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A Double Bereavement. - Sincere sympathy has been felt with the relatives of Mrs. Annie Louise CANTWELL in her death and that of her daughter-in-law, Mrs. May Isabel CANTWELL, on Sunday week. Mrs. CANTWELL, senior, was a member of a respected Binstead family, the BUTTS, and the widow of Mr. A. E. CANTWELL, R.N. Her daughter-in-law was a daughter of Mrs. SCOTT, of St. John's-hill, and was formerly a member of the staff of the Victor Nursing Home, Partlands-avenue. Since her marriage to Corpl. A. E. CANTWELL, R.A.F., she had been living near his unit on the mainland, but as she was shortly expecting her first child had returned to Ryde to be with her mother-in-law. These particularly sad circumstances have evoked very deep sympathy among the towns-people.

The funeral service was on Friday week in St. James's Church, the Rev. E. E. M. GREEN officiating. The interments were in separate graves at Ashey Cemetery. The mourners were Corpl. A. E. CANTWELL, R. A.F. (son and husband), Mrs. SCOTT (mother of Mrs. CANTWELL, junior), Stoker N. H. CANTWELL, R.N., and Mr. R. G. CANTWELL (sons and brothers-in-law), Mr. R. BUTT (brother-in-law of Mrs. CANTWELL, senior), Mrs. L. SHORE (niece and cousin), Mr. and Mrs. H. BUTT (brother and sister-in-law and uncle and aunt), Mr. and Mrs. W. BARTLETT (cousins of Mrs. CANTWELL, senior), Mrs. STOREY, Mrs. TAYLOR, Mr. and Mrs. HODGES, and Miss J. SQUIBB. Mrs. STOREY (daughter and sister-in-law) was unavoidably prevented from being present. Mr. W. A. CHRISTY, T.O. represented the Corporation. Nearly 30 beautiful floral tokens were received.

Mr. A. E. CANTWELL and his brothers and sister express their grateful thanks to kind friends for their deep sympathy and beautiful floral tributes, and ask them to accept this as the only acknowledgement.

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