

the British and Irish Legations, received yesterday, by a banking-house in this city, from Hamburg, shews that there is good foundation for the pacific report: it says, that altho' personal intercourse cannot take place between the Right Hon. Mr. Grenville and the Abbe Sieyes, several messages through the medium of the Prime Minister at Berlin, which can positively have no object but what relates to negotiation, have passed between them. Nor do we think a peace the ensuing summer an improbable event.

His Excellency the Lord Lieutenant continues, with the most indefatigable labour, to direct the regulations, appointments, and situation of the great and extensive military force that now presents itself in Ireland. The orders of his Excellency Marquis Cornwallis are such, that General Officers are dispatched through the kingdom, to examine the fortifications, and the various depots of provisions, forage, &c. and not only to report their situation, but to have such amply provided with every necessary—whilst, on the other hand, the most experienced and veteran General officers are sent out to review the troops, and minutely inspect their discipline, and enforce such regulations, as to be in readiness to act at a moment's warning. A chain of camps are to be forthwith erected for the reception of the army, upon a plan, that the force can in a short time act in conjunction, if necessary; an auxiliary force will be stationed through the country, to prevent banditti of plunderers and marauders finding shelter in the remote parts of the mountains; and each garrison town is to have a sufficient number of military, as well as their yeomanry, to act on any emergency—so that every precaution is taken by his Excellency Marquis Cornwallis, for the defence of the kingdom, so as to bid defiance to the attack of an invading Foe.

The camp at Lehaunstown is broke up, but a guard of 300 of the military are stationed near that place.

Saturday morning, four desperate offenders were apprehended in the neighbourhood of Stoney-batter, by Serjeant Boshell, and a party of the Nechererofs infantry; a fifth escaped. The desperadoes made a great resistance, in which one of the infantry had the fingers of one hand shot off, while he was struggling with one of the fellows for a firelock, that the latter attempted to take from him. One of the ruffians, named Cassidy, was shot in the side in the contest, and he died on Sunday in the New Prison.

Sunday night some villains broke in at the rear of the house of the Widow Murphy, a grocer, in Bridge-street, and robbed her of above 300 guineas in cash and notes.

Monday, about five o'clock in the evening, Njor Swan and Mr. T. D. Smith, apprehended two men in Marlborough-street, charged with robbing the mail. On strict search, bank post bill and bank notes, to a very considerable amount, were found concealed, within the breeches of one of them—they were both committed to go.

MARRIED. Last Tuesday, by special license, at Mrs. Gardiner's, Rutland-square, the Hon. Joseph Burke, Dean of Ossory, to Miss Gardiner.

Cork, 4th 22. On Friday night about 12 o'clock, several men armed with pikes and fire-arms, broke into the House of Robt. Hutchinson, Esq; of Coam, near Macromp. They commenced by taking the looking-glasses and furniture in the parlour.—On hearing the outrage (altho' ill) he fled himself, and went down to the foot of the air-cate, when the villains plunged their pikes into his body. He fell, and instantly expired. A stab pierced his benevolent heart, the seat of very virtue which adorns human nature.

The assassins then broke open his desk and lockers in search of arms; he plate and other valuable articles they left behind, so that the murder of this best man, appeared their only object. Some marks of blood was found, as it

malignant vengeance at the victims they doom to murder. We trust that this will arouse the feelings of every man of loyalty in the city and county; and that a public expression of indignant horror, will induce the adoption of more rigorous measures than have hitherto been pursued.

Cove, April 19, 1799.

Yesterday arrived here, Le Papillon, French brig privateer, prize to his Majesty's ship Melampus, Graham Moore, Esq; commander; taken the 15th inst. in lat. 48. 30. long. 15. Le Papillon, is a remarkable fine vessel, of very large dimensions, coppered, quite new, pierced for 18 guns, has 10 long nine pounders and four 32 pound brass carronades mounted, and 124 men—the Melampus has also recaptured a schooner from Newfoundland.

By Lieutenant Price, of the Melampus, who brought in Le Papillon, we learn that the Melampus left the West India convoy with his Majesty's sloop La Volage, that sailed from hence on the 9th of March, all well on the 19th of same month, 50 leagues to the westward of Madeira, with a fair wind.

LIMERICK, — APRIL 27.

Wednesday last, the Brig Fanny of this Port, laden with oats, going from the Long Dock to the Poole, struck aground outside the Pier-head, and bilged; the cargo is entirely damaged, and the vessel must undergo a thorough repair.

Thursday morning a Female Infant was found dead in a Quarry-hole, outside John's-gate.

DIED. Yesterday in John's-street, in an advanced age, Mrs. Bushel, relict of the late Mr. Ralph Bushel, Chandler.—Last week, in Dublin, T. Rumbold Lyfter, Esq; Barrister at Law; a gentleman most justly regretted by all who had the pleasure of his acquaintance.—At Clounconna, in the fourth liberties of this City, on the 19th inst. Mr. John Kerby, aged 103 years.

