

Beatrice May Edwards

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NEWPORT WOMAN'S DEATH AT BOURNEMOUTH. – The death took place on Saturday, following an operation at the Boscombe Hospital, of Mrs. Beatrice May Edwards, 41, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Lockyer, of 52 Victoria-road, and wife of Police-Sergt. Lawrence Edwards, of Christchurch, son of the late P.C. Edwards, of Newport. Many friends in Newport sincerely sympathise with the bereaved husband, who is left with two young children. Sergt. Edwards had only recently been transferred to Christchurch from the Aldershot Division. The funeral took place on Wednesday, the first part of the service being at the Unitarian Church. The Rev. Gordon Cooper (minister) officiated and made sympathetic reference to the sad circumstances. The mourners were Sergt. W. L. N. Edwards (husband), Mr. and Mrs. J. Lockyer (father and mother), Mrs. R. Richards (sister), Capt. and Mrs. J. S. Brown, Capt. and Mrs. H. G. Glading, and Mrs. Jolliffe (uncles and aunts.). The police representatives present were Inspector Hibberd and Segt. Cass, of Farnborough, P.C. Atkins, of Aldershot (Aldershot Division), and P.C.s Merwood and Clover (Christchurch Division), who walked at the rear of the cortege to St. Paul's Cemetery, where they were joined by P.C. Eames, of the I.W. Constabulary. The Rev. Gordon Cooper also officiated at the graveside. .. The funeral arrangements were made by Messrs. O. C. Hamilton and Son.

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