

ASHBURY, WILFRED

EARLY LIFE

Oct 16, 1887

Born in Schomberg, Ontario to Edward and Ellen (Parr) Ashbury.

1891 Census

Age 4

Lived in King, Ontario with Edward Ashbury (head of house – father, age 46), Ellen (mother, age 35), John Ashbury (brother, age 19), Joseph Ashbury (brother, age 17), Eddie Ashbury (brother, age 15), Ida Ashbury (sister, age 15), Gerta Ashbury (sister, age 10), Laura Ashbury (sister, age 8) and Eunice-Anne Ashbury (sister, age 6).

1901 Census

Age 14

Wilfred Ashbury (age 14) lived in Toronto, Ontario with Ellen Ashbury (head of house – mother, age 45), Joseph Ashbury (brother, age 29), Edward Ashbury (brother, age 24), Laura Ashbury (sister, age 18), Eunice-Anne Ashbury (sister, age 16).

MILITARY SERVICE

Oct 23, 1918

Drafted under Military Service Act, 1917 into 1st Depot Battalion, 1st Central Ontario Regiment

**Attestation
Paper**

- **Number:** 3040995
- **Present address:** 313 Euclid Avenue, Toronto, Ontario
- **Next of kin given:** Helen Ashbury (Mother) at 313 Euclid Avenue, Toronto, Ontario
- **Trade or calling:** Moulder
- **Married:** No
- **Previous military experience:** No
- **Religion:** Church of England
- **Physical attributes:**
 - **Age:** 31 years
 - **Height:** 5'7"
 - **Complexion:** Medium
 - **Eyes:** Brown
 - **Hair:** Black
 - **Distinctive marks:** Burn scars on back of right hand

Feb 25, 1919

Age 31

Sapper Wilfred Ashbury was discharged because of demobilization. He served in Canada for 126 days.