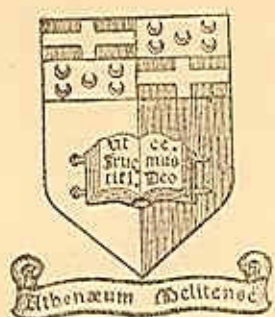


SPONSOR (Jurisprudentia)

Permissu, auspicioque Excellentissimi Gubernatoris in hanc legitimam, sollempnemque concionem, tuamque in conspectum, Praeses amplissime, adducimus hunc lectissimum Candidatum omnibus Laureae insignibus, doctrinaeque praemiis, more institutoque majorum, a Te honestandum qui cum de hoc Athenaeo sit optime meritis, dignus est qui ad hanc dignitatem promoveatur. Te mox rogat, Praeses amplissime, ut Tibi attributa potestate eum Doctorem renunties, atque in Jurisconsultorum censu honoris causa cooptatum, adscriptumque nomines, atque edicas.



Guillelmo Carolo Fleming Robertson
Michaeli et Georgiani Ordinis Comiti.

Rector et IXviri qui Melitensi Athenaeo dirigendo praesunt, ea memoria repetentes quae, Te Consilii Praeside, gesta sunt, in legibus praesertim ad eiusdem Athenaei regimen condendis, sui grati animi sensa proderere cupientes, hanc occasionem nacti qua Melita discedis alium populum Magnae Britanniae subditum gubernaturus, Te humanis litteris praestantem, de iuvenili institutione tam apud nos, quam in occidentis Africae regionibus eximie meritum, inter Utriusque Juris Doctores, honoris causa, referre, eiusque dignitatis insignibus solemni more ornare decrevere.

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Alex. Scio stinos
A Secretis.

Luc. Stannut
Rector.

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 in Occidentis Africae regionibus
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Datum in Athenis Magnis

XVI Kal. Octobris M. C. M. XXV.

Aff. S. S. S. S.
 30. 10. 25

On Thursday 28th January 1926 in
 the Aula Concili, in the presence of the
 General Council and several members of
 the family of the Candidate the degree of
 Doctor of Medicine (M.D.)
 was conferred by the Rector assisted
 by the Secretary on

M^r Victor Alfred Spearman

Prof. Mons Formosa received the
 Candidate's profession of faith and
 administered the Oath while Prof S
 Cassar acted as Sponsor.

28th 26.

Alfred Spearman

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On 1st April 1926 Professor Thomas Agius M.A; M.D; F.R.Met.S. assumed the office of Rector in succession to the

Hon. Prof. Them. Lamont C.M.G., M.D. D.Lit (Oxon) who retired on a pension on 31st March 1926.

Professor Agius is occupant of the Chair of Physics which now becomes vacant.

Aff. Sciorius
Secretary

1. 4. 26.

In June 1926 an oil portrait of himself was presented to the Hon. Prof. Them. Lamont by the Academic Body.

The ceremony was held in the Aula magna.

An illuminated address was also presented.

Prof. Them. Lamont entertained those present to refreshments.

Aff. Sciorius

18. 11. 26

In July 1926, having completed
the Course of Pharmacy 1921-24

Edward H. Navarro
a

Charles Labra

were awarded the diploma of

Pharmacist.

aff. Surotino
July 1926

In August 1926, having
completed the Course of Pharmacy 1921-24

Carmelo Cassar.

was awarded the diploma of

Pharmacist.

aff. Surotino
August 1926

On 1st October 1926 the usual ceremony of the Reopening of Schools and the matriculation of students was held in the Aula Magna at 10. am; as in consequence of the repairs being carried out in it, at the time, the University Church was not available.

His Honour Sir J. A. V. Beck. K. B. E., C.M.G., Lieutenant Governor, presided as representing H. E. the Viceroy, and the Hon. Minister for Public Instruction was also present.

The following members of the professional and examining staff were present:

Prof. Cassar

Prof. Nixon

Prof. Coalla

Prof. Freudo

Prof. C. Lammit

Prof. Mallia

Prof. E. Vassallo

Prof. Martinelli

Mons. Farniga

P.M. Fabron

Prof. Callus

Prof. Prohosi

Prof. Busuttile

Prof. Ferro

Prof. Xerelli

Prof. E. C. Vassallo

Prof. Lauretta

Col. C. Marchi

Canon Gallea

Hon. S. M. Kehoni

low Mass was said by Prof G. Jamosa
 who was assisted at the altar by
 8 Theology Students.

After mass the Hymn Veni Creator
 was sung.

The oration was delivered by
 Mr. Owen J. Fogarty, B.A. (N.V.),
 Professor of English Literature
 who took for his theme:

"The functions of a University".

Prizes for the Academic year 1925-26

In the Academic Course of
 Literature with 79% of the total
 aggregate £20 Govt. Exhibition
 awarded to

Mr Herbert Gauado - Honours

In the Academic Course of
 Science with $\frac{1}{4}$ 90% of the aggregate
 £20 Govt Exhibition awarded to

Mr Walter Gauado Cum laude.

The said two students being also respectively first in the Prep Courses of Law and Science are exempted from all fees during 1926-27.

The same privilege was earned by Mr. Charles Mauchi in the Acad Course of Theology - Mr. A. Gauci Maistre - jurisprudence - Mr. Salvatore Vella medicine & surgery

In the Matriculation Examination June Session 1926. the prize of £ 20 was gained by

Mr. Godwin George Ganado

Certificates of matriculation were presented to the following students ..

Joseph Agius Vadalà	Defred. Frommi
Charles Borg	Victor P. Galea
Gerald Briffa	Godwin G. Ganado
Edwin England	Albert Mercieca
Michael Sammut	George Stralà

Victor Deslaperata Bonici : Anthony Vella
George Lammit :

A new banner for the University
was consecrated by Professor Jannusa
before the conclusion of the ceremony

Alfred Sciorius

In February 1927, having followed the course of Notarial Studies in 1921-24, the Diploma of Notary public was conferred on.

Angelo Cachia ✓

In April 1927, this University was invited to participate in the Centenary Celebration of University College University of London which were to be held in June 1927 in London. The General Council delegated the Rector.

to represent the University at these celebrations and sent a suitably illuminated address on parchment.

An invitation to the 7th Centenary Celebrations of the University of Hawaii.

was also received in April 1927.

A parchment address of congratulation was also sent to the Council.

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again delegated the
Rector

to represent the University at the ceremonies
to be held on 26th and 27th June 1927
ay's

The University of Toronto, Ontario, Canada,
invited the University of Malta to send out
a representative to the First centenary
celebrations of that University to be held in
October 1927.

The General Council delegated Mr.

Silvio Lawson

resident in Toronto to represent the
University of Malta on the occasion

A suitably inscribed address on
parchment was also sent.

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In July 1927, Mrs Blanche Caruana-
nei Duber, having been admitted by the
General Council to the examinations of the Course
of Pharmacy, 1924-27 and having satisfied
the examiners the relative diploma was
conferred on her. ✓

In July 1927, having completed the studies
of the Course of Pharmacy 1924-27, and
satisfied all the requirements the relative
diploma was conferred on

M^r: Carmelo Vassallo ✓

In September 1927, in virtue of a
decision of the General Council the
diploma in Pharmacy was conferred on
Dr. Edgar Ellul. ✓

The Ceremony of the opening of schools and the matriculation of students was held in the aula magna on 1st October 1927.

H.E. the Officer administering the Government presided and the hon. Sen. Prof. G. Bartolo Minister for Public Instruction and Acting Head of the Ministry ~~presided~~ was also present.

The following members of the professional staff attended: Professor Owen J. Fogarty, Prof. Challa, Professor E. Gaucado, Professor C. Lammit - Prof. E. Vassallo - Prof. P. Pichesi - Prof. Nixon Prof. Busuttel - Prof. Carles. Prof. J. Gatt, Prof. G. Mibono - and Mr C. Parnis P.M., E. Vassallo Prof. V. Louscura delivered an oration, entitled "Un libro di vita".

Mass was said by the Most Rev. Canon Mons. G. Formosa: after which the hymn Veni Creator was sung.

Certificates of matriculation were presented to several students and a very short summary of the year's work was read by the Secretary.

In October 1927. having completed the studies of the Course of Pharmacy and fulfilled all the requirements of the Statute and Regulations the relative diploma was conferred on
 M^r. Francis. Louis Nassetta and
 M^r. Victor Joseph Salomone.

In November 1927. having completed the studies of the Course of Pharmacy 1924-27. and satisfied the requirements of the Statute and Regulations the relative diploma was awarded to

Mr Joseph Lee. Bone.

and
 Mr. Gustavo Caucchi Ingloiti.

In July 1928 having completed the studies of the Course of Pharmacy 1921-24 and satisfied the requirements of the Statute and Regulation the relative diploma was awarded to

Mr. Charles G. Cassan.

In July 1928 having completed the studies of
 the Course of Pharmacy 1924-27 and satisfied
 the requirements of the Statute and Regula-
 tions the relative diploma was awarded to
 Mr. Alfred Galia. J.

In August 1928 having passed the
 prescribed tests and fulfilled all the
 requirements of Article 24 of the Regulations
 Maria Concetta Micallef,
 Elizabeth Mizzi M.,
 Antonia Saliba,
 Maria Sant, and
 Eduarda Scicluna
 were granted the diploma of Midwife. J.

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The ceremony of the Reopening of Schools and
Matriculation of Students and the conferment of
degrees on Students who had completed their
Course was held in the University Church on
Monday 1st October, 1928. The Degrees were
conferred by Prof. Thos. Agius, M.A., M.D., F.R.H.S.,
Rector, assisted by the Acting Secretary, Mr.
Jos. L. Pace.

His Excellency Sir Thomas Hans Best
presided at the Ceremony.

The following were present:-

General Council 1928-29.

Prof. G. C. Vassallo, M.A., LL.D., Prof. Mons.
G. Vassallo, S.C.D., Prof. P. P. Debono, Prof. Laurence,
Prof. J. K. Hylle, Prof. S. Guedo, LL.D., and Dr.
G. S. Debono, LL.D., M.L.A. and Prof. the Hon.
Senators Prof. Debono
Faculty of Theology.

Prof. Mons. G. Formosa, B.A., J.U.D., D.D.,
Prof. the Hon. Senator Mons. G. Zammit, D.D.,
Prof. Rev. J. M. Callus, O.P., Rev. P. M. Giv.
Fehon, O.P., Rev. C. M. Nicola Farrugia, O.S.A.

Faculty of Law

Prof. G. Mella, LL.D., B.Litt., M.L.A.

Faculty of Medicine & Surgery.

Prof. G. Debono, M.D., Prof. G. Buzuttel, M.A.,
M.D., Hon. Senator Prof. Constantino L. Regis, B.Sc.,

H. D., D. O. (Oxon.), Prof. E. L. Ferrero, B. A., H. D., Prof.
A. Vinciguerra, H. D., Prof. P. Turchetti, B. Sc., H. D., Dr. F.
Borg, B. Sc., H. D., Dr. J. Luastasi, H. B. E., B. Sc., H. D.,
Dr. G. G. Zanghi, B. A., H. D., and Dr. J. Buffa, B. Sc., H. D.

Literature and Science.

Prof. Giovanni J. Fogarty, B. A., (N. U. I.) Prof. P. G. Ferrero,
L. D., Prof. C. Vassallo, O. D. C. and the Professors or
Examiners who belong either to the General Council
or to any of the above Faculties.

Engineering and Architecture.

Prof. W. F. Mason, B. Sc., A. P. C. E., M. E. and
Prof. J. Terenzi, B. E. & A., A. P. C. E.

Mass was said by Prof. Mons. G.
Formosa after which the candidates for
degrees made their Profession of Faith.

At 10 a. m. His Excellency the ^{Minister} ~~Officer~~
Administering the Government, and was met
at the door by the Rector and the members
of the General Council. The Chief Justice
and the other Judges were also present.

The customary oration was delivered by
the Honourable Senator Professor Count
Luigi Preziosi, B. Sc., H. D., D. O. (Oxon.) who
discoursed on

"La Professione del Tracoma."

Academic degrees were then conferred on the

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following: -

Graduates in Theology (D. D.).

Rev. Arthur Bonnici, B.A.

Rev. Charles Maucki.

Graduates in Jurisprudence (LL.D.).

Felice H. Cremona

Agostino Lauci Maucki

Antonio Muscat.

Graduates in Medicine & Surgery (M.D.).

John Kuastani

Edgar Benfacer, B.Sc.

Carmelo Cassar, Ph.C.

Charles G. Cassar, Ph.C.

John Cesario

Victor Cesario

Arthur Colombo

Edgar Daudria

Joseph Galea, Ph.C.

Edward G. Savano, Ph.C.

Sahator Vella, B.Sc.

Charles Zahra, B.Sc., Ph.C.

Graduates in Canon Law (B.L. Can.).

Rev. Arthur Bonnici, B.A.

Rev. Charles Maucki.

Graduates in Arts (B.A.).

Berbert Savado

Giovanni Filiberto Conder.

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Graduates in Science (B.Sc.).

Joseph Bonnici ✓
Harold J. Borg ✓
Joseph B. Borg ✓
Gosario Briffa ✓
Ferdinand Calleja ✓
Charles Caruana ✓
Alfred Cauchi ✓
Francis J. Cauchi ✓
Joseph Colombo ✓
Alfred John Craig ✓
Walter Canado ✓
Savino F. Matteri ✓
Arthur Stuart Mortimer ✓
Francis Muscat ✓

The Sponsors were the following:-

Theology & Canon Law - Prof. Mons. G. Formosa,
B.A., J.U.D., D.D.

Jurisprudence - Prof. G. C. Vassallo, H.A., LL.D.

Medicine & Surgery - Prof. G. Debono, M.D.

Arts - Prof. W. A. Mason, B.Sc., A.B.C.S., M.B.S.

Science - Prof. P. G. Fenech, LL.D.

The following students matriculated
and received their certificate:-

Dioniso Goetts,
Joseph Caloune,
Carmelo Schenbri,
Joseph Sapiano,
Oscar Jammit,
Godfrey Jack Adams.

Joseph Formosa
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In February 1929.

Edward M. A. Refalo.

having completed the studies in the Course of Pharmacy 1924-27, and passed all the tests required by the Statute & Regulations was awarded the relative diploma.

alf. Scisotto
Secretary

In July 1929.

Rosario Briffa.

having completed the studies in the Course of Pharmacy 1924-27, and having passed all the tests required by the Statute and Regulations, was awarded the relative diploma.

alf. Scisotto
Secretary

In August 1929.

Francis Muscat,

Borg Joseph R.

Scerri Joseph.

Bonnici Joseph, and

Craig Alfred John.

having completed the studies in the
Course of Pharmacy 1924-27. and
passed all the tests required by the
Statute Regulations, were awarded
the relative diploma.

alf Sciorino
Secretary

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- 1 Frank Demajo
 - 2 George Manche
 - 3 Charles Henry Podesta
 - 4 Concetta Bajona
 - 5 Carmelo Coliuro

having completed the Studies in the Course
of Pharmacy 1928-1930 and passed all
the tests required by the Statute & Regula-
tions, were awarded the relative diploma

(1-4) July 1930
(5) August 1930

C. G. Harris
Secretary

Schools re-opened for the Academic year 1930-31 on the 1st October 1930. His Excellency Harry Charles Luke, C.M.G., M.A., B.Lit., Officer Administering the Government presided. The Ceremony was attended by the Hon. Prof. R. V. Galia A.C.E., Acting Minister for Public Instruction, by the members of the General Council and by members of the Academic Body.

The customary religious ceremony was held in the University Church, the function being performed by the Senior Professor of Theology, the Most Rev. Can. Monsignor S. Tomosa, B.A., J.C.D., D.D.

After the "Veni Creator", the Academic Body, in their Academic robes, and the students proceeded to the Aula Magna of the University.

As soon as His Excellency arrived, an address was delivered by the Very Rev. Canon E. Galia, B.Lit., J.C.D., D.D., Professor of Canon Law, who took for his subject "Sulla Via dello Studio con S. Agostino", after which

His

His Excellency delivered an appropriate
speech encouraging the students in their
studies

The Secretary of the University then
read the list of students entitled to a
Scholarship in terms of Art. 100 of the Regula-
tions and of those entitled to the Government
prize of £20 in terms of Art. 95 of the same
Regulations, viz:-

Scholarships
Academic Courses

Engineering & Architecture - Mr. Joseph Colombo B.Sc.
(Passed cum laude)

Medicine & Surgery - Mr. Alf. John Craig B.Sc.
(Passed cum laude)

Laws - Mr. Giovanni Filiberto Londer B.A.
(Passed cum laude)

Preparatory Courses

Engineering & Architecture - Mr. Jos. S. Di Conti Manduca
(Passed cum laude)

Laws - Mr. Albert Mucicca
(Passed with Honours)

Theology - Mr. John Theuma Kell
(Passed with Honours)

Prizes of £20

Faculty of Literature - Mr. Albert Mercuria (passed
with honours)

Faculty of Science
(Medicine) - Mr. Jno. Agius Vadalà (passed
cum laude)

Faculty of Science
(Engineering) - Mr. Nils R. Galea (passed cum
laude).

