



UNIVERSITY
OF NATAL



CONGREGATION FOR THE
SPECIAL GRADUATION
AND THE
INSTALLATION

OF
BERNARD ALBERT ARMITAGE

L.D.S., R.C.S.(Edin.), L.R.C.P. & S.(Edin.)
L.R.F.P.S.(Glas.), F.R.C.S.(Edin.)

AS
CHANCELLOR

TUESDAY
9 OCTOBER 1973
3.00 P.M.

STUDENTS UNION HALL
PIETERMARITZBURG







Marmaduke
Preston

BERNARD ALBERT ARMITAGE, J.P., L.D.S., R.C.S.(Edin.), L.R.C.P. & S.(Edin.), L.R.F.P.S.(Glas.), F.R.C.S.(Edin.), was born in Pietermaritzburg. He went to Maritzburg College and Natal University College, and then to Edinburgh where he qualified in dentistry in 1930 and in medicine in 1931. After two years at Grey's Hospital in Pietermaritzburg he returned to Scotland and became a fellow of the Royal College of Surgeons of Edinburgh in 1935.

After his return to practise in Pietermaritzburg he joined the honorary visiting staff of Grey's Hospital and specialised in surgery. He was head of the department until retirement in 1967 when he became honorary consultant surgeon. At Edendale Hospital he was an honorary visiting surgeon from its opening until 1966.

Mr Armitage joined the Medical Association of South Africa in 1935. He was secretary of the Natal Inland Branch for five years and then its president. He was elected to the federal council in 1945 and to its executive committee in 1957. In 1968 he was elected national president and he also received the Association's gold medal for meritorious service. He is still a member of the federal council.

He joined Rotary in 1937 and was president of the Pietermaritzburg club in 1943; and governor of district 230 of Rotary International in 1968. He has been chairman of the Pietermaritzburg and District Community Chest since its inception in 1961.

In 1931 he joined the South African Red Cross Society and he was chairman of the Pietermaritzburg branch for some twenty years. He was chairman of the Natal region for twelve years and he has been national president since 1969. He has been awarded the voluntary services medal and five clasps, and he has the Society's highest award — honorary life membership.

He was elected to the University Council by the constituency of donors in 1966 and he was its vice-chairman from 1970 to 1973. He has been associated with the Faculty of Medicine for two decades through his membership of the Joint Standing Advisory Committee: he was chairman for two years.

He is a member of the national council and of the executive committee of the South African National Tuberculosis Association. He was given civic honours by Pietermaritzburg in 1972.

Mr Armitage is a Freemason and is district grand master, grand superintendent and inspector-general for Natal. He is provincial prior for South Africa. This year he was made a knight grand cross of the great priory for England and Wales, an honour confined to fifteen in the world of English Freemasonry.

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ORDER OF PROCEEDINGS

SPECIAL GRADUATION CEREMONY

THE Academic Processions enter the Hall

The Congregation
stands

THE Vice-Chancellor's Procession enters the Hall

The University
Anthem
The Choir

THE Vice-Chancellor, Professor F. E. Stock, shall
constitute the Congregation

THE CALL OF SOUTH AFRICA

Ring out from our blue heavens,
From our deep seas breaking round;
Over everlasting mountains
Where the echoing crags resound;
From our plains where creaking wagons
Cut their trails into the earth—
Calls the spirit of our Country,
The land that gave us birth.

At thy call we shall not falter,
Firm and steadfast shall we stand,
At thy will to live or perish,
O South Africa, dear land.

