

ORDNANCE.

Within these few days one of the officers in an inferior department, has produced an order for 100 stand of arms, signed by Mr. W.—for these a regular debenture or order was made out. The arms never were delivered at the arsenal. The amount is suspected to be appropriated to private purposes—but whether afterwards brought to account of credit, is not ascertained.—These arms were for a regiment ordered for America—their arms were taken from the stores.

The particular defalcations at the Ordnance have not yet transpired—the result of the enquiry will be preserved a secret—until the meeting of Parliament in January next, when, we are informed, the whole will be laid before Parliament and the nation, in a speech from the Throne. This circumstance, while it must intimidate peculators, will cause the present defalcations to form an era in our political history, and distinguish the Marquis of Buckingham's government for singularity of attention to the economy of the public expenditure.

All the inferior officers belonging to the Ordnance have been continued in their different departments.—Mr. Isaac Corry, with a liberality that reflects credit on his character, informed them that it was not the intention of the Lord Lieutenant to displace innocent persons for the faults of their superiors—they were therefore at their option to retain their places or resign. But at the same time he thought it but fair to inform them, that a total reformation was expected.—No persons were to accept of premium—salary—or gratuity—from the tradesmen who were employed, upon any account whatever. In recompence for the loss, they must experience, he proposed that they should be allowed a small increase of salary. It is to be observed, that in several of these departments—the perquisites amounted to five times the stated salary—some of them had the privilege of receiving letters free—this also has been struck off.

Richard Borough, Esq; of the Castle, succeeds Mr. Fenwick in his late employment of private Secretary to Mr. Fitzherbert. This is an appointment that gives great satisfaction, as no man is more esteemed than Mr. Borough by all who have the pleasure of his acquaintance.

The gradual fall of the English stocks strongly indicates, that Great Britain will be drawn into the war now flaming on the Continent. During the last war the three per cents. were as low as 56 in England, and four per cents. as low as 78.

The town was yesterday alarmed with the rumour of failures in addition to those which have already occurred—no less than six traders of eminence are mentioned to have closed—the property lost to their creditors amounts to many thousand pounds. So universal a shock in credit has not occurred within our memory.

It is reported through the town that a writ of error has been granted in the case of Father Fay, if so the last trial will be quashed, and another will be brought on at the next sittings.

BANKRUPTS. Terence O'Neil, of Skinner-row, Dublin, woollen-draper.—David Blakeney, the elder, of Greenvale, co. Armagh, linen-draper.—David Bleakely, jun. of Armavale, co. Armagh, linen-draper.—William Bleakely, of Drum, co. Armagh, linen-draper.

DIED. The Rev. Robert Jackson, minister of Dunmurry.

EYRECOURT RACES.

Monday, four year-olds, Plate, 2-mile heats.
 Mr. Eyre's g. m. Jane Harold 1 1
 Mr. Kirwan's g. m. Atalanta 3 2
 Mr. Daly's c. m. Little Moll 2 3
 Tuesday, five years-old, Plate, 4-mile heats.
 Mr. Daly's g. m. Fanny, walked over the course.
 Wednesday, six year-olds, Plate, 4-mile heats.
 Mr. Daly's g. m. Fanny 2 1 1
 Mr. Hamilton's br. h. Orde 1 5 2
 Mr. Cooper's b. h. Columbus 3 2 dr.
 Thursday, aged, Plate, 4-mile heats.
 Mr. Denis's g. h. Cherokee 1 1
 Mr. A. Daly's g. h. Friar 3 2
 Mr. Daly's c. h. Oberon 2 dif.
 Friday, three year-olds, Plate, 2-mile heats.
 Mr. Denis's g. f. Kitty 1 1
 Mr. A. Daly's g. c. Hero 2 2
 Mr. Fallon's b. h. 3 3
 Saturday, weight for age, one 4-mile heat.
 Mr. Eyre's g. m. Jane Harold, 4 years old 1
 Mr. Denis's g. h. Cherokee, aged 2
 Mr. Daly's g. m. Fanny, 5 yrs. old, fell, dist.
 Same day, Hunter's Plate, 4-mile heats, rode by gentlemen.

