

This day the Right Hon. the Lord Mayor, &c. presented their address to his Majesty on the peace; to which his Majesty gave the following answer:

"I return you my thanks for this dutiful and loyal address.

"It is with great satisfaction to myself, that I see an end to the calamities of war, and a reasonable prospect of all the advantages to be expected from a permanent peace.

"I receive therefore, with pleasure, these expressions of the satisfaction of the Lord Mayor, Aldermen, and Commons of the city of London in the measures I have taken.

"You may be assured of every exertion of mine, to protect and extend the trade and commerce of my dominions, of which that of the city of London forms so capital a part.

"I concur with you entirely in thinking that the commercial interests of this country and America are the same. Nothing on my part shall be wanting to restore such friendly intercourse as ought to result from mutual interest and returning affection.

DUBLIN, March 4.

Prince Edward will be represented by Lord Muskerry at the Installation, who walks that day as the son of the King of Great Britain and Ireland, a knight companion of the Order of St. Patrick.

The report circulated, that the American Congress had laid an extra duty of ten per cent. on all Goods from Great Britain and Ireland, after having been traced by a merchant of this city now in London, not only proves devoid of foundation, but appears to be fabricated for sinister purposes.

Mr. Pety, it is said, brings over with him a transcript of the Bill brought into the British Parliament, for the purpose of regulating the trade between Great Britain and the dominions of the American States, that a bill for a similar intention, calculated for the meridian of Ireland, may be prepared against the meeting of our Parliament.

It is with the greatest pleasure we have received an account from a Gentleman of credit and veracity in this city, that he had received a letter from London on Saturday last, in which it is affirmed that a lady in that city had received a letter from her son, who was an Officer on board the Ville de Paris, acquainting her of their safe arrival in South America in company with the Glorieux.

The following is the reason for the intended alteration, with respect to the duty upon tea: vast quantities of that commodity are exported, under pretence of being intended for consumption in this country for the sake of obtaining the draw-back, but it is smuggled back into various parts of England, to the great injury of the revenue. Four shillings per pound is now paid upon tea imported into that kingdom; but it is imagined, that by reducing it to only half that tax, the profits upon smuggling will not be sufficient to induce the practice thereof.

By letters from Copenhagen we learn that a Proclamation has been published there, forbidding the meeting of a large number of the lower classes of people together, great disorders having lately occurred from it.

We hear, that among the matters which will occupy the attention of the Leinster Delegates

qualification necessary to render the marriage still truly happy.

Died. Last Monday Mrs. BYRNE, relict of Mr. James Byrne, Clerk, aged 82 years.

Last night died William Donnellan, book-binder, a Native of this City, who served his apprenticeship to Mr. John Cherry: He has left a Wife with six Children, the youngest of whom not three months old; the loss of such a man, whose labour supported a large family, may be felt but cannot be described. Such benevolent persons as are disposed to relieve them, are requested to send their benefactions to Mr. George Halloran, Mr. Ferrar, Mr. Watfou, or Mr. Fijn.

Port-News, March 5. Sailed the Swan, Turner, Liverpool, beef, pork, butter, tallow and Rawhides.

The City Debtors (17 in number) most humbly implore the charity of the humane, as they have neither meat, drink, nor firing, and many of them strangers in town.

Theatre, Limerick.

* BUTLER and WALLIS, in the most respectful Manner, beg leave to inform the Ladies and Gentlemen of Limerick and its Environs, that the NEW THEATRE will in a few Weeks be open'd under their Direction, when they propose to themselves the Honor of endeavouring to Entertain the Public for about two Months, and for that purpose have gone to a very considerable expence in collecting together such a Set of Performers, Wardrobe, Scenery &c. as they flatter themselves will at once shew their respect for and be approv'd of by the generous Inhabitants of a City, ever remarkable for given the most liberal Encouragement where they perceive an Ardent desire to please. In the Course of the Season, will be perform'd the *Fair Circasian*, *Count of Narbonne*, *Piercy*, *Which is the Man*, *Duplicity*, *Variety*, *Chapter of Accidents*, *Agreeable Surprise*, *Retaliation*, *Belphegor*, *St. Patrick's Day*, &c. &c. with several other Favourite new Pieces never Acted here, nor will any Care or Expence be spared to render the Theatre convenient and Comfortable.—Upon their unremitting attention to their Duty, BUTLER and WALLIS rest their hopes of Success, the favour and Protection of the Ladies and Gentlemen of Limerick, they shall consider as one of the most fortunate circumstances of their Lives, and are bold to declare that their Words and Actions will always be found to Correspond.

