

meet on Tuesday the 27th inst.—Never was the advice of the Legislative Body more needed than at the present momentous crisis. His Majesty's Ministers have done every thing depending on them to facilitate a general Peace; we have now only to look to the preservation of our Foreign Possessions, and to the security of our Country and its Commerce.

The Paris News of the 20th ult. is copied from the *Courier* of Saturday.—The information of an offensive and defensive Alliance having been formed between France and Spain, is of too much importance to be withheld from the public; but we must observe at the same time, that we copy the article literally, that the *Courier* has been more than once, within a short period, the vehicle of Stock-jobbing, Forgeries.

If the intelligence be genuine, Spain, without any provocation on the part of England—without even a plausible pretence for entering into the War, had ranged herself into the ranks of our enemies. The consequences of this measure, we trust, will be the circulation of Spanish Dollars in British Ports, and the extinction of the Spanish Navy.

It is not easy at present to develop the exact object of that alarm which it appears a studied intention to excite, respecting a meditated attempt of the French on these kingdoms by a descent, though perhaps, on the meeting of Parliament, the views of Alarmists may become manifest; the assertion, however, in a letter in the *un*, of the 31st instant, that 100,000 persons in these kingdoms have solemnly engaged themselves to the enemy, is as insulitive as unfounded. The ties, indeed, may be allowed critical, and we certainly believe the new doctrines of France have relaxed or made profelytes of many among the unreflecting portion of society—still, however, there remain virtue and vigour more than sufficient to counterpoise any aberration of this kind, and were confident there is abundant energy in these nations to stem the tide of Republican enthusiasm, if we could for a moment suppose it directed to an enterprise, which, above all others, would most assuredly accelerate its destruction, or if in French could be imagined in circumstances, get over those almost insurmountable difficulties that lie in the way of an undertaking so vast a design, and expensive in preparation.

Orders have been given for the immediate and effectually repairing the fortifications of London-Derry, which one hundred pieces of battering cannon are to be mounted, and which, with a commensurate quantity of ordnance stores, are now on their way from Woolwich.

It was yesterday reported, that Mr. Hammond has not succeeded in his negotiations with his Prussian Majesty, to detach him from the French interest; giving, on the contrary, found that Monarch is employed in carrying into effect schemes for his own aggrandizement, under the auspices of his republican allies. Mr. Hammond is therefore proceed on the second object of his mission, which is to be executed at Vienna.

We hear that the corn farmers of this kingdom, with a *interestedness* most admirable, have determined to thresh, kiln-dry, or send to market this season, any part of their abundant crops, while the present high prices continue, but keep all their produce snug in their barns and haggards, until the expected foreign importations shall glut our markets, and reduce the price at least a half of its present height!

The 5th Dragoon Guards are to embark the 20th of this month at Plymouth for Ireland.

Died in April, in the island of Jamaica, a negro woman, *ned Bankes*, at the amazing age of 135 years.

much esteemed High Sheriff, Humphry Minchin, Esq.

Tuesday at a Post Assembly in the Exhibition-house, came on the election of a Divisional Magistrate in the room of the late Alderman Tweedy, when the following names were returned by the Board of Aldermen to the Commons, as proper persons to fill the said office: Aldermen Lightburne, Exshaw, and Rose; whereupon the Commons elected Alderman Rose.

Tuesday and Wednesday four troops of the 22d Light Dragoons, lately quartered at Athlone, passed through Mullingar, on their route to Armagh and places adjacent, to quell the disturbances in that quarter.

Tuesday an entry was made by the Board of Ordnance, of 36 pieces of brass cannon, (6 and 12-pounders) 2000 muskets, and 70 tons of artillery ammunition, from Liverpool.

Sellery, who was convicted of receiving from O'Berne Mr Benner's gold watch, and sentenced to be transported, has been pardoned, on condition of giving bail for his future good behaviour.

MARRIED. At York, by special licence, Sir Charles Turner, Bart. M. P. for Kinglton upon Hull, to Miss Teresa Newcomen, second daughter of Sir W. G. Newcomen.—At the house of E. Thomafyn, Esq; in Marlboro'-street, William Bigoe Armstrong, of Castle-Ivers, in the King's County, Esq; to Miss Ferrier, only daughter of Colonel Ferrier, of the Corps of Royal Irish Engineers.—At the Quakers' Meeting-House, Waterford, Joseph Robinson, of Moate, county Westmeath, Esq; to Miss Courtney, daughter of John Courtney, of Waterford, Esq.

