

for it than hitherto had been used. He did not do this out of a spirit of opposition, but from a well grounded conviction in his mind, that the papers were requisite to form his judgment on the important question which was shortly to come under consideration.

Lord Nugent declared, it was unprecedented to call for such papers; their journals afforded no example of the sort. He was sorry to see Gentlemen continually tormenting Government with propositions which they must know it is not in their power to give their assent to. He hoped therefore, after what the Rt. Hon. Gentleman had promised, that the House would not press the matter further, but wait till Monday; when he was confident, the papers would be laid before them, if some insurmountable objection did not stand in the way of it.

Lord Newhaven spoke again, and contended it would be wrong to withdraw the motion, without a positive assurance from the Minister, that he would comply with the purpose of it on Monday.

Mr. Mansfield supported the motion, and made many pertinent remarks on it.

The House having refused their assent to the withdrawing the motion, a second one was made, that such of the members as were of his Majesty's council, should present the address, which was agreed to.

Mr. Sheridan then rose, and formally moved, "That an address be presented to his Majesty, that he would be graciously pleased that some of our possessions in India should, on any pretence whatever, be ceded to the Dutch, as an equivalent for their pacific disposition." Or words to that effect.

Mr. Fox seconded the motion. This brought on a short debate between the chancellor of the exchequer and the Lord Advocate on one side, and Mr. Sheridan, Mr. Fox, and Commodore Johnston, on the other; after which the motion was withdrawn.

Lord Mansfield, after a long introductory discourse moved, that an humble address be presented to his Majesty, that he would be graciously pleased to confer some signal mark of his royal favour on General Sir Augustus Elliott, K. B. Governor of Gibraltar, for his noble and gallant defence of that most valuable fortress.

After a long debate the question was got rid of by moving for the order of the day: on which the House divided. Ayes 92. Noes 18—Majority 74. Adjourned.

D U B L I N, Feb. 18.

On Thursday evening a messenger arrived at the Castle, with an account of the ratification of the Preliminary Articles with France and Spain having been exchanged.

And this day the Lord Mayor, Recorder, Aldermen, and Sheriffs of Dublin, the King at Arms, and other Officers of State, proclaimed the cessation of arms as well by sea as land, agreed upon between his Majesty, the Christian King, the Catholic King, the States of the United Provinces, and the States of America. For the Proclamation, see second Page.]

This is the first instance where a proclamation of peace has preceded the signature of the definitive treaty.

own Regiment, who were quartered here, marched hence for Enniskillen, Omagh, and Strabane, they are to be followed by the remainder to-morrow.

Also, this morning that part of the Earl of Inchiquin's Regiment, who were in our Barracks, marched for Cork; the Rows for the above Troops were received on Thursday last, and it is not yet known what regiment will replace them.

A poor Man, by Trade a Linen Weaver, with a Wife and four Children, whose ALL was destroyed by Fire on Saturday Night, implores the Assistance of the Humane Public. The above can be Certified by Mr. Thomas Mason, Hoser;—Benefactions will be received by him, and at the Printing Office.

We hope to be excused from inserting Critic's letter to the Author of the Dunciad, as the Printer of this Paper did not Publish it, and has always strove to steer clear of giving public offence, without being partial to an Individual.

DIED. On Thursday last, Pierce Piercy, Esq; one of the Burgesses of this Corporation, and Surveyor of the Pool, which Office he filled for twenty-one Years, with the greatest Reputation. By his meek Disposition he acquired the Esteem of a numerous Acquaintance, and by his goodness of Heart he rivetted their Friendship.—Friday, at the Parade, Mrs. Ball, Wife of Mr. Joseph Ball.

At a MEETING of the CITIZENS of LIMERICK in the Thöfel Chamber, pursuant to Advertisement, on Monday the 24th February 1783, to inquire into the State of the Inland Navigation between LIMERICK and KILLALOE.

RICHARD BOURKE, Esq; in the Chair.

WHEREAS at a Meeting of the Company of Undertakers of said Canal on the 3d of January 1774, it was agreed and Advertised in the Public Papers, under the Hand of their Treasurer, that "the entire of said Navigation will be completed to the Navigable Water, called Lough Dirig, above Killaloe, in the Year 1778."

And Whereas it is a great Loss to the Public, and a great Injury to the City of Limerick, that the said Branch of the inland Navigation is not finished:

RESOLVED, That this Meeting be adjourned to Monday next the 3d March, and that the Proprietors of said Canal are thus publicly called upon to attend on said Day, to shew the Meeting whether the large Sums appropriated by Parliament and by Subscription, since their Incorporation, have been faithfully applied.

RESOLVED, That the above be published in all the Limerick News-papers, and it is hoped every public spirited Man will attend next Monday at twelve o'Clock, when a Committee will be appointed, to promote this very necessary Inquiry. RICHARD BOURKE.

RESOLVED, That the Thanks of this Meeting be given to Colonel BOURKE, for his Attention to the Public Welfare, and Spirited Conduct in promoting this Inquiry.

RESOLVED, That Mr. JOHN FERRAR be requested to act as Secretary to this Meeting.

