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Abode: 2 Clevehurst, Monkton-street, Ryde, IW.

**Frank L. TUTTE. Head. M. 43. Grocer (employer). Ryde, IW.**

Eliza TUTTE. Wife. M. 47. Amersham, Buckinghamshire.

Ella E. TUTTE. Dau. S. 18. Ryde, IW.

Albert G. TUTTE. Son. S. 16. Overseer's Clerk. Ryde, IW.

Constance N. TUTTE. Dau. 13. Ryde, IW.

Alfred C. TUTTE. Son. 9. Ryde, IW.

Mary COCKRAN. Visitor. Wid. 36. Wine & Spirit Merchant (employer). Paisley, Scotland.

James COCKRAN. Visitor. 10. Paisley, Scotland.

John COCKRAN. Visitor. 8. Paisley, Scotland.

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OBITUARY

The death took place on Monday of Mr. **Frank Lyndon TUTTE** at his residence "Dumbarton," St. John's, Ryde. Mr. TUTTE, who was 73 years of age conducted a grocery business and sub Post Office in Oakfield Hill for a great many years, and his genial presence was well known in the neighbourhood, where he had lived all his life. He had been ailing for some time but had only taken to his bed during the last fortnight.

Mr. TUTTE was a member of the St. John's Choir for over 60 years, and was also a member of the Church Council and until recently secretary of the Free Will Offering Fund. In his younger days he was an enthusiastic member of the Ryde Philharmonic Society and other musical societies. He was also keenly interested in the work of the Hampshire Friendly Society and when younger an active member of several local building societies.

He took a live interest in local affairs and was for several years a member of the St. Helen's Council until increasing pressure of business compelled him to withdraw from that body.

His wife pre-deceased him in April 1928 and he leaves two sons and two daughters to mourn his loss.

The funeral will take place today, the service being at St. John's Church at 1.50 p.m. and the interment following at Ryde Cemetery at 2.30 p.m.

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FUNERAL

The funeral of the late Mr. **F. L. TUTTE**, whose death was reported in our last issue, took place at St. John's Church on Thursday, the Rev. GILLSON-GILL officiating, assisted by the Rev. Samuel STREET. The service was fully choral and the choir lead the singing of the 23<sup>rd</sup> psalm and the hymns "Now that labour's task is o'er" and "For all the Saints." Mr. R. H. TOOGOOD was at the organ and played Chopins Funeral March and "I know that my Redeemer liveth" (Mendelssohn) as the cortege entered the church and Beethoven's Funeral March after the service. There was a very large gathering of friends at the church.

The Vicar gave a short address in which he said he knew he would be expressing their feelings and his own when paying a sincere tribute to their dear friend. He was their oldest communicant and for years and years attended church twice a day on Sundays. He served on the council, in the choir and was secretary of the P.W.O. fund. He was a great friend to many and he, personally, felt that a light had gone out, especially in Oakfield where he spent so much of his life. There were many homes of the poor in Oakfield

that could tell beautiful stories of his kindness. Many of them had lost a very dear friend, and he remembered him as a kind christian gentleman and a true disciple of their Lord Jesus Christ. The family mourners were: Mr. A. G. TUTTE, Mr. A. C. TUTTE (sons), Mrs. H. H. HAPGOOD and Mrs. F. W. FARRAND (daughters), Miss Beatie TUTTE (sister), Mr. F. W. FARRAND and Mr. H. H. HAPGOOD (sons-in-law), Messrs. Cedric and Tony HAPGOOD (grandsons), Mr. Reg TUTTE (nephew), Miss M. TUTTE (niece), Messrs. W. GROUNDSELL, Hartley WHITE, Chas. URRY, and Harry CASS (employees), and Messrs. W. G. BOWLEY (Postmaster) and C. KING representing the Ryde Post Office.

Among others present were Mr. F. PLATER (Chairman of the St. Helens U.D.C.), Councillors T. F. SHEATH, T. LANDER, W. A. DALLIMORE, Major A. DENNIS, Mr. D. M. N. RODGER (Ventnor), Mr. L. JORDON (Newport), Mr. L. J. SOUTER (Wootton), Mr. J. AITCHISON, Mr. C. PURSEY, Mr. W. J. CALLOWAY, Mr. and Mrs. W. GAWN, Mr. and Mrs. W. RAYNER (Elmfield Post Office), Mr. H. B. WADE, Mrs. RILEY, Mrs. GROUNDSELL, Mr. GROUNDSELL Jun., Mrs. NEWNHAM, Miss EWBANK, Mrs. GILSON-GILL, Mrs. C. DANIELS, Mrs. Sidney R. SMITH, Mrs. A. URRY, Mrs. R. POCOCK, Mr. L. MARKAEY, Miss Ella BAKER, Mrs. ADAMS, Mrs. BUTLER, Mr. F. P. MELLISH, Miss DERRY, Miss HOBBS, Mr. C. B. HAIR, Mrs. H. BANNISTER, Mrs. DUNNING, Mrs. D. JONES, Mr. P. PLUMBLEY, Mr. H. CIVELL, Mr. DICKSON, Mr. F. GAPE, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. SAUNDERS, Mr. D. HAIR, Mr. A. ROGERS (representing Mr. G. H. V. BONNOR), Miss HEASLOP, Miss BROADBENT, Mr. A. H. COOMBES, Mr. R. C. GOBLE, Mr. H. A. STEPHENS represented Mr. and Mrs. E. BREBNER.

Wreaths were received amongst others from the Vicar, Churchwardens and Sidesmen of St. John's. Members of St. John's Parochial Church Council, the Organist and Choir, Staff of the Sterling Office Supply Co., and Tenants and Friends.

The interment was at Ryde Cemetery.