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UNIVERSITY MUSIC EXAMINATIONS.

After occupying six days the public examinations at the University of Adelaide in the practice of music have been concluded. Last year the total entries for these examinations were 49. This year the total number was 111, or an increase of 62. Of these 99 entered for pianoforte-playing, 39 obtaining first-class certificates and 44 second-class certificates, whilst 16 failed. Twelve candidates entered for singing, 7 passing first class and 4 second class, with 1 failure. The only candidate for violin-playing was placed in the second class. These results are highly creditable to the teachers. Professor Ives, Mus. Bac., the examiner, says that the candidates generally were well prepared, but that some of the teachers were not half aware of the requirements in regard to scale-playing. Perhaps it would be as well if they communicated with the Professor on the subject. In some respects the playing of the candidates showed an advance upon that of last year. With reference to the singing, there was rather a disposition to force voices and to bring pieces beyond the ability of the candidates. Appended are the results of the examinations, the teacher's name being bracketed:—

PIANOFORTE-PLAYING.

SENIOR DIVISION.

First Class (in alphabetical order).—A Boxhorn (Melbourne, teacher not given), Agnes Galbraith (Herr von Reyher), Emily M. E. Hodge (Herr Reimann), Rhea M. Loessel (Mrs. Loessel), Anne M. Manning (self-instruction), Florence M. Merrett (Mr. C. J. Stevens), Ellen A. Quarton (Mr. C. A. Davies, Gawler), Emmeline A. Shorney (Herr Reimann), Anne R. Stockdale (Miss Hamer, Misses McMinn's school), Louise M. Sudholz (Herr Reimann), Margaret H. Trevenen (Miss F. Tilley, Hardwicke College).

Second Class.—Dorothea E. Bosch (Mrs. Loessel), Florence E. Davey (Mr. C. J. Stevens, Misses McMinn's school), Jane T. Fellows (Miss Hamer), Francis E. Goode (Mr. W. R. Pybus, Hardwicke College), Bessie F. Goodchild (Miss Hamer, Misses McMinn's school), Mary K. Harkness (Mr. James Shakespeare), William A. W. Lang (Mr. W. B. Chinner), Margaret A. Sharp (Herr Püttmann), Sophie A. J. Sudholz (Herr Reimann).

JUNIOR DIVISION.

First Class (in alphabetical order).—Emily E. Benson (Herr Reimann), Helen N. Birks (Herr Reimann), Mary Blades (Herr Reimann), A. Boxhorn (Melbourne), Emma E. Brown (Mr. W. R. Pybus), Clarence P. Caterer (Mr. T. W. Lyons), Emily J. Congreve (Mr. C. A. Davies), Emily H. Cooper (Herr Reimann), Marion A. Cox (Mr. T. H. Jones), Ella M. Davis (Herr Püttmann), Emma Daw (Mr. Davies), Eustace A. A. Dunn (Herr Reimann), Charlotte Eason

(Mr. W. R. Knox), May E. Godden (Mr. W. R. Pybus), Louise H. Heuzenroeder (Mrs. Dornwell), Anna M. Longson (Miss Hamer, Misses McMinn's school), Sophie Luhrs (Herr Reimann), Lilian S. Main (Herr Reimann), Eleanor M. Mellor (Mrs. Kelsey's school), Evelyn B. Messervey (Mr. W. R. Pybus), Emilie Millard (Herr Reimann), Kate A. Moffin (Mr. T. H. Jones), Nettie Pearson (Herr Reimann), Adelaide K. Porter (Miss Püttmann), Agnes E. Swan (Mrs. Reimann), Ethelwyn Treleaven (Miss Steunhouse), Lucy A. Turnbull (Miss Hamer), Eva A. Watson (Herr Reimann).