By Order of the Meeting.
J. FERRAR, Sec.

amply experienced. Feb. 13, 1783.
A Cargo of New FLAX-SEED, Warranted the Growth of the Year 1782, now landing out of the Enrick, Capt. Olson, to be Sold on Reasonable Terms. Apply to WILLIAM O'BRIEN, THO. ROBERTS, or JASPER and JOHN WHITE.

Limerick, Jan. 13, 1783.

A Quantity of

REFINED SUGARS,

In small Loaves for Sale, by the Hoghead, Hundred, and Loaf, at THOMAS ROBERTS'S, Irish-town, under Dublin Prices. He has as usual, a general and excellent supply of Groceries, Claret, in Timber and Bottle, Red Port in Hogheads and Quarter Casks, with London Porter of Prime Quality in Hogheads and Half Ditto.

JOHN CARROLL,

WITH profound Respect to the discerning and impartial Public, shatters himself his long experience in Tuition, unceasing Care, and the Premiums repeatedly obtained, even last Year, in Trinity College by several of his Pupils, bred by him alone, may entitle him to a Continuance of their Sanction. He takes a few Boarders at 20l. a Year each, to whose Health, Morality, and Literary Proficiency, the strictest Attention will be paid. Feb. 3, 1783.

WANTS a place, an Experienced Gardener, who has a thorough knowledge of every Branch in his Business, and whose Character is unexceptionable, having lived with several Gentlemen of Distinction near Dublin; he is a Married Man, (without a family) and his Wife would act as Cook or Dairy Maid. They are both Protestants.—They may be heard of at the Printer's hereof. Feb. 24, 1783.

To be I. E. T.

From the 25th of March next,

For such Term as shall be agreed upon,

THE large FIELD in South Prior's Land, containing four Acres and six teen Perches, together with the HOUSES on the Premises, now held by RICHARD ANKETTLE, Esq; M. D. Part of the Estate of the RIGHT HONOURABLE EDMOND SEXTEN PERY: Said Field is opposite to Mr. Patrick Arthur's Deal-yard, and other Holdings, is bounded by the Great Road or Street leading from New Town-tery to the Square, and the Turn-Pike Road.

PROPOSALS will be received by the SPEAKER, and the BISHOP of KILLALA, in Limerick, who is empowered to let the same, and will close immediately with a good Tenant, as soon as the Value is offered.

Feb. 20, 1783.

To be Immediately SET T.

THE Commodious, well divided Vaults, underneath the House in which Mrs. Cudmore lives, in Bow-lane;—also, Good Furnished Lodgings in said House or the House will be Set. Enquire of Mrs. Cudmore.

THE several Persons who are Indebted to Miss GRACE LAMBERT, M. D. are hereby requested to pay the Amount of the several Demands due of them. GEORGE ALPS, Notary-Public, Limerick, (who is duly Impowered to receive the same, and whose Receipt will be a sufficient Discharge for such Demands) within one Month from the Date hereof, otherwise the most effectual Means, for the Recovery thereof, will be taken, without further Notice.

Dated this 13th Day of Feb. 1783.

To be SET

From the 25th of March next,

TWO FIELDS, Part of the ABBEY LANDS, near the Church of Kilmoylan, containing about forty Acres, good fattening Ground, for such Term as shall be agreed on. Proposals to be received by JOHN GREENE, Esq; at Old Abbey.

This Advertisement to be continued one Month, and no longer. No Preference promised. Dated Old Abbey, Feb. 17, 1783.

To be I. E. T.

By Sir WILLIAM BARKER, Bart. From the First of May next, for three Lives, or Thirty-one Years,

THE Lands of KNOCKBRACK, as now held by Pat. Carthy, containing about 120 Acres of remarkable good Meadow and fattening Ground, within six Miles of Limerick, in the Barony of Pubble-Brien, Co. Limerick. Proposals will be received by Sir WILLIAM BARKER, Bart. Kilmooly Abbey, near Kilkenny, or by Mr. WIDENHAM, Limerick, who will attend to shew the Lands. No Preference has or will be given, but to the most solvent and highest Bidder.

Feb. 17, 1783.

To BE SET.

For 31 Years, from the 25th of MARCH next,

THAT Part of MODELLIES, now Occupied by Messrs. WILLIAMS. It is Situate on the Cork Turnpike-Road, between Newcastle and Drumcolloghir, and Contains about 225 ACRES.

PROPOSALS to be Received by the LORD VISCOUNT COURTENAY, at Powderham-Castle, near Exeter, Devon, and Duplicates to be Sent to the REV. THOMAS LOCK, Newcastle, near Limerick. Dec. 4, 1782.

To be SET T.

For Three Lives or Thirty One Years. THE House and Demesne of CARLINE, within 8 Miles of the City of Limerick, containing about 120 Acres, choice Fattening Ground, and well Divided, the House and Offices are in Complete Order; great Convenience of Fire and Water, a good Kitchen Garden and Orchards in full Bearing. A less Number of Acres, with the House and Offices, will be Set, if more agreeable.—Also a Number of TREES of different kinds, to be Sold on said Lands.—Proposals to be received by WILLIAM GABBETT, Esq; in Limerick, who will Declare the Tenant when the Value is Offer'd.

Dated this 16th of Dec. 1782.

until the first of March