

Advertiser, Oct. 4, 1891

## UNIVERSITY OF ADELAIDE.

A meeting of the Council of the University of Adelaide was held on Friday afternoon, October 30, when there were present—The Vice-Chancellor (Mr. Hartley), Dr. Barlow, Mr. F. Ayers, the Rev. Dr. Paton, Rev. Canon Poole, Sir Samuel Davenport, Professor Pennefather, Mr. Von Treuer, and Mr. Boothby.

A letter was read from his Honor the Chief Justice (Chancellor of the University) intimating that he had attended the Congress of Orientalists as a delegate from the University of Adelaide. Received.

Professor Pennefather wrote forwarding a copy of a resolution passed by the masters and fellows of Trinity College, Cambridge, regarding the admission of students from colleges affiliated to the University of Cambridge. The following is a copy of the resolution referred to:—"That the tutors be empowered to admit extra numerum students from colleges affiliated to the University who are entitled under Ordinances 1888, p. 145, to be excused all the parts of the previous examination, and who desire to reckon the first term kept by residence as the fourth term of their residence, and intend to read for an honors' degree." It was resolved that the Vice-Chancellor be requested to write to the Vice-Chancellor of the University of Cambridge and the master of Trinity College expressing the thanks of the University of Adelaide for the arrangements which had been made for the affiliation of the University of Adelaide to that of Cambridge and for the admission of students from this University to Trinity College.

A letter was read from the Bishop of Adelaide asking that his resignation as a member of the council might be accepted. In accepting the resignation the council expressed their regret that his lordship felt it necessary. Dr. Thomas also wrote resigning his seat upon the council. The resignation was accepted with regret. It was resolved that both resignations date from November 9.

Professor Rennie was granted a few days leave of absence in consequence of illness.

The registrar reported that the meeting of the University convened to elect two representatives on the board of governors of the Public Library, &c., had lapsed for want of a quorum, and that the election devolved on the council. The council re-elected Professor Boulger, M.A., D.Lit., and H. T. Whittell, M.D., to be the University representatives on the board.

The registrar reported that in November the following members would retire from the council:—Edward Charles Stirling, M.A., M.D., William Barlow, LL.D., John Anderson Hartley, B.A., B.Sc., John Alexander Cockburn, M.D., M.P., and Frederick Ayers, M.A. The report was received.

The report from Professor Ives concerning the diplomas of musical associate was referred to the board of musical studies, together with a letter from the registrar of the University of Melbourne on the same subject.

The report of the faculty of medicine, recommending the following gentlemen as examiners for the examination for the degree of doctor of medicine, was adopted:—Theory and practice of medicine and therapeutics, Dr. Cox, of Sydney, and Dr. Verco; pathology, Professor Watson; mental physiology and lunacy, Dr. Cleland; obstetrics, &c., Dr. Balls-Headley, of Melbourne, and Dr. Lendon; history of medicine, Dr. Verco; hygiene, Dr. Whittell.

The report of the faculties of law, medicine, arts, and science, and the board of musical studies, submitting five tables for the various examinations, were adopted.

The report of the sub-committees of the faculties of science and medicine with regard to practical work done by students during the year was adopted.

The faculty of laws reported that they had received a letter from Dr. Barlow resigning the office of dean of the faculty. As he would cease to be a member of the council after November 9 he felt it incumbent on him to resign his office as dean. The faculty had elected Professor Pennefather to be dean for the remainder of the current year. The report was adopted.

The report was read from the education committee with reference to a letter from the Collegiate Schools' Association suggesting, *inter alia*, that the botany set for the senior public examination in 1892 might be curtailed, and that certain changes should be made in the arrangements for conducting the preliminary examination. The committee recommended that no change be made in either. The report was adopted.

The report of the education committee, recommending that Mr. J. R. Fowler, M.A. of Cambridge, be admitted *ad eundem gradum* in this University, was adopted.

The following report of the board of musical studies was received:—In accordance with the wish of the council the board of musical studies have considered the minute of council, viz., "That the board of musical studies be asked to report on the general principle of appointing honorary secretaries." The board have the honor to report that in appointing local secretaries the board have had a twofold object in view. 1. That the secretaries might be able to give information concerning the examinations in centres where there was reasonable ground to suppose candidates would come forward. 2. That the secretaries might conduct and supervise examinations held in the places for which

they were appointed. In doing this the board had followed the precedents set by the Universities of Oxford and Cambridge, and by the principal academies of music of the United Kingdom.

