Charles Albert Smith Edith Elizabeth Vallé

Charles & Elizabeth were married in Lambeth on 3rd September 1899. He was a warehouseman, bachelor aged 23 and she an umbrella finisher, spinster and aged 22. His father was John William Smith and his mother Rosina Ing. Her parents were Joseph Hallihan Vallé and Eliza Gladman. The witnesses at the wedding were her father and her half sister, Frances Eliza Evans:

1899 Marriage St Peter's Lambeth, London. No. 368 3 Sept 1899.

Husband: Charles Albert Smith, 23, bachelor, warehouseman, 58 Liverpool Street, (father John William Smith, Engineer).

Wife: Edith Elizabeth Vallé, 22 spinster, umbrella finisher, 58 Liverpool Street, (father Joseph Hallahan Vallé, cheesemonger).

Witnesses: Joseph Hallihan Vallé, Frances Eliza Evans.

On August third the following year, their first child, Reginald Charles was born at 10 Blucher Road, Camberwell, Lambeth.

Birth 1900 Camberwell, London No. 404. 3 Aug 1900 10 Blutcher Road.

Child: Reginald Charles, boy, father Charles Albert Smith, warehouse assistant, mother Edith Elizabeth Smith formerly Vallé. Informant: Edith E Smith 10 Blutcher Road.

In the 1901 census at 10 Blucher Road, Camberwell, in four of the six rooms are Sidney Evans (Edith's half brother), his wife and child and Charles and Edie with Reginald: In the first two rooms:

Sidney Evans, head, married, 30, provision warehouseman, worker, Hackney

Florence Evans, wife, married, 28, Camberwell

Sidney Evans, son,3, Camberwell

and in the remaining two rooms:

Charles A Smith, head, married, 24, cheesemongers warehouseman, Lambeth

Edith E Smith, wife, married, 24, Hackney

Reginald C Smith, son,8mo., Camberwell

A second child, Charles Alfred E Smith was born Jan-March 1903. (Lambeth 1d 498.)

Ten years later in the 1911 census we find at 52 Lorrimore St. Southwark.

Sub-district: Newington South. Dist 7. Parish: St. Mary Newington.

Charles Albert Smith, head, married, 33, provision warehouseman, Walnut Tree Walk, Westminster.

Edie Elizabeth Smith, wife, married, 34, (married 11 years), St. Annes Pl., Hackney

Reginald Charles Smith, son, unmarried, 10, Blutcher Rd., Camberwell.

Charles A W Smith, son, 7, Lorrimore St. Kennington.

The addresses are more detailed than usual although Walnut Tree Walk is in Lambeth, not Westminster!

For 1890 and present day maps of Lambeth and Walnut Tree Walk see:

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Situation of Lorrimore Road

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The seven year old Charles was later to marry Gladys, the daughter of Australian Florrie Forde the famous Music Hall singer. See

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Florrie Forde

http://www.fredgodfreysongs.ca/Songs/It Takes An Irish Heart.htm

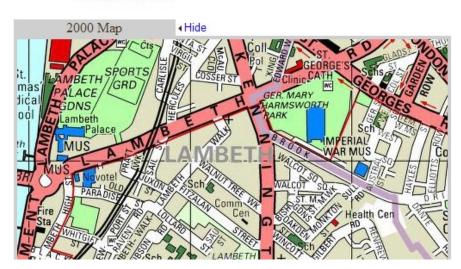
http://www.fredgodfreysongs.ca/Songs/Take Me Back To Dear Old Blighty.htm

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Location of Walnut Tree Walk:



▲ Reduce view area





Colours on the Booth map vary from those shown here, mainly due to differences in the

Situation of Lorrimore Road below:

