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BIRTHS

On the 14th inst., at The College, Inverness, the wife of C.W. BOURNE, M.A., of a son.

On Wednesday, 15th Aug., at Walsington, Torre Park, Torquay, wife of RUPERT PELLY, Esq. of Adelaide, S. Australia, of a son.

On the 16th inst., at Ampfield House, Shooter's-hill-road, the wife of R. COOPER WILLIS, Q.C., of a daughter.

MARRIAGES

On the 15th Aug., at St. Jude's, Dulwich-road, by the Rev. R.R. Ransford, assisted by the Rev. F.J. Lansdale, FREDERICK HENRY COX, of Highclerc, Leigham-valley-road, Streatham, to FANNY MARIA (TOTTY), eldest daughter of the late W.E. MILLER, 23, Dulwich-road. Colonial papers, please copy.

DEATHS

On the 14th inst., at 175,Adelaide-road, South Hampstead, CATHERINE KING, widow of WILLIAM WELLINGTON COOPER, in her 73rd year.

On the 15th Aug., 1888, at 98, Priory-road, West Norwood, ROBERT ARTHUR FARQUHAR YEO, second son of Thomas and Helen Margaret Yeo, in his fifth year.

IN MEMORIUM

On the 17th August, 1886, fell asleep, after rapid consumption, at Bournemouth, MARGARET LOUISA (GRETCHEN), the dearly beloved and only daughter of Mrs. MONA LOUISA HANNAH, and granddaughter of the late William Brook, of Gledholt, Esquire, J.P. for the county of York. Greatly mourned. (In most loving memory -- A.E.L.)

FUNERALS.-- COBAY'S for FUNERALS.

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PERSONAL, &c.

PARKES KNOTT.-- You promised on your honour to communicate in August. Why find me out to torture me thus? Trusting you, as you asked, I have made engagements I cannot fulfill. Mind and body, I am seriously ill. So I deserve all this from you? Anyhow, tell me the worst. Suspense is torture, and not like you.

METRO GIBBONS.-- Your MOTHER is ILL. Written to Carlton twice.-- J.G.

AMATEUR GOLF CHAMPIONSHIP. - The AMATEUR CHAMPIONSHIP GOLF COMPETITION, open to members of any Golf Club, will be held at St. Andrews, commencing Sept. 21 st. Entries close on Sept. 18th. For particulars, apply to Green, Committee Royal and Ancient Golf Club, St. Andrews.

GOLFERS.- - Long-Driving Contest to be held at Richmond Park on Wednesday, Aug. 29th. Compete with such champions as Edwin Mackinnon and Douglas Rolland. Address enquiries to Sir Francis Cook, Doughty House, Richmond

WILLIAM RICHMAN PIDDINGTON, late of Sydney, in New South Wales, Bachelor, deceased.-- HEIRS and NEXT of KIN of the above, who arrived in New South Wales 30 years ago, and whose sister REBECCA PIDDINGTON, resided several years ago at 16, Strand, London, WC, are requested to COMMUNICATE with the under-signed at once.

DEANE and DEANE, Solicitors to the Estate, 55 Elizabeth-street, Sydney, New South Wales.

TAXIDERMIST.- Big game or small. See Bilbo UNDERHILL, 48, Leonard's-terrace.

TONIGHT-- MALLORY KEENAN speaks on Home Rule at the IRISH SOCIAL CLUB. Public welcome. 8 p.m., 8 Lant-street, SE.

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LIONS MURDERED IN HYDE PARK

Two lions, both male, were found shot to death in Hyde Park in the early hours of this morning. Neither the constable who discovered the macabre sight nor the inspectors of Scotland Yard admit to any clue as to the perpetrator or motive for this bizarre affair.

