

James William Wooldridge

1911 census, 18 West End Terrace, Carisbrooke Road, Newport I W

<i>James William Wooldridge</i>	<i>Head</i>	<i>74</i>	<i>Retired Pork Butcher</i>	<i>Newport, Isle of Wight</i>
William Charles Harold Eyles	Nephew	42	Corn Dealer	Newport, Isle of Wight
Hannah Eyles	Wife	42		Freshwater, Isle of Wight
Gwendolen Wooldridge Eyles	Daughter	12	School	Newport, Isle of Wight
William Charles Alfred Eyles	Son	9	School	Newport, Isle of Wight
Mabel Violet Roberts	Niece	24		Newport, Isle of Wight
Irena Brailsford Arum	Servant	19	Domestic Servant	Lincoln

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NEWPORT.

DEATH OF MR. JAMES W. WOOLDRIDGE. – We regret to record the death, which occurred suddenly on Sunday morning, of Mr. James William Wooldridge, aged 77, formerly a well known tradesman of the town, who had been living in retirement for some years. He was a director and deputy chairman of the Newport Gas Company, and for many years was a valued supporter of the Newport Cricket Club, having been a keen and good player in his younger days. His enthusiasm for the game was evinced to the last, for he was a spectator on the match at Victoria Recreation-ground on Saturday afternoon. He was also one of the oldest members of the Newport Literary Society and was held in high regard by a large circle of friends. The funeral took place at Carisbrooke Cemetery on Wednesday, the Rev. J. L. Spratt officiating. The mourners were Mrs. Roberts and Mr. W. C. Eyles, Mr. and Mrs. H. Whittington, Mr. R. Wooldridge (nephew), Miss Roberts (great niece), and Messrs. A. H. and E. Roberts (great nephews). There were also present from the Newport Gas Company, Mr. Robert Pinnock, J.P. (chairman), Mr. E. F. King and Ald. Charles Webb (directors), Mr. Frank King (secretary), Mr. S. W. Ibbotson (manager), Messrs. W. C. Black and Edward W. Way (auditors) and Mr. W. H. Tiley (collector). Mr. A. W. Oke (director) was prevented from attending owing to his presence at another funeral. Others present included Messrs. E. Huxham, R. B. Harvey (Calbourne), J. H. Russell (Roslin), H. E. Warder (Yaverland), J. H. Green, R. Holt, and F. Burton, and Mr. Beken (clerk) and staff in the employ of Messrs. Wooldridge and Co. Messrs. H. and F. Damp carried out the funeral arrangements.

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