PORT-NEWS, April 25. Arrived the Margaret, Crawford, Greenock, coals, porter, wine, &c.—The Jane, M'Alpin, Liverpool, salt and earthenware.—25th, Sailed William and Anne, Baxter, Greenock, oats.

To be Sold by Auction, for Account of the Concerned, at the Stores of HARVEY AND FISHER, On the 27th of this Month, A Parcel of damaged FLAXSEED, lately landed out of the Morning Star, from Philadelphia. The Auction to begin at One o'Clock. (1P) Limerick, 27th of 4th month, 1799.

A U C T I O N.
At the House of the Rev. Doctor RUDD, in High-street, back of the Square, near Shea's Inn; of his entire Household Furniture, will commence at 12 o'Clock on Monday the 29th Inst. April, and continue till all are sold; the Feather Beds are remarkably good, and have been but a short time in use.—Limerick, April 27, 1799. (1P) RUSSELL, Auctionier.

HAY FOR SALE.
A few Tuns of excellent Hay to be Sold.—Apply to SYLVESTER O'HALLORAN, Mungret-street. (1P) April 27, 1799.

ARDAGH FAIR.
THE Fair of Ardagh will be held on Saturday the 11th of May next. (1P) April 27, 1799.

FOR THE LADIES.
The Grand Assortment for 1799.
Superfine Habit Cloths, and Lambkins for Capoots, with Fancy Buttons, &c. London Beaver Hats of the most fashionable shape, with Feathers and Bands, beautiful Printed and Fancy Mullins and Callicoes, White Chintzes, Black and White Veils and Laces, Modes, Sarfnets, Sattins, and Fancy Silk Handkerchiefs, Silk, Cotton and Leather Gloves, Laced and Scandal Silk and Cotton Stock-

buying to sell again man meet with the greatest encouragement.

(4P) Limerick, April 24, 1799.

Arrived to HARVEY and FISHER, per the Shannon, from Liverpool—150 Tons White Salt, which they would sell on very moderate terms if taken from on board. 150 Cheshire Cheeds. 40 Tons Cannell Coals. And they have also for Sale, New American Flax-seed, Barrel Staves, Pot-Ashes, Russia Iron, Wigan Coal, Picked Rock-Salt, Indigo and Mustard. (2P.) Limerick, 24th of 4th Month, 1799.

Tobacco and Scale Sugar:
A few Hogheads of each to be sold by Public Auction, on Wednesday the 1st may next, at the Stores of Wilford and Stevenfon; the Sale to begin at 1 o'Clock, when the terms will be declared. Limerick, April 24, 1799.

ANY Persons having Demands on the late Mrs. Rose, of Mount-Pleasant, may furnish their Accounts to Lancelot Sandes, Esq; of Mount-Pleasant, or the Rev. Joseph Jones, of Rathkeal, her Executors, as speedy as possible. (3P) April 24, 1799.

New Cloths, Fancy Waistcoating, &c.
AN elegant and vast Assortment of real Superfine Cloths of the newest Shades, with double-milled Water-proof and plain Blues and Blacks,—Beautiful Waistcoating, Breeches, and Pantaloon Stuffs, have on Thursday last arrived to **JAMES CANNY, Charlotte's-Quay** He has yesterday received a Cafe of Ladies London Black and White Beaver Hats, also Gentlewens' Hats as now worn in London.—N. B. Scarlet and White Cloths, Kerfimeres, Gold and Silver Lace, Epaulets, Buttons, Sashes, Military Hats, &c. Limerick, April 20, 1799.

36 Hogheads
Of choice Wrapper TOBACCO, just arrived per the Shaw-Stewart, from Greenock, to **JOHN TORRANCE,** which he will sell on reasonable Terms, at his Stores at Newtown-Pery. Limerick, April 13, 1799.

PORT WINE and TOBACCO.
ANGLIM and Me. CALL have for Sale, Port Wine in Pipes and Hhds. A Stock of Prime Virginia Tobacco. A quantity of excellent Workington Coal. A large Assortment of Articles in the Foundry Line. And a parcel of Rod Iron for Nailers. All which will be Sold on Moderate Terms. Limerick, March 13, 1799.

Woollen, Cotton, Callico, and Hat WARE-HOUSE, NO. 8, MARY-STREET. **PETER J. HOGAN,** grateful for that distinguished preference he has so amply experienced since his commencement in Business, begs leave to acquaint his Friends and the Public that he is just returned from Dublin, from whence he has laid in an extensive Assortment of every Article in his Line, which he is determined to dispose of on the most moderate terms for Ready Money. N. B. Unfurnished Lodgings to be Let (2P) Limerick, April 27, 1799.

TO BE SET,
FROM the First of May next, for such Term as will be agreed on, **MEELICK LODGE,** containing about 13 Acres, three of which is a fine Corcafs Meadow, and two of Upland, with an Orchard remarkable for good Cider; the Kitchen Garden dressed, Oats and Potatoes sown, and Turf cut.—To be Sold there a pair of well-trained Carriage Horses. Convenient time will be given for Payment, if agreeable, on good Security. Also a fine young Bay Colt, and a good Mule. Apply to **Captain FINCH.** April 27, 1799.

TO BE LET,