MARRIAGE: 31st Aug 1880 at St. Mildred's Church, Whippingham, IW. Walter James COOMBES. Full/age. Bachelor. (father: John COOMBES) & Ellen WHEELER. Full/age. Spinster. (father: Henry WHEELER)

1891 CENSUS: RG12/891. folio 48. page 13.

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Ellen COOMBES. Wife. M. 32. Ryde, IW.

Mabel F. COOMBES. Dau. 9. Scholar. Ryde, IW.

Nellie M. COOMBES. Dau. 7. Scholar. Ryde, IW.

Daisy E. COOMBES. Dau. 6. Scholar. Ryde, IW.

Amy A. COOMBES. Dau. 2. Ryde, IW.

Percy COOMBES. Nephew. S. 20. Auctioneer's Clerk. Ryde, IW.

Beatrice CASS. Serv. S. 14. General Servant Domestic. Ryde, IW.

1901 CENSUS: RG13/1025. folio 21. page 34.

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Daisy E. COOMBES. Dau. S. 16. Teacher Board School. Ryde, IW.

Amy A. COOMBES. Dau. 12. School. Ryde, IW.

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In 1911, Ellen was still living at the same address with her husband and 4 daughters.

ISLE OF WIGHT TIMES Thursday 11th April 1918

FUNERAL OF MRS. W. J. COOMBES

The funeral of Mrs. **W. J. COOMBES** whose death was reported in our last week's issue took place on Thursday, the first portion of the service being at Trinity Church at 2 o'clock. The Rev. J. E. EDDIS, M.A., R.D., officiated.

The mourners were the Misses COOMBES (4) (daughters), Miss WHEELER (sister), Mr. J. WHEELER (brother), Mr. P. V. COOMBES and Mr. J. B. COOMBES (nephews), and Mrs. P. V. COOMBES and Mrs. J. B. COOMBES. During the service the hymns "On the Resurrection Morning" and "Abide with Me" were sung.

There were several beautiful floral tributes, a list of which is appended:- In loving memory of Our Darling Mother who entered into Life on Easter Eve, from her devoted daughters; In fond remembrance of my dear sister, from Mary; With deepest sympathy from her loving sister Maria and Family; In loving memory of our dear sister from George and Agnes; In ever affectionate remembrance from Bella and the Girls; In affectionate memory from John and Mabel; With loving sympathy from Mrs. URRY, Kitty and Molly; With deep regret and sincere sympathy from Mr. and Mrs. F. SHOTTER and Family; With deepest sympathy from Mr. and Mrs. G. WILLS; With deepest sympathy and remembrance from Mrs. WYLES and Norah; With deep sympathy from Mrs. T. HARVEY and Fred; With sincere sympathy from the staff of Bettesworth Road Mixed

School; With loving sympathy from Uncle and Aunt, Florence and Hilda (Oakdene); With loving sympathy from a few friends at Southsea; With deep sympathy from Mr. and Mrs. Percy YOUNG (Southsea).

Researched by Ann Barrett