

Death of Sir F. Burdett

Sir Francis Burdett, cousin of the Baroness Burdett-Coutts, died on Tuesday morning somewhat suddenly.

Sir Francis Burdett, seventh baronet, was son of the late Mr. William Jones Burdett, brother of the fifth baronet, and was born March 23rd, 1813, succeeding to the title in 1880. Educated at Charterhouse, he graduated at Trinity College, Cambridge, and afterwards entered the army, where he held the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, 17th Lancers, and honorary Colonel 2nd Volunteer Battalion of the Duke of Cambridge's Own (Middlesex Regiment). Sir Francis married in 1842 Amelia, who died in 1866, daughter o the late Major James Sharp, of Kincarrathie, Perthshire; and again in 1867, Mary Dorothy, daughter of the late Mr. John Smith, of Cleatham, Durham. He is succeeded by his son Francis, born on July 5th, 1869, and who is a lieutenant of the 4th Dragoon Guards.

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