

William Thomas Cantelo

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NEWPORT

Death of South African Veteran.- The death occurred suddenly on Thursday week at his residence, Stile House, Carisbrooke-road, of Mr. William Thomas Cantelo, aged 67. Mr. Cantelo served in the South African and 1914-18 wars. He joined the prison service at Portland in 1903, was later transferred to Parkhurst, and then to Camp Hill, where he stayed until completing 31 years service. The funeral service was in St. Mary's Church, Carisbrooke, on Tuesday, the Vicar (the Rev. H. Ewbank, R.D.) officiating. The mourners were the widow, Mr. and Mrs. R. Jones (son-in-law and daughter), Mrs. G. Burton and Miss D. Cantelo (daughters), Mr. and Mrs. R. Attrill (brother-in-law and sister), Miss M. Cantelo (sister), Mrs. S. Harris (sister-in-law), Mr. and Mrs. Greenwood (brother-in-law and sister), Miss E Shutler and Mr. G. Shutler. The cortege was met by the Standard Bearer (Mr. W. Ferguson) accompanied by Mr. H. Godwin and other members of the South African Veterans' Association. His sons, Sergt. W. (India Command), Pte. R. (B.L.A.), and Driver R. Cantelo (S.E.A.C.) were unable to be present, and Mr. G. Burton (son-in-law) was indisposed. The funeral arrangements were made by Messrs. O. C. Hamilton and Sons.

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