

CURRICULUM VITAE

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NAME: WRIGHT, Mary J(ean)

DATE OF BIRTH: May 20, 1915

PLACE OF BIRTH: Strathroy, Ontario

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PRESENT STATUS: Professor Emerita, Department of Psychology
University of Western Ontario
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EDUCATION: Strathroy Elementary and Secondary Schools
University Degrees:
B.A. Honours Psychology and Philosophy,
University of Western Ontario, 1939
M.A. Psychology, University of Toronto, 1940
Ph.D. Psychology, University of Toronto, 1949

PROFESSIONAL ACCREDITATION: Registered Psychologist, Province of Ontario, 1961-1983
Certified Preschool Teacher AECE Ontario, 1967

University Academic and Administrative Appointments:

1945-1946 Lecturer, University of Toronto, Institute of Child Study

1946- University of Western Ontario, Department of Psychology:
Assistant (1946); Associate (1955); Full Professor (1962)

1960-1963 Chairman, Department of Psychology, Middlesex College

1963-1970 Chairman, Department of Psychology, University of Western Ontario

1970-1971 Study Leave

1973-1980 Director of the University Laboratory Preschool

1980- Professor Emerita

1983-1989 Member: Executive Board of Huron College

Non-University Professional Appointments:

1941-1942	Supervisor of school age children, Protestant Children's Village, Ottawa, Canada
1942-1944	Instructor in nursery education and nursery school teacher, Canadian Children's Service Overseas, Garrison Lane Nursery Training School, Birmingham, England
1944-1945	Psychologist, Mental Health Clinic, Ontario Hospital, Hamilton, Ontario
1946-1959	Consultant (part-time) Children's Aid Society, London, Ontario

Areas of Academic Specialization:

Child Development and Early Childhood Education History and Systems of Psychology

Membership in Learned and Professional Organizations:

Member:	American Psychological Association (Fellow) Association for Early Childhood Education, Ontario Canadian Association of University Teachers Canadian Committee on Early Childhood Inc. (OMEP) Canadian Psychological Association (Fellow) Canadian Society for the Study of Education Eastern Psychological Association International Society for the History of the Behavioral and Social Sciences Ontario Psychological Association (Life Member) Society for Research in Child Development
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Offices Held in Learned and Professional Organizations:

Canadian Psychological Association, Board of Directors 1959-1962, President Elect 1967-1968, President 1968-1969, Past President 1969-1970, Honorary President 1975-1976, Archivist 1984-1990.

Ontario Psychological Association, Vice President 1950-1951, President 1951-1952, Past President 1952-1953.

Nursery Education Association of Ontario (now AECEO), Board of Directors 1953-1956, Advisory Council 1956-1960, Certification Board 1962-1966, Chairman of Certification Board 1964-1966.

Other Special Responsibilities in the Above-Named Societies:

Canadian Psychological Association, Representative to the International Union of Psychological Science, London, England 1969, Tokyo, Japan 1972 and Paris, France 1976.

Canadian Psychological Association Representative on the Canadian Commission for UNESCO
1972-1974.

Canadian Psychological Association Representative on the Social Science Research Council's
Committee on International Scholarly Relations

American Psychological Association, Committee on International Relations in Psychology 1977-
1980.

Association for Early Childhood Education, Ontario, Ad Hoc Committee on Certification 1975-
1977.

Professional Boards and Committees:

Ontario Committee on Children, 1958-1967, Vice-President, 1964-1965

Science Council Committee on Psychology, 1968-1969

Ontario Board of Examiners in Psychology, 1970-1975, Chairman, 1973-1974

Canada Council: Advisory Academic Panel, 1976-1978

Social Science and Humanities Research Council: Advisory Panel, 1978-1979

Ministry of Education of Ontario: Advisory and Planning Committee for the Early Primary Years,
1984-1985

Ministry of Community and Social Services' Coordinated Primary Prevention Initiative for Ontario 1
988: Consultant

Participation in Invited Conferences:

Canadian Conference on Children, 1960

Opinicon Conference on Research Training in Psychology, 1960

Ontario Conference on Children, 1964

Couchiching Conference on Professional Training in Psychology, 1965

Community Service: Boards and Committees

United Appeal, Board of Directors, 1956-1959

United Community Services, Advisory Committee, 1953-1959

Family Service Bureau, Board of Directors, 1954-1960

Retarded Children Association, Advisory Board, 1954-1957

Child Guidance Clinic, Board of Directors, 1960-1963

Children's Psychiatric Research Institute, Advisory Board, 1966-1970

Subcommittee on Preschool Mental Health of the Coordinating Committee on Children and Youth,
1977-1980

