

THE WHALERS.

(To the Editor of the Shipping Gazette.)

THURSDAY, APRIL 29, 1837.

Sir,—I have much pleasure in informing you of the arrival of three of the whalers at Stromness, from Davis' Straits, though in a miserable condition, viz.—the *Dee*, of Aberdeen; Norfolk, of Berwick; and *Advic*, of Aberdeen. The schooner *Fly*, WILLIAMSON, of London, arrived to-day, but too late for Post, on her voyage from Perth to Liverpool, and reports these ships to have got into Stromness on the 27th inst. The *Dundee* had only 15 hands alive, (out of 62,) and they in a very low condition. The Captain was the second man that died. The *Norfolk* lost 16 men, and the rest remain very ill. The *Advice* was not spoken by the *Fly*, but her name was seen. The *Thomas*, of Dundee, is lost, in the ice; her crew were divided among the other ships, but only three survived out of 12 taken on board the *Dee*. The crews of these ships are all in a most deplorable state, and it is feared that many of them cannot survive long.—They set close-reefed sails before quitting the ice, and were ever since unable to alter them. The other ships, the *Swan* of Hull, *Grenville Bay*, of Newcastle, and another, were clear of the ice, but in as wretched and pitiable a state as those that have arrived.—The *Dee* was towed into Stromness by a vessel bound to America.—The *Grenville Bay* has arrived—having lost 20 men.

THE BRITISH LEGION.—COURT MARTIAL.

At a general court-martial, of which Brigadier-General Fitzgerald was president, and convened by order of his Excellency the Lieut. Gen., on the 24th day of March, 1837, Major and Brevet Lieut.-Col. P. Fitzgerald was arraigned on the following charges:—  
First charge—For shameful conduct before the enemy during the action of the 16th inst., in having been one of the first to retreat without attempting to rally the 4th regiment, of which he was in temporary command, and in leaving the greater portion of his regiment to be brought off by his junior and subordinate officers.  
2d charge—For having misconducted himself before the enemy during the action of the 15th inst., when in command of the 4th regiment, in consequence of Lieut.-Col. Campbell having been wounded, particularly in not having placed himself at the head of his regiment, nor having exerted himself in the manner in which it was his duty to have done.

OPINION AND SENTENCE.

The Court having maturely weighed the evidence in support of and against the charges, is of opinion that Brevet Lieut.-Colonel P. Fitzgerald is guilty of the first charge, in so far as having misconducted himself before the enemy during the action of the 16th inst., in not having led on his regiment to the attack in a proper manner; but do fully acquit him of any imputation on his personal courage.  
On the second charge, they find him guilty of that part which accuses him of not having exerted himself in the manner in which it was his duty to have done during the action of the 15th inst., which being a breach of the articles of war, do therefore sentence him, Lieut.-Col. Fitzgerald, to be cashiered. But as the Court has fully acquitted him of any imputation on his personal courage, do respectfully recommend him to the clemency of his Excellency the Lieut.-Gen.

(Signed)  
C. FITZGERALD, Br. and President.  
W. A. CLARKE, Major D. A. A. G.  
Officiating Dep. Judge-Advocate.

Approved and confirmed; but in consequence of the recommendation of the Court, the sentence is remitted, and Brevet Lieut.-Colonel P. Fitzgerald is relieved from arrest and placed on the retired list.  
(Signed)  
DE LACY EVANS, Lieut.-Gen.

THE STAR.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 14, 1837.

The following are the official returns of the Members to serve in the next General Assembly of this Island:—  
*St. John's*—Messrs. Carson, Kent, and Morris.  
*Conception Bay*—Messrs. Brown, Power, McCarthy, and Godfrey.  
*Fortune Bay*—Wm. B. Row, Esq.  
*Ferryland*—Mr. Peter Winsler.  
*Placencia*—Mr. John V. Nugent.  
*St. Mary's*—Mr. Patrick Doyle.  
*Trinity Bay*—Mr. Thomas Fitzgibbon Moore.  
*Bonavista Bay*—Hugh A. Emerson, Esq.

The Returns for the Districts of *Fogo* and *Burin* have not yet been received.  
The following are the stations of the Wesleyan Missionaries, for the ensuing year:—  
*St. John's* William Faulkner  
*Harbor Grace* John Haigh  
*Do.* Wm. Ellis Supernumary  
*Carbonear* John Pickett  
*Blackhead* George Ellidge

Island Cove John Addy  
Hants Harbor One Wanted  
Trinity One Wanted  
Bonavista John Smithies  
Port-de-Grave Thomas Anguin  
Brigus Ingram Sutcliffe  
Burin James G. Hennigar  
Grand Bank Adam Nightingale.

Died

At St. John's, on the 31st ult., aged 5 years and 10 months, William, son of the Rev. Wm. Ellis, Wesleyan Missionary.  
At St. John's, on the 5th inst., after a long illness, Mr. William Phippard, late High Constable of that town.