Feb. 18th 1783.

Elegant Furnished Lodgings to be Let by Mr. CHARLES OSBORNE.

March 3, 1783.

* WILLIAM FOSBERY, near Ball's Bridge, Irish Town, Limerick, begs to inform his Friends and the Public, that he has just arrived a well chosen Assortment of the most fashionable best superfine Cloths, refine, middling, and Livery Ditto, with every other Article in the WOOLLEN and COTTON Way; white Linens, Lawns, and Cambricks; Bed Tickers, Furniture Checks, and Damascus; Silk Thread, and Cotton Hoes, &c. As those Goods are laid in on the best Terms, he is enabled, and will dispose of them on such Terms, as to make it the Interest of his Friends and the Public to

At a Meeting of the CITIZENS of LIMERICK in the Tholose Chamber, pursuant to an advertised Adjournment, on Monday the 3d of March 1783, to inquire into the State of the Shannon Navigation.

RICHARD BOURNE, Esq; in the Chair. WHEREAS this Meeting was held this day by Adjournment, at the Request of three of the Company of Undertakers, none of whom having Attended, to give any Information or Satisfaction, relative to the Expence of the Publick Money, or why the Navigation has been Neglected by them for several Years past, to the great detriment of this City in particular, and the Public in general.

RESOLVED, That it is highly necessary that a Petition, signed by the Citizens, be presented to Parliament immediately on its Meeting, and that the following Gentlemen be appointed a Committee, five of whom to be a Quorum, to draw up the same; and be also empowered to take such other Steps, or Proceedings, whether by said Parliamentary Inquiry, or application to a Court of Law, as they shall hereafter think fit, or be advised to

RICHARD BOURNE, Esq;
GEORGE SMYTH, Esq;
PHILIP SMYTH, Esq;
WALTER WIDENHAM, Esq;
CHARLES DAWSON, Esq;
CALES POWELL, Esq;
CHRISTOPHER KNIGHT, Esq;
ALEXANDER SHEARER, Esq;
SYLVESTER O'HALLORAN, Esq;
GEORGE PITT, Esq;
Rev. JOHN SEYMOUR.
Rev. DEANE HOARE.
Rev. THOMAS SHEPHERD.
Mr. GEORGE HALLORAN.
Mr. THOMAS ROBERTS.
Mr. WILLIAM HARTNEY.
Mr. FRANCIS ARTHUR.
Mr. HENRY ROSE.
Mr. WILLIAM RUSSELL.
Mr. JOHN HOWLY.
Mr. JOHN FERRAR.

RESOLVED, That the said Petition be transmitted by said Committee to our Representatives in Parliament, and that they be requested to present the same.

RESOLVED, That application be made to the several Representatives of the Counties and Towns that are affected by the neglect of this great Branch of the Grand National Canal, praying their Aid and Assistance in support of said Petition and Enquiry.

RESOLVED, That the unanimous Thanks of this Meeting be given to GEO. SMYTH, Esq; Mayor of this City, for his Attendance and very polite and liberal Offer to give the Meeting every Assistance, either in his private or professional Capacity.

RESOLVED, That the Committee will solicit a Subscription, to carry into full execution their Efforts to enforce the Completion of this great National Business, and that a Copy of these Resolutions be sent to every Member of the House of Lords and Commons, and also published in the Limerick Papers, Dublin Evening Post, and Dublin Journal for one Month.

ALEXANDER SHEARER, Esq; having taken the Chair, Resolved that the Thanks of this Meeting be given to Colonel BOURNE for

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