1728 | Great scarcity. Riots,—battles between the Weavers and Butchers at the Fair.

1737 | Proclamation issued for new Irish half-pence and farthings.

1739 | The great frost.

1740 | Cork Corn Market built.

1746 | War proclaimed in Cork against France.

1749 | Peace proclaimed in Cork with France and Spain.

1755 | Subterraneous rooms found near Aghabullogue, containing above 500 square yards of butter; 3,873 tanned hides; 50,850 raw hides; 19,289 cwt. of tallow, and 367 stone of wool.

1756 | The Fox-hunter, privateer, Capt. Townsend, sailed from Cove, on a cruise, and was never heard of.

1757 | The Duke and Prince Frederick privateers, brought two French prizes into Kinsale worth nearly £1,000,000, the Proprietors gave it to the King.

1759 | The City of Cork, privateer, lying at Cove, confined her officers, but her crew were pressed by a man of war, who liberated the officers. Capt. Cole's vessel foundered at the Giant's chair.

1762 | A fire in Cat-lane, which consumed 150 houses. Andrew Franklin Mayor, ordered a sergeant and 12 men to mount guard at his house.

1765 | Bulliphehane. The City militia did duty in the absence of General Folliot and the troops.

1761 | Statue of George II, erected in this City. Potatoes sold at 29s. per barrel. A North Weir wooden bridge fell, a woman and boy drowned.

1769 | The sums remitted to Absentees this year, was £1,208,982 14s. 6d.

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1793 | The Cork society commenced lending Three Guineas, interest free.
1788 Foundation stone of St. Patrick's bridge laid, M. Shanahan, architect. A committee formed for regulating the Portage, and for other commercial purposes, for the Port of Youghal. The new Meat Market opened in Cork.

1789 The key-stone of the last arch of the bridge laid by Lord Donoughmore, attended by the several Lodges of Free Masons of Cork, at which time it got the name of St. Patrick's bridge. Great flood in Cork, caused by rain, it was seven feet high in some streets.

1790 The Right Hon. Richard Longfield and John Hely Hutchinson were elected members to represent the City of Cork, in Parliament; Lord Kingsborough and Mr. Morris were returned for the County. The Mayor of Cork, Richard Harris, Esq., invited 200 poor room-keepers to dine with him on Christmas day. Cork Library established.

1791 A Sunday and Daily school opened on Hammond's marsh. Fort Westmoreland battery on Spike island, began to be built. The insulating wall and guard-house for the intended Gaol of the County began. Castle street widened, and the Merchants' Coffee-room built. The Lunatic Asylum began to be built, for which purpose £200 was collected by a charity play, owing to the exertions of Richard Harris, Esq., Mayor.

1795 Part of the Barrack at Youghal, blown up by the accidental explosion of two casks of gunpowder, by which several soldiers and other persons were injured; Great and disastrous thunderstorm; that factious Viceroy, Marquis Townsend, arrives in this City; Colonel Bernard, raised 654 men and non-commissioned officers, (by permission) appoints Sir William Clark, Major.

1799 Mitchelstown Bridewell forced by the mob: Prisoners liberated; Bouches, and general rejoicings in this City, for the Anti-union vote; General Lake's curfew throughout the County; Body of a deserter (shot) suspended from a lamp-iron for 24 hours; Kidney died, aged 190, remembered Blarney lane a forest connected with Dunsmuche's wood; Nile street, over-arched; Exportation of potatoes prohibited by proclamation; Red Abbey Sugar house, now Cumberland street, burned by accident; Bush Tavern, Lord Riversdale presides at a meeting for petitioning against the Union; City Grand Jury Spring Assizes, approve of the contemplated act of Legislative Union; the Mayor, Sheriff, and Common Speaker, sign the address to his Majesty.

1800 Coal, 15s. 8d. to 20s. per barrel; George C. Jeffrey and William E. Penrose, Esqs., Sheriffs, leave for London, to present a petition to his Majesty, against the Union, signed by 5,000 freemen, &c. Major Gen., Meyers, infuriates the custom of soldiers siezing provision-carts on their way to the City. Secret expedition sails from Cove. Great demonstrations of loyalty at Bandon. Mr. Fitzgerald, Corkbeg, for several months, feeds 300 poor families of Ahada Union, at his residence, one of his children assisting daily. Cove, the chief Naval station—Admiral Gardner.

1801 Imperial Union flag displayed and saluted at Lapp's island. 150 merchantmen sail out; foreign flour admitted duty free.

1803 The troops on their return from Mallow, whether they had been in consequence of a false alarm of the French—hospitably entertained by the peasants.

1805 £2,000 subscribed, towards erecting a "Commercials" in this City.

1806 The Mayor remonstrates with Government—Gunpowder ordered to proceed by roads not within the City or suburbs, from the manufactory at Billincollig, to an out place of embarkation. O'Brien, the Mayor, histórico of the house, lives in Clare, a native of Kinsale, and a Templar, aged 46, dies and is buried at Bristol. Store houses ordered to be built at Haulbowline.

1807 Sir Arthur Wellesley, presented with the freedom of this City, in a Silver box. General orders—soldiers dying on board the transports, to be sewed up in their hammocks and committed to the sea.

1809 Rev. Fitzgerald Tisdall, robbed and murdered by Murphy & Stapleton, at the Friest's Leap—they were executed at Cork.

1810 The Corporation granted £100, towards the relief of the distressed tradesmen and Manufacturers. The Common Council entered into a resolution to wear no clothes but those manufactured in this City.

