

benefactions of the late Mr. R. Barr Smith, and especially alluded to his generous gift to the Cathedral Building Fund. At the conclusion of the services Handel's "Dead march" in "Sam." was played.

At St. Andrew's Church, Walkerville, on Sunday, a muffled peal of bells was sounded, in respect to the memory of Mr. Barr Smith. By a coincidence it had been arranged to unveil, in the morning, a memorial to the late Mrs. Mitchell (wife of Professor Mitchell), a daughter of Mr. Barr Smith. Bishop Wilson took the opportunity to pay a fine tribute to the deceased's citizen's generosity toward the church and other sections of the community; also to his integrity as a man.

In the course of his sermon on Sunday morning, the rector of Holy Trinity Church (Rev. F. Webb) referred to the great loss the community has sustained by the death of Mr. Barr Smith. He said the wealth God had blessed the deceased with had been largely used for the good of his fellow-men. There was scarcely an institution in South Australia that had not been the recipient of his bounty. He had shown remarkable sagacity in the distribution of his gifts. They had generally been bestowed at the psychological moment, and so his generosity had not hindered the liberality of others. All his good works had been marked, too, with a great modesty. He won a worthier title than any knighthood could give to the lasting respect of the people. It was good to think of him as one who lived to help others, without a thought of honours he might have justly claimed. Adelaide had produced many generous citizens, and among them the late Mr. Barr Smith occupied a front place. He had raised for himself a monument of love more enduring than the perishable memorials of time.

THE FUNERAL.

The funeral cortege left the residence of Mr. T. E. Barr Smith, Birksgate, Glen Osmond, on Sunday at 5.30 p.m., and reached the Mitcham Cemetery about an hour later. Considering the short notice the friends of the deceased received of the death, there was a large procession of vehicles. From the cemetery gates the party proceeded to the graveside, Mr. T. E. Barr Smith leading the mourners, and carrying the urn containing the ashes of the deceased, whose remains were cremated at the Adelaide Crematorium on Saturday night, when only the relatives and immediate friends of the deceased were present. Part of the Office for the Burial of the Dead was performed at the Crematorium by Archdeacon Clappett, who also conducted a brief service at the graveside on Sunday. The urn containing the remains of the deceased was then placed alongside those of two of his children in the family vault in the Anglican portion of the cemetery. There were many floral tributes. The bereaved family were represented by Mr. T. E. Barr Smith, Mr. T. O'Halloran Giles, Professor W. Mitchell, and Mr. R. Giles. Among those present at the graveside were Dr. Gerald Hayward (representing His Excellency the Governor), the Premier (Hon. C. Vaughan), the Chief Secretary (Hon. A. W. Styles), members of the council of the Adelaide University (with which deceased had been connected since 1896), including the Vice-Chancellor (Mr. Justice Murray), the warden of the senate (Mr. F. Chapple, C.M.G.), the Hon. F. S. Wallis, M.L.C. (Chairman of the Trades Hall managing committee), Professor Rennie, Canon Girdlestone, the Director of Education (Mr. M. M. Maughan), Dr. Poulton, and Mr. G. Brookman; members of the staff of the University, comprising Professors Osborn, Henderson, Darnley Naylor, Chapman, Jethro Brown, Kerr Grant, Sir Douglas Mawson, Mr. W. Howchin, F.G.S., the Registrar (Mr. C. R. Hodge), the Assistant Registrar (Mr. F. W. Eardley), and the Librarian (Mr. R. J. M. Clucas); Capt. C. P. Butler (representing the State Military Commandant, Col. A. H. Sandford), Sir Richard Butler, Sir Edwin Smith, Lieut.-Col. R. S. Rogers, Mr. Commissioner Russell, Mr. T. Gill L.S.O., Dr. H. Swift, and Messrs. W. H. Phillips, J. R. Baker, Gavin Gardner, F. W. van Sander, P. Waite, F. Downer, J. A. Hele, and A. Martin.

UNIVERSITY ENDOWMENTS.

Important Scholarships.

The statutes for four new scholarships, worth £1,500, were approved at a meeting of the University Senate on Wednesday afternoon. In introducing the matter, the Warden (Mr. Frederic Chapple, C.M.G.) said it was highly satisfactory to know that so many additions had been made to the endowments of the University. It showed not only that members of the community wished to keep green the memory of important men, but that in doing so they turned naturally towards education as the best means of achieving that end. That state of affairs was gratifying to the members of the senate. (Hear, hear.)