Committee on Meals on Wheels, 1983-1984

Meals on Wheels, London, Board of Directors and Vice Chairman, 1984-1990

University Councils and Committees (not including Departmental):

Multiple and Various, 1946-1967

Senate: Representative for Faculty of Social Science, 1967-1969

Senate Educational Relations Committee, 1968-1970

Student Aid Committee, 1968-1969

University Liaison Committee, 1968-1970

University Computer Council, 1968-1970
Subcommittee of SCER on Ethnic Groups, 1969-1970
Subcommittee of SCAPP on Academic Relations with ACE, 1969-1970
President's Advisory Committee on Day Care, 1971-1976
President's Ad Hoc Committee on the Status of Women, 1972-1974
President's Advisory Committee on Academic Women's Salaries, 1974-1976
Senate Subcommittee on Affiliated Colleges (SUAC), 1972-1977
Educational Policy Committee, Faculty of Social Science, 1972-1973
Executive Committee, Faculty of Social Science, 1972-1973
Nominations Committee, Faculty of Social Science, 1972-1975
Senate Review Board (academic), 1973-1974
Dean's Advisory Committee, Faculty of Social Science, 1974-1975
International Women's Year Committee, 1975-1976
Senate Committee on Promotions and Appeals, 1975-1976
Senate Committee on Promotions and Tenure, 1976-1978
Huron College Executive Board 1983-1989; Chair of Residence Consultative Council 1983-1989;
Academic Committee 1984-1987; Planning Committee 1987-1989
Thames Valley Children's Centre Liaison Committee 1985-1989

PUBLICATIONS (1969 and later)

Canadian Psychology Comes of Age. Canadian Psychologist, 1969, 10, 229-253.

Number of Psychologists in Canada: 1970 Estimate. Canadian Psychologist, 1971, 12, 66-67.

The Psychological Organizations of Canada. Canadian Psychologist, 1971, 12, 420-431.

In C. R. Myers (Chairman) Research funding for psychologists in Canada: A symposium. Canadian Psychologist, 1971, fill, 6-9.

Recent trends in early childhood education. In L. M. Brockman, J. H. Whitely and J. P. Zubek (Eds.), Child Development: Selected Readings. Toronto: McClelland and Stewart, 1973, pp. 271-280.

Head Start: A Canadian Model. A Review of Poverty and the Child: A Canadian Study by T. J. Ryan. (Book review) Canadian Psychologist, 1973, 14, 371-373.

CP A: The First Ten Years. Canadian Psychologist, 1974, 15, 112-131.

Should We Rediscover Blatz? Canadian Psychologist, 1974, 15, 140-144.

Changes in the Social Competence of Canadian Preschool and Day Nursery Children of Low and High Socio Economic Status. Interchange, 1975, Q, 16-26.

Research with the children of the poor. Ontario Psychologist, 1977, 2, 6-10.

Psychologists in Profile: Charles Roger Myers. Ontario Psychologist, 1977, 2, 55-58.

Compensatory education for preschoolers. A non-technical report on the U.W.O. Preschool Project. Canadian Journal of Early Childhood Education, 1980, 1, 3-15.

Measuring the Social Competence of Preschool Children. Canadian Journal of Behavioral Science, 1980, 12, 17-32.

Kids at College! Starting Them at Age Three. The University of Western Ontario Alumni Gazette, 1980, 11, 6-8.

Compensatory education for preschoolers: More on the U.W.O. Preschool Project. Canadian Journal of Early Childhood Education, 1981, 1a, 15-21.

With C. R. Myers (Co-editor). History of Academic Psychology in Canada. Toronto: C. J. Hogrefe Inc., 1982.

With L. E. Neal (Co-author). Psychology at Western. In Wright, M. J. & Myers, C. R. (Eds.), History of Academic Psychology in Canada. Toronto: C. J. Hogrefe Inc. 1982, Chapter 5, 116-131.

History of developmental psychology in Canada: A note on the early years. Frederick Tracy (1861-1951). The CPA Section on Developmental Psychology NEWSLETTER, 1982, 2, 2-4.

History of developmental psychology in Canada: James Mark Baldwin (1861-1934). The CPA Section on Developmental Psychology NEWSLETTER, 1982, 1, 6.

