

Surname	Walley
Forename	Alfred
Initials	A C
Age	
Honours/Awards	
Date died	28/12/1917
Rank	Cook
Regiment	Lighthouse and Pilotage Authorities
Unit/Squadron	Pilotage Authority, No. 1 Pilot Boat "Alfred H. Read" (Liverpool)
Service Number	
Cemetery/Memorial	Tower Hill Memorial
Grave Reference	
Further Information	Husband of Margaret Walley of 2 Geneva Road, Seacombe, Cheshire.
<p>News Report</p> <p><u>Military Funeral at Liscard</u></p> <p>Amid scenes of profound sorrow by a large company of friends assembled on Saturday in Rake Lane Cemetery, the remains of Mr. Alfred Charles Walley, aged 44, who was lost at sea, were laid to rest. The deceased who was well-known, and highly respected, commenced going to sea at the age of 12 with the Harrison Line, and had, for three years, been cook with the Pilotage Association. He was of a quiet and unassuming disposition, and passionately fond of home life. Much sympathy has been expressed for the widow, two sons, and a daughter, who reside at 2, Geneva Road, Seacombe, in the sad bereavement that has befallen them.</p> <p>Prior to the interment solemn Requiem Mass was celebrated by the Rector, the Very Rev. Canon H. Mottram, at Our Lady and St. Joseph Church, Seacombe, and he also performed the last rites at the grave-side.</p> <p>The cortege was preceded by a detachment of the South Border Regiment, under the command of Sergt. Beard, the coffin being conveyed to the cemetery on a gun carriage, covered with the Union Jack, and borne to the grave by four soldiers.</p> <p>Three volleys were fired over the grave, and a bugler sounded the "Last Post."</p>	

References and Acknowledgments

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