

H. Cornack, Albert Academy, Burgersdorp  
H. Gouin, Boys' P.S. Wellington

6. The following examiners have been appointed for 1890:
- Literature: M. Advocate Landrus Burke, B.A., LL.B.: M. J. H. Brady, M.A.: Pro. Dr. Commern: M. J. D. Coley, B.A.: Dr. Van Cordt.
  - Science: M. W. H. Finlay, M.A., F.R.A.S.: Pro. F. C. Kotte, LL.D.: Professor MacLellan, B.A., F.L.S.: Hon. C. A. Smith, M.A.: M. Advocate R. P. Solomon M.A.
  - Philosophy: Pro. Dr. Kotte and Pro. Dr. Stewart.
  - Dutch: Pro. J. H. Hofmeyr
  - Grammar: Pro. C. H. Hahn jr.
  - Law: Hon. M. Justice E. J. Buchanan and M. Advocate Searle, B.A., LL.B.

7. The following graduates of other Universities have been admitted to degrees in this University:

M. F. S. Lewis	M. A. Oxford
M. N. Potter	M. A. Cambridge
M. W. E. C. Clarke	M. A. Aberdeen
Dr. Jane Watson	M. D. Brussels
Dr. E. Boedker	Ph. D. Göttingen
M. P. Smith	M. A. Aberdeen
Pro. M. Barthilenny	Licencie es Lettres, Univ. of France
Dr. J. Hewat	M. B. Edinburgh
Dr. W. Hewat	" "
M. A. E. Brice	B. A. London
M. J. Craib	M. A. Aberdeen.

8. New regulations for the University Fellowship have been framed by the Council and approved by the Government. These regulations are published in the Calendar for 1889-90.

9. The Council has offered the J. B. Ebdon Prize for competition in 1890. The Subject for the Essay is "On the advantages, or otherwise, of a Customs Union, whether general or partial, for the different Colonies and States of South Africa."

10. The Hon. M. Justice Smith, M.A., LL.D., has been elected Vice Chancellor of the University in Succession to Sir Langham Dale, LL.D.

11. A Standing Committee of Studies has been again appointed, to assist the Council in matters connected with the examinations. The members of the Committee are M. Bodkin, Professors Foot, Heber, MacLellan, Ritchie, Thomson and Walker: Dr. Kotte and Van Cordt: Hon. C. A. Smith, M. Whitten, Caum Ogilvie, the Vice Chancellor and the



School Elementary	#10 for 1 year	Henry Tietz, Norm. Coll. Sch., Cape Town.
"	"	David A. Grundlingh, Coll. Grad-R.
"	"	Otto van Oppel, Norm. Coll. Sch., Cape Town.
"	"	John Laurus, Pub. Sch., Grahamstown.
"	"	Jane Carroll, St. Mary's Conv., Cape Town.
"	"	Wilhelmine Bahlke, St. Martin's Sch., Cape Town.
"	"	C. H. Rosenberg, Rev. J. G. Sutton's Sch., Cape Town.
"	"	Tryphena Turbet, Glens High Sch., Rondebosch.
"	"	Wm. Chadwick, Norm. Coll. Sch., Cape Town.
"	"	Stanley Thompson, Norm. Coll. Sch., Cape Town.
"	"	Norman Botha, Norm. Coll. Sch., Cape Town.
"	"	Marianne Korsten, Rhen. Inst., Stellenbosch.
"	"	Elsie Broughall, St. Cyprian's Sch., Cape Town.
"	"	Margaret Botha, Philadelphia.
"	"	Emile Commaile, Norm. Coll. Sch., Cape Town.
"	"	Isabella Morrison, Norm. Coll. Girls' Sch., Cape Town.
"	"	Josephine Muller, Girls' Pub. Sch., Mossel Bay.
"	"	Daniel McIntosh, Norm. Coll. Sch., Cape Town.
"	"	Agnes Coyne, St. Mary's Conv., Cape Town.
"	"	Helen Mansel, St. Mary's Conv., Cape Town.

A proposal that a special prize be given to Emily B. Hall, who was 3<sup>rd</sup> in the School Elementary Examination list, but not eligible for a bursary on account of the circumstances of her parents, being lost, the Vice-Chancellor announced that he would himself present her with a prize of five guineas.

The meeting was adjourned to Saturday, the 23<sup>rd</sup> inst.

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Saturday, 22 March, 1890.

The ordinary meeting of Council was held this day. There were present

The Vice Chancellor, in the Chair.

Dr. Beck

Sir Langham Dale

Professor Foot

Professor Hahn

Right Rev. Bishop Jones

Rev. Dr. Holbe

Professor Mac Broom

Professor Marais

Canon Ogilvie

Dr. Van Cordt

Professor Ritchie

Mr. C. A. Smith

Mr. Bodkin

Professor Walker

Professor Thompson

Hon. Mr. Justice Buchanan

The minutes of last meeting were read and confirmed.

A letter was read from Mrs. Gemble, acknowledging with thanks the Council's Resolution on the death of her husband.

On the motion of Professor Ritchie, the Rev. Julius Gordon, M. A. Edinburgh, was admitted to the same degree in this University.

A letter was read from the Secretary of the Education Department, intimating the approval by Government of the arrangements under which Mr. Brady will act as Registrar from the 1<sup>st</sup> of April to the 30<sup>th</sup> of September - the department reserving the right of employing Mr. Brady as Inspector of Schools, if emergencies should arise, at "such times as the University duties may not be pressing."

The Vice Chancellor stated that he had given instructions to summon the present meeting a week earlier than the ordinary date, to enable Dr. Cameron to leave by the steamer of the 27<sup>th</sup> instant.

In connection with the Acting appointment of Mr. Brady, it was resolved that, as on a former occasion, the Acting Registrar should give security to the extent of £1000, the Council defraying the expense of any premium that may be payable in providing such security.



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The recommendation of the Committee of studies with respect to the seven resolutions passed at the late teachers conference was submitted. The Council decided as follows:

With respect to Resolutions I. (That the passing of the School Elementary Examination should not be obligatory upon candidates for the School Higher Examination) and III. (That candidates for the School Higher Examination should be allowed to take up seven subjects etc.) it was decided that any change is at present inexpedient, since the whole subject of the School Examinations will probably be brought up before long for consideration.

With respect to Resolution II. (That all candidates for the School Higher Examination should be required to pass in a dictation exercise) it was decided that in future a dictation exercise be part of the English paper in the School Higher Examination.

With respect to Resolution IV. (That the rule permitting Chemistry or Dynamics to be taken instead of Greek for the Matriculation Examination be re-introduced) it was decided that the proposed change was undesirable.

Resolution V. (That an effort should be made to obtain the views of Teachers throughout the Colony before important changes are made etc.) was approved of as far as School Examinations are concerned.

The first part of Resolution VI. (That the maxima allotted to the different subjects in all examinations conducted by the University should be published in the University Calendar) was approved of; and the Acting Registrar was directed to insert in the next Calendar the Marks and Standards of all the Examinations.

With regard to the second part of Resolution VI. (That more information should be given to candidates than at present regarding the degree of proficiency to which they have attained in the different subjects of examination) it was decided that it was undesirable to give more information than at present.

With regard to Resolution VII. (That..... to discourage superficiality..... a certain minimum of marks in each subject should be deducted from those obtained by the candidate) it was decided that the principle of the rule now in force was preferable.

Ernst Jurisch was appointed assistant examiner in Mathematics in the year of the Revision of the Comm. of Exam. in Sci. for the Matriculation Examination of 1891.

The Rev. Dr. Kolbe expressed his willingness to take Philosophy



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Diocesan College, Rondebosch, pointing out that the present regulation has the effect of discouraging the study of Greek, and expressing their hope that the Council would revert to the former arrangement under which no candidate might bring up more than one Physical Science Subject. The Registrar stated that the Classical Professor at Victoria College, Stellenbosch, is of the same opinion: while the Teachers in the St Andrew's Coll: Grahamstown are in favour of the regulation now in force. It was thereupon moved by the Bishop of Cape Town, as an amendment to Sir Langham Dale's motion, and unanimously carried: - "That the footnote on p. LXXIX, Col. 1889-90 (Candidates who do not take Greek will be allowed to take both Chemistry and Dynamics)" be removed, and that the alternative Subjects therein mentioned be not allowed after the examinations of the present year."

Dr. Beck's motion to include translation of English sentences into Greek in the programme of the matriculation examination was unanimously carried.

Professor Thomson withdrew the third of the notices of motion standing in his name, and the other two were referred to the Committee of Studies, the Moderator in Science being requested to bring up a special Report on the examinations in Dynamics at the ensuing Matriculation and Intermediate examinations.

In addition to the above notices of motion, Sir Langham Dale had given notice that he would bring forward the subject of the appointment of a Pro-Vice-Chancellor. After discussion, and reference to Section XVII of the University Incorporation Act, it was moved by Mr. Justice Buchanan and unanimously resolved "that a Pro-Vice-Chancellor be appointed, to act for the Vice-Chancellor when the latter may be absent: and that Sir Langham Dale be elected to fill the office of Pro-Vice-Chancellor."

21/1/90  
C. J. Smith



Final L.L.B.: Roman Law: Justinian's Pandects, Lib. xx.  
De pignoris et Hypothecis.  
Rom. Dutch Law: Voet ad Pandectas, Lib.  
xx., Tit. 1 and 2, De pignoris  
et Hypothecis.  
English Law: Contracts of Affranchisement  
and Maritime Insurance and  
Battentry and Respondentia.  
Smith's Mercantile Law, Book  
III., Chapters 2, 4 and 7. Can-  
didates are recommended to read  
the Reports of some of the lead-  
ing cases cited.

On the motion of Dr. van Oordt it was resolved that inasmuch as there have been complaints concerning the University Examinations, the question of the conduct of these examinations be referred to the Committee of Studies.

Professor Thomson's motion that dates be fixed for the publication of results of all the University Examinations, and, with it, on the motion of Professor Ritchie, the question of fixing a date for Degree Day were referred to the Committee of Studies.

It was announced that the scholarships available for award for the next three years would be as follows:-

1891	The Ebdon Scholarship
1892	The Porter Studentship + Maynard Scholarship
1893	The Porter Studentship

The question of the advisability and practicability of introducing Dutch into the School Elementary Examination was, on the motion of Mr. Whittton, referred to the Committee of Studies.

Ad Dale  
per A. H.



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of the Dutch Reformed Church for the use of the open spaces in the Church during the School Elementary Examination.

① The Vice-Chancellor reported that Rev. Canon Woodrooffe, M.A. had been appointed Examiner in Kafir for the Matriculation Examination. The appointment was approved.

On the motion of the Vice-Chancellor it was resolved that the paragraph on page 2xxx (University Calendar 1889-1890) relating to the subject Inorganic Chemistry for the Matriculation Examination be referred to the Committee of Studies for more exact definition.

Rev. W. L. Clementson and Rev. J. Russell were appointed scrutineers for the year's examinations.

C. F. Smith 28/7/90



on Dr. Cameron's return.

On the motion of Hon. Mr. Justice Buchanan it was resolved that the thanks of the Council be awarded to the Acting Registrar for the prompt and accurate manner in which he conducted all the arrangements for the various examinations at a time when, owing to the changes in the dates of the examinations, the task was unusually laborious; and also for the courtesy with which he has at all times rendered every aid in his power to the members of Council during the period he has filled the office.

In connection with the failure of the Cape of Good Hope Bank, a letter was read from the Manager of the Standard Bank offering help if needed. The Acting Registrar was directed to thank him for the kind offer, which, however, would not have to be taken advantage of, as the Government contribution for the quarter had just been received, and an account opened with the Standard Bank.

The Acting Registrar laid on the table an abstract of the proceedings of the University Council for the year Sep. 1889 - Aug. 1890. The printing of the abstract was ordered to stand over.

The Pro-Vice-Chancellor reported that the ceremony of conferring degrees had taken place in the Public Library on Friday the 5<sup>th</sup> curr.