In the Matriculation Examination, June
Session 1930, the prize of £20 was gained by

Mr. Thomas Anastasi Saxe.

Certificates of matriculation were presented
to the following :-

Mr. Joseph Lupi
Mr. Joseph Tomma
Mr. Joseph Scicluna
Mr. Salvino Galea
Mr. Francis Jno. Damati
Mr. Joseph Soler
Mr. John Francis Agopardi
Mr. John Chelenti Bonarita
Mr. Vicenzo Talone

H. L. Lewis

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In October 1830,

Joseph Gerard Debono
Alfred Fiorini,

Having completed the studies in the Course of
Pharmacy 1827-30 and passed all the tests
required by the Statute & Regulations were
awarded the relative diploma.

G. E. Savina
Secretary

In February 1851

Joseph Fiorini

Having completed the studies in the Course
of Pharmacy 1827-30 and passed all the
tests required by the Statute and Regulations
was awarded the relative diploma.

G. E. Savina
Secretary.

In June 1931
In July 1931

- (1) Caesar Ann. P. Vassallo
- (2) Joseph Rugeja
- (3) Victor Alb. Tripud Bonnicci
- (4) Antonio Bonello

Having completed the studies in the Course of Pharmacy 1927-30 and passed all the tests required by the Statute and Regulations, were awarded the respective diplomas.

1 to 3 - June 1931
4 - July 1931

H. E. Scania
Secretary

In June 1931, Having passed the prescribed tests and fulfilled all the requirements of Article 24 of the Regulations

- Salvina Elyer
- Margherita Scari
- Mary Scieluna
- Florina Desjovanni
- Maria Assunta Dugo

were granted the diploma of Midwife.

H. E. Scania
Secretary

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The ceremony of the Re opening of Schools,
the Matriculation of students and the Conferment
of Academic degrees on students who had
completed their course was held in the University
Church on Thursday 1st October 1931

The degrees were conferred by Professor
Thos. A. F. Jones MA, MD, F.R.M.E.S., Rector, assisted
by the Secretary of the University, Mr. George Greenia.

His Excellency Harry Charles Luke Esq.,
MA, B.Litt, Officer Administering the Government
and Acting Visitor of the University, presided
at the Ceremony.

The following were ^{seated} present on the dais:-

H. E. the Oath - in the centre

The Rector - on the right

The Chief Justice - on the left.

The Academic Body was represented by:-

General Council

Prof. Messrs. C. Kammit, Prof. L. Ransom,
Prof. R. Buechler, Prof. W. H. Nixon,
Messrs. L. Farrugia, Judge J. Babujan

Theology.

Prof. Mons. Famosa, Prof. Rev. Can. E. Galea,
Prof. Mons. Formis, Mons. L. Ferrugia,
Prof. Mons. Vella, Mons. J. Mallia, Mons. E.
Saudria, Rev. Calamia.

Law.

Prof. E. C. Vassallo, Prof. L. Rendon,
Prof. C. Mallia, Prof. V. Camana,
Magistrate S. Vella, Hon. D. Max. Debono

Medicine

Prof. R. Busuttill, Prof. V. Bernard,
Prof. R. Vincenti, Prof. E. H. Ferris,
Prof. P. Xuereb, Prof. P. P. Debono,
Prof. S. Casar, Prof. Cortis, Carbone,
D. Jaccarini, D. Langhi, D. Pizzoparsi
D. J. Debono, D. C. Allard, D. R. L. Caslani
D. Paris.

Engineering

Prof. Nixon, Prof. H. Hall, Prof. Teroni

Lit. & Science

Prof. P. Inudo, Prof. S. Borg, Prof. Orlin
Fogarty, Prof. Cortis, Prof. Laurenza
The Hon. Mother Stewart.

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At 10.5 am His Excellency the Visitor
arrived and was received at the door of
the Church by the Rector and General Council
and conducted to the dais when the orchestra
played the National Anthem.

The following were also present :-

Mr Luke

The A.D.C. to H.E.

The Col. A.D.C.

Ministers (on the right hand side of the dais)

The Hon. Prof. Sei A. Bartolo

The Hon. W. Salomone

The Hon. Vassallo

The Hon. R.V. Galia

Judges (on the left hand side of the dais)

Judge F. Buhajjar

Judge R. Canudo

Judge E. Canudo

Judge G. DiPasquale

Judge Montanaro

Judge Camilleri

The Chief Justice, Sei A. Mercieca was also
present & was seated on the dais

The customary oration in Italian was delivered
by Prof. R. Vicenti

Immediately after the oration, a bouquet of roses was presented by the students to Mrs Lake, Mrs Agius and Mrs Vincent.

Academic degrees were then conferred on the following students.

Bachelor of Science (B.Sc.)

Agius Emmanuel	Coleiro Carmelo	Podestà Charles H.
Agius Vadalà Joseph	England Sant Fournier	Sammut Michael L.
Bajona Cellina	Edwin	Sansone Louis
Borg Charles	Galea Victor Robert	Vassallo Caesar Aem. P.
Camilleri Gerard George	Mangion Joseph John	Zammit Carmelo

Bachelor of Arts (B.A.)

Caruana John	Mamo Anthony Joseph	Tufigno Mary Christina
Cilia Antonio	Mercieca Albert	Zammit George
Formosa John	Theuma Relf John	

Bachelor of Engineering & Architecture (B.E. & A.)

Borg Harold James	Caruana Frank	Colombo Joseph
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Bachelor of Canon Law (B.L. CAN.)

Camilleri Vincent

Doctor of Medicine & Surgery (M.D.)

Bonnici Joseph, B.Sc.	Cauchi Alfred, B.Sc.	Ganado Walter, B.Sc.
Borg Joseph Rosario, B.Sc.	Cauchi Francis J., B.Sc.	Mattei Salvino Ferdinand, B.Sc.
Briffa Rosario, B.Sc.	Craig Alfred John, B.Sc.	Muscat Francis, B.Sc.
Calleja Ferdinand, B.Sc.	De Bono Anthony	Scerri Joseph
Caruana Charles, B.Sc.	Fava Walter L.	Vella Frank Joseph

Doctor of Laws (LL.D.)

Buhagiar Edgar	Ganado Herbert, B.A.	Mazzone Giovanni
Flores Joseph	Gouder Giovanni Filiberto, B.A.	Vassallo George

Doctor of Divinity (D.D.)

Camilleri Vincent.

After the conferment of degrees, Matriculation Certificates were presented to Mr. C. H. Ferris, Mr. C. Nandi + Miss Maria Rita Cortis, and diplomas to the students who had received their Academic degrees.

G. G. G. G.
Secretary

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A private graduation Ceremony was held in the Aula magna of the University at 9 am on Monday 28th March 1932 when the degree of B.A. was conferred on Student *frideric jorge jennard*.

The degree was conferred by the Rector assisted by the Secretary of the University.

Professor *mons. f. Tommasa* administered the oath & Professor *Nixon* acted as Sponsor in lieu of Prof. *Cuschieri* who was unable to attend.

H. E. Lewis

In May 1932

George Borg Barchet

Having completed the studies in the Course of Pharmacy (1918-21) and passed all the tests required by the Statute & Regulations, was awarded the relative Diploma.

H. E. Lewis

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Schools re-opened for the Academic Year 1932-33
on 1st October 1932.

His Excellency the Governor, Sir David Graham
Muschet-Campbell, Visitor of the University, presided

The following were seated on the dais :-

The Visitor - in the centre
The ^{af-} ^(Prof. Cassini) Rector - on the right-hand side
Prof. E.C. Vassallo - on the left-hand side

The Ceremony was attended by the Honourable
The Head of the Ministry, Sir M. G. Trifand, The Hon.
the Minister for Public Health, The Hon. S. Borg Olivier,
His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor, Sir H.C. Luke,
Lady Trifand, Mrs Luke, Mrs Strother Stewart
and by the following members of the Academic
Body, viz:- Judge R.Y. Canado, Prof. Mons. Zammitt,
The Hon. Prof. R.V. Jalea, Prof. J.H. Fatt, Prof. Contino
Luzio, Judge Bahajiar, Prof. Nixon, Prof. Fogarty,
Prof. Lamenza, Prof. Mons. Formosa, Prof. Saydon,
Prof. S. Borg, Prof. Curtis, Prof. Mons. Jalea,
S. Jaccarini, the Hon. Strother Stewart.

The customary religious ceremony was
held in the University Church, the function

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being performed by the Senior Professor of Theology,
the Most Rev. Can. Mons. S. Formosa B.P., JUD., S.D.

After the "Veni Creator" the Academic
Body, in their Academic robe, and the students
proceeded to the Aula Magna of the University.

His Excellency was met by the members
of the General Council, each member being intro-
duced by the Col. A.D.C.

As soon as His Excellency was seated,
an address was delivered by Prof. V. Vassallo,
Professor of mental Diseases, who took for his
subject "The Psychological Conception of Insanity,"
after which the Secretary of the University read
out the list of students entitled to a Scholarship
in terms of Art. 100 of the Regulations and of
those entitled to the 1st prize of £20 in terms
of Art. 95 of the same Regulations.

Certificates of matriculation were then
presented by His Excellency to the following:-

Philip Sullivani
Alb. E. Barrolo
Joseph Pace
S. Bartolifalia
John Allard
George Hammil
Antonio Bartolo
Victor Disazza

Salvino Biffa
Faetano Cassar
Paul Cassar
Carlo Debono

His Excellency then rose up and stated that as he considered Professor Vassallo had given everyone quite enough food for thought for one day, he did not propose to make a speech. At the same time, however, he wished to thank Professor Vassallo for the excellent and interesting lecture which he had delivered, and also to congratulate all those who had obtained scholarships as well as the other prize winners.

L. W. Greig

In June 1933

Victor Tabone

Having completed the studies in the Course of Pharmacy 1927-30 and having passed all the tests required by the Statute & Regulations, was awarded the relative Diploma.

L. W. Greig
Secretary

In July 1933

Miss Maria Josepha Zammit, Miss Maria
Caruana, Miss Ordina Vanda Lajar and
Mr Dante Bonnici

Having completed the studies in the course
of Pharmacy 1927-30 and having passed all
the tests required by the Statute and Regulations
were awarded the relative diploma

Geo. Davis
Secretary

A private graduation ceremony was held
on 17th February 1934 at 4 pm. when the degree
of LL.D. was conferred on Mr W. Buhajjar
B.C.L. (Oxon)

The degree was conferred by the Rector assisted
by the Secretary.

Professor Maurizio Formosa as the Senior Professor
of the Faculty of Theology ^{Administered the oath} and Prof. E.C. Vassallo LL.D.
as Senior Professor of the Faculty of Law acted as
sponsor.

Geo. Davis
Secretary

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In August 1933

Mr. Oscar Zammit and Mr. Thomas Anastasi Pace
Having completed the studies in the Course of Pharmacy
1927-30 and having passed all the tests required by
the Statute and Regulations were awarded the
relative diploma

Geo. Sime
Secretary

In September 1933

Mr. Joseph L. Farrugia, Having completed the
studies in the Course of Pharmacy 1927-30 and
having passed all the tests required by the ^{Statute and} Regulations
was awarded the relative diploma.

Geo. Sime
Secretary

In October 1933

Mr. Oscar Vella, Having completed the studies in
the Course of Pharmacy 1927-30 and having passed
all the tests required by the Statute & Regulations,
was awarded the relative diploma

Geo. Sime
Secretary

As soon as H. E. was seated, an address was delivered by Professor R. Bussatelli, M.A., M.D., who took for his subject "Coltura e Carattere", after which the Secretary of the University read out the lists of students entitled to a scholarship in terms of Article 100 of the Regulations and of those entitled to the Govt. Prize of £20 in terms of Article 95 of the same regulations.

Certificates of matriculation were then presented to:-

- Louis Sammut Briffa
- John Ramondo
- Antonio Zammit
- Joseph Borg
- Giovanni Cremona
- Joseph Vella
- Oliver Agzopardi
- Joseph Grunzo
- Joseph Debono
- Joseph Agzopardi
- Maurice Agius Vadali
- Giovanna Bonacci
- Agnese Cortis
- Marcette Galanopoulos
- Joseph Benli
- Jos. M. Cancellari
- Giuliano Farrugia
- C. J. Leonfanau
- Paul Micallef
- Joseph Muietti
- Charles Vassallo

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His Excellency then rose up and made some remarks on the interesting lecture delivered by Prof. R. Bussollet whom he congratulated very warmly.

His Excellency finally congratulated all the students who had obtained Scholarships and money prizes

Geo. Davis

A private graduation ceremony was held in the Aula magna on 4th September 1934 when the degree of B.Sc. was conferred on student Andrei Cassar

The degree was conferred by the Rector, assisted by the Secretary.

Prof. Mon. Jalea administered the Oath and Prof. J. L. Galt acted as Sponsor.

Geo. Davis

The Ceremony of the re-opening of schools, the matriculation of students and the conferment of Academic degrees on students who had completed their course was held in the University Church on Monday, 1st October 1934.

The degrees were conferred by the Hon. Prof. R.V. Galie A.M., Rector, assisted by the Secretary of the University, Mr George Brown.

His Excellency Sir H.C. Luke C.M.B., official Administrator of the Government and Acting Visitor of the University, was on account of health unable to take part in the Ceremony. A letter from H.B. to this effect was read by the Rector.

The following were seated on the dais:

- The Rector
- The Chief Justice
- Professor Rev. Caschieri

On the left hand side of the dais, the following Judges were present: -

- Judge R. Canard
- Judge J. E. Canard
- Judge Candler
- Judge Montanaro Panceri
- Judge W. Harding

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The Academic Body was represented by the following members :-

Prof. R. Bussatell, Prof. E. C. Vassallo, Prof. A. V. Bernard,
 Prof. J. H. Gall, Prof. Fogarty, Prof. J. M. Ellul, Mons. Vella,
 Mons. Mallia, Rev. Fr. Adersat Schumler, D. Anastasi,
 Prof. Rev. Calamia, D. Zampfi, Prof. V. Vassallo, D. C.
 Attard, D. Jaccarini, Prof. Creziosi, Prof. P. Fendo,
 Prof. Cortis, D. Briffa, Mr. Brago, Mr. C. Rizzo,
 Prof. Ferris, D. J. A. Manchi, Mr. E. Lopera, Prof. Mallia,
 Prof. Lanzetta, Prof. Toledo, Prof. I. C. Debono, Rev. S. Vella,
 D. S. Dejiorgio, Prof. Nixon, D. Paris and Rev. Fr. Debono.

The customary oration was delivered in Latin by Professor Umberto Moricca D. Lit.

Immediately after the oration, a bouquet of flowers was presented by the students to Mrs. R. V. Galea and Mrs. Moricca.

Academic degrees were then conferred on the following students :-

<i>Bachelor of Science (B. Sc.)</i>		
Anastasi Pace Thomas	Chetenti Bonavita John	Sammut Amato Joseph
Bonello Godfrey	Gerada Alfonso	Warrington Thomas
Camilleri George	Mangion Salvatore	Charles
Caruana Mary	Micallef Angelo	Zammit Oscar
<i>Bachelor of Arts (B. A.)</i>		
Aquilina Joseph	Coleiro Edoardo	Sammut Victor R.
Buttigieg Anton	Grech Carmelo	Soler Joseph
<i>Bachelor of Canon Law (B. L. CAN.)</i>		
Abela Louis	Inguanez Giuseppe	Zammit Emmanuel
Cilia Antonio, B.A.	Spiteri Lorenzo	Zammit Joseph
Galea Paul	Theuma Relf John, B.A.	
<i>Bachelor of Engineering & Architecture (B. E. & A.)</i>		
England Sant Fournier	Griseti Soler Francis	Rizzo Oscar
Edwin, B. Sc.	Leone Ganado Joseph	Sansone Louis, B. Sc.
Galea Victor Robert, B. Sc.	Manduca Joseph S.	Savona Joseph

Doctor of Medicine & Surgery (M.D.)

Agius Emmanuel, B. Sc.
Bajona Cettina, B. Sc.
Borg Charles, B. Sc.
Bugeja Joseph
Camilleri Samul Gerald

Camilleri Gerard George,
B. Sc.
Coleiro Carmelo, B. Sc.
Mangion Joseph John, B. Sc.
Mifsud Bonici Victor Albert
Muscat George

Podestà Charles H., B. Sc.
Said Walter G. V.
Sammut Michael L., B. Sc.
Tabone Victor G.
Toledo Richard
Zammit Carmelo R., B. Sc.

Doctor of Laws (LL.D.)

Amato George
Caruana Thomas
Chetcuti Frank
Formosa John, B.A.

Ganado Godwin George,
B.A.
Magri Edward
Mamo Anthony J., B.A.

Mercieca Albert, **B.A.**
Pullicino John F.
Salomone Reynaud Joseph
Valenzia Arthur
Xuereb Joseph Henry

Doctor of Divinity (D.D.)

Abela Louis
Cilia Antonio, B.A.

Inguanez Giuseppe
Spiteri Lorenzo

Theuma Relf John, B.A.

