

ISLE OF WIGHT OBSERVER Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> November 1868

Death Notice:

On the 17<sup>th</sup> inst., at Highfield Villa, Ryde, **Daniel LIST**, esq., aged 86 years.

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In our obituary of to day, we record the death of Mr. Daniel LIST, of Highfield villa, who has passed away at the patriarchial age of 86. The deceased gentleman was well kown in this town and neighbourhood; his friends numbering nearly all who identified with the Island either by business or residence.

He was for a long period a director of the Portsmouth and Ryde Steampacket Company, to which he ever accorded the value of his nautical experience. Formerly, Mr. LIST carried on an extensive business as a ship builder at Fishbourne, and from his yard were launched some of those "wooden walls of old England" which have assisted to secure for this country her Naval supremacy, and which has culminated in the present lengthened peace. As a yacht builder, Mr. LIST was no mean Naval architect, and many a handsome craft which dated its birth from his yard, triumphed in the contest other days.

The lamented gentleman was of a cheerful disposition, and possessed great vigiour of character; indeed, his energy was remarkable, and every matter undertaken by him was followed with that indomitable perseverance which characterised him as a man of business, and doubtless tended to prolong his years beyond the allotted "three score and ten."

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