On the motion of Hon. Mr. Justice Buchanan it was resolved that all cheques be countersigned by the Vice-Chancellor or Pro-Vice-Chancellor.

On the motion of Hon. C. Abercrombie Smith it was resolved that at every ordinary meeting of Council a statement be laid on the table showing the state of the various funds of the University, including the General Fund.

It was resolved that the fee of the Special Examiner in Mathematics for the Matriculation Examination of 1891 be £25, and that it be taken from the fees of the Members of the Committee of Examiners in Science.

The Pro-Vice-Chancellor announced that, as Rev. W. L. Clementson one of the School Elementary Examiners had resigned, owing to the probability of his being absent at the time of the examination, Mr. F. Lewis had been appointed examiner in history by the Vice-Chancellor. The appointment was approved.

The appointment of an English Examiner for the School Higher examination in place of Rev. Prof. Walker who is absent from the Colony was left to the Vice-Chancellor.

The Pro-Vice-Chancellor announced that in 1891 the School



The reports of the examiners were submitted and adopted. The following resumé was laid on the table :-

Result of Examinations in 1890

Examination	Registered for examination	Present at examination	Retired during examination	Passed in 1 <sup>st</sup> Class (Honour)	Passed in 2 <sup>nd</sup> Class (Pass)	Succeeded	Failed	Recommended by the Examiners for Scholarships, Exhibitions & Prizes
1. School Elementary	1330	1295	-	240	690	930	365	-
2. School Higher	287	284	-	128	105	233	51	-
3. Matriculation	207	193	-	21	80	101	92	11
4. Intermediate	43	38	-	2	20	22	16	None
5. B.A. (Literature & Philosophy)	26	19	1	3	8	11	7	None
6. B.A. (Mathematics & Nat. Sci.)	8	8	-	6	1	7	1	3
7. M.A. (Chemistry)	1	1	-	-	-	1	-	-
8. Survey Certificate	14	13	-	-	-	6	7	-
9. Civil Service Law	26	23	-	-	-	12	11	-
10. Law Certificate	18	16	-	-	-	11	5	-
11. Preliminary L.L.B.	4	3	-	-	-	2	1	-
12. Final L.L.B.	3	2	-	-	-	2	-	-
Total	1967	1895	1	400	904	1338	556	

Scholarships and Exhibitions were awarded as follows:-

B.A. Examination (Mathematics and Natural Science)

University Scholarship (Honorary), A. F. Shoyer, Dio. Coll., Rondebosch

Porter Studentship, A. F. Shoyer, Dio. Coll., Rondebosch

Jamison Scholarship, H. P. Townsend, S.A. Coll., Cape Town

Maynard " " H. G. Thorpe, S.A. Coll., Cape Town.

An Additional " of £50 per ann. for 2 years, H. G. Thorpe, S.A. Coll., Cape Town.

Matriculation Examination.

University Exhibition, A. A. Elliott, S.A. Coll., Cape Town

" " A. M. M. Gregor, S.A. Coll., Cape Town

Jamison " Joseph Lewis, S.A. Coll., Cape Town

{ F. G. Gardiner, Dio. Coll., Rondebosch

{ J. G. Meyer, Pub. Sch., Paarl

{ E. Muller, Pub. Sch., East London

The 2<sup>nd</sup> Jamison Exhibition, with £5 added, to be divided among the 3 candidates, who will have £10 each with the title of Jamison Exhibitor.

The award of bursaries for the School Elementary, School Higher, Matriculation and Intermediate Examinations will be made at the special meeting of Council to be held on Saturday, Aug. 9<sup>th</sup>.



University, and trusts that he will still be able to continue his participation in the active work of the University."

Mr. B. S. J. van du Riet, M.A., was awarded a fellowship of £150 for 1 year, commencing Jan 1<sup>st</sup>, 1891

Prof. Ritchie moved the following resolution:-

"That in the regulations for the Matriculation Examination (pages LXXVIII-LXXIX of Calendar 1889-90) all the words after 'The Greek and Latin Languages' in I. 3. be omitted, and that the following words be substituted:—"The papers set will contain (1) questions on the Grammar of the Languages, (2) easy passages in Greek and Latin for translation into English, with such assistance in the way of vocabularies and explanations as the examiners may think necessary, (3) passages in English for translation into Greek and Latin."

On the motion of Dr. van Oordt it was referred to the Committee of Studies.

A letter from the Secretary of the Grey Institute, Port Elizabeth, was read, complaining of the short notice which had been given of the withdrawal of the permission to candidates for the Matriculation Examination who do not take Greek to offer both Chemistry and Dynamics.

The Acting Registrar was directed to write, saying that in future every care would be taken to give satisfaction in this respect.

The following recommendations of the Committee of Studies were submitted:-

- a. That, in assigning places in future to candidates in the B.A. pass (or second class) lists only the marks obtained in the pass papers should be reckoned.
- b. That, in the opinion of the Committee, it is not advisable that the University should recommend Standard Grammars and Text-books in Latin, Greek, Dutch, German and French, but that the Education Office be approached on the matter.
- c. That Degree Day be held on the second Friday in August.
- d. That a Dutch paper be set at the School Elementary Examination, and that candidates be allowed to take either English or Dutch, or both Dutch and English, the same maximum of marks being obtainable whether candidates take one language or two.

Recommendation (a) was directed to stand over to the next meeting.

Recommendation (b) was approved.

Recommendation (c) was approved with the proviso that if it were impossible to hold Degree Day on that particular date, it should be held as early as convenient after the publication of the lists.

Recommendation (d) was directed to stand over on the motion of Rev. A. B. Lückhoff, who stated that the Dutch Reformed Church was going to move in the matter, and that the results of their deliberations might be useful to the Council.

C. J. Smith  
29/11/90



The Vice-Chancellor reported that the examination lists had been examined by the Scrutineers and certified to be correct and drawn up in accordance with the regulations

The lists which follow (taken from the Gov. Gazette) contain the names of all the successful candidates in the recent University Examinations in order of merit.

MATRICULATION.

I. HONOURS.

- 1. Elliott, Arthur A., S. A. Coll., Cape Town.
2. McGregor, Andrew M., S. A. Coll., Cape Town.
3. Lewis, Joseph, S. A. Coll., Cape Town.
4. Gardner, Frederick G., Dio. Coll., Rondebosch.
5. Meyer, Johan G., Pub. Sch., Paarl.
6. Muller, Ernst, Pub. Sch., East London, E.
7. Freeman, William, Priv. St., Cape Town.
8. Leibbrandt, Herbert L., Norm. Coll., Cape Town.
9. Malherbe, W. E., Norm. Coll., Cape Town.
10. Marais, Paul J., Viet. Coll., Stellenbosch.
11. Wet, N. J. de, Victoria Coll., Stellenbosch.
12. Herbert, Oswald, Grey Inst., Port Elizabeth.
13. Newton, Revd., E. Biscoe.
14. Rabie, John, Norm. Coll., Cape Town.
15. Gilliers, Charles A., Pub. Sch., Wellington.
16. Rudin, Frederick, Grey Inst., Port Elizabeth.
17. Anders, Heinrich, Pub. Sch., East London, E.
18. Warmelo, D. S. van, Norm. Coll., Cape Town.
19. Smari, Archibald W., Grey Coll., Bloemfontein.
20. Watson, Charles H., S. A. Coll., Cape Town.
21. Wet, Daniel K. de, Norm. Coll., Cape Town.

II. PASS.

- 22. Norden, Pieter M. van, Rev. J. G. Sutton's Sch., Cape Town.
23. Nickerk, Elizabeth S. van, Hug. Sem., Wellington.
24. Plessis, James du, Norm. Coll., Cape Town.
25. Burger, David J., Victoria Coll., Stellenbosch.
26. Clus, James F. de, Grey Coll., Bloemfontein.
27. Hofmeyr, Isabella, Gill Coll., Somerset East.
28. Anderson, Mildred C. E., Hug. Sem., Wellington.
29. Grundlingh, Coenraad, Coll., Graaff-Reinet.
30. Hofmeyr, Adrian, Gill Coll., Somerset East.
31. Theron, William, Grey Coll., Bloemfontein.
32. Dures, Robert, Priv. St., Cape Town.
33. Featherstone, E. M., Girls' Coll. Sch., King W. T.
34. Longden, Gertrude, Gill Coll., Somerset East.
35. Malan, Francis S., Hug. Sem., Wellington.
36. Toit, Francois D. de, Norm. Coll., Cape Town.
37. Ross, Jessie K., Lady Grey, Alwal North.
38. Villiers, Francois de, Pub. Sch., Wellington.
39. Marais, Albert J., Pub. Sch., Paarl.
40. Pienaar, Hester H., Pub. Sch., Murraysburg.
41. Mullins, Reginald G., S. Andrew's Coll., Graham's Town.
42. Sonnenberg, Maurice C., S. A. Coll., Cape Town.
43. Anderson, William B., Dio. Coll., Rondebosch.
44. Guthrie, Francis, S. A. Coll., Cape Town.
45. Bosman, Jacobus P., Norm. Coll., Cape Town.
46. Fernie, Ellen O., Hug. Sem., Wellington.
47. Gutsche, Juanita, Girls' Coll. Sch., King W. T.
48. Smuts, Michael, C. son, Norm. Coll., Cape Town.
49. Muter, Marion, Kate, Rev. J. G. Sutton's Sch., Cape Town.
50. Donisse, Ebbe, Norm. Coll., Cape Town.
51. Gibbs, Raymond J., Boys' Mod. Sch., Pietermaritzburg.
52. Hume, David, S. A. Coll., Cape Town.
53. Howden, Robert K., Coll., Pietermaritzburg.
54. Moe, Louis Harms, Priv. St., Pietermaritzburg.
55. Palmer, Ethel, Dio. Girls' Sch., Grahamstown.
56. Soer, Valentine E., St. Aidan's Coll., Grahamstown.
57. Wernich, Carl G., Pub. Sch., Paarl.
58. Dignone, Frederick M., Pub. Sch., Grahamstown.
59. Pringle, Joseph E. T., St. Andrew's Coll., Grahamstown.
60. Mills, Frederick E., S. A. Coll., Cape Town.
61. Stephan, Frederick H. R., Rev. J. G. Sutton's Sch., Cape Town.
62. Villiers, Jan S. M. de, Gymnasium, Paarl.
63. Gleeson, Robert, St. Aidan's Coll., Graham's Town.
64. Jonbert, Annie C., Pub. Sch., Murraysburg.
65. Borchards, James W., Pub. Sch., Riversdale.
66. Morgan, Charles W., Grey Coll., Bloemfontein.
67. Ross, Thomas, S. A. Coll., Cape Town.
68. Garlake, Rayner, Dio. Coll., Rondebosch.
69. Shaw, Ronald L., St. Andrew's Coll., Graham's Town.
70. Robinson, Mary E., St. Anne's Coll., Pietermaritzburg.
71. Smuts, Michael, M. son, Norm. Coll., Cape Town.
72. Raymond, John K., Coll., Pietermaritzburg.
73. Albertyn, Pieter K., Pub. Sch., Riversdale.
74. Bohman, Julius A. B., Pub. Sch., Paarl.
75. Black, Ronald, S. A. Coll., Cape Town.
76. Coyle, Herbert T., Graham's Town.
77. Diftard, Ivor, Dio. Coll., Rondebosch.
78. Featherstone, Mildred, F., Girls' Coll. Sch., King William's Town.
79. Meiring, John H., Viet. Coll., Stellenbosch.
80. Heese, Hans F. G., Pub. Sch., Riversdale.
81. Mogensrud, John B., S. A. Coll., Cape Town.
82. Murray, Andrew, Pub. Sch., Swedensdam.
83. Forsyth, Kate, Riebeck Coll., Uitenhage.
84. Smith, C. J. Norm. Coll., Cape Town.
85. Haarhoff, Isaac F., Norm. Coll., Cape Town.
86. Lindenberg, Maria D., Viet. Coll., Stellenbosch.
87. Overlander, Carl F. A., Pub. Sch., Paarl.
88. Walker, Richard B., Pub. Sch., Graham's Town.
89. Wijk, Adrian J. van, Pub. Sch., Murraysburg.
90. Boring, Frederick S., S. A. Coll., Cape Town.
91. Coghern, James B., Dio. Coll., Rondebosch.
92. Michas, Daniel E., Viet. Coll., Stellenbosch.
93. Lencie, Jacques L., Dio. Coll., Rondebosch.
94. White, William H., St. Andrew's Coll., Graham's Town.
95. Moller, Laura L., St. Anne's Coll., Pietermaritzburg.
96. Young, P. J., Viet. Coll., Stellenbosch.
97. Hendrick, Harry, Gill Coll., Somerset East.
98. Goddard, Eugene G., St. Andrew's Coll., Graham's Town.
99. Herholdt, Wynand v. d. M., Pub. Sch., Wellington.
100. Hersensolm, A. C., Coll., Pietermaritzburg.
101. Meisjes, Hendrik A., Pub. Sch., Burgther-dorp.