History of developmental psychology in Canada: Katharine M. Banham (1897-) and the McGill University Nursery School (1925-1930). The CPA Section on Developmental Psychology NEWSLETTER, 1983, p, 3-6.

Mary J. Wright (an autobiography). In O'Connell, A. N. and Russo, N. F. (Eds.), Models of achievement: Reflections of eminent women in psychology. New York: Columbia University Press, 1983.

History of developmental psychology in Canada: The saga of William Emet Blatz (1895-1964) Part I. The CPA Section on Developmental Psychology NEWSLETTER, 1983, 2(4), 14-20.

Compensatory Education in the Preschool: A Canadian Approach. The U.W.O. Preschool Project. Ypsilanti: High/Scope Press, 1983.

History of developmental psychology in Canada: The saga of William Emet Blatz (1895-1964) Part II. The CPA Section on Developmental Psychology NEWSLETTER, 1984, 11D, 3-7.

Responses to Conway (on Clinical Psychology Training in Canada). Canadian Psychologist, 1984, 25(3), 192-195.

History of developmental psychology in Canada: The saga of William Emet Blatz (1895-1964) Part

III The CPA Section on Developmental Psychology NEWSLETTER, 1985, 4(2), 8-15.

History of developmental psychology in Canada: The saga of William Emet Blatz (1895-1964) Part IV. The CPA Section on Developmental Psychology NEWSLETTER, 1985, 1Q}, 7-11.

Early Canadian child study: From Baldwin and Tracy to Blatz. Resources in Education, August 1985, Abstract ED255309. Also available from ERIC in microfiche and hard copy.

The History of Developmental Psychology in Canada. Resources in Education, April 1986, Abstract ED263 974. Also available from ERIC in microfiche and hard copy.

History of Developmental Psychology Note 8: Samuel R. Laycock (1891-1971). CPA Section on Developmental Psychology NEWSLETTER, 1986, 2Q2, 6-8.

Review of Responding to Individual Needs: A Guide for Teachers by Peter L. Gamlin and D. Russell Fleming, ORBIT, 1986, 11ill., 27.

With Davey Joy L. (Co-author). The University of Western Ontario Preschool Project|Early Childhood Education: Can it really make a difference? ORBIT, 1987, 1W}, 22-23.

The History of Developmental Psychology in Canada: Note 9. William Line (1897-1964). The CPA Section on Developmental Psychology NEWSLETTER, 1987, @, 4-11.

The Preservation of Documents of Historical Value to Psychology in Canada-Report of the 1986 Survey. Saskatchewan Psychologist, 1987, 87(3-4), 12-16.

C Roger Myers (1906-1985). American Psychologist, 1987, 41(12), 1128.

The History of Developmental Psychology in Canada: Note 10. Florence S. Dunlop (1896-1963). The CPA Section on Developmental Psychology NEWSLETTER, 1988, Vol.1Q}, 3-9.

William Emet Blatz: The person and his work. In R. Volpe, B. Flint, and R. Fleming (Eds.) Consciousness and Consequences: A Festschrift for William E. Blatz, 1990, Toronto, Heron Press, p.19-35.

'Blatzion Theory. In R. Volpe, B. Flint, and R. Fleming (Eds.), Consciousness and Consequences: A Festschrift for William E. Blatz, 1990, Toronto, Heron Press, p.50-59.

William Emet Blatz: A Canadian Pioneer. In G. A. Kimble, C. A. Boneau and M. Wertheimer (Eds.). Portraits of Pioneers in Psychology, Volume II, 1996, Washington, American Psychological Association and Mahwah, New Jersey, Lawrence Erlbaum & Associates, p.198-211.

Women ground-breakers in Canadian Psychology: World War II and its Aftermath. Canadian Psychology, 1992, 33:4,675-682.

The Golden Anniversary Symposium: Our first 50 years. Canadian Psychology, 1992, 33:4. 695-696.

Zestful Lives: The Unusual Wrights of Strathroy 1865-1995 (1997). Pulished privately. Printed and bound in Canada by Friesens Corporation, Altona, Manitoba ROG OBO Canada. Available ITom the Strathroy Public Library, 34 Frank Street, Strathroy, Ontario N6G 2R4.

Thank you address, Concordian University Convocation 1998, June 12, Montreal. Canadian Journal of Early Childhood Education, 1999, 1Q.), 8-9.

The History of Developmental Psychology in Canada. The Canadian Journal of Research in Early Childhood Education, 1999, @, 31-36.