After the conferment of degrees, Diplomas were presented to the students who had received Academic degrees and matriculation Certificates to the following:-

- Miss Mary Liggett
- Miss Mary Agzopardi
- Miss Rosa Flamini
- Mr C. Schember Adams
- Mr. Carl Affinis
- Mr. Joseph Damato
- Mr. Joseph Vella Bonnici

Geo. Davis
Secretary

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A private graduation ceremony was held
in the Aula Magna on 19th January 1935 when
the degree of B. Sc. was conferred on Mr. J. Camara B. Sc.

The degree was conferred by the Rector,
assisted by the Secretary.

Mr. Mons. J. A. administered the oath
and Mr. E. C. Vassallo acted as Sponsor.

Geo. Davis

On 2nd September 1935

Mr. Vincent Tabone, having completed the
studies in the Course of Pharmacy 1927-30 and having
passed all the tests required by the Statute and
Regulations was awarded the relative diploma.

Geo. Davis

On 8th August 1935

Mr. Henry Said Jizzo, having completed the studies
in the Course of Pharmacy 1927-30 and having passed all
the tests required by the Statute and Regulations was
awarded the relative diploma

Geo. Davis

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Schools reopened for the Academic year 1934-35⁵⁶
on 1st October 1935

His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government,
Sir H. Luke Combs, Acting Visitor of the University,
presided.

The following were seated on the dais:

H.E. the Visitor - In the Centre

The Rector - Right

Prof. Guadagni

The ceremony was attended by Lady Luke, Lieut.
General McCulloch, ADC, R.A.F. Education Officer,
Mr. Browne, Asst. Sec. to Government

The members of the General Council present
were the following:- Prof. Mons. Galea, Prof. E.
Vassallo, Prof. R. Busuttill, Prof. A. V. Bernard,
Prof. Zofari & Prof. S. Borg; whilst the members
of the Academic Body were:- Prof. Nixon, Prof.
Mallia, Prof. Cremona, Prof. Paiziosi, Prof.
Calamia, Prof. Rev. Bonnici.

The customary religious ceremony was held
in the University Church, the function being performed
by Prof. Mons. E. Galea, the Senior Professor of
Theology.

Immediately after the singing of the "Veni
Creator", the Academic Body in their Academic

robes

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robes, and the students proceeded to the
Aula Magna.

At 10.25 am, the Secretary of the University
met His Excellency, who was accompanied by
Lady Luke, at the main gate in Sdn. S. Park,
and the Rector with the members of the General
Council met H.E. at the upper landing.

H.E. then proceeded to the Aula Conciliar
to robe after which he proceeded to the dais
in the Aula Magna accompanied by the Rector
and General Council.

As soon as H.E. was seated, an address
was delivered by Professor S. L. Vello, B.Sc., M.B.,
D.L.O., F.R.S., who took for his subject "The Social
and Cultural Value of Biology".

The Secretary then read out the names of
students entitled to a scholarship in terms of
Article 100 and of those entitled to the Government
Prize of £20 in terms of Article 95, viz:-

Scholarship

Academic Courses

Eng. + Arch. - Mrs. Barbara - Passed cum Laude
and winner of the Hornby Hall Scholarship
of £10

Med. + Surg. - Th. Anastasi Pace - Passed with Honours

Law - Michael Tafiro - Passed with Honours
 Theology - Joseph Kupi - Passed cum Laude.

Preparatory Courses

Eng. & Arch. - Domenic Muntoff - Passed with Honours
 Med. Surg - Scholarship not awarded, Mr. Alb. Barthol
 obtaining first place in order of merit.
 Law. - Scholarship not awarded, Mr. Louis Sammut
 Briffa, obtaining first place in
 order of merit
 Theology - Scholarship not awarded, Mr. Joseph Loe
 obtaining first place in order of merit

Govt. Prizes of £20

Acad. Course of Literature - Prize not awarded
 " " Science (Medicine Section) Mr. Alb. Stur Barthol
 Passed with Honours
 " " Science (Eng. Section) Mr. Domenic Muntoff
 Passed with Honours

Certificates of matriculation were then
 presented by H.C. to the following :-

- Mr. Riccardo Ferrugia
- " Salvino Agius Pynchell
- " Francis Camilleri
- " Annunziato Falzon
- Miss Rita Demajo
- Mr. Ivo Kafurla
- " Joseph Sacco Reyzarand
- " Carmelo Camarano

striving and peoples are praying for peace, these words must appeal to us with quite peculiar force. (Hear, hear).

I should imagine that Professor Vella's particular subject or subjects are among those that lend themselves particularly well to popularization, and I hope that he will not confine his professorial duties to lectures in the classrooms of the University, but that he will go beyond the University to the general public and try to propagate some of the more salient facts of his subjects, possibly also by means of the cinema and the apparatus which, as you know, has become the property of the University partly through the munificent bequest of the late Gaunt Garuana Gatto.

That lamented gentleman also, as perhaps you are aware, bequeathed some money for the benefit of the Charitable Institutions (Applause), and those of us who had to settle how that money could best be used decided not to devote it to the purchase of surgical instruments or other technical apparatus for the hospitals - the provision of which is, of course, the duty of the Government itself - but to the purchase of a number of wireless receiving sets. We were able to buy seven sets with what he left us, in order to try and bring some sort of alleviation, if not of happiness, into the life of the physically and mentally afflicted, and of such luckless classes of people as the lepers who, unfortunately, have to be confined in these institutions. I might also on this occasion refer to the munificence of a gentleman who is happily still with us, the Honourable Lorenzo Gatt, formerly Superintendent of Public Works, who has had the excellent idea to provide in his life-time a fund for scholarships in the faculty

The following is the text of the speech delivered
by His Excellency the Officer Administering the
Government and Visitor to the University on the
occasion of the commencement ~~of~~ exercises on the
1st October, 1935.

Honourable Rector, Professors of the University, Students,
Ladies and Gentlemen,

I am sure we are all agreed that we have just heard an exceptionally interesting lecture - interesting both for its matter and for the clear and fluent way in which it was delivered. It was a lecture which, I think, augurs well for the professorial career of the lecturer and for the progress of his future students. It was a lecture which must appeal to, and be comprehended by not only experts in science but also laymen in such matters. Let me explain that I speak as one of the laymen. It seemed to me Professor Vella covered, in a remarkable way, considering the limits of the time available, what may be called the whole field of the philosophy of science. The impression made on me by the lecture was that science is not merely a dry collection of mathematical and possibly dull formulae, but a means of advancing the health, happiness and prosperity of mankind. And I felt that one sentence in particular had a very cogent meaning for us - that in which the Professor said: "Perhaps a day may come when "some of the vast expenditure which most highly developed "people dedicate to the means of destroying their fellow men "will become available for war on these common enemies of "mankind". At a time like this, when Governments are
striving

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- Mr Joseph Salinas
 - " Arthur Potamier
 - " Amato Schombri
 - " Joseph Casanova
 - " Joseph Dequara
 - " Gaetano Zammitt
 - " Anthony Alf. Sullivans
 - " Constantino Trifun
 - " Angelo Sammat
 - " Alfred George Bencini
 - " Antoine Scubures Trifun

His Excellency finally congratulated the students who obtained the scholarships and delivered the following speech:—

faculty of engineering.

Perhaps I may also take this opportunity of pointing out to potential benefactors, both inside and outside these walls, that to give money to an institution such as this, is both a very ancient and a very modern practice. The great universities of the mediaeval world came into being mainly, if not wholly, through the munificence of private individuals. The same may be said of the sumptuously equipped universities of the United States of America, where millionaires vie with one another in seeing how much they can devote to educational purposes. Of course, we do not expect anything quite of that sort here in Malta, but we would certainly welcome any form of assistance. (Applause).

I should like to congratulate the winners of scholarships and prizes in the several faculties. I am sorry to hear that in some cases the prizes have not been awarded. I trust that in future the exercises in all classes will be of sufficient merit as to justify the award of a first prize. I also congratulate the recipients of matriculation certificates and trust that they will go on as they have begun.

I expect you have all reflected on the literal meaning of the word "university" - universitas - something that is all-embracing; a university exists not only so that the students may receive instruction from their professors, but also in order that they may lead a corporate life in work, play and recreation. For that reason I trust that you will appreciate, and do your best, Professors and students alike, to render effective the Students' Club of Union which has just been founded. You will all agree, I know, in regarding that form of the University's activities almost as important as any other (Hear, hear).

I should like to say, as I have had the privilege of saying before on similar occasions, how much I enjoy coming to the University for these ceremonies. As a University man myself, I take a keen interest in your welfare, and I promise you on behalf of the Government the most sympathetic help and understanding of all your activities and aspirations.

In conclusion, I wish the Rector, the Professors and the Students a happy and prosperous academic year. (Applause).

October, 1935.

His Excellency the Governor, Visitor of the University, Sir Bonham Carter, paid an official visit to the University on the 18th May and 4th June 1936 when the Professors were individually introduced to H.E.

Geo. Evans

Mr. Thomas C. Warrington, B.Sc. having completed the studies in the Course of Pharmacy 1930-33, and having passed all the tests required by the Statute and Regulations, was, on the 20th August, 1935, awarded the relative Diploma.

Joseph Bourne

Mr. Thomas J. Agnes Ferrante, having completed the studies in the Course of Pharmacy, 1933-36, and having passed all the tests required by the Statute and Regulations, was, on the 22nd August, 1936, awarded the relative Diploma.

Joseph Bourne

Mr. Alfonso M. Cerada, B.Sc., having completed the studies in the Course of Pharmacy, 1930-33, and having passed all the tests required by the Statute and Regulations, was, on the 1st September, 1936, awarded the relative Diploma.

Joseph Bourne

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A private Graduation Ceremony was held in the Rector's Office on the 29th September, 1936, when the Degree of Bachelor of Arts (B.A.) was conferred on

Mr. Joseph Bartolo.

The Degree was conferred by the Rector, assisted by the Secretary.

Professor Dr. G. Galea, B.Lit., J.C.D., D.D. administered the Oath and Professor Owen J. Fogarty, B.A. (N.O.I.) acted as Sponsor.

Joseph Bartolo

Schools re-opened for the Academic Year 1936-37 on Thursday, 1st October, 1936.

The customary religious ceremony was held in the Church of the University in Sda. Mercanti and it was attended by many Professors and Students.

The Academic part of the Ceremony was held in the Aula Magna of the University.

At 10.25 a.m. the Secretary of the University, met His Excellency the Governor and Vicar of the University at the main gate in Sda. S. Paolo, and the Rector with the Members of the General Council met H. E. at the upper landing, and proceeded to the Aula Magna.

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H. E. took his place on the dais having on his right the Honourable Professor H. V. Salca, S. B. E., A. S. C. E., Rector of the University, and on his left the Very Reverend Professor G. Buchner, Ph. D., D. D., S. C. B., O. C., Senior Professor.

As soon as H. E. was seated, an address was delivered by Dr. Felix Brunner, U. D., Professor of History of Legislation, who took for his subject "History of Law: The Importance of its Study."

The Secretary then read out the names of students entitled to a Scholarship in terms of Article 100 and of those entitled to the Government Prize of £20 in terms of Article 95, viz:-

Academical Courses.

Engineering & Architecture - Sabino Mangoni, B. Sc. - Passed "cum laude" and Winner of the Lorenzo Gatti Scholarship of £10.

Medicine & Surgery - Thomas Anastasi Pace, B. Sc. and Joseph Jammit Malmepet. Both passed "with honours."

Law - Victor A. Sammut, B. A. - Passed "cum laude."

Theology - Odoardo Colicci, B. A. - Passed "cum laude."

Preparatory Courses.

Engineering & Architecture. - Dominic Muijoff - Passed "cum laude."

Medicine & Surgery. - Thomas J. Agius Marnett - Passed "cum laude."

Law - Scholarships not awarded, Miss Anna De Lino Formigini obtaining the first place in order of merit.

Theology - Scholarship not awarded, Mr. Joseph Buge obtaining the first place in order of merit.

Government Prize of £20.

Academical Course of Architecture - Prize not awarded.

In the Special Course for the Diploma of Dental Surgeon, Mr Victor Vella Grech was first in order of merit, passing the examinations "With Honours".

Matriculation Examination

The Government Prize of £20 is awarded to Mr Victor George Griffiths, passing the examination "Cum Laude" with a percentage of 87.8

who passed in the June Session and
The following candidates who have complied with the Regulations are awarded a Matriculation Certificate :-

Agius Adolfo
Bernard Paul
Cardona Walter
Cassar Joseph
Chetcuti Tancred
Chircop Matteo
Gatt Meli Joseph
Gerada Emmanuel
Griffiths Victor George
Micallef Giuseppe
Vassallo Frank
Wismayer Henry
Xuereb Salvino

The following candidates who passed in the September Session and who have complied with the Regulations are awarded a Matriculation Certificate :-

Camilleri Albert
Ciappara Vincent
DeFiro Gourgion Alessandro
Grech Albert Victor
Galea William
Lucia Lidia
Micallef Edgar Thomas
Mercieca Antoine
Miceli Joseph
Psaila Carmelo
Spiteri John
Spiteri Maempel John.
Tayar George Douglas
Zammit Joseph.

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Academical Course of Science. - Thomas J. Aquin, Toronto.
(Medicine Section) Passed "cum laude".

Academical Course of Science - Dominici Wentoff -
(Engineering Section) Passed "cum laude".

Matriculation certificates were presented by H. E.
to the following:-

Aquin Adolfo
Bernard Paul
Camilleri Albert
Cardona Walter
Cassar Joseph
Chetenti James
Chircop Matthew
Ciappara Vincent
Catt Keli Joseph
Galea William
Grada Innocent
Guch Albert Victor
Guffiths Victor George
Lucia Lidia
Micallef Roger Thomas
Micallef Giuseppe
Mericca Antoine
Miech Joseph
Psaila Carmelo
Spiteri Joseph
Spiteri Macmillan Joseph
Tayan Serge Douglas
Tassallo Frank
Wismayer Henry
Muech Salvinio
Zanetti Joseph

The Secretary then administered the "Sponsio Academica" to the Matriculated Students.

His Excellency then delivered the following speech:-

Honourable Rector, Professors and students of the University, Ladies and Gentlemen,

Professor Cremona has given us an address of surpassing interest on a subject of great importance.

I propose to base my remarks on two of his statements. He said of legal historians "their aim is to trace the real sources, the real value of the law and to that effect they examine it in relation to the social and political standing of that particular nation". In treating of a similar aspect of the subject, he said: "History of Law must take into immediate account and serious consideration the numerous factors which directly and indirectly cause the changing of social life, because the same factors cause the changing of the law itself". In fact, a study of the history of law demands a study of the influences which have helped to form the laws, all influences which impinge on human life must be considered, such as race, social conditions, political development, geographical position and features and so on.

Laws are the expression and the record of the standard of civilization and of the political growth of peoples. In fact, the history of law is the history of nations studied from a standpoint which demands wide views, and safeguards the student from being lost in a forest of detail. I can think of ^{no} research that would be of greater interest than a comparative study of the history of laws in various countries. For the laws of nations reflect the conditions under which the people live.

Having been a soldier by profession all my working life, I should like to draw attention to the influence exercised on political development, and so on laws, by war or the fear of war.

In France we find that during the 17th and 18th centuries the threat of war, and the possibility of war within their own borders, bolstered up the existence of an autocratic monarchy for long after the standard of civilization of the nation demanded a more liberal form of government. Laws originated from above and the personal liberty which other conditions might have brought about was long delayed. Even since the Revolution, the fear of invasion has made it possible from time to time for a more or less autocratic form of government to maintain its powers, even though a very high state of civilization existed. The situation is not altogether different to-day. The French people acquiesce in and welcome conditions which they would be unwilling to bear did they not consider them to be essential for their safety. I believe that an interesting result of this has been the fact that it is to the arts and to philosophy that the best brains in France have turned their attention, - and in these France still takes the highest place. To this very day it is true to say that the fear of war dominates the laws of France.

In the United Kingdom of Great Britain, however, owing to the existence of a narrow sea separating it from the continent, the conditions have been completely different. There the danger of invasion for over eight centuries has been so remote that so far as the political growth of the people is concerned, it may be disregarded. It has been due to this that the remarkable political genius of the people of Great Britain has developed. There we find that, speaking broadly, laws have been the expression and the result of popular movements, uninfluenced by the fear of invasion or of war. Within a century and a half of the conquest of England by William of Normandy, we find in the Magna Carta, which was in truth only a widening of the base of administration, the foundation on which has been raised a great edifice of personal liberty, for it was the first instance in the history of England
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of a law being enacted as the result of a movement organized and directed from below. The strength of these movements increased in accord with the education of the people and their sensibility to political action. At the time when the Knights of St. John first came to Malta, the reigning dynasty of England was the Tudors, who had enormous power, not because they enforced their will, but because they enacted laws which were supported by the people. The Stuart dynasty followed the Tudors. They attempted to rule the country from above, enforcing on the people their own ideas with the result that of six occupants of the throne who were Stuarts, one was beheaded and a second was banished. This development has continued to the present day, when it is impossible for a Government in the United Kingdom to exist without the support of the majority of the people.

