

ISLE OF WIGHT COUNTY PRESS Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> February 1971

Death Notice:

**LOVEGROVE.** – Feb, 24<sup>th</sup>, at his home, **Alfred Hedley Roberts LOVEGROVE**, of Carpenters Farm, St. Helens. Aged 70. Funeral service Saturday (today) Ryde Methodist Church, at 2 p.m.

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**Retired Farmer.** - Mr. Alfred Hedley Roberts LOVEGROVE, aged 70, of Carpenter's Farm, had been farming on the Island for nearly 50 years, died at his home on Wednesday. Born at Wickham Heath, Berkshire, Mr. LOVEGROVE first came to Carpenter's Farm and, 23 years ago, took over the adjoining Hill Farm. Mr. LOVEGROVE retired only last year, leaving most of the conduct of operations to his only surviving son, although he still maintained an active interest. He was a member of the National Farmers' Union and two of his favourite pastimes were shooting and following the I.W. Hunt. He leaves a widow, a son and a daughter. The funeral service takes place today (Saturday) at Ryde Methodist Church.

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**Farmers Tribute.** - Many members of the farming community attended the funeral service at Ryde Methodist Church on Saturday for Mr. Alfred Hedley Roberts LOVEGROVE, of Carpenters Farm, whose death was reported last week. The Rev. D.M. DOBELL officiated; and in an address paid tribute to Mr. LOVEGROVE's life and farming work. Mr. H.L. BRADING, J.P. (organist), accompanied the singing of the hymns "Jesu, Lover of my soul" and "Abide with me." The mourners were Mr. and Mrs. D. LOVEGROVE (son and daughter-in-law), Mr. and Mrs. D. GRIFFIN (son-in-law and daughter), Mr. David LOVEGROVE and Miss Janet LOVEGROVE (grandchildren, representing Robert LOVEGROVE and Mark and Helen GRIFFIN, grandchildren), Mr. and Mr. A. V. FAITHFULL (brother-in-law and sister-in-law), Mr. and Mrs. A.M. FAITHFULL and Mr. and Mrs. G. FAITHFULL (nephews and nieces), Mrs. A. N. FAITHFULL (aunt), Mr. and Mrs. K. JENKINS and the Misses D. and P. FAITHFULL (cousins), Mrs. LOVEGROVE (widow) was unable to be present. The I.W. Hunt and National Farmers' Union were represented. Interment took place in the grave of Mr. LOVEGROVE's elder son at St. John's Cemetery, Ryde.

Messrs H. V. TAYLOR and Son made the arrangements.

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