## **Frederick Stainer**

## 1911 census – 2 Pear Tree Court, South Street, Newport

Frederick Stainer	Head	58	Labourer (General)	Cowes, Isle of Wight,
Eliza Stainer	Wife	70		Newport, Isle of Wight
Charles Edward Burden	Adopted Son	15	None	Newport, Isle of Wight,

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## **NEWPORT.**

FATAL SEQUEL TO SCALDING ACCIDENT. – On Saturday the Deputy Coroner (F. A. Joyce, Esq.) held an inquest on the body of Frederick Stainer, 66, of 1 Well's-court, South-street, a well-known local character, who died at the Union Infirmary on the previous day from the effects of scalding. Lottie Clara Elizabeth Peddar, his step-daughter, living at 2 Oystershell-cottages, Medina-avenue, said deceased lived alone at Well's-court. On August 12<sup>th</sup> she went to see him as usual, and he said, "I have done something this time. I have scalded my left arm and leg." He said he was putting some hot water into the teapot when he came over giddy and fell backwards, upsetting the hot water over his arm and leg. She cleansed the sores and put on olive oil and sent for Dr. Foster, who ordered him to the Union Infirmary. Nurse Ethel Cooper and she attended deceased after the accident and gave him treatment before his removal. Dr. Underhill, medical officer at the Union, said that when he saw deceased at the Infirmary on the 14<sup>th</sup> ult. he was very feeble, and he was suffering from superficial burns. He ascribed death to septic poisoning following the scalding, and the Coroner returned a verdict that death was due to septic poisoning brought about by accidental scalding.

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