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Jones was employed in the Customs Division, Department of National Revenue.

Reg. No. 9727 ex-Cpl. Wm. C. H. W. Hammond, 63, died suddenly on May 7, 1949, at his home in Cloverdale, B.C. He joined the RCMP at Ottawa, on Jan. 6, 1921, saw service there at Headquarters in the Accounts Branch, Firearms Registration Branch and Intelligence Section, also in "E" Division, Vancouver, as orderly room clerk, and was a member of the mounted section. He was promoted corporal, Mar. 1, 1929, and retired to pension Oct. 17, 1939. A veteran of both World Wars, ex-Corporal Hammond had a distinguished military record. In World War I he enlisted Aug. 4, 1914, with the 36th Peel County Regiment, Toronto, transferred to the Royal Canadian Horse Artillery, Kingston, and two months later proceeded overseas. He took part in the French

and Belgian campaigns and in 1915 was awarded a commission in the 4th Battalion, Bedfordshire Regiment, Imperial Army, On Dec. 8, 1917 he was placed on the retired list of officers because of incapacities resulting from his war service. After retiring from the RCMP in 1939, ex-Corporal Hammond, although 53 years of age, answered the call to duty once more, and enlisted in the RCAF. He retired at the end of World War II with the rank of Wing Commander, having been Deputy Assistant Provost Marshal, During a tour of duty with the Eastern Air Command. Halifax, in 1941, he was aboard the Cariboo on its way to Newfoundland, when it was sunk by enemy action. Injuries received in that action and long immersion in icy waters seriously undermined his health. For his war services he was invested with the MBE in

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In the Canadian Military Cemetery at Holten in Holland, two little Dutch girls lay flowers on one of the graves. Some 1,300 Canadians who gave their lives in North West Europe are buried here.