## **Alfred Saunders**

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## CARISBROOKE

**Octogenarian's Death.** -----The death occurred at Swainston Cottages on Saturday of Mr. Alfred Saunders, aged 82, who was well known as a farm worker and had been employed at several farmsteads in the Carisbrooke and Calbourne districts. He was for many years employed by the late Mr. R. Fish, at Apes Down Farm, and had resided at Rowridge and Ashen Grove. He had been living at Swainston for seven years. His wife and a family of one son and five daughters survive him, his other son having been killed in the Great War. The funeral was on Wednesday, the service at the Parish Church being conducted by the Vicar (the Rev. H. Ewbank). The mourners were: the widow, Mr. A. Saunders (son), Mesdames F. Gray, Gibbons, Taylor, Long, and Barton (daughters), Mrs. A. Saunders (daughter-in-law), Messrs. J. Taylor, F. W. Long, and W. Barton (sons-in-law), Messrs. F. Gray and J. Taylor and Miss E. Long (grandchildren), Mrs. J. Taylor, Mr. A. Barton, Mr. G. Saunders (cousin), and Mesdames Angel, Hayward, Woodmore, and Woods. The interment was at the Cemetery and there were 22 floral tributes. Messrs. H. and F. Damp made the arrangements.

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