Charles Percy Cheverton

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Death of Mr. C. Percy Cheverton.— We regret to record the death of a well-known and esteemed townsman in the person of Mr. Charles Percy Cheverton, aged 44, son of Mr. R. Bird Chevron, J.P., and a director of the firm of Messrs. R. B. Cheverton and Co., Ltd., motor and carriage builders, etc., which took place yesterday (Friday) week after a very serious illness extending over some nine months. The funeral took place on Wednesday amid many manifestations of sorrowful respect and sympathy; the flag at the Conservative Club was at half-mast. The first part of the service was at St. Thomas's Church, and the interment at Newport cemetery, the Vicar (the Rev. C. H. Thompson) officiating. The personal mourners were deceased's son Reggie, Mr. R. Bird Cheverton, J.P. (father), and Mrs. Cheverton, Mr. R. Bird Cheverton, jun., Messrs. William H., L., G., and Frank Cheverton (brothers), C. R. Atwell, and H. C. Norris (brothers-in-law), D. Flux (Shanklin), H. Heal, And. W. J. Whittington, J.P., Mr. A. E. Harvey, T.C., Major Hills, T.C., and Mrs. Hills (aunt), and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Dann, and a large attendance of the employees of the firm, some of whom acted as bearers. Among others present were Ald. Charles Webb, Mr. C. A. Good, Mr. C. Steel, T.C., Mr. G. Long, Mr. W. C. Black, Mr. H. Margham, Mr. J. T. Locke, and Mr. T. P, Whiston (Earl Yarborough Lodge of Oddfellows). The numerous beautiful floral tributes included one inscribed "With deep sympathy from the employees of R. B. Cheverton and Co., Ltd., 'Now comes rest'". Mr. G. F. Quinton carried out the funeral arrangements.

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