207 candidates were registered.
193 " " examined.
21 " " obtained honours.
80 " " passed in the 2nd class.
92 " " failed.
2 failed in English and Mod. Lang. combined.
45 " " Latin.
11 " " Arithmetic.
13 " " Algebra.
9 " " Geometry.
67 " " Literature Total.
25 " " Science Total.
85 " " Total Aggregate.

IN OPTIONAL SUBJECTS.

193 took History; 67 failed to satisfy the examiner.
121 " " Greek; 66 " " "
19 " " Dynamics; 51 " " "
85 " " Chemistry; 37 " " "
4 " " Botany; none " " "
7 " " Zoology; none " " "

INTERMEDIATE EXAMINATION IN ARTS, -1890.

I. HONOURS.

- 1. Kayser, Russell M., S. A. Coll., Cape Town.
2. Frankenstein, Adelia, S. A. Coll., Cape Town.

II. PASS.

- 3. Forsyth, D. F., Pietermaritzburg.
4. Brincker, Herman J., Viet. Coll., Stellenbosch.
5. Smith, Peter A., Viet. Coll., Stellenbosch.
6. Neethling, Christoffel A., Viet. Coll., Stellenbosch.
7. Grey, Edgar E., Boys' Pub. Sch., Cradock.
8. Heydenrych, Benjamin, S. A. Coll., Cape Town.
9. Meulen, Rudolph H. v. d., Viet. Coll., Stellenbosch.
10. St. Leger, Anthony Y., Dio. Coll., Rondebosch.
11. Vos, Pieter K. A. de, Viet. Coll., Stellenbosch.
12. Theron, Hendrik S., Viet. Coll., Stellenbosch.
13. Sweeney, George W., Coll., Pietermaritzburg.
14. Goughly, Thomas S., Hope Town.
15. Cormack, Harry E., S. A. Coll., Cape Town.
16. Malan, P. S., Viet. Coll., Stellenbosch.
17. Davis, Arthur J., Hilton Coll., Natal.
18. Walker, Janet M., Dio. Girls' School, Grahamstown.
19. Daneel, M. S., Viet. Coll., Stellenbosch.
20. Gibbs, Raymond, Pietermaritzburg.
21. Goch, Samuel F., S. A. Coll., Cape Town.
22. Smit, Jasper J., S. A. Coll., Cape Town.

43 Candidates were registered.
38 " " examined.
2 " " obtain honours.
29 " " pass.
16 " " fail.
3 failed in English.
4 " " Latin.
1 " " Algebra and Arithmetic.
1 " " Geometry and Arithmetic.
5 " " to satisfy the examiners in 6 subjects.
16 " " in Total Aggregate.

IN OPTIONAL SUBJECTS.

30 took Greek; 6 failed to satisfy the examiner.
12 " " French; 1 " " "
24 " " Dutch; none " " "
10 " " History; 2 " " "
25 " " Trigonometry; 6 " " "
19 " " Dynamics; 14 " " "
14 " " Chemistry; 2 " " "
1 " " Zoology; none " " "

B.A. (LITERATURE AND PHILOSOPHY).

I. HONOURS.

- 1. Brummey, Nicholas J., Viet. Coll., Stellenbosch.
2. Moffat, Henry A., S. Andrew's Coll., Graham's Town.
3. Pienaar, Schalk W., S. A. Coll., Cape Town.

II. Pass.

- 4. Rooth, Arthur T., Victoria Coll., Stellenbosch.
5. Stoffberg, Pieter B. J., Viet. Coll., Stellenbosch.
6. Viljoen, Willem J., S. A. Coll., Cape Town.
7. Hofmeyr, William A., Viet. Coll., Stellenbosch.
8. Hoak, Izak G., Victoria Coll., Stellenbosch.
9. White, Henrietta M., Dio. Girls' Sch., Graham's Town.
10. Hofmeyr, George M., Viet. Coll., Stellenbosch.
11. Weber, Ferdinand W., Viet. Coll., Stellenbosch.

26 Candidates were Registered.
19 " " presented themselves for examination.
2 " " obtained honours.
8 " " passed in 2nd Class.
7 " " failed.
1 Candidate retired during the Examination.
6 failed in Miscellaneous Latin.
3 " " Greek.
1 " " Logic and Psychology.
4 " " Total.

B.A. (Mathematics and Natural Science).

I. HONOURS.

- 1. Floyer, Arthur F., Dio. Coll., Rondebosch.
2. Townsend, Harry P., S. A. Coll., Cape Town.
3. Thorpe, Henry G., " " "
4. Arnot, John K., " " "
5. Thomas, Charles C., " " "
6. Kannemeyer, Thomas J., Dio. Coll., Rondebosch.

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7. Olivier, Philippus J. v. d. M., Richmond.
8 Candidates were registered.
8 " " examined.
8 " " obtained honours.
1 Candidate passed in the second class.
1 " " failed.

M.A. (V. CHEMISTRY).
B. St. J. van der Riet, B.A.

PRELIMINARY LL.B.

- 1. Burton, Henry, B.A.
2. Longden, Herbert T., B.A.

FINAL LL.B.

- 1. Bruyn, Daniel P. de, B.A.
2. Muller, Anthony, B.A.

LAW CERTIFICATE, 1890.

- 1. Buchanan, W. Porter, Cape Town.
2. Welsh, Donald, Alwal North.
3. Innes, Charles Ross, King W. T.
4. Ormond, Arnold R., Alwal North.
5. Zyl, Carl J. van, Cape Town.
6. Roux, Marais P. H. de, Cape Town.
7. Hutton, Herbert B., Cape Town.
8. Hugo, Peter L. E., Cape Town.
9. Tindall, William A., Cape Town.
10. Home, David H., Rondebosch.
11. Badenhorst, Evert N., Colesberg.

18 Candidates were registered for this Examination.
16 " " present at the "
11 " " succeeded. "
5 " " failed. "

CIVIL SERVICE LAW EXAMINATION, 1890.

- 1. Whitham, Frederick, King W. T.
2. Syme, George E., Cape Town.
3. Neethling, Martinus, Cape Town.
4. Shaul, William R., Swedensdam.
5. Hogge, Edward H., Kokstad.
6. Leary, Arthur E., Umata.
7. Garstin, Frederick C., Port Elizabeth.
8. Oadl, Harold E., Cape Town.
9. Jonbert, John F., Ladysmith.
10. Dreyer, P., Paarl.
11. Norton, Reginald C., East London.
12. Thomson, Walter J. G., Umata.

26 Candidates were registered for this Examination.
23 " " were present at the "
12 " " succeeded. "
11 " " failed. "

Certificate of Proficiency in the Theory of Land Surveying.

- 1. Trevor, Edward G., Cape Town.
2. Shaw, Harry, St. Andrew's Coll., Grahamstown.
3. Cloete, Rudolph, Dio. Coll., Rondebosch.
4. Windley, Edwin, St. Andrew's Coll., Grahamstown.
5. Pfaff, William, S. A. Coll., Cape Town.
6. Hawthorn, John, Heidelberg, S. A. R.
14 Candidates were registered.
12 " " examined.
6 " " pass.
7 " " fail.

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for further consideration.

On the motion of Sir Langham Dale the following Resolutions were adopted:—

- (a). Candidates who have passed the prescribed examinations for Degrees are required to present themselves on Degree-day for public admission to their respective degrees.
- (b). No Certificates will be issued until after the annual Degree-day; and Candidates who cannot be present must obtain a formal dispensation from the Vice-Chancellor, which will be given only in cases of unavoidable absence.
- (c). Graduates of other Universities admitted *ad eundem gradum* will not be allowed to exercise their privileges as Members of Convocation until they have presented themselves on Degree-day for public admission to their degrees. In cases of unavoidable absence, a formal dispensation from the Vice-Chancellor must be obtained.

On the motion of Professor Thomson, the Hon. Mr Justice Buchanan was appointed a member of the Finance Committee in the place of the Hon. J. Tudhope, who has left the Colony.

The Vice Chancellor reported that he had authorised the purchase of £1200 three and a half per cent Government stock for the Elders' Scholarship Fund.

A letter was read from a Committee appointed by the Synod of the Dutch Reformed Church to consider the position of the Dutch Language in the University Examinations, conveying the following Resolutions of Synod:—

- (a). That the Dutch Language should be added to the subjects now prescribed for the School Elementary Examination; in such manner however that no Candidate shall be compelled to take that subject, but that any Candidate taking it shall thereby be entitled to obtain higher marks.
- (b). That in the School Higher Examination equal values should be assigned to the Dutch and English papers; and that these values should exceed those assigned to other languages.
- (c). That in the Matriculation Examination the Dutch and English papers should have equal values, instead of the present arrangement—by which the same values are assigned to the Dutch, French and German papers, and to each of these a lower value than to the English paper.
- (d). That in the School Elementary Examination Candidates should have the opportunity of being examined in Dutch in those subjects which they have learned through the medium of the Dutch Language.
- (e). That in all Examinations questions on the Dutch language should be put in Dutch, leaving it to the option of the Candidates to answer in English.

A letter on the same subject was read from the Secretary of the Z. A. Taalbond, referring to Resolutions, similar in character to those passed by the Synod, adopted at a recent meeting of the Taal Congress: and a deputation consisting of the Rev. N. Hofmeyr, Jr., Professors de Vos and Mansvelt, and the Hon. J. H. Hofmeyr, M. L. A., waited on the Council to communicate the Resolutions of the Congress and to explain at length their position and views on the subject. After full expression of opinion both by the members of the deputation and by members of Council, the Vice Chancellor assured the deputation that the subject should receive the careful consideration of the Council, and the deputation withdrew.

It was resolved to forward the Resolutions of the Synod on the subject of the Dutch language to the Committee of the Teachers' Association, for the purpose



Matriculation Examination cont.

