

DEATH OF AN OLD INHABITANT.- Many of our old inhabitants will read with regret the announcement of the death of Mrs. **ELKINS**. For eight or nine years illness had laid her aside, and she led a very secluded life, but many still remember her as the amiable and popular Hostess who some 20 years ago made the Star Hotel such a pleasant resort for many who have, like herself passed away. Very few were better known than when Mrs. **ELKINS** was here, and general regret was felt when she left the Star and took the King's Head Hotel, Sandown, where she remained for several years. Two attacks of rheumatic fever, however, caused her to lose the use of her limbs, and compelled her to give up business, and for eight or nine years she has been living with her sister, Mrs. **PARSONS**, at the old restaurant, Pier-street, where she died on Wednesday.

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