VICE-REGAL RECEPTION

IN THE ELDER HALL.

His Excellency, the Lieutenant-Governor and Lady Warre held a reception in the Elder Hall on Saturday evening in honor of the Coronation of Their Majesties King Edward VII and Queen Alexandra. Fifty-two of the higher officers of the service, in company with the lieut.-governor and Lady Warre, were entertained in a very happy and pleasant manner.

Death of Mr. A. Sutherland.

Mr. Percy Wilson, who was a student of the Adelaide University, and who was also a student of the University of St Andrews, Scotland, was killed in the late battle of the Boer War. He was serving with the Australian Imperial Forces, and was reported to have been killed in action on the 17th of the month. His body was found in a shell-hole, and was conveyed to the city of Adelaide on the 20th of the month. He was a very promising student, and was beloved by all who knew him. He was a member of the Adelaide University debating society, and was regarded as one of the ablest students in the university.

Consumption, Cancer, and Education.

To the Editor.

I am sure that it is impossible to disagree with the view that the educational system of the country is in need of reform. It is not that the system is bad in itself, but that it needs to be adapted to the times. The old-fashioned system of education, which is based on the idea of rote learning, is not suitable for the modern world. It is time that we began to think seriously about the future of education in this country.

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University, August 12, 1902.