	Eng.	Mod. L.	Hist.	Lat.	Gr.	Lt. Agg.	Ar.	Alg.	Geom.	Trig.	Phys. Sc.	Sci. Agg.	Tot. Agg.
	300	200	150	300	300	1250	250	250	300	250	250	1050 or 1300	2300
B. M. Holmes	68	76	17	57		218	132	127	157	101	60	577	795
R. L. Shaw	119	69	43	95		326	80	110	168	140	64	562	888
E. G. Goddard	128	64	57	109		358	102	100	145	63	4	410	768
H. A. T. Judge	121	51	30	78		280	108	55	152	98	38	451	731
J. A. Wolfaard	82	93	9	53		237	111	75	60	12		246	483
J. G. Meyer	146	136	50	178	165	675	205	158	242	172		777	1452
A. J. Marais	125	135	44	121	101	526	110	107	212	60		489	1015
C. F. A. Oberlander	85	91	38	140	110	464	103	90	129	38		360	824
P. K. de Villiers	96	110	28	124	78	436	80	70	120	21		291	727
C. C. Wernich	109	108	55	146	89	507	76	101	184	82		443	950
J. A. B. Bohlman	105	99	45	83	61	393	103	102	209	61		475	868
C. D. Robinson	87	119	23	85		314	113	103	127	28		371	685
F. S. Berning	125	77	55	82		339	104	98	139	29	84	454	793
M. C. Sonnenberg	110	69	38	123		340	168	132	149	111	106	666	1006
C. H. Watson	171	79	35	112	61	458	154	169	249		139	711	1169
F. E. Mills	120	78	56	105	38	397	131	78	176		144	529	926
J. P. Bosman	169	113	41	91	21	435	143	141	192	82		558	993
E. Bomisse	101	117	31	81	20	350	143	112	226	135		616	966
J. J. Haarkhoff	125	119	30	82		356	137	77	172	80		466	822
H. L. Leibbrandt	242	97	70	190	121	720	177	140	232	144		693	1413
P. H. de Lint	94	85	11	71	21	282	124	108	137	53		422	704
W. E. Malherbe	162	139	52	132	89	574	209	161	245	192		807	1381
R. Lindenberg	84	61	56	42		243	179	75	208	55		517	760
J. du Plessis	153	112	57	120	121	563	153	95	215	103		566	1129
J. Rabie	153	122	75	114	67	531	172	127	262	175		736	1267
C. J. Smut	111	146	42	96	34	429	105	90	137	69		401	830
M. Smuts, Czestoh	129	136	40	131	70	506	133	79	185	82		479	985
M. Smuts, Muzhen	164	147	52	114		477	124	67	154	60		405	882
F. D. du Toit	135	142	20	112	83	492	138	93	212	126		569	1061
D. S. van Warmelo	170	147	8	167	134	626	133	95	239	113		580	1206
D. P. de Wet	156	136	47	117	54	510	177	140	252	84		653	1163
P. Black	150	57	59	97		363	134	80	147	20	115	496	859
N. Bottomley	169	31	17	115		332	121	85	114		34	354	686
D. Hume	133	86	26	124		369	173	131	195		93	592	961
D. Klijn	103	93	9	90		295	113	108	181		87	489	784
J. Kotze	129	83	48	94		354	59	15	60		74	208	562
W. G. Brunton	102	33	9	44		188	90	50			74	214	402
Mildred C. E. Anderson	143	109	29	95		376	183	133	204	105	86	711	1087
Ellen O. Fernie	190	135	36	114		475	154	58	204	63	39	518	993
Susan J. Louwrens	131	109	41	76		357	65	83	182	26	27	383	740
Francina S. Malan	158	141	50	130		479	134	110	172	98	70	584	1063
Elizabeth S. van Niekut	199	132	40	107		478	154	161	186	66	90	657	1135



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a simple piece for translation from Dutch into English and vice versa: Some questions on ordinary declensions and conjugations.

2. This Congress is of opinion that in order to arouse more patriotism in the rising generation, in all schools the history and geography of South Africa, as well as general geography, shall be taught either in Dutch or in English, and that the University Council be requested to examine in these subjects in both languages.

3. This Congress is of opinion that in the Matriculation examination Dutch should not be put on the same footing with foreign languages, but that it should receive an equal number of marks with the principal subjects: provided, however, that the examination in Dutch shall be somewhat more thorough than it has hitherto been.

4. This Congress is of opinion that in all the lower schools elementary instruction should be given in and by means of the language of the majority of the local population, to which instruction in the second language may soon be added. Where it is deemed advisable, in farmers' schools, to give instruction only in and by means of Dutch, these schools should have the same claim to Government aid as the schools in which English is exclusively taught.

5. This Congress is of opinion that the teaching, in this Colony, of the history of the Country and the people, as also of humanity in general, is inadequate, and instructs the "Aanbeveling" to devise a plan for remedying this evil as soon as possible and lay such before the department of Education and the University Council.

6. This Congress is of opinion that in all the examinations the papers on Dutch should be written and answered in that language.

C. F. Smith  
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# ABSTRACT OF PROCEEDINGS

OF

## UNIVERSITY COUNCIL

DURING THE YEAR ENDED THE 31<sup>ST</sup> AUGUST, 1891.

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### I.—*Ordinary Meeting, 27th September, 1890.*

PRESENT :—Pro Vice-Chancellor in the Chair ; Dr. Beck ; Mr. Justice Buchanan ; Professors Foot, Marais and Ritchie ; Dr. Kolbe ; Dr. Van Oordt ; Canon Ogilvie ; Mr. Whitton ; Mr. Lückhoff ; Mr. C. A. Smith.

Acting Registrar submitted a financial statement in connection with the C.G.H. Bank, showing that when the Bank stopped payment the sum of £5,295 16s. 9d. was due by the Bank to the University.

Vote of thanks passed to Mr. Brady for his efficient services as Acting Registrar.

Abstract of Proceedings for year 1889—90 laid on the Table. Printing ordered to stand over.

Resolved : That all cheques be countersigned by the V.C. or Pro V.C., and that a statement of each fund be submitted at ordinary meetings.

Mr. F. S. Lewis appointed to examine in History at Elementary Examination.

Application submitted from F. U. Elliott, Jamison Exhibitioner, to be allowed to draw the amount of the exhibition, as he is now taking private lessons with a view to graduation. Refused.

Application from St. Aidan's College submitted, asking that a Candidate under 16 years of age might be admitted to Matriculation. Resolved : That only in cases where the pupil is of special promise should the rule be relaxed.

Resolved : To address the Commissioners for the Exhibition of 1851 (London), in reference to Science Scholarships.



Report received from Convocation of the election of Sir Langham Dale as Chancellor of the University, and Canon Ogilvie as President of Convocation. Resolution passed congratulating the Chancellor, and trusting that he would continue to take an active part in University work.

Motion by Prof. Ritchie: To discontinue the practice of giving special books in Greek and Latin for Matriculation. Referred to Committee of Studies.

Proposal submitted from Committee of Studies in reference to Dutch at School Elementary Examinations. Ordered to stand over, as the Dutch Church intended to move in the matter.

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### II.—*Ordinary Meeting, 29th November, 1890.*

All members present except the Bishop of Cape Town and Professor Walker.

Mr. Marquard appointed Auditor of Accounts.

Resolved: That Candidates who have passed degree examinations are required to appear on Degree day—and that *ad eundem* graduates may not exercise their privileges until they have presented themselves on Degree day—dispensation in either case to be given where absence is unavoidable.

Mr. Justice Buchanan appointed member of Finance Committee.

Resolutions of D.R. Synod on Dutch Language at University Examinations submitted; also letter from the Taal Bond on the same subject, enclosing resolutions. Deputations from Taal Congress introduced, and subject of Dutch at Examinations discussed. Vice-Chancellor assured deputation that the matter would be carefully considered.

Application from Candidate for Matriculation 8 months under 16 years of age submitted and refused.

Letter from Taal Bond submitted, offering Prizes for Dutch at Matriculation and School Higher Examinations. Offer accepted.

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### III.—*Ordinary Meeting, 31st January, 1891.*

PRESENT:—V.C.; Drs. Beck, Kolbe, Van Oordt; Professors Foot, Hahn, Marais, Ritchie, Thomson; Mr. Buchanan; Sir L. Dale; Mr. Whitton.

Dr. Hahn's resignation as German Examiner reported. Rev. C. H. Hahn, Jr. appointed in his place.



Graduates admitted *ad eundem* :

Mr. L. T. Reid, B.A., Cambridge ;

" T. L. Thorne, " " "

" G. Laurie, M.A., Edinburgh.

Two applications from Candidates for Matriculation under 16 years of age submitted and refused.

Professors Foot and Walker and Dr. Kolbe nominated to examine for M.A. in Mental and Moral Science.

Financial Statement and Draft Report for 1890 submitted and adopted.

Resolved : That in consequence of estimated loss of part of the capital of the Ebdon Scholarship Fund, the value of that scholarship in 1891 be reduced, but shall not be less than £100 *p.a.* Motion by Prof. Ritchie : "That no Ebdon Scholarship be awarded in 1891, but that the value of the University Scholarships in that year be doubled," submitted and lost.

Letter and Resolutions from Teachers' Association in reference to the D.C. resolutions on Dutch at Examinations, submitted. Ordered : That all the resolutions on this subject be printed and circulated.

Notice of Motion by Prof. Foot : To reduce English work at B.A. '92.

#### IV.—*Ordinary Meeting, 21st March, 1891.*

PRESENT :—V.C. ; Professors Foot, Hahn, MacOwan, Ritchie, Thomson ; Sir J. H. de Villiers ; Drs. Kolbe and Van Oordt ; Canon Ogilvie ; Mr. Bodkin ; Mr. Whitton ; Bishop Jones.

Nominations of M.A. Philosophy Examiners confirmed.

Resolved : That B.A. Literary Examination commence on 23rd June ; B.A. Science Examination on 7th July.

Renewed application from Candidate for Matriculation under 16 submitted. Council adheres to its former decision.

Two similar applications submitted, with evidence in each case that the Candidate is of special promise.

Applications granted.

Sir J. H. de Villiers re-appointed to seat on South African College Council.

Graduates admitted *ad eundem* :

Rev. B. Haarhoff, Ph. D., M.A., Leipsic ;

Dean Holmes, M.A., Oxford ;



Rev. D. Stormont, M.A., Glasgow ;  
 Rev. J. T. Darragh, B.A., Dublin ;  
 Mr. S. E. Ashton, B.A., Durham ;  
 Dr. J. P. Johnston, M.B., Edinburgh ;  
 Mr. W. A. Russell, M.A., Cambridge.

Dividend (second) of 5s. in the £ from Cape of Good Bank reported. Amount of £1,200 deposited in Government Savings Bank to credit of Ebdon Scholarship Fund.

The B.A. work for 1892 reduced by striking out the portions from De Quincey and Browning.

Letter submitted from Commissioners of London Exhibition of 1851, stating that they have no funds available for additional scholarships.

Resolutions submitted on Dutch Language at University Examinations :

- (a) By Dr. van Oordt : To have an optional Dutch paper, value 200 marks, at Elementary Examination ; Candidates who take the paper to have their marks in it added to the aggregate obtained in the other papers. Lost.
- (b) By the V.C. : To have an optional Dutch paper at the Elementary Examination, no marks to be given for it, but Candidates who pass in Dutch to have this stated in their certificates. Lost.
- (c) By Dr. van Oordt : To give equal values in the School Higher Examination to the English and Dutch papers—these values to exceed those of the other modern language papers. Lost.
- (d) By Prof. Thomson : To give 250 marks at Matriculation for English, Dutch, French, German, and 200 for Kafir and Sesuto. Lost.
- (e) By Dr. Hahn : To have all the papers of the Elementary Examination in Dutch as well as in English, Candidates to have their choice. To this an amendment was moved by Dr. van Oordt, to adopt the resolution of the Synod : That School Elementary Candidates should have the opportunity of being examined in Dutch in those subjects which they have learned through the medium of Dutch. Amendment and resolution both lost.
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V.—*Ordinary Meeting, 30th May, 1891.*

**PRESENT** :—V.C. ; Drs. Beck, Kolbe, Van Oordt ; Professors Foot, Hahn, Ritchie, Thomson, Walker ; Messrs. Bodkin, Smith, Whitton ; Canon Ogilvie.

Names of members of new Council, appointed by Government or elected by Convocation, reported.

Resolved : To omit the prefatory poems to Marmion in the School higher English work for 1892.

Graduates admitted *ad eundem* :

Mr. S. Mason, B.A., London and Oxford ;

Rev. P. B. Simeon, M.A., Oxford ;

Dr. W. Fligg, M.B., Edinburgh ;

Dr. A. R. Fraser, M.B., Edinburgh ;

Dr. F. W. Weber, M.D., Erlangen.

Clerical assistance to Registrar during pressure of Examination work authorised.

Dr. Beck moves on the subject of transferring Examinations by Pharmaceutical Board to University Council. Deputation to wait on the Attorney-General.

