

The Russian Minister, it is said, declared last week to a large circle in London, that he expects an account of war having been proclaimed at St. Petersburg, on or before the first of August, against the Ottoman Porte; an event that must have good effects in England, as the carrying-trade will be considerable up the Straights by the British ships, in consequence thereof.

Vincent Lunardi, the aeronaut, is still here, but has entirely given up all hopes of being enabled to make an experiment from this kingdom; and is said to have packed up his balloon preparatory to a journey back to London.

Yesterday morning, at about two o'clock, the post-boy conveying the mail of letters for the Wicklow road, was stopped near Leeson-street, by a single armed footpad, who opened the post bags for the towns of Bray, Gorey, and Wexford, from each of which he took several letters, some of which he tore.

Friday last, a Galway, or Oranmore vessel, fishing off the island called Blasques, on the West coast, ritted two Sun fish, of a monstrous size, which they effected with great difficulty. They returned immediately to harbour with their prizes, one of which they cut up, and stowed, the other they dragged after the boat. It is imagined these fish, if properly managed, will yield above two tons of oil, worth, at least forty or fifty pounds.

The fate of the late unfortunate Fitzgerald was carefully concealed from his daughter, who resided in Dublin; and her father's misfortunes would not have been known to her, but from the following circumstance: She was sitting at a window facing the street, and heard a man calling out, "The last dying speech of George Robert Fitzgerald."—At first she disregarded it, but on hearing a repetition, with the addition of "late of the county of Mayo," it was evident it could be no other person than her father; she immediately dropt out of her chair in a fit, and was with great difficulty recovered. She has remained in a very dangerous state ever since.

His Majesty has been pleased to make the following promotions in the army on this establishment, and the commissions, dated the 23d of May, 1786, are come over accordingly, viz. 1st regiment of Horse, Cornet Joseph Clarke to be Lieutenant, vice Carruthers resigned.

2d regiment of Horse, Ensign Lord Robert Fitzgerald, from 25th foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Doyne, resigned.

4th regiment of Horse, Cornet Thomas Manning to be Lieutenant, vice Sir Edward Barry, Bart. resigned.

Ditto. Mr. Charles Oliver to be Cornet, vice Manning.

8th regiment of Dragoons, Cornet James Eustace to be Lieutenant, vice Wallis, resigned.

13th regiment of Dragoons, Ensign Edward Ham, Lambart, from 52d foot, to be Cornet, vice Pickard, promoted.

14th regiment of Dragoons, Mr. Anthony Lynch to be Cornet, vice Whaley, resigned.

17th regiment of Dragoons, Cornet Francis

evening. This makes the seventh annual Review of the Volunteers in this place.

At the first Belfast Review, in		
1780, the numbers were,		2,788
1781,		5,381
1782,	{ Encamped 2,800 }	3,900
	{ In Garrison 1,100 }	
1783,		1,000
1784,	One half encamped,	2,500
1785,	Partly encamped,	3,300

Cork, July 13. We hear that on Friday morning, the Magistrates in the neighbourhood of the Parishes of Lislee and Timoleague, assisted by the gentlemen of said Parishes and their vicinity, met and searched all suspected house within some miles round, and seized a number of fire-arms, particularly loaded muskets, with several hangers, and other weapons constructed by the common smiths of the country. It is hoped that if the gentlemen in their respective parishes would exert themselves in like manner, it would put an effectual stop to those meetings which disturb the peace of the country.

We are desired to insert the following account of a discovery in agriculture, which is established by actual experiments:—A farmer in this neighbourhood, finding his turnips for some years past taken by the fly, was induced to try experiments to prevent it: the following, luckily, proved a remedy.—To 6lb of turnip seed he put 4 oz of flour of brimstone, which he sowed together; the brimstone effectually destroyed, or gave such distaste to the fly, as to prevent its usual ravages, and he has produced great crops. We are assured of this from the best authority, the attestation of the farmer; and we think it well worth the attention of every other farmer.

### LIMERICK.

On Saturday morning last, Mr. Scanlan sent from Rathkeal, to the commanding Officer of the Garrison here, a requisition for the detachment of Dragoons quartered in this town, to remain at Rathkeal till Monday, on account of some disturbances expected there; they marched in the afternoon, as did the Grenadier and Light Infantry companies of the 27th, by order of Sir C. Knight, Mayor, who accompanied them to Rathkeal, as a Magistrate. On arriving there, he heard a large body of the White Boys were assembled at Newcastle, who were to be called upon by a party from the borders of the county of Cork, for the purpose of coming together to Rathkeal on Sunday; and he immediately sent an express recommending to them at Newcastle, to receive some advice from him, and offering to meet them any where they appointed without any military or other force. This they very wisely and cheerfully consented to, and requested of the Mayor to go to them. He went immediately, with another magistrate who was at Rathkeal and whose company he desired; when they got to the Inn at Newcastle, the Mayor was waited on by a Gentleman of the town, whom these people

Articles at large for Rathkeal Races, will be published in the Race week of Limerick.

