

George Henry Brooke

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Death of Mr. G. H. Brooke. -The death occurred after a short illness at the Victor Nursing Home, Ryde, on Monday, of Mr. George Henry Brooke, aged 72, of Bleak House, Cowes-road. Mr. Brooke, a native of Yorkshire, came to the Island 38 years ago, residing first at Ventnor and later at Lake. He moved to Newport 10 years afterwards, and was, for a number of years, employed at Upper Shide Mill as a miller and grain merchant. Since his retirement about four years ago he had taken a keen interest in bowling and was a member of the Bowling Club. The funeral took place on Thursday, the service being held at Holyrood hall, where Mr. Brooke worshipped. Mr E. A. Walmsley officiated and paid tribute to Mr. Brooke's fine character. Miss C. Quinton accompanied the hymns. The mourners were Mrs. G. Brooke (widow), Miss D. Brooke (daughter), Mr. and Mrs. J.A.H. Brooke, Mr. and Mrs. G. Brooke, Mr. and Mrs. D. Brooke (sons and daughters-in-law), and Mr. and Mrs. E. J. White. Others present included Mesdames L. M. Marsh, G.F. Quinton, and N. Axhorn, Miss N. Chandler, Mr. and Mrs. E. Marshall and Messrs. F. Heal, G. W. Dore, K. Miller, H. W. Lincoln, T.C., R. G. Chandler, H. W. Hooper, and F. Scovell, (representing Miss C. Scovell) and Messrs. A. D. Callaway, G. Norman, C.C., A.H. Cooke, and L. Truscott, (representing the Bowling Club). The interment was at Carisbrooke Cemetery and Messrs. H. and F. Damp made the arrangements.

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