

They stated that this unfortunate accident happened from some loss by taking fire. Shortly afterwards five other Tartans came in, among which was an Austrian one, the Gen. O'H; the saved 85 sailors, 2 soldiers, two Quartermasters, and two Mates; they were quarried at della Scala Straits. Yesterday the vessel, the Prince de Conti, came to anchor. She had on board 23 English, of whom three were dead.—The Triton also came in, in her company, with 6 English seamen, and one Officer. To-day, at noon, a large sloop, which belonged to the armed vessel, arrived with 24 seamen, and three Officers. The number of the crew saved amounts to 158. The Captain demanded to the last moment upon the quarter-deck, giving directions for saving the crew, without regarding his own safety in the least."

**House of Commons—Thursday, April 17.**  
Mr. Rose moved, that the Order of the Day for taking into consideration His Majesty's Message now read; which being done,

Mr. Rose said, that on account of the indisposition of his Right Hon. Friend, (Mr. Pitt) he is induced to move that this business be postponed to Monday next.

Mr. Grey observed, that some information, which Parliament did not possess, should be given, and was particularly necessary when the question of adding 100 Members from Ireland came to be considered. He said it would open a greater degree of influence than that which the Minister possessed in that House already, which, in his opinion, was much too great. With a view to avoid against such an evil, or of enabling Parliament to do so, he moved "That an humble Address be presented to His Majesty, praying that he will be pleased to give directions for laying before this House an account of the number of Officers, together with the salaries annexed thereto, actually or actually held by Members of the House of Commons."

Mr. Rose said, he had serious doubts whether it was possible to comply with this motion, for he did not know any person in this country who could make out this account. It could indeed be obtained from Ireland, but that must take up the time; nor did it appear to him to be the most regular course to make this motion in the House.

Mr. Grey said, he should have thought that Ministers would themselves have considered this too material a piece of information to be omitted; particularly as something on this head had been stated in a conversation in the House. If he should take time to produce, he should be sorry for it; but he did not see how the subject of the Union could fairly be discussed without it, and it was unnecessary for him to urge anything upon the importance of that subject, and it needed also for him to say any thing on the propriety of having information on every point which might lead to an increase of the influence of Ministers. He was satisfied that, like many Revenue Accounts, might soon be made up, or it might at least arrive before the discussion of the business was over.

Mr. Rose said, that upon the subject of Influence, the Hon. Gentleman took for granted that which might never have existence; it by no means followed that those Members who held Writs, and should hold such Offices when the Members of the United Parliament, should be followed as a matter of course, to hold Offices; now, and are Members of the United Parliament, shall hold them as Members of the U. Parliament. He said that this was so essential an article, that he was in requesting that it be inserted in the Bill.

It was carried, and two of

and committed them to the custody of the military, where they were detained till one or two o'clock next morning, when they were liberated through the humanity of Major Fellers, commanding officer of Clonakilly; but what would appear incredible, if not established by the uncontradicted testimony of three witnesses, is that after White and O'Hea were committed to the Guard-house, Donovan returned to White's house, far down with the remaining part of the company and partook of that supper from which he had hurried away the honest provider. He entered into familiar chat with the bride and bridegroom, and told them that he would not have committed their father, were it not for his threatening to write to Lord Boyle, and lay before him the whole transaction. He declared that he was placed in a most disagreeable situation, that he was between Hell and Heaven, (meaning as we believe, between Orangemen and Catholics,) and that he would not have come to the house that night, had he not been called upon by Spillers, who he said, was a dangerous man, and who would have put him down as a "Croppie, if he refused."—"P. He," said Donovan, "obliges me to act the part I do; in heart and sentiment I am one of yourselves; and I will convince the world one day that I am of the good old faith, for upon my oath I will die a staunch Roman Catholic."

When the Witnesses mentioned this part of Donovan's conversation, much mirth was excited in Court. After a few minutes on the part of the Defendants, the Solicitor General charged the Jury in a manner that did equal honour to his head and heart. His voice was the voice of justice and humanity. The Jury, then which the County could not produce a more respectable, retired for a few minutes and brought in a verdict for the Plaintiff 200*l.* damages, and six pence costs.

**LIMERICK, — APRIL 26.**

The passengers by the Mail-coach this evening mention, that Mr. L. — was found guilty at the Assizes of Naas, (the trial continued until 3 o'clock in the morning.

**To GEORGE EVANS BRUCE, Esq;**

High Sheriff of the County of Limerick.

SIR,  
WE, the undersigned Magistrates and Freeholders of the County of Limerick, request you may Convene your Bailwick, on the next convenient day, to consider the expediency of Petitioning His Majesty on the Subject of a Union with Great Britain.

