

shall make due Provision: Provided always, that any Student, who, at the Time of his Entrance to the University, shall satisfy the Professors in the Faculty of Arts, on Examination, that he is qualified to attend the higher Classes of Latin, Greek, and Mathematics, or any of them, shall be admitted to such higher Class or Classes, as the Case may be, without having previously attended the First or Junior Class or Classes in the same Department or Departments: Provided also, that, where a Student has been admitted to the higher Classes both of Latin and Greek, without having previously attended the First or Junior Latin and Greek Classes, his Course of Study for the Degree of Master of Arts may be completed within Three Winter Sessions, instead of Four.

H. In pursuing the Course of Study for the Degree of Master of Arts, no Student shall be permitted to pass from the Junior to a higher Class in any Department, unless the Professor shall be satisfied of his Fitness to enter the higher Class.

III. Examinations for the Degree of Master of Arts shall take Place, in each University annually, at such convenient Time, after the Close of the Winter Session, as the Senatus Academicus shall from Time to Time appoint; with Power to each University to appoint Examinations to take Place at such other Time or Times as may be convenient.

IV. Candidates for the Degree of Master of Arts shall be examined on the Subjects of Instruction embraced in the Course of Study above prescribed; and the Examinations may be conducted partly in Writing and partly *visà Voce*.

V. Any Student, who has completed his Attendance on the Latin and Greek Classes required in the prescribed Course of Study, may be examined on these Subjects at any Examination for Degrees, although he has not completed his Attendance on the other Classes of the prescribed Course; and, in like Manner, any Student, who has completed the Attendance required in the prescribed Course of Study on the Classes of Logic and Moral Philosophy and Course of English Literature, may be examined on these Subjects at any Examination for Degrees, although he has not completed his Attendance on the other Classes of the prescribed Course; and also, in like Manner, any Student, who has completed the Attendance required in the prescribed Course of Study on the Classes of Mathematics and Natural Philosophy, may be examined on these Subjects at any Examination for Degrees, although he has not completed his Attendance on the other Classes of the prescribed Course; and, if such Student shall satisfy the Examiners, when so examined in Latin and Greek, or in Logic, Moral Philosophy, and English Literature, or in Mathematics and Natural Philosophy, he shall receive from them a Certificate to that Effect, and he shall not be again examined on the same Subjects, as a Condition of his taking the Degree of Master of Arts.

VI. Students, who have passed satisfactorily an Examination or Examinations on the several Subjects embraced in the prescribed Course of Study, shall be entitled forthwith to receive the Degree of Master of Arts without Honours; but they may, before taking a Degree, offer themselves for a farther Examination with a View to Graduation with Honours: Provided always that no Person shall be admitted to Examination for Honours, after he has ceased to be a Matriculated Student in Attendance on a Class or Classes in the University, for

more than One Winter Session; but it shall be in the Power of the Senatus Academicus in particular Cases, on the Ground of ill Health or other sufficient Cause, to dispense, so far as may be necessary, with this Regulation.

VII. There shall be Four Departments, in any One or more of which Candidates for Graduation with Honours may offer themselves for Examination, viz.:—(1) Classical Literature; (2) Mental Philosophy, including Logic, Metaphysics, and Moral Philosophy; (3) Mathematics, including pure Mathematics and Natural Philosophy; and (4) Natural Science, including Geology, Zoology, and Chemistry.

VIII. In each of the first Three of the above mentioned Departments, viz., in Classical Literature, in Mental Philosophy, and in Mathematics, there shall be Two Grades of Honour, each representing, as nearly as may be, a uniform Standard of Qualification, to be denominated respectively the First Class and the Second Class; but in the Department of Natural Science there shall be One Class of Honours only; and the Examiners shall determine, with reference to each Candidate for Honours, whether he is entitled to any honourable Distinction, and, if so, whether, in regard to each of the first Three Departments, he has attained the Standard of the First, or only of the Second Class; and the Names of the Candidates entitled to Honours in each Class, in the several Departments, shall be arranged in alphabetical Order.

IX. The Examiners for Graduation without Honours in each University shall be the Professors whose Classes are embraced in the prescribed Course of Study, and, in Addition, three Persons, not being Professors or Assistant Professors in any *Scottish* University, to be appointed by the University Court, and in the Appointment of whom Regard shall be had to their Eminence in Classical Literature, Mental Philosophy, and Mathematical Science.

X. Of the Three Examiners first appointed by the University Court in each University, One shall be appointed for the Term of Two Years, another for the Term of Three Years, and the Third for the Term of Four Years; and thereafter, every additional Examiner shall be appointed for a Term of Three Years: Provided that the Appointment of any Examiner, during the Currency of his Term of Office, to a Professorship or Assistant Professorship in any *Scottish* University, shall be held to vacate his Office of Examiner: Provided also, that, in the Event of a Vacancy in the Office of an Examiner occurring otherwise than by Expiration of his Term of Office, the Examiner, to be appointed by the University Court in his Room, shall be appointed for the Remainder of such Term only.

XI. No Person who has been appointed to the Office of Examiner for the Period of Three Years or Four Years, shall be eligible for Re-appointment to the Office of Examiner in the same University, until he has ceased to hold the Office of Examiner in such University for not less than One Year.

XII. The Examiners for Graduation with Honours shall be the same Professors and additional Examiners, as for Graduation without Honours; and, in the Examination of Candidates for Honours in the Department of Natural Science, there shall be added the Professors of Natural History and of Chemistry, and the University Court may, if they think fit, appoint an additional Examiner, skilled in Natural Science, not being a Professor or Assistant Professor in any *Scottish* University.