MARRIAGE: 4th 1/4 1897 (General Registrars ref: Farnham Reg Dist. Vol 2A. Page 243) Benjamin James JOLLIFFE & Ellen Jane PLANCE

1901 CENSUS: RG13/1025. Folio 26. Page 44. Address: 1 Victoria Villas, Simeon-street, Ryde, IW.

Benjamin J. JOLLIFFE. Head. M. 30. Ironmonger's Clerk. Ryde, IW.

Ellen J JOLLIFFE. Wife. M. 28. Arbourfield, Berks.

Stuart A. JOLLIFFE. Son. 4mths. Ryde, IW.

1920 KELLY's DIRECTORY of Hampshire & Isle of Wight – page 715 **JOLLIFFE Benjamin James**, Cortworth, Ratcliffe-avenue, Ryde, IW.

1927 KELLY's DIRECTORY of Hampshire & Isle of Wight – page 730 **JOLLIFFE Benjamin Jas.** 2 Pellhurst-road, Ryde, IW.

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1947 REGISTER OF ELECTORS – 88 Pellhurst-road, Ryde JOLLIFFE Benjamin J.

JOLLIFFE Ellen J.

ISLE OF WIGHT COUNTY PRESS Saturday 22nd November 1952

The Late Mr. B. J. JOLLIFFE.- The death occurred at Woolley Manor, Derby, the home of his only son, Commander S. JOLLIFFE, O.B.E., R.N. (ret.), on Monday, of Mr. Benjamin James JOLLIFFE, of Yairland, Pellhurst Road. He was born in 1870 at 130 High Street, where Messrs. WOOLWORTH's premises now stand, and was the elder son of the late Mr. Charles JOLLIFFE, a master builder of the town. He was the first pupil to be entered on the register at the old Upper Grade School. In 1920 he was elected a councillor, and represented the West ward for three years, and was later secretary of the Ratepayers' Association. A member of the East Medina Lodge of Oddfellows, he was secretary for 50 years. He served with the I.W. Rifles, and was company sergeant at the time of Queen Victoria's funeral in 1901, when the battalion lined the streets of Cowes. For many years he was chief accountant to Messrs. W. J. WOODS, of Cross Street, and subsequently to Messrs. WALLIS, RIDDETT and Co., of the Town Hall Chambers. Mr. JOLLIFFE came of an old Island yeoman family, whose lineage has been traced back to the time of the Armada, when his ancestor, Thomas JOLLIFFE was an officer of the trained band of Chale. Later the family resided at Yaverland Manor for more than a century. Since the death of his wife in September, he had lived with his son.

The coffin rested at Brackenfield Parish Church, Derbyshire, before being brought to the Island on Wednesday. The Rev. E. E. M. GREEN (incumbent of St. James's) officiated at the funeral at Ryde Cemetery on Thursday.

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