1881 CENSUS: RG11/1181. Folio 42. page 28

Address: Reed-street, Oakfield, 1W.

Jane GRIFFIN. Head. W. 60. Brading, IW.

Henry GRIFFIN. Son. Widr. 38. Carpenter. Ryde, IW.

William GRIFFIN. Son. Letter Carrier. Binstead, IW.

Emma GRIFFIN. Grand dau. 12. Scholar. Newport, IW.

George H. GRIFFIN. Grandson. 9. Scholar. Ryde, IW.

Harry J. GRIFFIN. Grandson. 3. Ryde, IW.

1891 CENSUS: RG12/892. Folio 73. Page 19. Address: 10 Reed Street, Oakfield, Ryde, IW.

Henry GRIFFIN. Head. M. Widr. 48. Cabinet Maker. Kemp Hill, IW.

George H. GRIFFIN. Son. S. 19. General Labourer. Ryde, IW.

Harry J. GRIFFIN. Son. 13. Scholar. Ryde, IW.

Jane GRIFFIN. Mother. Wid. 71. Laundress. Binstead, IW.

William GRIFFIN. Brother. S. 46. Civil Service Post Office. Niton, IW.

Violet E. GRIFFIN. Niece. 3. Ryde, IW.

MARRIAGE: 14th April 1906 at Holy Trinity Church, Ryde

Harry James GRIFFIN. 28. Bachelor. (father: Henry GRIFFIN)

& Eleanor Elizabeth HOWLING. 27. Spinster. (father: James Joseph HOWLING)

In 1911 **Harry** (33) was living at 28 Campbell Road, Maidstone, with his wife Eleanor Elizabeth (32) and his son James Howling (3). **Harry** was listed as a Carriers Clerk Pickford, Railway Agent.

ISLE OF WIGHT COUNTY PRESS Saturday 17th June 1944

Death of Mr. H. J. GRIFFIN. – A respected inhabitant, Mr. Harry James GRIFFIN, passed away at 36a Union-street on Thursday week, aged 66. A native of the borough Mr. GRIFFIN joined the local staff of Pickfords and later became manager of their branches at Newbury, Maidstone, Salisbury, Ipswich, Eastbourne and Gravesend before returning to Ryde as local manager about 10 years ago. He retired in 1937 on account of impaired health. He was a past Chief Ranger of the Ryde Court of Foresters, in which he took great interest.

The funeral was on Monday, the first part of the service being conducted by the Rev. F.H. ROLPH. The mourners were Mrs. GRIFFIN (widow) and Mr. J. GRIFFIN, of Chester (son). Others present were Mr. G.J. EVANS, T.C. (manager of Pickfords), Mr. H. PERKIS (representing the staff), Mr. F. PLATER (Southern Vectis Omnibus Company), Messrs. G.H. WHITE (secretary) and A.E. LANGDON (treasurer) representing the Ryde Foresters, Mr. and Mrs. E.T. TREND, and Messrs. W.G. BEERE, W.H. RHODES, and H.M. EAMES. The flowers included tributes from the directors and staff of Pickfords and the Foresters Court.

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