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ROYAL AUSTRALIAN NAVAL RESERVE.

RECORD OF MOBILIZED SERVICE.

NAME (in full) **PATERSON JAMES KNOX** OFFICIAL NUMBER **PA. 2058**

Date of Birth **22 April 1922** Place of Birth **BERRI S.A.S.** Religion **Presbyterian** Home Port or Port Division **Port Adelaide**

Next of Kin (relationship and address) **Father W. J. Paterson, 55 Clarendon St, Adelaide S.A. 5001**

Entered in Ledger List No. **52/610**

Initials of Certifying Officer **[Signature]**

The above-named member has been mobilized for service by proclamation. He reported for duty on **3 March 1941**

Rank or Rating **O Smr** Seniority **3.3.41**

Specialist Qualifications or Non-substantive Rating **None**

Service to which allocated on Mobilization **Torrens & Queen Adelaide Lt Cdr R.A.N.**

Date **3.3.41** Signature and Rank of C.O. **[Signature]**

The above-named member has been medically examined and is fit for service.

DESCRIPTION OF MEMBER.

Height.		Colour of			Marks, Wounds, and Scars.
Ft.	Inch.	Hair.	Eyes.	Complexion.	
5	9	DARK BROWN	BLUE	FRESH	Scars on Forearm

Date **3.3.41** **Surg. Lt. Comdr. R.A.N.V.R. A. J. Datters**  
DISTRICT NAVAL MEDICAL OFFICER

Signature of Member **[Signature]** Date **3.3.41**

EXAMINATIONS AND NOTATIONS SUBSEQUENT TO MOBILIZATION

Date.	Particulars.	Date.	Particulars.
21.5.41	RAF dental forms No 6621 SO.	9.9.41	RANR S/C Signal. mb
22.8.41	R. Gunnery 78.2%		
28.2.41	Anti Gas Respirator issued		
5.9.41	G. T.M. VGI.		
12.9.41	Rifle belt and pouch equip. issued		
5.9.41	Recommended for S.T.O. medal of Japan etc.		
12.7.41	Qual PAB 1 mt		

WAR GRATUITY

CLASS NO **29525**

AMOUNT **£218.55**

INITIALS **[Signature]**

Wounds received in Action, Hurt Certificate granted, Meritorious Service, Special Recommendations, etc.

Date **1.9.41** Particulars **7/3 in Lieu of 14 Days Accrued H. S. Leave - Account No. Dated. H. S. Leave Due.**

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Name **PATERSON James Knox** Official Number **PA. 2058**

Name of Ship or Depot.	Rank or Rating.	From.	To.	Character.	Efficiency.	Date Assessed.	Remarks.
Torrens	Ond Smr	3.3.41	1-5-41	V.G.	Sat	31-12-41	Date of first entry 3.3.41 O Smr
Cerberus	---	2-5-41	14-9-41				Paraded M.S. Jan 42 to H.M. Port MP 1.
Torrens	---	15-9-41	2-1-42				Missing on "Antony" 675/201/211 of 1952
Deaguis	---	3-1-42	9-1-42				Resumed duty with 2nd H.M.S.
Antony	---	10-1-42	2-3-42				Antony 4 months
---	Ond PAB	3.3.42	2-3-42				Antony 4 months
SEA SERVICE whilst borne on books of a Depot (To be written up from Victualling Columns of Ledger).							
Ship.	From.	To.					
Nautilus	20-9-41	12-12-41	Presumed dead 4.3.42 255/101/10046 25/4/45				
Palawan	for Hobart	5.2.42	Eng 1	Missing Antony 14.3.42 02042 14.3.42			
Antony	one pass (Berang)	for 5.2.42		See file 556/201/1695/191 re transfer list of this service at the date of being reported missing			
				Reported missing			
				Antony P. Mc Nairson [Signature]			
				[Signature]			

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# James Knox Paterson

Remembered with Honour

Plymouth Naval Memorial

In Memory of

Able Seaman

PA.2058, H.M.S. Anking, Royal Australian Naval Reserve who died on 04 March 1942 Age 19

Son of William Verco Paterson and Jean Hind marsh Paterson, of Aldgate, South Australia.

# James Knox Paterson

**Service Number:** PA2058

**Rank:** Able Seaman

**Unit:** Attached Royal Navy (HMS Anking)

**Service:** Royal Australian Navy

**Conflict:** Second World War, 1939-1945

**Date of death:** 04 March 1942

**Place of death:** Indian Ocean

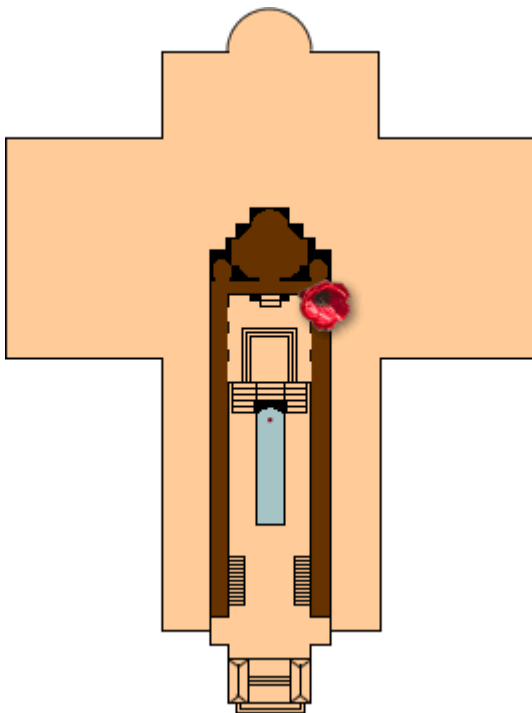
**Cause of death:** Killed in action

**Cemetery or memorial details:** Plymouth Naval Memorial, Plymouth, Devon, England, United Kingdom

**Source:** AWM146 Roll of Honour cards, 1939-1945 War, Royal Australian Navy

## Location on the Roll of Honour

James Knox Paterson's name is located at **panel 9A** in the [Commemorative Area](#) at the Australian War Memorial (as indicated by the poppy on the plan).



## **Personal Service Records**

For information on the service records of those who served in the First World War please see [Australian Service Records from World War I on the National Archives of Australia website](#).

## **War Graves**

The [Office of Australian War Graves](#) has the location and other information about war graves and memorials. Search the records of the [Commonwealth War Graves Commission](#) for details about First and Second World War graves.

## **Roll of Honour Certificate**

Roll of honour certificates are available from the Orientation Gallery for \$5.40 each.

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