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dividuality. Solid work was shown in Lloy Veb's Fantasia and Fugue in A minor (Bach) for the piano. The President's line of music was massive grandeur on account of its tendency to hurry. The Fugue was beautifully played with a keen sense of values, clear part playing and a judicious use of the pedal with a well-graded climax.

In "Vision Fugitive" (Massenet) Alan Good gave us the performance we have learned to expect from him. He lives in his work. His well controlled voice enabled him to cover a wide gamut of moods and emotions. The programme closed with the first movement of Tschakowsky's Piano-forte Concerto in B flat minor by Dorothy B. Jones. Her well adapted arrangement of the orchestral part given on the organ by John Horner. The two instruments blended beautifully together. Miss Angus is to be commended for the rhythmic grip and clean technique displayed in this heavy work. Her recital was well received ovation at the conclusion.

The accompanists for the evening received careful and discreet treatment from the hands of Gwen Paul, Muriel Porter, Jessica Dix, and Vida Cozens.

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Mr. C. G. Kerr Wins John Howard Clark Prize

Mr. Colin G. Kerr, who has gained a first class in English language and literature for the honors degree of Bachelor of Arts, has been awarded by the Council of the University of Adelaide the John Howard Clark prize.

Mr. Kerr was educated at St. Peter's College, and has been awarded the leaving honors examinations in four subjects gaining a credit in English. During part of the time he has been a student at St. Mark's College. In 1932 he was sub-editor of the Adelaide University magazine, and in the following year he was associate-editor of "On-Di," a University paper. Last year he was secretary of the Adelaide Literary, Debating and Dramatic Society. Mr. Kerr intends to write a thesis, and will continue studying at the University.

This prize, of the value of about £20 a year for two years, was founded by public subscription, and was awarded by the late Mr. John Howard Clark for the encouragement of English literature at the University.

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PRIZE TO COMMEMORATE COLLEGE

The Council of the University of Adelaide has accepted the offer of the committee of the Home and Overseas Association to provide £100 to establish a prize to commemorate the college. The prize will be awarded at the leaving examinations to the student who receives the highest marks for botany, and who is less than 18 years of age.

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The Council of the University on Friday adopted the recommendation of the board of examiners of the Faculty of Medicine that the degree of Doctor of Medicine be conferred on Mr. Felix Wilfrid Arden, M.B., B.S., and on Mr. Henry Kenneth Fry, B.Sc., M.B., B.S.

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CHANCE OF YOUTH

The simultaneous announcements of the choice of an 18-year-old student of St. Mark's College, Mr. J. J. Pritchard, to be our Rhodes scholar for 1935, and the appointment of a young man of 22, Mr. John La Nauze, to be a lecturer in economics at the Adelaide University, will be a source of gratification, not only to their families, friends and mentors, but to those who believe that "the spirit of a youth begins betimes." Mr. Pritchard's scholastic record is a startling one. From the time when he came dux of St. Augustine's day school until this year, when he achieved first place in the November examinations in medicine, he has gone from

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triumph to triumph. From being dux at Pulteney Grammar School, a scholarship took him to St. Peter's College. He took leaving honors successfully at the age of 14, and was awarded a Government bursary. In the following year he sat for the examination again, taking credits in five subjects, and gaining the Hartley Scholarship. In the same year he managed to win the Young Exhibition for first place in St. Peter's College, the Carlie McDonnell Memorial English Prize, the Wainwright Scholarship for Chemistry, the Bowman Scholarship for Science, the Farr University Scholarship, and the St. Mark's College Bursary. He gained four first places in his final school examinations. The list seems to go on indefinitely. Incidentally it is an object lesson in how the modern education system helps the willing student to help himself.

