

After the ground had been this cut, not without great labour in various directions, towards the top, the attack commenced. The was long and sanguinary; it lasted five hours, when the enemy retreated, after experiencing very loss in killed wounded, and prisoners. The retreat continued for two days, but gained that the King of the Ashan- subsequently joined his army with reinforcements, which it was estimated make the whole of his force sixteen thousand men. The Fantees of the co-operating native Powers, themselves, during the battle, in a very satisfactory to Major Chish- consequently, was not only preventing the enemy, but obliged to former position. It was ascertained that the enemy had resolved an attack upon the Castle, which the their King it was supposed, would Our loss was about 150 killed, and 800 wounded.

Officers wounded on the part of our Captain Hutchinson, of the Royal Militia, severely; and Lieutenant of the Royal Navy, slightly.

It is reported that the Russian Minister at Court, had protested in the name of the Emperor against the transmission of troops to Portugal.

A movement which appeared in a Morning paper yesterday, that Government had determined to raise two Black Regiments, and two regiments of Convicts, as reinforcements for the Castle, is, we have authority for saying, wholly unfounded.---*Courier.*

A Council which has been holden for some time at the Horse-Guards, before which witnesses are understood to have been examined upon a subject that has not been permitted to transpire beyond the officers of the Council, has closed its sitting.---*Globe.*

Thomas S. Raffles has lost £40,000 and his wings, by the fire on board the Fame, as he was conveying him to England.

Following law arrangements in India, it has been determined upon:—Sir F. Macnaghten has for many years occupied the station of Chief Justice at Calcutta, is about to retire, and is to be succeeded by Sir George B. P. P. of the Puisne Judges at Madras.—Sir J. P. P. of the Chancery Bar, succeeded by George Grey at Madras.

Mr. Hutchinson, Lady Oxford, and Mrs. P. are prohibited entering the Austrian

The Duke of Wellington has been indisposed for a week past.

Yesterday evening last an open landau, with the Duke of Wellington, was upset in the Park, by which Sir Andrew Barnard's small bone of his leg broken—the rest of the party escaped with a few bruises.

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WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 4.

The 1st Royals march hence on Monday next for Castlebar, Westport, and Foxford, and will be replaced here by the 19th.

On Friday night two men were desperately beaten in the neighbourhood of Askeaton, by a party of disguised villains; and the reason assigned was, for working on the new line of road, according to Mr. Griffith's plan, and contrary to the wishes of the people. It appears that Mr. Griffith insists on having the work performed by task, in gangs of twelve each, while the labourers require to be paid by the day.

A most barbarous outrage was committed on the mountain of Ballygerine, about two miles from Killaloe, on Saturday night last. Some person most cruelly tortured two cows, the property of William Smith, by forcing sticks into their bodies, in consequence of which they died in the greatest agony on Sunday night.

On Wednesday night last, two sheep belonging to Mrs O'Brien of Reininch, in the County Tipperary, were maliciously killed and the carcasses taken away.

Sunday night, about twelve o'clock, a sentinel of the 22d Regiment, stationed at Castle Gerin, near Mallow, was fired at by two men, and wounded in the arm with a bullet.

At the fair of O'Brien's-bridge, on the 26th ult. a man in the employ of John Massy, Esq. was so dreadfully beaten, and his skull fractured, that he died on Sunday last.

Mr. Vokes, on Monday night, apprehended John Slattery, near Patrick's-Well, for the murder of Michael Bainbridge.

Yesterday the Mayor held an Inquest at O'Brien's-Bow, on the body of Patrick Halloran, who, whilst in a fit of epilepsy, fell from the Long-dock into the river, and was accidentally drowned—Verdict accordingly. The poor creature was the chief support of a widowed mother, and who, in consequence of this sad calamity, is left with a helpless set of orphans in the utmost distress—her husband lost his life whilst on service with the 45th Regiment. The smallest sum will be received at the Chronicle Office for this wretched family.

Six convicts arrived here on Monday from Ennis, under an escort of the 25th Regiment for transportation.

Two men were convicted at the Special Sessions of Mallow, on Monday and Tuesday, before Mr. Blacker, and sentenced to transportation.

The Insurrection Act will be withdrawn in a few days from the Liberties of Cork, and the Magistrates of the County are called on to report the state of their different districts; the Act will not to be revoked in the Barony of West Muskery.

through potatoe gardens.

Nothing was elicited on the cross-examination of John Lynch was sworn, and examined for Mr Jackson—Witness is a watchman, and was his comrade last Patrick's morning; saw John-street about 12 o'clock, his wife was in a noise between them, and went to pacify the went away along with her upon his advice; very much disturbed by rioting all the night sooner about half an hour afterwards going to Baul's-bridge, when he lost sight of him.

To Mr Goold—He was alone the second time which was near one o'clock.

To a Juror—He had no great coat on when Shanahan recalled--It was between 12 o'clock well as he can recollect, the party entered could not be sure, as he was disturbed from remained about half an hour; he did not mean going from thence to Mr O'Brien, and then to the Office; ran nearly all the way.

John Clancy, a watchman, corroborated the evidence of Lynch, as to the prisoner.

Patrick Hogan was sworn, and examined—Recollects Patrick's night; about two o'clock out in quest of two boys, his sons; as he was looking for them it sounded two by the Artillery which, coming down the Fish-town, he saw a crowd; he went up and down, and in returned again.

Cross-examined by Mr Goold—He knew very well these three or four years, and he knew him—aye, and his father too.—(A laugh in John-street; it was after 2 when he missed of whom is 17, and the other over 20 years out from an early hour in the night; John O'Brien, he was there that night; there were men following the prisoner; his sons knew themselves.—Such also appeared to be the opinion of the Court.

Here the case closed, and his Lordship addressed the Jury at great length—he said that the indictments were then entirely out of countenance, last, however, remained good, and that for the force is a capital felony; he recapitulated and commented upon the most important parts of a very clear point of view to the Jury, and his testimony on the whole, his Lordship added, a rational doubt upon the case, it was required should have the benefit of it, and would have returned with a verdict of acquittal. The Jury retired for about an hour and returned with a verdict of acquittal on the indictments, and convicting the prisoner. The prisoner was a smart young fellow, of his danger, and paid the closest attention to his affairs; at intervals he betrayed great negligence visible in his countenance according as upon his guilt. His Lordship did not see any objection to the verdict.

Thomas Butler was next indicted for robbing Bridget King, at Ballygrinnin, on the 26th ult. After a patient investigation of the case he was acquitted; but ordered to give bail to the space of seven years to John and Bridget in £50, and two Sureties in £25 each.

Rose McCarthy was convicted of stealing property of Robert Smith, a Sergeant in the 25th Regiment, in which this wretch stripped from an infant Serjeant's daughter; she was sentenced to transportation.

John Connell for stealing sundry articles from Sullivan, was sentenced to six months hard labour.

James Jordan, a miserable object, who, from sickness, remained over since last Assizes stealing two pigs, the property of Charles Quin. The Court said, if his health permitted he should be transported for seven years.

Charles and Catherine Fitzgerald were convicted under Lord Ellenborough's Act, for assaulting John O'Connor on the 25th July, and cutting his hair.

After evidence had been gone into, and it was found that considerable provocation had been given to the prisoner on the capital indictment, the Court acquitted Catherine Fitzgerald guilty of the assault.