
1878 WHITE's DIRECTORY of Hampshire & Isle of Wight – page 483

TURNER George James, painter, plumber, glazier & mineral oil dealer, 43 Warwick-street, Ryde

1881 CENSUS: RG11/1178. Folio 92. Page 12.

Address: 54 High-street, Ryde, IW.

George James TURNER. Head. Mar. 36. Painter empl 3 Men. Ryde, IW.

Janet TURNER. Wife. Mar. 36. Ryde, IW.

Charles George TURNER. Son. 13. Shop Assistant (Errand Boy). London.

Janet Elizabeth TURNER. Dau. 11. Scholar. Ryde, IW.

Alfred George TURNER. Son. 5. Scholar. Ryde, IW.

Harold William TURNER. Son. 1. Ryde, IW.

MARRIAGE: 24th April 1897 at Holy Trinity Church, Ryde

George James TURNER. Widower. 52. (father: George TURNER)

& Matilda PRESTON. 30. Spinster. (father: Charles PRESTON)

1898 KELLY's DIRECTORY of Hampshire & Isle of Wight – page 499

TURNER George, 132, 133 & 134 High-street, Ryde, IW.

TURNER George, Nelson House, Nelson-street, Rvde, IW.

1901 CENSUS: RG13/1025. Folio 11. Page 14.

Address: 27 Nelson-street, Ryde, IW.

George J. TURNER. Head. M. 55. House Decorator. Ryde, IW.

Fanny E. TURNER. Dau. S. 31. Ryde, IW.

Harry TURNER. Son. S. 21. Plumber & Decorator. Ryde, IW.

Florence TURNER. Dau. S. 19. Book Keeper (Fishmonger's Shop). Ryde, IW.

Frederick TURNER. Son. S. 17. Ryde, IW.

In 1911 **George** (66) was living at Ingledene, Bellevue-road, Ryde, with his wife Matilda (44), 3 sons, Harry W. (31), Frederick (27), Gerald Preston (7), and daughter Florence (29). **George** was listed as Painter House & Oilman (employer).

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Death notice:-

TURNER.- Oct. 13, at Ingledene. Bellevue-road, Ryde, George James TURNER, aged 73.

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DEATH OF MR. G. J. TURNER.- With much regret we have to chronicle the death of Mr. George James TURNER at his residence, Ingledene, Bellevue-road, on Saturday night. He was one of the oldest tradesman in the town, having carried on the business of an oil and colour dealer in the Highstreet, which he established some fifty years ago. Although 73 years of age, he was able until quite

recently to give that personal attention to his business which had secured for him the confidence and respect of those he served. In his younger days the deceased was a noted athlete and was well known as one of the fastest sprinters in the South of England. He assisted in the provision of fireworks at local regattas.

The funeral took place on Thursday, the first part of the service being held at Holy Trinity Church, the Vicar (the Rev. J. E. EDDIS, M.A., R.D.) officiating. The mourners included the widow, Mr. C. TURNER (son), the two daughters, Mrs. C. TURNER and Mrs. E. TURNER (daughters-in-law), Miss BEVIS, Miss STEWARD, Messrs. E. A. KING, H. G. JOLLIFFE, F. C. CHEESEWRIGHT, and S. H. V. BONNER, &c. Among those at the church were Ald. H. SWEETMAN, J.P., Capt. and Mrs. STANNEY, Messrs. J. JOHNCOX, W. H. LONG, C. W. JACKMAN, A. J. T. BLACKMORE, E. J. WHEELER and Joyce, Mr. and Mrs. FRIESTLY, and others. There were many floral tributes. The funeral arrangements were entrusted to Mr. E. CHANDLER.

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