Charles+Banks+Williams

Richard Yould - Lance Bombardier, Number 1062530, 31st Heavy Battery, RA, died aged 24, **7 February 1930**, buried in Section 16D/5/11, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130912_65894.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Yould|keyword=Yould

For 31st Heavy Battery, RA, see J. H. Williams.

Robert William Heywood - Able Seaman, RN, HMS *Sepoy*, of Greenwich, died in a depth charge explosion, **9 April 1930**, buried in Section 21A/5/28, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130916_70468.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Heywood|keyword=Heywood

For HMS *Sepoy*, see Henry E. White.

William J. Draper - Able Seaman, RN, HMS *Sepoy*, of Kew, Surrey, died in a depth charge explosion, **9 April 1930**, buried in Section 21A/2/30, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130916_70563.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Draper|keyword=Draper

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For HMS *Sepoy*, see Henry E. White.

Thomas E. Smith - Able Seaman, RN, HMS *Sepoy* [*Cornflower*], of Dover, died aged 29 [20] in a depth charge explosion, **9 April 1930**, buried in Section 21A/3/26, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley.

His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130916_70532.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Smith|keyword=Smith

For HMS *Sepoy*, see Henry E. White.

James Noel Redmond-Cooper - Able Seaman, RN, HMS *Sepoy*, born 25 December 1902, died aged 27 in a depth charge explosion, **9 April 1930**, buried in Section 21A/1/28, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130916_70631.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Redmond+Cooper|keyword=Redmond+Cooper

For HMS *Sepoy*, see Henry E. White.

Walter Belderson - Petty Officer, RN, HMS *Sepoy*, of Gillingham, Kent, died aged 31 in a depth charge explosion, **9 April 1930**, buried in Section 21A/5/26, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130916_70470.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Belderson|keyword=Belderson

For HMS *Sepoy*, see Henry E. White.

George Leslie Reed - RN, HMS *Sepoy*, died aged 30 in a depth charge explosion, **9 April 1930**, buried in Section 21A/2/8, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130916_70585.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Reed|keyword=Reed

For HMS *Sepoy*, see Henry E. White.

Alfred John Jarvis [Jarris/Javis] - Leading Aircraftman, RAF, of Sheerness, Kent, died from a fall from a cockpit, aged 29, **15 May 1930**, buried in Section 21A/2/28, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130916_70565.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Jarvis|keyword=Jarvis

William Edward Smith - Private, RAMC, died aged 21, **2 July 1930**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

Charles Hill - Acting Sergeant, HM Dockyard Police, RN, of Portsmouth, died **5 July 1930**, buried in Section 21A/2/29, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:
https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130916_70564.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Charles+Hill|keyword=Charles+Hill

William McAusland - Private, RAMC, died aged 21, **22 July 1930**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

John Michael Mullins - Private, 2nd Battalion the Green Howards (Alexandra, Princess of Wales's Own (Yorkshire Regiment)), died aged 38, **6 August 1930**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

The 2nd Battalion the Green Howards relieved the Regiment's 1st Battalion in Shanghai in 1930.

John William Ryan - Private, 2nd Battalion the Green Howards (Alexandra, Princess of Wales's Own (Yorkshire Regiment)), died aged 20, **6 August 1930**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

For 2nd Battalion the Green Howards, see John Michael Mullins.

E. Davies - Private, 1st Battalion Worcestershire Regiment, died aged 23, **25 August 1930**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

For 1st Battalion Worcestershire Regiment, see James William Copson.

George Colcough [Colough] - RN, died **25 September 1930**, buried in Section 21A/1/29, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley.

His gravestone is at:

[https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All Images/images/201309/t20130916_70630.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=George|keyword=George](https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130916_70630.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=George|keyword=George)

Christopher Henry Knight - Able Seaman, RN, died **8 October 1930**, buried in Grave 6308 Section 5, the Roman Catholic Cemetery, Happy Valley.

Richard Fairman - Private, D Company, 2nd Battalion Argyll & Sutherland Highlanders, died aged 27, **14 October 1930**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

2nd Battalion Argyll & Sutherland Highlanders was in Shanghai until 1931, then moved to Hong Kong. They returned to Shanghai on board

HMS *Berwick* in 1932 due to political tension and remained there until 1933.

Walter Seal - Gunner, Number 1068234, 31st Heavy Battery, RA, died aged 24, **16 October 1930**, buried in Section 16D/4/22, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130912_65910.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Seal|keyword=Seal

For 31st Heavy Battery, RA, see J. H. Williams.

Frederick Henry Bovington - Lance Corporal, 1st Battalion Worcestershire Regiment, died aged 24, **31 October 1930**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

For 1st Battalion Worcestershire Regiment, see James William Copson.

Stanley Cleverton - RN, died **2 November 1930**, buried in Section 21A/1/30, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130916_70629.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Cleverton|keyword=Cleverton

George William Picher - C Company, 1st Battalion Prince Albert's (Somerset Light Infantry), born 2 November 1904, died aged 26, **8 November 1930**, buried in Section 16D/3/23, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades in his Company, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130912_65937.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=pitcher|keyword=pitcher

For 1st Battalion Somerset Light Infantry, see Albert Beck

Michael Joseph Coyne - Private, 2nd Battalion the Green Howards (Alexandra, Princess of Wales's Own (Yorkshire Regiment)), died aged 26, **16 November 1930**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

For 2nd Battalion the Green Howards, see John Michael Mullins.

William Frederick Crosthwait - MC, MA, Royal Army Chaplain's Department, died aged 41, **28 December 1930**, buried in Section 17/13/11, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at: https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130916_71141.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Crosthwait|keyword=Crosthwait

The Army Chaplains' Department was an all-Officer corps formed in 1796. Previously chaplains had been part of individual regiments, but not on the central establishment. Only Anglican chaplains were recruited until 1827, when Presbyterians were recognised, but not commissioned until 1858. Roman Catholic chaplains were recruited from 1836, Methodist chaplains from 1881, and Jewish chaplains from 1892. During the First World War some 4,400 Army Chaplains were recruited and 179 lost their lives on active service. The Department received the "Royal" prefix in February 1919.

Herbert Leslie Mountfield - Private, RAMC, died aged 23, **28 December 1930**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

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A. Marshall - Number 2977203, 2nd Battalion Argyll & Sutherland Highlanders, died **16 January 1931**, buried in Grave 5439, Section 5, the Roman Catholic Cemetery, Happy Valley.

For 2nd Battalion Argyll & Sutherland Highlanders, see Richard Fairman.

J. McManus - Private, Number 2973666, 2nd Battalion Argyll & Sutherland Highlanders, died **5 February 1931**, buried in Grave 5499, Section 5, the Roman Catholic Cemetery, Happy Valley.

For 2nd Battalion Argyll & Sutherland Highlanders, see Richard Fairman.

John Burleigh - Fusilier, 2nd Battalion Royal Scots Fusiliers, died aged 21, **11 February 1931**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

For 2nd Battalion Royal Scots Fusiliers, see James Crawford.

Frank Albert Humphey - Leading Stoker, RN, HMS *Medway*, died **12 February 1931**, buried in Section 21A/4/26, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:
https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130916_70506.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Humphey|keyword=Humphey

HMS *Medway* was a submarine depot ship launched in 1928. The ship served on the China Station before the Second World War, taking over from HMS *Titania* in 1929/30 as the submarine depot

ship for the 4th Submarine Flotilla. Under the command of Capt. Colin Cantlie HMS *Medway* sailed to Hong Kong with six O-Class submarines of the Odin group: HMS *Odin*, HMS *Olympus*, HMS *Osiris*, HMS *Orpheus*, HMS *Oswald* and HMS *Otus*. She was transferred to Egypt in early 1940. She was sunk by U-372 in 1942.

John Joseph Gray - Leading Cook, RN, died **22 February 1931**, buried in Grave 5504, Section 5, the Roman Catholic Cemetery, Happy Valley.

Arthur Frederick Osborne [Osbourne] - Sergeant, Army Education Corps, noted as of the Church of England faith, died aged 35, **10 April 1931**, buried in Section 16D/2/26, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his wife, is at: https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130912_65964.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Arthur+Frederick|keyword=Arthur+Frederick

On 2 July 1845 the Corps of Army Schoolmasters was formed, and a Royal Warrant established the Army Educational Corps on 15 June 1920. It became the Royal Army Education Corps in 1946.

David Wallace Foreman - Private, Number 2977069, B Company, 2nd Battalion Argyll & Sutherland Highlanders, noted as of the Church of England faith, died **17 May 1931**, buried in Section 16D/2/25, the

Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by all ranks RAOC, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130912_65965.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Foreman|keyword=Foreman

For 2nd Battalion Argyll & Sutherland Highlanders, see Richard Fairman.

James Crawford - Fusilier, 2nd Battalion Royal Scots Fusiliers, died aged 21, **4 June 1931**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

2nd Battalion Royal Scots Fusiliers were in Shanghai, based in Jessfield Park Camp, from 1931 to 1932, relieved by 1st Battalion the East Lancashire Regiment.

John [George] William Green - Conductor, Royal Army Ordnance Corps, died aged 41, **29 June 1931**, born at Gotherington, Gloucestershire, 19 September 1889 [1909], buried in Section 16D/3/22, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by all ranks RAOC, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130912_65938.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=John+William+Green|keyword=John+William+Green

W. R. Norris - Regimental Quartermaster Sergeant, 2nd Battalion Royal Scots Fusiliers, died aged 31, **7 July 1931**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

For 2nd Battalion Royal Scots Fusiliers, see James Crawford.

William H. Hill - Staff Sergeant (Battery Quartermaster Sergeant), Number 1406897, HK & Singapore Brigade RA, noted as of the Church of England faith, died aged 39, **16 August 1931**, buried in Section 16D/4/21, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his wife Beatrice and son Billy, is at:
[https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All Its images/201309/t20130912_65911.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=hill|keyword=hill](https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Its_images/201309/t20130912_65911.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=hill|keyword=hill)

The HK & Singapore Brigade, RA, had one pack battery and three heavy batteries in 1924, and by 1933 had three heavy batteries in HK: 2nd, 4th and 5th, used for coastal defence. In 1936, the Brigade was converted to mobile defence, and in 1938 another two batteries were added.

H. Pengelly - Staff Sergeant, RE, died aged 29, **21 August 1931**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

H. D. Reding - Staff Sergeant, Number 7717174, RE, died ? **1931**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

John O'Brien - Number 2975762, 2nd Battalion Argyll & Sutherland Highlanders, died **29 August 1931**, buried in Grave 5615, Section 5, the Roman Catholic Cemetery, Happy Valley.

For 2nd Battalion Argyll & Sutherland Highlanders, see Richard Fairman.

Archie Hall - Able Seaman, RN, HMS *Seraph* [*Serph*], died **8 September 1931**, buried in Section 21A/4/27, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130916_70505.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Archie+Hall|keyword=Archie+Hall

HMS *Seraph* was an S-class destroyer launched in 1918 and sold in 1934.

Frank Kirby - Chief Petty Officer, RN, HMS *Hermes*, of Southend, died of pneumonia, **9 November 1931**, buried in Section 21A/4/28, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his wife, Daisy, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130916_70504.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Kirby|keyword=Kirby

For HMS *Hermes*, see James H. Whitby.

