

1844 PIGOT & Co's DIRECTORY – listed under Grocers & Tea Dealers  
RIDDETT Sarah & Sons, Pier-street, Ryde, IW.

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1851 CENSUS: HO107/1664. Folio 181. page 6.  
Address: 1 Pier-street, Ryde, Newchurch, IW.

Sarah RIDDETT. Head. Widow. 75. Ryde, IW.  
Edwin P. RIDDETT. Son. Un. 45. Grocer employing 2 men. Brading, IW.  
**Albert RIDDETT. Son. Un. 40. Grocer employing 2 men. Ryde, IW.**  
Ann R. RIDDETT. Gr/dau. Un. 26. Dressmaker. Ryde, IW.  
George RIDDETT. Gr/son. Un. 24. Shopman. Ryde, IW.  
Jane RIDDETT. Gr/dau. Un. 18. Ryde, IW.  
Eliza MOSES. Serv. Un. 25. House Servant. Wroxall, IW.

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1859 WHITE's DIRECTORY of Hampshire & Isle of Wight – page 660  
RIDDETT S. & Sons, grocer & tea dealers, 2 Pier-street, Ryde, IW.

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1861 CENSUS: RG9/657. Folio 15. page 1.  
Address: 1 Pier-street, Ryde, Newchurch, IW.

Edwin P. RIDDETT. Head. Un. 55. Grocer employing 1 man 1 boy. Brading Hants.  
**Albert RIDDETT. Brother. Un. 50. Grocer. Newchurch, Hants.**  
Eliza MOSES. Serv. Un. 31. Gen Serv. Newchurch, Hants.

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1871 CENSUS: RG10/1165. Folio 47. page 40.  
Address: 2 Pier-street, Ryde, IW.

**Albert RIDDETT. Head. Unm. 60. Grocer. Ryde, IW.**  
Eliza MOSES. Serv. Unm. 40. General Servant. Wroxall, IW.  
Brunel WHITFIELD. Protégé. 11. Scholar. Ryde, IW.

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1878 WHITE's DIRECTORY of Hampshire & Isle of Wight – page 481  
**RIDDETT Albert (R. & Sons), h 2 Pier-street, Ryde, IW.**

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1881 CENSUS: RG11/1180. Folio 12. page 17.  
Address: Laurel Cottage, West-street, Ryde, IW.

**Albert RIDDETT. Head. Unm. 71. Retired Grocer. Newchurch, IW.**  
Maria L. WHITFIELD. Visitor. Unm. 17. Ryde, IW.  
Eliza MOSES. Serv. Unm. 50. Servant Domestic. Ryde, IW.

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1891 CENSUS: RG12/891. Folio 91. page 21.  
Address: 7 West-street, Ryde, IW.

**Albert RIDDETT. Head. S. 80. Retired Grocer. Ryde, IW.**  
Mable WHITFIELD. Visitor. S. 27. Ryde, IW.  
Eliza MOSES. Serv. S. 62. Housekeeper Dom. Wroxall, IW.

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Death Notice:-

**RIDDETT** .. On the 9<sup>th</sup> inst., at Laurel Cottage, West-street, Ryde, **Albert RIDDETT**, in his 81<sup>st</sup> year.

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**ALBERT RIDDETT**

We have to record the death on the 9<sup>th</sup> inst., at his residence in West-street, of Mr. **Albert RIDDETT**, one of the oldest and most respected of our local townsmen. Mr. RIDDETT in partnership with his brother, for many years carried on business as a grocer in Pier-street, on the premises now occupied by Mr. SPANNER, and where the business of a grocer has been carried on for nearly 130 years. To the last Mr. RIDDETT preserved the old fashioned unpretentious neatness of the establishment, and delighted to serve his customers from the identical canisters, &c., which were there when the business started. There was the same unpretentious air about Mr. RIDDETT himself, and to the last he mingled with sturdy English common sense and independence, an old fashioned courtesy. Mr. RIDDETT had of course lived retired for many years and had attained a great old age, being in his 81<sup>st</sup> year.

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