

CAPT. HAROLD LEENEY DIES AT WHITE PLAINS

*British Army Veterinary Was
Author of Books Published
Here and in England.*

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WHITE PLAINS, N. Y., Aug. 28.—Captain Harold Leeney, British Army veteran and author, died here tonight at his residence, 468 North Broadway, after a long illness. He was 82 years old.

Captain Leeney was born in Brighton, Sussex, England, and was educated at Lewes and the Royal College of Veterinary Surgeons, of which he was a member. He practiced in England and served in the army during the South African and World Wars. He received the Victorian Commission in the Hants Imperial Yeomanry in 1889 and retired in 1919 as an honorary captain.

Captain Leeney came to White Plains in 1926. One of his books, "Home Doctoring of Animals," was published in America. Among his better known British works were "Veterinary Counter Practice" and "Stonehenge and the Horse." He was a member of the British Society of Authors.

His brother, Edward, was Mayor of Hove, Sussex, during the World War. Captain Leeney was at one time a lecturer for the Sussex County Council, England.

He leaves his widow, the former Catherine Ann Armstrong, and five sons, one of whom is W. L. Leeney, president of Genung's Department Stores in Westchester and Connecticut. The others are George Leeney of South Africa, Arthur Leeney of Torrington, Conn., Charles Leeney of Tarrytown, N. Y., and Stanley Leeney of Pocatello, Idaho.

A private funeral service will be held on Thursday at Woodlawn Cemetery.

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