VI.—*Ordinary Meeting, 25th July, 1891.*

**PRESENT** :—V.C. ; Professors Foot, Hahn, MacOwan, Ritchie, Thomson, Walker ; Drs. Kolbe and Van Oordt ; Mr. Buchanan ; Mr. Bodkin ; Mr. C. A. Smith ; Mr. Whitton ; Sir L. Dale.

V.C. reports : That deputation had waited on the Attorney-General in reference to Pharmaceutical Examinations. Consideration of the subject promised.

Cases of F. U. Elliott, Jamison Exhibitioner, and E. Herbert, University Bursar, considered. The amounts had not been paid as they were not attending school or college. Resolved : That, inasmuch as they had actually come up this year for further examination, the amounts be paid : but that in future regular attendance at some school or college approved by the Council be a condition of tenure of all bursaries.

Letters submitted by Preliminary L.L.B. Candidate, complaining that questions had been set beyond the prescribed range. Report from Moderator of Law Committee submitted. Resolved to communicate substance of report to the complainant.

Examination results submitted.

Awards of Scholarships and other prizes made.



Examiners for 1892 nominated.

Prof. Walker moved: To include an abstract of the proceedings of Council in the Calendar. Lost. Motion by Prof. Thomson, submitted and carried at meeting of 23rd August, 1890, in reference to abstract of proceedings for the use of members, to be acted upon: abstract to be printed if approved by the V.C.

Letter read from Dr. Kolbe on proposed University extension. Letter to be printed and brought up at next meeting.

School Examination dates in 1892 fixed: Elementary to commence 1st June: Higher, 3rd June.

#### VII.—*Special Meeting, 8th August, 1891.*

To elect a Vice-Chancellor, appoint examiners, and for other business.

**PRESENT**:—Sir L. Dale; Sir J. H. de Villiers; Professors Foot, Hahn, Ritchie, Thomson, Walker; Messrs. Bodkin, Buchanan, C. A. Smith, Whitton; Rev. J. Thompson; Canon Ogilvie; Drs. Kolbe and Van Oordt.

Hon. Mr. Justice Smith elected Vice-Chancellor.

Committee of Studies appointed.

Examiners and Moderators for 1892 appointed.

Notices of Motion submitted:—

- (a) By Dr. Hahn: To request Committee of Studies to draw up a syllabus of all Science Subjects for University and School Higher Examinations. Carried.
- (b) By Mr. Whitton: To divide the English, History and Geography papers at the Elementary Examination between two examiners. Referred to Committee of Studies.
- (c) By Prof. Thomson: To print the name of the endorser as well as the maker on each examination paper. Carried in modified form, viz.: That the endorsers as well as the makers of the examination papers be recorded in the reports of the examiners.
- (d) By Prof. Thomson: To print in the Calendar the dates on which Examination results will be published. Withdrawn.
- (e) By Prof. Ritchie: To make regular attendance at an approved School or College a condition of tenure of all Exhibitions as well as Bursaries. Carried.

Letter read from Ebdon Scholar, asking for an increase in the amount of the Scholarship, as the reduced value would be insufficient for a course at Cambridge. Resolved: To advance £50, to be charged to the Ebdon Scholarship Fund, in addition to the present value of the Scholarship.

Dr. Kolbe's letter on University extension referred to a Committee of five members for report.

Degree day fixed for 21st August.

Admitted *ad eundem gradum* :

Rev. W. Watkins, B.A., Oxford.

Mr. W. Ledlie, M.A., Cambridge.

Resolved : That before the signature of the Moderator in each examination paper be inserted the words : " Approved by the . . . . . [Literature, or Science, or Law] Committee."

Application submitted from a Bursar, who had been obliged to leave college through ill health for nine out of the twelve months during which his bursary was tenable, but had now resumed attendance at the classes, for the payment of the amount. Application granted.

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#### VIII.—21st August, 1891.

The Vice-Chancellor, in the name of the University, and in the presence of the Council and the Convocation, conferred degrees in accordance with the Reports of the Examiners, and the Resolutions of Council in reference to applications from Graduates of other Universities for degrees in this University.

J. CAMERON, Registrar.



## Matriculation Examination cont.

	Eng.	Mod. L.	Hist.	Lat.	Gk.	Lit. App.	Arith.	Alg.	Geom.	Astron.	Phys. Sci.	Sci. App.	Total App.
	300	200	150	300	300	1250	250	250	300	250	250	1050 1300	2300
N. J. Joerning	89	78	30	13	8	210	31	55	17		28	131	341
P. J. Marais	205	132	47	172	154	710	194	189	157		104	644	1354
C. van Colles	92	84	15	48		239	59	53	37		7	149	388
Isabella Hofmeyr	177	143	47	85	86	538	121	78	207	148		554	1092
Gertrude Longden	173	115	70	139		497	178	125	177	93		568	1065
A. Hofmeyr	193	145	51	100	66	555	117	119	227	58		521	1076
H. Hendricks	139	94	35	125	18	411	88	110	150	18		366	777
A. E. Goldschmidt	114	43	22	56		235	129	22	60		30	241	476
W. Rabie	74	84	17	48	13	223	112	100	130	25		367	590
C. P. Immelman	98	98	24	85	48	353	112	66	122	40		340	693
P. J. Conradie	66	100	21	69	42	298	52	55	174	46		327	625
F. D. Conradie	75	72	16	67	24	254	45	79	155	43		322	576
M. C. Blore	116	97	17	105	32	367	85	79	102	45		311	678
L. H. Moe	115	190	41	96	122	564	111	133	149			393	957
Jessie K. Ross	166	141	60	133	119	619	84	112	144	89		429	1048
V. E. Scaer	113	83	38	120	121	475	89	85	190		110	474	949
E. Miller	182	196	77	162	170	787	140	107	237		184	668	1455
H. Anders	125	187	62	144	146	664	42	78	217		236	573	1245
E. Herbert	149	151	59	129	99	587	156	134	257	143		690	1277
F. Rudin	183	144	63	142	92	624	178	148	179	119		624	1248
Mary E. Robinson	139	150	51	101		441	161	110	169			440	881
Laura L. Meller	173	162	46	111		492	88	76	124			288	780
Kate Forsyth	197	141	66	57		461	70	76	125	54	58	383	844
Edith Wadham	118	97	42	43		300	142	93	160	36	30	461	761
J. C. Kemsley	167	99	66	126	44	502	96	25	167	49		337	839
F. B. Steer	116	78	23	43		260	92	8	87		143	322	582
E. H. J. Kruger	94	94	37	75	91	391	63	73	120	16		272	663
L. J. P. Grobler	101	76	24	46	27	274	34	85	114	4		233	507
J. D. Smith	77	97	19	64	18	275	111	97	122	53		383	658
J. J. Erlank	87	74	23	47	24	255	91	80	130	38		339	594
P. K. Albertyn	132	100	48	76	35	391	79	154	182	61		476	867
J. W. Borchards	124	92	43	63	42	364	141	132	177	97		547	911
H. M. Borchards	136	95	39	76	48	394	60	80	124	19		283	677
H. D. Coyle	154	96	52	97		399	130	70	177	85		462	861
J. K. Raymond	131	118	24	74		347	175	118	171	63		527	874
C. B. Sauer	103	105	27	67		302	96	85	179	6		360	662
A. C. Herskenson	117	117	32	86		352	137	78	184	19		418	770
E. G. Elliott	92	45	7	84	27	248	70	80	99		63	312	560
W. N. Gilfillan	71	55	37	17		180	95	20	137	69		321	501
W. H. White	98	60	25	78	55	316	102	50	177		139	468	784
R. J. Bell	88	65	45	66		264	73	50	147	52	115	437	701
F. Hopley	104	47	65	83		299	107	86	149	66	54	462	761



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Book that the application in whole of Hugo be granted was lost, and the Registrar was instructed to inform both applicants that the Council sees no sufficient reason for departing from the ordinary rule.

Professors Foot and Walker, and <sup>nominated</sup> Dr. Kotte were appointed a special Board of Examiners to conduct the examination of a candidate for the degree of B. A. in the Department of Mental and Moral Science. The appointments to be made at next meeting.

The Registrar submitted a list of payments since the date of the last meeting, amounting to £690. 3. 9, and a statement of the financial position of each fund administered by the University on the 31<sup>st</sup> of January: viz—

General Fund.	Credit Balance	£544. 14. 8
Porter "	" "	423. 17. 3
Jamison "	" "	177. 5. 9
Maynard "	" "	85. 10. 9
Irwin "	" "	27. 17. 3
Eden Prize Fund	" "	0. 13. 6
Eden Scholarship Fund.	Debit Balance	10. 1. 10

The Registrar further submitted the statement of all receipts and payments during the year 1890, and the assets and liabilities of the University on the 31<sup>st</sup> of December, 1890, each account being certified by the Auditor as correct: and a Draft Report of the proceedings of the Council in 1890 was read. The Report and financial statements were adopted.

On the motion of Sir Langham Dale, seconded by Mr. Justice Buchanan, it was resolved that the Eden Scholarship in 1891 shall be of the value of not less than £100 a year; an amendment by Prof. Peischke "that no Eden Scholarship be offered in 1891, but that the value of the University Scholarships in that year be doubled" having been previously put to the meeting and lost. The reduction in the value of the Eden Scholarship from £200 to £100 a year is owing to the estimated loss of part of the Capital and interest deposited in the Cape of Good Hope Bank and in liquidation.

The attention of the Council was called to a vacancy in the Council caused by the absence of Professor Walker from the Colony for six months. Resolved that the Vice-Chancellor take measures for filling the vacancy. The election to the vacant seat rests with the Convocation of the University.

A letter was read from the Hon. Sec. of the S. A. Teachers' Association, containing the Resolutions of the Committee of that Body in reference to the Resolutions of the Synod of the D. R. Church on the position of Dutch at the University examinations. Resolved that the Resolutions of the Committee, together with those of the Synod and of the recent Taal Congress (see Minutes of last meeting) be printed and circulated among the members of Council.

Sir Langham Dale called attention to the practical difficulties in giving effect to the following Minute of 26 July, 1890:—



Intermediate Examination in Arts cont.

	Eng.	Lat.	Greek	Mod. L.	History	Alg.	Geom.	Trig.	Nat. Sc.	Total Agg.
	275	275	250	250	200	250	250	250	250	2050
A. J. Davis	85	89		111	35	118	150	140	28	756
K. N. Truber	68	58	80	117		62	120	55	86	646
A. Y. S. Leger	120	118	120	80		111	102	93	123	867
J. K. C. Enslin	69	85	75	78		90	67	15	80	559
A. B. Mortimer	108	85		80	40	73	97	60		543
S. F. Goch	78	98	72		59	81	105	100	87	680
P. K. A. de Vos	120	92	112	130		152	122	75	66	869
H. J. Brincker	136	80	133	98		126	108	145	144	970
F. S. Malan	106	56	51	131		113	143	105	59	764
H. S. Theron	118	81	101	148		130	134	95	21	828
K. T. van der Heever	60	50	43	99		95	62	48	16	473
W. F. Marais	110	88	59	122		60	82	5	25	546
P. A. Smith	104	103	107	160		134	140	106	116	970
M. S. Danciel	92	70	36	134		132	137	70	53	724
J. Kriel	53	78	91	147		66	65	96	42	638
G. Dickson	97	88	57	39		93	97	74	116	661
J. H. Bijkman	46	48		84	15	99	67	58	3	417
T. S. Golightly	102	113		114	61	87	79	85	165	806
Adelia Frankenstein	174	142	120	145		148	112	122	67	1030
E. P. Grey	142	139	129	135		108	117	114	39	923
Margaret J. M. Walker	133	67	32	91		143	89	120	64	739
B. Heijdenrijck	181	102	132	106		78	107	90	71	867
J. J. Smit	112	70	53	150		108	87	77	20	677
C. A. Neethling	147	70	107	158		95	122	81	162	942
C. J. H. du Toit	81	59	42	115		53	87	15	16	468
P. H. v. d. Meulen	102	107	135	136		85	150	105	46	866
D. Bland	151	50	59	125		89	89	53	35	651
C. S. Murray	130	107		174	47	69	54	17		598

B.A. Examination (Mathematics and Natural Science)

	Alg. Trig.	Geom. Conic	Statics	Math.	Chem.	Physics	Geol.	Total Pass	Hon. a.b.c.	Hon. Math.	Hon. Chem.	Hon. Physics	Hon. Geol.	Total Honors	Total Aggregate
	150	250	300	600	600	600	600	2000	300	350	350	350	350	1000	8000
P. J. v. d. M. Olivier	89	68	100		250		186	693							693
H. P. Townsend	152	143	171	265	487			1218	215	80	320			615	1833
J. R. Arnold	85	135	127	284	510			1141	155	85	125			365	1506
A. F. Shoyer	183	237	264		564	482		1730	270		290	243		803	2533
C. C. Thomas	97	190	120		396	247		1050	115		237	71		423	1473
J. M. Hofmeyr	45	78	124	32		186		465	30			67		97	562
H. G. Thorpe	96	153	184	301	481			1215	195	82	236			513	1728
T. J. Kannemeyer	67	136	107		433	293		1036	57		136	56		249	1285

and to pass



Rev. J. Smith, M. A., Aberdeen  
Rev. H. V. Edwards, B. A., Oxford

7. The following have been appointed Examiners for 1891:-

Literature. J. H. Brady Esq. M. A. (Moderator)  
J. D. Coley Esq. B. A.  
Rev. F. C. Kolbe, D. D.  
C. Murray Esq. M. A.  
J. W. G. van Bortel Esq., Ph. D.