SHIP NEWS

Port of Carbonear.

ENTERED.  
June 1.—Brig *Mary Barry*, Tewsbury, Hamburg, 290 bls. flour, 330 firkins butter, 200 lbs. pork, 491 bags bread, 26 puns. oats, 5 bls. oatmeal.  
Schr. *Harriet*, Kennedy, P. E. Island, 38 M. 4 M. staves, 3 Indian boxes, 3 birch canoes.  
3.—Brig *Shaw*, Scott, Liverpool, 240 tons salt, 20 tons coal.  
CLEARED.  
June 2.—Schr. *Cornelia*, Venning, Liverpool, 11,684 gal. seal oil, 12 ox hides, 62 qts. fish, 57 1/2 cwt. old junk.  
6.—Brig *Experiment*, Tucker, Poole, 16,456 seal skins, 26 hides, 1100 staves, 800 birch billets, 56 qts. fish.

Port of St. John's.

ENTERED.  
June 1.—Brig *Hope*, Symons, Cadiz, salt. *Hotspur*, Steele, Liverpool, salt. *Zephyr*, Love, Cadiz, salt. *Ardent*, Hartgrave, Liverpool, salt. *Vesper*, Hutton, Copenhagen, bread, flour, butter.  
*Edgecombe*, Roberts, Liverpool, salt, tea, soap.  
CLEARED.  
June 2.—Brig *Blenheim*, Hayden, Waterford oil.  
3.—*Magog*, Currie, Quebec, ballast. *Kingaloch*, Santon, London, oil. *Water Lily*, Larkin, Liverpool, oil. *Apollo*, Rendell, Barbadoes, fish. *Schr. Emily*, Cromwell, Halifax, salt. *Packet*, Graham, Antigonish, bread. 8.—*Iweed*, Robertson, Quebec. *Theron*, Burdes, Miramichi. *Schr. Margaret Helen*, Bamoury, Liverpool, oil.

On Sale

BY

THORNE, HOOPER, & CO.,

BREAD, 1st., 2d. & 3d Quality. }  
FLOUR } HAMBURGH.  
PORK }  
PEAS }  
BUTTER. }

SALT and COALS, *Afloat.*

BOHEA } TEAS.  
SOUCHONG } in qr. chests & boxes.  
HYSON }  
With a GENERAL ASSORTMENT OF  
BRITISH MANUFACTURED  
SHOP and STORE  
GOODS.

ALSO

ON CONSIGNMENT

320 Bags fine Bran  
60 Do. Pollard  
100 Do. Bread  
80 Firkins Butter, of superior quality  
made up for the Bristol Market.  
Harbor Grace, June 14, 1837.

NOTICE.

THE following is a List of the LET-TERS remaining in the POST-OFFICE at St. John's, which will not be forwarded until the POSTAGE IS PAID.

CARBONEAR.

John B. Edwards.  
John Snook, with Mr. Richard H. Taylor  
Captain William Hutchings, on board  
*brigantine Elizabeth*.  
Stephen Halyard, Northern Bay.  
Martin Fleming, do. care of John  
Keilly, Carbonear.  
Peter Furlong.

HARBOR GRACE.

Rev. Richard Duffy.  
Mr John McCarthy.  
Mr Thomas Bartlett.  
Mr Edward Brown, 1 letter, & 2 papers.  
S. SOLOMAN,  
POSTMASTER.  
St. John's, June 14, 1837.

On Sale

BY

THOMAS RIDLEY & Co.  
JUST IMPORTED

By the BRIG *Johns*, from Hamburg,  
700 Bags Bread, No. 1, 2 & 3  
250 Barrels Superfine Flour  
150 Barrels Prime Pork  
200 Firkins Butter  
10 Barrels Peas  
68 Coils Cordage, Marline & Housing

By the NATIVE, from Liverpool,

A LARGE SUPPLY OF

MANUFACTURED GOODS,

Bar and Bolt Iron Nails, Grapnels  
Tinware &c., Pitch, Tar  
Paints, Linseed Oil, Spirits Turpentine  
Soap, Candles, Leaf Sugar  
Mast Hoops, Oakum  
And 40 Coils "Harris'" Patent Rope

By the FISHER, from Liverpool,

Salt, Coals, Nails, &c. &c. &c.

Harbor Grace, May 31, 1837.

WEST INDIA SUGAR

A Prime Article, by the Hhd., Barrel or  
Cwt.

For Sale By

W. DIXON & Co.  
Harbor Grace, May 17, 1837.

PITCH, TAR, HOOKS

LINES, TWINES

ALSO,

A few Cwt. OAKUM, (deliverable at Car-  
bonear.)

For Sale by

W. DIXON & Co.  
Harbor Grace, May 17, 1837.

HAVANA CIGARS

20 Boxes

For Sale by

W. DIXON & Co.  
Harbor Grace, May 17, 1837.

Notices

IN the NORTHERN CIRCUIT  
COURT, Harbour Grace, MAY  
and JUNE Term, 7th Wm., 4th

IN the MATTER of SIMON LEVI  
LATE of CARBONEAR in the  
NORTHERN DISTRICT MERCHANT  
INSOLVENT.

