Mr. Joseph Wrigley was born in Yorkshire, England, in 1839, and educated at Rugby College. He was involved in the commercial life of Great Britain having been sent on a trade mission to Russia in 1866 and to France in 1876.1

Mr. Wrigley was Trade Commissioner for the Hudson’s Bay Company in Canada from 1884 to 1891.2 After his retirement from the Company he lived in London, England, and died in 1926.3

3. Hudson’s Bay Company Archives A 5/60, fo.771, The Times 22 February 1926