

the beginning of that intimation to the present, should be laid before the House, in order to see whether any retrenchments could be made, to alleviate the burden laid on the house-keepers, for, he said, it was not only the tax laid on houses that produced a revenue for its support, but that there were also other modes of raising money for the same purpose.

Mr. Hartley moved, that the further consideration of the bill be postponed till Saturday next, in order that the citizens might have time to take the intended amendments into proper consideration.

The Attorney General declared that the whole was so obvious and plain as not to require any delay. The amendments went but to the appointment of two Inspectors to each division, to the discharging of a part of the petty Constables, the relieving of the gold and silver-smiths, and some other circumstances that required no great length of time for consideration.

The House resolved itself into a Committee on the bill for granting a compensation to the clergy for the tithes due in 1787, and for amending the Act relative to 1786.

The Provoost declared, that he should endeavour to explain whatever doubts might arise in any Gentleman's breast respecting the construction of the present bill, in the best and most satisfactory manner he possibly could; he said that there were alterations with respect to including of counties of cities, also with regard to giving the prior claim to the clergy for their dues before the landlord, the necessity of which must be very obvious, when it is considered that by the artifices of the middle-men the peasantry had been infligated to their late risings and insurrections; and if the ecclesiastic should seize for five shillings, the landlord would put in perhaps a fictitious claim for five pounds, and thus the intent of the bill, if not properly guarded in this manner, would be entirely defeated. That by this bill all diffidence in appealing to Ecclesiastic Courts would be entirely done away as no tithe for turf or furze, or any other claim not allowed by law, could possibly be made; and where, through a spirit of combination no proper valuation of tithes could be made on the lands in different parishes, the charge was to be made from an average rate of the preceding three years. He mentioned, that to his own knowledge, the most moderate charges of tithe had been made in the six parishes in the diocese of Cork, nor had there been the smallest addition in the rates these thirty years past, notwithstanding the depreciated value of money, and the increased rates of every article and necessary of life. He then read over the different average rates of tithes on wheat, barley, oats, flax, meadow ground, &c. in the different dioceses of the province of Munster, and declared that he had received his information from the Bishops of the same, and the Vicar General, as also from several of the most respectable persons in that part of the country, which evidences were diametrically opposite to those received by his Hon. Friend (Mr. Grattan) — The sufferings and ill treatment of several of the clergy, whose characters for true christian charity and universal benevolence were admitted by all that had the pleasure of being acquainted with them, were shocking. He enumerated some of the outrages and violences that had been committed by the deluded multitude.

fix months, during which time, the Right Hon. the Earl of Ross is appointed to act in his room. Yesterday, Charles Dempsey was tried for the murder of Margaret Tighe and James Gardner, who lately lived with his Grace the Archbishop of Dublin, the trial held for upwards of nine hours, when the jury brought in a verdict not Guilty.

Until within these two last years, it has been commonly observed, that where there was a spark of liberty existing in the government of any State, France would strike every thing rather than not extinguish it. While she proceeded on this system, her monarchy flourish'd. But when she once began to change her conduct, and to support the advocates for freedom in America and Holland, she has found that her own people begin to think that the liberty which they supported on the behalf of foreigners might as well suit the climate of Thoulouse, Bourdeaux or Paris, as those of Boston or Amsterdam. The effect of those speculations seems to be approaching with no tardy pace.

Lord D — has been more successful in the course of a short time than has been remembered. His Lordship, in one night, stripped the Pharoan bank, and at hazard 4000 guineas.

L I M E R I C K

The Denizen, Volk, from this Port, is arrived at Bristol, as are the Flora, Rogers, and Adventure, Martin, at Lisbon.

The Governors and Governesses, of the House of Industry, are requested to meet at the House on Saturday the 23d. inst. at twelve o'clock, to examine the Treasurer's Accounts, and do other business relative to the Charity.

Died. Last Monday, Mr. Charles Pinchin, Clothier.

Port-News. Feb. 18. Sailed the Briton, Ranson, Campveer, pork, butter and feathers — 19. The Nancy, Wyer, Newberry, linen and ballast. — 20. The Tetty, Hayston, Haver-de-grace, beef and pork.

§ AN Inhabitant of the Barony of Lower Connelloe, requests a Meeting of the Gentlemen and Landholders of said Barony, at the House of the Widow Holland, in Quay-lane, on the second Day of the ensuing Assizes, relative to the several Presentments for Roads in said Barony, to be applied for at said Assizes, of which an Abiltract will be there layed before them. Limerick, Feb. 21, 1788.

AS the Printers of this Paper have lately been at heavy Expence, in sending to the Country to collect small Sums, they request such Gentlemen as are Indebted to them, will call for their Accounts at the Assizes or Election. Feb. 21, 1788.

§ Mr. D'ESTERRE'S HOUSE and GARDEN, in Dominick-street, to be Set immediately, or the Interest Sold. Inquire at said House, or of Robert Wallace, Esq. [3P] Limerick, Feb. 18, 1788.

MR. JOHN LATOUCHE will be in Limerick on the 25th Instant, where he will Declare the Tenants to the Lands of Ballyclogh, Toureen, and Carrigaparron, in the Liberties of Limerick. Feb. 18, 1788.

†† To be Sold a Pair of Black Draft HORSES, they will be engaged Sound, Inquire at the Printer's hereof. Feb. 18.

PART OF L. SHULD Lifowen, Tomo Portaines, and 1 all in the Baroi Limerick, held of certain Renew Laurence Marsha 233l. 16s. — Also, situate as aforesaid yearly rent of 10l long Term of Year 11 of May, 1792, Considerably. — ARTHUR L. SH of in Person at Lin [4P]

TO be imm Interest Sold, ably situated on 1 few Yards of the Sa Proposals to be n VINCENT, George [3P]

ON MONDA next, will be GLOSTER, an and THURSDAYS, It will be conducted of Independent Princ lities. No expence o render it an Object General Utility. The Plan at large, Allizes, and Subscript will be received by J Broad-street, near Ch and at the MUNSTER MILL-LANE.

WANTS a Pla who was regul Business, understands th Houses, Grape-Houses Kitchen Ground, and Fruit and Forest Trees bear the strictest Exam at Mr. FENNESSY'S, No. 1, Wilson's-Quay Printers hereof.

Jonathan BEGS leave to Acknowledgements Public, for the kind Supp which they have honou mencement in Trade, a tinance, to merit whi study. — He respectfully lately returned from Dub laid in a variety of the Stuffs, and many other A pery Line, together with fine, refine. and forest Beaver Drugets, &c. all is also constantly assortd own Manufacture, which tunity of accommodating of that Kind always fres of which has gained the dom; all which he sells Newgate-Lane, and in o to the numerous Depend mined to sell every Artic Terms, and flatters him experience every wishd with him. N. B. But One Pric Abatement can be made. Linc