Richard Cowsill - Stoker, RN, HMS *Hermes*, died aged 28, **23 November 1931**, buried in Section 21A/2/31, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130916_70562.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Cowsill|keyword=Cowsill

For HMS *Hermes*, see James H. Whitby.

George Hawkins - Leading Stoker, RN, died **2 December 1931**, buried in Section 21A/4/25, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130916_70507.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Hawkins|keyword=Hawkins

Harold Charles Clarke - Gunner, Number 5379328, 20th Heavy Battery RA, noted as of the Church of England faith, died aged 21, **9 December 1931**, buried in Section 16D/5/10, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130912_65895.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Clark|keyword=Clark

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Albert G. Cruise - 1st Battalion the South Wales Borderers, died **2 January 1932**, buried in Grave 5655, Section 5, the Roman Catholic Cemetery, Happy Valley.

For 1st Battalion the South Wales Borderers, see James Moore.

Patrick Ward - Able Seaman, RN, HMS *Cumberland*, of Southend, died from an accidental gunshot wound to the head, aged 20, **11 January 1932**, buried in Section 21A/4/29, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

[https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All Images/images/201309/t20130916_70503.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=patrick+Ward|keyword=patrick+Ward](https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130916_70503.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=patrick+Ward|keyword=patrick+Ward)

For HMS *Cumberland*, see Edward Bamford.

Alfred George Tottman - Able Seaman, RN, HMS *Cumberland*, died aged 29, **11 January 1932**, buried in Section 21A/1/31, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130916_70628.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Tottman|keyword=Tottman

For HMS *Cumberland*, see Edward Bamford.

Edward Mullen - Colour Sergeant, Company Quartermaster Sergeant, Number 2966154, 2nd Battalion Argyll & Sutherland Highlanders, died **18 January 1932**, buried in Grave 5666, Section 5, the Roman Catholic Cemetery, Happy Valley.

For 2nd Battalion Argyll & Sutherland Highlanders, see Richard Fairman.

Cyril Jack Munson - Able Seaman, RN, HMS *Medway*, died aged 23, **25 January 1932**, buried in Section 21A/2/32, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130916_70561.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Munson|keyword=Munson

For HMS *Medway*, see Frank Albert Humphy.

Leslie Cyril Norris - Leading Telegraphist, RN, HMS *Moth*, died aged 26, **4 February 1932**, buried in Section 21A/4/30, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130916_70502.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Norris|keyword=Norris

For HMS *Moth*, see Harold Leslie Horloway.

John Fellowes - Petty Officer, RN, HMS *Proteus*, died aged 34, **14 February 1932**, buried in Section 21A/5/10, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130916_70486.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Fellowes|keyword=Fellowes

HMS *Proteus* was a Parthian-class submarine launched in 1929 and sold in 1946.

John George Edward Rintoul - Corporal, Royal Marines, died aged 34, **12 March 1932**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

George Edward Walker Cunnington - Telegraphist, RN, HMS *Cumberland*, died aged 19, **13 March 1932**, buried in Section 21A/4/9, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at: https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130916_70523.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Walker|keyword=Walker

For HMS *Cumberland*, see Edward Bamford.

William Henry Spooner - Leading Signalman, RN, HMS *Olympus*, died aged 35, **18 March 1932**, buried in Section 21A/3/11, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at: https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130916_70548.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Spooner|keyword=Spooner

HMS *Olympus* was an Odin-class submarine launched in 1928. From 1931 to 1939, *Olympus* was part of the 4th Flotilla on the China Station. From 1939 to 1940 she was with the 8th Flotilla, Colombo, Ceylon. She was sunk off Malta in 1942.

D. J. Brunning - Joiner 1st Class, RN, died **22 March 1932**, buried in Grave 5696, Section 5, the Roman Catholic Cemetery, Happy Valley.

John William Dunn - Private, 1st Battalion the Wiltshire Regiment (Duke of Edinburgh's), died aged 22, **29 March 1932**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

1st Battalion the Wiltshire Regiment moved from Egypt to Shanghai from 1931-1932, then moved to Singapore.

Frederick Ireland - Private, 1st Battalion East Lancashire Regiment, died **2 April 1932**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

1st Battalion East Lancashire Regiment moved from India to Shanghai in 1932 and left for England in 1933.

Frank William Louis Beckingham - Ordinary Seaman, RN, HMS *Cornwall*, died aged 18, **1 May 1932**, buried in Section 21A/2/12, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130916_70581.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Beckingham|keyword=Beckingham

HMS *Cornwall* was a County-class, Kent sub-class heavy cruiser launched in 1926. The ship spent most of her pre-World War II career assigned to the China Station, assigned to the 5th Cruiser Squadron. Shortly after the war began in August 1939, she was assigned to search for German commerce raiders in the Indian Ocean.

She was sunk by a Japanese air attack during the Indian Ocean raid in 1942.

Robert Tyrwhitt - Sub Lieutenant, RN, HMS *Orpheus*, committed suicide by gunshot aged 22, **3 May 1932**, buried in Section 21A/3/7, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:
https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130916_70552.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Tyrwhitt|keyword=Tyrwhitt

HMS *Orpheus* was an Odin-class submarine launched in 1929. She was lost with all hands off Tobruk in 1940 after being depth-charged by the Italian destroyer *Turbine*.

Toni Sydney Sanderson Chafer - Company Sergeant Major, RASC, died aged 25, **4 May 1932**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

A. W. Rercliffe - Conductor, RAOC, died aged 42, **5 May 1932**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

James Moore - 1st Battalion the South Wales Borderers, died **19 May 1932**, buried in Grave 5724, Section 5, the Roman Catholic Cemetery, Happy Valley.

1st Battalion the South Wales Borderers arrived in HK in 1931, and relieved 1st Battalion the Queen's Regiment in 1931 in Hankow Barracks, Sham Sui Po.

H. P. Smith - Private, RAOC, died aged 25, **22 May 1932**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

Claude Stuart Bull Turnbull - Lieutenant, RN, died aged 29, **11 June 1932**, buried in Section 21A/4/5, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:
https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130916_70527.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Turnbull|keyword=Turnbull

William Joseph Heverin - Squadron Quartermaster Sergeant, RASC, died aged 41, **16 July 1932**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

W. R. R. Hooper - Signaller, Royal Corps of Signals, died **17 July 1932**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

Robert Linton Ritchie - Major, OBE, RAMC, died aged 42, **22 July 1932**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

Charles Henry Smith - Private, 1st Battalion the Lincolnshire Regiment, died aged 19, **30 July 1932**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

1st Battalion the Lincolnshire Regiment moved from Gibraltar to Shanghai in 1931. Hostilities broke out between the Chinese and Japanese. Shells and bombs frequently dropped in the Settlement and one which exploded 30 yards from the Orderly Room blew the Commanding Officer out of his chair.

William Walter Bishop - Able Seaman, RN, HMS *Tarantula*, died aged 24, **2 September 1932**, buried in Section 21A/1/13, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130916_70645.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Bishop|keyword=Bishop

For HMS *Tarantula*, see James Wright.

Thomas James Coleman [Colemar] - Corporal, A Company, 1st Battalion South Wales Borderers, noted as of the Church of England faith, died at HK, aged 25, **6 September 1932**, buried in Section 16D/6/7, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his parents and friends, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130912_65882.html?f=search&t=search_data

tas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Coleman|keyword=Coleman

For 1st Battalion South Wales Borderers, see James Moore.

F. W. Leek - Signaller, Royal Corps of Signals, died **15 September 1932**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

Arthur Lewis - Private, 1st Battalion East Lancashire Regiment, died ? **1932**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

For 1st Battalion East Lancashire Regiment, see Frederick Ireland.

William Richard Fowler - Stoker Petty Officer, RN, HMS *Hermes*, died aged 37, **6 November 1932**, buried in Section 17/5/12, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130916_71254.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Fowler|keyword=Fowler

For HMS *Hermes*, see James H. Whitby.

Norman Robert Stirling - Petty Officer, RN, HMS *Veteran*, died **26 December 1932**, buried in Section 17/5/9, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his shipmates and brothers, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130916_71257.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Stirling|keyword=Stirling

HMS *Veteran* was a modified W-class destroyer launched in 1919. She was assigned to the 3rd Destroyer Flotilla of the Atlantic Fleet. The Flotilla was transferred to the Mediterranean Fleet in 1923, then in 1926 to China Station. She was involved in the Nanking Incident in March 1927. In early 1930s after a refit, she was placed in reserve as more modern destroyers came on line. In 1942, on Atlantic convoy escort duty, HMS *Veteran* came across the survivors of the SS New York. While she was picking up some of the survivors, she was hit by two torpedoes from U-404. HMS *Veteran* sank quickly south of Iceland after an explosion. All hands, as well as a number of survivors from the SS New York were lost.

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Thomas Harold Harding - Able Seaman, RN, HMS *Cornwall*, died aged 37, **6 January 1933**, buried in Section 17/5/11, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130916_71255.html?f=search&t=search_data

<as.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Harding|keyword=Harding>

For HMS *Cornwall*, see Frank William Louis Beckingham.

Edward Green - Private, 1st Battalion East Lancashire Regiment, died aged 22, **4 March 1933**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

For 1st Battalion East Lancashire Regiment, see Frederick Ireland.

Cecil Budd - Lance Corporal, RASC, died **4 March 1933**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

Patrick Hourihane - Leading Stoker, RN, died **2 April 1933**, buried in Grave 5847, Section 5, the Roman Catholic Cemetery, Happy Valley.

Thomas Roy Colenso Glover - Private, 1st Battalion East Lancashire Regiment, died aged 26, **25 April 1933**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

For 1st Battalion East Lancashire Regiment, see Frederick Ireland.

Herbert Austin Rodgers - died **27 May 1933**, buried in Grave 5884, Section 5, the Roman Catholic Cemetery, Happy Valley.

Frederick Noel Bunt - Leading Cook, RN, HMS *Caradoc*, died aged 28, **8 June 1933**, buried in Section 17/5/8, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130916_71258.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Bunt|keyword=Bunt

HMS *Caradoc* was a C-class light cruiser launched in 1916, one of the four ships of the Caledon sub-class. She spent most of the rest of her time between the World Wars overseas or in reserve with deployments to the Far East and the North America and West Indies Station. *Caradoc* was recommissioned in July 1930 for service on the China Station with the 5th Cruiser Squadron. She returned home four years later and was again placed in reserve on 17 October 1934. She was scrapped in 1946.

Herbert William John Curthoys - Able Seaman, RN, HMS *Herald* [*Herold*], died aged 24, **15 June 1933**, buried in Section 17/5/6 the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:
https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130916_71260.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Curthoys|keyword=Curthoys

HMS *Herald* was a 24-class minesweeping sloop launched as HMS *Merry Hampton* in 1918, renamed in 1923 and converted to a survey ship. She was scuttled in 1942 at Seletar, Singapore Naval Base, raised

by the Japanese, renamed *Heiyo*, and sunk by a mine on 14 November 1944.

John Thomas [J.] Cartwright - Private, Number 4797962, B Company, 1st Battalion Lincolnshire Regiment, noted as of the Church of England faith, died aged 26, **28 June 1933**, buried in Section 16D/7/6, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130912_65870.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Cartwright|keyword=Cartwright

For 1st Battalion Lincolnshire Regiment, see Samuel Brown.

