



CWGC
Commonwealth War Graves Commission



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Report:
Antigua and Barbuda

The Commonwealth War Graves Commission (CWGC) is responsible for maintaining commemorations at one location in Antigua and Barbuda: St. John's Cemetery in Antigua.

St. John's Cemetery, Antigua

St John's Cemetery is about 2 miles from St John's on the Friars Hill Road. Turn right inside the cemetery entrance and follow the path as it curves left and down the slope. The two Commission headstones can be found just to the left of the path where it peters out at the bottom of the incline.

The cemetery contains two Commonwealth burials of the Second World War:

RICHARDSON, Private, B A, L/SCA/16279. Leeward Islands Bn., 1st Caribbean Regiment. 20 April 1944.

SELLAR, Captain, NORMAN DUNCAN, 260147. Essex Regiment. 1 May 1945.

In addition, a further 18 individuals from, or with family connections to, Antigua and Barbuda are recorded in our records, and commemorated in 8 different countries. The sites with the largest numbers of individuals from Antigua and Barbuda commemorated are:

TOWER HILL MEMORIAL, London, United Kingdom - 5

TARANTO TOWN CEMETERY EXTENSION, Italy - 3

The full list of individuals by cemetery or memorial location is provided below:

DOZINGHEM MILITARY CEMETERY, West-Vlaanderen, Belgium

Commonwealth War Dead (1914-1918)

BROOKS, Private, E, 11847. 9th Bn., British West Indies Regiment. 5 October 1917. Age 25. Son of William Brooks, of Sea View Farm, Antigua, British West Indies. Grave Reference: IV. A. 8.

HALIFAX MEMORIAL, Nova Scotia, Canada

Commonwealth War Dead (1914-1918)

GARLING, Sapper, DOUGLAS HARDTMAN, 2501136. Canadian Railway Troops. Died of pneumonia, 8 October 1918. Age 22. Son of Anna Isabella Garling, of St. Mary's St., St. Johns, Antigua, British West Indies. Grave Reference: Panel 2.

ALAMEIN MEMORIAL, Egypt**Commonwealth War Dead (1939-1945)**

NANTON, Pilot Officer, PATRICK BINDON, 118548. 38 Sqdn., Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve. 4 November 1942. Age 24. Son of Robert Holberton Binden Nanton and Isabel Carden Nanton, of St. Johns, Antigua. Grave Reference: Column 248.

ISMAILIA WAR MEMORIAL CEMETERY, Egypt**Commonwealth War Dead (1914-1918)**

WHITE, Private, RICHARD THEOPHILUS, 1285. 2nd Bn., British West Indies Regiment. 30 September 1918. Age 32. Son of Charles and Jane Davis White, of Antigua, B.W.I. Grave Reference: A. 134.

BROWN'S COPSE CEMETERY, ROEUX, Pas de Calais, France**Commonwealth War Dead (1914-1918)**

SHEPHERD, Lieutenant, ARTHUR LINDSAY MOORE. 11th Sqdn., Royal Flying Corps, and 6th Bn., King's Royal Rifle Corps. Died of wounds (received 22nd Oct.), 3 November 1916. Age 25. Son of the Very Rev. Henry Young Shepherd, Dean of Antigua, and Amy Louise Shepherd, of The Deanery, Antigua, British West Indies. Grave Reference: VI. G. 13.

CAMBRAI EAST MILITARY CEMETERY, Nord, France**Commonwealth War Dead (1914-1918)**

BRYSON, Second Lieutenant, JAMES HARVEY. "Y" 24th Trench Mortar Bty., Royal Field Artillery. Killed in action at Montrecourt, 20 October 1918. Age 19. Only son of Robert and Elliot Bryson, of Dunmara, Bourne End, Bucks. Educated at Kenley and Aldenham. A Cadet in the O.T.C. Born at Antigua, British West Indies. Grave Reference: I. A. 18.

