

DEATH OF DR. TURNER. - Death has removed from our midst a long familiar face, that of **Dr. TURNER**, who died at his residence in Barfield, on Saturday afternoon last, at the age of 63. Dr. TURNER had practised in Ryde over 30 years, having succeeded his uncle, the late Dr. Mark BROWN, whose name is still held in affectionate remembrance by many old Ryders. Dr. TURNER's reputation as a medical man deservedly stood high. He was LL.B. Cantab; M.R.C.P. Edinburgh, M.R.C.S. England, 1855. Of late, however, his health has failed him, and after a serious attack of illness a few years ago he lived in very quiet and retired life. Although his health was known to be failing his illness was not regarded as serious till a few days ago. He was taken seriously ill at the commencement of last week, and all the efforts of his friend and neighbour, Dr. DAVEY, J.P., failed to rally him. Dr. TURNER's geniality and unaffected sympathy with his patients were well known, and not only led to his professional services being greatly sought after, but made him many sincere friends. He gave many years of valuable service as medical officer of the Ryde Dispensary and he was also the hon. medical officer to the Royal Victoria Yacht Club. The deceased gentleman was likewise a prominent Freemason.

The funeral took place on Thursday, the mourners being Mr. H.W. TURNER, Dr. G.B. TURNER, Sur-Gen. HARVEY, and Major BROWN. Amongst those who attended at the Cemetery were Mr. W.E. RATCLIFFE, C.C., the Rev A.T. RICHARDSON, Mr. A.R. Brooke LEEDS, Captain Joseph ELLERY, Captain H.R. ALEXANDER, Dr. GREENING, Messrs. Francis NEWMAN, (Borough Surveyor), Alfred DASHWOOD, R. FOX, H.H. POLLARD, J.P., J. LOWE, Tenison SMITH, W.T. GREENUP, H. WOODS, H. PACK, JOHN I. BARTON, W.H. LONG, C. LANGDON, W. SMITH, &c., Numerous wreaths were sent. The funeral service was impressively read by the Rev W.H. REDKNAP.

Messrs. E. MARVIN and Sons were the undertakers.

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