

School & Education News

Ebbesbourne Wake

Mrs Louisa Young – Teacher

A gloom was cast over the village of Ebbesbourne Wake on Tuesday week when it became known that Mrs Louisa Young, the wife of Mr J Young, had passed away in Salisbury Infirmary following a serious operation. Young and old people alike shared in a keen sense of personal loss because for nearly half a century Mr Young had been regarded as a mother to so many in the village. For forty-one years she was head teacher at Ebbesbourne Wake School and previous to that she was head teacher for nine years at Alvediston School.

Her conscientiousness and happy disposition endeared her to scholars and parents alike, and since her retirement from social life in 1920 her old scholars have felt that they could at all times appeal to her to solve their difficulties, knowing full well that they would always receive able, kindly, and true sympathy, and guidance in every problem. The deepest sympathy of the entire district is felt with Mr Young and his daughters in their bereavement.

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