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DEATH OF MR. RICHARD JAMES

We regret to record the death of Mr. Richard JAMES, jun., who passed away on the 27th February, after a lingering illness of three years. Mr. JAMES was publisher of the "Ryde Fashionable Arrival List, Intelligencer and General Advertiser" about the year 1855, and was for many years with Messrs. E. and J. WALLIS of 22 Union-street. For about 20 years he was in business at 18 Union-street, as a photographer. He sold his business, we believe, to Mr. DEBENHAM, who still carries it on. Mr. JAMES was the means of getting a subscription from the Empress of the French and the Queen for a poor man who had his arm blown off while saluting the Emperor at the Club House, and with the help of others, built two cottages for him in Ryde.

Mr. Richard JAMES died at Portsea.

For more detailed information about Richard James, see Gordon Childs' website of Isle of Wight Photographers

<http://www.childsweb.net/>

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