Robert Henry Niblett

1911 census, 19 Crocker Street, Newport

Robert Edward[?] Niblett Head 40 Butcher Jobbing Newport, Bartons Village, Isle of Wight

Annie Niblett Wife 49 Domestic Calbourne, Isle of Wight Edward M Groves Lodger 35 Labourer Carisbrooke, Isle of Wight John Wapshott Lodger 61 Grocer Newport, Isle of Wight

Isle of Wight County Press – 16 January 1915

NEWPORT.

NATIONAL RESERVIST'S SUDDEN DEATH. – The death took place at the Military Hospital, Parkhurst, on Friday last, shortly after his admission, of Private Robert Niblett, a married man, whose home is in Crockerstreet. The deceased, who was very well known in the town, was 45 years of age. He joined the 1st Aldershot Battalion of the National Reserve some two months ago, and was taken ill whilst spending a few days' leave at home. The funeral took place with full military honours at the Parkhurst Military Cemetery on Tuesday, the band and firing party of the 3rd Royal Warwickshire Regiment paying the last military tributes. About 28 of the deceased's comrades who were on leave at Newport and Cowes, attended in charge of Sergeant G. Morgan, and several acted as bearers; Colour-Sergeant G. H. Yelf, of the National Reserve, was also present. The family mourners were the widow, Mr. W. Niblett (brother), and two sisters of the deceased. There was a beautiful floral token from the National Reserve Battalion at Aldershot. Mr. H. Parnell carried out the funeral arrangements.

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