

## William Henry Small

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### BLACKWATER.

**THE SUDDEN DEATH** – occurred at Birchmore Farm early on Sunday morning of Mr. William H. Small, aged 53, an employee of Mr. James Flux. Deceased had attended to his horses, and had been assisting with the milking, when looking at his watch after finishing he suddenly fell backward before replacing it, and expired almost immediately. A post-mortem examination, which followed at the mortuary, Newport, showed that death was due to heart failure, and an inquest was not considered necessary. Deceased's wife predeceased him 14 months ago, and there are six children left, the eldest being 14, and the youngest three years. Much sympathy is felt with the bereaved family. The funeral took place at Carisbrooke Cemetery on Wednesday, the Rev. W. T. Haddy (United Methodist) officiating. The chief mourners were Stanley Small (son), Mrs. T. Cave and Mrs. P. Newbery (sisters), Mr. E. Denness (step-brother), Mrs. A. Barnes, Mrs. W. Wallis, and Mrs. A. Holbrooke (sisters-in-law), Mr. T. Cave, Mr. P. Newbery, and Mr. P. Holbrooke (brothers-in-law), Mr. W. Holbrooke (father-in-law), Miss Mackett (niece), and Mr. Mackett (nephew). Among others attending were Mr. J. Flux (Birchmore Farm), Mr. O. Flux, Mr. A. Symans, Mr. E. Turner, Mr. J. M. Mansbridge, Mr. W. Cook (Skinners), Mr. and Mrs. F. Pitman (Shide), and Mrs. A. Buckett (Newport). There were a good number of beautiful floral tributes, including those from Mr. J. Flux and family, and his fellow employees (Messrs. E. Turner, A. Symans, R. Buckett, and R. Cook). Mr. A. A. Westmore made the arrangements.

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