

NOTABLE SCIENTIST

Professor Wood-Jones

(By "Ivanhoe.")

Professor Frederic Wood-Jones, D.Sc., M.B., Lond., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., Eng., fellow of the Zoological Society, who has held the Chair of Anatomy in the University of Adelaide since 1919, enjoys a high reputation in the scientific world. The doctor will celebrate tomorrow the forty-sixth anniversary of his birth. Son of an architect and a Londoner by birth, he was educated at London University and London Hospital, taking honors in anatomy and physiology. For some years he was Arris and Gale lecturer at the Royal College of Surgeons, and at the time of his appointment to Adelaide he was Professor of Anatomy at London University.

He has won distinction in the literary as well as the scientific world. His first book, which brought him fame if not fortune, was "Corals and Atolls," the outcome of observations made in 1904 and two following years while medical officer to the small band of Eastern Extension Company's employes at the cable station in the Cocos Islands, one of the main places of observation cited by Charles Darwin in his classic work on "Coral Islands." The well-known Highland family of Cluif-Ross controlled the destinies of the Keeling-Cocos group of islands for nearly a century, and not the least interesting chapter of the professor's charming book deals with the vicissitudes of this remarkable family.

Professor Wood-Jones' next book was "Arboreal Man," in which he expresses his views on human evolution. This work has been widely read and commented upon by learned evolutionists, including Sir Arthur Keith. A few months ago a volume of London published the professor's "Unscientific Essays." Here this master of zoology writes his comment on human and other phases of life, and shows how his observations have been colored by his experiences in the tropics, on Pearson Island, and in other remote parts of South Australia. According to a leading Australian journal this book is one of the ablest collections of essays ever written in Australia. Its remarkable feature is the discussion of profound questions in what may be described a whimsical manner. It is a charming, clever revelation of a vivid personality.

During his career at Adelaide University Dr. Wood-Jones has devoted his spare time to making researches in the embryological life of marsupials. The ordinary bushman will allow one to chaff him regarding his creed, his politics, his family, or anything else except the manner a 'roo enters the world. Some months ago Professor Wood-Jones invited his opponents from the outback to meet him, and he would disabuse them of some biological opinions. They met. There were some diehards, but others recanted and came round to the professor's way of thinking. These observations concerning Australian marsupials have also been embodied in several learned papers read before the Royal Society of South Australia, and published in the annual volumes. They will add greatly to the reputation Dr. Wood-Jones attained in the scientific world.

Last year the professor refused the offer of a high appointment at St. Bartholomew's Hospital, London.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Bloomfield, of Melbourne, donated to the Repatriation Commission the sum of £300, to be utilized in the establishment of a university scholarship. The benefits are awarded a returned soldier who is an undergraduate, and whose work, in the opinion of the professorial board, is the most satisfactory of the returned soldier students in any faculty. Mr. Alan Rendell, who is a student in the Faculty of Arts at the Adelaide University, has been awarded the scholarship for the current year. Mr. Rendell, who served abroad with the 12th Australian Field Ambulance, is a teacher in the employ of the Education Department, and is in charge of the Port Victoria School.

HONOR LISTS.

The following lists show the order of merit for candidates who have distinguished themselves in the separate subjects and who were under 16 years of age on December 31, 1924:—

English Literature.—1. Myers, I. M. (Tennison Medal), Methodist Ladies' College. 2. Ewens, L. T., St. Peter's Collegiate School; Samuel, H. J., Woodlands Church of England Grammar School (equal). 4. Hoop, W. R. S., Walford House School. 5. Gray, E. W., St. Peter's Collegiate School. 6. Vaughan, L. E. M., Adelaide High School. 7. Cleland, M. B., Walford House School; Cole, M. B., Unley High School; Gryss, D. B., Dominican Convent, Semaphore; Moodie, R. B., St. Peter's Collegiate School; O'Leary, C. M., Dominican Convent, Semaphore; Phillips, G. G., Adelaide High School; Sugg, B. H., Adelaide High School (equal). 14. Clarkson, A. J., Prince Alfred College. 15. Cashman, L. G., St. Peter's Collegiate School; Jemison, W. H., Prince Alfred College; Moore, S. K., Jamestown High School; Rutherford, E. E., Creven School (equal). 19. Bowering, B., Poltoonga School; Buchanan, H. E., Methodist Ladies' College; Church, D. M., Adelaide High School; Goldsmith, M., Unley High School; Hogarth, D. S., St. Peter's Collegiate School (equal). 24. Colebatch, J. H., St. Peter's Collegiate School; Kyd, M. F., Adelaide High School; Sappelt, G. A., Woodlands Church of England Grammar School; Sharley, E. M., Woodville High School (equal).

