

Engineer Lieutenant

Davidson

John Duncan

Royal Naval Reserve



Date of Death Place of Death How Died 15 May 1919.

North Lonsdale Hospital, Barrow. Coroners Inquest held 27 May 1919.

From effects of accidental explosion of Naval 2½ lb primer in the Office of Captain Superintendent, Messrs Vickers Ltd, Barrow on Furness.

Birth Registration Place of Birth Residence Born 26 May 1887. Baptised 16 July 1887 at Holy Nativity, Bedminster.

Bedminster, Somerset.

114 Oxford Street, Bedminster (1891 census). 114 Oxford Street, Bedminster (1891 census).

Great Western Railway Apprenticeship, Swindon (1902).

High Street, Potterne (1919, wife).

Occupation Engineer.

Father George Edgworth Davidson.

Mother Mary Mackenzie.

Siblings May M, Margaret. Kate, Archibald, George.

Marital Status Martha May Turner-Bolt.

Where Buried Plot Location

Potterne St. Mary Churchyard.

H.21.

Memorials War Memorial, St Mary's churchyard, Church Corner, Potterne.

Notes Served on HMS Lady Moyra.

Completed in March 1905

1910 sold to the Furness Railway Company and renamed PS LADY

MOYRA

WWI requisitioned as a paddle minesweeper, commissioned 21 Nov 1915 – 9 Jul 1919 as HMS Lady Moyra and operated mainly in the

Irish Sea.

Sold after the war to the Tucker Yellow Funnel Fleet, returning to the

Bristol Channel

July 1922 purchased by P and A Campbell at auction for the White

Funnel fleet.

1933 renamed PS Brighton Queen

WWII requisitioned as the Paddle Minesweeper HMS Brighton Queen

in September 1939

See HMS Brighton Queen in this series

1 June 1940 sunk by air attack off Dunkirk, on her second trip to

evacuate troops.

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