

Sangster



SANGSTER, SIR DONALD BURNS

(Bust by Curtis Johnston)

Sir Donald Sangster was born on the 26th October, 1911. He became a member of the House of Representatives (Jamaica Labour Party) in 1949. He was Minister of Social Welfare 1950-1953, Minister of Finance and Leader of the House 1953-1955. Shortly after independence he was named Deputy Prime Minister to Sir Alexander Bustamante. He was Acting Prime Minister from January 1965, when Sir Alexander became ill, until 22nd February, 1967 when he was appointed Prime Minister. He died on 11th April, 1967.

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