

**Inscriptions on Graves in Ryde Cemetery, with associated documents,
census extracts, death notices, funeral reports etc.**

Benjamin Barrow:

(north)
SACRED TO THE MEMORY OF
MARY, WIDOW OF BENJAMIN BARROW
DAUGHTER OF THE LATE JOSEPH ARNOLD
OF WHITECROSS DIED 3rd MARCH 1908
AGED 87
(south)
SACRED TO THE MEMORY OF
BENJAMIN BARROW F.R.C.S. JP
BORN JULY 23rd 1814
DIED MARCH 7th 1901

1861 CENSUS: RG9/652. folio 50. page 32.

Address: Clifton House, High-street, Ryde, Newchurch, IW.

Benjamin BARROW. Head. Mar. 47. Surgeon. Bath, Somersetshire.

Cecil M BARROW. Nephew. Un. 17. Scholar Fundholder. Hoburt Town, Tasmania.

Seymour D. BARROW. Nephew. Un. 15. Scholar Fundholder. Hoburt Town, Tasmania.

George J. RICHARDS. Visitor. Un. 28. Fundholder. Hambleton, Hants.

William TURNER. Visitor. Un. 16. Scholar. England.

Benjamin MCCORMACK. Serv. Un. 22. Groom. Sandown, Hants.

Walter TRIBBICK. Serv. Un. 16. Servant. St. Helens, Hants.

Mary A. HOWIS. Serv. Un. 21. Housemaid. Dorchester, Dorset.

Ellen PERKINS. Serv. Un. 25. Cook. Newport, Hants.

Catharine BARROW. Wife. Mar. 39. Surgeon's Wife. London.

1871 CENSUS: RG10/1165. folios 137/138. pages 14/15.

Address: Southlands, Star-street, Ryde, IW.

Benjamin BARROW. Head. Mar. 56. Surgeon F.R.C.S. Bath, Somersetshire.

Mary WEEKS. Governess. S. 25. Governess. Hastings, Sussex.

Evelyn PEMBERTON. Niece. 7. Lucknow, Oude.

Katie PEMBERTON. Niece. 6. Lucknow, Oude.

Annie PEMBERTON. Niece. 5. Lucknow, Oude.

Robert PEMBERTON. Nephew. 3. Calcutta.

Charlotte DREW. Lady's maid. S. 62. Lady's maid. Bath, Somersetshire.

Martha Susan RICHARDS. Servant. S. 27. Cook. Southampton, Hants.

Jane BRIDER. Servant. S. 20. Housemaid. Rogate, Sussex.

Catherine BRADBURY. Servant. S. 22. Lady's maid. Dorchester, Oxfordshire.

Rebecca Ann STALLARD. Servant. S. 20. Under Housemaid. Purbrook, Hants.

John RODGERS. Servant. S. 18. Footman. Houghton, Hants.

Henry WHITFIELD. Servant. S. 24. Coachman. Ringwood, Hants.

George CANDY. Servant. 13. Groom. Houghton, Hants.

Anne LEGGATT. Servant. Widow. 57. Nurse. Chichester, Sussex.

Charles LEGGATT. Servant. Mar. 32. Gardener. Chichester, Sussex.

Anne LEGGATT. Servant. Mar. 21. Washerwoman. Ryde, IW.

Minnie LEGGATT. Baby. 1. Baby. Ryde, IW.

1891 CENSUS: RG12/890. folio 108. page 13.

Address: 44 Park-road, Ryde, IW.

Benjamin BARROW. Head. M. 76. Surgeon. Bath, Somerset.

Mary BARROW. Wife. M. 70. Camberwell, Surrey.

Owen BARROW. Nephew. 15. Student I of W College. Duines, France (British Subject).

Goen BARROW. Nephew. 14. Student I of W College. Duines, France (British Subject).

Robert PEMBERTON. Nephew. S. 23. Student Wells College. Calcutta, India (British Subject).

Frederick DOBSON. Serv. S. 18. Butler Domestic. Ryde, IW.

Lucy BUXEY. Serv. S. 34. Cook Domestic. Ryde, IW.

Frances RUSSELL. Serv. S. 27. Housemaid Domestic. Ryde, IW.

Elizabeth MOULAND. Serv. S. 28. Lady's Maid. Ryde, IW.

