

VERMONT CONNECTICUT ROYSTER, born in Raleigh, North Carolina. Awarded the bachelor's degree by the University of North Carolina. Lieutenant Commander, United States Navy in World War II. Reporter, Washington correspondent, and Editor of the Wall Street Journal, his editorials have won the Pulitzer Prize and the Sigma Delta Chi Award. Reflecting the best traditions of his state and university, he has helped by his own integrity of appraisal to make this essentially conservative and impersonal newspaper, a persuasive voice of constructive criticism.

The University of North Carolina is therefore happy to confer upon Vermont Connecticut Royster, the degree of Doctor of Laws.

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