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

IN THE MATTER OF SIMON LEVY, LATE OF CARBONEAR IN THE NORTHERN DISTRICT MERCHANT, INSOLVENT.

WHEREAS the said SIMON LEVY was, on the First Day of JUNE last, in due form of Law DECEARED 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 TO THE CREDITORS

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 Herby appoint, for SIMON LEVY, 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 accommodated 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.

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, 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,
Bryant's Cove,

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.

HAY SEED, and a variety of GARDEN SEEDS

On Sale, by

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

POST-OFFICE

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

CARBONEAR.

Captain Tewkesberry, *rig Mary Barry*,
John Barfoot Edwards, *to be forwarded to Mr Lyles*,
John Snook, *with Mr Richard H. Taylor*,
Captain William Hutchings, *on board brigantine Elizabeth*,
Mr William Collings, *3 papers*,
Mr Thomas Gendie,
Stephen Halfpenny, *Outsail Case*,
Mr John McCarthy,
Martin Flanagan, *In care of John Kelly, Carbonear*.

HARBOUR GRACE.

Joseph Soper, Esq.,
Mr William, T. Bidley, and James Dayley, *Expatries, Commissioners of the Island Light House*,
M Thomas Harlett, *Deas Case*,
Mr John Sullivan.

G. SOLOMAN, POSTMASTER.

St. John's, June 28, 1837.

On Sale

BY THOMAS RIDLEY & CO
BREAD, 1st, 2d, & 3d Quality,
FLOUR,
PORK,
PEAS,
BUTTER.

BONIA }
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} in qn chests & boxes.

WITH a GENERAL ASSORTMENT OF BRITISH MANUFACTURED GOODS.

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ON CONSIGNMENT

320 Bags fine Bran
68 Do. Pollard
100 Do. Bread
80 Firkins Butter, of superior quality made up for the Bristol Market.

Harbor Grace, June 14, 1837.

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, Loaf Sugar
Mast Hoops, Oakum
And 40 Coils "Harris's" Patent Rope

By the FISHER, from Liverpool,
Salt, Coals, Nails, &c. &c., &c.
Harbor Grace, May 31, 1837.

LONDON, MAY 29.

Celebration of the Princess Victoria's Birth-day.

Wednesday last the 24th instant, being the Birth-day of Her Royal-Highness the Princess Victoria, on which she attained her legal majority (18 years) in the event of the demise of the Crown, was ushered in with every demonstration of affection and respect on the part of the people.—The Bells of the City rung merrily, and from the public buildings, and private dwellings, steeples of the churches, &c. the Royal Standard, Union Jack, and other banners floated gaily in the breeze.—High Street, Kensington, presented a particularly animated appearance. In front of the Terrace of the Palace, a large and beautifully embroidered silk flag, with the word "Victoria," in ethereal blue letters on a virgin white ground, was displayed.—At six o'clock the palace gardens and grounds were thrown open to the public, and at a few minutes before seven a band of 35 gentlemen, in full dress, among whom were some eminent vocal and instrumental performers, appeared on the terrace immediately under Her Royal Highness's window, and on the clock striking seven (the hour of her majority)—commenced the following

SERENADE

The words by Mrs. Cornwall Barry Wilson—the music by E. Rodwell, Esq.
O, wake, royal maiden! from soft repose;
As Zephyr awakes the unfolding rose,
So we, like the Lark, of the golden day,
Would greet thee with music and minstrelly;
And as to the arena in the eastern skies,
The Persian directs his adoring eyes,
So the hopes of a nation are turned to thee,
On the dawn of this glorious jubilee!

SOLO.

O! fear not for numbers
Shall break on your slumbers,
To sing of the graces that smil'd on thy birth;

More fragrantly breathing
The flowers we are wreathing
Shall emblem thy virtues and garland thy worth.

Like a vision-wrapt sage,
Fancy pierces the gloom
Of time's distant page,
Which thy deeds shall illumine;
And though years may pass ere the tablet of fame

Shall be bright with the records which blazon thy name,
Yet Britannia prophetic beholds the proud day,
When the Sceptre of Freedom Victoria shall sway!

FULL CHORUS.

The vision is bright as thine own natal day,
Rise! fair rose of England! and smile on our lay.

The following piece, written by E. Fitzball, Esq. and also set to music by Mr. Rodwell, was then sung:—

THE FAIREST FLOWER OF MAY.

Spring renews its golden dreams,
Sweet birds carol 'neath each spray,
Shed, oh Sun! thy milder beams
On the fairest flower of May.

Hunters, bring the cheering horn,
Minstrels wake the cheering lay;
Crown with song the natal morn
Of the fairest flower of May.

Lightly o'er our early rose,

Angels pure, your wings display:
When the storm of sorrow blows
Shield the fairest flower of May.

Minstrels of a free born land,
Let one thrilling note repay
Her whose fond maternal hand
Reared the fairest flower of May.

Her's the toil of anxious years,
Her's the glory of this day,
Her's a nation's grateful tears,
For the fairest flower of May.

Her Royal Highness, who during the performance of the serenade, sat at one of the windows, requested its repetition, which was immediately complied with.—The following glee was then sung:—

VICTORIA'S NATAL DAY.

Wafted on the wings of morn,
Hark, on every breeze is borne,
With the sunbeams' earliest ray,
"Tis Victoria's natal day."

Pealing bells the news proclaim,
While the cannon's voice of flame,
Through earth and air, with echoing sound,
Spreads the joyous tidings round.

Wafted on the wings of morn,
Hark, on every breeze is borne,
With the sunbeams' earliest ray,
"Tis Victoria's natal day."

The whole performance concluded with "God save the King."

ILLUMINATIONS.

The greater part of the shops in the city, as well as a large number at the west end of the town, were closed in honour of the occasion, and the tradesmen of the metropolis seemed to vie one with another in the number and brilliancy of their illuminations in the evening. The inmates of many of the workhouses in the parishes were indulged with a holiday, and regaled with old English fare, roast beef and plum pudding. The display of light was not on this occasion confined to one district of London, but extended to its remotest suburbs, and shone forth in every variety of device.

GRAND BALL AT ST. JAMES'S PALACE.

On Wednesday night a ball, seldom equalled in magnificence, was given at St. James's Palace, by command of their Majesties, in commemoration of Her Royal Highness the Princess Victoria's Birth-day.—One detraction alone rendered this festival all but a jubilee—the indisposition of their Majesties, the cause of whose absence was a source of general regret.

The company began to arrive before 10 o'clock. Nothing could surpass the splendour and deep interest of the scene, as the Heiress Presumptive to the British Throne advanced to assume for the first time the chair of State, and to preside over an assembly including the principal nobility, rank, and talent of which this country can boast. The Princess took the centre chair, the Princess Augusta, as representative of the Queen, being seated to her right, and the Duchess of Kent on her left. The young Princess appeared highly animated by the passing scene; and after an interval of a few moments only, the ball opened with a quadrill, the Princess herself being led off by Lord Fitzalan, eldest son of the Earl of Surrey, and grandson of the Duke of Norfolk. Her Royal Highness subsequently danced with Prince Nicholas Esterhazy, son of the Austrian Ambassador.

The costumes, it is almost needless to say were of the most superb description. Diamonds sparkled on every side. The majority of the ladies wore plumes, and the coup d'oeil of the ball-room at midnight was most imposing.

The Princess Victoria was attired in a