It is certainly true to say that a study of the history of laws will open the doors to a knowledge of the political and social conditions of the people at the time they were enacted, and to a knowledge of the development of political thought and education in the country. A study of the history of laws might also reveal the secret of how far it is possible to educate a people or teach them habits by legislation. In democratic countries, I believe it is not possible. In countries where the general education and political development of the people has not reached a high standard, it appears to be possible, though for success carefully prepared propaganda and very severe coercion is necessary and for the exercise of these democracy is unsuited. Thus in Russia, we find that for many years laws have been not an expression of popular desire, but a means of bringing into being any development which is considered desirable by the oligarchy who rule the country; success has in certain instances been achieved but at the cost of much suffering.

When one turns to International Law, then we find completely different conditions arise. International Laws - which, by the way, are not enacted laws at all, but are agreements made in time of peace, or treaties at the end of wars - have as their object in most cases the ending of a war, the prevention of war, or the facilitating of international intercourse. They are not the expression of popular movements but are the compromise arrived at by statesmen representing different nations and varied interests. The result is sometimes a very curious contradiction of principles. As an illustration of what I mean I will mention the Treaty of Versailles - in fact the whole series of treaties signed at the end of the Great War. We find there enacted the idea of self determination of small peoples, which is a powerful encouragement of nationalism in its most acute form. In the Covenant of the League of Nations, however, which actually forms part of the same treaty, the guiding principle is Internationalism and there was considerable confidence that nations would sink their differences after their experiences of the Great War and work together for the common weal. It has been proved by much fine work accomplished by the League of Nations that nations will co-operate in matters of administration, but on matters which affect the safety of countries, nationalism will overcome internationalism and the result of the attempt to combine the two contradictory principles has been to increase rather than decrease unrest in Europe.

If Professor Cremona includes International Laws in his study of the history of laws, I believe he will reach some remarkable conclusions.

Gentlemen, I have trespassed on your time far beyond my rights as your visitor. But Professor Cremona's address raises questions of such outstanding interest that it is a great temptation even for a layman to put his thoughts into words.

May I end by wishing the University a successful year, and those who are beginning their career, a life at the University of real interest and happiness.

Joseph Howard

Miss Emily Ereck and Mr. Gaetano
Farrugia having completed their studies in
the Course of Pharmacy 1933-36 and having
passed all the tests required by the Statute
and Regulations were, on the 1st October, 1936,
awarded the relative Diploma.

Joseph Bourdieu.

Mr. Carmelo De Bono having completed
the studies in the Course of Pharmacy 1933-36,
and having passed all the tests required by the
Statute and Regulations was, on the 8th October,
1936, awarded the relative Diploma.

Joseph Bourdieu.

Mr. Henry Benjamin Formosa having
completed the studies in the Course of Pharmacy
1933-36, and having passed all the tests
required by the Statute and Regulations was,
on the 13th October, 1936, awarded the relative
diploma.

Joseph Bourdieu.

Mr. Charles De Gaetano having completed
the studies in the Course of Pharmacy 1933-36,
and having passed all the tests required by the

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Statute and Regulations was, on the 30th October, 1936, awarded the relative Diploma.

Joseph Bourne

Mr. James Paul Griffiths having completed the studies in the Course of Pharmacy 1933-36, and having passed all the tests required by the Statute and Regulations was, on the 31st October, 1936, awarded the relative Diploma.

Joseph Bourne

Mr. Joseph Vella having completed the studies in the Course of Pharmacy 1933-36, and having passed all the tests required by the Statute and Regulations was, on the 14th November, 1936, awarded the relative Diploma.

Joseph Bourne

Mr. Anthony Parmenia having completed the studies in the Course of Pharmacy 1933-36, and having passed all the tests required by the Statute and Regulations was, on the 24th November, 1936, awarded the relative Diploma.

Joseph Bourne

Mr. Anthony Jammit having completed the studies in the Course of Pharmacy 1933-36, and having passed all the tests required by the Statute and Regulations was, on the 18th January, 1937, awarded the relative Diploma.

Joseph Bourne

Mr. John La Fuku having completed the studies in the Course of Pharmacy 1933-36, and having passed all the tests required by the Statute and Regulations was, on the 11th February, 1937, awarded the relative Diploma.

Joseph Bourne.

Mr. Paul Bessar having completed the studies in the Course of Pharmacy 1933-36, and having passed all the tests required by the Statute and Regulations was, on the 8th June, 1937, awarded the relative Diploma.

Joseph Bourne.

On Wednesday 23rd June, 1937, at 11 a.m. in the Aula Magna of the University the degree of LL.D. "Honoris Causa" was conferred on

His Excellency Sir Charles Bonham-Carter, K.C.B., C.M.G., D.S.O., Governor of Malta and Visitor of the University, and on

His Honour Sir Harry Charles Luke, C.M.G., M.A., B.Litt. (Oxon.), Lieutenant-Governor.

The said Degrees were conferred to celebrate in a fit manner the granting of the Royal Patronage to the University of Malta by His Majesty King George VI.

The Secretary met His Excellency and His Honour at the main gate of the University and the Rector and the Members of the General Council met them in the first landing.

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The students who were wearing for the first time the Academic robe and the Academic Body in their Academic robe proceeded processionaly to the Aula Magna headed by the University banner.

The Rector and the Members of the General Council then accompanied His Excellency and His Honour to the Aula Magna.

The following were on the dais:-

His Excellency in the centre, the Honourable Professor P. V. Latta, O. S. E., A. S. C. E., Rector of the University, and His Lordship Mgr. M. Luigi, D. L. S. T., D. D., Bishop of Segno, on his right, His Honour Sr. H. C. Luke and the Very Rev. Professor G. Cuscheri, Ph. D., D. D., S. C. B., O. C., Senior Professor, on his left.

All the Members of the Executive Council and of the General Council were present. The Judges in their robes and seated on their Bench were present. Many Heads of Departments and their wives were also present as well as the Mgr. P. Latta, the Vicar General.

With few exceptions, all the Members of the Academic Body attended, some of whom were accompanied by their wives.

As soon as His Excellency was seated the Public Orator, Professor Rev. G. Cuscheri, delivered an elaborate and appropriate oration in Latin, after which the Rector assisted by the Secretary conferred the Degree of "C. D." "honoris causa" on His Excellency and on His Honour. The new Graduates then signed

GENERAL

Honourable Rector, ~~General~~ Members of the Council.

Before we separate you will allow me, I hope, to express on behalf of Sir Harry Luke and myself our gratitude for the high honour you have conferred on us.

It is the custom, ~~I believe~~, for honorary degrees to be conferred by Universities of the British Empire for two reasons - for eminence in scholarship or letters and for valuable public service, either in a private capacity or as a government servant.

I believe that you have today recognised that Sir Harry Luke is doubly qualified for this high honour. His knowledge of the ~~peoples~~ and problems of the Eastern Mediterranean is scholarly and profound. The publications of which he is author are of especial value at the present time, when so many of the dangers from which the world suffers come from the lack of understanding between peoples, ^{lack of} and sympathy for the difficulties of others.

Apart from his regular work as a servant of the Government, he has rendered an outstanding service to Malta by stimulating appreciation and helping to preserve for future generations some of the many possessions of interest and beauty of which she is so justly proud. In honouring Sir Harry Luke the University of Malta brings honour to herself.

For myself I can make no claim to scholarship. The only claim to any fitness for this high honour that I can make is that I have always taken a deep interest in education, and that to the cause of education, when opportunities have fallen my way, I have given the best of which I am capable.

If the great honour you have conferred on me today is an indication that the service I have given to Malta during the past year has met with your approval, I can say but this, that I thank you with all my heart and that I shall regard your adoption of me today as an honorary ~~honour~~ doctor, not only as a ~~high~~ honour little deserved, but as a stimulus to give to Malta of my best in future years.

I can say with truth, for both Sir Harry Luke and myself, that we are deeply appreciative of this honour from the University of Malta, the most ancient university in the British Empire overseas. We shall remember this day always with gratitude and always with pride.

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Mr. Oliver Aggopardi having completed the studies in the Course of Pharmacy 1933-36, and, having passed all the tests required by the Statute and Regulations was, on the 28th June, 1937, awarded the relative Diploma.

Joseph Bourneuf.

Mr. Peter Suredt having completed the studies in the Course of Pharmacy 1933-36, and, having passed all the tests required by the Statute and Regulations was, on the 1st July, 1937, awarded the relative Diploma.

Joseph Bourneuf.
Secretary.

Mr. John Andrew Portelli, Mr. Joseph Louis Farrugia, and Mr. John Amabile Mercieca having followed the Special Course of Dentistry 1933-37 and having passed the tests required by the Statute and by the Regulations, were on the 21st July, 1937, awarded the Diploma of Dental Surgeons.

Joseph Bourneuf.
Secretary.

On the 23rd July, 1937, the following who had completed their studies in the Special Course of Practical Midwifery 1935-37 and had been approved in the tests required by the Regulations were awarded the Diploma of Midwife, viz:-

Marianna Altara,
Carmela Greco,
Eusebiata Meli,
Maria Assunta Pisicci,
Josephine Lebernas,
Patricia Vella Gregory.

Joseph Howard,
Secretary.

Miss Paulina Parmesan and Miss Maria
Antonina Maggi Agius having completed their studies
in the Special Course of Practical Midwifery, ¹⁹³⁵⁻³⁷ and
having been approved in the tests required by
the Regulations were on the 26th July, 1937,
awarded the Diploma of Midwife.

Joseph Howard,
Secretary.

Miss Margherita Luati, Miss Lucrezia
Guesat, and Mrs. Pauline Lamnunt having completed
their studies in the Special Course of Practical
Midwifery 1935-37 and having been approved
in the tests required by the Regulations were on
the 26th July, 1937, awarded the Diploma
of Midwife.

Joseph Howard,
Secretary.

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Mrs. Beatrice Battaglia having completed the studies in the Special Course of Practical Midwifery 1935-37 and having been approved in the tests required by the Regulations was on the 24th July, 1937, awarded the Diploma of Midwife.

Joseph Howard,
Secretary.

Dr. Victor Vella Erck having completed the studies in the Special Course of Dentistry 1933-37 and having passed the tests required by the Statute and Regulations was on the 24th July, 1937, awarded the Diploma of Dental Surgeon.

Joseph Howard,
Secretary.

Mrs. Filomena Rugeja having completed the studies in the Special Course of Practical Midwifery 1935-37, and having been approved in the tests required by the Regulations was on the 28th July, 1937, awarded the Diploma of Midwife.

Joseph Howard,
Secretary.

Dr. Joseph Agzopardi having completed the studies in the Course of Pharmacy 1933-36 and having passed all the tests required by the Statute and Regulations was on the 28th July, 1937, awarded the Diploma of Pharmacist.

Joseph Howard,
Secretary.

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Dr. Francis Louis Dassetta having completed the studies in the Special Course of Dentistry 1933-34 and having passed all the tests required by the Statute and Regulations was on the 28th July, 1934, awarded the Diploma of Dental Surgeon.

Joseph Howard
Secretary.

Dr. Louis Portelli having completed the studies in the Special Course of Dentistry 1933-34 and having passed all the tests required by the Statute and Regulations was on the 29th July, 1934, awarded the Diploma of Dental Surgeon.

Joseph Howard
Secretary.

Dr. Victor Joseph Colonne having completed the studies in the Special Course of Dentistry 1933-34 and having passed all the tests required by the Statute and Regulations was on the 30th July, 1934, awarded the Diploma of Dental Surgeon.

Joseph Howard

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The Ceremony of the Re-opening of Schools, the Matriculation of Students and the conferment of Academic Degrees on students who had completed their studies was held in the University Church on Friday, 1st October, 1937.

The Degrees were conferred by Professor the Honourable N. V. Galea, O.B.E., F.S.C.E., Rector, assisted by the Secretary of the University, Mr. Joseph L. Pace.

His Excellency Sir Harry Charles Luke, C.M.G., M.A., B.Litt., LL.D. (Malta), Officer Administering the Government and Visitor of the University, presided at the ceremony.

The following were seated on the dais:-

H. C. the C. A. G. - On the centre

The Rector - on his right

The Chief Justice - on his left.

At 9 a.m. the students wearing their academic cap and gown and the Members of the Academic Body moved processionaly from the University to the University Church where Mass was said by the Most Rev. Can. Hq. Professor G. Galea, B.Litt., S.C.D., D.D. after which the candidates for Academic Degrees made their Profession of Faith.

At 10 a.m. His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government wearing the cap and gown of an LL.D. Malta arrived at the Church at the door of which he was met by the Rector and the Members of the General Council and by the Secretary of the University.

The customary oration was delivered in Latin by the Rev. Professor P. P. Hayden, B. Lit., B. L. Can., P. D., Lic. S. Supt. who took for his theme: - "De Gloria Immortali Consequenda".

The Secretary, after the close of the above oration and after bouquets had been presented to His Excellency and to Mrs. A. V. Calla, administered the "Eponia Academica" to newly matriculated Students, and after which ~~they received their matriculation certificates from~~ His Excellency presented matriculation certificates to the following:-

Richard C. Flores Martin,
Antonio Freudo,
Antonio Pace,
Lewis Agzopardi,
Marcel P. Bianchi,
Daniel Borg,
Carmelo Cechia,
Victor Capter,
Joseph Coppini,
Enri Forman,
Wilfred Lott Pisani,
Mary Brook,
Henry Miallef,
Edgaruzzi,
Marceluzzi,
Daniel Piscopo,
Leo Portelli,
Robert Aldo Sura,

Je Vella,
John Vella Laska, and
Joseph Vella Laska.

The State conferred academic degrees on the following:

Bachelor of Science (B. Sc.).

Sponsor: - Professor H. Buschell, M. A., M. D.

- Thomas J. Aquin Ferrante,
- Federico Amato Lanni,
- Joseph Agzopardi,
- Oliver Agzopardi,
- Joseph Barbera,
- Albert S. Bartolo,
- Salvino Caruana,
- Paul Cassar,
- Arnaldo Farrugia,
- Joseph Farrugia,
- George J. Laska,
- Marcella Caluopomb,
- William Liema,
- Joseph Luongo,
- Camelo, Pro Stone Canado,
- Domenic Moutoff,
- Joseph Muscat, and
- Edward Tassallo.

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Bachelors of Arts (B.A.).
Sponsor: - Very Rev. Professor Fr. L. Cacciatore,
Ph.D., J.C.B., D.D., O.C.

Levanna Bonaci,
John J. Cremona,
Anna De Piro Longino,
Joseph Pace,
Louis August Biffa, and
Lucrezio Zammit.

Bachelors of Canon Law (B.L. Can.).

Sponsor: - Rev. Professor P. P. Caydon, B.L.C.,
B.L. Can., D.D., Lic. S. Script.

Salvatore Bugaja,
Edward Collier,
Joseph Flores,
Camelo Grech,
Joseph Lupi, and
Krotius Vella.

Bachelors of Engineering & Architecture (B.E. & A.).

Sponsor: - Professor J. Menezi, B.E. & A., A.S.C.E.

Joseph Barbara,
Mazio G. Diaino, and
Salvino Mangion, B.Sc.

Doctors in Medicine & Surgery (M.D.).

Sponsor: - Professor L. J. Bernard, O.B.E., M.D., D.P.H.,
D.T.M. & H.

Thomas Quastari Pace, B.Sc.

Godfrey Bonello, B.Sc.,
 Frank George Callus,
 George Camilleri, B.Sc.,
 Francis J. Camuto,
 Alfred Fero,
 Alfonso M. Grada, B.Sc.,
 Angelo Mucillo, B.Sc.,
 John Portanier,
 Harry Reid Pizzo,
 Joseph Sammut Amato, B.Sc.,
 Vincent Tabone,
 Thomas C. Warrington, B.Sc., and
 Joseph Sammut Malampel.

Doctors of Laws (LL. D.)

Sponsor: - Professor G. C. Vassallo, H.A., LL. D.

Joseph Aquilina, B.A.,
 Giorgio Angellier
 John Frenco Agoparoli,
 Lawrence D. Catt,
 Giovanni Mifsud,
 Vincenzo Maria Pellegriani,
 Goffredo Gaudin Lebernas,
 Giovanni P. Pafalo,
 Edoardo Sammut,
 Joseph Sammut,
 Victor P. Sammut, B.A.

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Joseph Lohr, B.A.,
Michelle Lusigno, and
Carmelo J. Vella.

Doctor of Theology (D.D.)

Sponsor: Most Rev. Can. Inq. Professor E.
Galea, B.Lit., S.C.D., D.D.

Salvatore Bugeja, B.L.Law.,
Edward Colliro, B.L.Law., B.A.,
Paul Galea, B.L.Law.,
Carmelo Grech, B.A., B.L.Law.,
Joseph Lupi, B.L.Law.,
Horatius Vella, B.L.Law., and
Joseph Zammit, B.L.Law.

After the conferment of Degrees, Diplomas
were presented by His Excellency to the
new Graduates.

After the close of the Ceremony the Academic
Body, Graduates and Undergraduates accompanied
by His Excellency proceeded in procession
from the University Church to the University.

Joseph Zammit,
Secretary.

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Mr. Roberto Camena, B. Sc. having completed his studies in the Course of Pharmacy 1933-36, and having passed all the tests required by the Statute and Regulations, was on the 27th October, 1937, awarded the relative Diploma.

