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## **DEATH OF GENERAL SIR H. DALY**

We regret to announce the death of General Sir Henry DALY, G.C.B., which occurred at his residence, Ryde House, Ryde, Isle of Wight, on Sunday. Sir Henry Dermot DALY was the son of Lieutenant-Colonel Francis Dermot DALY, of Daly's Grove, County Galway, and was born in 1824. He entered the Army in September 1840, became Captain in 1864, Major-General in 1870, Lieutenant-General in 1877, and General in 1888. In 1886 he became Lieutenant-General of the Bombay Staff Corps. Sir Henry DALY served with the Bombay column in the Punjab campaign of 1848-49, and was present at the siege and surrender of Mooltan, the battle of Goojerat, and the pursuit and surrender of the of the Sikh army, for which he received a medal with two clasps. He commanded the 1st Punjaub Cavalry at the passage of the Kotah Pass and against the hill tribes in 1850-1-2 (medal with clasp). At the siege of Delhi, in 1857, he commanded the Corps of Guides, and was twice wounded, his horse being killed (Brevet of Major and C.B.) He commanded Hodson's Horse at the siege of Lucknow, in 1850 (Brevet of Lieutenant-Colonel); and the brigade of Hodson's Horse throughout Sir Hope GRANT's campaign in Oude, in 1856-9, including the action at Nawabgunge and passages of the Goomtee and Gogra. He was Agent to the Governor-General in Central India 1870-81. In 1886 and 1888 he unsuccessfully contested Dundee in the Liberal – Unionist interest. He was made K.C.B. in 1875, and G.C.B. in 1889. He was twice married - first in 1852, to Susan Ely ELLEN, daughter of the late Mr Edward KIRKPATRICK; and secondly, in 1862, to Mrs Stirling DUNLOP.

Lieut.-General Sir Henry D DALY had since his retirement taken a great interest in local affairs. He was a J.P. for the Isle of Wight, and a Commissioner of Highways. For several years he acted as Master of the Island Hounds, and, on his retirement, was presented with a handsome testimonial by the Isle of Wight Hunt. Her Majesty was god-mother to Sir Henry's youngest son.

The funeral of the late General took place at Ryde Cemetery on Thursday, the Queen, who was represented by General Lynedoch GARDINER, sending a wreath of evergreens with a card attached bearing the words "From the Queen".

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