MARRIAGE: 13th November 1883 at All Saints' Church, Ryde, IW. **George Edward LONGMAN.** F/age. Bachelor. (father: George Henry LONGMAN) & Libby Mary Maria PRIMMER. F/age. Spinster. (father: Edward PRIMMER)

ISLE OF WIGHT OBSERVER Saturday 5th July 1884

A PROLONGED FIT.---On Wednesday evening a young man named LONGMAN, groom to Dr. DAVEY, was found lying in the stables in an insensible condition. It was at first supposed that he had fallen from the loft and stunned himself, but, on conveying him to the Infirmary, no symptoms confirming that impression were found, the poor man was simply in a fit, to which, it appears, he is subject. On enquiring at the Infirmary on Thursday evening we learned he was still in a semi-conscious state, and his condition was thought to be very serious.

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ISLE OF WIGHT OBSERVER Saturday 12th July 1884

Death Notice:

On the 7th inst., at the Infirmary, Mr. G. E. LONGMAN, aged 24 years.

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FATAL TERMINATION TO A FIT.—The young man, LONGMAN, in the employ of Dr. DAVEY, never recovered from the fit in which he was discovered (as stated last week) in the stable, but died on Monday. He never even rallied, and a *post mortem* examination revealed extensive and long-standing disease of the brain, of which the fit was only a symptom. The deceased was quite a young man and had only been married about eight months.

Researched by Ann Barrett