Joseph Bourneuf
Secretary.

Mr. Arthur Corrado, having completed his studies in the Course of Pharmacy 1930-33, and having passed all the tests required by the Statute and Regulations was on the 29th October, 1937, awarded the relative Diploma.

Joseph Bourneuf
Secretary.

Mr. Jean Parnonzo having completed his studies in the Course of Pharmacy 1933-36, and having passed all the tests required by the Statute was on the 30th December, 1937, awarded the Diploma of Pharmacist.

Joseph Bourneuf
Secretary.

Mrs. Agnes Sammut having completed ^{her} studies in the Special Course of Practical Midwifery 1935-37 and

having been approved in all the tests required by the Regulations was on the 24th January, 1938, awarded the Diploma of Midwife.

Joseph Bourdary.
Secretary.

Mr. Joseph Luengo, B.Sc. having completed his studies in the Course of Pharmacy 1933-36 and having been approved in all the tests required by the Regulations was on the 26th January, 1938, awarded the Diploma of Pharmacist.

Joseph Bourdary.
Secretary.

A private Graduation Ceremony was held in the Aula Magna of the University on Wednesday, 9th February, 1938, at 4.30 when the Degree of Doctor of Laws (LL.D.) was conferred on

Robert William Girard.

The Degree was conferred by Professor the Honourable N. V. Calia, O.B.E., A. & C.E., Rector of the University, assisted by the Secretary.

The Most Rev. Canon. Prof. Professor E. Calia, B.Lit., J.C.D., D.D. administered the oath and Professor E. C. Vassallo, M.A., LL.D. acted as Sponsor.

Joseph Bourdary.
Secretary.

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A private Graduation Ceremony was held in the
Rector's Office on Friday, 18th February, 1938, at
4.30 p.m., when the Degree of Doctor of Laws (LL.D.)
was conferred on

Antonio Sala.

The Degree was conferred by Professor the
Honourable A. V. Sala, O.B.E., A.D.C.E., Rector of
the University, assisted by the Secretary.

The Most Rev. Canon. Mgr. Professor S.
Sala, B.Lit., S.C.D., D.D. administered the oath
and Professor S. G. Vassallo, M.A., LL.D. acted
as Sponsor.

Joseph Bourneuf.
Secretary.

Mr. Henry Ferrante having completed
his studies in the Course of Pharmacy 1933-36
and having been approved in all the tests required
by the Regulations, was on the 16th April, 1938,
awarded the Diploma of Pharmacist.

Joseph Bourneuf.
Secretary.

Mr. John Charles Attard having completed
his studies in the Course of Pharmacy 1933-36 and
having been approved in all the tests required by
the Regulations, was on the 28th May, 1938,
awarded the Diploma of Pharmacist.

Joseph Bourneuf.
Secretary.

Dr. Fortunato Ganmit having completed his studies in the course of Pharmacy 1933-36 and having been approved in all the tests required by the Regulations, was on the 4th July, 1938, awarded the Diploma of Pharmacist.

Joseph Bourdoy
Secretary.

The Ceremony of the Graduation and Matriculation of Students was held ^{on the 1st July, 1938,} partly in the University Church and partly in the Aula Magna of the University.

The Academic Body, the students and the Members of the General Council proceeded processionaly from the University to the University Church where Mass was said by the Senior Professor of the Faculty of Theology, the Most Rev. Can. Mgr. Emmanuele Salvo, B.Lit., S.C.D., D.D. After the Mass there was the singing of the hymn "Veni Creator". At the conclusion of this Hymn, the Secretary called the candidates, who were about to receive their Degree, for the "Profession of Faith"; after which the Students, Academic Body and Members of the General Council returned back in procession to the University, where in the Aula Magna ~~was~~ a number of invited people had gathered to take part in the ceremony proper.

At 10.30 a.m. His Excellency the Governor, Visitor of the University, accompanied by the Colonial A.D.C. arrived and was met at the door by the Rector and by the Secretary who conducted him to the upper landing where the Members of the General Council were waiting to receive His Excellency. The whole body then proceeded to the Aula Magna.

The Rector then pronounced the following words: "In the name of the General Council, of the Academic Body and of the Students I respectfully ask Your Excellency to unveil this portrait in oils of His Majesty King George VI who in the year of His coronation has graciously granted His Patronage and the title Royal to this University."

His Excellency amid cheers then proceeded to the unveiling of His Majesty's portrait. When this was finished the Very Reverend, Canon John Threema-Pelf, B. H., ^{Professor of Patrology, Liturgy & Christian Archaeology} B. L. Can., D. D., L. C. S. Script., ascended the rostrum and delivered an address on "The Importance and Development of Christian Archaeology."

After the close of the address the Secretary administered the Sponsor's Academicia to the following newly matriculated students:-

- Joseph Speter;
- Joseph Gyropardi;
- Cecil J. Baker;
- Paul J. Jandi;
- Stephen Borg;
- Reuben Bonello;
- Albert Vasi.

Paul Altred Bng,
Paul Cyparadi,
Theodora Bruno,
Joseph Canana,
Joseph Cassar Salto,
Joseph Cassar Pullicino,
Anthony Catania,
Joseph Ellul,
Antonio Farrugia,
Lawrence Ellul,
Joseph Martin,
Arturo F. Mericci,
Victor Piccinino,
John C. Pollacco,
Joseph Portelli,
Joseph Pullicino,
Eric P. Sennant,
John Schombri,
Oliver Clement Simpson.

All these students who had won a scholarship in the various Academic Course in terms of Article 100 of the Regulations were called by the Secretary and congratulated by His Excellency the Visitor as was also called Mr. Victor S. Siffiths who had won a money prize provided for by Article 95 of the Regulations.

The Rector then assisted by the Secretary conferred the Degree of Bachelor of Divinity on the following students:-

Bachelor of Divinity (B. D.).

Sponsor: The Most Rev. Can. Mg. Professor C. Salto,
B. Lit., S.C.D., D.D.

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Saverio Bartoli Salva,
Joseph Borg,
Sabatino Borg,
Joseph M. Camilleri,
Eustachio Cassar,
Ugo Lambin,
Emmanuel Kishi,
Joseph Pace, B.A.
Lorenzo Zammit, B.A.

His Excellency the Visitor presented the Diplomas
to the above mentioned graduates.

The ceremony closed with a speech by His
Excellency which was very well received by the
distinguished audience ~~and~~ at which amongst others
His Honour John Adams Hunter, Lieutenant-
Governor, the Honourable A. O. Parnage, various Heads
of Departments and their wives and other guests had
attended.

Joseph M. Camilleri,
Secretary.

A private Graduation Ceremony was held in
the Aula Magna of the University when the degree of
Doctor of Laws (LL.D.) was conferred on

John Victor Nyabo, B.A., LL.B. (Lond).

The degree was conferred by Professor the
Honourable N. V. Salvo, O.B.E., A.S.C.E., Rector of the
University, assisted by the Secretary, Mr. J. B. Pace.
The oath was administered by
The Very Reverend Professor P. P. Hayden,

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B. Lit., B. L. Con., D. O., Lic. S. Script. and Professor L. L. Pandon,
B. A., LL. D. acted as Sponsor.

At the ceremony friends and relatives of the
candidate were present.

Joseph Howard
Secretary

Miss Concetta Zanmit having completed
her studies in the Course of Pharmacy 1936-39
and having been approved in all tests required
by the Regulations, was on the 18th July, 1939,
awarded the Diploma of Pharmacist.

Joseph Howard
Secretary

Mr. Joseph Reguera having completed
his studies in the Course of Pharmacy 1936-39
and having been approved in all the tests required
by the Regulations, was on the 19th July, 1939,
awarded the Diploma of Pharmacist.

Joseph Howard
Secretary

Mr. Giuseppe Panzani (Demajo), Mr.
Joseph Agius Fenante and Mr. Leo Brilli
having completed their studies in the Course
of Pharmacy 1936-39 and having been
approved in all the tests required by the
Regulations, were on the 21st July, 1939,
awarded the Diploma of Pharmacists.

Joseph Howard
Secretary

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Mr. Arnaldo Ferrugia having completed his studies in the Course of Pharmacy 1935-36, and having been approved in all the tests required by the Regulations, was on the 21st July, 1939, awarded the Diploma of Pharmacist.

Joseph Howard,
Secretary.

Mr. Victor Miller having completed his studies in the Course of Notarial Studies 1930-36, and having been approved in all the tests required by the Regulations, was on the 2nd August, 1939, awarded the Diploma of Notary Public.

Joseph Howard,
Secretary.

Mr. Victor George Griffiths having completed his studies in the Course of Pharmacy 1936-39, and having been approved in all the tests required by the Regulations, was on the 19th August, 1939, awarded the Diploma of Pharmacist.

Joseph Howard,
Secretary.

A private Graduation Ceremony was held in the Rector's Office on Monday, 21st August, 1939, when the Degree of Doctor of Medicine and Surgery was conferred on

Dr. Edward John Alfred Hunt, M.D.
(Heidelberg).

The Degree was conferred by Professor
the Honourable P. V. Galia, O.B.E., A.C.E., Rector of
the University, assisted by the Secretary.

The Most Rev. Gen. Sir A. Catania,
B.Lit., B.L.Law., Ph.D., D.D. received the candidate's
Profession of Faith and administered the Oath,
whilst Professor the Honourable A. V. Bernard,
O.B.E., M.D., D.P.H., D.T.M. & H. acted as Sponsor.

Joseph Howard,
Secretary.

The Ceremony of the re-opening of schools, the
matriculation of students and the conferment of
Academical Degrees on students who had completed
their studies was held in the University Church
on Saturday, 14th October, 1939.

The Degrees were conferred by the Rector, the
Honourable Professor A. V. Galia, O.B.E., A.C.E.,
assisted by the Acting Secretary, Mr. Walter Hunt.

His Excellency the Governor, Visitor of the
University, General Sir Charles Bouhem. Carter

presided at the ceremony.

The following were seated on the dais:

His Excellency the Governor in the center.

His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and the Senior

Professor, Professor A. V. Bernard, O.B.E., M.D., D.P.H.,

D.T.M. & H. on his left;

The Rector and His Honor the Chief Justice on his right.

At 9 a.m. the students, wearing their academic gown and cap, and members of the Academic Body walked

in procession from the University to the University

Church when mass was said by the Most Reverend Can-

onic Professor G. Galea, D.D., B.Litt., F.C.D.

After the singing of the hymn "New Creator" the

candidates receiving academical degrees made their

Profession of Faith.

At 10 a.m. His Excellency the Governor arrived,

and was met at the door of the Church by the

Rector and members of the General Council.

An oration by Professor W. Appleby, M.A. (Oxon),

who was unavoidably prevented from attending the

Ceremony was delivered by Professor Owen J. Fogarty,

B.A., M.R.S.T.

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Professor Appleby chose for his theme 'The Importance
of Mathematics in Modern Education':

When the oration was over, bouquets were presented
to Mrs. Hunter and Mrs. R. V. Galea.

The Acting Secretary then made a statement
on the results obtained in the June and September
sessions of the Matriculation Examination and
administered the 'Sponsio Academica' to the
newly matriculated students, after which His
Excellency the Governor presented Matriculation
Certificates to the following:

John Apperardi Farugia,

Jos. Camilleri Galea

Godfrey Abela.

Luigi Cilia

Isaac S. Amigo

Renato Ciullo

Isidoro Altard Bezzina,

H. Copperstone

Anthony Altard Borg

Luigi Damato

Paul Apperardi

Salvino Degabiele

Adrian G. Banello

J. Desira Bultigieg

Chas. Borg

Joseph Ellul

Luinocezo Borg

Maurice Ellul

Michael Joseph Buzuttel

James Farugia

^{Charles}
Carmelo Fava

Vladimir Rudolph Formosa

subijcanti in the name of 2/1/20 - Formosa's name is pronounced in Italian for 1920-21.
H. Fendo

V. Fendo

Luc C. Galea

Albert Ganado

Edw. Gatt Tuli

Jos. Guech Borg

Edgar Huntingtonford

Alphonse Lucallef Inzud

Philip Lucallef

John Lucallef Trigona

Henri Inzud

Henri Wisnager

Anthony Montanaro

Alfred Pace

Joseph Paris

Roger Paris

Franz Prezini

Victor Richard Restall

Emile Salerno

Alex. Schinas Trigona

Carmelo Schenchi

Anthony Sauti

Victor Ugo Hua

Anthony Martin Vella

John Vella Giorgio

Mr. John Apporachi Farnigia, the candidate first in order of merit at the June Session of the Matriculation Examination, was called by the af. Secretary and congratulated by His Excellency the Governor.

All students who had been awarded a Scholarship in terms of Article 100 of the Regulations were called by the af. Secretary.

Mr. V. G. Guffittes to whom the Government Prize of £20 had been awarded was presented to and congratulated by His Excellency the Governor.

The following students were awarded the Diploma of

Pharmacist:

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|---------|--------------------|----|---------|-----------------|----|
| | Ferdinand Felice | 7 | 1938/39 | V. G. Griffiths | 8 |
| | John R. Agius | 1 | | Idia Lucia | 9 |
| 1938/39 | Frs. Agius Knauts | 2 | | G. V. Licallef | 10 |
| 1938/39 | G. Carmaine Demajo | 3 | 1938/39 | Leo Portelli | 11 |
| | Salvino Debono | 4 | | Joseph Pralla | 12 |
| 1938/39 | Joseph Dequara | 5 | | Henry Wisnagyn | 13 |
| | Rita Demajo | 6 | 1938/39 | Concetta Jammit | 14 |
| | Francis Jammit | 15 | | | |

1938/39 Mr. Victor Miller was awarded the Diploma of
 Doctor Public.

The following four gentlemen who had obtained degrees of the University of London but were unable to receive their diplomas while in England, had their diplomas presented to them by His Excellency the Governor, by arrangement with the authorities of the University of London:

- D. J. Agius, B.Sc., M.D., Academicial Postgraduate Diploma in Bacteriology
- Mr. Jo. Anastasi Pace - Bachelor of Science in Economics
- Mr. George Manganon - Bachelor of Arts.

Mr. George Jannini, B.A., B.D., - Bachelor of Arts with
"honors" in Italian.

The Rector conferred Academic Degrees on the following:

Bachelor of Science - B.Sc.
Spouse. Mr. P. G. Vella, B.Sc., M.D., D.H.O., F.H.O.
Victor George Griffiths.

John Spilari

John R. Agius

Joseph Agius Ferranti

Victor Paul Amato

Victor A. Bartolo

Paul Ludwig Bernard

Anthony Bassici

Guis. Damiano Demajo

Salvino Debono

Maurice A. DeCesare

Joseph Dequara

Clo. DeLuca

Rita Demajo

Annunziato Falson

Ferdinand Felice

Albert Louis Galea

Anthony Kaufmann

Lidia Lucia

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George Victor Lucalle

Joseph Baile

George Douglas Layan

Henry Wisnager

Salvador Muenb.

Bachelors of Arts - B. A.

Sponsor: Professor Juan S. Foguet, B.A. (U. U. I.), U. R. S. T., (Ing.)

Mariano Camacho Curran

Adolfo Agius

Joseph Cassar

Vincent Austin DePasquale.

Riccardo Farugia

Joseph Gatt

Manuel Grada

Anthony A. Pallecino

Joseph Philip Muenzel.

After the conferment of degrees, Diplomas were presented by His Excellency the Governor to the new Graduates.

At the close of the ceremony the Academic Body, Graduates and undergraduates returned in procession to the University.

Muenzel
of Secretary

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Mr. Frank Agius having completed the studies in the Course of Pharmacy 1936-39, and, having passed all the tests required by the Statute and Regulations was, on the 3rd November, 1939, awarded the relative Diploma.

W. Muesel
of. Secularium

A private Graduation Ceremony was held in the office of the Rector when the degree of Bachelor of Science (B.Sc.) was conferred on Mr. Joseph Lyckelmae.

The degree was conferred by Professor the Honble. R. V. Grolla, O.B.S., A. F.C.E., Rector of the University assisted by the acting Secularium, Mr. Walter Muesel.

The oath was administered by the Most Rev. Can. Mg. Prof. S. Bannici, B. U. Can., W. W., and Professor Emer J. Fogarty, B.A. (U. U. I.), M. R. S. T. acted as sponsor.

10th January, 1940.

W. Muesel
of. Secularium

Dr. F. J. Damato, and Messrs. E. T. Micallef, A. W. Galea, John Muscat, and S. M. Muehl, having completed their studies in the course of Pharmacy (Dr. Damato in 1931-34, and Messrs. Micallef, Galea, Muscat and Muehl in 1936-39) and having passed all the tests required by the Statute and the Regulations now, during February, 1940, awarded the relative Diplomas.

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Muehl
of Secretary

A semi-private graduation ceremony was held in the Church of St. Aloysius' College, Birnieker, on Saturday the 29th June, 1940, when the degrees of M.D. and M.B. were conferred on the following students:

Doctors of Medicine:

Olivier Agopardi
 Julius Attard
 Joseph Agopardi
 Thomas J. Agius Feneati
 A. E. Bartolo
 Paul Cassar
 Charles DeGaetano
 Arnaldo Famugia

Henry Ferrante.

