MARRIAGE: 1894 at The Register Office, Newport, IW. **George Henry GRIFFIN** & Elizabeth May RIGBY/BISHOP

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## George H. GRIFFIN. Head. M. 29. Postman. Swanmore, IW.

Elizabeth M. GRIFFIN. Wife. M. 26. Swanmore, IW.

Edith E. M. GRIFFIN. Dau. 6. Ryde, IW.

George H. GRIFFIN. Son. 4, Ryde, IW.

Elsie. F. GRIFFIN. Dau. 1. Ryde, IW.

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In 1911 **George** was living at 94 Arthur-street, with his wife, 2 daughters Edith & Cissy, 3 sons George, Harry & Frank, also a visitor William PRITCHARD (RN).

William PRITCHARD married the eldest daughter Edith Elizabeth May GRIFFIN in 1919.

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**Death of Former Postman**.---The death took place at the County Hospital on Saturday, after a short illness, of Mr. George Henry GRIFFIN, of 94 Arthur-Street, at the age of 65. Deceased was very greatly respected, had served as a postman for 40 years until his retirement in 1931. His wife predeceased him 25 years ago, after which his eldest daughter (Mrs. PRITCHARD) assisted her father in bringing up a family of six children.

The funeral was on Wednesday, the first part of the service at the Parish Church being conducted by the Rev. E.J. FORSE. The mourners were Messrs. H. and F. GRIFFIN (sons), Mrs. W.E. PRITCHARD, Mrs. E. PEARSON, and Mrs. WHEELER (daughters), and Messrs. W.E. PRITCHARD, PEARSON and WHEELER (sons-in-law). The Post Office was represented by Capt. A. GRIST (postmaster), Messrs. W.F. GAWN (assistant superintendent), A.E. WEEKS, J.P., (overseer), F.C. KEMP (inspector), W.R. GOUGH, H.J. BOUND (Union of Postal Workers), A.J. POWELL and F, TEWKSBURY (uniform staff), and old colleagues on pension, Messrs. C.A. KING, A,E, JOLLIFFE, E. JENVEY, A.W. GALE, F. NEWNHAM, G. HARRIS, J. KINGMAN, W.H. MICHIE, and H. LANGDON. Among the choice flowers was a tribute from the postmaster and staff of the Ryde office.

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