

Advertiser

Y, FEBRUARY 11, 1817

present our readers, with the
sh Packets received since
most importance, and likely
y interest, has come before
h Houses of Parliament—
relative to the assembling of
elated to disturb the public
enate the affections of the
ty's person and Govern-
throw the whole frame &
l Constitution.—Such is the
e of his Royal Highness the
was in the first instance re-
ation of both Houses, and
and Scrutiny appointed—
deliberation we shall be par-
shall seize the earliest op-
em before our readers.
Commons, on Tuesday, the
chequer, gave notice of his
Wednesday for a Grant or
ake up a proportion of Ex-
out to become due in Ireland.

a requisition from the Mayor,
y respectable Meeting of the
er Inhabitants of this City,
at the Tholsel, the Mayor
object of the Meeting was to
to his Royal Highness the
ssive of the abhorrence which
trocious attempt made on his
—and another to the Lord
ing that his Excellency might
The Resolutions were read by
ecoded by the Right Hon.
nd unanimously agreed to.—
e Meeting were then voted to
J. Voreker, Esq. Mayor, for
convening it, proposed by
d seconded by J. Tuthill, Esq.

THE ARMY.

been addressed to the Editor of the
of the 31st of Jan. you have stated,
News, that a squadron of every regt.
reduced immediately, which I think
ng a wrong statement. On the 1st of
was issued, by order of the Prince
order of the forces in this country, to
cers of cavalry regiments in Ireland,
had been pleased to order that the
onsist of eight troops each, 464 rank
oys included, for the year 1817, and
en per troop, and 41 horses, leaving
ted. I herewith give you a statement
going on, according to an order issued
Dublin, to reduce, with as little delay
wo men per troop, and twenty one
hich is now actually taking place,
168 horses each regiment; and which,
for your statement in the *Correspon-*
duction is more than a squadron in each
st be well aware, that if two troops
y reduced, the present order would not

Establishment of 1816 and 1817 :		
	Men.	Horses.
ome, each	672	576
do.	488	328

	184	248
ments,	22	22

make the	4012 Men	5456 Horses.

EMBEZZLEMENT OF THE LETTER OF MESSRS.

MAUNSELL, KENNEDY & MAUNSELL.

(From the Chronicle of Saturday.)

The enquiries that have been made at our office, for intel-
ligence as to the late extraordinary attempt upon the above-
mentioned Bank, have been so numerous, that impossible as
it would be for us to reply to them individually, we shall,
through this channel, give the public such information as we
have been able to obtain. And we must say for the very
respectable numbers who have been thus solicitous, that their
enquiries have been made, not in the spirit of curiosity, but
of indignation, at an attempt upon a firm hitherto supposed
to be without an enemy—the earliest establishment of the sort
that appeared in this city—a firm that first gave sinews to our
industry, and expansion to our commerce—a firm as distin-
guished by the probity of its dealings, as the security of its
funds—a firm that was established before the vicissitudes
which were incurred, or the speculations that were encouraged
by the French Revolution, and which maintained its credit
and its character during all the changes and calamities of the
intervening period.

In some days after the Mercantile house of Messrs Meade
and Fennell had found it necessary to suspend their payments,
and when that event was so fully known to the public as to
require no private intelligence of the fact, anonymous letters
it is reported, were issued thro' the Post Office, to indivi-
duals in the country towns of all the adjacent counties,
announcing "that the house of M——— and Co. had
failed for an immense sum of money;" thus equivocally
insinuating that the House of Messrs. Maunsell Kennedy and
Maunsell, had failed, while the contriver of this device pro-
tected himself from the imputation of a falsehood, by the
correspondence between the initials of the two houses and
screened himself from detection by his anonymous intangibility.

Upon the intelligent upper classes, a stratagem of this sort
could take no effect, neither was it intended for that sphere;
but upon the lower classes, through whose hands at this sea-
son of the year all the Bank Paper of the country is in cir-
culation, it produced all the effect which the author of the
measure could desire, and the new year commenced by a run
upon the Bank from those classes, which continued for 14
days, and until they saw by the promptitude with which
they were paid, that the alarm was as unfounded as it was
anonymous; while, perhaps, the comploter of the mischief,
during its progress, to exempt himself from suspicion, was
hypocritically asserting in public the stability of that esta-
blishment, which in private he was labouring to destroy.

Thus far, it was only a simple manoeuvre, within the
compass of an ordinary tactician. But the next was a
combined operation, the effort of a sublime genius, for
having effected an assault upon the garrison at home,
it determined to prevent the possibility of relief, by
cutting off all supplies from abroad.

For this purpose, as it was sagaciously foreseen that
the first measure of the bank, under the above men-
tioned pressure, would be to apply to their correspon-
dent in Dublin for remittances in National paper. A
connection was formed in Dublin to obtain from the
General Post Office by any practical means, any letter
directed to Mr. Hartnett, a confidential correspondent
of the Bank—and never was a plot so deeply laid more
effectually executed. On the 3d of January the Bank
directed a letter from Limerick, enclosing Bills to a
considerable amount to Mr. Hartnett, in Dublin, and
containing also the private confidential affairs of that
house, intended only for his perusal. On the 4th, this
letter was obtained from the General Post Office by
means yet undiscovered, broke open and detained until
the 10th, when intelligence arrived from Limerick that
the run on the Bank was over, and that the project
had completely failed. The Bills enclosed in the letter
were then enfolded in a cover, directed to Mr. Hart-
nett, and sent by the penny post—but the letter itself
and the private communication were embezzled.

