

## Walter Barton

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### NEWPORT

**The Late Mr. W. Barton.** – The death occurred on Sunday of Mr. Walter Barton, of 11 Cavendish-place, at the age of 84. One of his sons, Mr. E. W. Barton, carries on the family calling of builders for the third generation. There are many evidences of Mr. Barton's skill as a builder in the borough. In December, 1874, at Southampton, he married Miss Hannah Dorothy Shepard. They had a family of nine. For about 20 years Mr. and Mrs. Barton lived in Portsmouth, but shortly before their diamond wedding in 1934, when they received Royal congratulations, they returned to their native town. The funeral was at Carisbrooke Cemetery on Wednesday, Messrs. H. E. Croucher and A. Payne, of The Bethany-hall, officiating. The mourners were Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Heal and Mr. and Mrs. F. Williams, of Southampton (sons-in-law and daughters), Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Barton and Mr. and Mrs. L. G. E. Barton, of Brighton (sons and daughters-in-law), and Mr. F. E. C. Barton, of Southsea (son). The arrangements were made by Messrs. H. and F. Damp, of Newport.

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