

FLYING OFFICER J. S. OSBORNE

The funeral took place at All Saints' Church on Friday of Flying Officer **John Stewart OSBORNE**, who was killed on active service. He joined the Royal Flying Corps in 1915 and served in Salonika, Iraq, India and with the Fleet Air Arm. He received his commission shortly after the outbreak of the war, and was an officer of great competence.

He held the General Service and Victory Medals of the last war and also the Kurdistan, India General Service, and King Feisal's Iran Medals. He leaves a widow, who was formerly Miss Peggy HARRISON of 23 Prince-street, Ryde, and a thirteen-year-old daughter. Flying Officer OSBORNE was the eldest surviving son of Mrs. OSBORNE, of 1 Winton-street, whose eldest son, Lieut. OSBORNE, was drowned after serving with the Royal Navy during the last war.

The funeral service was conducted by Canon R. S. MOXON (vicar of Ryde). The coffin was covered with the Union Jack, and was borne by six N.C.O.'s of the R.A.F. Buglers sounded the Last Post at the graveside.
