

ISLE OF WIGHT TIMES Thursday 30 October 1947

Death Notice:

**MATTHEWS.** - On Oct. 25<sup>th</sup>, **Miss Fanny MATTHEWS**, of Brookfield, Marlborough Road, Ryde, aged 85.

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### **THE LATE MISS MATTHEWS**

The funeral took place at Ryde Cemetery yesterday (Wednesday) with the Rev. A. CORY officiating, of **Miss Fanny MATTHEWS**, of Brookfield, Marlborough Road, Ryde, who, for 30 years until 1927 was headmistress of Gassiot Girls' School. She died at St. Mary's Hospital on Saturday, following a fall last Christmas. For 50 years she had been a prominent member of St. John's Church. She was 85 years of age.

The service was attended by many of her former pupils. The pupils whom she first taught are now grandmothers of those she was teaching until her illness.

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