

TO-DAY'S TELEGRAMS.

(Special to the Chronicle.)

MURDER AND SUICIDE.

Terrible Tragedy in Birmingham.

Murder and suicide took place at Birmingham this morning. Samuel Bowler, a butcher, had been lodging with a widow named Alice Gertrude Smith in Stafford street, and had suggested marriage to her. Yesterday, however, she discovered he was married and gave him notice to leave. Some words ensued between the parties this morning, and Bowler picked up a knife and fatally cut the woman's throat and took his own life in a similar manner.

FIRE IN A LODGING-HOUSE.

Many Seriously Injured—One Life Lost.

Early to-day, a fire occurred at a large lodging house in Great Bartholomew street, Birmingham. A number of men jumped from the third-storey windows into the street. Many were seriously injured, one fatally.

Later.—The house is kept by an Italian, and ten Arabians slept there last night. Six of the men jumped to the pavement, one being killed.

LORD ILKESTON'S CONDITION.

Lord Ilkeston's condition remains about the same as yesterday.

NEW CUNARDER.

It is officially announced, to-day, that Scott's Shipbuilding Company, Greenock, have contracted to build for the Cunard Line another twin-screw passenger steamer. It is understood that the vessel's dimensions will be larger than the two building by Scott's for the Cunard Company.

BRITISH CRUISERS ORDERED TO THE EAST.

Malta, Saturday.—The British cruisers "Burham," "Weymouth," and "Medea," were ordered by wireless to proceed eastward to convenient places to await eventualities.

THE EX-SULTAN.

Constantinople, Saturday.—Ex-Sultan Abdul

BIRTHS. MARRIAGES. DEATHS.

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HUGHES—October 27, 1912, at Kingsbury Cross, Marlborough, the wife of George H. Hughes, of a son.
MOBERLY—October 29, 1912, at Forest Lodge, Simla, India, the wife of Captain B. E. Moberly, 50th Rifles, F.F., of a daughter.
MOLONY—October 30, 1912, at 35 Fitzwilliam Place, Dublin, the wife of Thomas F. Molony, K.C., Solicitor General, of a son.

MARRIAGES.

CARRAGHER and SMYTH—October 17, 1912, at St. Macarten's Cathedral, Monaghan, by the Rev. James McPhillips, Adm., James, youngest son of the late Mrs. Mary Carragher, Castleblaney, Co. Monaghan, to Mary Frances, eldest daughter of Patrick Smyth, Esq., J.P., Castleblaney, Co. Monaghan.

COYLE and MEDCALF—October 29, 1912, at St. John's Church, Monkstown, by the Rev. Charles Lowse, M.A., Vicar, Harold Edgar, youngest son of the late Benjamin Coyle, Derrymore, Dalkey, and of Mrs. A. E. Birt, Fintragh, Knappock road, Kingstown, to Constance Gertrude, elder daughter of William Medcalf, Hillside, Glengary, Co. Dublin.

DEATHS.

BROWNE—On the 28th October, 1912, at Keigets Surrey, the Lord Richard Howe Browne, aged 78.
HARRINGTON—On the 31st October, 1912, at Landscape House, Shanakiel, Cork, Robert Harrington. R.I.P.
ROBINSON—October 29th, 1912, at his residence, Devonport-road, London. C. W. Robinson, eldest son of the late Joseph Robinson, of Corbally House, Limerick.
WHITE—On 30th October, 1912, at Coonaha Lodge, Bantry, Margaret, widow of the late Captain E. R. White, in her 88th year.

WREATHS, NEW DESIGNS made up in
BOUQUETS, CHOICEST CUT FLOWERS
CUT FLOWERS PROMPT DESPATCH.

W. M. KIDD, Florist, 4 George-street, LIMEMICK.
TELEGRAMS—"William Kidd." TEL

STRAYED—On the 29th inst., two red heifers with tails cut, from Power's fields, Lifford. Any information thankfully received. John O'Malley, Roche's Street. (a1 n2)

YOUNG GIRL requires employment as shop assistant, quick at writing and figures; can be seen personally. Apply, 390 this office. (a1 n2)

APARTMENTS—Bedroom and private sitting-room to let at 21 Upper Mallow street; bath, hot and cold. (a3 n7)

DELICIOUS BREAKFAST TEA, 2s. per lb.; 5lbs. for 9s. 2d.—Bennis & Sons, 30 George street. (a6 n14)

PLAIN GARDENER and general man, 24, single, good milker; highly recommended; good discharges. Hawker's Agency, 50 George Street. (a1 n2)

LICENSED HOUSE TO BE LET, No. 3 Edward Street; rent moderate; requires no outlay. Apply, M. Gleeson, 3 Mount Vincent Place, Military Road. (a3 n8)

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Park Meeting.

ay Bit, 1; Tiger II 2; Quick-umble C, Walmer, Bonfire, Issues, Sontans, Flurry, Monotons, 7 to 1 Bonfire, 8 Thimble C, 10 to 1 each and Walmer, 100 to 8 Tiger ers.

ste—Lalla F, 1; Nigger, 2; an—Lord Clare, Mugswell, laby, Miss Doris F, Lord of en Seal, Sweet Dixie, Lady Betting—11 to 8 agst er, 10 to 1 New York, 100

8 each Lord of Song and others.

ate—Mondragone, 1; Fusil, n—Rangag, Arbalest, Madge is, Submit, and Celluloid. Mondragone, 5 to 1 Submit, ach Celluloid and Arbalest, to 8 others.

p Steeplechase—Master-at-2; Baeldi, 3. Also ran—d Dustman, Betting—3 to 1, 1 Simonoff, 10 to 1 Baeldi, to 8 Longwater and others.

ght Handicap—Sootch Duke ar, lead heat; Benanety-3. I, Holt's Pride, Sea Fairy, Betting—2 to 1 agst Sootch t, 10 to 1 Questa II, 100 to o 1 Yorkshire Hussar, and thers.

y Handicap—Jerpoint f., 1 n Chinaman, 3. Seven ran st Jerpoint filly, 9 to 1 Parla- Chinaman.

up—Lavolt, 1; Wolfe Land, Also ran—Hamerton, Baohe-