During his studies this remarkable young man found time to play cricket and football gain his school house colors, and to be a Boy Scout and a member of the St. Peter's Literary Society and the Young Men's Club. He has played for three years in the University A grade Rugby team, gained his school colors, rowed, and, between times last year, tutored in biochemistry. He hopes to continue unbroken in England a study of physiology and anatomy. Obviously, this is the type of young man that Rhodes had in mind when he founded his great scholarship. He sought to encourage, not the mere bookworm, but the youth whose qualities were distributed in such a way as to enable him, with the added advantages conferred by the scholarship, to fit himself for a life of service to his country. He esteem the performance of public duties as his highest aim." The selection committee made a wise choice in awarding the scholarship to one so young. Mr. Pritchard will go away in the formative years of his life, with his senses alert and his mind impressionable. He will drink his fill of what the old world has to offer, before he is too set in the ways of manhood. In this respect he will probably count himself fortunate that he is six years younger than the latest Rhodes Scholar for New South Wales, Mr. Keith Noel General Bradford, who was actually helping his father, Dr. Bradford, the noted engineer, to build a bridge in Brisbane, when his selection was announced.

Mr. La Nauze the new economics lecturer at Rhodes Scholar. He was 19 when he went to England and has not yet returned to Australia. He comes straight from Oxford to a lectureship. Still, precedents are not lacking for the appointment of young men to responsible positions at the Adelaide University. Professor G. Melville, now Economic Adviser to the Commonwealth Bank, was 27 when he first filled the chair of economics at the University. His colleague and great friend, Professor W. K. Hancock, now Professor of History at Jirindah, was 22 when he was appointed Professor of Modern History here. These were two of the most brilliant minds it has been the good fortune of the University to possess upon its teaching staff. Youth, provided it is tempered by a sense of responsibility, is an eminently desirable qualification in teacher, diplomat, or business man.

Word was received in Adelaide yesterday that Mr. J. J. Pritchard (the 1934 Rhodes Scholar) had passed his primary P.R.C.S. examination in Melbourne. The course consists of physiology and anatomy.

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The death is announced of Sir Horace Lamb, the eminent physicist and physicist, at the age of 85, says a message from London. He was professor of Mathematics in the University of Manchester from 1917 to 1929, a former member of the council of the Royal Society, and the president of the British Association for the Advancement of Science. He held many academic honors, and was the author of a number of authoritative publications.

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Mr. Clarence Black Wins Music Scholarship

Mr. Clarence Black, of Hyde Park, has been awarded the Practice of Music Scholarship for having gained honors in the Grade I practice of music examinations conducted by the Australian Music Examinations Board. Mr. Black is a pupil of Mr. William Silver at the Elder Conservatorium.

The Practice of Music Scholarship is one of two scholarships offered by the Board in South Australia. The scholar is valued at £50, is tenable for three years.

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University Night Classes For Next Year

If sufficient students enrol night classes will be held at the University next year in the following subjects: Chemistry I, economics I, economic history, education, English language and literature, courses A and C, French I and II, geography, geology I, political science and history, courses I and II, Latin I and II, pure mathematics I and II, physics I, psychology.

The course of lectures in logic will be given at 5.15 p.m. on Mondays and Fridays, and lectures in ethics at 4 p.m. on the same days.

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Chamber Music In Adelaide

From John Mills, 85 Gilbert street—"The Advertiser" informs us that "South Australian listeners are to hear the well-known, Slavkova Trio from Station 5CL. I would ask why has our own Conservatorium Trio not been heard more often from this station during the present year? They are artists of the first order, and their rendering of chamber music is as good as can be heard anywhere in Australia. We are told to "Buy Local Goods." "See Your Own State First," and so on. I suggest another slogan, "Support your own musicians more."

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MELBOURNE, Thursday.

Advice has been received of the death at Wimbledon, Surrey, of the Rev. Alan Wells Kearney, M.A., in his eighty-first year.

He had been ailing for 30 years following two accidents, the second of which occurred when, in liberating horses from a burning stable at Bishop's Park—where he was recuperating after an earlier accident—he was trampled underfoot by the terrified animals.