Researched & typed by Ann Barrett

Extract from MEDICAL NEWS AND GAZETTE April 25 1857

APPOINTMENT AND TESTIMONIAL. – Benjamin Barrow, esq., Surgeon to the Isle of Wight Royal Infirmary, has been appointed Chairman of the Board of Commissioners for improving the town of Ryde, etc. A considerable sum has been raised by private subscription to present this gentleman with a Testimonial for his unwearied exertions in the cause of Sanitary Reform; this sum he has appropriated to the erection of a Public Museum of Natural History, which will, it is expected, be opened in a few months. The inhabitants and visitors are mainly indebted to Mr. Barrow for a constant supply at high pressure of pure water procured from springs at the foot of Ashley Down, four miles from the town; and also for great improvements in the drainage, which is now carried, by means of two main trunks, to low water mark. The effect upon the public health, since the introduction of the water and clearing away of cesspits and privies, has been most striking in the dwellings of the poor.

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ISLE OF WIGHT COUNTY PRESS Saturday 10th Nov 1900

ACCIDENT TO MR. B. BARROW, J.P.

We regret to learn that Mr. **B. BARROW**, J.P., has met with a fall in Oxford-street, London, and broken a bone in his wrist. Such an accident at the great age of 87 gives cause for anxiety to many of his Island friends.

ISLE OF WIGHT OBSERVER Saturday 9th March 1901

Death Notice:-

BARROW .. On March 7th, 1901, at St. John's Lodge, Ryde, I.W., **Benjamin BARROW**, J.P., in the 87th year of his age. ---Service at Holy Trinity Church, Ryde, at 3.15 p.m., March 11th, ---No flowers, by request. ---Friends will kindly accept this intimation.

DEATH OF MR. B. BARROW, J.P.

We regret to record the death of Mr. **B. BARROW**, J.P., which occurred at his residence, St. John's Lodge, St. John's road, on Thursday afternoon. It will be remembered that the deceased gentleman met with an accident in London a few months ago, and either fell or was knocked down, with the result that he broke his arm, a serious matter for an octogenarian. On his return home his medical attendant, Mr. Ingleby MACKENZIE, found that the injured limb was in such a state that amputation was necessary, and this operation was performed by a well-known London specialist. At first Mr. BARROW rallied in a surprising manner. The wound healed rapidly, and it was first thought that he would soon be about again, but the rally was not for long. Time soon showed that perfect recovery was too much to expect at Mr. BARROW's great age. In spite of the care of Dr.

MACKENZIE (who could not have been more devoted to his patient had he stood in the relationship of a son to him). Dr. BARROW became weaker and weaker, and he passed quietly and peacefully to his long rest at half past four on Thursday afternoon.

Such was the peaceful ending of a somewhat stormy career. It was not too much to say that no man has played such a prominent part in the public affairs of Ryde, as Dr. BARROW has done. He was a born fighter, and when he took up any duty he carried it forward with astonishing vigour and perseverance.

Mr BARROW came to Ryde over fifty years ago. He had been an army surgeon, and during that experience had acquired as abrupt a manner as plain a method of speech as ever distinguished Abernethy. No one could ever accuse Mr. BARROW of failing to "call a spade a spade." Behind his unfortunate manner, however, was a kind heart, and a sincere love for and desire to benefit the town in which he had come to reside.

When Dr. BARROW first came to Ryde the water supply was from surface wells, and as there was no proper system of drainage it may well be understood that typhoid fever was a frequent visitor. One of Dr. BARROW's first public acts was to head a crusade against the system of drawing the water supply from surface wells, and to urge upon the inhabitants the necessity of going for a proper supply miles away from the town. It will hardly be understood in these more enlightened days, what an amount of prejudice and opposition had to be overcome before this improvement could be effected. The inhabitants clung on to their polluted old wells with a tenacity worthy of a better cause, but after a fight, which has had no parallel during recent years, it was decided to go to Ashley for the supply. For commencing the work which has given the town its present magnificent waterworks we have therefore to thank Dr. BARROW. But he was not thanked then. It was not until comparatively recent times that his hard work and wonderful persistence in face of opposition received the credit they deserved. Another matter which did not contribute to Dr. BARROW's popularity was his association with the late Mr. T. WEBSTER, Q.C., (father ****d ALVERSTONE) in his abortive attempt to make a railway pier, docks, &c.

