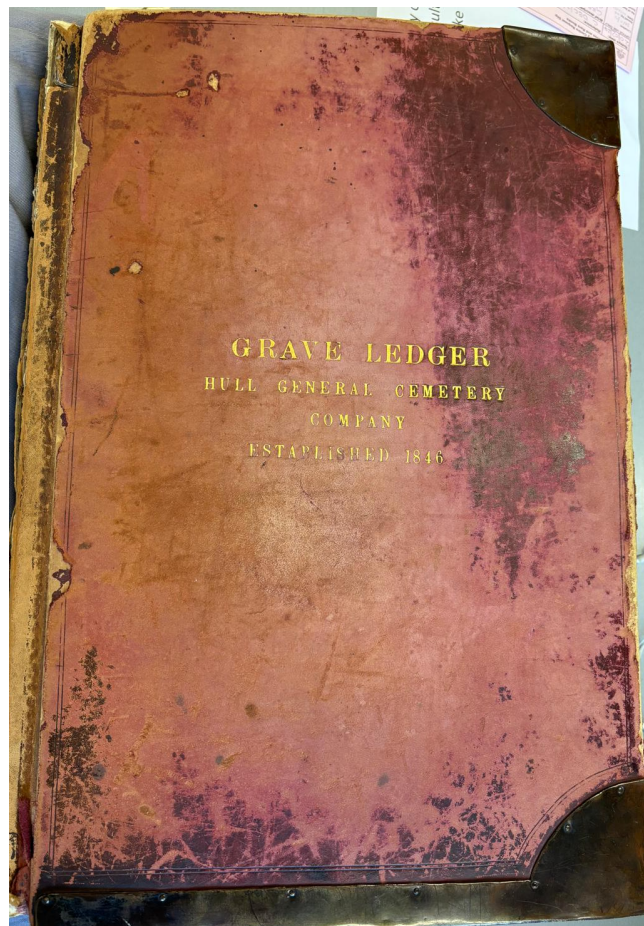


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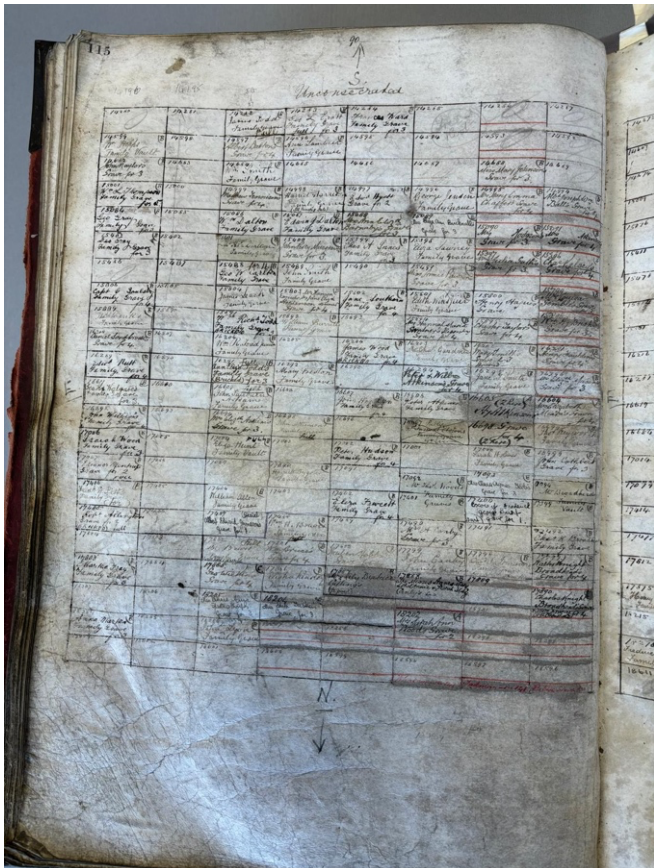
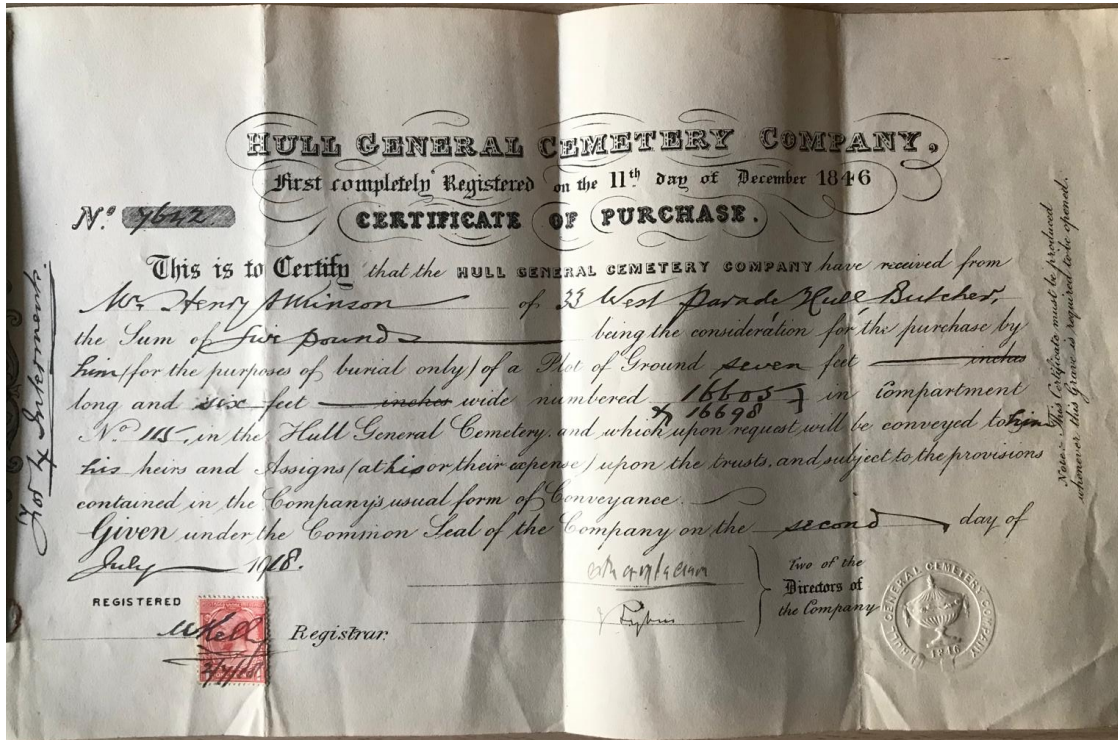
**Henry Atkinson 1860-1921**

**Louisa Atkinson (née Shucksmith) 1865-1916**

Information sourced from Hull History Centre from “The Grave Ledger”, Hull General Cemetery Company, established in 1846.

