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This point was argued at great extent.

The Recorder, however, decided, that the objection should be made at the time of voting, or not at all,

This decision did not seem to meet the approbation of the assembly.

The most uncommon degree of disorder and

confusion prevailed for a long time.

Alderman Archer, at leagth obtained a hearing. He contended, that though the Recorder was judge of the law, he could not decide upon the fact. He had an high opinion of his legal talents, but on the present occasion he should exercise his own. He respected the Recorder, but he respected the Common Council more. His opinion should not govern their decision, until it should be decided by the vote of that house. He should therefore put it to the vote.

Mr. Giffard bounced up. He thought it was treating the first law authority among them with disrespect, to hesitate about adopting his opinion.

A number of gentlemen cried out, that suffering themselves to be guided in that manner, was unworthy the character they sustained .- They looked to the Recorder as a Counsellor, but not as a Commander.

Mr. Giffard, in order to show the absurdity of opposing the Recorder's opinion, proposed a reso-

lution to the following tenor :-

" Whereas after ample and mature deliberation and argument, it was solemnly determined by the Recorder of the city of Dublin, that the evidence should not be received at present in aid of the petitioner the Common Council are of opinion that it ought."

A great clamour ensued.

Alderman Archer contended, that, notwithstanding the Recorder's opinion, the evidence ought to be gone into-

A division was called for, when there appeared 45 For Mr. Giffard's motion,

> For the negative, 41

The acute and able Sheriff's Peer was caught in his own share, to the general satisfaction of the Council and a crowded authority.

Mr. Giffard said, he made the motion to shew

Alderman Archer said, that he was glad the Half had determined in the affirmative of the learned gentlemen. He (the Alderman) was found in Wilkes's number 45, and he was sure that if the ghost of Lucas appeared on the table, he would vote against the Recorder. And Sir Jonah Barrington said, that the ghost of King William would vote with Mr. Giffard.

The evidence was produced. This obligation was to shew that persons belonging originally to other corporations voted for the merchants. A va-

riety of witnesses proved this point.

Counsellor Wills was examined at great length on this point. The learned gentleman belonged to the weavers corporation and to the merchants. He voted as a free merchant for the last representatives. This gentleman underwent a cross-examination of considerable extent, which was managed will be a meeting on Monday next, to elect another gentleman in his place.

A Meeting of the Standing Committee of the County of Limerick Infirmary is requested on Monday next, at one o'clock, to examine the Treasurer's accounts for the half year, ending 25th inst. preparatory to a general meeting of the Governors and Governesses to be held on Friday, W. D. Hoare, Treas. 1st Jan. 1808.

The Lord High Chancellor of Ireland has been pleased to appoint Samuel Harding. Esq. of Rock-Lodge, in this county, a Justice of the Peace and Quorum for the county Limerick.

The Heroine, Barry, of and from this port for Greenock, arrived there sale on the 15th inst.

The Hero, Liang, from this port, arrived at Greenock, on the 16th inst.

We understand that both the gentlemen, (Capt. Campbell and Lieut. Eyre Trench) lately tried by a general court martial, were, after a most serioes examination, fully acquitted of the charges brought against them.

Monday last, at a meeting of the corporation of Waterford, M. Evelyn, and N. B. Skottowe, Esgrs. were elected common councilmen, in the room of Thomas Backas, and Robert Dobbyn, Esgrs. deceased. At the same time Francis John Haffard, Esq. was elected recorder, in the room of Robert Dobbin, Esq. deceased.

## EXPORTS.

The James for London.

269 tierces pork, 262 tierces beef, 350 brls. beef, 110 brls. pork, 70 tubs, 194 firkins butter by D. Lyons.

17 bales army cloathing, by Meade and Fennell. Trafalgar for Dumbarton,

3440 barrels oats, by Harvey and Fisher. Æolus for London

250 tierces beef, 150 brls. do. 50 tierces pork, 20 barrels pork; by J. Kelly and Co.

206 tierces beef, 16 tons butter, by Harvey and Fisher.

15 bags feathers, by M. and P. M'Mahon.

200 tierces pork, 466 cwt. tallow, and 100 firkins butter, by D. Lyons.

The Elizabeth for Portsmouth 438 barrels pork, 40 firkins butter, by D. Lyons. The New Success for Greenock.

1949 barrels oats, 7 tons 15 cwt. butter, by R. Rogers. The Basbara for Glasgow.

56 tons 11 cwt. oatmeal, 368 brls. oats, by J.&P.Gabbett: The Britania for Liverpool.

500 barrels wheat, 544 barrels oats, by J. and Wm. Hill. The Dispatch for Plymouth.

25 tons butter, 78 tierces beef, by J Kelly and Co.

The Hero for Newry. 948 barrels wheat, by James Phelps.

120 barrels wheat, and 50 brls. barley, by J. N. Russell.
The Jannet for Sligo.

1040 barrels wheat, by M. P. Rochford.

## ARRIVED.

The Shannon, of Workington, from Whitehaven, coals, The Friendship, of Limerick, from St. Ubes, merchandize, The Sophia, of Stockholm, from Lisbon, wine, &c. The Hope, of Scarbro', from Plymouth, Staves, &c.

## MARRIAGES.

A few days since, at Garnuragh, county Clare, William Borough, Esq. of the royal navy, to Miss Comyn, daughter of Laurence Comyn, Esq. of Broom-bill, in said county.

Last week, Andrew Blake, Esq. of the Galway militia, to Miss Butler, only daughter of Walter Butler, Esq. of Cregg, co. Galway

On Monday last, by the Rev. Mr. Fitzgerald, at her father's Graham, Esq. of the 31st regt. to Miss Ievers. daughter of Thomas levers, Esq. of Ennis.

## DEATHS.

On Monday evening, in Nicholas-street, Mr. Denis Burns. Chandler.

At Chatham, Mr. Rupert George, midshipman, of his Majesty's ship Centaur, and second son to the Hon: Baron George. Lord Chief Justice of Ireland.

On Friday last, in Dublin, after a few days illness, Sir F. Hutchinson, Bart. aged 80 years...

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