

ERNEST SMITH



Photograph from 'Cricket Club 1926' Hutton le Hole

Ernest's parents were Henry Smith and Betsy (nee Richardson) who were married at St Mary's, Lasingham, in 1893.

Henry was an ironstone miner. Betsy was the daughter of Amy Richardson from Farndale. No father is known. Betsy lived, from an early age, with her grand-parents Mark and Jane Richardson in Hutton le Hole.

Henry and Betsy had 8 children:

Laura – Ernest – Elsie – Alfred – Percy – Clarence – Marjorie – Fred.

Ernest was born in 1894.

The 1901 census shows the family living in Hutton le Hole.

The 1911 census shows Henry and Betsy in Hutton le Hole with 6 of their 8 children.

The 1911 census shows Ernest, aged 16, working as a farm labourer at Crook Farm, Wrelton for Mr John Coulman.

Ernest married Lily (nee Allanson). They lived at Dickens Cottage.

Ernest died. aged 78, in 1972.

Lily died, aged 82, in 1979.

They had a son Geoffrey Smith, born 1919.

In 1946 he married Gladys E (nee Farrow).

Geoffrey died in 1979.

Ernest and Lily's grandson Stephen H Smith married Julie (nee Humpleby) in 1979.

Stephen died in 2014 in Hovingham.

From local knowledge it is known that Ernest was gassed during WWI but unfortunately no military records have been found.

Ernest's brother Percy was a beekeeper and ran a Model 'T' Ford taxi in the 1920's.

Percy and Clarence were members, alongside Ernest, of the village cricket team.

1901 Census

Administrative County		Civil Parish		Ecclesiastical Parish		County Borough, Municipal Borough, or Urban District		Ward of Municipal Borough or of Urban District		Rural District		Parliamentary Borough or Division		Town or Village or Hamlet	
York		Kilnsea		Kilnsea		Kilnsea		Kilnsea		Kilnsea		Kilnsea		Kilnsea	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
No. of Inhabitants	ROAD, STREET &c. and No. or NAME of HOUSE	Uninhabited	HOUSES	Name and Surname of each Person	RELATION to Head of Family	Age last Birthday	PROFESSION OR OCCUPATION	Employer, Worker, or Own account	If Working at Home	WHERE BORN					
		In	In			Males	Females								
11	Kilnsea	1		Henry Smith	Head	70		Ironstone Miner	Worker		York, Scarborough				
				Betsy Do	Wife	70	26				Do, Do				
				Laura Do	Daughter	9	1				Do, Do				
				Ernest Do	Son	6	1				Do, Do				
				Elie Do	Daughter	3	1				Do, Do				
				Alfred Do	Son	1	1				Do, Do				

1911 Census for family

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
No.	Name	Relation	Age	Sex	Profession	Employment	Where Born	County	Parish	Ward	Street	No.	Other
1	Henry Smith	Head	80	M	Iron Miner	Worker	York	Scarborough					
2	Betsy Smith	Wife	80	F			Do	Do					
3	Elie Smith	Daughter	13	F	School		Do	Do					
4	Alfred Smith	Son	17	M	School		Do	Do					
5	Percy Smith	Son	16	M			Do	Do					
6	Clarence Smith	Son	14	M			Do	Do					
7	Margorie Smith	Daughter	12	F			Do	Do					
8	Ernest Smith	Son	16	M			Do	Do					

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4	Alfred Smith	Son	17	M	School		Do	Do							
5	Percy Smith	Son	16	M			Do	Do							
6	Clarence Smith	Son	14	M			Do	Do							
7	Margorie Smith	Daughter	12	F			Do	Do							
8	Ernest Smith	Son	16	M			Do	Do							

1911 Census showing Ernest aged 16 years, as a farm labourer on Crook Farm, Wretton for Mr John Coulman

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No.	Name	Relation	Age	Sex	Profession	Employment	Where Born	County	Parish	Ward	Street	No.	Other	County	Parish
1	John Nelson Coulman	Head	34	M	Farmer	Employer	York	Wetherby							
2	Frances Coulman	Wife	39	F			Do	Do							
3	Leonard William Hardwick	Son	24	M	Farmer	Worker	York	Wetherby							
4	Ernest Smith	Son	16	M	Farm Labourer	Worker	York	Wetherby							
5	Margorie Coulman	Daughter	15	F			Do	Do							
6	Edith Mary Coulman	Daughter	14	F			Do	Do							
7	Laura Barbara Coulman	Daughter	12	F			Do	Do							
8	John Robert Coulman	Son	2 months	M			Do	Do							

1939

Ernest Smith listed as mason's labourer.

Lily Smith listed as having unpaid domestic duties.



Gillamoor Churchyard