It would be superfluous to make any comment on
the atrocity of this act, whether inspired by malice,
or whether inspired by interest; neither can we ex-
press any sanguine expectations that it will be at-
tended with discovery, notwithstanding every exertion
was made, by the Post Master General in Dublin and
elsewhere—If perpetrated by a Novice, the probabili-
ty is, that his inexperience would have furnished some
clue to his detection—but this measure bears the
stamp of a master, capable of laying a train in the
dark, in defiance of elucidation. Far, be it from us,
however, to direct the finger of suspicion, or even to
hint the least coincidence of our own, with any general
sentiment that may be formed upon the subject.

GALWAY CASE.

The King a. Daly.

On Tuesday Mr. Burton was heard in the Court of King's

The Jane and Eliza, Jones, from this port, arrived at
Gravesend, the 3d. inst.

Saturday se'nnight a stable at Barnick, County Clare, the
seat of Charles Mahon, Esq. Assistant Barrister of that Co.,
was feloniously entered, and plundered of some saddles and
bridles.—Same night, a stable belonging to the Rev. Mr.
Roane, at Buneraggy, was broke open, and robbed of dif-
ferent articles.

The Rev. William Lloyd, late Curate of Golden, is ap-
pointed to Holycross Parish.

FEVER HOSPITAL.

Report from 6th Jan. 1817, to 1st Feb.

In the House, in Fever, 6th Jan.....	79
Since received.....	78
	—153
Of whom were cured.....	82
Died.....	1
Remained convalescent, 1st Feb.....	32
In active Fever.....	38
	—70
	—153

It is with great regret that the Committee of the Fever
Hospital is obliged to come to a resolution *not to admit* any
other Patients into the Hospital but those afflicted with Fever,
until the present unusual influx of Fever Patients shall decrease;
there are in the house this day 85 persons in Fever, including
convalescents, exceeding by 31 the greatest number known to
be in the house at any period since its foundation in the year
1781.

BIRTHS.

At Corbally, on Thursday, the Lady of William Rose,
Esq. of a son.—On Thursday, at Ash-hill, the Lady of Eyre
Evans, Esq. of a son.

MARRIAGES.

At Grey Abbey, James Miles Reilly, Esq. Barrister at Law,
third son of the late John Reilly, of Scarva House, in the
county Down, Esq. to Emily Georgiana Susannah, only
daughter of the late Rev. Hugh Montgomery, of Grey
Abbey.—In London, W. W. Wynn, Bart. to Lady Henrietta
Antonia Clive, daughter of the Earl of Powis.—In said place,
David Nixon Donellan, of Ravensdale Park, Co. Kildare,
Esq. to Elizabeth, daughter of the Hon. John Leeson.

DEATHS.

On Friday last, in Galway, Mrs. Creagh, relict of the late
Paul Creagh, Esq. of this city.—In William street, Mr. Bat-
Casey.—Suddenly, on Friday last, at his Lordship's seat
Florence Court, Enniskillen, the Rt. Hon. Lady Enniskillen.
—In Dublin, at the house of the Rt. Hon. W. C. Plunket
aged 84, Mrs. M. Causland, widow of the late John M. Caus-
land, of the county Donegal, Esq.—On Monday night, in
Clonmel, John Howell, Esq. deputy mayor.

LIMERICK PRICES.—Wheat 2s 9 to 8s. 3d per
—Barley, 0d to 1s. 3d—Oats, 1. 5d to 1s. 5d—Rape
seed, 25s. to 0s. per brl—Pork, 00s. 0d. to 35s. 0d per
cwt.—Flour 40s 0d to 43s. 0d. per cwt—Oatmeal
25s. to 26s 0d—Beef, 2d to 3d. a lb. Mutton, 4d to 5d
per lb—Tallow, 6s. 6d. to 7s. 8d. per st.—Potatoes. 3d
to 3d. per stone.—Flax, from 3s 6d. to 4s. 1d. per
st. Butter—84. 74. 64. 54.—Whiskey 12s. 6d. per gal
CORK MARKET, Feb. 9.—Butter 84s.—78s.—72s. 68s
62s.

FIRE AND LIFE ASSURANCE.

THE CORPORATION
OF THE

Royal Exchange Assurance

OF LONDON,

Being desirous to extend their Transactions in this
part of the

UNITED KINGDOM,

INFORM the Public, that *Fire & Life Assurances*
will be effected, on equitable terms, by Messrs J.
and J. M. NAMARA, their Agents at Limerick, who
will duly attend to all applications made at their
Office in Denmark-Street.
Limerick, February 11, 1817.

TO BE LET.

FROM THE 25TH DAY OF MARCH NEXT,
For such Term and in such Divisions as may
be agreed on,

Several Farms and Parcels of Land,
Contiguous to the Town of Gort, Co. Galway,
Part of the Estate of
GORT