Choir and
Congregation

The Congregation
sits

PRAYERS: Professor A. G. Rooks, Head of the
Department of Divinity

*Audite Verbum Dei scriptum in Testamento Vetere. Dicat Dei
spiritus in proverbiorum libro capite in octo.*

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In summis, excelsisque verticibus supra viam, in mediis semitis
stans, Juxta portas civitatis in ipsis foribus loquitur, dicens:*

*O viri, ad vos clamito, et vox mea ad filios hominum. Audite,
quoniam de rebus magnis locutura sum: et aperientur labia mea,
ut recta praedificent. Veritatem meditabitur guttur meum, et labia
mea detestabuntur impium. Justi sunt omnes sermones mei, non
est in eis pravam quid, neque perversum. Accipite disciplinam
meam, et non percuriam: doctrinam magis, quam aurum eligite.
Melior est enim sapientia cunctis pretiosissimis: et omne desidera-
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eruditus intersum cogitationibus. Meum est consilium, et aequitas,
mea est prudentia, mea est fortitudo. Per me reges regnant, et
legum conditores justa decernunt. Per me principes imperant, et
potentes decernunt justitiam. Ego diligentes me diligo; et qui mane
vigilant ad me invenient me. In viis justitiae ambulo, in medio
semitarum judicii. Ut ditem diligentes me, et thesauros eorum
repleam. Dominus possedit me in initio viarum suarum, antequam
quidquam faceret a principio. Ab aeterno ordinata sum. et ex
antiquis antequam terra fieret. Cum eo eram cuncta componens et
delectabar per singulos dies, ludens coram eo omni tempore.
Ludens in orbe terrarum; et deliciae meae esse cum filiis hominum.*

OREMUS:

Deus omnipotens, coeli et terrae rex, orationes nostras auribus tuis percipe et intercessionem nostras quas hodie apud Te habemus solita benignitate considera!

Ad Te, Domine, animas nostras attollimus et nomen Tuum glorificamus. Oramus ut hodie et semper, in hoc universitatis nostrae congregatione, Tuae praesentiae sancto afflatu refoveamur.

Servum Tuum, cancellarium nostrum, dirige ut amoris Dei et sapientiae plenus, agmina studiosorum, sive docentium sive discipulorum, luce Tua illuminatus gubernet et hanc universitatem ad gloriam Tuam et in usum civitatis nostrae administret.

Da ut nos quoque exemplo eius incitati artes et scientias usque ad honorem Tuum et summum bonum omnium in patria habitantium diligenter colamus.

Intercessionem facimus ut sub praesidio Tuo, Domine, universitas tota cum familia studiosorum plenam veritatem inveniat. Benedic servum Tuum, cancellarium nostrum, ut benevolentia Tua omnia opera, omnes labores eius Ipse circumtegas.

(Translation on centre page)

The Dresden Amen
The Choir

THE University Orator, Professor M. F. Prestwich, shall present BERNARD ALBERT ARMITAGE to the Vice-Chancellor for the conferment of the Degree of Doctor of Medicine, *honoris causa*.

THE Vice-Chancellor shall confer the degree of Doctor of Medicine, *honoris causa*, on BERNARD ALBERT ARMITAGE

Worship
Geoffrey Shaw

The Choir



INSTALLATION CEREMONY

THE Chairman of Council, Mr L. S. Robinson, shall present the Chancellor-Elect to the Vice-Chancellor.

THE Vice-Chancellor shall require the Chancellor-Elect to take the oath of office.

THE Chancellor shall be robed by the Registrar, Mr A. K. B. Skinner.

THE Vice-Chancellor shall conduct the Chancellor to the Chair-of-Office, and shall present the Chancellor to the Congregation.

THE University Orator shall invite distinguished guests to deliver their greetings.

GREETINGS

Ego Sum Pastor Bonus
John Rombaut

The Choir

Jubilate Deo
Wolfgang Mozart

ADDRESS: Dr B. A. Armitage
Chancellor

THE Chancellor shall dissolve the Congregation.

THE Chancellor's procession and the academic processions shall retire.

The Congregation stands

Gaudeamus Igitur
The Choir



All guests are invited to
partake of refreshments in the
WILLIAM O'BRIEN DINING HALL
after the ceremony



PRAYER

Hear the word of God from the Old Testament in the eighth chapter of Proverbs:

Is it not Wisdom calling, Knowledge raising her voice? On the high ground by the roadside, in the streets she takes her stand, by the gateways opening to the city, at the entries, she is crying out:

