

MOIRA FRANCIS ALLAN MACLEAN was the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. A. Maclean, and stepson of Mrs. Catharina Maclean of Wyke Regis, Dorset. He was born in Colorado on November 23, 1883, and came to Oundle (School House) in January 1897, leaving in July 1900. He was in the football team of 1899.

Passing through Woolwich into the Garrison Artillery he was posted to a battery at Colaba, India. Subsequently he joined a mountain battery.

After thirteen years in India he was appointed to command the Mountain Battery of the Malay States Guides with the rank of Captain. Maclean was anxious to get to Europe and his recall had just been authorized when the mutiny broke out at Singapore, February 15, 1915. Maclean was shot by two sepoys of the disaffected 5th Light Infantry, as he was on his way to take charge of his own men.

His Commanding Officer wrote: "He was a thorough soldier and a most perfect gentleman in all his ways, and to the regiment his loss is an irreparable one."

He was buried in Bidadari Cemetery, Singapore.



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