Toronto's Institute of Child Study and the Teachings of W. E. Blatz. In Prochner, L., and Howe, N. (Eds). Early Childhood Care and Education in Canada, 2000. Vancouver: The University of British Columbia Press, Chapter 3,96-114.

Research Bulletins and Published Abstracts:

Competence in Preschool Children. Research Bulletin #313 of the Department of Psychology, University of Western Ontario, November 1974. Available Micromedia Ltd. Toronto.

Competence in Preschool Children II. Research Bulletin #348 of the Department of Psychology, University of Western Ontario, December 1975. Available Micromedia Ltd. Toronto.

The Laboratory Preschool: Program Development in the First Three Years. Research Bulletin #355 of the Department of Psychology, University of Western Ontario, February 1976. Available Micromedia Ltd. Toronto.

Competence in Preschool Children III: The Second Cohort. Research Bulletin #396 of the Department of Psychology, University of Western Ontario, London. December 1976.

A Preliminary Report on the Follow-Up Study of Graduates of the UWO Laboratory Preschool: The Initial Phase, 1975-76. Research Bulletin #401 of the Department of Psychology, University of Western Ontario, London. February 1977.

The U.W.O. Preschool Project. Final Report Part I. Program Evaluation: The Immediate Impact. Research Bulletin #431 of the Department of Psychology, University of Western Ontario, January 1978. Resources in Education 1979 (April) Abstract #ED162 736, Educational Resources Information Center/Early Childhood Education, University of Illinois, Urbana.

Follow-Up Study of the U.W.O. Preschool Project. Progress Report: Academic Year 1976-77. Research Bulletin #437 of the Department of Psychology, University of Western Ontario, London. February 1978.

Follow-Up Study of Children in the U.W.O. Preschool Project. Progress Report: Academic Year 1977-78. Research Bulletin #476 of the Department of Psychology, University of Western Ontario, London. January 1979. Resources in Education 1979 (June) Abstract #165871, Educational Resources Information Center/Early Childhood Education, University of Illinois, Urbana.

The Follow-Up Study: Part 2 of Section II of the Final Report on the U.W.O. Preschool Project. Research Bulletin #499 of the Department of Psychology, University of Western Ontario, London. February 1980. Resources in Education 1980 (December) Abstract #190235. Educational Resources Information Center/Early Childhood Education, University of Illinois, Urbana.

Early Canadian Child Study: From Baldwin and Tracy to Blatz. A paper presented at the annual convention of the American Psychological Association in Toronto, 1984. Resources in Education (RIE) 1985 (June), Abstract #ED 255 309. Educational Resources Information Center, University of Illinois, Urbana.

The History of Developmental Psychology in Canada. A paper presented at the Biennial meeting of the Society for Research in Child Development in Toronto, April 1985. Resources in Education (RIE), Abstract #ED 263 974. Educational Resources Information Center, University of Illinois, Urbana.

Papers Presented Recently:

The social adaptive abilities of some Canadian disadvantaged children. Carleton University, Department of Psychology Colloquium, March 14, 1975.

A description of the Preschool Project and some preliminary findings. London Professional Branch of the Association for Early Childhood Education, London, April 22, 1975.

What's this about preschool being too little too late? Ontario Teachers' Federation Early Childhood Education Conference, Barrie, May 12, 1975.

Changes in the social competence of some Canadian preschool and day nursery children of low and high socioeconomic status. Annual meetings of the Canadian Psychological Association, Quebec City, June 19, 1975.

The development of the preschool program at Western. Annual meetings of the Ontario Psychological Association, London, February 13, 1976.

Situational factors as critical variables in a preschool program. Annual meetings of the Canadian Psychological Association, Toronto, June 1976.

W. E. Blatz: The Canadian pioneer in early childhood education. Waterloo University, Department of Psychology Colloquium, January 29, 1976.

Evaluating programs and progress in early childhood education. Conference of Ontario Laboratory Schools, London, October 29, 1976.

Teaching the economically disadvantaged child. Annual meeting of the Ontario Provincial Federation of Chapters, Council for Exceptional Children, London, November 4, 1976.

Dramatic play in the preschool: Why, what, how? Annual meetings of the Association for Early Childhood Education, Ontario, Toronto, May 6, 1977.

Assessing the social competence of preschoolers aged three to six years. Annual meetings of the Canadian Psychological Association, Vancouver, June 10, 1977.

Dramatic play and the preschool child. Annual Conference of the London and District Preschool Cooperative Council, October 22, 1977.

Role-taking skills and the development of social competence. Conference of Ontario Laboratory Schools, Toronto, October 29, 1977.

