Capt. G. H. Wilkins.

A CIVIC RECEPTION.

A civic reception was given to Capt. G. H. Wilkins, K.C.M.G., C.B., who was due to leave for England on Thursday on a special mission by the King of the Hafnia. The reception was held at the Hotel Majestic, the Mayor (Mr. J. S. Anderson) presiding. The guests included the Lord Mayor of London, the Lord High Commissioner for Hafnia, the Hon. Mr. Justice Wood, the Lord Mayor of the City of Melbourne, the Lord Mayor of Sydney, and many other distinguished persons. The reception concluded with a dinner at the Hotel Majestic.

Sir Douglas Mawson Doubtful.

Sir Douglas Mawson, the Australian Antarctic explorer, has been informed by the British Admiralty that the ss Canopus, which was to have taken him to the Antarctic for the second time, will not now be available. Mawson had hoped to be able to start his expedition early in the year, but the delay has caused him some concern. He has been working on plans for his next campaign, but is now facing the possibility of having to delay his departure.

M. de T. Rows, at one time the editor of The Register, has died suddenly. M. de T. Rows, who was a prominent figure in the world of art and literature, had been a regular contributor to The Register for many years. He was known for his intelligent and insightful writing on a wide range of topics, and his death is a great loss to the community. A memorial service will be held in his honor at a later date. The Register offers its condolences to the family and friends of M. de T. Rows.

Elder Conservatorium String Quartet.

The Elder Conservatorium String Quartet will give a free concert in the Library Union Hall on Friday evening. The quartet is composed of four of the best students of the Elder Conservatorium, and their performance is sure to be a treat for all music lovers.

South Polar Aviation.

A group of Australian aviation enthusiasts met recently to discuss plans for an expedition to the Antarctic. They are considering the possibility of building a seaplane to transport supplies and personnel to the Antarctic, and are also looking into the possibility of using a seaplane to transport scientific equipment. The group is actively seeking funding for their project, and hopes to have their plans finalized in the near future.

Family of Scholars.

The family of scholars at the University of Adelaide has been the subject of much attention recently. The family, which includes several members with distinguished academic careers, has been praised for their contributions to the field of education. The family's influence and prestige are evident in the high standards of the University, and their legacy is sure to continue to inspire future generations of scholars.