

ground, frozen, but not decomposed. The commission are deliberating whether to cremate the bodies or use quick lime.

RUSSIA.—Rumors are in circulation from St. Petersburg that Russia has demanded that the British fleet shall leave the Sea of Marmora immediately.

An article in the Journal of St. Petersburg points to the continuance of the fleet in the Sea of Marmora in defiance of the international law, and asks if it is not time to ask England what she really wants.

Typhoid fever is raging in nearly all European Russia.

China has asked Russia to evacuate Kuldshus. It is said some Chinese officers studying in Europe have been ordered home.

The Times' special from St. Petersburg says the treaty leaves a good many points open. It reserves the question of the straits for the Congress, and leaves the Southern frontier of Bulgaria to be determined by an international commission, according to the nationality of the inhabitants.

The correspondent explains new difficulties in regard to the Congress. He says England demands a formal engagement that all the clauses of the treaty be submitted for discussion. Members of the official world in St. Petersburg declare, that England has decided on war, and is simply cavilling to gain time.

Russia has consented to submit all the peace conditions without exception to the Congress for discussion should the Congress make a demand to that effect.

SERBIA.—The distress in Serbia continues. Five thousand wagons have gone to Wanjia and Pirot to bring provisions. The increase of the rinderpest hinders transportation.

The state of siege continues and arms are still arriving.

The Serbian Shumadia corps made a demonstration against the peace conditions and re-occupied Vermanja, declaring it would not leave it until forced to do so.

AUSTRIA.—The Austrian Delegation at a full sitting, granted the demand of the Minister of War for 657,000 florins for military stores.

The story of the hanging of four Austrian Polish surgeons of the "Society of the Red Crescent," at Sofia, by General Gourko, has been persistently and circumstantially reiterated in the face of the denials of the Russian and Austrian Governments. A correspondent of the Vienna Politische Correspondenz has made an investigation of the story and found it utterly groundless. He interviewed Dr. Gebhart, one of the surgeons alleged to have been executed, who said that Gourko gave all the surgeons at Sofia full liberty of action.

The National Zeitung says the Austrian Government has been positively informed that the Russians are concentrating on the Austrian frontier.

GREECE.—Hobart Pasha having agreed not to bombard the villages on the coast of Thessaly, the insurgent leaders consented to enter into negotiations with him at Volo. It is reported that Hobart Pasha has offered the insurgents autonomy.

A despatch from Volo saying the villages of Olympus, Reptana, Caria and Bitochorie have been sacked and burned by the Turks. Women, children and old men were massacred, except some who escaped to the mountains, which are still covered with snow. Unless a ship is sent to relieve them they will probably perish from cold and hunger. The insurrection progresses steadily.

All the powers agree that Greece cannot well be admitted to Congress on the same footing as the signatory powers, but she should be consulted in all matters concerning the interests of Greek peace.

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Marriages.

At Shulee, on the 20th inst., by Rev. H. Bool, Mr. James Fredericks, to Lydia, daughter of Mr. John Patterson.

At the residence of the bride's father, Truro, on the 16th inst., by the Rev. A. Burrows, M. A., Mr. William Dennis, formerly of Cornwall, England, to Agnes, only daughter of Alex. Miller, Esq., of Truro.

On the 19th inst., by the Rev. James Thomas, Mr. Joseph Barnard, of Cambridge, England, to Miss Agnes Smith, of Chester.

March 19th, by Rev. J. Murray, Mr. Theodorus Kinsman, to Agnes, youngest daughter of Mr. Samuel Condon, of Union Square, Cornwallis.

At Connox, Vancouver Island, B. C., on 28th February, by the Rev. B. K. McElmon, Mr. Joseph McPhee, son of the late Felix McPhee of Rawdon, Hants Co., N. S., to Miss Isabella Piercy, formerly of Harvey, York Co., N. B.

At Kingsport, on the 21st instant, by the Rev. Stephen March, Mr Benjamin Sanford of Newport, Hants, and Miss Amelia Lowden, of Merigomish, Pictou.

Deaths.

At Margaret's Bay, on the 18th March, Lilly Mabel, aged 3 months, daughter of Judson and Emeline Hubly.

At Deadwood City, Black Hills, Dec. 22nd, 1877, of typhoid fever, Chas. Burton Gough, a native of Wentworth, Cumberland Co., N. S., aged 25 years.

At Bellevue House, on the 19th inst., General Sir William O'Grady Haly, K. C. B., Commanding the Forces, aged 67.

At Dartmouth, on Thursday, 21st inst., Clara Marien, beloved wife of Joseph W. Young, and daughter of R. G. Halls, of Halifax, aged 37 years.

At Maitland, Feb. 23rd, Duffus W. Nelson, second son of the late Capt. Elias Nelson, aged 20 years.

At Lunenburg, on the 16th inst., Hon. John Creighton, Q. C., aged 84 years. Mr. Creighton was with one exception the Senior Barrister in Nova Scotia. For many years he represented his county in the Provincial Legislature, and was subsequently a Member, and finally President, of the Legislative Council. Mr. Creighton was a native of Somersetshire, England, and removed to this country more than 60 years ago. He leaves an extensive circle of friends to regret his death.

On Saturday, Patrick Murphy, aged 80 years.

March 17th, Mrs. Mary Squires, in the 49th year of her age.

At Eilershouse, on the 16th of March, Hannah, relict of the late Wm. Metzler, in the 74th year of her age.

At the Poor's Asylum, on the 17th March, John Stockford, aged 77 years.

Also, Cochran Throp, aged 81 years. Also, Ann McLennan, aged 41 years.

At Watervale, West River, Pictou, the 15th inst., after a painful illness, borne with patient resignation to the Divine Will, Nancy Archibald, relict of the late Simon Archibald, Esq., aged 65 years.

Suddenly, at her residence, Granville Ferry, Annapolis Co., on Friday, March 8th, Jane, beloved wife of John Willis, Esq., in the 73rd year of her age, leaving a sorrowing husband and family to mourn the loss of a christian wife and mother.

At Hammonds Plains, on the 23rd inst., Charles Grant, late foreman Ordnance Department, and formerly Color-Sergeant Royal Artillery, in the 76th year of his age. Formerly a much respected member of the Halifax North Church, but for several years past had removed his membership to the Hammonds Plains Church, where he was highly esteemed.

At Barronsfield, Cumberland Co., on the 11th inst., Mr. Calvin Read, leaving a widow and two children. He was a son of Mr. E. Read.

At his residence, 9 Thornhill, Crescent, Bishopwearmouth, Sunderland, England, on the first day of March, Cuthbert Vaux, Esq., aged 65 years.

On March 24, Bartholomew Kenifit, aged 85 years.

On Sunday, 24th inst., Mary Ann, wife of Thos. Viguers in the 43rd year of her age.

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