

RANSON, Edmund

B. 24 June 1903; s. of Joseph Ranson; ed. at St Edward's College, Liverpool; m. (1928) Ivy Dorothy dau. Of William Kewley of Douglas; 2 ch.; retired coach proprietor and tours operator; contested Middle as a Lab. candidate at the by-election of 1962; also unsuccessfully contested General Election in 1966 and by-election held in 1970; elected for Middle in 1971 General Election gaining second seat and was defeated by 208 votes in 1976; MHK (Middle) 1971-76 (MLP.); member, Manx Electric Railway Board 1971-76, Manx Museum 1971-76, Police Board 1971-74, Assessment Board 1974-76; interests – Political History – 15 Belgravia Road, Onchan.