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As history and literature has an intimate connection the one with the other and mutually explain each other, history is made a necessary part of the course in the second and third years, while, to meet the views of those who hold that modern English by itself is not enough for an honour course, candidates for honours in English only are obliged to take extra pass work in the second year.

The following is an outline of the course:
General Regulations.—Pass.—English becomes one of the group of options in the first and second years, and a special department in the third year (see table in calendar, page 45.) A student may therefore select English as one of the optional subjects in the first two years and as his special department in the third year. The subjects of the examination will be for:

First Year.

(1) Rhetoric and Composition. (Students will be required to write at least two essays a term on subjects to be selected by the lecturer.

(2) The general outline of the History of

English Literature.

(3) Selected works of authors of the Eighteenth century. (Those marked with an asterisk must be studied critically, the others

must be read carefully, but the examination on them will be confined to broad literary characteristics.)

The following are the selected authors for 1808 and 1899:

Pope—*Essay on Man-

Dryden—*Song for St. Cecilia's Day. *Alexander's Feast, and the other selections given in Ward's English Poets.

Addison—*Selections from the Spectator (Macmillan's English Classics.)

Burke—*Speech on American Taxation; speech on Conciliation with America; letter to the Sheriffs of Bristol.

Johnson—Lives of Dryden and Pope.

Second Year.

(1) History of English Literature from the Accession of Elizabeth to the Restoration..

(2) Selected works of authors of the above period.

N.B.—Students will be required to write at least two essays a term on subjects connected with the work of the year, such subjects to be selected or approved by the lecturer.

The following are the selected authors for

1800 and 1900:

Spenser—*Faerie Queene. Book I. Marlowe—Edward II.

Shakespeare—*Julius Caesar, *King Lear, Love's Labour Lost, The Tempest.

Milton—*Paradise Lost, Books I. and II. Lycidas, L'Allegro, Il Penseroso. Ode on the Morning of Christ's Nativity.

*Areopagitica.

Bacon—Advancement of Learning, Book I. Hooker—*Ecclesiastical Polity, Book I.

Third Year.

(1) History of the English Language.
(2) History of English Literature to the

Accession of Elizabeth.

(3) Selected authors: (a) Of the period before Elizabeth. (b) Of the nineteenth cen-

N.B.—Students will be required to write at least two essays a term on subjects connected with the study of English literature—such subjects to be selected or approved by the lecturer

The selected authors for 1900 and 1901 will be announced in the calendar for 1898-99, and in all cases selections will be announced in the calendar preceding that of the year in which the examination is held.

Honours.

The student who gains at the matriculation examination the Burnside Scholarship in English, history, and geography, will be al-

lowed to proceed for honours in either English or history. Students who take honours in English will be subject to the same regulations as those who take honours in any other department. (See calendar, page 53.)

First Year.

Students will be required to take the work set down for the pass department in English, and in addition, the following:

History of English Literature from Dryden to Burns.

Selected works of authors of the eighteenth century.

The following are the selected authors for 1898 and 1899: Thomson, Collins, Gray, Cowper, Burns.

The selections from these authors given in Ward's English Poets. (The lecturer will specify the selections which are to be studied critically.)

Steele—*Selections from the Tatler, Spectator, and Guardian, in Austin Dobson's collection.

Burke—*Four lectures on the Proposals for Peace with the Regicide Directory of France.

Swift—Gulliver's Travels.
Goldsmith—The Vicar of Wakefield.

Second Year.

Students not reading for honours in another department will be required to take the pass Latin and pass German or the pass Latin and the pass Greek of the second year. Students will be required to take the work set down for the pass department of English in the second year, and the following in addition:

(1) English History (1485-1688.)
(2) History of the English Drama, with the study of selected plays of which notice will be given in the Calendar for 1898-99.

(3) Additional selected authors of the period from Elizabeth to Charles II. Notice of them will be given in the Calendar for 1898-99.

Third Year.

Students will be required to take the third year work of the pass department in English, and the following in addition:

(1) The Elements of Old and Middle English. Selections will be announced in the Calendar for 1809.

(2) Additional selected authors of (a) The period before Elizabeth; (b) The nineteenth century.

(3) English History (1066-1485.)
(Notice of the third year selections will be

given in the calendar for 1899-1900.)

