

Frank Edwin Morey

1891 Census, 1 West View, Carisbrooke

<i>Frank E Morey</i>	<i>Head</i>	<i>52</i>	<i>Agriculturist</i>	<i>Carisbrooke, Isle of Wight</i>
Mary Morey	Wife	53		Carisbrooke, Isle of Wight
Harriett Kate Morey	Niece	19		Portsmouth, Hampshire

THE SOUTHERN ECHO – 25 January 1898

LOCAL AND DISTRICT.

DEATH OF MR. FRANK E. MOREY. – The death is announced of Mr. Frank E. Morey, at his residence, the Mall, Newport, on Saturday afternoon. The deceased was formerly connected with the Newport Town Council, but retired a few months since in consequence of ill-health. Deceased had been successful in his business, which was that of a potato merchant, and retired from active commercial pursuits some years ago. Latterly he has suffered terribly from an internal disorder, which has really been the cause of death. He underwent an operation, but, unfortunately, it was not instrumental in arresting the progress of the disease. Like his father before him, the late Mr. Morey was a prominent member of the Bible Christian church of the town.

Isle of Wight County Press – 29 January 1898

DEATH OF MR. F.E. MOREY, OF NEWPORT

We regret to record the death of Mr. Frank E. Morey, of Newport, which took place on Saturday afternoon last, after a lengthy illness, at the age of 60. The deceased gentleman had rendered useful public service, notably as a Town Councillor, for many years until failing health compelled him to retire last November; as a member of the old Highway commissioners; and in other capacities. Three years ago he was an unsuccessful candidate for a seat on the County Council in one of the Newport divisions. He was a staunch Liberal and a member of the Bible Christian Church, and whilst not an active worker was a valued supporter of the political and denominational causes indicated. Much sympathy is felt for the members of the bereaved family in their sorrow. The funeral of the lamented deceased took place yesterday (Friday) afternoon. A service was first held at the Bible Christian Church, a large number of sympathising friends being present. The Rev. W.B. Lark conducted the impressive service, assisted by the Revs. J.C. Sweet and W.R.A. Budd. The hymns “Brief life is here our portion,” “How blest the righteous when he dies,” and “Abide with me” were sung, and the organist (Mr. W.J. Bailey, jun.) played the “Dead march” in *Saul*. The chief mourners present were the Misses Kate, Amy, and May Morey (nieces), Mr. Edwin Morey (nephew), Mr. J. Warder (brother-in-law), and Mr. W. Ash (cousin). Amongst those also present at the church were the Mayor of Newport (Mr. Charles E. Pinnock, J.P.), Dr. Antony Martin, and Messrs. S. Jordan, J.P., C. King, T.C., A. Gill Martin, R. Bullen, J.P., G. and A. Flower (Portsmouth), F. Midlane, F. Wilson, A. LeBasque, T. Coster, F. Fleming, E. Warren, P. Croucher, H. Greengrass, and S. Whitcombe. The remainder of the solemn ceremony took place at Carisbrooke Cemetery, the Rev. W.B. Lark officiating. There were a number of beautiful floral tokens.

National Probate Calendar

MOREY Frank Edwin of "Linden" Newport Isle of Wight merchant died 22 January 1898
Probate London 8 June to Harriet Kate Morey spinster and Robert Bullen J.P. Effects £5728
4s. 8d. [equates to about £720,000 in 2018]

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