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THE DEPARTMENT OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS ANNOUNCED TODAY THAT THE FOUR SCHOLARSHIPS OFFERED TO THE CANADIAN GOVERNMENT BY THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF GERMANY FOR THE ACADEMIC YEAR 1957-58 HAVE BEEN WON BY MR. DAVID SCHROEDER OF ALTONA, MANITOBA, MR. JOHN RYERSON MOORE DOUGLAS OF TORONTO, MR. MARCEL A. GOULET OF QUEBEC CITY AND MR. DICK P.H. HASSELMAN OF KINGSTON, ONTARIO.

THE SUCCESSFUL CANDIDATES WERE SELECTED BY THE AWARDS COMMITTEE OF THE ROYAL SOCIETY OF CANADA IN COOPERATION WITH THE EMBASSY OF THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF GERMANY. EACH SCHOLARSHIP IS VALUED AT 3,600 D M (ABOUT \$900.00 CANADIAN) AND INCLUDES FREE TUITION AND FREE TRANSPORTATION FROM THE GERMAN BORDER TO THE PLACE OF STUDY IN GERMANY AND RETURN TO THE GERMAN BORDER.

MR. DAVID SCHROEDER OF ALTONA, MANITOBA, IS A GRADUATE OF THE MENNONITE BRETHERN BIBLE COLLEGE IN WINNIPEG AND THE BETHANY BIBLICAL SEMINARY IN CHICAGO. HE IS AT PRESENT STUDYING AT THE UNIVERSITY OF HAMBURG IN GERMANY FOR HIS DOCTORATE IN THEOLOGY.

MR. JOHN DOUGLAS HOLDS AN ASSOCIATE DEGREE IN SPEECH, ARTS AND DRAMA FROM THE ROYAL CONSERVATORY OF MUSIC IN TORONTO AND WILL GRADUATE THIS YEAR FROM VICTORIA COLLEGE OF THE UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO IN PHILOSOPHY AND ENGLISH. MR. DOUGLAS WILL STUDY HISTORY OF THE THEATRE AT THE UNIVERSITY OF MUNICH WHERE HE WILL ALSO HAVE AN OPPORTUNITY TO GAIN PRACTICAL EXPERIENCE IN MODERN GERMAN STAGE PRODUCTION.

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MR. MARCEL GOULET WAS BORN IN QUEBEC CITY AND IS A GRADUATE OF UNIVERSITY OF LAVAL AND THE "FACULTE D'ARPENTAGE ET DE GENIE FORESTIER". MR. GOULET HAS BEEN STUDYING AT THE INSTITUTE OF FORESTRY AT THE UNIVERSITY OF MUNICH AND EXPECTS TO COMPLETE HIS DOCTORATE IN FORESTRY UNDER THIS SCHOLARSHIP.

MR. DICK HASSELMAN WAS BORN IN THE HAGUE, THE NETHERLANDS, AND HAS LIVED IN CANADA SINCE JUNE 1949. HE IS A STUDENT AT QUEEN'S UNIVERSITY THIS YEAR IN COURSES LEADING TO THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF SCIENCE. MR. HASSELMAN INTENDS TO STUDY PHYSICAL METALLURGY IN AACHEN, GERMANY.