

James Jolliffe

1891 Census, Limerstone, Brixton

<i>James Jolliffe</i>	<i>Head</i>	<i>69</i>	<i>Retired Farmer</i>	<i>Carisbrooke, Isle of Wight</i>
			<i>Lost a leg</i>	
Edith E Jolliffe	Sister	65		Carisbrooke, Isle of Wight

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MR. JAMES JOLLIFFE, LATE OF PARK PLACE, CARISBROOKE.

The last male representative of his generation of the elder branch of an old Isle of Wight family has passed away in his 80th year in the person of Mr. James Jolliffe, formerly of Park Place, Carisbrooke. The funeral took place on Tuesday at Carisbrooke Cemetery, the officiating clergyman being the Rev. A. H. C. Edlin, M.A. The first part of the service was conducted in the ancient Parish-church, where the family of the deceased worshipped for several generations. The mourners were Miss Emily and Miss Ellen Jolliffe (sisters), Mr. John Spickernell (cousin), Dr. Walter Jolliffe and Messrs Frank Way and Harry Jolliffe (second cousins), Mr. T. Carver, of Wolverton, Mr. Robert Way, of Westcourt, and Dr. Groves, J.P. In the church were also Mr. James Spickernell (cousin), Miss Cole, Mrs. John Spickernell and others. The arrangements were under the direction of Messrs. Webb and Quinton.

The Jolliffes came out of Surrey and were settled at Wootton Farm at the beginning of the last century, from whence they went to Park Place. An uncle of the deceased took Watchingwell and subsequently removed to Bowcombe Farm, and his son went thence to Yafford. Mr. Jolliffe's great-grandmother was a Miss How, of Brook, and by this marriage the family became connected with the Bowermans and other ancient Island families. This lady bought a "faculty" pew in Carisbrooke Church. These "faculty" pews had a lock and key and were kept locked by the owner, and on the re-seating of the church some years ago this pew could not be touched until the consent of the family had been given. Deceased's grandmother was a Rawkins, and the family became connected by the marriage with many of the older families of the Island.

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