Name of memorial: Vernon Memorial

Place: Church of St. John the Baptist.

Address and map reference: Seafield Road, Clontarf, Dublin 3. Map reference: O 247 363

Position: On wall beside a window.

Description and dimensions: White marble plaque on black marble.

Recorded by: Warren Lawless, 28 December, 2003

Text:

(Helmet and sword)

Vernon crest and motto: VERNON SEMPER VIRET

IN EVER LOVING MEMORY OF CHARLES EDWARD GRANVILLE VERNON CAPTAIN ROYAL INNISKILLING FUSILIERS KILLED IN ACTION AT SUVLA BAY, GALLIPOLI 15TH AUGUSY 1915 – AGED 31 YEARS THE DEARLY LOVED ELDER AND ONLY SURVIVING SON OF COLONEL GRANVILLE VERNON, BEDFORDSHIRE REGIMENT, AND OF ROSALIE HIS WIFE, BY WHOM THIS TABLET IS ERECTED.

Badge of Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers

"GREATER LOVE HATH NO MAN THAN THIS, THAT A MAN LAY DOWN HIS LIFE FOR HIS FRIENDS" ST. JOHN, XV.13

(Celtic cross flanked by shamrocks)

Mention in book:

Our Heroes

Dublin, Irish Life, 1916. (reprint available from www.naval-military-press.com).

"Photographs with biographical notes of Officers of Irish Regiments and of Irish Officers of British Regiments who have fallen in action or who have been mentioned for good conduct, from August, 1914 to July, 1916." Also includes photos and biographical details of some other ranks (i.e. not officers) who died or were decorated.