Edwin Huck

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NEWPORT

DEATH OF MR. EDWIN HUCK.- We regret to record the death, which took place rather suddenly on Thursday, at his residence, 34 Clarence-road, of Mr. Edwin Huck. The deceased who was 67, was the eldest son of the late Mr. E. J. Huck, a Crimean and Indian Mutiny veteran who resided in Lugley-street and died about eight years ago at the great age of 93. He was for many years in the employ of the late Mr. E. J. Airs and since his death had been in business on his own account as a tailor at his private residence. As a boy he sang in the Parish Church choir and later, as a capable tenor vocalist, he had been a member of the St. John's and Gatcombe Church and the Philharmonic Society choirs. He had been in delicate health for about two years but the end came quite unexpectedly. He was at work in his garden on Thursday evening until about 7 o'clock, but soon after retiring for the night he had a seizure, which ended fatally at about 11 p.m. Sincere sympathy is felt with his widow and two surviving sons in their sudden bereavement. His eldest son, a local schoolteacher, died soon after serving in the war. Another son is chief E.R.A. on H.M.S. Cornwall on the China Station. The funeral will take place at Carisbrooke Cemetery on Tuesday afternoon.

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NEWPORT

THE FUNERAL.- of Mr. Edwin Huck, of 34 Clarence-road, whose death was reported last week, took place at Carisbrooke Cemetery on Tuesday. The Rev. W. H. Mackinnon officiated. The mourners were the widow, Mr. S. J. Huck (son), Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Huck (brother and sister-in-law), the Misses E. J. and E. Huck (sisters), Mrs. W. Huck (daughter-in-law), Miss Avril Huck (grand-daughter), Mr. and Mrs. A. Coombes, of Ryde, and Miss G. Spanner, of Sandown (cousins), Mrs. Bradley, and Messrs. W. Rodway, E. J. Kemp, and R. Fisk. There were a large number of floral tributes.- At the rehearsal of the Philharmonic Society on Monday Mr. H. F. Heaton made feeling reference to the death of Mr. Huck, and recalled his valued work as a singing member and committeeman. An expression of sympathy with the family was passed in the usual way.

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