

command of the troops serving in the Dublin garrison will devolve upon Major General Bloomfield next senior officer to whom all reports are to be made accordingly.

rumours of an intended reduction of the army have circulated within the last two days with no foundation beyond the fact, which that establishment of each regiment serving in India is to be decreased. Captain Leach 1st Battalion 5th Fusiliers is to be Military Secretary, to Sir Bartle Frere President of the Council at Calcutta.

The following gentlemen Cadets at the Royal Military Academy having completed their studies in the theoretical classes are ordered to be promoted to the first class at the commencement of the ensuing session viz: Sir A Macintosh, Bart; Messrs Begbie, Firebrace, Lorraine, Dudley, Abnem, Hemans, E Clayton, De la C Irwin, Williams, Stace, Anderson, Townsend, Kensington, Skell, Molesworth, Livesay, Rothwell, Hon V. A. Burke, A Campbell, Boyd, Logan, Carr, De Barres, O'Carlike, and H Sheil.

The navy estimates for the present year will, when presented to the House of Commons, show an important reduction in the number of seamen required for the use of the country. A vote will be asked for 4,000 men less than was demanded last session.

The Rev. Pryce Peacock was collated to the Archdeaconry of Limerick on Monday, by the Lord Bishop of the diocese.

The Rev W, N, Willis thankfully acknowledges per Benjamin Jacob, 21, from George Gloster, Esq., and 11, from Charley Townley, Esq., for Protestantphan Society.

The Rev William N Willis, thankfully acknowledges collected by Mrs Mackern for Protestant Orphan school. From Mrs Schoales, 31. 4s collection; Miss Key Russell, 21. 8s. ditto; Captain Petrie, 11th Regt sub., and 11. 3s. collection Richard Russell, Esq., 1s. Henry James, Esq., and Rev Benjamin Jacob, each, to Columbia mission.

The Primate has appointed the Rev. George H. Wade, Rector and Vicar of Inniskeen, to be sequestrator of the prebend and rectory of Tullycorbet, in the diocese of Clogher, vacant by the demise of the Rev John Hare.

The second annual meeting of the Protestant Orphan Society for the County Fermanagh was held on Monday in the New Protestant Hall, Enniskillen.

The Very Rev. Thomas Hill Lowe, Dean of Exeter, died on Thursday.

The Mayor begs to acknowledge, on the part of the poor, the sum of one pound from John M'Donnell, Esq. J.P. towards the fuel fund.

The Superiress of the Presentation Convent thankfully acknowledges the receipt of one ton of coals for the Schools, from the Mayor.

The Rev. J. B. Meehan, PP. thankfully acknowledges having received one pound each towards the rough fuel fund, from the Earl of Dunraven, and Robert J. Unthank, Esq., and ten shillings from Dr. Ferguson, Smithfield house.

The Rev. Dr. Coghlan, PP. Abbeyfeale, thankfully acknowledges the following charitable contributions for the relief of the poor of his parish:—Henry French Esq. Cangort Park, Roscrea, 51.; William Smith Esq. Brien, Esq. through Florence O'Connell, Esq. Newcastle, 11.; Dr. Verling, Kanturk, 11.

Esq. son of Sir Wm. Douglas, of Douglas, Murray Monteleith Douglas, daughter of Lieut-General Monteleith Douglas, C.B.

At Halifax, Nova Scotia, John Matthew Jones, Esq, barrister-at-law, son of the late Rear-Admiral Sir Charles Jones, to Mary, daughter of Colonel W J Mayers, late of the 7th Highland Light Infantry.

At Sunning-hill, London, Lieutenant J G Graham McHardy, Royal Navy, son of Rear-Admiral McHardy, to Julia, daughter of Wm May, Esq, Sunning-hill.

At Norwich, Thomas Clark, Esq, of Great Yarmouth, to Mary Anne Gedny, daughter of the late Lieutenant G Barclay, Royal Navy.

