

UNIVERSITY OF ADELAIDE.

UNIVERSITY SCHOLARSHIPS EXAMINATION.

The board of examiners will recommend that the undermentioned students be appointed University scholars for 1893—
Edward Joseph Stuckey,
Oliver Leitch,
Isaac Herbert Solomon.

ANGAS ENGINEERING EXHIBITION EXAMINATION.

The board of examiners will recommend that the following award be made:—
Edward Vincent Clark.

SPECIAL SENIOR PUBLIC EXAMINATION.

First class—None.
Second class—None.
Third class—None.

The following candidates passed in the undermentioned subjects:—
Sydney Letts Dawkins, German, private tuition.
Christina Love Goode, Latin (with credit), private tuition.

William Hay Gosse, French, St. Peter's Collegiate School.
Edward Angas Johnson, German and pure mathematics, St. Peter's Collegiate School.

William Henry Kennedy, French, Christian Brothers' College.
Archibald Balfour Nairn, pure mathematics, Whinham College.

Violet May Plummer, Latin, private study.
Allan Elliot Randall, French, Mr. Bircher's tuition.

Moses Brandon Saunders, experimental physics, Prince Alfred College.
Charles Ernest Cameron Wilson, Latin and pure mathematics, St. Peter's Collegiate School.

Harold Maund Evans, pure mathematics, St. Peter's Collegiate School.

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THURSDAY, MARCH 23, 1893.

We are informed that a private telegram has been received announcing the safe arrival in London of Mr. J. Walter Tyas, late registrar of the University, together with his family.

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SATURDAY, APRIL 22, 1893.

John Tamlin, a caretaker at the Adelaide University, who is 71 years of age, is reported as missing from his home, High-street, Kensington, since April 19. He underwent an operation at the Adelaide Hospital some months ago, and has been somewhat peculiar in his manner since. A note in pencil was found in an outhouse bidding good-bye to his wife. He is described thus—5 ft. 7 or 8 in. high, of reddish complexion and gray hair, wears side whiskers and also under his chin, has a sharp and long nose, is blind of one eye, and stoops when walking. When last seen he was wearing a black alpaca coat and dark tweed trousers.

The Register.

ADELAIDE: MONDAY, APRIL 24, 1893.

THE DISAPPEARANCE OF MR. JOHN TAMLIN.

Regarding the disappearance of Mr. John Tamlin, who has been missing since Friday last, we learn that he left his home leaving a letter behind him written in lead pencil washing his relatives good-by, and saying they would not see him any more, as he was no longer able to maintain them. His age is seventy-one. He went away in a pair of red slippers, so that it is thought he cannot have gone far unless he obtained a ride. Search parties, including black trackers and troopers, have been out, but can find no traces of the missing man. Mr. W. Tamlin and Mr. E. Tamlin, sons, and Messrs. A. Garwood and J. Knell were out on Saturday in the district of Mount Lofty, and on Sunday searched Waterfall Gully. They found a hat in the reservoir, but it did not belong to Mr. Tamlin. His relatives have small hopes of finding him alive. A photo of the missing man is in the hands of the police, and copies are being struck off to assist in the search.

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TUESDAY, APRIL 25, 1893.

The body of Mr. Tamlin, who has been missing since Wednesday last, was discovered on Monday afternoon by the water police floating in the Torrens. On Saturday and Sunday search parties, including black trackers and police, were out searching for the missing man, but up to Monday morning nothing had been seen of him. The body was removed to the morgue, and the City Coroner will hold an inquest at the Elephant and Castle Hotel at 11 o'clock this morning.

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April 26th 1893

SUICIDE IN THE TORRENS.

The body of Mr. Tamlin, who had been missing since Wednesday last, was discovered on Monday afternoon by the water police floating in the Torrens. The City Coroner (Dr. Whitell) held an inquest on Tuesday at the Elephant and Castle Hotel as to the circumstances surrounding the death of the deceased.

Edwin Tamlin identified the body lying in the morgue as that of his father. He said the deceased, who was 71 years of age, was assistant caretaker of the Adelaide University and had recently undergone an operation at the Adelaide Hospital, otherwise his health was good. Last saw deceased alive on Tuesday, when he came to where witness was working. He was then very low in spirits. When deceased left the hospital he said—"I wish I had taken enough ether to have finished me off."

Clara Jane Tamlin, wife of deceased, last saw him alive on Wednesday evening last. He then went outside and as he remained away some time she sent her little girl to look for him, who came back and said that he was in the garden. The deceased had been in the hospital, where he received treatment, but before he had recovered he left. Deceased exerted himself in carrying tables downstairs from the upstairs rooms of the University. A Mr. Holmes, boarder at the house of the deceased, told him in witness's hearing that he heard that Mr. Ellis, head caretaker at the University, heard someone say that deceased was too old for the work he had to do. This induced him, for he put his hand to his head and wept bitterly. Often heard deceased say that if he could not work any more he would make himself scarce. Mentally he was not as strong after as before the operation he had to undergo in the Adelaide Hospital.

Florence Tamlin, daughter of the deceased, said that when her father left on Wednesday morning he said—"I'll not live long. Be a good girl to your mother, as she has been a good wife to me."

Charles Holmes deposed that the deceased had been low in spirits lately and he heard him say he would commit suicide unless he got work.

Constable Dempsey found a letter in the deceased's pocket. It ran as follows:—"God bless you all. My dear wife and child, I shall not see you any more. I hope that the Lord will forgive me, for I am only in the way. I cannot work to maintain you any longer. Remember me to all kind friends, and thank Ellis for his kindness to me."

Constable Nicholls found the body in the lake. There was a bag containing road metal tied round the body by a rope. The jury returned a verdict of suicide while in an unaccountable state of mind.