

more cruel and unrelenting than those of Egypt herself.

But the Natives—"copper coloured" though they be!! will not go to the wilderness; neither will they suffer their rights to be trampled upon by any interfering stranger however white in the face.

Arrived, yesterday, in the Mary Jane from Bonavista, the Right Rev. Dr. SPENCER, accompanied by his Chaplain the Rev. C. BLACKMAN.—Patriot of yesterday.

BIRTH.—In this Town, on Saturday last the 15th inst., the Lady of JOHN STARK, Esq., Chief Clerk and Registrar Northern Circuit Court J. P. of a Son.

## CORONER'S INQUEST.

On Thursday the 6th inst. at Blommedown near Salmon Cove, an Inquest was taken before JOHN STARK, Esq., Coroner, on view of the body of William Penny, a young man 24 years of age, son of Clement Penny. On the previous evening, shortly before dark, the deceased, in company with one of his brothers and Edward Baldwin, were returning from the jigging ground, in the Punt under sail—the deceased was in the bow of the boat and had an oar in his hand with which (out of his tricks as described by the Witnesses) he was endeavouring to counteract the steerage of Edward Baldwin, who was sculling—a sudden flaw of wind reached the boat—the oar of the deceased caught in the water when he was tossed overboard, and before the two lads could take in the sail, and return to the spot, he sank to rise no more. Verdict, "Accidentally drowned." No blame whatever attaches to the two young lads that were in the Punt.

## Ship News.

Port of Harbor Grace.

ENTERED

August 15.—St. Peter, Leuvre, Bristol, 118 tons coal & sundries.

CLEARED

August 15.—Norval, Wills, Leghorn, 3800 qtls. fish, (to load at Labrador.)

18.—Lady Ann, Pynn, Liverpool, 81 tons seal oil, 50 hides.

Port of Carbonear.

ENTERED

10.—Brig Triumvirate, Hunt, Lisbon, salt.

CLEARED

Aug 3.—Schr. Samuel, Meadus, Poole, salt and seal skins.

Port of St. John's.

ENTERED

August 6.—Nancy, Briand, Cape Breton, oxen and sheep.

Creamore, Shapley, Cape Breton, coal Pearl, Earl, Figueira, salt.

Eliza, Hartly, New Brunswick, lumber and shingles.

Alexander, Keating, Novascotia, butter, cattle & sheep.

Packet, Maddon, Novascotia, butter, oxen and sheep.

American Schooner Attention, M'Curdy, Boston, provisions.

7.—Hertford, Buteau, Quebec, provisions.

Sophia Muranda, Boudrot, New Brunswick, butter and lumber.

Sophia, Hart, New Orleans, provisions, tobacco, &c.

Beau Ideal, Forbes, Gloucester, coal.

Courier Le Vache, New Brunswick, butter cattle &c.

Funchal, Clift Copenhagen, provisions.

Three Brothers, Chessong, Cape Breton, butter.

Iceni, Steele, Greenock, general cargo.

CLEARED  
August 7.—Jubilee, Percy, New-York seal skins.  
Albion, Harvey, Bristol, seal oil hides, &c.  
Lady, Le Vache, Cape Breton, ballast.  
St. Patrick, Aid, Cape Breton, ballast.  
King William, Le Blanc, Cape Breton, ballast.  
Royal William, Hally, New-York, seal skins.  
Hebe Rabbits, Cape Breton, ballast.  
10.—Mary, M'Lennon, Cape Breton, salt.  
Nancy, Briand, Cape Breton, ballast.  
11.—Courier, Le Vache, Cape Breton, ballast.  
Packet, Madion, Novascotia manufactured goods.

On Sale.

Ex-MARTHA from CADIZ,

300 TONS

**SALT,**

By

THORN, HOOPER & Co.

Harbor Grace,  
June 24, 1840.

BY THE

**Subscriber,**

ex-HOPE from BRISTOL,

Best Bristol Yellow Soap  
Men's & Women's Hose  
Buckskins  
Flannels  
Serges  
Very superior Blankets  
A capital Assortment of  
Earthenware  
Iron Tined Tea Kettles  
Ditto Saucepans  
Tin Tea Pots  
Tin Pans  
Nails, Spades, Shovels  
Knives and Forks  
Penknives, &c. &c.

GEO. HIPPISEY.

Harbor Grace,  
May 27, 1840.

For Portugal Cove

The fine first-class Packet Boat

**NATIVE LASS,**

James Doyle, Master,

Burthen 23 tons; coppered and copper fastened.  
The following days of sailing have been determined on:—from CARBONEAR, every MONDAY, WEDNESDAY and FRIDAY morning, precisely at 9 o'clock; and PORTUGAL COVE on the mornings of TUESDAY, THURSDAY and SATURDAY, at 12.

She is completely new, of the largest class, and built of the best materials, and with such improvements as to combine great speed with unusual comfort for passengers, with sleeping berths, and commanded by a man of character and experience.  
The character of the NATIVE LASS for speed and safety is already well established. She is constructed on the safest principle of being divided into separate compartments by water tight bulkhead, and which has given such security and confidence to the public. Her cabins are superior to any in the Island.

