

# THE LATE MR. C. P. MELLY.

The mortal remains of the late Mr. Charles Pierre Melly were laid in the family vault at the Ancient Chapel, Toxteth, yesterday at noon. The cortege left "Riversley," Mossley Hill, shortly after eleven o'clock, and on arriving at the churchyard it was joined by a large number of friends who had assembled to pay the last tribute of respect to the memory of the deceased gentleman. The funeral service was conducted in the Ancient Chapel by the Rev. L. P. Jacks, M.A. of the Renshaw-street Unitarian Chapel. The coffin, which was covered with beautiful wreaths, was of polished oak, with brass mountings, and the plate bore the following inscription:— "Charles Pierre Melly; born 2 May, 1829; died 10 Nov., 1883." The chief mourners were Mr. Charles H. Melly, Mr. Edward H. Melly, Mr. E. L. Melly, Mr. A. L. Melly, Mr. A. G. Melly, and Mr. H. G. Melly (sons); Mr. George Melly (brother), and Mr. George Henry Melly, Mr. H. M. Melly, Mr. A. E. Rathbone, Mr. F. Rawdon Smith, Mr. C. Yernoy Lace (nephew). Among those at the grave side were Mr. George Holt, Mr. Philip Holt, Mr. Alfred Holt, Mr. William Rathbone, M.P., Mr. Benson Rathbone, Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Rathbone, Mr. Ashton Rathbone, Mr. S. G. Rathbone, Mr. Richard R. Rathbone, Mr. A. B. Rathbone, Major Rathbone, Mr. Arnold Rathbone, Mr. E. W. Gair, Mr. William Crossfield, Mr. H. B. Gilmour, Mr. P. Boulton, Mr. H. H. Hornby, Mr. Charles Langton, Mr. L. Beard, Mr. H. Harvey, Mr. S. Parker, Mr. Feawick Harrison, Mr. B. Lace, Mr. C. Ehrenberger, Mr. George Warren, Mr. E. H. Greg, Mr. E. R. Greg, Mr. G. P. G. Smith, Mr. L. H. Henry, Mr. J. H. Lightbody, Mr. W. F. Moore, Mr. Schintz, Mr. O. Williams, Mr. W. Edwards, Mr. G. Robertson, Mr. T. A. Mather, Mr. J. B. Jackson, the Rev. J. H. Thom, the Rev. V. Davies, &c. A large number of private carriages belonging to friends of the family joined in the procession. Among them were noticed the carriages of Mr. T. B. Royden, M.P., Mrs. Boulton, Mr. Heywood Bright, Mr. W. Holt, Mr. G. Holt, Mr. G. Melly, Mr. W. Rathbone, Mr. Alfred Holt, Mr. S. Parker, Mr. Edmondson, Mr. H. B. Gilmour, and Mr. S. G. Rathbone. The funeral arrangements were carried out by Messrs. G. H. Lee and Co., Esplanade-street.

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