

THE LATE MR . F. JACOBS.

The funeral took place on Monday of Mr **Frank JACOBS**, of 17 Sherbourne Avenue, Binstead, whose death occurred at St. Mary's Hospital, Newport, on the previous Thursday, at the age of 55. A native of Ryde, he resided at Nettlestone for a time and at Seaview for about 20 years before moving to Binstead about six months ago. He was particularly well known in Seaview, where he was much respected. He served for 18 years in Territorial and regular Army units; he was a survivor of Dunkirk and was demobilised from the Royal Artillery in 1945. One of his trophies was a medal commemorating the coronation of King George VI, which he attended on Territorial Army duty. He was a skilful gardener, scoring many successes at the local shows, and a keen supporter and committee member of the Seaview Football Club. Mr. JACOBS was also deputy standard bearer of the Seaview branch of the British Legion. He was taken ill about three weeks before Christmas, but was recovering and hoping to start work again when he had a relapse about 10 days before his death, which occurred on the day he was taken to hospital. The service was at All Saint's Parish Church, Ryde was conducted by the vicar (the Rev. R.H. BASSETT), The mourners were Mrs. V. JACOBS (widow), Mr. and Mrs. E. GREEN, Mrs. J. RILEY, and Mr. D. SADDINGTON (son-in-law and daughters), Mrs. J. MOODY (sister), Mr. L HERBERT (stepbrother), and Miss J. FARNELL, Mr. H. GALTON represented the Seaview Football Club. Among the many floral tributes were those from the Seaview Football Club, friends and neighbours of Sherbourne Avenue, and Mr. and Mrs. CODMAN, of the Springfield Court, Springvale (his late employers), Messrs. W. BULL and sons made the arrangements.-

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