G. E. Page - Captain, RE (Postal section), killed by a gunshot, when an old Chinese rifle was accidentally discharged, on **11 or 12 July 1933**, buried in an unidentified cemetery in Shanghai.

Geoffrey Gordon Carter - Lieutenant Commander, RN, committed suicide, suffering from depression, aged 33, **18 August 1933**, buried in Section 21A/5/5, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130916_70491.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Carter|keyword=Carter

Samuel Brown - Private, Number 4800161 [1800161], A Company, 1st Battalion the Lincolnshire Regiment, died at HK aged 20, **27 September 1933**, buried in Section 16D/8/5, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130912_65859.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Samuel+Brown|keyword=Samuel+Brown

For 1st Battalion the Lincolnshire Regiment, see Charles Henry Smith. The Battalion moved from Shanghai to Hong Kong in 1933, and remained in the Colony until 1935.

Christopher Young - Able Seaman, RN, HMS *Cornflower*, died aged 29, **29 September 1933**, buried in Section 17/5/13, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130916_71253.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Christopher+Young|keyword=Christopher+Young

HMS *Cornflower* was an Arabis-class sloop launched in 1916. In 1927, she relieved HMS *Hollyhock* in Hong Kong. On 31 March 1934, the Royal Navy presented the ship to the HKNVR on permanent loan as a drill ship. Hong Kong Commodore-in-Charge Frank Elliot replaced the crest and motto of the ship with that of Clan Elliott (Elliot's

ancestor Charles Elliot had also been the first Administrator of Hong Kong). In April 1934, she was put under the command of Lieutenant-Commander H. S. Rouse. She remained stationery at Wan Chai where she served as the headquarters and training ship of the HKNVR. By 1940, the ship was decrepit. A river steamer, SS *Tai Hing*, was refitted in March 1940 to replace *Cornflower* as the headquarters of the HKNVR. *Tai Hing* was renamed *Cornflower* after her predecessor *Cornflower* was handed back to the Royal Navy to be broken up.

Arthur Hugh Kinnaird Watson - Colonel, noted as of the Church of England faith, died aged 52, **20 October 1933**, buried in Section 17/12/7, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at: https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130916_71159.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Watson|keyword=Watson

John Augustine Sullivan - Signaller, RN, died **26 December 1933**, buried in Grave 5946, Section 5, the Roman Catholic Cemetery, Happy Valley.

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Herbert Langdon - Private, 2nd Battalion East Lancashire Regiment, noted as of the Church of England faith, died at HK aged

26, **1 January 1934**, buried in Section 16D/8/4, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130912_65860.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Langdon|keyword=Langdon

For 2nd Battalion East Lancashire Regiment, see Frederick Ireland.

Anthony Dunn - Petty Officer, HMS *Osiris*, died aged 37, **12 January 1934**, buried in Section 17/5/5, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130916_71261.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Dunn|keyword=Dunn

HMS *Osiris* was an Odin-class submarine launched in 1928. She was first commissioned for service with the 4th Submarine Flotilla on the China Station. She was sold in 1945, being broken up in 1952.

Douglas Ewan Gillespie - Lieutenant, RN, HMS *Verity*, committed suicide by gunshot, aged 22, **23 January 1934**, buried in Section 21A/5/4, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130916_70492.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Gillespie|keyword=Gillespie

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HMS *Verity* was an Admiralty modified W-class destroyer launched in 1919. She spent the later part of the 20s and the early 30s in the Mediterranean. She was broken up in 1947.

Edward Home Bain - Able Seaman, RN, HMS *Whitshed*, died aged 31, **8 February 1934**, buried in Section 17/5/4, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130916_71262.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Bain|keyword=Bain

HMS *Whitshed* was an Admiralty modified W-class destroyer launched in 1919. She was assigned to the 3rd Destroyer Flotilla which was assigned in 1926 to the China Station. She was involved in the Nanking Incident in March 1927. When the United States Navy gunboat USS *Fulton* was heavily damaged by fire while at sea off China on 14 March 1934, *Whitshed*, her sister ship HMS *Wishart*, and the merchant ship SS *Tsinan* came to *Fulton*'s assistance. *Wishart* and *Tsinan* took off *Fulton*'s crew, three of whom had suffered minor injuries, and took them to the Royal Navy Dockyard at Hong Kong while *Whitshed* stood by *Fulton* until a salvage party could put the fire out. The United States Department of the Navy later passed thanks to British naval authorities for the assistance *Wishart* and *Whitshed* provided to *Fulton* and her crew. She was scrapped in 1948.

Thomas H. A. McCarthy - died **20 February 1934**, buried in Grave 5971, Section 5, the Roman Catholic Cemetery, Happy Valley.

Albert Lowe - Private, Number 2905998 [?306398], 1st Battalion South Wales Borderers, noted as of the Church of England faith, died at HK aged 25, **20 February 1934**, buried in Section 16D/7/5, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130912_65871.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Albert+Lowe|keyword=Albert+Lowe

For 1st Battalion the South Wales Borderers, see James Moore.

Richard Preslin - Sergeant, Royal Army Pay Corps, noted as of the Church of England faith, died aged 38, **2 March 1934**, buried in Section 16D/6/6, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130912_65883.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Preslin|keyword=Preslin

Hugh Charles Bedford Pearse - Midshipman, RN, HMS *Cumberland*, born 2 June 1914, killed in a motor car accident, **9 March 1934**, buried in Section 21A/4/4, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130916_70528.html?f=search&t=search_das.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Pearse|keyword=Pearse

For HMS *Cumberland*, see Edward Bamford.

Archie Thomas William Morris [Horris] - Private, Number 3887425, 1st Battalion South Wales Borderers, noted as of the Church of England faith, died aged 24, **13 June 1934**, buried in Section 16D/5/9, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at: https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130912_65896.html?f=search&t=search_das.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Archie|keyword=Archie

For 1st Battalion the South Wales Borderers, see James Moore.

Frederick Richardson - Sergeant, Number 6768014, RAOC, noted as of the Church of England faith, died at HK aged 38, **4 July 1934**, buried in Section 16D/4/20, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at: https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130912_65912.html?f=search&t=search_das.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Frederick+Richardson|keyword=Frederick+Richardson

Leonard Wilfred Murrell - Private, 2nd Battalion Worcestershire Regiment, died aged 22, **4 July 1934**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

2nd Battalion Worcestershire Regiment was in Shanghai 1933-1934, relieved by the Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers, and spent the years 1934-1935 in Tientsin.

Herbert Arthur North - Lance Corporal, Number 5247912, 2nd Battalion Worcestershire Regiment, noted as of the Church of England faith, died at HK whilst proceeding from Shanghai, aged 22, **9 [5] July 1934**, buried in Section 16D/3/21, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130912_65939.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=North|keyword=North

For 2nd Battalion Worcestershire Regiment, see Leonard Wilfred Murrell.

George Robert Murphy - Flying Officer, RAF, RAF Kai Tak, noted as of the Church of England faith, died aged 26 [27], **9 August 1934**, buried in Section 17/12/6, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130916_71160.html?f=search&t=search_data

[as.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Murphy|keyword=Murphy](https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130916_70555.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Murphy|keyword=Murphy)

Archibald Robert Henry Walker - Lieutenant, RN, HMS *Whitshed* (1930-1932), died **4 [5] September 1934**, only son of Rear-Admiral A. H. Walker and Madeline his wife, born 6 September accidentally killed whilst climbing at Tso Kung Bay, buried in Section 21A/3/6, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His tomb, erected by his parents is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130916_70555.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Walker|keyword=Walker

For HMS *Whitshed*, see Edward Home Bain.

Albert Walters - Private, 2nd Battalion Worcestershire Regiment, died aged 23, **25 November 1934**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

For 2nd Battalion Worcestershire Regiment, see Leonard Wilfred Murrell.

Thomas Kelly - 1st Battalion East Lancashire Regiment, died **2 December 1934**, buried in Grave 6076, Section 5, the Roman Catholic Cemetery, Happy Valley.

For 1st Battalion East Lancashire Regiment, see Frederick Ireland. Kelly probably died in hospital in HK or while the Battalion was sailing back to England from Shanghai in 1933.

Ronald [Roland] Dodd - Private, 2nd Battalion Worcestershire Regiment, noted as of the Church of England faith, died at HK, **14 December 1934**, buried in Section 16D/2/24, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130912_65966.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Dodd|keyword=Dodd

For 2nd Battalion Worcestershire Regiment, see Leonard Wilfred Murrell.

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Ralph Vickers - Private, Number 4798891, 1st Battalion the Lincolnshire Regiment, noted as of the Church of England faith, died at HK aged 27, on **2 January 1935**, buried in Section 16D/2/23, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130912_65967.html?f=search&t=search_da

[tas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Vickers|keyword=Vickers](https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130912_65897.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Vickers|keyword=Vickers)

For 1st Battalion the Lincolnshire Regiment, see Samuel Brown.

Thomas Baxter - Private, Number 480029, 1st Battalion the Lincolnshire Regiment, died at HK aged 24, on or about **8 January 1935**, buried in Section 16D/5/8, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130912_65897.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Baxter|keyword=Baxter

For 1st Battalion the Lincolnshire Regiment, see Samuel Brown.

Ronald [Roland] Vibart [Vibert] - Bombardier [Gunner], Number 1071181, 12th Heavy Battery RA, noted as of the Church of England faith, died aged 23, **13 January 1935**, buried in Section 16D/3/20, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130912_65940.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Vibart|keyword=Vibart

William John Willgoss [Wilgoss] - Acting Leading Stoker, RN, HMS *Adventure*, died **14 January 1935**, buried in Section 17/5/3, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his shipmates, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130916_71263.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=William+John|keyword=William+John

For HMS *Adventure*, see Trevor Handel Hughes.

Fred Burnett - Bandmaster, 2nd Battalion Royal Welch Fusiliers, noted as of the Church of England faith, died aged 29, **18 January 1935**, buried in Section 16D/4/19, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130912_65913.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Burnett|keyword=Burnett

For 2nd Battalion Royal Welch Fusiliers, see Oliver Roberts.

Trevor Handel Hughes - Able Seaman, RN, HMS *Adventure*, died **22 January 1935**, buried in Section 17/5/2, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his shipmates, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130916_71264.html?f=search&t=search_da

[tas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Trevor|keyword=Trevor](https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130916_71265.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Trevor|keyword=Trevor)

HMS *Adventure* was a minelaying cruiser launched in 1924, the first vessel built for service as a minelayer and the first warship to use diesel engines. Her commander between 1928 and 1929 was the future First Sea Lord John H. D. Cunningham. *Adventure* served on the China Station from 1935 to 1938. She was scrapped in 1947.

Herbert Makin - Petty Officer, RN, HMS *Berwick*, died aged 25, **3 February 1935**, buried in Section 17/5/1, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130916_71265.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=makin|keyword=makin

For HMS *Berwick*, see Reginald F. Swallow.

William Johnson - Stoker, RN, HMS *Hermes*, died aged 24, **10 February 1935 [1934]**, buried in Section 17/4/2, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130916_71275.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=William+Johnson|keyword=William+Johnson

For HMS *Hermes*, see James H. Whitby.