Science. Hon. C. A. Smith Esq. M. A. (Moderator)  
W. H. Finlay Esq. M. A.  
P. Maclean Esq. B. A., F. L. S.  
S. Schönland Esq. Ph. D.  
R. P. Solomon Esq. M. A.

Law. Sir J. H. de Villiers, C. J. (Moderator)  
Mr. Advocate Juta, LL. B.  
Mr. Advocate Beards, LL. B.

Philosophy Rev. D. Ross M. A. (Special Examiner)

French Rev. A. M. Daignault

German Rev. C. H. Hahn Jr.

Dutch Rev. J. H. Hofmeyr

Additional Examiner in Science, for Matriculation: Capt. Jurisch  
School Examiners, for Elementary Examination.

Rev. H. M. Foss LL. B.  
F. Guthrie Esq. LL. B.  
F. S. Lewis Esq. M. A.  
G. Macmachie Esq.  
W. Thomson Esq. M. A., B. Sc.

do, for Higher Examination

A. Podkin Esq. M. A.  
J. H. Brady Esq. M. A.  
Rev. D. Cameron  
F. Guthrie Esq. LL. B.  
Rev. C. H. Hahn Jr.  
P. D. Hahn Esq. Ph. D.  
A. Macdonald Esq. M. A.  
P. Maclean Esq. B. A., F. L. S.  
N. Mansvelt Esq.  
W. Ritchie Esq. M. A.  
G. W. Vipson Esq. M. A.

8. The School examinations were held in May and June at 83 different centres in this Colony, the Orange Free State, the Transvaal Republic, and Natal, under the presidency of Commissioners specially appointed by the Council. The result of these examinations is as follows:-



Law Certificate

	Roman	Rom. Bud.	English 1.	English 2.	Statute 1.	Statute 2.	Met. Pract.	Total
	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	1750
W. P. Buchanan	217	121	220	193	165	135	197	1248
D. Welsh	180	167	213	174	132	169	201	1236
C. R. Innes	179	131	178	179	158	156	205	1186
A. R. Osmond	163	114	177	150	111	158	202	1075
C. J. van Zijl	176	136	115	161	119	145	189	1041
M. P. H. Le Roux	171	117	160	154	128	121	187	1038
H. B. Hutton	203	85	177	157	135	85	153	995
P. L. E. Hugo	121	83	132	134	122	157	171	920
W. A. Tindall	169	124	130	131	84	105	150	893
D. H. Home	128	109	167	108	98	135	136	881
E. N. Badenhorst	134	102	149	126	111	111	143	876
P. A. Wege	116	83	122	133	118	77	164	813
H. W. Murray	95	90	61	90	121	88	188	733
G. J. Fitzpatrick	128	94	121	104	78	51	147	723
A. A. de Smidt	103	53	97	118	83	76	176	706
M. W. Smuts	93	50	75	112	88	64	164	646

Civil Service Law Examination

F. Whitham	158	202	169	174	160		863
G. E. Syme	118	198	164	143	168		791
M. Neethling	123	172	162	130	152		739
W. P. Shand	90	164	154	143	174		725
E. H. Hogge	148	168	139	130	131		716
A. E. Leary	136	167	143	136	118		700
F. C. Garstin	118	164	133	142	129		686
H. E. Gadd	125	153	136	133	120		667
J. F. Joubert	125	164	135	128	86		638
P. Freyer	107	158	136	121	112		634
R. C. Norton	120	126	171	130	81		628
W. J. G. Thomson	112	154	137	130	93		626
S. C. Fichat	85	123	124	85	81		498
F. L. H. Atchison	74	114	99	108	93		488
E. G. Green	80	105	101	106	87		479
P. F. Fischer	90	136	74	61	83		444
J. H. Keale	77	103	107	77	71		435
C. H. Hilliard	53	98	95	106	59		411
L. H. Brinkman	77	77	99	99	58		410
A. C. Harmsworth	48	105	68	101	78		400
T. J. B. Scotland	75	68	79	111	55		388
C. A. King	48	88	75	79	54		344
C. Brink	83	76	55				214

## School Examiners, for Elementary Examination :—

Rev. H. M. Foot, LL.B.  
 F. Guthrie, Esq., LL.B.  
 F. S. Lewis, Esq., M.A.  
 G. Maconachie, Esq.  
 W. Thomson, Esq., M.A., B.Sc.

## School Examiners, for the Higher Examination :—

A. Bodkin, Esq., M.A.  
 J. H. Brady, Esq., M.A.  
 Rev. Dr. Cameron.  
 F. Guthrie, Esq., LL.B.  
 Rev. C. H. Hahn, jun.  
 P. D. Hahn, Esq., Ph.Dr.  
 A. Macdonald, Esq., M.A.  
 P. MacOwan, Esq., B.A., F.L.S.  
 N. Mansvelt, Esq.  
 W. Ritchie, Esq., M.A.  
 G. W. Vipan, Esq., M.A.

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## (a) Elementary Examination :—

1330 candidates were registered.  
 1295 " " examined.  
 240 " passed in the first class.  
 690 " " " second class.  
 365 " " failed.

## (b) School Higher Examination :—

287 candidates were registered.  
 284 " " examined.  
 128 " passed in the first class.  
 105 " " " second class.  
 51 " " failed.

In connection with these Examinations, Bursaries have been awarded as follows :—

## School Higher Examination : £15 for one year.

Cornelis Langenhoven, Public School, Ladysmith.  
 Alex. F. Russell, Normal College School, Cape Town.  
 Wm. Hofmeyr, Gill College, Somerset East.  
 Annie Watermeyer, Huguenot Seminary, Wellington.  
 Rob. M. Leith, Gill College, Somerset East.  
 Hedwig Hammerschlag, Seminary, Worcester.  
 John Hullah, St. Andrew's College School, Graham's Town.

## School Elementary Examination : £10 for one year.

Henry Tietz, Normal College School, Cape Town.  
 David A. Grundlingh, College, Graaff-Reinet.  
 Otto van Opper, Normal College School, Cape Town.  
 John Lawrie, Public School, Graham's Town.  
 Jane Carroll, St. Mary's Convent, Cape Town.  
 Wilhelmine Bahleke, St. Martin's School, Cape Town.  
 C. H. Bosenberg, Rev. J. G. Sutton's School, Cape Town.  
 Tryphosa Torbet, Glens High School, Rondebosch.  
 Wm. Chadwick, Normal College School, Cape Town.



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University of the Cape of Good Hope,  
8th June, 1890.

The following are the marks and standards for the several examinations, as at present authorized by the Council, and the instructions to examiners.

EXAMINATION.	SUBJECT.	Maximum Marks.	Minimum Marks for Pass.	Minimum Marks for Honours.	REMARKS.
School Elementary ...	Handwriting ...	50			
	English and Dictation ...	300	75		
	Arithmetic ...	300	75		
	History ...	200	40		
	Geography ...	200	40		
	Total.			350	525
School Higher ...	English ...	300	60		Not more than 3 subjects on the literature and 3 on the science side can be taken by any candidate.
	Arithmetic ...	300	60		
	History ...	200	One-fifth in one of these.		
	All other Literature subjects ...	300			
	Physical Geography ...	200	One-fifth in one of these.		
	All other Science subjects ...	300			
	Total.			600	
Matriculation ...	English ...	300	100		In 1890 candidates are allowed to substitute Dynamics for Greek. For candidates who take two subjects in physical science, the minimum for the science total is 325.
	Modern Language ...	200			
	History ...	150			
	Latin ...	300	60		
	Greek ...	300			
	Total Literature.			312	
	Arithmetic ...	250	50		
	Algebra ...	250	50		
	Geometry ...	300	60		
	Physical Science ...	250			
	Total Science.			262	
Total Aggregate.			766	1150	
Intermediate ...	English ...	275	55		
	Latin ...	275	55		
	Algebra with Arithmetic ...	250	50		
	Geometry with Arithmetic ...	250	50		
	Greek ...	250	Only two of these subjects.		
	Mod. Lang. ...	250			
	History ...	200			
	Trigonometry ...	250	One-fifth in two of these.		
	Natural Science ...	250			
	Total.			683	

## (i) Law and Jurisprudence :

18	Candidates registered.
16	"    examined.
11	"    passed.

## (k) Civil Service Law :

26	Candidates registered.
23	"    examined.
12	"    passed.

The following is the Prize List in connection with these examinations :—

		Honorary	
B.A.	University Scholarship	£150 for 3 years	A. F. Shoyer, Dio. Coll., Rondebosch.
	Porter Studentship	£200 for 4 years	H. P. Townsend, S. A. Coll., Cape Town.
	Jamison Scholarship	£60 for 2 years	H. G. Thorpe, S. A. Coll., Cape Town.
	Maynard " "	£50 for 2 years	" "
	Additional " "	£50 for 2 years	" "
Intermediate	Bursary	£25 for 1 year	Russell M. Kayser, S. A. Coll., Cape Town.
Matriculation	University Exhibition	£30 for 2 years	Arthur A. Elliott, S. A. Coll., Cape Town.
	" "	" "	Andrew M. McGregor, S. A. Coll., Cape Town.
	Jamison " "	£25 for 1 year	Joseph Lewis, S. A. Coll., Cape Town.
	" "	£10 for 1 year	Fred. G. Gardiner, S. A. Coll., Cape Town.
	" "	" "	Johan G. Meyer, Pub. Sch., Paarl.
	" "	" "	Ernst Muller, Pub. Sch., East London.
	Bursary " "	£15 for 1 year	Herbert Leibbrandt, Norm. Coll., Cape Town.
	" "	" "	W. E. Malherbe, Norm. Coll., Cape Town.
	" "	" "	Paul J. Marais, Vict. Coll., Stellenbosch.
	" "	" "	N. J. de Wet, Vict. Coll., Stellenbosch.
	" "	" "	Ewald Herbert, Grey Inst., Port Elizabeth.

10. The J. B. Ebdon prize of £50 has been awarded to Mr. D. P. de Bruyn, B.A., LL.B., for an essay on the advantages, or otherwise, of a Customs Union, whether general or partial, for the different Colonies and States of South Africa. The thanks of the Council are due to Messrs. Beard and Wiener, the Judges, and Professor Foot, the Referee, for their services in awarding the Prize.

