

Robert Moss

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PARKHURST

Retired Prison Officer's Death . – The death occurred on Tuesday at the age of 77, of Mr. Robert Moss, of 66 Hunnyhill, a retired prison officer. A native of Preston, he joined the Scots Guards as a youth and served with the 2nd Battalion in the South African War. After 10 years' service with the colours he went on the reserve and joined the Prison Service at Borstal in Kent, later transferring to Parkhurst, where he was a hospital officer for 28 years. On his retirement in 1932 he was awarded the Imperial Service Medal. He had been a member of the Buffaloes for many years, and leaves a widow*, with whom much sympathy is felt. The funeral takes place to-day (Saturday).

** Note: Robert is buried with Elizabeth his wife who died 1938; he remarried to Elizabeth Amelia Field, in 1938, so he did leave a widow.*

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