## ISLE OF WIGHT TIMES Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> April 1874

## THE LATE CAPT. DE LA CONDAMINE

A beautiful tomb has recently been erected in the cemetery to mark the resting place of the above deeply lamented and highly respected gentleman. The work is of Portland stone, and consists of a fine ornamental cross, underneath which are the words, "My people shall be satisfied with My goodness, saith the Lord." On the base is the following inscription:

## THOMAS DE LA CONDAMINE, Late Royal Staff Corps, Born 9th May 1797, died 24th June 1873.

We understand the cross is from a design by Miss DE LA CONDAMINE, daughter of the deceased, and the carrying out of the work was entrusted to Mr. J. ELLERY.

Researched & typed by Ann Barrett Diana Wood Samantha Morley