

To the Right Hon. Lord Efreuch

We understand the Rt. Rev the Lord Bishop of Limerick, sailed last night from the Pidgeon House, Dublin, for Holyhead, on his way to London.

In the unsuccessful attack made by the boats of the Fortune frigate, on a French privateer, 24 men were killed, including two midshipmen, and 36 wounded including two lieutenants. We have received the particulars of this action, but are obliged to postpone them.

Vice-Admiral Thornborough has appointed the Regulate gun-brig to convoy the vessels bound from the Shannon to the Eastward, instead of the Helena sloop of war ordered on foreign service.

SPORTING INTELLIGENCE.—On Tuesday last, a castle chase of four miles across the country near Newcastle, was won by Mr. O'Garra's famous horse Slitter, ridden by Rich. B. Browne, Esq. and Mr. J. Mangan's gelding, Runnett, by P. DeLacey, Esq. for fifty guineas, which was won by the latter.—Two to one on Slitter, when starting.

We are concerned to announce the death of Lieut. Christopher Burbridge Collis, of the 1st battalion 72d regiment, and son of Brigade Major Collis, of the Clare district. This promising young gentleman, departed this life on board the Minerva transport, in Simon's Bay, Cape of Good Hope, on the 14th of October, having only just the day before embarked to join the expedition to the Isle of France, although in very bad state of health. He had just attained his 26th year, and in the words of Lieut. Colonel Monkton, whose letter announces his death—"He had left after him a character pure and unsullied—his public conduct invariably securing to him the approbation of his superiors, while his amiable manners endeared him to all who knew him"—His remains were interred at Simon's Town, with military honours, the whole garrison bearing their last mournful testimony to the high esteem in which the character of this young and deserving officer was held.

Tuesday and Wednesday evening, divisions of the Wicklow Militia arrived in this city, from Dublin, on their route to relieve the Leitrim Militia (who have proceeded for Waterford,) at Tralee and the several cantonments in Kerry.

THE KING.

The following are the bulletins received since our last:—

"Windsor-castle, Feb. 22

"His Majesty goes on satisfactorily."

"Windsor-castle, Feb. 23.

"His Majesty goes on in the most satisfactory manner."

That venerable Minister of the Gospel, the Rev. Dr. Botagh, S. L. whose death was announced in a former paper, has been, as such, seldom equalled in the christian world, and scarcely ever surpassed. With a mind, whose conceptions were as quick and comprehensive as it were possible for man to possess, his researches had been commensurate with those rare gifts of Providence. Not a spot of that vast intellect, which God had given him, remained uncultivated; all was teeming with the fair fruit of science! The points of controversial disputation, either between christians or infidels, or between the various christian sects, he understood, perhaps, as well as any divine on earth; Yet never did he, in polemic discourses, disgust the philanthropist, by acrimonious reproaches to those who differed from him nor did he seek to terrify the ignorant by bitter denunciations. Not more extensive was his knowledge, than his love of mankind of every religious persuasion, and many are now living in Dublin, who have been won to the catholic religion, by the benign spirit of christian charity which dictated all his exhortations. For thirty years he has been preaching the Gospel in that city, and the result of his apostolic labours are such, as to render extensive and permanent blessings to society, without a mixture of alloy at his hands, for it was not in his nature to alienate one christian from another, by untimely or rigorous theological contrasts. His sermons and extempore instructions were fraught with

connected with religious instruction, are too numerous, and too manifest to be doubted by any; but they will be best appreciated by those, who have well considered the deplorable state of ignorance, depravity and superstition, in which the lower classes of society are too generally involved. The human mind without education, is like the earth without culture, and, like it, will produce nothing but noxious weeds, the only spontaneous growth of a debased soil. How degrading must it be to an intelligent creature to be utterly excluded from the various sources of information and improvement, which education, even in its more confined branches, opens to the human mind! and how dangerous to the best interests of an immortal being to be thus abandoned to the mercy of the interested or designing, into whose hands he may happen to fall, without the possibility of detecting error, or investigating truth! Ignorance is the natural Parent of superstition, bigotry, insubordination, and every species of immorality; and if the evil included in this aggregate, be less apparent, or less shocking to our nature, is it not because we reflect less seriously upon it, than we ought? Would we, therefore, successfully combat these evils? We must endeavour to dispel the gross ignorance which so awfully pervades the lower orders in this kingdom, and prepare their minds for the admission of Divine Truth. There the root of the evil lies, and there the cure must begin. Teach the children of the poor to read their bibles, TO FEAR GOD AND HONOUR THE KING, and you will do more under GOD, to ameliorate the state of society, and to introduce order and happiness among your fellow creatures, than by any other human means whatever. To the rising generation we must look, they are our best hope for the radical and extended blessing of any system of reform in mind and manners.

