

ISLE OF WIGHT TIMES Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> June 1932

Death Notice:

**MAYNE.**- Colonel George Nesbitt MAYNE, aged 77.

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**OBITUARY.  
COL. G.N. MAYNE**

Colonel George Nesbitt MAYNE, who died recently at Ryde in his 78<sup>th</sup> year was one of the most famous gentlemen jockeys of his day in India. Colonel MAYNE who commanded the King's Own Sottish Borderers in Belfast, was connected after his retirement with the Calcutta Turf Club to which he was official handicapper. He came to Ryde from Osborne a short time ago, but was taken ill and remained at the nursing home, where he died.

During his term in India he was in the team which won the Polo Cup of all-India.

The funeral took place at the cemetery on Friday afternoon, the Rev. A.W.H. HARLOW officiating. The mourners were General R. and Miss MAYNE. Those present were Brig.-Gen D.A. MACFARLANE (Colonel of the K.O.S.B.), Brig.-Gen. E.F. DELAFORCE, Gen. R.H.B. and Mrs. TAYLOR, Col. H.L. GOODENOUGH, Col. A.E. HAIG and Major H. Du BUISSON.

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*NB: We have noted the discrepancy in the spelling of Nesbitt in the report above, which shows as Nisbett on most other records found.*

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