"O men, I am calling to you, my appeal is to all men! Listen, for I have a weighty message, my lips open with right words, I utter what is true, false lips I loathe. All I say is honest, with nothing in it false or wrong. Choose instruction rather than silver, and knowledge rather than rare gold; For wisdom is better than rubies, no treasure is equal to her. I, Wisdom, have intelligence in hand, knowledge and insight I command. Counsel and skill are mine, I possess mind and might. It is by me that monarchs reign, and rulers deal out justice, By me that great men govern, and magistrates rule the earth. Those who love me, I love them, and those who seek me find me. I deal quite fairly, justly do I act, Enriching those who love me, and filling their stores full. The Eternal formed me first of his creation, first of all his works in days of old; I was with him then, his foster-child, I was his delight day after day, playing in his presence constantly, playing here and there over his world, finding my delight in humankind."

LET US PRAY:

Almighty God, ruler of heaven and earth, hearken unto our prayers and with Thy wonted favour look upon our intercessions, which we bring to Thee this day.

To Thee, O Lord, we lift up our spirits and glorify Thy Name. We pray that, now and for evermore, we, in this congregation of our University, may be refreshed by the sacred inspiration of Thy presence.

Direct Thou Thy servant, our chancellor, so that he, fulfilled with the love of God and with wisdom, may rule, illuminated by Thy light, the ranks of those who study, and administer this University to Thy glory and for the benefit of our land.

Grant that we, too, inspired by his example, may zealously cultivate the arts and sciences to Thy honour and for the utmost good of all who live in our nation.

We plead that under Thy protecting providence, O Lord, the whole University with the community of those that study may find the abundance of Thy truth.

Bless Thy servant, our chancellor, so that Thou mayest encompass all his works and labours with Thy favour.

OATH OF OFFICE

I, BERNARD ALBERT ARMITAGE, do solemnly declare that I will faithfully and to the best of my ability discharge all the duties and obligations pertaining to the office of Chancellor of the University of Natal, according to the statutes, regulations, and usages made or established in that behalf, and will promote the well-being of the University and that of its members so far as in me lies.



CHOIR

UNIVERSITY CHORAL SOCIETY

Conductor:	Moirá Birks
Accompanist:	Valerie Stowe





UNIVERSITEIT
VAN NATAL



VERGADERING VIR DIE
SPESIALE PROMOSIEPLEGTIGHEID

EN DIE
INHULDIGING

VAN
BERNARD ALBERT ARMITAGE

L.D.S., R.C.S.(Edin.), L.R.C.P. & S.(Edin.)
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AS
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DINSDAG
9 OKTOBER 1973
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STUDENTE-UNIESAAL
PIETERMARITZBURG





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BERNARD ALBERT ARMITAGE, V.R., L.D.S., R.C.S.(Edin.), L.R.C.P. & S.(Edin.), L.R.F.P.S.(Glas.), F.R.C.S.(Edin.), is in Pietermaritzburg gebore. Hy het aan die Maritzburg College en die Natalse Universiteitskollege studeer en later in Edinburgh as tandarts in 1930 en as geneesheer in 1931 gekwalifiseer. Na 'n tweejaarlange verbintenis met die Grey's Hospitaal in Pietermaritzburg is hy terug na Skotland waar hy in 1935 lid van die Royal College of Surgeons van Edinburgh geword het.

Na sy terugkeer om in Pietermaritzburg te praktiseer het hy by die besoekende ere-personeel van die Grey's Hospitaal aangesluit as chirurg. Hy was Hoof van die Departement Snykunde tot sy aftrede in 1967 toe hy verder as raadgewende ere-chirurg opgetree het. By die Edendalese Hospitaal was hy ere-besoekende snykundige van die totstandkoming tot 1966.

Mnr Armitage het in 1935 by die Mediese Vereniging van Suid-Afrika aangesluit. He was vyf jaar lank Sekretaris van die binnelandse tak en toe President daarvan. Hy is in 1945 tot die Federale Raad verkies en het in 1957 lid van die Uitvoerende Komitee geword. In 1968 is hy tot Nasionale President van die Vereniging gekies en is die goue medalje vir voortreflike diens aan hom toegeken. Hy is steeds lid van die Federale Raad.

