

# HARMON, WILLIAM MILTON

## EARLY LIFE

**Jun 30, 1874**

Born in King Township, Ontario to Emanuel and Elizabeth (Sagel) Harmon.

**1891 Census**

Age 17

Lived in Port Elgin, Ontario with Emanuel Harmon (head of house – father, age 57), Elizabeth Harmon (mother, age 54), Thomas Harmon (brother, age 26), Sarah Harmon (sister, age 19) and George Harman (brother, age 14).

**Jun 7, 1895**

Age 20

Married Maggie Blendour (age 20), daughter of John and Margaret (Schaus) Blendour of Bruce, Ontario.

**1901 Census**

Age 26

Lived in Kinloss, Ontario with Maggie Harman (wife, age 25), Irene Harmon (daughter, age 2) and Stanley Harman (son, age 1).

## MILITARY SERVICE

**Jan 20, 1916**

Attested to the 160<sup>th</sup> Overseas Battalion, Canadian Expeditionary Force

**Attestation  
Paper**

- **Number:** 651415
- **Present address:** Port Elgin, Ontario
- **Next of kin given:** Mrs. Margaret Harmon (Wife) in Port Elgin, Ontario
- **Trade or calling:** Labourer
- **Married:** Yes
- **Previous military experience:** No
- **Religion:** Mennonite
- **Physical attributes:**
  - **Age:** 41 years, 7 months
  - **Height:** 5'7"
  - **Complexion:** Medium
  - **Eyes:** Gray
  - **Hair:** Dark Brown

**Oct 17, 1916**

Age 42

Departed Canada through Halifax.

**Oct 28, 1916**

Age 42

Arrived in England on the S.S. Metagama.

**Oct 18, 1918**

Age 44

Gunshot wound.

**Feb 19, 1919**

Age 44

Private William Harmon was discharged because of demobilization. He served in Canada, England and France.

**May 1, 1936**

Age 61

William died.