

MELVIN GRAYDON ATKINS.

Mr. Atkins enlisted as a private in November 1916. After training for three weeks at Toronto, he sailed with the mechanical transport, reaching France in March 1917.

From that time until the Armistice he was engaged in driving munitions and men to the trenches over roads that were many times under shell fire and exposed to aerial attack, but he escaped without a scratch, his only casualty being an attack of Spanish Influenza which sent him to hospital.