HUME, JOHN A. (JACK)





JOHN (JACK) A. HUME WW I - CANADIAN ARMY HONOURED BY The Hume and Forster Families



Jack was born in Calgary on July 5, 1898, and moved with his family to Firlands Ranch, north of Wilmer. In 1905 his family moved to Lacombe, Alberta, and in 1915 Jack was hired as a bank teller. He enlisted in 1916 and went overseas, transferring to his brother Frank's Forty-Seventh Battalion in the Canadian Infantry. The brothers were together at Passchendaele when Frank was wounded and later died. Discharged in 1919, Jack married Clara in 1921 and they had Vincent, Doreen, and Frank Brogden Hume, named after his heroic brother. Jack owned a hotel in Vernon, B.C. He died in Vancouver in 1990.

