

JULES LEGER - Mr. Leger was born in Saint-Anicet, Quebec, April 4, 1913. He was educated at the College of Valleyfield, Quebec, and the University of Montreal where he received a degree in the Faculty of Law in 1936. He then studied at the Sorbonne and received his Doctorate at the University of Paris in 1938.

Returning to Canada in 1938, Mr. Leger joined the staff of the newspaper "Le Droit" in Ottawa.

In July, 1940, he was appointed to the Department of External Affairs and served as Third Secretary in Ottawa until 1943. He was then posted to the Canadian Embassy at Santiago, Chile, where he was Charge d'Affaires from April, 1945, to February, 1947. His next appointment was to the Office of the High Commissioner for Canada in London, where he served as Second Secretary. In 1948 Mr. Leger attended the meetings of Commonwealth Prime Ministers in London, and was an adviser to the Canadian Delegation to the third session of the General Assembly of the United Nations.

SAUL F. RAE - Mr. Rae was born in Hamilton, Ontario, on December 31, 1914. He was educated at the University of Toronto where, after receiving his B.A. in 1936, he held a Massey Fellowship for post-graduate study. After studying at the University of London from 1936 to 1938, he received the degree of Doctor of Philosophy and then spent a year at Balliol College, Oxford. In 1939 he was associated with the American Institute of Public Opinion at Princeton.

After joining the Department of External Affairs in 1940, he served as Private Secretary to the Under-Secretary of State for External Affairs from 1941 to 1943, when he was posted to Algiers on the staff of Major-General Vanier, Canadian Representative to the French Committee of National Liberation. From September 2, 1944, until his return to Ottawa early in 1947, Mr. Rae served as Secretary to the Canadian Embassy in Paris. While in France he was a member of the Canadian delegation at the Allied Conference on German Reparations (1945), and Secretary-General of the Canadian delegation at the Paris Peace Conference (1946). On his return to Ottawa, Mr. Rae was appointed to the American and Far Eastern Division, and was Secretary of the Canadian Section of the Permanent Joint Board on Defence. In July, 1947, he was appointed Head of the Information Division. He was an adviser to the Canadian delegation to the second session of the General Assembly of the United Nations in New York in the autumn of 1947.