1891 CENSUS: RG12/891. folio 28. page 6.

Address: 23 Nelson-street, Ryde, IW.

Arthur T. BLAKE. Head. M. 63. Living on own means. Kennington, Surrey.

Louisa BLAKE. Wife. M. 67. Shepperton, Middx.

Sarah WHITE. Serv. S. 36 or 56? Cook Domestic. Ryde, IW. Emily BARTON. Serv. S. 21. Domestic servant. Fareham, Hants.

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1901 CENSUS: RG13/1025. folio 11. page 13.

Address: 21 Nelson-street, Ryde, IW.

Arthur T. BLAKE. Head. M. 73. Living on own means. Kennington, Surrey.

Louisa BLAKE. Wife. M. 77. Halteford? Green, Middx.

Sarah WHITE. Serv. S. 56. Cook Domestic. St. Helens, IW.

Mary CUTHBERT. Serv. S. 45. Sick Nurse. Chaddlesworth, Berks.

Edith BUCKETT. Serv. S. 18. Housemaid Domestic. Newport, IW.

ISLE OF WIGHT TIMES Thursday 7th Nov 1901

Death Notice:-

BLAKE .. Oct 28th at Nelson-street, Ryde, Louisa BLAKE, in her 78th year.

ISLE OF WIGHT COUNTY PRESS Saturday 2nd Nov 1901

FUNERAL OF MRS. BLAKE

The funeral of the late Mrs. **BLAKE**, of Nelson-street, took place at the Cemetery on Thursday, the Rev. C. Rhodes HALL officiating. The body was enclosed in a polished oak coffin with raised lid and heavy brass mountings. The inscription was: Louisa BLAKE, died 28th October 1901, in her 78th year.

The mourners were Mr. A. T. BLAKE (husband), Mrs. CAPON (niece), Miss L. ELLIS (niece), Mr. C. T. ORFORD (nephew), Mr. E. O. CAPON (nephew), and Mrs. BANKES.

Wreaths were sent by the following amongst others: A. T. BLAKE (in loving memory of my dear wife), Mrs. CAPON and family, Mrs. ELLIS and family, C. T. ORFORD, Miss ELLIS (sister), the servants at Bronte House, Kate (a former housemaid), COOPER (gardener), and Mrs COLE (Mar Lodge).

Mr J. HANSFORD carried out the funeral arrangements.

(Also in the IW Times 7/11/1901 - no extra information)

Researched & typed by Ann Barrett Jenny Stay