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that there is no truth whatever in a report published yesterday that Mr J L Toole intends to retire from the stage. The veteran actor is slowly recovering from an attack of gout and fully intends to re-appear as soon as his health is quite restored.

The birth of a son and heir to Mr Victor Cavendish is of happy augury as securing the succession to the Devonshire title and estates. Mr Cavendish enjoys a wide and well-deserved popularity, and he has been the recipient of numerous congratulations with reference to the recent auspicious event.

As Mr Gladstone is not expected to pay an early visit to London, the illuminated manuscript copy of the Gospels sent for him from Armenia, will probably be presented to the right hon gentleman about a week hence, at Hawarden. The manuscript to be presented is said to be finer than any in the British Museum.

MURCHISON GIFT GOLD MINING COMPANY.—*Truth*, May, says:—"Considerable dealing are reported in the shares of Murchison Gift Gold Mining Company at 5s to 5s 6d, and the outlook bids fair for a good rise. The Company has acquired the Christmas Box property near the well-known mines. A fair amount of development work has been carried out, and the experts state that in two shafts sunk the reef has been proved. The capital is £60,000, in shares of 10s, with 8s paid.

Announcements of Births, Marriage and Deaths, not exceeding 5 lines (which must in all cases be duly authenticated), are charged 2s 6d each. For every additional line 6d.

BIRTHS.

Harris—On the 9th instant, at 7 Victoria Terrace, The wife of R. Harris of a son.

Howell—May 7, at Rothsay, St Leonards-on-Sea, the wife of John Howell of a son.

MacLaren—April 22, at 94 Webster road, Liverpool, the wife of Gordon S MacLaren of a daughter.

Duggan—May 8, at 14 Eton Villas, Haverstock hill, London, N W, the wife of H P Duggan of a son.

Carter—May 4, at 67 Lower Leeson street, Dublin, the wife of F M Rodney Carter, R N R, of a son.

MARRIAGE.

Phelps and Hunter—May 8, at Christ Church, Epsom, by the Rev J F Phelps, Francis Robinson, of St John the Divine, Kennington, eldest son of the Rev J F Phelps, Vicar of Weaverham, Cheshire, and grandson of the late Sir Bryan Robinson, Judge of the Supreme Court of Newfoundland, to Edith, youngest daughter of the late Richard Hunter, Esq, of Lincoln's Inn, and 'The Copse, Wimbledon.

DEATHS.

Harris—On the 9th inst., at 7 Victoria Terrace, the infant son of R. Harris.

Brown—May 6, at his residence, Underwood Park, Paisley, in his 65th year, Robert Brown, sen., of the firm of Robert Brown and Son, Paisley and Dublin.

Byrne—May 9, at The Cottage, Stanhope street, Athy, Maryanne, eldest daughter of the late Mr Patrick Byrne, Tully House, Queen's County.

Corcoran—May 9, at his residence, 10 Buckingham street, Dublin, Edward Corcoran, for 42 years in the employment of Messrs Hutton and Sons, Summer hill.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS.

The Treasurer of the Protestant Aid Society begs to acknowledge having received the following subscriptions for the General Fund:—Messrs Joseph Matterson and Sons, £15; Rev Canon

barque Cumbræ, which left Sydney eighty days ago for Valparaiso, and has not been heard of since. The voyage usually occupies forty-five days.

BURNT TO DEATH.

Annie Dean, of Woodgreen, Middlesex, and her six months old baby, have been burnt to death through the mother, who suffers from fits, falling into the fire.

THE ELBE DISASTER.

It is stated that the North German Lloyd's are willing to facilitate the Board of Trade inquiry into the loss of the Elbe by sending witnesses from the Crathie to give evidence before the Marine Court in Germany.

CHINA AND JAPAN.

Yokohama, Saturday.

Admiral Kabayane has been appointed Japanese Commander-in-Chief in Formosa.

THE CUBAN REBELLION.

New York, Saturday.

A Havana despatch states that Marshal Compos requires no more men to suppress the Cuban rebellion.

TWO MEN CRUSHED TO DEATH.

Two men were crushed to death last night at a Bathgate colliery, Linlithgowshire.

SPORTING INTELLIGENCE

[SPECIAL TELEGRAMS.]

KEMPTON PARK RACES—THIS DAY.
Hampton Handicap—Favoro, 1; Tup, 2; Knocklayd, 3. Ten ran
Sunbury Plate—Flora Dance, 1; Mask Ball, 2; Pakington, 3. Nine ran
Jubilee Stakes—Victor Wild, 1; Grey Leg, 2; El Diablo, 3. Eighteen ran
Shepperton Welter—Devil's Dyke, 1; Eel King, 2; Billbrook, 3. Twenty-seven ran
May Plate—Collapse, 1; Sequidilla colt, 2; Charles Lamb, 3. Thirteen ran
Maiden Plate—Cold Steel, 1; Pedrillo, 2; Ilmington, 3. Seven ran

H STARTING PRICES.

Hampton—10 to agst Favoro
Sunbury—10 to 1 agst Flora Dance
Jubilee—20 to 1 agst Victor Wild
Shepperton—100 to 7 agst Devil's Dyke
May—9 to 2 agst Collapse
Maiden—8 to 1 agst Cold Steel

COURSE BETTING.

Jubilee Stakes.
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