

James Pinhorn

1871 Census, Union Street, Carisbrooke, Isle of Wight, Hampshire

Name	Relationship	Sex	Age	Occupation	Birthplace
James Pinhorn	Head	Male	75	Carpenter	Portsmouth, Hampshire
Julia Pinhorn	Daughter	Female	37	Formerly dressmaker	Newport, Isle of Wight

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Sudden Death. – On Wednesday morning Mr. James Pinhorn, aged 71, the carpenter at the brewery of Messrs. W. B. Mew and Co., was found dead in the porter store in Sea-street. On the afternoon of the same day Mr. F. Blake, coroner, held an inquest on the body at the Townhall. The first witness examined was Julia Pinhorn, daughter of deceased, who deposed that she kept house for him, and last saw him alive when, after breakfast he left for work, on Tuesday morning. He then said a pain in his left side he had complained of was better. Finding he did not come to his dinner and tea, she thought he had been called away to some extraordinary job, and would return home late. She sat up all night, and in the morning enquired in vain at the brewery. He often complained of a pain in the left side when walking fast. Charles Osborne, whitesmith, said deceased come to his shop in Crocker-street about 9:30 on Tuesday morning, and borrowed a tool, and appeared cheerful and well as usual, and he did not return the tool according to promise. – Emma Smith, of Sea-street, said deceased was working at her house on Tuesday morning, and she missed him about 11 o'clock, and saw no more of him. – George Denyer, keeper of the porter store of the firm, in Sea-street, said he went to a room, aloft in the store, that morning and found deceased dead and cold, sitting on a form and leaning back against a pile of forms. The room contained some materials which deceased at times required in his work. Did not see deceased there on Tuesday.— Dr. E. Waterworth was called to examine the body that day about 10 o'clock. There were no marks of violence. The features were placid and rather pallid. Probably disease of the heart was the cause of death and there was no reason to believe that he died from other than natural causes. –Verdict, “Died by the visitation of God.”

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