MUSIC EXAMINATIONS.

The universities of Melbourne, Adelaide, Tasmania, and Queensland, held public examinations in theory of music in May, 1917.

SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

Grade 1—Hearns, Parsons, Harold Schuster.

Grade 2—H. G. Taylor, Marceline (Mrs. Ruby G. C. Dave, Mas. B.c.); Hooper, James, Raymond (Mrs. Ruby C. D. Dave, Mas. B.c.); Joyce, Hilda Burton, Elder Conservatorium.

Grade 3—Mizra-elli, Kelly, Rose Ada, Ada (Miss Ruby C. E. Dave, Mas. B.c.); Williams, William (Owen), M.A.; White, Margaret, Elder Conservatorium.

Grade 4—P. Conley, Mary (Convent High School, Broken Hill); Dobbie, Anna, (Dominion Convent, Keilor); White, Elenore (Convent of Mercy, Angaston); PRICE, Ethel (Convent of Mercy, Angaston); Power, Fred, Elder Conservatorium.

Grade V—Barks, Gertrude, Elder Conservatorium; Martin, Ethel, Elder Conservatorium; Pirie, June, Elder Conservatorium; Terry, Mary, Elder Conservatorium; Cherry, Henny, Elder Conservatorium; Snow, Elder Conservatorium; Grace, Elder Conservatorium; Keough, Elder Conservatorium; Hyslop, Elder Conservatorium; Paterson, Elder Conservatorium; Hynes, Elder Conservatorium; Bignall, Elders Hill.

THE BURGLAR BOOM.

Theft from the University.

Three Halfpence Stolen.

The burglars who broke into the Adelaide University on Monday night have been caught and brought to the police. They relieved the institution of three halfpence. This would not pay for the amount of the damage they did. However, the break-in has led to some interesting research. It appears that the burglars managed to have their way through the window into the room where the treasure was kept. The room was locked, and a charge of explosives was used. Small pieces of wood were placed on the floor, and the broken door was carefully sealed. As a result, the burglars were unable to retrieve the items.

A NEW ARTS SCHOOL.

UNIVERSITY'S REQUEST FOR ASSISTANCE.

MELBOURNE, June 12.

A deputation from the council of the University arrived in Adelaide yesterday to request assistance for the new arts school. The University has been facing financial difficulties, and the deputation is seeking ways to ensure its survival. The deputation will be meeting with the government to discuss potential funding options.

THE UNIVERSITY BALL.

The annual ball in aid of the University Sports Association was held on Thursday evening. In spite of the inclement weather, the dance was a success. The music was performed by the University orchestra, conducted by Professor Smith. The dance included a variety of styles, from waltzes to foxtrots, and the atmosphere was lively. The ball was well attended, and guests enjoyed the night.

The Government Astronomer (Mr. G. F. D'Arcy) has received a letter from the Mount Wilson Solar Observatory stating that Miss Mary Proctor, the celebrated astronomer and writer, is about to begin a lecture tour in Australia. The interest regarding the ejection of a solar elementary body is evident in the number of requests for tickets. The tour is expected to draw a large audience, and the event promises to be a highlight of the year.