

Grenadier Guards Officer Casualties - 1st World War (Alphabetical List - Surname's)



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Parker	R.W.	-	Captain	3rd	D.W	Frevent	28-Mar-1918	27	St. Hilaire Cemetery, Frevent, Pas de Calais, France	Younger son of Jane Blanche Parker, of Bourne Lodge, Bridge, Canterbury, and the late Colonel Harry W. Parker (18th Hussars). Born at Brashfield, Bicester, Oxfordshire. Buried in Plot V, Row D, Grave 1
Parnell	Hon H.B.F.P	-	Lieutenant	Grenadier Guards	K.A	Ypres	10-Nov-1914	24	Zillebeke Churchyard, Leper, West-Vlaanderen, Belgium	(Family name Congleton) Mentioned in Despatches. Killed in action at the 1st Battle of Ypres, 5th Baron Congleton. Eldest son of the late Major General Henry, 4th Baron Congleton, C.B., and Baroness Congleton. Buried in Row E, Grave 2
Parnell (M.C)	Hon W.A.D.	-	Lieutenant	2nd	K.A	Les Boeufs	25-Sep-1916	22	Guards Cemetery, Lesboeufs, Somme, France	2nd Battalion, attached to 4th Company Grenadier Guards. Third Son of 4th Baron Congleton, C.B., and of Lady Congleton, of Park Lane, London. Buried in Plot I, Row C, Grave 1
Paton (V.C - M.C)	G.H.T.	-	Captain	4th	K.A	Metz-en-Couture	1-Dec-1917	22	Metz-En-Couture, Communal Cemetery, British Extension, Pas de Calais, France	Son of George William and Etta Tatham Paton, of Wolviston House, Whyteleafe, Surrey. Buried in Plot II, Row E, Grave 24
<p>An extract from the "London Gazette," dated 12th Feb., 1918, records the following:- "For most conspicuous bravery and self-sacrifice. When a unit on his left was driven back, thus leaving, his flank in the air and his company practically surrounded, he fearlessly exposed himself to re-adjust the line, walking up and down within fifty yards of the enemy under a withering fire. He personally removed several wounded men, and was the last to leave the village. Later, he again re-adjusted the line, exposing himself regardless of all danger the whole time, and when the enemy four times counter-attacked he sprang each time upon the parapet, deliberately risking his life, and being eventually mortally wounded, in order to stimulate his command. After the enemy had broken through on his left, he again mounted the parapet, and with a few men, who were inspired by his great example, forced them once more to withdraw, thereby undoubtedly saving the left flank."</p>										
Pauling (M.C)	G.F.	-	Lieutenant	3rd	K.A	Souchez	25-Mar-1918	-	Cabaret-Rouge British Cemetery, Souchez, Pas de Calais, France	Buried in Plot VIII, Row R, Grave 46

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Payne-Gallwey	M.H.F.	-	Lieutenant	4th	K.A	Les Boeufs	25-Sep-1916	27	Guards Cemetery, Lesboeufs, Somme, France	4th Battalion Grenadier Guards, attached to Special Reserve. Son of Caroline Lucille Taylor (formerly Payne-Gallwey) of Highfield, Spanish Town, Jamaica, and the late Lionel Philip Payne-Gallwey. Buried in Plot IX, Row A, Grave 6
Payne-Gallwey (M.V.O)	W.T.	-	Captain	2nd	K.A	B.E.F France	14-Sep-1914	-	La Ferte-Sous-Jouarre Memorial, Seine-et-Marne, France	Listed on Memorial
Pearce	A.N.	-	Lieutenant	4th	K.A	Trescault	25-Nov-1917	21	Trescault Communal Cemetery, Pas de Calais, France	Son of Arthur Edward and Vida Pearce, of Featherston New Zealand. Born at Wellington, New Zealand. Buried in Grave 6
Pearson	S.H.	-	2nd Lieutenant	2nd	K.A	Battle of the Somme	1-Dec-1917	35	Villers-Faucon Communal Cemetery, Extension, Somme, France	Son of the late Henry John Pearson of Bramcote, Nottinghamshire, and of Laura Kate Pearson, of Westminster, London. Born at Beeston, Nottinghamshire. Buried in Plot IV, Row A, Grave 6
Penn	E.F.	-	Captain	4th	K.A	Hohenzollern Redoubt	18-Oct-1915	33	Vermelles British Cemetery, Pas de Calais, France	Son of William and Constance Penn, of London, Husband of Gladys Penn, of Baldslow, Sussex. Buried in Plot I, Row K, Grave 11
Phillips	R.W.	-	Lieutenant	1st	K.A	Battle of Loos	26-Oct-1915	19	Vermelles British Cemetery, Pas de Calais, France	King's Company, 1st Battalion Grenadier Guards. Son of Mr. W. W. G. and Mrs. F. M. Phillips, of Berwick, Shrewsbury. Educated at St. Vincent's, Eastbourne. Eton and Magdalene College, Cambridge. Buried in Plot I, Row J, Grave 3
Pickersgill-Cunliffe	J.R.	-	2nd Lieutenant	2nd	K.A	Soupir	14-Sep-1914	19	Soupir Communal Cemetery, Aisne, France	Son of Harry and Arlette Pickersgill-Cunliffe, of Chelsea, London. Buried in Row B, Grave 4