—In Memory of a Soldier.—

The first scholarship to engage attention was that originally established by the Commercial Travellers' Association in 1879, valued at £150, but which, as the result of the generosity of Sir Edwin Smith, had been increased to £650, so as to embrace a much greater scope for the successful scholar. Mr. S. Talbot Smith pointed out that the old scholarship restricted the winner to only two subjects, but in its new form it would allow the holder to take any course which the University provides. In adding to the sum Sir Edwin Smith made the request that the name should be changed to the Eric Smith Scholarship. This request had been granted; so that it will serve to commemorate Sir Edwin's grandson, Lieut. Eric Wilkes Talbot Smith, who was mortally wounded at the Dardanelles on April 25. It is worthy of note that under this scholarship the University will pay the fees at the School of Mines for any scholar taking a degree in engineering, and the fees at the Adelaide Hospital for any scholar taking a degree in medicine.

—The First "Bursar."—

All commercial travellers revere the memory of the late Mr. Archibald Mackie, who for many years was Secretary of their association, and they have subscribed £100 for the purpose of founding a bursary to bear his name. It will be awarded from time to time to a student nominated by the Commercial Travellers and Warehousemen's Association, who will take the course for the diploma in commerce. This is the first use of the word "bursar" in the Adelaide University except from Government nominations.

—Two Endowments for One Memory.—

A scholarship in political economy or some cognate subject in memory of the late Mr. J. L. Young, founder and proprietor of the Adelaide Educational Institution, at which so many notable South Australians studied, has recently been established—the late Mr. J. H. Finlayson having bequeathed £200 to the University for that purpose. To further perpetuate his memory, however, some of his old pupils have subscribed and paid to the University a further sum of £700 for the purpose of promoting with the income thereof original research in any department of knowledge. It was agreed on Wednesday that the sum of £200 should remain attached to the John Lorenzo Young Scholarship for research in political economy, to be awarded on the recommendation of the Faculty of Arts, and that it should be worth £30. The other endowment, however, will be known as the John L. Young Scholarship for Research. This will provide for research work in any branch of knowledge to be awarded to graduates or present or past students of the University. The conditions of the statute also set out that "the council may from time to time make grants out of the income of the fund to assist members or students of the University engaged in research work; but such grants shall not confer upon the recipients the right to be styled John L. Young scholars. Subject to any such grants, the whole income of the fund for the year preceding the award shall be paid to the scholar in two instalments, one conveniently after his election and the other on the receipt of a satisfactory report of progress from the Dean of his Faculty, but not earlier than six calendar months after his election. The scholarship may be held in conjunction with any other scholarship or prize at the University, and may be awarded more than once to the same candidate."

—Probable Increase.—

Mr. Talbot Smith, who urged the approval of each of the new scholarships by the senate, pointed out that the sum already contributed by the old scholars of the late Mr. Young was £700 (in addition to Mr. Finlayson's bequest), but it was expected that it would increase as time went on. He would therefore ask for the right to amend the statutes when occasion arose. It was highly gratifying to the admirers of the late educationist to know that there were two such scholarships established in his memory. The recommendations of the council with regard to the three scholarships were adopted.

—Clinical Prize.—

At the instance of Dr. Lendon, similar action was taken with regard to the Lister prize, for which £100 had been given by an anonymous donor to found a prize in memory of the late Lord Lister, to be awarded in 1916 and every second year thereafter for the best original thesis on some clinical surgical, or clinical medical subject. It will consist of £7 and a bronze medal, and will be open to medical graduates of the University of not more than five years' standing.

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PERSONAL.

Speaking at the meeting of the Senate of the Adelaide University on Wednesday, the warden (Mr. F. Chapple, C.M.G.) made sympathetic reference to the death of Mr. R. Barr Smith. He mentioned that Mr. Barr Smith had been a member of the Council of the University, and as that was the first meeting of the Senate since his death he thought it would be fitting that some tribute should be paid to his memory. By his death the University had lost a good friend. He had been a member of the Council for 19 years, and during the earlier part of that period especially, and even before it, he had assiduously devoted his energies to promoting the interests of the institution, and he had frequently rendered generous financial assistance. He had been a munificent benefactor, and in many ways had shown his sympathy with the University. The members of the Senate present stood as a mark of respect to the memory of Mr. Barr Smith.

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JOHN L. YOUNG RESEARCH SCHOLARSHIP.

A further sum of £200, being the amount subscribed by four old scholars during the present week, was on Friday paid over to the registrar of the University, making the total now paid to him towards the establishment of the John L. Young scholarship for research work £700, which does not include the £200 bequeathed by the late Mr. J. H. Finlayson, respecting which it was

necessary to establish a separate scholarship, styled "the John Lorenzo Young Scholarship," for political economy, in accordance with the conditions of the bequest. The funds of the two scholarships total £900, and a small balance remains in the hands of the hon. treasurers, Messrs F. W. Bullock and J. T. Fitch. The hon. secretary is Mr. E. S. Hughes.