

age, or other cause. What a sight of trouble some people take to make themselves ridiculous.

MAGNANIMITY—When the Emperor Vespasian commanded a Roman senator to give his voice against the interest of his country, and threatened him with immediate death, if he spoke on the other side, the Roman, conscious that the attempt to serve a people was in his power, though the event was ever so uncertain, answered with a smile, "did I ever tell you that I was immortal? My virtue is in my own disposal, my life in yours; do what you will, I shall do what I ought; and if I fall in the service of my country I shall have more triumph in my death, than you in all your laurels."

BEAUTIFUL TRIBUTE—Referring to the notice in the London papers of the death of Bishop White and the comparative mediocrity of his salary, the U. S. Gazette truly says, "Bishop White enjoyed a revenue beyond a monarch's command—his daily income was beyond human computation. If his worth far outweighed him tribute of respect, and children rose up and called him blessed."

I have seen men, who were "all things to all men," and I have seen all men suspicious of them.

PRINTED BY—A rather green village editor up country, was very desirous of gaining the good graces of the new minister, and describing his first entrance into the church wrote, "he is a most venerable sample of antiquity." But to his astonishment, and the amazement of all the inhabitants, it came out the next morning in types—He is a most venerable sample of iniquity.

THE STAR.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 7, 1837.

JOHNSON MECHANICS' BENEFIT SOCIETY.—We are requested to invite such as are desirous of joining a Society for the relief of those members of it as may become sick and infirm, and for the burial of its dead, to meet at the House of Mr. Thomas DAMAR, near the Premises of Samuel Codner, Esq., on Tuesday evening, the 7th February, when the Committee appointed at a previous meeting will be prepared to submit certain rules and regulations which have been already drawn up for the government of the Society. On the above evening, all persons of the above description, between the ages of 18 and 45, will be eligible for admission; after that, no applicant will be admitted whose age exceeds 55 years. The entrance fee, we are desired to add, is seven shillings and sixpence, and the funds of the Society are to be permanently sustained by a further contribution of one shilling and sixpence per month from each member.—*Ledger, Jan. 21.*

It is contemplated to institute a charitable association in this town, for the purpose of raising a fund to be applied towards the relief of such of the natives of Scotland, and their descendants, as may hereafter become chargeable upon their sympathies and benevolence of their more fortunate fellow-creatures. All Scotchmen, therefore, and the descendants of Scottish parents, are respectfully invited to attend a meeting which will be held in the Commercial Room, on Thursday evening next, precisely at half-past six o'clock, when the propriety of immediately forming a charitable society, in accordance with similar institutions in the Sister Colonies, will be submitted.—*Ledger, Feb. 3.*

MARRIED

On Tuesday, the 17th ult., by the Rev. E. Troy, Captain John Donnelly, of the Brig *Earl Grey* of Spinnard's Bay, to Miss Kelly, eldest daughter of Mr John Kelly, Vicar, of St. John's.

DIED

At St. John's, suddenly, on the night of Saturday, the 28th ult., Sergeant Bingham, armourer at this station—an old and we understand, a very meritorious soldier.

On Monday, the 30th ult., at St. John's, after a tedious illness, aged 48 years, Mr William Conway, a respectable planter, a native of Killahy, county Killenny

SHIP NEWS

Port of St. John's.

ENTERED.

Jan. 28—Brig Mary Jane, Follett, Halifax, beef, butter & sundries.
30—Brig Avon, Ritchie, Oporto, oranges, figs, and sundries.
Brig Fortitude, Thomas, Demerara, molasses.
Brig Cicely, Gutheridge, Liverpool, coal, flour, tea, soap, &c.

LOADING.
Jan. 28—Fidelity, Bruce, Cork.
Feb.—Tweed, Leslie, Cork.

CLEARED.
Jan. 27—Brig Leander, Granger. Oporto fish.
Brig O'Connell, Dollard, Barbadoes, salmon fish, wine.
Barque Gazelle, Gohay, Pernambuco, fish.
Feb. 1—Brigantine Apollo, Rendell, Demerara, fish.

KILLIGREWS PACKET.

JAMES HODGE,
Of Killigrews.

