

At an early hour this morning all the avenues leading to the new Sessions House, in Horse Monlane, were crowded with carriages and foot passengers of every description, to witness the trial of Patch, for the murder of Mr. Blight, which has excited so much of the public curiosity. A few minutes before 10 o'clock, their Royal Highnesses the Duke of Kent, Sessex, Cambridge and Gloucester, arrived in their respective carriages, as did also the Lord Chief Baron Macdonald, who presided at the trial: the Sheriffs of Surrey, and an immense number of the Nobility; several of the Foreign Ministers were present, and thousands of the most respectable characters were from the smallness of the Court House, necessarily denied admittance.

A few minutes after ten o'clock, the Lord Chief Baron seated himself on the Bench, and the Royal Dukes placed themselves on his Lordship's right hand.

Patch was then brought into Court and placed at the Bar: he was genteely dressed in a new suit of black, bowed respectfully to the Court and appeared grave and thoughtful: the names of the Jury being then called over, the usual number of Twelve were sworn in, without any objection being taken.

The indictment being then read, the prisoner pleaded Not Guilty, and Mr. Searjeant Best, on the part of the prisoner, stated, that he was not instructed to take any objections in this stage of the trial.

Mr. Garrow then rose on the part of the prosecution, and opened the case for the Crown in one of the most masterly strains of eloquence we ever heard, and at great length; but our limits prevent us from entering more at large into his eloquent speech.

The examination of the witnesses then commenced, but was not finished when our paper went to press;—in our paper of Monday we shall lay before our Readers a full and particular account of the whole trial.

A model of Mr. Blight's premises, where the murder was committed, was brought into Court, as also the sash of the window through which the pistol ball was fired a few nights previous to the fatal affair being committed.

Mrs. Blight, the widow of the unfortunate person whose murder was the subject of the trial, accompanied by two ladies, entered the outer Court Room, in order to give her evidence, about ten o'clock. She appeared very much dejected, and was apparently supported by her two attendants.

No less than thirty-four witnesses were subpoenaed the greatest part of whom we have reason to believe will be examined, and the Briefs of the Counsel on both sides are of uncommon length, so that trial may be expected to occupy an unusual length of time.

The Counsel for the Prosecution are Messrs. Garrow, Knowles, and Const: among those for Mr. Patch, are Mr. Searjeant Best and Mr. Burney.

Many of those who attended so early as six in the morning were unable to get admission, even although furnished with the necessary introductions; indeed, never has the public anxiety seemed to be so much excited on any public occasion since the State Trials of Colonel Despard and his associates. Many who succeeded so far as the outer Court, were unable to proceed further; and so great was their curiosity, that they re-

* This day Daniel Sheehy, was executed at Gallops-Green, near this city, pursuant to his sentence at the last Assizes for burglary.

The Postmasters General have been pleased to appoint Luke Bernard, Esq. to be Postmaster of this City.

Copied from *The Vermont Mercury*:—"I desire that no one man will credit *Mary Williams*, my wife, on my account.—*T. WILLIAMS*."

"*T. WILLIAMS* need not have advertised me, as no one will credit him on his own account.—*M. WILLIAMS*."

The House of Commons having in their sitting on Thursday last, on Mr. Windham's Military Plan, (which will be found in the last page of this paper) encroached on the morning of *Good Friday*, reminds us of an anecdote of the celebrated Jack Lee, who, on hearing Lord Mansfield hint at an intention of sitting on that Holy Day, observed, that if his Lordship did so, it would be the first instance of a Judge sitting on *Good Friday*, since the memorable time of Pontius Pilate.

The Sheriff of the county of Kilkenny, has appointed to-morrow so'night for the Election of a Member to represent that County, in the room of Right Hon. W. B. Ponsouby, now a Baron of the United Kingdom.

Saturday last, at the Assizes of Clonmel, the following persons received sentence of death:—

Nicholas Hanley, for burning the house of Patrick Shea, of Killerk, to be hanged on the 8th of April.

Thomas Gorman, for mail robbery, to be hanged on Saturday next.

Michael Landers, Nicholas Cummins, and Ts. Sullivan, for burglary and felony, to be hanged on Tuesday, the 15th instant.

