## ISLE OF WIGHT OBSERVER Saturday 23rd November 1912

## MEMORIAL SERVICE.

A memorial service was held at St. John's Church, Ryde, at the time of the cremation of the remains of the late Lord CALTHORPE at Perry Barr, Birmingham, the officiating clergy were Canon Clement SMITH, the Vicar (the Rev. Wilson PEARCE), and the Rev Henry HOLE.

The procession, which included the Choir, followed by the officiating Clergy, entered the west door of the Church. The 80<sup>th</sup> Psalm was read, and the hymns, "Lead kindly Light," and "Peace. Perfect Peace," were sung. At the close of the service, the organist, Mr. Sidney L. TORR, rendered CHOPIN's Marche Funerabre. There was a large attendance at the service, and amongst those present were: General R. S. FETHERSTONHAUGH, C.B., Colonel E. W. CRADOCK, D. L., Colonel Worthington WILMER, Colonel E. Howard BROOKE, the Mayor of Ryde (Alderman G. A. BLACKALL), Mr. E. CARTER, D.L., Mr. William Player BRIGSTOCKE, Colonel J. M. ENGLAND, Captain BURT, R.N., Captain A. F. WELLDON, R.N., Alderman E. GROVES, Captain D. FORSYTH, R.N., Mrs FORSYTH, Mr. J. FARDELL, (Representing Admiral de HORSEY), Dr J. DAVIES, Col. WALTERS, Mr G. FARDELL, Mr P THELLUSSON, Mr H. WAITE, Mr J WHEELER, Mr C. LANGDON Mr E. G. STROUD, Mr G. SHEDDEN, Mr PURSEY (Surveyor, St. Helen's Council). Mr H. WADE, Mr E. C. LOADER, Mr H. J. OSBORNE, Mr S. ATTWOOD, Mr. T. S. ABLEWHITE, Mr. F. WRIGHT.

Mr G. H. HARRISON, J.P., was unable to be present, owing to absence from the town.

Beautiful wreaths were placed in the Chancel from Lady SIMEON. Colonel and Mrs CRADOCK, Mr and Mrs George SHEDDEN, Mr and Mrs W. Player BRIGSTOCKE, and the servants and employees of the estate.

The flag over the Ryde Conservative and Unionist Club, where Lord CALTHORPE was a respected member, was flying at half-mast on Thursday.

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