

William COLK

Born: 1879 in Neatishead, Norfolk

Baptised: -

Parents: Father: Samuel Colk (born c.1849 in Belaugh)

Mother: Anna/Hannah (1854-1911)

married in 1875

Siblings: Ellen E Colk (born 1876 in Coltishall)

Samuel G (born 1877 Coltishall) served in WW

Rebecca (born 1880 in Neatishead) died in

Smallburgh Workhouse 11/12/1915,

buried in Neatishead

Rosanna (born 1881, baptised 1913 Neatishead)

Laura (born 1884 in Irstead)

Anna (born 1886 in Neatishead)

Robert (1890-1962) served in WW1

Charles Benjamin (1894-1973) served in WW1

Schooling: no record found

Occupation: -

Marriage: Alice Rose Cook (1882-)

Children: Sidney William Colk (1910-1962)

1881 census: Aged 3, living in The Street, Irstead with
parents and 5 siblings

1891 census: Aged 12, living in Irstead with
parents and 6 siblings (transcribed as Cock)

His sister Rebecca is listed on the Smallburgh Workhouse register of deaths:-
'Rebecca Colk from Neatishead, died 11.12.15 aged 36 from exhaustion,
buried 15.12.15 in Neatishead'

Military & War service:

Gunner 102394, Royal Garrison Artillery

Medals: Victory, British

Death: no record found

Burial: -

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Our Roll of Honour keeps steadily increasing, and we have pleasure in adding the following names to the list: Robert and Charles Colk, Arthur Tooley (10th Norfolks), Herbert Easton (Canal Transport Service) and Alfred Easton has entered a training ship. Mr. Sam Colk is to be congratulated on having four sons, and two sons-in-law now serving their king and Country.

Name.	Corps.	Rank.	Regt. No.
COLK.	RGA	Gnr	102394
William			
Medal.	Roll.	Page.	Remarks.
VICTORY	RGAA/157 ^B	5714	
BRITISH	do		
STAR			
Prop list RGA/424.			
Theatre of War first served in			
Date of entry therein			

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(Source: ancestry.co)