

*Otago University Students that have taken the Degree of Master of Arts with Honours.*

First class in Latin and French	..	..	..	..	..	1
Third class in Latin and French	..	..	..	..	..	1
Third class in Mental Science	..	..	..	..	..	1
First class in English and French	..	..	..	..	..	2
Second class in English and French	..	..	..	..	..	1
First class in Mental Science	..	..	..	..	..	2
Second class in Latin and English	..	..	..	..	..	1

*Otago University Graduates for 1908, exclusive of Honours Lists already given.*

1. Master of Arts	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
2. Bachelors of Arts	..	..	..	..	..	..	10
3. Bachelors of Science	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
4. Bachelor of Laws	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
5. Bachelors of Medicine and Surgery	..	..	..	..	..	..	9
6. Masters of Science	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
7. Master of Laws	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
8. Doctor of Medicine	..	..	..	..	..	..	1

I have special pleasure in mentioning here that one of our students, Miss Mary H. E. Gordon, was at the last annual meeting of the Senate held in Auckland awarded the Macmillan Brown Memorial Prize, for the best poem on the "Meeting of Milton and Galileo." If this had been an ordinary award, it might have been passed over; but never before in the history of this prize, which was first awarded in 1898, have such warm encomiums been passed on the successful composition. As I have read the poem myself, I have great pleasure in saying that I consider it a remarkable production. Miss Gordon was previously well known to me as a student in my classes, the distinctive feature of her work being essays characterized by great originality and singular imaginative power.

*Winners of Scholarships, Medals, and Prizes in the University of Otago. (Session 1908)*

1. The Richardson Scholarship—William Montgomery Stewart.
2. The Gray Russell Scholarship—Henry Whiteoak Slater.
3. The Women's Scholarship—Mary Shand Watt.
4. The Macandrew Scholarship (political economy)—John Alexander Moore.
5. Sir George Grey Scholarship (science)—George Thomas Maunders.
6. New Zealand Research Scholarship—Alexander Gordon Macdonald.
7. Stuart Prize (physics)—Gladys Christian Mary Cameron.
8. Ulrich Memorial Medal (mineralogy and petrography)—George Thomas Maunders.
9. MacGregor Prize (mental science)—William Marsland Uttley.
10. Parker Memorial Prize (biology)—Francis Oreti MacGibbon.
11. The James Clark Prizes—
 

James Moir Paterson (English),	
Henry Havelock Cornish (Latin),	
Francis Boyd Adams	} equal (mental science).
John Hilton Murdoch	

*Games and Athletics.*

So far, the members of our first fifteen team of Rugby footballers have not recovered from the severe losses they sustained about two years ago, when many of our best footballers left for the Home-country, where they have since given a good account of themselves. The men's and women's University hockey clubs are very flourishing institutions, and have supplied a felt need in the University. In 1908 the men's club again secured the premier position among the Dunedin clubs, and thus won, for the third time, the MacLean Challenge Cup for hockey. Tennis and fives have also been played as usual.

*Successes of former Students.*

In September last Dr. Percy Herring, an old Otago University student, was appointed Professor of Physiology in the ancient University of St. Andrew's. It is a striking proof of the essential unity of Empire that one of the youngest of the British colonies should supply a Professor to the oldest of the Scottish Universities.

One of the most distinguished of our scientific students, Dr. Mellor, has recently published a book on the higher mathematics, which has been recognised by the leading Home journals as a work of altogether exceptional merit.

Mr. R. A. Farquharson, M.Sc., the third New Zealand Rhodes Scholar, has taken the degree of B.A. at Oxford University, with honours in mineralogy and geology.

Several of our University footballers have distinguished themselves in Britain. A number of these are medical students connected with the London hospital teams. Colin Macdonald Gilray, of University College, Oxford, has won his "blue" as an Oxford Rugby footballer, and played in the last annual historical match against Cambridge University, where he met in friendly rivalry George Martin Chapman, of Caius College, Cambridge, a former Otago student, and a son of Judge Chapman.