

MARRIAGE: March ¼ 1876 (General Registrars ref: Guildford Reg Dist. Vol 2A. Page 107)

John COTTON & Mary Henrietta BROPHY

They had one child, Maud Kate Maria, born in 1877.

Mary Henrietta Cotton died in 1879 aged 28.

1881 CENSUS: RG11/1179. folio 98. page 4.

Address: 3 Green-street, Ryde, IW.

John COTTON. Head. Mar. 67. Gardener (D). Ryde, IW.

Jane COTTON. Wife. Mar. 65. Laundress. Ryde, IW.

Harriet COTTON. Dau. Unm. 36. Laundress. St. Helens, IW.

John COTTON. Son. Widr. 32. Painter. St. Helens, IW.

Frances COTTON. Dau. Unm. 28. Assistant (Shop Genl). St. Helens, IW.

Maud COTTON. Gr/dau. 3. Scholar. Ryde, IW.

MARRIAGE: 1882 at the Independent Chapel, George-street, Ryde, IW.

John COTTON & Edith WADDON

1891 CENSUS: RG12/892. folio 14. page 21.

Address: Madeira Villa, Pellhurst-road, Ryde, IW.

John COTTON. Head. M. 40. Coach Painter. St. Helens, IW.

Edith COTTON. Wife. M. 29. Binstead, IW.

Maud COTTON. Dau. 13. Scholar. Ryde, IW.

William COTTON. Son. 7. Scholar. Ryde, IW.

Frances COTTON. Sister. S. 34. Dyer's Assistant. St. Helens, IW.

1901 CENSUS: RG13/1024. folio 106. page 31.

Address: 20 Pellhurst-road, Ryde, IW.

John COTTON. Head. M. 51. Coach Painter. St. Helens, IW.

Edith COTTON. Wife. M. 38. Binstead, IW.

Edward W. COTTON. Son. S. 17. SC & T Post Office. Ryde, IW.

Frances COTTON. Sister. S. 49. Dyer's Assistant. St. Helens, IW.

ISLE OF WIGHT OBSERVER Saturday 5th June 1920

**DEATH OF A WELL KNOWN
RESIDENT**

We regret to record the death of Mr. **J. COTTON**, of "Madeira," Pellhurst-Road, who passed away at his residence on Sunday, May 30th. The deceased had been ill for several months past and was practically an invalid for two years, eventually contracting dropsy and several tumours. He was in the employ of the late Mr. MARTIN, coach builders, of Nelson-Street for 30 years, and afterwards with Messrs. T. PALMER and Mr. T. SIVELL, of High-Street, for 18 years, where they carried on business as carriage and coach repairers.

The funeral took place on Wednesday afternoon, the first part of the service being held at the house and the second at the graveside, which was conducted by Rev. G. PALMER LEWIS, of the Congregational Church, where deceased and family attended. He was respected by all who knew him and had many friends. The coffin bore the following inscription: "John COTTON, passed away May 20th, 1920."

Beautiful floral tributes were sent by the following:- "With love to my Darling Husband from his sorrowing wife," "To dear Dad with love and deepest sympathy from Willie, Maud, Daisy and Beta," "With loving sympathy from his wife's brothers and sisters, Ted, Bill, George, Annie, Mary, Lily and Maria," "With fondest memory from his nephews and nieces, Will, Fred, Violet, Phyllis, Daisy and D. WADDON," "Sent in loving sympathy from George's children," "To dear Uncle John with deep sympathy from Nellie," "With deepest sympathy from Jessie and Will," "With deepest sympathy from Mrs. DEWEY," "With deepest sympathy from an old friend, Miss COOMBES," "A token of sincere regard from Miss READ," "With deepest sympathy from all at "Odessa," "With much sympathy from Mr. and Miss PIGOU," "With kind sympathy from Mrs. A. MILLER," "With deep sympathy from Mr. and Mrs. SMITH," "With deepest sympathy from Mr. and Mrs. G. BENNETT," "With deepest sympathy from Mrs. FINLAY," "In loving remembrance of dear Uncle John from little Daisy," "In remembrance of our dear cousin John COTTON, from W.L.F. GRIFFIN and Edward STREET," "With deep sympathy in memory of many years friendship, E. PALMER, T. SIVELL, W. RHODES and W. MARTIN," and one wreath without name.

The deceased leaves a widow and two grown up children, a son and daughter, the son who is married, being at the Post Office at Andover and is a Postmaster there.

Researched & typed by
Ann Barrett
Marilyn Newsham