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Frederick HACKETT. Head. M. 40. Barrack Sergeant. Ireland.

Alice E. HACKETT, Wife, M. 40, Portsmouth, Hants.

Emmet P. S. HACKETT. son. 13. Newport, IW.

Etna HACKETT. Dau. 11. Alderny, C.I.

Frederick J. HACKETT. Son. 9. Chichester, Sussex.

Florence HACKETT. Dau. 7. Chichester, Sussex.

Annie E. HACKETT. Dau. 6mths. Devonport, Devon.

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Death Notice:-

HACKETT .. Tuesday February 23rd, at 7 Swanmore Road, Ryde, Mr. **Frederick HACKETT** aged 87.

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THREE TIMES MENTIONED IN DESPATCHES

A well known resident of Ryde who was three times mentioned in despatches during the war, Mr. **Frederick HACKETT**, of 7, Swanmore Road, passed away on Tuesday of last week in his 88th year. A native of Dublin, Mr. HACKETT joined when a boy the 107th Sussex Regiment, and accompanied it to India. On returning to England in 1886 he married Miss Dawson of Newport. Mr. and Mrs. HACKETT accompanied the Regiment to various parts of the country, and Mr. Hackett was appointed at the expiration of his 21 years service, to the Barrack Warden Dept. of the R.A.S.C. at Dublin. During the war he was three times mentioned in despatches of the Irish Command. He was the first man to be appointed to the Barrack Warden Dept., and when the Dept. was abolished he was the last man to be discharged.

On his retirement from the service in 1920 he and Mrs. HACKETT came to Ryde, and by a strange coincidence took up residence in the same house from which they were married. Of their five children only one is still living in England, Mr. E. HACKETT, of Newton-le-Willows, Lancs. The other son was killed during the Boer war, at Pieter's Hill shortly before the relief of Ladysmith. Three daughters are abroad, one in Washington, D.C., one in Baltimore, Maryland, and the third in Sydney, Australia.

Since the death of his wife in 1928 Mr. HACKETT had lived alone, although maintaining close touch with his son, who was with him during his last illness.

The funeral took place at St. Mary's Church on Friday, the requiem mass being conducted by the Rev. T. STUART, assisted by the Very Rev. Provost S. MONGON.

The interment was at Ryde cemetery, and the chief mourners were Mr. E. HACKETT, (son), Mrs. GATRALL, Mrs. LEAL and Mr. WOODWARD, (friends).

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