Marcello Galanopoulos.

James Paul Groffiller.

W. Grima

A. V. Hysler

Joseph Iaccarini

John Kapula

Joseph Muscat

V. Raudon Lectures

Henri F. Lanuet

Peter Xuech

Anthony Jammit

Fortunato Jammit

Oscar Jammit

Victor Jammit Habousa.

Doctors of Law.

Anton Rutledge

Manice Agius 'Adala'

Mario Banello

Guis. M. Camilleri

John A. Canchi

Joseph Canchi

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Victor Formosa Czauci

Victor A. Muscicca

Vincent Scerri.

Mass was said by the Most Reverend Canon Reg.
Prof. S. Galea, B. Lit., J.C.D., D.D. who received
the candidates' Profession of Faith and administered
the Oath.

The Degrees were conferred by the Honk. Prof. N. V.
Galea, O.B.S., A.C.E., assisted by the Prof. Secretaries.

The Honk. Prof. A. V. Bernard O.B.S., M.D., D.P.H.,
W.T.M. + H., and Prof. V. Camilleri B. Lit., M.D.
acted as Sponsors.

M. Muscicca

Prof. Secretary.

A Joint Graduation Ceremony was held in
the Aula Magna of the University on Monday
the 15th July, 1940, when the Degree of Bachelor of
Engineering and Architecture was conferred on the
following:

Mr. Louis Portelli

Mr. George G. Galea

Mrs. Carmelo Falson

Mrs. Joseph Farrugia

Mrs. Vincent DeGaetano

Mrs. Sr. James M. Mott

Mrs. Edgar Xuech.

The Degrees were conferred by the Honble. Professor
A. V. Galea, O.B.S., A.T.C.E. assisted by the of. Secretary.

The Most. Canon Mag. Prof. G. Galea B. Lit., J.C.D., D.D.
received the candidates' Profession of Faith and administered
the Oath.

Prof. Magi J. Xeremi, A.S.T.A., A.T.C.E. acted as
Sponsor.

W. Russell
of. Secretary.

A private graduation ceremony was held in the
Aula Magna of the University on Thursday the 12th
September, 1940, when the Honble. Prof. R. J. Galea, O.B.S., A.T.C.E.
assisted by the of. Secretary, conferred the Degree of B.S. & A
on the following:

Mrs. P. Muscat

Mrs. John Gambino.

Mrs. V. Muscat

Mrs. Edw. Vassallo.

The Rev. Can. Sup. Prof. S. Galea, B. Lit., J. C. D., D. D.,
received the candidates' profession of Faith and administered
the oath.

M. Col. Prof. J. Terenzi, B. S. + A., A. C. E. acted as Sponsor.

M. Terenzi

of. Secretary

Mrs. Arthur Costanza having completed his studies in
the Course of Pharmacy 1936-39 and having been approved
in all the tests required by the Regulations was on the 26th
June, 1940, awarded the Diploma of Pharmacist.

M. Terenzi

of. Secretary.

Mrs. Joseph Fiorini having completed the studies in the
Special Course of Dentistry 1936-40 and having passed all
the tests required by the Statute and Regulations was on
the 26th June, 1940, awarded the Diploma of Dental Surgeon.

M. Terenzi

of. Secretary.

Mrs. Federico Amato Ganci B.Sc. having completed his studies in the Course of Pharmacy and having been approved in all the tests required by the Regulations was on the 26th June, 1940, awarded the Diploma of Pharmacist.

M. M. M.
of Secretaries.

Mrs. Antonio Debasco having completed the studies in the Course of Pharmacy 1936-39 and having been approved in all the tests required by the Regulations was on the 1st July, 1940, awarded the Diploma of Pharmacist.

M. M. M.
of Secretaries.

Dr. Joseph John Mangion, M.D., having completed his studies in the Special Course of Dentistry 1936-40 and having passed all the tests required by the Statute and Regulations was on the 1st July, 1940, awarded the Diploma of Dental Surgeon.

M. M. M.
of Secretaries.

Mrs. Albert J. Gueth, Mrs. Wilfrid Gatt Pisani, Mrs. Anthony Farnigia, Mrs. George Caccia and Mrs. Joseph Damato having followed the Special Course for the Diploma of Legal Practitioner 1938-40 and having passed the tests required by

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The Statute and Regulations were on the 1st July 1940 awarded
the Diploma of legal Procurator.

M. M. M.
of. Secretary.

Mr. William Sammut and Mr. Albert Camilleri having
completed their studies in the Course of Pharmacy 1936-39 and
having been approved in all the tests prescribed by the Statute
and Regulations were on the 11th July 1940 awarded the
Diploma of Pharmacist.

M. M. M.
of. Secretary.

Mr. Henry Micallef having followed the Special Course
for the Diploma of legal Procurator 1938-40 and having
been approved in all the tests prescribed by the Statute and
Regulations was on the 5th July, 1940, awarded the Diploma
of legal Procurator.

M. M. M.
of. Secretary.

Mr. Boris Darmann and Mr. Joseph Schenker Adams
having followed the Special Course for the Diploma of legal
Procurator 1938-40 and having been approved in all the tests
prescribed by the Statute and Regulations were on the 10th
and 11th July respectively awarded the Diploma of legal Procurator

M. M. M.

The Diploma of Medicine was awarded during July 1940 to the following students who had followed the Practical Course of Medicine 1938-40 and had been approved in all the tests prescribed by the Statute and Regulations: Miss Antonia Barbero, Mrs. Maria Stella Agius, Mrs. Virginia Gueli, Mrs. Luisa Borg, Miss Vibrata Schenchi, Mrs. Giuseppa Sammut, Miss Mary Carra, Mrs. Annie E. Densup, Mrs. Caterina Cortis, Miss Josephine Dimick, Mrs. Maria Anna Attard, Miss Julia Schenchi.

M. M. M.
of Secretary

Mrs. John Gabane Adami having followed the Special Course for the Diploma of legal Procurator 1938-40 and having passed all the tests prescribed by the Statute and Regulations was on the 26th July 1940 awarded the diploma of legal Procurator.

M. M. M.
of Secretary.

Mrs. Charles Vassallo having followed the Special Course for the Diploma of legal Procurator 1938-40 and having passed all the tests prescribed by the Statute and Regulations was on the 20th August 1940 awarded the Diploma of legal Procurator.

M. M. M.
of Secretary.

A private Graduation Ceremony was held in the Aula magna of the University on Thursday the 21st October, 1940, when the Honble. Prof. R. V. Giles, O.B.E., A.R.C.S., assisted by the Asst. Secretary conferred the Degree of M.D. on Mr. Joseph Debono and the Degree of B.A. on Messrs. Alessandro DeBiro Gougin, Carmelo Camana, Joseph Vella, Victor Ruhagier and Joseph A. Miceli.

The ceremony was attended by a few relatives and friends of the recipients of degrees.

The Rev. Canon. Prof. E. Galea, B.Lit., F.C.D., D.D., received the candidates' Profession of Faith and administered the Oath.

Prof. V. Camana, B.Lit., M.D. acted as Sponsor to Mr. J. Debono and Prof. Owen J. Fogarty, B.A. (H.L.I.), M.A. acted as Sponsor to the students receiving the Degree of B.A.

M. P. P.
Asst. Secretary

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A private graduation ceremony was held on Saturday the 27th September, 1941.

Mass was said in the church of the University by the most Rev. Can. Vesp. Prof. S. Galea, B. Litt., T.C.D., D.D.

After mass the graduates proceeded to the Aula Magna where the Vicer. the Hon. Prof. A. V. Galea, O.B.E., A.C.E., assisted by the of. Secretary conferred the Degrees of A.B.A. and B.S.A. on Lieutenant S. Muntana and the degree of Lic.D. on the Msd. S. Bartolo Galea, the Msd. Jos. Borg, the Msd. Jos. Camilleri, the Msd. G. Cassar, the Msd. S. Hili, the Msd. Jos. Pace and the Msd. G. Zammit.

The ceremony was attended by a few relatives and friends of the recipients of degrees.

The most Rev. Can. Vesp. Prof. S. Galea received the candidates' Profession of Faith and administered the oath.

Professor Msd. J. Fogarty, B.A. (L.U.I.), M.R.S.T. and H. Ct. Prof. J. Yenni, B.S.A., A.C.E. acted as Sponsors to Lieutenant Muntana and the most Rev. Vesp. Prof. Galea to the graduates receiving the degree of Lic.D.

M. Muntana
of. Secretary.

A private graduation ceremony was held in the Aula Magna of the University on the 25th October, 1941, at which the Degree of B. D. was conferred on Messrs. Adolfo Agius, Victor Buhagiar, Matthew Chircop, Vincent Crappera, Immanuel Grada, Anthony Pace and Felix Villa Galea.

Mass was said in the Church of the University by the very Revd. Can. Prof. Arturo Bannici B. A., B. L. Can., D. D., H. E. L.

The Revd. Prof. P. P. Hayden B. Lit., B. L. Can., D. D., M. S. Script., recited the candidates' Profession of Faith, acted as Sponsor, and administered the oath.

A few relatives of the recipients of degrees attended the ceremony.

The ceremony was held from beginning to end during an air raid.

M. Agius
of. Secretary.

24th March, 1942.

At 1.45 p. m. an enemy bomb hit the University when the Aula Magna was completely demolished.

J. P. Agius
Secretary.

4th April 1942.

The University Buildings were again hit by a bomb and damage was again caused. The instruments in the Physical Laboratory suffered severely and the pharmaceutical specimens in the Pharmacy Laboratory were totally wrecked. Other parts of the Buildings received more or less serious damage.

Joseph Bernard
Secretary.
8/4/42.

In the 11th of August, 1942, the Degree of Doctor of Laws "Honoris Causa" was conferred upon Lieut. General Sir William G. B. Dobbie, G.C.M.G., K.C.B., D.S.O. former Governor and Commander-in-Chief, Malta.

The ceremony took place in the aula Council in the presence of Members of the General Council.

In the absence of General Dobbie the degree was conferred on Col. T. C. McCall, O.B.E. who had been General Dobbie's A.D.C. The ~~degree~~ ceremony was conducted by the Rector, ^{who was} assisted by the Secretary. His Lordships Mr. Professor G. Galia, B.Lit., J.C.D., D.D. administered the oath and Professor V. Caruana, B.Lit., LL.D. acted as Sponsor.

A private Graduation Ceremony was held in the Rector's Office on the 6th December, 1942, when the degree of Bachelor of Engineering and Architecture was conferred on Mr. Joseph Louis Mignard.

The Very Rev. Professor J. P. Hayden, B.Lit., B.L. Can., D.D., Lic. S. Supt. received the candidate's profession of faith and administered the oath.

Lt. Col. Professor J. Gervai, O.B.E., D.E. & A., A. & C.E. acted as sponsor.

Joseph Bernard
Secretary.

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Miss Lily D. Corrado having completed
successfully her studies in the Course of Pharmacy
1939-42 was on the 18th December, 1942, awarded
the Diploma of Pharmacist.

Josephine
Secretary.

Mr. Silvio Scirca having completed his
studies in the Course of Pharmacy 1939-42
and having been approved in all the tests
laid down in the Statute and in the Regulations
was on the 12th December, 1942, awarded
the Diploma of Pharmacist.

Josephine
Secretary.

Mr. Robert Aldo Lee, Miss Mary Louisa
Dontaldo, Mr. Pierfr. Damato and Mr.
Anthony Martin Vella having completed their
studies in the Course of Pharmacy 1939-42
and having been approved in all the tests
laid down in the Statute and in the Regulations
were on the 19th December, 1942, awarded the
Diploma of Pharmacist.

Josephine
Secretary.

Mr. Joseph Abel Sacchetti having completed
his studies in the Course of Pharmacy 1939-42
and having been approved in all the tests as
laid down in the Statute and in the Regulations
was on the 23rd December, 1942 awarded the Diploma
of Pharmacist.

Josephine
Secretary.

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Mr. Joseph Martin and Mr. Paul Portelli having completed his studies in the Course of Pharmacy 1939-42 and having been approved in all the tests as required by the Statute and by the Regulations were on the 24th November, 1942, awarded the Diploma of Pharmacist.

Joseph M. D. S.
Secretary.

Miss Rose Bartolo having completed her studies in the Course of Pharmacy 1939-42 and having been approved in all the tests as required by the Statute and by the Regulations was on the 26th November, 1942, awarded the Diploma of Pharmacist.

Joseph M. D. S.
Secretary.

A private Graduation Ceremony was held in the Library of the University on the 3rd December, 1942, when the Degree of Bachelor of Engineering and Architecture was conferred upon

Samuel Psaila,
and

John Spiteri, B.Sc.

The Degree was conferred by the Rector assisted by the Secretary. The oath was administered by the Very Rev. Professor P. P. Hayden, B.Lit., B.L. Can., D.D., Lic. S. Script. who also received the candidates' profession of faith.

St. Col. Professor J. Xerri, O.B.E., B.E. (Hons.), A. & C. E. acted as Sponsor.

Joseph M. D. S.
Secretary.

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On the 22nd December, 1942, the Degree of Bachelor of Engineering and Architecture was conferred by the Senate who was assisted by the Secretary upon ~~Mr.~~ Mr. Joseph Robinson

The Profession of Faith was received by the Very Rev. Professor P. P. Hayden, B.L.S., B.L. Can., D.D., D.C. S. Supt. who also administered the oath.

St. Col. Professor J. Linnell, D. B.L., B.E. & A., A. & C.E. acted as Sponsor.

Joseph Robinson,
Secretary.

Mr. Maurice Ellet having completed his studies in the Course of Pharmacy 1939-42 and having been approved in all the tests prescribed by the Statute and by the Regulations was on the 4th January, 1943, granted the Diploma of Pharmacist.

Joseph Robinson,
Secretary.

A Graduation Ceremony of a semi-private character was held on the 15th February, 1943, when the Degree of Doctor of Laws was conferred by the Senate who was assisted by the Secretary upon the following:-

John Luester,
Maurice J. Beauvois,
Maurice Bernard Linnell, B.A.,
Joseph Linnell, B.A.

- John J. Cremona, B.A.,
- Vincenzo Antonio DePasquale, B.A.,
- Alessandro Detrio Emigoni, B.A.,
- Peccardo Ferrugia, B.A.,
- Joseph Galt, B.A.,
- Albert V. Grech,
- Joseph A. Mucchi, B.A.,
- Fortunato Mizzi,
- Anthony A. Pulcinno, B.A.,
- Angelo Sammut,
- John Spiteri Macampel, B.A.,
- Joseph Villa, B.A.,
- Joseph Villa Colta,
- Capitain J. Zammit.

The candidates' profession of faith was
 & received administered by the Most Rev. Can. Mgr. L. Catania,
 B.Lit., B.L.Can., Ph.D., D.D. who also administered the
 oath.

Professor V. Caruana, B.Lit., L.L.D., acted as sponsor.

The ceremony was preceded by a Mass and
 many friends and relatives of the candidates were
 present at both the mass and the ceremony.

Joseph Micallef
 Secretary.

Mr. Joseph Borg having completed his studies
 in the course of Pharmacy 1939-42 and having been
 approved in all the tests prescribed by the Statute
 and by the Regulations was on the 19th February,
 1943, awarded the Diploma of Pharmacist.

Joseph Micallef
 Secretary.

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Mr. Joseph Hayden and Mr. Carmelo Carruana
were on the 13th February, 1943, awarded the
Diploma of Public Health both having completed
their studies successfully in the relevant course.
Joseph Hayden,
Secretary.

Dr. Leopold Falson having completed his
studies in the Course of Pharmacy 1939-42
and having been approved in all the tests prescribed
by the Statute and by the Regulations was on
the 11th March, 1943, awarded the Diploma of
Pharmacist.
Joseph Hayden,
Secretary.

A semi-private Graduation Ceremony
was held in the Church of the Redeemer on
the 20th March, 1943, when the degree of Doctor
of Medicine and Surgery was conferred by the
Rector who was assisted by the Secretary of the
following:-

Franka Agius,
John P. H. Agius, B.Sc.,
Joseph Agius Curante, B.Sc.,
Victor P. Amato, B.Sc.,
Paul L. Bernard, B.Sc.,
Anthony Bonnici, B.Sc.,
Albert V. Camilleri,
Salvino Carruana, B.Sc.,

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Arthur Corrado,
Edwin L. Craig,
Joseph Dominici Demajo, B.Sc.,
Salvino Debus, B.Sc.,
Maurice L. DeCesari, B.Sc.,
Carmelo DeLucca, B.Sc.,
Albert L. Galla, B.Sc.,
Mary Irene Margaret,
Victor G. Griffiths, B.Sc.,
Anthony Lafrancesco, B.Sc.,
Lydia Lucia, B.Sc.,
Antoine Mericci,
John Muscat,
Arthur Portenier,
Leo Portelli,
Joseph Psaila, B.Sc.,
Francis S. Pulicino,
William Kenneth Alessi,
Henry Wisnager, B.Sc.,
Francis Zanetti.

The oath was administered by the Most Rev.
Law. Mag. Professor A. Catania, B.Lit., B.L. Can., D.D.,
Ph.D. who also received the candidates' profession
of faith and the Honorable Professor G. V.
Bernard, C.B.E., M.D., D.P.H., D.T.M. & H. acted as
Sponsor to the new Graduates.

