MARRIAGE: Sept 1/4 1849 (General Registrars ref: Lewes Reg Dist. Vol 7. page 551) Alfred TUTTE & Emily ADAMES.

1861 CENSUS: RG9/658. folio 122. page 6.

Address: School House, St. John's National School, Oakfield, Ryde, IW.

Alfred TUTTE. Head. Mar. 36. National Certif Schoolmaster. Chichester, Sussex.

Emily TUTTE. Wife. Mar. 37. Schoolmistress. Pagham, Sussex.

Sarah E. TUTTE. Dau. 10. Scholar. Glamorgan.

Eva J. TUTTE. Dau. 7. Scholar. Glamorgan.

Alfred A. TUTTE. Son. 5. Scholar. Glamorgan.

Frank L. TUTTE. Son. 2. St. Helens, IW.

Alice A. TUTTE. Dau. 6mths. St. Helens, IW.

1878 WHITE's DIRECTORY of Hampshire & Isle of Wight - page 483 **TUTTE** Alfred (T. & Sons), & registrar of marriages, Oakfield, Ryde, IW.

1891 CENSUS: RG12/892. folio 66. page 5.

Address: Sussex House, Upper St. John's-road, Oakfield, Ryde, IW.

Alfred TUTTE. Head. M. 66. Registrar of Marriages. Chichester, Sussex.

Emily TUTTE. Wife. M. 67. Pagham, Sussex.

Eva J. TUTTE. Dau. S. 37. Bridgend, Glam.

Beatrice M. TUTTE. Dau. S. 27. St. Helens, IW.

Ellen A. TUTTE. Dau. S. 25. St. Helens, IW.

ISLE OF WIGHT OBSERVER Saturday 12th May 1900

Death Notice:-

TUTTE .. On May 7th 1900 at Oakfield, St. John's, Emily TUTTE, aged 76.

ISLE OF WIGHT TIMES Thursday 10th May 1900

DEATH OF MRS. TUTTE

We regret to record the death of Mrs. TUTTE, the widow of Mr. Alfred TUTTE, who it will be remembered was for many years the sub-postmaster at the Oakfield Post Office, and registrar of marriages for the Ryde district. Mrs. TUTTE died at her residence Sussex House (Oakfield Post Office) at an early hour on Tuesday morning, after a comparatively short illness. She leaves two sons, Alfred Adames and Frank Lyndon, who carry on the business of TUTTE & Sons, and five daughters (3 married) to mourn their loss. The late Mr. and Mrs. TUTTE came to Ryde from Bridgend, Glamorganshire in 1855, and took up the appointment of master and mistress of St. John's Oakfield School, which they held for ten years. Since 1866, they lived at Sussex House (P.O.), and her son Mr. Alfred A. TUTTE still carries on the duties of sub-postmaster, etc. Mrs. TUTTE was well-known and highly respected, and her readiness to assist in every deserving case in her power will cause her to be greatly missed. The funeral will probably take place on Friday

afternoon, at the Ryde Cemetery, a service first being held at St' John's Church, where for 45 years she was a regular worshipper.

ISLE OF WIGHT COUNTY PRESS Saturday 19th May 1900

DEATH AND FUNERAL OF MRS. TUTTE

We regret to record the death of Mrs. TUTTE, widow of the late Mr. Alfred TUTTE, who was for many years sub-postmaster at the Oakfield Post-office and registrar of marriages for the Ryde district. Mrs. TUTTE died at her residence, Sussex House (Oakfield Post-office) at an early hour on Tuesday morning of last week after a short illness. She leaves two sons, Alfred Adames and Frank Lyndon, and five daughters. The late Mr. and Mrs. TUTTE came to Ryde from Bridgend in Glamorganshire some 45 years ago, and held the appointment of master and mistress of St. John's Oakfield schools for 10 years. Since 1866 they lived at Sussex House, and their son, Mr. A. A. TUTTE, still carries on the duties of sub-postmaster. Mrs. TUTTE was well known and highly respected, and her readiness to assist in every deserving case in her power will cause her to be greatly missed.

The funeral took place on Friday last at the Cemetery. The wreaths and crosses numbered 25 and were from the following: Children, grandchildren, Rev. Miles ATKINSON and Mrs. and Miss ATKINSON, Mrs. DANIELL, Miss GODWIN, STANLEY'S sisters, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. WARD, Mrs. Carr TATE, Mrs. TUTTE, Mrs. STONE, W. GROUNDSELL and W. DALLIMORE, Miss HYDE, J.P., Miss ROSSITER, Mrs. NEWNHAM, Mr. and Mrs. JEFFERY and family, Mr. and Mrs. MELLISH, A. G. and D. G., Mr. W. SMITH and family, Mr. and Mrs. GRAVES, G. B. DOBSON, Mr. and Mrs. WAITE, and Miss CARTER and Miss PURCHASE. The cortege left the house for St. John's Church and was met by the curate, the Rev. Denton HART, and the late curate, the Rev. Miles ATKINSON, who came expressly from Newport to assist, in the absence of the Vicar, the Rev. Arthur KINGSTON. The mourners included the two sons, Alfred Adames and Frank Lyndon TUTTE and their wives, Mr. and Mrs. James NELSON, Mrs. C. HARDING, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. JOYNER, Misses Eve and Beatrice TUTTE, Mrs. E. SADLER (sister), Mr. George MORPHEW (brother-in-law), and Messrs. W. GROUNDSELL, W. DALLIMORE, and F. SHARP (employees of Messrs. TUTTE and Sons). At the church and Cemetery a goodly number of friends were gathered among whom were noticed the Rev. H. B. BREW, Mrs. and Miss STONE, Miss BRENT, Mrs. JEFFERY (Brading), Mrs. BRIDE, Mrs. SIVELL, Miss BAKER, Miss THOMAS, and Messrs. HILLIER, DAWSON, and TICEHURST (sub-postmasters of Elmfield, Seaview, and Strand), Dr. GREENING, Messrs, W. SMITH, T. HEWITT, H. JEFFERY, H. WAITE, T. PARKER (representing the Rev. H. E. EWBANK), A. H. COOMBES, MORFORD, F. BAILEY, and COLEMAN, Capt. ADAMS, and many others. At the church the Rev. Miles ATKINSON read the beautiful lesson appointed for the dead, and the two hymns "Thy way not mine, O Lord," and "On the resurrection morning," were sung, Mr. HAIR presiding at the organ. The coffin was of polished elm, with brass fittings, and bore the following inscription" "Emily TUTTE, aged 76 years, died May 8th, 1900." Mr. Thomas BRADING carried out the funeral arrangements. It is only about a fortnight since the Misses TUTTE (sisters) held a sale of work in aid of the St. John's Band of Hope at Sussex House, in which Mrs. TUTTE joined heartily and entertained the purchasers.

The family of the late Mrs. Alf. Tutte beg to thank their numerous friends for the many expressions of sympathy, as well as the lovely floral tributes which they have received from all parts during their late bereavement.

NB:A discrepancy has been noted between the death date on the inscription and that written in the newspaper.

Researched & typed by Ann Barrett Jenny Stay Jan Myers