Frederick Kyle - Fusilier, ?2nd Battalion Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers, died aged 20, **1 March 1935**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

The Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers relieved 2nd Battalion Worcestershire Regiment in Shanghai in 1934 and remained there until 1936, then moving to Singapore. The 2nd Battalion of the Regiment had been disbanded in 1922, and was not re-raised until 1937.

John Maldwyn Francis - Quartermaster Sergeant, Number 1025306, 20 Heavy Battery RA, noted as of the Church of England faith, died at HK aged 39, **8 March 1935**, buried in Section 16D/6/5, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130912_65884.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=1025306|keyword=1025306

Wilfred [W. Gordan] Girand Martin - Musician, RM, RM Band, HMS *Hermes*, **21 March 1935**, buried in Section 17/4/3, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his messmates and comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130916_71274.html?f=search&t=search_dat

[as.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Wilfred+W|keyword=Wilfred+W](https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130912_65872.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Wilfred+W|keyword=Wilfred+W)

For HMS *Hermes*, see James H. Whitby.

Walter Shippins [Skippins] 'Jock' Vallance - Sapper, 22nd Company (Fortress), RE, noted as of the Church of England faith, died at HK aged 24, **6 April 1935**, buried in Section 16D/7/4, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades in 1938, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130912_65872.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Vallance|keyword=Vallance

Ernest Slayford - Able Seaman, RN, HMS *Medway*, died aged 34, **20 April 1935 [1938]**, buried in Section 17/4/4, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130916_71273.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Slayford|keyword=Slayford

For HMS *Medway*, see Frank Albert Humphy.

Joseph Edwards Harris - Able Seaman, RN, died **8 May 1935**, buried in Grave 6141, Section 5, the Roman Catholic Cemetery, Happy Valley.

Francis Dalgarno Gilliot de Berthilleux - Lieutenant, RA, noted as of the Church of England faith, die **12 May 1935**, buried in Grave 9522, Section 17A, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley.

Charles William Ward - Stoker, RN, Number IP/KX79238, HMS *Grimsby*, died aged 27, **20 May 1935**, buried in Section 17/4/5, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

[https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All Its images/201309/t20130916_71272.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Ward|keyword=Ward](https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Its_images/201309/t20130916_71272.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Ward|keyword=Ward)

HMS *Grimsby* was a Grimsby-class sloop launched in 1933 and sunk in 1941. She was deployed to the China Station, carrying out patrols along the coast of China seeking to deter piracy. *Grimsby* remained on the China station until 1939, her regular duties being punctuated by periodic dockings at Hong Kong or Singapore for refit and repair. Along with the cruiser *Dorsetshire* and the American cruiser USS *Marblehead*, she was present at Tsingtao in Eastern China on 10 January 1938, when the city was occupied by Japanese forces. She was deployed on convoy escort duties along the East coast of the Britain and in the Mediterranean Sea during the Second World War, and was sunk by dive bombers off Tobruk on 25 May 1941.

Michael Cregan - Fusilier, [2nd Battalion] Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers, died aged 23, **20 July 1935**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

For the Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers, see Frederick Kyle.

Alfred Waldock - Private, Number 3383699, 2nd Battalion East Lancashire [Lincolnshire] Regiment, of Melbourne, Cambridgeshire, noted as of the Church of England faith, died aged 21, **25 July 1935**, buried in Section 16D/8/3, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

[https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All Its images/201309/t20130912_65861.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Waldock|keyword=Waldock](https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Its_images/201309/t20130912_65861.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Waldock|keyword=Waldock)

For 2nd Battalion East Lancashire Regiment, see Frederick Ireland.

Robert John Meaklim - Fusilier, [2nd Battalion] Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers, died aged 21, **27 July 1935**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

For the Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers, see Frederick Kyle.

Andrew Kelly - Driver, RASC, died aged 22, **3 August 1935**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

Harry David Jenner - Com / Co [CD] Gunner (T), RN, HMS *Delight*, died of poison aged 44, **28 August 1935**, buried in Section 21A/2/7, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at: https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130916_70586.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Jenner|keyword=Jenner

HMS *Delight* was a D-class destroyer launched in 1932 and initially assigned to the Mediterranean Fleet before she was transferred to the China Station in early 1935. She was temporarily deployed in the Red Sea during late 1935 during the Abyssinia Crisis, before returning to her duty station where she remained until mid-1939. *Delight* was transferred back to the Mediterranean Fleet just before the Second World War began in September 1939. She served with the Home Fleet during the Norwegian Campaign. She was sunk by German dive-bombers on 29 July 1940 while attempting to transit the English Channel in daylight.

Lewis Ashby - Lance Corporal, Number 4799450, 1st Battalion the Lincolnshire Regiment, died at HK aged 36, **31 August 1935**, buried in Section 16D/8/2, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at: https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130912_65862.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Ashby|keyword=Ashby

For 1st Battalion the Lincolnshire Regiment, see Samuel Brown.

Henry Nathaniel Lamb - Bandsman, [?Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers], buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

For the Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers, see Frederick Kyle.

James Kidston - Able Seaman, RN, HMS *Capetown*, died aged 23, **3 September 1935**, buried in Section 17/4/6, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130916_71271.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Kidston|keyword=Kidston

HMS *Capetown* was a C-class light cruiser of the Carlisle group of C-class cruisers. She was launched on 28 June 1918. She spent a large part of her career with the Eastern Fleet, including a period between the wars from July 1934 until August 1938. She was scrapped in 1946.

William Setterfield [Settersfield] - Sergeant, Number 4179359, 2nd Battalion Royal Welch Fusiliers, noted as of the Church of England faith, died at the Military Hospital HK aged 35, **21 October 1935**, buried in Section 16D/7/3, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130912_65873.html?f=search&t=search_data

[tas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Fusiliers|keyword=Fusiliers](https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130912_65885.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Fusiliers|keyword=Fusiliers)

For 2nd Battalion Royal Welch Fusiliers, see Oliver Roberts.

Thomas Lawton - Fusilier [Lance Corporal], Number 4188909, 2nd Battalion Royal Welch Fusiliers, noted as of the Church of England faith, died at the Military Hospital Hong Kong aged 24, **30 October 1935**, buried in Section 16D/6/4, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130912_65885.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Lawton|keyword=Lawton

For 2nd Battalion Royal Welch Fusiliers, see Oliver Roberts.

William Patterson Walker - Gunner, Number 826866, 20th Heavy Battery, RA, noted as of the Church of England faith, died aged 21, **3 November 1935**, buried in Section 16D/5/7, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130912_65898.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Walker|keyword=Walker

Oliver Roberts - Private, Number 4189611, B Company, 2nd Battalion Royal Welch Fusiliers, noted as of the Church of England faith, died aged 27, **25 December 1935**, buried in Section 16D/4/18, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130912_65914.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Oliver+Roberts|keyword=Oliver+Roberts

2nd Battalion Royal Welch Fusiliers arrived in HK in late 1935 and departed in late 1937.

Arthur Basset Hearle - Colonel, DSO, Commander Royal Artillery HK, born 12 February 1884, noted as of the Church of England faith, died aged 51, **30 December [September] 1935**, buried in Section 17/12/5, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130916_71161.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Hearle|keyword=Hearle

Frederick N. Mealand - Private, Number 3383486, 2nd Battalion East Lancashire Regiment, noted as of the Church of England faith, died in the Military Hospital HK aged 25, **18 January 1936**, buried in Section 16D/7/2, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130912_65874.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Mealand|keyword=Mealand

For 2nd Battalion East Lancashire Regiment, see Frederick Ireland.

Charles Albert Layzell - Sergeant, Number 1417103, 20th Heavy Battery RA, noted as of the Church of England faith, died aged 40, **1 April 1936**, buried in Section 16D/6/3, the Colonial Cemetery. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130912_65886.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Layzell|keyword=Layzell

Harold Thomas - Gunner, Number 781496, 12th Heavy Battery RA, noted as of the Church of England faith, died at HK aged 22, **22 April 1936**, buried in Section 16D/6/2, the Colonial Cemetery. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130912_65887.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Thomas|keyword=Thomas

[tas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Harold+Thomas|keyword=Harold+Thomas](https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130912_65899.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Harold+Thomas|keyword=Harold+Thomas)

Christopher Carlin - 1st Battalion Royal Ulster Rifles, died **8 July 1936**, buried in Grave 6296, Section 5, the Roman Catholic Cemetery, Happy Valley.

1st Battalion Royal Ulster Rifles were in HK from 1936 to 1937.

James Barclay - Lance Corporal, 1st Battalion Royal Ulster [Vester] Rifles, died at HK aged 26, **29 July 1936**, buried in Section 16D/5/6, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130912_65899.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Barclay|keyword=Barclay

For 1st Battalion Royal Ulster Rifles, see Christopher Carlin.

Leslie Frank Lindley - Ordnance Artificer, RN, HMS *Tarantula*, died aged 27, **9 October 1936**, buried in Section 17/3/2, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130916_71287.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Lindley|keyword=Lindley

For HMS *Tarantula*, see James Wright.

Adrian Claude Herod - Petty Officer, RN, HMS *Capetown*, died aged 28, **9 October 1936**, buried in Section 17/4/7, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130916_71270.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Herod|keyword=Herod

For HMS *Capetown*, see James Kidston.

Alexander Hislop - Able Seaman, RN, HMS *Odin*, died aged 24, **3 December 1936**, buried in Section 17/4/8, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130916_71269.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Hislop|keyword=Hislop

HMS *Odin* was an *Odin*-class submarine launched in 1928. She served with the 5th Flotilla at Portsmouth in 1929–1930, then with the 4th Flotilla at Hong Kong from 1930–1939. She was depth charged and later rammed on surface by the Italian destroyers *Strale* and *Baleno* and sank in the Gulf of Taranto on 13 June 1940.

James Henry Williams - Sick Berth Petty Officer, RN, HMS *Tamar*, died aged 38, **21 December 1936**, buried in Section 17/4/9, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:
https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130916_71268.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Williams|keyword=Williams

For HMS *Tamar*, see John W. Cooke.

Frederick George Smith - Able Seaman, RN, HMS *Dorsetshire*, died aged 35, **23 December 1936**, buried in Section 17/4/10, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:
https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130916_71267.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Smith|keyword=Smith

HMS *Dorsetshire* was a County-class, Norfolk sub-class, heavy cruiser launched in 1929. She moved to the China Station in late 1935, and remained there until the outbreak of the Second World War, when she was transferred to the South Atlantic. In March 1942, *Dorsetshire* was transferred to the Eastern Fleet to support British forces in the recently opened Pacific Theatre of the war. At the end of the month, the Japanese fast carrier task force—the Kido Butai—launched the Indian Ocean raid. On 5 April, Japanese aircraft spotted *Dorsetshire* and her sister *Cornwall* while en route to Colombo; a force of dive bombers then attacked the two ships and sank them.

More than 1,100 men were rescued the next day, out of a combined crew of over 1,500.

Henry Spinks Saunders - Gunner, Number 822851, 20th Heavy Battery RA, noted as of the Church of England faith, died aged 22, **26 December 1936**, buried in Section 16D/4/17, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his parents, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130912_65915.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Saunders|keyword=Saunders

1937

Albert Petty - Sergeant, Number S/13181, 12th Company RASC, noted as of the Church of England faith, died aged 35, **8 January 1937**, buried in Section 16D/5/5, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130912_65900.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Petty|keyword=Petty

Alfred Noddings - Rifleman, 1st Battalion Royal Ulster Rifles [RWR], noted as of the Church of England faith, died aged 25, **12**

February 1937, buried in Section 16D/5/4, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:
https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130912_65901.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Noddings|keyword=Noddings

For 1st Battalion Royal Ulster Rifles, see Christopher Carlin.

