Frank Randolph. Feltham

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Farmed for Forty Years.—The death occurred rather suddenly on Sunday of Mr. Frank Randolph Feltham, of Iscoed, Mount Pleasant-road, a well known and respected Island agriculturist. Mr. Feltham came of old Hampshire farming stock, his home being near Romsey, and he commenced farming in the Island at Standen Heath in 1890. Two years later he went to Burnt House, where he farmed for over 40 years until his retirement in 1931. It was here that he became very well known in the district and among the Island farming community generally, and it was his proud claim that while at Burnt House he never missed a day's delivery on his extensive milk round. A keen horseman, Mr. Feltham was at one time a regular follower of the I.W. Foxhounds and the I.W. Harriers. His death is much regretted, and sincere sympathy is expressed with his widow and family of five daughters in their bereavement. The funeral took place on Thursday, the first part of the service being at St. Paul's Church, Barton. The Rev. H. G. Kelsey (vicar) officiated, and the mourners were Mr. and Mrs. H. Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Colledge, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Middleton, Mr. and Mrs. F. Damp, and Mrs. J. B. Jones (sons-in-law and daughters), Mr. and Mrs. G. Feltham (brother and sister-in-law), Messrs. N. F. Rogers and D. F. and G. J. Colledge (grandsons), Mr. W. H. Jeffrey (brother-in-law), Miss R. Jeffrey (niece), Miss F. Young (sister-in-law), and Mr. J. B. Alderslade (executor). Those also present included Mesdames Luffman, Breaker, E. J. Miller, and D. Biles (also representing Mr. D. Biles), the Misses A. and K. Williams, and Messrs. F. Feltham (Shanklin), G. S. H. Allen (also representing Mrs. Allen), O. C. Hamilton, J. Warder, T. H. Alexander, G. H. Scott (representing Messrs. H. Scott and Son), H. Hollis, A.T. Blow, H. W. Brown (Burnt House), A. W. Morris (Pan), and J. Blow (Mornhill). The interment was at St. Paul's Cemetery, there being many beautiful floral tributes. Messrs, H. and F. Damp made the arrangements.

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