### **Kenneth Herbert Jones**

## Isle of Wight County Press – 23 January 1943

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#### **NEWPORT**

### FATALLY INJURED WHILST UNDER TRAINING.

The death occurred in a military hospital on Friday week, from an injury received whilst undergoing training for a commission, of Cadet Kenneth Herbert Jones, 29, of the Royal Engineers, youngest son of Mr. Mortague Jones (formerly head master of the Parkhurst School) and Mrs. Jones, of 7 Albany-road, Hunnyhill. During exercises at a training centre in Kent Cadet Jones was struck in the stomach by a piece of shrapnel from a bomb which had been exploded some 200 yards away. He was successfully operated on for the removal of the fragment, but peritonitis set in and he died the following day. The deceased, who joined up in November last, was formerly a pupil under the Cowes surveyor (Mr. J. W. Webster) and was subsequently employed by the Haslemere (Surrey) and Bognor (Sussex) Councils. When he enlisted he was an engineering assistant with the Surry County Council at Croydon, a post he had held for over three years. About six years ago he married Miss Josephine Feltham, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. Feltham, of Mount Pleasant-road, and latterly they had been residing at Shirley, Croydon. The funeral took place yesterday (Friday) at Carisbrooke Cemetery, following a service in St. John's Church.

# Isle of Wight County Press – 30 January 1943

### **NEWPORT.**

**Funeral of Cadet K. H. Jones**. – The funeral took place in Carisbrooke Cemetery on Friday week, following a service in St. John's Church, of Cadet Kenneth Herbert Jones, of the Royal Engineers, of 7 Albany-road, Hunnyhill, who died from injuries received while undergoing training for his commission. The Rev. W. H. Mackinnon officiated and the mourners were Mrs. Jones (widow), Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Jones (father and mother), Mr. and Mrs. R. Jones (brother and sister-in-law), Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Feltham (father-in-law and mother-in-law), Mr. and Mrs. H. Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. C. Damp, and Mr. F. Colledge (brothers-in-law and sisters-in-law), Mrs. T. Sheen and Miss F. Young (aunts), Mr. D. Colledge (nephew)and Miss R. Jeffery (cousin). There were 23 floral tributes which included wreaths from the Borough Engineer and staff of the Croydon Corporation and the staff and scholars of Parkhurst Mixed and Infants' School.

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