

Thomas Parker Mew

1851 census, Quay Street, Lymington

<i>Thomas P Mew</i>	<i>Head</i>	<i>31</i>	<i>Brewer & Spirit Merchant</i>	<i>Newport, Isle of Wight</i>
Mary J Mew	Wife	28		Portsmouth, Hampshire
Julia Mew	Daughter	10	Scholar	Portsmouth, Hampshire
Mary A E Mew	Daughter	9	Scholar	Newport, Isle of Wight
Frances N Mew	Daughter	8	Scholar	Newport, Isle of Wight
Benjamin T N Mew	Son	6	Scholar	Lymington, Hampshire
Ellen Mew	Daughter	6 mths		Lymington, Hampshire
Maria Hooper	Visitor	20		Downton, Wiltshire
Fanny Hayter	Servant	30	House Servant	Lymington, Hampshire
Mary Hine	Servant	30	House Servant	Lymington, Hampshire
Christina S Guppy	Servant	22	House Servant	Guernsey

1881 census, Walhampton Cottage, Boldre, Hampshire

<i>Thomas Parker Mew</i>	<i>Head</i>	<i>61</i>	<i>Brewer Retired</i>	<i>Newport, Isle of Wight, Hampshire</i>
Mary Julia Mew	Wife	58		Portsmouth, Hampshire
Ellen Mew	Daughter (Widow)	30		Lymington, Hampshire
Rose Maria Harker	Grandchild	10		Esher, Surrey
Matilda Ford	Servant (Widow)	63	Cook Domestic	Cranborne, Dorset
Edith Grace Tubbs	Servant	21	Dom Serv	St Helens, Isle of Wight, Hampshire

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DEATH OF MR. THOMAS PARKER MEW.

With great regret we have to record the death of Mr. Thomas Parker Mew, which took place at Lymington on Thursday night, his years exceeding, we believe, three score and ten. The eminent service which, years ago, Mr. T. P. Mew rendered to the borough of Newport as a member of the Corporation will be fresh in the recollection of our readers. Those services extended over a long period, during which he held on several occasions the office of Mayor, performing the duties of the position in the manner which reflected honour on the borough. In the course of Mr. Mew's municipal career important questions affecting the rights and privileges of the Corporation of Newport were frequently to the front, and those rights and privileges had no more champion than he. Unfailing urbanity and courtesy distinguished him in public life, while in private life there was about him a charm of geniality and kindness which won for him friends everywhere. Though he had lived out of the Island in late years, his old friends here never forgot the pleasant asseverations of "Auld lang syne," and these same old friends, hearing now of the death of Thomas Parker Mew, will not fail to experience a pang of regret as they think of the "vanished hand" and the "voice that is still."

National Probate Calendar

MEW Thomas Parker – Personal Estate £291 0s. 7d. (approx. £36,000 – 2018)

22 March 1889. Administration (with the Will) of the Personal Estate of Thomas Parker Mew formerly of West Cowes in the Isle of Wight but late of St. Mary's Cottage Broughton Stockbridge both in the County of Southampton Gentleman a Widower who died 18 October 1888 at St. Mary's Cottage was granted at the Principal Registry to Ellen Mew of Walhampton View New-lane Lymington in the said County Widow the Daughter and one Residuary Legatees substituted.

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