

Edwin Jacob Legg

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The Late Mr. E. J. Legg.- The death occurred at the Royal I.W. County Hospital on Tuesday week of Mr. Edwin Jacob Legg, aged 53, of 68 Worsley Road. He served in France and India with the Royal Artillery in the first world war and was in the Royal Irish Constabulary until it was disbanded, and had since worked for Messrs. Brickwood and Company. Vessels of the Vectis Shipping Company, which carry Brickwood's supplies between the Island and mainland, flew their flags at half-mast on the day of his death. Mr. Legg carried out A.R.P. duties during the last war. The funeral service took place at St. Andrew's Church on Saturday, the Vicar of Carisbrooke (the Rev. D. S. McKenzie) officiating. The mourners were Mrs. E. Legg (widow), Mr. J. C. Legg (brother), Mr. and Mrs. H. Legg (brother and sister-in-law), Mr. G. Ventress (step-son), Mrs. W. Rann (step-daughter), Mr. and Mrs. P. Ventress and Mr. and Mrs. A. Ventress (step-sons and daughters-in-law), Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Bishop, Mr. and Mrs. B. Arnold and Mr. and Mrs. J. Dexter (brothers-in-law and sisters-in-law), Mr. G. Tharle (brother-in-law), Messrs. L. Hickman, R. Smith (also representing Mrs. W. Smith and Mr. A. Cuthbert), and K. & V. Hutchings (nephews), Mrs. L. Bowers, and Messrs. G. Cooke, Beach, and Wiseman (representing the directors and staff of Messrs. Brickwood and Co.), R. Winship, and R. Ranger. The interment followed at Carisbrooke Cemetery and the floral tributes included those from the directors and staff of Brickwood's; neighbours; and the Half Way House. The arrangements were made by Messrs, H. and F. Damp.

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