Oliver Frank (Bob) Cheverton

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R.A.F. Corporal Accidentally Killed. – The death took place on Wednesday week at Elswick, of Corpl. Oliver Frank (Bob) Cheverton, R.A.F., of 3 Clarence-road, son of the late Mr. A. M. Cheverton. He was a motor-cycle instructor, and it was in a motor-cycle accident that he was killed. Sincere sympathy is extended to his widow and children. Before the war he was employed as a driver by the Southern Vectis Omnibus Company. The funeral took place on Tuesday. A service was held in the Quay-street Methodist Church and the interment followed at Carisbrooke Cemetery. The Rev. W. E. Perry officiated. The mourners were the widow, Messrs. E., H., and W. Cheverton (brothers), Mrs. B. Croucher and Mrs. S. Russell (sisters), Mr. and Mrs. H. Glasspell (father and mother-in-law), Messrs. J. K. and G. Glasspell, W. Lasman, and G. Line (brothers-in-law), Mr. and Mrs. G. Cheverton (uncle and aunt), Mr. M. Ctoucher (nephew). Corpotals J. Morgan and E. Wiffen represented the deceased's unit, and the Southern Vectis Omnibus Company was represented by Mr. W. A. Budd (general manager), Messrs. S. Bartlett (traffic manager), C. Hosier and G. Langley (clerical staff), A. Moore (maintenance), G. Gawler, C. Taylor, and H. Reynolds (inspectors), R. Hayles, R. Morris, R. Davies, P. Plumbley and G. Wiltshire (drivers), and 2nd.-Lieut. Brown, Corpl. Lamkin, and Lce.-Corpl. J. Wheeler (S.V. Platoon H.G.). Drivers R. Luff, R. White, F. Barham. C. Toogood, H. Hemmings, and F. Daish acted as bearers. Mr. O. Hamilton carried out the arrangements.

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