The Rev. Mr. Clarke acknowledges the receipt of Five Pounds, a legacy left to him for the poor of the parish of St. Munchin's, by the will of the late Mrs. Stackpoole, which has been distributed according to the intention of the Donor.

The Governors of the Blue School, in the City of Limerick, will meet at the School-House, on Monday the 24th inst. at 12 o'clock for the purpose of Electing a Master, in the room of George Mahony, deceased, late master:—Candidates for said Employment to give in their Recommendations, &c. to Laet. Hill, Esq; Treasurer, on or before the 22d instant.

Married. Last week, George Norton, Esq; to the lovely and accomplished Miss Sarah Brodie, of Ballysteen, only daughter to the widow Brodie, of Kilmore, in the County of Clare.

Died. Last Friday, aged 16 years, Mr. John Pratt, son of Mr. Luke Pratt of Newmarket, in this County, a most promising youth, whose death is deservedly lamented by a numerous acquaintance.—A few days ago, Mr. John Wilkinson, late an eminent Apothecary in Birr; he was an honest man, of great skill in his profession, a friend to the poor, a social companion, universally regretted by all who knew him.—Near Tulla, in the County of Clare, in the 90th of his age, Watson Bouchier, Esq; a Gentleman of great humanity and integrity, most deservedly lamented by his friends, and a numerous family.

Port-News, July 13 Arrived the Grampus, Templeton, London, Ballast.—14 Sailed the Fly, Saxon, London, oats, feathers, &c.—The Molly, Lacy, Liverpool, oats.—16 Arrived the Endeavour, Mills, Dublin, Wine.—The Arundel, Hornbeck, Arundel, Timber and Deals.

§§ THE MOUNTAINS in the County Tipperary, belonging to MICHAEL HEAD, and JAMES ROLLESTON, Esquires, are Poisoned. July 13, 1786.

To the Worshipful Sir, CHRISTOPHER KNIGHT, Mayor of Limerick

The Humble Address of the Inhabitants of the Town of Newcastle, legally assembled, July 16, WE the Inhabitants of the Town of Newcastle, deeply impressed with a just indignation of our late misconduct, have with the greatest abhorrence looked maturely into the ill consequence of such proceedings, to be both unconstitutional and illegal, humbly submit our better conduct to your worship. And humbly claim your Worship's protection, hoping as you being the Father of the Metropolis, of the extensive County we reside in, that your Worship will to the utmost of your power and authority, together with the Magistrates of this County, take such constitutional means, as may in some measure quiet the minds, redress severe grievances and restore such peace, as always was enjoyed by the distressed Poor of this County. If We were to enumerate the

## Irish State Lottery, 1786.

Begins DRAWING the 7th of August. Win Gold and Wear it!

GUINEA and Half Guinea Tickets are now Selling for account of the Original Proprietors in Dublin, by A. WATSON, & Co. near the Exchange, Limerick, who have Sold and Shared many Capital Prizes in former Lotteries. If any one of the above Tickets is drawn any Prize whatsoever, the Purchaser will receive Five Thousand Pounds to One Guinea, and if drawn a small Prize of Ten Pounds, will receive the Purchase Money.—All the above Tickets are Stamped by Government.—Schemes Gratis.—Not two Blanks to a Prize.—Whole Tickets and Shares on reasonable Terms.

July 15, 1786.

DROPPED, yesterday on the Circular Road, a White Cornelian SEAL, set in Gold, with the Holmes's Arms;—Whoever brings it to the Printer hereof, will be well Rewarded.

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### Wanted,

A LADY'S MAID, of undoubted good Character, she must be a middle aged Woman, mult-understand Pastry, and making Sweet Things, such a Person, will hear of a good Place by applying to the Printer.

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## COUNTY of CLARE, BARONY of BURREN.

TO be SOLD, the FARM of BALLICON-NUE SOUTH, as held by THOMAS LYSAGHT, Esq; for Three Lives, at a clear yearly profit Rent of Two Hundred Pounds, ster. per Annum. The excellence of these Lands is so well known that any comment is judged unnecessary.—The TITLE is unexceptionable in every particular.

Proposals for the same to be received by ROBERT CREAGH, Esq; DANGAN, and JAMES CREAGH, Esq; CAHIRBANE, who will close with a purchaser as soon as the real value is offered.

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## Humphry Minchin, LINEN-DRAPER, DUBLIN.

RESPECTFULLY informs his Friends and the Public, that he has removed from BRIDE-STREET, to No. 12, PARLIAMENT-STREET; (next Door to the IRISH SILK WAREHOUSE,) where he has laid in an entire fresh Assortment of the most fashionable Linen Drapery, and hopes for a Continuance of that Favor he has heretofore so amply experienced, and for which he returns his most grateful and sincere Thanks.

July 8, 1786.

AT a Meeting of the Trustees, held at Nenagh the sixth inst. it was ordered that a BOARD should be held at Nenagh, on Thursday the 20th inst. to receive Proposals for the Repair of the different parts of the Turnpike-Road from Tomivara to Limerick, through Sil-