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Sportsman's Death. - The death occurred on Wednesday at his home, 15 Mount Street, of Mr. Edward Mursell SHINER, aged 70, a native of St. Helens who had lived here for the greater part of his life. He served in France with the Hampshire Regiment during the 1914-18 war; and was invalided from the Army. Subsequently he was a valet, and served in several large yachts between the wars. He maintained a lifelong interest in sport, and as a young man played for several seasons for Ryde Sports, being a footballer of considerable skill. He took an enthusiastic interest in the British Legion during the early years of the local branch and club, and had served on the committees. A widow, three sons and three daughters survive him.

The funeral takes place to-day at All Saints Parish Church at 11 o'clock.

NB: We note the discrepancy in the surname spelling. All official records found are listed as SHINAR

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