HOME RULE MEETING AT KENDAL

A crowded Home Rule meeting was held in St. George's Hall, Kendal, yesterday evening. Mr.T.P. O'Connor, M.P., speaking in support of a resolution-expressing unabated confidence in the remedial Irish policy advocated by Mr. Gladstone, said it was a singular fact that the Tories and Liberal Unionists made very much of the charges brought by The Times against the Irish party so long as the latter took no notice of them; but that immediately that party showed the least intention of meeting the charges and putting them to the test of proof, their opponents found their courage oozing out at their fingers' ends. As soon as the Irish party had an opportunity of proving that the charges were false, the whole tune and tone of the Unionists changed, and they declared that the charges were trifling and unimportant. With reference to the cry that Home Rule would lead to separation, he said that the Irish leaders had pledged themselves to a frank, candid, and honest acceptance of Mr. Gladstone's policy, which provided for a subordinate Parliament.

To the Editor of the Times

Sir,– Surely the time has come to grant Home Rule to Ireland – to let the Irish people out from under the heavy paw of the British Lion. After decades of violence we should realize that continued resistance to an idea whose time has come can only result in more violence. Boycotts and assassinations will not cease through an endless progression of Acts of Coercion, Land or Arrears. We can only hope that the Lion will soon release its prey – a prey which would certainly prove more valuable if not completely devoured.

I am, Sir, your obedient servant,
Dirken Topper
29, Brook-street, Grosvenor-square

To the Editor of the Times

Sir,– Having agonized on what it takes to have you print one of my many critical missives, I have changed my tack to say how much I love everything - even The Times.

Geoffrey Worleson

RECENT EXCAVATIONS IN EGYPT

At the London University College on Wednesday afternoon, before an appreciative audience, Dr. Ebenizer Turnbull delivered a lecture, which dealt with the history of excavations, and the method by which they may most profitably be conducted. Dr. Turnbull and archeologists James Windibank and Andrew Weatherby are embarking this week on a new Egyptian expedition, excavating Katebet's Tomb at the head of the Valley of the Kings near Karnak and Luxor.

Saturday's lecture was illustrated by photographs thrown on a screen by the electric light which showed vividly and distinctly not only the work done at its various stages, but the modus operandi, the conditions under which work of this character must be carried on, and the instruments necessary for the purpose, and enabled those present to realize that, in classical study as in the sciences, there is an ample field of experiment and discovery open to the individual.

Dr. Turnbull prefaced his lecture by an explanation of the real objects of these excavations. In these days,

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whatever might have given the first stimulus to such efforts, the primary motive was certainly not to find and keep treasure, any more than it was the aim of the astronomer to possess a star. The modern archeologist was as little to be confounded with the treasure-seeker as the mineralogist was with the gold miner. His aim must be to restore to life the monuments of bygone times, to bring vividly before us the various phases of ancient societies, whether civilized or uncivilized.

LAW NOTICES

This Day (Friday) August 17

HOUSE OF LORDS, Westminster –At 10:15:– Cause – South-Eastern Railway Company v. London, Chatham and Dover Railway Company (further hearing).

JUDICIAL COMMITTEE OF THE PRIVY COUNCIL, Whitehall – at 10:30: – Sri Ammi Devi v. Sri Vikrama Devi, part heard.

HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE CHANCERY COURT I – Before MR. JUSTICE KEKEWICH, at 10:30: Native Guano Company v. Sewage Manure Company.

Jarndyce v. Jarndyce, the landmark case which had been called off by its participants after a century of adjudication was re-opened yesterday, without any member of the Jarndyces involved. Settlement expected.

THE TIMES may be PURCHASED, in Paris, at 8, Rue des Capucines; in Boulogne-sur-Mer, at Meridew's Library; in Brussels, at 46, Rue de la Madeleine; and in Rome, at I, Piazza di Spagna.

COURT CIRCULAR

Balmoral, Aug 15

The Queen drove out yesterday morning attended by the Hon. Harriet Phipps, and afterwards went out attended by Lady Ampthill, and in the afternoon Her Majesty drove with Princess Alice of Hesse to Abergeldie and visited the Princess of Wales.

