

Graveyards

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Castle Road

Attached to Ebenezer Baptist Church

Kingston Churchyard

	Originally a pasture belonging to Ivan Pantuff	
1120	Purchased by William De Pontearch and presented to Southwick Priory	4
1782	Two acres added on south east side	4
1812	Two acres added on north side	4
1847-8	Enclosed by a wall, built by subscription	4
1856	Closed for burials	4
1930	Part of graveyard to be cleared for children's sports area	95
1933	Lord Bishop of Portsmouth granted a faculty for removal of tombstones and monuments and laying out churchyard as ornamental garden	95
1951	Dangerous wall to be reduced to four feet for entire 120ft length	95

High Street

Attached to Unitarian Church

15 Feb 1854	Chapel Yard closed for burials	137
8 Mar 1857	Report that church yard is now paved	137

Highbury Street Churchyard

1923	Closed and converted to open space	95
1924	Request for memorial tablet to Crimean Heroes interred in the graveyard	95

Highland Road

19 May 1854	8A of land purchased from Thomas Ellis Owen	158
	Thomas Owen produced plans for chapels and walls	158
	Land cost £1,350, total cost including lodge and chapels £3,950	89
27 Oct 1854	Anglican portion opened by Bishop	158
Nov 1854	Consecrated	1,89
1865	Cemetery of St Michael	75
1875	Cemetery of St Michael	35
1889	Mr Ward of Wimpole Street agreed to sell 8½ acres of land, for £6260, at Eastney to be used as an extension to the cemetery to be transferred on 24/6/1896. The home office objected to the extension and the Town Council attempted to pay compensation for non-completion and purchase land to the south instead. Mr Ward did not agree.	95
19 August 1896	Mr Ward, solicitors Messrs Cousins & Burbidge demanded to see the books of Portsmouth Burial Board	95
1898	Mr Wards case dismissed with costs, but appeal started	95
1898	Mr Wards appeal successful	95
1898	6½ acres to south offered in place of 8¼ acres to east, offer declined	95
1898	4acres on east offered for £8,000 plus 600 feet of road	95
1926	War Grave Commission approval sought for headstones for Belgian graves	95
1929	135 war grave headstones	95
2012		
	Plots:	
1939	Colinburns, Hoopers	95

Mile End Cemetery

Sep 1831	Opened, Portsea Island General Cemetery Co, £3,000 capital	59
1855	Expanded with another £1,500 capital	59
1871	Enlarged	59
1878	George Bayne memorial to be erected, see people section	59
1942	Trust asked if Corporation would purchase the cemetery, council	

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	decided that it was unsuitable	95
1957	Owned by unincorporated association of private persons known as Portsea Island General Cemetery Co. Is full, overgrown and dilapidated although some graves are well maintained. The front colonnade is listed as of architectural & historic interest. Land at front to be developed by Linington Bros (1945) Ltd, Shell-Mex & BP Ltd for petrol filling station. These companies have no desire to retain and maintain the graveyard and wish to gift 3.67A to the corporation to be laid out as garden with £1,000 donated to cost of laying out	95
1957	Condition of colonnade, chapel & lodges in such poor condition that they are to be demolished despite Listing Site now ferry port marshalling yard	95

Milton Cemetery

1907	Two fields one in Milton Road one to east be acquired for £18,000, 25½A in total	95
1910	Registrars house and chapel built by James Crockerell	
1929	135 war grave headstones	95
1935	Proposed extension at Velder Avenue	95
1937	Extension of 9A laid out	1
2016		

Milton Churchyard

1919	Proposed widening of Milton Road which will require removal of remains, including James Goldsmith May not have happened as graves still on place and road not widened at this side	95
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St Marys Road

1 Jan 1856	Opened to replace Kingston Churchyard	59,89
1867	Enlarged	59
14 Sep 1889	Extension to New Road commenced	
25 Mar 1891	Extension completed	
1894	Extended	Stone
1896	Part sold for £825 to allow George Street to be extended to New Road	95
1904	Jewish Chapel erected cost £300	95
1906	Part of land at George Street rented to Rev B Wilson for temporary church	95
1929	257 war grave headstones	95
2012		

Plots:

Allens, 48; Andrews, 96; Arnolds, 65; Aylwins, 94; Baldwins, 57; Beddows, 40; Bens, 10; Besants, 26; Billings, 98; Brambles, 71; Brewis, 36; Brown, 70; Buckells, 31; Buller, 41; C/H West, 16; Carters, 82; Catholic, 78; Catholic a-e, 74; Chivertons, 37; Colin-Burns, 86; Coppersmiths, 9; Corbins, 100; Cottons, 90; Cousens, 12; Cravens, 17; Crouchers, 44; Cunninghams, 20; Curtis, 4; Dashwoods, 104; Daveys, 27; Dores, 29; East, 18; Evans, 54; Fabians, 77; Flowers, 59; Fosters, 32; Gardners, 25; Gills, 111; Gillette, 45; Goldsmith, 24; Goodyears, 13; Groves, 103; Harmans, 52; Harts, 16; Harveys, 87; Haskells, 56; Hewitts, 35; Hills, 38b; Houghtons, 68; Howells, 33; Hunts, 3; Jenkins, 93; Jewish, 112; Jones, 101; Kimbers, 105; Kings, 39; Lights, 88; Mactavish, 110; Maldrams, 72; Martins, 81; Masons, 34; Matsons, 8; Matthews, 61; Mound, 14; Muslim Section, 80a; New, 19; Newmans, 85; News, 60; Nicholls, 113; Normans, 91; Palins, 107; Palmers, 55; Paupers, 15a; Paynes, 47; Perkins, 106; Pharoahs, 69; Piddells, 7; Pinks, 109; Porters, 53; Powers, 95; Quintrells, 89; Rakes, 46; Rands, 28; Randalls, 56; Readings, 42; Roberts, 43; Rogers, 11; Sailors, 8; Salters, 114; Scaddens, 97; Sharmans, 67; Springs, 108; Stanleys, 2; Stapleford, 92; Strides, 64;

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Taplins, 62; Taylors, 102; Timpsons,, 58; Trembles, 79; Triggs, 15; Tucks, 5; United Services, 38a; Wards, 99; War Victims, 76; Watsons, 73; Wells, 66; Wests, 30; Williers, 6; Wilsons, 84; Windsors, 75; Wright, 1; Youngs, 23;

St Thomas Churchyard