## Adv. 11-1-34. News 12-1-34 PROFESSOR WATSON PROF. HOWCHIN RETURNS

Wanderings In Many Lands News of Medal On

## MAY MAKE LONG STAY

After about 14 years wandering in out of the way corners of the world. Professor Archibald Watson, first Elder



Professor Watson

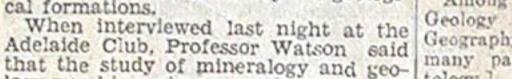
Professor of Anversity of Ade- Holland is president, yesterday. He will Goodwood

indefinitely. During the past few years he has alternated tween Brisbane and Thursday much of his time fishing off the Queensland coast. About 12 months

brother, Mr. Sydney Watson, of include the Royal Melbourne. tiring of the life there, he booked his

but Society of N.S.W. Medal in 1907; Ferdinand von Mueller Medal of the Austrapassage about the middle of last July lasian Association for the Advancement of as far as Genoa, and then came back Medal of the Royal Society of S.A. in exists on a lower economic standard, the logical Fund of the Geological Society of the white. on the north-west coast of Western London in 1914.

Geology of South Australia," and "A tial to maintain the White Australia Geography of South Australia." also policy in every part of the Common-many papers on geology and palacon wealth." tology.



#### Minerals In North-West

logy was his main occupation now.

on the Esquilino for Italy. He went

to Australia, disembarking at Fre-

mantle. From there he went to Derby,

Australia, to fish and study the geologi-

"The north-west coast of Western Australia," he said, "affords a fascinating study to anyone interested in those of the world, particularly at Yampi world." said the Director of Mines (Dr. exploitation in the future. Other in- in unravelling South Australia's glacial teresting fields of study there are the history, did a much needed work, basaltic rocks."

one regret in travelling by air was open to geologists in any country." that, because of their weight, he could not bring his geological specimens history of South Australia, his researches with him.

He had flown over many countries, he said, including the Pampas in South America, and the plains of Siberia, but he had never seen a more beautiful view from the air than the one he saw yesterday when flying over Yorke Peninsula. The view of the farm country and the coastal outlines surpassed anything he had ever seen before,

#### Doctor In Two Wars

Professor Watson is looking remarkably fit, and carries his age well. He was born at Tarcutta, New South Wales, on July 27, 1849, so is now in his 85th year. He was educated at Scotch College. Melbourne, where he was equally good at Scripture and sport. After obtaining his M.D. degree on the Continent in 1880, Professor Watson went to London, where he was appointed demonstrator of anatomy at Charing Cross Hospital Medical School. In 1883 he went to Egypt to study cholera, which was then raging there, and two years later came to Adelaide on the coundation of the medical school at the University, where he was appointed Elder Professor of Anatomy, a position he held for 34 years. He served in both the South African and Great Wars as a medical officer. In the last war he held the position of consulting surgeon and pathologist at No. 1 Australian General Hospital at Heliopolis, Egypt, for about 17 months, returning to Australia in March, 1916. Many a man wounded on Gallipoli had occasion to bless him for his work there.

# HONORED

## 89th Birthday

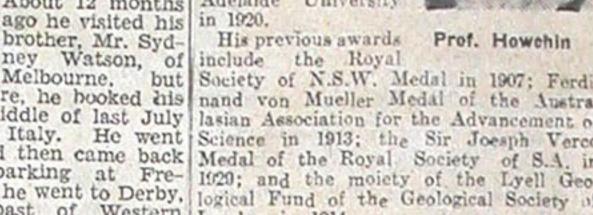
## LONDON

("News" Special Representative)

LONDON, January 11 .- The Geological atomy at the Uni- Society of London, of which Sir Thomas

laide, returned to has awarded the Lyeli Adelaide by mail Medal to Prof. Walplane from Perth ter Howchin, of stay in Adelaide South Australia, for reesarches in Australia, particularly in glacial deposits.

[Prof. Howchin, who is 89 today, is Island, spending still deeply interessed in geology. He retired from the chair . of geology at the Adelaide University



#### TRIBUTE FROM DR. L. K. WARD

"Everyone will be glad to know that two sciences. There is probably more Prof. Howchin's work has been recognised iron ore there than in any other part by the senior geological society of the Sound. There seems to be no doubt L. Keith Ward), who is a member of the that it will provide a valuable field for Royal Society council. "Prof. Howchin.

