

PELLING Ernest William

A few Snippets of Ernest William PELLING's association with the Ryde Bowling Club:-

Isle of Wight County Press 20 August 1920

Bowling Ryde v. Cowes - In the Island league match played at Ryde on Wednesday, the home team won by 60 points to 50. Scores: Ryde first rink---T. HODGKINSON, G. W. COLENUTT, E. W. PELLING, W. ABRAHAM, 15.

Isle of Wight County Press 21 January 1928

Bowling – In the Ryde open tournament, which attracted a record entry, Messrs. HODGKINSON and PELLING (Ryde) were congratulated on reaching the pairs final, which could not be played owing to the inclement weather.

Isle of Wight County Press 12 December 1931

Ald. MEARS Handed the Mayor a set of bowling woods presented by Mr. E. W. PELLING, of the Ryde Bowling Club. He said that two of them originally belonged to Mr. DAWSON, who was primarily responsible for having the green laid on the front, and when they came into the possession of Mr. PELLING, he had them matched to make a set. Mr. PELLING thought it would be very appropriate that as the mayor, by virtue of his office, was president of the Bowling Club he should have a good set of woods when he came on the greens. In their present mayor they had a very good bowler. The woods were to be called the mayor's woods for all time, to be used by the mayor and his successors in office.--- In accepting the gift the Mayor said he had great pleasure in doing so on behalf of himself and his successors. He thanked Mr. PELLING for his kindly thought (applause).

Isle of Wight County Press 29 July 1939

Scottish Bowlers Island Tour – I.W. W. G. BURDEN, G. E. MEARS, E. W. PELLING, and A. J. NORMAN (skip),--- 20; Caledonians---13.

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Sudden Death of Mr. E. W. PELLING.- Island bowlers will learn with deep regret of the sudden death on Wednesday of Mr. Ernest William PELLING, who for 30 years had resided at Osborne Hotel, Esplanade. His dead body was discovered in the hotel lavatory. Just previously he had been talking with friends. Mr. PELLING, aged 71, was one of the Islands most skilful bowlers.
