

1901 CENSUS: RG13/1025. folio 77. page 6.
Abode: 2 Marten ?, Park-road, Ryde, IW.

Harry PAUL. Head. M. 46. Master Postmaster (employer). Yarmouth, IW.
Lucy PAUL. Wife. M. 35. Newport, IW.
Daisy PAUL. Dau. S. 18. Ryde, IW.
Harry PAUL. Son. 13. Ryde, IW.
Fanny COLEMAN. Serv. S. 19. General Servant Domestic. Merston, IW.

1910 KELLY's DIRECTORY page 321.
PAUL Harry, carriage proprietor, 42 Park-road & Jubilee Mews, Benett-street, Ryde.

1935 KELLY's DIRECTORY page 163.
PAUL H. & Son, motor coach proprs., 57 & 58 Park-road, & Jubilee garage, Benett-street, Ryde.

ISLE OF WIGHT TIMES Thursday Aug 15th 1968, front page.

RYDE'S MOTOR COACH PIONEER DIES AGED 80 –

The man who introduced motor coach excursions at Ryde in 1920, Mr. **Harry PAUL**, died at the Royal I.W. County Hospital on Saturday, aged 80.

Born at 58 Park-road, where he lived all his life, Mr. PAUL first became interested in the idea of motor transport when he joined the Army during the first world war. He was stationed with a horse regiment on enlistment, but was soon transferred to one of the newly-introduced Tank Corps, delivering ammunition to the front line in France.

On demobilisation he took over from his father the family road haulage contracting business, but tired of the now old-fashioned horse drawn transport, and so decided to provide Ryde with a charabanc service. Encouraged by his wife, who died in 1959, he established himself as the owner of Ryde's first motor coach firm.

Mr. PAUL also owned Beaper Farm, Brading. He leaves two daughters and two sons.

The funeral service is to take place today (Thursday) at Holy Trinity Church, Ryde, with the Vicar, the Rev. John SHAW, officiating. Interment will follow in the family grave.

ISLE OF WIGHT COUNTY PRESS Saturday Aug 24th 1968, front page.

Acknowledgment –

PAUL .. The family of the late **Harry PAUL** wish to thank relatives, friends and staff, the coach operators, Ryde coach drivers and the old taxi drivers for their lovely floral tributes, also for kind letters of sympathy during their sad bereavement. Please accept this as a personal acknowledgment.

NB: The listing for Harry PAUL in the 1910 Kelly's directory is that of Harry (senior).