George Henry Armstrong

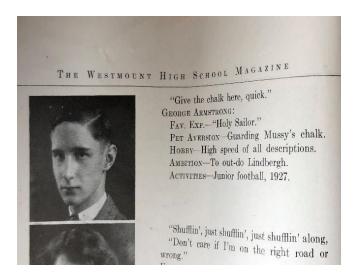
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Date of Birth: 24 February 1913

Date of Death: 21 January 1942 (28 yrs

old)



Family Info, date and place of birth

George Henry Armstrong was born in Gananoque, Ontario, Canada on February 24, 1913. He was the son of Ives H. Armstrong and Evelyn R.B. He had two brothers named Douglas, and Flight Officer Hadley Armstrong who was an instructor for the Royal Canadian Air Force. He was married to Mildred G. Lawson, and had a daughter named Gale Armstrong. After his father's death, he moved to Montreal to live with his uncle and aunt, Dr. and Mrs. Fred J. Tees, in the borough of Westmount.



Relation to Westmount High school

For his secondary education he went to Selwyn house and graduated from Westmount High in 1929. At Westmount he played hockey, and was part of the Junior Football club in 1927. In the yearbook, he says his ambitions were to out do his fellow classmate, Lindenbergh, and his pet peeve was guarding the chalk of his classmate, Mussy. His yearbook quote said "Give the chalk here, quirk."

About George Armstrong's service

George H. Armstrong was enlisted into the war after his graduation in 1929. He was killed in an airplane crash near Trenton, Ontario during training. His number was J8911, he was ranked as a pilot officer for the Royal Canadian Air Force, and received his wings at St. Hubert on Nov 21, 1941. Before being enlisted in the army, he worked for St. Lawrence Sugar Refineries, Ltd.

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