Second Class—Louisa N. Barber (Misses McMinn's school), Jeanie W. Beach (Mr. C. J. Stevens), Annie Benson (Mr. W. R. Pybus), Irene A. Bertram (Mr. W. B. Chinner), Flora L. Blackwell (Miss M. Brinsden), Elizabeth Büring (Herr von Reyher), Laura M. F. Carruthers (Miss Playford), Isabel Clark (Mr. C. J. Stevens), Fanny L. Crawley (Mr. W. B. Chinner), Florence G. Derrington (Miss M. Brinsden), Mary E. Doolette (Miss Püttmann), Bessie Drew (Miss F. Tilley, Hardwicke College), Ada A. Goodall (Mr. W. R. Pybus), Constance E. Goode (Miss F. Tilley, Hardwicke College), Joan S. Gordon (Miss Niven), Eliza A. Graham (Mr. W. R. Pybus), Amy A. Hall (Mr. W. R. Pybus), Jane F. Hallowell (Miss Aldersey), Ethel M. Hamer (Mr. Stevens), Sarah A. Hannam (Mr. C. J. Stevens), Harriet A. Hanns (Miss Adams), L. F. Kelsey (Mrs. Kelsey's school), Lucy de Neufville Lucas (Mr. C. J. Stevens), Emma Lyons (Miss F. Tilley, Hardwicke College), Constance M. M. Mair (Mr. C. J. Stevens), Elizabeth McKae (Mrs. Harrison, Port Pirie), Elizabeth L. Mellor (Mrs. Kelsey's school), Lily E. M. Oldham (Mr. C. J. Stevens), Alice Philips (Miss Aldersey), Kate M. Poole (Miss Benham), Margaret Rendall (Miss Taylor), Gwendoline M. Russell (Mr. C. J. Stevens, Misses McMinn's school), Maude E. Smith (Mr. W. R. Pybus), Maggie R. Swan (Herr Reimann), Emma L. Vohr (Herr von Reyher).

SINGING.

SENIOR DIVISION.

First Class (in alphabetical order)—Florence Bell (Herr Püttmann), Jeffrey J. Bruer (private tuition), Edith Woolnough (Herr von Reyher).

Second Class.—Bessie F. Goodchild (Mr. C. J. Stevens).

JUNIOR DIVISION.

First Class (in alphabetical order)—Isabel Clark (Mr. C. J. Stevens), Martha Hubble (Mr. T. W. Lyons), James R. Robertson (Mr. W. R. Pybus), Amy G. Wylie (Mr. T. W. Lyons, Hardwicke College).

Second Class.—Evelyn M. Fidler (Mrs. Loessel), Adeline Gartrell (Mr. T. W. Lyons, Hardwicke College), M. G. Nankervis (Mr. T. W. Lyons, Hardwicke College).

PLAYING UPON VIOLIN.

Second Class.—Ella M. Davies (Herr Püttmann).

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UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS.

BACHELOR OF MUSIC.

The examiners (Professors J. Ives and W. H. Bragg) have announced the following results of the ordinary examinations at the University of Adelaide, for the Mus. Bac. degree:—

THIRD YEAR.

First Class.—None.

Second Class.—W. R. Pybus.

Third Class.—Ellen M. Bunday, Mary C. Hamilton, Mary K. Simpson, Florence M. Tilly.

SECOND YEAR.

First Class.—Ernest E. Mitchell, William Sanders.

Second Class.—Kate J. Way.

Third Class.—Elizabeth Frances Mann, Alice A. Townsend, Florence J. E. Way, Susan A. Winwood.

FIRST YEAR.

First Class.—None.

Second Class.—A. T. Moore.

Third Class.—D. E. Bosch, H. L. Davis, E. A. Law, R. M. Loessel, and R. Stenhouse.

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THE UNIVERSITY.

At a meeting of the University Senate to-day five gentlemen are to be elected to fill vacancies in the Council. The retiring members are proposed for re-election, and in addition three gentlemen who have not before held office seek the suffrages of the Senate. All the candidates are men of weight, and one only regrets that a selection must be made. With the exception of one gentleman, all are graduates in Arts, Law, or Medicine. The Divinity School is not represented, but this is because the Council has already the requisite number of divines to surround its deliberations with the halo of respectability. There is really, then, an embarrassment of riches, and whatever five members are elected, the public may be sure that the addition to the governing body of the University will be of a useful and satisfactory character. When the contingency arises that candidates for posts are all of high merits, the only point upon which electors should insist is that, other things being equal, those men should be selected who have most time to give to the performance of their important duties. In times past there has been too much of a tendency in Adelaide to choose governors of institutions from a comparatively small circle. It was as if there were certain vested rights to be respected, and that it would never do to pass over a man who has already served, or who is at the time engaged in several other works of public utility. This monopoly of honorary work is not a good thing. It tends to make the monopolists think more highly of themselves than they ought to think, and to imbue them with the idea that criticism of the acts of the Boards on which they serve is dictated by personal hostility to themselves. When we consider the matter seriously, it cannot but appear that the fact of a man having to serve the State in many different capacities is no guarantee that he can serve the State in another. The University is growing apace, and, if the increasing work is to be accomplished satisfactorily, the Council should be composed of men who are not trammelled by official obligations, and who have plenty of time to devote to the discharge of their important duties.