## **Albert Charles Webster**

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## **NEWPORT**

The Late Mr. A. C. Webster.--As briefly announced last week, the death occurred after a long illness at the County-hall on Thursday week of Mr. Albert Charles Webster, aged 64, who had been the esteemed caretaker of the hall for 23 years. Mr. Webster was a Londoner, and as a young man served for 12 years in the Royal Fusiliers, seeing active service on the North-west Frontier of India and in the expedition to Tibet. The funeral took place on Sunday, the Rev. D. Hendy Davies officiating at a service in the Congregational Church and at the interment at Newport Cemetery. Mr. A. Mearman (organist) accompanied the hymns. The mourners were Mrs. Webster, Miss P. Webster (daughter), Flight-Sergt. A. Webster, R.A.F. (son), Mr. F. Webster (brother), Mesdames F. Davey and J. Davie (sisters), Mr. and Mrs. H., Mr. and Mrs. P., and Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Porter (brothers-in-law and sistersin-law), Mr. and Mrs. Wells (Bournemouth), Mrs. Russell (Sandown), and Mr. J. Hart. Among others attending were Mr. J. Dufton, Mr. A. H. Hughes, and the following members of the County Council staff: Mr. P. E. White, LL.B. (county clerk), Drs. J. Fairley and W. S. Wallace (medical officers), Mr. H. G. Peachey (deputy county accountant), Messrs. H. L. Gray, H. E. Williams, G. E. Bishop, D. A. Graves, and E. H. Upward, Miss Rickard, and Mrs. Davies, C.P.O. Phillips, R.N., a former member of the staff was also present. There were over 40 wreaths, including those from the staff of the various departments at the County-hall. --- Mrs. Webster, son, and daughter wish to express their sincere appreciation of the numerous messages of sympathy and beautiful floral tributes, and the kind attention of the doctors and Mrs. Leal and Mrs. Hunt. Will all please accept this acknowledgment.

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