ISLE OF WIGHT OBSERVER Saturday 12th December 1891

FUNERAL OF MISS MITCHELL.- The funeral of Miss Mary Anne MITCHELL late of Widcombe Lodge, Ryde took place on Friday last. The deceased lady resided in Ryde for many years, but about two or three years ago removed to Bristol, where she died on Sunday, November 29th. Her kind and charitable disposition made her greatly beloved during her residence here. The deceased lady was buried in Ryde Cemetery in the same grave as her sister.

The funeral started from the Pier about 2 o'clock (the body being brought from Bristol earlier in the day). The service was taken by Mr KING, and at the graveside an address was given by Col. MITCHELL, of Sandown. Mr J. H. Parker JERVIS, Mr PETERS, Mr PEROW and many other friends followed. The coffin was of polished oak with brass mountings, the plate bearing the following inscription:

MARY ANNE MITCHELL, Died November 29th, 1891, Aged 90 years. The arrangements were carried out by Messrs PURNELL, undertakers, of Ryde.

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