### **Edward Upward**

## 1861 census – Pyle Street, Newport

Edward Upward	Head	<i>59</i>	Town Councillor,	Newport, Hampshire
			Grocer & Tallow Chandler	employing 10 men & 4 boys
Mary A Upward	Wife	62		Walthamstow, Essex
Louisa P Upward	Daughter	26		Newport, Hampshire
Alfred Johnson	Shopman	17	Grocers Shopman	Fawley, Hampshire
Jane Barnes	Servant	45	General Servant	Carisbrooke, Hampshire

# **Hampshire Advertiser – 10 October 1863**

#### NEWPORT.

**DEATH OF MR. EDWARD UPWARD, SEN.** — Our obituary records the death of this highly respected tradesman, which took place at his residence in Pyle-street on Sunday morning. Deceased, who with his son carried on a very old established grocery business, had been away from home for a few days on business and on his return home was somewhat fatigued; he was shortly after seized with illness, congestion of the brain, and lingered a week in a state of insensibility. He was a Liberal in politics, and his death has occasioned a vacancy in the Town Council, in which he had represented the South Ward ever since the first municipal election, in 1835. The funeral took place on Thursday morning, when the Mayor and Corporation and many tradesmen of the town followed the remains to their resting place, in the Newport Cemetery. Nearly every shop along the line of road which the funeral took had shutters up, in token of respect for this worthy deceased neighbour.

# Isle of Wight Observer – 10 October 1863 NEWPORT

**INTERMENT.** – The mortal remains of our much-respected fellow townsman, Mr. Edward Upward, councillor of the South Ward, was carried to its last resting place in Newport Cemetery on Thursday morning last, upon which melancholy occasion nearly all the shops and private houses were partially closed. The procession proceeded from the house to St. James'-street Chapel, the deceased's constant place of worship; and after the funeral rites were performed by the Rev. H. J. Martyn, several of the members and followed, and upon reaching the Guildhall the procession was joined by the Corporation, making in number of followers upward of 70. We can only add that our town has lost a good man, and one whose memory will be held for many years in the greatest respect and esteem.

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