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The Secretary of State for External Affairs, the Honourable Howard Green, announced today the appointment of Dr. Orvill E. Ault as Consul General in San Francisco, California, U.S.A. Dr. Ault succeeds Mr. C.C. Eberts, recently appointed Canadian High Commissioner to Pakistan.

Dr. Ault was born in Iroquois, Ontario, in 1899. He is a graduate of Queen's University, the University of Toronto, and the University of Edinburgh.

Between graduation and World War II, Dr. Ault taught in Ontario primary, secondary, and normal schools. After enlisting in the Canadian Army in 1942, he served as Lieut-Colonel with Canadian Army Headquarters Overseas until 1946. That year he received his discharge and was appointed Director of the Personnel Selection Branch of the Civil Service Commission. In 1951 he was assigned to the Imperial Defence College in London, England. He was Director of the Planning and Development Branch of the Civil Service Commission from 1952 to 1958, when he was made Director of the Economic and Technical Assistance Branch of the Department of Trade and Commerce, an appointment he has held since that date. During 1957, he served in Ghana under the auspices of the United Nations as an expert in Public Administration.

Dr. Ault is married.