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INSPECTION BY THE GOVERNOR.

Thanks to the generosity of the Chancellor (Rev. N. J. Way), the first official inspection of the new buildings at the University was made to-day, at the request of the Chancellor. The Governor was accompanied by the Excellencies the East and Countess of Durham, and a number of other distinguished visitors who have been visiting our shores with a desire to gain a better insight into the progress of education in this country. The Governor was made the occasion of a very pleasant conversa-
tion with many of the students, who were present, on his arrival at the University, May 26. The Chancellor's defence was an extension of his speech in the House of Commons, and cordially accepted. With that number there was found little difficulty in the entertain-
ment of the students, and many of the other distinguished visitors. The main entrance was arranged in the form of a large arcade, and all the students were divided into small groups, each under the guidance of a teacher.

The accommodation for the students was admirably arranged, and over the floor in front of the main entrance were arranged the lounges for the use of the distinguished guests. The company were received by the Chancellor in the Library from 7.45 until 9.30. A dinner was prepared at the University, and was served at 10 o'clock. The dinner was a very substantial one, and was followed by a series of speeches, in which the Chancellor and the Governor were allowed to express their views on the progress of education in the country.

The programme for the evening was in keeping with the occasion, and was arranged by the University. It consisted of a concert by the University orchestra, and was followed by a series of speeches, including the Chancellor's address, and the Governor's reply. The concert was a great success, and was much appreciated by the audience.
CONVERSATIONS AT THE UNIVERSITY.—About 600 ladies and gentlemen attended Chancellor's conversations at the Adelaide University on Saturday evening, May 28, on various subjects, such as the recent public depictions in different departments by their Excellencies the Earl and Countess of Kintore and Lord and Lady Cullen. The building was thrown open. A concert was conducted by Professor Lossing, which was very good, while interesting lectures and experiments were proceeding in the various lecture rooms and laboratories. Refreshments were being dispensed in the Great Hall. A very pleasant evening was passed.

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