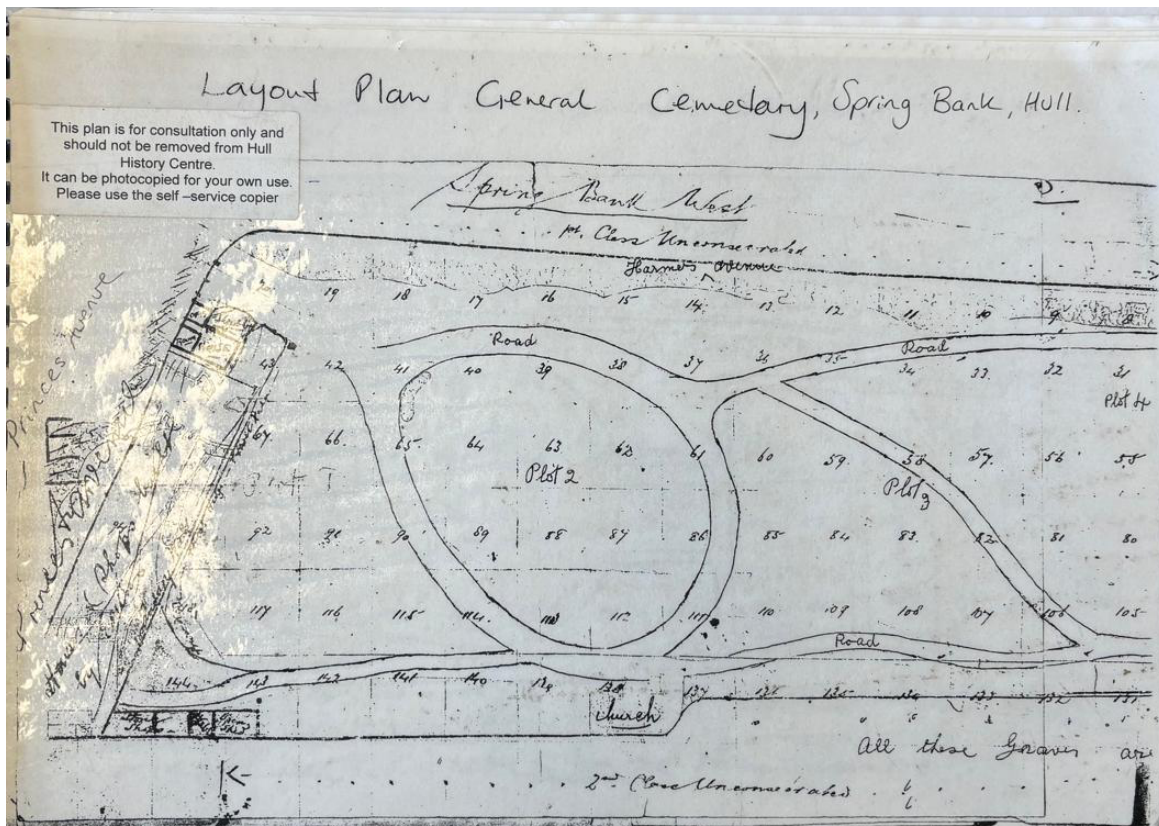


Certificate of purchase; plot purchased by Henry Atkinson to accommodate 4 people;  
see section 115, plot numbers 16605 and 16698:

