

GEORGE W WILSON



George William Wilson was born in 1899.

He served as a Corporal in the Suffolk Regiment, Regimental Number 38527, during the First World War.

The 1918-1919 Electoral Register for Partney shows George as an absent voter normally resident at The Red Lion Inn.

He married Margaret Mary Medcalf in 1918. The Wilsons lived in Hardings Lane, Partney. Mr Wilson ran a car spray works in the Red Lion yard. He was a coach painter trained on horse drawn coaches and was a master craftsman who could paint accurate lines virtually freehand. He employed Ray Coultan and Tom Parker; Ray Coultan later took over the business when Mr Wilson retired which then transferred to Dalby Road.

George died on 29th March 1968 and is buried in Partney Cemetery.