

CECIL LORNE MOORE

Cecil Moore, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Wellington P. Moore, Prescott, lived in Maynard from early boyhood with his aunt, Miss Orpha Spicer, and attended Dulmage's School and Prescott High School.

At age 22 years, he enlisted with the R. C. A. F. at Ottawa, and took a pre-enlistment course for radio technician there July 1, 1941 to January 1, 1942 at Ottawa Technical School. At completion of this course, he had his basic training at Manning Depot, Toronto, then was posted to R. C. A. F. Radar School at Clinton, Ontario for 3 months Ground Radar Mechanics course, followed by Ground Radar Operators course. Then he was posted to #1 Radar Station, Preston, Nova Scotia, where he served from July 1, 1942 until posted to Gander, Newfoundland, January 1, 1943, #19 Radar Detachment. On September 1, 1942, he was awarded Corporal stripes; March 1, 1943, sergeant stripes, and October 1, 1943, Flight Sergeant.
May 1944, posted to Radar Detachment, St. John, New Brunswick; October 1944, Port Dufferin, Nova Scotia.

In March 1945, Cecil was at Clinton, Ontario, on the staff of the R. C. S. F. Radar School, and remained there until his discharge at Manning Pool, Toronto, Sept. 4, 1945. He was awarded the C.V.S.M. with clasp. During the time spent in the R.C.A.F and up to August 1, 1946, Cecil took a correspondence course and secured Stationary Steam Engineer's papers. Under Dept. of Veterans Affairs plan, he took electricians course, and employment came as Plant Engineer, Ganong Bros. St. Stepmen, New Brunswick He returned to Prescott, where he and his wife, Maxine Lawrence, Seaforth, and their 2 sons and daughter made their home, now near Blue Church.

- from Cecil moore