"The Lyell Medal is a very high recog-Professor Watson travelled by the nition. It is one of the greatest com-East-West plane to Adelaide. He said pliments in the world that can be paid that the break of gauge on the Austra- to a geologist. It is cast in bronze, and for 1934 will open on March 5. Entries lian railways annoyed him after his is awarded as an honorary distinction and must be lodged by March 1, and lectures experiences in other countries, and an expression on the part of the governit should be the first duty of states- ing body of the Geological Society of men to overcome that disability. His London, of outstanding research. It is lowing subjects this year if sufficient

> Prof. Howchin unravelled the glacial extending all over the State. His work covered more than one glacial period, a great deal of time being devoted to early glaciations, such as have been recognised in China and other parts of the world.

Prof. Howchin has held practically every executive position in the Royal Society four college bursaries of £40 a of South Australia and was its president year. These bursaries will be awarded for several years. For nearly 50 years he on the candidate's record. edited the society's publications, but has will be for one year only, but may now resigned from that position to con- be re-awarded at the end of that time. fine his activities to writing and his Applications must reach the master of

## Adv. 12-1-34

Professor Walter Howchin celebrates his 89th birthday today. He was born at Norwich, England, and educated at the King's Lynn Academy. He was secretary of the Adelaide Children's Hospital from 1886 to 1901, and in 1899 was appointed lecturer on mineralogy at the Adelaide School of Mines, a position he held until 1904. In 1902 he became lecturer in geology and palaeontology at the Adelaide University, and honorary professor from 1918 to 1920, when he resigned. In recognition of his service he was allowed to retain the title of honorary professor. He received the Clarke Memorial Medal for researches in natural science from the Royal Soclety of New South Wales, the Ferdinand von Mueller Medal, and a molety of the Lyell Geological Fund from the Geological Society of London. Professor Howchin is a fellow of the Royal Geological Society of London, and is the author of "The Geology of South Australia" and "A Geography of South Australia and the Northern Territory."

#### Hau 17-4-34 UNIVERSITY TERM STARTS ON MARCH 5

The first term for 1934 at the Adelaide University will begin on March 5. The diploma of commerce lectures will start on March 12. The time-Accountancy II.—Tuesdays, 5.15 p.m.; Thursdays, 7.20 p.m. Accountancy III. -Wednesdays and Fridays, 6.30 to 7.45 p.m. Commercial practice-Mondays, 6.15 p.m. Commercial law I.-Mon-days, 6.15 p.m. Economics-Tuesdays, 6.20 p.m., and Thursdays, 6.15 p.m. English composition—Thursday, 5.15 p.m. Public administration—Wednesdays, 5.15 p.m. Political institutions — Wednesday, 7.30 p.m. Statistics I. Fridays, 5.15 p.m.

## News 16-1-34 KEEP THE NORTH FOR WHITES'

## Dr. Price's Study Of Tropic Settlement

Definite ideas on the necessity for Australia to maintain the White Australia policy are held by the master of St. Mark's College Dr. A. Grenfell Price), who returned from abroad in the Mongolia, which arrived at Outer Harbor

Dr. Price was granted 12 months' leave of absence at the end of 1932. He visited America under a special fellowship of the Rockefeller Foundation to study the problem of the settlement of the white races in the tropics.

If Northern Australia were to be developed, and it must be, it should be done by white labor, he said.

The Federal Government's suggestion for chartered companies was quite sound. The great need was to give the north of Australia relief from tariffs, the Navization Acts, and all other legislation that was retarding its development,

"I found numerous examples of the fallacy of combining black and white races." he said. "Caribi, in the West Indies has gone completely black, and Jamaica which once maintained a large white population, is now 96 per cent, colored.

"Wherever you get the white race com-Science in 1913; the Sir Joesph Verco peting with a colored population, which 1929; and the moiety of the Lyell Geo-colored population will always supplant

"The whole trend of my investigations Among his publications have been "The has shown me that it is absolutely essen-

## PREPARING STUDY

### University's First Term in March

The University of Adelaide's first term will begin on March 12.

Night classes will be held in the folentries are received:-Botany L. Chemistry I., economics I. and II., education. English A and B. ethics, French I. and II., geography, geology, British history A and B, Latin I. and H., physics. psychology, pure mathematics and applied mathematics (or pure mathematics II.).

