

OFFICERS NEEDED

During the twelve months ending July 30, Canada's regular Armed Forces — Navy, Army and Air Force — increased from 46,886 to 81,727, or about 75 percent.

The requirement for officers has correspondingly increased. This requirement is met in three ways:

- 1 The Canadian Services Colleges at RMC, Kingston and Royal Roads, B.C.
- 2 Short Service or permanent commissions for men directly from civilian life or from the ranks who have the necessary physical qualifications and junior matriculation or equivalent;
- 3 The university training plans.

In the university there is the University Naval Training Division (UNTD) for the Royal Canadian Navy, the Canadian Officers Training Corps (COTC) for the Army, and the Reserve University Flights (RUF) for the RCAF.

Last year, in twenty-seven Canadian universities and colleges a total of 3,980 undergraduates were members of these units. This year, to match the expansion in the Armed Forces, still more university men are needed to take these courses and qualify as regular or reserve officers.

All undergraduates taking advantage of these officer training facilities receive pay for time spent in training, including full time employment with the pay of a Second Lieutenant for three or four months each summer. Undergraduates in their final year who are accepted for the regular forces can be commissioned with full pay and allowances of their rank and remain at the university to complete their year. On obtaining their degree, they will continue in the service without interruption. The cost of tuition and books for the final year will be paid by the service.

Today the threat of aggression has led Canada and the other free nations to build up the strength necessary to prevent aggression and preserve peace. Modern defence activities, new weapons, require special qualities of leadership and the kind of knowledge and skills which university men can provide.

You, as an undergraduate, can play your part in national defence while at the university by adding to your other qualifications the knowledge and experience needed in an officer. You can play your part in preserving freedom by preparing yourself to defend your country should the need arise.

Brooke Houston
MINISTER OF NATIONAL DEFENCE

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Toronto, Mo UBC for Exc

At a Student So held recently at M five hundred stude favor of a proposal the form of a motio an exchange of stu Canada and the U were only three dis

The motion whi Denis Lazure's prop follows: (Lazure is chairman of the Activities Commissio

Whereas the Stud McGill University, r total opposition to methods of Soviet and deploring par current barriers whi international excha ideas, and publica that the present te nations cannot be s realistic attempt to tual understanding people, particularly

Whereas we belie change of student Canada and the would contribute to in itself and as an the students of the faith in democra practice.

Therefore be it re (a) That the M Society expresses it gret that the Natio of Canadian Unive decided in conferer Ont., not to ratify student exchange b and the Soviet Unio

(b) That we re eration to re-open the exchange by m tional referendum o camp.

FORESTRY ASSOCIAT MEETS

At the last meeti estry Association, N ject of Christmas cussed and it was d improvements both and quality of p used. Pete Murph ed to look after t the cards.

Ideas were expr ing funds to furni room. The two pe sidered were donati uate foresters or p

Mr. Boulter, dist Hants County, Nov on that province' Act". He stated th this act, still not to some of the residen the unsupervised cu ing carried on settlers while bulle order to rebuild la the act prevents certain tree specie inch diameter, on private lands.

Mr. Boulter's i was followed by t prizes won at the Day.

Mrs. M. A. Ryan of the camera raf