

from his wife, known at music halls as Bonnie Kate Harvey, the co-respondent being a Birmingham jewellery traveller named George William Fletcher, now deceased. Counsel for petitioner while opening the case was interrupted by another barrister, and he then said he wished to withdraw the petition. Counsel for the respondent said this had come as a surprise. He asked that the petition be dismissed with costs, and Sir Francis Jeune dismissed the petition accordingly.

#### A ROMAN CATHOLIC PILGRIMAGE TO CANTERBURY.

The members of the Catholic Guild of Our Lady, numbering over three hundred, and conducted by the Rev Philip Fletcher, Master of the Guild, visited Canterbury to-day for their annual pilgrimage. A procession was formed, and headed by acolytes and cross-bearers, marched via Dane John Gardens, to St Thomas's Church, reciting the Rosary and singing hymns. The scene was very impressive.

#### MR. STANLEY.

Mr Stanley is slightly better to-day.

#### BOGUS CLUBS IN LONDON.

Police Superintendent Smith stated at the Licensing Commission to-day that of 113 clubs in the neighbourhood of Piccadilly, St James's and Leicester Square, one-third were bogus ones.

#### BOARD OF TRADE RETURNS.

The Board of Trade returns show that imports for June amounted to £35,229,255, being an increase of 1,334,671 as compared with the same month last year. The exports for the month were £20,530,053, an increase of £2,729,953 over the same month last year.

#### THE SMALL-POX OUTBREAK AT GLOUCESTER.

At to-day's meeting of the Gloucester Guardians it was reported no fresh cases of small-pox had been notified in the city for three days.

#### COLLISION OFF BEACHY HEAD.

An inquiry was held at Portsmouth to-day into the collision off Beachy Head last night between torpedo boat No. 94, and a steamer, by which the former vessel sustained damage.

#### ACCIDENT TO H.M.S. "DIDO."

The steamer State of Nebraska from New York was proceeding up the Clyde to-day when she ran against the stern of H.M.S. Dido, moored in the river. Both vessels had several plates stove in, the State of Nebraska being most damaged of the two.

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| 22 Wednesday ... 3 p.m. | 22 Wednesday ... 10 a.m. |
| 23 Thursday ... 3 p.m.  | 23 Thursday ... 10 a.m.  |
| 24 Friday No Sailing    | 24 Friday ... 12 n'n     |
| 25 Saturday ... 8 a.m.  | 25 Saturday ... 1 p.m.   |
| *25 Saturday ... 4 p.m. |                          |
| †27 Monday ... 9 a.m.   | †27 Monday ... 6 p.m.    |
| 28 Tuesday ... 10 a.m.  | 28 Tuesday ... 3 p.m.    |
| 29 Wednesday 10 a.m.    | 29 Wednesday 3 p.m.      |
| 30 Thursday .. 10 a.m.  | 30 Thursday... 3 p.m.    |
| 31 Friday ... 10 a.m.   | 31 Friday ... 3 p.m.     |

\* On Saturday, July 11th, 18th and 25th, Afternoon Sailings, Limerick for Kilrush direct, not calling at Intermediate Stations, nor carrying Goods nor Live Stock.

† On Monday, July 13th and 27th—Week Day Excursions—Limerick to Kilrush and Killee.

*Announcement 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.

Hall—July 5th, at Crag Villa, Limerick, the wife of Ambrose Hall, junr., of a son.  
D'Arcy—On the 2nd instant, at the Medical Hall, Tipperary, the wife of Morgan M D'Arcy, Pharmaceutical Chemist, of a son.  
Turner—On the 3rd instant, at Ely Lodge, Lismore road, Eastbourne, the wife of Harold A Turner, L D S Eng, of a son.  
Maude—On the 2nd instant, at Osnaburgh House, Camberley, the wife of Captain F Stanley Maude, Coldstream Guards, of a daughter.

#### MARRIAGE.

Dobbie and Mitchell—On the 4th instant, at St Stephen's Church, South Kensington, London, by the Rev G Sutton Flack, Vicar of the Parish, John C Dobbie, Glasgow, to Mary, fifth daughter of the late Sir W H F Mitchell, K C M G, of Barfold, President of the Legislative Council of Victoria.

#### DEATHS.

Chester—At Brighton square, Rathgar, on the 5th instant, Jane Charlotte Chester, widow of the late Right Rev. Lord Bishop of Killaloe, and daughter of the late Charles Meredith, of Dublin. Funeral at Parsonstown on Wednesday, the 8th instant.  
Scanlan—July 7th, at his son-in-law's residence, Ballyclough House, Roxboro', Michael Scanlan, aged 76 years, deeply regretted. Funeral from St. Michael's Roman Catholic Church on Thursday at 10 o'clock.  
Stafford—On the 2nd inst, at Tully House, Cavan, Anna Letitia, fourth daughter of the late Major Randall Stafford, and granddaughter of the late Colonel the Hon Arthur Willoughby Cole-Hamilton, Beltrim, Co Tyrone.

#### ACKNOWLEDGMENT.

The Treasurer of the Protestant Aid Society begs to acknowledge with thanks receipt of £1 ls. per J Norris Russell, Esq, Foreman of the City Grand Jury.

#### WHEATLEY'S HOP BITTERS.

Professor Tichbourne pronounces it to be a Healthful Tonic and Beneficial Non-Intoxicating Beverage. [Feb 29]