



Devizes

Funeral Notice from an Australian Newspaper

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Funeral

17 June 1936 - The funeral of the late Mr. James Bond, of 14 Waroonga Road, Nedlands, took place yesterday afternoon in the Church of England portion of the Karrakatta Cemetery in the presence of a large and representative gathering. The Rev. W Sharp officiated at the graveside. The late Mr. Bond was born at Devizes, Wilts, England, 80 years ago and came to Australia at the age of 25 years. For the past 50 years he had resided in this State. He was one of the early pioneers on the North Murchison Goldfields and was a very popular and respected hotel proprietor in that district, having the North Murchison Hotel, Nannine, for very many years. The late Mr. Bond was a keen sportsman and while at Nannine took an active interest in all sport, being captain of the rifle club and a member of the racing and cricket clubs. Interested in all matters affecting the welfare of the district, he was for a number of years Councillor and member of the Nannine Road Board. He retired 11 years ago and took up residence at Nedlands, where he lived until the time of his death. The cortege moved from his late residence, 14 Waroonga Road, Nedlands, the hearse being heavily laden with beautiful floral tributes. The chief mourners were Mesdames C. M. Bond (widow), and V. Fowler, J. Green and C. Coney (daughters). Miss A. L. Knights (sister - in law), Messrs. A. E. Knights (brother - in - law), V. Fowler, J. Green and C. Coney (sons - in law), Masters R. and C. Fowler, E. Green and B. Coney and Miss Peggy Green (grandchildren).