

Now as to our own ilk.

After a protracted period I have been able to visit NEWCHURCH again and with the assistance of my daughter Mabel have made an exhaustive search of the registers this July 14th 1950 and have reaped a very good result. I am now able to take you back to 1743 another step retrograde, and still further I have proved that Robert & Hester Newnham DID have a son Robert as I felt certain they did many years since. Other than this after THIRTY YEARS searching off and on I have at last waylaid the Marriage certificate of John & Frances my Great Grandparents. This is how we now run--

JOHN and SARAH NEWNHAM

married about 1743 (not traced WHERE yet)

They had children - BAPTISED - born at RYDE as follow;-

John in 1744 Mary in 1747, another John in 1749 & Robert 1757

I rather suspect that Roberts' BIRTH date is erred for 1752.

I cannot trace the death of the first John which I imagine must have occurred else why duplicate the name?

Now of these children ROBERT married Hester Dore in 1788 at Ryde and had children;-

2 ROBERT born Ryde 1790, he married a Johanne---and had issue. See Census.

BARNABAS born Ryde 1793, married Harriett Attrill of Binstead at Whippingham in 1817 and had 13 children, six at Whippingham and the remainder at Diamond St S'sea. See Census.

These two gents were my grandfathers' uncles.

3 JOHN born Ryde Nov. 25. 1796 married Frances Chandler of Clymping, at South Bersted Bognor Mar. 23. 1824. Geo. Newnham and Mary Chandler sign as witnesses. JOHN died Ryde. Jan. 7. 1832

This John was my Gt G'father and had issue;- three sons

John Albert born at ? (must have been Ryde?) 1824, married Hannah Hale Salter of I W. No issue. He died 1882 aged 58

George born..... died in infancy. she died Nov. 20 1918 aged 91  
No trace of birth of these two

4 Joseph born Ryde. Nov. 24. 1831 (my grandfather) married Mary Jane Berryman 1855--issue 1 son. 1 dau'.

Daughter Fanny Maria born 1858 S'sea. married-

Henry Boryer - had issue 3 dau' all alive 1950.

5 a son James Joseph (My father) born 1856 - married had issue-

2 sons, 2 daus'. Florence Ethel. Albert James. Henrietta. James.

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6 Albert James born 1881, married Florence Mabel Shergold. 1899 and had issue 2 sons. 1 dau'. Of these--

7 Cecil Albert born London 1900 married Betty Ford & had issue- 1 son. 2 daus'. Of these we get