In die jaar 1937 het hy by die Rotariërs aangesluit en was in 1943 President van die Pietermaritzburgse Klub; en Goewerneur van die Distrik 230 van die Rotary International in 1968. Hy was van die begin in 1961 af voorsitter van die Distriksgemeenskapskas van Pietermaritzburg.

In 1931 het hy by die Suid-Afrikaanse Rooikruisvereniging aangesluit en hy was oor die twintig jaar lank voorsitter van die Pietermaritzburgse tak. Hy was twaalf jaar lank voorsitter vir die Streek, Natal; en die medalje vir vrywillige diens met vyf gespes is aan hom toegeken. Hy het die hoogste onderskeiding van die Vereniging verwerf — lewenslange ere-lidmaatskap.

Hy is in 1966 deur die donateurskiesafdeling benoem tot die Universiteitsraad en was van 1970 tot 1973 Ondervoorsitter. Hy is twee dekades lank verbind met die Fakulteit van Geneeskunde deurdat hy lid van die Gesamentlike Dagbestuur van die Adviserende Komitee was. Hy was twee jaar lank voorsitter daarvan.

Hy is 'n lid van die Nasionale Raad en van die Uitvoerende Komitee van die Suid-Afrikaanse Nasionale Teringassosiasie. Die ereburger-skap van die Stad Pietermaritzburg is in 1972 aan hom toegeken.

Mnr Armitage is 'n Vrymesselaar en Distriks-Grootmeester, Groot-superintendent en Inspekteurgeneraal vir Natal. Hy is Provinsiale Prior vir Suid-Afrika. Vanjaar is hy verhef tot Ridder van die Groot Kruis van die Groot Prioraat van Engeland en Wallis, 'n onderskeiding wat tot slegs vyftien persone in die Engelse Vrymesselaarswese beperk word.

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VERLOOP VAN VERRIGTINGE

DIE SPESIALE PROMOSIEPLEGTIGHEID

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Vergadering
staande

DIE prosesie van die Vise-Kanselier tree die Saal binne

Die Universiteitslied
Die Koor

DIE Vise-Kanselier, Professor F. E. Stock, sal die
Vergadering konstitueer

DIE STEM VAN SUID-AFRIKA

*Uit die blou van onse hemel,
Uit die diepte van ons see,
Oor ons ewige gebergtes
Waar die kranse antwoord gee,
Deur ons ver verlate vlaktes
Met die kreun van ossewa—
Ruis die stem van ons geliefde
Van ons land Suid-Afrika.*

*Ons sal antwoord op jou roepstem,
Ons sal offer wat jy vra:
Ons sal lewe, ons sal sterwe,
Ons vir jou, Suid-Afrika.*

Koor en
Vergadering

Die Vergadering
gaan sit

GEBED: Die Hoogleraar in Godgeleerdheid, Professor
A. G. Rooks, gaan voor in gebed

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(Vertaling op middelblad)

Die Dresden Amen
Die Koor

DIE Woordvoerder van die Universiteit, Professor M. F. Prestwich, sal BERNARD ALBERT ARMITAGE aan die Vise-Kanselier vir die graad Doktor in die Geneeskunde, *honoris causa*, voorstel.

DIE Vise-Kanselier sal die graad Doktor in die Geneeskunde *honoris causa*, aan BERNARD ALBERT ARMITAGE toeken.