MAILLY WOOD CEMETERY, MAILLY-MAILLET, Somme, France**Commonwealth War Dead (1914-1918)**

BRADBURY, Second Lieutenant, DENNIS JOHN FREELAND. Battalion Bombing Officer, King's Own (Royal Lancaster Regiment), attd. 10th, The Loyal North Lancashire Regiment. Died of wounds, 15 November 1916. Age 19. Son of Patrick Joseph O'Leary Bradbury, M.A. (Director of Education) and Ellen Mary Bradbury, of Jamaica, British West Indies. Born at Antigua, British West Indies. Grave Reference: I. B. 26.

EAST MUDROS MILITARY CEMETERY, Greece**Commonwealth War Dead (1914-1918)**

LAKE, Second Lieutenant, J L E R. 3rd Bn. attd. 1st Bn., Border Regiment. 24 August 1915. Age 24. Son of James Louis Engelbert Lake and Henrietta Theresa Lake, of Church St., St. John's, Antigua, British West Indies. Grave Reference: II. H. 139.

TARANTO TOWN CEMETERY EXTENSION, Italy**Commonwealth War Dead (1914-1918)**

BROWN, Private, NEHEMIAH MANOAH, 9773. 7th Bn., British West Indies Regiment. 7 December 1918. Age 37. Son of Philip Martin Brown and Christiana Brown, of Jennings Village, Antigua, B.W.I. Grave Reference: VI. B. 3.

KENNINGTON, Serjeant, FRANCIS BROOKES, 13771. 10th Bn., British West Indies Regiment. 26 August 1918. Age 25. Born at St. John's, Antigua. Son of Fredrick Sutton Kennington and Helen Eliza Kennington, of 131, East St., Kingston, Jamaica, B.W.I. Grave Reference: VI. C. 1.

MANIX, Private, HERMANN MCDONALD, 16815. 11th Bn., British West Indies Regiment. 12 March 1918. Age 20. Son of Charles W. Manix, of Falmouth Town, St. Paul's, Antigua, B.W.I. Grave Reference: II. E. 4.

**PORT OF SPAIN MEMORIAL, Trinidad and Tobago
Commonwealth War Dead (1939-1945)**

CARLISLE, Private, J, L/SCA/2285. 1st Bn., Trinidad Volunteers. 27 February 1943. Son of Samuel and Sarah Ann Carlisle, of Antigua, B.W.I. (Buried in San Fernando (Paradise) Cemetery, Trinidad).

**PORTSMOUTH NAVAL MEMORIAL, Hampshire, United Kingdom
Commonwealth War Dead (1914-1918)**

EDWARDS, Lieut-Commander, HARRINGTON DOUTY. D S O. H.M. S/M "E5", Royal Navy. Killed in loss of vessel in North Sea, 11 March 1916. Age 30. Eldest son of C. R. Edwards, District Medical Officer of Antigua, and Ella his wife, of 39, Fernbank Avenue, Harrow, Middx. Born at Tyrrel's House, Antigua. Educated from the age of 9 yrs. at Cambridge, and in the "Britannia.". Grave Reference: 11.

**TOWER HILL MEMORIAL, London, United Kingdom
Commonwealth War Dead (1914-1918)**

HALLORAN, Seaman, WILLIAM. S.S. "Thracia" (Liverpool), Mercantile Marine. Drowned, as a result of an attack by an enemy submarine, or killed by mine, 27 March 1917. Age 36. Born at Antigua, British West Indies.

HARMAN, Fireman, J. S.S. "Poldown" (Cardiff), Mercantile Marine. Drowned, as a result of an attack by an enemy submarine, or killed by mine, 9 October 1917. Age 21. Son of Mrs. Harman, of 22, St. John St., Antigua. Born in Antigua.

ISAACS, Ship's Cook, A. S.S. "Livonia" (London), Mercantile Marine. Drowned, as a result of an attack by an enemy submarine, 3 December 1917. Age 52. Born at Antigua.

NATHAN, Fireman, LESLIE. S.S. "Feltria" (London), Mercantile Marine. Drowned, as a result of an attack by an enemy submarine, 5 May 1917. Age 27. Born at Antigua.

WILKINSON, Able Seaman, OTWAY SEYMOUR. S.S "Ventmoor" (London), Mercantile Marine. Drowned, as a result of an attack by an enemy submarine, 14 February 1918. Age 23. Born at Antigua, British West Indies.