BEGS most respectfully to inform his friends and the public, that he has a most safe and commodious FOUR SAIL BOAT, capable of conveying a number of PASSENGERS, and which he intends running the WINTER as long as the weather will permit, between Killigrews, and Brigus, and Port-de-Grace.—The owner of the Packet will call every TUESDAY morning at the Houses of Mr. John Crute and Mr. Patrick Kieley, for Letters, Packages, &c., and then proceed across the Bay, as soon as the wind and weather will allow; and in case of there being no possibility of proceeding by water, the Letters will be forwarded by land, by a careful person, and the utmost punctuality observed.

JAMES HODGE begs to state, also, he has a Horse and Sleigh, which he will have every TUESDAY morning in St. John's, for the purpose of conveying Passengers to Killigrews and from Killigrews to St. John's—he intends carrying a Saddle every trip in case the path should not be answerable for the Sleigh to return. He has also good and comfortable Lodgings, and every necessary that may be wanted, and on the most reasonable terms.

Terms of Passage, &c.—One Person, or Three, 15s.—Passages across the Bay, above that number, 5s. each.—Passages in the Sleigh 7s. 6d. each. Saddle Horse 10s.—Luggage, &c. carried on the most reasonable terms.
Feb. 1, 1837.

MIDDLE BIGHT PACKET.

Robert and John Hinds
Of Middle Bight.

BEG most respectfully to inform their Friends and the Public, that they have a safe and commodious Four-sail BOAT, which they intend running the Winter, as long as the weather will permit, between MIDDLE BIGHT, and BRIGUS, and PORT-DE-GRACE.—One of the Owners, of the Packet will call every TUESDAY morning at Messrs. Perchard & Boag's for Letters and Packages, and then proceed across the Bay as soon as wind and weather will allow; and in case of their being no possibility of proceeding by Water, the Letters will be forwarded by Land, by a careful Person, and the utmost punctuality observed.

They beg to state, also, that they have good and comfortable Lodgings, and every necessary that may be wanted, and on reasonable terms.

Terms.

Passengers . . . 5s. each
Single Letters . . . 1s.
Double do. . . . 2s.
Packages in proportion.
Not accountable for Cash or any other valuable property put on board.
Letters will be received at Messrs. PERCHARD & BOAG'S.
Feb. 1, 1837.

THE SUBSCRIBERS
Offer on accommodating terms.

BREAD, F. & S. F. Hamburg
FLOUR, S. F.
OATMEAL and RICE
BUTTER, Cork 2nd cheap
A few Barrels Prime BEEF
RUM and MOLASSES.
SOAP and CANDLES
LOAF SUGAR by the cwt.
10 Barrels very Superior Moist ditto
10 Bags Jamaica COFFEE
TEAS of all kinds in assorted sized packages
CURRANTS, reasonably by the cwt.
WINES Port, Madeira, Tenerife, & Red
Cognac BRANDY
STARCH and BLUE very low in small packages
TAR and OAKUM
Negrohead TOBACCO 100 lbs kegs
TOBACCO PIPES
100 Pair Mens Superior DECK BOOTS
BLANKETINGS
Trotter Milled SWANSKIN, and a
General Supply suitable for the Seal Fishery.
WILLIAM DIXON & Co.
Harbour Grace,
February 1, 1837.

On Sale

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 HARBOUR 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 carrying Manure to it from Musquitto Beach.

For further particulars, apply to
HENRY CORBIN WATTS,
Barrister at Law.
Harbour Grace,
January 18, 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.

G. W. GILL

HAS JUST RECEIVED,

Per Lark from Liverpool,

PART OF HIS FALL SUPPLY OF

MANCHESTER
GOODS,

Which having been selected by himself, he recommends as being of the best quality.

Carbonear.

EDUCATION

SCHOOL

R. WILLS,

TAKES this opportunity of informing the PUBLIC generally, that his

SCHOOL

Will be open on

MONDAY, the 2nd of JANUARY

At the house lately occupied by Mr CLOW, That he will watch studiously over the moral, as well as the intellectual improvement of Children and Adults committed to his care—thereby affording the parent that satisfaction naturally expected from a Teacher—and the Pupil advantages, comfort, and other facilities not to be expected in other Schools.