11. The Council regrets to say that the amount of the Ebdon Scholarship Endowment Fund, £4,750, with the interest for a year, was lodged in the Cape of Good Hope Bank when it stopped payment. Most of the money will probably be recovered in the course of the liquidation of the Bank; but it is inevitable that the value of the scholarship will be considerably reduced. There was also a floating balance in the Bank of £380 10s. 5d., part of which will probably be lost. The Council, however, notwithstanding these estimated losses, is able to report that the financial position of the University is a sound one, owing to the liberal support of the Legislature, and the augmented revenue derived from the fees of candidates for examination.

12. The present occasion is the last on which this Council will have the honour of making its Report to His Excellency, as the Council will expire by effluxion of time on the 31st of July next. During its term of office, the Council has not considered it desirable to make any important changes in the system of examinations, being strongly of opinion that frequent change has a tendency to disturb public confidence, and that measures which have been adopted after long and careful deliberation should not be set aside until lengthened experience and a general consensus of educated opinion have shown the necessity of change. The Council has therefore been content to watch, closely and constantly, the working of the present regulations, and does not think that the time for any fundamental change has arrived. It will be for the new Council to decide whether the present regulations can with advantage be modified. Recent discussions as to the place of Dutch in the Examinations seem to indicate that the Council will have to deal with



## INSTRUCTIONS.

The general functions of the Committees of Examiners are to superintend the preparation of the examination papers and the examinations; to confer with the other examiners; to receive the reports of the examiners; and to certify the results of the examinations to the Vice-Chancellor.

No lists of successful Candidates are to be published until they have been certified as correct by the Scrutineers appointed by the Vice-Chancellor.

No Examiner is at liberty to give information as to the position and marks of any candidate to any person except the Registrar.

Each examination paper must be endorsed by a second examiner; and must bear the name of the examiner who has prepared it, and the signature of the Moderator.

The Geometry paper at the School Higher Examinations is to be strictly elementary—the deductions to be very simple in character and few in number.

The Examiners are requested to make the papers on Physical Geography and History in the School Higher Examinations more searching and difficult.

The names of Candidates who are above 16 and 18 years of age, respectively, in the School Elementary and School Higher Examinations, are to be distinguished in the published lists from the names of those who are eligible for Bursaries or Prizes.

The English paper at Matriculation to contain a dictation exercise, and correct spelling to be considered of great importance in the composition exercise.

The Classical Papers at the several Examinations are to be so framed and marked as to require, as a condition of passing, more than a simple translation of passages from the set authors.

In the B.A. Honours Papers in English and Modern Languages, at least one half of the work is to be based upon the set subjects of the year.

The Subject of Philology will include:

- (a) Theories of Language and of its Origin.
- (b) Physiology of Speech.
- (c) Morphology.
- (d) Classification of Languages.

The Paper in Philology will be on general principles, and their application to the Classical Languages; and the special application of these principles to the various Modern Languages will be dealt with in the Papers on those languages.

COMPARATIVE RESULT OF EXAMINATIONS.

	M.A.		B.A.		LL.B.		Marrimonial.		Intermediate.		Law Certificates.		Survey Certificates.		C.S. Law.		School Elementary.		School Higher.		Total Exd.	Total Passed.
	Exd.	Passed	Exd.	Passed	Exd.	Passed	Exd.	Passed	Exd.	Passed	Exd.	Passed	Exd.	Passed	Exd.	Passed	Exd.	Passed	Exd.	Passed		
1874 ..	1	1	9	6	0	0	49	31	0	0	9	8	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	70	47
1875 ..	1	0	16	12	1	1	58	34	0	0	7	7	3	0	0	0	158	97	0	0	244	151
1876 ..	4	2	9	8	1	1	80	60	0	0	3	3	5	3	0	0	154	117	0	0	256	194
1877 ..	3	1	11	6	1	1	74	49	0	0	3	2	7	3	0	0	182	130	0	0	281	192
1878 ..	2	2	15	8	1	1	100	73	0	0	3	3	13	7	0	0	213	141	0	0	347	235
1879 ..	0	0	15	8	1	0	109	46	0	0	5	5	12	8	0	0	240	150	0	0	382	217
1880 ..	1	1	14	7	1	1	118	62	0	0	8	7	17	8	0	0	281	204	24	17	464	307
1881 ..	0	0	14	10	2	2	109	61	0	0	3	1	22	10	0	0	333	242	40	32	523	358
1882 ..	0	0	10	7	0	0	116	84	0	0	10	10	24	14	0	0	414	256	45	21	619	392
1883 ..	0	0	16	13	1	1	144	88	38	32	4	4	20	14	0	0	419	293	42	33	684	478
1884 ..	2	2	13	10	0	0	185	118	38	20	15	14	21	10	0	0	475	379	37	18	786	571
1885 ..	0	0	16	10	4	2	228	118	52	23	14	9	13	5	0	0	755	526	88	42	1170	735
1886 ..	2	1	21	15	3	3	215	121	56	53	18	16	15	10	7	5	986	603	112	85	1435	912
1887 ..	0	0	24	16	4	2	216	122	45	25	29	13	4	2	31	13	892	530	203	145	1448	868
1888 ..	3	2	33	29	2	1	202	133	66	43	28	24	6	3	36	21	892	523	232	197	1500	976
1889 ..	1	0	22	13	3	3	188	109	40	31	21	16	6	5	17	11	915	610	193	162	1406	960
1890 ..	1	1	27	18	5	4	193	101	38	22	16	11	13	6	23	12	1295	930	284	233	1895	1338
1874 to 1890	21	13	285	196	30	23	2384	1410	373	249	196	153	203	109	114	62	8604	5731	1300	985	13510	8931



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Saturday, Aug. 9<sup>th</sup>.

A special meeting of Council was held this day. Present:-

The Vice-Chancellor (in the chair)

Mr. Bodkin

Mr. Justice Buchanan

Rev. Prof. Foot

Prof. Hahn

Most Rev. Bishop Jones

Rev. Dr. Kolbe

Rev. A. D. Lückhoff

Rev. Canon Ofloris

Dr. van Oordt

Prof. Ritchie

Hon. C. A. Smith

Prof. Thomson

Mr. Whitton.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed

The following examiners were appointed for 1891:-

Literature: Mr. Brady (moderator), Mr. Coley, Dr. Kolbe,  
Mr. Chas. Murray, Dr. van Oordt.

Science: Mr. Finlay, Prof. MacDowan, Dr. Schönland, Hon.  
C. A. Smith (moderator), Mr. R. Solomon.

Law: Mr. Adv. Juta, Mr. Adv. Searle, Sir J. H. de Villiers (moderator)

Philosophy: Rev. Dr. Kolbe

Dutch: Rev. J. H. Hofmeyr

French: Rev. A. M. Daignault

German: Prof. Hahn

Kafir (if needed): Rev. Bruce Ross

School Examiners: As last year, with such changes  
in distribution of work as may seem desirable to the Vice-Chancellor.

It was resolved that the fee of the Literature and  
Science examiners be reduced to £80.

It was resolved that a special examiner be appointed  
on the science side to take one of the mathematical papers in the  
matriculation examination. Captain Jurisch was nominated.

It was resolved that a second examiner in philosophy  
be appointed as usual. The Rev. J. Russell and Rev. D. Ross were  
nominated.

The following award of bursaries was made:-

Intermediate	£25 for 1 year	Russell M. Keyser, S. A. Coll., Cape Town.
Matriculation	£15 for 1 year	Herbert Leibbrandt, Norm. Coll., Cape Town.
"	"	W. E. Malherbe, Norm. Coll., Cape Town.
"	"	Paul J. Marais, Viet. Coll., Stellenbosch.
"	"	N. J. de Wet, Viet. Coll., Stellenbosch.
"	"	Ewald Herbert, Grey Inst., Port Elizabeth.
"	"	Cornelis Langenhoven, Pub. Sch., Lady Smith.
School Higher	"	Alex. F. Russell, Norm. Coll. Sch., Cape Town.
"	"	Wm. Hofmeyr, Gill Coll., Somerset E.
"	"	Annie Watermeyer, Hug. Sem., Wellington.
"	"	Rob. M. Leith, Gill Coll., Somerset E.
"	"	Helwig Hammerschlag, Sem., Worcester.
"	"	John Hullah, St. And. Coll. Sch., Graham's Town.





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Saturday, Aug. 23, 1890

The adjourned meeting of Council was held this day. There were present

The Vice-Chancellor (in the chair)

Mr. Bodkin

Hon. Mr. Justice Buchanan

Rev. Prof. Foot

Prof. Hahn

Rev. Dr. Kolbe

Prof. MacOwan

Dr. van Oordt

Prof. Ritchie

Hon. C. Abercrombie Smith

Prof. Thomson

Mr. Whiston

The minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed.

A letter from Mr. Shoyer was read, asking the Council to extend for another year the term of the Porter Studentship which he had just gained. The Acting Registrar was directed to inform him that, if, at the end of the three years, he should make application for an additional grant, the Council would in all probability give the matter favourable consideration.

A letter from Mr. Thorpe was read stating that he had accepted a mastership in a school, and asking the Council to allow the scholarships which he had gained to stand over for nine months or a year. His request was granted.

A letter from Mr. H. P. Townsend was read, asking that the half-yearly payments of his Jamison scholarship might be made at the beginning of each half year. His request was granted.

The Rev. H. V. Edwards, B.A. (Oxford) was admitted to the degree of B.A. in this University.

On the motion of Prof. Thomson it was resolved that the note on Geometrical Abbreviations (Calendar 1889-90, p. lxxx) be printed on all papers on Geometry.

On the motion of Prof. Thomson it was resolved that an annual abstract of the proceedings of the University Council be printed for the use of Members of Council.

## ASSETS AND LIABILITIES OF THE UNIVERSITY OF THE CAPE OF GOOD HOPE—(Continued.)

ASSETS.	£	s.	d.	LIABILITIES.	£	s.	d.
Brought forward ... ..	21,272	7	5	Brought forward ... ..	21,272	7	5
J. B. Ebdon Prize Endow't. Fund: Government Stock... ..	200	0	0	Frere Exhibition Endowment Fund Balance in Bank ... ..	600	0	0
Balance in C. G. H. Bank, in liqui- dation ... ..	285	7	10	J. B. Ebdon Prize Endow't. Fund... Balance in Bank ... ..	200	0	0
Balance in Standard Bank ... ..	1,101	14	2		0	13	6
Less outstanding Cheques ... ..	1,387	2	0				
	33	16	2				
Petty Cash in hand ... ..	1,353	5	10				
	1	11	3				
	...						
	22,100	18	2		22,100	18	2

Audited and found correct,

23rd January, 1891.

L. MARQUARD.

NOTE. (a) The Balance to the Credit of such fund is subject to reduction by any loss that may be sustained through the failure of the Cape of Good Hope Bank. The existing Balance in this Bank when it stopped paying for the Frere Exhibition Endowment Fund will have to be set aside for the amount (£4,946 is. 11.), being in the credit of that fund in the Cape of Good Hope Bank, when it stopped payment. Of this amount also a first dividend of 5s. in the £ has been received.

(b) The Endowment Fund will have to be set aside on the amount (£4,946 is. 11.), being in the credit of that fund in the Cape of Good Hope Bank, when it stopped payment. Of this amount also a first dividend of 5s. in the £ has been received.



in the ordinary course of his work as member of the committee of Examiners in Literature and Philosophy; and Rev. David Ross, M.A., was appointed special Examiner in Philosophy for 1891.

On the motion of Prof. Foot the vote of Council fixing the fee for Members of the Committees of Examiners in Literature and Science at £80 was rescinded, the original fee of £100 being restored.

The committee of Studies submitted a complete syllabus of all the subjects required in Chemistry for the School Higher, Matriculation and Intermediate Examinations. On the motion of Prof. Hahn, it was ordered to be printed and circulated among Members of Council for their opinion before its final adoption. Professor MacOwan requested that his dissent should be recorded, on the ground that, in his opinion, no sufficient case had been made out for altering the course taken hitherto by the University, and that the minute specification of items to be got up is a direct encouragement to cram.

