

BIRTH: 1917 Ryde (IW Registrars ref: R80/E141)
Henry John CASS (Mother's maiden name FORD)

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Young Ashey Man's Sudden Death.---Unusual circumstances were connected with the death on Sunday of Mr. Henry John CASS, aged 21, of Tenedos, Ashey. The deceased, who was employed as a lorry driver by Mr. BALLARD, market gardener, of Newchurch, had been on a visit to his uncle at Gosport, and when returning on the boat he was taken ill and went to lie down on a seat in the saloon. His condition was apparently unnoticed when he arrived at Ryde, and the boat had again put off for Portsmouth when he was discovered. The steamer immediately returned to the pier. He was taken home in a taxi and put to bed, but he passed away within an hour. A post-mortem was held and the Coroner dispensed with an inquiry. He was a member of the Foresters. Sympathy is felt with the bereaved family.

The Rev. K. J. FORSE conducted the funeral service at Ashey Church on Thursday. The mourners were Mr. and Mrs. F. H. J. CASS (parents), Miss Ruth CASS (sister), Mr. B. CASS (grandfather), Mr. G. CASS and Mr. J. KINGDON (uncles), Mr. and Mrs. W. TOMS (uncle and aunt), Miss HATHAWAY and Mrs. WOODFORD (cousins), Mr. E. ALLAND, Mr. L. WEALTHY, and Mrs. MOORMAN, Miss NUTT, Mrs. P. RUSSELL (All Saints' Mothers' Union), the Misses PLUMBLEY, Miss WENT, Mrs. CRESEY, Mrs. P. and Miss CASS, Mr. J. FOSS, and Mr. and Mrs. A. V. RICHARDS.

The interment was in Ashey Cemetery, and lovely flowers were placed on the grave.

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Mr. H. J. CASS'S Funeral.---In our report of this funeral last week it should have been mentioned that Mr. and Mrs. F. H. BALLARD represented the deceased's employers (Messrs. W. H. BALLARD and Sons of Newchurch), and that two of his workmates also attended, Messrs. G. W. TAYLOR and F. E. BARTON.
