MARRIAGE: 1928 at St. Michael's Church, Swanmore, Ryde **Harry PEARSON** & Alice Ella SAUNDERS

1933 REGISTER OF ELECTORS - 62 Pellhurst-road, Ryde **PEARSON Henry** PEARSON Alice

1947 REGISTER OF ELECTORS - Alicsum, Mayfield-road, Ryde **PEARSON Henry** PEARSON Emily R.

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THE LATE MR. H. PEARSON

The funeral service took place at the cemetery chapel on Monday, the vicar (the Rev. R. H. BASSETT) officiating, of Mr. **Henry ("Joe") PEARSON**, aged 78, of Alicsum, Mayfield-road, who died on Thursday week. Mr. PEARSON was a native of London, who came to the Island 40 years ago and was employed by the local gas company as a fitter. He was a well-known sportsman, and until an illness at the end of last year he was to be found at Fratton Park on most Saturdays. His wife died in 1944. He leaves three sisters, two of whom are in New Zealand, where he lived for a time before the 1914-1918 war.

The mourners were Messrs. J. and P. SAUNDERS and Mr. and Mrs. E. G. PEARSON (nephews and nieces), Mr. J. LININGTON, and Mr. W. MURSELL. Also present were representatives of the Southern Gas Board, and among the wreaths were those from old pals of the Ryde Gas Company and the former Ryde district staff of the company.

Messrs. H. V. TAYLOR and Son made the arrangements.

Researched by Ann Barrett