

HUMPHREY HUME WRONG

Mr. Wrong was born in Toronto, Ont., on September 10, 1894, and attended the University of Toronto and Balliol College, Oxford. During the First World War, he served in France and Belgium with the British Army and was later seconded to the Royal Flying Corps. After his discharge in 1919, Mr. Wrong returned to the University of Toronto as Assistant Professor of History.

In 1927, Mr. Wrong joined the Department of External Affairs to become First Secretary at the newly opened Canadian Legation in Washington, and served there until 1937. He was then appointed Canadian Advisory Officer and later Permanent Delegate of Canada to the League of Nations, serving there until 1939, and also sat as a Representative on the ILO Governing Body. From 1939 to 1941 he served in London as Special Economic Adviser, and in Washington as Minister Counsellor, 1941-1942.

In 1942 he became Assistant, and in 1944 Associate Under-Secretary of State for External Affairs. He was appointed Canadian Ambassador to the United States in 1946.

Mr. Wrong was a member of the Supervisory Commission of the League of Nations, 1942-1946, of the Far Eastern Commission, 1949, and of the North Atlantic Defence Committee, 1950. He has attended numerous international conferences including: Imperial Economic Conference, Ottawa, 1932; League of Nations Assemblies, Geneva, 1938, 1939, 1946; United Nations Conference on International Organization, San Francisco, 1945; United Nations General Assembly, London, 1947; Tripartite Economic Conference, Washington, 1949; the North Atlantic Council, Washington, 1949.

Mr. Wrong is the author of "The Government of the West Indies" and "Sir Alexander MacKenzie, Explorer and Fur Trader".

Mr. Wrong is married to the former Joyce Hutton. They have two children.

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