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Death Notice:-

DELANEY.- On April 12, at 3 Cornwall Street, Ryde, George DELANEY, aged 69.

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In Memoriam:-

DELANEY.- Of your charity pray for the soul of **George DELANEY** who departed this life on Easter Sunday, April the 12th, 1936, fortified with the Rights of the Holy Church. – On his soul, sweet Jesus, have mercy.

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MR. G. DELANEY

We very much regret to announce the death of Mr. **George DELANEY**, which occurred at his residence, 3 Cornwall Street, Ryde, on Easter Sunday, at the age of 69 years. Apart from a short illness soon after he came to Ryde, which necessitated the removal of an eye, he had enjoyed the best of health until three weeks ago, when he had a stroke, from which he never recovered. Mr. DELANEY was a staunch Roman Catholic and passed peacefully away after having received the last rites of the Holy Church. Two years ago he was honoured by an audience with the Pope, from whom he received a commemoration medal.

Mr. DELANEY was born at Youghal, County Cork, in Ireland, on June 16, 1867, and had had a distinguished naval career. He joined the service in December, 1885, and served for 35 years, first at sea and later in H.M. Coastguards, both in England and Ireland and received his medal for meritorious service and good conduct. At one time he served on the Britannia training ship with His late Majesty, who was then Prince of Wales. He was also on the Victoria at the time of her fateful collision with H.M.S. Camperdown, when the late Admiral JELLICOE nearly last his life. During the war he was in charge of a mine-sweeper and was awarded the Mons Star and the General Service and Victory medal. He retired just after the Great War and went to live at Worthing, later moving to Bognor, and came to Ryde in 1925.

His death will be very widely felt for he was well-known in the town and much loved and respected by all who came into contact with him. He leaves a widow, five sons and three daughters, with whom great sympathy will be felt in their sad bereavement. Had he lived he would celebrate the fortieth anniversary of his wedding on April 17.

The funeral took place on Wednesday at the Ryde Cemetery, following a Requiem Mass at St. Mary's Church. The Rev. Canon MORGAN officiated at the Mass and at the graveside. The mourners were the widow, Messrs. George, Herbert, John, Thomas, and Joseph DELANEY (sons), and Mrs. WATSON, Miss Margaret DELANEY and Miss Patricia DELANEY (daughters). Two very great friends of the deceased, Mr. T. MAYO and Mr. F. WHITTLE were also present as were a large number of other friends and sympathisers. There was a large number of beautiful floral tributes. The funeral arrangements were carried out by Mr PERKIS.