## **Walter Scott**

1901 Census, New Street, Newport

Walter ScottHead64Market Tolls CollectorNewport, Isle of WightMary A ScottWife69Poole, Dorset

## Isle of Wight County Press – 30 December 1905

## **NEWPORT.**

**DEATH OF MR. WALTER SCOTT.** – A well-know and much respected townsman passed peacefully away on Thursday in the person of Mr. Walter Scott, of New-street, at the age of 69. A native of Newport, the late Mr. Scott spent nearly 30 years on the mainland in the Hants Constabulary, in which he was a thoroughly trustworthy and capable officer, retiring as sergeant on a pension over 20 years ago. He then returned to Newport and for some years was the exemplary attendance officer under the old Carisbrooke School Board. He afterwards became Market toll-collector of the borough and attendant at the Corn Exchange, in which capacities he won the warm regard and appreciation of the Corporation under whom he served so faithfully and well, and of the traders and the many others with whom he was brought into contact. Owing to increasing infirmity the deceased relinquished the office of Market toll-collector more than a year ago, but he retained his position at the Corn Exchange till the last. The deceased was one of the first members of the P.S.A. Society, by which brotherhood he was held in high esteem. Much sympathy is felt for the widow in her sorrow.

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