

H. M. (Mel) Moynes

H. M. (Mel) Moynes entered into rest on Friday, June 19, 1970, in Windsor, Ontario, where he had resided for many years.

Born in Lindsay, the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. John H. Moynes, he was the husband of the late Dolly Jones RN. He is survived by one daughter, Marnie (Mrs. W. Gatfield) of Windsor, and by one brother, Ford Moynes of Lindsay.

Mel Moynes attended public and high school in Lindsay before becoming employed by the Canadian Pacific Railway as a clerk in the Lindsay freight department. Following World War I he returned to the CPR in Lindsay, and shortly afterward he became a traffic inspector stationed at London, Ontario.

He was promoted to a larger field of endeavor at Windsor when he became public relations officer for the Company. While in the border city he was quite active as a member of the Lions Club and as a member of the Windsor Golf Club. He was particularly successful as a good will ambassador for the Canadian Pacific Railway and was recognized as a capable good will official.

In the field of sports, Mr. Moynes was a member of a YMCA ball team that won the town league championship in Lindsay. He was a member of the Lindsay Curling Club and the Lindsay Golf Club and for several years he was a member of the Cambridge Street United Church choir.

The late Mel Moynes was a veteran of World War I where he served as an officer with the Pay Corps of the 109th Battalion recruited in Victoria and Haliburton Counties. He followed the unit to France and he was a member of the unit male chorus which performed before Her Majesty the Queen.