Influenced by these views the trustees of this institution beg leave to submit an outline of their plan to the consideration of a discerning public. They disclaim every idea of interfering with any other institution; nor do they attach any peculiar merit to their own.—They wish to offer it in all humility, as a mite, in aid of other similar establishments towards the general good.—And relying on the integrity of their motives, and the truth of these general principles, they look with confidence to the liberality of a generous public, to enable them to carry their design into execution, if not ultimately to extend it, 'till a little one become a thousand, and 'till, like the grain of mustard seed sown in the earth, it spread its benign and fostering branches to an extent not at present to be contemplated—to generations yet unborn. Thus let it be, O GOD, through thy Divine and Heavenly influences.

The books of the institution will be open at all times at the school, for the inspection of the public. Subscriptions and donations will be thankfully received by any of the Trustees; and a statement of the receipts and expenditure will be annually laid before the public.

MARRIAGE.

At John's church, Mr. Thomas Jackson Revenue officer, to Miss Dickson, daughter to the late Mr. Samuel Dickson, of this city.

Lately at Burnham, (Dingle) the seat of Lord Ventry, his Lordships grand daughters Ann and Eliza, daughters of the Hon. W. Mullins, by Sarah, daughter of Sir Riggs Falkiner, the eldest to W. Orpen Townsend, Esq. the younger to Captain Crommelin, of the co. Antrim.

At Marylebone-church (London) on Wednesday Col. Jones, of the 15th Dragoons, to Antonia, youngest daughter of the late Henry Swinburn, Esq. of Hammerly county Durham.

By the Rev. Henry Gubbins, at George's church, Mr Wm. Stephens, of Ballyseedy, co. Kerry, to Miss Gertrude Hamill, niece to the late Mrs. Harrison, of this city.

On Tuesday last, Edward Beecher, of Hockcastle, co. Cork, Esq. to Mary, daughter of Wm. Baldwin, of Nelson-place in that county, Esq.

On Friday the 22d inst. Emily, second daughter of the Rev. Geo. Maunsell, Dean of Leighlin, to Henry Watson, of Leighlin Bridge, county Carlow.

Last Monday, Mr. Thady Brew, of Kilrush, to Miss Curtin, daughter of Mr. Augustine Curtin, of Bysart.

THE CORK AND LIM

Opposition Coach

STARTS from COLOPY'S HOTEL, WEDNESDAY and FRIDAY; and from tel. Cork, on SUNDAYS, TUESDAYS, at six o'clock in the morning, and perspective Journeys in Twelve Hours.

The Proprietor flatters himself that claim on the Public for support, as he cured them Cheap Travelling, but condition, the greatest attention being paid at the Breakfast Houses and Hotels & Limerick.

WANTS A SITUATION As GOVERNESS.

A LADY qualified to teach English, Geography, and the various branches and Ornamental Works, would accept of a Governess in a Respectable Family. Years past resided in that capacity with distinction, and can therefore give the most able references as to Qualification and

A line directed to C. B. the Clerk, will be attended to. J. M.

NOTICE.

THE Creditors of JOHN RYAN, Bankrupt, are requested to meet at Exchange, Dublin, on the 7th Day of Two o'clock to consider of the prudent Auction the outstanding Debts of the

CAUTION.

CAUTION the Public, against giving to wife Elizabeth Moran, alias N. mined not to pay any Debt she may Public Notice.

J. A. Tullovin, near Croom, March 28.

IN THE MATTER

DENNIS LYONS—A

THE SALE of the Bankrupt's Effects at his House in George's street MARCH, and continue from Day to Sold.

O'DWY Limerick, Feb 27, 1811.

COUNTY OF LIM

Spring Assizes, I

SATURDAY the Second of MARCH latest Day for lodging Presentments the Secretary's Office.

All Public Works intended to be completed at the farthest, on Monday of March next; and the Affidavits immediately after, to be arranged previously directed by the late Act.

Rutland-Street. Fe

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THESE Races are to commence of MAY.—ARTICLES at Large Paper, and in the Racing Calendar DENNIS O'BRIEN