

Fanny Ellen Hills

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NEWPORT

DEATH OF MRS. C. HILLS.- With great regret we have to record the death on Monday of Mrs. Hills, wife of Major C. Hills, of Lansdowne, Shide-cross. The deceased lady, who was in her 76th year, was a native of Newport. She had been suffering from an extremely painful ailment for some months. She had, until her illness, devotedly nursed her husband, who had been an invalid for some years. Much sympathy is felt for Mayor Hills and his family in their irreparable loss. The funeral took place on Thursday morning, the first part of the service being at the parish Church, where the Vicar (the Rev. Canon Thompson) officiated, assisted by the Rev. Dr. Sutton. The mourners were Col. C. E. Hills and Mr. A. J. P. Hills (sons), Brigadier-General H. A. Young (son-in-law), Mr. R. Bird Cheverton, J.P. (brother-in-law), Mrs. R. Bird Cheverton, Mrs. G. Weeks (niece), Mr. R. Bird Cheverton, jun. (nephew), and Mr. W. H. Dann. Mrs. Dann (niece) was unable to be present. Amongst the large number also in the church were Mrs. Thompson, J.P., Mr. W. J. Whittington, J.P., Mr. Morgan, Mr. E. G. Barton, Mr. T. R. Tilling, Mrs. C. Webb, and Mrs. Delicate. The interment was at the Newport Cemetery. The only flowers, by request, were those from actual members of the family. Messrs. Damp were the undertakers.

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