(4) Students of the third year will be required to write a dissertation on some subject to be selected by the professor in charge of the English department, and announced in the June of the year preceding the final examination. All dissertations must be in the hands of the professor in charge of the department by June 1st of the final year, and most state the authorities that have been consulted.

OBITUARY.

It was a deep shock which we received when we learned of the sudden death through surgical operation for appendicitis, of one of our most promising young clergy, the Rev. Frederick Robert Ghent, rector of Walkerville. He leaves to lament his loss a widow and young family and a sorrowing congregation. Conspicuous as a young preacher of ability and enterprise, he is cut off in the midst of a career of usefulness. Truly mysterious are the ways of Divine Providence. The son of S. H. Ghent, Esq., Hamilton, he was born on the 9th of March, 1862, and was thus only 35 years of age. He was educated in Hamilton, and at Huron College, London, was ordained deacon on Trinity Sunday, 1890, at St. George's church, Goderich, and priest

at St. James' church, London South, on the 24th of May, 1891. He was incumbent successively of the missions of Paisley and Pinkerton, Granton and St. Mary's church, Walkerville. He was personally popular, and his services and ministrations were received with great acceptance. We tender all the members of his family the expression of our sincerest sympathy. The funeral took place Sunday afternoon from his father's residence, Hamilton. It was largely attended, among those present being members of the deceased's congregation at Walkerville, also members of the Knights of Pythias and Canadian Order of Foresters. The Rev. Canon Bland, the Rev. George Forneret, the Rev. W. H. Wade, and other clergymen were present, and conducted the services at the house and grave. R.I.P.

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International Committee.

To the Members of every Chapter of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew throughout the Anglican Communion: Since our letter of March 1 arrangements for the first international convention of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew have progressed steadily. The convention will meet in the city of Buffalo, United States of America, Wednesday afterpoon, October 13, and will continue until Sunday evening, October 17. Among the distinguished speakers who have accepted the committee's invitation to address the convention are these: From England-the Right Rev. Edward Stuart Talbot, D.D., Lord Bishop of Rochester, and the Rev. Charles Gore, D.D., Canon of Westminster. From Scotland-the Very Rev. Vincent L. Rorison, D.D., Dean of St. Andrew's. From the West Indiesthe Rev. C. H. Coles. From Canada—the Right Rev. Maurice S. Baldwin, D.D., Lord Bishop of Huron; the Right Rev. J. Philip DuMoulin, D.C.L., Lord Bishop of Niagara; the Rev. Edward A. Welch, M.A., Provost of Trinity College, Toronto; and George R. Parkin, LL.D., president of Upper Canada College. From the United States-the Right Rev. William D. Walker, D.D., Bishop of Western New York; the Right Rev. Wm. Croswell Doane, D.D., Bishop of Albany; the Right Rev. Henry C. Potter, D.D., Bishop of New York; the Right Rev. Thomas U. Dudley, D.D., Bishop of Kentucky; the Right Rev. Daniel S. Tuttle, S.T.D., Bishop of Missouri; the Right Rev. Davis Sessums, D.D., Bishop of Louisiana; and the Right Rev. Thomas F. Gailor, S.T.D., Bishop-Coadjutor of Tennessee. In addition there will be lay speakers from the Brotherhood itself. Delegates are expected from England, Scotland, and the West Indies, as well as from the United States and Canada. Letters have been received from Bishops in many parts of the world wishing the Brotherhood and the convention Godspeed, and regretting their unavoidable absence. Particulars concerning the programme, hotel and railroad arrangements will be found in "St. Andrew's Cross" for September and October. Besides affording means of acquiring new information and fresh courage for the work, which as a Brotherhood we have undertaken, this first international convention will give an unprecedented opportunity for laymen to testify to the essential oneness of the world-wide Anglican Communion. We ask every chapter of the Brotherhood throughout the world to spare no reasonable expense of time or money to be represented in this gathering. Silas McBee, chairman; John W. Wood, secretary; William C. Sturgis, John Seely Ward, jr., H. D. W. English, Eugene C. Denton, for the Brotherhood in the United States: George A. Spottiswoode, for the Brotherhood in England; Cyril H. Dunderdale, for the Brotherhood in Scotland; N. Ferrar Davidson, James L. Houghteling, R. Vashon Rogers, T. R. Clougher, for the Brotherhood in Canada; E. Jamaica, for the Brotherhood in the West Indies and South America; A. D. Fraser, for the Brotherhood in Australasia.