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DEATH OF MR. J. E. NIXON

MARINE ENGINEER AND ARTIST

A well-known New Plymouth artist, Mr. John Edmund Nixon, died at New Plymouth on Thursday, at the age of 81 years. Before he retired Mr. Nixon was a marine engineer but he was better known in New Plymouth for his art work. He had painted since he was a boy and several years ago gave private lessons in art in New Plymouth.

Mr. Nixon was born in Aldershot, England, and came to New Zealand when he was about five years old. When he was about 20 Mr. Nixon went to sea and during his nine years at sea went round the world nine times. He afterwards came back to Taranaki and eventually started up his own marine engineering business in the city. He retired about 16 years ago.

Mr. Nixon is survived by his daughter, Mrs. F. McManus, New Plymouth.

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NIXON, John Edmund.—At New Plymouth, on March 11, 1954, beloved husband of the late Ethel Maud Nixon, and loved father of Fay McManus, 50 Doone Street, New Plymouth, and brother of William Nixon (Sydney, Australia), and Mrs. Emily Street (Bell Block, New Plymouth); aged 81 years.

Friends are invited to attend a service at St. Mary's Church, Vivian Street, New Plymouth, tomorrow, Saturday, March 13, at 10 a.m. Private interment to follow.

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