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1956 LEWIS W. DOUGLAS, U.S. Ambassador to Great Britain
1957 SIR ALAN P. HERBERT, Author, former M.P.
1958 SIDNEY E. SMITH, Secretary of State for External Affairs 1957 until his death in 1959. Dean of Law, Dalhousie, President, University of Manitoba, President, University of Toronto
1959 SIR GRANTLEY ADAMS, founder and leader of Barbados Labour Movement. 1958 first Prime Minister of new Federation of West Indies
1960 JAMES M. MINIFIE, CBC Washington Correspondent
1961 EZRA TAFT BENSON, U.S. Secretary of Agriculture during Eisenhower Administration
1962 MR. JUSTICE SAMUEL FREEDMAN, Judge of Manitoba Court of Appeal and Chancellor of the University of Manitoba
1963 C. NORTHCOTE PARKINSON, author, historian, journalist, President of Parkinson Institute
1964 DR. WILDER PENFIELD, neurosurgeon, Royal Victoria and Montreal General Hospitals
1965 BLAIR FRASER, newspaperman and journalist
1966 CHESTER RONNING, Canadian diplomat, expert on China
1967 PROF. JAMES BARRINGTON, Visiting Professor of International Relations, University of Alberta
1968 LORD HANKEY, British Diplomat
1969 DR. A.W. TRUEMAN, Chancellor, University of Western Ontario
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