Mr. BARROW was not one of the first members of the Corporation when Ryde was incorporated, but when Mr. KNIGHT's agitation convulsed the town and a new Council replaced the original members, he warmly espoused the cause of the Corporation against the Ratepayers Association. A most determined battle was fought at the November elections in 1874, in which Mr. Henry KNIGHT and the Ratepayers Association were worsted, and Mr. BARROW was elected an Alderman and Mayor. It was not altogether an enviable position. The terrible scenes which then took place in the Council, and the disorganisation in business made it felt that an exceptionally strong man was required. The choice of the Council fell upon Mr. BARROW, and he amply justified it. His powerful personality and the hold he had on the Council were proved by the fact that he served the office of Mayor year after year from 1874 till 1878, and again in 1881-4-5-6- nine times altogether. During this period a great deal of most important work was accomplished -- improvements at the waterworks; the drainage of the town and the marshes; and the construction of the Boating Lake and the Esplanade Gardens were some of these. To the settlement of every one of these questions Mr. BARROW brought an energy which was almost fierce, and the courage and determination which nothing could daunt. For years he bore an almost arbitrary sway in the Town Council, but as time settled disputed questions, members longed for rather more of the *suaviter in modo*, and less of the *fortiter in re*, and in the end Mr. BARROW retired into private life.

There can be no question that Mr. BARROW taking the helm when he did was excellent for the town, and he deserves lasting gratitude for all he has done for Ryde. But his unfortunate manner and want of tact militated against him when he had brought the ship into calmer waters.

We owe Mr. BARROW a great deal besides what he did in the Council. For many years he was the president of the School of Art, and assisted in the movement which established the pupils in the present convenient building in George Street. He also assisted in arranging a number of exhibitions of works of art in the Town Hall, which were very much appreciated at that time.

The younger generation have to thank Mr. BARROW for the Recreation Ground. In season and out of season Mr. BARROW urged upon his colleagues the necessity of obtaining such a place for the youngsters. He could not succeed in inducing them to take steps to obtain the ground, and eventually renting it himself, and threw it open for sport. Afterwards, seeing how much it was

appreciated the Corporation took it off his hands, and eventually Miss BRIGSTOCKE purchased it and presented it as a free gift to the town. But it was Dr. BARROW who initiated the idea and made it possible. The same belief in the necessity of physical exercise made Mr. BARROW erect, at great expense, a gymnasium for the use of the children at the various schools. We must not omit to add that amongst Dr. BARROW's other services was his acceptance of the office of Borough Medical Officer, carrying on the duties of the same for several years without fee or reward. He took a leading part in establishing the County Hospital, and gave many years valuable service to it as Hon. Medical Officer.

Till the time of his unfortunate accident there seemed little diminution in Dr. BARROW's energy. He was always doing something, in spite of his great age.

The funeral will take place at a quarter-past three o'clock on Monday next.

Researched & typed by Ann Barrett and Marilyn Newsham

ISLE OF WIGHT OBSERVER Saturday 16th March 1901

THE LATE MR. B. BARROW, J.P.

THE FUNERAL

The funeral of the late **Dr. BARROW** took place on Monday, amidst every manifestation of public respect. The first part of the service was held at Holy Trinity Church, which was crowded. The Vicar of Holy Trinity (the Rev. W.M. CAMERON) taking the service, while the Vicar of Ryde (the Rev. J. SHEARMAN) read the lesson. The service was choral, the hymns being "O God our help in ages past," and "Now the labourer's task is o'er." The clergy in the chancel included the Vicar of Swanmore (the Rev. W.F.J. HANBURY), the Rev. H.B. BREW and the Rev. R. PEMBERTON (nephew of the deceased).

The mourners were Mr. Frank H. BARROW, Mrs. DEEDES, Col. and Mrs MONEY, General and Miss PEMBERTON, the Rev. R. PEMBERTON, Miss K. BARROW, Mrs. DAVIDSON, Mr. Gore BARROW, Dr. and Mrs. CLEGHORN, the Rev. and Mrs PEMBERTON BARTLETT, Miss BARROW, Mr. H. LOUSADA, Dr. ARNOLD, Mr and Mrs NICHOLSON, Surg. General CUFFE, C.B., Dr. K.W.I. MACKENZIE, Dr. L.L. PRESTON, Dr. BANKS, Dr. NEWBY, and Mr W.H. WOOLRIDGE (clerk of the I.W. County Council). There were also present the Rev. Clement SMITH, the Rev. H. EWBANK, the Rev. W.R.C. HAMILTON, the Rev. C. BLAKE, the Rev. W.G. WHITTAM and the Rev. C. HALL. The Corporation of Ryde were represented by Ald. James JAMES, J.P. (Deputy Mayor), Aldermen E. MARVIN, J.P., E. GROVES, J.P., and S. FOWLER, J.P., Councillors A. MILLWARD, A. TEAGUE, W.H. THIRKELL, G.A. BLACKALL, STROUD, HOOPER, W. LOCKE, Mr. MATHEW (borough surveyor), Mr C.G. VINCENT (town clerk) Mr J. MORANT (borough treasurer), Mr J.T. HARVEY and Inspector J. ELDRIDGE.

