

Edward Blake Caplen

1851 census, 146 High Street, Newport

<i>Edwd B Caplen</i>	<i>Head</i>	<i>24</i>	<i>Master Silk Mercer</i>	<i>Newport, Hampshire</i>
			<i>employing 4 men</i>	
Frederick Bench	Assistant	27	1 st Assistant	Lymington, Hampshire
George W North	Assistant	23	2 nd Assistant	Southampton, Hampshire
Glen Harney	Assistant	20	3 rd Assistant	Newchurch, Hampshire
William G Bridgel	Apprentice	15	Apprentice	Southampton, Hampshire
Celia Kersley	Servant	29	House Servant	Bay of Biscay British Subject

Hampshire Telegraph – 27 October 1855

Marriages.

CAPLEN-HILLS – On the 25th instant, at Arreton Church, Isle of Wight, by the Rev. T.B. Snow, Mr. Edward Blake Caplen, Draper, of Newport, to Fanny Belinda, the youngest daughter of Robert Hills, Esq., of Stone, Isle of Wight.

Hampshire Advertiser – 3 November 1855

Winchester.

MELANCHOLY TERMINATION TO A BRIDAL TRIP. – A melancholy event occurred at the George Hotel, in this city, on Saturday last. Mr. Edward Blake Caplen, a draper, residing at Newport, in the Isle of Wight, and who was married on the previous Thursday, at Arreton Church, was staying, with his bride, at the above hotel, being somewhat unwell, on his way to London, where he expired on Saturday evening, thus leaving his wife a widow after being married but three days. We believe the deceased was in a sinking state at the time of his marriage.

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