

HIS DAY ARRIVED ONE PACKET.
LONDON, August 17.

THE French vessels, which lately refused to pay the accustomed honor to one of Majesty's sloop of war, though on our own coasts, was, it is now perfectly known, taking soundings of the coasts of Hampshire; she had been seen in the Needles about the Isle of Wight, and if she had not been discovered, would probably have gone to St. Helen's or ahead. This affair has been hushed up, but has given some alarm. The French during the war, by some means got soundings of Plymouth and Portsmouth Harbours, all the principal ports in the Channel, the mouth of the Thames, &c. of which they are now in possession of.

On the 10th of February last a bill was read a second time in the General Assembly of Georgia, for granting to his Excellency the Count d'Estaing 20,000 acres of land, and to encourage the settlement thereof.

The Duc de Chartres has brought over his son a youth of 18 years of age, to complete his studies at the University of Oxford. His Grace the Duke of Dorset does not return to France till the beginning of October; the English secretary transacts the affairs of the British Court at Paris, as does the French secretary in London.

As the Americans have entered into a treaty with the French with oil, it is supposed the French will, in return, supply the Americans with vinegar. But it is to be feared, if the French use American oil in their ships, it may throw the light of liberty around the world. It is said the Court of Lisbon begins already to express some dislike at the attempt to erect a union of French and Spanish politics for the nation, which they begin to see may not be so advantageous for Portugal, as the former connexion with the maritime powers. The Ministers give out that the naval preparations which are now making, are intended for another Royal Review; but when we consider the indefatigable attention which the King pays to the increase of their marine, and that their instigation the Spaniards are doing at present; whilst the Dutch navy is also getting on a respectable footing; and the number of ships which are laid upon the stocks, to lessen the load of debt, which the King already labours under, we cannot suppose that there will be such a needless addition to a royal review of a fleet will occasion a circumstance took place, it should be a plea of exercising our seamen by a summer cruise. At present the supposition is too barefaced.

The favourite phrase of the Americans is, "The folly of Great Britain." That she cannot inherit a double portion of their spirit. If ever Great Britain showed signs of folly, it was when she endeavoured to force the Americans to be happy; but so soon as they in their own conceit, that they were anarchy to law, and despotism to government.—Their great and good ally, France, has made them subservient to his will, and adopted the same narrow policy.

Mr. Pery will not take the chair in the House of Commons when the House meets after the adjournment: the Clerk will, as soon as the House fills, read from the table the resignation, after which the Members will proceed to elect a Speaker, and on the day following present the object of their choice to his Grace the Lord Lieutenant for approbation: with which ceremony, and giving the Royal Assent to what bills are then ready, the session will end.

The numerous piracies committed by the Algerines, are not less pernicious to trade than highly disgraceful to humanity, particularly so, at a time when civilization is extended to the uttermost part of the earth. This infamous traffic, or butchery, has been long carried on, and it was with pleasure we observed a combination between Spain and other powers to destroy it. But how are we disappointed, to find that all has ended in smoke? A peace has been patched up of a most extraordinary kind indeed, and seemingly without any motives to impel the Spanish Court to accept of, or propose terms. So that this high and mighty nation, who threatened to annihilate Algiers, and all thereto belonging, now are to pay an immense sum of money—for what? Why, to have the honour of letting the pirates pursue their old business unmolested.

The Americans are now paying dear for their ingratitude to the mother country, and that independence which they were so fond of acquiring, and looked up to as a blessing, is likely to prove the greatest curse that could have fallen on them, each state has already become jealous of the other, and the general cry of poverty runs through the whole of them; they have no money, scarcely any credit, and no trade; while their internal policy is all confusion; the populace refusing to pay taxes, despising the authority of Congress, and contending even their Courts of justice;—such are the blessings they have obtained, and such is the actual situation of America at this moment.

The Emperor, "whose person was but fantastical," is in perfect health, and does with his broad-bottomed shoes just as he pleases, and will terminate all disputes, by obtaining all he asked. He knows their inability to go to war, and the aversion of their mediating friends to assist them.

Mr. Ponsonby, we hear, is espoused by the Duke of Leinster, and the principal gentlemen in the minority, as we are informed the whole of his interest would have divided against Mr. Orde's bill.

Yesterday evening, a decent-dressed man dropped down, and expired immediately, at the Methodist meeting, in White-Friar-street.

DIED. At Tralee, after a short illness, Mr. Edward Tuohy.—At Waterford, Mr. Martin Knox, Collector of the Ferry.—Mr. Christopher Forker, of Portlaw, in the county of Waterford.

Cork, August 22. Last Friday night, in consequence of the defeat on the Liberties of Ireland, under the title of a commercial arrangement for reciprocity of laws between England and Ireland, this entire City, and all the suburbs were grandly illuminated, bonfires blazed, fire-works were played off, the Boyne Volunteers, and Col. Moore's Artillery marched to the Grand Parade, where several discharges from the batteries were heard.

got his living in England by taking vipers for the apothecaries, suffered himself to be bit by one of them, and delayed the cure till he seemed almost dead, when by rubbing in olive oil over a chafing dish of coals, he recovered in a few hours. It is customary with those who catch vipers, when bit by them, to anoint their finger with oil, and put into a glove, and afterwards experience no inconvenience.

Last Tuesday James and Patrick Magrath brothers, who were found guilty at the last Assizes of Clonmell, of the murder of John Bourke, were executed at Bansha, near Tipperary, pursuant to their sentence; they were escorted from Clonmell gaol by a detachment of the Royal Irish Dragoons, and met by the Tipperary Horse and Light Infantry, commanded by Major Moore.

