

ISLE OF WIGHT TIMES Thursday 27th January 1927

DEATH OF MR ALBERT WAY.

We regret to record the death of Mr Albert WAY, a well-known tradesman carrying on business as tobacconist, etc., in High Street, which occurred at his residence on Saturday, after a lingering illness of about two years duration. The deceased gentleman who was 62 years of age, was formerly a familiar figure on the Bowling Green, having been a member of the Bowling Club and he also interested himself in the social side of the town in many ways. He was for several years an esteemed member of the Corporation during the late Alderman John I. BARTON's Mayoralty and much respected by his fellow members of Ryde Club, Spencer road. He leaves a widow with whom, and the other relatives, much sympathy has been expressed.

The funeral took place at the Cemetery on Tuesday, and was preceded by a service at All Saints at which the Rev. D. E. HUNTER officiated. The mourners comprised Mr Alfred WAY (brother), Mr Gad OSBORNE (brother-in-law) of Havenstreet, Mr S. ATTWOOD and Mr F. MORRANT. There was a good number of friends of the ex-councillor present including the Deputy-Mayor (Councillor Rowland RUSSELL), Councillors F. V. GREEN and A. J. WILLIAMS, Messrs. A. PAGE, H. J. DOWN, H. HAIR, Ernest CHANDLER. P. G. LANGDON and NICHOLLS (Hampshire General Friendly Society).

Beautiful wreaths were sent by the widow Mrs Alfred WAY, "All at 22 George street,"; Mrs GUMBRELL; "Winn, Perce and Pamela" (Wandsworth Common); "Pibo and Guy"; F. and E. MORRANT ("the last token of regard for a very dear friend"); Mr and Mrs Frank BUCKETT; Mr HODGKINSON and Kitty etc.

The funeral arrangements were carried out by Mr Chas. LANGDON.

NB The report names the widow Mrs Alfred WAY but she was Mrs Albert WAY

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DEATHS:

WAY.- Jan 22nd, at 31 High Street, Ryde, **Albert**, husband of F. Way, aged 62.

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