

Roy Percival Scott

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Death of Mr. R. P. Scott.—The death took place at his home, 59 Castle Road, on Tuesday of Mr. Roy Percival Scott, aged 48. He had been in failing health for a long time. Mr. Scott was the elder son of the late Mr. A. P. Scott, who founded the engineering firm of A. P. Scott and Sons, Ltd., in Lugley Street, and with his brother he had been running the business since the death of his father some 15 years ago. Though well known in the business life of the town, Mr. Scott was better known in sporting circles. He was a keen angler and marksman. Whenever he had the chance he would be out sea-fishing, and some of his catches brought him trophies of the I.W. Angling Society and the Vectis Boating and Fishing Club, of which he was a member. He was one of the founding members and president of the Dodner Yachting and Angling Club. Until his illness he regularly represented Hampshire in rifle shooting competitions and as a member of the old Carisbrooke Rifle Club won many trophies and prizes. However, he never realized his ambition of competing at Bisley. In his youth, Mr. Scott was a member of the St. John's Church choir and the Athletic Club and Bible Class. He leaves a widow and one son, with whom much sympathy is expressed. The funeral took place yesterday, the service at St. John's Church being conducted by the Vicar (the Rev. E. A. B. Royds). The interment was at Carisbrooke Cemetery.

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