William Patrick Brown - Sergeant, Number 1417860, Corps of Military Police, died **13 April 1937**, buried in Grave 6429, Section 5, the Roman Catholic Cemetery, Happy Valley.

In 1877 a regular corps of military police was formed with the creation of the Military Mounted Police, which was followed by the Military Foot Police in 1885. They effectively functioned as a single organisation. In 1926, they were amalgamated to form the Corps of Military Police. They became the Royal Military Police in 1946.

B. M. Platt - Fusilier, Number 4191475, 2nd Battalion Royal Welch Fusiliers, died **24 April 1937**, buried in Grave 6433, Section 5, the Roman Catholic Cemetery, Happy Valley.

For 2nd Battalion Royal Welch Fusiliers, see Oliver Roberts.

Albert Arthur Codd [Godd] - Armourer Sergeant, Number 7582395, RAOC, 1st Battalion Seaforth Highlanders (Ross-shire Buffs,

The Duke of Albany's), noted as of the Church of England faith, died at HK aged 26, **29 July 1937**, buried in Section 16D/4/16, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130912_65916.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Codd|keyword=Codd

For 1st Battalion Seaforth Highlanders, see James Walker Urquhart.

Bernard George Chisholm Ellams - Aircraftman, RAF, RAF Kai Tak, noted as of the Church of England faith, died at HK aged 23, **30 July 1937**, buried in Section 16D/4/15, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130912_65917.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=ellams|keyword=ellams

Cecil Edward Partridge - Private, Number 758694 [758894], 6th Section, RAOC, noted as of the Church of England faith, died at HK aged 24, **6 August 1937**, buried in Section 16D/3/19, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130912_65941.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Partridge|keyword=Partridge

Ronald [Roland] Hickman - Gunner, Number 826752, 20th Heavy Battery RA, noted as of the Church of England faith, died at HK aged 23, **16 August 1937**, buried in Section 16D/3/18, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his parents, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130912_65942.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Hickman|keyword=Hickman

David William Beswick - Gunner, Number 847790, 9th [7th] Anti-Aircraft Battery, 5th Anti-Aircraft Regiment, RA, died at HK aged 20, **21 September 1937**, buried in Section 16D/5/3, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130912_65902.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Beswick|keyword=Beswick

5th Anti-Aircraft Regiment RA was in HK from the late 1930s to 1941, and had two batteries, 7th and 9th.

James Walker Urquhart - Private, Number 2818933, A Company, 1st Battalion Seaforth Highlanders (Ross-shire Buffs, The Duke of Albany's), noted as of the Church of England faith, died aged 23, **26**

[8] September 1937, buried in Section 16D/3/17, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130912_65943.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Urquhart|keyword=Urquhart

1st Battalion Seaforth Highlanders was in Hong Kong in 1937, and moved to Shanghai in 1938, deploying to Malaya in 1940.

Richard Frederick White - Mechanician, RN, HMS *Cumberland*, died aged 30, **21 November 1937**, buried in Section 17/3/3, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130916_71286.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=White|keyword=White

For HMS *Cumberland*, see Edward Bamford.

Frederick Dale - Able Seaman, RN, died **4 December 1937**, buried in Grave 6541, Section 5, the Roman Catholic Cemetery, Happy Valley.

Francis Henry - Staff Sergeant (Battery Quartermaster Sergeant), Number 1422807, 3rd Medium Battery, Hong Kong Regiment, HK & Singapore Brigade RA, noted as of the Church of England faith, died

at HK aged 35, **21 December 1937**, buried in Section 16D/3/16, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130912_65944.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Francis+Henry|keyword=Francis+Henry

3rd Medium Battery of the HK & Singapore Brigade RA arrived in HK after 1933 and, with 4th Medium Battery, was in HK in 1941.

1938

Harold Courtney Hole - Master Gunner, Number 1426090, 8th [B] Heavy Brigade RA, noted as of the Church of England faith, died aged 25, **22 January 1938**, buried in Section 16D/2/22, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130912_65968.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Hole|keyword=Hole

Pre 1933 to pre 1939, 8th Heavy Brigade RA was one of two Gunner units in HK (the other being HK & Singapore Brigade RA) and consisted of:

12th Heavy Battery RA

20th Heavy Battery RA

24th Heavy Battery RA

Edgar G. Abbott - Petty Officer, RN, HMS *Parthian*, died aged 30, **5 March 1938**, buried in Section 17/3/4 , the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130916_71285.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Abbott|keyword=Abbott

HMS *Parthian* was the lead boat of the six Royal Navy -class submarines, all launched in 1929. At the outbreak of the war, she was on the China Station, but was transferred to Alexandria in May 1940. The submarine was sunk near Brindisi in 1943.

Henry Frederick Dykes - Sergeant, Number 7255171, RAMC, died **20 March 1938**, buried in Grave 6599, Section 5, the Roman Catholic Cemetery, Happy Valley.

James Fraser - Private, Number 2819388, 1st Battalion Seaforth Highlanders, noted as of the Church of England faith, died aged 22, **24 March 1938**, buried in Section 16D/2/21, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130912_65969.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Fraser|keyword=Fraser

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For 1st Battalion the Seaforth Highlanders, see James Walter Urquhart.

Walter Halsale - Canteen Manager, Hankow Barracks, Sham Sui Po, died aged 62, **13 April 1938**, buried in Section 16D, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley.

Frederick Brownlow - Able Seaman, RN, HMS *Diana*, died aged 20, **8 May 1938**, buried in Section 17/3/6, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his shipmates, is at:

[https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All Items/images/201309/t20130916_71283.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Brownlow|keyword=Brownlow](https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130916_71283.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Brownlow|keyword=Brownlow)

HMS *Diana* was a D-class destroyer launched in 1932. She was initially assigned to the Mediterranean Fleet before she was transferred to the China Station in early 1935. She was temporarily deployed in the Red Sea during late 1935 during the Abyssinia Crisis, before returning to her duty station where she remained until mid-1939. *Diana* was transferred back to the Mediterranean Fleet just before the Second World War began. She was sold to the Royal Canadian Navy and renamed HMCS *Margaree* in 1940, lost that year after a collision.

Francis Dalgarno Gillio / Gilliot de Berthilleux / Berhilleux - Lieutenant, RA, great-nephew of Eugénie Sladden, the grandson of her sister, Mary Anna Robinson, died aged 24, **12 May 1938**, buried in Section 17/12/8, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley.

Francis Bernard Temme - Chief Petty Officer, RN, HMS *Robin*, died aged 43, **12 May 1938**, buried in Section 17/3/7, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

[https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All Images/images/201309/t20130916_71282.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Temme|keyword=Temme](https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130916_71282.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Temme|keyword=Temme)

HMS *Robin* was a river gunboat, launched in 1934 and scuttled in 1941.

William [Willaim] A. Matthews [Mattews] - Warrant Master at Arms, RN, HMS *Tamar*, died aged 43, **22 May 1938**, buried in Section 21A/1/7, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

[https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All Images/images/201309/t20130916_70651.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Matthews|keyword=Matthews](https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130916_70651.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Matthews|keyword=Matthews)

For HMS *Tamar*, see John W. Cooke.

James Alfred Lawlor - Lance Corporal, Number 6197397, 1st Battalion Middlesex Regiment (Duke of Cambridge's Own), noted as of the Church of England faith, died aged 30, **18 June 1938**, buried in Section 16D/1/21, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130912_65990.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=lawlor|keyword=lawlor

1st Battalion Middlesex Regiment arrived in HK in 1938, stationed in Hankow Barracks, Sham Sui Po, and were in station in 1941. It became a machine gun regiment before the 2nd World War.

Harry Jack Stickells - Able Seaman, RN, HMS *Medway*, died aged 36, **1 July 1938**, buried in Section 17/3/8, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130916_71281.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Stickells|keyword=Stickells

For HMS *Medway*, see Frank Albert Humphy.

Wallis John Smith - Bombardier, Number 1123099, RA, died **10 July 1938**, buried in Grave 6689, Section 5, the Roman Catholic Cemetery, Happy Valley.

J. H. D'Arcy - Private, Number 6202171, 1st Battalion Middlesex Regiment (Duke of Cambridge's Own), died **20 July 1938**, buried in Grave 6701, Section 5, the Roman Catholic Cemetery, Happy Valley.

For 1st Battalion Middlesex Regiment, see James Alfred Lawlor.

George Alfred Taylor - Staff Sergeant, Number 7256607, 27th Company RAMC, noted as of the Church of England faith, died aged 39, **11 August 1938**, buried in Section 16D/2/20, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130912_65970.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=George+Alfred+Taylor|keyword=George+Alfred+Taylor

Albert Edward Blacker - Private, 1st Battalion the Seaforth Highlanders (Ross-shire Buffs, The Duke of Albany's), died **14 August 1938**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

For 1st Battalion the Seaforth Highlanders, see James Walter Urquhart.

John Lindsay - Lance Corporal, Number 3052881, B Company, 2nd Battalion Royal Scots (the Royal Regiment), noted as of the Church of England faith, died aged 30, **17 August 1938**, buried in Section 16D/1/20, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his wife and son, Eric, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130912_65991.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Lindsay|keyword=Lindsay

2nd Battalion Royal Scots arrived in HK in 1938 and were in station in 1941.

Bertie Reginald Durrant - Private, 1st Battalion the Seaforth Highlanders (Ross-shire Buffs, The Duke of Albany's), died **31 August 1938**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

For 1st Battalion the Seaforth Highlanders, see James Walter Urquhart.

Alec Malcolm [Malcom/Malom] Wood - Lance Sergeant, Number 1412377, 9th Anti-Aircraft Battery, 5th Anti-Aircraft Regiment RA, noted as of the Church of England faith, died at HK aged 36, **3 September 1938**, buried in Section 16D/2/19, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130912_65971.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Wood|keyword=Wood

Frederick George Pitman - Chief Petty Officer, RN, HMS *Birmingham*, died aged 36, **16 October 1938**, buried in Section 17/3/9, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130916_71280.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Pitman|keyword=Pitman

HMS *Birmingham* was a 1936 Town-class light cruiser launched in 1936. She initially joined the 5th Cruiser Squadron on the China Station in January 1938. On the outbreak of the Second World War in September 1939, she left for Malta. She was broken up in 1960.

Herbert Sanders - Engine Room Artificer, RN, HMS *Regent*, of Stamford, Lincolnshire, died in the Royal Naval Hospital HK, aged 29, **18 October 1938**, buried in Section 17/4/11, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his family, is parents Herbert and Thirza Sanders, his sister of Kathleen Sanders and his fiancé, Lois Cicely Avery of Llangollen, North Wales, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130916_71266.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Sanders|keyword=Sanders

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HMS *Regent* was a Rainbow-class submarine launched on 11 June 1930. *Regent* was commissioned for service in the 4th Submarine Flotilla on the China Station. She was deployed at Hong Kong until 1940, when she transferred to the 1st Flotilla in Alexandria. She was lost with all hands after striking a mine in the Adriatic on 18 April 1943.