The ceremony was preceded by a Mass
at which as well as at the ceremony itself the

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relatives and friends of the candidates
assisted

Joseph Mendel.
Secretary.

Mr. Anthony Demajo having completed
his studies in the Course of Dentistry 1939-43
and having been approved in all the tests pre-
scribed by the Statute and by the Regulations
was on the 10th April, 1943, awarded the
Diploma of Dental Surgeon.

Joseph Mendel.
Secretary.

The Degree of Bachelor of Science and
that of Bachelor of Arts was conferred on several
candidates in the Church of the University on
the 3rd April, 1943, in a semi-private Graduation
ceremony. The ceremony was performed by
the Rector who was assisted by the Secretary.

The following received the Degree of
Bachelor of Science:-

Fosé Bartolo,
Mary Bernana Montaldo,
Maurice Catt,
Lilla Fayar.

The Degree of Bachelor of Arts was conferred
upon the following:-

Innocenzo Borg,
 Stephen Borg,
 Edwin Burdett,
 Anton Calleya,
 Renato Cirillo,
 Joseph Canado,
 Joseph A. Luch Borg,
 Philip Luch,
 Paul Malin,
 Edgar Wizzi,
 Carmelo Pirota,
 Carmelo Sant.

The Graduation Ceremony was attended by the relatives and friends of the candidates and it was preceded by a Mass.

The Most Rev. Can. Mgr. C. Brunici, D.L.C., D.D. administered the oath and received the profession of faith.

Professor S. L. Vella, B.Sc., M.D., D.L.O., F.L.S. acted as Sponsor for the candidates for the Bachelorships of Science and Professor Maria L. Fogarty, B.A. (N.O.I.), M.A.S.T. (Eng.) acted as Sponsor for the candidates for the Bachelorships of Arts.

Joseph Luch,
Secretary.

Miss Ella Taylor having completed her studies in the Course of Pharmacy 1939-42 and having been approved in all the tests prescribed by the Statute and by the Regulations was on the 28th April, 1943, awarded the Diploma of Pharmacist.

Joseph Thomas,
Secretary.

Dr. David Twa having completed his studies in the Course of Pharmacy 1939-42 and having been approved in all the tests prescribed by the Statute and by the Regulations was on the 21st May, 1943, awarded the Diploma of Pharmacist.

Joseph Thomas,
Secretary.

Dr. Alexander Lachia Jammit having completed his studies in the Course of Pharmacy 1939-42 and having been approved in all the tests prescribed by the Statute and by the Regulations was on the 1st July, 1943, awarded the Diploma of Pharmacist.

Joseph Thomas,
Secretary.

Mr. Edgar Lewis having completed his studies in the Course of Pharmacy 1939-42 and having been approved in all the tests prescribed by the Statute and the Regulations was on the 12th July, 1942, awarded the Diploma of Pharmacist.

Joseph Thomas,
Secretary.

A private Graduation Ceremony was held in the Rector's Office on the 14th July, 1946, when the Degree of Doctor of Laws was conferred on Mr. Frank Vucallo.

The Degree was conferred by the Honourable Professor A. V. Sala, C.B.E., A.S.C.E., ~~Secretary of the University~~ Rector of the University, assisted by the Secretary.

The oath was administered by the Very Rev. Canon Professor A. Bonnici, B.A., B.L. Can., D.D., H.F.L. who also received the candidate's profession of faith.

Professor J. S. Desingio acted as Sponsor.

Joseph Mundae
Secretary.

A private Graduation Ceremony was held in the Rector's Office on the 20th December, 1943, when the Degree of Bachelor of Engineering and Architecture was conferred on Mr. Dominic Whitoff, B.Sc., B.A. (Oxon).

The Degree was conferred by the Honourable Professor A. V. Sala, C.B.E., A.S.C.E., Rector of the University, assisted by the Secretary.

The oath was administered by the Very Rev. Canon Professor P. P. Raymond, B.Lit., B.L. Can., D.D., L.L. S. Script. who also received the candidate's profession of faith.

Professor J. Colombo, B.Sc., B.E. & A., A.S.C.E. acted as Sponsor.

Joseph Mundae
Secretary.

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Mr. Joseph Sammut, Mr. Joseph Vella and
Mr. John Spiteri Macempel having completed
successfully their studies in the Course of Potential
Studies were respectively awarded the relative
Diplomas on the 24th September, 1943, the 22nd
December, 1943, and the 5th January, 1944.

Joseph Sammut,
Secretary.

A solemn Graduation Ceremony was
held in the Church of the University on Thursday
30th December, 1943, when the Degree of Doctor of
Laws, *honoris causa*, was conferred upon His
Excellency the Viscount Lort, V.C., M.C.B., K.B.E., D.S.O.,
M.V.O., M.C., Governor of Malta and Visitor of the
University.

The Degree was conferred by the Rector,
the Honorable Professor M. V. Galea, O.B.E., R.S.C.E.
assisted by Mr. J. L. Pace, Secretary to the University.

The Very Rev. Fr. S. M. Gatt, S.T.H.M., S. Supt. D.
Professor of Dogmatic Theology, delivered an oration
in Latin.

His Lordship Mr. Professor G. Galea, B. Lit., J.C.D.,
D.D. administered the oath to the distinguished
recipient of the Degree and Professor V. Camilleri,
B. Lit., LL.D. acted as Sponsor.

On the dais supporting the Rector were
His Grace the Archbishop Bishop of Malta, Mr.
Professor M. Imzi, B. Lit., J.C.D., D.D., His Honor
the Chief Justice, Sir George Burg, K.C., M.B.E., Doctor of Laws

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(Cattania) and His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor, the Honourable Mr. D. G. Campbell.

The Academic Body and Students who were very well represented wearing their respective gowns moved processionally from the University to the Church of the University to take part in the ceremony.

Many distinguished guests ~~were present~~ ^{belonging to} the Naval, Military and Air Force establishments as well as Government Civil Officials were present.

The Rector delivered an address in English congratulating His Excellency on the honour which had been conferred on him. His Excellency replied in appropriate terms thanking the Rector and the Royal University of Malta.

The playing of the Maltese Hymn and the God Save the King brought the ceremony to an end.

Joseph Dimech
Secretary

Mr. Salvino De Labriele having completed successfully his studies in the Course of Pharmacy 1939-42 was on the 13th November, 1943, awarded the Diploma of Pharmacist.

Joseph Dimech
Secretary

Mr. Joseph Cappini having completed his studies successfully in the Course of Pharmacy 1939-42 was on the 19th November, 1943, awarded the Diploma of Pharmacist.

Joseph Dimech
Secretary

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The following having completed their studies successfully in the Special Course for the Diploma of Legal Procurator were respectively awarded the relative Diploma on the date shown against their name, viz:-

Joseph Azzopardo on the 19th November, 1943.
Salvino De Sabiele on the 24th November, 1943.
Joseph Pizzo on the 9th December, 1943.
Joseph Anthony Muscat on the 16th December, 1943.
Joseph M. Galea on the 18th December, 1943.
Joseph Cefai on the 22nd December, 1943.
Salvino Muscat on the 22nd December, 1943.
Paul Muscat on the 22nd December, 1943.

Joseph Muscat
Secretary.

Miss May Picorella and Miss Christine Pugliese having completed their studies in the Special Course of Practical Midwifery and having been approved in all the tests required by the Regulations were on the 27th December, 1943, awarded the Diploma of Midwife.

Joseph Muscat
Secretary.

Maria Agius and Maria Picciotti having completed their studies in the Special Course of Practical Midwifery and having been approved in all the tests required by the Regulations were on the 1st January, 1944, awarded

the Diploma of Midwife.

Joseph Thomas
Secretary.

Josephine Ruggia having completed her studies in the Special Course of Practical Midwifery and having been approved in all the tests required by the Regulations was on the 3rd January, 1944, awarded the Diploma of Midwife.

Joseph Thomas
Secretary.

Mr. John Mercia having completed his studies in the Course of Pharmacy 1939-42 and having been approved in all the tests required by the Regulations was on the 5th January, 1944, awarded the Diploma of Pharmacist.

Joseph Thomas
Secretary.

Josephine Rezzi, Mrs. Rita Kampshie, and Camilla Damigiani having completed their studies in the ^{Special} ~~Practical~~ Course of Practical Midwifery and having been approved in all the tests required by the Regulations were on the 4th, 10th and 14th January, 1944, respectively awarded the Diploma of Midwife.

Joseph Thomas
Secretary.

Mr. Wilfrid A. Seltman having completed his studies in the Special Course for the Diploma of Legal Promoter and having been approved

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in all the tests required by the Regulations was
on the 14th January, 1944, awarded the Diploma
of Legal Procurator.

Joseph Munday.
Secretary.

Mr. Hugh William Harding having
completed his studies in the Special Course for the
Diploma of Legal Procurator and having been
approved in all the tests required by the Regulations
was on the 19th November, 1943, awarded the
Diploma of Legal Procurator.

Joseph Munday.
Secretary.

Mr. Joseph P. Buscetta, Mr. Gaston
Bianchi and Mr. Paul Borg having completed
their studies in the Special Course for the
Diploma of Legal Procurator and having been
approved in all the tests required by the
Regulations were on the 22nd January, 1944,
awarded the Diploma of Legal Procurator.

Joseph Munday.
Secretary.

Mr. Joseph Satt having completed his studies
in the Special Course for the Diploma of Legal
Procurator and having been approved in all the
tests required by the Regulations was on the
26th January, 1944, awarded the Diploma of
Legal Procurator.

Joseph Munday.
Secretary.

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Mr. Vincent J. A. Biiffa and Mr. Francis Peilar, having completed their studies in the Special Course for the Diploma of Legal Procurator and having been approved in all the tests required by the Regulations were on the 24th January, 1944, awarded the Diploma of Legal Procurator.

Joseph Howard,
Secretary.

Mr. Lewis Wisniewer having completed his studies in the Course of Pharmacy 1939-42 and having been approved in all the tests required by the Regulations was on the 29th January, 1944, awarded the Diploma of Pharmacist.

Joseph Howard,
Secretary.

Mr. Enrico W. Cortis having completed his studies in the Special Course for the Diploma of Legal Procurator and having been approved in all the tests required by the Regulations was on the 1st February, 1944, awarded the Diploma of Legal Procurator.

Joseph Howard,
Secretary.

Antonina Berg, Enza Sabone and Paola Sabone having completed their studies in the Special Course of Practical Midwifery and having been approved in all the tests required by the Regulations were on the 2nd February, 1944, awarded the Diploma of Midwife.

Joseph Howard,
Secretary.

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The following students having completed their studies in the Special Course ~~of the~~ for the Diploma of Legal Procurator and having been approved in all the tests required by the Regulations were respectively awarded the Diploma of Legal Procurator as shown against their name, viz:-

George Zammitt, B.A. on the 28th February, 1944.

Philip J. Gulia on the 22nd March, 1944.

Anthony Putter Scipione on the 22nd April, 1944.

Gerard Cassin on the 16th May, 1944.

Victor Agnuzzi on the 16th May, 1944.

Vladimir Formosa on the 3rd June, 1944.

Joseph M. ...
Secretary.

Mr. Anton Agnis Ferrante having completed his studies in the Course of Pharmacy, 1139-42, and having been approved in all the tests required by the Regulations was on the 29th June, 1944, awarded the Diploma of Pharmacist.

Joseph M. ...
Secretary.

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A private Graduation Ceremony was held in the Rector's Office on Monday, 27th August, 1945, at 11 a.m. when the Degree of Licentiate in Theology was conferred upon the

Rev. John Vella Catta, B.D.

The Degree was conferred by the Rector, Professor A. V. Catta, O.B.E., D.S.C.F., Rector of the Royal University of Malta, assisted by the Secretary, Mr. J. L. Pace.

The Very Rev. Professor P. P. Laydon, B.Lit., B.L. Can., D.D., Lic. S. Script. received the candidate's Profession of Faith and administered the Voth.

The Very Rev. Canon Professor G. Amicci, B.A., B.L. Can., D.D., H.E.L. acted as Sponsor.

Joseph Amicci
Secretary
27/8/45.

A solemn Graduation Ceremony was held in the Church of the Royal University of Malta on Monday, 1st October, 1945.

At 9 a.m. the Academic Body and the students moved processsionally from the University to the University Church where Mass was said by the Senior Professor of the Faculty of Theology, the Very Rev. P. P. Laydon, B.Lit., B.L. Can., D.D., Lic. S. Script. after which the "Veni Creator" was intoned.

The candidates for Degrees then made their profession of Faith which was received

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by the Very Rev. Professor P. P. Laydon.

The Ceremony was presided over by His Excellency the Visitor, ~~Major~~ ^{Lieutenant} General Edmund C. A. Schreiber, K.B.E., D.S.O., Governor and Commander-in-Chief and it was attended by many distinguished guests. On the raised platform were His Excellency the Visitor, His Grace the Metropolitan Archbishop of Malta, His Honour the Chief Justice ~~and~~ His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor and the Rector of the University.

The Members of the General Council met His Excellency at the door of the Church and when His Excellency had been conducted to his seat, Professor Joseph Aquilino, B.A., LL.D., Ph.D. (Lond) delivered an address on "Academic Degrees and Values".

On the termination of this address the Secretary ~~and~~ of the University administered the "Sponsio Academica" to the new students who had just joined the University, after which there was a distribution of diplomas and certificates, viz:-

Diplomas of Notary Public.
Joseph Abela
Haurie V. Vrijjo,

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Anthony Altard,
Edwin Gerald Amello, B. A.,
Victor Borg Cortazzi,
Victor Borg Grech,
Rev. Canon Carmelo Farrugia, B. L. T., B. L. Can., D. D.,
Madrini Formosa,
Joseph G. Grech, B. A.,
Paul Mallia, B. A.,
Joseph Micallef,
John Micallef Tugonia,
Philip Saliba,
Alexander Scaberas Tugonia,
Carmelo Schembri,
Joseph Spiteri
John Tabone Adami,
Solgar Mezzi, B. A.

Diplomas of Pharmacist.

Godfrey Abela,
Lewis Abela,
Carmel Barbara
Carmel Borg
Francis Borg
Genge Borg
Joseph Camilleri
Agnes Coleiro
Laurence Dammanin
Lucy Demajo
Joseph De Martino
Muri' Inimyan
William Edward Felice,
Angela Feneo,
Frances Galea,

Edgar Catt,
 Wilfrid Catt,
 Anthony Grada,
 Anthony Grima,
 Wallace Philip Luria,
 Henry A. Harding,
 Alphonse M. Minnow,
 Louis C. Mauché,
 Francis T. Martin,
 Francis T. McCall,
 Henry McCall,
 Joseph A. Muscat,
 Salvino Muscat,
 Alfred Pace,
 Victor A. Pestall,
 Joseph Pizzo,
 Francis Saliba,
 Wilfrid Stellini,
 Emanuel Vassallo Portanier,
 Hilda Vella,
 Joseph Verzi.

The following received a Matriculation Certificate:-

Godfrey Appopardi,
 Edward Roy Olivier,
 George Roy,
 Joseph Rubicat,
 Maurice Capster,

Edgar Caruana Montaldo,
 Walter Delia,
 Michael Elhel,
 Lino Friends,
 Joseph Lewis Lenore,
 Ignatius Miallef,
 Edgar Mifund,
 Fortunato Pasquino Ruzzi,
 George Muscat Fenech,
 Louis Gaudi,
 Colin Pace,
 Joseph LaLiba,
 Salvino Spitteri Malmfel.

The following Degrees were conferred by the Rector who was assisted by the Secretary on :-

Bachelor of Science.

Margaret Caruana Montaldo,
 Wallace Philip Julia.

Bachelor of Arts.

Joseph A. LaLiba.

Bachelor of Theology.

Edgar Vincent Huntingtonford,
 Salvatore Zammit.

The Rector then proceeded to confer the Degree of Doctor of Literature (honoris causa) on the distinguished Maltese poet,

the Very Rev. Mgr. Carmelo Psaila. Before
proceeding to the conferment of the Degree
the Rector read the following:-

Resolution passed by acclamation by the
General Council of the Royal University
of Malta at the sitting held on the 18th
June, 1945:-

The General Council
in view of the high literary merits
especially in the field of Maltese
Literature of the Very Reverend Monsignor
Carmelo Psaila unanimously resolves to
confer upon him the Degree of Doctor of
Literature (honoris causa).

The Rector also read a translation of the
Diploma which was given to Monsignor
Psaila. Professor Fogarty was the Sponsor
to Monsignor Psaila and he was also
the Sponsor of to the recipients of the
Bachelor of Arts Degree. The Sponsor
to the B.Sc. candidates was Professor S.H.
Vella, B.Sc., M.P., D.L.O., F.L.S. and to the
B.D. candidates the Most Rev. Canon Mgr.
Professor C. Brincic, B.L. Can., D.D.

The Very Rev. Professor P.P. Laydon
administered the oath to the new
graduates.

The ceremony was terminated by a short speech by His Excellency after which the Marseillaise and the God Save the King were played by the orchestra.