COUNTRY NEWS.

Clonmel, Sept. 7. The Kilkenny and Mayo regiments of Militia are shortly to retire from Dublin, and are to be replaced, it is said, by the Downshire and Antrim regiments.

Last week a most singular robbery was committed in the neighbourhood of Pauls-town, in the county Kilkenny.—From a well-enclosed Park were stolen *thirty-two sheep* in one night!

A few days ago, died at her lodgings in Kingstreet, Oxmantown, Dublin, at an advanced age, the Hon. Mrs. Kennedy, relict of Andrew Kennedy, Esq; of Castlelyney, in this county, and sister to the late Lord Caher;—a lady of exemplary piety, charity, and benevolence.

LIMERICK,—SEPTEMBER 10.

Thursday night a villian in the service of William Bourke, Esq; found means to break open his master's desk, and steal thereout 84 guineas.—See *Advertisement*.

Last night four thatched Cabbins were accidentally burned down near Gallows-green, by which the poor tenants, are rendered wretched objects.

This morning two men, cleansing the well of a Pump in 'Change-lane, one of them, (whose name was James Confidine,) was unfortunately suffocated; his comrade, in attempting to save him, narrowly escaped sharing his fate, nor is he yet perfectly recovered.

On the Sabbath day, a day on which decency and neatness ought ever prevail with more than ordinary influence, to see our streets lined with so many beggars is not only extremely disgusting, but a national disgrace. The Bridges are remarkable for being covered every day, particularly on Sunday, with objects of the greatest filth and wretchedness, who crawl out of their habitations, stretch themselves on the footway, and display their ailments to the public eye. The hand of magistracy is much required to remove such offensive spectacles.

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THOMAS HOEY, Cabinet-Maker

RETURNS his most grateful Acknowledgment to the Publick, for the very great Encouragement he has received since commencing Business in Castle-street, to the large House in Mary's-street, *Nearly opposite Bridge-street*, lately held by Mr. Geo. HENCHY, Apothecary, where he has an elegant supply of Furniture of all sorts, and is determined to pay the strictest attention to all Orders he may be favored with. N. B.—Two Floors in said House to be together or separately, unfurnished.

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The Miss RUDDS,

TAKE the earliest opportunity of returning their most sincere and grateful Thanks to their numerous Friends, for their very kind and liberal Support during the time, and since their separation, on a late melancholy event;—Respectfully inform their Friends and the Public, they now to continue their School, but from some circumstances which it is not possible to conclude soon as they expected, request their indulgence 'till Monday se'nnight, at which time they propose opening School in the same House, and solicit protection of their Friends.

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SCAVENGERS PLACES

To be Let in Lots,—from the 16th of October next.

NO. 1.—From Thomond-gate to Bridge-street, including the street to the Island, Barra street, all Back-lanes right and left, and Merchant quay, to Bridge-street.

No. 2.—From Bridge-street to Baal's-bridge, including all Back-lanes right and left, from 'Chan lane to Baal's-bridge, George's-quay, New-bridge and Wilson's quay.

No. 3.—From Baal's-bridge to Market-house, including Baal's-bridge, Lock-quay, Charlotte's-quay as far as Assembly-house, Mungret-street, and Back-lanes to the right and left to the Market-house and to the right to Mungret-gate.

No. 4.—From the Market-house to the sign the Black Bull, outside John's-gate, including Back-lanes right and left, Francis-street, Palmer town, the Square, and as far as Taylor's New-Inn.

Sealed Proposals, in writing, will be received by JOHN HARRISON, Esq; Mayor Elect, to the 6th October next, at which time the Scavenger will be declared.—Two Carts, and a Sweeper attend them, will be required to each Lot.

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Committee Mercantile Coffee-House,

SEPTEMBER 9, 1796.

THE Members of this House are requested to pay their Subscriptions for the ensuing Year on or before the 29th Instant, at the Bar, on which Day a General Meeting will be held, for Examining the Accounts of the House, and for Electing a Committee and Treasurer for the ensuing Year.

Signed by Order,
MARTIN FLEMING, Sec.

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