David John Dredge - died **24 October 1938**, buried in Grave 6762, Section 5, the Roman Catholic Cemetery, Happy Valley.

David Benton - Gunner, Number 838920, 9th Anti-Aircraft Battery, 5th Anti-Aircraft Regiment, RA, died aged 22, **12 November 1938**, buried in Section 16D/3/15, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley.

His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130912_65945.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Benton|keyword=Benton

Arthur Sutton - Gunner, Number 871596, 9th Anti-Aircraft Battery, 5th Anti-Aircraft Regiment RA, noted as of the Church of England faith, died aged 20, **12 November 1938**, buried in Section 16D/1/19, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130912_65992.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Sutton|keyword=Sutton

Phillip Kelly - Able Seaman, RN, died **11 December 1938**, buried in Grave 6786, Section 5, the Roman Catholic Cemetery, Happy Valley.

Derrick [Dewick] William Farr - Able Seaman, RN, HMS *Dainty*, died aged 20, **26 December 1938**, buried in Section 17/3/10, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130916_71279.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Farr|keyword=Farr

HMS *Dainty* was a D-class destroyer launched in 1932. The ship was initially assigned to the Mediterranean Fleet before she was transferred to the China Station in early 1935. She was temporarily deployed in the Red Sea during late 1935 during the Abyssinia Crisis, before returning to her assigned station where she remained until mid-1939. *Dainty* was transferred back to the Mediterranean Fleet just before World War II began. She was sunk by German bombers off Tobruk on 24 February 1941.

1939

William Thompson - Lance Sergeant, Number 1066941, 12th Heavy Battery, RA, died at HK aged 37, **4 January 1939**, buried in Section 16D/4/14, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130912_65918.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=William+Thompson|keyword=William+Thompson

Sidney John Fakeley [Fakely] - Chief Stoker, RN, HMS *Medway*, died aged 37, **6 January 1939**, buried in Section 17/3/11, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130916_71278.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Fakely|keyword=Fakely

For HMS *Medway*, see Frank Albert Humphy.

W. J. Selley - Squadron Sergeant Major, RASC, died **9 January 1939**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

John McKenzie - Sergeant, 1st Battalion the Seaforth Highlanders (Ross-shire Buffs, The Duke of Albany's), died **9 January 1939**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

For 1st Battalion the Seaforth Highlanders, see James Walter Urquhart.

John Isaac [Issac] Raven - Stoker Petty Officer, RN, HMS *Medway*, died aged 34, **12 January 1939**, buried in Section 17/2/3, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:
https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130916_71299.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Raven|keyword=Raven

For HMS *Medway*, see Frank Albert Humphy.

John Jackson - Private, Number 3054814, 2nd Battalion the Royal Scots (the Royal Regiment), noted as of the Church of England faith, died aged 22, **15 January 1939**, buried in Section 16D/1/18, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:
https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130912_65993.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=J+Jackson|keyword=J+Jackson

For 2nd Battalion the Royal Scots, see John Lindsay.

Ronald Scott - Major, 2nd Battalion the Royal Scots (the Royal Regiment), noted as of the Church of England faith, died at HK aged

43 [42], **4 February 1939**, buried in Section 17/12/1, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130916_71165.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Scott|keyword=Scott

For 2nd Battalion the Royal Scots, see John Lindsay.

Charles Alfred George Williams - Sapper, Number 6399563, 22nd Fortress Company RE, noted as of the Church of England faith, died aged 18, **11 February 1939**, buried in Section 16D/4/13, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, with a message by his mother, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130912_65919.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=6399563|keyword=6399563

Stanley Arthur Maydell - Stoker Petty Officer, RN, HMS *Pandora*, died **6 March 1939**, buried in Section 17/2/4, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his sisters, brothers and messmates, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130916_71298.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Maydell|keyword=Maydell

HMS *Pandora* was a Parthian-class submarine launched in 1929. She was initially named *Python*; her name was changed in 1928. In December 1930, Pandora cruised to China from Portsmouth. She arrived in Hong Kong in February 1931 and served in the China Station from 1931 to 1940. In 1940, Pandora became part of the First Submarine Flotilla. Pandora patrolled the Mediterranean from 1940 to 1942. She was sunk by bombing in harbour at Valletta, Malta in 1942. She was raised in 1943 and broken up in 1957.

Edward Hopkins - Sergeant, RASC, died aged 44, **16 March 1939**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

Joseph Arthur Cooney - Stoker, RN, HMS *Medway*, died aged 20, **1 April 1939**, buried in Section 17/2/5, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130916_71297.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Cooney|keyword=Cooney

For HMS *Medway*, see Frank Albert Humphy.

Cyril H. Boxall - Able Seaman, RN, HMS *Birmingham*, died aged 23, **4 April 1939**, buried in Section 17/2/6, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130916_71296.html?f=search&t=search_da

tas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Boxall|keyword=Boxall
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For HMS *Birmingham*, see Frederick George Pitman.

H. F. Thorne - Lance Corporal, Number 6201896, 1st Battalion Middlesex Regiment, died **10 April 1939**, buried in Grave 6955, Section 5, the Roman Catholic Cemetery, Happy Valley.

For 1st Battalion Middlesex Regiment, see James Alfred Lawlor.

William George Haynes - Able Seaman, RN, HMS *MTB 07*, died aged 32, **26 April 1939**, buried in Section 17/2/7, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

[https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All Items/images/201309/t20130916_71295.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Haynes|keyword=Haynes](https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130916_71295.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Haynes|keyword=Haynes)

HMS *Motor Torpedo Boat 07* was launched in 1938 and scuttled in HK on 26 December 1941. Her commanders were: Lieutenant Robert Angus Martin Hennessy, 6 September 1938 to 12 February 1940, and Temporary Lieutenant Ronald Robert Willson Ashby, HKRNVR, 12 February 1940 to 26 December 1941.

Horace Frank Kibby - Drummer, 1st Battalion the Seaforth Highlanders (Ross-shire Buffs, The Duke of Albany's), died **29 April 1939**, buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai.

For 1st Battalion the Seaforth Highlanders, see James Walter Urquhart.

Edward John Stemp - Private, Number 6200567, 1st Battalion Middlesex Regiment, noted as of the Church of England faith, died at HK aged 22, **3 May 1939**, buried in Section 16D/2/18, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by the Officers, Senior Non-Commissioned Officers and Junior Non-Commissioned Officers, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130912_65972.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Stemp|keyword=Stemp

For 1st Battalion Middlesex Regiment, see James Alfred Lawlor.

Irving Stansfield [Stangfield] - Sapper, Number 1871646, RE, noted as of the Church of England faith, died at HK aged 26, **12 May 1939**, buried in Section 16D/1/17, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130912_65994.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Irving|keyword=Irving

Herbert Gray - Sergeant, Number 1422855, 12th Heavy Battery, RA, noted as of the Church of England faith, died at HK aged 39, **6 June 1939**, buried in Section 16D/1/16, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130912_65995.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Herbert+Gray|keyword=Herbert+Gray

David Henry Bryan Cowen - Flying Officer, RAF, died **13 July 1939**, buried in Grave 6911, Section 5, the Roman Catholic Cemetery, Happy Valley.

Jack Ogden - Sergeant, Number 515896, RAF, died aged 26, **13 July 1939**, noted as of the Church of England faith, buried in Section 16D/2/17, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130912_65973.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Ogden|keyword=Ogden

Alfred Thomas Borrow - Corporal, Number 6199897, 1st Battalion Middlesex Regiment, died at HK aged 27, **20 July 1939**, buried in Section 16D/3/14, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His

gravestone, erected by the Officers, Non-Commissioned Officers and members of the Battalion, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130912_65946.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Borrow|keyword=Borrow

For 1st Battalion Middlesex Regiment, see James Alfred Lawlor.

Henry [Harry] Sims - Sapper, Number 1872666, 22nd Fortress Company RE, noted as of the Church of England faith, died aged 22, **25 August 1939**, buried in Section 16D/2/16, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130912_65974.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=H+Sims|keyword=H+Sims

Charles Harold Stevens (alias Charles Harold Miller) -

Private, Number 6202374, 1st Battalion Middlesex Regiment (Duke of Cambridge's Own), son of Charles and Celia Miller of Spitalfields, London, noted as of the Church of England faith, died at HK aged 23, **4 September 1939**, buried in Section 16D/1/15, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130912_65996.html?f=search&t=search_da

[tas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Steven|keyword=Steven](http://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Its_images/201309/t20130916_71322.html?f=search&t=search_databases.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Steven|keyword=Steven)

For 1st Battalion Middlesex Regiment, see James Alfred Lawlor.

Arthur Wolf - Able Seaman, RN, Number P/SSX 21196, HMS *Delight*, died in the Royal Naval Hospital HK aged 20, **12 September 1939**, buried in Section 17/1/2, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his shipmates, late of the China Station, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Its_images/201309/t20130916_71322.html?f=search&t=search_databases.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Wolf|keyword=Wolf

For HMS *Delight*, see Harry David Jenner.

Jai Singh Ram - Rifleman, 16393, 6th Battalion 6th Rajputana Rifles, died aged 20, **13 September 1939**. Son of Sheodan Ram and Dhapan; husband of Nanari of Chaina Bardu, Kairo, Loharu. Commemorated on the Sai Wan Cremation Memorial.

For 6th Battalion 6th Rajputana Rifles, see Nur Khan.

Richard Collingdon Symons Allin - Flight Lieutenant, RAF, Number 21214, son of Henry John and Mabel Augusta Allin of Exmouth, Devon, Chartered Accountant, died aged 28/29, **18 October 1939**, buried in Section 17/12/2, the Colonial Cemetery,

Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130916_71164.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Allin|keyword=Allin

James Davies - Lance Corporal, Number 3447680, 1st Battalion the Seaforth Highlanders (Ross-shire Buffs, The Duke of Albany's), died aged 22, **1 / 7 November 1939**, Son of James George and Henrietta Davies of Salford, Lancashire. Buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai. Also commemorated on the Sai Wan (China) Memorial.

For 1st Battalion the Seaforth Highlanders, see James Walter Urquhart.

Frederick James Evans - Sergeant, Number 7583824, RAOC, died **14 November 1939**, noted as of the Church of England faith, buried in Section 16D/3/13, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, with a message from his father, mother and sisters Ethel, Edna and Doris, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130912_65947.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Evans|keyword=Evans

William Long - Stoker Petty Officer, Number P/K 65357, HMS *Durban*, died aged 34, **20 November 1939**, buried in Section 17/1/3, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130916_71321.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=William+Long|keyword=William+Long

For HMS *Durban*, see John N. Johnson.

Nur Khan - Rifleman, Number 15339, 5th (Napier's) [6th] Battalion, 6th Rajputana Rifles, son of Sher Khan and Sharfu, of Maswai, Jhelum, Punjab, died aged 17, **7 December 1939**. Buried first in Kowloon (Ho Man Tin) No.3 Muslim Cemetery, then in Sai Wan War Cemetery, Grave XI K Sp Mem No 17.

5th (Napier's) Battalion, 6th Rajputana Rifles came to Hong Kong from Secunderabad in October 1939, and left for Ahmedabad, India, in October 1940.

