

**Westwing School Principal's Death.**- The death took place at Vernon Lodge, Vernon Square, on Monday, at the age of 58, of Miss **Kathleen May BARTON**, principal of Westwing School for the last 12 years. She was principal of Barrington Grange School for eight years. She improved and extended Westwing School by acquiring nearby property and adding a kindergarten. Her influence was evident in the musical, dramatic, and sporting development of the school, as well as in its academic attainment. She was a keen supporter of the Music Festival, and, as president of the local Helpers' League she gave an energetic lead to local efforts on behalf of Dr. BARNARDO's Homes. She was a member of the All Saints' parochial church council.

The Vicar (Canon A. CORY, R.D.) officiated at All Saints' Church on Wednesday. Mr. W. J. COLSON (assistant organist of Guildford Cathedral) accompanied the choir and congregation in the hymns "The strife is o'er" and "Holy Father, cheer our way" and the chanting of Psalm 23. Westwing School was represented by Mesdames R. A. W. TUTTE, E. A. YELLAND (captain of Westwing Guides), A. W. LEWIS, and H. R. CRANG and the Misses H. NEWMAN, L. BLOUNT, N. CROUCHER, and V. TIMS, and Mr. H. S. SAVAGE (staff), and the Misses J. ROBSON, N. DRAPER, M. BRADBURY, J. HOWE, A. GILLING, E. KNOTT, J. HOCKING, M. RUSSELL, A. SCOTT, and J. HARTNELL (pupils).

Others present included Miss B. ALDOUS (hon. secretary of the Old Girls' Association), Mrs. B. M. ATYEO, J.P. (representing the Mayor and Mayoress, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. CHRISTY), Miss G. DORRIEN-SMITH (past president), and Messrs. G. J. EVANS (hon. secretary), J. C. M. ELDRIDGE, and A. F. WRIGHT (representing the BARNARDO's HELPERS League), Messrs. A. J. ARCHER and H. J. DAVIES (churchwardens) and E. C. PRISMALL (hon. secretary, representing the parochial church council), Miss M. POTTER (divisional commissioner, representing the N.E. Wight Girl Guides Association), Mr. N. J. ALDOUS (representing Lloyds Bank), Mr. A. J. MORNARD (representing Ryde School), Mrs. A. CORY (representing Miss K. DAMON, Upper Chine School), and many former pupils and parents. Cremation took place at Southampton on Thursday.

Messrs. LANGDON made the arrangements.

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