

## Percy Alexander Rogers

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### NEWPORT

**Railwayman's Death.**--The death took place on Tuesday week at the County Hospital, Ryde, of Mr. Percy Alexander Rogers, of Mayville, North Fairlee, aged 45. He was employed for many years by the Southern Railway as a fireman. He leaves a widow. The funeral was on Sunday at Carisbrooke Cemetery, conducted by the Rev. H. Ewbank. The family mourners were: Mrs. Rogers (widow), Mrs. Salero and Mrs. Groves (sisters), Mrs. Stark (step-mother-in-law), and Mr. F. C. Mayne (representing his step-brother-in-law in India). Others present were Mr. and Mrs. Chiverton, Mr. and Mrs. Evernard, Mr. and Mrs. Willis, and Messrs. Plumbley, Wollweber, and Wilkins. Six of his fellow workmates, namely, Messrs. W. Hayward, T. Dawson, A. Bailey, A. Turner, J. Hunnybun, and R. Hayter, were the bearers. Other representatives of the Southern Railway were: Mr. C. Joiner (chairman of the local branch of the N.U.R.), Mr. A. Turner (secretary, A.S.L.F.F.), Mr. W. Bale (locomotive foreman), and Mr. E. Landon (inspector, traffic department). Also present were Messrs. A. Dore, E. Marshall, R. Hollands, W. Gear, F. Radford, A. Cheverton, H. Watson, W. Hayward, T. Dawson, J. Hunnybun, A. Bailey, R. Hayter, A. E. Smart, K. Meaning, W. Hawkins, A. Pile, H. Blundy, W. Symes, A. Castle, J. Stone, and W. Read.

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