

there, also, two languages out of the three should be required.

Another important matter is this: French or German (one or both) is required as a pass subject in all honour courses, except Classics. The teaching of the elements is not properly University work. In fact, it is suggested, in the Senate's late report on University requirements, "that provision should be made by the University to check the practice of students taking up French and German without proof that they have already acquired an elementary knowledge of them."

What the Senate will do remains to be seen. It is possible that the present Senate will do nothing. Admission of blundering is doubtless disagreeable to a corporate body, as it is to an individual. It may even be that the changes required will be the result of "an infusion of new blood," just as was the original recognition of the claims of French and German away back in the fifties; but in any case it behoves the Modern Language Association not to acquiesce in an act of injustice done not only to important languages, whose interests are its especial care, but an act of injustice done to the educational system of this country.