To those who have a Heart to feel for Real Distress.

The Widow of Charles Simmons, teacher of Mathematics, who a few weeks since died of a malignant fever, and left her with seven Children, in the most inexpressible distress, (two of whom are now lying in the same distemper) a Stranger in this City, most humbly implores Relief from the Publick, which will be received by Mr. Pierce Kelly, and the printer hereof.

THE CREDITORS of the late Mr. THOMAS ROBERTS are requested to furnish an Account of their respective Demands (whether due or otherwise at present) at his Shop, in Order to have them put in the speediest Mode of Payment.—Those who were indebted to him are requested to pay Mrs. MARY ROBERTS, his Administratrix, who will dispose of the STOCK on Hand, by Wholesale; and will also dispose of her Interest in Seven Acres of Ground at COURTBRACK, on which a Sum of Money has been expended.—The House and Concerns will be Set as soon as a pleasing Tenant offers.
August 22, 1785.

WHEREAS I have received legal Authority to Preserve the Game on those mountains, which belong to Lord COURTENAY, Lord MUSKERY, Sir HENRY HARTSTONGE, and RICHARD MAUNSELL, Esq; in the Barony of Upper Conello, and Co. of Limerick; I request no Gentleman will Shoot thereon; there are proper persons appointed to preserve the Game, and all persons Offending, shall be prosecuted as the Law Directs.
EDWARD DEANE FREEMAN.
Castlecree, Aug. 24, 1785. (6 p)

JAMES MOLONY,
IRISH-TOWN, LIMERICK.

HAS just Arrived to him a Cargo of best English White Salt; also a large Assortment of Refined Sugars, Teas, Spices, Dying Stuffs, Painting Ditto, Rape, Sallad, Linseed, and Neatsfoot Oil; Old Jamaica Rum, Cogniac Brandy, and Whiskey, Iron and Steel, Hops, Writing Paper, Dutch Flax, and Wick Yarn, with a Variety of other Goods in the Grocery Way, which he Sells on the lowest Terms.
[4P] August 25, 1785.

NOTICE.
A CHOICE Cargo of WHITEHAVEN

TO BE SOLD by RICHARD HARROLD, Esq; a Leasehold Interest, for 29 Years, from the 12th day of May last, in the Middle Quarter of Singland, in the Liberties of the City of Limerick, subject to an Yearly Rent of 50l. 1s. 4d. and Yielding a clear Yearly Profit Rent of 189l. 14s. 6d. as well Paid as any Rents in this Kingdom; the purchase money if Unexceptionably secured, will be suffered to remain (at Interest) in the Hands of the Purchaser until it shall be wanted for purposes intended by Mr. Harrold, and the time of calling it in, may possibly be remote.—Application to be made to Mr. HARROLD, at Penny-well, or to Mr. M'MAHON, on the Assembly-quay, who will Satisfy any Person inclined to be a Purchaser, of the sufficiency of Mr. Harrold's Title, and of the Profit Rents arising from the Lands. Dated this 22d August, 1785.—To be continued 3 posts.

LIMERICK COFFEE-HOUSE,
OPENED this Day by Subscription, the MERCHANT'S COFFEE-HOUSE, formerly the GLOBE, next Door to the Exchange, by JOHN DOHERTY, (who heretofore kept the Turks Head Tavern,) where every necessary accommodation for the Entertainment of Country Gentlemen, Officers, Strangers, and Citizens, will be constantly provided; the English, Dublin, Cork, and Limerick Papers, will be regularly furnished, and all useful Information forwarded.—Tea, Coffee, Chocolate, and all other necessaries usually supplied in the London Dublin, or Cork Coffee-Houses, and on the same Plan, will be furnished in this. DOHERTY hopes from his Attention to merit the Countenance of the Public.—N. B. Breakfasts supplied every Day to Gentlemen in the Coffee-Room, or sent to their Lodgings.
Aug. 22, 1785.

Monsieur LANDRIN,
DANCING-MASTER,
Son to Monsieur Landrin, of Paris, and Composer of the Cotillon Figures to her Majesty the Queen of France, and the Royal Family;
BEGS leave to inform the Nobility and Gentry of this City and its Vicinity, that he intends to reside here, for a few Weeks, where he hopes from his Knowledge and Abilities in his Profession to meet their Approbation and Encouragement.—He teaches and composes all kinds of French Dances, as Grand Ballets & Quadrill, which was particularly composed for Her present Majesty, the Queen of France, Fancy Minuets, Figures, Cottillons, Country-Dances, and Fancy Composition for private Parties.
Any Commands left for him at his Lodgings at Mr. YOUNG's, Mercer, English-town, Limerick, shall be respectfully attended to.

MR. FERRAR will sell his Interest, or set his House in Quay-Jane, from the 29th September, being a Lease for 80 Years at a low Rents the House is in good Repair, and the Standing for Business as good as any in Lime ick

TO BE SET,
FROM the first day of November next, for such Term as shall be agreed upon, the House and Demesne of SPA HALL, the House is built but two years, is very fit for the Reception of a genteel Family, and is Situated in a fine Sporting Country, within a few Minutes Walk of the Town of Kilsenan.—If the House is not Set, it will be Sold on pleasing Term to a Purchaser, as the Sum agreed for, will be Received by root, a year until the whole shall be discharged.
Proposals to be received by Mr. WILLIAM COLLINS, Spa Hall, aforesaid, and in his absence by Mr. STEPHEN COLLINS, Kilsenan.
(4 P) August 25, 1785.