

# CANADIAN DELEGATION TO THE UNITED NATIONS GENERAL ASSEMBLY

# (EIGHTEENTH SESSION)

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Further to our Press Release No. 1 of September 9, 1963, the Prime Minister, the Right Honourable Lester B. Pearson, has announced the following names to the list of Parliamentary Observers in the Canadian Delegation to the Eighteenth Session of the United Nations General Assembly.

The Hon. Schator Olive L. Irvine - Member of the Senate of Canada.

The Hon. Hugh John Flemming, M.P. - Member of Parliament for Victoria Carleton, N.B.

Mr. Gilles Gregoire, M.P. - Member of Parliament for Lapointe, Que.

Brief biographical sketches of these Parliamentary Observers are as follows:

# THE HON. SENATOR OLIVE L. IRVINE

Mrs. Irvine was educated at Portage la Prairie and Winnipeg Normal Schools. A former teacher. She was former President of the Women's Conservative Association of Manitoba and former President of South Winnipeg Association. Mrs. Irvine has been Manitoba's representative on the National Capital Commission since February 1959. She was summoned to the Senate on January 14, 1960. Party: Progressive Conservative. Home: Winnipeg, Man.

# THE HON. HUGH JOHN FLEMMING, M.P.

Mr. Flemming is Member of Parliament for Victoria-Carleton, N.B. He started his political career when he became Municipal Councillor, County of Carleton, 1921-1933; Elected to the New Brunswick Legislature at the general elections in 1944; Re-elected at general elections 1948, 1952 and 1956; Sworn in as Premier of New Brunswick, 1952; Minister of Municipal Affairs, 1952. First elected to House of Commons, Ottawa, at a by-election, 1960; Re-elected general elections 1962; Appointed Minister of Forestry in Conservative Government, 1960; Appointed Minister of National Revenue, 1962. Home: Ottawa, Ontario.

### MR. GILLES GREGOIRE, M.P.

Mr. Gregoire is Member of Parliament for Lapointe, Quebec. He was educated at St. Louis de Conzague College, Quebec, Jesuits College of Quebec and Laval University, Quebec. He was first elected to the House of Commons in 1962. Party: Social Credit. Home: Quebec, Que. MINUTAL TO BUILDING AND THE CONTRACTOR OF THE and the second of the second of the second

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### DR. JOHN B. STEWART, M.P.

Dr. Stewart is Member of Parliament for Antigonish-Guysborough and is currently serving as Parliamentary Secretary to the Secretary of State for External Affairs. Dr. Stewart is a former Professor of Political Science at Columbia and at St. Francis Xavier Universities. From 1953 to 1955 he was a consultant to the Rockefeller Foundation. Home: Bayfield, Antigonish County, Nova Scotia.

# THE HON. MILTON F. GREGG

Mr. Gregg is a former Cabinet Minister and a former President of the University of New Brunswick. He served with distinction in both World Wars and was awarded the Victoria Cross. He was recently returned to Canada after serving in the United Nations Mission in Iraq and Indonesia. Mr. Gregg is Canada's candidate for the Chairmanship of the Fifth (Administrative and Budgetary) Committee.

### MRS. MARGARET KONANTZ, M.P.

Mrs. Konantz is Member of Parliament for Winnipeg South. She has served on the Executive Committees of a number of regional and national welfare organizations. For her war service she was awarded the Order of the British Empire. Mrs. Komantz has also worked with the United Nations Association in Canada and with UNICEF. She has travelled throughout Asia and Africa to study at close range the work of UNICEF. Home: Winnipeg, Manitoba.

#### MR. PAUL TREMBLAY

Mr. Tremblay joined the Department of External Affairs in 1940 and served in a number of posts abroad before being appointed Ambassador to Chile in 1959. In 1962, he became Canada's Permanent Representative at the United Nations. He has served on the Canadian Delegation to the sixteenth and seventeenth sessions of the General Assembly. Home: Ottawa, Ontario.

# THE HON. SENATOR T. D'ARCY LEONARD

Mr. D'Arcy Leonard is a distinguished Member of the Senate since 1955. He practiced law for a number of years and was General Manager of the Canadian Trust Company from 1942 to 1956. He has also served as President of a number of trust and insurance companies. Home: Toronto, Ontario.

# MR. LEO CADIEUX, M.P.

Mr. Cadieux is Member of Parliament for Terrebonne. He is Director of the newspaper "Lavenir du Nord" and of the magazine "La Revue Moderne". During the Second World War he served in the Public Relations Branch of the Canadian Army and, later, worked as a War Correspondent. Home: St. Antoine des Laurentides, Quebec.

### MR. GEORGE NIXON, M.P.

Mr. Nixon is Member of Parliament for Algoma West. He represented the Canadian Government at the 1948 I.L.O. Conference in Geneva. He was a delegate to the Meeting of the NATO Parliamentary Association in Paris in 1957. He also attended the sixteenth and seventeenth sessions of the General Assembly as an Observer. He will serve as Alternate Representative at the Eighteenth Session until November 1 when he will be replaced by Mr. James E. Brown, Q.C. Home: Sault St. Marie, Ontario.

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# MR. JAMES E. BROWN. M.P.

Mr. Brown is Member of Parliament for Brantford. He was educated at the University of Toronto, London School of Economics, University of Grenoble, France, and Osgoode Hall Law School. He has been active in municipal affairs and federal politics for a number of years. Home: Ottawa, Ontario.

### MR. KALMEN KAPLANSKY

Mr. Kaplansky is the Director of the International Affairs Department of Canadian Labour Congress. He is a Deputy Member (Workers' Group) of the Governing Body of the International Labour Organization and has attended a number of international conferences and technical meetings of the Organization as the Canadian Workers' Delegate. Home: Ottawa, Ontario.

### MR. J. LOUIS E. COUILLARD

Mr. Couillard joined the Department of External Affairs in 1948. He served as Deputy Canadian Representative on Organization for the European Economic Cooperation from 1950 to 1952. Subsequently he was posted to London and Washington. In 1958 he was appointed Canadian Ambassador to Venezuela and, since 1962, has been Canadian Ambassador to Norway and Iceland. Home: Ottawa, Ontario.

### LT.-GEN. EEDSON L.M. BURNS

General Burns is Former Commander of the United Nations Emergency Force in the Middle East and is the Canadian Government Adviser on Disarmament. He has been representing Canada at Geneva disarmament talks since 1959 and was a member of the Canadian Delegation to the fifteenth, sixteenth and seventeenth sessions of the General Assembly. General Burns will serve on the Delegation during the discussion on disarmament and related items. Home: Ottawa, Ontario.

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