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The tomb of Harriet Thomson made of Coade artificial stone in the Putney Old Burial Ground on the Upper Richmond Road. (Philip Evison)

Wandsworth's response to the horror of the Spanish Civil War, an exploration of the Australian military graves plot in Earlsfield, and an evaluation of the significance of the Putney Old Burial Ground: these are just some of the features appearing in the latest number of the *Wandsworth Historian*. Other articles focus on an arresting portrait of Wandsworth's second mayor, William Lancaster, and the stirring ceremony in front of Buckingham Palace in 1917 when Ted Foster, a dustman from Tooting, received his Victoria Cross.

There's all this and more in the Spring 2017 issue of the *Wandsworth Historian* (ISSN 1751-9225), the journal that brings you the latest research into Wandsworth's past.

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