Charles Henry Tovey

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MONUMENT TO THE BRAVE. —The monument in Carisbrooke Cemetery erected to the memory of Mr Charles Henry Tovey, M.R.C.S., F.S.A., undergraduate of the University of London, and assistant surgeon in H.M.'s 30th Regiment, is in process of completion. The tomb has been erected by Mr. Henry Leacocke Tovey, the deceased's father, and has a square massive base, with an obelisk shaft, fronted with the family arms, motto "splendor cam cornucopia." The carving on the side of the base is neat and ornamental. The deceased served through the Crimean campaign, also during the greater portion of the Indian mutiny war, for both of which he received medals. On arriving at his home in the Island he survived only four days, his death being caused from excessive exertion in his professional capacity while attending the sick and wounded in India. The monument was designed by Mr. Poore., of Newport, and the carving by Mr. Cowdery.

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