

Samuel Thompson

1871 census, Parkhurst Barracks, Carisbrooke

Samuel Thompson 34 Private 103rd Regiment Nottingham, Nottinghamshire

Hampshire Telegraph – 23 January 1875

NEWPORT

SUDDEN DEATH. – At twenty minutes past six on Tuesday evening, Mr. Samuel Thompson, landlord of the “Cooper’s Arms” Inn, Coppin’s Bridge, while standing at the Bar, became unwell. He retired to the back-parlour, and after sitting down on a chair, he instantly expired, in the presence of his wife. The deceased, upwards of three years ago, was discharged from the 12th Brigade Royal Artillery, on a limited pension, on account of his suffering from disease of the lungs. On improving health, he was appointed assistant warder at Parkhurst Convict Prison; but as his health again failed, he was in 1874 discharged from that establishment. As the deceased died from natural causes, no inquest was held.

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