The recommendations of the Sub-Committee of the Committee of Studies with regard to the subject Dynamics etc. at the Matriculation and Intermediate Examinations were withdrawn; and Prof. Thomson moved "That Natural Philosophy be substituted for Dynamics at the Matriculation and Intermediate Examinations." This motion was referred to the Committee of Studies, and ~~the~~ an accompanying syllabus was ordered to be printed and circulated with that for Chemistry.

The following Special Subjects and Text Books for the Examinations of 1892 were decided upon:-

SPECIAL SUBJECTS AND TEXT-BOOKS FOR THE EXAMINATIONS OF 1892.

- School Higher: English: Scott's *Marmion*; and Thomas Hughes' *Livingstone* (English Men of Action).
- Matriculation: Latin: Nepos *Eximios, Phocion, Timoleon*.
- English: Mottejohn's *English Language* (Blackwood, 1887), Parts I. to III.; Milton's *Paradise Lost* I. and II.; and Macaulay's *Essay on Milton*.
- Latin: Ovid, *Maclean's Selections* pp. 8-24; Cicero, *Jeans' Select Letters* (Macmillan's Elementary Classics).
- Greek: Xenophon, *Agesilaus*.
- Intermediate: English: Pello's *Philology*; Skeat's *Principles of English Etymology*, co. 1. to xi.
- Period of Literature, 1350 to 1800.
- History: Constitutional History of England from 1688 to 1832.
- Latin: Horace *Satires* II., 1-4; Sallust *Catalina*.
- Greek: Isocrates *Plataicus* and *De Digis*; Homer *Odyssey* XXI.
- B.A. English: Chaucer, *Prologue to the Canterbury Tales*, *Man of Lawes Tale*, *Prioressees Tale*, *Tale of Sir Tropas*, *Nonne Prestes Tale*; Sidney's *Apology for Poetrie*; Shakspeare's *King Lear*; De Quincey's *English Mail Coach* and *Suspiria de Profundis*; Browning's *Men and Women* (N. B. Not the "Fifty Men and Women," as originally published, but the twelve poems under the title "Men and Women" as printed in later editions).
- Period of Literature, 1680 to 1760.
- Latin: Cicero *De Officiis*, I.; Livy *XXIV*; Terence *Hauton Timonimus*.
- Greek: Demosthenes *In Midiam*; Herodotus IX., 1-89; Euripides *Baccho*.
- French: Hugo (*Œuvre complète*-Extraits, pp. 108-249)-Edition du Monument, Mai 1885; Molière's *Tartuffe*; Brachet's *Merveilles Choisis* etc., pp. 48 to 70 and 203 to 223; Brachet's *Historical French Grammar*.
- Period of Literature-from the Renaissance.
- Dutch: Vosmaer's *Fogels van Dierren Pluimage* *Besides en Studien*, Inleiding tot Geëete Bladen, pp. 1-184; Boets' *Gelechten*, 1st part of Sythoff's popular edition, pp. 161-276; Dr. E. Verwijs' *Etimologie mit Etimologisch Dichters*, *Deel I. Remaert and Caerl ende Elegast*. Period of Literature-19th Century.
- German: Heine, *Duch der Linder*; Schiller, *Brieff von Messina*; Lessing, *Wie die Allen den Tod gebildet*. Period of Literature-1160 to 1300.



expectations of those who wish to encourage the study of that language, and at the same time secure for all candidates that ample and impartial justice without which there can be no public confidence.

13. During the absence of the Registrar on leave for six months, the duties of his office were efficiently performed by Mr. J. H. Brady, M.A.

14. The usual ceremony of conferring degrees was held in the Public Library, courteously put at the disposal of the Council by the Library Authorities, in September, when the Vice-Chancellor, in the presence of the Council and the Convocation of the University, conferred degrees on the candidates whom the Council had declared qualified to receive them, and addressed the Congregation on the work of the University.

15. Appended to this report are

(a) The usual financial statements, showing the receipts and expenditure of the year, and the position of each of the Funds administered by the Council:

(b) A tabulated statement of the number of candidates examined by the University since its incorporation in 1873.

(Signed) C. T. Smith  
Vice-Chancellor

Univ. Chambers,  
3 February, 1891.

21/3/91  
C. T. Smith

UNIVERSITY OF THE CAPE  
OF GOOD HOPE.

MEETING OF THE UNIVERSITY  
COUNCIL.

1. The ordinary meeting of Council was held on the 21st January. Present: The Vice-Chancellor (in the chair), Dr. Beck, Mr. Justice Buchanan, Sir Langham Dale, Professors Foot, Hahn, Marais, Ritchie, and Thompson, Drs. Kolbe and Van Oort, and Mr. Whittam.
2. Minutes of last meeting read and confirmed.
3. Admitted of *eadem* grades: Mr. L. T. Reid, B.A. Cambridge; Mr. J. L. Thorne, B.A., Cambridge; Mr. G. Laurie, M.A., Edinburgh.
4. Two applications submitted from candidates under sixteen years to be allowed to enter for matriculation. Applications refused.
5. Professors Foot and Walker and Dr. Kolbe nominated to conduct the M.A. examination in mental and moral science.
6. List of payments since last meeting laid on the table; total amount, £396 2s. 9d.
7. Resolved that in consequence of estimated losses through the Cape of Good Hope Bank the value of the Ebelon Scholarship, to be awarded in June, be reduced to £100 per annum.
8. Registrar submitted a draft report for 1890; also the financial statements for the year, certified and signed by the auditor. Report and statements adopted. Total assets of the various funds administered by the University, £22,100 18s. 2d.
9. Vacancy in the Council reported by the absence of Prof. or Walker for six months. The usual measures to be taken for filling the vacancy by the Convocation of the University.
10. Letter read from secretary S.A. Teachers' Association, containing report of the committee of the association on the resolutions adopted by the Synod of D.R. Church with reference to the Dutch language in University examinations. Resolved that the report be printed and circulated and considered at next meeting.

J. CAMERON, Registrar.



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Sep. 27, 1890

The ordinary meeting of Council was held this day. There were present

The Pro-Vice-Chancellor (in the chair)

Dr. Beck

Hon. Mr. Justice Buchanan

Rev. Prof. Foot

Rev. Dr. Kolbe

Rev. A. D. Lückhoff

Rev. Prof. Mirais

Rev. Canon Oflivie

Dr. van Oordt

Prof. Ritchie

Hon. C. Abercrombie Smith

Mr. Whitten

The minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed.

A statement of the expenditure from July 29<sup>th</sup> to Sep. 27<sup>th</sup> amounting to £345. 6. 0 was laid on the table.

The Acting Registrar submitted a financial statement showing that the University on the 20<sup>th</sup> of September had the following amounts in the Cape of Good Hope Bank :-

Floating Balance (not including interest thereon, and taking for granted that all cheques are paid in)	about £ 332. 11. 9
Interest due Aug. 1 on Fixed Deposit	213. 5. 0
Fixed Deposit (Ebdon Scholarship)	4750. 0. 0
	<u>5295. 16. 9</u>

and showing also that the General Fund of the University had overdrawn its account by about £300 on that day.

The Pro-Vice-Chancellor announced that the Acting Registrar had on the advice of the Vice-Chancellor & Judge Buchanan inserted in the lists of Special Subjects for 1891 and 1892 the Special Subject in English Law for <sup>the LL.B. exam:</sup> 1891 and the Special Law Subjects for the LL.B. examination of 1892. The subjects were approved.

The Pro-Vice-Chancellor announced that the Registrar would most probably return in the course of the following week, but that the Acting Registrar would not be able to remain till then, as his services would be required by the Education Office, and he would have to leave Cape Town on Monday the 29<sup>th</sup> inst. The Pro-Vice-Chancellor was authorized to close the University's Office, take the keys and arrange for the verification of the securities

The following are the Resolutions of the Synod of the Dutch Reformed Church :—

- (a). That the Dutch Language should be added to the subjects now prescribed for the School Elementary Examination ; in such manner however that no Candidate shall be compelled to take that subject, but that any Candidate taking it shall thereby be entitled to obtain higher marks.
- (b). That in the School Higher Examination equal values should be assigned to the Dutch and English papers : and that these values should exceed those assigned to other languages.
- (c). That in the Matriculation Examination the Dutch and English papers should have equal values, instead of the present arrangement—by which the same values are assigned to the Dutch, French and German papers, and to each of these a lower value than to the English paper.
- (d). That in the School Elementary Examination Candidates should have the opportunity of being examined in Dutch in those subjects which they have learned through the medium of the Dutch Language.
- (e). That in all Examinations questions on the Dutch Language should be put in Dutch, leaving it to the option of the Candidate to answer in English.

The following are the Resolutions passed by the Taal Congress, held in Cape Town on the 31st October and 1st November, 1890 :—

1. (a). This Congress is of opinion that the time has arrived, especially with a view to those who prepare for the Civil Service Examination, that the Dutch language should be added as a compulsory subject to the Elementary School Examination ; but if, owing to the present arrangement of our schools, insurmountable difficulties should present themselves, the marks shall be dealt with as those given for Greek at the Matriculation Examination, that is to say, that, although Dutch at the said examination be not made compulsory, the candidate who shall not submit to an examination in Dutch exposes himself to the risk of seeing his name so much the lower on the list of passed candidates.
- (b). The examination in Dutch shall include an easy dictation, a simple piece for translation from Dutch into English, and *vice versa* ; some questions on ordinary declensions and conjugations.
2. This Congress is of opinion that in order to arouse more patriotism in the rising generation in all schools, the History and Geography of South Africa, as well as general geography, shall be taught either in Dutch or in English, and that the University Council be requested to examine in these subjects in both languages.
3. This Congress is of opinion that in the Matriculation Examination Dutch should not be placed on the same footing with foreign languages, but that it should receive an equal number of marks with the principal subjects, provided, however, that the examination in Dutch shall be somewhat more thorough than it has hitherto been.



Higher Examination would begin on Monday, June 1<sup>st</sup>; and the School Elementary Examination on Thursday, May 28<sup>th</sup>.

A letter from Mr. Elliott of Port Elizabeth was read asking that his son Frank U. Elliott who had gained a Jamison Exhibition in 1889, but had not fulfilled the conditions, might be allowed to have the exhibition this year, as he was now taking private lessons with a view to graduation in this University. The application was refused.

A letter from Rev. A. M. Daignault of St. Aidan's College, Grahamstown, was read asking on behalf of Martin Gleeson that he might be exempted from the rule of age for the matriculation examination. The application stated that the boy would be two months short of the required age, and that it was more than probable that the parents would be obliged to withdraw the boy from his studies next year owing to want of means. It was the opinion of the members present that no relaxation of the rule should be made unless it were stated that the pupil was of special promise.

A School Elementary bursary was awarded to Flora C. Dewar of the Girls' Public School, Tarkastad. Her name had been accidentally overlooked.

The Pro-Vice-Chancellor announced that the Commissioners for the Exhibition of 1881 (London) had published a scheme of Provincial and Colonial Science Scholarships, in the participation in which, however, this University was not included. The distribution however was definitely stated to be merely temporary. It was resolved that a memorandum setting forth the claims of this University be prepared and sent to the Commissioners through the Colonial Government.

A communication from the President and Secretary of Convocation was read, informing the Council that, at a meeting of ~~Convocation~~ Convocation just held, Sir Langham Dale, K.C.M.G., LL.D., M.A., had been elected Chancellor of the University, and expressing the hope of Convocation that, as Chancellor, Sir Langham Dale would still continue to take an active part in the business of the University, and preside on all occasions when it is possible for him to do so. The Council was also notified of the election of the Rev. G. Ogilvie, M.A., to the office of President of Convocation.

Thereupon it was unanimously resolved that "The Council heartily congratulates Sir Langham Dale on his election as Chancellor. The Council considers this election an appropriate acknowledgement of the long and valuable services rendered by Sir Langham Dale to the