Among those who also followed were : General Hon. S.J. GOUGH CALTHORPE, Commander Douglas FORSYTH, R.N., Mr E. CARTER, J.P., Mr W.H. RIDDETT, J.P., Mr R. CORRIE, J.P., Mr F. NEWMAN, C.E., J.P., Mr F. FLUX, J.P., C.C., Dr. RICH, Dr. GREENING, Dr. WHITEHEAD, Dr. WADHAM, Dr. TURNER, Dr. HARLAND, Dr. GROVES, Dr. BUCK, Mr W.H. DAISH, Mr GIBBS, Mr W.E. RATCLIFFE, Mr H.G. SMITH, Mr H. MARSHALL, Mr G.F. HURST, Mr H. LOCKE, Mr C.D. HARVEY, Mr C. LANGDON, Mr F.N. BRODERICK, Mr H. JACOBS, Mr W. HOPGOOD, Mr A. TUTTE, Mr R. COLENUTT, jun., Mr PARKES, Mr J.H. DOWN, Mr MUNDELL, Mr A.E. COOMBES, Mr H.H. PERKINS, Mr A. WOOD, Mr A. WRIGHT, and others.

Carriages were sent by Gen. the Hon. S.J. GOUGH CALTHORPE, Mr E. CARTER, Mr R. CORRIE, Col. A. CLARKE, Major Lowther CROFTON, Dr. GROVES, Dr. GREENING, Dr DAVIES, Mrs TATTNALL, Mr M. MAYBRICK, (Mayor of Ryde), Dr. TURNER, Dr. BUCK, Professor SIMONDS, Mr G. HUTT, Dr. BANKS, Mrs HEWETT.

There were no flowers, by request, the only token being a beautiful floral cross, from the members of the family, which was laid upon the coffin. The coffin was of polished oak, with raised lid and brass furniture, with inner metallic casket. The funeral arrangements were carried out by Messrs. A.J. and W. COOMBES.

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Mary Barrow:

1891 CENSUS: RG12/890. folio 108. page 13.

Address: 44 Park-road, Ryde, IW.

Benjamin BARROW. Head. M. 76. Surgeon. Bath, Somerset.

Mary BARROW. Wife. M. 70. Camberwell, Surrey, (British Subject).

Owen BARROW. Nephew. 15. Student IW College. France (British Subject).

G.... BARROW. Nephew. 14. Student IW College. France (British Subject).

Robert PEMBERTON. Nephew. S. 23. Student Wells College. Calcutta, India.

Frederick DEBORN. S. 18. Butler Dom. Ryde, IW.

Lucy DUFFEY. S. 34. Cook Dom. Ryde, IW.

Frances RUSSELL. S. 34/30. Housemaid Dom. Ryde, IW.

Elizabeth MOULAND. S. 28. Lady's Maid Dom. Ryde, IW.

1901 CENSUS: RG13/1025. folio 77. page 5.

Address: St. John's Lodge, Riboleau-street, Ryde, IW.

Mary BARROW. Head. Wid. 80. Surrey.

Eva W. OLD. Visitor. S. 49.? Art Student. Monmouth.

Emily HONEY. Cook. S. 46. Cook Dom. Ryde, IW.

Frances RUSSELL. Lady Maid. S. 34. Lady's Maid. Ryde, IW.

Mary J. POCOCK. Parl Maid. S. 45. Parlour Maid. Bembridge, IW.

Bessie JOLLIFFE. Hse Maid. S. 23. House Maid. Wroxall, IW.

ISLE OF WIGHT TIMES Thursday 5th March 1908, page 5.

Death Announcement –

BARROW .. On the 3rd inst., at St. John's Lodge, Ryde, in the 87th year of her age, **Mary**, widow of the late Benjamin BARROW. –No flowers by request.

ISLE OF WIGHT COUNTY PRESS Saturday March 7th, 1908. page 8.

