

1851 CENSUS: HO107/1657. Folio 483. page 2.  
Address: Manor Place, Portsea, Hants.

Jeremiah NEWNHAM. Head. Mar. 48. Carpenter. Whitwell, Hants.

**Jane NEWNHAM. Wife. Mar. 46. Ryde, Hants.**

Jane NEWNHAM. Dau. U. 25. Ryde, Hants.

Henry NEWNHAM. Son. U. 19. Portsea, Hants.

William NEWNHAM. Son. U. 12. Portsea, Hants.

Charles NEWNHAM. Grandson. 7. Orphan. Portsea, Hants.

Jane NEWNHAM. Grand/dau. 3. Orphan. Portsea, Hants

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1861 CENSUS: RG9/658. Folio 7. page 9.

Address: 1 behind Wesleyan Chapel, Nelson-street, Ryde, Newchurch, IW.

**Jane NEWNHAM. Head. Mar. 56. Gunner's Wife (Marine Artillery). Ryde, Nch, IW.**

Fanny DRAYTON. Niece. Un. 26. Ryde, Nch, IW.

Elizabeth NEWNHAM. Grand/dau. Un. 14. Portsea, Hants.

Jane NEWNHAM, Grand/dau. 12. Portsea, Hants.

Jane BALE. Dau. Mar. 34. Mariner's Wife. Ryde, Nch, IW.

Amelia MINER. Visitor. Un. 19. Dressmaker. Portsea, Hants

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1871 CENSUS: RG10/1167. folio 67. page 19.

Address: Melmoth Lodge, St. Helens, IW.

**Jane NEWNHAM. Head. Mar. 68. Lodging House Keeper. Ryde, IW.**

Henry ADERLEY. Visitor. Mar. 28. West Indies (British Subject).

Adela ADERLEY. Visitor. Mar. 25. England.

Louisa PURNELL. Serv. Unm. 17. Dom Serv. N.K.

John H. BALE. Visitor. Mar. 48. Greenwich Pensioner RA. Surrey, London.

Jane E, BALE. Visitor. Mar. 46. Ryde, IW

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1891 CENSUS: RG12/891. folio 29. page 7.

Address: 14 Nelson-street, Ryde, IW.

Jane BALE. Head. Widow. 53. Lodging House Keeper. Ryde, IW.

**Jane NEWNHAM. Mother. Widow. 90. Ryde, IW.**

Mary Ann NEWNHAM. Niece. 14. Scholar. St. Lukes, London.

Margaret HOWE. Widow. 33. Cook Domestic Serv. Hasting, Sussex.

Ernest LAVERS. Single. 25. Wheel Bath Chair Proprietor. Ryde, IW

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Death notice:-

**NEWNHAM.**- On March 21st, at 13, Nelson street, Ryde, **JANE**, relict of the late **JEREMIAH NEWNHAM**, aged 91.

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**DEATH OF AN OLD INHABITANT.**---We regret to record the death of one who was, without doubt, the oldest native of the town - Mrs NEWNHAM, the eldest daughter of the late Thomas and Ann DRAYTON. Mrs NEWNHAM's father (who claimed to be descended from Michael DRAYTON, the poet), built the first house in Union Street, and there the subject of our

notice was born on the 24th October 1800. Having commenced her career with the century, Mrs NEWNHAM could give a vivid account of the rise of our town, and of the old inhabitants, and to the last her memory was remarkably good. She was a good specimen of the hearty old-fashioned type of Ryders- hospitable, kindly and guileless. It is a remarkable fact that nearly all the old people who had property here lost it. After living for generations in the seclusion of an Island they lost the combative instincts, and this, doubtless, is the reason why so few of the old Ryders occupy the property of their fathers. Mrs NEWNHAM had long lived retired by affliction and old age, but many of those who remember the older generation of Ryders, will hear of her death with interest at the patriarchal age of 92.

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