WHEREAS the said SIMON LEVI was, on the First Day of JUNE Inst., in due form of Law DECLARED Insolvent by the said COURT of Our Lord the King; And Whereas ROBERT PACK, Esquire, and WILLIAM W. BEMISTER, Esquire, of Carbonear aforesaid, Merchants and Creditors, of the said INSOLVENT, have, by the major part in Value of the Creditors of the said INSOLVENT, been in due form chosen and appointed TRUSTEES of the ESTATE of the said INSOLVENT;

NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN

THAT the said ROBERT PACK, and WILLIAM W. BEMISTER, as such TRUSTEES, are duly authorised, under such Orders as the said NORTHERN CIRCUIT COURT shall from time to time deem proper to make therein, to Discover, Collect, and Realise the DEBTS and EFFECTS of the said INSOLVENT: And all Persons Indebted to the said INSOLVENT, or having in their Possession any GOODS or EFFECTS belonging to him, are hereby Required to Pay and Deliver the same forthwith to the said TRUSTEES.

By the Court.

JOHN STARK,  
CHIEF CLERK & REGISTRAR.

WE hereby appoint Mr SIMON LEVI, AGENT for the said Estate.

ROBERT PACK, } Trustees to the  
W. W. BEMISTER. } said Estate.

THE Subscriber would notify the Inhabitants of CARBONEAR and its Vicinity generally, that he has accommodations in his SCHOOL for several additional PUPILS. He also would inform them that he has commenced the erection of a School-Room for the FEMALE part of his young friends, which will be ready for their reception after the Midsummer Vacation: in both which Schools the instruction will comprise all the branches of a useful and respectable Education.

As proof of his capability, all he asks is a fair trial.

J. B. BETERS.  
Carbonear, June 7, 1837.

TEAS

An assortment,  
On SALE By  
W. DIXON & Co.  
Harbor Grace, May 17, 1837.

FOR SALE

BY PRIVATE CONTRACT

The Fee-Simple of

ALL that FARM and PLANTATION situate in MUSQUITTO VALLEY, on the East side of the Road between HARBOR GRACE and CARBONEAR, known by the name of GODERICH DALE FARM, containing 140 Acres of LAND; together with the COTTAGE, BARN, and other improvements thereon, as they now stand; held under Grant from the Crown; and the purchaser is to be subject to whatsoever Rents, past, present, and future, may be demanded by the Crown.

The said FARM was formally the Property of JOSIAH PARKIN, Esq. It is conveniently situated for carting Manure to it from Musquitto Beach.

For further particulars, apply to

HENRY CORBIN WATTS,

Barrister at Law.

Carbonear,

January 18, 1837

Apples.

New York PIPPINS.

For Sale by

W. DIXON & Co.  
Harbor Grace, May 17, 1837.

LEAF TOBACCO.

Prime Virginia, by the Butt, Bale, or Cwt.

For Sale by

W. DIXON & Co.  
Harbor Grace, May 17, 1837.

To be LET or SOLD.

FOUR DWELLING-HOUSES, STORE and WHARF, all in good repair and situated in a central part of the Town, with a space of GROUND to the Westward of the STORE, well situated for a Dwelling-House, or other Buildings, with a large space of back GROUND. For the unexpired term of between Fifty and Sixty years. Balance of Rent £7 10s. a year.

For further particulars, apply to

THOMAS MARTIN

Harbour Grace,

January 18, 1837

Superfine FLOUR.

FOR SALE By

W. DIXON & Co.  
Harbor Grace, May 17, 1837.

DESERTED

FROM the service of the Subscriber, on the 15th day of NOVEMBER last,

MICHAEL COADY,

an APPRENTICE, (bound by the Supreme Court), about Five feet Seven inches high, black hair, full eyes and pimply in the face, a Native of St. John's. This is to caution all Persons from harbouring or employing the said DESERTER, as they will be Prosecuted to the utmost rigour of the Law.

JAMES COUGHLAN.

Byant's Cove,

Feb. 22, 1837.

East India SUGAR and Jamaica COFFEE.

A few Barrels and Bags.

FOR SALE By

W. DIXON & Co.  
Harbor Grace, May 17, 1837.

HAY SEED, and a variety of GARDEN SEEDS

On Sale, by

W. DIXON, CO.  
Harbor Grace, May 17, 1837.

ALL Persons who may have Claims against the Estate of the late JAMES HOWELL, of Carbonear, Planter, Deceased, are requested to present the same to the Subscribers for liquidation on or before the 25th Instant. And all Persons indebted to the said Estate, are informed to make immediate settlement.

MARY HOWELL,

Administratrix.

W. W. BEMISTER,

Administrator.

Carbonear, May 17, 1837.