Born at Newcastle-on-Tyne, the son of the Rev. J. B. Kearney, M.A., a senior wrangler of Cambridge and a leading mathematician of his day), the Rev. Alan Kearney came to Australia in 1875 as mathematical master at Geelong Grammar School. Later he was head master of University School, Geelong, and head master of Whinham (now Immanuel) College, Adelaide.

In 1879 he married the youngest daughter of Capt. Charles A. Mount, the head of the Treasury in Geelong. Mrs. Kearney died in 1925.

One of Mr. Kearney's four sons was caught and three sons of whom the eldest is Mr. Elicric Chalmers Kearney, inventor of the Kearney high-speed mono-rail, were killed in the war.

Mr. Kearney died in 1925. He was 81 years old when he died in Australia a few years ago.

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NINE NEW DOCTORS FOR ADELAIDE HOSPITAL

Nine of the 12 medical students who passed their final examinations at the University this year have applied for positions as house surgeons at the Adelaide Hospital. It is expected that two more graduates will also apply, and this should relieve the staff situation at the hospital next year.

Five of the second-year officers will also be required for the hospital, bringing the medical staff to about 14, which is two below normal requirements. The remuneration for the staff to be held in February will probably be passed by additional young doctors required for the three new blocks to be opened at the hospital.

The 12 students have been in residence at the hospital to relieve the shortage created by resignations.

The remuneration for the surgeons will be unchanged at £100 for first-year graduates and £200 for second-year officers.

When the Adelaide Hospital positions are filled there will be no surplus of graduates for work in other hospitals. The Broken Hill Hospital, in particular, is urgently in need of medical officers.

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Sir Horace Lamb Dead

MR. Stephen Parsons came in yesterday to tell me about Sir Horace Lamb, who has died at Canberra, at the age of 83 years. He resided at the time in Adelaide University business and classes were conducted at Victoria Square west and Barlow's offices. Mr. Parsons had four rooms upstairs in Baker Street (chemistry, geology, and botany). The Rev. F. Stanley Pope (Latin and Greek), and the Rev. Davidson (English) were at the time at P.A.C. (Lib) at Adelaide. I was a student. I did a year's work for the B.A. degree. A few years ago I wrote my reminiscences of the Adelaide University and sent Sir Horace Lamb a copy. The former Adelaide professor wrote Mr. Parsons from Cambridge—"It was much interested by your kind letter and accompanying cutting. I well remember the early students in Adelaide whom you mention, but do not know the latter history of some, in particular, of St. Peter's, Robin, and Mack. The latter however, may perhaps be more brilliant of the lot. I am glad to hear of the great progress of the University, which I knew in the beginning."

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Professor G. L. Wood, Associate Professor of Commerce at the University of Melbourne, who is visiting England and America to investigate developments in schools of commerce, will return to Melbourne. He has been offered special facilities by the Carnegie Corporation to discuss the economic conditions of social work in Chicago, Washington, Philadelphia, and Cleveland.

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The Governor yesterday presented to Professor Sir Douglas Mawson and Professor Sir James Watson the medals for their services with the British, Australian and New Zealand Antarctic Research Expedition 1929-31.

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Mr. Trevor Heath Secretary To Sir George Pearce

Mr. Trevor J. Heath, of James street, Gilberton, has been appointed secretary to the Minister of External Affairs (Sir George Pearce). Mr. Heath received the appointment at Queen's College, North Adelaide. Late in attended St. Peter's College, and subsequently went to Cambridge and entered Jesus College, Cambridge, where he studied law for three and a half years. He gained his B.A. degree there, and on returning to Adelaide gained his LL.B. degree at the University of Adelaide. He was admitted to the Bar in 1929, and was articled to the late Mr. Harry Thompson, K.C. Until his appointment as secretary to Sir George Pearce, Mr. Heath was with Mr. J. R. Keenan, solicitor.

Mr. Heath left yesterday by the express for Melbourne, where he will meet Sir George Pearce. He accompanied him to Canberra. Early next year Mr. and Mrs. Heath will take up permanent residence in Melbourne.