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Typewriting.—1. Wheatley, S. H., Technical High School. Pass List. A list of candidates who receive certificates of a candidate whose name is preceded by an asterisk will receive the Intermediate and Intermediate Commercial Certificate; other candidates will receive the Intermediate Certificate. English Literature (Eng); Greek (GK); Latin (L); French (F); French, including Oral French (Ft); German (Gn); German, including Oral German (Gnt); History (H); Geography (Gr); Arithmetic (Ar); Mathematics (Ma); Physics (Ph); Chemistry (C); Geology (G); Botany (B); Physiology (Pi); Book-keeping (Bk); Shorthand, 80 words per minute (S); Short hand, 100 words per minute (Sp); Typewriting (Tp); Drawing (D); Drawing, passed in a previous year in whole or in part (Dp); Music, passed partly in a previous year and partly in this year (Mp). An asterisk (*) denotes a credit.

Abbott, Herbert Lewis, Eg L F H Gg Ar St. Peter's Coll. School; *Abbott, Norman Frank, Eg F H Gg Ar Rk, Adelaide High School; *Adams, Helen Jean, Eg Gg Ar Ma Bk S* Tc Technical High School; Adecock, John Bartlett, Eg L F Gg Ar Ma Pe, St. Peter's Coll. School; Alexander, Graham Watson, Eg Ar Ma Pe Tc Peterborough High School; *Allen, George William, Eg H Gg Ar Bk S* Tp, Muirden College; *Anderson, Frank Hilton, Eg Gg Ar Ma Bk Gawler High School; Anderson, Clarence William, Eg H, Ar* Ma Pe C D, Technical High School; Anderson, Claude Leonard, Eg L Ar* Ma Pe C Gt, Unley High School; Anderson, Joyce Gordon, Eg Ft Ar Ma Pt, Woodville High School; Angel, Joan Kingsborough, Eg L F Ar Ma Girtton House School; Angus, Alexander James, Eg L Pt H Ma, St. Peter's Coll. School; *Arthur, Zella May, Eg Gg Ar Bk S* Tp, Technical High School; Ashton, Barry Tamblay, Eg L H Ar* Ma* Pe* C*, Port Lincoln High School; Ashton, Kathleen Mary, Eg L Ft Ar Ma Gt H Unley High School; *Austin, Edward Arthur, Eg H Gg Ar Gt Bk Unley High School; *Aviles, Jean Milne, Eg Ft H Gg Ar Bk, Adelaide High School; Balfour, Violet May, Eg L Ft H* Gt* Gt, Methodist Ladies' College; Barnes, Thomas, Eg L H Ar Ma Pe* C, Port Lincoln High School; Bartel, Gladys Augusta, Eg H Ar* Ma Pe, Waikerie Higher Primary School; *Bartlett, S., Muirden College; *Bartlett, Walter Hooper, Eg H* Ar Ma C, St. Peter's Coll. School; *Bastin, Doreen Phyllis, Eg L Ar* Ma Pe, St. Peter's Collegiate School; *Baxter, Gladys, Eg H* Ar* Ma C, Clar. H.S., Adelaide High School; Eg H Gg Ar Ma C, Clar. H.S., Adelaide High School; Harold, ...

The following were appointed members of the Dental Board of South Australia in the Executive Council on Thursday:—Messrs. Wallace Bruce (President) and F. M. Swan, and Drs. H. T. J. Edwards and H. S. Newland, and B. Smeaton.

The appointments of Messrs. T. S. Davie (nominated by the municipalities and district councils outside of the City of Adelaide) and S. T. Butler (nominated by the contributory companies) as members of the Fire Brigades Board were confirmed by the Executive Council on Thursday morning.

Mr. W. D. Ponder (who for 16 years represented the Districts of Adelaide and North Adelaide in the House of Assembly) is about to take another trip to Britain and the Continent. On the previous occasion he was associated with the then Premier (Mr. Thomas Price). Mr. Ponder will be accompanied by his sister, Miss Ponder, and they will leave Sydney on March 12 in the steamer Aorangi. Mr. Ponder expects to be away for six months.

Dr. Gilbert Jose has been successful in the examination for the Fellowship of the Royal College of Surgeons. He will return to Australia shortly.