Ah Fong - Leading Steward, RN, HMS *Duchess*, died **12 December 1939**. Commemorated on the HK Memorial, Stanley Military Cemetery.

HMS *Duchess* was a D-class destroyer launched in 1932. She was transferred to the China Station in early 1935. She was temporarily deployed in the Red Sea during late 1935 during the Abyssinia Crisis, before returning to her duty station where she remained until mid-1939. *Duchess* was transferred back to the Mediterranean Fleet just before the Second World War began in September 1939. While

escorting the battleship HMS *Barham* back to the British Isles, she was accidentally rammed by the battleship in thick fog and sank with heavy loss of life on 12 December 1939.

Ah Tat - Steward, RN, died **12 December 1939**. Commemorated on the HK Memorial, Stanley Military Cemetery.

For HMS *Duchess*, see Ah Fong.

Choi Wey - Petty Officer Steward, RN, died **12 December 1939**. Commemorated on the HK Memorial, Stanley Military Cemetery.

For HMS *Duchess*, see Ah Fong.

Stephen Michael Tracey - died **29 December 1939**, buried in Grave 7015, Section 5, the Roman Catholic Cemetery, Happy Valley.

George Robert Skeet, Private, Number 6085830, 2nd Battalion East Surrey Regiment, died aged 26, **29 December 1939**. Commemorated on the Sai Wan (China) memorial.

In September 1938, 2nd Battalion East Surrey Regiment was moved from Colchester to the British Concession of the International Settlement in Shanghai. In August 1940 the battalion was posted from China to Malaya where it was attached to 11th Indian Infantry Division based in North West Malaya, and in 1941 fought the Japanese with great loss until the surrender in February 1942.

1940

Harry Rubie - Stoker, RN, Number C/K 66668, HMS *Falcon*, son of William D. and Sophia J. Rubie, died aged 32, **11 January 1940**, buried in Section 17/2/8, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130916_71294.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Rubie|keyword=Rubie

HMS *Falcon* was a river launched in 1931 for the Yangtze River Patrol. During World War II, she had to withdraw to the Chinese wartime capital Chongqing, along with the retreating Chinese force to avoid being captured by the advancing Japanese invaders. In March 1941, the gunboat was paid off and her crew travelled overland to Yangon via the Burma Road and her guns were sent by elephants. The British decided to give the boat to Chinese as a gift, and Chinese in turn, began to train its own crew in preparation of the handover. HMS *Falcon* was officially handed over to Chinese in February 1942, and in the following month, *Falcon* officially joined the Republic of China Navy renamed as *Yīng dé*. The gunboat served with ROCN until 30 November 1949, when the ROCN Riverine Flotilla commander defected to advancing communist force that blocked the Yangtze River, taking seven boats to the communist side. After joining the People's Liberation Army Navy, the gunboat was renamed, *Nan Chiang*, and served until 1974.

Alfred James Hixon - Able Seaman, RN [RFR], Number P/J 92879, HMS *Danae*, son of Mr and Mrs Henry James Hixon, stepson of Gertrude G. Hixon of Winklebury, Hampshire, died aged 37 [38], **11 January 1940**, buried in Section 17/1/4, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130916_71320.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Hixon|keyword=Hixon

HMS *Danae* was a Danae-class light cruiser, the lead ship of the class (also known as the D class), launched in 1918. In 1935, at the outbreak of the Second Sino-Japanese War, she escorted various evacuation convoys from Shanghai to Hong Kong and was fired at by the Japanese Navy. After completing her duties in the Far East, *Danae* was again moved to Great Britain and placed in reserve. Mobilized in July 1939, she was lent to the Polish Navy between 1944 and 1946 as ORP *Conrad* and was sold for scrapping in 1948.

Knut Erik Olof Ringdahl - Surgeon Lieutenant, RNVR, HMS *Birmingham*, son of Arvid Emil Paulus and Laura Amalia Ringdahl of Wembley Park, Middlesex, husband of Rona Ringdahl LRCP, MRCS, died **19 [18] January 1940**, buried in Section 21A/2/6, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130916_70587.html?f=search&t=search_data

[tas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Ringdahl|keyword=Ringdahl](https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130912_65997.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Ringdahl|keyword=Ringdahl)

For HMS *Birmingham*, see Frederick George Pitman.

Norman George Oliver - Private, Number 2615115, 1st Battalion Middlesex Regiment (Duke of Cambridge's Own), son of George James and Beatrice Emily Oliver of Hendon, Middlesex, died aged 27, **20 January 1940**, buried in the Hong Kong Catholic Cemetery, Section 5 7024.

James Campbell Lawson - Private, Number 3054873, 2nd Battalion the Royal Scots (the Royal Regiment), son of James Campbell and Janet W. Lawson of Kirkcady, Fife, died aged 23, **29 January 1940**, buried in Section 16D/1/14, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:
https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130912_65997.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Lawson|keyword=Lawson

For 2nd Battalion the Royal Scots, see John Lindsay.

David Roy - Lance Corporal [Private], Number 2818472, 1st Battalion the Seaforth Highlanders (Ross-shire Buffs, The Duke of Albany's), died aged 28, **4 February 1940**. Buried in Hungjao Road

Cemetery, Shanghai and commemorated on the Sai Wan (China) Memorial.

For 1st Battalion the Seaforth Highlanders, see James Walter Urquhart.

Percy George Hopwood - Sergeant, Number 6196351, 1st Battalion Princess Louise's Kensington Regiment, 1st Battalion Middlesex Regiment (Duke of Cambridge's Own), died aged 35, **16 February 1940**, buried in Section 16D/4/12, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by the Officers, Non-Commissioned Officers and men of the Battalion, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130912_65920.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Hopwood|keyword=Hopwood

1st Battalion Princess Louise's Kensington Regiment was a Territorial unit that had its origins in 1859 with the formation of the 2nd (South) Middlesex Volunteer Rifle Corps and the 4th Middlesex Volunteer Rifle Corps. In 1908, the "Kensingtons" Regiment was formed in an amalgamation of these two, the unit being titled the 13th London Regiment (Kensingtons). In 1937, the 13th Battalion was re-designated the Princess Louise's Kensington Regiment, The Middlesex Regiment (Duke of Cambridge's Own). Its two battalions fought in many theatres in the Second World War, but not in Asia.

For 1st Battalion Middlesex Regiment, see James Alfred Lawlor.

William George Grover - Mechanic Staff Sergeant, Number T/35218, 12th Company RASC, son of William George Massy and Ethel Grover, husband of Lily Minnie Grover of Seaford, Sussex, died aged 48, **18 April 1940**, buried in Section 16D/1/10, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130912_66001.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Grover|keyword=Grover

John Gordon Rowell - Corporal, Number 2978983, 1st Battalion the Seaforth Highlanders (Ross-shire Buffs, The Duke of Albany's), died aged 24, **18 April 1940**. Son of Thomas and Sarah Rowell of Clydebank, Dunbartonshire. Buried in Hungjao Road Cemetery, Shanghai and commemorated on the Sai Wan (China) Memorial.

For 1st Battalion the Seaforth Highlanders, see James Walter Urquhart.

Frederick Fallick - Ordinary Seaman, RN, 168831, Number P/JX HMS *Dauntless*, son of George H. and Elsie E. Fallick of Whitwell, Isle of Wight, died aged 21, **7 May [June] 1940**, buried in Section 17/2/9, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130916_71293.html?f=search&t=search_databases.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Fallick|keyword=Fallick

HMS *Dauntless* was a Danae-class light cruiser launched in 1918. On the outbreak of the Second World War, *Dauntless* was recommissioned and joined the 9th Cruiser Squadron with the South Atlantic Command. In December, the squadron was transferred to the China Station, and in March 1940 *Dauntless* operated as a unit of the British Malaya Force while in the Indian Ocean. She operated mainly off Batavia, keeping watch on German merchant ships in the Dutch East Indies harbours. In February 1942 *Dauntless* returned to Britain, and underwent a refit at Portsmouth. Following this, she was transferred to the Eastern Fleet, docked in the Selborne dry dock at Simonstown, South Africa, until January 1943. She was then used as a training vessel from 1943 before being sold for breaking in 1946.

Ah Sum - Petty Officer Steward, RN, HMS *Dauntless*, died **20 June 1940**. Commemorated on the Hong Kong Memorial, Stanley Military Cemetery.

For HMS *Dauntless*, see Frederick Fallick.

John Stephen [Steven Mooney] - Private, Number 4443953, 1st Battalion the Middlesex Regiment (Duke of Cambridge's Own), son of Mr and Mrs John Mooney of East Finchley, Middlesex, died aged 28,

28 June 1940, buried in Section 16D/2/15, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130912_65975.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Mooney|keyword=Mooney

For 1st Battalion Middlesex Regiment, see James Alfred Lawlor.

Eric Watson - Gunner, Number 856918, 20 [28] Heavy Battery, 12th Heavy Anti-Aircraft Regiment RA, son of Thomas Henry and Mary Jane Watson of Bilton, Harrogate, died aged 21, **30 June 1940**, buried in Section 16D/5/2, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130912_65903.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=watson|keyword=watson

Muhammad Sadiq - Gunner, Number 5199, 17th Light Anti-Aircraft Battery, [5th Anti-Aircraft Regiment], Hong Kong and Singapore Royal Artillery, son of Kaeram Bibi, of Chak No. 444, G.B. Lyallpur, Punjab, died aged 19, **3 July 1940**. Buried first in Kowloon (Ho Man Tin) No.3 Muslim Cemetery, then in Sai Wan War Cemetery, Grave XI K Sp Mem No 18.

William Tait Weir - Private, Number 3059233, 2nd Battalion the Royal Scots (the Royal Regiment), died aged 34, **9 July 1940**, buried in Section 16D/1/13, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130912_65998.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Weir|keyword=Weir

For 2nd Battalion the Royal Scots, see John Lindsay.

L. Huscroft - Leading Seaman, RN, died **20 July 1940**, buried in Grave 7167, Section 5, the Roman Catholic Cemetery, Happy Valley.

George Willson - Private, Number 6140474, 2nd Battalion East Surrey Regiment, died aged 23, **20 July 1940**. Son of Frederick Pye and Minnie Matilda Willson of Widford, Hertfordshire. Commemorated on the Sai Wan (China) Memorial.

For 2nd Battalion East Surrey Regiment, see George Robert Skeet.

Joseph Alfred Vincent James Williams - Lance Corporal [Private], Number 6200545 [3054790], 1st Battalion Middlesex Regiment (Duke of Cambridge's Own) [2nd Battalion Royal Scots], son of Joseph and Dorothy Una Williams of Sutton-at-Hone, Kent, died aged 23 [26], **22 July 1940 [11 August 1940]**, buried in Section 16D/2/14, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130912_65976.html?f=search&t=search_databases.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Williams|keyword=Williams

For 1st Battalion Middlesex Regiment, see James Alfred Lawlor.

Rowland Charles Coverdale Bradbury - Leading Seaman, RAN, Number 4654, HMS *Moreton Bay*, son of Miles Coverdale and Catherine Bradbury, husband of Laura Kathleen Bradbury of Mt. Hawthorne, Western Australia, died aged 40, **25 July 1940**, buried in Sai Wan War Cemetery, Grave VI A 11.

