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Joseph VAUGHAN. Master. Single. 40. Master Seas. Woolston, Hants. Harry PARSONS. AB crew. Married. 25. AB Seaman. Cowes, IW.

(plus 13 other crew members)

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## SEAMAN' SUDDEN DEATH

Watching the football match at Partlands on Saturday Mr. **Harry PARSONS**, an old supporter of the club, collapsed at half-time. He was taken to his home at 8 Station Street, by Mr. G.H. ALLEN, in his car and died the following morning. Mr. PARSONS who was 70, had been a merchant seaman for half a century, travelling to most parts of the world on the P and O boats, and during the war on troopships. He was a member of the Clarence Lodge, R.A.O.B. the funeral on Wednesday was attended by brethren of the R.A.O.B.

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