

### **Island Coal Merchant's Death**

The death occurred at the County Hospital on Sunday of Mr. **Edwin Coultas Dodsworth WINTER**, following an internal hemorrhage. Mr. WINTER, who came to the Island in 1931 to establish the business of Thomas H. SEED and Co., Ltd., won by his charming personality the esteem and respect of all with whom he came into contact. Having suffered indifferent health for some years he seemed latterly to have benefited by residence in the West Wight, so his sudden illness and passing came as a shock to many friends.

The deceased, whose only relative was abroad, was interred at Ryde Cemetery on Thursday. Among those present were Messrs. V. J. DAVIES and C. W. BROTHIE, representing the Newcastle and Newport offices of Thomas H. SEED and Co., Ltd., Mr. E. GRAY (Shanklin office), Mr. G. H. CHANNON (Ventnor office), the Rev. R. B. IRONS, Mr. R. H. CUMINE, and Mr. F. MARSHALL, of Shanklin. Mr. E. BUSBY, of Sandown, Mr. and Mrs. JACKSON, and Mrs. RAEBURN, of Freshwater. Floral tributes included those from the directors and staff, Newcastle-on-Tyne; the I.W. staffs; Messrs. V. J. DAVIES and C. W. BROTHIE; and Mr. and Mrs. E. GRAY.

Mr. WINTER had for the last five years lived at Fernside, Queen's-road, Freshwater, and prior to that he resided at Shanklin.

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