

Kingdom of Morocco

EMBASSY OF MOROCCO WASHINGTON, D. C. His Royal Highness Prince Moulay Hassan was born in Rabat on July 9th, 1929, to a father who is a descendant of the great Alaouite dynasty that has occupied the throne of Morocco for the last three centuries.

An education with young men of his own age of all classes besides private tutoring in Arabic and French in literature, philosophy, music, art and sports gave him a solid background and helped him to carry on successfully his high school education. Later on he brilliantly obtained a degree in law.

Even before finishing his education he was already participating in problems of state and during their exile in Madagascar he was His Majesty's friend and confidant and was hand in hand with him and the people in the struggle for Morocco's freedom and independence.

As Chief of Staff he directs the Army and supervises the training of the cadets and sees that student missions are sent abroad. He defined the role of the Army as "Not only for defense and protection, but also for building the nation." Thanks to his efforts the majority of the Army of Liberation was integrated into the Royal Army while the rest returned to civilian life.

Prince Moulay Hassan participates in all aspects of Moroccan life; his activities in the social, diplomatic, health and educational fields are marked contributions to the progress which Morocco is making. Charitable organizations as well as sports are also of interest to him. He was recently the first volunteer for the building of the "Unity Road" in the heart of Morocco in which 12,000 young men are participating.

His Majesty's statesmanship, wisdom, devotion and sacrifice for the welfare of his people have equipped His Royal Highness the Prince for the responsibilities he now assumes. His aim is the furtherance of His Majesty's efforts toward the reconstruction of a modern state based on sound economic and democratic principles.

At the demand of the National Consultative Assembly, political parties, Government, trade unions, religious organizations, youth groups, the Royal Army, and the Council of the Throne, His Majesty is proud to announce the investiture of His Royal Highness Prince Moulay Hassan as Crown Prince and heir to the Kingdom of Morocco.



His Royal Highness Prince Moulay Hassan

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