Select Books and Newspapers will be kept on board for the accommodation of passengers

FARES:—

First Cabin Passengers	7s. 6d.
Second Ditto	5s. 0d.
Single Letters	0s. 6d.
Double Ditto	1s. 0d.

N. B.—James Doyle will hold himself responsible for any Parcel that may be given in charge to him.

Carbonear.

A patent has been taken out by a Mr. Eagles of Liverpool, for certain improvements in motive power, by which he expects to enable vessels to make the voyage between New York and Liverpool in six days.

**G. P. Willard,**

HAS JUST RECEIVED,  
ex Ann from Bristol, Dash from Liverpool, Active from Dartmouth, and other Vessels,

AND OFFERS FOR SALE  
AT HIS USUAL LOW PRICES,

The undermentioned Articles,

Ladies' Cloth Top'd BOOTS  
Children's Morocco ditto, and SHOES  
Men's, Women's, and Children's Strong and Fine SHOES  
Sole LEATHER, HEMP  
AWL BLADES, BRISTLES  
HOSIERY  
FLANNELS, SERGES  
Fashionable Printed MUSLINS  
MUSLIN DE LAINE  
Colored MERINOES  
COTTONS  
CALICOES  
SHIRTINGS  
FUSTIANS  
UMBRELLAS  
RIBBONS and HABERDASHERY of all kinds  
COMBS of every sort and description  
Sweeping, Scrubbing, White-wash and other BRUSHES  
CHOCOLATE  
COFFEE  
RAISINS, CURRANTS, SPICES  
SUGAR, Loaf and Moist  
TEAS  
SOAP and CANDLES  
SNUFF  
Negrohead TOBACCO  
An assortment of GENUINE DRUGS  
SPADES, SHOVELS  
Patent SYTHES  
GRASS HOOKS  
Iron Tin'd TEA KETTLES  
SAUCEPANS  
FOUNTAINS  
Silvered formed BREAD BASKETS  
TEA TRAYS  
Brass and Japaned CANDLESTICKS  
Brass Drawer and other KNOBS  
Italian IRONS  
BOX and HEATERS  
Cinder SHOVELS  
FIRE IRONS  
BRASS COCKS  
Iron Rimed and Stock LOCKS  
COFFIN FURNITURE  
Fancy SNUFF BOXES  
STEEL PENS

AND A SPLENDID

**Assortment**

OF

**Jewellery**

AND

BRITISH PLATE

ARTICLES,

Consisting of

Gold BROACHES, handsomely Set  
Gold FINGER RINGS  
Gold BREAST PINS  
Gold EAR RINGS  
Gold EAR DROPS  
Gold BRACELETS  
Gold WATCH KEYS and SEALS  
German Silver Four-pronged FORKS  
Ditto ditto Desert Ditto  
Ditto ditto Table and Tea SPOONS  
Ditto ditto WATCH GUARDS  
Ditto ditto PENCIL CASES  
Silver Patent Lever and other

WATCHES.

Harbor Grace,  
May 27, 1840.



PROCLAMATION.

By His Excellency HENRY PRESCOTT, Esquire, Companion of the Most Honorable Military Order of the Bath, Governor (L.S.) H. PRESCOTT, and Commander-in-Chief in and over the

Island of Newfoundland and its Dependencies, &c.

WHEREAS on FRIDAY the 15th of this instant MAY, a most atrocious and diabolical outrage was committed by Four Men, at present unknown on the Person of

MR. HERMAN LOTT,

of St. John's, who was then on his way from Carbonear to Harbor Grace in this Island. And whereas it is no less especially necessary to the ends of Justice than essential to the protection and safety of the lives of all Her Majesty's subjects, that the perpetrators of this daring outrage should be detected and brought to punishment: I do therefore call upon all Her Majesty's faithful subjects to aid and assist Her Majesty's officers in discovering and apprehending the Persons concerned in perpetrating the aforesaid crime; and for the speedy detection of whom I do hereby offer a Reward of

**£300 Stg.**

To any Person or Persons (except the Person or Persons who actually committed the said outrage,) who shall give such information as will lead to the apprehension and conviction of the Offenders.—And I do also promise a FREE PARDON to the Person or Persons who (being an accomplice or accomplices, but not the actual perpetrators of the said crime) shall give such information as aforesaid.

Given under my hand and seal at the Government House at St. John's in the aforesaid Island, the 18th day of May, in the Third year of Her Majesty's Reign, and in the Year of Our Lord, 1840.

By His Excellency's Command,  
JAMES CROWDY, Sec'y.

**New Goods.**

JUST RECEIVED,

EX-ANN, FROM BRISTOL

An Extensive Assortment of

MANUFACTURED  
DRY GOODS,

50 Tons SALT  
10 Tons Best COALS.

And, ex-VETO, from  
New York,

160 Barrels Flour  
45 Barrels American New Pork  
5 Barrels Prime New Beef  
Spirits Turpentine  
Bright Varnish, Tar, &c.

Offering at Low Rates for Cash

BY

THORNE, HOOPER & Co.

Harbor Grace,  
April 29, 1840.

On Sale.

FOR SALE

BY

**Ridley, Harrison & Co.**

25 Puns. High Proof

**RUM,**

Of fine flavor,

JUST IMPORTED

By the Atalanta from  
Liverpool.

Harbor Grace,  
June 10, 1840.