

Octogenarian's Death.- The death occurred on Sunday of Mrs. **Ellen Sephronia GROVES**, of 8a Monkton Street, aged 86. She was born at Gatcombe and had lived here for nearly 70 years. Her husband, Mr. J. H. GROVES, died in December and they had been married for 65 years. Sympathy is felt with their only daughter (Mrs. L. M. F. WALLS) who, in the last 11 months, has lost her husband and parents.

The funeral service at the Parish Church on Wednesday was conducted by the Rev. P. L. VAUGHAN (curate). The mourners were Mr. C. H. GROVES (son), Mrs. WALLS (daughter), Mrs. N. GREENHAM and Mrs. A. L. HOLLY (grand-daughters), Miss N. LANGFORD (niece), Mrs. L. M. DENNESS, Mrs. F. CHESSELL, and Miss LAMOTE. Mr. and Mrs. A. J. GROVES (son and daughter-in-law) and Mr. and Mrs. J. GROVES (brother-in-law and sister-in-law) were unable to attend. The interment was in her husband's grave in Ryde Cemetery.

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