DEATH OF MRS. BENJAMIN BARROW

We regret to announce the death, on Tuesday, of **Mrs. BARROW**, widow of the late Dr. Benjamin BARROW, J.P., who was nine times Mayor of Ryde, and long and energetically devoted himself to the furtherance of the town's material sanitary, and intellectual prosperity. Mrs BARROW, who had reached the advanced age of 88, had long been an invalid. She was a kindly lady who ably seconded her late husband in all his public work. The funeral took place yesterday (Friday) afternoon. The first part of the Burial Office was sung at the Holy Trinity Church, where the Vicar (the Rev. J.E. EDDIS) officiated. The choir sang the hymns "Peace perfect peace," and "O God, our help in ages past." The mourners were Dr. and Mrs. ARNOULD, Miss Kate BARROW, Miss HYAM, Col. OLIVIER, Mrs. GIBSON, Sir Charles NICHOLSON, the Rev. Robert PEMBERTON, Miss Kate PEMBERTON, Miss Annie PEMBERTON, Mrs. MONEY, Mr. Ernest ARNOULD, Dr. MACKENZIE, Mrs. Seymour BARROW, Mr. Mortimer LOUSADA, Mr.

Benjamin BARROW, the Rev. PEMBERTON BARTLETT, Mrs. RUSSELL, Mrs. RYAN, Miss Alice WARD, and the servants. The body was enclosed in a panelled coffin of polished oak, and bore the following inscription: "Mary Barrow, died March 3rd, aged 87." Amongst those in the church were Miss CRAMER, Miss OWEN, Mr. W. Hammond RIDDETT, J.P., and Ald. E. GROVES, J.P., Mrs. Mark HUNTER sent her carriage. Messrs. COOMBES were the undertakers.

THE ISLE OF WIGHT TIMES Thursday 12th March 1908, page 4

FUNERAL OF MRS. BARROW

The funeral of Mrs. **BARROW**, whose death we recorded last week, took place on Friday afternoon.

The first part of the Burial Office was sung at Holy Trinity Church, where the vicar (the Rev. J. E. EDDIS) officiated. The choir sang the hymns "Peace, perfect peace," and "O God our help in ages past."

The mourners were Dr. and Mrs. ARNOULD, Miss Kate BARROW, Miss HYAM, Col. OLIVER, Mrs. GIBSON, Sir Charles NICHOLSON, the Rev. Robert PEMBERTON, Miss Kate PEMBERTON, Miss Annie PEMBERTON, Mrs. MONEY, Mr. Ernest ARNOULD, Dr. MACKENZIE, Mrs. Seymour BARROW, Mr. Mortimer LOUSADA, Mr. Benjamin BARROW, the Rev. PEMBERTON BARTLETT, Mrs. RUSSELL, Mrs. RYAN, Miss Alice WARD, and the servants. The body was enclosed in a panelled coffin of polished oak, and bore the following inscription: "Mary BARROW, died March 3rd, aged 87." Amongst those in the church were Miss CRAMER, Miss OWEN, Mr. W. Hammond RIDDETT, J.P., and Ald. E. GROVES, J.P. Mrs Mark HUNTER sent her carriage. Messrs. COOMBES were the undertakers.

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Edith Alice Barrow, daughter of John Simeon Barrow:

(3rd plinth)
JOHN WILLOUGHBY
DIED JULY 24th 186?
AGE?
(3 lines of text unreadable)
(bottom plinth)
EDITH ALICE BARROW
DIED

1861 CENSUS: RG9/658. folio page 10.

Address: Nelson House, Nelson-street, Ryde, Newchurch, IW.

John Simeon BARROW. Head. Mar. 35. Curate of Holy Trinity Ryde. Bath, Somersetshire.

Maria BARROW. Wife. Mar. 27. Banton, Somersetshire.

Amy Frances BARROW. Dau. 3. Ryde, IW.

Katharine Mary BARROW. Dau. 2. Ryde, IW.

Edith Alice BARROW. Dau. 1. Ryde, IW.

Simon BARROW. Father. Widower. 74. Fundholder. London, Middx.

Fanny Ed....? BARROW. Sister. Un. 40. Bath, Somersetshire.

Edmund George BARROW. Nephew. 9. Scholar. East Indies.

William Brett BARROW. Nephew. 7. Scholar. East Indies.

Emily BARROW. Niece. 6. Tasmania.

John Willoughby BARROW. Nephew. 4. East Indies.

Charlotte DREW. Serv. Un. 56. Lady's Maid. Bath, Somersetshire.

Jane DYER. Serv. Widow. 44. Nurse. Bembridge, IW.

Mary ELDRIDGE. Serv. Un. 27. House Servant. Knighton, IW.

Emma PHILLIPS. Serv. Un. 26. Cook Domestic Servant. Freshwater, IW.
Sarah Ann DYER. Serv. Un. 17. Under Nurse. Dartmouth, Devonshire.

ISLE OF WIGHT OBSERVER Saturday 23rd July 1864

Death Notice:-

BARROW : On the 14th inst., at Ryde, **Edith Alice**, youngest child of the Rev. J.S. BARROW, aged 4 years.

