

Charles Munns

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NEWPORT.

SUDDEN DEATH. - The death occurred rather suddenly late on Thursday of Mr. Charles Munns, aged 46, of 60 Crocker-street. The deceased left his work as a labourer at Messrs. J. S. White and Company's shipyard at Cowes at about 8.30 p.m. on Thursday, and while awaiting his train at Mill Hill station he felt unwell. He was assisted home and, as he became worse, Dr. H. Jones was called in, but deceased passed away shortly after 10 p.m. He leaves a widow and a family of six.

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THE LATE MR. C. MUNNS. – The late Mr. Charles Munns, of Crocker-street, whose sudden passing at the age of 45 was recorded last week, served during the Great War with the 2nd Suffolk Regiment on the Salonica front. He was with the regiment at Albany Barracks for four years prior to the war, and left the army at the conclusion of hostilities with 11 years' service. He rose to the rank of R.S.M., and his decorations included the Meritorious Service Medal. The funeral was at Newport Cemetery on Monday. Four former comrades in the Suffolk Regiment, Messrs. Clarke, Raymond, Lines, and Thorpe, acted as bearers. The service was conducted by Adjutant B. Webb, of the Salvation Army, and the mourners were Mrs. Munns (widow), Messrs. C. and W. Munns (sons), Mrs. M. Manton (daughter), Mr. W. Munns (father), and Mrs. Turner (sister). Six of his fellow workmates at Messrs. J. S. White and Co.'s, of Cowes, also attended, and the 27 choice floral tributes included a wreath from them.

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