Ernest Bilk

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Retired Coachman's Death. The death occurred on Wednesday, at St. Mary's Hospital, where he had been a patient for 10 years, of Mr. Ernest Bilk, aged 86, formerly of Victoria Road. He was coachman to the late Sir Charles Seely, Bt., before becoming chauffeur to the late Captain Delano Osborn, of Woodside, Wootton, and afterwards to Mrs. Templeman Mew, of Polars. His wife died 20 years ago, and he leaves one daughter. The funeral took place at St. Paul's Church yesterday, the Vicar (Rev. L. J. D. Wheatley) officiating. The mourners were Mrs. A. Gallop sister-in-law), Mr. and Mrs. S. Harrison (nephew and niece), Mr. Early and Mrs. Barton. The interment was at Fairlee Cemetery. The arrangements were made by Messrs. O. C. Hamilton and Son.

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