

# The University of Sydney

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20 August 1918

RECEIVED from M. H. C. Saxby Esq.  
the sum of One Hundred and fifty pounds

shillings and \_\_\_\_\_ pence for the foundation  
of the H. C. Saxby Memorial Prize

H. E. BARFF,

Registrar,

£ 150 —

per WM

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Year

# The University of Sydney.

22nd August

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Dear Sir,

I am in receipt of your letter of the 18th instant enclosing the amount of £150. for the establishment of a prize in Mathematics I for first year engineering students in memory of your late son, K.K. Saxby. The gift will be reported to the Senate at its next meeting.

Yours faithfully,

*M. E. Barff*

WARDEN and REGISTRAR.

*per RAB*  
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G.C. Saxby Esq., B.A.,

High School,

EAST MAITLAND.

Brady & Fitzroy Sts.,  
Croydon,  
28 : 4 : '19.

Mr. Saxby.

Dear Sir,

I must thank you for your kindness in writing to me such an interesting and inspiring letter. The value of the Prize is, of course, greatly increased by the circumstances associated with its foundation, and doubly so when accompanied by a message such as that which you have this year sent to me. For I naturally wished to know more of the man whose name it bears, especially after hearing Professor Carshaw's tribute to him, in class. I can assure you that the story of the sacrifice made by such as your son will be a source of inspiration to those of us who were not able to take an active part in the war before it ended. This latter fact increases my sympathy with Mrs. Saxby and yourself in your irreparable loss.

I regret very much, that, in the first year in which the Prize was awarded, the winner was ~~not~~ more worthy of it, in that he did not fill the first place in the class list, and I sincerely hope that in future years the "Engineers" will consistently overcome

the handicap which the heaviness of their First Year course places upon them.

Again thanking you for your letter, and for the good wishes conveyed therein,

I am,

Yours very truly,

Ronald L. Aston.

Aston's  
letter about



Mr. G. Saxby,

~~Boys' High School,~~

~~Barton Street~~

~~Mayfield~~

~~Ncle~~

~~East Maitland.~~

