

...the Duke of York transacted military business with his Majesty. His Excellency the Earl of Huntingdon, and suite, embarked on board the *Academy*, Captain Andrew King, on Monday immediately afterwards for ... The *Active* will return to England ... his Excellency at that Island. ... said that Captain Thomas Briggs ... out Mr. Canning to India, and that ... 50 gun ship, is to be commissioned for that purpose. ... Francis N. Burton, has left St. ... hotel, Albemarle-street, London, for ... Lady Burton has left the same hotel ... Sussex.

... Meeting is about to be convened in order to open a subscription for the starvation of Ireland.

... to Parliament are signing at Bath, for a Tax on the property and income of persons residing abroad.

... Staffordshire colliers continue in a state of idleness, and refuse to work—in one instance the military were compelled to ... a man named Roberts was badly injured.

... of the Turkish Fleet and a fifty gun ship are lost off Alexandria.

DUBLIN, MAY 9.

... as Ellis, Esq. M. P. has arrived in town. His Patent passed the Great Seal yesterday appointing the following King's Counsel Serjeants at Law, viz. Thomas Lefroy, John Boyd, and Robert Torrens, Esqrs. They appeared in yesterday before the Lord Chancellor with all the formalities customary upon such occasions.

... rejoice that something will be accomplished towards a relief from taxation. One-half the Salt Tax, one-half the Leather Tax, the repeal of the Window and Hearth Tax in Ireland, &c. Letters, we understand, have been received in town regarding the repeal of the Act. It is said it will not take place until next year. We look to the wisdom and the liberality of Parliament for its immediate repeal; we still think that we shall have, very soon, to congratulate our readers on its total abolition before the conclusion of the present session.—*Dublin Evening Post*.

... confident expectation that the Window Tax will be abolished, we understand that preparations are making for a most splendid illumination to be given on Monday evening.

... from Ballinasloe, dated Tuesday 7th inst. states, that the black cattle fair held on that day, was worse than all the previous ones. The sellers could not obtain the price they asked this time twelvemonth for the same stock. This is deplorable after a year's

... greatly regret that the extreme notoriety of the lamentable discovery which has been made at a newly established and highly respected Seminary, obliges us to touch upon the subject. It appears that the Establishment in question is about fifty miles from Dublin. A party between seven or eight pupils has

...ous donation of FOUR HUNDRED GUILINEAS!

We who are acquainted with the ardour and capability of Mr. Morgan, can easily imagine the effect that his sympathising representation produced on the kind hearts of the good men to whom he appealed on behalf of his suffering countrymen; to him the people of Limerick are deeply indebted for his humane interposition, and a feeling of gratitude must pervade the whole country for the prompt and liberal gift which the Royal Exchange Assurance has given to mitigate the miseries of the Irish poor.

This day, Patrick Cleary was executed at the new drop in front of the County Jail, pursuant to his sentence at the last Assizes, for a burglary in the house of Mr. Rose, near Rathkeale. He fully acknowledged the justice of his sentence, but stated that he was led into the crime by the artful and wicked advice of Kelly, who was acquitted of the same offence.

The following is an accurate list of the number of arms surrendered at Newmarket, County Cork, to Lieut.-Colonel Stretton, 4th Regiment, since his arrival there:—32 old muskets and fowling-pieces, 5 pistols and 1 blunderbuss, 9 bayonets, 4 swords, 26 pikes, and 12 scythe-heads, used as swords.

To shew the insincerity of the partial delivery of arms, John Rourke, one of the fellows who was caught in Kerby's house last week, had, only a few days previous, delivered up two guns to a Gentleman of the neighbourhood where he resided.

At the Special Sessions, under the Insurrection Act, held at Kilkenny, on Tuesday last, John Walshe, for having concealed ammunition, was found guilty, and sent off from the dock for transportation, under a large escort.

Extract of a letter from Charleville, dated May 7:—"On Sunday night last, at the village of Newtown, about three miles from Charleville, two respectable farmers were attacked by about twenty of the Whiteboys, armed with swords and scythes—one of them, named M'Auliff, who is living on the estate of Mr. Plunkett, the Attorney-General, about two years, had his house attacked, his door sledged and broken in, and all his windows destroyed; they then got on the top of the house, stripped off a great part of the thatch, and tumbled a brick-chimney down, breaking every thing inside; the farmer, although the door was broken, made an excellent resistance, and, with his son and a labourer, armed with pitchforks, prevented these fellows from getting into the house; they then threw stones in at the windows, destroyed almost all the furniture, and cut a pig in a most cruel manner. The other farmer (William Burke) living on the estate of Mr. Freeman Crofts, had his house broken into by the same party, who put him on his oath to give a half barrel of potatoes to a smith in the village, and then killed a calf and pig belonging to him. As long as these fellows keep the arms they got, we cannot expect they will be quiet."

state, however, that a communication had taken place with his Majesty's Ministers on the subject, and that so far from their objecting to the course, it had their warm approval.

Mr. Rowcroft begged to correct a statement which the worthy Chairman had made, which had arisen from the short notice received of his presence as Chairman. He inquired, as to a communication had taken place with his Majesty's Ministers on the subject of the present Meeting had in view. He said that a communication had taken place with his Majesty's Ministers on the subject, and that so far from their objecting to the course, it had their warm approval.

After some further proceedings, the Meeting came to a resolution for opening a subscription to relieve the distresses which are so well known to exist in Ireland. A Committee was appointed to superintend the collection of the sums which may be raised, and to make the most expeditious and effectual use of the same.

The principal Members of the Committee were the Archbishop of Canterbury, the Marquis of Conyngham, the Earl of S. Rice, Mr. John Smith, and Mr. Spring Rice.

Mr. Spring Rice said he had some benevolent individuals, not only in England, but in Ireland, who had applied to him as he had thought most advisable to do, to assist the Irish poor. By such acts of benevolence the feelings of love and concord are cemented in the hearts of both the English and Irish nation. It would shew that in the midst of the calamities which are afflicting Ireland, that there was a benevolent disposition in English hearts, which was in a measure relieved by the sufferings the poor Irishmen were undergoing, and would make them look forward to the day when they might be liberated from their present sufferings.

Sir E. O'Brien then read to the Meeting a list of letters he had received, to commend the efforts which had been made of late in Ireland. In many parts the land was being able to collect their rents from feelings of humanity, to the relief of the poor.

Mr. Rowcroft then read a list of names of persons already received; among the following names:—

- The Marquis of Hertford...
- The Earl of Liverpool.....
- The Right Hon. Mr. Peel....
- The Right Hon. Mr. Vansittart
- Marquis Conyngham.....
- The Archbishop of Canterbury
- The Archbishop of York.....
- Mr. John Smith.....
- Mr. Spring Rice.....
- Mr. Edward Ellice.....
- Messrs. Roberts and Co.
- Messrs. Bosnaquet, and Co....
- Messrs. Barclay and Co....
- Messrs. Pread and Co.....

To these were added a long list of names, amounting to a great number, and we should think that the presence of the Bishop