1891 CENSUS: RG12/891. Folio 90. Page 20. Address: 26 John-street, Ryde, IW.

Susanna COLENUTT. Head. Widow. 65. Living on her own means. Arreton, IW. Laura D. WRIGHT. Visitor Widow. 59. Living on her own means. Carleton, Cumberland. Alice D. WRIGHT. Visitor. S. 23. Living on her own means. London. Sarah COOKE. Serv. S. 19. General Domestic Servant. Brooke, IW.

MARRIAGE: 30th April 1898 at St. Mary's Church, Brooke, IW. George DRAYTON. 34. Bachelor. (father: Edward DRAYTON) & **Sarah COOKE.** 26. Spinster. Spinster. (father: Frank COOKE)

1901 CENSUS: RG13/1024. Folio 119. Page 12. Address: Wray-street, Ryde, IW.

George DRAYTON. Head. M. 37. House Painter. Ryde, IW. Sarah DRAYTON. Wife. M. 29. Brooke, IW. Percy DRAYTON. Son. 1. Ryde, IW. Rose E. DRAYTON. Dau. 2 months. Ryde, IW.

In 1911 Sarah DRAYTON (39) was living at 40 Swanmore Road, Ryde, with her husband George (47), her two sons, Percy (12), Frank (4) and her daughter Rose (10).

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MRS. S. E. DRAYTON

Nonagenarian's Death. – The parish lost one of its oldest residents by the death on Monday of Mrs. Sarah Ellen DRAYTON, aged 94, of 4 Willow Cottages, Queens Road, where she had lived alone since the death of her husband 34 years ago. Mrs. DRAYTON was a remarkably active women who did all her own housework, including the shopping.

On Monday, after hanging her washing out to dry she told a visiting relative that she was about to go for a walk and suddenly collapsed and died. She was an enthusiastic member of the Darby and Joan and the Over 60's clubs and of the Goodwill Association, and walked regularly to attend services in the Parish Church. Mrs. DRAYTON is survived by two sons and a daughter, and there are 12 grandchildren and 15 great grandchildren.

The funeral service took place in the chapel of Ryde cemetery yesterday.