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John Willoughby Barrow, son of Seymour Duncan Barrow: (THIS IS A TYPO OF JOHN BURY'S I THINK – JOHN WILLOUGHBY WAS ONE OF THE FIRST FAMILY OF GEN JOSEPH LYON BARROW)

1861 CENSUS: RG9/658. folio 7. page 10.

Address: Nelson House, Nelson-street, Ryde, Newchurch, IW.

John Simeon BARROW. Head. Mar. 35. Curate of Holy Trinity Ryde. Bath, Somersetshire.

Maria BARROW. Wife. Mar. 27. Banton, Somersetshire.

Amy Frances BARROW. Dau. 3. Ryde, IW.

Katharine Mary BARROW. Dau. 2. Ryde, IW.

Edith Alice BARROW. Dau. 1. Ryde, IW.

Simon BARROW. Father. Widower. 74. Fundholder. London, Middx.

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John Willoughby BARROW. Nephew. 4. East Indies.

Charlotte DREW. Serv. Un. 56. Lady's Maid. Bath, Somersetshire.

Jane DYER. Serv. Widow. 44. Nurse. Bembridge, IW.

Mary ELDRIDGE. Serv. Un. 27. House Servant. Knighton, IW.

Emma PHILLIPS. Serv. Un. 26. Cook Domestic Servant. Freshwater, IW.

Sarah Ann DYER. Serv. Un. 17. Under Nurse. Dartmouth, Devonshire.

ISLE OF WIGHT OBSERVER Saturday 30th July 1864

Death Notice:-

BARROW .. On the 24th inst., at Ryde, **John Willoughby**, youngest son of Lieutenant-Colonel BARROW, R.A. Deputy Inspector-General of Ordinance, Madras, aged 7 years.

Researched & typed by Ann Barrett, Diana Wood and Marilyn Newsham

Major General Lousada Barrow:

(top plinth)

ALICE LOUISA PEMBERTON

(2nd plinth)

WIFE OF CAPT R B PEMBERTON RE
ELDEST DAUGHTER OF COL L BARROW CB

(3rd plinth)

BORN 30th JAN 1842 DIED 22nd MARCH 1868

"I AM THE RESURRECTION AND THE LIFE"

(4th plinth)

ALSO OF PERCY HARRY STANLEY BARROW CB
COLONEL 19th (PRINCESS OF WALES OWN) HUSSARS
SECOND SON OF LIEUT GENERAL BARROW CB

BORN OCT 15th 1848 DIED AT CAIRO JAN 13th 1886
AND SEYMOUR DUNCAN BARROW COL 10th BENGAL LANCERS
DIED AT SEA ON THE 12th DECEMBER 1886 AGED 42 YEARS

(5th plinth)
ALSO IN MEMORY OF
LOUSADA BARROW CD MAJOR GENERAL M S C
SOMETIME CHIEF COMMISSIONER OF OUDH
BORN 22nd FEB DIED 1st OCT 1877

Death Notice:-

BARROW .. On the 1st inst., at Southlands, Ryde, Isle of Wight, **Lousada BARROW, C.B.**, Major-General Madras Staff Corps, some time Chief Commissioner of Oudh, aged 61

ISLE OF WIGHT OBSERVER Saturday 6th Oct 1877

DEATH OF MAJOR-GENERAL L. BARROW

It was with deep regret that we record the death of a most distinguished officer, Major-General **Lousada BARROW, C.B.**, (the brother of our Mayor B. BARROW, Esq.) which event occurred on Monday, at Southlands. The deceased officer served in the Southern Mahratta country in 1844-45, Commanded a squadron of Volunteer Cavalry raised under the orders of Major-General Henry HAVELOCK, on the 25th June, 1857; was present and commanded them at the following actions; battle of Futtehpore 12th July 1857; in the morning action at Oung 15th July 1857, and in the action at Pando Nuddee on the evening of the same day; battle of Cawnpore 16th July 1857, expedition to Bythoor, and capture of 19 guns, 19th July 1857; action at Oonoa in Oude, and actions at Busseerut Gunge in August two other actions at Busseerrut Gunge prior to retreating across the Ganges on the 13th August to Cawnpore; action at Bithoor 16th August re-crossed the Ganges in the face of the enemy 19th September, action at Alumbagh 23rd September, entrance into Lucknow, for the relief of the garrison on the 26th September, was besieged, and engaged in the defence of Lucknow from 26th September to 21st November, when the night retreat was made, action at Guillee in Lucknow on the 22nd December; was at the defence of the entrenched position at Alumbagh, and engaged in four actions under Sir James OUTRAM, besides many other skirmishes against the enemy during January and February 1858; present at the siege and final capture of Lucknow in March (Medal with two clasps, Brevets of Major and Lieutenant-Colonel, and C.B., and received in orders the special notice of the Commander-in-Chief and Governor-General), in recognition of his distinguished service in the field, as well as his high administrative abilities, he was raised to the important and elevated post of Chief Commissioner of the Province of Oude, in which he rendered the most valuable services to Government, and endeared himself to the people under his rule. He was essentially a type of the class of soldier-diplomats and administrators, who adorned the grand old Indian Service; brave in the field and sagacious in the council; and his name will ever hold a high place in their distinguished role, by the side if those of LAWRENCE, NICHOLSON, EDWARDES, OUTRAM, and many more of the same heroic mould.

