

THOMPSON, RUSSELL LEROY

EARLY LIFE

May 17, 1897

Born in King City, Ontario to William John and Margaret Jane (Paxton) Thompson.

1901 Census

Age 2

Lived in King Township, Ontario with William Thompson (head of house – father, age 33), Maggie Thompson (mother, age 31), Albert Thompson (brother, age 7), Jennie Thompson (sister, age 5) and Hilda Thompson (sister, age 1).

1911 Census

Age 11

Lived at 8 Castlefield Avenue, Toronto, Ontario with William Thompson (head of house – father, age 43), Jessie Thompson (mother, age 35), Jennie Thompson (sister, age 15), Alice Thompson (sister, age 7), William Thompson (brother, age 3), Fred Thompson (brother, age 1) and Harold Thompson (brother, 6 months).

MILITARY SERVICE

May 9, 1916

Attested 220th York Rangers Overseas Battalion, Canadian Over-seas Expeditionary Force

**Attestation
Paper**

- **Number:** 285269
- **Present address:** 8 Castle Field Avenue, Toronto, Ontario
- **Next of kin given:** Mr. William John Thompson (Father) in Toronto, Ontario
- **Trade or calling:** Butcher
- **Married:** No
- **Previous military experience:** Yes – 12th York Rangers
- **Religion:** Church of England
- **Physical attributes:**
 - **Age:** 18 years, 11 months
 - **Height:** 5'5 ½"
 - **Complexion:** Light
 - **Eyes:** Grey
 - **Hair:** Fair

AFTER THE WAR

Jul 30, 1928

Married Lillian May Brookes (age 23), daughter of Herbert and Nellie (Cooke) Brookes.

Age 30