

Frank Gale

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CARISBROOKE.

Sudden Death of Mr. Frank Gale. – A well known figure has been removed by the sudden death at his residence, The Bungalow, Priory-road, on Monday, of Mr. Frank Gale. He passed away about 6.20 p.m. with tragic suddenness on his return from his allotment. He was 74 years of age. He was very well known, especially as an ardent Liberal at political meetings, which he attended with great regularity. A native of Gunville, he was a school attendance officer under the County Education Committee, for the district, for many years, retiring about 15 years ago. He spent the next five years in Nottingham, where he had a milk and confectionery business, and returned to the Island about 10 years ago. He was a former member of the Newport Liberal Club. He leaves a widow and a family of three daughters and two sons [*], with whom sincere sympathy is extended in their bereavement. He had suffered from heart trouble, although he had not been attended by a doctor for about five years. The facts were reported to the Deputy-Coroner, who ordered a post-mortem, which was held on Thursday. This disclosed that death was due to coronary artery disease and an inquest was dispensed with. The funeral will take place on Sunday at Carisbrooke Cemetery at 2.30.

** Other records, and funeral, suggest 2 daughters (Emily & Mabel) and 3 sons (Arthur, Oliver, and Reginald).*

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CARISBROOKE.

The Funeral - of Mr. Frank Gale, of the Bungalow, Priory-road, took place on Sunday at the Cemetery. The mourners were the widow, Mesdames Salter and Perkins (daughters), Messrs. A., R., and O. Gale (sons), Mr. A. Perkins (son-in-law), Mr. and Mrs. A. Gale (brother and sister-in-law), and Messrs. F. Lush and A. Gale (nephews).

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