William Cole

1861 census, Gunville Place, Carisbrooke

| Jane Cole (widow) | 73 | Head | Charwoman | Brixton, Isle of Wight |
|-------------------|-----------|------|------------------|-------------------------|
| William Cole | <i>46</i> | Son | Mason's Labourer | Godshill, Isle of Wight |
| George Cole | 28 | Son | Idiotic | Godshill, Isle of Wight |

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NEWPORT.

SUDDEN DEATH. – A coroner's inquest was held on Friday last, at Gunville, by F. Blake, Esq., on the body of William Cole, aged 46, a very industrious labourer, who had for many years been in the employ of Messrs. Stratton, builders, and it appeared, by the evidence of the mother, an old woman nearly eighty years of age, that she called him that morning to go to his work, and he replied that he was getting up, but hearing nothing of him afterwards, she proceeded to his room, where she found him lying on the floor, partly dressed, and a great quantity of blood running from his mouth, and he died in about ten minutes afterwards. It appeared that deceased had complained lately of being ill, and was then taking medicine. Dr. Wilkins having certified that his death arose from an aneurism of the heart, the Jury returned a verdict of "Died by the Visitation of God."

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