

JARVIS, DAVID IMRIE

EARLY LIFE

Jan 5, 1899

Born in King, Ontario to Sylvania and Florence (Rumble) Jarvis.

1911 Census

Age 12

Lived in Vaughan, Ontario with Sylvania Jarvis (head of house – father, age 38), Florence Jarvis (mother, age 36), Effie Jarvis (sister, age 14) and Irene Jarvis (sister, age 7).

MILITARY SERVICE

May 10, 1918

Attested to the 69th Overseas Battery, Canadian Over-seas Expeditionary Force

**Attestation
Paper**

- **Number:** 240632
- **Present address:** 623 Manning Avenue, Toronto, Ontario
- **Next of kin given:** Florence Jarvis (Mother) of Toronto, Ontario
- **Trade or calling:** Clerk
- **Married:** No
- **Previous military experience:** No
- **Religion:** Baptist
- **Physical attributes:**
 - **Age:** 19 years, 4 months
 - **Height:** 6'1"
 - **Complexion:** Fair
 - **Eyes:** Hazel
 - **Hair:** Light Brown
 - **Distinctive marks:** Scar on left knee vertical, wax right ear

Oct 4, 1918

Departed Canada.

Age 19

Oct 18, 1918

Arrived in England.

Age 19

Oct 6, 1919

Private David Jarvis was discharged because of demobilization.

Age 20

AFTER THE WAR

1921 Census

Age 22

Worked as an agent and lived at 950 Shane Street, Toronto, Ontario with Sylvania Jarvis (head of house – father, age 49), Florence Jarvis (mother, age 46), Alexander MacDonald (brother-in-law, age 30), Effie Jarvis (sister, age 24) and Irene Jarvis (sister, age 17).

May 30, 1925

Married Edith Joan Wells (age 24), daughter of Parnham and Alice (Smeless) Wells. At the time of their wedding, David worked as a police constable and Edith worked as a clerk.

Age 26

IN THE NEWS

Marriage Announcement

The Toronto Star

Monday, June 1, 1925 pg. 20

JARVIS—WELLS

A very quiet wedding was solemnized at Hillcrest Church of Christ Saturday afternoon, when Edith Joan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Parnham Wells, King, Ontario, was united in holy matrimony to David Imrie, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. Jarvis, Toronto. Rev. Mr. Quiggan performed the ceremony. The bride wore a black and grey ensemble suit with hat and shoes to match, and carried yellow roses.

The Globe and Mail

Monday, June 1, 1925 pg. 12

JARVIS-WELLS—On Saturday, May 30, 1925,—by Rev. Mr. Quiggan, Edith Joan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Parnham Wells, King, Ont., to David Imrie, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. Jarvis, Toronto. 26