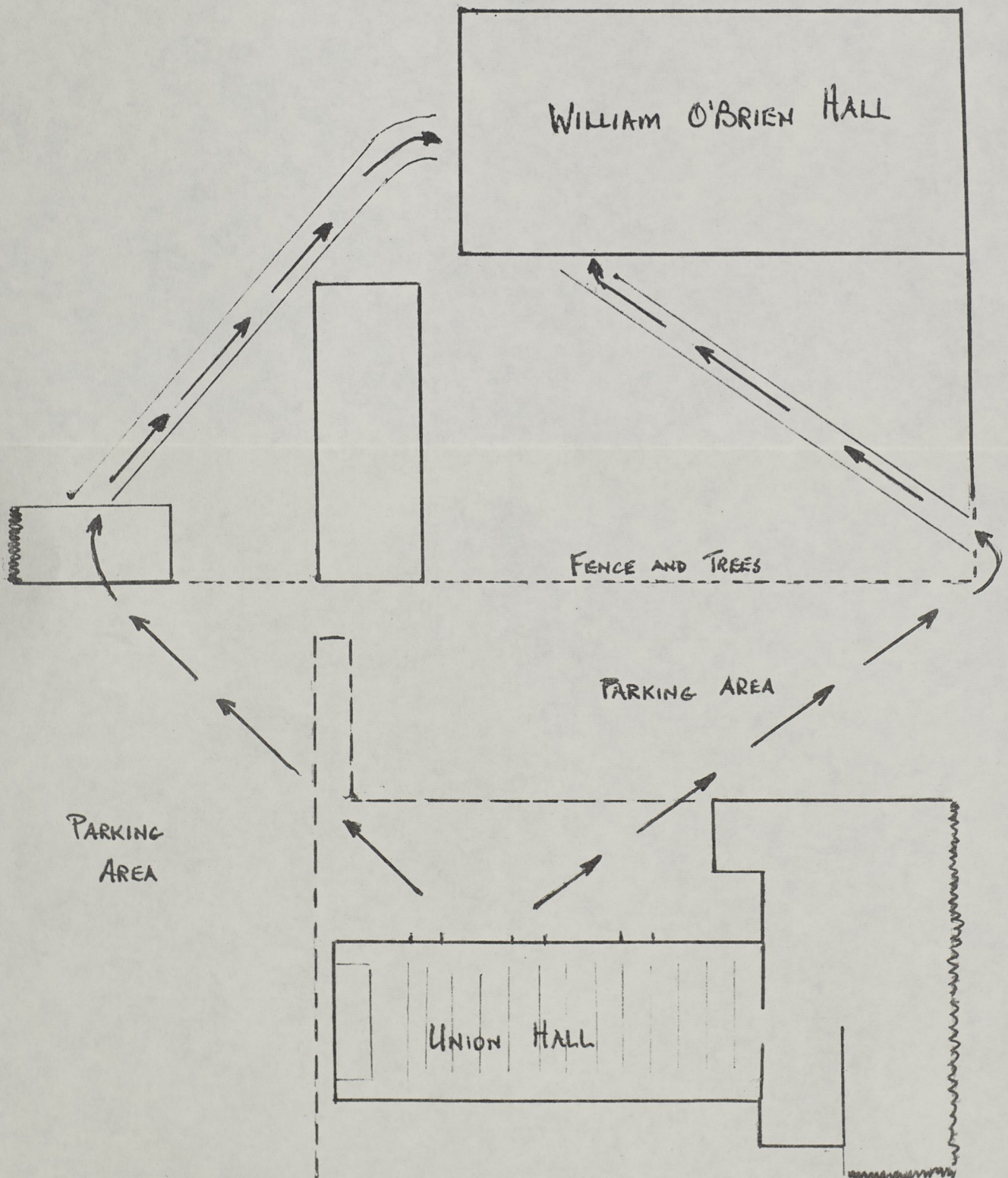
Verering
Geoffrey Shaw

Die Koor



UNIVERSITY OF NATAL
CHANCELLOR'S INSTALLATION CEREMONY

Guests wishing to take refreshments in the William O'Brien Hall after the Ceremony, are requested to leave the Hall, after the processions have retired, through the side doors and make their way to William O'Brien Hall by one of the routes indicated below.



STAGE SEATING

62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69	70	71	72	73	74	75	76	77	78	79	80	81	82	83
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LEGEND

