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Former Churchwarden's Death.- Mr John Hanmer HUTCHINGS, formerly of Ormond House, Wood Street, collapsed at his son's home in Southampton on Sunday morning while preparing to attend a church service. He was 78 and since his wife's death had lived at Southampton. During the vicariate of Rev. L. N. ST. ALPHONSE at Holy Trinity Church Mr. HUTCHINGS was for some years people's warden and also a member of the East Wight Ruri-decanal Conference. He was a retired architect. He will be remembered for his prowess at tennis, which he played regularly well on in his seventies. The funeral took place on Wednesday at Ryde Cemetery, Canon C. HEALD (rector of Binstead) officiating. Messrs. WHEELER Bros. were the undertakers.

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