Compensatory education for preschoolers. Annual meetings of the Ontario Psychological Association, Ottawa, February 10, 1978.

Dramatic play in the preschool. Spring Conference of the London Board of the Association for Early Childhood Education, Ontario, April 29, 1978.

Role-taking skills and the development of social competence. Annual meetings of the Canadian Psychological Association, Ottawa, June 1978.

Preschool education in Ontario: Its past, present and future. London Branch of the Association for Early Childhood Education, Ontario, September 26, 1978.

The role of teachers in day care. Western Day Nursery Staff, October 5, 1978.

Day nurseries and nursery schools in modern society. Noon hour U.W.O. Lecture Series at Public Library, October 17, 1978.

The History of Psychology in Canada. University of Western Ontario, Department of Psychology Colloquium, November 2, 1978.

Developing competence. Key note address at Lincoln County Board of Education Childhood Education Conference, St. Catherines, April 7, 1979.

Convocation Address. Brock University, St. Catherines, June 1, 1979.

Response to B. L. White's lecture on the Origins of Human Competence. Annual Conference of the Canadian Association for Young Children, Ottawa, October 25, 1979.

The economically disadvantaged child. Annual Conference of the Canadian Association for Young Children, Ottawa, October 26, 1979.

Another approach to compensatory preschool education. Annual meetings of the Canadian Society for the Study of Education, Montreal, June 4, 1980.

Discussant, Symposium on the Origins and Development of Psychology in the English-language Universities of Canada. Annual meetings of the Canadian Psychological Association, Calgary, June 19, 1980.

I. Primary Prevention in the Preschool Reconsidered. Invited address delivered at the Annual meetings of the Ontario Psychological Association in Toronto, February 14, 1981.

The University of Western Ontario Approach to Compensatory Preschool Education. Invited address delivered at the Annual meetings of the Association for Early Childhood Education of Ontario in Ottawa on May 15, 1982.

The Human Sciences and Their Role in Our Time. Convocation address, University of Western Ontario, October 30, 1982.

The development of early childhood education over the years and predictions for the future. The annual meetings of the Association for Early Childhood Education of Ontario in Waterloo on May 26, 1983.

The Institute of Child Study: A history. An address delivered at the Institute of Child Study, University of Toronto, in Toronto, March 8, 1984.

Compensatory Education in the Preschool: Does it Work? University of Western Ontario, Department of Psychology Colloquium, March 23, 1984.

Environments that foster creativity. Lecture delivered at the London Regional Art Gallery, April 19, 1984.

History of the Institute of Child Study. Invited address delivered at the annual meetings of the Canadian Psychological Association in Ottawa, June 2, 1984.

Early Canadian Child Study: From Baldwin and Tracy to Blatz. A paper presented at the annual meetings of the American Psychological Association in Toronto, August 27, 1984.

The History of Developmental Psychology in Canada. An invited address presented at the meetings of the Society for Research in Child Development in Toronto, April 27, 1985.

The theoretical approach of W. E. Blatz as related to the psychology of his time. Presented at the Security Theory Symposium in honour of W. E. Blatz (1895-1964) held at the University of Toronto, November 15, 1985.

The Ontario Psychological Association in the Fifties: Some Reminiscences. Presented at the 40th Anniversary dinner of the Ontario Psychological Association in Toronto, February 19, 1987.

The current state of archival work on psychology in Canada: The 1986 survey. A paper presented at the annual meetings of the Canadian Psychological Association in Montreal on June 10, 1988.

Women ground-breakers in Canadian psychology: World War II and its aftermath. A paper presented at the annual meetings of the Canadian Psychological Association in Halifax on June 10, 1989.

An introduction to the Anniversary Symposium: Our first 50 years. A paper presented at the annual meetings of the Canadian Psychological Association in Halifax on June 9, 1989.

Blatz, W. E. (1895-1964) and the Institute of Child Study in Toronto. A paper delivered at the Annual Meeting of the American Psychological Association in New Orleans on August 12, 1989.

'Perspectives on the development of psychology in Canada. A discussion paper for this symposium delivered at the Annual Meeting of the Canadian Psychological Association in Ottawa on June 2, 1990.

The History of Developmental Psychology in Canada. Presented at the Meetings of the International Union of Psychological Science in Montreal on August 20, 1996.

Flashbacks in the History of Canadian Psychology: Some Early Headline Makers. Presented at the meetings of the Canadian Psychological Association at Laval University in Quebec City on June 22, 2001.

