



## *Funeral of Mr Fred White*

The funeral of Mr Fred White of "The Beeches", for over 30 years the parish representative on the Rural District Council, and whose death was reported in our last issue, took place on Saturday.

Born at Hindon, Mr White had lived and farmed in the parish the whole of his life and had always been ready and willing to assist in anything which was for the benefit of the neighbourhood.

The funeral service, which was conducted by the Vicar (the Rev L. Wilkinson) was held in the Parish Church at Chicklade, interment being in a grave alongside that of his wife, who predeceased him in 1933.

The family mourners were:- Mr Ewart White (son), Mr Jack Miles RN and Miles (son-in-law and daughter), Miss White (sister), Mr and Mrs Jones (brother-in-law and sister), Mr C. Howe (brother-in-law), Mr P. Crickmay (cousins) with Messrs C. and D. Cocks and R. Cheverell (employees).

The Mere and Tisbury Rural District Council were represented by Mr D. Combes (chairman), R. Howard Hiscott (clerk), Miss C. M. Applin (Fonthill Bishop), Messrs R. J. Jesse (East Knoyle), E. Young (Tisbury), T. Doggrell (Tisbury), and T. H. Sims (Alvediston). Mr Maurice Waters (Swallowcliffe) was unable to attend and he was represented by Mr Dan Combes.

Others present included Messrs J. Warren and C. Garland (churchwardens), F. Warren, H. Stevens, J. Bracher, H. F. Miles, F. Ford (Mere), Miss Newbury, Mrs Sanger, Mrs Stevens, Mrs Merrifield, Mrs Chivers and Mr and Mrs D. Hacker.

The bearers were:- Messrs H. Dukes, S. Stevens, R. Andrews, J. Chivers, A. Norris and G. Cheverell.

There were a large number of floral tributes.

The late Mr White's son and daughter wish to thank all friends for the kind messages of sympathy sent to them and for floral tributes.

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