ISLE OF WIGHT OBSERVER Saturday 22nd September 1894

RESIGNATION OF THE RECTOR OF BINSTEAD. - We regret to state that the **Rev G.V. GARLAND**, who has been for some years Rector of Binstead, has been compelled by failing health to resign the living. Mr GARLAND had a somewhat severe attack of illness a few months ago, but although he has now recovered, he feels that he cannot give the parish the supervision it ought to have. Rather than see the parish suffer therefore he has resigned.

The rev gentleman has made many friends during his charge at Binstead, and his abilities as an original and extempore preacher have been generally recognised as being exceptionally high, and have attracted many to his congregation, even from Ryde.

The parishioners, who exceedingly regret his retirement, have presented him with a valuable clock with Cathedral chimes, and silver muffineers. The presentation was made on behalf of the parishioners by Mr J. N. HATHWAY, who expressed, in very suitable terms, the regret of the parishioners at the rector's retirement.

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