TUNNACLIFFE, MARVIN EDGAR



Marvin was born in Wilmer on May 15, 1914 and married Ethel in 1935. They raised Don and Lynn. Enlisting with the RCAF in 1942, he won his wings in 1943, becoming a Flying Officer and teaching navigation. His family spent two wartime years with him at RCAF Station St. Jean in Quebec. After the war, he and business partner Charlie Osterloh operated a general store and then Invermere Hardware. Marvin was an avid golfer, and a pianist who formed the popular Tunny's Orchestra. He was a councillor and then mayor of Invermere from 1968 to 1970.

Marvin died in 1980.

