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**Schoolboy's Death.-** Sincere sympathy is felt with the parents of **Frank DYER**, aged nine, who died at his home, 14 Lind Street, on Monday. Frank had been ill for a year, the major portion of that time in the County Hospital. A popular boy, he had attended the Player Street C.E. Junior School and was a Wolf Cub of the 1st Ryde Scouts.

The Rev. P. L. VAUGHAN officiated at the funeral at Ryde Cemetery on Wednesday. The mourners and others present included his mother (Mrs. D. DYER), Miss A. BENNETT (head teacher of the Player Street C. E. School), Mr. A. LOADER (hon. secretary, North-east Wight Boy Scouts' Association), Mr. L. FEAVER (representing the 1st Ryde Group Scouts' Committee), Mr. A. H. COLLIS (G.S.M., at 1st Ryde Scouts), Mrs. C. C. CARPENTER (former Akala, 1st Ryde Wolf Cubs), Mrs. E. LANKSHEAR, Miss E. PHILLIPS, Mr. C. BIEN, Mrs. E. ROWE, Mrs. F. REYNOLDS, and Mr. R. WILLIAMS. Numerous floral tributes included those from the staff and scholars of the Player Street School and the 1st Ryde Scouts and Cubs. After the school wreath had been bought, it was agreed that the many subscriptions remaining should be given to the children's ward at the County Hospital.

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