MARRIAGE: 1880 at the Register Office, Newport **Henry Charles JAMES** & Elizabeth Jane SOUTHWELL

1891 CENSUS: RG12/891. folio 18. page 29.

Address: 26. Alfred-street, Ryde

Charles JAMES. Head. M. 29. Coachman Groom. Ryde, IW.

Elizabeth JAMES. Wife. M. 29. Ryde, IW.

Rose JAMES. Dau. 9. Scholar. Ryde, IW.

Margaret JAMES. Dau. 7. Scholar. Ryde, IW.

Florence JAMES. Dau. 6. Scholar. Ryde, IW.

Charles JAMES. Son. 4. Scholar. Ryde, IW.

George JAMES. Son. 3. Ryde, IW.

Ellen JAMES. Dau. 1. Ryde, IW.

Maria GREY. Grandmother. Widow. 76. St. Austell, Cornwall.

Alfred JAMES. Brother. S. 27. Ryde, IW.

1901 CENSUS: RG13/1023. folio 45. page 2.

Address: Ashey-road, Ryde, IW.

Henry JAMES. Head. M. 40. Coachman (Domestic). Ryde, IW.

Elizabeth JAMES. Wife. M. 40. Newport, IW.

Charles JAMES. Son. S. 14. Shop Boy (Errand Port). Ryde, IW.

George JAMES. Son. 13. Errand Boy. Ryde, IW.

Nellie JAMES. Dau. 11. Ryde, IW.

Ethel JAMES. Dau. 7. Ryde, IW.

Rhoda JAMES. Dau. 1. Ryde, IW.

In 1911 **Henry** was living at 1 St. Michael's Cottages, Ashey-road, with his wife Elizabeth, his son Charles and daughter Rhoda. His occupation was listed as General Servant Domestic.

1933 REGISTER OF ELECTORS - 1 St. Michaels Cotts, Ashey-road, Ryde **JAMES Henry Charles**

JAMES Rhoda

ISLE OF WIGHT TIMES Thurs 30th April 1936

MR. H. C. JAMES

On Friday morning, 24th April, at his residence in Ashey-road the death was announced of Henry Charles JAMES, aged 74. "Harry" as he was known to everyone interested in Ryde Sport, was employed until 2 years ago as groundsman and trainer at Partland's ground. For over 50 years his sole interest was the progress of the football and cricket teams and upkeep of the ground.

Although unable, owing to his rheumatism, to attend matches recently he always wished to hear an account of the match. So keen was he, that just before his death he enquired who had won the Ryde football team's mid-week match.

He also had many photos of various successful Ryde teams he had trained before the war.

He is mourned by one son and six daughters, his wife having predeceased him.

The funeral took place on Monday afternoon the first part of the service being held at the Parish Church, conducted by the Rev. A. C. DURHAM (Vicar of St. Michael's). The chief mourners were Mr. G. W. JAMES (son), Mrs. GUY, Mrs. RAYNER, Mrs. THORNTON (daughters), Mrs. PALMER (sister), Messrs. R. GUY, F. RAYNER, G. and D. JAMES (grandsons), Mr. D. PALMER (brother-in-law), Mr. Jack JAMES (half brother), Mrs. FRAMPTON (niece). The Misses Florence and Rhoda JAMES (daughters) were unable to attend.

Among those present at the church were Mr. R. THEARLE, Mrs. A. JAMES, and the Misses JAMES, Messrs. H. G. JOLLIFFE (vice-president), W. S. RUSSELL, T.C. (chairman), L. J. WAIT and D. WHEELER (representing the Ryde Sports Club), H. P. CHIVERTON, F. BRADING and W. C. RUSSELL. The floral tributes included one from the Ryde Sports Club.

Researched by Ann Barrett