

BIRTH: 3rd January 1874 Ryde

William George BARRETT

Son of William George & Agnes Amelia BARRETT (mother's maiden name HOLBROOK)

1881 CENSUS: RG11/1183. Folio 89. Page 18.

Address: 1 Oberon Cottages, Green Ground, Shanklin, IW.

Frank JAMES. Head. Mar. 21. Carman. Shorwell, IW.

Agnes JAMES. Wife. Mar. 24. Newport, IW.

William G. BARRETT. Son-in-law. 6. Scholar. Ryde, IW.

SIBLINGS:

1875 Lily Amelia BARRETT – died 1876

1882 Charles Frank JAMES (half brother)

1884 Arthur Harry JAMES (half brother)

MARRIAGE: 1901 Register Office, Nonconformist or RC Church, (IW Registrars ref: RO47/94) **William George BARRETT & Bessie Kate JACKMAN**

CHILDREN:

1902 BARRETT Francis William Charles – marr Evelyn May COOPER 1924 All Saints Ch Ryde

1903 BARRETT Hilda Amelia

1904 BARRETT Leonard George (died 1982) – marr Jessie Ellen LONG 1937 All Saints Ch Ryde

1907 BARRETT William Harold

1909 BARRETT Beryl Kathleen (died 1911)

1910 KELLY'S DIRECTORY of the Isle of Wight - pages 250 & 295

BARRETT William George, 34 Castle-street (south side), Ryde, IW.

Bessie Kate BARRETT died 1924 aged 47

MARRIAGE: 1925 at The Register Office, Newport (IW Registrars ref: RO75/147)

William George BARRETT & Mildred Jane GALLOP

ISLE OF WIGHT TIMES Thursday 12th December 1948

OBITUARY - MR. W. G. BARRETT

The death occurred rather suddenly at his home, 42 Weeks-Road, Ryde, on Saturday morning, at the age of 73, of Mr. **William George BARRETT**, an old and respected resident. Mr. BARRETT joined the Royal Navy in 1889, seeing his first service afloat in sail. Among more than twenty ships in which he served were H.M. Ships Garnet, Hood, Good Hope, Duke of Wellington, and before retiring in 1912, H.M.S. Espigle, in the Persian Gulf. He was awarded the Persian Gulf Clasp, 1909-14. Rejoining the Navy in 1914, Mr. BARRETT served in H.M. Ships Excellent, Ganges and Victory. After the war, as a volunteer, he was caretaker of a German floating dock at Harwich until 1920, when he returned to civilian life and his pre-war work on Messrs. CHAPLIN'S cargo boats. Subsequently he served in private yachts, and was later employed at the Royal Victoria Yacht Club.

Mr. BARRETT leaves a widow, three sons, who have all served in the Royal Navy, and a daughter,

with whom much sympathy is felt.

The Rev, H. BRAMWELL HOWARD officiated at the funeral at the Ryde Cemetery on Tuesday .

The mourners were Messrs. F.W.C., L.G., and W.H. BARRETT (sons), Mr. H.R. JAMES (half brother), Mr. R.J. ROBERTS (son-in-law), and Mr. R. GALLOP (brother-in-law). There was a number of beautiful floral tributes.

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