## DEATHS.

On Sunday night, in Ballylongford, county Kerry, Frank Crosbie, Esq., eldest son of the late Lieutenant-Colonel Piaras Crosbie, J.P., and nephew of Colonel James Crosbie, formerly M.P. & D.L. of Ballyhogue Castle, county Kerry. The deceased gentleman was for 22 years a magistrate for Kerry and Mayo.

At Rathkeale, on the 19th, Margaret, second daughter of the late Connell Vereker, Esq, aged 83 years.

On the 18th January, at Thosbarry, in the county of Clare, Mrs. Molesworth, relict of the late Hickman B. Molesworth, Esq.

At Banbridge, James Russell, Esq, of the Provincial Bank. At Londonderry, W P Leatham, Esq, Barrister-at-law, Recorder of that city.

Mr John Carrick, of Mary's-abbey, Dublin. P.L.G. Hon. Sec Scottish Benevolent Society of St. Andrew.

In Dublin, Mary, widow of the late Theobald Richard O'Flahertie, Esq.

At Herbert-street, Dublin, Charlotte, wife of H Barry, Esq. At Gloucester-place, Dublin, Mr George Saunders.

At Middle Abbey-street, Dublin, Mr Mathew Kennedy.

At North Circular-road, Dublin, Catherine, relict of Mr James Smith Cogan.

At Rathmines-terrace, Dublin, Mrs Anne Caldwell.

At Drogheda, Robert Thompson, Esq, formerly of Killineer House, county Louth.

At Bachelor's-walk, Dublin, Rose Anna, wife of Mr Peter Browne.

At Blackrock, Dublin, O Hatton, Esq.

At Ranelagh, Dublin, Elizabeth, relict of E Whitford, Esq, Kilworth, county Cork.

At Rathmines-road, Dublin, Miss Eleanor Shortt.

At Booterstown, John, infant son of Mr Thomas Leach.

At Newry, Mrs Corry, wife of Isaac Corry, Esq, J.P.

At Castlecoote, Martha, daughter of the late Rev. W MacLoughlin.

At Kilmaharvey, near Richhill, county Armagh, George Langtry, Esq.

Alexander Sanderson, Esq, son of the late Col. Sanderson, Castle Sanderson, county Cavan.

At Southsea, Wm. Chambers, Esq, barrister-at-law, son of the late Joseph F Chambers, Esq, Dublin.

In London, Mrs Kelly, relict of Captain Postus Kelly, formerly of Buckfield, county Roscommon.

At Bayswater, Anne Elizabeth, relict of the late Charles Tyler, Esq, and daughter of the late Andrew Nicholas Browne, Esq, of Breaffay, county Mayo.

At Bournemouth, Lord Elphinstone.

At Kingston, Jamaica, the Hon. Richard O'Reilly, Judge of H.M.'s Supreme Court in that island.

At Russell-square, London, the Hon. Wm Field, Member of the Executive Council of the Cape of Good Hope.

In London, Henry Fisher, Esq, Surgeon 4th (King's Own) Regt, late of the Royal Artillery.

At Bath, Maria, widow of the late Major-General Pine Coffin, C.B.

At Devonshire-place, London, Matiland, widow of the late William Erskine, Esq, and daughter of the late Right Hon. Sir James Mackintosh.

Suddenly, at Paris, Eliza Lamb, wife of James Davenport, M.D, late of the Bengal Army, and daughter of the late Major-General R W Wilson, C.B.

Suddenly, in London, Mrs Stanley, late of the Haymarket Theatre.

At Bath, Anne Elizabeth, relict of Cornelius Bird, Esq, Bengal Civil Service.

At Edinburgh, Jane, wife of Arthur Campbell, Writer to the Signet.

At Hyde, Isle of Wight, Captain Green.

In London, Charles Hyde, Esq, formerly of the Madras Civil Service.

At Glasgow, Mary Elphinstone, daughter of Captain Rennie, Fife Militia Artillery.

At Glasgow, the Rev. James Robertson, D.D, minister of Shamrock-street Presbyterian Church.