The funeral took place on Thursday at the Ryde Cemetery. We may add that we have received our information from one totally unconnected to the family, and without their knowledge even.

Researched & typed by Ann Barrett, Lydia Jackson and Marilyn Newsham

Colonel Percy Harry Stanley Barrow:

ISLE OF WIGHT OBSERVER Saturday 16th Jan 1886, page 8

Death Notice:-

BARROW .. On the 13th inst., at Cairo after one days illness, **Percy Harry Stanley BARROW**, Colonel of the 19th Hussars.

DEATH OF COLONEL BARROW

Our obituary records the death at Cairo, on 13th inst., of Colonel **Percy Harry Stanley BARROW**, of the 19th Reg., a nephew of our respected Mayor, after only one day's illness.

The Standard correspondent's account appears in today's issue as follows:- I regret to state that Colonel BARROW, who re-opened an old wound while engaged in the game of tent-pegging, died last night. His funeral this afternoon was attended by almost every officer of the garrison. His loss will be greatly felt, especially in his regiment, the 19th Hussars, for which he has done so much during the short time he has held the Coloneley. At the funeral, Count BELLEGARDE and a large number of dignitaries both civil and military, were present. The funeral ceremony took place with full military honours.

Researched & typed by Ann Barrett

THE LATE COL. BARROW, C.B., C.M.G.

A native correspondent of high rank, writing recently from Cairo in reference to the late Col. BARROW, says:- When the late Col. BARROW took command of the 19th Hussars, he devoted himself to looking after the comforts of his officers and men.. He made an arrangement with a Greek to keep the canteen, by paying so much a month from the mess fund. This gave the greatest satisfaction, as the best things could be got at the most reasonable prices. When the regiment went to Suakim, the Colonel took the same contractor with him, with a good supply, amongst other things, of Bass's ale and Crosse and Blackwell's manufactures. He also made similar arrangements when in the Soudan last year. The same canteen steward crossed the desert from Korosko to Dongola with 150 camels, and when he met Col. BARROW and his regiment, both officers and men gladly welcomed the Greek and his stores. On its return to Cairo, the regiment occupied the best quarters at Abbassiyeh; and to keep the men from the slums of Cairo, the late Colonel arranged with the contractor to erect a large theatre to accommodate 300 men, and made it free for all regiments. Col. BARROW, before his untimely death, presented the regiment with a magnificent shield, to be held by the best shooting troop each year. The shield is 2ft. 6in. in diameter, and of an ancient Danish pattern, with a black ebony boarder, on the top of which are the honours of the regiment and at the bottom the inscription:- 19th Princess of Wales Own Hussars, Troop Challenge Shield, presented by Col. P. H. S. BARROW, C.B.,C.M.G., 1885. In the first year, the shield was won by B troop, which served in the desert under the late General STEWART, and the correspondent concludes by saying that "Whatever troop is fortunate enough to win it in future years, it will treasure it with pride as a heirloom of its gallant deceased Colonel."

Colonel Seymour Duncan Barrow

1861 CENSUS: RG9/652. folio 50. page 32.

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Benjamin BARROW. Head. Mar. 47. Surgeon. Bath, Somersetshire.

Cecil M BARROW. Nephew. Un. 17. Scholar Fundholder. Hoburt Town, Tasmania.

Seymour D. BARROW. Nephew. Un. 15. Scholar Fundholder. Hoburt Town, Tasmania.

George J. RICHARDS. Visitor. Un. 28. Fundholder. Hambleton, Hants.

William TURNER. Visitor. Un. 16. Scholar. England.

Benjamin MCCORMACK. Serv. Un. 22. Groom. Sandown, Hants.

