ISLE OF WIGHT TIMES Thursday 26th March 1970

Mr. A. WHALE. - The death occurred at his home on Thursday of Mr. Arthur Vivian Harold WHALE, of 23 Arthur Street. Aged 81, he was a life-long resident of the borough and the eldest surviving sone of the late Mr. and Mrs. A. C. WHALE. He served in the First World War with the Royal Engineers. Mr. WHALE was a painter and decorator by trade.

The funeral service took place at Ryde Cemetery Church on Monday when the Rev. Michael DENT officiated. Family mourners were: Mr. P. R. WHALE, brother; Mrs. E. SNELLGROVE, Mrs. L. R. VALLENDER and Mr. and Mrs. R. PAYTON, sisters and brothers-in-law; Mr. L. VALLENDER, nephew. The interment followed in the family grave at Ryde Cemetery.

Messrs. H. V. TAYLOR & Son made the funeral arangements.

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