

## Agnes Rosa Killeen

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### NEWPORT

**The Late Mrs. C. R. Killeen.**--The funeral service took place at St. Paul's Church, Barton, on Wednesday for Mrs. Agnes Rosa Killeen, aged 67, who died at her home, Karind, 185 Fairlee Road, on Saturday. Mrs. Killeen was the daughter of Mr. F. Osborne, a prison officer at Parkhurst. In 1917 she married Captain C. B. Killeen at Newport Parish Church. Capt. Killeen served in the Royal Horse Artillery in South Africa, India and France and Mrs. Killeen accompanied her husband and after the war went with the regiment to Iraq. The hill station at Karind, Persia, was responsible for the choice of name for their Newport home. Captain Killeen left the army in 1921 and subsequently became a riding master at Shanklin and Newport and formed the well-known Wight Rodeo Riders. He died in 1960. Mrs. Killeen worked at the head Post Office during the last war and had continued part-time work there until recently. Her only son died as the result of an accident while serving in the Home Guard in 1941. The Rev. W. Boardman (priest-in-charge) officiated at the service on Wednesday. The mourners were Miss B. M. R. Killeen (daughter), Mr. K. A. L. Killeen (nephew), Mrs. E. Matthews (cousin), Mrs. L. Goater, Mr. and Mrs. F. Stevenson and Mr. J. Kirby. Mr. F. P. Hillier (head postmaster) and Post Office representatives were present and sent a floral tribute. Interment was at Newport Cemetery. The arrangements were made by Messrs. O. C. Hamilton and Son.

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