

Main Surname	AYRE	Area	Old churchyard
Christian Names	John	Row	Plot XD.
Year died	1869	Grave	183

Material Portland and sandstone

Condition Good

Photo?

Notes (e.g. FS, mason, lettering)

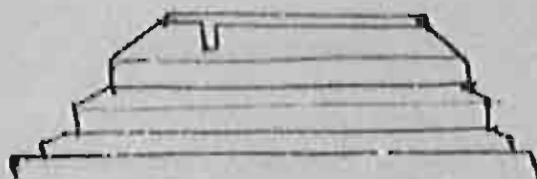
Leaded lettering. Mason's name: R.J. Physick SC. on East end.

Inscription South side.

See also Inside Church 85

Sketch/Height 2½'

Small tomb, built up of two ledgers of sandstone topped by two ledgers of Portland. Gable top, with ornament in relief. 8'0" x 4'0" overall.



INSCRIPTIONS (refer to Millward, position on sketch, or FS) Millward p. 706, tomb

In affectionate remembrance of / the Rev. John Ayre B.A. / (During 20 years minister of St. John's Chapel, Downshire Hill.) / Who was born at Spalding in the county of Lincoln, February 4 1801 / and died at Hampstead, May 20 1869 / 'In sure and certain hope of the resurrection to eternal life

(Pigot's Directory of 1840 shows residence in High Street.)

Surveyed on 16.3.1980

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PTO for further inscriptions and biographical notes.  
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