## **Percy Albert Verry**

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## **NEWPORT**

The Late Mr. P. A. Verry.-The death occurred on Wednesday week of Mr. Percy Albert Verry aged 77, of 28, Castle Road, Newport. Mr. Verry, only son of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Verry, of Shanklin, was wounded in the 1914-18 war. He was employed as an ironmonger in Shanklin and later became manager for Lankester and Crook at Southampton, where during the last war he served in the Special Constabulary. He returned to Newport after 33 years, and until his retirement in 1972 worked for W. Hurst and Son. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. C. M. Verry, who is at present recovering from an operation in the Royal Southampton Hospital, and a son Brother Francis, a monk at Quarr Abbey. The funeral service at St. Mary's Church, Carisbrooke, was conducted by the Rev. W. M. A. Potts, assisted by the Rt. Rev. Dom A. Sillem, Abbot of Quarr. Mourners included Brother Francis Verry, Mr. J. Taylor (also representing the widow), Mrs. J. Mitchell, Mr. and Miss Pedwick, Mrs. E. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. H. Middleton, Mr. A. E. Chard, representatives from Quarr Abbey, W. Hurst and Son, St. Michael's Church, Southampton, where Mr. Verry was a sidesman for many years, and Godshill Parish Church, where he had been a churchwarden. Mr. R. G. W. Reed made the arrangements.

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