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**George RYAN. Head. M. 55. Retired Army Officer Lieut-Col RAMC. Ireland.**

Louisa C. RYAN. Wife. M. 51. Ireland.  
Jane NOBLE. Serv. S. 49. Whiteparish, Wilts.  
Ellen SERRIN. Serv. S. 21. Ryde, IW.

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Death Notice:-

**RYAN** .. On October 7<sup>th</sup> 1904, at Ryde, Lieut-Colonel **George RYAN**, late R.A.M.C., aged 59 years.

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**DEATH OF LIEUT-COLONEL G. RYAN**

Our obituary records the death of Lieut-Colonel **G. RYAN**, which took place at his residence, Ashby Cottage, Pelham Fields, Ryde, on Friday last, at the age of 59. The deceased gentleman was late of the Royal Army Medical Corps. He was admitted a licentiate of both the Royal Colleges of Surgeons and Physicians, Edinburgh, in 1867, and joined the Medical Service of the Army in March, 1868, and as a surgeon, which rank he reached in March, 1873, he served in the Zulu War of 1879, for which he had a medal. He was advanced to the rank of surgeon-major in January, 1881, and in January, 1889, retired as a Lieut-Colonel. Colonel RYAN has resided in Ryde some eight or nine years, and was a member of the Royal Victoria Yacht Club, and owner of the lugger yacht Havoc.

The funeral took place on Tuesday, when the Rev. Canon COUTER of St. Mary's officiated. The chief mourners were:- Major LAKE (brother-in-law), Miss ARTON (niece); and there were also present -Col. KELROY, Mr. QUAYLE, Mr. Craven HALL, Mr. RATCLIFFE, Mr. J. H. HEAL (representing the R.V.Y.C.), Mr. E. GROVES, J.P., Mr. R. COLENUTT, the skipper of his yacht, the servants, etc.

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