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AT SPRING CONVOCATION

A record, 287 will be graduated from Waterloo Lutheran University at the spring convocation, May 24, it was announced today by John M. Kopas, registrar.

In addition to degrees in arts and theology, the university will confer its first degree in its master of arts program. It will go to Miss Helga-Maxi Weyrauch, a native of West Germany. Miss Weyrauch will receive the degree in Romance Languages.

The majority of the degrees will be in the arts program, both in the honors and the general course. Waterloo Lutheran Seminary, the university's theology faculty, will graduate six.

Winning the Governor-General's Silver Medal for proficiency in the general program is Ronald K. McNab, 173 Lawrence Ave., E., Toronto.

Taking all seven proficiency awards in the seminary is Arnold Weigel, 70 Dunbar Rd., S., Waterloo.

In addition, honorary degrees will be conferred, upon four distinguished Canadians.

Honorary doctor of laws degrees will be presented to the Very Rev. Henri F. Legare of Gravelbourg, Sask., director of studies for the Roman Catholic Oblate Province of Manitoba-Saskatchewan; Rev. Earl Treusch of Winnipeg, executive director of the Canadian Lutheran Council; and Allen Thomas Lambert of Toronto, president and chairman of the board of the Toronto-Dominion Bank.

An honorary doctor of letters degree will be conferred upon Dr. Alex O. Potter of Kitchener, first dean of Waterloo College, the forerunner of Waterloo Lutheran University.