

Obituary for Bertha Eliza Newman

"Lived at Crofton House, 105 George Street, Ryde, IOW when she died. The funeral of Mrs Bertha Eliza NEWMAN, wife of Mr J S. NEWMAN, took place on Saturday at the Ryde Cemetery, Pastor F A SPEARING, a friend of the family officiating. The chief mourners were Mr. J S NEWMAN (husband), Nurse Doreen (daughter), Mr Charles JONES (nephew) and Miss MCCULLOCH. Through being on active service, a number of the relatives were unable to be present, and distance prevented the attendance of others, particularly two of Mrs NEWMAN's three daughters and her only son who are engaged in missionary work in Africa. Among many friends at the graveside were Mr and Mrs DRAPER, Mr HUSK, Miss HILL, Mrs POWELL (Matron, Vectis Nursing Home), Mr P F LORD (organising secretary, County Hospital Contributory Scheme), Mrs FULLER, Mrs DYER, Miss HOATHER, Miss RATCHLIFFE COOK, and Mr and Mrs GRIFFIN. Beautiful floral tributes were sent by the following: Miss SAYERS; Mr P F LORS; the Commodore Cinema and Fire Spotters; Mrs JOHNCOX and Marian, Jack and Gladys; the Vectis nursing home; Miss EAGLE; Mrs E TIDD; Mr W GRIFFIN and Miss GRIFFIN and Bessie; Mr and Mrs DRAPER; Mr and Mrs BABBITTS; Mrs JAMES and daughter; Mr and Mrs G NEVISON; Grace and Hettie; Mr and Mrs R NUNN; Mr and Mrs J HART; Miss MCCULLOCH; Monica; Doreen; Mr ORCHARD and Grace; Mrs Dewey and Bert; Gladys, Tom and Tony DYKE. Mr and Miss NEWMAN express their deep appreciation for the many expressions of kindness and sympathy that have been shown to them in the family's sad bereavement. As they feel unable to write personal letters in reply to all the many messages and floral tributes sent they wish all friends to accept this acknowledgement as the only intimation. They wish publicly to thank the nursing staff for all their consideration, Dr DOCKRAY for his kindness and attention and also Mr TAYLOR who carried out the funeral arrangements so thoroughly."