Mr WILLS trusts his long time as a TEACHER, will be sufficient to meet a share of PUBLIC PATRONAGE.

N.B.—Also for young Girls there will be taught *Knitting, Marking, Sewing, &c.*

Hours of attendance from half-past Nine, until Three o'clock.—Night School attendance from 6 o'clock until 9 o'clock.

Persons who have any Writings to do, will please to call after School hours.

TERMS made known on application at the School house.
Harbour Grace, Dec. 21, 1836

NEW STONE

CHURCH.

THE COMMITTEE hereby give NOTICE, that TWENTY-FIVE PEWS in the NEW STONE CHURCH at HARBOUR GRACE, will be exposed for Sale by PUBLIC AUCTION,

ON MONDAY,

THE 13TH DAY OF FEBRUARY NEXT,
At the School House, at Eleven o'clock in the forenoon;

subject to the conditions of Sale which will then be submitted.

Harbour Grace, Saturday,
28th January, 1837.

JOHN STARK,

Chairman.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

WHEREAS it has been represented to the Magistrates, by several persons, although not in the shape of a legal information, that a great number of Householders in the Northern District, more particularly in the Towns of Harbour Grace and Carbonear and their vicinity, are retailing *SPIRITUOUS LIQUORS* without being Licensed so to do, contrary to the Rules and Ordinances established by the Proclamation of His Excellency Governor Prescott, bearing date the 24th day of October last, and to the great detriment of those who have, in conformity with the said Proclamation, been duly licensed: And whereas it is necessary, for the due protection of such Licensed Dealers, that unlicensed Venders should be made to conform to the terms of the said Proclamation, or be punished for the breach thereof. It has, therefore, been deemed advisable to publish the following List of persons duly qualified to retail Spirituous Liquors &c. within the said District for the year ending the 31st September, 1837; and upon due information against others so vending without such License from the Magistrates, the most prompt measures will be taken to enforce obedience to the Proclamation of His Excellency the Governor, as referred to.

Given at Harbour Grace, this 7th
January, 1837.

(By Order)

A. MAYNE
Clerk of the Peace.

ALPHABETICAL LIST OF
PUBLICANS FOR 1837.

Francis Ash Carbonear
John Bryan do.
James Brine Harbour Grace
William Brown Carbonear
Nicholas Culien Carbonear
John Casey do.
James Cornish do.
David Crotty do.
Michael Dooling Harbour Grace
Daniel Donovan do.
Thomas Dunford do.
William Fanning Carbonear
Roger Hanrahan Harbour Grace
William Harding Carbonear
Edward Johnston Harbour Grace
David Keefe do.
Francis Lynch do.
Francis Roman do.

LIST OF LETTERS REMAINING IN THE POST OFFICE, ST. JOHN'S Which will not be forwarded until the POSTAGE is paid.

HARBOUR GRACE.
Thomas Foley—care Patrick Morris, Esq., St. John's.

John Carney—care Thos. Foley, Harbour Grace.

From John Jewel, seaman on board H.M.S. *Talavera*, to James Jewell at Mr Soper's Harbour Grace.

Mr Joseph Woods.

Thomas Murphy—care of Wm. Bailie.

Thos. Hyde, Bay-de-Verds—care of C. F. Bennett, St. John's.

Patrick Strapp, Harbour Main—care Pat. Welsh, St. John's.

Thos. O'Hara.

Miss Ann Maria Ford, Cubits.

CARBONEAR.

W. Bennett, junr.—care Gossec, Pack, and Fryer.

Thos. Lock—care John White, South side.

Wm. Bemister, merchant.

Joseph Peters, a paper.

S. SOLOMAN, P. M.

St. John's, Nov. 23, 1836.

TO BE SOLD OR LET.

SEVENTEEN YEARS UNEXPIRED

LEASEHOLD.

Of those desirable *MERCANTILE PREMISES*, situate at CARBONEAR,

and lately in the occupation of Mr. WILLIAM BENNETT, consisting of a

DWELLING HOUSE, SHOP, COUNTING HOUSE, Four STORES, a commodious WHARF, and Two OIL VATS

sufficient to contain about 8000 Seals.

For particulars, apply to
BUILLEY, JOE & Co.
John's, June 23, 1836.