Miscellaneous Honors:

B A Graduation (1939); Gold Medal for highest academic standing in Honours Philosophy and Psychology; elected to the U.W.O. Honor Society (non-academic contributions); listed in Who's Who of Canadian and American students.

Queen Elizabeth Silver Jubilee Medal, 1977.

LLD Honoris Causa, 1979, Brock University. (Presented during the International Year of the Child in recognition of long-time service to children.) Gave convocation address.

Biographical Listings (various)

e.g.s, Two Thousand Women of Achievement 1970s

The World's Who's Who of Women 1970s and 1997 Who's Who of American Women 1970s

Dictionary of International Biography 1970s

The Canadian Who's Who - continuing to present Who's Who in America 1970s

A Directory of Women in the History of Science, Medicine & Technology 1970s

Foremost Women of the Twentieth Century 1970s Who's Who in Psychology 1970s

Who's Who of Canadian Women - continuing to present

Ontario Psychological Association Award for distinguished contributions to psychology. Presented at the Annual meetings of the Ontario Psychological Association in Toronto, February 9, 1980.

Ontario Psychological Foundation 1979 Year of the Child Award, in memory of William Line. Presented at the Annual meetings of the Ontario Psychological Association in Toronto, February 9, 1980.

Professor Emerita. U.W.O. Convocation, June 10, 1980.

Certificate of Recognition of Psi Chi, The National (US.A.) Honor Society in Psychology. Presented at the Annual meetings of the American Psychological Association in Montreal, September 2, 1980.

Children's Service Award for outstanding contributions toward improving the quality of life for young children. Presented by the Association for Early Childhood Education, Ontario at its annual Awards Dinner in Toronto on October 22, 1982.

LLD Honoris Causa, University of Western Ontario, October 30, 1982. Gave convocation address.

Life Member. Association for Early Childhood Education, Ontario (for distinguished contributions) 1984.

V.W.O. Alumni Award, October 19, 1984.

LL.D Honoris Causa, Carleton University, November 11, 1984. Gave convocation address - received standing ovation.

Fellow, American Psychological Association, January 1, 1989.

Honorary Fellow of Huron College, April 27, 1989.

Canadian Psychological Association Special Award in recognition of service to the science and profession of psychology presented at the Annual Meetings of the Canadian Psychological Association on May 31, 1990.

LL.D Honoris Causa, Concordia University, June 12, 1998. Gave one of two convocation addresses.

2001 Gold Medal Award of the Canadian Psychological Association, presented at the annual meetings of the Canadian Psychological Association at Laval University in Quebec City on June 24, 2001.

MISCELLANEOUS

Family Business

a) Secretary E. J. Wright Central and Affiliated Companies 1956-1978, Director E. J. Wright Utilities 1983-1993.

Philanthropic (Major)

Huron College

a) The Mary J. Wright Psychology Centre 1988-89 (with brothers Clark and Donald and some other members of the family)

b) Participant in the 1999-2004 Fund Raising Campaign

c) Clark Wright Memorial Chair in Theology, established 2001 (includes a legacy from Clark's estate)

Strathroy Collegiate Institute:

The Mary & E. J. Wright Memorial Citizenship Awards. (In the early 1990s, with brother Donald we changed the name of the E. J. Wright Citizenship Awards, established by our father E. J. Wright in the late 1930s, to include our mother's name, and we endowed them.

University of Western Ontario

- a) The Clark & Mary J. Wright Award - for a Psychology Graduate going on to doctoral studies, established in 1993.
- b) Contributor to the Leola E. Neal Award 2000-2005
- c) Legacy of my house at 1032-1034 Western Road, arranged 1990
- d) Endowment of University Preschool- Re-named the Mary 1. Wright University Laboratory Preschool, 2001.

Church of St. John the Evangelist Strathroy

- a) Established in 1988 (and was first President of) The Wright Family Memorial Foundation of the Anglican Church of St. John the Evangelist Strathroy and, in partnership with brother Donald, provided its initial capital to be held in perpetuity. (\$5000,000)
- b) The Wright Family Memorial Window, Pentecost, dedicated 1998 (with my brother Donald).

St. Andrews Presbyterian Church Strathroy

Addition to memorial for my mother Mary Jean Clark Wright 1999.

Strathroy Middlesex General Hospital

Participant in Major Fund Raising Campaign 2000-2005.

Strathroy Nursery School

Major equipment grant given in 2000.

Theatre

Toronto Operetta Theatre: grants in 2000, 2001, 2002