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Death of Mr. T. W. WHITE.- The death occurred on Monday at 31 Mitchells-road, Haylands, of Mr. Thomas William WHITE. He was 61 and for over 20 years was employed by the Gaslight Company and will be remembered as one of the old town lamp lighters. Subsequently he was employed as a gardener by Col. Stephenson R. CLARKE, C.B., J.P., at Binstead House. He served with the Royal Engineers from 1904 to 1907 and was recalled to the colours in the last war. He was well known in the Swanmore neighbourhood by his hobby as a clock and watch repairer. For many years he was a worshipper in St. Michael's Church where his son, Mr. A. WHITE, is verger.

There was a requiem Mass in St. Michael's yesterday (Friday) celebrated by the Rev. C. S. TURQUAND, who conducted the funeral service. The mourners were Mrs. WHITE (widow), L. A. C. A. and Mr. W. WHITE (sons), Miss S. WHITE (daughter), Mrs. A. and Mrs. W. WHITE (daughters-in-law), Mr. and Mrs. E. WILLIAMS (brother-in-law and sister), Mr. E. JAMES (brother-in-law, also representing Mrs. JAMES), Mrs. E. J. WHITE, and Mr. MARCHMAN (head gardener, Binstead House, also representing Col. and Mrs. Stephenson CLARKE). The floral tributes included a beautiful token from Col. and Mrs. Stephenson CLARKE and the staff at Binstead House., and one from the Gaslight Company.

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