

Naval Pensioner's Death.---The funeral took place at Ryde Cemetery on Saturday of Mr. Robert George Raleigh GRAY, aged 63, who died at the Falcon Hotel, Swanmore Road, on Wednesday week. A native of the town and a member of an old Island family, Mr. GRAY joined the Royal Navy as a boy at Greenwich School and served for 42 years before retiring in 1948. A daring exploit in Russia during the first world war won him the M.S.M. After retiring he lived in London for several years, returning here in July last year. He leaves two sons and two daughters. His mother, the late Mrs. F. E. R. GRAY, was for some time standard bearer of the British Legion women's section.

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