ISLE OF WIGHT COUNTY PRESS Saturday 18th June 1938

DEATHS:

BESSANT.- June 14, at 45 Weeks-road, Ryde, Rose, wife of H. BESSANT, aged 69.

NB: The date above should have shown June 12th, which was the Sunday as written below.

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Death of Mrs. BESSANT.- We regret to record the death of Mrs. Rose BESSANT, of 45 Weeks-road, which took place early on Sunday morning at the age of 69. Deceased, who was much respected in the neighbourhood, had been actively associated with the Weeks-road Congregational Chapel. She had brought up a family of five daughters and five sons, two of whom gave their lives in the last war.

The funeral was on Tuesday, the Rev. W. R. LLOYD (Congregational) officiating. The mourners were: Mr. Harry BESSANT (husband), Messrs. Syd, Stan, and Rex BESSANT (sons), and Messrs. Charles HICKMAN and Kenneth FRASER (sons-in-law). Messrs. E. F. MORRIS and D. J. JONES (deacons) represented the Congregational Church. Choice floral tributes were sent by: Syd and Alma; Brian; Stan; Ena, Rex and Lena; May, Char, Eun, and Trev; Amy and Ken; Jack and Bones; Mr. and Mrs. MUNDELL, Edd and Con; Nell and all at 2 Bedworth-place; Mr. and Mrs. E. BARTLETT; Miss JOLLIFFE and Mrs. A. CHEEK; Miss Townsend RIDSDALE; Mr. and Mrs. H. TURNER; Miss JANAWAY; Mr. and Mrs. BARBER; and Mr. and Mrs. BRETT.

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