Prince Henry of Battenberg, attended by Colonel Clerk, went to Invercauli and joined Sir Algernon Borthwick in a grouse drive.

Earl Gadogan left the Castle yesterday morning. The Hon. Harriet Phipps has also left, and the Hon. Evelyn Moore has arrived at the Castle as Maid of Honour in Waiting.

August 16

The Queen went out yesterday morning attended by the Hon. Evelyn Moore, and in the afternoon Her Majesty drove, accompanied by Princess Alice of Hesse and attended by Lady Ampthill.

Madame Albani Gye had the honour of singing before the Queen and the Royal Family yesterday afternoon.

Mr. Captain and the Hon. Mrs. Gye and Mlle. Jeunese accompanied Madame Albani Gye.

Prince Henry of Battenberg, attended by Colonel Clerk, joined Prince Albert Victor of Wales at Glen Muick in a drive which Mr. Mackenzie had for black game.

MYSTERIOUS DEATH

Shortly after 9 o'clock yesterday morning the body of a man about 30 years of age was found lying in St. Georges-road, Southwark. A short time previously the deceased, a sailor, supposed to be the captain of a sailing ship, was seen being led in the direction where the body was found by two women and a man. The body had been robbed, even to gold earrings which the man had been observed to have been wearing. Two women of ill fame and a man described as a labourer, but known to be the associate of bad characters, have been taken into custody on suspicion of having caused the sailor's death. There were no wounds on the body, and it is supposed that an overdose of some drug had been administered.

APPEAL TO THE PUBLIC– The investigators of Scotland Yard have appealed to the public for any information on the recent disturbances in Whitechapel. Anonymity guaranteed.

MR. GLADSTONE

Mr. Gladstone has sent the following reply to the address in favour of Home Rule presented to him and signed by clergymen of the Church of England: – 7 James-street, SW, Aug. 14

My dear Mr. Dean, - I have had the honour to receive the letter addressed to me by a body of more than 250 clergymen of the Church of England, who in it have strongly expressed their approval of the policy of Home Rule for Ireland.

I rejoice to perceive in this list so many names, besides your own, distinguished for sound judgement and wide practical experience, for learning and ability, for self-denying and devoted service.

Other names are known to me of distinguished men who, without concurring in every phrase of this letter, agree heartily in its cardinal proposition, or who, having no scruple as to any of its expressions, have shrunk from exposing themselves and their familiar, or the work they have in hand, to the consequences of a public declaration of this kind consequences known to me in more than one painful instance.

I entertain a lively hope that reflection and further information as to many odious proceedings now carried on in Ireland and thinly covered (as has for centuries been the estimated practice) by the desecrated names of law and order will greatly widen among the estimated clergy that which they have already so much widened among our countrymen at large the conviction that no honour and no advantage can be gained by a continued refusal to accede to the moderate and constitutionally expressed demands of the Irish people.

I remain, with much regard, faithfully yours,
W.E. GLADSTONE
Very Rev. the Dean of Winchester.

ACCIDENT ON DOCKS

Barry O'Neill, lion tamer for Roy Slade's Wild African Extravaganza, was injured yesterday as the show was being unloaded at the London docks. It is unfortunate that the spectacle, which will beat Hengler's Circus, will be opening tonight without one of its top-billed acts. Mr. Slade assured us, however, that the show will be "buzzing with excitement," as always.

PRESIDENT CARNOT

Paris, August 16

President Carnot arrived here at 5 o'clock this evening.

SITUATIONS

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In the tennis-court at Lord's yesterday a match was played between Mr. E.B. Curtis and James Harradine, of Cambridge. The latter, who received half 15, was beaten by three sets (6 games to 1, 6 to 4, and 6 to 3) to love. Afterwards the pair played a couple of sets on level terms. Mr. Curtis won both by six games to four each.

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