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race and are playing their part very well. Each applicant is required to interview the Dean of the Faculty.

Concerning your second query - the elimination of the unfit,- our general principle is to give the student a thorough chance to prove himself and eliminate him if he fails to do so.

In the Faculty of Arts no conditions are allowed at entrance. A student is permitted a full year's work. Marking in the first year's examinations is hard and no student who fails in three subjects is allowed to return to the University. The result of this is that there are very few failures in the senior years.

In the Faculty of Medicine the course is divided into three divisions and a student must finish the work of each division completely before he proceeds to the next. If he fails in a subject he may be re-examined later in the year, but no subject can be carried over to a term forming part of another division. A poor student has no chance of remaining and there are always plenty of applicants from other universities to fill his place.

In the Faculty of Applied Science no conditions are allowed at entrance (senior matriculation) in science or mathematical subjects. The wastage in senior years is very low.

In Agriculture, which is of interest to you, we are also limited by the size of our buildings.

Our other faculties so far can accept more students than are at present entering, but this condition is almost certain to change before very long.

I hope you will find the above of some assistance in solving your problems.

Yours faithfully,

principal.