FRONT ROW

1. Mr. C. Lautembach - President, SRC., Durban
2. Miss N. de Havilland - President, SRC., Pietermaritzburg
3. Prof. M. Pretorius - University Orator
4. Prof. A. Rook - Head of Department of Divinity
5. Mr. A. Skinner - Registrar
6. Prof. E. Phillips - Vice-Principal, Durban
7. Prof. R. MacMillan - Vice-Principal, Pietermaritzburg
8. Mr. B. Armittage - Chancellor-Elect
9. Prof. F. Stock - Vice-Chancellor and Principal
10. Mr. L. Robinson - Chairman, University Council
11. Mr. P. Fowle - Provincial Councillor, Representing the Administrator of Natal
12. Mayor M. Pugin - Mayor of Pietermaritzburg
13. Mayor R. Williams - Mayor of Durban
14. Dr. F. de Villiers - Chancellor, University of South Africa
15. Prof. J. de Villiers - Rector, University of Stellenbosch
16. Prof. J. Maré - Rector, University of Zululand
17. Mr. G. Bond - President of Convocation

SECOND ROW

18. Mr. T. Cochran - Deputy Registrar
19. Dr. W. Busch - Chancellor, Rhodes University
20. Dr. H. Oppenheimer - Chancellor, University of Cape Town
21. Prof. E. Axelson - Acting Deputy Principal, University of Cape Town
22. Prof. J. Boshoff - Rector, University of the North
23. Mr. R. de la Bat - Vice-Principal, Rand Afrikaans University
24. Prof. S. Jackson - Acting Principal, University of the Witwatersrand
25. Prof. T. van Wijk - Principal, University of South Africa
26. Mr. W. du Plessis - Registrar, Rand Afrikaans University
27. Mr. L. Faber - Deputy Registrar, University of Cape Town
28. Dr. E. Malherbe - Emeritus Vice-Chancellor
29. Prof. G. Nienaber - Emeritus Professor Afrikaans/Nederlands
30. Prof. A. Petrie - Emeritus Professor of Classics
31. Prof. A. Bayer - Emeritus Professor of Botany
32. Mr. G. du Toit - Registrar, University of the Orange Free State
33. Prof. S. Olivier - Rector, University of Durban-Westville
34. Prof. E. Hamman - Vice-Chancellor and Principal, University of Pretoria
35. Prof. A. Goosen - Representing the University of Port Elizabeth
36. Prof. H. Bingle - Vice-Chancellor and Principal, University of Potchefstroom
37. Hon. Justice O. Schreiner - Chancellor, University of the Witwatersrand
38. Sir H. McDowell - Chancellor, University of Rhodesia
39. Dr. I. du Plessis - Chancellor, University of the Western Cape

THIRD ROW

40. Prof. E. Burchell - University Council and Senate
41. Mr. M. Croser - University Council and Senate
42. Dr. G. Hollis - University Council
43. Cllr. B. Hughes - University Council
44. Cllr. K. Morrison - University Council
45. Prof. B. Adams - Dean of Medicine
46. Prof. F. Hayward - Dean of Education
47. Prof. G. Quicke - Dean of Agriculture
48. Prof. G. Trotter - Deputy Dean of Arts
49. Prof. P. Boyesen - University Senate
50. Prof. R. Elsdon-Dew - University Senate
51. Prof. I. Gordon - University Senate
52. Prof. T. Bosman - University Senate
53. Prof. C. Abbott - University Senate
54. Prof. P. Theron - Dean of Arts
55. Prof. A. Mathews - Dean of Law
56. Prof. R. Harley - Dean of Engineering
57. Prof. G. Schreiner - University Council and Senate
58. Mr. P. Nel - University Council
59. Mr. J. Hopkins - University Council and Senate
60. Mr. D. Grice - University Council
61. Prof. D. Clarence - University Council and Senate
62. Prof. K. Nathanson
63. Prof. J. Niven
64. Prof. A. Rayner
65. Prof. P. Scholtz
66. Prof. S. Sherry
67. Prof. M. Schmidt-Ihms
68. Prof. W. Stielau
69. Prof. D. Sutton
70. Prof. M-L. Tildaud
71. Prof. P. Vorster
72. Prof. A. Weiss
73. Prof. H. Wette
74. Prof. T. Villiers
75. Prof. M. Sumner
76. Prof. P. Saythe
77. Prof. H. Shiels
78. Prof. F. Schuddeboom
79. Prof. E. Ricketts
80. Prof. R. Raven
81. Prof. C. Nienaber
82. Prof. N. Lamond
83. Prof. K. Knight

LAST ROW

University Senate