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## Robert Hamilton COLEMAN (1805-1872)

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1. **Robert Hamilton COLEMAN**, son of Robert COLEMAN (c. 1776-c. 1842) and Charlotte CALVER (c. 1771-c. 1834), was born on 21 Jan 1805 in Winfarthing, Norfolk. He was baptised on 27 Jan 1805 in Winfarthing. He and **Matilda WRAGG** had marriage banns published on 14 Aug 1831 in Winfarthing - other dates were 21.08.1831 and 28.08.1831. He married her on 1 Sep 1831 in Winfarthing. The marriage was witnessed by Ellis WRAGG, Maryann STUBBINGS and Ellis WRAGG. The ceremony was conducted by Rev. James CARVER, curate. He appeared in the census in 1841 at Shore Green in Winfarthing - 35, shopkeeper, living with wife Matilda (25). He appeared in the census in 1851 at Short Green in Winfarthing - 46, farmer, living with wife Matilda (36) and son Robert (8, scholar). In 1855 the Electoral Register showed him living at Short Green - copyhold house and land. In 1865 the Electoral Register showed him living at Short Green - copyhold house and land. In 1871 the Electoral Register showed him living at Short Green - copyhold house and land. Robert appeared in the census in 1871 at Banham Low Road in Tibenham, Norfolk - 66, farmer of 93 acres employing 3 men 1 boy, living with wife Matilda (56), Son Henry (28, farmer's son), brother-in-law Eliss WRAGG (52), and servants Hannah Trudgell (16, domestic servant) and Herbert Nickols (14, groom). In 1872 the Electoral Register showed him living at Yew Tree Farm - house and land (£12 rated occupier). Robert died on 11 May 1872 in Tibenham. He was buried on 18 May 1872 in Winfarthing. He had his estate probated on 6 Sep 1872 in Norwich, Norfolk - "COLMAN Robert. 5 September [1872]. The Will of Robert Coleman late of Tibenham in the County of Norfolk Farmer who died 11 Mar 1872 at Tibenham was proved at Norwich by Robert Henry Coleman of Tibenham Farmer the Son one of the Executors/ Effects under £800.". He is commorated in Winfarthing, Norfolk - "In memory of / ROBERT COLEMAN / who died MAY 11th 1872 / aged 67 years / also of . MATILDA COLEMAN / who died Feb. 28th 1873 / aged 58 years / and of / ROBERT HENRY COLEMAN / died at Tibenham / February 21 1877 / aged 34 years.".

Matilda WRAGG, daughter of Ellis WRAGG ( - ) and Elizabeth SPARKES ( - ), was born c. 1814 in Winfarthing. She died on 28 Feb 1873 in Tibenham. She and Robert Hamilton COLEMAN had the following children:

- +2 Henry COLEMAN (c. 1831-c. 1832)
- +3 Robert Henry COLEMAN (c. 1843-1877)

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## Second Generation

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2. **Henry COLEMAN**, son of Robert Hamilton COLEMAN and Matilda WRAGG, was born c. 1831 in Winfarthing, Norfolk. He died c. 1832. He was buried on 14 Sep 1832 in Winfarthing - aged 10 mos 3 wks.
3. **Robert Henry COLEMAN**, son of Robert Hamilton COLEMAN and Matilda WRAGG, was born c. 1843 in Winfarthing. He died on 21 Feb 1877 in Tibenham, Norfolk.