

Biographical Notes on Leolyn Dana Milgress, Esq., B.A., L.L.D.,  
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Born Vancouver, B.C., October 20, 1892, Educated:  
Queen's School, Vancouver, B.C.; Modern School, Yokohama, Japan;  
University School, Victoria, B.C.; McGill University, Junior Trade  
Commissioner, 1914; Trade Commissioner, Omsk, Siberia, 1916;  
transferred to Vladivostock, 1918; investigated trade openings  
in South China, 1918; Member Canadian Economic Mission to Siberia,  
1918-19; investigated trade opening in S.E. Europe, 1920-21;  
seconded to special work at London, England, 1921-22; paid two  
visits of investigation to Soviet Union, 1921 and 1923; appointed  
Canadian Trade Commissioner, Hamburg, 1922; investigated trade  
openings in many European countries; appointed Director, Commercial  
Intelligence Service, Department of Trade and Commerce, March, 1932;  
appointed Deputy Minister of Trade and Commerce, September 1940;  
appointed Minister to U.S.S.R. November 1942 (later Ambassador);  
appointed Ambassador to Switzerland, 1947; appointed High  
Commissioner for Canada in the United Kingdom, 1949; Under-  
Secretary of State for External Affairs, 1952; Chairman of the  
Contracting Parties to G.A.T.T., 1948-51 and 1953-56; Ambassador  
and Permanent Representative of Canada to the North Atlantic  
Council, Paris, 1953-1958; Chairman, Canadian Section of Canada-  
United States Permanent Joint Board on Defence, 1959.