1851 CENSUS: HO107/1504. folio 404. page 23.

Address: 6 Cambridge Terrace, Middleton-road, West Hackney, Middx.

George GRIFFITHS. Head. Mar. 40. Spice Merchant's Clerk. Newport, IW.

Emilie Turner GRIFFITHS. Wife. Mar. 40. Corsham, Wilts.

Geo. Turner GRIFFITHS. Son. 7. Scholar at Home. Ryde, IW.

James Emery GRIFFITHS. Son. 6. Scholar at Home. Ryde, IW.

Emilie Turner GRIFFITHS. Dau. 3. Scholar at Home. London.

Norah SULLIVAN. Serv. U. 20. Genl. Serv. Kelarney, Ireland.

Henry JACOBS. Lodger. U. 25. Grocer's Clerk. Newchurch, IW.

Edmund Wills PRATT. Lodger. U. 16. Grocer's Clerk. Portsea.

MARRIAGE: 11<sup>th</sup> Oct 1860 at St. Thomas's Church, Ryde, IW. **Henry JACOBS.** Full/age. Bachelor. (father: Isaac JACOBS)

& Mary Anne GIBBS. Full/age. Spinster. (father: William GIBBS).

1861 CENSUS: RG9/657. folio 22. page 15.

Address: Leyton House, St. Thomas's-street, Ryde, Newchurch, IW.

# Henry JACOBS. Head. Mar. 35. Grocer. Newchurch, IW.

Mary A. JACOBS. Wife. Mar. 31. Tewkesbury, Gloucester.

Kate SMITH. Serv. Un. 20. Servant. Newchurch, IW.

DEATH: c1865 Ryde (IW Registrars ref: R13/E211)

Mary Anne JACOBS, aged 36.

MARRIAGE: 17<sup>th</sup> Nov 1869 at St. Mary's Church, Carisbrooke, IW.

Henry JACOBS. Ful/age. Widower. (father: Isaac JACOBS)

& Fanny Belinda CAPLEN. Full/age. Widow. (father: Robert HILLS).

1871 CENSUS: RG10/1165. folio 67. page 13.

Address: 40 Union-street, Ryde, IW.

### Henry JACOBS. Head. Mar. 44. Grocer. Newchurch, IW.

Fanny JACOBS. Wife. Mar. 34. Blackwater, IW.

Harry JACOBS. Son. 10. Ryde.

Willie JACOBS. Son. 6. Ryde.

Frederick BAILEY. Assistant. Unm. 28. Grocer's Assistant. Ryde.

Caroline MARKS. Serv. Unm. 32. Domestic Serv. Rookley, IW.

Sarah COLLRANE. Serv. Unm. 20. Domestic Serv. Marylebone, London.

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**JACOBS Henry**, grocer, coal and coke merchant, and wine and spirit agent, 40 Union-street, Ryde, IW.

1881 CENSUS: RG11/1178. folio 60. page 10.

Address: 40 Union-street, Ryde, IW.

### Henry JACOBS. Head. Mar. 55. Master Grocer. Newchurch, IW.

Fanny B. JACOBS. Wife. Mar. 45. Arreton, IW.

Henry E. JACOBS. Son. Unm. 19. Grocer's Asst. Ryde, IW.

Edward DAMP. Asst. Unm. 35. Grocer Asst. Ryde, IW.

Henry BURNETT. Asst. Unm. 22. Grocer Asst. Newport, IW.

Walter HILLS. Boarder. Mar. 50. No occupation. Arreton, IW.

Elizth. JACKMAN. Serv. Unm. 22. Domestic Serv. Fairlee, IW.

Ellen CHIVERTON. Serv. Unm. 23. Cook Dom. Shorwell, IW.

1891 CENSUS: RG12/890. folio. 58. Page 26.

Address: 40 Union-street, Ryde, IW.

# Henry JACOBS. Head. M. 65. Grocer. Newchurch, IW.

Fanny B. JACOBS. Wife. M. 56. Arreton, IW.

Henry E. JACOBS. Son. S. 25. Living on own means. Ryde, IW.

Elizabeth JACKMAN. Serv. S. 32. Cook Domestic. Newport, IW.

Lily HOUNSOINE. Serv. S. 14. Housemaid Domestic. Emsworth, Hants.

1901 CENSUS: RG13/1024. folio 16. page 24.

Address: 40 Union-street, Ryde, IW.

# Henry JACOBS. Head. M. 75. Provisions Merchant (own account). Newchurch, IW.

Fanny B. JACOBS. Wife. M. 65. Arreton, IW.

Elizabeth JACKMAN. Serv. S. 40. Cook Domestic. Newport, IW.

Kate JENVEY. Serv. S. 25. Housemaid Domestic. Ryde, IW.

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Death Notice:

**JACOBS** – March 22, **Henry JACOBS**, of Inverleith, Sandown, and formerly of Union-street, Ryde, aged 91.

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# **DEATH OF MR HENRY JACOBS**

A link with the past is severed with the death of Mr Henry JACOBS, of Inverleith, Avenue-road, Sandown, which occurred on Thursday at the advanced age of 91. Mr JACOBS was born at the Parsonage Farm, Newchurch, on April 22, 1825, and was the son of Mr Isaac JACOBS. The only survivor of a large family, he had outlived most of his contemporaries. Among his earliest recollections was that of hearing, as a schoolboy, of the death of William IV, and the accession of Queen Victoria. He could also remember seeing the Abbe de Grenthe, the French refugee, who settled at Newport. At the time of the Chartist riots in London in 1848, when 100,000 citizens volunteered as special constables, Mr JACOBS was one of those enrolled, and his baton is still among the family treasures. For forty years he was in business in Ryde as a grocer and coal merchant. He was one of the old Ryde Commissioners, and when the town was made a borough in 1868 he was a member of the first Town Council. He also served as churchwarden of the Parishchurch. Connected with many of the old island families, he had many reminiscences of the ancient parish of Newchurch, which then included both Ryde and Ventnor, and was a place of much greater importance than now. He could remember the time when much of the present parish of Ashey was an open common, and there were six gates to be opened when driving between Ryde and Newchurch. He was a Freemason and passed the chair of the East Medina Lodge in 1867.

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