1811 The Duke of Richmond knights the celebrated John Purcell, of High Cross.

1812 Freedom of this City, presented to the Right Hon. Robert Peel, (Irish Secretary) in a Silver box.

1814 Foundation stone of the Custom house, laid by Collector Alderige.

1816 A wedding near Mitchelstown, during the night a jar of whiskey was thrown by accident on the fire, the place caught fire, and a large number of persons were burned to death; the bride and bridegroom, with a large number were sealed. Sadlier ascended in a balloon, and dined at Ringabella. Mr. Edwards attacked and robbed by soldiers in Faulkner's lane—they were punished.
1818 The Light-house at Roche's tower was commenced. The Mayor calls a meeting to relieve the distressed; Peace Officers, sworn; The dragoons ordered to charge the mob. Died, Right Hon. John Phillip Curran, of this County. Lord Bishop of Cork, introduce the Savings' Bank system into this City

1819 The foundation stone of the Roman Catholic chapel of Blackrock laid by Messrs. Beamish and Crawford.

1820 A desperate gang of banditti apprehended by Capt. White, J.P., eleven of whom were hanged. James Tucker was sentenced to 15 months' imprisonment for publishing a blasphemous parody on the Church Catechism. The Lee frozen, and crossed by foot passengers. A poor woman perished in a heap of snow near Galloway. A great flood, 5 feet high in the City; the Sessions Court was adjourned, as the Recorder could not leave his house in consequence of the flood, and had an aversion to boating. Part of North Bridge swept away with the flood. Meeting of Clergy and Churchwardens, at the Mansion-house, to take into consideration and alleviate the state of the poor. George IV. proclaimed in the City; Mourning on the 17th of Feb., being appointed the funeral day of George III.

1822 Commodore Sir Thomas Alexander, G.C.B. and G.C.H., of this City, died in India, after subduing the Birman Empire; he had the honor of giving a déjeuné to King George IV. on board the "Alligator," when at Woolwich, who, upon that occasion, conferred upon him the honor of G.C.H.; he was maternal uncle to the proprietor of the Directory. Mr John Walsh of this City professes to have reformed to King George IV. on board the "Alligator," and had an aversion to boating. Part of North Bridge swept away with the flood. Meeting of Clergy and Churchwardens, at the Mansion-house, to take into consideration and alleviate the state of the poor. George IV. proclaimed in the City; Mourning on the 17th of Feb., being appointed the funeral day of George III.

1825 The Lough of Cork dried up for a season for want of rain; people walking over dryshod, the only such instance on record. This year the falsification of an old prophecy that "1825 would see the downfall of Protestantism."

1826 Several shipwrecks on the coast.

1827 Intelligence of the passing of the Roman Catholic Relief Bill received in this City. County Club built, Architect, Mr. Pain.

1830 Anglesey bridge and new Corn Exchange built, Architects, Sir Thomas and A. S. Deane.

1833 Cork Lithographic Hall, South Mall—Unkles

1835 Tithe affray at Gortroe, between the military and country People—very many persons were dead, except a boy, who was three days on the rock, and could not get assistance from shore, the wind and waves raged so high, he was rescued on the third day by the dauntless Jack Carty, a poor fisherman of Kinsale.

1836 New County and City Courts built by Mr. Pain. Blackrock Church steeples shattered by lightning.

1838 Wreck of the "Killarney" steamer at Rennie bay,—Mr. and Mrs. Lawe, of Cork, with several others, including the infant son of Baron Spolasco, perished. Temperance Society established.—Very Rev. Theobald Mathew, President.

1839 Alleged robbery of a sum of money from a drawer in the Post office—no clue

1840 Wincheland, a soldier of the 70th, hanged himself at Fermoy.

1841 D. O'Connell and E. B. Roche, Esqrs., returned to serve in Parliament for this County. Joseph Hayes, esq., P. L. Guardian, succeeds in introducing and having Reporters present at the meetings of the guardians.* Municipal Act introduced into Cork—first Mayor, T. Lyons, Esq. Shares (offal) discontinued in provision cellars, after having been customary for 200 years. A Painter fell from the front of Mr. Vance's house, Parli, and was killed. The Cork Protestant Operative Association and Reformation Society established.

1843 Mr. Keeffe O'Keeffe of St. Dominick's mill, recovers the stone coffin of Falyre Foin, Admiral of Munster, from a wall of the ancient abbey of St. Dominick, and presented it to the Rev. B. Russell, St. Mary's Chapel, Pope's Quay; in 1244 this Mill and Fishery were granted to Win. Boarman. Great Repeal processions and "Monster Meetings" at Cork, Mallow and Skibbereen. British Association for the promotion of Science, visit Cork.

1844 D. O'Connell, Esq., M.P. for this County, (and others) committed for one year to Richmond Penitentiary, Dublin, for a misdemeanor. Dyke lit with gas. The Mayor (Alderman Fagan) and a deputation from the Corporation of Cork, proceed to Dublin, to visit Mr. O'Connell in Prison, but are refused admittance. Unions and Repeal Clubs established in Cork. Mansion house leased to two Roman Catholic Clergymen at the head-rent of £58 11s. 1d. for a seminary. The New City Park commenced. A chased silver Prize Medal, for "draining and subsoiling," deposited by the Proprietor of the County and City Almanac, with the County Agricultural Museum.

* See Boroughs and Unions.

CITY ESTABLISHMENT.

Mayor, .................. The Right Worshipful William Fagan
Recorder, ............... Robert Bennett, Esq.
Sheriff, ................. William K. Rogers, Esq. Lota, Cork
City Treasurer, ................ Lionel J. Westropp
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