

William Reynolds

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Former Postal Worker's Death.---The death occurred at his home, 75 Carisbrooke Road, on Sunday, of Mr. William Reynolds, aged 79. An Islander, he joined the Post Office as a messenger boy at the age of 14. He married in 1914. Two years later he joined the Royal Hampshire Regiment, serving in India, Mesopotamia, Egypt and France. On demobilization, he returned to the Post Office and was promoted to assistant inspector. He was awarded the Imperial Service Medal on retirement in 1947. Requiem Mass was celebrated at the Roman Catholic Church of St. Thomas of Canterbury on Wednesday by Father P. O'Mahoney. The mourners were Mrs. M. Reynolds (widow), Mr. P. Reynolds (son), Mrs. M. Hughes and Miss E. Reynolds (sisters), Mr. and Mrs. J. Stockton (brother-in-law and sister-in-law), Mr. and Mrs. G. Reynolds (brother and sister-in-law), Mr. T. Sear and Mr. and Mrs. A. Reynolds (nephews and niece). Mr. Reynolds' daughter is in Canada and was unable to attend. Representatives were present from the Post Office, the Post Office Veterans' Association and the British Legion, who also sent wreaths. Interment was at Carisbrooke Cemetery. Messrs. O. C. Hamilton and Son made the arrangements.

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