

MARRIAGE: 31st March 1881 at St. John's Church, Oakfield, Ryde, IW.
John BUTCHER. Full/age. Bachelor. (father: Charles BUTCHER)
& Eliza PRYKE. Full/age. Spinster. (father: Samuel PRYKE)

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John BUTCHER. Head. M. 45. Nursery Gardener. Ryde, IW.
Eliza BUTCHER. Wife. M. 48. Oxford, Oxfordshire.
John G. BUTCHER. Son. S. 17. Mason's Apprentice. Ryde, IW.

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OBITUARY - MR. J. BUTCHER

We regret to report the death of Mr. **John BUTCHER**, of "Culver View," Upton-Road, which occurred with tragic suddenness at his residence on Friday evening at the age of 77. Deceased, who had been weeding his garden path, had just returned to the scullery when he suddenly collapsed in the presence of his wife, an invalid, and died before the doctor could be summoned.

He had served the firm of Messrs. John DIMMICK, the nurserymen, for 63 years, starting as a boy of 14. He took a very great interest in flowers and was a member of the I.W. Rose Society, the I.W. Horticultural Association, and the Haylands Horticultural Society. He was connected with All Saints' Church for some years and also one of the oldest members of the Hants. and General Friendly Society.

Mr. and Mrs. BUTCHER celebrated their golden wedding two years ago, having lived in the same house since their marriage. Keen sympathy will be felt with the widow, who is over 80, and the only son Mr. J.G. BUTCHER in their sad bereavement.

The Vicar of Ryde (the Rev. W.N. MARTIN. B.A.) conducted the funeral at All Saints' Church on Tuesday afternoon, the mourners being the following: Mr. J.G. BUTCHER (son), Mr. and Mrs. James BUTCHER (brother and sister-in-law), Miss A. BUTCHER (niece), Mr. S. COLENUIT (nephew), Mr. James HOLBROOK, Mr. H. LOADER, Mr. H. LEAL. Amongst those present were Messrs. A.H. GOSTLING (managing director. John DIMMICK. Ltd., and secretary of the I.W. Rose Society), A. and J. DIMMICK, (Newport), F. MAYNARD, J. RUDD, A. WOODNUTT, W. SOAL, G. WEST, A. HONNYBOURNE, G.F. WALLS, and the Misses B. WALLS and HAYLES (employees of John DIMMICK Ltd.), W. BUDGEN, C. SALTER, and J. BROOKS (old employees), E. J. BEDFORD (secretary), and J. WOODFORD (Ryde Horticultural Association), Mr. BROOKER (chairman), C.C. TANCOCK, O.B.E. (treasurer), and Mrs. BROOKER (Haylands Horticultural Society).

Amongst many beautiful wreaths were tributes from the following: employees of John DIMMICK, Ryde Horticultural Association, Haylands Horticultural Society, and the I.W. Rose Society.