The St. Mark's College council has decided to offer for 1934 the Harold Fisher scholarship, of £45 a year, St. Mark's College (Dr. Grenfell Price) by January 31,

The anti-cancer campaign committee of the Adelaide University is calling for applications for an assistant radium registrar for the radium and deep X-ray the rapy department at the Adelaide Hospital. The salary will be £300 a year, and the duties of the assistant will be to keep case records, supervise radium and deep X-ray therapy treatments, and prepare statistical returns. Applications for this position must reach the registrar of the Adelaide University (Mr. Eardley)

the Waite Agricultural Research Institute London. (Mr Geoffrey Samuel), who has accepted a position at the Rothamsted Institute as mycologist.

The subject for University candidates for the League of Nations prize for 1934 will be "The attitude and position of Germany in regard to the league."

#### 16ws 13-1-34 SCIENTIFIC ARTICLES IN ROYAL SOCIETY'S BOOK

The latest volume of the transactions and proceedings of the Royal Society of South Australia, which has just been published contains a number of scientific articles on natural history subjects.

The volume was edited by Prof. Walter Howehin. It contains the second part of an article on "The Dead Rivers of South Australia." an explanation of inflammable gases found in boreholes at Miniation and Kangaroo Island, by the Director of Mines (Dr. L. K Ward) :information regarding aborigines of Central Australia by Profe. J. B. Cleland and T. H. Johnston: a description of the Tantanoola Caves by Mr N. B. Tindale and other articles of scientific interest. The articles are ilinstrated with photographs and sketches

## YOUNG LEGAL MEN AS NEW MAGISTRATES

Adv. 18-1-34

Messrs. E. J. R. Morgan And L. E. Clark To Be Appointed

## CHIEF JUSTICE'S APPROVAL

The Government and the Chief Justice (Sir George Murray) have approved the appointment of Messrs, E. J. R. Morgan and L. E. Clark to the vacancies in the magistracy caused by the retirement of Mr. W. Hall (Traffic Magistrate) and the promotion of Mr. Muirhead to the position of Police Magistrate in succession to Mr. Sabine, who recently resigned. The appointments will probably be approved by Executive Council today.

It is understood that Mr. Clark, who is at present Deputy Registrar of Probate at the Supreme Court, will become Traffic Magistrate, and that Mr. Morgan, who is a member of the firm of Norman, Waterhouse & Morgan, barristers and solicitors will take the Police Court position.

The appointments, following the usual procedure in such cases, are being made on the recommendation of the Public Service Commissioner (Mr. Hunkin), and "ith the approval of the Chief Justice.

The new magazirates will be among the youngest men to have occupied such a position in this State, Mr. Clark being 38 and Mr. Morgan not quite 34.

Mr. Clark was born in Adelaide in 1895, educated first at P.A.C., and later at the University, where he secred the Symon certificate in law. His studies were interfered with by the war, during which he served with the A.I.F. in the Sinai Desert. On his return to Adelaide he was engaged for some time on home service duties, and later became associate to the Chief Justice for 18 months. He was afterwards assoclate to the late Mr. Justice Buchanan and Mr. Justice Poole. Subsequently he practised privately for nine years as a barrister and solicitor, and then returned to the Supreme Court as associate to Mr. Justice Richards. He was appointed Deputy Registrar of Probate in 1930.

Mr. Morgan is a native of Warwick, Queensland where he was born in March, 1900. Brought to Adelaide by his parents in 1907, he was educated at Queen's School and St. Peter's College. Later he graduated in law at the University of Adelaide. In March, 1921, at the age of 21 years, he was admitted to the Bar. He practised independently until 1927, when he joined Messrs, Norman and Waterhouse in partnership.

## Naus 18-1-34

Mr. C. H. Coats, M.A., of North Walkerville, who was awarded the David Murray scholarship in philosophy last year, will leave in the Baradine today to continue his studies in philosophy abroad.

## Hdu. 19-1-34

Mr. Lindsay C. Dawkins, son of Dr. S. L. Dawkins, of Adelaide, and brother of Dr. Alec Dawkins, who received his architectural education in Applications are also being called in Adelaide, and is now in England, has England to fill the vacancy caused by the been admitted as an associate of the resignation of the plant pathologist at Royal Institute of British Architects.