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**THE FUNERAL.**---took place on Saturday, of Mr. Samuel GAWN, who died at Blenheim, Benett-street, on Tuesday. The first portion of the service was held at Holy Trinity Church, where the Vicar (the Rev. J. E. EDDIS, R.D.) officiated. Those present, in addition to the family mourners, included Mr. .... FRENCH (joint railways), Mr. W. G. DAISH..... and Mr. SMITH (Ryde Pier Coy.). The wreaths included one from his brother officers in H.M. Customs at Portsmouth and Ryde. Mr. GAWN, who was 38 years in the service as a preventative officer, had retired some two years ago. He was 63 years of age.

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