

Righteous John REEVE (1876-)

Righteous John RFeeve's connection to North Lopham is by birth and residence.

Righteous John REEVE, son of Righteous REEVE (c. 1840-c. 1920) and Elizabeth CORBLE (-), was born on 17 September 1876 in North Lopham, Norfolk.¹ He was baptised on 14 July 1878 in North Lopham - parents Righteous (thatcher) and Elizabeth.²

The 1881 Census (held on 3 Apr 1881) shows Righteous at The Green in North Lopham - 4, living with parents Righteous (41, thatcher) and Elizabeth (40), and siblings Helen (14), Conrad T (13, thatchers labourer), Kate E (10, scholar), Frederick W (7, scholar), Amelia C (5, scholar) and Harry A (1).³

At the time of the 1891 Census, Righteous was living at Long Dray Way in North Lopham - 13, thatchers assistant, living with parents Righteous (51, thatcher) and Elizabeth (50), and siblings Charlotte A (15), Harry A (11, scholar) and Annie F (8, scholar).⁴

On 2 Apr 1911, (the 1911 Census), he was living at The Green in North Lopham - 34, carpenter, living with father Righteous John (71, thatcher) and siblings Frederick (37, thatcher) and Annie (28), and nephew Eric (7m).⁵

Little is known of his military service. He is found in the 1918 Absent voters list for North Lopham: 3974; Reeve, Righteous John; Gt. Common; 67974 Cpl., H. Co. R.E. This is also shown in his medal card.

No further information for Righteous has been found and verified after the 1911 Census.

The Lopham Project (Family Historian Report)

Sources

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