HMS *Moreton Bay* was the passenger ship *Moreton Bay* of the Aberdeen & Commonwealth Line Ltd, London was requisitioned by the Admiralty and converted to an armed merchant cruiser in 1939. Between October 1939 and August 1940, she was on the China Station, then moved to the South Atlantic Station. She was commanded by Commander Edmund Mount Haes, RN. She was later used as a troopship, returned to her owners in 1945, and scrapped in 1957.

James Alfred Lynch - Private, Number 3054157, 2nd Battalion Royal Scots (the Royal Regiment), son of William and Ellen Lynch of Bexley, Kent, died aged 21, **1 August 1940**, buried in the Hong Kong Roman Catholic Cemetery, Section 5 7177.

Benjamin Ralph Bullen [Bullman] - Private, Number 3054790, 2nd Battalion Royal Scots (the Royal Regiment), died aged 26, **11 August 1940**, buried in Section 16D/3/12, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130912_65948.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=3054790|keyword=3054790

For 2nd Battalion the Royal Scots, see John Lindsay.

Mohindar Singh - Gunner, Number 4011, Hong Kong and Singapore Royal Artillery, died aged 21, **24 August 1940**. Son of Mangal Singh and Bisham Kaur of Ghataur, Allahpur, Ambala. Commemorated on the Sai Wan Memorial, Grave Reference: Column 19.

Herbert Ballantine - Private, **Number** 3054548, 2nd Battalion Royal Scots (the Royal Regiment), died aged 23, **18 September 1940**, buried in Section 16D/2/13, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130912_65977.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Ballantine|keyword=Ballantine

For 2nd Battalion the Royal Scots, see John Lindsay.

George Edward Turnbull - Telegraphist, RN, Number C/JX 142950, HMS *Moth*, son of Andrew and Katherine Turnbull of Selsey, Sussex, died aged 21, **24 September 1940**, buried in the Hong Kong Roman Catholic Cemetery, Section 5 7227.

For HMS *Moth*, see Harold Leslie Horloway.

Amir Abdullah Khan - Gunner, Number 5086, 1st Hong Kong Regiment, Hong Kong and Singapore Royal Artillery, died aged 20, **29 September 1940**. Son of Ahmed Khan and Bibi Khatun of Mochh, Mianwali. Commemorated on the Sai Wan Memorial, Grave Reference: Column 18.

Robert Henry “Harry” Smith - Able Seaman, RN [RFR], Number P/J 39304, HMS *Durban*, son of Walter and Mary Smith, husband of Emily Smith of Lancaster, died aged 41, **3 October 1940**, buried in Section 17/1/7, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130916_71317.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Robert+Harry+Smith|keyword=Robert+Harry+Smith

For HMS *Durban*, see John N. Johnson.

Sher Baj Khan - Cook, Number F/5, 5th Battalion 7th Rajput Regiment, died **16 October 1940**. Son of Mahend; husband of Firoz Begum of Bartala, Kotli, Mirpur, Kashmir. Commemorated on the Sai Wan Memorial, Grave Reference: Column 30.

Frank Burdett - Sergeant, Number 788490, 36th Heavy Battery RA, 8 Heavy Regiment RA, died aged 29, **25 October 1940**, buried in Section 16D/3/11, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130912_65949.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Burdett|keyword=Burdett

Thomas Begbie - Private, Number 3188417, 2nd Battalion Royal Scots (the Royal Regiment), husband of Davina Sinclair Begbie of Bo'ness, West Lothian, died aged 22, buried in Section 16D/1/12, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130912_65999.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Begbie|keyword=Begbie

For 2nd Battalion the Royal Scots, see John Lindsay.

William Aubrey Taylor - Signalman, Number 2324498, Royal Corps of Signals, Hong Kong Signal Company, died aged 24, **12**

November 1940, buried in Section 16D/1/11, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130912_66000.html?f=search&t=search_d atas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=W+Taylor|keyword=W+Taylor

Arthur George Bowden - Marine, Number PLY 22549, RM, HMS *Tamar*, son of Arthur James and Margaret Annie Bowden, husband of Doris Bowden of St Budeaux, Plymouth, died aged 35, **19**

November 1940, buried in Section 17/2/10, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130916_71292.html?f=search&t=search_da tas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Bowden|keyword=Bo wden

For HMS *Tamar*, see John W. Cooke.

Arthur Allen - Warrant Wardmaster, RN, son of Harry and Constance Allen, husband of Gladys May Allen of Gillingham, Kent, died aged 45, **13 December 1940**, buried in Section 21A/3/5, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, with a line by his wife, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130916_70556.html?f=search&t=search_da tas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Allen|keyword=Allen

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Ernest James Charles Trimmer - Warrant Officer 2, Quartermaster Sergeant, MM, Number 1862028, RE, 40 Fortress Company RE, husband of Violet Margaret Elizabeth Trimmer of Chidham, Sussex, died aged 43 [44], **8 March 1941 [1940]**, buried in Section 17/2/9, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, erected by his comrades, is at:

[https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All Images/images/201309/t20130912_65978.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Trimmer|keyword=Trimmer](https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130912_65978.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Trimmer|keyword=Trimmer)

The RE element of the HK Garrison in 1941 was:

22nd (Fortress) Company RE

40th (Fortress) Company RE

Hidayat Ali - Sepoy, Number 11189, 2nd Battalion 14th Punjab Regiment, died aged 30, **19 March 1941**. Husband of Khanam Jan of Shekhal Gari, Mansera, Hazara. Commemorated on the Sai Wan Memorial, Grave Reference: Column 32.

Douglas Thomas Thorburn - Able Seaman, RN, Number D/JX 135147, HMS *Cicala*, son of Mr and Mrs James Thorburn of Edinburgh, died aged 26, **20 March 1941**, buried in Section 17/1/8, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, with a line from his father, May and Stella, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130916_71316.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Thorburn|keyword=Thorburn

For HMS *Cicala*, see John William Johnsen.

Nazar Ali - Gunner, Number 5203, 3 Medium Battery, 1st Hong Kong Regiment, Hong Kong and Singapore Royal Artillery, died aged 20, **18 April 1941**. Commemorated on the Sai Wan Memorial, Grave Reference: Column 20.

Cyril Norman Abdey - Gunner, Number 2570116, 12 Heavy Coast Battery, Royal Artillery, died aged 23, **4 June 1941**. Son of Mr. and Mrs. E. Abdey of Exeter, Devon. Commemorated on the Sai Wan Memorial, Grave Reference: Column 3.

William Charles Smith - Private [Lance Corporal], Number 3054159, 2nd Battalion Royal Scots (the Royal Regiment), son of Sarah Rosetta Smith of Lower Edmonton, Middlesex, died aged 27, **10 July 1941**, buried in Section 16D/2/11, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130912_65979.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=W+C+Smith|keyword=W+C+Smith

For 2nd Battalion the Royal Scots, see John Lindsay.

Cecil George [George Cecil] Richards - Captain [Lieutenant], RE, Number 65796, son of Edwin and Edith Richards of Winchester, husband of Dorothy M. Richards of Kerang, Victoria, Australia, died aged 38, **2 [3] September 1941**, buried in Section 17/12/3, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130916_71163.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Richards|keyword=Richards

M. Elliot - Sergeant, Number 3051840, 2nd Battalion Royal Scots (the Royal Regiment), son of Mr and Mrs William Elliott, husband of Florence Mary Elliott, of Edinburgh, died aged 31, **4 September 1941**, buried in Section 16D/1/9, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, with a message from his wife and daughter, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130912_66002.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Elliot|keyword=Elliot

For 2nd Battalion the Royal Scots, see John Lindsay.

Henry Howieson - Battery Quartermaster Sergeant, Number 1416812, 7 Battery, 5th Heavy Anti-Aircraft Regiment RA, died aged 40, **14 September 1941**, buried in the Hong Kong Roman Catholic Cemetery, Section 5 7622.

Reginald William Brown - Private, Number 6213464, 1st Battalion Middlesex Regiment, son of Ruth May Brown of St Margarets, Twickenham, died aged 21, **15 September 1941**, buried in Section 16D/2/10, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone, with a line from his mother and family, is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Images/images/201309/t20130912_65980.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=R+Brown|keyword=R+Brown

For 1st Battalion Middlesex Regiment, see James Alfred Lawlor.

Muhammad Roshan - Sepoy, Number 11436, 2nd Battalion 14th Punjab Regiment, died aged 28, **12 October 1941**. Husband of Nek Bakhat of Dholar, Kot Saru, Campbellpore. Commemorated on the Sai Wan Memorial, Grave Reference: Column 32.

Archibald Young - Private, Number 3046099, 2nd Battalion Royal Scots (the Royal Regiment), son of William and Elizabeth Young, died

aged 47, **10 October 1941**, buried in Section 16D/1/8, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130912_66003.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=A+Young|keyword=A+Young

For 2nd Battalion the Royal Scots, see John Lindsay.

Edwin Green - Gunner, Number 1712446, 24th Heavy Coast Battery, RA, 12 Coast Regiment RA, son of John and Ann Green, died aged 33, **19 October 1941**, buried in Section 16D/2/9, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_Items/images/201309/t20130912_65981.html?f=search&t=search_data.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=E+Green|keyword=E+Green

Royal Artillery in HK in 1941 was:

- 8th Coast Regiment RA
 - 12th Coast Battery
 - 30th Coast Battery
 - 36th Coast Battery
- 12th Coast Regiment RA
 - 24th Coast Battery
 - 26th Coast Battery

5th Anti-Aircraft Regiment RA

7th Battery

17th Light Anti-Aircraft Battery

18th Light Anti-Aircraft Battery

5th HKVDC Battery

965th Defence Battery RA

1st Regiment, Hong Kong & Singapore Royal Artillery

1st Mountain Battery

2nd Mountain Battery

3rd Medium Battery

4th Medium Battery

25th Medium Battery

26th Coast Battery

17th Anti-Aircraft Gun Battery

David M. Schrage - Rifleman, B/38365, Royal Rifles of Canada, died **31 October 1941**. Commemorated on the Sai Wan Memorial, Grave Reference: Column 26.

George William Smee - Warrant Officer 1 (Regimental Sergeant Major), Number 1027447, 12 Coast Regiment RA, died aged 40, **6 November 1941**, buried in Section 16D/3/10, the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley. His gravestone is at:

https://www.hkmemory.hk/collections/hong_kong_cemetery/All_It_ems/images/201309/t20130912_65950.html?f=search&t=search_datas.jsp&path=channelid=230719|searchword=Smee|keyword=Smee

Mathew Robert Russell - Lance Corporal, Number 7611329, RAOC, son of Robert and A. Marcella Russell of Pudsey, Leeds, died aged 23, **8 November 1941**, buried in the Hong Kong Roman Catholic Cemetery, Section 5 7635.

Alexander Calman - Private, Hong Kong Volunteer Defence Corps, died aged 22, **23 November 1941**. Son of Alexander Milne and Emily Laura Elizabeth Calman. Commemorated on the Sai Wan Memorial, Grave Reference: Column 34.

Albert Miller Ronson - Lance Sergeant, Number 851989, 8th Coast Regiment, Royal Artillery, died aged 29, **24 November 1941**. Son of John and Betsy Jane Ronson of Church Road, Great Singleton, Preston. Commemorated on the Sai Wan Memorial, Grave Reference: Column 2.