

George Henry Cheverton

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NEWPORT

Death of Mr. G. H. Cheverton.— The death took place very suddenly, following a seizure, shortly after he had retired to bed on Wednesday night of Mr. George Henry Cheverton, aged 61, of 77 Pyle-street.

Mr. Cheverton had throughout his working life been a valued member of the staff of Messrs. Bright and Minns, dyers and cleaners, at Nodehill. He was a popular member of the Conservative Club and one of the keenest members of the Newport Allotment Holders' Association. He had served for some years on the committee of the association and had won many prizes for vegetables at local shows. On more than one occasion his allotment at Petticoat-lane had won the association's award for the best kept plot. He served with the I.W. Rifles in the last war. He was very well known in the town and much esteemed.

Much sympathy is felt with his widow and the members of the family in their unexpected bereavement. Mr. Cheverton had not enjoyed good health of late and had been having medical attention; an inquest was therefore unnecessary.

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NEWPORT

Funeral of Mr. G. H. Cheverton.— The funeral of Mr. George Henry Cheverton took place on Sunday at the Victoria Methodist Church, the Rev. H. M. Jackson officiating. The mourners were Mrs. A. Cheverton (widow), Mr. and Mrs. G. Cheverton (son and daughter-in-law), Mrs. I. Batchelor (daughter), Mrs. H. Jackman and Mrs. M. Hingley (step-daughters), Mr. C. Smith (step-son), Mr. and Mrs. F. Cheverton (brother and sister-in-law), Mrs. F. Morris and May (sisters), Mrs. P. Morgan (sister-in-law), and Mr. and Mrs. Hipkiss and Mr. and Mrs. Harris (brothers-in-law and sisters).

The bearers were employees of Messrs. Bright and Minns, namely, Messrs. A. Groves, H. Townsend, J. Barratt, C. Wheeler, and R. Leal (also representing Mr. M. Hurst). Those attending included Messrs. W. L. Bright and W. O. and H. W. Minns (directors of Messrs. Bright and Minns); Mr. P. Morgan (Allotments Association); Mr. J. J. Simmonds, T.C. (president), Mr. B. P. R. Smith (chairman), and Mr. B. V. Harris (vice-chairman), representing the Conservative Club, the last-named also representing the Vectis Pig Club; Messrs. F. Jacobs, G. Dore, C. Eldridge, H. Biles, H. Toogood, and H. Leal (members of the Conservative Club) and Mr. and Mrs. H. Long (steward and stewardess); Mr. A. C. Early, hon. secretary and Messrs. J. Hamilton, W. Matthews, E. Reilly, E. G. Sims, and W. Buckett (I.W. Rifles Comrades Association); Mr. W. Knight (Sir John Barleycorn Thrift Club), Mr. W. K. Baker (the R.A.O.B), Mr. and Mrs. G. Russell, and Messrs. T. Harbor, H. Rann, A. Burt, Woodford, and Simms.

There were over 30 wreaths, including those from the Vectis Pig Club; I.W. Rifles Comrades Association; directors of Messrs. Bright and Minns; staff of Messrs. Bright and Minns; the Conservative Club; the "Late Six"; and the staff of the Sir John Barleycorn Inn. Mr. H. W. Parnell made the arrangements.

The family of the late Mr. Cheverton wish to thank Dr. G. L. Peskett, relatives, and friends for sympathy and kindness shown in their bereavement. Will they please accept this as the only intimation.

Isle of Wight County Press - 3 April 1943

NEWPORT

Mr. G. H. Cheverton's Funeral. – The Clarendon Club, of which the late Mr. G. H. Cheverton was a member, was represented at the funeral last week by Mr. G. Chick (chairman) and the members sent a wreath. Mrs. H. Cheverton represented her husband (Petty Officer G. Cheverton R.N.), and Sergt. F. Batchelor (son-in-law) was among the family mourners.

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