

1841 CENSUS: HO107/406/2. Folio 30. page 15.
Address: Union-road, Ryde, Newchurch, IW.

Thomas BASKET. 73. Gardener. (Yes)
Elizabeth BASKET. 38. (Yes)
Emily BASKET. 25. (Yes)
Herbert BASKET. 23. Gardener. (Yes)
Hellen BASKET. 19. (Yes)
Thomas BASKET. 3. (Yes)
William BUCKETT. 19. M.S. (Yes)
Eliza WELLS. 17. F.S. (Yes)

1851 CENSUS: HO107/1664. Folio 239. page 30.
Address: 9 Union-road, Ryde, Newchurch, IW.

Thomas BASKETT. Head. Widr. 82. Gardener Master employing one man. Shirland, Dorset.
Elizabeth BASKETT. Dau. Un. 47. Ryde, Hants.
Emily BASKETT. Dau. Un. 35. Ryde, Hants.
Herbert BASKETT. Son. Un. 32. Ryde, Hants.
Hellen BASKETT. Dau. Un. 28. Ryde, Hants.
Honora DUNN. Serv. Un. 26. House Servant. Ireland.
Charles ORCHARD. Serv. Un. 18. Labourer. Poor house, IW, Hants.

1871 CENSUS: RG10/1165. Folio 73. page 26.
Address: 10 Union-road, Ryde, IW.

Elizabeth BASKETT. Head. Unm. 66. Lodging House Keeper. Ryde.
Emily BASKETT. Sister. Unm. 55. Lodging House Keeper. Ryde.
Helen BASKETT. Sister. Unm. 48. Lodging House Keeper. Ryde.
Fanny SIBBICK. Serv. Unm. 16. Domestic Servant. Godshill, IW.

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Death Notice:-

On the 20th inst., at Ryde, **Elizabeth**, second daughter of the late Mr. T. BASKETT, aged 70 years.

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DEATH OF AN OLD INHABITANT

Our obituary today records the death of Miss **Elizabeth BASKETT**, of George-street, Ryde, who expired on Monday morning at the age of 70, after a painful illness. Miss BASKETT was one of those genuine old inhabitants of the town whose numbers are steadily decreasing. Born in Ryde at a period when it gave few indications of becoming a place of importance, she witnessed all the progressive steps in its development into a fashionable watering place, and while her own home presented much the same simple interior it possessed when first built, the garden attached thereto became, as it were, a green oasis amidst the wilderness of bricks and mortar which sprung up around her. A quiet and unassuming woman, who did her duty unostentatiously. Miss BASKETT had not many acquaintances, but all who knew her respected her; and her death, though not unexpected, will cause much regret to many. She was the eldest sister of Mr. Herbert BASKETT,

the “Island Minstrel”, whose poems, published some few years ago, have been often quoted and praised as the works of an original and genuine poet, who was indebted solely to his own efforts for the culture he possessed.

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