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HANSFORD Wm., cabinet maker. 65 George-street, Ryde, IW.

1861 CENSUS: RG9/657. folio 92. page 5.

Address: 65 George-street, Ryde, Newchurch, IW.

William HANSFORD. Head. Mar. 50. Upholsterer/Master empl 4 men. Milton, Dorset.

Hephzibah HANSFORD. Wife. Mar. 51. Aldersgate, London.

Hephzibah HANSFORD. Dau. Un. 23. Ryde, IW.

William HANSFORD. Son. Un. 21. Upholsterer. Ryde, IW.

Anthony HANSFORD. Son. Un. 16. Cabinet Maker App. Ryde, IW.

Mary HANSFORD. Dau. Un. 14. Scholar. Ryde, IW.

Joseph HANSFORD. Son. 11. Scholar. Ryde, IW.

1871 CENSUS: RG10/1165. folio 110. page 5.

Address: 65 George-street, Ryde, IW.

William HANSFORD. Head. Mar. 60. Upholsterer empl 10 men. West Milton, dorset.

Hephzibah HANSFORD. Wife. Mar. 61. London.

Hephzibah HANSFORD. Dau. Unm. 33. Ryde, IW.

William HANSFORD. Son. Unm. 31. Upholsterer. Ryde, IW.

Elizabeth HANSFORD. Dau. Unm. 28. Ryde, IW.

Mary HANSFORD. Dau. Unm. 24. Ryde, IW.

Joseph HANSFORD. Son. Unm. 21. Upholsterer. Ryde, IW.

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HANSFORD Wm. (Brothers), h Clement's Cottage, Star-street, Ryde, IW.

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HANSFORD Brothers, upholsterers, cabinet makers, undertakers, trunk makers, and agents for Royal and London Guarantee and Accident Ins. Cos. 9 Cross-street.; & Ventnor.

1881 CENSUS: RG11/1179. folio 14. page 21.

Address: 44 Star-street, Ryde, IW.

William HANSFORD. Head. Mar. 70. Upholsterer. Dorsetshire.

Hephzibah HANSFORD. Wife. Mar. 60. London.

Elizabeth HANSFORD. Dau. Unm. 35. Ryde, IW.

1891 CENSUS: RG12/890. folio 85. page 7.

Address: 78 George-street, Ryde, IW.

William HANSFORD. Head. M. 80. Retired Cabinet Maker. Dorsetshire.

Hephsybah HANSFORD. Wife. M. 81. London.

William HANSFORD. Son. S. 51. Living on own means. Ryde, IW.

Hephsybah HANSFORD. Dau. S. 53. Living on own means. Ryde, IW.

Elizabeth HANSFORD. Dau. S. 48. Living on own means. Ryde, IW. Caroline LANE. Serv. S. 16. General Domestic. Ryde, IW.

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Death Notice:-

HANSFORD .. On May. 13th, at Temple House, Ryde, William HANSFORD, aged 82 years.

ISLE OF WIGHT OBSERVER Saturday 20th May 1893 Page 4

We regret to record the death, on Saturday last, of Mr. W. HANSFORD, one of our oldest tradesmen. For an octogenarian Mr. HANSFORD was remarkably energetic up to the last, and the illness which terminated fatally must have been a short one, for he has been out quite recently. At one time Mr. HANSFORD took a considerable interest in town affairs, and for some years was a member of the Ryde Town Council.

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THE DEATH OF MR.W. HANSFORD

.....a very old tradesman of the town, took place at his residence, Temple House, George – street, on Saturday, at the age of 82. Deceased, who was a native of West Milton, Dorsetshire, began business in the Channel Islands in 1828, but subsequently started up the furniture and upholstery business in Cross-street, Ryde, from which he retired in the Jubilee year. He had held the office of overseer for the undivided parish of Newchurch and was for some time a member of the Corporation. The funeral took place at the Cemetery on Wednesday.

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