Bonaparte has a fine Map of St. Domingo in his study—The Black Emperor swears it is all he shall ever have of that Island.

Cork, April 7.—On Saturday last, Joseph Kelly, Esq. Captain and Paymaster of the 32d Regiment, was tried in the County Court, on a charge of shooting William Harrison, Esq. late a Captain in the same Regiment in a duel. On a minute investigation of all the circumstances, it afforded us considerable pleasure to hear a highly respectable Jury pronounce a verdict of *Not Guilty*. We are also gratified in observing that if the occasion was painful to Captain Kelly, it afforded the public an opportunity of appreciating his conduct as a gentleman, and as a man of honour, and his numerous friends the pleasure of evincing how high his character stood in their estimation. He was ably defended by Messrs. T. Gould, J. Fitzgerald, T. Towashend, and — Franks. The Council on the part of the Crown were Messrs. White and Connell, who evinced the utmost liberality and candour in the discharge of their duty.

This day the two Irwins, (brothers) were found Guilty of Murder, and received sentence of death, to be executed on Wednesday next.—Their bodies are to be sent to the County Infirmary for dissection.

On Wednesday fortnight, was concluded in the Consistorial Court of Cork, a Cause of Complaint of Margaret Ann Fitzmaurice, against Captain James Fitzmaurice, late Paymaster of the 4th Battalion of the 60th Regiment in Jamaica, for Cruelty, &c. &c.—Advocates for the Complainant, Anthony Connell, and Joseph Dennis, Esqrs.—Proctor, Richard Chinnery, Esq.—

State of the Ordinary at each Port					
	Line.	50's	Frg.	Sps.	T
Portsmouth,	9	2	13	13	
Plymouth,	16	4	14	5	
Chatham,	13	7	3	5	
Sheerness,	1	1	3	8	
River,	4	3	11	6	
Extraneous,	0	0	2	1	
TOTAL	43	17	46	38	11

NOTICE

TO TRAVELLING GENTLEMEN.

PETER NEVILL,

OF PALMER'S-STREET, LIMERICK

☞ Informs his Friends and the Public he is, as usual, well supplied with the best F OATS, and every other accomodation that can refer to those that honor him with their commands

DINNERS and BREAKFASTS at the shortest notice
Sales of his House—Hay and Oats, 2s—2d—p
 Port Wine, 8s—8d—per Bottle; Punch, 8d—pe
 Good Beds and Arred Sheeting, gratis.

N. B.—Said NEVILL has on Sale, a large stock MALT WHISKEY, which he will sell reasonably trial will be found superior. — *Thomson's*
be supplied with Tea & C. April 11
Port

☞ Such persons as the late *Gerald Fitz Esq.* of Tarbert, died indebted to, are requested to their Accounts immediately to THEOPHILUS THURST YIELDING, Esq. Tralee; or the Rev. MARTIN, Tarbert.

April 11,

BLACK and O'SHEA,

Have for Sale at Reasonable Prices

Twenty Thousand Barrel, } Staves,
 Ten Thousand Hoghead }
 Best Wigan and Southside Working
 Liverpool White Salt,
 A few Hhds. Old Claret.

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TO BE LET,

Or the Interest Sold,

A PLOT OF BUILDING GROU

Of 102 feet in front of Roche's-street, and 160 ft towards Cecil-street.

Proposals in writing only will be received

LUKE ROWE, Apothecary,

WILLIAM-SREET,

Who has received a large supply of GENUINE CINES and PATENT MEDICINES.

☞ From the attention paid the proper preparation dicine, he expects a continuance of that support amply experienced.

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April 1.

FURNITURE BY AUCTION

The entire Household Furniture of M

At his House in Clare-street,

Will be Sold by Auction, on Wednesday

the 16th instant,

☞ It is nearly new, and consists of mahogany Dinner, and Sideboard Tables; Parlour and Chairs; Toilet Tables; Dressing Glasses; Bed Hangings; Low-Boy; Wardrobe; Carpets; Fire Irons; a variety of Cut Glass and China; Pl. Gardevine; a new Clock (by O'Shaughnessy); description of good and useful Kitchen Furniture, &c. &c. — the General A.