

WELLS, HARPER FRANCIS

EARLY LIFE

Dec 5, 1896

Born in King Township, Ontario to Albert and Annie (Farren) Wells.

1901 Census

Age 4

Lived in King Township, Ontario with Albert Wells (head of house – father, age 34), Annie Wells (mother, age 34), Joseph Wells (brother, age 7) and James Wells (brother, 7 months).

1911 Census

Age 14

Lived in King Township, Ontario with Albert Wells (head of house – father, age 44), Annie Wells (mother, age 43), Joseph Wells (brother, age 18) and James Wells (brother, age 10).

MILITARY SERVICE

Nov 24, 1915

Attested to 126th Overseas Battalion, Canadian Over-seas Expeditionary Force

**Attestation
Paper**

- **Number:** 775416
- **Present address:** King, Ontario
- **Next of kin given:** Albert Wells (Father) in King, Ontario
- **Trade or calling:** Farmer
- **Married:** No
- **Previous military experience:** No
- **Religion:** Methodist
- **Physical attributes:**
 - **Age:** Presbyterian
 - **Height:** 5'7 ½"

AFTER THE WAR

Dec 10, 1919

Married Irene Myrtle Lloyd (age 22), daughter of Thomas Fortes and Amelia 'Minnie' (Cain) Lloyd. Irene's brother **Thomas Earl Lloyd** was also in the war.

Age 23

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