James Hobbs

1911 census, 2 Culvers Cottages, Staplers, Newport				
James Hobbs	Head	68	Retired Brickmaker	Southampton, Hampshire
Annie Hobbs	Wife	68		London
Albert Hobbs	Son	40	Brickmaker	Newport, Isle of Wight
Doris Hobbs	Daughter	38		Newport, Isle of Wight

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NEWPORT

DEATH OF MR. JAMES HOBBS. – The death occurred suddenly on Friday evening of last week, of Mr. James Hobbs, 73, of Culver Villa, Staplers, the well-known brick manufacturer, who succeeded to the business carried on at Staplers by his late father. Deceased, who was highly esteemed, had been in failing health for some time, but kept about until the last. The funeral took place at St. Paul's, Barton, on Wednesday, the Rev. J. L. Spratt officiating owing to the indisposition of the Vicar (the Rev. Miles Atkinson). The mourners were Messrs. J. W., George, and Albert Hobbs (sons), Mrs. Gallop, Misses Dorcas and Alice Hobbs (daughters), Mrs. J. W. Hobbs (daughter-in-law), Mr. Gallop (son-in-law), Mr. W. Morris (Pan), and Mr. C. Vincent. There were a number of floral tributes. Messrs. H. and F. Damp carried out the funeral arrangements.

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