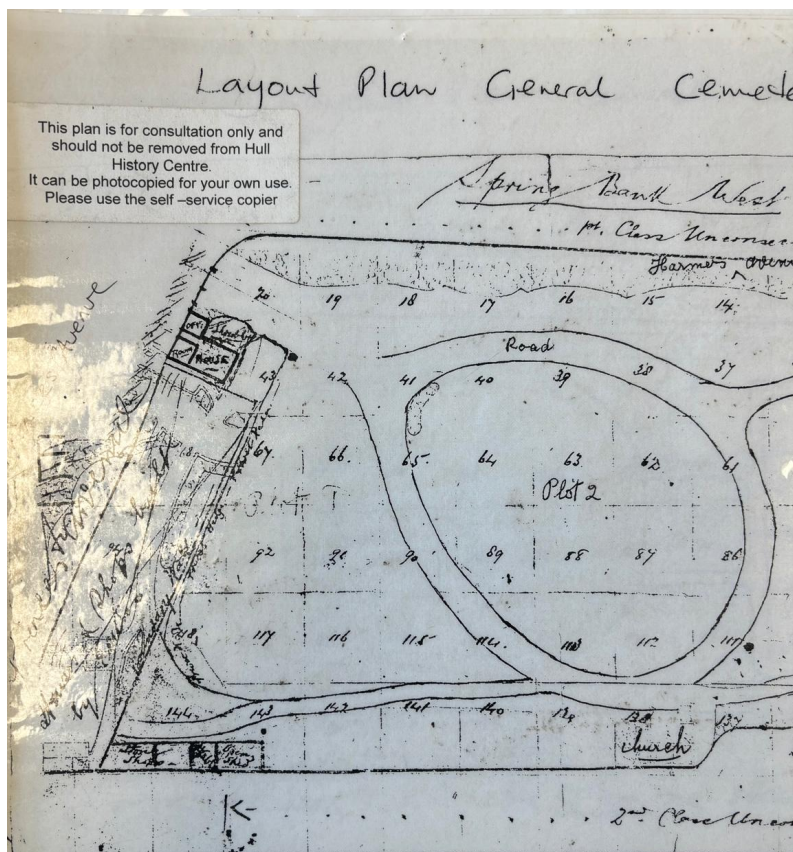


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see top left – section 115

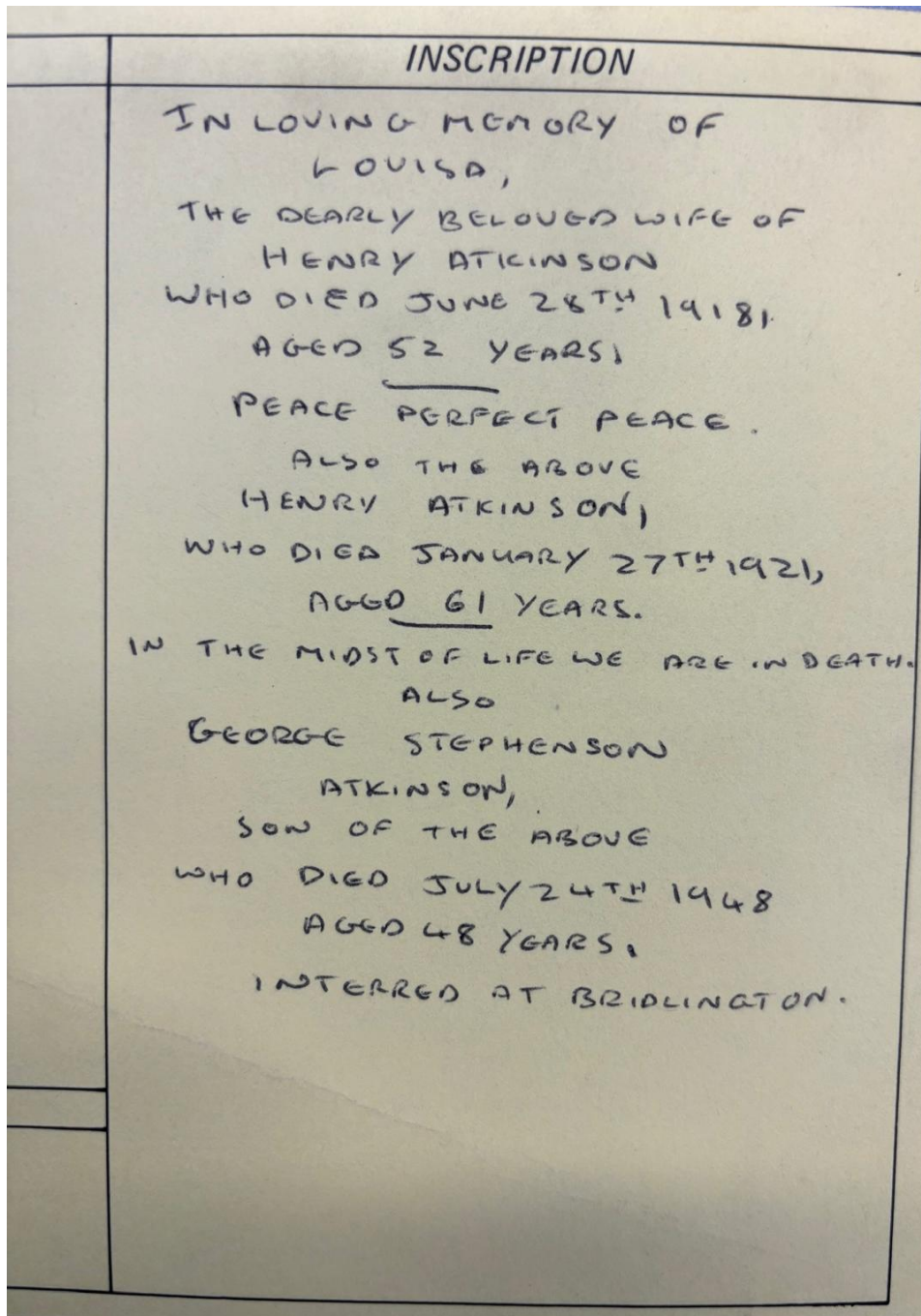
Close-up of Henry Atkinson entry



Full plan of General Cemetery, Spring Bank, Hull Note section 115 towards the bottom left corner



Close-up of the bottom left corner of the plan of the cemetery



The inscription on the headstone of Henry and Louisa Atkinson

A visit to the cemetery found it to be practically totally derelict with dozens of gravestones missing, including that of the Atkinsons

Sons of Henry and Louisa Atkinson

George Stephenson Atkinson 1900-1948

Violet Harriet Atkinson 1900-1947

Henry John Atkinson 1905-1989

Sarah Rosamond Atkinson 1907-1958

Information sourced from Bridlington Library: where a record is kept of all graves in Bridlington Cemetry, Sewerby Road.

