Edgar William Saunders

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NEWPORT

Newportonian's Death at Ventnor.- Mr. Edgar William Saunders, a native of Newport, who had been living at Ventnor for the last 10 years, died at his residence in that town, Maycroft, Ocean View-road, on Tuesday. He was 72 years of age and one of the early members of the St. John's Men's Bible Class. He was in the Royal Field Artillery for 27 years and served through the Boer and Great Wars, leaving the Service in 1918. For some years his health had been failing. He is survived by his third wife and by two daughters of the first marriage. The funeral was at Newport yesterday (Friday), the Rev. W. H. Mackinnon (vicar) officiating at the service at St. John's Church. The mourners were Mrs. Saunders (widow), Mr. and Mrs. F. Pay (son-in-law and daughter), Mr. R. G. Augustus (son-in-law, also representing his wife), Mesdames G. Cook and H. Way, and the Misses Eleanor, Edith, and Nora Saunders (sisters), Messrs. H. and F. Langley (brothers-in-law), Messrs. F. Way, V. Lacey, E. Langley, A. W. Bishop, and G. Langley (nephews), Mesdames Lacey, E. Langley, and F. Way (nieces), Miss Whitney, and Mr. T. Smith. The Earl Yarborough Lodge of Oddfellows, of which deceased was a member, was represented by Messrs. C. Chiverton and L. H. Morgan.

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