Edmund Matthews

20 Oct 1858 Edmund MATTHEWS married Anne ANDREWS at St. Thomas's church, Newport Anne died 1859, funeral at St Mildred's Church, Whippingham 4 May 1859.

1861 census, Fairlee Cemetery Lodge, Whippingham					
Edward Matthews	Head	50	Garden	er Newport, Har	npshire
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21 May 1868 Edmund MATTHEWS (widower) married Jane Emily MATTHEWS at St. Paul's church,					
Barton					
1871 census, The Cemetery Lodge, Ryde Road, Whippingham					
Edmund Matthews	Head	•		Lodge Keeper	Newport, Hampshire
Jane E. Matthews	Wife	Married	36	Dressmaker	Carisbrooke, Hampshire
1881 census, The Cemetery Lodge, Ryde Road, Whippingham					
Edmund Matthews	Head	Married	70	Gardener & Keeper	Newport, Hampshire
				of Cemetery	
Jane E. Matthews	Wife	Married	46	Dressmaker	Carisbrooke, Hampshire
Edmund R. Matthews	Son		8	Scholar	Whippingham, Hampshire
Mary E. Matthews	Daughter		6	Scholar	Whippingham, Hampshire

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A WELL-KNOWN FORM – is gone from us in the person of Mr. Edward Matthews, who died at the Cemetery-lodge on Monday last, at the age of 86. The deceased, who was much respected, had been curator of the Newport Cemetery from, we believe, its formation, and there where his face was so familiar he finds his last resting-place. Years ago he enjoyed a considerable reputation as a cricketer, and he never lost his interest in the game. So long as his health permitted, he was a regular at local matches, and he never tired of talking of exploits which he witnessed or of memorable contests in which he took part in the "good old days.".

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