George	3404			<b>Atkinson</b>
th Louisa	3404	<b>Ashby</b>		Maud
Margaret	3404	Alfred	3757	Thomas
	3404	Amy	3757	
a Stewart	3404	Audrey	3757	<b>Ayre Marjorie</b>
		Joseph	3261	
rch Muriel Eileen	3821	Mary Elizabeth	3261	<b>Bailey</b>
		Sheila	3757	Basil A D
				Bob
th Ellen	3216	<b>Ashton</b>		Edith
	3287	Lettie	3205	Herbert
John	3287	North	3205	Mabel
	3120			Mary Agnes
l Lycett	3120	<b>Atkinson</b>		Mary Ann
		Ethel Annie	2933	Nathaniel
n		George Stephenson	3047	Rose Ellen
e	3181	Henry John	3090	Theresa
	3181	Sarah Rosamond	3090	William James
		Thomas Joshua	2933	
son		Violet Harriet	3047	<b>Baker</b>
William	3814			Doris
Mary	3068	<b>Arnold Mary</b>	3283	Emma
	2885			Ernest
Mary	3068	<b>Arthur Dorothy</b>	2945	George
	3803			Herbert
e	3068	<b>Ash</b>		James William
	3128	Emma Jane Rawling	3329	Nellie
	3128	William M	3329	
m	3803			<b>Baldwin</b>
		<b>Ashby</b>		Alan Charles
ew		Alfred Reginald	3294	Dorothy Annie
Mary	3422	Edith May	3827	Elsie Bella
	3422	Ethel	3294	Melvin Charles
		Mary Jane	3827	Robert Charles
quist		Richard Baker	3827	
id	3397	William	3827	<b>Banks</b>
ie	3397			Betty
		<b>Ashton</b>		Charles

List of Atkinson in reference book

BR 1947 May 2 Thomas Bradshaw, licensed victualler, Greyhound Hotel,  
Promenade, Bridlington 57

3047 In/loving memory of/ GEORGE STEPHENSON / ATKINSON /who died July 24<sup>th</sup>  
1948/aged 48 years/Also VIOLET HARRIET /his beloved wife/who died November  
25<sup>th</sup> 1947/aged 47 years/Reunited. (Y207)  
BR 1948 Jul 28 George Stephenson Atkinson, retired farmer, Woodlands,  
Lamplough Rd. Bridlington 48  
1947 Nov 29 Violet Harriet Atkinson, Woodlands, Lamplough Rd. Brid. 47

3048 In loving memory of/ CLARA /dearly beloved wife of HARRY BENNETT /died 24th  
Feb 1948 aged 59/The word is a lamp unto my feet and a light unto my path/ And of/  
HARRY BENNETT /died 4<sup>th</sup> Sept 1956 aged 68/ At rest. (Y200)  
BR 1948 Feb 27 Clara Bennett, 10 Eastfield Rd. Bridlington 59  
1956 Sep 7 Harry Bennett, 79 St Annes Rd. Bridlington 68

3049 Loving memories of/a dear husband and father/ HERBERT CLARKE /died 17<sup>th</sup>  
March 1948/aged 69 years/Also/ MARTHA PATTY CLARKE /beloved wife of the  
above/ HERBERT CLARKE /and dear mother of DORIS/died 7<sup>th</sup> April 1955. (Y201)  
BR 1948 Mar 20 Herbert Clarke, retired clothier, 28 St Wilfred Rd. Brid 69  
1955 Apr 21 Martha Clarke, 115 Kings Rd. Melton Mowbray 77

3050 In/loving memory/of/ ARTHUR FREDERICK WALLIS /died 21<sup>st</sup> March 1948/aged  
76/Also/ MARY JANE /wife of the above/died 19<sup>th</sup> Sept 1963/aged 89/reunited.  
(Y202)  
BR 1948 Mar 24 Frederick Arthur Wallis, retired fisherman, 17 Nelson St.  
Bridlington 76  
1963 Sep 21 Mary Jane Wallis, 29 Richmond St. Bridlington 89

George and Violet reference; ref  
number 3047, plot number Y207

3086a In loving memory of/my dear mother/ AGNES FORD /forever with the Lord.

