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Тема: ИСПОЛЬЗОВАНИЕ ИМЕН СОБСТВЕННЫХ В РАСШИРЕНИИ СЛОВАРНОГО СОСТАВА АНГЛИЙСКОГО ЯЗЫКА

ABSTRACT

**Subjectmatter:** Use of Proper Nouns in the Enrichment of English Vocabulary.

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Creative use of proper nouns in the process of English word formation has been in evidence throughout the decades, and even centuries. There are many other examples of proper nouns used in established idioms and phrases in English. The English people accept such terms into their general vocabulary and don’t generally know or concern themselves about their origin. Neologisms based on proper nouns almost always feature people in the public eye, politicians and celebrities of sport, film and television, etc.

**Topical Importance:** this paper provides a complex study of the transition of proper nouns to the nominal nouns.

**Goals:** to define the role of onomastic lexicon in the process of the enrichment of the English vocabulary and to show that this factor of language development can’t be underestimated.

**Tasks:** – to select examples of the proper names used in the process of the English vocabulary enrichment;
– to reveal distinctions in the sources of the enrichment of the English vocabulary;
– to define structural-semantic features of these proper names;
– to reveal the existing regularities and to make conditional classification of these lexical units.

**Theoretical value and practical applicability:** The number of words in a language is therefore not constant; the increase as a rule, more than makes up for the leak-out. It means that the vocabulary of any language does not remain the same but changes constantly. This research paper contains informative
theoretical and practical material about proper nouns and their role in the enrichment of the English language.

The material of this qualification paper can be used as an aid for lectures of lexicology and it also can be used as a topic for discussion for students of Language Departments.

**Results:** English language and, naturally, its onomastic lexicon, occurring in the society, depend on the living conditions of the society, on the people speaking this language and on the corresponding culture. In return, the culture also experiences the influence of the onomastic lexicon which is expressed, in particular, in enrichment of dictionary and phraseological structure of the language and its semantic system.

It is impossible to receive an accurate culturological picture and to understand mentality of the people without understanding and studying the onomastic lexicon.