No. , 1916.

A BILL

To provide that certain prizes and medals founded at the University of Sydney for award at certain examinations of the University may be awarded at certain other examinations of the University, and to vary the terms and conditions on which the prizes and medals may be awarded; and for purposes consequent thereon or incidental thereto.

[Mr. James;— December, 1916.]

BE it enacted by the King's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly of New South Wales in Parliament assembled, and by the authority of 5 the same, as follows:—

1. This Act may be cited as the "University Prizes short title. and Medals Alteration Act, 1916."

Varying of foundation.

2. Notwithstanding the terms and conditions on which the prizes and medals mentioned in the Schedule to this Act were founded, the University of Sydney may award such prizes and medals at the examinations and in accordance with the provisions set forth in the 5 Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

Prizes and medals.

Foundation.

The Fairfax prizes.

Founded in 1872 by a gift of five hundred pounds from John Fairfax, Esquire, to constitute "two annual prizes for ladies in the Senior and Junior Public Examinations, one for twenty pounds, and the other for ten pounds, the candidates for the Senior Prize to be not under fifteen or over twenty-five years of age, and for the Junior Prize to be not over seventeen years of age."

The John West medal.

Founded in 1874 by a gift of two hundred pounds from subscribers to a memorial of the Rev. John West in accordance with a resolution, "That the amount subscribed be invested in Government debentures, which will be handed over in trust to the Senate of the Sydney University with a view to the appropriation of the interest thereon for an annual gold medal to be awarded to the most proficient candidate in the Senior Public Examination, and to be called the West Medal."

Examinations at which and provisions in accordance with which the prizes and medals may 10 be awarded.

The Fairfax prizes may be awarded at the University examinations for scholarships at entrance to the University as one 15 annual prize, to be called the Fairfax Prize, to a woman entering the University, provided that at the date of examination she is not over twenty-five years of age, but 20 in all other respects the award shall be in accordance with the terms and conditions of the foundation.

The John West Medal may be 25 awarded at the University examinations for scholarships at the entrance to the University, but in all other respects the award shall be in accordance with the 30 terms and conditions of the foundation.

Founded in 1891 by a bequest of one hundred pounds from William Grahame, Esquire, of "Strathearne," Waverley, in the 5 following terms:—"I bequeath unto the University of Sydney the sum of one hundred pounds upon trust that the same shall be from

time to time invested by them in 10 the said Colony or some other part of the British dominions at interest on Government or real security, or in such other manner as they shall think advisable; and

15 that the interest and annual proceeds thereof shall be expended in providing annually a gold medal to be called the Grahame Prize Medal, and to be awarded subject

20 to such rules as the Senate shall from time to time make to such candidate as shall display the greatest proficiency at the Senior Public Examination."

The Grahame Prize Medal may The Grahame be awarded at the University prize medal. examinations for scholarships at entrance to the University, but in all other respects the award shall be in accordance with the terms and conditions of the foundation.