## ISLE OF WIGHT TIMES Thursday 12th March 1970

**Traffic Warden.-** Representatives of the Hampshire Constabulary and fellow traffic wardens attended the funeral yesterday at Holy Trinity Church of Ryde traffic warden **Mr. William TURNER.** He was taken ill while on duty on Saturday and died later the same day at the Royal I.W. County Hospital. Mr. TURNER, of 25 Little Preston Road, who was 56, was born at Gillingham, Kent, and joined the R.A.F. in 1932. He retired after 31 years with the rank of Warrant Officer. During the second world war he served in Italy and Yugoslavia. For the last four years he had served as one of Ryde's two traffic wardens. He leaves a widow, who is a member of the well- known local SWIFT family, and a twin son and daughter.

The Rev. John SHAW officiated at the funeral service which was followed by interment in Ashey Cemetery. Mourners included Mr. and Mrs. D. C. TURNER, son and daughter-in-law; Mr. and Mrs. M. H. COLLIS, daughter and son-in-law; Mr. and Mrs. A. ROBINSON, Mr. and Mrs. A. ROBINSON (jnr.); Mrs. O. P. TOWERS, and Mrs. E. SCARDIFIELD, sister-in-law and brothers-in-law.

Messrs. H. V. TAYLOR & Son made the arrangements.

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