

DAUBENFELD Arthur

(1883 - 1950) ¹

Luxembourg-Hollerich

Biography

Pierre Arthur DAUBENFELD, born in Hollerich in 1883, was the son of an *Eisenbahnbeamter*. In 1900 he passed the *Reifeprüfung* at the Luxembourg Gymnasium.

Like his father, he became an *Eisenbahnbeamter* (*assistant dans l'administration du chemin de fer Guillaume*), and in 1903 he married Angelica ARENS (1876-1968), born and residing in Hosingen.

DAUBENFELD resided in Hollerich and went into local politics. He became *conseiller communal* (1906), *échevin* (1910) and finally *bourgmestre* (1911-1917) of Hollerich.

In 1911 DAUBENFELD's occupation was *Tarifkontrolleur*.

In parallel to his political activities, DAUBENFELD studied at Strasbourg University where he obtained a doctorate in 1913 in *Staatswissenschaften (Dr. rer. pol.)*.

In 1916 DAUBENFELD was one of the founder members of the *Société anonyme pour la construction et l'exploitation d'un crématoire dans le Grand-Duché de Luxembourg*.

He became head of the *Statistisches Amt* in Luxembourg in 1913. DAUBENFELD appears to have left this job in 1918 (*pensionné*).

He joined ARBED's commercial subsidiary "Columeta" around 1921 and in 1930 he was appointed honorary consul of Greece.

Arthur DAUBENFELD died in Luxembourg-city in 1950. His only child Erwin qualified as engineer and worked for "Columeta" in Brazil.

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