MARRIAGE: Dec 19th 1863 at All Saints Church, Newchurch, IW. **Joseph Noad TARRANT**. f/age. Bachelor. (father: James Richard TARRANT) & Mary MINTER. Minor. Spinster. (father: Edward Kennett MINTER)

1871 CENSUS: RG10/1165. folio 94. pages 9/10.

Abode: 98 High-street, Ryde, IW.

Joseph TARRANT. Head. Mar. 32. Grocer. Swindon, Wilts.

Mary TARRANT. Wife. Mar. 25. Ryde, IW.

Harry TARRANT. Son. 6. Scholar. Ryde, IW.

Arthur TARRANT. Son. 5. Scholar. Ryde, IW.

Charles CULVER. Asst. Unm. 27. Grocer's Assistant. Folkestone, Kent.

Caroline RIGBY. Servant. 16. Servant. Ryde, IW.

1891 CENSUS: RG12/890. folio 58. page 26.

Abode: 35 Union-street, Ryde, IW.

Joseph N. TARRANT. Head. M. 51. Grocer & Wine Merchant. Swindon, Wilts.

Mary TARRANT. Wife. M. 45. Ryde, IW.

Harold E. TARRANT. Son. 12. Scholar. Ryde, IW.

Cora M. TARRANT. Dau. 10. Scholar. Ryde, IW.

Emily ALNER. Serv. S. 16. Domestic Servant. Newchurch, IW,

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TARRANT Joseph N., 1 Well-street, Ryde.

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DEATH OF OLD EX-COUNCILLOR

The death took place at his residence, Kennett House, George-street, on Saturday, of an old and respected inhabitant in the person of Mr. **Joseph Noad TARRANT**. Deceased who was 84, had been an invalid for four years. A native of Swindon, Mr. TARRANT came to Ryde 62 years ago, and for many years was in business as a grocer, from which he retired about 20 years ago. Some 40 years since deceased entered the Town Council as a representative of the East Ward, and was a member of that body about six years, at the same time as Ald. H. H. POLLARD, J.P., and Mr. S. FOWLER, J.P. It was during this period that the late Mr. TARRANT was associated with the formation of the old Liberal Club in High-street, but a few years later at the introduction

of the Home Rule Bill, he broke away from the Liberal party and became a Liberal Unionist, but from then onwards he took no active part in politics. During his membership of the Council he was associated with several agitations for public improvements. Latterly Mr. TARRANT had lived a quiet life, but was well known amongst the older residents. The funeral took place at the Cemetery on Wednesday, the service being conducted by the Rev. A. TRIGGS, The mourners were Messrs. H. M., A., and H. E. TARRANT (sons). Amongst others present were Messrs. C. MINTER, E. T. MINTER, J.P., Ald. G. A. BLACKALL, J.P., and A. LOWE. Deceased leaves a widow, formerly Miss MINTER, and a grown-up family.

Researched by Ann and Les Barrett