The Board of Musical Studies reported that 92 candidates had entered for the junior and 21 for the senior public examinations in the theory of music; that 108 had entered for the junior and 54 for the senior practice of music examinations; and that arrangements had been made for holding local examinations in the theory of music at Jamestown and Moonta. The report was received.

The following report of the committee on hoods was adopted:—1. At all lectures, examinations, and public ceremonials of the University graduates and undergraduates must appear in academic dress. 2. The academic dress shall be—For undergraduates, a plain black stuff gown and trencher cap; for all graduates, a black trencher cap with black silk tassel; and for bachelors and doctors of laws, bachelors and doctors of medicine, bachelors and masters of surgery, bachelors and masters of arts, bachelors and doctors of science, bachelors and doctors of music, black gowns similar in shape and material to those used at Cambridge for the same degrees, and hoods of the same shape as those used at that University. The hoods for bachelors to be of black silk stuff lined to a width of 6 in. with silk. The color of such lining to be—For bachelors of laws, blue; for bachelors of medicine and bachelors of surgery, rose; for bachelors of arts, grey; for bachelors of science, yellow; and for bachelors of music, green. The hoods for masters to be of black silk lined entirely with silk of a darker shade of the color used for the hoods for bachelors of the same faculty. The hoods for doctors to be of silk of a darker shade of the color used for the hoods of bachelors of the same faculty, lined entirely with silk of the lighter shade of the same color. The colors above referred to shall accord with specimens attached to a document marked A, to which the seal of the University has been affixed. 3. Notwithstanding anything contained herein, members of the Senate who have been admitted *ad eundem gradum* may at their option wear the academic dress appropriate to the degree in virtue of which they have been so admitted.

A warrant authorising the payment of sums amounting to £113 5s. 4d. was passed and signed by the chairman.

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**THE CHIEF JUSTICE.**—The London correspondent of the *Perthshire Journal* writing on September 28 last respecting the Chief Justice says:—"The Chief Justice of South Australia, Hon. S. J. Way, has for some months been a conspicuous figure in London society. On the other side he is generally regarded as the most perfect host in the colony, and few Englishmen of any position at all who have visited Adelaide have not experienced his hospitality. As a Chief Justice he is regarded with a good deal of favour by high legal authorities, but no one seeing him for the first time would even guess his profession. His presence is everything rather than dignified, his unrest and fidgetiness are eternal, while as a dandy he is equalled by few. Yet somehow in spite of his quaint little vanities the Chief Justice is one of the most popular men I know."

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## UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS.

### THEORY OF MUSIC.

The following candidates have passed the 1891 examination at the Adelaide University for the theory of music out of twenty-one who entered for the senior division and ninety-two who entered for the junior examination. Examinations in the practice of music are not yet concluded.

#### SENIOR PUBLIC.

First Class.—Teresa B. Moffatt (Mr. T. H. Jones), Olive E. Waterman (Hardwicke College).

Second Class.—Ethel M. Ambrose (Mr. C. J. Stevens), Nellie M. Gale, Ada Harry, Jane B. Henderson, Jessie C. Harcombe, Lizzie Horff, Mary E. O'Connor, Alice F. Smith (Hardwicke College), Esther M. Roediger (Mrs. A. Law), Ethel M. Scott (Mr. C. J. Stevens), Joseph M. Yelland (private tuition).

#### JUNIOR PUBLIC.

First Class.—Emily M. Anson (School of Music), Alice M. Beeton (Hardwicke College), Laurence Birks (Mr. E. Mitchell), Richard A. Campbell (Mr. T. W. Lyons), Ellen D. Churchward, Bertha Collins (Hardwicke College), Isabel F. Coombe (Miss Greayer), Adela H. Croft (Mrs. J. Loessel), Mary A. Fisher (Dominican Convent), Beryl Gardiner (Miss G. Stenhouse), Christina L. Goode (Miss Manning), Evelyn Goode (Collegiate School for Girls), Laura M. Good (Hardwicke College), Mary L. Goodhart (Mr. A. W. Mortimer), Herman A. Gerney (Mr. T. W. Lyons), Mabel H. Haslam (Mr. C. J. Stevens), Madeline R. Hotson (Miss Greayer), Emily M. James (Hardwicke College), Annie G. Mahoney (Dominican Convent), Ada M. Malin (Adelaide College of Music), Ada L. Mitchell (Hardwicke College), Elizabeth R. Murray (Mr. C. J. Stevens), Annie A. Nicholson (Hardwicke College), Ethel M. Prisk (Miss Newman), Lucy L. Read (Hardwicke College), Nellie E. Roberts (Miss De Vine), Rhoda D. Roberts (Collegiate School for Girls, Norwood).