The Academic Body and Students then returned provisionally to the University where in the library another ceremony was to be held.

The ceremony consisted in the presentation to the University of a portrait in oils of the Very Rev. Sign. C. Paola, D.C.I., by the *Shagda tal-Halli* (University) and of a photograph and a set of books written by the Very Rev. Sign. Paola to the Royal University of Malta Union. Speeches were delivered by the President of the *Shagda*, Professor J. Aquilino, B.A., LL.D., Ph.D.; by Mr. Victor Fenech, the President of the Students' Representative Council who had donated the photograph and the set of books. The Rector, the Honorable Professor P. V. Saha, O.B.E., A.C.E. replied thanking the *Shagda* and the Students' Representative Council for their gifts. Finally Sign. Paola delivered a short speech thanking everyone for their share in both ceremonies.

Frederick J. [Signature]
Secretary.
3/10/45.

Winners of Prizes and Scholarships.

The prize of £20 is awarded to Mr. Raphael Attard who headed the list of successful candidates at the June Session of the Matriculation Examination passing "with honours" with a percentage of marks equivalent to 81.

Mr. Anthony Zammit Gabarretta won the Archbishop Dom Maurus Caruana Prize as first student in order of merit in Religious Doctrine

In the Academical Courses of Literature and Science the prizes were not awarded as none of the candidates satisfied the conditions laid down in Article 95 of the Regulations; nor were the Scholarships awarded in the preparatory course of Theology and in the Special Course of Dental Surgery as none of the successful candidates satisfied the conditions laid down in Article 100 of the Regulations.

Mr. Henry Micallef was first in order of merit in the Course of Pharmacy passing "cum laude" with a percentage of 89 and is awarded a free Diploma.

In the Intermediate Course of Engineering and Architecture the Scholarship was won by Mr. John V. Gatt who was approved "with honours" with a percentage of 78 of the aggregate number of marks.

In the Course of Notarial Studies Mr. Edgar Mizzi, B.A. was first in order of merit passing "cum laude" with a percentage of 97 and was awarded a free Diploma.

In the four Senior Courses the Scholarships were won by the following:-

In Engineering and Architecture - Mr. Roger de Giorgio passing "cum laude" with a percentage of 86.

In Medicine and Surgery - Miss Hilda Boffa, B.Sc. passing "with honours" with a percentage of 93.

In Laws - Mr. Joseph Ganado, B.A. passing "cum laude" with a percentage of 95.

In Theology - The Rev. Stephen Borg, B.A., B.D. passing "with honours" with a percentage of 78.

In the Senior Course of Engineering for the Degree of Bachelor of Engineering Mr. Edwin J. Borg Costanzi, B.Sc. was first in order of merit passing "with honours" with a percentage of 76.

In the Junior Course of Laws the Scholarship was won by Mr. Hugh William Harding who passed "cum laude" with a percentage of 95.

The following having satisfied the conditions laid down in the Regulations are awarded a Diploma of Notary Public:-

Mr. Joseph Abela
Mr. Maurice V. Arrigo
Mr. Anthony Attard
Mr. Edwin Gerald Bonello, B.A.
Mr. Victor Borg Costanzi
Mr. Victor Borg Grech
Rev. Can. Carmelo Farrugia, B.Lit., B.L. Can., D.D.
Mr. Vladimir Formosa
Mr. Joseph R. Grech, B.A.
Mr. Paul Mallia, B.A.
Mr. Joseph Micallef
Mr. John Micallef Trigona
Mr. Philip Saliba
Mr. Alexander Sceberras Trigona
Mr. Carmelo Schembri
Mr. Joseph Spiteri
Mr. John Tabone Adami

The following who have satisfied the provisions laid down in the Regulations are awarded a Diploma of Pharmacist:-

Mr. Godfrey Abela
Mr. Lewis Abela
Mr. Carmel Barbara
Mr. Carmel Borg
Mr. Francis Borg
Mr. George Borg

Mr. Joseph Camilleri
 Miss Agnes Coleiro
 Mr. Lawrence Darmanin
 Miss Lucy Demajo
 Mr. Joseph DeMartino
 Mr. Rene' Eminyan
 Mr. William Edward Felice
 Miss Angela Frendo
 Miss Frances Galea
 Mr. Edgar Gatt
 Mr. Wilfrid Gatt
 Mr. Anthony Gerada
 Mr. Anthony Grima
 Mr. Wallace Philip Gulia
 Mr. Henry A. Harding
 Mr. Alphonse M. Kissaun
 Mr. Loris C. Manche'
 Mr. Francis X. Martin
 Mr. Joseph A. Muscat
 Mr. Salvino Muscat
 Mr. Alfred Pace
 Mr. Victor R. Restall
 Mr. John Rizzo
 Mr. Francis Saliba
 Mr. Wilfred Stellini
 Mr. Emanuel Vassallo Portanier
 Miss Hilda Vella
 Mr. Joseph Verzin

Matriculation Certificates are awarded to the following:

Godfrey Azzopardi	Joseph Lewis Genovese
Edward Borg Olivier	Ignatius Micallef
George Borg	Edgar Mifsud
Joseph Brincat	Fortunato Paolino Mizzi
Maurice Captur	George Muscat Fenech
Edgar Caruana Montaldo	Louis Naudi
Walter Delia	Colin Pace
Michael Ellul	Joseph Saliba
Lino Frendo	Salvino Spiteri Maempel

The following Students are awarded a Scholarship in terms of Article 100 of the Regulations of the University, i.e. exemption from the payment of all school fees during the scholastic year 1936-37, viz:-

Academical Courses.

- Engineering & Architecture - Mr Salvino Mangion B.Sc.
Passed "Cum Laude"
Winner of the Lorenzo Gatt
Scholarship of £10.
- Medicine & Surgery - Mr Thomas Anastasi Pace B.Sc. and
Mr Joseph Zammit Maempel.
Both passed "With Honours".
- Law. - Mr Victor R. Sammut B.A.
Passed "Cum Laude".
- Theology. - Mr Edoardo Coleiro B.A.
Passed "Cum Laude".

Preparatory Courses.

- Engineering & Architecture - Mr Domenico Mintoff.
Passed "Cum Laude"
- Medicine & Surgery - Mr Thomas Agius Ferrante.
Passed "Cum Laude"
- Law. - Scholarship not awarded, Miss Anna
DePiro Gourgion obtaining the
first place in order of merit.
- Theology. - Scholarship not awarded, Mr Joseph
Borg obtaining the first place
in order of merit.

The following students of the Faculties of Literature and Science are awarded the Government Prize of £20 in terms of Art. 95 of the Regulations, viz:-

- Acad. Course of Literature - Prize not awarded, Miss Anna DePiro
Gourgion obtaining the first
place in order of merit.
- Acad. Course of Science (Medicine Section) - Mr Thomas Agius Ferrante
Passed "Cum Laude".
- Acad. Course of Science (Engineering Section) - Mr Domenico Mintoff.
Passed "Cum Laude"

Giuseppe Raggi - 7/1/44.
 Mrs. Rita Hampster 10/1/44.
 Carmela Darmasini 14/1/44.
 Wilfred A. Bellanca (L.P.) 17/1/44.
 Joseph P. Burnett (L.P.) 22/1/44.
 Gaston Bianchi (L.P.) "
 Paul Berg (") "
 Joseph Gatt (") 26/1/44.
 Vincent J. M. Ruffa (") 27/1/44.
 Francis Prule (") "
 Louis Wernsperger (Ph.) 28/1/44.
 Maurice W. Cook (L.P.) 1/2/44.
 Antonia Berg } 2/2/44.
 Soija Telone }
 Paula Telone }
 George Jemmett (L.P.) 28/2/44.
 Maria J. Gubler (") 22/3/44.
 Anthony Walter Crappine (") 22/4/44.
 Gerard Connor (L.P.)
 Victor Magness (") 16/5/44.
 Vladimir Formosa (") 3/6/44.
 Gustav Aguirre Fumate (Ph.) 29/6/44.

Nato. DeSalvelli	Ph.C.	13 Nov.
Jos. Coppini	"	19 Nov.
Joseph Kurg.	L.P.	19 Nov.
Nato. DeSalvelli	L.P.	24 Nov.
Joseph Mezzi	L.P.	9 Dec.
Jos. A. Kussant	L.P.	16 Dec.
Jos. M. Galia.	L.P.	18 Dec.
Joseph Cefai	L.P.	22 Dec.
Salvino Kussant	L.P.	" "
Paul Kussant	L.P.	" "
May Biorella	} Millupa	27 Dec.
Christine Bugga		
Maria Agui	} "	1 st Jan.
Maria Biorella		
Josephine Bugga		3 rd
John Kussant	Ph.C.	5 th

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The ceremony of Foundation Day was held in the Church of the University on Saturday the 22nd. November, 1952.

At 9 a.m. the ~~the~~ Academic Body and the student met at the University and at 9.25 a.m. moved processionaly to the Church of the University where Mass was said by His Grace the Metropolitan Archbishop, after which a solemn "Te Deum" was intoned by His Grace.

Present at the ceremony were, besides His Excellency the Chancellor, Sir Gerald Cragg, and His Grace the Archbishop Inq. Sir Michael Gough, also His Honour the Chief Justice, Dr. L.A. Camilleri, and The Honourable the Prime Minister Dr. Giorgio Bong Oliveri.

Of the Academic Body, besides the Vice-Chancellor and Lectur Magnificus Prof. J.A. Inonchi, there were present the following: Prof. P.P. Jabone; the noble Marchese Dr. Felice Bologna; Prof. V. Caruana; Dr. Donald E. Sultana; Dr. G. Jona-Baschet; Prof. J. Aquilina; Inq. Scambri; Prof. Can. E. Colino; Dr. Jm. Sardo; Prof. Dr. S. M. Zurb; Prof. E. J. Bong-Listazi; Dr. Leaton; Prof. V. Vanallo; Prof. Inq. A. Bonnici, and Prof. Philip Farrugia, who after "Te Deum" delivered an oration on "The Uphill Road to the Temple - a Survey of

the progress of Chemistry in our University,
1769-1952."


The ceremony was also attended by various other distinguished guests beside the parents and relatives of those students who were receiving certificates and diploma.

On the termination of Prof. Farugia's oration the Secretary of the University, Mr. Eriv Serracino Inglobu, called out and the Chancellor distributed merit certificates to the following:

1. Pace Joseph Leslie (1st. in order of merit)
2. Apak Bologna Anthony
3. Agostini Pizzuti Joseph
4. Bonden Joseph
5. Bonutti Joseph (Archbishop Casanova Prize)
6. Grech Angelo
7. Melillo John
8. Rizzo Jennifer
9. Vella-Duerck Victor
10. Zammis Carmelo.

The diploma of Bachelor in Pharmacy was also delivered to student Thomas Vella-Zarb who then had conferred upon him by the Vice-Chancellor, after having duly been administered the prescribed Oath and Act of Faith by Prof. Dr. S. M. Zarb, the degree of Bachelor of Pharmacy.

On the termination of the ceremony, the Academic Body and the students retired processionally to the University.


Secretary
22.11.52

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On the XVIIIth day of August 1925,
having passed the prescribed tests and
fulfilled all the requirements of Art
24 of the Regulations,

In Anna Caruana,
Caterina Gafa
Carmela Sammit,
Saveria Sceleros, and
Giulia Zammit

were granted the diploma of

MIDWIFE

Apt Scortino

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On the XXII day of September 1925
the diploma of

BACHELOR OF ARTS (B.A)

was conferred on M^r John Refalo, who
had passed all the Annual Examinations
of the Academic Course of Literature
1921-24.

Urgent private affairs prevented Mr
Refalo from being present at the Conferment
of degrees on 1st October or of receiving the
Academic degree in a private form

22nd September 1925
A. J. Scovington

The Ceremony of the Reopening of Schools, the matriculation of students, and the conferment of degrees on students who had completed their Course was held in the University Church on Thursday 1st October 1925. The degrees were conferred by the Hon. Prof Jean Zammit. C.M.G., M.D.; D.Lit (Oxon) Rector, assisted by the Secretary, M^{rs} A. J. Sciorius.

His Excellency Mr W. C. F. Robertson C.M.G. presided at the Ceremony.

The following were present.

General Council 1925-26.

Prof Jhos Agius. M.A.; M.D.; FR. Met.S. Rev. Prof C. Zammit D.D.; Contino Prof L. Parnosi, B.Sc., M.D.; D.O. (Oxon). Prof E. Savado, L.D.; Prof W. F. Nixon B.Sc (London) etc; Prof Owen J. Fogarty, B.A. (N.U.S). Count A. Garuana Gatto L.D. and Serafino Vella L.D.

Faculty of Theology.

Prof Mons. G. Farnocci B.A. J.U.D., D.D.; Prof Mons E. Vassallo. J.C.D.; Mons. L. Farrugra D.D.; Mons. A. Vella D.D.; Prof P.M.D.M. Callus. O.P., Arch-priest. J. Mallia. J.U.D. D.D.; and P.M. Vucuro. Jabon. O.P. Can. E. Galea. B.Lit. B.L. Can. D.D.

Faculty of Laws.

Prof. E. C. Vassallo M.A., Ph.D., Prof. L. A. Reardon
B.A., Ph.D., The Honourable M. Debono Ph.D.

Faculty of Medicine & Surgery.

Prof. S. Cassar M.D. Prof. Ugo Xerob. M.D., M.L.A.,
Dr A. Anastasi M.B.E., M.D., F. Jaccarino M.D.
C. A. Xaughi M.D., Col. C. Mauchi B.A. M.D.,
Prof. F. Debono M.D. S. Debono B.Sc. M.D.
P. P. Debono M.D. D.P.H., F.R.C.S., Prof. R.
Brentel M.A. M.D.

Engineering and Architecture.

Prof. R. V. Galea C.S.A., M.L.A., Prof. J. L. Gatt
C.S.A. and A. Drago C.S.A.

Literature & Science

Professors and examiners who belong
to either the General Council or one of
the above Faculties and G. E. Melgogio Ph.D.
M.L.A. Prof. V. Lauricena D.Lit. (Naples)
and M^r Geach Headmaster of the Lyceum.

Mass was said by Mons. G. Formosa
After Mass was sung the hymn 'veri Creator'
after which the candidates for degrees made
their Profession of Faith

At 10 a.m. His Excellency the Viceroy arrived and was received by the Rector and the General Council at the door of the Church and conducted to the dais.

There were also present all the Ministers the Chief Justice and H.M. judges.

The customary oration was delivered by the Rev Prof C. Zanini D.D who took as his subject

"De Honore Sociale."

Academic degrees were then conferred on the following :-

Graduates in THEOLOGY. D.D

Rev. Gio Carlo Buslo'

Rev. Giuseppe Cassar

Rev. Carmelo Farrugia. B.Lit

Rev. Emmanuele Valla.

Graduates in JURISPRUDENCE. (LL.D)

Philip A. Apap Bologna B.Lit

Nat Giuseppe Attard Montalto

Giovanni Borg Oliver

Salvatore Cachia.

Albert V. Camilleri B. Lit.

Paolo Farrugia B. Lit.

Jaccredi E Gouder.

Edwin Pantallero -

Vincenzo Refalo.

Giovanni Sammut B. Lit.

John Scicluna B. Lit.

Not. Hector F Vassallo.

Graduates in MEDICINE & SURGERY (M.D.)

Joseph Bugija

Frank Bueutil

Victor Camilleri.

Richard L. Gasolani

Ramiro Cauchi

Joseph E Debono. B. Sc.

Edgar Ellul

Philip Farrugia Gay B. Sc.

Louis Gubia

Blanche. H. V. Huber

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Joseph A. Manche B. Sc

Joseph Morana.

Edward J. Nicolas

Edgar C. Savona

Paolo Schimbori.

Graduates in ENGINEERING ARCHITECTURE
(B. E. and A.)

Louis Farrugia

Graduates in Canon Law. (B. L. Can.)

Rev. Gio. Carlo Buoli

Rev. Giuseppe Cassar

Rev. Camello Farrugia B. Lit.

Rev. Emmanuele Vella.

Graduates in Arts. (B. A.)

Arthur Bonnici

Graduates in Science (B. Sc)

Edgar Benzacar

Silvio Vassallo

Salvatore Vella

Charles Zahra.

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The following Students Matriculated
and received their certificate:

Edward Hunt

Harold P. McAuley

Carmelo Zammit

Alfred Scorturo
30-10-25

On Thursday 1st October 1925
the Degree of Doctor of Laws.

L.L.D. Honoris Causa.

was conferred on

His Excellency W. C. F. Robertson. C.M.G.
Officer Administering the Government.

The Secretary of the University read the
following resolution, a printed copy of
which is hereto attached as a record.

Guillelmo Carolo Fleming Robertson
Melitensi et Georgiani Ordinis Comiti.

Rector et IX viri qui Melitensi Athenaeo
dirigendo praesunt, ea memoria repetentes
quae, De Consilii Praeside, gesta sunt,
in legibus praesertim ad eiusdem Athenaei
regimen condendis, sui grati animis
sensa proderi cupientes, hanc
occasionem nacti qua Melita discedis
alium populum Magnae Britanniae
subditum gubernaturis, De humanis