ISLE OF WIGHT TIMES Saturday 29th July 1926

THE LATE MRS. WILLIAMS-FREEMAN. – The funeral took place on Wednesday of a much esteemed lady of Swanmore – Mrs. WILLIAMS-FREEMAN, wife of Capt. F. WILLIAMS-FREEMAN, and widow of Col. Robert BARTHOLEMEW, Bengal Cavalry. Her death occurred on the previous Sunday at "St. Mary's," Upton Road, following a long illness. Capt. WILLIAMS-FREEMAN is well-known as vice-president of the Ryde branch of the British Legion and much sympathy has been expressed with him and the family in their bereavement.

A service was held at St. Michael's, The Vicar (Rev. A.C. DURHAM) officiating assisted by the Rev. C. ARNOLD (Wroxall) and the Rev. de GEX. The principal mourners, were: Captain F. WILLIAMS-FREEMAN (husband), Mrs. DONALDSON (daughter), Col. C. CHENEVIX-FRENCH (Butsleydon) and Mr. R. CHENVIX-FRENCH (Bangore), brothers); Mr. C. COOTE (Jesmond) Comdr. WILLIAMS-FREEMAN R.N. (Richmond), nephews; Miss E. WILLIAMS-FREEMAN (Winchester), niece; Dr. J. WILLIAMS-FREEMAN (Andover), brother-in-law; Miss WILLIAMS-FREEMAN (Totland Bay), Miss NAPIER (Hayling Island), Mr. R. BLENCOWE (Chaley, Sussex), Miss FLETCHER (Southampton), cousins.

Among those also present at the church were: Admiral B.H. FANSHAWE, General R.S. FETHERSTONHAUGH, Mr. and Mrs. E. CARTER, Major and Mrs. H. Du BUISSON, Colonel and Mrs. DAWSON, Alderman A. ANDREWS, Mr. and Mrs. T. BROUGHAM, Mrs. MURRAY, Mr. and Mrs. TADNELL, Rev. KEENE, M. PITT, Mr and Mrs. W. HILLS, Mrs. SHEARME, Dr. and Mrs. CHURCHILL, Dr. and Mrs. BURRELL.

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