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| Thomas G. Peacock, | Edward Croker,       |
| John P. Smyth,     | John M'Fly,          |
| Charles Vereker,   | Christopher Turhill, |
| John Westrop,      | Stanhil Grady,       |
| Henry Westrop,     | John Adamson,        |
| Ralph Westrop.     | April 20, 1800.      |

Hermitage, April 21, 1800.

**GENTLEMEN,**

THIS day I had the honour of receiving your requisition to convene any Bailwick, to which I beg leave to observe, that a Declaration in favour of Union, having been already signed by Thirteen out of Fifteen Peers, who possess large landed property therein; by Fifty-two out of Sixty-eight Magistrates thereof; and by several Hundred most respectable Freeholders; I cannot therefore hesitate to say, that the sense of the County of Limerick is already fully expressed.

But tho' a doubt still remain, I could not sanction any Meeting, whose avowed object was to petition His Majesty's Gracious Sovereign, either to alter any measure, or to alter the constitution of the Kingdoms.—I would militate against any such object.

house of the first-mentioned Prisoner, in the Co. of Tipperary, with a number of United Men, for the purpose of procuring arms, in order to enable them with others to attack houses in which arms and ammunition belonging to His Majesty's Yeomanry, and others of his Loyal Subjects, were deposited, to possess themselves thereof;—also, for conspiring the death of Cooke O'Ray, Esq; and Sir John Craven Carden, Bart. Magistrates of the Co. Tipperary; the Court adjourned at 3 o'clock, and the Prisoners went into their detention this day.

On Tuesday night last, three large Ricks of Hay were maliciously set on fire and burned to ashes, on the lands of Ballinobier, near Newcastle, the property of Roger Sheehy, Esq.

Wednesday night the house of Thomas Funnell, Esq; at Rockfield, in this County, was attempted to be entered by a gang of Villains, but Mr. Funnell and his Son-in-law, Samuel Bennett, Esq; firing upon the assailants, they thought proper to desamp.

An express was received last night with an order for the 46th Regiment quartered here, to hold themselves in readiness for immediate embarkation.

This day, James Liffon was executed at Gallooli-Green pursuant to his sentence, for conspiring the death of the late Mr. James Allen.

From the authority of some Gentlemen, who have read a paragraph in our last, it appears that a mill-stream has taken place, for though Newtown-Pery and South Prior's Land do not pay the assessed Taxes as laid on by the Grand Juries, agreeable to the mode appointed by the Justices, they always pay by the Acres, agreeable to Act of Parliament.

DIED. On Monday last, at Woodville, in the County Tipperary, Mrs. Minchin, wife to Hugh Minchin, Esq; her death is sincerely and deservedly lamented by her numerous family and acquaintance.

**LINENS, LAWNs, DIAPERS,**

THREADS, YARN, &c. are now receiving for this Season's Bleach at the new Bleach-Green established at Shannon-Lodge, near the Salmon-weir, Limerick,—by Mr. Geo. L. Hill, Woollen-Draper, Broad-street, and Mr. R. Moore, Dier, Thromper-Gate, Limerick; Mr. Jas. Ryan, Pallace, Kerry; Mr. S. Jones, Killooc; Mr. Comerford, Nenagh; Mr. Joseph Proffer, Tipperary; Mr. Fitz-Gerald, Post-Office, in Tashert; Mr. Hennelly, Kilmallock; and Mr. Upton, Kilsnane.

The Proprietor, R. FOULDS, hopes to convince the numerous friends who have already sent him their Linens, &c. as well as such as may still favor him with their orders, that their Goods shall be finished THIS SEASON to their Satisfaction.

April 26, 1800.

**To be Lent, on approved**

Security, two Shms of 50*l.* each—three in a Bond will be required, one of which must be a resident of this City, who will pay the Interest half-yearly. Apply to Robert Franklin Carroll, Esq; Attorney. (2 p) Limerick, April 26, 1800.

An elegant variety of newest and best Superfine Cloths, Fancy Whitecoatings, Breeches and Pantaloon Stuffs, Hosiery, &c. have this week arrived to

**JAMES CANNY, Charlotte's Quay.**

He has also received a very large assortment of Gentlemen and Ladies' London Beaver Hats of the most fashionable form.

(2 p) Limerick, April 26, 1800.

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RECEIVED BY THE Establishment for Liverpool two large Cases of London Beaver Hats, for Ladies, Gentlemen and Children's Service; Hats and Driving Caps, Fashionable Bands, &c. &c. A nice assortment of best Superfine and Livery Cloths, newest fancy Whitecoating and Breeches Stuffs, Buttons, Gold and Silver Laces, &c. &c. at the most reduced prices.—An Apprentice will be taken. (1 p) Limerick, April 26, 1800.