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From Tuelday February 19, to Saturday February 23, 1788.

Westminster, February 21.

HIS Day the Lords being met, a Message was fent to the Honourable House of Commons by Sir Francis Molyneux, Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod, acquainting them, that The Lords, authorized by virtue of His Majesty's Commission, for declaring His Royal Assert to several Asses agreed upon by both Houses, do desire the immediate Attendance of this Honourable House in the House of Peers, to bear the Commission read; and the Commons being come thither, the faid Commission, impowering His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales, the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury, the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, the Lord President of the Council, and several other Lords, to declare and notify the Royal Assent to the said Acts, was read accordingly, and the Royal Affent given to

An A& for charging an adaitional Duty on Spirits An Act for charging an adaptional Duty on Spirits manufactured in Scotland, and imported into England. An Act for continuing the Term and warying the Powers of an Act of the Sixth Year of His Majefty, for repairing, widening and keeping in Repair the Road leading from Tunbridge Wells in the County of Kent, to the Cross Ways near Maresfield-street in the County of Suffex; and for amending the Road from Florence Farm in the Parish of Withyham to Forest Row in the Parish of East Grinstead in the County of

An Ad for continuing the Term and varying the Powers of an Act of the Sixth Year of His present Majesty, for repairing and widening several Roads leading to the Town of Dartfird in the County of Kent.

An Act for amending, widening and keeping in Repair the Road from the Bottom of Whitesheet Hill through Hurdcot to the Wilton Turnpike Road, at or near Barford in the County of Wilts.

St. James's, February 20.

This Day John Adams, Efq; Minister Plenipotentiary from the United States of America; had his Audience of Leave of His Majesty:

To which he was introduced by the Marquis of Carmarthen, His Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, and conducted by Stephen · Cottrell, Esq; Affistant Master of the Ceremonies.

## Whitehall, February 23.

The King has been pleafed to constitute and appoint William Stiles and William Roe, Esqrs. to be Commissioners of His Majesty's Customs, in the Room of Henry Pelham and John Pownall, Eigrs, who have retired.

[ Price Seven-pence. ]

BRECKNOCK SPRING CIRCUIT, 1788;

George Hardinge, Efq; Abel Moysey, Esq;

Glamorgansbire, Monday March 24, at Cardiff. Breconsbire, Monday March 31, at Brecon. Radnorshire, Saturday April 5, at Presteign.

War-Office, February 23, 1788.

Reyal Regiment of Horse Guards, Cornet Edmund Rolse is appointed to be Lieutenant, by Pur-chase, vice Christopher Baynes.

3d Regiment of Dragoon Guards, Lieutenant William Charlton to be Captain of a Troop, by Purchase, vice Edward Milbanke.

Ditto, Cornet Samuel Barrett to be Lieutenant, vice William Charlton.

4th Regiment of Foot, Ensign Godfrey Massey to ba Lieutenant, by Purchase, vice Thomas Russell. Ditto, Thomas Winckley, Gent. to be Ensign, by Purchase, vice Godfrey Massey.

29th Regiment of Foot, Enlign Hon. Augustus Barry, from the 65th Regiment, to be Ensign, by Pur-

chase, vice Gilbert Swanne. 34th Regiment of Foot, Lieutenant James Roche to be Captain of a Company, by Purchase, vice Thomas Coote.

Ditto, Enfign Andrew Barclay to be Lieutenant, by Purchase, vice James Roche.
65th Regiment of Foot, William Castle Frome, Gent.

to be Ensign, by Purchase, vice Augustus Barry. 68th Regiment of Foat, William Ironside, Gent. to be be Enfign, by Purchase, vice Francis H. Jones.

Commissions in the Carmarthenshire Militia, signed by the Lord Lieutenant.

Maynard Howell's appointed Lieutenant. Dated November 26, 1787: John Bowen, Enfign. Dated January 5, 1788.

Whitehall, February 16, 1788.

WHEREAS on the 31st of January last, a Boat belonging to His Majesty's Ship the Druid, commanded by Captain Ellison, fell in with and took, in Cawfand Bay within the Limits of the Port of Plymouth, a Snuggling Lugger called the Revenge, belonging to Guernsey, whereof Henry Carter was Master, with a Cargo of Spirituous Liquors in Ankers, and other prohibited Goods, but that previous to the Roar's hoarding the Luguer. The guai fixed into by the Boat's boarding the Lugger, she was fired into by the Smugglers, whereupon an Action commenced; and in the Course of it One of the Druid's Crew was killed.