3087 In loving memory/of/ IVY MAY DALE /died 1<sup>st</sup> March 1967/aged 63 years.

3088 In/loving memory/of/ KATIE JANE / STORR /at rest 2<sup>nd</sup> Sept 1960/aged 74 years/  
elder daughter of the late/Alderman and Mrs W.A. STORR /of Bridlington/also her  
brother/ DOUGALD ROBERT /dear husband of GWEN /died 29<sup>th</sup> Augt 1970/aged 67  
years/ (Y194)  
BR 1960 Sep 6 Katie Jane Storr, Blind rest home, Beverley, 74

3089 In/loving memory/of/ MAUD LITTLE /died 3<sup>rd</sup> June 1959/aged 74 years/ And/  
REUBEN GEORGE / LITTLE/died 19<sup>th</sup> October 1964/aged 80 years/Reunited.(Y198)  
BR 1959 Jun 6 Maud Little, 24 Belvedere Rd. Bridlington 74  
1964 Oct 22 Reuben George Little, 24 Belvedere Rd. Bridlington 80

3090 In/loving memory of/ SARAH ROSAMOND /the beloved wife of/ HENRY JOHN  
ATKINSON/died 31<sup>st</sup> October 1958/aged 51 years/ And of the above/ HENRY JOHN  
ATKINSON /died 23<sup>rd</sup> December 1989/aged 84 years/ Together again. (Y204)  
BR 1958 Nov 4 Sarah Rosamond Atkinson, 15 Lamplugh Rd. Bridlington 51

3091 (XXIV Lancers) Treasured memories of GEORGE EDWARD / COX /died 23<sup>rd</sup> Sept  
1994/aged 71.

3092 In/loving memory of/my dear wife/ EDITH ALICE / ELSTON /died 8<sup>th</sup> June 1946.  
(Y199)  
BR 1946 Jun 13 Edith Alice Elston, 116 Queensgate, Bridlington 78

3093 In loving memory of/ SARAH ELIZABETH ASKHAM /died 21<sup>st</sup> February 1947 aged  
70/"Peaceful"/Also NORMAN WELFORD ASKHAM died 23<sup>rd</sup> December 1964 aged  
55/ Also OLIVE his wife died 29<sup>th</sup> June 1986 aged 74 years. (Dove Y190)  
BR 1947 Feb 25 Sarah Elizabeth Askham, widow, 25 St Hilda St. Bridlington 70

3094 In/loving memory of/ FRANK STABLER /died 17<sup>th</sup> December 1945/aged 24 years/  
And/his dear mother/DORIS AMY / STABLER /died 29<sup>th</sup> April 1981/aged 80 years/  
Also/ SELINA MARY STABLER /died 15<sup>th</sup> December 1987/aged 65 years.  
(J G Gardiner Y180)