Walter TRIBBICK. Serv. Un. 16. Servant. St. Helens, Hants.
Mary A. HOWIS. Serv. Un. 21. Housemaid. Dorchester, Dorset.
Ellen PERKINS. Serv. Un. 25. Cook. Newport, Hants.
Catharine BARROW. Wife. Mar. 39. Surgeon's Wife. London.

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THE LATE LIEUT-COL. SEYMOUR BARROW

The *Times of India*, referring to this gallant officer, says: "A distinguished soldier, the ideal of an Indian cavalry officer, his reputation among brother officers at headquarters, and in the wide circle of the outside public, stood as high as that of any military man in the country; and his sudden death is alike a shock to his friends and a serious loss to the Army. Col. BARROW served with distinction in the Afghan War; being present at the actions of Kam Dakka, Jugaul luck, and Patkao Shana; being severely wounded, having his charger wounded, and being twice mentioned in despatches. For his services in Afghanistan he obtained a brevet majority. Later on, he served in the Egyptian expedition of 1882, being present at the action of Tel-el-kebir, for which he was again mentioned in despatches and was promoted to brevet lieutenant-colonel. Colonel, at that time Captain, BARROW was severely wounded at Patkao Shana. He was acting as orderly officer to General PALLISER, and engaged in single-handed combat with an Afghan *malik*, who was armed with rifle, *tulwar*, knife and shield. The Afghan, as BARROW rode at him, fired his rifle, wounding BARROW's horse. The two then closed, and the English officer received a couple of sword-cuts, one of which disabled his bridle hand, the other cutting deeply into his forearm."

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Minna Beatrice Barrow, daughter of Seymour Duncan Barrow:

(top plinth)IN LOVING MEMORY
OF MINNA BEATRICE
(2nd plinth)
ELDEST CHILD OF COLONEL SEYMOUR BARROW
10th (DCO) BENGAL LANCERS
WHO FELL ASLEEP 11th NOV 1889
AGED NEARLY 5 YEARS
"SAFE IN THE ARMS OF JESUS"

Simon Barrow:

SIMON BARROW
OF LANDSDOWN GROVE, BATH
DIED AT RYDE
DECEMBER 30th 1862
AGED 75 YEARS
"I KNOW MY REDEEMER LIVETH "

John Mortimer Lousada:

JOHN MORTIMER LOUSADA
BORN DECEMBER 29TH 1841
DIED MARCH 14TH 1923

1841 CENSUS: HO107/1122/8. folio 35. page 18.

Address: School-place, Brighthelmstone.

John LOUSADA. 31. Ind. (No)
Tryphena LOUSADA. 30. (?)
Louisa LOUSADA. 8. (?)
Mary LOUSADA. 6. (?)
Agnes LOUSADA. 4. (?)
(plus 4 servants)

NB: although Mortimer was not born till the end of 1841, this shows other members of the family.

1871 CENSUS: RG10/1165. folio 111. page 8.
Address: 51. George-street, Ryde, IW.

Eleanor PITCAIRN. Head. W. 51. from Landed Property. London.
Jane OCCOMORE. Serv. Unm. 32. General Servant. West Grinstead.
Mortimer J. LOUSADA. Head. Unm. 29. Annuitant. Brighton, Sussex.

1878 WHITE's DIRECTORY of Hampshire & Isle of Wight
LOUSADA Mr. Mortimer, 51 George-street, Ryde, IW.

1881 CENSUS: RG11/1178. folio 104. page 4.
Address: George-street, Ryde, IW.

Mortimer J. LOUSADA. Head. Unm. 39. Private Income. Brighton, Sussex.
Susan F. J. COUPA. Visitor. Widow. 62. Islington, London.
Louisa S. M. GRIFFIN. Serv. Unm. 19. Domestic Servant. Ryde, IW.

1910 KELLY's DIRECTORY pages 256 & 305
LOUSADA Mortimer J., Suffolk Towers, 51 George-street, Ryde, IW.

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THE FUNERAL

... of Mr. **M. J. LOUSADA**, of Suffolk Towers, George-street, took place at the Cemetery on Tuesday. In accordance with the deceased's wishes the body was enclosed in a lead coffin with English oak outer case with silver fittings. A concrete vault was constructed beneath the mausoleum built by himself in 1906. The mourners were Miss LOUSADA (sister), Major PONTING (cousin), Miss PONTING, Mr. E. DUTCH, and Dr. MACKENZIE. The service was conducted at the graveside by the Rev. P.R.H.BARTLETT, vicar of Godshill, who is also a relative. The arrangements were carried out by Messrs. HANSFORD, of Cross-street.
