

Caroline Riggs

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The Late Mrs. J. Riggs. - The funeral took place on Tuesday of Mrs. Caroline Riggs, wife of Mr. J. Riggs, of Hunnyhill, whose death at the age of 83 occurred on Saturday. Like her husband, she was a native of Broadway, Somersetshire. Mr. and Mrs. Riggs had been married nearly 61 years and celebrated their diamond wedding last October. Mr. Riggs is a former prison officer and member of the Town Band. The service at the Congregational Church was conducted by the Rev. W. H. Price (Baptist minister), and the mourners were Mr. J. Riggs (husband), Messrs. John, James, and T. Riggs (sons), Mesdames M. Bowles, W. Beverton, and H. Carver (daughters), Messrs. W. Beverton and H. Carver (sons-in-law), and Mesdames John and C. Riggs (daughters-in-law). The interment was at Newport Cemetery. Messrs. H. and F. Damp made the arrangements. - The family thank neighbours and friends for their kindness and wreaths; also Dr. McCann and the district nurses.

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