Bella! borrida bella!—what a world we live in! nothing but war to be heard of amongst mankind. The Russians at war with the Turks; the Swedes at war with the Russians; the King of France at war with his subjects; the Algerines at war with all the world; and Ireland at war with the—partridges!

The Fair of Donals will be held on Monday the 22d Instant, Custom and Grass Free, where Gentlemen will meet good Cows, Sheep and Young Cattle.

Married. Last Tuesday, Henry Harrison, of Castle-Harrison, in the co. Cork, Esq; to Miss Grady, daughter to Standish Grady, Esq; and sister to the Right Hon. the Countess of Ilchester;—a very amiable and accomplished young Lady, with a considerable fortune.

First Winter Assortment.

An elegant Variety of Half TABINETTS, arrived with a great Assortment of Cotton STOCKINGS at the Lustring and Mustin Warehouse opposite the MAIN GUARD.

RYAN begs leave to inform the Ladies, that he has with the above, got in a small but elegant Assortment of Ladies White HATS and BANDS. Also black Hats, cheap Ribbons, Muslinetts, and Dimities, Calicoes and Cottons, a vast quantity of Flannels, Gloves, and as usual a very large Assortment in the Mustin trade, both Indian and Irish, for Gowns, Cloaks, Aprons, Handkerchiefs, and Cravats.
 N. B. He wants an APPRENTICE.
 Limerick, Sept. 15, 1788.

JAMES MILLER, APOTHECARY,

ACquaints his Friends and the Public, that he is (as usual) well supplied with a GENUINE assortment of MEDICINES.
 Sixmile-Bridge, Sept. 15, 1788.

Fisher & Harvey,

HAVE for SALE, at their Stores, adjoining the Custom-House Quay, PORT, CLARET, and SHERRY WINES, RUM, BRANDY, and SCALE SUGARS, TEAS, from the last India Sales, Virginia-Wrapper TOBACCO.

To be Lent

UPON a Mortgage, or at Interest, upon undeniable Security, from TWO to THREE THOUSAND POUNDS. Application to be made to **GEORGE ALPS, NOTARY-PUBLIC.**
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NEW PUBLICATIONS.

This day were published by A. WATSON & Co. **CAPT. Cook's life**, by Dr. Kippis, 6s. 6d.
 Thoughts on the Manners of the Great, 1s. 1d.
 Elegant Extracts in Verse, 11s. 4d. h.
 Dr. Sheridan's Life of Dean Swift, 6s. 6d.
 Henrietta of Gertenfield, 2 Vols. 6s. 6d.
 The Fine Lady, a Novel, 2s. 8d. h.
 The Beauties of Sterne, 3s. 3d.
 Groser's History of China, with Cuts, 1l. 2s. 9d.
 The Regent a Tragedy, by Mr. Greatehead, 6d. h.
 Promissory Notes in Books of 100, 2s. 8d. h.
 Music Books from 1s. 1d. to 4s. 4d.
 New Pocket Book for the Flute.
 Bowden and Johnston's New Songs.
 Watson & Co. have just published their Annual Catalogue of Books, Maps, Charts, Prints, Music, &c. which is given GRATIS.

House at Newtown-Pery.

MR. FITZ-GIBBON will Let his HOUSE, at Newtown-Pery, Furnished, for Six Months from the 1st of November.
 September 11, 1788.

Limerick, September 10, 1788.
 At a meeting of the COMMITTEE of the LIMERICK MERCANTILE COFFEE-HOUSE:

RESOLVED,—The number of Subscribers being upwards of Two Hundred, that no Gentlemen, in future, be Admitted, but by Ballot.

RESOLVED,—That all Subscriptions be Paid by the Members to our Treasurer on or before the 29th Instant; and that any Gentleman neglecting to Pay in by that Day will not be considered a Member. (5)
FRANCIS ARTHUR, Treasurer.

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