Henry John and Sarah Rosamond;  
reference number 3090, plot Y204

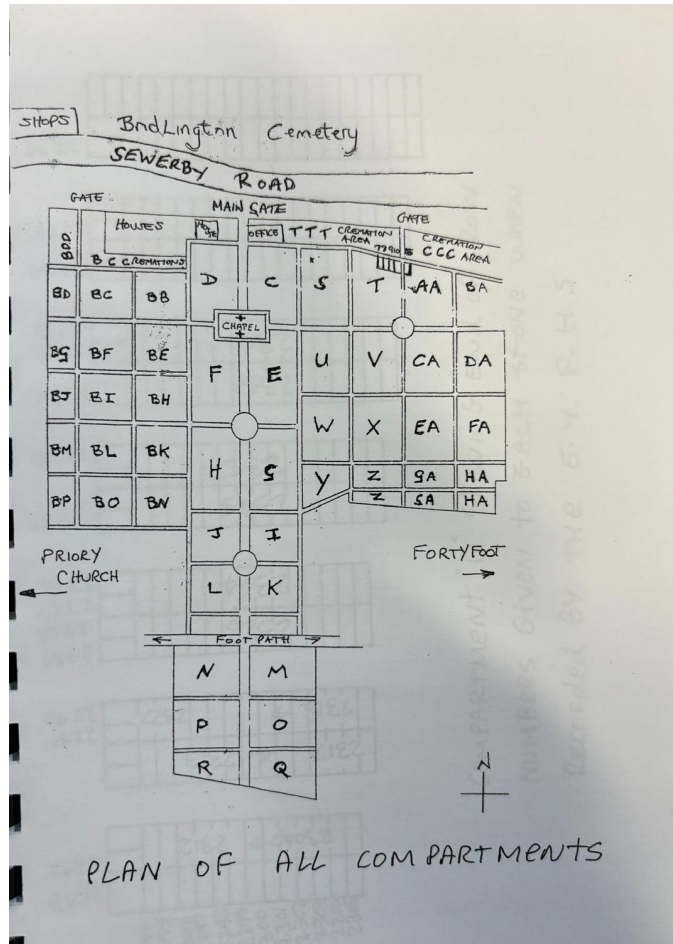
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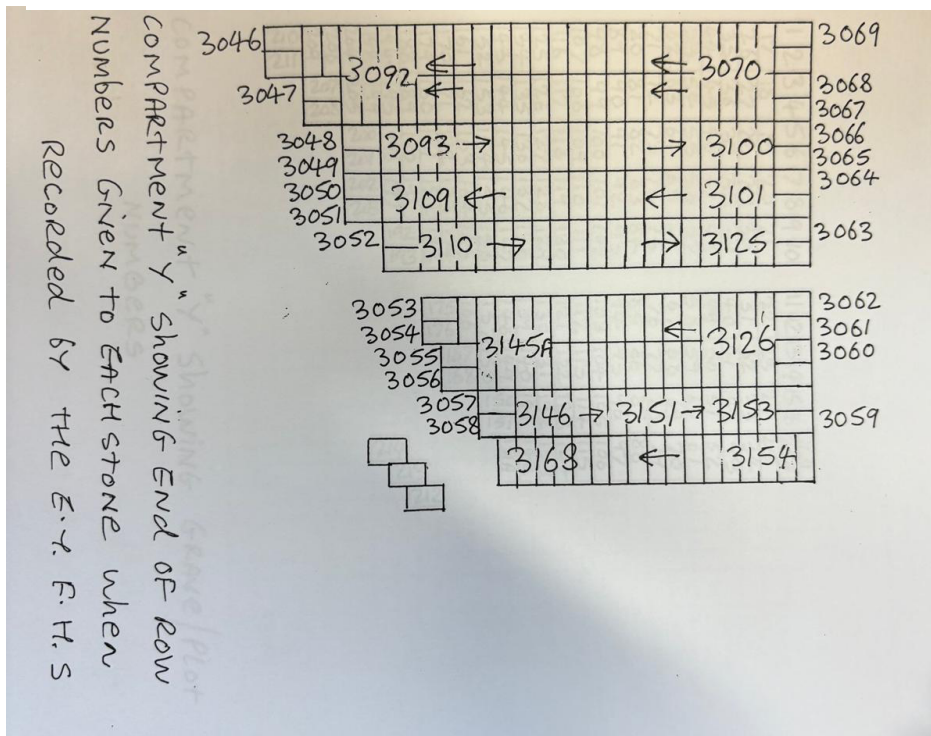
Plan of Bridlington Cemetery,  
Sewerby Road, Bridlington



Close-up of the cemetery



Compartment "Y", showing end of row numbers given to each stone when recorded by East Yorkshire Funeral Memorial Services



Detailed plan of compartment "Y", showing reference numbers from Bridlington Library



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17	18	19	20	21						22	23	24	25			25A
26	27	28	29	30						31	32	33	34			
35	36	37	38	39						40	41	42	43			
44	45	46	47	48						49	50	51	52			
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62	63	64	65	66						67	68	69	70			
71	72	73	74	75						76	77	78	79			
80	81	82	83	84						85	86	87	88			
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125	126	127	128	129						130	131	132	133			
134	135	136	137	138						139	140	141	142			
143	144	145	146	147						148	149	150	151			151A
152	153	154	155	156						157	158					
161	162	163	164	165						166	167	168				
170	171	172	173	174						175	176					
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COMPARTMENT "Y" SHOWING GRAVE/PLOT NUMBERS

Detailed plan of compartment "Y", showing grave/plot numbers. It is very fitting that Henry John's plot number 204 and George Stephenson's plot number 207 lie practically head-to-head. Close in death as in life.



The grave of George Stephenson Atkinson and his wife, Violet Harriet



The grave of Henry John Atkinson and his wife, Sarah Rosamond (née Shucksmith)