

MR. A. CHIPPINDALE, HARROGATE

Half a Century as a Builder

Mr. Amos Chippindale, of Innisfree, Hookstone Road, Harrogate, who played a large part in the building development of the town, died yesterday, aged 76.

As a young man, Mr. Chippindale entered business as a builder and during nearly half a century he erected much of the residential property in High Harrogate, including the Regent and Grove Park estates. With his brother, the late Alderman James Chippindale, who was also in business as a builder, he owned a large part of this quarter of the town. Recently he sold most of his property interests to a Manchester syndicate. He was also a landowner at Darlington and Gateshead.

Mr. Chippindale was a member of an old Harrogate family, and had a life-long association with the Dragon Parade Methodist Church, in which he held several offices. He was a member of the Town Council from 1897 to 1906. He was a Fellow of the Royal Geographical Society and president and a founder of the Valuers' Institution. He was twice married, and leaves a widow and a son. Another son and a daughter pre-deceased him.

Alderman James Chippindale was a member of the Town Council from 1890 until his death in 1920, and was three times Mayor of the town.