Midland Ancestors

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Tuesday 8th October 2019 at 7.45 p.m.
"The Real War Horse"
by Robin Hill



The First World War was the last major conflict in which horses played a major role. Many of these were recruited from farms and towns, given limited training, and put straight into action - just like the soldiers themselves. And like the soldiers, many did not return.

In this talk we look at the way in which the British Army assembled the vast quantity of livestock it needed, how the animals were cared for, and the tasks they were given in the European campaign - not forgetting the bravery shown by the horses, and some incredible stories of their survival.

Overleaf is "The Cousin Explainer" a simple was of showing your family and friends relationships. Copy the page or buy it online as a tea towel or tee shirt etc.

Next meeting 12 November "My Churchley Family" by Richard Churchley

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