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Inquest Resumed. – The Coroner (Mr. J.V. BULLIN) resumed the inquest at his office on Wednesday on Mrs. **Ellen Lydia SIMONS**, aged 71, a widow, of 33 High Street, Oakfield. Inspector D.R. PADWICK represented the police. Mrs. SIMONS died at the Royal I.W. County Hospital on May 15th.

The Coroner said he adjourned the inquest on May 21st because Dr. P.D. SWINSTEAD, the pathologist, was unable at that time to give the full result of a post-mortem examination.

Dr. SWINSTEAD said he had sent certain organs for analysis and had received the report on them. The cause of death was heart failure due to haemorrhage due to acute haemorrhagic gastritis.

The Coroner recorded a verdict of natural causes in accordance with the medical evidence.

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