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Mrs. Darwin, widow of the late Charles Darwin, the naturalist, died at Down, Kent, on Friday, aged eighty-eight. Mrs. Darwin's maiden name was Emma Wedgwood, and she was the daughter of Darwin's uncle, Josiah Wedgwood, and the granddaughter of the founder of the Etruria works. She was married to Darwin on January 29, 1839.

After their marriage they lived at 12, Upper Gower-street, where they remained until 1842, when the move to Down made.

It was at Down that Darwin died April 19, 1882. The surviving children of the marriage include Mr. George Howard Darwin, F.R.S., Plumian Professor of Astronomy Cambridge; Mr. Francis Darwin, F.R.S., University Reader in Botany at Cambridge; and Leonard Darwin, late member for the Lichfield Division of Staffordshire.

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Recent Wills.

Mrs. Darwin.

The will and two codicils of Mrs. Emma Darwin, widow of the late Charles Darwin, of Down, Kent, and The Grove, Huntington-road, Cambridge, who died on the 2nd of October last, have been proved by Mr. William E. Darwin, of The Bank, Southampton, and Mr. George Howard Darwin, of Newnham Grange, Cambridgeshire, the sons and executors, the value of the personal estate amounting to £35,077 2s. 6d. She bequeaths £100 each to Catherine Thorley and Emily Thorley; £1000 each to her daughters; £550 to Mrs. Patrick; and numerous specific gifts. She appoints her children her residuary legatees.