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Pixley	J.N.F.	-	Captain	4th	K.A	Boezinge	12-Oct-1917	29	Artillery Wood Cemetery, Leper, West-Vlaanderen, Belgium	Son of Colonel Francis W. Pixley, (V.D), and Elizabeth Mary Pixley, of Wooburn, Buckinghamshire. Buried in Plot XI, Row C, Grave 5
Ponsonby (M.V.O)	Hon C.M.B.	-	Major	4th	K.A	River Lys	28-Sep-1915	34	Loos Memorial, Pas de Calais, France	Attached to 4th Battalion Grenadier Guards. Second son of 8th Earl of Bessborough and the Countess of Bessborough, Husband of Rita Narcissa Ponsonby (now Mrs. Cyril Flower), of Codicote Mill, Welwyn, Hertfordshire. Listed on Panels 5 to 7
Ponsonby	M.H.	-	Lieutenant	2nd	K.A	Ayette	27-Aug-1918	-	Douchy-Les-Ayette British Cemetery, Pas de Calais, France	Buried in Plot I, Row E, Grave 12
Pryce (V.C - M.C & Bar)	T.T.	-	Captain	4th	K.A	Ypres/Loos	13-Apr-1918	32	Ploegsteert Memorial, Comines-Warneton, Hainaut, Belgium	Son of Thomas and Rosalie S. Pryce, of Pentreheylin Hall Mont, Husband of Margaret Sybil Pryce, of Cranfurd Lodge, Maidenhead, Berkshire. Listed on Panel 1

An extract from "The London Gazette," dated 21st May, 1918, recording the heroic actions of Captain Pryce above, -"For most conspicuous bravery, devotion to duty, and self-sacrifice when in command of a flank on the left of the Grenadier Guards. Having been ordered to attack a village he personally led forward two platoons, working from house to house, killing some thirty of the enemy, seven of whom he killed himself. The next day he was occupying a position with some thirty to forty men, the remainder of his company having become casualties. As early as 8.15 a.m., his left flank was surrounded and the enemy was enfilading him. He was attacked no less than four times during the day, and each time beat off the hostile attack, killing many of the enemy. Meanwhile the enemy brought three field guns to within 300 yards of his line, and were firing over open sights and knocking his trench in.

At 6.15 p.m., the enemy had worked to within sixty yards of his trench. He then called on his men, telling them to cheer and charge the enemy and fight to the last. Led by Captain Pryce, they left their trench and drove back the enemy with the bayonet some 100 yards. Half an hour later the enemy had again approached in stronger force. By this time Captain Pryce had only 17 men left, and every round of his ammunition had been fired. Determined that there should be no surrender, he once again led his men forward in a bayonet charge, and was last seen engaged in a fierce hand-to-hand struggle with overwhelming numbers of the enemy. With some forty men he had held back at least one enemy battalion for over ten hours. His company undoubtedly stopped the advance through the British line, and thus had great influence on the battle."